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STORY IN SHOWCASE

Two Cedar City Firefighters Injured in Hazardous Chemical Blaze



by *Tracie Sullivan*

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

Two Cedar City firefighters were injured Thursday afternoon while battling a wildland fire involving hazardous chemicals just west of Airport Road.

The firefighters were transported to the hospital with non-life-threatening injuries, treated, and released. Although other media outlets reported that a civilian was also injured, Cedar City Fire Chief Mike Phillips said he could not confirm that information.

Meanwhile, crews worked to contain the blaze that started around 1:45 p.m. near the airport on 850 North.

The fire started outside the Insituform factory,

raising concerns due to the waste products stored at the site.

“The fire didn’t breach the factory, but the company had waste products outside that posed a serious risk because of the chemicals it would produce,” Phillips said.

The fire, which burned approximately 3.75 acres, came close to several businesses but Phillips confirmed no structures were damaged. Authorities evacuated the area for several hours as a precaution.

“We were concerned about how close the fire was getting to the businesses, but we were able to keep it under control before it burned any of the buildings,” Phillips said.

The fire was fully contained by 5:15 p.m. and evacuees were allowed to return. The cause of the fire is still under investigation.

At the same time fire crews were called to the fire they were also responding to two other incidents: a crash at Exit 59 on Interstate 15, where a trailer hauling a forklift flipped, and a severed gas line at 100 West and College Avenue. These simultaneous emergencies stretched department resources thin as they managed all three scenes, Phillips said.

Phillips called for assistance from neighboring communities to help deal with the fire.

“Thanks to our surrounding communities and neighbors we were able to put out the fire and respond to those other calls too,” he said.

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Human Trafficking Charges Filed Against Couple in Pine Nut Harvesting Scheme

by *Tracie Sullivan*

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

A Southern Utah couple is facing criminal charges after being accused of illegally recruiting Mexican nationals to work in a pine nut harvesting operation across Utah and Nevada.

Dayer Melchor LeBaron, 61, and his wife, Jolene Stubbs, 53, were arrested last week and booked into the Iron County Jail. Both face two counts of human trafficking for labor, with Stubbs also facing a kidnapping charge — all second-degree felonies.

According to charging documents filed in 5th District Court, LeBaron and Stubbs have operated a pine nut harvesting business for over 40 years, employing workers from both the U.S. and Mexico. The mother of the family is a U.S. citizen and the father is a Mexican national.

LeBaron and Stubbs allegedly arranged for a family of five, including a 15-year-old girl, to travel from Mexico to Beryl, Utah, with promises of wages and work.

The girl was reportedly hired as a babysitter for \$1,500 per month while her parents worked in the harvesting operation.

The couple reportedly provided the father with \$3,000 to facilitate his entry into the United States through a "coyote," or human smuggler.

Though initially told they would work only through August, the family was later informed they would need to continue until at least November, possibly into January.

Court documents state Stubbs prevented the family from leaving the Beryl, Utah operation, threatening to separate them unless they worked until their "debts" were paid.

"Once the juvenile daughter's family arrived in Beryl, Utah, the mother told Stubbs numerous times she wanted to leave, court documents state. "According to the mother, Stubbs told the mother she was not allowed to leave until the debt they had accumulated had been resolved, and if the mother did go, she would be deprived of her husband and the children."

Police began investigating the situation after Iron County deputies were alerted to possible child abuse and neglect when one of the family's children was hospitalized for respiratory issues.

During the investigation, police uncovered additional details about the family's situation, including that the 15-year-old daughter had been taken to Elko, Nevada, without the parents' knowledge.

The girl had initially been babysitting in Beryl for Stubbs, who allegedly told the mother her daughter needed to stay behind, even as the family dealt with the medical emergency.

"The mother informed investigators that her 15-year-old daughter had not been allowed to accompany the mother and the two boys to the hospital," the affidavit states.

Law enforcement later picked the girl up and returned her to Utah, according to Iron County Prosecuting Attorney Chad Dotson.

Both LeBaron and Stubbs are reported to have ties to a faction of the Fundamentalist Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (FLDS), a polygamist offshoot of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints (LDS) church.

LeBaron reportedly maintains dual citizenship in the United States and Mexico and has residences in both countries. The affidavit also shows Stubbs as a U.S. citizen who currently lives in Mexico. These ties to border regions raised concerns for law enforcement who requested the couple be held without bail.

Open house scheduled to discuss class VI carbon sequestration well program

from *Hollie Brown*

UTAH DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

CEDAR CITY — The Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining's Oil and Gas Program staff will hold an open house on October 2 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Cedar City Department of Natural Resources regional office at 646 North Main Street. The event aims to educate the public on the program's efforts to obtain primacy from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) for administering class VI carbon sequestration wells in Utah. The public is invited to attend to learn more about carbon sequestration wells, the concept of primacy, and the division's proposed rules and regulations.

In 2022, the Utah Legislature passed House Bill 244, creating a

framework for the Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining (OGM) to begin obtaining primacy, or primary enforcement responsibilities, from the EPA to establish an Underground Injection Control (UIC) program. Primacy would give OGM regulatory oversight of the permitting, construction, operation, compliance and closure of class VI carbon sequestration wells on all lands except tribal, which the EPA currently regulates.

Carbon sequestration wells are engineered structures that inject carbon dioxide (CO₂) underground for long-term storage. Once the CO₂ is injected, it is securely trapped by impermeable rock layers.

OGM and its consultant are developing a primacy application package

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FROM THE EDITOR



CASSI SCHMUTZ
COPY EDITOR

Just like that, we're at the end of September! Time seems to fly once the school year starts, fall sports return, and the holidays begin to peek around the corner. The start of fall is always busy,

and before we know it, we're caught up in football games, homecoming events, and the shift to cooler days.

Fall has officially arrived, and for many of us, it's a welcome change. I've always preferred cooler weather, and in Iron County, even though summer is brief, those few hot months feel more than enough. There's something refreshing about the crisp air and the way the community comes alive during this time of year.

We're in the middle of homecoming season! Parowan High celebrated on the 13th, Cedar High just finished their festivities on the 20th, and Canyon View is gearing up for its big weekend. Southern Utah University's homecoming is just around the corner, set for October 12th, which promises to be a fun week of events and reunions.

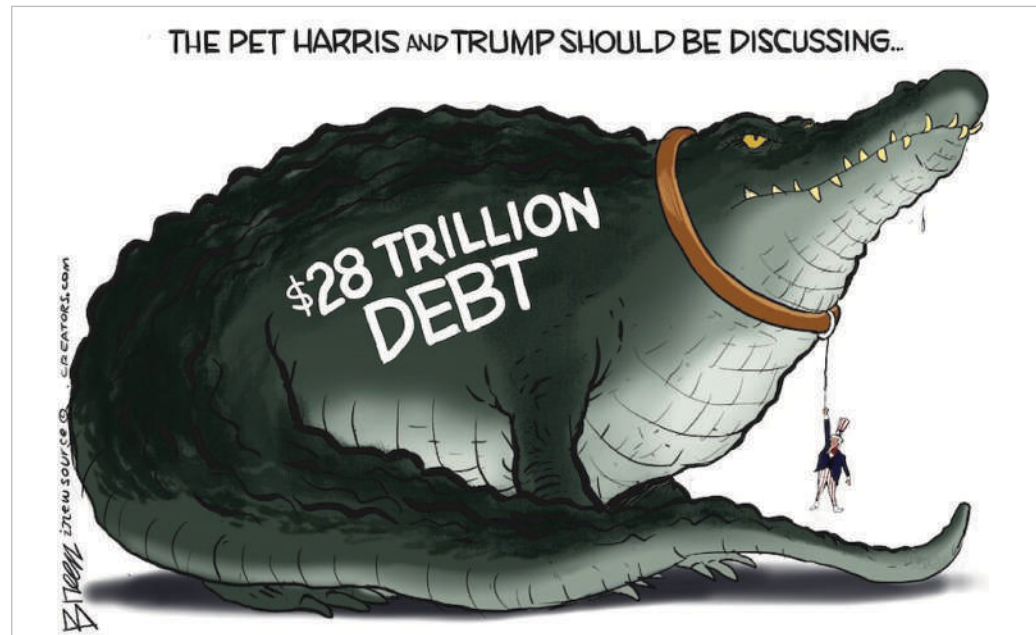
Homecoming is always a time of excitement and nostalgia. It's not just about celebrating our schools, but reconnecting with old traditions and creating new memories. Whether you're cheering from the stands or catching up with old friends, there's a sense of community that makes this season special.

I hope our readers are out enjoying all the fun and traditions this time of year brings. Let's make the most of fall, soak in the cooler weather, and celebrate the excitement that homecoming and the football season offer!

WORD OF THE WEEK

RAPTUROUS

[rap-tur-ous]
adjective
characterized by, feeling, or expressing great pleasure or enthusiasm



LETTER TO THE EDITOR

MUNICIPAL SERVICES FUND TAX #2

Since each of the unincorporated property owners in Iron County had to pay for their own power poles and lines, water wells, septic tanks, and garbage pickup, when the Municipal Services Fund (MSF) was added to our property taxes in 2008, I emailed Reed Erickson (Planner/Special Services) and asked him what services we were paying for? His response was "to pay for services such as fire protection, law enforcement, and some road maintenance, including snow removal". I took this to mean the services that all of the unincorporated property owners may utilize, but none of the incorporated properties. For those services utilized by both the incorporated and the unincorporated properties, they would be included in the County General Fund (CGF). If you look at the "services" included in the MSF budget (Iron County Budget 2024) most of them should be included in the CGF. The only services that should be included in the MSF are "Planning & Zoning", "Sheriff", and "Building inspector".

The other 10 "services" should be removed.

I believe that the County Commissioners have used the MSF as a money maker and they have included invalid services that few of the residents use/benefit from or that all residents use/benefit from. Because the tax rate for MSF is twice that of the CGF, (29 times the rate of Salt Lake County's tax rate for their MSF) seems a little suspect and unacceptable.

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QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"As long as autumn lasts, I shall not have hands, canvas and colors enough to paint the beautiful things I see."

-Vincent Van Gogh

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The Dark Side of NDE'S

PART 6

by *Edy Meredith*

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

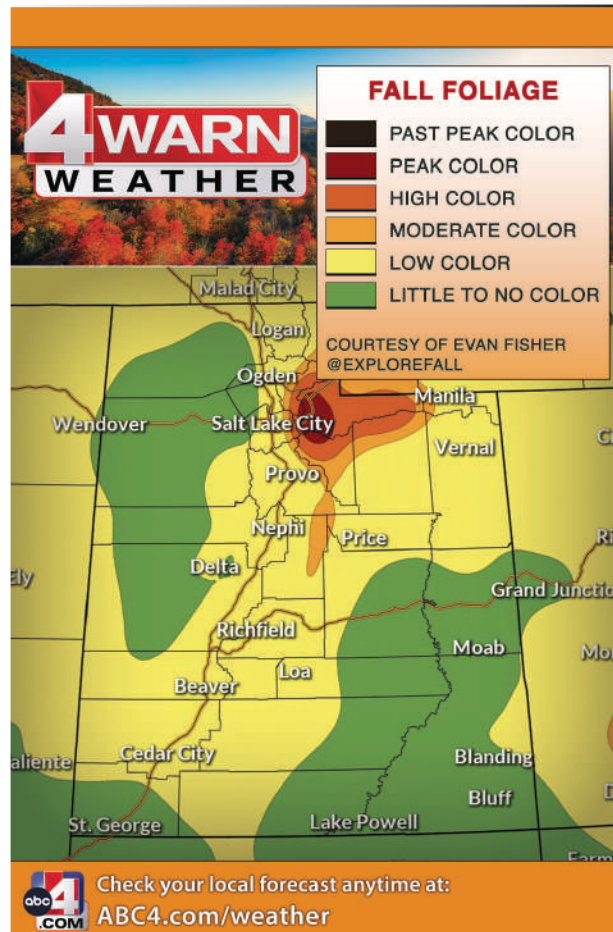
Many people are fleeing and leaving the most dangerous cities in the United States: Memphis TN, St. Louis MO, Detroit MI, Birmingham AL, Little Rock AR, New Orleans LA, Cleveland OH, Kansas City MO, Myrtle Beach SC, and Denver CO (the ten most dangerous cities according to crime statistics at realestate.usnews.com/places/rankings/most-dangerous-places). Even Vallejo and San Francisco in California are showing upward trends in crime. Hopefully those who are leaving crime-infested areas are finding peace and safety at their new locations. The 10 safest cities in America start with Scottsdale Arizona, Burlington Vermont, Yonkers New York, Casper Wyoming, Portland Maine, Warwick Rhode Island, Gilbert Arizona, South Burlington Vermont, Columbia Maryland, and Nashua New Hampshire. Cedar City Utah is considered one of the best small cities in Utah with a low cost of living index of 98.1. Cedar City is also safer than 54% of all other cities across America and safer than 49% of cities in Utah. Safety and peacefulness are very desirable. We want this for ourselves and our families, both here and after human life. This series about NDE's has emphasized peacefulness. However, there is a dark side some have experienced in their Near-Death Experiences with unsettling hellish visions during their Near-Death Experiences. These disturbing visions include the following: 1) total recall and life review of everything done by a person; 2) a taste of damnation; 3) punishment that is worse than war; 4) an eternal invitation, 8) gates that are not pearly, 9) the pit of despair and isolation. Those who have had these dark experiences know that upon their return to life their attitudes and behaviors need to change because they want to avoid judgement and eternal punishment in the hell they were allowed to see and experience in their Near-Death Experience. Many

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religions both ancient and recent have the concept of humans facing judgement after death to determine if they will spend eternity in Gehenna (hell) for their sins or eternity in Heaven with their Creator. The teaching is said to be that living in Hell or in a state where they are removed eternally from God in a state of disgrace away from God's favor (in other words damned), the concept of divine punishment and torment in an afterlife for sins that were committed or in some cases, not doing good in thought and actions while as a human on Earth. These warnings should be enough to cause us all to pause and reflect: Are we doing enough to draw close to our Creator and help our brother and sister humans? Remember that these Near-Death Experiences are teachings for all of us because according to many world religions, all of us will be judged after death for our sins of commission and omission. We

are all given an invitation to think about life after death. Are we living strictly for ourselves and our own families or are we living to serve the Great Creator of all. Please go to the following website to review what scientists think about this: reasons.org. Are we selfish (narcissists thinking only of oneself) or selfless (focused on benefiting someone else without expecting anything in return)? The Bible says that we are all sinners falling far short of the glory of God. What do your thoughts and behavior indicate about you?

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IRON COUNTY FORECAST

SUMMER-LIKE TEMPERATURES AND SUNSHINE WILL HANG TOUGH ACROSS THE AREA TO WRAP UP THE WEEK AND WEEKEND. WE'RE EXPECTING HIGHS TO BE IN THE MID TO UPPER 80S WITH MORNING LOWS IN THE 50S.

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WINDS: SE 5-10

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PRECIP: 0%
WINDS: SE 5-10

MONDAY
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PRECIP: 10%
WINDS: SW 10-15

TUESDAY
Mostly Sunny
82°/48°
PRECIP: 10%
WINDS: NW 10-15

WEDNESDAY
Mostly Sunny
81°/48°
PRECIP: 10%
WINDS: NW 5-10

IRON COUNTY GOVERNMENT RECAPS

Iron County School Board Meeting

from Iron County Today Staff

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

The meeting opened with a prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by a training session on the Master Board certification process. Superintendent Hatch reviewed open meetings law requirements, noting that meeting schedules, agendas, minutes, recordings, and budget info should be easily accessible on the district website.

The meeting then moved to school improvement plan presentations by several principals:

Canyon View High School Principal Dennis Heaton set goals to raise 9th grade language arts proficiency from 30% to 35% and 10th grade from 45% to 50%. For math, the aim is 30% proficiency for both grades. Strategies include formative assessments, performance tracking, and targeted interventions. The behavior goal is to increase positive recognition of students to 80%, up from 69%. The instructional focus is on enhancing classroom discussion strategies.

East Elementary Principal Mike Moyle set goals to improve K-2 reading and math progress and 3-5 proficiency. For behavior, the aim is for 80% of students to explain how they know they're successful. Strategies include aligning rigor with assessments, regular progress reports, and defining success criteria for key standards.

Escalante Valley Elementary Principal Allison Drake aims to boost K-6 reading proficiency from 57% to 68% and math from 68% to 72%. They've hired a math and reading interventionist and are using new assessment and intervention programs. The behavior goal is to reduce office referrals and increase positive reinforcement with "Mustang Strong" cards. The instructional focus is on enhancing classroom discussions using the Teach FX tool.

Enoch Elementary Principal Daniel Ekker and Assistant Principal Melinda Huntsman aim to raise the percentage of students scoring above benchmark in reading and math. They emphasize

120 minutes of daily language arts instruction and targeted interventions. For behavior, they've developed a master document for expectations and a new rubric for tracking assembly behavior. Their instructional goal is to enhance teacher-student relationships and communication about learning targets.

Fiddlers Elementary Principal Michelle Hall aims to raise K-3 reading progress from 67% to 72% and 4th-5th grade proficiency from 57% to 60%. In math, the goals are to increase progress from 79% to 81% and proficiency from 63% to 65%. Strategies include intentional planning, progress tracking, and student goal awareness. For behavior, they introduced a ticket system to promote respect and safety, aiming to increase ticket distribution from 2,500 to 3,000.

The board discussed the 2025-26 school calendar draft, highlighting the challenges and feedback process from community councils and the teacher association. The calendar includes 176 instructional days and four professional development days.

Next, the board reviewed policies. Policy 726 on fund drives requires annual review due to new legislation. Policy 862 on kindergarten toilet training is a new policy based on legal requirements. Policy 856 on medication in schools, presented by district nurse Tiffany Johnson, merges four policies and expands over-the-counter medication options.

The board briefly confirmed that the schools and board have separate annual reviews for the fund drives policy. The meeting ended without a closed session.

Cedar City Council Meeting

from Iron County Today Staff

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

After approving the agenda, the council addressed several public comments and presentations.

The Cedar City Rotary Club donated \$22,100 for electrical upgrades at Main Street Park. Rob O'Brien explained that the project expanded the park's electrical system from 4 to 92 outlets, improving its event capabilities. The council and staff thanked the Rotary Club for their generous contribution and collaboration.

There was a 42.5% rise in shelter usage and increased demand for pantry services, with challenges including affordable housing shortages and funding issues. City-funded security services have successfully reduced police calls to the shelter.

An update on the South Cedar Interchange project was provided, which is open for public comment until October 7th. The preferred single-point urban interchange (SPUI) design aims to improve traffic and safety, requiring some property acquisitions and relocations.

The council then conducted a swearing-in ceremony for Frank Vasquez, who returned as a code enforcement officer for the city.

During public comments, concerns were raised about the condition of 450 West, speeding on 1400 West, and sidewalk accessibility issues. The council agreed to investigate these matters and gather more information to address them.

The council reviewed alcohol permits for Don Miguel's and Aran Tai Cuisine. The council questioned the need for local review given the state's process and decided to revisit their policy. They also considered memorial plaques for George A. Wood and Dr. Richard Baggley. A vote on both plaques is expected at the next meeting.

In other discussions, the council examined a pioneering agreement for the Chelsea Phase 1A subdivision, which involves off-site sewer and water infrastructure. Chelsea's proposed 10-year agreement, with a 5-year extension if 50% of the investment isn't recovered, deviates from the city's standard Frontage-based reimbursement agreements. The council debated whether to use Frontage or area-based reimbursement.

The council also reviewed an amendment to the storm drain

BUDGET SUMMARY

YEAR	STATE OF UTAH	IRON COUNTY	SCHOOL DISTRICT	CEDAR CITY	COUNTY POPULATION	INFLATION RATE
2020	\$18,500,000,000	\$64,397,882	\$97,275,145	\$84,121,067	57,286	1.4
2021	\$20,300,000,000	\$68,529,185	\$111,206,179	\$82,661,906	58,672	7.0
2022	\$25,600,000,000	\$80,413,678	\$116,183,977	\$82,219,239	62,508	6.5
2023	\$26,000,000,000	\$78,255,317	\$172,080,787	\$97,198,239	64,211	3.4
2024	\$29,400,000,000	\$67,789,445	\$200,512,950	\$150,125,060	65,765	3.2
ANNUAL INCREASE	11.78%	1.05%	21.23%	15.58%	2.96%	4.3

* Information was obtained directly from the governmental entities listed.

master plan near 1900 South Main, which now includes detailed specifications and an 87-acre-foot detention pond. Costs will be covered through impact fees, with developers managing infrastructure.

Additionally, the council approved a one-year extension for MD Development's Iron Crest Subdivision Phase Two, allowing until June 21, 2025, to finalize the plat and bonding requirements.

A public hearing was held to vacate a utility easement near 1972 and 1960 Mahogany Circle, which was no longer needed due to enlarged lots and relocated utilities. The council moved forward with this, pending final approval. They also reviewed three airport terminal expansion change orders totaling \$15,977, mostly covered by FAA grants, and accepted bids for solar panel removal and reinstallation and re-roofing two fire stations, both within budget.

Finally, the council discussed reallocating funds for the Cedar Canyon spring filtration system. Originally budgeted at \$7-8 million, the project is now estimated at \$1.5 million. The council considered redirecting \$2.3 million from an unnecessary water tank to expedite the filtration system. State approval is needed, and the council aims to start construction soon, with a budget revision planned for mid-October.

Cedar City Planning Commission

from Iron County Today Staff

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

The Cedar City Planning Commission was held on September 17th. The meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance, approval of previous minutes. The meeting turned to a proposed Maverik gas station and convenience store development at the corner of 200 North and Main Street.

Rick Magnus from AWA Engineering and Todd Meers from Maverik presented an updated plan for the development, which had been significantly revised based on feedback from the commission and public. The new design

features a brick building facing Main Street to better blend with the downtown aesthetic. It includes outdoor seating areas, landscaping, and a small plaza space at the corner.

The presenters highlighted how the project aligns with Cedar City's general plan and downtown zoning requirements. They emphasized Maverik's commitment to providing quality employment opportunities and maintaining a clean, well-run establishment. The revised plan reduces traffic access points and aims to improve traffic flow at the intersection.

A development agreement was discussed, which would allow Maverik some exceptions to current zoning in consideration of the enhanced design elements. These exceptions include a slightly larger building footprint, taller canopy, and taller signage. The agreement would bind Maverik to the specific design elements presented.

During the public hearing, several citizens voiced concerns and opinions. Some praised the improved design but suggested rotating the building 180 degrees to have the storefront on 100 West instead of Main Street. Others expressed worries about increased traffic, potential environmental impacts from fuel vapors, and whether a gas station fits the vision for the historic downtown area.

Commission members asked questions about specific design elements, the fate of existing Maverik locations in town, and details of the development agreement.

The commission ultimately voted to give a positive recommendation for the development agreement to the City Council. They noted that while they were only voting on the agreement itself, the attached design exhibits would become binding if approved by the council.

Throughout the meeting, there was discussion about balancing economic development with preserving the character of Cedar City's downtown.

The meeting also briefly covered two other agenda items: an amended plat combining two lots at 1806 South Twilight Lane, which was a staff decision, and a development agreement at 189 North Main Street, which was not discussed in detail.

Community Councils to give input on proposed school year calendar

from Shauna Lund

IRON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

The Board of Education of the Iron County School District is considering the school year calendar for 2025-26.

Executive Director of Secondary Schools Roy Mathews said he looked at similar calendars from year's past in drafting the calendar. The Iron County Education Association also gave input. In an effort to get even more input, community councils will look at the draft in upcoming meetings. When the calendar comes before the board for its first reading, that input will be included.

"We feel like that is probably the right way to get feedback," he said. "Those are elected councils (and) individual parents can go to that Community Council and give input. Then we'll be collecting that input over the next few weeks."

Board president Ben Johnson said he recently attended the community council meeting at Parowan High and the calendar was discussed. Many at that meeting expressed

their gratitude for the ability to weigh in on the calendar.

The calendar draft includes a first day of school on Aug. 13 with the last day of school on May 22. Winter recess begins Dec. 22 with teachers returning Jan. 2 and students returning Jan. 6. Spring break is a full week beginning April 6.

Board member Tiffney Christiansen asked why the district doesn't align with Southern Utah University's two-day fall break. Mathews said the tradition of the community is to have fall break centered around the deer hunt.

Superintendent Dr. Lance Hatch said there is a lot that goes into creating the calendar and often there is not a lot of flexibility to work with because of where holidays sit.

"... With all the constraints that we have and all the expectations of the community, how do we put together a calendar that comes as close as possible to meeting what people want? It really is impossible."

In other business, the board:

- Reviewed the fund drives policy. Hatch said legislation requires the policy be voted on by the board every year.

- Learned about the new policy regarding toilet training for kindergarteners. Elementary Executive Director Steve Burton said legislation requires the policy. Some students do struggle with some of the requirements. Burton said schools work with parents to help get the student back into the classroom as quickly as possible. The intent, he said, is not to keep students out of school.

- Considered a policy addressing dispensing of medications. Nursing supervisor Tiffany Johnson said the policy is a combination of four policies and puts them all in one place. Two changes worth noting, she said, include an update to standing order medications which can be given with parent permission. Also, new legislation added adrenal insufficiency medication to the list and the policy outlines the training of school personnel and an exemption of liability.

OPEN HOUSE

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to submit to the EPA. The package includes state regulations, a quality assurance project plan, a detailed program

description, and draft rules to demonstrate that Utah's rules will be as stringent as the federal rules, a key requirement for receiving primacy. This time-intensive process is anticipated to take

several years before approval is given.

For additional information, contact UIC Program Manager Richard Powell at 435-790-6145 or richardpowell@utah.gov.

Utah Senate Requests Public Comment on 5th District Court Appointees

from *Aundrea Petersen*

UTAH SENATE

SALT LAKE CITY – The Utah Senate Judicial Confirmation Committee is seeking public comment on Ryan Christiansen and Meb Anderson. They were appointed by Gov. Spencer J. Cox to serve as District Court judges in the 5th District Court.

Those who desire to comment on either nominee should contact the Utah Senate Judicial Confirmation Committee electronically or by mail through the Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel by 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 2, 2024. Comments via email can

be sent to senatejudicialnominees@le.utah.gov. Written comments can be mailed to the Utah Senate Judicial Confirmation Committee at the Utah State Capitol, Suite W210, PO Box 145210, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5210. All statements should include the individual's name, telephone number and mailing address.

The Senate Judicial Confirmation Committee plans to hold a public hearing and then issue a recommendation to the full Senate. If confirmed by the Senate, Mr. Christiansen and Mr. Anderson will fill the vacancies left by the retirement of Judge Eric A. Ludlow on October

1, 2024, and the appointment of Judge Ann Marie McIff Allen to the United States District Court for the District of Utah on April 15, 2024.

Individuals may subscribe to receive committee updates, such as upcoming meetings, and view additional Senate Judicial Confirmation Committee information here.

Senate Judicial Confirmation Committee members include Sen. Todd D. Weiler (Chair), Sen. Kirk A. Cullimore, Sen. Don L. Ipson, Sen. Karen Kwan, Sen. Daniel McCay, Sen. Stephanie Pitcher and Sen. Scott D. Sandall.

FLEETWOOD MAC VISIONS ROCKS THE HERITAGE CENTER THEATRE



by *May Hunter*

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

To an almost sold out performance at the Cedar City Heritage Center on



Friday September 13th, the night was perfect! The Fleetwood Mac Tribute Band had the audience singing along to all the hits of the 70's.

Fleetwood Visions is a six-piece tribute band dedicated to honoring the iconic music of Fleetwood Mac. With two very talented female vocalists and a team of world-class musicians, the evening was exceptional.

Based in Salt Lake, Fleetwood Visions members are from all across the United States, all who share a passion for Fleetwood Mac's timeless music. Fleetwood Visions' dedication to authenticity goes beyond just the music with their stage dynamics from harmony to audience interaction.

Fleetwood Visions continues to captivate audience with all the favorites from "Go Your Own Way, Dreams and of course, Rhiannon". They keep the spirit of Fleetwood Mac alive for fans old and new-The Fleetwood Visions Team-

RealClearPolitics Election 2024

RCP Poll Averages

Election 2024	Trump	Harris	Spread
RCP Poll Average	47.2	49.4	Harris +2.2
Top Battlegrounds	47.8	47.7	Trump +0.1
RCP Betting Odds	45.4	53.1	
Electoral College	Trump	Harris	Toss Ups
RCP Electoral Map	219	225	94
No Toss Up States	262	276	
Battlegrounds	Trump	Harris	Spread
Georgia	48.1	46.1	Trump +2.0
Pennsylvania	47.6	48.3	Harris +0.7
Michigan	47.6	49.3	Harris +1.7
Wisconsin	48.0	49.0	Harris +1.0
Arizona	48.7	46.5	Trump +2.2
Nevada	46.8	47.0	Harris +0.2
2024 vs. 2020	2024	2020	Spread
Top Battlegrounds	R + 0.1	D + 3.9	Trump +3.8
RCP National Average	D + 2.2	D + 7.1	Trump +4.9
Favorability Rating	D + 9.5	D + 16.2	Trump +6.7

* From RealClearPolitics.com

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ROTARY CLUB- WORKING TOGETHER TO MAKE IT HAPPEN

2024 Main Street Park Electrical System Upgrade And Expansion Project

by **May Hunter**

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

The Cedar City Rotary Club commemorates our 100th anniversary with continued service and contributions

to our community through the completion of the 2024 Main Street Park Electrical Expansion Project by upgrading the electrical system. The project increased the number of electrical outlets to 92 outlets throughout the park which will support festivities, holiday decorations, family events, and concerts for years to come.

Cedar City Rotary Club exemplifies our motto, "SERVICE ABOVE SELF!"

Special thanks and appreciation to: Bradshaw Electric, Cedar City Leisure Services, Ensign Engineering, City Parks/Outdoors Facilities

Rotarian Rob O'Brien presents binder to the City and Residents of Cedar City containing the donation details for \$22,150, along with the recognition plaque design and placement, announcing the successful implementation and testing of the 2024 Cedar City Main Street Park electrical enhancement project.

Thank you to Ken Nielson and your team-Anthony Pearson, Kirk Haymore and also Jared Bradshaw of Bradshaw Electric, for your active participation in the conceptualizing of this project.

With The Rotary Club and you working hand in hand, it's a "case study" on how we can work together to MAKE IT HAPPEN!



Annual Cedar City Hospital's

Family Health Fair and Flu Shoot Out

with the Southwest Utah
Public Health Department



Saturday, September 28 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Inside the Cedar City Hospital concourse
1303 N Main St | Cedar City, UT 84721



HEALTH FAIR INCLUDES

- › Dozens of fun booths
- › **FREE** health screenings
- › Mental health resources
- › Important health information
- › Low or no cost flu shots
Visit [SWUhealth.org/flu](https://www.swuhealth.org/flu) for more information on the flu shot and to **prefill** out consent forms.



For more information, please call **435-868-5828**



Oct. 2023
Jubilee before
the concert

Unforgettable Season for the Orchestra of Southern Utah

by Sara Penny

CEDAR CITY ARTS COUNCIL

Starting with a "Spooky Spectacular" and ending with "Immortal Melodies" the Orchestra of Southern Utah (OSU) presents a season of unforgettable music. Season tickets are now available at myosu.org. The season ticket assures you of a seat at the popular Handel's "Messiah" performance, if purchased before November, as well as a reserved seat for "Rock Gold Volume 2". Concerts are at the Heritage Theater, 105 N. 100 East in Cedar City.

On October 10, several iconic Halloween themed pieces, like "Night on Bald Mountain" and "Danse Macabre", are set for the "Haunting Resonance" concert at 7:30 p.m. From Wagner to Liszt the program will be a memorable night of symphonic music.

The Children's Jubilee will be a "Spooky Spectacular" with a musical spook alley and activities like stage make-up starting at 12 noon on Oct. 12. The

concert at 2 p.m. is designed for families and this year is FREE, thanks to support from the RAP (Recreation, Arts, and Parks) Fund through Cedar City. All ages are welcome, including babies. Several school assemblies will be held in conjunction with the Jubilee featuring OSU musicians.

"Rock Gold Volume 2" on Nov. 14 features favorites from ABBA, Queen, Bon Jovi, and more. Seats will be reserved for this concert due to the popular appeal so you will want to get your tickets in advance.

Handel's "Messiah" is a seasonal favorite and is free thanks to sponsorship from State Bank of Southern Utah and the Leavitt Group. A community chorale and soloists join with the orchestra to bring this masterpiece to you. There will be performances on both Dec. 8 and 9.

On Feb. 20 the OSU presents "Immortal Melodies" including the "Moldau" by Smetana and exciting

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2024-2025 SEASON

OCTOBER 10, 2024
HAUNTING RESONANCE

OCTOBER 12, 2024
CHILDREN'S JUBILEE - SPOOKY SPECTACULAR

NOVEMBER 14, 2024
ROCK GOLD: VOLUME 2

DECEMBER 8 & 9, 2024
MESSIAH - LIGHT OF REDEMPTION

FEBRUARY 20, 2025
IMMORTAL MELODIES

APRIL 17, 2025
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EMPOWERING YOUTH







see **ORCHESTRA** »14



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50% OFF

FALL FOOD DRIVE DISCOUNT (TUESDAY-SATURDAY)

50% off day-of performance. Good for Iron, Beaver, Washington, Kane, Garfield, Piute, and Lincoln counties through October 5.

Some limitations apply. Must be purchased in person; offer is not available online.

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PRESENTS
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OCTOBER 10, 2024
HERITAGE CENTER • 7:30PM

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MUSIC DIRECTOR & CONDUCTOR

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CAMILLE SAINT-SAËNS

RIDE OF THE VALKYRIES
RICHARD WAGNER

ISLE OF THE DEAD
SERGEI RACHMANINOFF

NIGHT ON BALD MOUNTAIN
MODEST MUSSORGSKY

**IN THE HALL OF THE
MOUNTAIN KING**
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TICKETS



Orchestra of
Southern Utah
April concert 2023

ORCHESTRA

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"Polovtsian Dances" by Borodin. The OSU has a commitment to share the great orchestra repertoire with the community.

The final season concert on April 17 celebrates young soloists with the orchestra for the "Roy L. Halversen Young Artists' Concert" as well as the exuberant Rimsky-Korsakov's "Russian Easter

Overture". The soloists are chosen through a fall audition process.

Season tickets are \$55 for adults and \$35 for students. Individual evening concert tickets are \$15 for adults and \$10 for students. Go to myosu.org for ticket purchases. No children under six or babies for the evening concerts please, as these concerts are recorded. Recordings are available on the website and selective past perfor-

mances are posted on the OSUCedarCity YouTube channel.

Many thanks to the sponsors who help us keep the ticket prices affordable and to the musicians who make it possible to offer live symphony orchestra music. Check for updates on our Facebook and Instagram pages. "It is an exciting musical year and we hope you will join us," said Harold Shirley, OSU President



Carylee
Zwang and
OSU musicians at
East Elementary
Assembly 2023

Final Friday Art Walk Concludes Season Sept. 27 with Art and Music



by Sara Penny
CEDAR CITY ARTS COUNCIL

you to the September 27 Final Friday Art Walk. This is the final event of the season featuring live music, art exhibits, and art demonstrations. It is designed as a family-friendly free evening at 5 to 8 p.m. from Artisans to the Southern Utah Music of Art and down to the Johnson Art Center. The new galleries at 111 South Main Street will also be open: Kolob Gallery and Gold River Gallery.

"We have had a fantastic season and we appreciate all of the artists and musicians who provide this magical evening for all ages," said Roger Gold, CCAC President.

Guitarist Peter Buis will play at Artisans. Jim Howells, A Walk to Somewhere and the SideNote vocal quartet will be at the lawn near the Leavitt Building. The Nielsen Family is set for country music at "Home

on the Range" at the corner of 100 West Center.

The Sagebrush Fabric Artisans will be demonstrating on the east side of the Leavitt Building at 100 West University Boulevard (Center). Check out the art galleries for additional art demonstrations.

The Johnson Art Center

will have Samuel Allen and Cedar Jazz for their music starting at 6 p.m. There will also be jazz at the IG Winery with MB3.

Artist displays and vendors will be at the Southern Utah Museum of Art as well as live music. This is also the location to turn in entries for the Cedar Livestock & Heritage Festival Art and Photography Contest. Students from kindergarten through high school are invited to enter for prizes up to \$100 in three age groups sponsored by the Festival. Sept. 27 is the entry deadline. Forms and more information on the CCAC social media and at <https://cedarcityartscouncil.blogspot.com/2024/08/art-and-photography-contest-for-2024.html>. Student art will be exhibited as part of the Festival starting Oct. 25.

Paintings, photography, jewelry, and other arts are welcome at the Art Walk. Set up displays about 4:30 p.m. and save room for the musicians at the lawn at 100 West Center. There is no vendor fee. In addition to coordinating the event the CCAC has free art supplies for students so stop by their table.

Come and join the fun on Friday, Sept. 27, from 5 to 8 p.m. CCAC is supported by members and donors, plus grants from the RAP (Recreation, Arts, and Parks) fund, and the Division of Arts and Museums. Follow us on Social Media for updates at CedarCityArts.



RED ROCK FILM FESTIVAL

SEPTEMBER 26-29, 2024
Different Shows each Day!

Show Times: 1:00 | 1:15
3:15 | 3:30 | 4:00 | 4:15
6:15 | 6:25 | 7:10 | 7:20
7:30 | 9:25 | 9:35 | 9:45

The festival will also host several exciting premieres, including the world premiere of "The Reunion," directed by Roland Ellis and starring Austin Amelio (The Walking Dead), Emma Booth (Once Upon a Time), and Mary Beth Peil (Dawson's Creek).

With a diverse lineup of films, documentaries, and filmmaker meet-and-greet opportunities, the Red Rock Film Festival promises a dynamic experience for cinema lovers in Southern Utah.

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September 27 Musicians Scheduled



The Green, lawn at the corner of 100 West Center

5 to 6 Jim Howells

6 to 7 A Walk to Somewhere, music and poetry

7 to 8 SideNote vocal quartet

Johnson Center

6 Samuel Allen and Cedar Jazz

IG Winery

6 to 7:30 p.m. MB3 Jazz

Artisans

6 to 7 Peter Buis

Home On the Range, 97 W. Center Street

7:00-8:00pm The Nielsen Family

SUMA Inside

5:30 to 6:45 p.m. Blue Ponies

Give Full-Hearted and Enjoy Half-Price: Fall Food Drive is Back!

from Marlo Ihler

UTAH SHAKESPEARE FESTIVAL

CEDAR CITY--The Utah Shakespeare Festival returns with its 20th annual Fall Food Drive, taking place from September 10 through October 5.

The Festival is collaborating with the Iron County Care and Share to make a meaningful impact in the community by supplying food to those who need it most.

Residents of Iron, Beaver, Washington, Kane, Garfield, Piute, and Lincoln counties are invited to donate and join in for a good cause. For every five non-perishable food items donated, guests receive a half-price ticket to a play of their choice.

This special offer replaces the standard local discount for the duration of the food drive. There is no limit on the

number of half-off tickets local guests can get. Please note that premier seating is not available for this promotion.

"It's so important to us to help support members of our community who seek assistance from the local food and homeless shelter," says Executive Managing Director Michael Bahr. "These are our neighbors in need, and Iron County Care and Share does such important humane and uplifting work."

Iron County Care and Share is a private, non-profit organization dedicated to providing compassionate assistance and resources to individuals and families in need, offering them exits from crises and pathways to increase their stability and self-sufficiency.

It was founded in 1984 by local churches to address hunger in the community, and almost 40 years later, the Care and Share is still working to

help those in need.

Executive Director of the Iron County Care and Share James Jetton expressed that Iron County faces the second-highest poverty rate in Utah, which means many face food insecurity daily.

"Through food drives, we come together, offering a helping hand to those in need," Jetton said. "It's not about being heroes, but about being good neighbors, ensuring everyone has a seat at the table."

This season, there's a heightened demand for items like soup, peanut butter, beans, and canned fruit and vegetables. The pantry is also in need of cereal, crackers, pasta, rice, macaroni and cheese, and ramen.

The Festival typically receives over 3,500 pounds of food each year for the Iron County Care and Share. Hosting its

20th annual Fall Food Drive, the hope is to gather just as much--if not more--to contribute.

To participate, bring food items and proof of residency to the Festival ticket office, open 10 am-5 pm on Mondays and 10 am-8 pm Tuesday through Saturday. Seats may be reserved in advance. Tickets must be purchased in person, as this offer is not available online. For questions, call 800-PLAYTIX or visit the ticket office. (Please keep in mind - phone service ends at 7pm on the evenings of performances.)

"The Festival cares deeply about our community. Please join us in supporting our local Care and Share," Bahr said.

Monetary donations are being accepted as well. Visit <https://kindest.com/iron-county-care-and-share> to donate directly to the Iron County Care and Share.

Experience the Timeless Music of the Carpenters with Carpenters Platinum! A Tribute to the Carpenters

Date: September 27, 2024

Venue: Heritage Center Theater, Cedar City, Utah

from Jon Heitkamp

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

Join Carpenters Platinum for an unforgettable

evening, celebrating the legendary sound of the Carpenters. Relive all the hits that defined an era with stunningly accurate renditions of classics like Close to You, We've Only Just Begun, and Rainy Days and Mondays.

Get ready to immerse yourself in the timeless melodies of the Carpenters as "Carpenters Platinum" takes the stage. This tribute band offers an authentic and captivating journey through the iconic repertoire of Karen and Richard Carpenter, delivering their classic hits with impeccable precision and heartfelt emotion.

Prepare to be transported back in time and experience the magic of the Carpenters live once again in this unforgettable performance.

Don't miss this magical journey through the songs that have touched generations!

Tickets Available:

Heritage Theater - 105 North 100 East,
Monday - Friday | 9 AM - 5 PM

Phone: 435-865-2882

www.carpentertributeband.com/tour-dates

Secure your seats today for a night of
nostalgia and extraordinary music.

Willow Glen Resort Ribbon Cutting

“
Nothing But Good Times
At the Willow Glen Resort
”

by *May Hunter*

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

The newly added Willow Glen RV Park is quiet and beautiful. They have beautiful lawns and trees to park under. Willow Glen RV Camp is peaceful and calming. Their setting is not on a major highway, but rather about 2 miles off the I-15 at the Cedar City North Main Street Exit #62. They have beautiful surroundings with old barn character. Just a short stroll to their Roadhouse BBQ Restaurant Smoke & Steak House. Experience their Lark Barn Stage and Event Center with weekly live entertainment and festivities. Enjoy their pleasant walking trails through

their gardens and majestic trees. They are located just 8 minutes from downtown Cedar City and within an hour or so of 5 National Parks.

We love RVing! Brad and Charlotte have owned a RV of some type or another for the past 35 years! With many trips and camps in their pocket and many more to come, they have taken a break from the road to build their dream camp and share it with others. They love spending time with their guests as they enjoy camp life so much.

*Thank you so much,
Willow Glen is a great asset to our
community!*



Willow Glen Resort RV Park is now open!

Full Hookup 50 amp service available! Fiber Optic WIFI to every campsite. The newly added Willow Glen RV Park is perfect for a beautiful and quiet retreat. Family owned and operated, Willow Glen is a 'Unique Rustic Resort' Located at 3308 N. 900 W. Enoch, Utah.



by *May Hunter*

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

**WADE HAYES
IN CONCERT-
GO LIVE
YOUR
LIFE!**

Willow Glen Resort presented Country Recording Artist Wade Hayes (An Acoustical Performance) September 14th at the Willow Glen Historic Unique Barn Theatre. Wade Hayes had a great time singing over 2 straight hours of hits then a beautiful drive back to Vegas to catch a flight home.

The concert at Willow Glen Resort in Utah was a huge success, with attendees praising the show. Fans expressed gratitude for the beautiful scenery, photos shared, and some excellent BBQ dinner served. Over 300 in attendance the audience joined in singing and dancing to all the country hits Wade

WADE HAYES

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made famous. Wade signed

to a record deal with Columbia Records in late 1994. The same year, Hayes' debut single, "Old Enough to Know Better" was released, and by early 1995, it peaked at Number One on the Billboard Hot Country Singles & Tracks charts. The single was followed by the release of Hayes' debut album, also entitled 'Old Enough to Know Better', which produced three additional Top Ten singles on the country music charts.

Offering Country Music Performances at Willow Glen Resorts Spectacular Venue, is a perfect location for 'Outdoor Concerts' and plans on bringing more in the future.



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calendar

FRI, SEPT 27

FINAL FRIDAY ART WALK

(5-8PM) This is the final event of the season featuring live music, art exhibits, and art demonstrations. It is designed as a family-friendly free evening. From Artisans to the Southern Utah Music of Art and down to the Johnson Art Center. The new galleries at 111 South Main Street will also be open: Kolob Gallery and Gold River Gallery.

WED, OCT 2

IRON COUNTY MOMS FOR

AMERICA (7PM) at the Cedar City Library. We are discussing None Dare Call it Conspiracy by Gary Allen for questions call Kami Merrill 435-592-4152

SAT, OCT 5

POWER IN PINK 5K (8:30AM)

Join with other members from Cedar City and Iron County to support local women dealing with breast cancer. This is the 12th year of the Power in Pink-Iron County Walk and 5K at Cedar City West Canyon Park, 151 S 400 E. Early bird registration is \$25 until September 15, with registration thereafter at \$35. Breast Cancer Survivors register for free and SUU

Student Registration is \$15. Registration and information are available at powerin-pink-ironcounty.com

WED, OCT 9

NATIONAL WALK & ROLL TO SCHOOL DAY (8AM) Most elementary school students in the Iron County School District can expect to high-five a police officer or elected official as they walk into school, participate in "walking school buses," and receive safety education and materials regarding safe routes to school including proper use of the crosswalks and bike lanes. As one of very few Utah school districts participating, Iron County is excited to participate in the national program for the second year! Each school will have its own program of events before school starts, dependent on their needs. Every school will have a police officer assigned, various elected officials, with firefighters at North and East Elementary Schools.

Want your event on our calendar?

There is no charge for calendar items. Your submissions can be made online at ironcountytoday.com, or emailed to news@ironcountytoday.com or brought to 479 N 100 W, #1, Cedar City, Utah 84721. The deadline is Friday at noon. The calendar is not to be used for advertising. Items will be printed at our discretion.

calendar

ONGOING OPPORTUNITIES

GOVERNMENT

Brian Head Council

2nd & 4th Tues, 1 pm • Brian Head Town Hall, 56 N. Hwy 143

Cedar City Council

Wed (except 5th), 5:30 pm • City Hall, 10 N. Main St (435) 586-2950

Central Iron County Water Conservancy District Board Meetings

3rd Thurs., 6:30pm. Cedar City Hall 10 N Main Street

Enoch City Council

1st & 3rd Wed, 6 pm • City Hall, 900 E Midvalley Rd • (435) 586-1119

Enoch Planning Commission

2nd & 4th Tues, 5:30 pm • City Hall, 900 E Midvalley Rd • (435) 586-1119

Iron County Commission

2nd & 4th Mon, 9 am • Commission Chambers, 68 S 100 E, Parowan

Iron County Democrats

3rd Sat, 10 am-11:30 am • Cedar City Library, 303 N 100 E

Iron County Republican Women

3rd Wed, 11:30 am. Tickets \$20, <https://www.ironcountyrepublicanwomen.com>

Parowan City Council

2nd & 4th Thurs, 6 pm • City Hall, 35 E 100 N • (435) 477-3331

SERVICE GROUPS

American Legion Post 74

2nd Mon, 7pm, Cedar Library, 303 N 100 E. Learn about Veteran benefits, opportunities, fellowship. Honor Guard provides military honors at Veterans funerals. Post Commander Larry Bell (435)-559-2017.

Bikers Against Child Abuse

2nd Thurs 7 pm • Courtyard Marriott, 1294 S Interstate Dr (Cedar Breaks Conference Rm)

DAR – Bald Eagle Chapter

3rd Tues, 11:30 AM @ the Cedar City Brian Head Visitors Center.

Elks Lodge #1556

111 E Freedom Blvd. Cedar City, (435) 586-8332

Lion's Club

Tues, 12 pm • Call Pres. Michelle Wilson for mtg. info. Everyone welcome! (802) 359-2183

Marine Corps League

Detachment 1315, 2nd Wed, 6:30 pm
Elks Lodge (303 N 100 E)

Rotary Club

Tues, 12:15 • Southwest Tech, 757 W 800 S, Cedar City • (435) 233-0244

Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW)

1st Tues, 6PM, Post 10846 meets @ Elks Lodge, 111 E 200 N. Email: VFWinCedarCity@gmail.com

SUPPORT GROUPS

AA—Alcoholics Anonymous

(435) 635-3603 • www.utahaa.org. Helpline: John (702) 802-1332, Kara (702) 232-6829

KKCB Club (203 E. Cobblecreek Dr, Cedar City) unless otherwise listed

Speaking From The Heart • M – Sa, Noon
Steps and Traditions • M – Su, 7 am

Red Road to Sobriety • Mon, 6 pm Paiute Tribe, 440 N Paiute (435) 586-1112 Ext. 307

Misfits • M – F, 6 pm

Cedar Group • Tues, 8 pm

The Great Fact • T, F, Noon. True Life Center 2111 N. Main. (702) 802-1332 or (702) 533-7856

Red Creek Group • Wed, 7 pm • 685 N 300 E,

Parowan • (435) 477-8925

Uncommon Sense • Sat, 10:00 am

My Story • Sat, 8 pm

Thank God Sunday Spiritual • Sun, 11 am

What a Way to Start the Day • Su, W, F 7-8 am • All are welcome

Al-Anon

KKCB Club (203 E. Cobblecreek Dr, Cedar City) unless otherwise listed

Al-Anon • 1st, 3rd Tues, 7-8 pm • 435-704-8984

Easy Does It • Tues, 7-8 pm • (435) 559-3333

Hope for Today (Family Groups)

Thurs, 6 pm • (435) 559-3333

Alzheimer's/Dementia

Last Tues, 5:30-6:30 pm • Cedar Library (303 N 100 E). Learn, access resources, connect. Virtual option available. Raven Albertson, 385.831.7124, utahprograms@alz.org.

ARP—Addiction Recovery

1st Wed, 7 pm • Parowan Seminary building, Main & 300 N, Parowan

Sun 7:30 pm • 85 N 600 W, Cedar, Rm. 102 – LDS bldg. Back entrance. 435-218-9578

Caregivers

3rd Thurs, 5:45-7 pm • Zion's Way Home Health, 369 N 100 W #1, Cedar. All levels of the caregiver's journey from pre-caregiving to bereavement and rebuilding welcome. INFO: Kat at 702-292-9911.

Celebrate Recovery 12-Step

Fri, 6:30 pm • Sunrise Christian Church (6843 W 1800 N, Cedar). God can change any hurt, habit or hangup, not just alcohol addiction INFO: 435-586-3640

Embrace Grace

Unmarried, pregnant? You don't have to walk alone! Safe, judgment-free zone. Free baby stuff at a baby shower for you. Text or call 407-719-8595. Info under Resources tab @ Threshingfloor.life.

Grief Support Group

2nd Tues, 5 pm • Southern Utah Mortuary (190 N 300 W, Cedar). Safe, supportive for those who have lost loved ones. You are not alone. Free. INFO: 435-586-4040

Grief Support - Child Loss

1st Tues, 7 pm • Cedar Library (303 N 100 E). FREE for bereaved parent, sibling or grandparent. Includes any child loss (pre-birth, young, teen, adult). INFO: 435-327-1856

Helproom

Fri, 2-3 pm • Free online support group for survivors of Domestic Violence, Sexual Assault. Safe to communicate, share perspectives on healing, recovery. Join: affiliate.rainn.org/helproom/canyoncreekservices.

Multiple Sclerosis

3rd Thurs, 6-8 pm • Cedar Visitor's Center, 581 N Main. Caregivers and those with MS

Narcotics Anonymous

www.nasouthernutah.org • (435) 635-9603

KKCB Club (203 E. Cobblecreek Dr, Cedar City) unless otherwise listed

Basic Text Study • Mon, 8 pm

Just for Today • Wed, 8 pm

It Works - How and Why • Thurs, 7:30-8:30 pm

Live and Let Live • Fri, 8 pm

Candle Light Mtg • Sat, 9:30 pm (Sm rm)

Women Only • Sun, 11 am

Dopeless Hope Fiends • Sun, 8 pm • Mtg Hall, 1067 S Main, Cedar (877) 865-5890

Native Goods Marketplace

Last Friday of the Month, 10AM-2PM at Utah Paiute Tribal Housing Authority Parking lot (565 N 100 E). Join to buy goods, food, and handmade items.

Nicotine Anon (12-Step)

Fri 5 pm • KKCB 203 Cobble Creek Dr. Ste. 201 (North Room), Cedar • (435) 559-0394

OARS (Open, Authentic, Relevant, Spiritual) Young Adults Meeting

Every Tues. 6-8PM @ Cedar City Library in the Park - excluding holidays. Includes dinner, faith-oriented discussion and prayer. Info: text 541-579-1554 or pastorschuyler@gmail.com.

Porn Addiction Recovery

Men Only • Thurs, 7:30pm • Canyon View seminary building (54 W 1925 N). North entrance.

Pregnancy, Infant Loss

1st Thurs, 7:30 pm • Share Families of So. Utah • 565 N Main Street, Ste. 6, Cedar • www.southernutahshare.com

Senior Blind/Visually Impaired

3rd Thurs, 1:30 pm • Cedar City Library

Southern Utah Veterans Assoc.

1st Thurs, 7 pm • Westview Christian Center, 2624 W Hwy 56, Cedar. INFO: Chuck Waddell 907-252-1365.

Southwest Parkinson's Alliance

2nd Tues, 1:30-2:30 pm • Cedar City Senior Center, 489 E 200 S • Kristy 435-559-9681.

Widows Ministry

2nd Sat, 11-1 pm • New Journey-Widow's Ministry @ Sunrise Christian Church (6843 W 1800 N, Cedar). INFO: 435-586-3640, info@sunrisechurch.net, sunrisechurch.net.

CLASSES, CLUBS & ACTIVITIES

Adult Barre/Modern Dance

Wed, 11 am-noon, Spirit Wellness Club, 1615 N Main, Cedar City • All levels. Free to members, or \$8 drop-in fee.

Arthritis Foundations Exercise

Time TBA, Cedar Senior Center, 489 E 200 S • 435-586-0832. FREE. Trained instructors. Range-of-motion exercises, endurance-building activities, relaxation techniques, and health education topics.

Arts for Adults w/ Disabilities

Every other Tues, 1-2pm, starts Nov. 28. • Johnson Arts Center (59 N 100 W Cedar). Fun, engaging activities. Drum/Flute circles, group juggling, fine arts projects, more! All levels/abilities! 702-917-2151.

Bingo & Lunch

Fri, lunch @Noon, Bingo @3 pm. Free for Seniors @ Our House Assisted Living (995 S Regency Rd, Cedar). INFO: 435-867-0055.

Book Club

2nd Thurs, 6 pm • Cedar Library 303 N 100 E.

Boy Scout Troop 1848

5th-17 yrs • Thurs 6:30 pm • Old School Library, upstairs, west door. Text Sheila 805-208-4545

Cars & Custard

2nd Mon, 6-8 PM at Culver's 1065 Main St., Cedar City. Classic Cars & Trucks, Customs, Your pride and joy. A free small Custard for each car entry, provided by Culver's! Contact Mike @ 909-717-1232 or ekimjacobs@gmail.com for more info.

Cedar Breaks Model A/Vintage Car Club

1st Thurs, 6pm • Get to know other vintage vehicle enthusiasts, great camaraderie, have fun, win

awards at car shows, parades, etc. INFO: Mel @ 435-919-4183 or email cedarmodela@gmail.com.

Cedar Chest Quilters' Guild

Thurs, 10 am • Cedar Senior Center, 489 E 200 S. Projects for all abilities. Block of the Month. Make friends, improve skills & have fun. Visitors welcome. Info: Ms. Ronnie Badgett. 435-477-2243. cedarchestquiltersguild.org

Cedar City ESL

Wed, 6:30 - 7:30 pm • Free ESL lessons offered at Cedar Library, Rare Book Room (303 N 100 E). No pre-registration required.

Cedar City Toastmasters

Thurs, 7 am • Cedar City Visitor Center, 581 North Main. Find your voice, shape your future. Be the leader & speaker you want to be. (603) 731-0116

Cedar City Unitarian Universalists

2nd Sun.,10:30am @ 1280 E Midvalley Rd. Leave a message at 435 590-0596 if interested.

Cedar Professionals

Tues, 7:30 am • Springhill Suites, 1477 S Highway 91, Cedar City. Organization of business people. Stimulate business through exchange of ideas, information, referrals. visit www.cedarprofessionals.org

Cedar Radio Control Club

4th Thurs, 7 pm • Cedar City Library, 303 N 100 E.

Cedar City Community Band

We offer a wealth of opportunities for individuals of all ages and skill levels to get involved and experience the joy of ensemble music-making. Contact us at www.cedarcitycommunityband.org or by calling 435-590-2513.

Cub Scout Pack 1848

K-5th • Thurs, 5 pm • Old School Library, upstairs, west side door, next to Enoch City Business office. Text LaRee Kurtz 435-559-211.

Explorer Bible Club

Wed, 6:30-8 pm • 4yrs. to 6th grade, Valley Bible Church (4780 N Hwy 91, Enoch). 435-586-0253

International Folk Dancing

Fri, 1-2 pm • Cedar Senior Center (489 E 200 S) FREE; No Partner Needed; teaching! INFO: 626-808-6129

Iron County Moms For America

1st Wed, 7pm • Cedar City Library. Keep liberty alive in your hearts, homes with liberty minded book discussions. INFO: Kami Merrill 435-592-4152 or email: ironcountymoms4america@gmail.com

Friends of Festival Country K9s

offers Dog Training classes and therapy dogs for libraries, schools, and more. We also have events like animal adoptions and microchip clinics. Call Gail Workman at 435-592-5487 for info.

Community Dance: Live music, Classic Country, Oldies Rock & Roll.

3rd Friday of every month, 7-9 pm. Cedar Senior Center, 489 E 200 S. No cover. Call the Senior Center for more information at 435-586-0832.

Parkrun

Sat 8am - Canyon Park West. A free, fun, and friendly weekly 5k community event. Walk, jog, run, volunteer or spectate - it's up to you! www.parkrun.us

Parowan Pickleball

Mon, 6-8 pm • Tues-Thurs, 9-12 pm • Iron County Exhibit Building. Range of skill levels, 3 indoor courts, beginners welcome. INFO, fees and sign-up: Parowan Visitors Center 435-477-8190.

PB&J Therapy Groups

These two groups teach skills for different areas of life by utilizing recreational activities and engaging in other forms of expressing emotions. INFO: 435-267-4212.

College: forms.gle/SmGytgCfvQ1tS2pB7

Adolescent: forms.gle/BZiepPW63pR6Zd8k9

Rock Club

1st Thurs, 6 pm • Gateway Academy, 201 W Thoroughbred Way, Enoch. Learn about geology, find gems, fossils and minerals. Learn to cut and polish and make jewelry. southernutahrockclub.org

Sagebrush Fiber Artisans Guild

Wed, 9:30-11:30 am • Grind Coffee House (19 N Main, Cedar City). Knit, crochet, weave, spin, etc. Come learn a craft, work on a project, or just socialize. Beginners welcome! Questions: Jane 435-233-8366.

Senior Yoga Classes

Mon, 10-11 am & Wed, 1-2 pm • Cedar City Senior Center (489 E 200 S). Easy to do. Please bring own mat. (435) 586-0832

Sewing Group

Wed 9-2:30 pm • Cedar Senior Center (489 E 200 S). Bring machine, cord, projects, supplies. No fees. All abilities welcome. Annie Anzalone (702) 232-0063.

Southern Utah Woodturners

2nd Sat, 9 am, Cedar High School wood shop, 703 W 600 S.

StrongBoard Classes

M-W-Fri, 9 am • IFS Studio, 2390 UT-56 #9, Cedar City. Improve core strength, balance, stability. All fitness levels welcome. Class size limited to 8. Call (661) 436-0259 to register/ reserve your spot.

Tai Chi For Health

Wed & Fri, 9:30-10:30 am • Cedar Senior Center, 489 E 200 S. FREE low-impact, health for Seniors. Helps coordination, balance, flexibility. Maria Bailey, 435-673-3548 x103. Pre-registration not required. Space limited.

Top Bar Hive Bee Keeping

1st Tues, 7 pm • Cedar City Library 303 N 100 E. (435) 586-6661

TOPS—Take Off Pounds Sensibly

Wed • Weigh-in 9 am, mtg 9:30 am., Cedar City Library, 303 N 100 E. Lose weight affordably • 586-3233 (am mtg)

Water Aerobics Class

Tues, Thurs, 9 am • SUU pool, 2-56 N 600 W., Fun, up-tempo workout to music. Intensive cardio, full body muscle toning. Any fitness level. All ages. \$3/class, including pool admission. (435) 327-2091 (no text)

Wellness Place

583 S Main Suite #5, Cedar City. (435) 592-5308. Classes: thewellnessplacecc.com/upcoming-classes

Wellness Wednesdays

Wed Noon-1 pm • Create Better Health. ZOOM Mtg ID: 841 6308 8990, PW: health, Info: Kristi Sharp (435) 986-2564, ksharp@swuhealth.org

Youth Group

Wed, 6:30-8 pm • Ages 12-18. Meal, games & Bible Study. @ Sunrise Christian Church (6843 W 1800 N, Cedar). INFO: 435-586-3640, info@sunrisechurch.net.

schools

IRON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NEWS NUGGETS

by Colby Leavitt

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

Canyon View Middle School



CVMS wants to congratulate our band, orchestra, and choir students for a beautiful Constitution concert on September 10th. Great job!

Fiddlers Canyon Elementary

SEP Week is coming up! Please make sure you have signed up for a conference with your child's teacher. And while you're in the building, don't forget to stop by the book fair in the library to pick up some books, posters, toys, and treats!

Mark your calendars for makeup picture day on October 9th. If your child was absent for picture day earlier in the year, or if they just needed some extra time to practice those smiles, this is the day to try again. Make sure to check your child's homework folder and follow Fiddlers Canyon Elementary PTA on Facebook for updates, highlights, and other news about our school!

Three Peaks Elementary



Three Peaks Elementary second grade classes had the opportunity to visit Cedar Breaks National Park on September 19. Students learned some important park rules such as; "leave no trace" and take only pictures and leave only footprints, everything in the park stays in the park,

enjoy wildlife from a distance, stay on the trails. Cedar Breaks is a wonderful place to learn about why the environment is noticeably different from the

more familiar environment in Cedar City and to understand the effects of elevation on precipitation, temperature and dominant plant life in each ecosystem. After hiking at Cedar Breaks, the students ate lunch down the canyon at Woods Ranch. Thank you to the volunteers that spent the day helping teachers on this field trip. We are also so grateful that the school district allows the students and teachers to participate in field trips so that we can enjoy the beautiful scenery that surrounds us and learn about nature.



Fall SEP conferences are scheduled for September 30-October 4. Please watch for a date and time invitation from your child's teacher. These conferences are a wonderful time to discuss your child and how they are doing academically and socially at school. Please come with any questions or concerns you may have regarding your student. M-Th dismissal time is 2:30 pm and Friday early-out dismissal at 1:30 pm.

The annual move-a-thon will be held on September 26. This is a fun and active fundraiser that helps the students exercise with their friends and earn money for important PTA projects for school needs and prizes for individual students. Please consider donating to this cause by contacting 3peakspta@gmail.com.

Parowan Elementary

Everything is a little clearer now in the Parowan Elementary gymnasium. The school is celebrating a new state-of-the-art sound system thanks to matching funds from Parowan Market. Principal Trevor Heaton noted that Mike and Alissa Crockett are pretty

well-known in Parowan as the owners of the market. They are also known for their generosity to the community. One act of service they participate in is a round-up program. Customers can choose to round up to the nearest dollar at check out. That money is then donated to a community need. The lit-up P on the hill is one result of the donations. Now the elementary school is benefitting from the new sound system.

Secondary Schools



Nature often inspires art. Students from Iron County School District joined others at the SUU Mountain Center for a day of "Art on the Mountain." Students could participate in plein air painting, figure drawing

and 3-D art. At the end of the day, student pieces were recognized and awarded. ICSD winners in the categories are:

Clay - High School

1st place- Coulson Ohms, CVHS

2nd Joseph Lee, CHS

3rd Shelby L., CHS

Landscape Painting - High School

3rd place - Samantha Brunson, CVHS

Clay-Middle School

2nd Place- Aspen G., CMS

3rd Place- Kimber Moody, CMS

Landscape Painting- Middle School

3rd - Madelyn Johnson, CVMS

Figure Drawing- Middle School

1st- Emma Larson-CMS

3rd- Maylie Tanner- CMS

Best of Show- Ayda Ramsay, CVHS (figure drawing)



Gateway Academy Update

from Amy Gibson

GATEWAY ACADEMY

At Gateway Academy, our Kindergarten and first-grade students recently enjoyed a fun-filled week celebrating both Johnny Applesseed and International Dot Day. In honor of Johnny Applesseed, the children engaged in hands-on activities like making homemade applesauce and crafting their own iconic Applesseed hats. The students loved learning about his life while experiencing the joys of working with apples firsthand.



For International Dot Day, creativity was in full bloom as students explored the concept of dots through art and nature. They used seeds donated from Nature

Hills Farms as tiny dots to learn about living and nonliving organisms and even experimented with painting in the style of pointillism. The combination

of these celebrations fostered teamwork, creativity, and an appreciation for both history and artistic expression. It was a memorable week of learning and fun for our youngest learners at Gateway Academy!



VERSE OF THE WEEK

ROMANS 8:35 - 38-39

"Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword? ... I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord."

schools

NEWS FROM THE NEST

Sports

by Delaney Richards

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY



Our Volleyball and Soccer are still undefeated in regional play. Our football team is doing outstanding! Our Girls and Boys' cross country teams are set to place in 4th at state. Although small, our Girls' tennis and Boys' golf are leaving a mark

Club and Sports Meeting Highlights: Tailgate Planning in Action

On September 13, during flex, we had our first club and sports meeting, it was a huge success! We discussed and prepared for the upcoming tailgate, which is scheduled for September 27. The ideas proposed by the clubs and organizations sound fun. We're all very excited about the tailgate, and you should be too!

A Blast From the Past

With Homecoming next week, we want to notice and shout out our 2004 and 2019 alumni with a couple of fun facts. In 2004, the student body president was Paul Arnold, with Janae Steed as Vice president, Janelle Hansen as secretary, and Tammy Fox as Senior Class President! Also, in 2004, Kearny Woody was hoco king, and Sheena Whittier was hoco queen! From 2019, Easton Brandt from boys cross country took 2nd place overall at state, and we had a lot of record breakers at State, from swim with Maxton Cannon, a Freshman who broke 2 records- the 500 free and the 100 breast,

Jesilym Anderson, a sophomore who broke 3 records the 50 free, 100 fly, and 200 IM, and Jessica Davenport - a sophomore who broke 3 records- the 100 back, 200 free, and the 500 free. The 2019 Student body president was Britt Dunnel, the Vice president was Shelby Maxwell, and the secretary was Cumorah Hart! Also, a special shout out to one of our 2004 alumni, Bobbie Rose Chavarria; after doing some research through our school yearbook, it's clear to see what a huge impact she had on our school, her peers, and our community! Your memory will live on!

We finally decided on our homecoming theme: Forever Young! For homecoming week, we're jam-packed with all these fun activities taking place!

Homecoming Week Activities:

- Monday, September 23rd- at 7:00 pm, will be our Mr. CV pageant in the CVHS auditorium. Admission is free
- Tuesday, September 24th, will be our HOCO volleyball game against Delta at 6:30 in the main gym. Afterward, the Seniors will sign the rock by the bell tower per tradition.
- Wednesday, September 25th- is our powderpuff game on the football field at 7 pm. Come see the junior and senior girls go head to head with the boys whooping it up on the sideline as the cheerleaders.
- Thursday, September 26th- we are getting a little wet with a slip and slide near the football field at 5 pm with free hot dogs and music.
- Friday, September 27th our BIG day! The CVHS HOCO royalty will be crowned by last year's Junior prom queen and king during the Flex assembly. After school is our traditional tailgate party and car show from 4-6 pm in the football field parking lot. All activities are free to the public- ANYONE is welcome. A dunk tank, climbing wall, and inflatables will be on site. Kickoff is at 7 pm- don't be late. Come watch the Falcons take on the Mant Templars, and enjoy our traditional fireworks show after the game.



Club and Sports Representatives

Come and support Canyon View!
We'd love to see you there!

- The week wraps up with the HOCO dance on Saturday from 8- 11 pm on top of Cedar City's Parking garage and is being DJED by no other than Dj Boogie Man

celebrations

QUILTS OF VALOR

from Esmeralda Carter

PATCHES 4 PATRIOTS



From left to right: PFC Ethan Swapp, LtCol Paula Sylvester, Sergeant Rob Mabbitt

Honoring three local Iron County veterans including one of our own members belonging to the Patches4Patriots group. Quilts of Valor ceremony in Cedar City, Utah on September 13, 2024.



The Patches4Patriots group of Iron County awarded our local Veteran's their Quilts of Valor. Group Leader, Esmeralda Carter and board members PJ Sylvester, Debi Smith, Jen Oeland and our State Coordinator Crystal Farinella were honored to award these Vietnam Veterans their Quilts of Valor.

- Lieutenant Colonel Paula Sylvester, US Army (QOV Member) Vietnam Veteran, Desert Storm
- Sergeant Rob Mabbitt, US Army, Gulf War
- Private 1st Class Ethan Swapp. US Army, Global War on Terror



LTCol Paula Sylvester was awarded her Vietnam Lapel Pin and Presidential 50th Anniversary Vietnam Commemoration pins with accompanying presidential letter.

The community, family and friends joined in celebrating and supporting these Veterans.

Local Iron County veteran Sergeant Tris Colman receives his Quilt of Valor from Patches4Patriots group Leader Esmeralda Carter and members of the group, at the Cedar City Armory. By invitation of the American Legion on September 9, 2024.

Sergeant Tris Colman honorable served his country in the United States Marine Corps from 1971-1973, Vietnam War Era.

Since retirement serves in the American Legion and Marine Corps League, Cedar City, Utah.



history

Midcentury-Modern for the Next Century



by Kacey Jones

FOR IRON COUNTY TODAY

In the years following World War II, American soldiers returned home to build new lives, new families, and new homes in expanding suburban areas. This period in American history gave birth to an architectural style beloved decades later, known as “mid-century-modern.” It was during this era of design defined by clean lines, that Utah-born, Massachusetts Institute of Technology trained, L. Robert Gardner opened his Cedar City design office. As the founder of the only architectural practice of its kind south of Salt Lake, Gardner left a lasting imprint on Southern Utah.

Those who were lucky enough to attend the L. Robert Gardner show curated by the Southern Utah Museum of Art (SUMA) earlier this year, learned that Gardner-designed buildings

have stood the test of time in both Iron and Washington Counties. Gardner’s practice received commissions for buildings with vast significance to the communities they serve. Gardner buildings dot Southern Utah University’s campus. They have housed generations of schoolchildren at South Elementary and Cedar High School in Iron County, along with Hurricane, East, and West Elementary Schools in Washington County. Gardner designed important public spaces including the Cedar City Public Library, and homes that have become public spaces, like the Orval Hafen home in St. George, now occupied by the nonprofit DiFiore Center for Arts and Education. For many reading this article, you have likely been inside and appreciated a Gardner-designed building without yet knowing it.

In addition to conceptualizing civic and educational, residential,

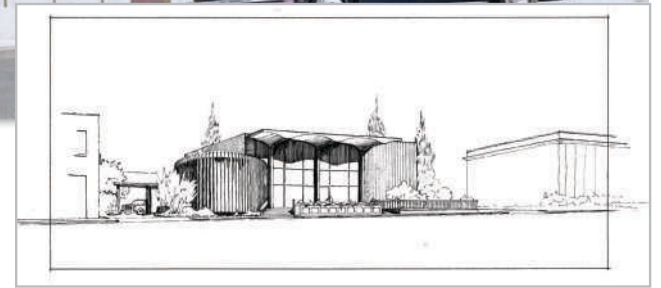
and religious structures, L. Robert Gardner also brought his design style to important commercial properties that still stand. One such commercial property has been a significant structure on Cedar City’s Historic Main Street. When Cache Valley Bank began looking for a place to open its first location in Cedar City, this Gardner-designed building at 26 North Main Street became a perfect fit.

Rather than constructing a new structure, John Jones, CEO of Cache Valley Bank explained why an L. Robert Gardner building was so appealing for a restoration: “Cache Valley Bank loves historic properties and looks for opportunities to reinvest in the communities where we operate. This building has been an important part of the Cedar City community for a long time, and we’re excited to start this new chapter.”

When conceptualizing what the extensive

interior remodel would entail, Jones explained Cache Valley’s desire to go back to the midcentury-modern design style that defined L. Robert Gardner’s aesthetic: “We want people who come into our branch to feel like this remodel captures the style that guided Gardner’s meticulous work. We knew we had to find the right partner, and we’re grateful to Cedar City builder Shawn Ekker of Nova Built who brought passion, vision, and commitment to this historic restoration.”

Cache Valley Bank will open its doors on Thursday, October 3rd. In so doing, Jones issued a warm welcome: “We’d invite all who are interested to come and see first-hand the interior and our approach to blending old and new. We have tried diligently to honor the roots that have sustained this community for generations. Now, we are excited to be a part of its future.”



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obituaries

Carol A. Thorberg



Carol A. Thorberg, 79, passed gently into the arms of her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ on September 15, 2024. Carol lived loving Jesus deeply and animals dearly and her passions for music and writing brought her much joy and peace. She was preceded in death by her parents, Eldean and Clifford

Thorberg and her brother-in-law and niece, John and Danielle Steen. Carol is survived by her two sisters, Genie Thorberg of Hardin, Montana and Clara (Cissie) Steen of Tumwater, Washington; as well as four nieces and two grandnephews and to grandnieces. Carol grew up in Hardin, Montana and graduated from high school in 1963. She attended business school in Spokane, Washington. Carol went on to graduate from Pepperdine with a masters in Family and Marriage counseling.

Carol married Michael Findley in 1969. Due to Mike's employment, they moved along the coast to Fullerton, California. Carol loved the beach and had hoped to return their someday.

Carol moved to Cedar City in 2008 where her sister and brother-in-law had retired. She loved God's Word and became very involved in Bible studies. Carol was an active member of Community Presbyterian Church and later Sunrise Christian Church.

In lieu of flowers, please donate to your local animal or women's shelter. Both were near and dear to Carol's heart and would be a beautiful tribute.

Online condolences can be shared on her memorial page at www.cedarvalleyfuneral.com

Want to submit an obituary?

There is a charge of \$100 for obituaries to be published.

Submissions can be made online at ironcountytoday.com, emailed to news@ironcountytoday.com or brought in typed/digitized format to 479 N 100 W, #1, Cedar City.

A single submission may be up to 600 words and may include up to two photos. Submitted obituaries over 600 words will be charged an additional 10¢ per word.

The deadline for submissions is Monday at 11 am for Thursday's publication.

Volney Frederick Morin, Jr.



Volney Frederick Morin, Jr., husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, passed away peacefully in his Cedar City, Utah home, September 19, 2024. He is survived by his loving wife, Grace Scattini, his daughter, Carrie Moeaki (John), son, Conrad Morin (Kristin), son, Wesley Morin (Emily), son, Joseph Morin (Emily), and his daughter Marla Marelli (Jared). He is also survived by 24 grandchildren, one great-grandson, his sister, Jeremy Jo Chicks (Bob), his brother D. David Morin, four nephews, and a niece. Volney's sister, Heidi Hildebrand, passed away in 2007.

Volney was diagnosed in July 2022 with stage 4 pancreatic cancer, and we are proud of his valiant fight.

Volney was born November 23, 1947, in Boston, Massachusetts to Marjory Jane O'Brien Morin and Volney Frederick Morin, Sr. His father, Volney, a WWII veteran, attended Harvard Law School, and his mother, Marjory, a stock actress at Brattle Hall Theater, in Cambridge, remained influential throughout his life. After his father graduated, the family moved to sunny, southern California, where Volney lived until he attended college at University of Washington. He graduated from UW with a degree in accounting.

Volney moved back to southern California where he joined the Air Force and served his country as a reservist. He became a convert to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in 1971. He continued his education and received his Law degree from Pepperdine University. Volney worked several years with his father in the family law practice.

Volney loved being a father and raised his children with lots of activity and sunshine. He was an avid surfer, skateboarder and all-around beach aficionado. After dinner, neighborhood kids would wait outside the house for the evening lineup of wiffle ball, football, bike riding and skateboarding. "Can your Dad play?" was a frequently asked question and he enjoyed being the neighborhood ringleader.

Volney was an avid musician and guitar player. He had eclectic musical taste and often sang hits from the Beatles, Gordon Lightfoot, John Denver, and the crowd favorite folk tune, "The Cat Came Back." This song would continue in popularity throughout the next generation as grandchildren sang along around the campfire.

Volney sang with enthusiasm, great energy, and had a joyful outlook on life.

Volney felt a civic responsibility throughout his life. He encouraged his family to vote and learn about the Constitution. He spoke up on issues that were important to him, and he served in many public offices. He was elected to the Santa Ana School Board in California and was the Republican Chair for Iron County, to name a couple.

Volney left a legacy of service. He served in local Rotary Clubs (more than once as Club President) engaging in many philanthropic efforts. Volney was a natural leader. He also served as Scoutmaster to his sons and many other young men for several years. He loved the Lord and served regularly in the temple for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Volney found joy in service, but also in a good joke, a funny story, and being around his family. We sadly bid farewell to a man of many hats.

The family would like to express its appreciation and heartfelt gratitude to Ethan Bunker and the caring staff at Sun Tree Home Health & Hospice together with all of the skilled and compassionate medical professionals who assisted Volney throughout his bout with cancer. The family also feels deep gratitude for the kind acts of service and thoughtfulness from neighbors, friends, and ward members.

Online condolences can be sent to his memorial page at www.cedarvalleyfuneral.com

Rogelio Castañeda Sr.



Rogelio Castañeda Sr., known to friends as "Roy" & to family as "Ragie", passed away at home surrounded by loved ones after a short valiant battle with cholangiocarcinoma on September 16th in Cedar City, Utah. He was 72 years old. Our Dad was born on April 13, 1952 in Fabens, Texas to Alberto Castañeda Sr. and Lorenza Estella Holguin. Ragie was raised in Fabens, Texas; Gonzales, California; & Chualar, California. Our Dad, the 2nd oldest of 9 children, grew up in the Salinas Valley with his 8 siblings after their move from Fabens. His siblings are: Irma Cardona, Alberto Castañeda Jr., Elizabeth Pulido, Alejandro Castañeda Sr.

(Beatrice), Ernestina García, Hilda Castañeda (Julian), Alicia Heard (Kenny), and Delma Martinez (Gabriel Sr.). It was in Chualar, that Ragie met the love of his life, Josephine (Josie) Estigoy. Ragie & Josie married in 1971 in Castroville, California & they celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with renewing their vows in June of 2021 in Cedar City. They raised their 4 children in Salinas, California; South El Monte & El Monte, California; & in Cedar City, Utah. Ragie worked in the plastic injection molding industry for 29 years with X-Plor Plastics in Cedar City. He worked as a foreman & relocated with the company when it moved to Cedar City in 1992 from Santa Fe Springs, California. Ragie was a parishioner of Christ the King Catholic Church. Ragie enjoyed his retirement years. Our dad loved to go fishing, watch old western tv shows and movies, spend time with family, working in his yard, traveling with our mom out of state to visit family, playing poker, trips to Mesquite to play the slots, playing horseshoes, & was known to be a good bowler on the Nintendo Wii. Our mom is going to miss how they would go to the state line casinos in Primm, Nevada for concerts and dancing. Our father did this because he knew how much our mom loved music & dancing, so he went along with it for his wife that he loved tremendously. She will also miss spontaneous trips to Mesquite whenever there was a full moon because he would say, "Vieja, we are going to win. Let's go!" And more times than not, he would win. She was happy that her & our dad were able to go one last time to Mesquite with 2 of their sons & daughter-in-law (Rogelio, Rudy, & Candice) as well as running into their grandson & his girlfriend (Andre & Brook). We thank God for the time we had to make more memories with our father these past 4 months.

Ragie was preceded in death by his parents. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, Josie Castañeda, his daughter Sonia Lisa (Rick); his sons, Rogelio Jr. (Shaneil); Robert (JoDee); and Rudy (Candice); 21 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren.

A Viewing, Rosary, and Vigil Service will be held from 6pm-8pm at Christ the King Catholic Church in Cedar City on Thursday, September 26th.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated in memory of Ragie on Friday, September 27th, at 11:00 a.m., at Christ the King Catholic Church, with Fr. Anil Kamar Kakumanu presiding. A viewing will be held at 10 a.m. prior to the start of the Mass. Interment will be at the Enoch City Cemetery under the direction of Cedar Valley Funerals. We would like to thank Dr. Bryce Perkins & the medical & nursing staff at Intermountain Cancer Center in Cedar City, the staff at Intermountain Homecare & Hospice in Cedar City, & Dr. Ivan Zendejas & staff at St. Mark's Hospital in Millcreek, Utah.

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Reds pull off comeback, beat Tigers

by Tom Zulewski

IRON COUNTY TODAY

As the Cedar Reds offense took the field late in the fourth quarter on Homecoming Night, the end zone and a victory seemed like it was light years away.

It would be no problem for quarterback Everett Kelling, and the team made sure to deliver the big play that mattered most.

Kelling hit Trace Oveson in stride for a 68-yard touchdown pass – his third of the night – with 55 seconds remaining in the game, and Cedar rallied to beat the Hurricane Tigers,

28-21 on Sept. 19. The Reds earned their first Region 9 win of the season (1-2) and improved to 3-3 overall, while Hurricane fell to 1-2, 2-4.

“Our offensive line killed it the whole game and our defense did great,” Kelling said. “We knew we could score a touchdown to win the game.”

It got stressful for Cedar after Kelling threw an interception inside the Hurricane 20 that was returned to the Reds’ 22-yard line. The Tigers would drive to the 2, but three runs netted no gain. When a fourth-down pass from Dylan Gabriel fell incomplete, Cedar had its chance with 2:30 left and two timeouts to help, but the end zone was still 98 yards away.

To start the drive, a run up the middle by Caleb Paule got Cedar out of the shadow of its end zone. Moments later, the Reds were at their own 32.

For head coach Tye Hiatt, it boiled down to a simple matter of trust in his



players.

“We were gonna run a different route,” Hiatt said of the winning touchdown play. “As coaches, one of the biggest things is you figure out you don’t know everything. You gotta trust your players and Everett and Trace did a great job. They had great execution and Trace made a great catch.”

After a false-start penalty, Kelling threw a pass to Caleb Paule that was good for the two-point conversion and a full touchdown lead.

But the Tigers were not dead by any means.

Facing a heavy pass rush, Gabriel rolled well to his right and found a wide open Austyn McRoberts for what would have been a 68-yard score. In the middle of the chaos, a penalty flag was thrown. The touchdown was called back for an illegal forward pass because the Tigers’ QB was beyond the line of scrimmage when he released the ball.

On the next play, Keaton Cox picked off a Gabriel pass inside the Reds 25-yard line. After Kelling kneeled once, the Reds celebrated a Homecoming night no one will forget anytime soon.

Both teams had strong offensive efforts and several lengthy scoring drives. Hurricane opened the scoring with a drive that went 54 yards and ate up more than 8 minutes of the first quarter. Gabriel connected with Alovao Fano for a 28-yard touchdown that gave the visitors the early 7-0 lead.

Paule capped the Reds’ initial possession with a 5-yard scoring run, the first of three successful drives in the period. The last one came when Kelling answered Hurricane’s second score with a 16-yard TD to Dylan Crowley with 25 seconds left that put Cedar up 20-14 at the half. Neither team

had to use its punter in the first two quarters.

The Tigers kicked off to start the second half, but caught the Reds by surprise with a recovery of an onside kick. Gabriel would complete his third TD pass of the night, a 16-yarder to Brody Jacobs, that gave Hurricane the lead back at 21-20. Neither side was able to reach the end zone until Kelling’s closing heroics.

For this week’s game, the Reds will travel to play the Pine View Panthers on Friday night with kickoff set for 7 p.m.

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Cedar

28



Hurricane

21

Hurricane	7	7	7	0	21
Cedar	0	20	0	8	28

FIRST QUARTER

H – Fano 28 pass from Gabriel (Yasuda kick), 3:46

SECOND QUARTER

C – Paule 5 run (Jenkins kick), 10:31

C – Crowley 70 pass from Kelling (kick failed), 7:26

H – McRoberts 1 pass from Gabriel (Yasuda kick), 3:10

C – Crowley 16 pass from Kelling (Jenkins kick), :25

THIRD QUARTER

H – Jacobs 16 pass from Gabriel (Yasuda kick), 9:30

FOURTH QUARTER

C – Oveson 68 pass from Kelling (Paule pass from Kelling), :55

Blake reaching milestone at Black Desert Championship

by Tom Zulewski

IRON COUNTY TODAY

IVINS – As Jay Don Blake gazed out at the multitude of golf colors around him at Black Desert Resort, the vision felt almost like a dream. It showed later when he spoke about what it means for the PGA Tour to return to Utah for the first time in more than 60 years.

Blake was among several golfing luminaries with in-state ties who spoke at the official media day preview Sept. 17 for the inaugural Black Desert Championship. A native of St. George, who grew up near the course, Blake was given a sponsor's exemption a year ago and will be making his 500th PGA Tour start.

"When I was presented with the certificate for the exemption, my emotions were overwhelmed," said Blake, who will be one of six players with Utah ties in the field. "It means the world to me, a scenario where you can't even write a script, can't write a story, can't dream something up to where I'm gonna play in my 500th PGA Tour event in St. George, on a St. George golf course."

Sarah Otto of the Greater Zion Tourism office said the creative wheels turned pretty quickly when the PGA and LPGA tournaments were officially announced.

"As a tourism office, we wanted to celebrate golf in the area," Otto said. "We were looking to do a documentary on the history of golf in the area, and everyone I talked to said 'you need to talk to Jay Don Blake.' We sat him down in front of our cameras and heard the story of his 499 starts and his desire to have 500. We brought that story to Patrick (Manning, managing partner of Black Desert Resort), one thing led to another and Patrick did the work on the back side."

From the "meager beginnings" of Dixie Red Hills, Manning related how everything came together to help Blake reach his milestone.

"When Jay Don was interviewed, I didn't know

his story," Manning said. "When he told his story about 499 starts and not being able to get to 500, I was like 'I have to get him a sponsor exemption. We kept it quiet, but it took a lot of work. It took more than a year to get (the exemption) done.'"

When the film crew was brought out a second time to interview Blake, Manning was able to present a framed exemption to Blake with his wife, children and grandchildren present to witness the moment.

"I snuck around the side and presented it to him," Manning said. "That's when he learned, and the whole putting green was crying."

Ogden native Patrick Fishburn is one the other players from Utah who will be in the Black Desert Championship field. The BYU alum finished 19th in the standings on the Korn Ferry Tour in 2023 to earn his PGA Tour card. One highlight from the 2024 season came with teammate and St. George resident Zac Blair when they held the 54-hole lead at the Zurich Classic of New Orleans before finishing in a tie for 4th.

Blair will also be playing at Black Desert.

"Any time you can have a good week, it helps your confidence," said Fishburn, who finished third in last week's ProCore Championship in Napa, Calif., at 14-under par. "Golf is such a crazy game with highs and lows. It was fun to be in the mix last week, and it's perfect timing leading into a tournament that's here in my home state.

"A lot of the players are super-stoked to have the



A view of the 16th green can be had for spectators when the PGA Tour plays the Black Desert Championship starting Oct. 10. (photo: Black Desert Resort)

tournament here, and going to be exciting."

Also among the Utah contingent committed to Black Desert is 2003 Masters champion Mike Weir, a BYU alumni, 2003 Masters champion and eight-time winner on the PGA Tour who makes his home in Park City. Weir, who was born in Canada, will be captain of the international team in his home country when the President's Cup starts this weekend at Royal Montreal Golf Club.

Among the youngest players in the Black Desert field is 18-year-old Kihei Akina, a senior at Lone Peak High who won medalist honors at the 6A state golf tournament in his freshman and sophomore seasons.

The Black Desert Championship will begin with practice rounds starting Oct. 7, the pro-am Oct. 9, and the tournament itself – part of the PGA Tour's FedEx Fall – from Oct. 10 through 13. Tickets are available at blackdesertevents.com.

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Canyon View's Bethanee Vargas takes a shot on goal during the Falcons' game against North Sanpete on Sept. 19. Vargas scored three goals in CV's 8-0 victory.

Falcon soccer flies past Hawks

by **Tom Zulewski**

IRON COUNTY TODAY

As the wins have piled up for the Canyon View soccer team, head coach Steve Newman has been afforded the luxury of giving his younger players game experience in the second half in the quest to reach the top of the 3A state mountain.

On Sept. 19, CV's momentum continued to build with another strong showing and another victory.

Bethanee Vargas scored a hat trick, the final goal coming with three minutes left, as the Falcons cruised to an 8-0 shutout over the North Sanpete Hawks to stay perfect in Region 12 at 10-0 and 11-2 overall.

"We were able to

work on tactics and strategies (in the second half), and it allowed us to get some real-time practice, which was one of our goals," Newman said.

Hadlee Farrow got the scoring started in the 7th minute, then Maya Nichols added the first of her two goals in the match in the 15th minute to stretch the lead to 2-0.

After Vargas scored her first two goals on the day, she assisted on Nichols' second marker with only 14 seconds to play in the half and push the lead to 5-0.

Gentry Jones and Sierra Monteleone helped the reserves make a strong impression with goals in the first 13 minutes of the second half, then Vargas

ended the match early when she completed her hat trick.

In CV's first game of the week, Trinity Marsh scored twice in the final 10 minutes to break a tie and help the Falcons edge past the Carbon Dinos, 5-3, on Sept. 17. It was the senior's second straight two-goal game in the victory.

The game was tied 2-2 at the half and both teams scored once in the second before Marsh's heroics secured another win.

The Falcons played a road game at Juab on Tuesday before returning home to face the Manti Templars on Thursday. CV can clinch another Region 12 title with a victory over Manti, and the match will start at 4 p.m.



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It didn't have to end like this for the Oakland A's

This week is a sad week for a lot of reasons. Another season of Major League Baseball is close to its end, but there's one team in particular that will be moving out of the place it's called home for the last 56 years.

On Sept. 26, the Oakland Athletics played its last home game at the Oakland Coliseum. After every reasonable attempt was made to keep

the team in the city across the Bay from San Francisco, team owner John Fisher packed up and is sending everyone to Sacramento for the next three, maybe four seasons while a promised stadium in Las Vegas may be built.

And the saga behind the move is reaching truly dumb proportions. The new stadium is supposed to be built around the site where the Tropicana Hotel once stood off Las Vegas Blvd.

After 67 years, the Tropicana closed its doors for good on April 2. As of this writing, the building is still standing and the implosion is supposed to happen sometime in October. It makes one wonder...will the A's new home be ready in time for 2028? Or even 2029? The doubts are only growing.

Before the team heads to Vegas, it will play in a minor-league ballpark called Sutter Health Field that seats only 14,000 people. It's not official at this point, but the team wants to install a synthetic turf surface instead of the natural grass that exists there now. There's one huge problem.

There are five MLB parks that have synthetic turf, but all play indoors – Chase Field (Arizona Diamondbacks), Globe Life Field (Texas Rangers), loanDepot Park (Miami Marlins), Rogers Centre (Toronto Blue Jays) and Tropicana Field (Tampa Bay Rays). Tropicana Field is the only one with a fixed dome, and the other four have retractable roofs.

But the A's are adding a hydration element to its new turf to help make it cooler for the players. Pardon us while we deliver polite golf applause to everyone.

For the team's new temporary digs, prospective season ticket holders are being asked to shell out between \$15,000 and \$20,000 - per seat. The math works out to between \$183 and \$244 per game. Let's not forget the

logistics involved for the Sacramento River Cats – Triple-A team of the San Francisco Giants – so they can have their home games, too. A total mess.

And for good measure, the A's aren't allowing the Sacramento city name to be used in branding. You'll only see "Athletics" in your box scores and standings starting next April.

I have too many memories to

count from spending time at the Oakland Coliseum. Among my favorites as a fan was seeing Game 4 of the 1990 World Series between the A's and the Cincinnati Reds. Went with my mom, who was hoping against hope the A's would sweep. It ended up the A's being the ones who got swept. Who cares? We were there, and that's a memory to cherish.

Thanks to the cruel move being made by John Fisher, memories of the great moments are all we as fans – and occasionally press box denizens – have left.

Back here at home, a noticeable major winning streak came to an end in high-school volleyball. The Parowan Rams fell to the South Sevier Rams, 3-2 on Sept. 17, ending a run of 43 straight wins that was good for third all-time in UHSAA history. The mark fell five short of Morgan's 48-win run from 2000 to 2002, which ranks second.

The Rams got right back in winning mode by beating Beaver, 3-0 on Sept. 19. They are now 12-2 overall on the season.

With the early struggles of Region 9 football, the latest RPI rankings are showing some challenges for teams in the closing weeks. Through Week 6, Hurricane and Dixie are in a dangerous spot in relation to the playoffs. The Tigers are ranked 22nd and the Flyers stand at 23rd with only one win on the season.

Since 4A now has 28 schools, the bottom four schools in the final rankings (positions 25 through 28) will not advance to the state playoffs. Things could change in the weeks ahead, and hopefully on an upward trend.

RANDOM thoughts

Tom Zulewski

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PREP SCOREBOARD - FALL STANDINGS

SCORES

Region 9 Football

9/20 Cedar 28, Hurricane 21
Crimson Cliffs 35, Snow Canyon 6
Pine View 35, Dixie 34, OT

3A South Football

9/20 Canyon View 21, North Sanpete 14
Richfield 24, Juab 13, Manti 61, Carbon 0

1A South Football

9/20 Milford 38, Parowan 8, Beaver 20,
Kanab 7, Millard 3, Enterprise 0

Region 9 Girls Soccer

9/17 Desert Hills 3, Cedar 0, Snow Canyon 7,
Pine View 2, Hurricane 3, Dixie 0

9/19 Cedar 3, Hurricane 0, Pine View 5,
Dixie 1, Desert Hills 1, Crimson Cliffs 1,
Thunder win 4-1 on PKs

Region 12 Girls Soccer

9/17 Canyon View 5, Carbon 3
Manti 5, Juab 0
Delta 2, Emery 0
Richfield 3, North Sanpete 1

9/19 Canyon View 8, North Sanpete 0
Carbon 6, Juab 2, Manti 8, Emery 0
Delta 1, Richfield 1, Rabbits win 6-5 on PKs

2A South Girls Soccer

9/17 Millard 3, Parowan 0, Beaver 4, Grand 2

9/19 Parowan 4, South Sevier 3, OT
Grand 4, San Juan 2, Millard 2, Beaver 0

Region 9 Volleyball

9/17 Cedar 3, Snow Canyon 0, Desert Hills 3,
Pine View 0, Crimson Cliffs 3,
Dixie 0, Timpview 3, Hurricane 1

9/19 Cedar 3, Dixie 0, Panguitch 3,
Pine View 0

Region 12 Volleyball

9/17 Canyon View 3, Emery 1 Richfield 3,
Delta 0, Manti 3, Carbon 0, North
Sanpete 3, Juab 0

9/19 Canyon View 3, Juab 0, North Sanpete 3,
Delta 0, Richfield 3, Manti 2
Emery 3, Carbon 1

Region 18 Volleyball

9/17 South Sevier 3, Parowan 2, Kanab 3,
Enterprise 2, Millard 3, Water Canyon 0

9/19 Parowan 3, Beaver 0, Enterprise 3,
Millard 0, Kanab 3, Water Canyon 0

STANDINGS

RPI RANKINGS IN PARENTHESES

Region 9 Football

	REGION	OVERALL
Crimson Cliffs (5)	3-0	4-2
Desert Hills (13)	1-1	2-3
Snow Canyon (17)	1-1	2-4
Dixie (23)	1-1	1-4
Cedar (11)	1-2	3-3
Pine View (14)	1-2	3-3
Hurricane (22)	1-2	2-4

3A South Football

	REGION	OVERALL
Richfield (4)	1-0	6-0
Manti (3)	1-0	5-1
Canyon View (7)	1-0	4-2
Carbon (6)	0-1	3-3
North Sanpete (9)	0-1	2-4
Juab (10)	0-1	2-4

1A South Football

	REGION	OVERALL
Beaver (1)	1-0	6-0
Milford (3)	1-0	5-1
Enterprise (9)	0-0	1-4
Kanab (4)	0-1	3-3
Parowan (7)	0-1	2-4

Region 9 Girls Soccer

	REGION	OVERALL
Snow Canyon (2)	7-1	10-2
Crimson Cliffs (8)	5-3	9-4
Desert Hills (11)	5-4	8-5
Cedar (13)	4-4	9-5
Pine View (14)	3-5	6-7
Hurricane (17)	3-6	6-8
Dixie (21)	2-7	3-9

Region 12 Girls Soccer

	REGION	OVERALL
Canyon View (2)	10-0	11-2
Manti (3)	9-1	12-1
Carbon (4)	7-3	9-3
Delta (10)	4-6	6-8
Richfield (11)	3-6	5-7
Juab (13)	3-6	4-9
North Sanpete (12)	3-7	4-8
Emery (17)	0-10	0-12

2A South Girls Soccer

	REGION	OVERALL
Grand (5)	5-1	7-2
Millard (8)	4-1	7-6
Beaver (10)	4-2	4-5
San Juan (9)	1-3	2-4
Parowan (15)	1-4	1-10
South Sevier (16)	1-5	1-8

Region 9 Volleyball

	REGION	OVERALL
Desert Hills (4)	6-0	10-4
Hurricane (5)	5-1	11-5
Crimson Cliffs (6)	4-2	12-4
Cedar (12)	3-3	6-9
Snow Canyon (17)	2-4	8-10
Dixie (16)	1-5	5-8
Pine View (24)	0-6	1-8

Region 12 Volleyball

	REGION	OVERALL
Canyon View (1)	7-0	18-2
North Sanpete (2)	6-1	13-3
Emery (5)	4-3	9-5
Richfield (9)	4-3	7-9
Manti (12)	3-4	4-8
Delta (8)	2-5	7-8
Carbon (15)	2-5	5-10
Juab (13)	0-7	4-11

Region 18 Volleyball

	REGION	OVERALL
Parowan (4)	4-1	9-1
Kanab (6)	4-1	10-4
South Sevier (2)	3-1	12-2
Millard (15)	3-2	5-9
Enterprise (8)	2-3	10-6
Beaver (23)	0-3	3-6
Water Canyon (19)	0-4	2-6

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TOM'S SPORTS TRIVIA

With Major League Baseball's regular season winding down – including the end of the 56-year run of the Oakland A's – this week's dozen takes a look at the memories and history from the Green and Gold. Have fun, embrace the chaos, and please remember...no wagering!

1. In what year did the A's make their debut in Oakland?
2. The A's won four World Series titles, including three straight from 1972 to 1974. Name any of the teams the A's beat in that three-year run. (hint: one team won a World Series in 1969, the second won titles in 1975, 1976 and 1990), and the third won titles in 1981, 1988 and 2020)
3. The fourth World Series won by the A's came in 1989, one that was interrupted for 10 days after a 7.1-magnitude earthquake struck the San Francisco Bay Area on Oct. 17. Which game of that Series was delayed and who was the opponent?
4. True or False: In the 56-year run of the Oakland A's, no player won an American League batting title.
5. The A's had a formidable duo in the late 1980s nicknamed the Bash Brothers. One became the first player to hit 40 home runs and steal 40 bases in the same season (1988) and the other moved on to hit 70 home runs for the St. Louis Cardinals in 1998 - a record that lasted only three years. Name either player.
6. Where were the A's located before they arrived in Oakland? The team was in this city from 1955 to 1967 before it found a replacement two years later.
7. Between 2000 and 2002, the Oakland A's had three different pitchers lead the American League in wins with 20, 21 and 23, respectively. Name any of them.
8. The A's set a new American League record with 20 straight victories in the 2002 season. On Sept. 4, the record was secured when Scott Hatteberg belted a solo home run with one out in the bottom of the 9th inning. What 2011 movie starring Brad Pitt immortalized the moment?
9. Since 2000, how many times did the Oakland A's advance to the American League playoffs?

10. It didn't take long for the A's to make a splash when they arrived in Oakland. On May 8, 1968, Jim Hunter threw a perfect game against the Minnesota Twins. What was Hunter's catchy nickname?
11. In addition to Hunter, Dallas Braden also threw a perfect game for the Oakland A's in a 4-0 win over the Tampa Bay Rays on May 9, 2010. What was unique about that date (a Sunday)?
12. The Oakland A's had two managers win American League Manager of the Year twice. One was Tony LaRussa (1988, 1992) and who was the other, who did it in 2012 and 2018 and has finished his first season as manager of the San Francisco Giants in 2024?

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS

1. A home run.
2. Angel Reese.
3. Northern Illinois
4. The Detroit Tigers lost 119 games in 2003, and the New York Mets lost 120 games in 1962.
5. Jacksonville Jaguars.
6. Chicago Blackhawks
7. Marvin Harrison, Jr. Harrison rebounded in Week 2 with two touchdowns and four total catches for 130 yards in the Cardinals' 41-10 rout over the Los Angeles Rams.
8. A'ja Wilson. Wilson followed that up by becoming the first player in WNBA history to score 1,000 points in a season as the Aces beat the Connecticut Sun, 84-71 on Sept. 15.
9. Joe Burrow.
10. Jordan Love. The Packers still beat the Indianapolis Colts, 16-10, behind backup QB Malik Willis.
11. Sherrone Moore.
12. Drew Thorpe. Thorpe finished his rookie season with a 3-3 record and 5.41 ERA in nine starts for the White Sox.

Reds rebound, shut out Tigers on pitch

by Tom Zulewski

IRON COUNTY TODAY

Rylee Albrecht and Maddie Marriott scored goals in the first half, and the Cedar Reds went on to beat the Hurricane Tigers, 3-0 on Sept. 19 in Region 9 girls soccer action. Tylee Nielson added a goal in the second half, and the Reds evened their region record at 4-4 while improving to 9-5 overall.

Cambria Simper finished with her fourth clean sheet of the season in goal for Cedar.

On Sept. 17, Desert Hills scored all of its goals in a two-minute span midway through the first half and beat Cedar, 3-0 in St. George. Dottie Bethers, Brooklenn Carney and Sophie Nelson found the back of the net for the Thunder in the victory.

Cedar played both of its games on the road for this week, starting at Region 9 leader Snow Canyon on Tuesday then at Dixie on Thursday. The Reds handed the Warriors its only region loss of the season, winning 3-1 at home Sept. 5.

Falcons open region play with road win

by Tom Zulewski


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Quarterback Ryder Miller threw two touchdown passes, including an 81-yard strike to Bubba Ludlow that broke a third-quarter tie, and the Canyon View Falcons held on to beat the North Sanpete Hawks, 21-14 on Sept. 20 in the 3A South region opener for both teams. The Falcons won their third straight and improved to 4-2 overall on the season.

Ludlow added a 75-yard punt return for a score in the second quarter that put CV up 14-0, but the host Hawks (0-1, 2-4) got a pair of 1-yard touchdown runs by Taulua Laupapa – the last coming with 27 seconds left – to pull into a 14-14 tie at the halftime break.

When the Hawks missed a field goal that would have given them the lead in the third quarter, Miller found Ludlow for the go-ahead score with 1:13 remaining in the period to give Canyon View the lead they wouldn't relinquish.


CV returns home for this week's Homecoming game against Manti on Friday, starting at 7 p.m. The Templars ran away early and routed the Carbon Dinos, 61-0 in its 3A South region opener last week to improve to 5-1 on the season. Manti's only loss was a 28-20 decision at home to Grantsville on Aug. 30.



**CANYON VIEW HIGH SCHOOL
FALCONS**

Canyon View

21



**NORTH SANPETE
HAWKS**

North Sanpete

14

Canyon View 7 7 7 0 - 21
North Sanpete 0 14 0 0 - 14

FIRST QUARTER
CV - Slack 10 pass from Miller (Slack kick), 2:31

SECOND QUARTER
CV - Ludlow 75 punt return (Slack kick), 9:30
NS - Laupapa 1 run (Contreras kick), 6:15
NS - Laupapa 1 run (Contreras kick), :27

THIRD QUARTER
CV - Ludlow 81 pass from Miller (Slack kick), 1:13

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, by Enoch Storage Rentals, that the rights, title and interest of the following storage occupant's personal property will be sold at public auction for non-payment of rent. Each unit's contents will be sold in bulk as a single transaction for CASH only on Sat., Oct. 12, 2024 at 9 am at Enoch Storage located at 660 E 4930 N Enoch, UT 84721, 435-867-4655. A \$100 refundable cash performance deposit, per unit, is required of successful bidders. Successful bidders will be allowed 7 days to clean out the units.

#302 Chester Michalosky; tool box, tote, weights, tile tools

#343 Ryan Russ; pressure washer, tent, house items

#389 Jordan A Hardisty; snowboards, air compressor, ladder, misc

#483 Keeley Smith; table, chairs, bed, Christmas tree, bike

#467 Charles Rice; 4 wheeler, BBQ, mtn. bike, chainsaw

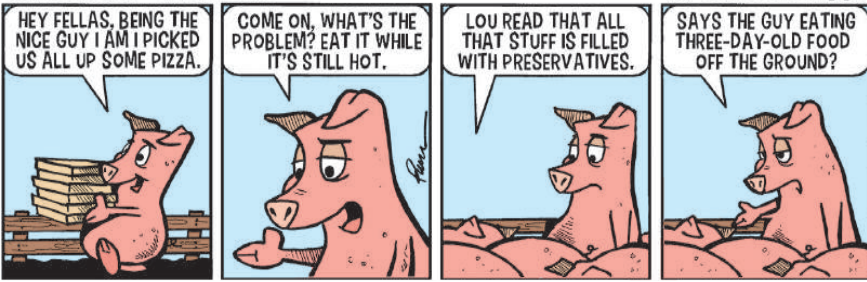
NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Ronald Edwin Emmert, Deceased. Pursuant to Section 75-7-508 of the Utah Code, David James Berryman, whose address is 1810 Navajo Place, Escondido, CA 92029, the Personal Representative of the Ronald Emmert Estate (the "Estate"), hereby gives notice that Ronald Edwin Emmert (the "Deceased") died on July 3, 2024. Creditors of the Deceased are hereby notified to deliver or mail their written claims to the Personal Representative at the address above within three months after the date of the first publication of this notice or be forever barred. This is the first notice / publication.

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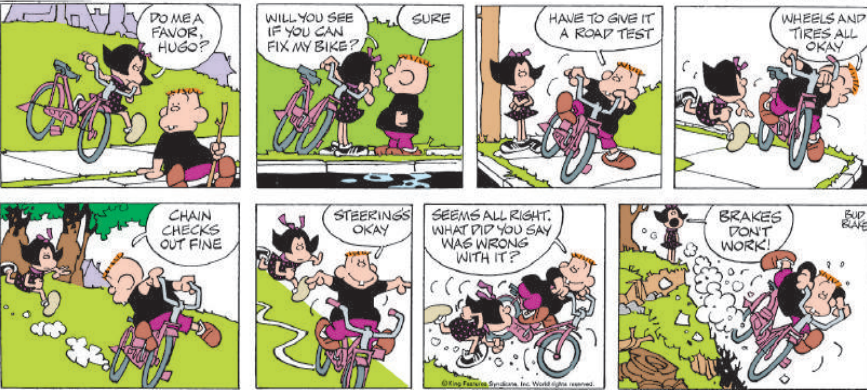
Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



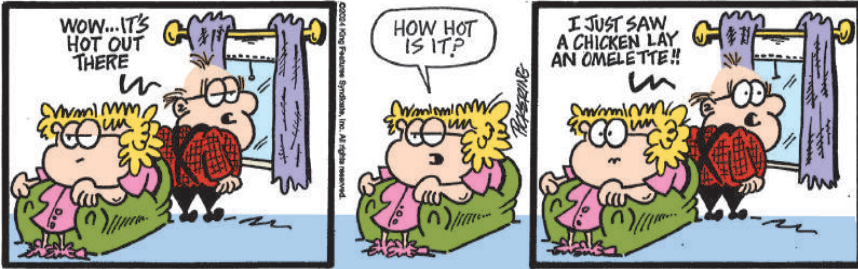
TIGER

by BUD BLAKE



The Spats

by Jeff Pickering



Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle

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Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦♦

♦ Moderate ♦♦ Challenging
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTINOFF

Find at least six differences in details between panels.

Differences: 1. Leg is moved. 2. Ball is moved. 3. Wristband is missing. 4. Racquet is different. 5. Fence is not as high. 6. Hedge is lower.

King Crossword

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- ACROSS**
- 1 Peron of Argentina
 - 4 Siestas
 - 8 First light
 - 12 Bud
 - 13 — Major
 - 14 Actor Morales
 - 15 German shepherd
 - 17 Teen hangout
 - 18 Resistance unit
 - 19 Church top-per
 - 21 British party
 - 24 Louvre treasures
 - 25 Khan title
 - 26 The "G" of LGBTQ
 - 28 Doesn't buy
 - 32 Clothing store section
 - 34 Gender
 - 36 Stratagem
 - 37 Green sauce
 - 39 Teeny
 - 41 Shriver of tennis
 - 42 Rainbow shape
 - 44 A Karamazov brother
 - 46 Stew flavorer
 - 50 Chi follower
 - 51 Genesis
 - 52 Music school concerts
- DOWN**
- 7 Dasher's boss
 - 8 Agriculture goddess
 - 9 Pronto
 - 10 Humpty's perch
 - 11 Egyptian river
 - 16 Sashimi fish
 - 20 Goof up
 - 21 Pack (down)
 - 22 Curved molding
 - 23 Airline to Sweden
 - 27 Evergreen type
 - 29 Wedding
 - 30 Despot
 - 31 Big rig
 - 33 Bought time
 - 35 Deleted
 - 38 Tram load
 - 40 Realm
 - 43 Ersatz chocolate
 - 45 Follower (Suff.)
 - 46 Wild party
 - 47 "Peek- —!"
 - 48 Holler
 - 49 Disaster aid gp.
 - 53 Scoundrel
 - 54 Long crosser
 - 55 CIA operative

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Answer

Weekly SUDOKU

Solution time: 25 mins.
Answers
King Crossword

Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

- U.S. STATES: Which state's nickname is The Hawkeye State?
- MOVIES: What are the bad guys called in "Transformers"?
- MYTHOLOGY: What happens to people when Medusa turns her gaze on them?
- ANIMAL KINGDOM: What is a group of crocodiles in the water called?
- FOOD & DRINK: What is the main ingredient in bouillabaisse (stew)?
- ASTRONOMY: How old is our Sun?
- TELEVISION: Where does Walter White live in "Breaking Bad"?
- LITERATURE: The character named Ichabod Crane appears in which 19th-century story?
- MEDICAL: What is a common name for onychocryptosis?
- GEOGRAPHY: What is the capital of Nova Scotia?

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Trivia Test Answers
1. Iowa; 2. Decepticons; 3. They turn to stone; 4. A float; 5. Seafood; 6. About 4.6 billion years old; 7. Albuquerque, New Mexico; 8. "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"; 9. Ingrawton toennal; 10. Halifax



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