



# SPANISH FORK

## PRIDE & PROGRESS

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June 2021

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- Jun 1** City Council Meeting at 6 p.m. Broadcast live on Spanish Fork 17, and YouTube.
- Jun 1-7** Municipal Election filing period
- Jun 2** Planning Commission Meeting at 6 p.m.
- Jun 4** Food Truck Takeout Night at 5 p.m.
- Jun 7-10** Recycle pick-up
- Jun 11** Food Truck Takeout Night at 5 p.m.
- Jun 12** Huck Finn Day
- Jun 15** City Council Meeting at 6 p.m. Broadcast live on Spanish Fork 17, and YouTube.
- Jun 18** Food Truck Takeout Night at 5 p.m.
- Jun 21-24** Recycle pick-up
- Jun 25** Food Truck Takeout Night at 5 p.m.

### RECREATION CALENDAR

- Jun 1** Sports & Fitness Camp reg. ends (Ages 6-12)
- Jun 3** Tennis Lessons & CUTA League reg. ends.
- Jun 4** Kids in the Park early reg. ends (Ages 7-11)
- Jun 4** Summer Swim Team early registration ends
- Jun 11** Kids in the Park registration ends (Ages 7-11)
- Jun 12** The 42 Annual Huck Finn Day, 9 a.m. Canyon View Park
- Jun 19** Active and Healthy Fair, 10 a.m. Sports Park
- Jun 30** Fiesta Days Tennis Tournament early bird registration deadline

For more information see [www.spanishfork.org](http://www.spanishfork.org) or call Spanish Fork Recreation at (801) 804-4600

### SFCN EMAIL CLEANUP

SFCN is cleaning up its email server. Beginning on July 1, we will disable old email accounts that have not been accessed in the last 6 months. Those disabled accounts will be removed from the server on August 1.

SFCN no longer offers new email service sign-ups. If you have an old [sfcn.org](http://sfcn.org) email that you no longer use, please send us an email at [support@sfcn.org](mailto:support@sfcn.org).

### MEMORIAL DAY CLEANUP

The decorations for Memorial Day are always beautiful and add a feeling of reverence. Thank you!

#### Reminders:

**Collect the Memorial Day decorations you want to keep** on or before Sunday, June 6. On Monday, June 7, staff will discard all remaining decorations not confined to the Grave Marker.



**All shepherd hooks (vertical structures) must be removed** by June 7. Remaining Shepherd Hooks (vertical structures) will be collected and stored by Cemetery Staff. Decorations Policy [spanishfork.org/cemetery](http://spanishfork.org/cemetery)

### POWER OUTAGES

Power outages can be caused by natural events like windstorms, lightning strikes, and heat waves. They may also be caused by transformer or other equipment failure. Over the last decade the City has reduced the number of significant outages by more than half, but it is impossible to eliminate all possibility of an outage.



We encourage all residents to have battery-operated flashlights, alarm clocks, and radios. It is also important to protect electronic equipment like televisions and computers with surge protectors rated 1200 Joules or more. Please make sure that dust does not accumulate on surge protectors and power strips. Dust causes a fire hazard.

## LIBRARY CORNER

### Children

**Summer Reading Program:** For kids of all ages to motivate them to read, or to be read to, all summer! Sign up and keep track online at [read.spanishfork.org](http://read.spanishfork.org) or come in to keep track on paper.

**Storytime:** Beginning June 1

Mon. 3 p.m. - STEAM (ages 8-11)

Tues. 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. - Crafts and Critters (ages 4-7)

12:30 p.m. - Storytime in the park at the Adv.

Heights All-Abilities Park

3 p.m. - STEAM (ages 8-11)

Wed. 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. - Pre-K Animal Adv. (ages 3-5)

Thurs. 10:15 a.m. - Toddler Time (ages 18months - 3)

11:15 a.m. - Crafts and Critters (ages 4-7)

Fri. 10:15 & 11:15 a.m. - Music and Movement

Please follow us on Facebook, Spanish Fork Library Kids, Instagram @sf\_library, or check out our website at [spanishfork.org/library](http://spanishfork.org/library) for current information.

### Teens Ages 12-18

**Summer Reading:** Each week through June and July that you read at least 140 minutes (about 20 minutes per day) you will earn a prize. Prizes will be announced on Facebook and Instagram on the Monday the week before they can be picked up. Sign up online at [read.spanishfork.org](http://read.spanishfork.org) or at the library.

**Dungeon World:** June 1, 3-4 p.m.

Dungeon World is a great introduction into the world of Dungeons & Dragons. We will meet on the back patio.

**'Shadow & Bone' Book Club:** June 8, 3-4 p.m.

We will talk about 'Shadow & Bone' read-alike books and make a Grishaverse necklace pendant. We will meet on the back patio.

**DIY Marauder's Map:** June 15, 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Make your own Marauder's Map. Registration required for this activity. Sign up at the library.

**Hunger Games Arena Tag:** June 22, 2:30-4 p.m.

Test your skills in our first ever Hunger Games Tag! We will meet on the back patio.

**'Love, Simon' Book Club:** June 29, 3-4 p.m.

We will talk about read-alike books, eat cupcakes, and make a craft. We will meet on the back patio.

**Table Top:** June 5 & 19: Love board games? Join others who are also obsessed with your favorite board games! Grades 6-9 from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. and Grades 10-12 from 1 p.m.-2:30 p.m.

### Adults

**Summer Reading:** Get your Genre Education (GE) through our Spanish Fork Library University during our Summer Reading Program. Starts May 17 and ends August 7. Sign up online at [read.spanishfork.org](http://read.spanishfork.org) or in-person at the library.

**Crochet Circle:** June 22 & June 30 at 6:30 p.m. Making octopi for the preemie babies.

**Utah County Tobacco Cessation Class** taught by Daniel Limb with the Utah County Health Department on June 8 @ 6:30pm.

**Beginning Guitar class** taught by Ashton Bennett on June 15, June 22, and June 29 @ 6:30 p.m. Bring your instrument & music stand and come learn how to play!

## WATER CONSERVATION

- Avoid watering during the heat of day and during times of wind.
- It is better to water during the heat of the day than when there is wind because wind will evaporate water much faster than the sun. There is a wind boundary map that shows the areas in town where residents should not water at night because of wind. The map can be found at [spanishfork.org/conservewater](http://spanishfork.org/conservewater).
- As the weather changes, adjust your watering schedule accordingly.
- Aerate your lawn to increase the amount of water the ground soaks in. This is best done in the spring or fall.
- Water your lawn separately from other landscaped areas.
- Invest in a smart controller or sign up for a free smart controller at [spanishfork.org/conservewater](http://spanishfork.org/conservewater).
- Place mulch in planting beds to reduce evaporation. This also reduces weeds.
- Leave small grass clippings on the lawn as a nutrient source.
- Fertilize lawn in the late fall with a slow release fertilizer. Do not over fertilize.
- Use hardscape or xeriscape landscaping that requires less water.
- Plant drought resistant trees and plants. Ask a local nursery about Utah-friendly landscape materials.
- Control weeds. Weeds use a lot of water.



- Increase the mowing height of your lawn mower. Longer grass grows deeper roots, uses less water and stands the stresses of hot dry weather better.

- Clean driveways, patios and decks with a broom or blower instead of a hose.