

# LEHI LEDGER

January 2023



## *Better Environmental Stewardship*

WRITTEN BY MAYOR MARK JOHNSON



Todd Munger is the manager of our Lehi City Environmental Sustainability Committee. He, along with the ten-member committee, has done a wonderful job at bringing forward best practices for all of us to better improve the physical world we live in and create a more sustainable future for our children. I asked Mr. Munger to share his efforts here in this month's ledger.

January is the month that ushers in a new year. Resolutions are made, goals are set, and results are expected. Our intentions are always to reach for what we know we can do better. These intentions often include eating better, exercising, spending more time with families, and of course being better stewards of our environment. Regardless of the resolution, the goal is the same, we want to live a better quality of life!

Sustainability rests on three pillars: Economic, Social and Environmental. These three pillars must be balanced for our community to thrive. Lehi City has experienced rapid growth that has benefited the economic and social pillars; however, the environmental pillar is suffering. Poor air quality, drought conditions, and inefficient recycling are just a few of the conditions challenging this pillar.

In 2019, Lehi City recognized the need to practice better environmental stewardship. A citizen appointed environmental sustainability committee was formed. A full-time position in the Community Development Division of the Planning and Zoning Department was created to help manage the committee. The establishment of the Environmental Sustainability Committee enabled the city much needed structure to organize and make sense of all the information associated with environmental stewardship.

### City Information

INFORMATION CENTER: 385.201.1000  
LEGACY CENTER: 385.201.2000  
POLICE: 385.201.1005  
FIRE: 385.201.1081  
LIBRARY: 385.201.1050  
POWER: 385.201.1040  
STREETS: 385.201.1900  
UTILITIES: 385.201.1000  
WATER: 385.201.1900  
LITERACY CENTER: 385.201.1060  
SENIOR CENTER: 385.201.1065



The Environmental Sustainability Committee consists of five volunteer city residents, five city employees and five local businesses. Meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month. Discussions involve environmental issues such as air quality, water conservation/quality, energy consumption, active transportation, and recycling. Committee discussions lead to the creation of policy, educational outreach opportunities, participation in professional networks, and organized, sustainable community projects.

To date, Lehi City's environmental stewardship efforts have resulted in the following accomplishments. Received the 2021 Thomas A. Martin Recycler of the Year award for outstanding residential recycling practices that saved Lehi City \$251,408. Partnered with Texas Instruments, Mountainland Technical College, and Mountain Pointe Medical Center to collect electronic waste for the Computers for Kids non-profit drive. Partnered with the Rain Harvest organization to subsidize 200 of the 802 rain collection barrels purchased by residents to help conserve water. Developed a citywide grade school "No-Idling" project that placed "Turn Your Key, Be Idle Free Signs" in the pick-up/drop-off zones. Numerous Earth Day planting projects, trash collection efforts, and educational outreach tables.

As a community we are making a difference. The Environmental Sustainability Committee has created a short survey, published on the Lehi City's Engage Lehi information platform. The survey is intended to help the committee know what you think, so we can become better stewards of our environment. Please take a minute out of your busy schedules to let us know what you think.

-Todd Munger, ESC Manager

Please visit [www.engagelehi.org/air-quality](http://www.engagelehi.org/air-quality) to take the survey.

# Library News

## *Encouraging lifelong learning!*

*We will be having a Library Gala this year!*

*Watch our website for more information coming soon!*

Library Programming will start up again on January 3. Registration for weekly programs opens up each Monday at 10 a.m. on our website.

We have a new monthly program - *Chapter Chats* - a book club for kids! Check our website or ask a librarian for more information.

Beginning January 3, we will have NEW OPENING hours Mondays -Thursdays **9 a.m - 8 p.m.**

Also starting in January, we will closed the last Saturday of every month for maintenance.

The library will be closed Monday, January 2 for New Year's, Monday, January 16th, in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day and Saturday, Jan 28 for our maintenance day.

Library Hours: Monday-Thursday 10 a.m. -8 p.m.  
and Friday-Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Come in and browse or use our curbside pick-up!

For more information, please visit our website

[www.lehi-ut.gov/library](http://www.lehi-ut.gov/library)



# Literacy Center

Our morning ABC Program second session (Winter/Spring) will begin January 11 & 12, 2023 and run through May 10 & 11, 2023. Classes are 2 hours twice a week, Mon/Wed OR Tues/Thurs from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Eligible students must be 4 years old as of September 1, 2022 and may only attend one session.

Our Winter After-School Reading & Math session began in December and will run until February 23, 2023. Our After-School classes offer Reading classes for Lehi students K through 4th grade and Math classes for Lehi students 1st through 4th grade. Classes are 45 min twice a week , Mon/Wed OR Tues/Thurs 3 p.m., 4 p.m., & 5 p.m. Registration for our Spring After-School Session will be March 1st & 2nd at the Literacy Center from 1:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

## **Dates To Remember:**

January 2 & 3 Winter Break - No Classes (Closed 1/2)

January 11 & 12 Winter/Spring ABC Session First Days

January 16 & 17 MLK Holiday Observed – No Classes

For updates and information visit:

[www.lehi-ut.gov/recreation/literacy/](http://www.lehi-ut.gov/recreation/literacy/)

[www.facebook.com/LehiLiteracyCenter](https://www.facebook.com/LehiLiteracyCenter)

# Lehi City January Events

**1/10**

City Council Meeting  
7 p.m. @ City Hall

**1/12**

Planning Commission  
7 p.m. @ City Hall

**1/24**

City Council Meeting  
7 p.m. @ City Hall

**1/26**

Planning Commission  
7 p.m. @ City Hall



# Senior Center

## News & Updates:

Check out the Lehi Senior Center webpage online

[www.lehi-ut.gov/recreation/seniors/](http://www.lehi-ut.gov/recreation/seniors/) or visit our Facebook page [@LehiSeniorCenter](#) to see details about meals, events, and our newsletter.

## Weekly Classes:

Monday: Tai Chi 9:30 a.m.

Wednesday: Watercolor 9:30 a.m.

Tuesday: Crochet Cub 10:15 a.m.

Tuesday: Bingo 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday: Winning Wednesday Drawing

Friday: Line Dance 10 a.m.

Friday: Bingo 11:30 a.m.

## Daily Lunches (Monday-Friday):

Inside meals available with required reservations. Call 385-201-1065 and leave a message. A \$3 donation per meal is encouraged. Lunch served at noon.

## Special Events and Activities:

**January 2** - Senior Center closed, Happy New Year!

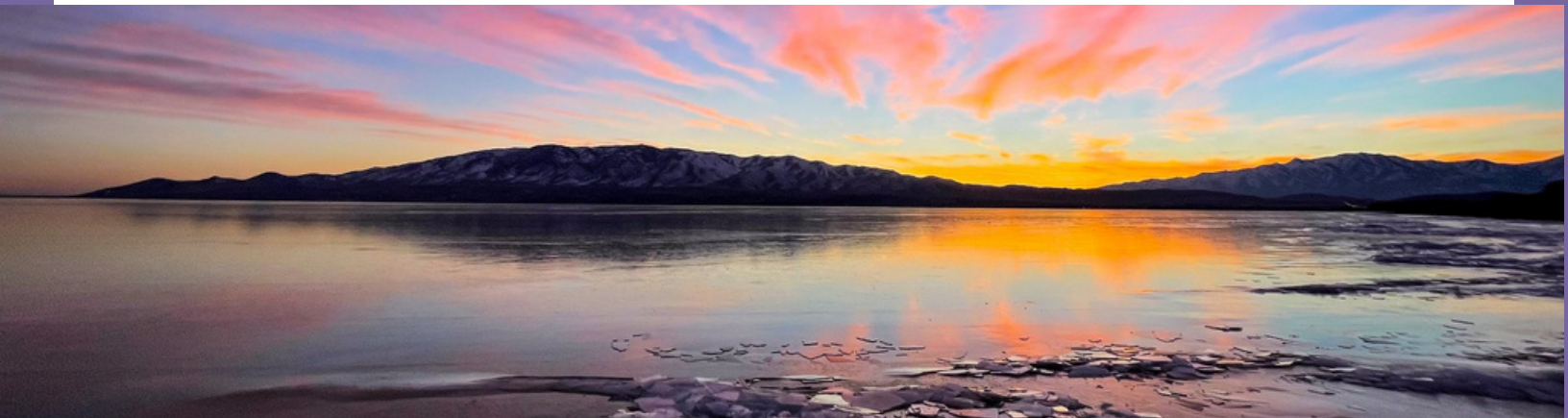
**January 11** – BUNCO Bash. A fun, easy game with dice. Starts at 12:30 p.m.

**January 16**- Lehi Senior Center closed in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

**January 20** - Birthday Celebration

**January 23** – Monday Movie Mania. This month we will watch, "Driving Miss Daisy." at 12:30 p.m.

Please Check back some exciting events are being planned!!

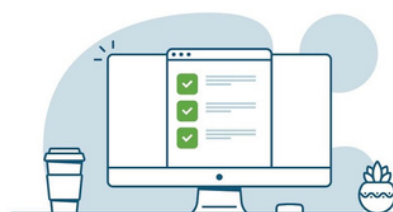


# Fiber Update

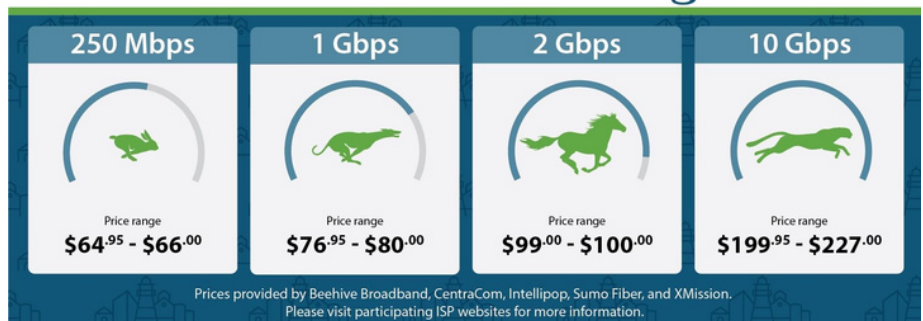
We're excited to announce the speeds and pricing of the Lehi Fiber Network!

The upload and download speeds are symmetrical. Prices vary based on your selected ISP. You can visit each ISP's website to get more specific pricing as they come to your area.

Don't forget to pre-register for the network! You can pre-register and get additional project information at [www.engagelehi.org/lehifiber](http://www.engagelehi.org/lehifiber).



## Residential Price Ranges



# RECREATION NEWS

We have lots of exciting activities happening this Winter!  
Don't miss out!

## Scrapbooking, Crafting, and More

**FEBRUARY 10 & 11, 2023**

Come scrapbook and craft the night away at the Legacy Center's Scrapbooking, Crafting, & More. Bring your photos and scrapbooking supplies, crafting materials, and anything else you need to finally get those projects done! Gather your friends and family and get ready to have fun!

Scrapbook theme: **BEACH PARTY!**

Fee: Lehi Res: Friday or Saturday Only \$28; Both Days Friday & Saturday \$38

Fee: Non-Res: Friday or Saturday Only \$34; Both Days Friday & Saturday \$46

**See Flyer for Event Hours!**



## Adult Gun Safety Course

**Class #1 February 21, 2023**

**Class #2 March 25, 2023**

The Legacy Center is now offering a Gun Safety and Handling class for those who wish to learn more about safe weapon handling, weapon manipulation, basic shooting fundamentals and will cover current Utah weapon laws.



**CFP OPTION:** For those 18 years & older, you will have the option to have the paperwork signed and stamped along with getting the required photo and fingerprints to apply for the Utah Concealed Firearm Permit (separate application fee paid to the state). Current driver's license required. No weapons allowed in the class.

**THIS IS NOT A HUNTER SAFETY COURSE.**

**Fee: \$53**



## Programs Registering NOW!

Adult Gun Safety Course, Babysitters Course, Cheer, Dance, Evil Science Class, First Aid & CPR, Gymnastics, Itty Bitty All Ball, Lego Class, Martial Arts, Preschool, Science Class, Scrapbooking, Crafting and More, and Swimming Lessons

## Sports Registering NOW!

Boys Baseball, Co-Ed Volleyball, Girls Softball, Indoor Soccer, Machine Pitch, Spring Outdoor Soccer, Spring Wrestling, T-Ball/Coach Pitch, and Track & Field



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