Operation Christmas Child

Operation Christmas Child is a project of Samaritan’s Purse. Samaritan’s Purse goes to the remote corners of the world to bring joy to millions of boys and girls who are the victims of war, disease, disaster, and poverty. Since 1993, the Operation Christmas Child project has delivered gift-filled boxes to more than 31 million hurting children in over 120 countries. Tooele City is proud to be a sponsor of Operation Christmas Child again this year. Tooele City is accepting donations to help with this worthwhile project. There are many ways to help. You, your family, friends, groups, organization, etc., can prepare shoe boxes, give cash donations, or collect items for gift boxes. How to pack a shoe box gift:

1. Use an empty shoe box (standard size, please) or a small plastic container. You can wrap the box (lid separately), but wrapping is not required.
2. Determine whether your gift will be for a boy or girl, and the child’s age category, 2-4, 5-9, or 10-14. Label the box with the appropriate boy/girl and age category on your box by taping a note to the top of your box.
3. Fill the box with a variety of gifts that will bring delight to a child.
4. Please donate $7 or more for each shoe box you prepare to help cover shipping and other project costs.
5. Place a rubber band around each shoe box and lid and drop it off at city hall. Please do not include: used or damaged items; war related items such as toy guns, knives or military figures, chocolate or food, liquids or lotions, medications or vitamins, breakable items such as snowglobes or glass containers, aerosol cans.

For more information, please call Sharon at 435-843-2111.

October Calendar

4 Auditions for Sleeping Beauty at 4 pm at Copper Canyon Elementary
6 City Council Mtg. 7:30 pm
6 Fire Safety with Tooele City Fire Dept. at city library at 2 pm
7 Thing-a-Mig-Jig Thursday at city library at 4:30 pm.
9 City library closed
9 Tooele City Fire Department open house 10 am to 2 pm
9 Performances of Sleeping Beauty at 3 & 7 pm at Copper Canyon Elementary
11 City offices closed in observance of Columbus Day
12 Matinee movie at city library at 4:30 pm, rated PG 13
13 Stranger Danger with the Tooele Police Dept. at city library at 2 pm
13 Planning Commission Mtg. 7 pm
16 Tooele Family History Fair 9 am to 2:35 pm at 751 N. 520 E., Tooele
20 Pizza Fun with Dominos Pizza at city library at 4:30 pm
20 City Council Mtg. 7:30 pm
23 Together with Youth Family Halloween Carnival 1-4 pm at Dow James Building
26 Matinee movie at city library at 4:30 pm, rated PG
27 Planning Commission Mtg. 7 pm
29 Scrapbooking Free For All 7 pm to midnight at Dow James Building
29 AARP Safe Driving Class at Mountain West Medical Center 9 am to 2:30 pm
30 Downtown Trick or Treat 4-7 pm and trick or treat at city library
By now you should have received the state’s Voter Information Pamphlet in the mail which covers only federal and state candidates. For information on Tooele County candidates, go to the Tooele County Clerk’s website at www.co.tooele.ut.us/clerk.htm. On the right side under “Candidate Information” click on “Candidate Biographies.” From this point you can click on each office and get a picture with a bio of the candidates running for county offices.

If you’d like even more information, go to the same website, click on “Check Your Registration” on the right hand side. You can make sure you’re registered, check your polling location, see your ballot, check bio’s on all of the candidates, and any financial forms they have filed. For those of you voting Absentee or By-Mail Ballots, this website will tell you whether your ballot has been sent, when it is received back in the Clerk’s Office and whether it was counted or not.

The last day to register by mail for the general election is October 4th, in person in the Clerks’ Office, October 28th.

You can now register to vote online! Go to the Clerk’s website at www.co.tooele.ut.us/clerk/voter.htm and click on the “New - Online Voter Registration” link. It will take you to a form that you can fill out and submit. The signature from your drivers license will be used as the signature for your voter registration. There are a number of questions to answer to verify it’s you. The information you supply must match the information on your driver license.

How much easier can we make it? Well, there’s also Absentee Voting. If you’d like to have the ballot come to you, just go to the same website stated above, then click on “Absent Voter Application”, print the form, fill it out and mail it in. You will receive your ballot about 2 weeks before the election.

Thanks for voting! Marilyn K. Gillette, Tooele County Clerk

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**Letter to Tooele County Registered Voters:**

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**TOOELE FAMILY HISTORY FAIR**

When: October 16, 2010
Time: 9:00 am—2:35 pm
Where: 751 North 520 East, Tooele
All classes are free! No advance registration necessary
Key Note Speaker: Dan Poffenberger, AG

Syllabus material available at http://www.fbgsonline.come/tooelefair.html. No syllabus available at the fair, so print one from the website. Bring the syllabus, a notebook, lunch and drink. Stay all day or just come to the classes you’re interested in.

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**Scrapbooking Free-For All**

Friday, October 29, 2009. 7 pm—midnight
Dow James Building (438 W. 400 N., Tooele)
FREE-No Cost! Space is limited. Pre-register by calling: 843-2142
For more information go to www.tooelecity.org, click on arts council logo.

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**Auditions**

Who: Tooele Children, Kindergarten through 8th Grade
When: Monday, October 4, 2010 @ 4:00 p.m.
Where: Copper Canyon Elementary, (1600 N. Broadway, Tooele)
*There is no guarantee that everyone who auditions will be cast in the play.
*Children must be able to attend all the rehearsals and two performances on Saturday, November 9, 2010.
*For more information call Terra Sherwood at 843-2142.

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**Performances**

Saturday, October 9, 2010 at 3:00 & 7:00 p.m.
Copper Canyon Elementary, (1600 N. Broadway, Tooele)
Tickets Available at the Door — $3 Adult, $2 Child, $10 Family

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**Arts Grants applications will be available soon for 2011. Check the arts council’s website and the November newsletter for more information.**

There are many new and fun art classes available during the months of October through December 2010! They include lots of holiday gift ideas!

Check out the city’s website at www.tooelecity.org, click on the arts council logo to find out all the details!
Check out these fun activities during the month of October:

**Sock Out Your Fines:** During October, donate NEW socks of any size or color and receive $1 toward existing library fines per pair. Socks will go to help Tooele’s Operation Christmas Child program. Details available at the library.

**Tuesday Matinee Movies:**
- Oct. 12, 4:30 pm: “Krakkin’ adventure” film. Rated PG 13
- Oct. 26, 4:30 pm: “Fire breathing” animated film. Rated PG
Call or visit the library for movie titles. Space limited. Arrive early!

**Story Time:** Wednesdays at 11 am.
Wear your costume on October 27 for a special Trick-or-Treat story adventure!
Interested in being a volunteer reader for a story time? Contact the library.

**Crafts:** Every Friday between 3 and 5 pm. Children of all ages can do a simple craft. Great activity for family and friends!

**Writing Fun:** Available at any time. Teens & Tweens write a short story on a theme in the library teen room for a prize.

**Discover Fun:** Available at any time. Children of all ages can follow a treasure hunt at the library to receive a fun prize.

**Thing-a-Mig-Jig Thursday:** October 7, 4:30 pm. Jumpstart Story Time: Children all around the world are challenged to read the same book on October 7. Last year over 2 million children participated. This year’s book is “The Snowy Day” by Ezra Jack Keats. Come listen to help us beat last year’s record!

**Meet Community Friends:**
- Oct 6, 2:00 pm: Fire Safety with Tooele City Fire Dept.
- Oct. 9—Columbus Day
- Oct. 13, 2:00 pm: Stranger Danger with Tooele City Police Dept.
- Oct. 20, 4:30 pm: Pizza Fun with Dominos Pizza.
- Oct. 23, 3:00 pm: Pumpkin carving demonstration.

**Holiday Closures:**
- October 9—Columbus Day
- Trick-or-Treat: October 30 wear your Halloween costume to the library on Saturday to Trick-or-Treat.

Bookmark our web address at http://tooelecitv.org/tcl/library.html to quickly find a new monthly event calendar and browse for items to borrow in our online catalog. Tooele City Library - 128 W. Vine St, 435-882-2182.

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**Fun at Your Tooele City Library:**

Instructional Face Painting by LaForge Encore Theatre Company!
Thursdays at 7 pm, starts Sept. 30th
$5 per class, or all 5 classes for $20 at the Dow James Building, 438 W 400 N
Learn how to do children’s fantasy & scary faces, adult Halloween classics, 3D make-up, wounds, hair and gore!
For more information, go to www.LaForgeEncore.org.

**Halloween Makeup by Athena’s Face Painting Paradise!**
October 30th at All Star Lanes, in the Sun Party Room
9 am to 6 pm, price is $5 to $10
www.facepaintingparadise.com

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**From Your Tooele City Fire Department:**

It’s hard to believe, but it’s October—that means Fire Prevention Month! The Tooele City Fire Department will be involved again this year with all of the schools in Tooele city helping our children understand what fire does, the danger, and why fire is not something to be played with.

The Tooele City Fire Department’s open house is Saturday, October 9th from 10 am to 2 pm. Please come and let your children check out the fire trucks, experience our burn house and have a hot dog on the fire department!

Fall is also the time to take the batteries out of your fire and carbon monoxide alarms and replace them with new ones. Clean off the alarm and make sure it works by testing the unit. Please explain to your family, and practice with them, what to do if the alarms go off. This activity could save your family’s lives.

Thank you to those that contributed to the MDA fund this year. Tooele City Fire raised $10,100 for this worthy cause!

Thank you and be safe!

David Gillette, Tooele City Fire Chief

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**Tooele Applied Technology College’s Cosmetology/Barbering Program**
Utah cosmetologists are required by law to have a license, and the TATC cosmetology/barbering class prepares you to take the exam. Visit the TATC website at www.TATC.edu or call or visit the campus at 66 West Vine St. in Tooele for more information.
Together With Youth
Presents the 20th annual
Family Halloween Carnival

Saturday, October 23, 2010 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
Dow James Building – 438 West 400 North, Tooele

Food  Games  Fortune Telling  Face Painting  Cookie Decorating
Costume Parade (at 2:30) and MUCH, MUCH MORE!!!!

COST: 1 can of food to be donated to the Tooele Food Bank
Come enjoy the fun!!! FOOD AND FUN ARE FREE!!!
This is a drug and violence free activity!!!

Wear Pink * Play Your Part * Fight Breast Cancer!!
Every 68 seconds, someone in the world dies of breast cancer. Together, we can change this terrible statistic.
Tooele City employees are supporting the fight against breast cancer again this year by going Passionately Pink for the Cure™ throughout the month of October and would like to invite YOU, the citizens of Tooele, to participate as well. By wearing pink, and making a donation (any dollar amount will do), you’ll be making a difference in the lives of millions!

Donations towards our efforts can be given to the Finance Department at City Hall or on the Passionately Pink for the Cure (Susan G. Komen for the Cure) website at www.passionatelypink.org. Click on “Find a Team”, enter “Tooele City Corporation”, make a donation, or watch our progress as we reach our goal as a team!

October 5 make a not-too-spooky Halloween character
October 12 create a bat-o-lantern
October 19 make a fun trick or treat bag.
October 26 make adorable treat containers.

Spooktacular Arts in the Park
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October 26 make adorable treat containers.

Samples on display at city hall.
Classes held at the pavilion at the swimming pool park every Tuesday in October. Classes begin at 4:30 pm and run 1 hour. All ages are welcome, but children under 6 must be accompanied by an adult. Cost is $3 per project. Class size is limited, so pre-register at Parks and Recreation at city hall.

AARP SAFE DRIVING CLASS
October 29, 2010
Mountain West Medical Center
2055 N. Main St., Tooele
9 am to 2:30 pm
$14, AARP members $12
Lunch sponsored by MWMC Senior Circle. A certificate will be issued at end of class that may get you a discount on your auto insurance for 3 years. Call 435-843-3690 or 435-3691 for more information and to sign up. You MUST sign up prior to the day of the class.

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