



# THE SARATOGA VIEW

## Safety Tips For A Fun, Safe Halloween

By: The Police Department



The Saratoga Springs Police Department wants to ensure all our residents have a safe Halloween this year. Trick or Treating can be a fun and exciting activity for all ages if done with a few safety precautions:

### Walking

- Trick or Treaters under age 12 should be accompanied by an adult.
- Trick or treat in familiar and well lit areas.
- Kids should never enter any house without an adult.
- Cross the street at intersections using crosswalks where possible.

### Driving

- Don't drink alcohol or use drugs and then drive.
- SLOW DOWN and watch for kids.
- If you're driving children around for trick or-treating, make sure everyone is buckled up appropriately in a car seat, booster or seat belt.
- Put your cell phone down and don't use any other

mobile device while driving.

- Be especially alert for trick-or-treaters during the popular trick-or-treating hours of 5:30 - 9:30pm.

### Costumes

- Use face paint instead of a mask as a mask can block vision.
- Wear light colored costumes or use reflective tape, stickers or glow sticks to help you be visible.
- Use a light colored candy bag for better visibility.
- Wear shoes that fit to avoid tripping or falling.
- Ensure your costume isn't too long to create a tripping hazard.

### Treats

- Parents should inspect all candy before children eat any.
- All opened or tampered with treats should be thrown away.

**CITY COUNCIL MEETING**

October 7  
October 21

Council Chambers  
Council Chambers

6 PM  
6 PM

**PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING**

October 9  
October 30

Council Chambers  
Council Chambers

6 PM  
6 PM

**LIBRARY BOARD MEETING**

October 14

Conference Room

6 PM

**IMPORTANT DATES****COLUMBUS DAY/INDIGENOUS PEOPLES' DAY**

October 13

City Offices Closed

**PRESSURIZED IRRIGATION SHUT OFF**

Week of October 15

**EVENTS****FALL FESTIVAL**

October 3

Shay Park

5 - 8 PM

**MEET THE CANDIDATE NIGHT**

October 14

Lake Mountain Middle School

6 - 8 PM

**UPCOMING EVENTS****VETERAN'S FLAG CEREMONY**

November 8

Patriot Park

11 AM





**Fall Festival**  
October 3 5-8 PM  
*Shay Park*

Train Rides • Trick-or-Treating • Inflatables  
Petting Zoo • Pumpkin contest • & more

[www.saratogasprings-ut.gov/FallFestival](http://www.saratogasprings-ut.gov/FallFestival)

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Avative • Chick-Fil-A • Tommy's Express Car Wash • Westlake Emergency Center

CITY OF SARATOGA SPRINGS

The flyer features a green dragon on the left and a child in a jack-o'-lantern costume on the right, both set against a background of pumpkins and autumn leaves. A banner at the bottom lists sponsors: Towne Storage, Pepsi Cola, Republic Services, Intermountain Health, Balanced Mind Wellness, Zions Bank, Avative, Chick-Fil-A, Tommy's Express Car Wash, and Westlake Emergency Center. The City of Saratoga Springs logo is also present.

## Your Vote Makes a Difference! Prepare For The November 4th General Municipal Elections

### Easy Ways to Cast Your Ballot!

All active, registered voters, in Utah County, unless otherwise requested, are mailed a ballot three weeks before election day. There are several options to return your ballot:

- **Ballot Drop Boxes:** Secure ballot drop boxes will be available throughout Utah County. Drop boxes will be open as soon as ballots are mailed and remain open until 8:00 PM on Election Day, November 4, 2025. A drop box is located in the Saratoga Springs City Hall parking lot.
- **Early In-Person Voting:** Early voting will be held each weekday from Monday, October 27th through Friday October 31st, 2025 at the Utah County Elections Office, located at 100 E Center Street, Suite 3100, Provo, UT 84606, from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM each weekday.
- **Vote by Mail:** Ballots can be returned through US Postal Mail. Voters should mail ballots back early to ensure timely receipt by the Elections Office. **Under new state law, all ballots must be received at the Elections office by close of polls on election day to be counted.** Postmarks are no longer used to determine whether

### a ballot has been returned on time.

- **In-Person Voting Centers:** If you prefer to vote in person on Election Day, or need assistance, voting centers will be open on Election day.
- **Voting Information, Early Voting, Ballot Drop Box Locations, Voting Center Locations, and more:** For all the specifics, including dates, times, locations, and sample ballots, please visit: [vote.utahcounty.gov](http://vote.utahcounty.gov). You can also contact the Utah County Elections office at 100 East Center Street, Suite 3100, Provo, Utah 84606, or call 801-851-VOTE (8683).
- **Candidate Information and Voter Registration:** Need to register to vote or want to learn more about the candidates on your ballot? Visit [vote.utah.gov](http://vote.utah.gov) for voter registration details and information on candidates.
- **Accessibility for Voters with Disabilities:** If you are an individual with a disability and require assistance to vote in an accessible manner, please visit [vote.utahcounty.gov](http://vote.utahcounty.gov), or contact the Utah County Elections office at 801-851-8128.



# MEET THE CANDIDATE NIGHT



DATE  
OCTOBER 14, 2025



TIME  
6 - 8 PM



LOCATION  
LAKE MOUNTAIN MIDDLE  
SCHOOL

[www.saratogasprings-ut.gov/elections](http://www.saratogasprings-ut.gov/elections)

## Pressurized Irrigation

WILL BE TURNED OFF  
THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 15

- Leave the valve connecting your system to the city system in the ON position to allow the system to drain.
- After November 1 close the valve connecting your system to the city system to prepare for spring.

[www.saratogasprings-ut.gov/pressurizedirrigation](http://www.saratogasprings-ut.gov/pressurizedirrigation)

# VETERANS FLAG CEREMONY

Honoring all who served

**Saturday, November 8**

**11 AM**

**Patriot Park Monument**

Flag Ceremony

Patriotic Program

Recognition of new monument honorees



## Why Raking Matters

By: The Storm Water Division



Can you believe it? Fall is almost here.

There's something special about fall with its crisp air, cozy gatherings, and colorful leaves. It's a beautiful season that brings our community closer together.

One way you can contribute to our community this season is by making sure to rake up your leaves.

Raking your yard offers several benefits beyond the simple joy of jumping into a pile of leaves. For instance, leaving leaves on your lawn for too long can block sunlight from reaching the grass, leading to dead patches. Additionally, leaves left in your yard can be blown or washed into storm drains. When too many leaves enter the storm drain

system, they can clog the drains, causing excessive flooding, and create a breeding ground for mosquitoes.

Leaves that enter our storm drains may also be washed into Utah Lake or the Jordan River. Once there, they decompose, causing the water to become cloudy, promoting algae growth, and harming wildlife.

So this season, as you enjoy your fall festivities, please make sure to rake up those leaves and dispose of them properly. Thank you!



**OCTOBER LIBRARY**

We have multiple programs each week; many require registration. See the Calendar of Events on our website for more information.

Come see the Library's booth at the Fall Festival!

Friday, October 3 ~ 5-8 PM ~ Shay Park

The Library is closed on Monday, October 13 for Indigenous Peoples' Day and Columbus Day

Fall break: Oct. 14-17  
NO in-library programs

Use the QR code to find registration information and tutorials on the Events area of the Library's page: [saratogasprings-ut.gov/library](http://saratogasprings-ut.gov/library)







## Recreation Programs: [saratogasprings-ut.gov/recreation](http://saratogasprings-ut.gov/recreation)

- Jr. Jazz Basketball K-8 Grade
- Jr. Jazz Basketball High School (9-12 Grade)

