



THE



Summer
CITIZENS
Logan, Utah

SUMMER SOOP



December 2017

HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!

It's that magical time of year and we send our warmest holiday greetings your way. Along with the magic come flurries of activity and snowflakes in Logan, UT. Students are getting ready for finals week, driven by the reward of a 3-week break from school! The campus tends to quiet down a bit during the holiday season when most students head home to see friends and family.

In the Summer Citizens Office, we're planning our annual trip to Arizona! We are excited to visit with old friends and make new acquaintances as we present the 2018 program. Page 3 of this newsletter outlines the dates and times for our presentations, so mark the date on your calendar!

This year an RSVP is requested to attend the presentation of your choice. Watch for the January 2018 newsletter for the web link to RSVP!

Our hope for you this month is that your hearts and homes are filled with love, peace, and joy. Spend time with your loved ones and enjoy the magical moments. We hope you can find quiet time during all the holiday hustle to celebrate the joy

"Great summer, great people, the entire program exceeded our expectations!"
-Summer Citizen



Mountains in the winter in Logan, UT



Old main in the Winter

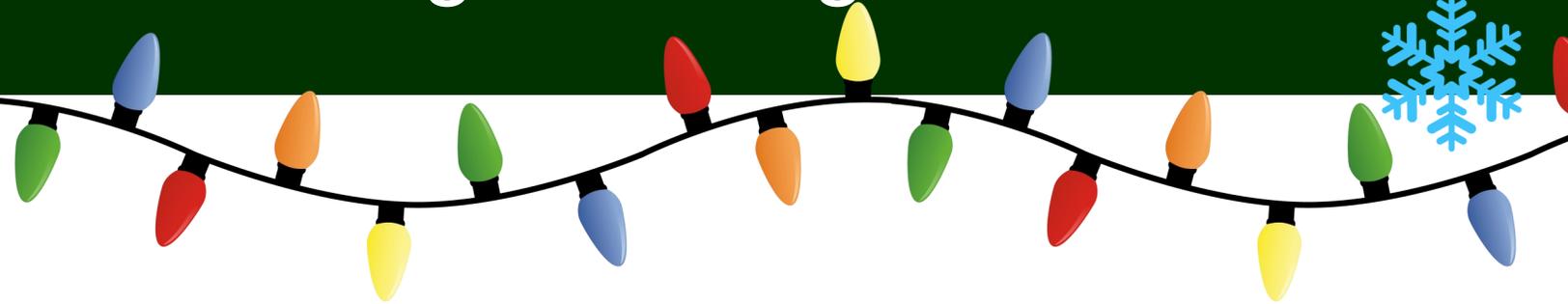


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Packing our Sleigh for Arizona!



Santa's packing his sleigh, but he's not the only one getting ready to travel. Here at the Summer Citizens office, we're packing our own travel bags. We're excited to come and see you in Arizona! We'll be coming February 5-9, 2018, and giving 12 presentations throughout the week. Specific days and times are found on the next page of this month's newsletter. We're excited to share important information with you and we're also happy to answer any questions you may have. We'll discuss activities and courses offered for summer 2018.

The Utah Festival Opera, Lyric Theatre, and the Cache County Visitors Bureau will also travel with us to talk about exciting community events, along with some of the housing representatives.



Come one, come all! Whether you're a seasoned veteran of the program, or a first-timer, we'd love to see you there!



Christmas is not a time nor a season,
but a state of mind.
To cherish peace and goodwill,
to be plenteous in mercy,
is to have the real spirit of Christmas.

~ Calvin Coolidge



Merry Christmas!

WE'RE COMING TO ARIZONA!

FEBRUARY 2018 PRESENTATION DATES:



ARIZONA

Monday, February 5, 2018

- 9:00 - Sun City Festival (Sage Center - Sable Room)
26501 W Desert Vista Blvd, Buckeye, AZ 85396
- 1:00 - * Trilogy at Vistancia (Kiva Clubhouse - Ballroom)
27980 N Trilogy Blvd, Peoria, AZ 85383
***Trilogy community members only**

Tuesday, February 6, 2018

- 9:00 - Pebble Creek (Eagle's Nest Clubhouse - Palm Room)
3645 Clubhouse Dr, Goodyear, AZ 85395
- 1:00 - Fountain of the Sun (Fireside and Poolside Rooms)
540 S 80th St, Mesa, AZ 85208

Wednesday, February 7, 2018

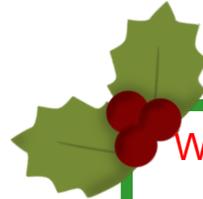
- 9:00 - Sun Lakes United Methodist (Lindsay Hall)
9248 E Riggs Rd, Sun Lakes, AZ 85248
- 1:00 - Sun City Anthem & Merrill Ranch (Ballroom)
3925 N Sun City Blvd, Florence, AZ 85132

Thursday, February 8, 2018

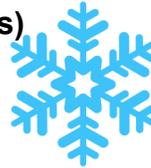
- 9:00 - Green Valley (East Center)
7 S Abrego Dr, Green Valley, AZ 85622
- 1:00 - Sun City Oro Valley (Activity Center – Navajo Room)
1495 E Rancho Vistoso Blvd, Oro Valley, AZ 85755
- 3:30 - SaddleBrooke (HOA 2 - Ballroom East)
38759 S Mountain View Blvd, SaddleBrooke, AZ 85739

Friday, February 9, 2018

- 9:00 - Sun City American Lutheran (Fellowship Hall)
17200 N Del Webb Blvd, Sun City, AZ 85373
- 1:00 - Sun City West Desert Palm Presbyterian (Fellowship Hall)
13459 W Stardust Blvd, Sun City, AZ 85375
- 4:00 - Sun City Grand (Cimarron Center – Agua Fria Room)
17100 W Clearview Blvd, Surprise, AZ 85387



We are requesting an RSVP from those attending, presentations, seating is limited at some locations. The January newsletter will include a link to RSVP electronically. Those who RSVP will be entered into a prize drawing!



Holiday Traditions Around the World



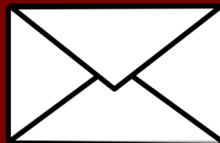
December Doings



Everyone has their favorite holiday traditions during this fun and festive season. We thought you'd enjoy reading about a couple different holiday traditions from around the world.

- In Venezuela, many people get to Mass on roller skates!
- In Germany, a small pickle is hidden in the Christmas tree on Christmas morning and the first child to find it gets an extra gift.
- In Ukraine, Christmas trees are decorated with fake spiders and spider webs.
- In Sweden, the person who finds a peeled almond hidden in their pudding will supposedly get married within a year.
- In Italy, children await the arrival of Befana, a friendly witch who delivers toys and sweets on January 5th.
- Canadian post offices will open and respond to each letter addressed to:

Santa Clause
North Pole, Canada
HOHOHO



- In Portugal, there is a traditional morning feast called Consoda, where places are set for deceased loved ones.

No matter how you celebrate, we're sending warm wishes and holiday cheer your way!



Dec 1-2 - Wizard of Oz - Ellen Eccles Theater

Dec 2 - USU Basketball vs. BYU

Dec 6 - USU Basketball vs. UC Irvine

December 7-9 - Christmas with the American Festival Chorus and Orchestra - Chase Fine Arts Center, Daines Concert Hall

Dec 15 - Voice Male Christmas - Ellen Eccles Theater

December 16 - USU basketball vs. Life Pacific

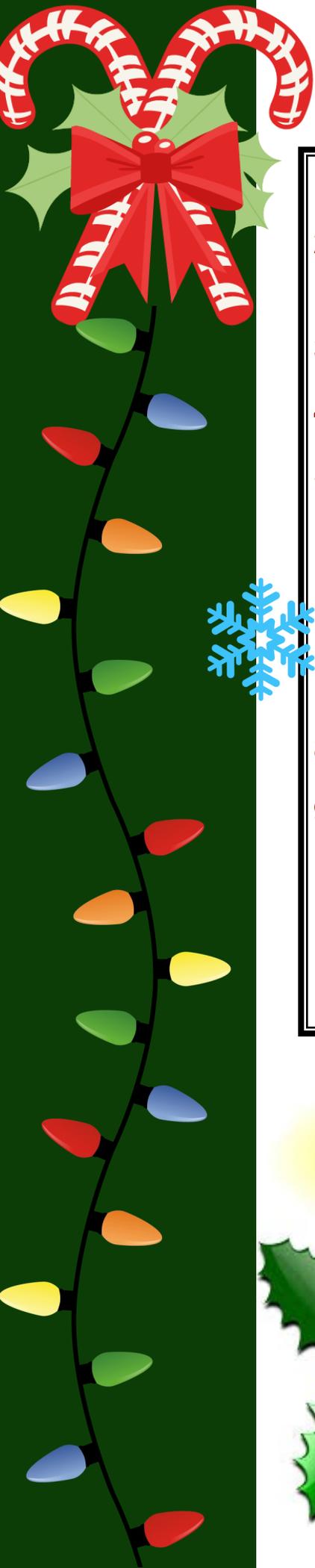
December 20 - USU basketball vs. Youngstown State

Dec 25 - MERRY CHRISTMAS!!!

Dec 27 - USU basketball vs. San Jose State

Dec 31 New Year's Eve!





Christmas Chuckles



- 1) Where do snowmen keep their money?
- 2) What do you get when you cross a snowman and a dog?
- 3) How does a sheep say Merry Christmas?
- 4) What do lions sing at Christmas?
- 5) What do you get when you cross an archer with a gift wrapper?
- 6) If Santa opened up a detective agency, what would it be called?
- 7) Why are Christmas trees so bad at sewing?
- 8) What do you get if you eat Christmas decorations?
- 9) What did one snowman say to the other snowman?
- 10) Who gives sharks their Christmas presents?
- 11) What do you call a quiet man in armor?
- 12) What is Santa's favorite sandwich?



- 1) In a snow bank
- 2) Frostbite
- 3) Fleece Navidad
- 4) Jungle Bells
- 5) Ribbon Hood
- 6) Santa Clues
- 7) They always drop their needles
- 8) Tinsilitis
- 9) "Do you smell carrots?"
- 10) Santa Jaws
- 11) A silent knight
- 12) Peanut Butter and Jolly

