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SEPTEMBER 2026 WOODLAND HILLS



MENDONHOUSE IS AN ACOUSTIC MUSIC QUARTET FEATURING CHERIE CALL ON VOCALS AND GUITAR, MARK GESLISON ON MANDOLIN AND OCTAVE MANDOLIN, GEOFF GROBERG ON BASS, AND CATHERINE LARSEN ON PIANO AND VOCALS. TOGETHER, THEY CREATE A WARM, ORGANIC SOUND BUILT AROUND THOUGHTFUL SONGWRITING, BEAUTIFUL HARMONIES, AND ACOUSTIC INSTRUMENTATION. THEIR ORIGINAL MUSIC INCLUDES SONGS SUCH AS "HEART MADE OF WIND," "ONLY THE MOUNTAINS KNOW," "BIG YELLOW MOON," AND "COME HOME." WE'RE EXCITED TO WELCOME MENDONHOUSE TO THE STAGE AT WOODLAND HILLS DAYS!



Woodland Hills Days Car Show 2026

September 11th 2026

5-8pm

1185 s Loafer Drive

\$10 per vehicle \$5 for any additional vehicle

AMERICA



Come celebrate 10 years of this fresh air car show!!



WOODLAND HILLS DAYS SCHEDULE!



FRIDAY EVENING SEPT. 11 AT THE CITY PARK

- 4-9 PM ART SHOW
(FLYER BELOW)
- 5-8 PM FREE CAR SHOW
- 6-8 PM - BOOTHS
- 6-7:30 PM J-DAWGS DINNER
 - FREE FOR RESIDENTS
 - \$5 PER MEAL FOR NON-RESIDENTS
- 6-8 PM MENDONHOUSE
ACCOUSTIC BAND
- 8:15 - MOVIE NIGHT - FREE
CALL OF THE
- REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE TO
PURCHASE

SATURDAY MORNING SEPT. 12 AT THE CITY PARK

- 8:30 AM FIREMAN'S BREAKFAST
- 9:30 AM FLAG CEREMONY
 - MAYOR'S COMMENTS
 - SCAVENGER HUNT DRAWING
- 10-1 CHILDREN'S GAMES,
BOUNCE HOUSES, CLIMBING
WALL
- 10:30 AM PIE EATING CONTEST
- 11:00 AM BINGO
- 11 AM - 8PM - ART SHOW
(FLYER BELOW)



TO ENTER PIE EATING CONTEST:



TO ENTER SCAVENGER HUNT :



SEPTEMBER 11&12

Friday, 4–9 pm

Saturday, 11am-8 pm

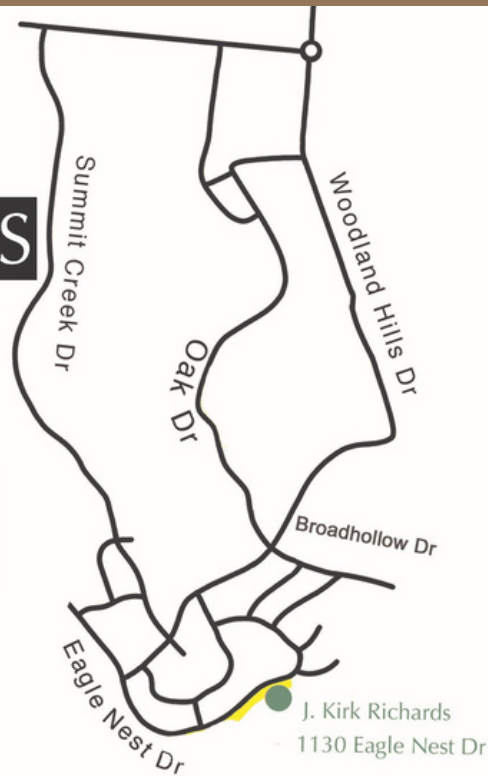
ARTISTS

Woodland Hills

OPEN HOUSE STUDIO TOUR

Come see over 100 artworks in a single local art studio, the same weekend as Woodland Hills Days festivities. Note that the city has asked us to park only on one side of the street (yellow on the map) to leave the roads clear for driving and emergencies. This year, the only participating art studio belongs to J. Kirk Richards.

jkirkrichards.com



COUNCIL'S COMMENTS

As we say farewell to a long and very hot summer, I'm happy to welcome fall here in our mountain community. The cooler air and those bright colors on the hillsides always feel like a reward after the heat, and the crisp mornings make it clear why so many of us choose to live in this wonderful city. Fall has a way of slowing things down just enough that we notice the quiet beauty around us. This is the perfect time to get the family outside and enjoy the park, trails and other open spaces we enjoy with our mountain fresh air that make our city special. Whether it's a short walk after school or a weekend outing up the switchbacks, those simple moments outside help kids and parents alike reconnect with the place we call home. I hope you take advantage of this season and make some good memories together.

Dan Roden
City Council Member



TED TALKS

TED TALK - SEPTEMBER 2026

Water, Chipping, and Roads

Many of the topics in this month's article have been discussed previously in Ted Talks and on social media, but they continue to be some of the most common questions we receive at City Hall. Living in a beautiful hillside community offers many benefits, but it also creates unique challenges for maintaining our infrastructure.

Water

Our community's elevation changes allow us to use gravity to create water pressure throughout the system. While this is an efficient way to deliver water, pressure also increases significantly as water travels downhill through the city. To manage these varying pressures, Woodland Hills operates 28 pressure-reducing valve stations throughout the water system. These stations help maintain safe and reliable pressure levels for residents. However, if one of these valves fails, water pressure can increase substantially in portions of the system. Unfortunately, there is no reliable way to predict when or where a valve failure may occur. To help protect homes from fluctuations in city water pressure, every residence should have its own pressure-reducing valve (PRV) installed. These valves typically have a lifespan of 8 to 10 years. If your home's PRV has not been inspected or replaced recently, we encourage you to contact a licensed plumber to have it evaluated.

Chipping

While we can almost always schedule spring chipping days, fall chipping programs depend on crew and equipment availability. This has been an exceptionally busy season for fire crews, and at this time we have been unable to schedule a community chipping day for this fall.

If you are clearing vegetation from your property, please stack wood piles at least 15 feet back from the road. This will help ensure they do not interfere with snow removal operations if we are unable to complete chipping before winter weather arrives. Should circumstances allow us to schedule a fall chipping day, we will notify the community immediately. We are currently planning to provide green waste dumpsters later this month or in early October.

Roads

Our road improvement project is well underway, and crews are working diligently to complete construction before Woodland Hills Days. During excavation on Loafer and Eagle Nest near the park area, we discovered that the existing road subgrade was in much poorer condition than anticipated. As a result, additional work is required to rebuild the foundation beneath the roadway.

While this has added time to the project and created some inconvenience, taking the time to properly repair the subgrade will result in a stronger, longer-lasting road for our community. We appreciate everyone's patience and understanding as we work through these challenges and complete these much-needed improvements.

As always, if you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to me.

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HAPPENINGS AROUND THE CITY

The Planning Commission recently met and approved a new phased development for Summit Creek (Plat G1, Phase B), which they have been working on for the last year or so. It consists of 16 new lots starting at the former west end of Eagle Nest Dr., where the turn around bulb used to be, and continuing along the new Eagle Nest Dr. road addition down to South Loafer Dr. There are some beautiful view lots looking out over Salem and the surrounding area, including Utah Lake.

The Planning Commission and City Council made some changes to our city code in Title 10 (Zoning Ordinances) and Title 11 (Subdivision Code). A public hearing was held to receive any public input on the proposed changes. The Title 10 changes were mostly to clarify language and to address some questions that always seem to come up in the interpretation of the ordinance.

The Title 11 changes were made to bring them into compliance with State Code.

Some may be aware that the city no longer has a Finance Director. Duties of the past Finance Director have been divided up between the City Treasurer, City Recorder and a newly created position of Comptroller. The city has done interviewing for that new position and has hired a contract individual, Sharlene Wilde who has worked in the financial public arena for many years. She is well versed in the principles of fund accounting which municipalities are required to do and has hit the ground running in getting up to speed and acquainted with our city financial needs and requirements.

The Planning Commission and City Council have approved the final draft of the General Plan.

The last several months or so has been spent doing some formatting work on it and incorporating some pictures to use in it's presentation. Thanks to Sunrise Engineering, our Community Development Committee and all others who have had a hand in drafting this document. In several weeks it will be posted on the city's web page for any who might be interested in reviewing it.

Wayne Frandsen Planning Commission Chair





AUGUST 2026 STATS



ABANDONED 911	6
ALARM	1
ANIMAL COMPLAINT	4
CITIZEN CONTACT	3
CIVIL PROBLEM	1
KEEP THE PEACE	2
SUSPICIOUS	1
SUICIDE THREAT	1
TRAFFIC OFFENSE	1
INFORMATION	1
WELFARE CHECK	1

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South Utah Valley
ANIMAL SHELTER

Fall

IN LOVE ADOPTION EVENT

Join us for a delightful celebration of the bountiful autumn season with a night full of love and tail wags!



Thursday, 24th
September 5-8pm



582 W 3000 N
Spanish Fork, UT

Admission is free, and there's a booth for everyone to enjoy. So, gather your friends, family and pets!

**PICK YOUR PRICE
ADOPTIONS!**

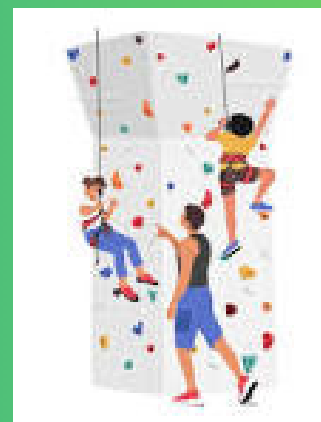


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