



The burned exterior of one of the two buildings destroyed in the July 25th fire at Willow Glen Apartments.



NEWS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Public Meetings

Mt Olympus

Community Council

Mon., 8/4/25, 6pm
Churchill Junior High,
2nd Floor
3450 E Oakview Dr
See agenda [HERE](#)

Canyon Rim Citizens Association

Wed., 8/6/25, 7pm
Granite Credit Union
Adventure Hub
1354 E Chambers Ave
See agenda [HERE](#)

East Mill Creek

Community Council

Thurs., 8/7/25, 6:30pm
Granite Credit Union
Adventure Hub
1354 E Chambers Ave



Community Rallies to Support Fire Victims

MILLCREEK. On July 25, 2025, a mower blade struck a rock in an overgrown vacant lot near the Van Winkle and 1300 E intersection—the fire that sparked quickly engulfed and destroyed two 12-unit apartment buildings in the neighboring Willow Glen Apartments complex.

In the wake of the catastrophe, the community responded with incredible compassion and speed, rallying around the affected families and providing much-needed support.

Donations poured in from Millcreek residents, as well from contributors across the Salt Lake Valley and even from Summit County, with bags and boxes of clothing, hygiene items, household essentials, and more, being dropped off at City Hall. The Home Depot arrived with two generously filled trailers of supplies, including a large stack of plastic bins that proved invaluable to displaced families sorting through donations to find what they needed.

Financial support came swiftly as well. Funds donated by the community were bolstered by an appropriation by the Millcreek City Council, with checks distributed to affected families just three days after the fire. **There is still time to donate to assist the displaced families, donations will close at 5pm on Monday, August 4th.**



Volunteers spent hours sorting through the many donations that poured into City Hall in the days after the fire.

“We cannot overstate our gratitude for the heroic efforts of the Unified Fire Authority and Unified Police Department.” said Councilmember Thom DeSirant, within whose council district the fire occurred. “Their quick action not only saved lives but also prevented the fire from spreading to two additional apartment buildings.” he added. Red Cross volunteers arrived on the scene immediately, offering assistance and comfort, while the nearby Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints opened its doors to provide water, snacks, and a place to rest for both evacuees and first responders.

This tragedy also serves as a sobering reminder of the importance of preparedness and fire safety. The cause—something as ordinary as mowing a field—had extraordinary consequences. As we approach **National Preparedness Month** in September, now is the time to ask:

- Are your important items easily accessible in case of a sudden evacuation?
- Is your property being maintained to reduce fire risk?

We encourage all residents to visit [Ready.gov](https://www.ready.gov) and learn more about the **4 R's** of emergency preparedness: **Risk, Readiness, Response, and Recovery**. Preparing now could make all the difference later.

“To everyone who stepped up in the aftermath of the Willow Glen fire—thank

you," said Mayor Jeff Silvestrini. "Your generosity and spirit of community truly made a difference."

**THERE IS STILL TIME TO DONATE TO HELP THE FIRE VICTIMS—
CLICK HERE.** Donations will be accepted until 5pm on Monday,
August 4th.



IS YOUR PET LICENSED?

Join us at Millcreek Commons!

8/13/25
12pm-5pm



SAVE YOUR PET'S LIFE

\$25 Sterilized / \$50 Unsterilized / \$10 Senior

Even though pet licensing is required there are a number of benefits. In the event your pet gets lost, a license tells officers that their family is searching for them desperately and your contact information should be on file. Additionally, having a current license is extremely helpful for first responders in the event of a disaster to reunite pets and make sure we know who might need help. We also offer FREE microchips for residents of Salt Lake County.

CALL

385.468.7387

EMAIL

animal@saltlakecounty.gov

All dogs and cats over the age of four months must be licensed through your local animal services agency within 30 days of moving into the jurisdiction. Failure to license your pet may result in your pet being impounded, the issuance of a fine, or a criminal citation for the violation.

Get Your Pets Licensed and Chipped

One of the most heart wrenching things that we saw at the Red Cross evacuation center after the Willow Glen fire was families hoping their pets survived—especially cats, who tend to hide when frightened. Many residents didn't have time to find their cats during the rapid evacuation.

Miraculously, a few cats have now been located and reunited with their families. Animal trappers are on site attempting to locate any others who may have escaped. Cats can scatter for up to two blocks when frightened and chipping and licensing will help reunite any others who are found. You never know when disaster will strike or when your pet will get lost.

Bring your unlicensed or unchipped pet to Millcreek Common on the 13th, from noon to 5pm. Get them licensed for a nominal fee and chipped for free. More info above.



After-School Summer Camp Gives Kids a Chance to Skate and Climb

MILLCREEK. This summer, dozens of kids in local after-school programs have been reaching new heights—literally—at Millcreek Common, where a three-day program offers roller skating and rock climbing to children who might not otherwise have the opportunity.

Hosted by Millcreek Common in partnership with Millcreek Promise, kids have opportunities for fun and learning at no cost to families. Each day, campers work on the basics of roller skating on Millcreek Common's skate loop and get to scale the 65-foot climbing wall. Beyond physical skills, the camp emphasizes teamwork, resilience, and confidence.

For many of these kids, this is their first time lacing up skates or strapping into a climbing harness. Staff has been finding it impressive how much the campers encourage their peers to climb higher on the wall and get up after falling on skates. By the end of the week, campers leave not just with new skills, but with stronger friendships and a sense of pride that lasts far beyond summer.



MILLCREEK PHOTO CONTEST



GLOBETROTTING MILLCREEKERS!

Looking for travel photos
from your adventures!

Submissions are open
August 1-29, 2025

Millcreek residents only

Categories

Kids (Under 12)

Teens (13-17)

Adults (18+)

FREE TO ENTER

PRIZES:

 Photo Displayed in City Hall

 City Council
Winner's Reception

 Ice Skating Passes

*Scan above for Rules
& Information*



Scan QR code above or click [HERE](#) to submit your photos

EVENTS

TONIGHT!

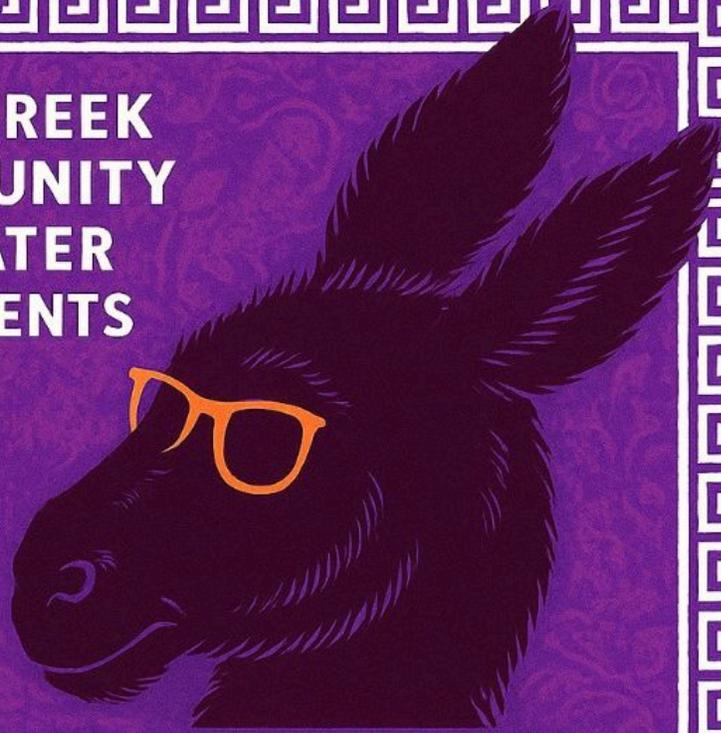


August 1 – 6 to 10 pm

It's a Celebration of Utah Pacific Islander Heritage Month. Incredible Islander food, live music, cultural performances, and of course, roller skating! Admission is FREE (Skate Rental is free too!) Thank you, Granite Credit Union!

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MILLCREEK
COMMUNITY
THEATER
PRESENTS



A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM

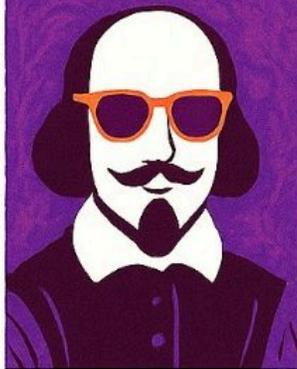
BY WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE

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Monday, 8.4

CONCERTS
IN THE
PARK

SUMMER JAM

AUG 4th

**BECK BROTHERS
BLUEGRASS AND
SLICK CITY 5**

MONDAYS @ 7PM CANYON RIM PARK

MILLCREEK ARTS COUNCIL

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Utah Division of Arts & Museums

3100 S Grace St, Millcreek, UT 84109

www.millcreekartscouncil.org

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Tuesday, 8.5



NIGHT OUT AGAINST CRIME

STROLL & ROLL CAR SHOW

ROLLING CAR SHOW FEATURING UPD VEHICLES, UFA FIRE TRUCKS, AND 50+ CLASSIC CARS

REGISTER YOUR COOL CAR
Do you have a classic car you'd like to enter into the show?
Register at ventureout.com/rollingcarshow
or at the park on August 5.

Tuesday, August 5, 2025 at Big Cottonwood Park (4300 S 1300 E) 6:00 - 9:00 pm
Activities start at 6:00 pm. Rolling car show begins at 7:00 pm [Follow @VentureOutUtah](#)

August 5 — 6 to 9pm

This annual event builds bridges between law enforcement and the community. Enjoy the festival at the park, then see classic cars hit the road at 7:00 PM for a parade through Millcreek neighborhoods.

PUBLIC MARKET



MILLCREEK COMMON

Shop specialty products

CHAMBERS IN COMMON

brought to you by
Utah Chamber Members

JUL 14-AUG 18

11 am to 9 pm Daily

Open Daily Through August 18 — 11am to 9pm

Chambers in Common is a curated marketplace where local business owners come together to showcase and sell their products. It provides a unique opportunity for entrepreneurs to connect with the community, gain exposure, and support one another while offering shoppers a diverse selection of locally made products, services, and other goods.



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AT MILLCREEK COMMON

- Sweet. Savory. Sundries
- 20 local businesses
- Public Market 11 am - 9 pm



New! Gifts at Central Checkout.

Now available at the central checkout kiosk in the Public Market at Millcreek Common are local artisans selling smaller, boutique items. Stop by to find a unique gift for someone in your life.

[Click here see the list of this season's products and artisans.](#)



— MILLCREEK — FARMERS MARKET

WEDNESDAYS, JULY 2-SEPT 24
5-9 PM | MILLCREEK COMMON



A midweek market to fill your reusable bags with local produce, farm goods, artisan food, handmade crafts and more. Snap benefits accepted.

Wednesdays, July 2 - September 24
5:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Fresh and local at the Common returns to the Plaza. Millcreek's midweek market is full of produce, farm goods, artisan food, and handmade crafts. Grab your reusable bags and make the market part of your weekly dinner and

grocery routine. SNAP benefits accepted. Inflatable water slide and fun kid activities next to the splash pad.

[See the weekly vendor lineup here.](#)



Sundays through September 28 —11am-4pm

The Summer Bazaar is a vibrant flea market held on Sundays at Millcreek Common. The market brings together an eclectic mix of vendors offering vintage clothing, unique jewelry, original artwork, and a wide range of handmade crafts. Whether you're searching for one-of-a-kind treasures, locally made goods, or just a lively shopping experience, the Summer Bazaar is the perfect way to spend your afternoon.

SAVE THE DATE



YOU'RE INVITED!!

Saturday, August 16th

11 AM - 10 PM

| FREE ADMISSION | FAMILY FRIENDLY |

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 AUGUST 30 & 31



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 SPECIAL GIVEAWAYS



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 OF SPORTS & MUSIC
 & FAMILY FUN!**

**SAT 9AM-8PM
 SUN 9AM - 5PM**



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 4400 S 1300 E, MILLCREEK
 UT 84124**



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SUMMER FUN

Final Week!



SUMMER DAY CAMP
at Millcreek Common

REGISTRATION OPEN
at MillcreekCommon.org

WEEKLY CAMPS FOR AGES 6-12
Mon-Fri, 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
(Early drop off available starting at 8:30 AM)

June: 2-6, 9-13, 16-20, 23-27 | July: 8-11, 14-18, 28-Aug 1 | Aug: 4-8

The banner features three photographs: a child climbing a rope structure, a child roller skating, and two children in chef hats serving pizza.

CLIMB - SKATE - PLAY

Summer Day Camp is back at Millcreek Common. This 5 day camp is a unique chance for youth to learn, explore and play.

Campers will enjoy roller skating, climbing wall instruction, and other activities on the Plaza at Millcreek Common. Activities are led by Millcreek's sports managers, who are specially trained in their respective fields.

Age groups 6-8 and 9-12.

Monday through Friday 9am-12pm

9:00 AM - 12:00 PM (Early drop off available starting at 8:30 AM)

August 4-8

[Book your registration HERE](#)





VentureOut! weekends at Camp Tracy.

It's a Millcreek Camporee with fun for the whole family. Stay overnight or get a \$10 day-pass.

Fishing, climbing, ropes course, archery, crafts and more.

Weekend I - August 8-10

Weekend II - August 15-17

Weekend III - August 29-September 1

[Book your site here!](#)

MESSAGE FROM OUR PARTNER

FREE COMMUNITY EMERGENCY PREP EVENT



Water Filtration



Food Storage



First Aid



Communication

and MORE...

SATURDAY AUGUST 16, 2025

10:00AM to 1:00PM

Church Building

4220 S Jeannine Dr. MILLCREEK, UT



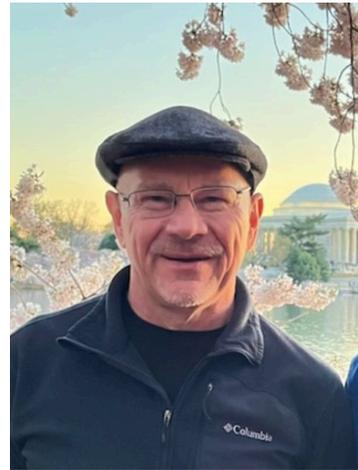
Does YOUR BUG OUT
PACK LOOK LIKE THIS?

Come see what you really need

Meetings with the Mayor

Fridays from 2-4pm have been set aside for citizens to meet with Mayor Jeff Silvestrini.

Call 801-214-2700 to schedule a slot



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