Heritage Festival Committee Members Sought

Sandy City is looking for a few creative individuals to be on the committee to plan the up coming Sandy Heritage Festival. This is the first annual event, so the committee is charged with creating and producing the event. This is a great opportunity for the citizens of Sandy to have fun while celebrating our community.

For more information or to volunteer please contact Mearle Marsh at mmarsh@sandy.utah.gov or call 568-6057. Watch for more information about the Heritage Festival in coming issues of the Sandy Newsletter.

Sandy Pride

For the 23rd year, Sandy Pride has brought together volunteers and staff throughout the community to help improve and beautify parks, neighborhoods and open space. Sandy Parks and Recreation staff along with hundreds of volunteers planted trees and plants, replaced bark, installed boulders, and cleaned up several parks across the city. At Bluffs Hillside (near River Oaks Golf Course), approximately 780 native plants were planted and irrigation was installed by more than 100 volunteers. The other large project taking place occurred at the Sandy City Cemetery where more than 200 volunteers worked tediously to trim and edge around headstones.

Other projects completed include:

- Painting the basketball court at Buttercup Park
- Planting shrubs at Sunset Meadows
- Cleaning at Flat Iron Park, Wildflower Park, Neffs Grove and Porter Rockwell Trail.

One of many loads of new mulch being distributed during Sandy Pride.

Volunteers worked hard to clear debris and trash throughout the city in local parks and neighborhoods.

New trees being planted along the River Oaks Golf Course by volunteers and staff.

The city has specific goals to accomplish through Sandy Pride. These objectives include encouraging families to work together to make their own home clean and beautiful, involving the neighborhood to work on projects together and encouraging the community as a whole to work on projects in local neighborhoods and parks.

Even though the project took place on May 19th and has passed for this year, taking pride in your community occurs all year long. Sandy City would like to thank all those who volunteered to help make Sandy more beautiful. To learn how you can become more involved, please contact Laura Christensen at 568-7254.