A word from Mayor Vigil...
Over the past several months, you may have noticed several exciting projects happening at Santiam Park. Major components have included new rubberized playground surfacing, a picnic shelter, restroom building, additional street lighting, and a parking area. The project is expected to be complete by mid-October.

This project was made possible by grants from the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department, the A.J. Frank Family Foundation, and the Doris J. Wipper Fund of the Oregon Community Foundation. Also, many local contractors contributed including Bethel Excavation, Slayden Construction Group, Inc., Blazer Industries, Campbell Crane, Crawford Electric, Knife River, North Santiam Paving, Stayton Builders Mart, and Top Notch Construction.

On Tuesday, September 13 at 6:00 p.m. at Santiam Park, the Parks and Recreation Board will hold a small dedication ceremony at the beginning of their meeting to thank all those who generously contributed to the project. Stop by and thank those who have made this project possible!

Until next time,
Scott Vigil, Stayton Mayor
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Use the buying guide at [www.oregoncleanandsafe.org](http://www.oregoncleanandsafe.org) to identify eco-certification labels and programs to protect public health and keep toxics out of Oregon’s rivers and streams. More information can be found at [http://www.deq.state.or.us/wq/SB737/index.htm#what3](http://www.deq.state.or.us/wq/SB737/index.htm#what3)

Do your part to keep Oregon green!

FALL OPEN HOUSE & SPLASH DAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH

If you’ve always wanted to learn about the activities that take place at the swimming pool, now is your chance! Saturday, September 24th from 10:30 am to 1:30 pm the Stayton Family Memorial Pool will be hosting an open house and splash day. You can expect the following:

- Demonstrations of Swim lessons, Group exercise classes, Scuba, Lap swimming & Water Polo (all activities will be FREE to try!)
- Light refreshments will be served
- Special signup offers for membership

Following the Open House, join us for fun afternoon activities like recreational water polo, relay races and more!

Contact the pool office at 503-767-POOL (7665) if you have questions regarding the event.

City of Stayton - Town Hall Meeting
Thursday, September 29th, 6:30-8:00 pm
Santiam Memorial Hospital, Freres Auditorium

This is your opportunity to meet with Mayor Vigil & Stayton City Council members to discuss city issues.

Stayton Public Library Event
October 2011
“Seed Saving Workshop”
October 1st, 4:00 pm

Join horticulturalist Melissa Richmond aka the "Garden Lady" as she teaches this easy process. Melissa has roots in Stayton, and will share her knowledge of cultivating heirloom gardens.

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