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Greetings from the City of St. George! It used to be that summer was a slow time of year in Utah's Dixie but that doesn't seem to be the case anymore as St. George and surrounding areas have become real year-around destinations. This time of year causes me, as I'm sure it does with many of you, to reflect on the freedoms we have come to love in this great country at the expense of so many American heroes, both present and past. I feel extremely grateful to live in one of the greatest cities in the country with a rich pioneer

heritage and a very promising future. I hope everyone has an enjoyable and safe Independence Day celebration with their families and loved ones and an exceptional summer season. Be sure to take advantage of the many recreational opportunities offered through the Leisure Services Department like the award winning Lil' Detectives program and Sunsational Days of Summer activities!

This time of year I hope that everyone is conservation minded with the water and electricity that they use. It not only benefits each of us by lowering our monthly utility bills, but helps conserve the precious resources that make our lives more enjoyable. Please check your irrigation systems to ensure that you are watering between 8:00 pm and 8:00 am. If we all do this millions of gallons of water can be saved. By raising our thermostats a degree or two and paying better attention to the wise use of electricity the community and the environment will benefit.

This year SkyWest Airlines is celebrating 35 years of outstanding and unprecedented service. I applaud their success and dedication to St. George as their corporate headquarters. St. George and SkyWest have, in a way, grown up together since the early 1970's. Thirty five years ago, no one would have thought that this hometown airline would ever become the largest regional carrier in the United States. I remember as a young man being at the airport when they switched to the twin engine Navajos and later, being given an opportunity to ride over the Grand Canyon in the back of the plane when the mayor and city council were invited to go on an inaugural flight. And now, to have the service level we do and to be on the brink of regional jet service with the building of the replacement airport. Congratulations Jerry and all those associated with this great corporation. What a ride it has been!

Daniel W. Moore

Funtastic Family Fair

August 18, 2007
10:00 am - 1:00 pm
Vernon Worthen Park

Family Olympics 11:00 - Noon
Games, Rides, Big Rigs, Food, and much more

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Building Southern Utah's New Gateway

inside stuff

As city officials meet and converse with citizens throughout the community there seems to be a set of consistently asked questions from the public. Some of the commonly asked questions seem to focus on the replacement airport. They are as follows: Will the City of St. George ever build the replacement airport? There hasn't been any construction occurring and there are no visible signs of progress so, what if anything is happening with the project? Why do we need to build the replacement airport in the first place? These questions are frequently heard throughout our community. While the wait to start the project has been a long one, significant progress has been made in the last few months that will lead to some signs of visible progress in the near future.

After waiting nearly a decade, the City received the final environmental approval called the Record of Decision from the Federal Aviation Administration in August 2006. This approval indicates the project plan meets or exceeds all federal environmental guidelines and that an acceptable plan has been developed to determine the overall environmental impact of the project. As part of this effort, a plan to mitigate the impact the project will have on the environment was developed and approved. The level of planning and environmental scrutiny conducted as part of this review process was more significant than any other similar project and, in fact, set a new standard for all future airport projects in the country. More planning and analysis was accomplished as part of the review process for the new St. George Airport than was conducted on the much larger and arguably more complicated modernization project currently being considered by the City of Chicago for O'Hare International Airport.

The final Record of Decision in hand, the Administrator of the Federal Aviation Administration Marian Blakey visited St. George on September 25, 2006 to present Mayor McArthur and the City



Council with a \$17,200,000.00 grant to begin the project. These grant proceeds are being used to complete the remaining land acquisition for the project. The City currently owns approximately 450 acres of the nearly 1,500 total acres needed for the project.

With the project cleared to move forward, the City is in the process of putting the finishing touches on an updated cost estimate and financial plan for the project. As seen in other segments of the local economy, the cost of construction in Southern Utah and the cost of land have both increased significantly in the past few years. Adjusting the projected cost for each of the pieces of the project puzzle resulted in a new project cost estimate of between \$170 million and \$190 million. This estimate also established an opening date for the airport of January 2011.

Using this estimate, the City has opened discussions with the FAA, the State of Utah and other local governing bodies to arrive at a financial plan for the project. A key component of this plan is additional grants from the FAA through a funding

vehicle called a Letter of Intent (LOI). An LOI would act similar to a letter of credit from the FAA that the City could use to accelerate the availability of funding and the construction timetable for the project. The request for an LOI was presented to the FAA in Washington, D.C. in March of this year. Although initial response has been very favorable at all levels of FAA, the City will not receive formal notification regarding this request until later this summer. Once a formal response has been received the City will finalize the financial plan for the remainder of the project.

The City has also been busy selecting the team of airport engineers and designers that will make the project start to take shape. An effort as large and complex as the design of a new airport has several dynamics that require very specialized expertise in order to ensure that the new airport will meet all Federal regulations and requirements. For the replacement St. George Municipal Airport the City determined that three specific design disciplines would be required; the design of the airports' runways and taxiways, the design of landside improvements such as parking lots, entrance roads



and utilities and finally architectural design for the passenger terminal and other buildings on the new airport. After a nearly five month selection process as required by FAA, the City has chosen the airport engineering firm PBS & J to complete the design of the airfield. PBS & J has designed the last two brand new airports to be built in the United States and provides a vast wealth of experience and expertise to the project.

The local firm of Creamer and Noble has been hired to complete the design of the landside elements of the project. Creamer and Noble has been the design engineering firm for the current airport for over two decades and brings to the project the local contacts and networking needed to ensure that the new airport blends in well with all of the other projects and construction ongoing in the St. George area.

For the most visible portion of the project, the City has chosen the firm Reynolds Smith and Hills to complete the architectural

design of the new terminal and other airport buildings. Through its Denver and Salt Lake City offices, RS & H will be responsible for creating the overall theme of the airport that will add to the overall experience of flying through the new airport. RS & H specializes in design of terminal buildings in communities the size of St. George while bringing to the project extensive experience in design and development of terminals and airport buildings throughout the country and internationally. One of the first phases of the RS & H effort will be to conduct public forums for elected officials and for the general public to express their ideas and vision for the terminal and how best to blend the terminal into our community.

While not visible to the eye as yet, the replacement airport project has started moving forward over the past few months. As the financial plan for the airport is finalized and the design of the facilities moves ahead, we can no doubt look forward to the visible signs of construction on the horizon.

How “Tuff” is YOUR Family?



find out at the **Fall TUFF Family Triathlon**

Dads, Moms, Grandparents, Aunts and Uncles join with the kids in your family in an event designed to encourage families getting active together. Each participant receives a finisher medal and a free lunch.

9:00 a.m. Saturday, September 8

Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Dr.

\$30.00 per team (3 participants)

DIVISIONS

Division A: 2 Adults and 1 Child (400 meter Swim, 10 mile Bike, 3 mile Run)

Division B: 1 Adult and 2 Children (200 meter Swim, 5 mile Bike, 1.5 mile Run)

Biking participants are required to have his/her own bike and bike helmet. Swimming participants are required to wear a swimsuit and running participants are required to wear athletic shoes. Youth participants must be at least 7 years of age.



FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 627-4560

Register at the St. George Recreation Center or online at www.activityreg.com. Registration deadline is Wednesday, September 5 at 5:00 P.M. Packets can be picked up on Friday, September 7 from 1:00-8:00 P.M. Check-in begins at 8:00 A.M. on Saturday morning. Participants are required to check-in 20/30 minutes PRIOR to their start time.



The last weekday flight to St. George from Los Angeles arrives at 11:15 PM. St. George Golf Club has five tee times available next Saturday. The City of St. George only receives 13.6 cents per each dollar spent on property taxes by residents. The "Dive-In" movie Charlotte's Web will be shown at the Sand Hollow Aquatic Center on July 16th at 9:00 pm. The new Snow Park frontage road along I-15 will be completed next year! This is just a sampling of the variety of information that can be found all in one place only on the City's website, www.sgcity.org. Nearly 75% of all questions asked to city employees by the public on a weekly basis can be found on the site. In fact, you'll probably learn more about the City by spending an hour on its website than you could in three weeks trying to locate and visit with personnel in every one of its twelve departments. As the City continues to grow so do the services and information that are available on the website. From paying utility bills to learning what's on the next City Council agenda, there is something important for everyone at www.sgcity.org. Below are a few of the pages of interest you'll want to check out the next time you're on the web:

Airport

The St. George Municipal Airport is the aviation gateway to Southern Utah located just two minutes from downtown St. George. On the airport webpage you'll find links to all Delta Connections/SkyWest and United Express flights plus information pertaining to terminal operations and safety and airline security. There's also a section for updates on the status of the replacement airport and redevelopment plan.

Traffic and Transportation

One of the hottest topics in our ever expanding Southern Utah area is traffic. The traffic and transportation pages provide surfers interactive options to ask questions of the traffic staff and make comments and suggestions regarding current and future projects. You will also find an up-to-date list of road construction projects and their status as well as information regarding the City's traffic master plan.

Police

The police webpage is the most interactive on the site offering visitors a variety of information and options to become more familiar with crime statistics and prevention. Visitors to the site can look-up and pay outstanding warrants, submit crime tips, police reports and learn how to better protect themselves and their families. Links to the State of Utah Sex Registry, Washington County Sheriffs Office and other site are also provided. In addition, live Amber Alert information can be viewed 24/7.

Water and Energy Conservation

Many citizens want to make the right ethical decision when it comes to the environment but don't know where to turn to become better educated on the topic of conservation. The water and energy conservation pages provide visitors with tips to reduce use while saving money on bills. See what Energy Services is doing with solar power as part of its new net metering program. These pages offer visitors resources and educational information exclusive to the St. George area.

City Codes and Ordinances

What's the height restriction for buildings in St. George? What are the legal requirements I need to follow to install a swimming pool in my back yard? Answers to these questions and thousands more can be found by clicking the City Codes link on the City homepage. Ordinances and codes can be found by section or a search engine is provided to help you find your topic. This interactive feature is updated regularly to reflect changes made to ordinances by elected officials.

Leisure Services

Anyone interested in a healthy lifestyle for both themselves and their family can find endless recreational programs and opportunities on the leisure services webpage. Information and interactive features on the St. George Marathon, Sunsational Days of Summer, park and trail maps, recreation center, pools, art museums and upcoming events are only a click away.

Whether we recognize it or not, local government plays a vital role in our and our family's lives. Become familiar with services and programs available to assist you in making the most out of your experience in Southern Utah by going to www.sgcity.org.

FALL FINALE
OUTDOOR DOUBLES
VOLLEYBALL
Saturday, September 29
WORTHEN PARK
300 South 400 East • St. George, Utah

Competitive outdoor volleyball tournament for Novice, A, B and Open divisions. Open divisions will be played on the sand courts. Novice, A and B divisions will be played on grass. **There will be NO DAY-OF-TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION.**

REGISTRATION DEADLINE
All Registrations must be received by 5:00 P.M. on Tuesday, September 25.
NO EXCEPTIONS!!!

GAME DAY CHECK-IN
8:00 A.M to 8:45 A.M.

PLAY BEGINS 9:00 A.M.

TO REGISTER OR FOR INFORMATION CALL (435) 627-4560
or register online at www.activityreg.com

The Dangers of Tamarisk Along Waterways

Since the January 2005 floods, a number of local, state and federal agencies have been working together to not only secure and re-build streambeds in Washington County but re-vegetate them as well.

Healthy streams and riparian areas are naturally resilient which allows recovery from natural disturbances such as flooding (Florsheim & Coats, 1997). When stream and riparian areas like the Santa Clara River or Fort Pierce Wash are degraded by floods, lack of maintenance, or other factors like tamarisk, excessive flooding, erosion, and sedimentation will often increase.

In an effort to minimize flooding and create and maintain healthy riparian areas in the County, the City of St. George, the Virgin River Program, Utah Division of Wildlife, Boy Scouts of America, Southern Utah University, City of Santa Clara, National Resource Conservation Service (NRCS), Southern Utah Democrats, Washington County Schools, Dixie State College, and various other community groups have partnered to plant native plant species along the Santa Clara and Virgin Rivers and Fort Pierce Wash.

Locally, willows have been deemed by hydrologists, biologists and geomorphologists as the plant of choice in the lowland areas along streambeds. The planting of willows has long been viewed as a natural and beneficial way to protect areas from erosion damage associated with flood events because they have a flexible stem that bends when confronted by water or debris. Willows and other native plants like the four-wing salt brush, quail bush and rabbit bush also provide excellent habitat for wildlife in our area.

When planted properly, willows thrive in these areas and begin to develop buds in late March and early April. The objective is to get willows established before the tamarisk so they can become the dominant species. Tamarisk poses a real problem along streams for the following reasons:



Tamarisk Plant along the Virgin River

Severe Fire Hazard

Tamarisk are extremely flammable and burn hot for extended periods of time. Four years ago a section of tamarisk along the Virgin River nearly burnt down more than ten homes and the potential will return after a few more years of growth.

Flood and Erosion Hazard

Tamarisk are deep rooted and have extremely stiff stems. When flood waters come tamarisk do not bend but force water to go around them. Debris gathers against the tamarisk forcing water to change direction and erode banks and eventually move outside the river channel. The Santa Clara River in 2005 was a great example of how destructive tamarisk can be resulting in 20 homes plunging into the raging current and many millions of dollars of public infrastructure lost. Three years ago tamarisk was the main cause of flooding along the Fort Pierce Wash.

Wildlife Impact

The tamarisk stands become so thick that deer, large birds and other wildlife have a difficult time walking through them and begin to look for less congested areas for feeding paths and bedding areas. The best habitat is the native plants and trees like coyote willows, cottonwood, quail bush and the four-wing salt brush. Very few if any animals actually eat tamarisk.

Extreme Water Usage

Each tamarisk plant consumes on average about 300 gallons of water per day. This typically leaves nearby native plants and shrubs to wither for lack of water. While willows and cottonwoods use about the same amount of water as tamarisk, they do not spread as far from the stream channel. Thus tamarisk uses considerably more water on a river wide scale than native plants.

Safety

Due to their dense growth, tamarisk sometimes becomes a cover under which transient camps are established. Networks of tunnels can be found in tamarisk stands permitting instant cover for those trying not to be seen along city trails and around neighborhood subdivisions.

The State of Utah has issued the City of St. George a fire protection grant in the amount of \$50,000 to eliminate as much tamarisk along the stream ways as possible to make way for willows.

Although the window on willow planting has passed as we move into the warm summer season, re-vegetation efforts will resume in the fall and opportunities to volunteer will be available. For anyone who may be interested in a planting project in October 2007 through March 2008 please contact Marc Mortensen with the City of St. George (627-4000) or marcmort@sgcity.org. If other communities are interested, please contact Steve Meisner with the Virgin River Program (673-3617).

Water in Southern Utah

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Since the early 1900's the City of St. George has been dedicated to providing safe drinking water for all customers. The Water Services Department has evolved over time as have state and federal regulations. The most recent regulation change is in regard to arsenic levels. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) reduced the allowed levels from 50 parts per billion (ppb) to 10 ppb. This ruling became effective in January of 2006. St. George, along with most other cities, is now operating under an extension to the year 2009 to comply with the ruling.

The highest levels of arsenic are found in some of the Southern Utah area wells. Traditionally arsenic is removed through the water treatment process. However, the City's surface water sources are very low in arsenic. By blending ground water from wells with the water from the Quail Creek Water Treatment Plant, the overall arsenic level meets the EPA standard. Blending water sources is a much more cost effective means of meeting the EPA standard than construction and operation of a treatment plant.

Planning to meet water demands of the future is an ongoing effort for Water Services Department staff. Current water sources will meet the demand for a population

of approximately 100,000 people. Beyond that amount, new water sources will have to be developed.

The most viable option is to develop the water rights Washington County has in Lake Powell. Construction of the Lake Powell pipeline project will be managed by the Washington County Water Conservancy District.

Other avenues to address water demand include utilizing all irrigation water rights available to the City. A new ordinance requires developers to install water lines for a secondary water system in new subdivisions. This will allow the City to serve those areas with irrigation water for landscaping uses. This greatly reduces the demand on culinary water sources.

Additionally, the Water Services Department has recently completed a reuse or gray water plant. This plant treats effluent from the Waste Water Treatment Plant to bring it up to irrigation water quality. Water from this plant is now being used to irrigate some large facilities such as golf courses and eventually parks.

Conservation, the wise use of water, is seen by the Water Services Department as an additional water source. The more water saved through efficiency improvements, the further existing resources can meet demand. The City has several conservation programs available to assist customers in reducing use.

- ◆ **Ultra Low Flow Toilet Rebate**
- ◆ **Free Residential Lawn Water Audits**
- ◆ **Scheduled to start summer of 2007**
- ◆ **Water Efficient Appliance Rebates targeted at dishwashers and clothes washers**

Additionally, the City is working with the Southern Utah Home Builders Association (SUHBA) to offer a series of free seminars on green building.

Integrating water and energy efficiency into new construction improves performance and lowers the amount of resource needed to comfortably maintain a home or commercial building.

The Water Services Department is not only responsible for delivering high quality culinary water; it is also responsible for the sewer collection and treatment system. This is a regional system serving St. George, Santa Clara, Washington and Ivins cities. As areas have been developed, sewer line easements have been encroached on. This has made it difficult and in some cases impossible to maintain the sewer collection system. The City is asking residents to be aware of utility easements on their property and to make sure those easements are maintained. Swimming pools, block walls, garden sheds etc, constructed on easements limit access and the ability to maintain the utility infrastructure within those easements.

The Water Services Department strives to continue providing high quality culinary water, to expand the available irrigation quality water and provide waste water treatment. This is done by working cooperatively with other area municipalities, organizations and customers.

More information on conservation programs and water quality can be found on the City's website at www.sgcity.org.





Energy in Southern Utah

inside stuff

Since the release of the Al Gore documentary, "An Inconvenient Truth," we have been inundated by the media on the causes and effects of global warming. Whether scientists agree or not on this issue, the global warming debate is having a major impact on the electric utility industry and the City of St. George is no exception. In planning for future energy needs the Energy Services Department reviews and evaluates all resource options to meet the projected load. The process includes determining the amount and type of energy needed for the next day, week, month, year and beyond.

In the utility industry base load describes the energy needed 24 hours a day seven days a week (24/7). Base load energy is provided primarily through coal-fired generation. The City is currently working with other utility and electrical generation companies to develop an 86 MW coal fired generation facility to meet future base load demand. Initially the start date for the plant was slated for 2010. However, due to issues related to air quality, the start date has been moved tentatively to 2011, and this could be extended. The air permit process started three years ago and the actual release to proceed is unknown. This is primarily due to environmental concerns regarding CO₂ emissions.

There are several positive aspects to the building of this plant. The plant will use waste coal for its fuel source. This is coal that if not used, will be sent to a landfill. Additionally, the plant will use the best available technology to reduce the amount of emissions released. Alternatives to coal are available however they are not able to meet the base load demand. Natural gas produces fewer emissions than coal, but it's a fossil fuel that also produces CO₂.

Natural gas prices are very volatile and transmission into the Rocky Mountain region is limited. Natural gas is a viable option to provide peak energy demand, but not base load. Renewable resources such as wind and solar generation are not abundant or stable enough to meet the base load demand and in the case of wind, not stable enough to meet peak load requirements. Wind generation is difficult to schedule as it only produces when the wind blows. At times wind generation provides as much as 200 MW of energy for the western states. When the wind stops blowing this amount of energy is abruptly lost and affects the stability



of transmission systems. To counter that problem, some regional energy groups are considering requiring natural gas generation units constructed as back up to the wind generation. This creates environment issues as well, adding significantly to the cost of renewable resources.

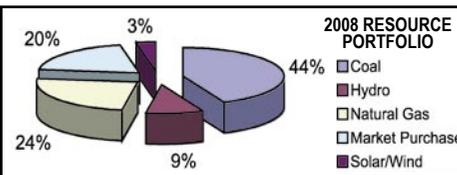
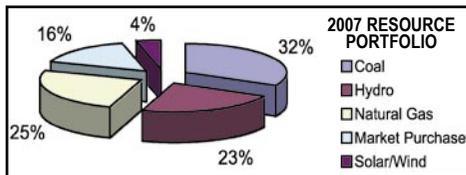
Another issue associated with renewable energy is the demand from states that have mandated renewable portfolio standards. States such as California are buying as much renewable energy as possible, raising the cost and limiting the amounts available to other entities.

The St. George winter peak demand is approximately 100 megawatts (MW). During the hottest months of the summer, June, July and August, the current peak can reach 170 MW. The energy needed to meet the summer peak is the most expensive energy to provide, both with respect to the cost of the energy and the infrastructure needed to transmit and deliver the energy.

The Energy Services Department staff has implemented several strategies to combat this issue. One is the construction of the Millcreek Generation Facility, a natural gas fired plant in the Millcreek Industrial Park. The City estimates the summer load, develops a proposed run schedule and secures natural gas purchases when prices are low. This helps to "hedge" or avoid making significant energy market purchases. Additionally, the City has implemented a net metering program. This program provides incentives to customers who install photovoltaic (solar) generation on their homes or businesses. These systems generate electricity during the day when the peak use is greatest. Although currently the amount of solar generation used is very limited, the City is hoping to increase this resource over time.

The Dixie Conservation Alert Program is another strategy used to mitigate the peak demand. This program is operated in cooperation with Dixie Escalante Electric, Hurricane Power and Washington City Power as well as the City of St. George. During the summer months, alerts will be issued to advise customers of the expected energy load. The City is hopeful that customers will be aware of system energy use, particularly during the peak hours of 2:00 pm – 8:00 pm and reduce their individual energy use during this time.

Information on the conservation alert can be found on the City's website at www.sgcity.org. The Spectrum newspaper will also have the status noted on the front page and KCSG TV will convey the information on nightly newscasts. For more information, please contact René Fleming at rene.fleming@sgcity.org.



Where Do Your Tax Dollars Go? Part 1 General Fund

Have you wondered about how much the City of St. George receives in annual revenue and where those dollars go? The fact is, very few people preoccupy their time with the City's annual budget because they are busy trying to manage their own finances. In contrast, almost every citizen wants to know that their tax dollars and other public funds are being spent responsibly and that they are getting their money's worth.

In January 2006, Dan Jones & Associates released a survey commissioned by the Utah League of Cities & Towns which addressed Utah citizens' perceptions and ratings of government entities; ratings of government tax dollar management; and perceptions of sales, property, income taxes, and user fees.

The survey found that 76% rate municipal government as "Excellent or Good" overall and 53% rate municipal government as "Excellent or Good" in managing tax dollars. 53% was the highest percentage rating in comparison to ratings on managing Federal, State, County, and School Board taxes. The survey also revealed other interesting perceptions:

Survey: 24% believe cities/towns receive revenue from Income Taxes

Fact: Cities/towns receive \$0 from Income Tax revenues

Survey: Only 39% believe that cities/towns receive Sales Tax revenue

Fact: All cities/towns receive a portion of Sales Tax paid both locally and across the State of Utah

St. George: Of the 6.25¢ sales tax rate in Washington County, St. George receives 1.25¢, comprising most of General Fund revenues at 36%

Survey: Respondents believe that 64% of the total property taxes paid go to their city/town

Fact: Utah municipalities receive an average of only 15% of personal property taxes paid

St. George: For each \$1 paid in property taxes, the City of St. George receives 14.9¢, which is only 13.6% of General Fund revenues

GENERAL FUND

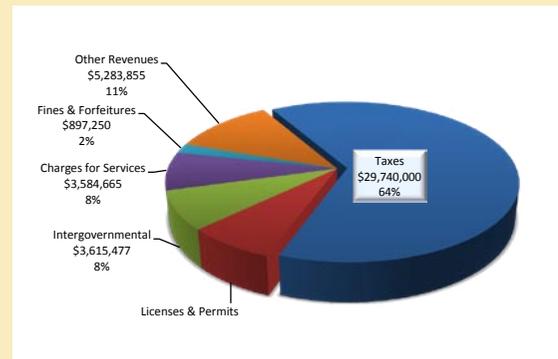
The City's General Fund is used to account for services provided for the general health, welfare, and safety of our citizens. Based upon the nature of these services, citizens are generally not charged a "user fee" for these services. These services include Public Safety, Public Works, Leisure Services, Development Services, Community Development, and General Government functions. The City's General Fund does not include revenues and expenditures accounted for by separate, specialized funds such as Enterprise Funds, Capital Project Funds, etc. (which are also discussed herein).

From protecting our community to putting out fires to maintaining roads and parks, the City of St. George provides virtually every essential service that contributes to your quality of life. So how does the City pay for the general services it provides and how are the dollars being spent? This year's General Fund budget is almost \$46.5 million. The following graphs below show the budgeted revenues and expenditures.

As the graph illustrates, Public Safety services account for one third of the City's Fiscal Year 2008 General Fund budget. The Police Department's portion is almost 26% and the Fire Department's portion is about 7%. Public Works is comprised of streets, fleet management, engineering, airport, and administration. The largest function within the Public Works Department's 2008 budget is the Streets Division which accounts for 10.5% of the General Fund budget.

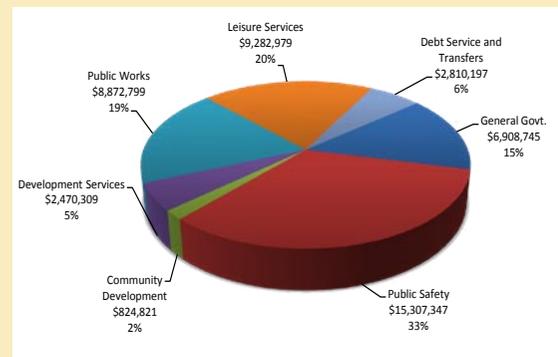
REVENUES

Taxes	\$29,740,000
License & Permits.....	\$3,355,950
Intergovernmental.....	\$3,615,477
Charges for Services.....	\$3,584,665
Fines & Forfeitures	\$897,250
Other Revenues	\$5,283,855
Total:	\$46,477,197



EXPENDITURES

General Govt.	\$6,908,745
Public Safety.....	\$15,307,347
Community Development.....	\$824,821
Development Services...	\$2,470,309
Public Works.....	\$8,872,799
Leisure Services	\$9,282,979
Debt Service & Transfers....	\$2,810,197
Total:	\$46,477,197



The Leisure Services Department provides various recreational services and facilities to our citizens. These services include parks, recreation center, Pioneer Center for the Arts, adult and youth sports programs, two aquatic facilities, cemetery, and various other recreational activities and events such as the Marathon and Arts Festival. The Parks Division budget alone is about 8% of the General Fund budget. This division is responsible for the maintenance of almost 30 parks, approximately 30 miles of trails, two fishing ponds, and the Sunbowl.

The Development Services and Community Development Departments are responsible for building inspections and permits, subdivision approvals, code enforcement, and planning and zoning.

General Government includes functions which support all the city departments collectively such as City management (Mayor, City Council, and City Manager), human resources, legal, finance, technology, and administrative services.

Some of the major General Fund Projects scheduled for Fiscal Year 2008 are:

- Continued upgrade of City technology services infrastructure
- New HVAC systems at City Hall and the Community Arts Building
- Police Department improvements at the pistol range and new and replacement patrol vehicles
- A pumper fire truck for the Fire Department
- A paint striper for the Streets Dept.

- Splash pads at Cox Park and Shadow Mountain Park; a dog park at 2450 East; a pickle ball court at Worthen Park; and an arboretum at Tonaquint Park
- A new Sexton building at the Tonaquint Cemetery

This is part one of a two part series on the City of St. George 2008 Fiscal Year (FY) budget. Part two can be found in the 2007 fall edition of Inside St. George. For further information, the FY 2008 year budget can be viewed on the City's website at www.sgcity.org. Questions regarding the budget may be directed to Deanna Brklacich, Budget & Financial Planning Manager, at 435-627-4000 or by e-mail at deanna.brklacich@sgcity.org.



Make a "Splash with Your Kids"

Parents- what do you do when it's 90 plus degrees outside and your kids are hot? Well, the answer is to join the staff at the St. George City Pool and Hydrotube or the Sand Hollow Aquatic Center (SHAC). Your kids will thank you and think you are the best!

The SHAC and the City Pool and Hydrotube both have open swim starting at 1:00 pm every weekday and 12:00 pm on Saturdays. If you can't make it during the peak of the day, don't worry both facilities have special evening moonlight swims every evening, Monday – Saturday, until 8:00 pm at the City Pool and 9:00 pm at the SHAC. Learn to swim classes are offered throughout the summer months at both locations.

The SHAC, located at 1144 N Lava Flow Drive, is the City operated indoor aquatic facility. The facility is perfect for adults and children to still have a splash this summer without the fear of getting sunburned! The SHAC, as

well as the City Pool, will be hosting various special events throughout the summer for all ages. In July, Charlotte's Web will be the featured movie at the dive-in movie night event. Night at the Museum will be the film shown in August. Guests are invited to bring their inner tubes and get settled in to float through this family favorite. The annual Penny Carnival on August 6, 2007 is a great way to say good-bye to summer before heading back to the books. If hanging out in the sun is more your style, then join the staff at the City Pool this summer. They will be hosting Ice Age 2 for the dive-in movie on July 9, 2007 at 8:00 pm. Mark your calendar for this year's St. George Belly Flop contest at the City Pool. This event, on July 14, 2007 is sure to make a splash this summer. Everyone is invited to show off his or her skills at this contest. Participants will be competing for cool prizes given out by the City Pool staff.



recreation info

Remember summertime in St. George is HOT and there aren't better places to cool off and spend time with your family and friends, than the SHAC and St George City Pool. So get your suit on, grab a towel, sun block and your flip-flops and make a splash this summer! To find out more on any of the above mentioned events, call the City Pool at 627-4584 or the SHAC at 634-4585. Their friendly staffs will be happy to help answer your questions.

Concert in the Park Series 2007 - Free Admission

Sponsored by the Utah Commission of the Arts, the National Endowment for the Arts, Cherry Creek Radio & the City of St. George. Concert in the Park 2007 Series is free to the public. Don't miss the first Monday of each month through September. Park seating is available, bring blankets, lawn chairs, food and the family. For more information call 627-4525.



**The City of St. George Presents... Michael John,
A Billy Joel Tribute
Monday July 2, 2007 at 7:30 PM
Centennial Park - 301 North 2200 East, St. George**

Michael John, a native of Las Vegas, Nevada, has been professionally entertaining audiences for eleven years. As a piano player/singer Michael found out early that he had the voice and the look of a very popular and famous piano player, Billy Joel.

Along with playing other artists material, Michael honed his Billy Joel persona and landed a gig with Legends In Concert portraying the famous piano man.

In addition to playing in Atlantic City's Bally's Park Place for Legends In Concert, Michael has worked for Innovative Entertainment Group, Debut Entertainment, Jamie's Rock N Roll Legends, and RNRH Entertainment.

Michael not only has the look of Billy down but he can play the piano, sing, and entertain with the same intensity and passion.



**The City of St. George Presents...
The Blue Sage Trio
Monday August 6, 2007 at 7:30 PM
Vernon Worthen Park - 300 South 400 East, St. George**

The Blue Sage Trio will be presenting an evening of western folk songs and fiddle tunes at the Vernon Worthen Park on August 6, 2007. Blue Sage is a unique acoustic folk trio who's songs reflect the culture and history of the west.

The heart and soul of the Blue Sage Trio lies within the repertoire of folk singer and multi-instrumentalist Mike Iverson. Well known for his rich baritone voice, Mike is also an award winning instrumentalist recognized for his work on the banjo, guitar and mandolin. Holding the band together is the powerful bass playing of Shauna Iverson. Shauna's personality shines through on stage and audiences find her as much fun to watch as to listen to!

The newest addition the trio is Mike and Shauna's daughter Heather. Heather Iverson is an exciting violinist who specializes in the traditional fiddle music of America and the British Isles. Don't miss this opportunity to experience the western folk tradition through the music of the Blue Sage Trio!

**The City of St. George Presents...Judge Jackson
Monday Sept.3, 2007 - 7:30 PM • Vernon Worthen Park - 300 South 400 East, St. George**

This Los Angeles based group formed in the summer of '95 when Guitarist Lee Jackson, Singer Todd McTavish and Bassist Ryan Rogers met through a mutual musician friend. They immediately bonded and discovered a strong musical chemistry between them, thus Judge Jackson was born! In less than 2 years of forming, the band produced 2 CD's independently and developed a hard core following on the West Coast. After a few years of performing regionally, the band started writing songs for the next recording. In 2003, One Diamond was completed and instantly became a fan favorite with many. At years end, One Diamond collected several awards including "Best CD of the Year" and "Song of the Year" for the opening track "King" at the All Access Magazine Music Awards. During 2004, the band focused on writing songs and worked to develop a business plan to help them maximize opportunities in an ever-changing music industry. As changes transpired and the dust finally settled, Drummer J.J. Garcia joined the fold permanently. Judge Jackson, now solidified and revitalized, was ready to take the band to another level!

The St. George Rec Center: A Hub of Opportunities

Over the years, St. George residents have seen evidence of growth in population, expansion of building and an increase of leisure opportunities. In 1995, the City of St. George opened the doors to its first Recreation Center. The converted armory has served as the hub of registration for many City sponsored events and leagues, a safe haven for families and youth to play, and a clean and friendly facility for residents to participate in various fitness programs.

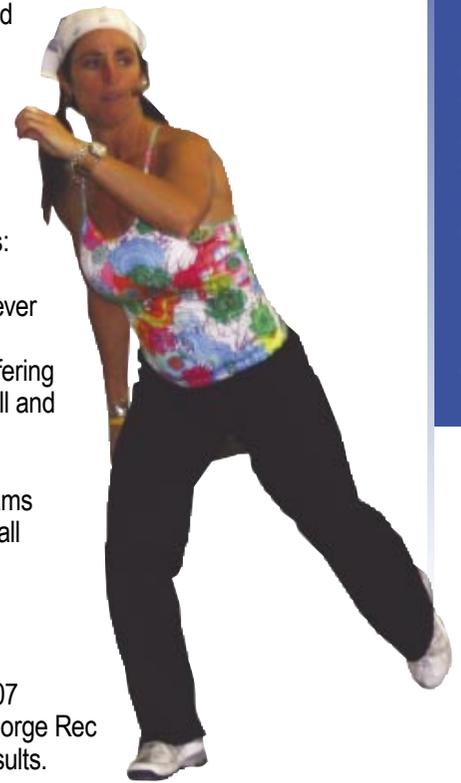
The St. George Rec Center has offered multiple types of classes and programs throughout its existence and is evolving to meet the needs and demands of the community. The Recreation Center, in the past few years, has expanded its cardio room to include more exercise equipment for the growing number of patrons. In order to entice those who utilize the cardio and weight room, the Recreation Center has a program running throughout the summer entitled "Get Fit Summer Challenge". This program is

designed to encourage participation and will reward top fitness room users with fabulous prizes as well as contributing to the participant's overall health.

The Recreation Center is also offering new fitness opportunities for various age groups with the following programs: Sunrise to Sunset Cycling Challenge, Mommy and Me: Fitness and Fun, Forever Fit, Little Rollers Tumbling, and Acro-Gymnastics. The Center will be also offering more special events including dodgeball and racquetball tournaments in the future.

For more details on classes and programs offered at the St. George Rec Center call 627-4560 or visit us in person at 285 South and 400 East.

You may also visit our web site at www.sgcityrec.org to download our 2007 Summer Aerobic Schedule. The St. George Rec Center is where real people get real results.



Little Rollers Tumbling

FOR CHILDREN AGES 2-5

Flexibility

BALANCE

ROLLS

Leaps

Cartwheels

FUN!

Registration deadline is Friday, September 7 at 5:00 P.M. or when sessions are full – **only 10 students per session**. Register at the St. George Recreation Center or online at www.activityreg.com. Fee is \$20.00 per student per session. Classes run for four (4) weeks beginning September 11 for Tuesdays session and September 13 for Thursdays session. Classes are from 9:15 to 10:15 A.M. at the St. George Recreation Center.



FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 627-4560

SUNRISE TO SUNSET CYCLE CHALLENGE

Mondays–Fridays • July 2-31, 2007



Spin to fitness and awesome summer prizes by participating in cycling classes at the St. George Recreation Center.

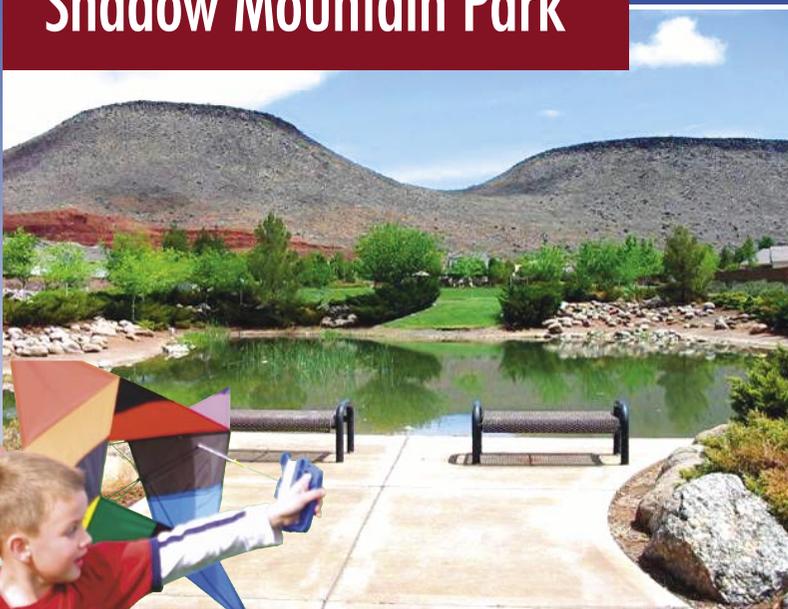
Participate in class = 1 punch
Bring a friend (1st time) = 2 punches

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 627-4560

Visit www.sgcityrec.org for the 2007 Summer Aerobic Class Schedule. Fee is \$3.00 per cycling class. Passes are accepted.

Shadow Mountain Park

parks info



Neighborhood Parks are one of the advantages of living in St. George. The City Council and City staff are committed to provide parks which are close to home. One of the nicest and most versatile neighborhood parks is Shadow Mountain Park located at 360 North 1050 West.

Shadow Mountain Park may go unnoticed because most of it cannot be seen from the street. A small parking lot is accessible on 1050 West. The path from the parking lot leads to the playground. It has four different kinds of slides, lots of features to climb on and a nice soft landing surface.

The curious looking concrete circle next to the playground is not from an alien space ship. It is for a splash pad that is scheduled to be installed later this year.

The newest feature is the restroom facility that was just completed by the parks technical crew. It is a block



building with beautiful wooden columns and two private restrooms.

For the sports enthusiast there is a sand volleyball court and basketball court. The large turf area is a perfect place to throw a frisbee or kick around a soccer ball. After a hard game of frisbee you can sit under the large shade shelter at one of the six picnic tables and have a nice lunch.



Located at the west end of the park is a secluded pond that can be found by walking on the paved path which meanders around the park's perimeter. Sit on one of the benches next to the pond and enjoy the serene landscape. The park is home for over 160 trees and over 600 shrubs which include a wide variety of deciduous and evergreen plants.

Please take advantage of this small, but beautiful park that has something for everyone.



Primetime Performers

After taking her dancers all around the world, from China to the Bahamas, the director of Primetime Performers Dance Team, Ilene Hacker announced her retirement on the steps of the historic Tabernacle on March 21st. Hacker founded the dance team with only 35 dancers in January of 1980. Hacker summoned all of her dancers together to make that announcement of her retirement.



Patrick to Hacker and her dancers following the parade where they marched through the streets with a professional bagpipe band. The dancers also performed in Dublin at a children's hospital and on Grafton Street. The group toured Ireland for 10 days visiting historic sites, the Waterford Crystal Factory, Blarney Woolen Mills, and Cathedrals, kissing the Blarney Stone and eating a feast in an historic castle.

Hackers Primetime Performers who's average age for the group is 68 recently returned from a successful performing tour of Ireland where they earned the overall first place award in the St. Patrick's Day Parade. The Lord Mayor of Killarney, Ireland presented a bronze statue of St.

The Primetime Performers class is offered through Community Education. Anyone, 20 and older can join during sign-ups in August. Call Community Education for more information 652-7675.

START SMART FOOTBALL

For Boys & Girls 3-5 years old

**FIVE SATURDAYS
YOU & YOUR CHILD
BEGINNING OCT. 20**

*Prepare your child for
successful youth sport
participation.*

Register today at the
St. George Recreation
Center or online at
www.activityreg.com.
Call **627-4560** for
more information.

**** PARENT ATTENDANCE AND PARTICIPATION IS REQUIRED ****

Fee for this program is \$20.00 per youth which includes program t-shirt, certificate and participation award. Registration Deadline is October 19 at 5:00 P.M. The program will run Saturdays from October 20 to November 17 and will be held at the St. George Recreation Center and Vernon Worthen Park 3:00 to 4:00 P.M.

Curiosity Club

Discovering a fascinating world

An exciting program designed
to encourage youngsters,
4-5 years old, to explore their world
— to ask why, what and how!

Tuesdays 10:30-11:30 A.M.
August 14, 21, 28 & September 4
at the Tonaquint Nature Center
Call **627-4560** for more information

Registration deadline is Friday, August 10 at 5:00 p.m.
Fee is \$20.00. Register at the St. George Recreation
Center or online at www.activityreg.com. The Tonaquint
Nature Center is located at 1851 S. Dixie Drive.

PaintAmerica "Top 100" Show Makes Final Appearance

PaintAmerica, a national, non-profit organization to support and promote the visual arts, has announced that the **ST. GEORGE ART MUSEUM** will host the final stop of the 2006 PaintAmerica Top 100 Exhibition. The Exhibit will be shown at St. George Museum, 47 East 200 North in St. George, Utah from July 21st to September 22nd. The show features a selection of paintings from the 2006 PaintAmerica Top 100 competition, one of the richest national artists' competitions in prize money and purchase awards. Also included in the exhibit are selections from the "Mini Top 50", a special exhibit for paintings of 180 square inches or less.



Photo by Robert Lefkow

of entries submitted nationwide by a jury panel of three nationally recognized artists. In addition to Chapin and Fortunato's work, a number of nationally known artists will be shown, including Frank LaLumia, Dino Paravano, Marion Hylton, Eva Van Rijn, Julie Houck, Deian Moore, Ray Brown and Joseph Yarnell. Many artists from the southwest are also included in the exhibit.

PaintAmerica was established to support and promote the arts, with a goal of providing scholarship opportunities for young artists, as well as providing a premiere, national venue for local and regional artists to showcase their talent. "The Top 100 Competition format not only rewards artists with great potential for sales of

The Top 100 show features the Grand Prize painting by Deborah Chapin entitled "Indian Summer". It depicts the Chesapeake Bay area wetlands. The Mini Top 50 Grand Prize winner is a painting by Illinois artist Nancy Fortunato titled "Near Otter Point - Acadia", which depicts the crashing surf near Acadia National Park in Maine. These paintings were chosen from hundreds

of their work, it also encourages them with recognition and awareness through the traveling gallery exhibits," stated Seel. "Showcasing the beauty and qualities of America as seen through the eyes of its artists is another benefit of the program."

For more information about Paint America go to <http://sgartmuseum.org> or www.PaintAmerica.org.

Exhibit & Event Schedule

Last Chance to See These Exhibits - Ends July 7

Main Gallery Exhibit	Visual Arts Association
Care For Art	Linens
Mezzanine Gallery Exhibit	Roland Lee's Canyon Country Paintings
	Glen Blakely Pottery
Legacy Gallery Exhibit	Permanent Collection-Gems: Flowers & Fish

Closed for installation from July 8 - 21

July 21 - September 22 - New Exhibits

Main Gallery Exhibit	PaintAmerica Top 100
Care For Art	Wood
Mezzanine Gallery Exhibit	PaintAmerica Top 100
Legacy Gallery Exhibit	Permanent Collection-Discovery: Recent Gifts & Acquisitions

Free Art Conversations Every 3rd Tuesday
August 21st & Sept. 18th at 7:00pm

October 19 & 20, For the Love of Art Home Tour Fundraiser



*"The Museum Connects
with our Community"*

Open Mon – Sat 10am to 5pm
Free Every 3rd Tuesday

Website: www.sgartmuseum.org
E-Mail: museum@sgcity.org
Phone: 435.627.4525

Admission Fees:

Adults \$2
Ages 3-11 \$1
Under 3 Free

We the People of the
more domestic Tranquility, provide for the common Defense,

*City of
St. George*

INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

Wednesday, July 4, 2007

7:30 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Admission is FREE for Park Activities and Fireworks
Breakfast is \$5.00/adult and \$3.00/child (12 & under)

Start your holiday off with an All-American Breakfast at Vernon Worthen Park from 7:30-10:00 A.M. Then spend some quality time beginning at 9:00 A.M. with your kids and grandkids at the Park. There will be music, food booths, face painting, a home run derby, watermelon seed spitting, golf chipping contests, the famous 100 foot slip-n-slide, and so much more to do! Top off the day by enjoying the musical talent at the St. George Ford/Country Showdown at 8:00 P.M. followed by the spectacular fireworks display at approximately 10:00 P.M.



FOR MORE
INFORMATION GO TO:
WWW.SGCITYREC.ORG
OR CALL (435)627-4560



CALENDAR of EVENTS

- Recreation Programs
- Art Museum Programs

- City Programs
- Golf Programs

- 👶 Activities for Kids
- ☀️ Activities for Families



- ☀️ Sunsational Days of Summer
- 🇺🇸 4th of July Activities

July Events

■ **St. George Art Museum Exhibits** ☀️
Date: Ends July 7, 2007
Hours: Mon. - Sat. 10am-5pm
Fee: Adults - \$2, Children - \$1
Description: Last chance to see Roland Lee's Canyon Country Paintings, Glen Blakely Pottery, and more.
Location: St George Art Museum
Contact: (435)627-4525

■ **Start Smart Football** 👶
Date: October 20, 2007 (5 weeks)
Time: 3:00 pm
Fee: \$20/youth (includes t-shirt, certificate and participation award)
Description: Registration is now open for Start Smart Football. Start Smart is a great program for parents to spend time with their children and help them prepare for future participation in youth sports. This is a parent/child program for boys and girls ages 3-5 years old. Parents are required to attend and participate in each class. Registration deadline is October 19, 2007 at 5pm.
Location: St George Rec Center (first class) & Vernon Worthen Park
Register: St. George Rec Center or on-line at www.activityreg.com
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Concert in the Park - Michael John** ☀️
Date: July 2, 2007
Pre-Concert Activities: 6:00 - 7:30pm
Concert Begins: 7:30pm
Description: Park seating is available, bring blankets, lawn chairs, food and the family and enjoy Michael John, who not only has the look of Billy Joel but he can play the piano, sing and entertain with the same intensity and passion.
Location: Centennial Park, 301 N. 2200 E.
Contact: (435)627-4525

■ **Sunrise to Sunset Cycle Challenge**
Date: July 2-31, 2007 (Mondays thru Fridays)
Time: 6:00 am- 6:30 pm (times depend on class schedule)
Fee: \$3.00 per cycling class. Passes accepted.
Location: St. George Rec Center

Description: Be part of the Sunrise to Sunset Cycle Challenge at the St. George Rec Center starting July 2, 2007. Each time you attend and participate in one of our cycling classes, you will receive 1 punch towards awesome prizes. If you bring a friend for his/her first time you will get an extra 2 punches. Visit www.sgcityrec.org for the 2007 Summer Aerobic Class schedule.
Contact: St. George Rec Center (435)627-4560

■ **Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Summer Learn to Swim Program - Session 3** 👶
Date: July 2-12, 2007 (Monday thru Thursday)
Time: 5:00- 5:45 pm and 5:45-6:30 pm
Fee: \$22/youth
Description: Swim levels 1 thru 6 will be taught (including Parent-Tot level). Registration deadline is Fri June 29, 2007. No classes on July 4, 2007.
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive
Contact: (435)627-4585

■ **Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Guard Start Program-Session 2** 👶
Date: July 2-26, 2007
Time: 9:00 am- 1:00 pm
Fee: \$45/participant
Age: 10-15 years old
Description: This aquatic based program will teach youth the importance of water safety, along with the duties and responsibilities of being a certified lifeguard. Each participant will gain a solid foundation of knowledge, skills, attitudes to prep them for future lifeguarding training. This program is NOT a Red Cross Lifeguarding Certification class.
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive
Registration: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive.
Contact: (435)627-4585

■ **Rock'n on Main Street 4th of July 2007** 🇺🇸
Sponsored by: SunFirst Bank, The City of St. George and The Downtown Merchants
Date: July 4, 2007
Time: 4:00pm until the Fireworks!
Fundraiser: Proceeds from this event will be donated to The Learning Center for Children

Description: Vintage Car Show, Fabulous Food Booths, Art and Crafts, Continuous Entertainment, Kiddie-Rides, Games, Hoola-Hoop & Sock-Hop Contest. The Celebration will kick off at 4:00 PM with The Grand Flag Raising Ceremony featuring Mayor Dan McArthur and the "Mormon Battalion." The Day will continue with Fantastic Performances from local talents including "Diamond Talent, Polynesian Dancing Girls, Color Country Chorus along many others. There will be fun and food for all - with Hoola-Hoop, Sock-Hop and Pie Eating Contests along with Kiddie-Rides throughout the day. The evening will culminate with the highlight of our "Rock'n on Main Street Event" with our own local "Rok Dox" opening for the authentic "B.B. Drifters" from the Fabulous Fifties! Don't miss the fun! Travel back in time with SunFirst Bank and the Downtown Merchants on Main Street... come on down at 4:00, dress up in your favorite 50's attire and plan on spending the evening "Rock'n on Main Street," Eating, Dancing, Playing and having the time of your life as we celebrate our Nation's Birthday in Fabulous Fifties Style! FREE Evening Concert With "The Drifters" & "The Rok Dox"
Location: Main St. between Tabernacle & Blvd.
Contact: Go to www.raddowntown.com for additional information (View and Print... This site will be updated before any ads will be published) If you would like to be a Vendor in this Event, please contact Julie at BrushfirePotteryjulieb@infowest.com.

■ **City of St. George Independence Day Celebration** 🇺🇸
Date: July 4, 2007
Time: 7:30 am- 10:00 pm
Fee: Breakfast: \$5/Adult & \$3/Child, Fireworks & Park Activities: FREE
Description: Start your holiday weekend off with a home cooked breakfast at Vernon Worthen Park from 7:30-10:00 am for only \$5.00 per adult and \$3.00 per child (12 & Under). Then spend some quality time beginning at 9:00 am with your kids and grandkids at the Park. There will be music, food booths, face painting, a home run derby, watermelon seed spitting and golf chipping contests and so much more to do! Finish off the day by listening to the musical talent at the St. George Ford/Country Showdown at 8:00 pm. The spectacular firework display will then begin at approximately 10:00 pm.
Location: Vernon Worthen Park, 300 E 300 S
Contact: St. George Rec Center (435)627-4560

■ **2007 Academy Sports Heat Stroker- Men's and Women's Slow Pitch Tournament**

Date: July 6-7, 2007 (Friday & Saturday)
Time: Friday 5:00 pm start time and goes throughout the early morning hours of Saturday. Play resumes on Saturday afternoon and runs to completion.

Fee: \$280.00 per team

Description: Men's C, D & E and Women's C & D Slow Pitch team tournament.

Registration deadline is June 22, 2007 or until tournament is full.

Place: Canyons Softball Complex
1890 West 2000 North

Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Tweety Birds- Session One**

Date: July 9-12, 2007 (Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:00 am- 12:00 Noon

Fee: \$35.00 per camper

Description: Nature day camp program filled with nature-themed arts, crafts, games and learning sessions

Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or go to www.activityreg.com.

Registration deadline is July 6, 2007 @ 6pm or until full.

Place: Tonaquint Nature Center
1851 S. Dixie Drive, St George UT

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Dive-In Movie at St. George City Pool**

Date: July 9, 2007 (Monday)

Time: 8:00 pm

Fee: Regular pool admission

Description: What a great and unique way to spend time a summer evening with friends or family! The staff at the St. George City Pool will be presenting "Ice Age 2" for their feature film in July.

Place: St. George City Pool 250 E 700 S

Contact: (435)627-4584

■ **Adult USA Tennis 1-2-3**

Date: July 9 and 11, 2007 (5 weeks)

Time: Mondays- 8:00 am Intermediate level;
Wednesdays- 8:00 am Beginner

Fee: \$6.00 (per lesson)

Location: Tonaquint Park Tennis Courts

Description: Sponsored by USTA, these sessions will begin the week of Mon, July 9th for 5 weeks.

Registration: St George Recreation Center

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Hot Shot Tennis**

Date: Tuesday, July 10 and/or

Thursday, July 12, 2007 (5 weeks)

Time: 10:00 am

Fee: Free

Location: Tonaquint Park Tennis Courts

Description: Sponsored by the USTA, this program is for all children ages 5-8 that have never played tennis. The program will be taught at a very introductory level with focus on hand-eye coordination activities as well as basic tennis fundamentals. Tennis racquets will be provided. Children can attend one or both sessions for the week.

Registration: St George Recreation Center

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Junior USA Tennis 1-2-3**

Date: Tuesday, July 10, 2007 (5 weeks) &

Thursday, July 12, 2007 (5 weeks)

Time: Tuesdays - 8:00 am Intermediate level;

9:00 am Beginner level

Thursdays - 8:00 am Intermediate level;

9:00 am Beginner level

Fee: \$22.50 for 5 weeks

Location: Tonaquint Park Tennis Courts

Description: Sponsored by USTA, these sessions will begin the week of Mon, July 9th for 5 weeks.

Registration: St George Recreation Center

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Free Day at the Dino Museum**

Date: July 12, 2007

Time: 2:00 - 5:00 pm

Description: Come enjoy a free day at the Dinosaur Museum with the whole family!

Location: Dino Museum, 2180 E. Riverside Dr.

Contact: (435)547-DINO

■ **St George City Pool Belly-Flop Contest**

Date: July 14, 2007 (Saturday)

Time: 1:00-3:00 pm

Fee: Regular pool admission

Description: It is your chance to show off your skills at the St George City Pool's Belly Flop Contest.

Place: St George City Pool 700 S 250 E

St George UT

Contact: (435)627-4584

■ **Acro Gymnastics/Tumbling Class**

Date: July 14-August 18, 2007 (Saturdays)

Time: 9:00am - Beginner

10:00am - Intermediate

11:00am - Advanced

Age: 5 & older for Beginner

7 & Older for Intermediate

9 & Older for Advanced

Fee: \$30/student (5 weeks)

Enrollment: 30 max per session

Location: St. George Rec Center

Description: Teresa Hill-Putman will be teaching students how to develop flexibility, balance, coordination, muscle strength, and tumbling skills. Some skills taught include rolls, cartwheels, walkovers, handsprings and much more! Students must have instructor approval to enroll for the Advance division class.

Register: St. George Rec, 400 E 285 S or online at www.activityreg.com.

Contact: St. George Rec Center

(435)627-4560 or Teresa (435)628-8550

■ **Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Summer Learn to Swim Program- Session 4**

Date: July 16-26, 2007 (Monday -Thursday)

Time: 5:00- 5:45 pm and 5:45-6:30 pm

Fee: \$22/youth

Description: Swim levels 1 thru 6 will be taught (including Parent-Tot level). Registration deadline is Friday, July 13, 2007. No classes on July 24, 2007.

Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,

1144 N. Lava Flow Drive

Contact: (435)627-4585

■ **Tweety Birds- Session Two**

Date: July 16-19, 2007 (Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:00 am- 12:00 Noon

Fee: \$35.00 per camper

Description: Nature day camp program filled with nature-themed arts, crafts, games and learning sessions.

Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or go to www.activityreg.com. Registration deadline is July 13, 2007 @ 6pm or until full.

Place: Tonaquint Nature Center

1851 S. Dixie Drive St George UT

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Dive-In Movie "Charlotte's Web"**

Date: Monday, July 16, 2007

Time: 9:00 pm

Fee: Regular pool admission

Description: What a great and unique way to spend time a summer evening with friends or family! The staff at the SHAC will be presenting "Charlotte's Web" for their feature film in July.

Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,

1144 N Lava Flow Drive

Contact: (435)627-4585

■ **St. George Art Museum Exhibits**

Date: July 21- September 22, 2007

Hours: Mon. - Sat. 10am-5pm

Fee: Adults - \$2, Children - \$1

Description: Come see the final exhibit showing the PaintAmerica Top 100.

Free: Art Conversations on August 21st and September 18th.

Location: St George Art Museum

Contact: (435)627-4525

■ **It's All In The Container**

Date: July 21, 2007 (Saturday)

Time: 10:00-11:00 am

Fee: FREE

Description: From patios to large yards, learn how you can color your green thumb and add more space and visual interest using containers. Techniques will be taught on care for potted plants and minimizing water use. Instruction can be applied to vegetable, perennial or ornamental plants. Space is limited! Call Julie to reserve your spot.

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center

1851 S. Dixie Drive

Contact: Julie (435)673-3617

■ **Senior Men's 3-on-3 Basketball League Registration**

Fee: \$150 per team

Description: Registration opens July 23, 2007 for Fall basketball league play. Games will begin in August. Players must be 49 years of age or older to be eligible.

Location: TBA

Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at

(435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Adult Men's 35 and Older Basketball League Registration**

Fee: \$300 per team

Description: Registration opens July 23, 2007 for Fall basketball league play. Games will begin in September.

Location: TBA
Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Adult Women's Basketball League Registration**

Fee: \$300 per team
Description: Is now open for Fall basketball league play. Games will begin in September.
Location: TBA
Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Busy Bee- Session One** 

Date: July 25-27, 2007 (Wednesday-Friday)
Time: 9:00 am- 12:00 Noon
Fee: \$30.00 per camper
Description: Nature day camp program filled with nature-themed arts, crafts, games and learning sessions.
Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or go to www.activityreg.com. Registration deadline is July 20, 2007 @ 6pm or until full.
Place: Tonaquint Nature Center
1851 S Dixie Drive St George UT
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Tweety Birds- Session Three** 

Date: July 30-August 2, 2007 (Monday-Thursday)
Time: 9:00 am- 12:00 Noon
Fee: \$35.00 per camper
Description: Nature day camp program filled with nature-themed arts, crafts, games and learning sessions.
Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or go to www.activityreg.com. Registration deadline is July 27, 2007 @ 6pm or until full.
Place: Tonaquint Nature Center
1851 S. Dixie Drive St George UT
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Summer Learn to Swim Program- Session 5** 

Date: July 30-August 2, 2007 (Monday thru Thursday)
Time: 5:00- 5:45 pm and 5:45-6:30 pm
Fee: \$25/youth
Description: Swim levels 1 thru 6 will be taught (including Parent-Tot level). Registration deadline is Friday, July 27, 2007.
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Contact: (435)627-4585

August Events

■ **Youth Flag Football League Registration** 

Fee: \$20/youth
Description: Registration is open for youth flag football league play. The league is open for children 2nd thru 6th grade. Games will begin in September. Registration deadline is Friday, August 17, 2007 at 5:00 pm.

Location: TBA
Register: St. George Rec Center at or www.activityreg.com
Contact: (435)634-5860

■ **Start Smart Football** 

Date: October 20, 2007 (5 weeks)
Time: 3:00 pm
Fee: \$20/youth (includes t-shirt, certificate and participation award)
Description: Registration is now open for Start Smart Football. Start Smart is a great program for parents to spend time with their children and help them prepare for future participation in youth sports. This is a parent/child program for boys and girls ages 3-5 years old. Parents are required to attend and participate in each class. Registration deadline is October 19, 2007 at 5pm.
Location: St. George Rec Center (first class) & Vernon Worthen Park
Register: St. George Rec Center or on-line at www.activityreg.com
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Adult Men's 35 and Older Basketball League Registration**

Fee: \$300 per team
Description: Registration is now open for Fall basketball league play. Games will begin in September. Registration deadline is Friday, August 24, 2007 at 5:00 pm.
Location: TBA
Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Adult Women's Basketball League Registration**

Fee: \$300 per team
Description: Registration opens July 23, 2007 for Fall basketball league play. Games will begin in September. Registration deadline is Friday, August 24, 2007 @ 5 pm.
Location: TBA
Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Senior Men's 3-on-3 Basketball League Registration**

Fee: \$150 per team
Description: Games will begin in August. Players must be 49 years of age or older to be eligible. Registration deadline is Friday, August 3, 2007 at 5 pm.
Location: TBA
Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **2007 Co-Ed Heat Stroker Slow Pitch**

Date: August 3-4, 2007 (Friday & Saturday)
Time: Friday 5:00 pm start time and goes throughout the early morning hours of Saturday to completion.
Fee: \$280.00 per team
Description: Co-Ed slow pitch tournament. Registration deadline is July 20, 2007 or until tournament is full.

Place: Canyons Softball Complex
1890 W. 2000 N.
Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Penny Carnival** 

Time: 1:00-3:00 pm
Date: August 6, 2007 (Monday)
Fee: Regular admission prices
Description: Do you want to play games, win prizes all the while splashing around in the SHAC? Join the staff at the SHAC for this fun filled afternoon.
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Contact: (435)627-4585

■ **Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Dive-In Movie "Night at the Museum"** 

Date: August 6, 2007 (Monday)
Time: 9:00 pm
Fee: Regular pool admission
Description: What a great and unique way to spend time a summer evening with friends or family! The staff at the SHAC will be presenting "Night at the Museum" for their feature film in August.
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Contact: (435)627-4585

■ **Curiosity Club Registration** 

Date: August 14, 21, 28 & September 4, 2007
Time: 10:30-11:30 am
Fee: \$20/child (4 classes)
Age: 4-5 years old
Description: This 4-week program is designed to encourage your youngster to ask why, what and how. Each week a new topic will be introduced. The club will meet on Tuesday mornings for 4 weeks.
Location: Tonaquint Nature Center
1851 S. Dixie Drive
Register: St George Recreation Center or www.activityreg.com. Registration deadline is Friday, August 6, 2007 at 5:00pm.
Contact: (435)627-4560

■ **FUNtastic Family Fair**  

Date: August 18, 2007 (Saturday)
Time: 10:00 am-1:00 pm
Fee: FREE General Admission
Description: Gather your whole family for a FUNtastic day at Worthen Park. The event will feature Family Olympics at the park, big rigs for the kids to explore, along with food and games for the whole family. Don't miss this end of summer send-off event.
Location: Vernon Worthen City Park
300 E. 300 S. St George UT
Contact: St. George Rec Center
(435)627-4560

■ Fall Into Vegetable Gardening

Date: August 18, 2007 (Saturday)

Time: 10:00-11:00 am

Fee: FREE

Description: One of the benefits of living in Southern Utah is the long growing season. Learn how to make this climate work for you and your vegetables.

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center
1851 S. Dixie Drive

Contact: Julie (435)673-3617

■ Adult Men's Flag Football League Registration

Fee: \$300.00 per team

Description: Registration opens Wednesday, August 22, 2007 for Fall flag football league play. Games will begin in October. Deadline is Friday, September 21, 2007 @ 5 pm.

Location: TBA

Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Adidas Futures Invitational National Camp

Date: August 24-26, 2007 (Friday-Sunday)

Time: TBA

Description: Girl's fast pitch camp for the top 100 high school players in the USA.

Place: Canyons Softball Complex
1890 W. 2000 N.

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Adidas Men's Slow Pitch Series National Championships

Date: August 31- September 1, 2007 (Friday & Saturday)

Time: Friday 6:00 pm tournament start time. Games resume on Saturday morning.

Fee: \$300.00 per team

Description: Men's C, D & E Slow Pitch team tournament. Registration deadline is August 17, 2007 or until tournament is full.

Place: Canyons Softball Complex
1890 W. 2000 N.

Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com

Contact: (435)627-4560

September Events

■ Youth Basketball League Registration

Sign-Up: Registration opens Tuesday, September 4, 2007 for grades 3-9th. Registration deadline is November 13, 2007.

Fee: \$20.00 per child

League Info: Games begin in December. Standard Blue & Gold reversible jerseys are required and can be purchased at the Recreation Center for \$10 each.

Register: St. George Rec Center or on-line at www.activityreg.com.

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Start Smart Football

Date: October 20, 2007 (5 weeks)

Time: 3:00 pm

Fee: \$20/youth (includes t-shirt, certificate and participation award)

Description: Registration is now open for Start Smart Football. Start Smart is a great program for parents to spend time with their children and help them prepare for future participation in youth sports. This is a parent/child program for boys and girls ages 3-5 years old. Parents are required to attend and participate in each class. Registration deadline is October 19, 2007 at 5pm.

Location: St. George Rec Center (first class) & Vernon Worthen Park

Register: St. George Rec Center or on-line at www.activityreg.com

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Junior USA Tennis 1-2-3

Date: Tuesday, September 4, 2007 (5 weeks)

& Thursday, September 6, 2007 (5 weeks)

Time: Tuesdays- 4:30 pm Beginner level;

6:15 pm Intermediate level

Thursdays- 4:30 pm Intermediate level;

6:15 pm Beginner level

Fee: \$22.50 for 5 weeks

Location: Tonaquint Park Tennis Courts

Description: Sponsored by the USTA, these sessions will begin the week of Tuesday, September 4, 2007 for 5 weeks.

Registration: St George Recreation Center

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Hot Shots Tennis

Date: Tuesday, September 4 and/or Thursday, September 6, 2007 (5 weeks)

Time: 5:30 pm

Fee: Free

Location: Tonaquint Park Tennis Courts

Description: Sponsored by the USTA, this program is for all children ages 5-8 that have never played tennis. The program will be taught at a very introductory level with focus on hand-eye coordination activities as well as basic tennis fundamentals. Tennis racquets will be provided. Children can attend one or both sessions for the week.

Registration: St George Recreation Center

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Summer Send-Off Tournament

Date: September 7-8, 2007 (Friday & Saturday)

Time: Friday 5:00pm tournament start time. Games resume play on Saturday morning.

Fee: \$325.00 per team

Description: Girl's fast pitch tournament for divisions 10, 12, 14 and 16 & Under teams. Registration deadline is August 24, 2007 or until tournament is full.

Place: Canyons Softball Complex
1890 W. 2000 N.

Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com.

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Acro Gymnastics/Tumbling Class

Date: September 8- October 27, 2007

(Saturdays)

Time: 9:00am Beginner

10:00am Intermediate

11:00am Advanced

Age: 5 & older for Beginner

7 & Older for Intermediate

9 & Older for Advanced

Fee: \$36/student (6 weeks)

Enrollment: 30 max per session

Location: St. George Rec Center

Description: Teresa Hill-Putman will be teaching students how to develop flexibility, balance, coordination, muscle strength, and tumbling skills. Some skills taught include rolls, cartwheels, walkovers, handsprings and much more! Students must have instructor approval to enroll for the Advance division class.

Registration: St. George Recreation Center or on-line at www.activityreg.com.

Contact: St. George Rec Center (435)627-4560 or Teresa (435)628-8550

■ Fall Tuff Family Triathlon

Date: Saturday, September 8, 2007

Time: 9:00 am start time;

8:00 am Check-In on Saturday

Fee: \$30/team (3 participants)

Description: Dads, Moms, Grandparents, Aunts and Uncles now can participate with the kids in this new triathlon! The event is designed to emphasize kids and adults getting active, not competing. Each participant receives a finisher medal and a free lunch. Packets can be picked up on Friday, September 7 from 1:00-8:00 pm at the St. George Rec Center. Participants are required to check-in 20/30 minutes PRIOR to their start time on Saturday morning. Biking participants are required to have his/her own bike and bike helmet. Swimming participants are required to wear a swimsuit and running participants are required to wear athletic shoes. Youth participants must be at least 7 years of age. Registration deadline is Wednesday, Sept. 5th at 5:00pm

Divisions: Category A: 2 Adults and 1 Child

(400 meter Swim, 10 mile Bike, 3 mile Run)

Category B: 1 Adult and 2 Children

(200 meter Swim, 5 mile Bike, 1.5 mile Run)

Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N. Lava Flow Drive

Registration: St. George Recreation Center or on-line at www.activityreg.com.

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Adult USA Tennis 1-2-3

Date: September 10, 2007 (4 weeks) &

September 12, 2007 (4 weeks)

Time: Mondays- 9:00 am Intermediate level;

Wednesdays- 9:00 am Beginner

Fee: \$6.00 (per lesson)

Location: Tonaquint Park Tennis Courts

Description: Sponsored by the USTA, these sessions will begin the week of Monday, September 10, 2007 for 4 weeks.

Registration: St George Recreation Center

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Little Rollers Tumbling 🙌

Date: September 11, 2007 (Tuesdays) or

September 13, 2007 (Thursdays)

Time: 9:15-10:15 am

Age: 2-5 years

Fee: \$20/student (4 weeks) per session

Enrollment: 10 max per session

Location: St. George Rec Center

Description: This class will teach children how to tumble and roll. The class focus will be on flexibility, balance, rolls, leaps, cartwheels and mostly importantly fun! Registration deadline is Friday, September 7, 2007 at 5pm.

Registration: St. George Recreation Center or on-line at www.activityreg.com.

Contact: St. George Rec Center (435)627-4560

■ St. George Fall Fever

Date: September 14-15, 2007

(Friday & Saturday)

Time: Friday 6:00 pm tournament start time.

Games resume play on Saturday morning.

Fee: \$280.00 per team

Description: Men's C, D & E Slow Pitch team tournament. Registration deadline is August 31, 2007 or until tournament is full.

Place: Canyons Softball Complex
1890 W. 2000 N.

Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com.

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Sk8 Board Competition 🙌

Date: September 15, 2007 (Saturday)

Time: 8:00-8:45 am

Check-in & Day-of-Registration

9:00 am Competition begins

Fee: \$10 pre-registration;

\$15 day-of-registration

Description: Each skater will have two runs, each run lasting 45 seconds. The five highest scores will advance to the final round. There will be music, drawings for prizes, food and drinks. All participants are required to wear a helmet. The competition is sponsored by the City of St. George Recreation Division. Pre-registration deadline is Friday, September 7, 2007 at 5:00 pm.

Divisions: Novice, Beginner, Intermediate and Open

Location: St. George Skate Board Park

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Getting Your Grass Into Gear

Date: September 15, 2007 (Saturday)

Time: 10:00-11:00 am

Fee: FREE

Description: Is your lawn tired? Fall is the best time to repair, replant and rejuvenate your lawn. Come learn the best varieties, fertilizers and maintenance techniques to get your grass growing and keep it healthy.

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center

1851 S. Dixie Drive

Contact: Julie (435)673-3617

■ Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Fall Learn to Swim Program-Session 1 🙌

Date: September 17-27 (Monday-Thursday)

Time: 5:00- 5:45 pm and 5:45-6:30 pm

Fee: \$25/youth

Description: Swim levels 1 thru 6 will be taught (including Parent-Tot level). Registration deadline is Friday, September 14, 2007.

Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N. Lava Flow Drive

Contact: (435)627-4585

■ Adult Men's Flag Football League Registration

Fee: \$300/team

Description: Registration deadline is Friday, September 21, 2007 at 5:00pm for Fall flag football league play. Games will begin in October.

Location: TBA

Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)627-4560 or www.activityreg.com

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Punt, Pass & Kick Competition 🙌

Date: September 24, 2007 (Monday)

Time: 5:00 pm

Fee: FREE

Age: 8-15 years

Description: Pepsi and the San Francisco 49ers co-sponsor this highly popular event for area youth. The competition is open to boys and girls ages 8-15 years old. Ages classification is as of December 31, 2007 and participants must bring a copy of their birth certificate. No cleats are allowed during the competition and the winners will have the chance to compete in San Francisco and get tickets to a 49ers' game.

Location: Bluff Street Park, 700 N 600 W

Contact: (435)627-4560

■ Fall Festival

Date: September 29, 2007 (Saturday)

Time: 10:00 am- Noon

Fee: FREE

Description: Join the staff for garden tours, visit various booths of crafts and garden ideas.

Location: Washington Co. Conservation Garden
1851 S. Dixie Drive

Contact: Julie (435)673-3617

■ St. George Outdoor Volleyball Fall Finale

Date: September 29, 2007 (Saturday)

Time: 9:00 am Pool Play Begins

Fee: \$30/person

Description: Competitive outdoor volleyball tournament for Novice, A, B and Open divisions. Open divisions will be played on the sand courts. Novice, A and B divisions will be played on grass. There will be NO day-of-registration.

Register: Call the St. George Rec Center at (435)634-5860 or go to www.activityreg.com. Registration deadline is Tuesday, September 25 at 5:00 pm. There will be NO day-of-registration.

Location: Vernon Worthen City Park

Contact: (435)627-4560



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RECREATION PROGRAM RECEIVES STATE AWARD

Lil' Detectives, a youth oriented camp, was created by Dawn Eide-Albrecht,

Recreation Coordinator for St. George Leisure Services in 2005. The program recently won the 2006 Utah Recreation and Parks Association's Outstanding Program of the Year award. The Lil' Detectives Camp was originally designed to provide a fun and challenging experience for young children during their school spring break. Children in 1st through 4th grade learn how to look for clues and are challenged to use logic to solve mock cases. This 3-day program involves field trips, games, and individual detective kits for solving mysteries. Lil' Detectives has utilized area professionals' volunteerism in helping make this program more hands-on for the participants' experiences at each year's camp. The Recreation Division is very proud of the success of this program and many other camps and programs offered through the Nature Center.

Congratulations to Dawn on putting together such an excellent program!

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For emergencies please call 911

City Council

Regularly scheduled city council meetings are held on the first and third Thursdays each month starting at 4:00pm at the City Office Building (175 East 200 North) unless otherwise noticed. Work meeting sessions are held on the second, fourth and fifth Thursdays at the same location.

Planning Commission

Regularly scheduled planning commission meetings are held on the second and fourth Tuesdays each month starting at 5:00pm at the City Offices Building unless otherwise noticed.

For more information on city services, contact information, and events please visit the city website at www.sgcity.org.

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