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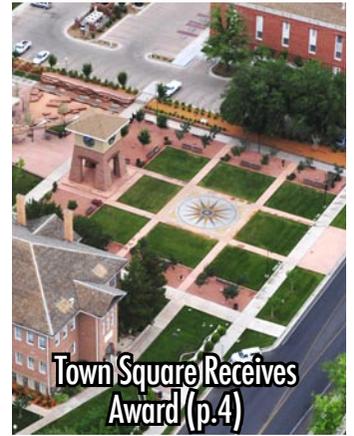


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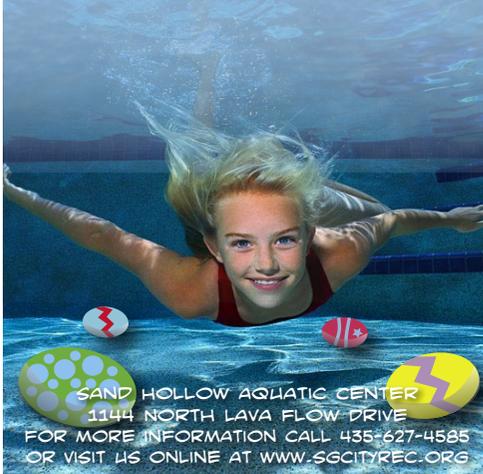
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I am so happy to live here in St. George. Like me, I hope you find that living here is a blessing and that the people, clean air, open space, parks, trails, great health care, clean streets, and natural beauty of our surroundings are some of the many things that make this such a special place to live. A few of these topics are what you are going to find in this issue of "Inside St. George".

We know that times have been tough for all and especially for those who have lost jobs or had their income reduced due to unstable economic circumstances. The City is trying to assist residents in several ways, one of which is through energy conservation and efficiency rebates. We have funds available to assist those who apply and qualify for such programs. Some programs are underutilized and can potentially amount to significant savings for those interested in stretching their dollar while reducing impacts on the environment. In many cases the savings from making small changes covers any associated up-front costs. For more

information on this and other programs offered by the City Water and Energy Services Departments please contact Rene Fleming at 627-4800. We recently completed another Citizens Academy class at the St. George Police Department. For those of you who are unaware, this is an opportunity for citizens in our area to get acquainted with the police department and criminal justice services without having to be in the system. Those who have taken the course give rave reviews and gain a new respect for the men and women who serve in public safety. They also become a great resource to serve as volunteers in our community thereby saving local organizations including the City thousands of dollars on an annual basis. I have heard many volunteers speak of the satisfaction that comes from their selfless service in support of our community.

Another new endeavor the City is launching with the Washington County Water Conservancy District is a community garden located at Tonaquint Park. A master botanist will tend the area and be there to assist and give suggestions on how to properly plant and harvest. In this day and age there is a tremendous opportunity to work together as a community family in learning how to be more self-sufficient. Plots of land and water are available for a small fee and one may also work in an area specifically set aside to provide fresh vegetables and fruits for those in need. In this issue you'll also find updates on upcoming and current projects that are in some stage of planning or construction. As always, I encourage you to make the city web page a place for information on what's going on down south.

Daniel D. McArthur
City of St. George Mayor



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City of St. George Receives the 2010 Heritage Award

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The City of St. George recently received notice that it will be the recipient of the 2010 Heritage Award in the Governmental Agency category for the construction and design of the St. George Town Square from the Utah Heritage Foundation.

Mayor Dan McArthur will formally receive the award on behalf of the City at the 2010 Heritage Awards Luncheon ceremony scheduled for Friday, April 30 in the Banquet Hall of the Salt Lake Masonic Temple. "The Town Square represents not just the heart of St. George but the heart of Dixie! We (the City) had great partners like Washington County, Washington County School District and the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints who shared a similar vision to preserve this area and keep it a gathering place for the community and a place where we can reflect on the tremendous hardships of those who have gone before us," said McArthur.

McArthur and members of the St. George City Council along with city staff firmly believe that the health and economic vitality of a community is best reflected in its downtown, the heart of the city. "Creating a destination while preserving community heritage in the heart of our city was the primary motivation for the improvements," said City Manager, Gary Esplin. He continued, "These

improvements represent the beginning of a bright future for what will always be referred to as historic St. George." The Town Square anchored by historic and new buildings, designed to blend architecturally, gives visitors the feeling that they are taking a brief step back to early 20th century St. George. The new Washington County Library, Washington County School District Administrative Building and the recently completed State of Utah Fifth District Courthouse reflect traditional architecture present during the early settlements in Southwestern Utah.

Cooperation between the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, State of Utah, Washington County, Washington County School District and the City of St. George was paramount in preserving and recreating the beautiful two block area in the core of the St. George Historic District. Funding for the Town Square and Water Walk came from a Redevelopment Agency (RDA) created in the 1980's. Existing RDAs in the State of Utah allow cities to use property tax from a specific geographical area and spend it on improvements within the same area. These monies are earmarked to improve blighted areas through capital expenditures and cannot be used for ongoing maintenance, personnel or to buy equipment. The Brooks Park and Cox Pond were funded through park impact fees paid by new development. The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints decided to use the opportunity to address some landscape and parking lot issues around the historic Tabernacle building as part of the Town Square project in order to maintain a traditional look and feel. The Church agreed to pay for brick pavers in its parking lot to match those at the new county library and redo some concrete and landscaping around the building. Gillies, Stransky, Brems, Smith Architects (GSBS) of Salt Lake City was the architect of the St. George Town Square and improvements around the Tabernacle. Jacobsen Construction of Salt Lake City was the general contractor of construction.

The purpose of the Heritage Awards is to recognize those projects, organizations, agencies, and individuals that exemplify the highest standards within the preservation movement. Utah Heritage Foundation distributes and accepts nominations from December through January for projects. The Governmental Agency category includes professional firms and governmental agencies whose work has furthered the preservation movement in Utah. Firms and agencies may be recognized for a variety of projects undertaken within the past five years, such as: advocacy, infill design in historic districts, and renovation, restoration, and adaptive use designs.

SHAC Summer Swim Lessons

REGISTRATION STARTS MAY 1ST

\$30/YOUTH

SESSION DATES:
 SESSION 1: MAY 31-JUNE 10,
 SESSION 2: JUNE 14-24,
 SESSION 3: JUNE 28-JULY 8,
 SESSION 4: JULY 12-22,
 SESSION 5: JULY 26-AUGUST 5
 (MONDAY THRU THURSDAY-2 WKS)

TIME SLOTS AVAILABLE:
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 10:45AM, 11:30AM,
 5:00PM, 5:45PM

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Advertising Your Yard Sale

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on painted sign or light poles. Even worse are screws, nails and other methods used to attach signs to wooden light poles. These methods actually weaken the pole and can ultimately result in the need to replace the damaged pole, costing upwards of \$800!

Putting signs on stop signs or crosswalk poles can create a dangerous distraction to motorists. The people putting the signs or flyers on these signs also create a dangerous distraction as they sometimes stand in traffic trying to reach the pole or stand on the edge of a car trying to put the sign up high on the pole. Not only do these signs damage property and create potential traffic hazards, but posting signs on city property is illegal. It is also illegal to damage the property of another including City property. Please respect City property. Don't damage it.

Spring has arrived in St. George and with the appearance of blossoms on trees and greening grass many people begin "Spring Cleaning". They clean out the garage, empty out the attic, and clean all the closets. They clean up their yards, plant gardens and plant flowers. Keeping our homes and our yards looking beautiful is a benefit to us all. As you are cleaning, remember to haul off anything that has been discarded in your yard or carport. If you no longer use it (a good rule of thumb is nonuse for over a year) and it is out where your neighbors can see it, it should probably be hauled away. Tree limbs and green waste can be taken to the St. George City Reuse Center at 575 East Brigham Road between 7 AM and 4:30 PM. If you have questions call them at 627-4028. For bulky items, such as old appliances, call Allied Waste at 628-2821 to schedule a Bulky Item pick up. These services are generally free. Don't forget to dispose of those old tires and auto parts that are stacked up or laying around. FYI-the discarded items in your yard or carport, and the weeds and stacks of tree limbs are a violation of city code so please take care of them while you are sprucing up your property.

The City understands that you are going to have yard sales and put up signs. Our goal is to keep a clean, safe community. Please act responsibly and appropriately when advertising for yard sales. You may put signs on your own property. Your neighbor may allow you to put a sign in their yard. A business may allow you to put a sign up on their property. You can even put a box with a rock in it on the edge of the sidewalk as long as it isn't blocking pedestrian traffic or causing a traffic problem, but please remember to pick it up right after your sale. If not, they rip up and blow into the gutters and the neighbor's yards. Be a good neighbor, please remember to pick up your signs when the yard sale is over!



If you have questions feel free to call the Code Enforcement Office and speak to an enforcement officer by calling 627-4450 or 627-4429.

Spring Cleaning often results in yard sales to try and get rid of all the stuff hauled out of the corners of the attic or garage. Yard sales generally involve putting up signs and flyers to advertise the event. Unfortunately these signs and flyers can be a problem in our community. In our sunny, warm climate, tape or other adhesives leave unsightly scars

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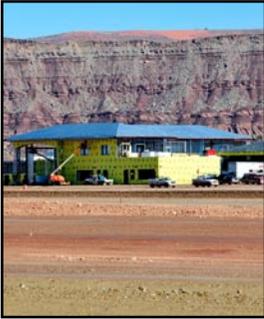
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St. George Airport Update



With a January 2011 grand opening date scheduled for the St. George Replacement Airport, contractors are now laying asphalt on taxiways and surface streets as the airport fire station gets underway along with continued terminal building construction. Although there is still much to do on the project, this winter marked a number of milestones for the airport as public tours of the project allowed hundreds of area residents a firsthand look at construction progress.

At the Washington County Economic Summit earlier this year, hundreds of attendees boarded guided bus tours for a look at the city's largest project in its 148 year history. "Feedback from the tours was extremely positive so much so that we (the city) have decided to plan more tours through the end of the project," said Public Works Director, Larry Bulloch. Councilman Jon Pike added, "The more people we can educate about the new airport the better off we'll all be as a community. You have to see it to really appreciate the fore thought, planning and magnitude of the project. I hope residents will take the opportunity to tour the airport during construction." Subsequent tours have included Dixie State College dignitaries, Washington City officials, Dixie transportation attendees, airport managers association, Washington County Economic Development Council, general public and various business and media representatives. More tours are planned and will be publicly announced this spring and summer.

In late February the City was awarded a \$100,000 Small Community Air Service Development grant from the United States Department of Transportation. St. George was the only city in Utah and one of 19 airports nationwide to receive funding out of the 84 that submitted proposals in August, 2009. The grant is designed to assist underserved airports to improve air service in terms of the cost and availability of such service through marketing and promotion and enhanced utilization of airport facilities. St. George plans to use the funding to create a business plan that will identify business opportunities for the replacement airport from commercial air service to freight related businesses. A marketing plan will also be funded to assist with business recruitment efforts and develop strategies and programs to support current air service and attract new air service.

As runway paving is wraps up in April asphalt crews will shift focus on paving taxiways and ramp areas. The Federal Aviation Administration plans to conduct a survey of the runway this spring followed by approach instrumentation testing by the end of the year. Construction of the General Aviation side of the airport will begin this summer with over 70 hangars slated to be built. This represents nearly all private hangar owners currently leasing land at the existing airport.

YOUTH SOCCER TOURNAMENT

WHEN: FRIDAY - SUNDAY
APRIL 9TH - 11TH



FEE: \$300/TEAM: U9-U11 & UNDER
\$400/TEAM: U12-U18

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Ben Nickle's Inside Look at the City



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One unfortunate truth about politics is that elections, by their very nature, highlight the differences candidates have between them rather than focusing on what they may have in common. Political forums and debates are designed to be

adversarial rather than complimentary, and it can be quite frustrating for a challenger as well as an incumbent. It is, after all, the differences that stand out in our minds at the voting booth; the differences are what set a challenger apart.

Now that my initial three months have passed as a new member of the city council, I can report that I have discovered a vast amount of common ground that I have with my new colleagues. I must admit, I was unprepared for what awaited me at city hall—a warm reception and smiling faces. Given the fact that every council member has faced me in elections of the past, and we have seen some heated debates, I prepared myself for some antagonism rather than much positive support. But this preparation has proven to be completely unnecessary. Everyone at the City has approached me with a positive attitude and a genuine desire to help me acclimate. In addition, all of the department heads and city staff have been supportive of me. I'd like to share some of my observations over the past two months.

I had already learned through the election process that the mayor can be a "lion" of an opponent. But what I was amazed to discover is that this same man was committed to helping me in whatever way he could, always making himself available to me. He has even held up meetings to be sure I was brought up to speed on issues that predated my time on the council and he has gone out of his way to include me in every facet of City business. He has been building up this city since before I was born and that long track record of service deserves our respect—the mayor definitely has mine.

Councilwoman Gail Bunker is our Mayor Pro Tem when the mayor is away on other duties. Yes, she really is that nice and enjoyable to be around! She sees things from angles that I had not even considered. That kind of viewpoint is vital, but combine it with her spirit for the job, impeccable manners and class, and you have the ideal ambassador for this community. Simply put, if a visitor came to St. George to learn about our City I would want him to meet with Councilwoman Bunker. She would be our greatest asset for a good first impression.

Although everyone at City Hall has been supportive of me, no one has been more supportive than Councilman Jon Pike. I envy Jon's humility and thorough knowledge of almost every issue. A fellow true conservative, Jon is a genuine patriot. He went out of his way years ago to befriend and help me along. He predicted that I would someday be on the Council, and I can't thank him enough for his support. Considering the fact that Jon and I have been on opposite sides of the fence on some issues, even sparring with each other on a number of occasions, he has still maintained support for me. It would have been easy for Jon to see me as a political enemy; but instead, he has counted me as a friend and has always helped me in any way he could. It is something I will not forget.

Many of you are aware of Councilman Gil Almquist's incredible wit and unworldly dry humor. But don't be fooled by letting that overshadow his mastery of civic affairs. In every meeting I learn many new things from Gil. I have to say, I am grateful that my council seat is next to his; it makes me feel smarter when he offers some truly genius insight and I can nod as if I was thinking the same thing.

What has impressed me most about Councilwoman Gloria Shakespeare is that she is never afraid to stand up as the minority voice on an issue, yet she handles it with such a graceful manner. Gloria has a bit more rebel in her than I thought—and not surprisingly, that is something I really admire.

City Manager Gary Esplin is the consummate professional. He offers information to the city council and mayor and asks for their opinions and guidance, never demanding that things be done his way, even though his knowledge of city matters is unrivaled. Everything I have observed regarding the city manager is exceptional in every respect, and I also think that he and I have a very similar sense of humor. Make no mistake, Gary Esplin is the reason we have fared so well through this economic storm while many other communities have faltered. I should also mention that the Assistant to the City Manager Marc Mortensen, has proven to me to be a great asset to the city. Marc had every reason to approach me with caution—but didn't. Instead, both he and Gary offered me hands of fellowship and have made my transition much easier.

Like many of you, I had a certain mindset when it came to attorneys. But our City Attorney Shawn Guzman has broken that mindset. He is sincere and cares deeply for our City. He is an attorney dedicated to doing the right thing. I take his advice to heart and I can't imagine a better city attorney in the entire state.

I am happy to report to my fellow residents of St. George that your City is in good hands. Those who lead it are dedicated to safeguarding your future. In my brief time on the city council I have seen their hard work and resolve with my own eyes. I look forward to the road ahead working alongside all of them.

Benjamin Nickle
St. George City Council

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Water & Energy Conservation Tips

Water Rebate Program

This is the time of year many start to think of spring flowers, warmer weather and perhaps planting a garden or updating the landscape. The City of St. George has several programs that may help you be more efficient in achieving your goals as well as saving you some money. Landscapes play an important role in enhancing our environment. Plants cool and filter the air as well as add pleasing aesthetics. In an effort to increase the use of plant material well suited to the area's arid environment, the City is offering up to \$350 in rebates for the purchase and use of water wise plant material. The list of qualifying plant material identified as "moderate", "low" or "no-low" (indicating plants that can survive on rainfall only, once established) are on the Washington County Plant list. Many local nurseries carry these plants.

Additionally, if you are revamping an existing or installing a new irrigation system and the design is done by a qualified professional, there is a rebate of up to \$150 towards the design and installation of the system. Funding for this rebate program is from a grant from the Bureau of Reclamation with matching funds from the City and Washington County Water Conservancy District (WCWCD).

Information on the program can be found at www.sgcity.org/conservation



Water Check Program

Turf is a common landscape theme in our area. It provides a place for children to play and pets to romp. However, most turf is significantly over watered. To help residents apply an appropriate amount of water that will keep the turf healthy but not waste water the City, in cooperation with the WCWCD, offers free water checks. Your irrigation system will be evaluated so you will know how long to run the system.

Expect to learn the following about your irrigation system:

- How much water it applies in a given amount of time
- How evenly it is applied over the turf area

With that information as well as an indication of your soil type, a suggested irrigation schedule will be provided that should lower your water use while maintaining an attractive landscape. Other helpful conservation information and resources will also be given to participants.

This program starts in May and runs through September. To schedule your free appointment, contact Julie at 435-673-3617.

Energy Rebate Programs

As spring temperatures warm we also begin thinking about keeping cool during the summer season. This is a good time of year to have your air conditioning unit serviced to make sure it is operating as efficiently as possible. A properly sized, highly efficient air conditioning unit can save you money while making your home more comfortable. If you need to replace your unit you may be eligible for a rebate of up to \$350. To be eligible for the program you must meet the following criteria:

- Receive your power bill from the City of St. George
 - The unit must be rated at a 15 SEER or higher
- The unit must be sized properly; the contractor has to provide the Manual J calculations
- This rebate is for the purchase of air conditioning units only, heat pumps do not qualify



Additionally, there are federal tax credits available for units with a Seasonal Energy Efficiency Rating (SEER) of 16 or higher. Information on energy efficiency tax credits can be found at www.energystar.gov. A better insulated home keeps its occupants cooler in the summer and warmer in the winter and can lower both heating and cooling bills. Rebates for adding insulation to your attic or exterior walls are available through Questar Gas' Thermwise program as well as from the City. Federal tax credits are also available for this type of energy efficiency improvement. This energy efficiency program is funded with stimulus funding from the ARRA legislation enacted in February 2009. One other program currently operating is the EnergyStar appliance rebate program. Specific EnergyStar appliances qualify for a rebate. Eligibility requirements are listed below:

- Purchase and install a qualifying appliance after October 1, 2009
 - Receive your power bill from the City of St. George
 - A qualifying refrigerator (\$20 rebate)
- Appliance rebates are offered to primary St. George residents only

The goal of these programs is to lower the peak summer demand for the electric utility by assisting our customers to lower their energy use and saving them money. Managing the peak demand is part of maintaining a reliable service.

- Allows the utility to avoid exposure to the volatile market prices
- Lowers the stress on the transmission system in the county
- Improves voltage within the City of St. George system as well as throughout the county transmission system, improving reliability for all electric customers

For all of the programs discussed there are restrictions. Funding is limited and any of the programs may be discontinued without prior notice. Questions can be directed to René Fleming, Conservation Coordinator at rene.fleming@sgcity.org or by phone at 627-4848.

Websites: www.thermwise.com,
www.sgcity.org/conservation,
www.sgcity.org, www.energystar.gov

Conservation Tips:

- Have the cooling unit serviced prior to the start of the summer season. Cleaning coils allows adequate air flow around the outside condenser.
- Replace air filters frequently. This improves indoor air quality and keeps air circulating properly.
- Have the duct work inspected and repair any areas that leak cool air into unconditioned spaces.
- Replace your most frequently used light bulbs with EnergyStar labeled Compact Fluorescent Bulbs (CFL).
- Set your thermostat at 78 degree F and use a fan to move the air around to stay comfortable.
- This time of year weather can vary and night temperatures are cool. Rather than set and forget the irrigation timer, save water by irrigating when the soil is dry. This may be every four to five days or longer depending on the amount of rain that has fallen recently.
- Use a broom to clean your driveway or patio rather than a hose.
- When purchasing appliances, purchase the most efficient one you can afford. Look for the EnergyStar and WaterSense labels.



Community Garden

The City of St. George is working in cooperation with the Washington County Water Conservancy District (WCWCD) and the Utah State University Extension Agent to develop a community garden adjacent to The Garden at Tonaquint Park.

The garden will include individual plots people can rent to grow their own vegetables or flowers as well as a master planned area that volunteers can work in to grow food for local food banks and charities.

This is a community garden in every sense of the word. There have been several donations of labor and expertise made already. The City has donated the land and in kind services for the grading plan and irrigation line. NCRS has provided the majority of funding through a grant to the WCWCD. Members of the community have also donated their time and skills.



- Josh Hellewell – Landscape Architect with Fusion Design has donated his time to develop the garden design
- Cindy Taylor Construction has donated the labor for the site grading
- Kent Byland with Slick Rock Development donated a greenhouse
- McArthur Welding will donate the materials for the fencing.

Construction of the site began in March followed by plantings in late March and early April. To rent a plot or volunteer your time, contact Julie at 673-3617.

Upcoming Events:

The State of Utah celebrates Water Week annually the first week in May. This year's events include a Water Walk with Mayor McArthur on May 8 followed by a Garden Fair at The Garden at Tonaquint Park. The walk will start at 8:00 am at Cottonwood Cove Park and follow the trail for approximately two miles to The Garden. Transportation back to the starting point will be provided.

Join us for this free event geared for the family. Enjoy a walk with stories of local interest and information on water issues facing the area. The garden fair will include a bounce house for kids, information from various vendors regarding water efficiency as well as information on plants that grow well in this area, and a chance to see how the community garden is coming along.

Other events happening during the week include public tours of the Waste Water Treatment Plant and Quail Creek Water Treatment Plant. A list of events can be found on the City's website.



IRONMAN ST. GEORGE UTAH FESTIVAL

Food Entertainment Art

FRIDAY, APRIL 30th

St. George Main Street 11:30am - 9:00pm
(St. George Boulevard to Tabernacle Street)

IRONMAN KIDS RACE

Begins at 6:00pm • To Register go to www.sgcity.org

RACE DAY • SATURDAY, MAY 1st

St. George Boulevard 11:00am-11:00pm
(Main Street to 100 West)

For more information on booth space and event schedule go to www.sgcity.org/ironmanfestival

City of St. George ST. GEORGE IRONMAN RACE-DAY NOTICE!

The Ford Ironman St. George Triathlon will take place on **Saturday May 1st, 2010**

There will be 2500 athletes participating in the 2.4 mile swim, 112 mile bike, and 26.2 mile run. The race will start at 7:00am at Sand Hollow Reservoir, and continue throughout the county and finish in downtown St. George at midnight.

Be aware there will be a number of road closures and detours on race day!

During this period if you do need to operate a vehicle along the course you are asked to use extreme caution, and to follow posted signs and law enforcement officers' directions. If you need to cross the race route please note where the designated crossing areas are located.

You will be allowed to cross the route at designated points when it is safe to do so, all crossings will be controlled by law enforcement officers, but drivers are warned to **expect delays**. For bike and run course maps please visit: www.ironmanstgeorge.com



SHIP COMPETITION

May 8th, 2010 - St. George Sk8 Park
171 E. 1160 S.

\$15 Pre-registration (Pre-reg. deadline May 7th)
\$25 Day of registration

LIP TRIX BOARD SHOP

Novice (8 and under)
Beginner
Intermediate and Open



Each competitor will run twice for 45 sec. the five highest scores will go to the final round. Competition includes drawings for prizes, food and beverages.

Participants must wear a helmet (knee/elbow pads optional)

For more information call the St. George Recreation Center at 627-4560 or Lip Trix Board Shop at 628-2396 or visit us online at www.sgcityrec.org



Why Shop in St. George?



Did you know that for every purchase you make in the City of St. George you are improving your own quality of life? It's true, for every dollar you spend in St. George stores, shops, dealerships and establishments approximately 1.3 cents of the six and a quarter cents you pay in sales tax comes back to the City to pay for the services that affect you personally. From protecting and cleaning the streets to putting out fires and maintaining ball fields, the City of St. George makes our community safe and livable. It provides virtually every essential community service that contributes to our quality of life. While the services that the City offers are comprehensive and varied, the average citizen does not understand the extent of the impact they have on their life. The following are services provided by the City of St. George:

PROVIDES:

- 911 DISPATCH CENTER
- POLICE & FIRE PROTECTION
- STORM DRAINAGE MANAGEMENT
- REGIONAL SEWER MANAGEMENT
- HOUSING, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & REDEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS
- BUILDING INSPECTION & REGULATION
- CODE ENFORCEMENT • PARKS & TRAILS
- STREETS & SIDEWALKS
- STREET LIGHTING • AIRPORT
- PARKING FACILITIES • PUBLIC TRANSIT
- COMMUNITY GARDEN

OPERATE:

- WATER & ELECTRICAL SERVICES
- RECREATION PROGRAMS
- GOLF COURSES
- COMMUNITY EVENTS
- CEMETERIES
- TRAFFIC CONTROL CENTER
- DIXIE CONVENTION CENTER

ADMINISTER:

- LOCAL PLANNING & ZONING
- ACE COURT
- MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS & FACILITIES



Blue Sky Days Ahead

inside stuff



"Blue Skies" which are usually the norm for Southern Utah have not been so prevalent due to higher than usual rainfall, but soon enough we will all be enjoying that "Dixie" climate of endless sun, warmth and outdoor fun.

As the summer season arrives prevailing winds begin to stir the dust as we strive to keep air quality in check. With that in mind let's take a moment and look at what the City has been up to with regards to controlling fugitive dust as well as other aspects of air quality.

The City of St. George Air Quality Regulations ordinance has been in effect for over two years and we have seen improvements in lowering dust impacts with the implementation of air quality standards.

As a result, the negative effects to air quality have been less frequent because development projects and local industries have been striving to keep their activities within compliance. The covering of material loads on commercial vehicles as they travel down roadways is a welcome sight reducing the volume of citizen complaints of excessive dust.

The slowdown of the economy has undoubtedly been a contributing factor but credit must be given to individuals and organizations who continue to do their part in keeping air quality acceptable. In 2009 the City of St. George and the Southwest Utah Public Health Department teamed together with assistance from the Southern Utah Air Quality Task Force to create a program to conduct air monitoring and sampling for particulate matter (pm10) at site specific locations throughout low lying areas in the area. Evaluation of the resulting data has revealed positive signs of improvement with the lowering of particulate matter in several areas.

Currently, planning is in place to continue this effort into 2010 with additional equipment and increased locations. Support from the Utah Division of Air Quality has been helpful in this cause as their staff continues to work with local contractors and companies on compliance and monitoring efforts.

For those interested in sustainable air quality for the area, you can become involved by attending a monthly Southern Utah Air Quality Task Force meeting which is open to the public. For meeting times and locations and other pertinent information please visit the City of St. George web site at www.sgcity.org.

Art Museum Exhibits

city arts



An American Original, Margaret Lefranc, 50 Years of Watercolors

An American Original that we feature in the Main Gallery celebrates the life and work of Margaret Lefranc (1907-1998) that she created over an extraordinarily productive fifty-year period. Organized by the Peninsula Fine Arts Center in cooperation with the Margaret Lefranc Art Foundation, the exhibition includes 45 works dating from 1934 to 1996.

Born in New York, her art takes us to the major art centers in Europe (Berlin and Paris) and across the United States, from Florida to Santa Fe and Taos, New Mexico. While her achievements include painting, drawing, printmaking, illustration and writing, it is her watercolors that trace a most fascinating journey through American modernism and the American scene.

These fifty years were a very fertile time for art in America, especially in both New York and the Santa Fe/Taos area. Her watercolors are clear and brilliant, and her recognition is overdue as one of the premiere artists working in the Taos/Santa Fe region.

We are pleased to again show her work which appeared first in St. George as part of the extraordinarily rich exhibit, Women Artists of Santa Fe in 2005. Once again our visitors will have a chance to preview the work of this premiere modern watercolorist at the St. George Art Museum.

Jim Jones: The Final Paintings

The exhibit titled, Jim Jones: Recent Paintings, formerly on view at SUU in the Braithwaite, Gallery is coming to the St. George Art Museum. Sadly, these paintings turned out to be Jim's final paintings. In addition to the paintings on loan from SUU, we will feature other works by Jim. As both a painter and a person, it has been hard to lose Jim Jones, but we are pleased to feature this Tribute to his final masterpieces of the two places he loved most, Zion and Grand Canyon National Parks.

In the accompanying catalog, a wonderful homage, Jim says that he painted over 400 works of Zion and close to 150 of the Grand Canyon. Early in his career he focused on painting the figure but turned to landscape in order to create a Bicentennial project in 1975. From then on he painted the land. He loved painting outside, as well as being outside.

"Outside you hear the birds singing, you smell smoke and feel the wind blowing through the trees. You watch color changes happening before you-even flies and minor nuisances contribute to the whole experience. You can't help but get some of that in your work", Jim says.

Jim's paintings, like Albert Bierstadt before him, contain both a clarity and a soft haziness which creates a mysterious spiritual space often with a rock or tree as a sentinel of defiant aloneness. In his horizontal paintings there are strong lines pulling us across the vast space.

His work slightly softens some of the spikier points and peaks of the land yet creates a wonderful unity, much more than a photograph of a place. His paintings create new space based on an actual recognizable place. Jim's space becomes a contemplative icon of the land.

There is a magical transformation of oil paint onto a canvas that becomes an icon of that place, a space and place in which to contemplate. Each painting creates a bridge between us and the actual place chosen to depict. Indeed each Jim Jones painting is an idyllic paean to its source and subject, the land. We are grateful to have this opportunity to show this amazing art. Our grateful thanks go out to Reece Summer, Director and Curator of the Braithwaite Fine Arts Gallery at Southern Utah University in Cedar City, Utah.

St. George
Art
Museum's
A LEGACY FOR THE FUTURE

April 4th - April 16th: CLOSED
Open April 17th through July 10th

Main & Mezzanine: *An American Original:*
Margaret Lefranc, 50 Years of Watercolors

Mezzanine Gallery: *Jim Jones: The Last Paintings*

Legacy Gallery: *Upside Down, An Installation* by
Kathy Cieslewicz, Corey Strange & Dan Whalen

Open Mon – Sat 10am to 5pm
Every 3rd Thursday Open 10am-9pm
with Art Conversations at 7:00pm
Website: www.sgartmuseum.org
E-Mail: museum@sgcity.org
Phone: 435.627.4525

Admission Fees:
Adults \$3
Ages 3-11 \$1
Under 3 Free

Art Conversations Schedule

April No Art Conversation
May 20th Painter, Margaret Lefranc
June 17th Painter, Jim Jones

Upside Down An Installation by Kathy Cieslewicz, Corey Strange, & Dan Strange

A site-specific multi-media installation by Kathy Cieslewicz, Dan Whalen and Corey Strange Upside Down addresses the current housing and economic crisis with photography, architectural salvage elements and barcodes generated from the text of relevant quotes. The effect will provide an in-your-face illustration for viewers to contemplate the economic situation we all face in one way or another.

The elements are designed to create a sense of anxiety while presenting new viewpoints of a familiar subject. Viewer movement within the small gallery space where the piece is contained creates a critical element of understanding by allowing the audience to become enveloped in this microcosmic experience. The message and impact will be subjective, based on the life experience of the viewer.

The three local artists have worked individually and as loosely paired teams on several projects. While each come from different backgrounds each has the goal of providing stimulating and thought-provoking artwork that engage the public in unexpected ways. Kathy Cieslewicz is the Curator of the Sears Art Gallery at Dixie State College. She also teaches art at Mohave Community College. Dan Whalen is a graduate of Dixie State College and currently works as a freelance video editor and fine artist. He is working on his MFA in film from the San Francisco Art Institute. Corey Strange has an MFA in interdisciplinary studies from Edinburgh College of Art in Scotland, teaches art at Southern Utah University and works as a freelance artist.

**Summer Art Classes at the St. George Art Museum
"Art Like an Egyptian"**

For the first time, the Museum will feature summer art classes that include art and art history. Each summer we will focus on the art of a different culture, and this summer it is on the fascinating allure of Ancient Egypt with its gold, gigantic pyramids and King Tut. These classes will take place for four mornings each week beginning on June 1st. Each week will be for a different grade grouping between 1st and 6th, then we'll repeat for a total 6 weeks of classes (\$30 per student per for week). There will be a limit of only 12 students per class. The personnel involved are teams of artists and art historians (Deborah Reeder, Valerie Sullivan, Nancy Ross, and Kay Miner), and there will be plenty of both learning and fun.

To register go to the St. George Recreation Center at
285 S. 400 E. or go on-line at www.sgcityrec.org.
If you have any questions call 627-4525.

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CALENDAR of EVENTS

- Recreation Programs
- Art Museum Programs

- City Programs
- Golf Programs

- 👶 Activities for Kids
- ☀️ Activities for Families

April Events

■ Family Sports Night at the SHAC 🌊

Date: Wednesday Evenings (on-going)
Time: 6:30-9:00 pm
Fee: \$4.00 per person and/or passes apply
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Description: Family fun at the SHAC on Wednesday evenings. Drop-in for jumbo water volleyball or spend some quality time with your family splashing in the pool or flying down the hydro-tube slide.
Contact: 627-4585

■ US Masters Swim Program

Date: Monday-Friday (on-going)
Time: 6:00-7:00 am; 10:30am-12:30pm; 7:00-8:00pm
Fee: \$4.00 per person and/or passes apply
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Description: Any swimmer, age 18 and over will find a spot in a United States Masters Swimming program. Most programs include individuals with a broad range of abilities, from fitness and lap swimmers to tri-athletes and competitively minded swimmers. USMS maintains no criteria, nor imposes any requirements, based on time or technique for membership. On-deck coaching is present at each time slot.
Contact: 627-4585

■ Youth Weekly Volleyball Clinic 🏐

Date: Thursday Evenings
Time: 5:00-6:30 pm
Fee: \$5.00/person/visit
Location: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E.
Description: This weekly clinic will focus on basic volleyball skills such as serving, passing, bumping, and digging. Instruction on individual levels and scrimmage play situations.
Contact: 627-4560

■ Forever Fit

Date: Tuesdays & Thursdays
Time: 10:30 am
Fee: \$2.00/person/visit
Location: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E.
Description: This class is ideal for older adults that are looking to get fit or wanting to maintain a healthy and active lifestyle regardless to his/her fitness ability. This multi-level class is designed to combine cardio and muscle toning into a fun workout while teaching ways to increase muscle strength and flexibility in daily functional skills.
Contact: 627-4560

■ Country Line Dancing

Date: Thursday Evenings
Time: 7:45-9:45 pm
Fee: \$5.00/person/visit
Location: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E.
Description: Join Sandy Carty as she teaches line dancing favorites such as "The Electric Slide" and "Ko-Ko-Mo Shuffle". Join in on the boot scootin fun.
Contact: 627-4560

■ Stroke of the Week Tennis Clinic

Date: Wednesdays (on-going)
Time: 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$10/person/visit
Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive
Description: Weekly clinic covering all strokes, giving detail instructions and performing liveball drills.
Contact: 627-4560

■ Doubles and Singles Strategy Tennis Clinic

Date: Saturdays (on-going)
Time: 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$10/person/visit
Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive
Description: The clinic is a mixture of liveball drills and instructions.
Contact: 627-4560

■ Saturday Morning Tournament Play

Date: Saturdays (on-going) **Time:** 10:30 am-2:00 pm
Fee: \$5/player
Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive
Description: Tournament format that includes a short set with consolation rounds and guaranteed players at least 2 matches. The Saturday Morning Tournament is open for all ages.
Contact: 627-4560

■ Tennis Clinics

Date: Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays & Saturday (on-going) **Time:** 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$10/person/visit
Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive
Description: Popular morning clinic to help you improve and work on game strategies and hitting.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at or www.sgcityrec.org

■ Liveball Clinics

Date: Mondays & Wednesdays (on-going)
Time: Mondays (Family Night): 6:00-7:30 pm; Wednesdays: 6:00-8:00 pm

Fee: \$5/person- Mondays; \$10/person-Wednesdays
Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive
Description: Liveball is a non-instructional clinic with lots of hitting. This very popular clinic allows you to hit a lot of balls and get in a great workout.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at or www.sgcityrec.org

■ Start Smart Baseball 🏆

Sign-up: Registration is now OPEN for girls and boys ages 3-5 years old. Registration deadline is Friday, April 2, 2010.
Fee: \$25/ per child
Description: Start Smart is a great program for parents to spend time with their children and help them prepare for future participation in youth sports. Parents are required to attend and participate in each class. The 6-week program will begin Saturday, April 17, 2010.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Challenger Sports British Soccer Camp 🏆

Pre-Registration
Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: May 31-June 4
Fee: Ages 3-5: \$95/child; Ages 6-16: \$125/child
Description: Challenger Sports British Soccer camp will focus on teaching key techniques and technical components of soccer.
Ages 3-5: Session 1: 8:00-9:30am; Session 2: 9:45-11:15am
Ages 6-16: Session 1: 8:00-11:00am; Session 2: 5:00-8:00pm
Location: Bluff Street Park, 600 N. Bluff Street
Register: On-line at www.challengersports.com
Contact: 627-4560

■ Adventure Camp for Teens Pre-Registration 🏆

Date: Session 1: June 7-10; Session 2: June 21-24
Session 3: July 5-8; **Session 4:** July 19-22
Time: 9:00-Noon
Fee: \$45/youth
Age: Grades 6-9th
Description: Each session will feature different activities such as hiking, mountain biking, canoeing and more. When registering, register the grade he/she will be attending in FALL 2010. Camp begins and ends each day at the St. George Recreation Center.
 *Session 1 & 3 are the same activities; **Session 2 & 4 are the same activities
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Tonaquint Nature Center Day Camp** 🖐️
Pre-Registration

Sign-up: Registration is now open
Fee: Busy Bee: \$30/child; Tweety Bird: \$35/child; Wiggly Worm: \$40/child; Crazy Crawdad: \$50/child.
Description: Each session will feature different activities. When registering, register the grade he/she will be attending in FALL 2010. Camp begins and ends each day at the Tonaquint Nature Center.
Busy Bees: (4 yrs during camp) 9-Noon, Session I: July 26-28
Tweety Birds: (K-1st) 9-Noon, Session I: July 5-8; Session II: July 12-15; Session III: July 1-22
Wiggly Worms: (2nd-3rd) 9-Noon, Session I: June 7-11; Session II: June 14-18
Crazy Crawdads: (4th-5th) 9am-1pm, Session I: June 21-25; Session II: June 28-July 2
Location: Tonaquint Nature Center, 1851 S Dixie Drive
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Skater Girlz Skateboard Camp Pre-Registration** 🖐️

Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: June 7-10
Time: 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$25/ child
Age: 8-16 years
Location: SK8George Skateboard Park, 171 E 1160 S
Description: This summer camp is designed to teach beginner and intermediate skateboarders basic and intermediate maneuvers along with how to safely use ramps according to his/her ability. Each participant is required to wear a helmet. Registration deadline is June 3rd or until full.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Lil Grinders Skateboard Camp Pre-Registration** 🖐️

Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: June 14-16
Time: 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$16/ child
Age: 6-8 years
Location: SK8George Skateboard Park, 171 E 1160 S
Description: This new summer camp is designed to teach beginner skateboarders basic and some intermediate maneuvers. Each participant is required to wear a helmet, kneepads and elbow pads. Registration deadline is June 10th or until full.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Future Shredders Skateboard Camp** 🖐️

Pre-Registration
Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: June 21-24
Time: 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$25/ child
Age: 9-14 years
Location: SK8George Skateboard Park, 171 E 1160 S
Description: This new summer camp is designed to teach beginner skateboarders basic and some intermediate maneuvers. Each participant is required to wear a helmet. Registration deadline is June 17th or until full.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Jump To It Kids Summer Camp** 🖐️

Pre-Registration
Sign-up: Registration is now open
Dates: Session 1: June 14-17; Session 2: June 28-July 1; Session 3: July 12-16; Session 4: July 26-29
Time: 9:00-Noon
Fee: \$30/youth

Age: 1st-3rd grade for Fall 2010
Location: Sessions 1 & 3 @ Fire House Park, 1800 N Dixie Downs Rd
Sessions 2 & 4 @ Little Valley Park, 2350 East 2995 South Fire House Park
Description: Does your child have a little too much energy? If you are looking for a fun and interactive camp we have the solution. Each session will feature different games and activities such as Aqua Relay, Germ Bug Tag, Spiders and Flies, Frisbee Golf and much more. When registering, register the grade he/she will be attending in FALL 2010. Registration deadline is the Thursday prior to start of each new session.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Camp Neptune Aquatic Day Camp** 🖐️
Pre-Registration

Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: Session 1: June 21-25; Session 2: June 28-July 2
Time: 11:00am-1:00pm
Fee: \$35/ child
Age: 4-6 years
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive
Description: A fun new day camp program based at the SHAC. Each session will include exciting group games, aquatic themed crafts, free splash time and instruction on basic aquatic safety skills. Registration deadline is the Thursday prior to the first day of each session.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E, Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Camp Atlantis Aquatic Day Camp** 🖐️
Pre-Registration

Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: Session 1: July 5-9; Session 2: July 12-16
Time: 11:00am-1:00pm
Fee: \$35/ child
Age: 7-10 years
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive
Description: A fun new day camp program based at the SHAC. Each session will include exciting group games, aquatic themed crafts, free splash time and instruction on basic aquatic safety skills. Registration deadline is the Thursday prior to the first day of each session.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Boredom Buster Day Camp Pre-Registration** 🖐️

Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: Session 1: June 14-18; Session 2: July 19-23; Session 3: July 26-30
Time: 1:00-3:00 pm
Fee: \$24/child
Age: Session 1: 3-5 years old; Sessions 2-3: 6-9 years old
Location: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
Description: The summer in Southern Utah gets really hot, but kids still want to play! Why not sign them up for a new day camp based out of the St George Recreation Center. Kids will be busy running, jumping, and playing games such as Pass the Chicken, Fitness Skillastics, Barrel Racing Relays, Corkscrew and more! Registration deadline is the Thursday prior to the first day of each session.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Boy Scout Merit Badge Class- Forestry Badge** 🖐️

Date: Thursday, April 1 (4 weeks)
Time: 4:30-6:00 pm
Fee: \$12/youth

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center, 1851 S. Dixie Drive
Description: Local scouts can earn credit for the Forestry Badge merit badge while attending this class. Each scout is required to bring his merit badge book and a notebook. Space is limited.
Register: St George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **St. George Art Festival** ☀️

Date: April 2nd & 3rd (Fri & Sat)
Time: 10:00am - 6:00pm
Fee: Free
Description: Displaying thousands of original works of art, the festival is punctuated with pageantry, music and food. Townsfolk and visitors from around the West converge in the beautiful town of St. George on Easter weekend.
Contact: 627-4585

■ **St. George Beginner, Sprint & Tuff Kids' Triathlon** 🖐️

Date: Saturday, April 3
Time: 7:00am (Sprint), 9:00am (Beginner), 10:15am (Kids)
Fee: \$35 (Sprint/Beginner) and \$15 (Kids)
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive
Description: Beginner: 200 yard swim, 5-mile bike, 1.5 mile run. Sprint: 400 yard swim, 10- mile bike, 5K run. Kids Beginner: 50 yard swim, 1-mile bike, ½ mile run. Kids Sprint: 100 yard swim, 2-mile bike, ¾ mile run Triathlon starts and ends at the SHAC. Pre-register accepted until March 26th. Late registration accepted until Tuesday, March 30th with a \$10 late fee or until full.
Register: St George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org or www.active.com
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Water Easter Egg Hunt** 🖐️

Date: Saturday, April 3
Time: 11:00 am Registration Begins for Water Hunt; 12:00 Noon starting time
Fee: \$5.00 per child (includes an all day swim pass and the Water Hunt)
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive
Description: Come and enjoy a day of fun at Sand Hollow Aquatic Center. Children 0-12 years of age are welcome to participate. Children will be separated into age groups with staggered starting times.
Contact: 627-4585

■ **American Red Cross Lifeguarding Class**

Date: April 5-16 (Monday-Friday)
Fee: \$130/ participant (includes a \$10 non-refundable fee)
Description: The first spring session of the American Red Cross Lifeguarding class will begin Monday, April 5, 2010 at 5:00 pm. The program will be held for two weeks, Monday through Friday. Registration deadline is Saturday, April 3, 2010 or until full.
Register: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive
Contact: 627-4585

■ **Junior Tennis Clinics- Session 2** 🖐️

Date: Monday, April 5 and/or Wednesday, April 7
Time: 4:30-6:00 pm
Fee: \$60/person- 1 visit/wk; \$90/person- 2 visits/wk; \$12 Drop-in
Age: 10 and up
Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive
Description: Clinic is designed for High School players with high level drills, conditioning and matches. The clinic emphasizes on strokes and match play.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Curiosity Club

Date: Tuesday, April 6 (4 wks)

Time: 10:30 am OR 1:30 pm

Fee: \$20/youth

Age: 3-6 years

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center,
1851 S Dixie Drive

Description: Kids will get to explore new topics each week and be able to ask lots of questions.

Contact: Julie B. at 673-3617

■ Quickstart Tennis

Date: Tuesday, April 6 and/or Thursday, April 8 (6 wks)

Time: 5:00-6:00 pm

Fee: \$30/person- 1 visit/week; \$45/person- 2 visits/week;
\$6 Drop-in

Age: 4-9 years

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex,
1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: An exciting new play format for learning tennis and bringing kids into the game by utilizing specialized equipment, short court dimensions and modified scoring. Class time includes stroke instruction and match play. Add \$20/person for a tennis racquet.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Lil Rollers Tumbling

Date: Session 1: Tuesday, April 6 or

Session 2: Thursday, April 8

Time: 9:15 am

Fee: \$20/student Age: 3-5 years

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E.

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! Space is limited to 10 students per session.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Be Healthy Dixie- Walk with Mayor McArthur

Date: Wednesday, April 7

Time: 8:00 am

Fee: FREE

Location: TAWA Lower Pond,
2300 West Snow Canyon Parkway

Description: Mayor Dan McArthur is inviting community members to join him on his walks. Participants are encouraged to wear sturdy walking shoes. For future scheduled walks visit www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Kids' Pottery Wheel Class-Session 1

Date: April 7 (Wednesday- 4 wks)

Time: 4:30-6:30 pm

Fee: \$65/student

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E.

Description: This class is designed for the beginner and intermediate potter. Students will learn how to center and make various items. All projects will be trimmed and glazed ready for use. Class fee includes one bag of clay, glazes and firings. Space is limited.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Adult Pottery Wheel Class- Session 1

Date: April 7 (Wednesdays- 4 wks)

Time: 1:00-3:30 pm

Fee: \$85/person

Location: St. George Recreation Center, 400 E. 285 S.

Description: This class is designed for the beginner and intermediate potter. Students will learn how to center and make various items. All projects will be

trimmed and glazed ready for use. Class fee includes one bag of clay, glazes and firings. Class size is limited so sign-up early.

Registration: St George Recreation Center,
400 E. 285 S. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ St. George Canyons' Classic Softball Tournament

Date: Friday-Saturday, April 9-10

Fee: \$275/team

Location: Canyons Complex, 1890 W. 2000 N.

Description: Men's D & E division and Women's C & D slow pitch classification of play. Registration deadline is Saturday, March 27th or until full. Late registration will be accepted until April 3rd with a \$25 late fee. Games begin on Friday evening.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. On-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ St George Youth Soccer Tournament

Date: Friday-Sunday, April 9-11

Fee: \$300/team: U9-U11 & Under; \$400/team: U12-U18

Location: The Fields @ Little Valley, 2995 S 2350 E

Description: Registration deadline is April 1st or until full. Late registration will be accepted until April 5 with a \$50 late fee. Games begin on Friday evening.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. On-line at www.sgcityrec.org

■ Saturday Morning Exploration- Now That's Plantastic!

Date: Saturday, April 10

Time: 10:00 am

Fee: FREE

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center,
1851 S Dixie Drive

Description: Spring has sprung, and we're ready to explore the outdoors. Ever grow a plant in a bag? How about an old yogurt container? We'll learn about plants, the animals that depend on them, and how to create our own crazy container gardens. Dress to get dirty!

Contact: 627-4560

■ Fishing Derby

Date: Saturday, April 10

Time: 8:00 am-2:00 pm

Fee: FREE for youth 12 and under

Location: TAWA Ponds,
2300 W Snow Canyon Parkway

Description: Free fishing experience for youth 12 and under. Special prizes will be given away throughout the day. A fishing lesson will be conducted at the top of the each hour. If you don't have a fishing pole, poles will be available at no cost.

Contact: 627-4560 or
Rosenberg & Associates at 673-8586

■ Acro Gymnastics/Tumbling Class

Date: Saturdays, April 10 (6 wks)

Time: 9:00am Beginner (5 yrs+);

10:00am Intermediate (7 yrs+);

11:00am Advanced (9yrs+)

Fee: \$36/student

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E.

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! Space is limited to 30 students per session.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ St. George Spring Opener

Date: Saturday, April 10

Time: 8:00-8:45am Check-In. Pool Play begins at 9am

Fee: \$60/team

Location: Vernon Worthen City Park, St. George

Description: UOVA sanctioned competitive outdoor tournament for Novice, A, B and Open divisions. Open divisions will play on sand courts, all other divisions will play on grass courts. Registration fee includes lunch voucher and t-shirt. Registration deadline is Tuesday, April 6 @ 6pm. NO DAY-OF-REGISTRATION.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

■ Adult Beginner Tennis- Session 3

Date: Tuesday, April 12 (6 wks)

Time: Tuesdays: 6:00-7:00 pm

Fee: \$60/person- 1 visit/wk; \$90/person- 2 visits/wk;
\$12 Drop-in

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex,
1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: Clinic is designed for adults wanting to learn how to play tennis using proper techniques.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's

Spring Learn to Swim Program - Session 1

Date: April 12 (Monday thru Thursday-2 wks)

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

Fee: \$30/youth

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

Description: Swim levels 1 thru 4 will be taught.

Register: SHAC, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive

Contact: 627-4585

■ Children's Multisport Clinic

Date: April 14-May 5 (Wednesdays)

Time: 10:30-11:30 am

Fee: \$20/child

Age: 3-6 years

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E.

Description: Help kids have fun playing sports, interact with other kids, improve instruction following skills, introduce coach-player interaction, learn the basics of basketball, baseball, soccer and football. The School of Ball concept is to coach each child at a level he/she requires in order to get to his/her next level. Come have fun at this 4-week clinic just for little ones.

Contact: 627-4560

■ St. George Adult Soccer Tournament

Date: Friday-Saturday, April 16-17

Fee: \$500/team

Location: The Fields @ Little Valley, 2995 S 2350 E

Description: Registration deadline is April 5th or until full. Late registration will be accepted until April 10th with a \$50 late fee. Games begin on Friday evening.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. On-line at www.sgcityrec.org

■ Dixie Class Fast Pitch Softball Tournament

Date: Saturday-Sunday, April 17-18

Fee: \$350/team

Location: Canyons Complex, 1890 W. 2000 N.

Description: Men's Fast pitch tournament. Registration deadline is Saturday, April 3 or until full. Late registration will be accepted until April 10th with a \$25 late fee. Games begin on Friday evening.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ It's All In The Container

Date: Saturday, April 17

Time: 10:00-11:00 am

Fee: FREE

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center, 1851 S Dixie Drive

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 how to care for potted plants and minimizing water use. Sponsored by the Washington County Water Conservancy District.
Contact: Julie B. at 673-3617

■ Be Healthy Dixie- Walk with Mayor McArthur

Date: Wednesday, April 21

Time: 8:00 am

Fee: FREE

Location: Dixie Regional Health & Performance Center, 652 S Medical Center Drive

Description: Lace up your shoes and take advantage of the opportunity to chat with Mayor McArthur and learn exciting news about the growth of the Dixie Regional Medical Center. Participants are to meet in front of the Health & Performance Center's front entrance.
Contact: 627-4560

■ The City of St. George Singles Championships

Date: April 21-24 (Wednesday-Saturday)

Time: Evening Play on Wednesday-Friday; All Day Play on Saturday

Fee: \$20/person

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: Junior and adult tournament play. Pre-registration deadline is Friday, April 16 @ 6pm

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Red Rock International Girls' Fast Pitch Softball Tournament

Date: Friday- Saturday, April 23-24

Fee: \$350/team

Location: Canyons Complex, 1890 W. 2000 N.

Description: Girls' fast pitch tournament for girls' 10, 12 & 14 and Under divisions. Registration deadline is Saturday, April 10th or until full. Late registration will be accepted until April 17th with a \$25 late fee. Games begin on Friday evening.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. On-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Citywide Clean-up Day

Date: Saturday, April 24th

Description: Clean-up St. George! A day to clean our streets and neighborhoods. Go online to www.sgcity.org for more information and garbage drop-off sites.

■ Arbor Day Celebration

Date: Saturday, April 24

Time: 9:00am-1:00 pm

Fee: FREE

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center, 1851 S Dixie Drive

Description: Show your support and community pride at the 2010 Arbor Day celebration by helping in the re-vegetation of the Tonaquint Nature Center premises, planting of new trees and shrubs and participating in various other stewardship projects. Kids can take a break inside the Nature Center and make their own Arbor Day craft. All volunteers will be offered a light lunch of a hot dog, chips and drink on site. There will be free gardening tips for

adults and each family can pick out a tree to take home to plant. Event sponsored by the Shade Tree Board and Star Nursery.
Contact: 627-4560

■ Tuff Kids & Family Bike Ride

Date: Saturday, April 24

Time: 10:00 am

Fee: FREE

Location: The Fields at Little Valley, 2995 S 2350 E

Description: Kids and families are invited to attend this morning bike ride. There are two distance options: 2.5 miles and 4.25 miles that participants can choose from. There will also be a bike rodeo, bike safety inspections and City trail system information. The first 100 pre-registered Tuff Kids will receive a free T-Shirt and helmet.
Contact: 627-4560

■ Safety Town Walk-In Pre-Registration Only

Sign-up: Wednesday, April 28

Time: 2:00 pm

Fee: \$35.00/child

Description: Keeping a child safe is a parent's priority; however parents cannot be with their children all the time. The City of St George continues the tradition of offering the award winning Safety Town program. Kindergarten and 1st Grade in FALL 2010 vital safety skills. The remaining openings will be saved for on-line registrants on May 5, 2010 at the St George Recreation Center beginning at 2:00 pm. Session times available are 8:30 am, 10:30 and 12:30 pm. Safety Town 2010 will be held at East Elementary School.

Register: On-Line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ St. George Ironman Festival

Date: Friday, April 30th

Time: 11:30am - 9:00pm

Fee: FREE

Location: St. George Blvd. - Tabernacle St.

Description: Come downtown for food, art, entertainment and fun!

Registration: An Ironman Kids Race will begin at 6:00pm to register go to www.sgcity.org

May Events

■ Family Sports Night at the SHAC

Date: Wednesday Evenings (on-going)

Time: 6:30-9:00 pm

Fee: \$4.00 per person and/or passes apply

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

Description: Family fun at the SHAC on Wednesday evenings. Drop-in for jumbo water volleyball or spend some quality time with your family splashing in the pool or flying down the hydro-tube slide.

Contact: 627-4585

■ US Masters Swim Program

Date: Monday-Friday (on-going)

Time: 6:00-7:00 am; 10:30am-12:30pm; 7:00-8:00pm

Fee: \$4.00 per person and/or passes apply

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

Description: Any swimmer, age 18 and over will find a spot in a United States Masters Swimming program. Most programs include individuals with a broad range of abilities, from fitness and lap swimmers to tri-athletes and competitively minded swimmers. USMS maintains no criteria, nor imposes any requirements, based on time or technique for membership. On-deck coaching is present at each time slot.

Contact: 627-4585

■ Youth Weekly Volleyball Clinic

Date: Thursday Evenings

Time: 5:00-6:30 pm

Fee: \$5.00/person/visit

Location: St George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E.

Description: This weekly clinic will focus on basic volleyball skills such as serving, passing, bumping, and digging. Instruction on individual levels and scrimmage play situations.

Contact: 627-4560

■ Forever Fit

Date: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Time: 10:30 am

Fee: \$2.00/person/visit

Location: St George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E.

Description: This class is ideal for older adults that are looking to get fit or wanting to maintain a healthy and active lifestyle regardless of his/her fitness ability. This multi-level class is designed to combine cardio and muscle toning into a fun workout while teaching ways to increase muscle strength and flexibility in daily functional skills.

Contact: 627-4560

■ Country Line Dancing

Date: Thursday Evenings

Time: 7:45-9:45 pm

Fee: \$5.00/person/visit

Location: St George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E.

Description: Join Sandy Carty as she teaches line dancing favorites such as "The Electric Slide" and "Ko-Ko-Mo Shuffle". Join in on the boot scootin fun.

Contact: 627-4560

■ Stroke of the Week Tennis Clinic

Date: Wednesdays (on-going)

Time: 9:00-10:30 am

Fee: \$10/person/ visit

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: Weekly clinic covering all strokes, giving detail instructions and performing liveball drills.

Contact: 627-4560

■ Doubles and Singles Strategy Tennis Clinic

Date: Saturdays (on-going)

Time: 9:00-10:30 am

Fee: \$10/person/ visit

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: The clinic is a mixture of liveball drills and instructions.

Contact: 627-4560

■ Saturday Morning Tournament Play

Date: Saturdays (on-going)

Time: 10:30 am-2:00 pm

Fee: \$5/player

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: Tournament format that includes a short set with consolation rounds and guaranteed players at least 2 matches. The Saturday Morning Tournament is open for all ages.

Contact: 627-4560

■ Adult Tennis Clinics

Date: Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays (on-going)

Time: 9:00-10:30 am AND

8:00-9:30am starting May 31-July 30

Fee: \$10/person/visit

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: Popular morning clinic to help you improve and work on game strategies and hitting.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

■ Liveball Clinics

Date: Mondays & Wednesdays (on-going)
Time: Mondays: 6:00-7:30pm; Wednesdays: 6:00-8:00pm
AND Mondays: 7:00-8:30pm; Wednesdays: 7:00-9:00pm
starting May 31 - July 28.
Fee: \$5/person- Mondays; \$10/person-Wednesdays
Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex,
1851 S. Dixie Drive
Description: Liveball is a non-instructional clinic with
lots of hitting. This very popular clinic allows you to hit
a lot of balls and get in a great workout.
Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

■ Junior Tennis Clinics

Session/Date: Session 1: Monday, May 31 and/or
Wednesday, June 2 and/or Friday, June 4
Session 2: Monday, July 5 and/or Wednesday, July 7
and/or Friday, July 9
Time: 8:00-9:30 am
Fee: \$50/person-1 visit/wk; \$80/person-2 visits/wk;
\$110/person-3 visits/wk or \$12 Drop-in
Age: 10 and up
Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex,
1851 S. Dixie Drive
Description: Clinic is designed for High School
players with high level drills, conditioning and matches.
The clinic emphasizes on strokes and match play.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400
E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Challenger Sports British Soccer Camp

Pre-Registration
Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: May 31-June 4
Fee: Ages 3-5: \$95/child; Ages 6-16: \$125/child
Description: Challenger Sports British Soccer camp
will focus on teaching key techniques and technical
components of soccer.
Ages 3-5: Session 1: 8:00-9:30am;
Session 2: 9:45-11:15am
Ages 6-16: Session 1: 8:00-11:00am;
Session 2: 5:00-8:00pm
Location: Bluff Street Park, 600 N. Bluff Street
Register: On-line at www.challengersports.com
Contact: 627-4560

■ Tonaquint Nature Center Day Camp

Pre-Registration
Sign-up: Registration is now open
Fee: Busy Bee: \$30/child; Tweety Bird: \$35/child;
Wiggly Worm: \$40/child, Crazy Crawdad: \$50/child.
Description: Each session will feature different
activities. When registering, register the grade he/she
will be attending in FALL 2010. Camp begins and ends
each day at the Tonaquint Nature Center.
Busy Bees: (4 yrs during camp) 9-Noon,
Session I: July 26-28
Tweety Birds: (K-1st) 9-Noon, Session I: July 5-8;
Session II: July 12-15; Session III: July 19-22
Wiggly Worms: (2nd-3rd) 9-Noon, Session I: June 7-11;
Session II: June 14-18
Crazy Crawdads: (4th-5th) 9am-1pm,
Session I: June 21-25; Session II: June 28-July 2
Location: Tonaquint Nature Center,
1851 S Dixie Drive
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or
on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Skater Girlz Skateboard Camp

Pre-Registration
Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: June 7-10
Time: 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$25/ child
Age: 8-16 years
Location: SK8George Skateboard Park, 171 E 1160 S

Description: This summer camp is designed to teach
beginner and intermediate skateboarders basic and
intermediate maneuvers along with how to safely use
ramps according to his/her ability. Each participant is
required to wear a helmet. Registration deadline is
June 3rd or until full.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Lil Grinders Skateboard Camp Pre-Registration

Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: June 14-16
Time: 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$16/ child
Age: 6-8 years
Location: SK8George Skateboard Park, 171 E 1160 S
Description: This new summer camp is designed
to teach beginner skateboarders basic and some
intermediate maneuvers. Each participant is required to
wear a helmet, kneepads and elbow pads. Registration
deadline is June 10th or until full.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Future Shredders Skateboard Camp

Pre-Registration
Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: June 21-24
Time: 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$25/ child
Age: 9-14 years
Location: SK8George Skateboard Park, 171 E 1160 S
Description: This new summer camp is designed
to teach beginner skateboarders basic and some
intermediate maneuvers. Each participant is required to
wear a helmet. Registration deadline is June 17th
or until full.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Jump To It Kids Summer Camp Pre-Registration

Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: Session 1: June 14-17; Session 2: June 28-July
1; Session 3: July 12-16; Session 4: July 26-29
Time: 9:00-Noon Fee: \$30/youth
Age: 1st-3rd grade for Fall 2010
Location: Sessions 1 & 3 @ Fire House Park,
1800 N Dixie Downs Rd
Sessions 2 & 4 @ Little Valley Park,
2350 East 2995 South Fire House Park
Description: Does your child have a little too much
energy? If you are looking for a fun and interactive
camp we have the solution. Each session will feature
different games and activities such as Aqua Relay, Germ
Bug Tag, Spiders and Flies, Frisbee Golf and much
more. When registering, register the grade he/she will
be attending in FALL 2010. Registration deadline is the
Thursday prior to start of each new session.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Camp Neptune Aquatic Day Camp

Pre-Registration
Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: Session 1: June 21-25; Session 2: June 28-July 2
Time: 11:00am-1:00pm
Fee: \$35/ child
Age: 4-6 years
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N Lava Flow Drive
Description: A fun new day camp program based at the
SHAC. Each session will include exciting group games,
aquatic themed crafts, free splash time and instruction
on basic aquatic safety skills. Registration deadline is the
Thursday prior to the first day of each session.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive
or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Camp Atlantis Aquatic Day Camp

Pre-Registration
Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: Session 1: July 5-9; Session 2: July 12-16
Time: 11:00am-1:00pm
Fee: \$35/ child
Age: 7-10 years
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N Lava Flow Drive
Description: A fun new day camp program based at the
SHAC. Each session will include exciting group games,
aquatic themed crafts, free splash time and instruction
on basic aquatic safety skills. Registration deadline is the
Thursday prior to the first day of each session.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N Lava Flow Drive
or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Boredom Buster Day Camp Pre-Registration

Sign-up: Registration is now open
Date: Session 1: June 14-18; Session 2: July 19-23;
Session 3: July 26-30
Time: 1:00-3:00 pm
Fee: \$24/child
Age: Session 1: 3-5 years old; Sessions 2-3: 6-9 years old
Location: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
Description: The summer in Southern Utah gets
really hot, but kids still want to play! Why not sign them
up for a new day camp based out of the St George
Recreation Center. Kids will be busy running, jumping,
and playing games such as Pass the Chicken, Fitness
Skillastics, Barrel Racing Relays, Corkscrew and more!
Registration deadline is the Thursday prior to the first
day of each session.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ SHAC's Guard Start Summer Pre-Registration

Sign-Up: Pre-registration starts May 1st for both
sessions of Guard Start.
Date: Session One: June 1-30: 9am-1pm;
Session Two: July 1-31: 9am-1pm
Fee: \$65/ participant
Age: 10-15 year olds
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
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, and attitudes to prep them for future
lifeguard certification.
Register: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Contact: 627-4585

■ Skimboard Making Class Registration

Sign-Up: Pre-registration is now open
Date: Monday-Thursday, June 28-July 1
Time: 9:00 AM
Fee: \$50/ participant
Age: 10 years old & up
Location: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S 400 E
Description: Learn how to make your own skimboard
from scratch with detailed guidelines from our very own
instructor. Registration deadline is Thursday, June 24,
2010 at 6 pm.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ **Adult Softball Summer League**

Registration Sign-up: Registration is now open for Spring League play. Registration deadline is Saturday, May 8th. Late registration will be accepted until Saturday, May 15th with additional \$25 late fee.

Fee: \$385/ Double Header leagues;
\$285/ Single Header leagues

League Info: Games start at 6:30 pm each night. Games will begin the week of May 24, 2010. Divisions offered: Men's C, D & Novice (single and double headers); Women's D & E (single headers only); Co-Ed Recreational and Competitive (single and double headers)

Location: Canyons Complex, 1890 W. 2000 N.

and/or Little Valley, 2995 South 2350 East

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Summer Learn to Swim Program - Session 1**

Sign-up: Registration opens Saturday, May 1st.

Date: May 31-June 10 (Monday thru Thursday-2 wks)

Time: 9:15am, 10:00am, 10:45am, 11:30am,
5:00pm, or 5:45pm

Fee: \$30/youth

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

Description: Registration opens Saturday, May 1st. Swim levels 1 thru 6 along with Parent and Tot class will be taught.

Register: SHAC, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive

Contact: 627-4585

■ **St. George Ironman**

Date: Saturday, May 1

Fee: FREE

Time: 6:00am to Midnight

Location: Sand Hollow Reservoir to
Downtown St. George (Main St. - 100 West)

Description: Come watch and cheer on 2500 athletes as they test their limits in this grueling run, bike and swim endurance race.

■ **Youth Basketball Tournament**

Date: Saturday, May 1

Time: 8:00 am

Fee: \$100/team

Age: 6th-8th grade

Location: Dixie High School

Description: Each team (girls and boys) participating in the tournament will be guaranteed 2 games. The registration is April 23rd by 6pm.

Registration: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Spring Learn to Swim Program - Session 2**

Date: May 3-13 (Monday thru Thursday-2 wks)

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

Fee: \$30/youth

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

Description: Swim levels 1 thru 4 will be taught.

Register: SHAC, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive

Contact: 627-4585

■ **American Red Cross Lifeguarding Class**

Date: May 3-15 (Monday-Friday)

Fee: \$130/ participant

(includes a \$10 non-refundable fee)

Description: The first spring session of the American Red Cross Lifeguarding class will begin Monday, May 3, 2010 at 5:00 pm. The program will be held for two weeks, Monday through Friday. Registration deadline is Saturday, May 1, 2010 or until full.

Register: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N Lava Flow Drive

Contact: 627-4585

■ **American Red Cross WSI Certification Class**

Date: May 3-15 (Monday-Friday)

Fee: \$120/ participant

Description: American Red Cross professional certification course designed to train students as professional swim instructors. The program will be held for two weeks, Monday through Friday. Registration deadline is Saturday, May 1, 2010 or until full.

Register: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center,
1144 N Lava Flow Drive

Contact: 627-4585

■ **Safety Town On-Line Pre-Registration Only**

Sign-up: Wednesday, May 5

Time: 6:00 pm

Fee: \$36.00/child

Description: Keeping a child safe is a parent's priority; however parents cannot be with their children all the time. The City of St. George continues the tradition of offering the award winning Safety Town program. Kindergarten and 1st Grade in FALL 2010 vital safety skills. Session times available are 8:30am, 10:30am and 12:30 pm. Safety Town 2010 will be held at East Elementary School.

Register: On-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Kids' Pottery Wheel Class-Session 2**

Date: May 5 (Wednesday- 4 wks)

Time: 4:30-6:30 pm

Fee: \$65/student

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E.

Description: This class is designed for the beginner and intermediate potter. Students will learn how to center and make various items. All projects will be trimmed and glazed ready for use. Class fee includes one bag of clay, glazes and firings. Space is limited.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Adult Pottery Wheel Class- Session 2**

Date: May 5 (Wednesdays- 4 wks)

Time: 1:00-3:30 pm

Fee: \$85/person

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
400 E. 285 S.

Description: This class is designed for the beginner and intermediate potter. Students will learn how to center and make various items. All projects will be trimmed and glazed ready for use. Class fee includes one bag of clay, glazes and firings. Class size is limited so sign-up early.

Registration: St. George Recreation Center,
400 E. 285 S. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Be Healthy Dixie- Walk with Mayor McArthur**

Date: Wednesday, May 5

Time: 8:00 am

Fee: FREE

Location: The Springs Park, 2395 E. Springs Drive
Description: Mayor Dan McArthur is inviting community members to join him on his walks. Participants are encouraged to wear sturdy walking shoes and meet at the park's playground. For future scheduled walks visit www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Hershey Track Meet**

Date: Friday-Saturday, May 7-8

Time: Friday evening 5:00 pm; Saturday 8:30 am

Fee: FREE

Location: Pine View High School, 2850 E 750 N

Description: The county wide District Hershey Track meet is open for all youth ages 9-14 years of age. Students qualify through their individual schools. For more information contact the St. George Recreation Center.
Contact: 627-4560

■ **2nd Annual Dixie Spring Fever Pickleball Tournament ADULT SPORTS**

Date: Friday-Saturday, May 7-8

Time: TBA

Fee: \$20/participant; \$5 for each additional event sign-up

Location: TBA

Description: Break out your paddles for the Dixie Spring Fever tournament! There are multiple divisions to choose from, raffle prizes, great food and lots of fun!

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Garden Fair**

Date: Saturday, May 8th

Time: 9:00am - Noon

Fee: Free

Location: The Garden in Tonaquint Park

Description: Come and enjoy a day at The Garden in Tonaquint Park with booths, games, prizes, music and treats!

Contact: For more information call 673-3617
or email wvcd@utah.gov

■ **Saturday Morning Exploration: Green Celebration**

Date: Saturday, May 8

Time: 10:00 am

Fee: FREE

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center,
1851 S Dixie Drive

Description: Calling all Greenies! Come join us this weekend for a new Saturday Morning Exploration program at Tonaquint Nature Center! This month we are going to learn about our natural world through live animal and nature discovery, outdoor exploration, demonstrations, and crafts made from recycled materials. Children will get to take home their finished projects to share with the family. Whether you are a first-rate conservationist, or just starting to recycle, come join us on Saturday, May 8th, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. This family-centered program is free of charge and lasts approximately one hour. Come join the fun and you'll see- it's so easy to go green!

Contact: 627-4560

■ **St. George City Pool Summer Learn to Swim Program - Session 1**

Sign-up: Registration opens Saturday, May 8th.

Date: May 31-June 10 (Monday thru Thursday-2 wks)

Time: 10:30am, 11:15am, Noon

Fee: \$30/youth

Location: St. George City Pool, 700 S 250 E

Description: Registration opens Saturday, May 8th. Swim levels 1 thru 6 along with Parent and Tot class will be taught.

Register: St. George City Pool, 700 S 250 E or
SHAC, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive

Contact: 627-4584

■ **Skateboard Competition**

Date: Saturday, May 8

Time: 10:00 am

Fee: \$15/person- Pre-registered;
\$25/person Day-of event

Location: St. George Skate Park, 171 E. 1160 S.

Description: Each competitor will run twice for 45 seconds. The five highest scores will go to the final round. Competition includes drawings for prizes,

food and music. Four competition levels are offered: Novice (8 & under), Beginner, Intermediate and Open. Pre-registration deadline is May 7th at 6pm. **Register:** St George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E Lip Trix Board Shop, 511 East St. George Blvd or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560 or 628-2396

■ **Be Healthy Dixie- Walk with Mayor McArthur** ☀️

Date: Wednesday, May 19

Time: 8:00 am

Fee: FREE

Location: Pioneer Park, 500 N Red Hills Parkway

Description: The Mayor is going off paved trails this time. Join him and other community members as they trek around the Red Cliffs Desert Reserve. Participants are to meet at the park's pavilion area.

Contact: 627-4560

■ **St. George Art Museum Art Conversation** ☀️
Painter, Margaret Lefranc

Date: Thursday, May 20th

Time: 7:00 pm

Fee: Regular Admission

Location: St. George Art Museum

Description: Come join in our Art Conversation every 3rd Thursday of the Month with specially selected artists.

Contact: 627-4525

■ **Desert Rose**

Date: Saturday, May 22

Time: 10:00-11:00 am

Fee: FREE

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center, 1851 S Dixie Drive

Description: Roses can still be a part of a water-wise landscape. Choosing the right variety, soil preparation and care can all make the difference in your growing success. Sponsored by the Washington County Water Conservancy District.

Contact: Julie B. at 673-3617

■ **3rd Annual Midnight 5K**

Date: Friday, May 28

Time: 11:00 pm

Fee: \$25/runner

Location: Southgate Golf Course, 1975 South Tonaquint Drive

Description: Be ready to light of the night with a unique fun run. Runners will receive a t-shirt and lots of spectacular give-aways. Pre-registration deadline is Friday, May 21st at 6 pm. Late registration accepted until Wednesday, May 26th with an additional \$10 late fee.

Register: St George Recreation Center, 400 E. 285 S. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ **City of St. George Pool Summer Opening Day** ☀️

Date: Friday, May 28

Time: 1:00-8:00 pm

Fee: \$1.50/person for general;

\$4.25/person for general & hydrotube

Location: City of St. George Pool

Description: Make a splash this summer! Have fun at the City Pool & Hydrotube. The first 75 patrons will receive a free fountain drink and then from 2:00-3:00 pm entering patrons can be entered to win cool prizes.

Contact: 627-4584

■ **Junior Tennis Clinics** 🖐️

Session/Date: Session 1: Monday, May 31 and/or Wednesday, June 2 and/or Friday, June 4

Session 2: Monday, July 5 and/or Wednesday, July 7 and/or Friday, July 9

Time: 8:00-9:30 am

Fee: \$50/person-1 visit/wk; \$80/person-2 visits/wk; \$110/person-3 visits/wk or \$12 Drop-in

Age: 10 and up

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: Clinic is designed for High School players with high level drills, conditioning and matches. The clinic emphasizes on strokes and match play.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

June Events

■ **Family Sports Night at the SHAC** ☀️

Date: Wednesday Evenings (on-going)

Time: 6:30-9:00 pm

Fee: \$4.00 per person and/or passes apply

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

Description: Family fun at the SHAC on Wednesday evenings. Drop-in for jumbo water volleyball or spend some quality time with your family splashing in the pool or flying down the hydro-tube slide.

Contact: 627-4585

■ **US Masters Swim Program**

Date: Monday-Friday (on-going)

Time: 6:00-7:00 am; 10:30am-12:30pm; 7:00-8:00pm

Fee: \$4.00 per person and/or passes apply

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

Description: Any swimmer, age 18 and over will find a spot in a United States Masters Swimming program. Most programs include individuals with a broad range of abilities, from fitness and lap swimmers to tri-athletes and competitively minded swimmers. USMS maintains no criteria, nor imposes any requirements, based on time or technique for membership. On-deck coaching is present at each time slot.

Contact: 627-4585

■ **Youth Weekly Volleyball Clinic** 🖐️

Date: Thursday Evenings

Time: 5:00-6:30 pm

Fee: \$5.00/person/visit

Location: St George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E.

Description: This weekly clinic will focus on basic volleyball skills such as serving, passing, bumping, and digging. Instruction on individual levels and scrimmage play situations.

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Forever Fit**

Date: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Time: 10:30 am

Fee: \$2.00/person/visit

Location: St George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E.

Description: This class is ideal for older adults that are looking to get fit or wanting to maintain a healthy and active lifestyle regardless to his/her fitness ability. This multi-level class is designed to combine cardio and muscle toning into a fun workout while teaching ways to increase muscle strength and flexibility in daily functional skills.

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Country Line Dancing**

Date: Thursday Evenings

Time: 7:45-9:45 pm

Fee: \$5.00/person/visit

Location: St George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E.

Description: Join Sandy Carty as she teaches line dancing favorites such as "The Electric Slide" and "Ko-Ko-Mo Shuffle". Join in on the boot scootin fun.

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Stroke of the Week Tennis Clinic**

Date: Wednesdays (on-going)

Time: 9:00-10:30 am

Fee: \$10/person/ visit

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: Weekly clinic covering all strokes, giving detail instructions and performing liveball drills.

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Doubles and Singles Strategy Tennis Clinic**

Date: Saturdays (on-going)

Time: 9:00-10:30 am

Fee: \$10/person/ visit

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: The clinic is a mixture of liveball drills and instructions.

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Saturday Morning Tournament Play**

Date: Saturdays (on-going)

Time: 10:30 am-2:00 pm

Fee: \$5/player

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: Tournament format that includes a short set with consolation rounds and guaranteed players at least 2 matches. The Saturday Morning Tournament is open for all ages.

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Adult Tennis Clinics**

Date: Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays (on-going)

Time: 8:00-9:30 am

Fee: \$10/person/visit

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: Popular morning clinic to help you improve and work on game strategies and hitting.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

■ **Liveball Clinics**

Date: Mondays & Wednesdays (on-going)

Time: Mondays: 7:00-8:30pm, Wednesday: 7:00-9:00pm

Fee: \$5/person on Mondays;

\$10/person on Wednesdays

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex, 1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: Liveball is a non-instructional clinic with lots of hitting. This very popular clinic allows you to hit a lot of balls and get in a great workout.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

■ **Adult Softball Fall League Registration**

Sign-up: Registration is now open for Spring League play. Registration deadline is Saturday, July 24. Late registration will be accepted until Saturday, July 31st with additional \$25 late fee.

Fee: \$385/ Double Header leagues;

\$285/ Single Header leagues

League Info: Games start at 6:30 pm each night. Games will begin the week of August 9, 2010.

Divisions offered: Men's C, D & Novice (single and double headers); Women's D & E (single headers only); Co-Ed Recreational and Competitive (single and double headers)

Location: Canyons Complex, 1890 W. 2000 N. and/or Little Valley, 2995 South 2350 East

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ **Camp Atlantis Aquatic Day Camp** 🖐️

Pre-Registration

Sign-up: Registration is now open

Date: Session 1: July 5-9; Session 2: July 12-16

Time: 11:00am-1:00pm

Fee: \$35/ child

Age: 7-10 years

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

Description: A fun new day camp program based at the SHAC. Each session will include exciting group games, aquatic themed crafts, free splash time and instruction on basic aquatic safety skills. Registration deadline is the Thursday prior to the first day of each session.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Adventure Camp for Teens

Date: Session 1: June 7-10; Session 2: June 21-24
Session 3: July 5-8; Session 4: July 19-22

Time: 9:00-Noon

Fee: \$45/youth

Age: Grades 6-9th

Description: Each session will feature different activities such as hiking, mountain biking, canoeing and more. When registering, register the grade he/she will be attending in FALL 2010. Camp begins and ends each day at the St George Recreation Center. *Session 1 & 3 are the same activities; **Session 2 & 4 are the same activities

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Tonaquint Nature Center Day Camp- Wiggly Worms

Date: Session 1: June 7-11; Session 2: June 14-18

Time: 9:00am-Noon

Fee: \$40/child

Description: Each session will feature different activities that involve environmental education, natural science, and nature themed crafts and games. When registering, register the grade he/she will be attending in FALL 2010. Camp begins and ends each day at the Tonaquint Nature Center.

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center,
1851 S Dixie Drive

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Tonaquint Nature Center Day Camp - Crazy Crawdads

Date: Session 1: June 21-25; Session 2: June 28-July 2

Time: 9:00am-1:00pm

Fee: \$50/child

Description: Each session will feature different activities that involve environmental education, natural science, and nature themed crafts and games. When registering, register the grade he/she will be attending in FALL 2010. Camp begins and ends each day at the Tonaquint Nature Center.

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center,
1851 S Dixie Drive

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Tonaquint Nature Center Day Camp Pre-Registration

Sign-up: Registration is now open

Fee: Busy Bee: \$30/child; Tweety Bird: \$35/child;

Description: Each session will feature different activities. When registering, register the grade he/she will be attending in FALL 2010. Camp begins and ends each day at the Tonaquint Nature Center.

Busy Bees: (4 yrs during camp) 9-Noon,
Session I: July 26-28

Tweety Birds: (K-1st) 9-Noon, Session I: July 5-8;
Session II: July 12-15; Session III: July 19-22

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center,
1851 S Dixie Drive

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcity.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Quickstart Tennis Summer Session 1

Date: Tuesday, June 1 and/or
Thursday, June 3 (5 wks)

Time: 9:00-10:00 am

Fee: \$25/person- 1 visit/week;

\$40/person- 2 visits/week; \$6 Drop-in

Age: 4-9 years

Location: Tonaquint Tennis Complex,
1851 S. Dixie Drive

Description: An exciting new play format for learning tennis and bringing kids into the game by utilizing specialized equipment, short court dimensions and modified scoring. Class time includes stroke instruction and match play. Add \$20/person for a tennis racquet.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ City Pool's Guard Start

Date: Session One: June 1-30: 9am-1pm;
Session Two: July 1-31: 9am-1pm

Fee: \$65/ participant

Age: 10-15 year olds

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

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, and attitudes to prep them for future lifeguard certification.

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

Contact: 627-4585

■ Children's Multisport Clinic

Date: June 2 (Wednesdays-4wks)

Time: 10:30-11:30 am

Fee: \$20/child

Age: 3-6 years

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E.

Description: Help kids have fun playing sports, interact with other kids, improve instruction following skills, introduce coach-player interaction, learn the basics of basketball, baseball, soccer and football. The School of Ball concept is to coach each child at a level he/she requires in order to get to his/her next level. Come have fun at this 4-week clinic just for little ones.

Contact: 627-4560

■ Acro Gymnastics/Tumbling Class

Date: June 5 (Saturdays- 4 wks)

Time: 9:00am Beginner (5 yrs+);

10:00am Intermediate (7 yrs+);

11:00am Advanced (9yrs+)

Fee: \$24/student

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E.

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, handstands and much more! Space is limited to 30 students per session.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Skater Girlz Skateboard Camp

Date: June 7-10

Time: 9:00-10:30 am

Fee: \$25/ child

Age: 8-16 years

Location: SK8George Skateboard Park, 171 E 1160 S

Description: This summer camp is designed to teach beginner and intermediate skateboarders basic and intermediate maneuvers along with how to safely use ramps according to his/her ability. Each participant is required to wear a helmet. Registration deadline is June 3rd or until full.

Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Kids' Hand-Building Class-Summer Session 1

Date: June 8 (Tuesdays & Thursdays-3 wks)

Time: 12:00-1:00 on

Fee: \$50/student

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E.

Description: This class is designed to learn how to build pottery items with your hands. Students will make a pinch pot, a coil bowl, a slab box and an animal. All projects will be glazed and ready to enjoy at home. Space is limited.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Kids' Pottery Wheel Class-Summer Session 1

Date: June 8 (Tuesdays & Thursdays-3 wks)

Time: 10:00-11:30 am

Fee: \$65/student

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E.

Description: This class is designed for the beginner and intermediate potter. Students will learn how to center and make various items. All projects will be trimmed and glazed ready for use. Class fee includes one bag of clay, glazes and firings. Space is limited.

Register: St. George Recreation Center,
285 S. 400 E. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Adult Pottery Wheel Class- Summer Session 1

Date: June 8 (Tuesdays & Thursdays-3 wks)

Time: 1:30-3:30 pm

Fee: \$85/person

Location: St. George Recreation Center,
400 E. 285 S.

Description: This class is designed for the beginner and intermediate potter. Students will learn how to center and make various items. All projects will be trimmed and glazed ready for use. Class fee includes one bag of clay, glazes and firings. Class size is limited so sign-up early.

Registration: St George Recreation Center,
400 E. 285 S. or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Be Healthy Dixie- Walk with Mayor McArthur

Date: Wednesday, June 9

Time: 8:00 am

Fee: FREE

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

Description: Mayor Dan McArthur is inviting community members to join him on his walks. Participants are encouraged to wear sturdy walking shoes and meet at the park's playground. For future scheduled walks visit www.sgcityrec.org

Contact: 627-4560

■ Saturday Morning Exploration: Pond Seekers

Date: Saturday, June 12

Time: 10:00 am

Fee: FREE

Location: Tonaquint Nature Center,
1851 S Dixie Drive

Description: This Saturday, prepare to get a little "wet and wild" as we take a peek into Tonaquint

Pond. Come learn first-hand about wetland ecology. From frogs to fish, we will be exploring all the squiggly, swimmy and even slimy critters in our pond and along the Santa Clara River. This program begins at 10:00 a.m. and will run for approximately one hour. It's free, fun and perfect for the whole family! Make sure to dress to get dirty and plan to have a wet and wild good time!
Contact: 627-4560

■ Lil Grinders Skateboard Camp

Date: June 14-16
Time: 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$16/ child
Age: 6-8 years
Location: SK8George Skateboard Park, 171 E 1160 S
Description: This new summer camp is designed to teach beginner skateboarders basic and some intermediate maneuvers. Each participant is required to wear a helmet, kneepads and elbow pads. Registration deadline is June 10th or until full.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Jump To It Kids Summer Camp

Date: Session 1: June 14-17; Session 2: June 28-July 1; Session 3: July 12-16; Session 4: July 26-29
Time: 9:00-Noon
Fee: \$30/youth
Age: 1st-3rd grade for Fall 2010
Location: Sessions 1 & 3 @ Fire House Park, 1800 N Dixie Downs Rd
Sessions 2 & 4 @ Little Valley Park, 2350 East 2995 South Fire House Park
Description: Does your child have a little too much energy? If you are looking for a fun and interactive camp we have the solution. Each session will feature different games and activities such as Aqua Relay, Germ Bug Tag, Spiders and Flies, Frisbee Golf and much more. When registering, register the grade he/she will be attending in FALL 2010. Registration deadline is the Thursday prior to start of each new session.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Boredom Buster Day Camp

Date: Session 1: June 14-18; Session 2: July 19-23; Session 3: July 26-30
Time: 1:00-3:00 pm
Fee: \$24/child
Age: Session 1: 3-5 years old; Sessions 2-3: 6-9 years old
Location: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
Description: The summer in Southern Utah gets really hot, but kids still want to play! Why not sign them up for a new day camp based out of the St George Recreation Center. Kids will be busy running, jumping, and playing games such as Pass the Chicken, Fitness Skillastics, Barrel Racing Relays, Corkscrew and more! Registration deadline is the Thursday prior to the first day of each session.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Summer Learn to Swim Program - Session 2

Date: June 14-24 (Monday thru Thursday-2 wks)
Time: 9:15am; 10:00am; 10:45am; 11:30am; 5:00pm; or 5:45pm
Fee: \$30/youth
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Description: Swim levels 1 thru 6 along with Parent and Tot class will be taught.
Register: SHAC, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Contact: 627-4584

■ St. George City Pool Summer Learn to Swim Program - Session 2

Date: June 14-24 (Monday thru Thursday-2 wks)
Time: 10:30am, 11:15am, Noon
Fee: \$30/youth
Location: St. George City Pool, 700 S 250 E
Description: Swim levels 1 thru 6 along with Parent and Tot class will be taught.
Register: St. George City Pool, 700 S 250 E or SHAC, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Contact: 627-4584

■ St. George Art Museum Art Conversation Painter, Jim Jones

Date: Thursday, June 17th
Time: 7:00 pm
Fee: Regular Admission
Location: St. George Art Museum
Description: Come join in our Art Conversation every 3rd Thursday of the Month with specially selected artists.
Contact: 627-4525

■ Future Shredders Skateboard Camp

Date: June 21-24
Time: 9:00-10:30 am
Fee: \$25/ child
Age: 9-14 years
Location: SK8George Skateboard Park, 171 E 1160 S
Description: This new summer camp is designed to teach beginner skateboarders basic and some intermediate maneuvers. Each participant is required to wear a helmet. Registration deadline is June 17th or until full.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Camp Neptune Aquatic Day Camp

Date: Session 1: June 21-25; Session 2: June 28-July 2
Time: 11:00am-1:00pm
Fee: \$35/ child
Age: 4-6 years
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive
Description: A fun new day camp program based at the SHAC. Each session will include exciting group games, aquatic themed crafts, free splash time and instruction on basic aquatic safety skills. Registration deadline is the Thursday prior to the first day of each session.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N Lava Flow Drive or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560

■ Sand Hollow Aquatic Center's Summer Learn to Swim Program - Session 3

Date: June 28-July 8 (Monday thru Thursday-2 wks)
Time: 9:15am; 10:00am; 10:45am; 11:30am; 5:00pm; or 5:45pm
Fee: \$30/youth
Location: Sand Hollow Aquatic Center, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Description: Swim levels 1 thru 6 along with Parent and Tot class will be taught.
Register: SHAC, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Contact: 627-4584

■ St. George City Pool Summer Learn to Swim Program - Session 3

Date: June 28-July 8 (Monday thru Thursday-2 wks)
Time: 10:30am, 11:15am, Noon
Fee: \$30/youth
Location: St. George City Pool, 700 S 250 E
Description: Swim levels 1 thru 6 along with Parent and Tot class will be taught.
Register: St. George City Pool, 700 S 250 E or SHAC, 1144 N. Lava Flow Drive
Contact: 627-4584

■ Skimboard Making Class

Date: Monday-Thursday, June 28-July 1
Time: 9:00 AM
Fee: \$50/ participant
Age: 10 years old & up
Location: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E
Description: Learn how to make your own skimboard from scratch with detailed guidelines from our very own instructor. Registration deadline is Thursday, June 24, 2010 at 6 pm.
Register: St. George Recreation Center, 285 S 400 E or on-line at www.sgcityrec.org
Contact: 627-4560



Community Education

Community Education reflects the importance of strong partnership among homes, schools and communities. It is concerned with the delivery of recreational, social, cultural, vocational, academic and human services. Along with these programs, it features a process of mobilizing human resources, recognizing community needs and using public facilities and making a difference in the lives of the community members. Community Education offers a wide variety of classes for all ages. Check out our upcoming classes featured in our spring brochure coming out in December. The unique classes we offer include the following Fencing, Youtube ETC., Native Flute, Green Fair, Gardening, and Tai Chi.

**For more information please
visit our website at
www.ce.dixie.edu or
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City Services

Administration.....	627-4000
Airport.....	627-4080
Animal Shelter	627-4350
Building/Planning.....	627-4100
Business Licenses.....	627-4740
City Pool (700 So.)	627-4584
Community Arts	627-4525
Development Services.....	627-4120
Engineering	627-4050
Fire	627-4150
Leisure Services.....	627-4500
Parks	627-4530
Police.....	627-4301
Public Information.....	627-4005
Public Works.....	627-4050
Recorder.....	627-4003
Recreation Center/ Programs.....	627-4560
Sand Hollow Aquatic Center.....	627-4585
Streets	627-4020
Suntran	673-8726
Utilities.....	627-4700
Water/Energy Emergencies.....	627-4835
Water/Energy Conservation	627-4848



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 4:00pm at the City Office Building unless otherwise noticed.

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



Saturday, May 8th

9 a.m.—Noon

The Garden in Tonaquint Park
1851 S. Dixie Drive

St. George

Following the Water Walk

For more information call 673-3617

or email: wccd@utah.gov

Garden Fair!

The Garden



Southern Utah Water
Conservation Council

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