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Meeting Schedule 5:30 PM

City Council

April 1 April 15

Planning Commission

March 30 April 13

Post Office

Main Branch/New Service

Santa Clara: 628-2112

Satellite Post Office

Ivins: 628-1381

Utility Payment Drop Box

Ivins City Office

(north side of building)

Ivins Satellite Post Office

Phone Numbers:

<i>City Hall</i>	628-0606
<i>Animal Services</i>	628-1049
<i>Building/Zoning</i>	634-9753
<i>Justice Court</i>	634-5728
<i>Parks & Rec</i>	634-0689
<i>Police Dispatch</i>	634-5730
<i>Public Safety</i>	674-5503
<i>Public Works</i>	634-0689
<i>Emergencies</i>	911

We're Throwing a Party

Chris Hart, Mayor

We're throwing a big party for ourselves and we've invited a lot of guests. I'm referring of course to the 1st annual Ivins Fitness Festival less than a month away on Saturday May 1st at UNITY Park from 9:00 am until 5:00 pm. It is being held in conjunction with the Ford St. George Ironman that is bringing more than 2,000 athletes and 10,000 visitors to our area. The 112 mile cycling stage of the triathlon passes by UNITY Park on 400 South twice that day during our festival hours. UNITY Park turns out to be the best place to watch that leg of the race so we're seizing the opportunity to invite everyone to come see our beautiful City and join with us in a celebration of health and fitness. Spectators will be bussed to Ivins from downtown St. George and we expect more than 2,000 of them to join us for the festivities.



Red Mountain Resort & Spa and The Biggest Loser Resort at Fitness Ridge are health and fitness icons in Ivins and symbolize a health conscious attitude that is pervasive in our community. They have agreed to be our major sponsors helping to plan and fund the event. They are participating with demonstrations, training and are even bringing celebrity guests to inspire all of us to work a little harder at keeping ourselves in shape. The Planet 94.1 will also play a big roll by promoting the event and covering it with a live broadcast while their professional announcers introduce the entertainment on the main stage. Tuacahn is yet another significant contributor providing sound equipment and expertise as well as event tickets to be awarded in the drawings. And we want to thank Snow Canyon Clinic whose staff will also be there to help you evaluate some of your health needs.

Plan on coming and spending the day. In addition to watching 2,200 cyclists come screaming by the aid station there will be a variety of health and fitness exhibits and demonstrations to see, a stunning array of artists on hand, and continuous entertainment, events, contests and activities for all age groups to enjoy. The tennis courts will become an area for viewing martial arts and other sports demonstrations and for participating in things like Zumba, line dancing and other types of exercise programs. We'll also have a bunch of food vendors on hand selling all kinds of good things to eat.

This is a chance for Ivins to really "strut its stuff". We'll have many visitors with us that day from all over the country that will be seeing Ivins and meeting us for the first time. They will be impressed by both I'm sure. Please make them feel welcome and be courteous and helpful. The Ivins Fitness Festival is an annual event and we want them to come back. This is such a great opportunity for us to promote our City and our local businesses so let's make the best of it.

Scott Raine and the Fitness Festival Committee have done an outstanding job of planning this grand celebration. We need a lot more help however. 100 volunteers will be required for the day of the event so any of you civic minded folks who would be willing to help please contact Scott at scott@rainefamily.com or sign up at City Hall. You'll get a colorful T-shirt with the Ivins Fitness Festival logo on it in exchange for your effort.

If you're interested in participating in the various contests you may sign up at City Hall after April 5th or you can wait and sign up at the park. Slots are available on a first come first serve basis. It's going to be a blast my friends so bring the whole family and join in the fun. Driving elsewhere will be difficult that day due to the race so stay here and be a part of the biggest event Ivins has ever held. Believe me, you won't want to miss this one.

First Annual Ivins Fitness Festival Being Held May 1st.

Scott Raine, Festival Chair



Ivins City is excited about its first annual **Ivins Fitness Festival** to be held at UNITY Park on Saturday, May 1st from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm. This is the day of the Ford St.

George Ironman competition which will take place in Washington County with competitors participating in a 2.4 mile swim, a 112 mile bicycle race and a 26.2 mile marathon. Ivins' UNITY Park is the official viewing area for the cycling portion of the competition as participants will race past it twice.

The **Ivins Fitness Festival** is being designed as a fun, exciting and relaxing day of activities for all ages. The primary sponsors for the Fitness Festival are **Red Mountain Resort & Spa, The Biggest Loser Resort at Fitness Ridge, Tuacahn** and the **Planet 94.1**. Admission to UNITY Park is free but tickets will be sold for select midway activities and all the great food will be for sale. Some of the activities being planned for the Fitness Festival include:

- **5 and 10 K-ayenta** early morning fun runs beginning at 6:30 am in UNITY Park, continuing to or through Kayenta and returning back to UNITY Park. The entry fee is \$10.00 and Ivins Fitness Festival T-shirts will be included.
- The **Mayor's Walk** from Tuacahn to UNITY Park beginning at 7:30 am at Tuacahn and proceeding along the base of the mountain on the dike to either the 200 East trailhead (1/2 hour walk), The Ivins Animal Shelter (45 minute walk), or to UNITY Park (1 hour walk). Shuttles will return you to your cars parked at Tuacahn. Registration is \$5.00 with an Ivins Fitness Festival T-shirt or free without one. There's even a dog walking division. Bring your own on a leash or borrow one from the Ivins Animal Shelter to walk along with you if you like.
- **Fitness Related Displays and Demonstrations** will be provided by Red Mountain Resort & Spa, The Biggest Loser Resort at Fitness Ridge and dozens of other area health, wellness and fitness related businesses and organizations.
- **Demonstrations and Sports Activities** – Learn more about a variety of individual and group activities including Zumba, dancing, pickle ball, martial arts and much more.
- More than 25 select artisans for **Ivins Art in the Park**, an offering of special and unique jewelers, painters, sculptors, potters, and much more.
- Great free **Entertainment** featuring former Biggest Loser contestant and recording artist Dan Evans and other musical groups from throughout the area. Some of your favorite Biggest Loser contestants from the past will be there to tell their stories, shake your hand and sign autographs.
- A special **Children's Fitness and Activity area** where our first ever **"Trike-athlon"** for younger children featuring a slip 'n slide, a tricycle race and a fun run will take place near the splash pad. The big inflatable slide, bounce house and obstacle course will be there too along with the mini train for the kids to enjoy.

- **3 on 3 Basketball** as well as other fun sports related competitions for teens and adults. Volleyball courts will be set up so bring your teammates. Soccer "Goal Kick", football "Target Passing" and baseball "Fast Pitch" and "Batter Up" inflatable games to test your skills.
- **Special activities** for youth, teens and adults including the National Guard climbing wall, unique inflatable amusements like the "Bungee Trampoline", "Bungee Run" and "Wrecking Ball" along with Best Buy's Nintendo "Wii Indoor Sports Wall" just for fun.
- A variety of great **Food and Beverages** available for sale including wraps & brats from Xetava Gardens Cafe, Philly steak sandwiches from the Boulevard Bistro, Rae's Navajo tacos, Tamale in a Can, Q4U, smoothies, salads, burgers and other fun festival food featuring great local vendors.
- **Friends of Ivins Animal Shelter (FIAS)** displays and demonstrations on **Pet Health**.
- **Drawings to win** Nintendo Wii game systems, Tuacahn event tickets and Camp Chef products.
- An opportunity to **watch and cheer** the Ironman competitors as well as just relax and enjoy this special day.

Parking around UNITY Park will be limited because of street closures in conjunction with the Ironman. Ivins City is creating additional parking areas and free parking will also be available at Tuacahn with shuttle transportation provided throughout the day. If you live close enough, please consider walking, after all, it is a fitness festival.

Whether you are young or old, live an active lifestyle or just want to relax, there will be something for everyone during the First Annual Ivins Fitness Festival. The entire community is invited and encouraged to visit UNITY Park on this special day. I suggest you come dressed for active fun and bring "get wet" clothing for the kids if it's a warm day. The Ironman organization will be providing continuous transportation between downtown St. George and UNITY Park for visitors to come and watch the Ironman cycling competition as well as enjoy the Ivins Fitness Festival. In addition to many fun and special activities for Ivins residents, the Ivins Fitness Festival is a great way to showcase our great community.

Specific schedules and additional detailed information about the Ivins Fitness Festival are now being finalized and will be available beginning April 12 in a special section of the Ivins City website (www.ivins.com) or in print form at the Ivins City offices. Detailed schedules and information will also be published in the "Where It's At" entertainment supplement of The Spectrum on Friday April 16, 23 and 30. Some competitions and activities require signing up for a slot. That can be accomplished at the Ivins City offices as well after April 5th or at UNITY Park the day of the event on a first come first served basis.

If you would like to learn more, or get involved with a specific portion of the Ivins Fitness Festival, send an email to Fitness Festival chairman Scott Raine at scott@rainefamily.com and it will be forwarded to the chairman of the specific area mentioned in your request. You can also call the Ivins City offices.

Time to Inspect Your Sprinkler System

David Glenn, Public Works Director



Spring is nearly here, and so is the outdoor watering season. Now is a good time to check your sprinkler systems for problems. Several problems with systems can occur during the off-season including broken or damaged pipes, sprinkler heads, or backflow devices. Since most sprinkler systems are programmed to operate in the middle of the night or early morning hours when most people are still asleep, broken pipes or sprinkler heads may not be realized. The result is unnecessary water waste and higher water bills. Check for problems during the daytime by manually turning on your system and make repairs before programming the system to automatically operate at night. Adjust the sprinkler heads to water your lawns, not the sidewalks or streets. If you are unfamiliar with your system, call a sprinkler system repair company to inspect the system. Always remember to turn off your system when there has been sufficient rainfall.

The Washington County Water Conservancy District offers free water checks between May 15th and September 30th that will identify the best watering schedule to fit your needs based on soil type and landscaping. In addition, the District offers a rebate program for the installation of a Smart Water Application Technology device, also known as a SWAT device. These devices eliminate the need for homeowners to constantly adjust their irrigation clocks, but still water according to the landscaping needs. For more information, contact the District at 673-3617 or visit <http://wcwcd.state.ut.us/Conservation.htm>.



Water, Wastewater, Storm Drain Rates

Judy Gubler, City Manager

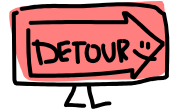


In 2007 a study was completed to structure user rates for Culinary Water, Wastewater, and Storm Drain services to collect adequate revenue to meet projects costs to operate and maintain the delivery systems. The rates that were approved in 2007 included a Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) each year. After review of each of the Enterprise Funds it was determined that an increase in Water and Wastewater rates was not necessary for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2010. The City Council amended the rates for Water and Wastewater on March 18, 2010 and there will be no increase to the rates currently charged. Storm Drain projects have been completed and bonded for and the anticipated increase established in 2007 will still be necessary. There will be a \$0.41 increase in residential rates for Storm Drain as approved in 2007 effective July 1, 2010.

Road Closures & Traffic Detours For May 1st Ironman Sgts. Tracy Marrott & Jay Randall, Public Safety

Ironman St. George is one of the largest Special Events experienced by the St. George and Ivins area. Ivins City will be hosting a segment of the bicycle race for this first annual event. The route will enter Ivins City at **Pioneer Parkway on 400 East**. The participants will **travel north on 400 East to 400 South**. Participants will then **turn west on 400 South and continue past UNITY Park to Highway 91**. **400 South and 400 East will have very limited access during the event.**

Closures and Detours you need to know:



- Traffic north of 400 South will be routed to Center Street and Snow Canyon Parkway.
- Traffic south of 400 South will be directed to Old Highway 91.
- The city will essentially be divided in half with two limited access points for traveling north and south.
 - North and south cross traffic will be allowed on 200 East at 400 South
 - Puerto Drive will be opened for access to Santa Clara at 590 South for the duration of the event. The road has been deemed unsafe for pedestrian traffic, but the barricades will be removed to facilitate free movement of vehicle traffic in and out of Ivins on May 1.
- The access point at 200 East and 400 South will be regulated by traffic officers allowing for limited North/South movement.

Parking for the Fitness Festival and Ironman Competition spectators will be at the following locations:

- Tuacahn, a shuttle will be available from Tuacahn to UNITY Park
- 400 West, south of 400 South
- 100 West, north of 400 South
- 200 West and 400 West
- There will be no parking allowed on 400 South Street and 400 East Street as it is the race route. Residents who live on these streets will be allowed in and out of their neighborhoods via one-way travel. Again, these residents will be contacted by Public Safety on the specifics before the event to ensure they have access to their residence.



We are in the process of acquiring additional parking areas for spectators. We will post signs guiding spectators to additional off-street parking prior to the event.

Please help us ensure the safety of these athletes by planning ahead for this event. The event road closures and traffic control will start at 8:00 a.m. and continue until 5:00 p.m. For additional information please visit <http://ironmanstgeorge.com>.

The Pet Corner

Robin Kirker, Animal Control/Shelter Manager
Tracey Welsh, Friends of Ivins Animal Shelter

Greetings from Ivins Animal Shelter

The warm weather is finally here! Every sunny day the shelter dogs and cats bask in the sun in their dog runs and outdoor play area. Unfortunately, along with the great weather, come more lost or unwanted Ivins animals in our shelter. Please remember one of the most important life saving things you can do for your pet is to attach an identification tag to his/her collar. We have a tremendous need for some wonderful people who would like to foster a dog or cat in their home. Right now we especially need foster homes for cats. Occasionally an animal won't do well in a noisy shelter atmosphere and would greatly benefit being in a home environment until they find their "forever home". Our goal is to establish a larger list of pre-approved foster homes for dogs and cats. All animals will be completely vaccinated, spayed or neutered and food will be supplied. If you can open your heart and home to an animal in need please contact the Shelter at 628-1049. Thank you and enjoy the sunshine!

Pet of the Month



Minnie is a Lab/Pit Bull mix. Her personality is sweet and loving just like a Lab. As you can see from her picture, she loves to carry her toy with her all of the time. She is great with adults, kids and all dogs. However she is a little shy until she gets to know you. PLEASE make an appointment to meet Minnie because she deserves a loving "forever home" where she will feel safe.

Greetings from Friends of Ivins Animal Shelter

The donation request for April is dry dog food. We especially need puppy chow because we are completely out. The Great Dane mix puppies really liked to eat! They now both have great homes, one in Massachusetts and one in Vermont.

Pet of the Month Update



Remington has a wonderful home in Bloomington. He romps and plays with his new sister daily. Remington loves his new family and home.

Princess Anne is still looking for her "forever home". Please come to the shelter and meet her because we know you will love her.



Pound Puppy Gala

Cheers, Howls and Meows!!! Join the fun on the night of April 24th at Red Mountain Resort & Spa for the 2nd Annual Pound Puppy Gala, benefiting the Friends of Ivins Animal Shelter. Stars of National Geographic Channel's DogTown, John Garcia and Jeff Popowich, from Best Friends Animal Society in Kanab will be the keynote speakers, sharing details on Jeff's recent rescue trip to Haiti and insight into the benefits of a no-kill shelter. Chef Dale Van Sky promises to delight again with a buffet dinner. There will be a live and silent auction, featuring a behind the scenes tour of Best Friends, along with local artwork, spa visits and more. Tickets are \$65 per person. To purchase tickets call Jayme Morgan at Red Mountain 435-652-5788.



Scheduled Power Outage

David Glenn, Public Works Director

Most of you recently received a postcard in the mail from Rocky Mountain Power notifying you of a scheduled power outage to occur on Sunday, April 11th between 7 a.m. and 4 p.m. The notification, however, was not clear on what areas will be affected. After speaking with a RMP representative, the areas that will be affected include: all areas north of 400 South and east of 200 East; areas along and north of Center Street; and the Kayenta area. There may be some isolated areas that are unknown at this time. RMP advises that this work is an expansion of an existing circuit and is necessary to provide better service. This project must also be completed before the summer electrical demand increases. Why Sunday when most people are home? The main reason is because school is out and most businesses are closed. If you have additional questions, you can contact RMP at 1-888-221-7070.



Help Tuacahn Traffic And Earn Free Tickets

Scott Raine

Tuacahn Center for the Arts is a beautiful facility in our community. Tuacahn has a great line up of 2010 spring and fall concerts, along with *Broadway in the Desert* productions of Disney's Tarzan, Cats and Crazy for You.

To help reduce the traffic delays sometimes encountered when leaving Tuacahn, we are organizing a group of volunteers to assist with the traffic flow for vehicles going onto Snow Canyon Parkway. The Ivins City Public Safety Department will provide training and Tuacahn will provide free show tickets, based on the number of service hours provided.

If you are interested in becoming a member of this group, please send an email to Scott Raine at Tuacahn (sraine@tuacahn.org). Your service will help make a visit to Tuacahn even better for those attending 2010 concerts and productions.

April Planning Commission and City Council Agenda Items

Judy Gubler, City Manager



The following are some of the topics that will be discussed at April Planning Commission and City Council meetings (the first Planning Commission meeting for April will actually occur on March 30). This is not a complete list and the complete agendas will be posted on the web site www.ivins.com 5 to 7 days prior to

the meetings (see meeting dates on front page) and agendas may be amended up to 24 hours prior to a meeting. If you have questions regarding any of the agenda items please call or e-mail. Kevin Rudd can be reached at 634-9753 or krudd@ivins.com for Planning Commission questions and Kari Jimenez can be reached at 628-0606 or kjimenez@ivins.com for City Council questions.

Planning Commission March 30, 2010

- Review of Sign Ordinance (Zoning Ordinance) for Real Estate per request from Jon Ence
- Review of Subdivision and Zoning regulations regarding lot grading between projects and between lots

Planning Commission April 13, 2010

- Public Hearing on beer license for Red Mountain Market (formerly Roy's Market)
- Discussion of Commercial Zones with Form Tomorrow


City Council April 1, 2010

- Business License Ordinance changes to allow mobile catering like Ice Cream Trucks
- Discussion of Old Township improvements
- Bond for Old Township improvements
- Animal Ordinance changes and Memorandum of Understanding with FIAS
- Amendments to Volunteer policies
- FYE 2011 Budget discussion

City Council April 15, 2010

- Report by Becky Schroath, Miss Ivins
- Public Hearing on beer license for Red Mountain Market (formerly Roy's Market)

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- * Pay Your Utility Bill Online
- * Register for Recreation Activities
- * Download Forms
- * Find Out About Upcoming Events and Activities

Upcoming Special Events

Spokes For Hope Bike Ride: April 10, 2010. This event is an all women's charity bike ride to benefit the Dove Center in Washington County. For additional information contact Margaret Gibson at (435) 467-5247.

Red Mountain 50K, Ultra Marathon: April 24, 2010. Participants for this event will meet at 6:30 a.m. at UNITY Park and ride busses to Central. The marathon ends at UNITY Park. There will be runners on Highway 91 from Gunlock turnoff to 400 South where they will enter Ivins.

Ironman Competition: May 1, 2010. Additional info can be found on the Ironman St. George website: <http://www.ironmanstgeorge.com/>.

Public Safety asks that we all use caution during special events and watch for runners and bicyclists on the roadways.

Dixie Garden Tour

Kim Ence, Committee Chairwoman

We are pleased to announce the annual Dixie Garden Tour will be viewing 10 yards and gardens from the Ivins and Kayenta area. This years' tour will be Saturday April 24th from 10 am to 3 pm. Tickets will be \$10, available at Star Nursery (both locations), Plant World, and Garden Sprout in Santa Clara. This annual tour is a great showcase for plants that thrive in our desert soil while giving locals a chance to visit some of their neighbors gardens. All ticket proceeds are used to award scholarships at Dixie State College. Please come and invest in your community and your garden savvy.

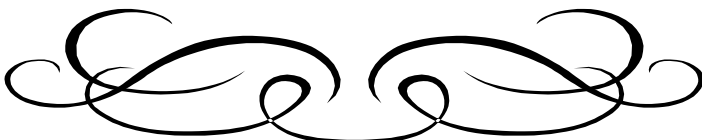


Upcoming Dumpster Dates:

April 17, 2010
May 22, 2010



April 24, 2010
June 12, 2010



Old Township Improvements Meeting

Judy Gubler, City Manager

Mayor Hart, the City Council and City Staff have been discussing ways to reduce the costs of completing the improvements in the Old Township and are exploring better ways to fund them. As an essential component of our Storm Water Management Plan required by the Clean Water Act we simply can't ignore them any longer. A meeting has been set for **April 8th at Red Mountain Elementary School at 7:00 p.m.** to discuss our options. All residents in the Old Township (between 200 East and 200 West and 450 North and 400 South) are invited to attend this meeting to obtain more detailed information and have their questions answered.



Desert Willow Trees Available to Ivins Residents

Daniel Pettegrew, World Peace Gardens

It's that time of year again for Spring planting and native desert willow trees from Daniel Pettegrew and the World Peace Gardens non-profit foundation, www.WorldPeaceGardens.org

The desert willow tree (*Chilopsis Linearis*) will help beautify our area by growing up to 20 feet tall and providing beautiful pink and white orchid-type blossoms most of the spring and summer. Desert willows grow easily in the desert heat providing shade for your home and attracting hummingbirds.

The trees are bare root (between 6 inches and 2 feet tall) and ready to plant. With sufficient watering they will grow between 3 to 5 feet in one season. There is a limited supply and there is a \$2 donation for each tree. Those who are interested please contact Daniel at: Daniel@WorldPeaceGardens.org, please provide your name and email/phone # and how many trees (up to 3 trees per household) you would like. Thank you.



Desert Willow Tree
(*Chilopsis Linearis*)

I Apologize

Chris Hart, Mayor

A few years ago I was talking with a long time resident about a period before Ivins had its own police force when the limited law enforcement presence here made it possible for certain criminal types that he referred to as "riff raff" to reside here unnoticed. I used that term in my last newsletter article describing that very situation and a couple of our founding family members misread it to mean all of our older residents. I went to their home to apologize in person and had a delightful visit with them. I explained to them that I hold the settlers and senior residents of Ivins in the highest regard. They came to what was then called the Santa Clara Bench and began to farm the dry desert landscape. They built their homes here and with determination and hard work they carved an irrigation canal to the reservation, installed the first water line flowing off the mountain. Many of them have served on City Councils and as Mayors doing everything they could to build this wonderful City that we all now enjoy. These good people and their families have earned my deepest respect & appreciation. On behalf of the City I thank them for all they have done. To them and any others I may have offended I offer my sincere apologies.



Ivins Heritage Days and Arts & Crafts Festival

Linda Elwell, Chair

Mayor Hart and the Ivins City Council has established the second Saturday in October for our yearly Ivins Heritage Arts & Crafts Festival. This will be an annual event on the same weekend every year in conjunction with our previously established Heritage Days Celebration week. We are looking forward to a great celebration this year to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the incorporation of Ivins City.

The Committee is looking for more volunteers to chair sub-committees. We are also ready to accept applications from vendors. Please contact Linda Elwell by email at lindafias@msn.com or call 673-1718. More information will be in the May issue of the newsletter. Thank you for your continued support of Ivins Heritage

Days!

Sand Hollow Aquatic Center

Ivins City has an inter-local agreement with the City of St. George that allows Ivins residents to use the Sand Hollow Aquatic Center for the resident rate. This is a great facility that offers year round water fun and fitness. There is a leisure pool for fun and a lap pool for fitness, they offer swimming lessons and a variety of special events throughout the year. It is a wonderful facility and we encourage you to take advantage of the opportunity to use it. 1144 Lava Flow Drive—634-5938.

Ivins Parks & Recreation

Benny Sorensen, Parks Director

As we continue our planning for our summer events, we are repeating our call for people to help with planning, organizing and implementing of the annual July 24th Pioneer Day Celebration. The July 24th Celebration has three separate activities going on that overlap each other just a little. We have the Pancake breakfast at 7:00 am, the Parade at 9:00 am and the activities/vendors in the park at 10:00 am. We would like to have a few people to help organize each of these activities and also be there to make sure the plans are carried out on the day of the event. We hope this will make this event better and more fun each year. If you would like to be involved and can commit some of your time to help, please call Tami at the Parks and Recreation Office 634-0689.

Glory Sports 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament

This tournament is part of the Ivins Fitness Festival that is being held in conjunction with the Ironman St. George event.

Date: April 30th and May 1st, 2010

Age: 10 to Adult - all skill levels.

Entry Fee: \$125 per team (for up to 5 players before the early deadline, add \$10 after)

Location: UNITY Park

Registration Deadlines: Early is April 18 and late is April 25.

We are limited to 32 teams and we will fill up fast so don't wait, register today.

To Register go to www.glorysportstour.com. For more information call Travis @ (435) 229-9100.



Classes and Program Updates

Acro Gymnastics/Tumbling Classes

These classes are designed to help develop flexibility, balance, coordination, muscle strength, and tumbling skills. The classes are divided into ability levels in order to give the students a more individualized program. Each one-hour class (45 minutes for the 2-4 age group) consists of skill training. Students may have opportunities periodically to participate in performances and/or demonstrations to show what they are learning. Classes are on-going with new sessions every four to six weeks.

Dance & Musical Theater and Acting Classes

We are offering Dance, Musical Theater and Acting Classes for Children and Teens. Classes are on-going with new sessions beginning every six or seven weeks. Classes in Tap Dancing, Ballet & Jazz Techniques are currently being taught. Next session will begin soon.



Zumba

Zumba eliminates the "work" from "working out" by combining amazing, irresistible Latin and international music with dynamic, yet simple exercise moves, using their unique intermittent training format.

Yoga

Monday 8:00 am - Gentle Yoga - all levels

Monday 9:00 am - Power Vinyasa Yoga - some experience

Wednesday 5:45 - Gentle Yoga - all levels

Cost: \$6.50 per class, \$26 for 4 classes, \$52.00 for 8 classes. Classes are taught by Kim Nally. Kim is a resident of Ivins and a certified yoga instructor with the Yoga Alliance, recently completing her RYT 500. Kim has taught Vinyasa Yoga to adults since 2005.

Anyone, no matter their fitness level, can practice yoga. Just come with an open mind, a willingness to learn, and a smile because we even smile and laugh! Kim will include breathing techniques and beginning meditation with the yoga postures. Yoga is ideally practiced on an empty stomach. Dress in loose-fitting, comfortable clothing - best practiced barefoot. Yoga mats are provided, but feel free to bring your own.



Tennis Lesson

Classes are taught on the tennis courts at UNITY Park (400 S. 300 W.) by Dylan Christensen.

Fees for classes are \$35 per participant for a five week session, class size is limited to eight students and you must register prior to attending the class at the Ivins City Offices (55 N. Main) or online at www.ivins.com. Please bring a tennis racquet if you have one, if you don't one will be provided for you.

Spring Session #2

Classes begin on Saturday May 8th and end June 12, 2010 (no lessons on May 29th, Memorial Day Weekend).

12 to 16 yrs old - Adv. Beginner/Intermediate 8:00-8:50am

11 to 16 yrs old - Beginners 9:00-9:50am

7 to 10 years old - Beginners 10:00 to 10:50 am

If you have any questions, call Ivins Parks and Recreation at 634-0689 or email Mr. Christensen at dylanrc@msn.com.

Vandalism and other areas of concern

We did have some graffiti at Ivins City Park in March, someone took a black magic marker and wrote on the play structure, the pavilion poles and the women's restroom. The police have taken a report and will catch our vandals.

Another area of concern is that dogs are being allowed to wander off leash in city parks. Ivins city ordinance allows dogs in city parks only if they are on a leash and under the control of a person. If you do have your dog with you in the park, please clean up after them and please try not to let them urinate on the grass. Dog urine kills the grass. Dogs and cats are not allowed AT ALL in the baseball fields, tennis courts and splash pad area. We do have an off leash area for dogs located on 600 West at about 800 North.

Community Education Programs

Community Education is offering Kreative Kids at Red Mountain Elementary every Friday from 1:30—2:30. The class has a new arts and crafts activity every week. Call Community Education for more information (435) 652-7675 or visit our website at ce.dixie.edu.

Transportation/Bus Service Survey

Ivins City received a tentative proposal from St. George City to expand SunTran bus service to serve Ivins City. Completion of this survey is important information for Ivins City to understand and plan for the transportation needs of residents. It is important for any resident that will use SunTran or other bus service to fill out and **return this survey to City Hall no later than April 30, 2010.**

1. If there was a bus system that was open to the public, would you ride on it?
Yes _____ No _____ Don't know _____
2. Preferred pick-up/drop off location in Ivins _____ Desired Pick-up Time _____ AM _____ PM Days of Week _____M____T____W____Th____F____S
3. Preferred destination location _____ Desired Return Time _____ AM _____ PM Days of Week _____M____T____W____Th____F____S
4. Assuming that a transit system could meet your transportation needs, how much would you be willing to pay for a round trip? \$_____
5. Wheel chair accommodations required? ___Yes ___No
6. Physical disability needs (please list) _____
7. What is your primary interest:

___ Paratransit ___ Citywide Transit ___ Both

Comments and/or additional needs:_____



Help Us Name 200 East

Judy Gubler, City Manager

The City Council is interested in hearing your suggestions for the naming of 200 East so it achieves a "Boulevard" or "Parkway" designation. A name they like is "Red Mountain Boulevard", but they wanted to receive input from residents before making a decision. Addresses on 200 East will not change and street signs will include both the road name designation and 200 East.

Please submit your suggestions for the name for 200 East on this form and return to Ivins City Hall, 55 N. Main, Ivins, UT 84738 no later than April 30, 2010.



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SUGGESTED NAME FOR 200 EAST _____

Thoughts in support of the name suggested _____
