Ivins City Parks & Recreation
Staff Report September 7, 2017

Movies in the Park went well this year, we had good crowds for each movie. It was nice to have The Southern Utah Veteran's Home and Avalon Health Care be a sponsor again this year and have free treats for movie watchers each week.

Star Party – The St. George Astronomy Group held a Star Party at UNITY Park on August 28, in conjunction with the Utah Symphony. It wasn't a huge party and there were a few clouds, but everyone seemed to have a good time!

Flag Football – We start next week, we have 9 teams in the 6 to 8 year old group and 6 teams in the 9 to 12 age group with 139 registered players at this point.

Heritage Days planning is in full operation and we will be ready.

Tournaments - We have another SU baseball tournament scheduled at UNITY Park on September 15 & 16

We will have the Utah Youth Soccer Association playing games on Saturdays at UNITY Park during September and October when we don't have other events scheduled.

The Splash Pad has been busy this summer and we have not had any real problems with it other than we have to keep reminding people to not plug the drains. We will close it for the season on the last weekend of September.

Parks - We are continuing our routine of keeping Fire Lake clean, mowing, Safety inspections and weed killing, plus trimming/cleaning of all areas.

Staff will continue working on Desert Rose and hope to have everything finished this fall.

Cemetery – No burials in the month of August.

Vandalism of bollards on Center Street – We have had someone decide that the best way to let people know that a light is out is to scratch or write (in paint pen that may or may not be removable) the words "lite out". The scratching was done quite a while ago and it looks like it could be the same person, they have just started to use paint.


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