Ivins City Parks & Recreation
Staff Report March 2, 2023

Youth Basketball – Our 20th year has gone well and will finish tonight. Sarah did a great job, and usual.

Coming events if all goes well!

Baseball Registration
2023 Ivins T-Ball (ages 5&6) and Rookie (coach pitch – ages 7&8) registration opens March 1, 2023 online at ivins.com and in person at City Hall! More information at ivins.com.
Age for each division is determined by the child's age on July 1st. For example: If your child turns 5 before July 1st they are old enough to play T-ball. If a child turns 7 before July 1st, they must play Rookie.

The Red Mountain 55k, 30k and Dirty Hurty Half Marathon Trail Run – March 4, 2023 – 6:30 a.m.
To register and for more information go to http://www.redmountain50k.com

2023 Hog and Jog 5k Fun Run
Saturday, April 8, 2023 at 8:00 a.m.
Come out to the 8th Annual Hog and Jog Family Fun Run and join in the Festivities. With music on the course and Hog and Jog Selfie Stations, you'll be able to celebrate and run at the same time!
We are excited to announce that Tan's Treats will once again be our Charity for 2023!
Register at http://www.hogandjog5k.com/

2023 Easter Egg Hunt
Easter Egg Hunt - Saturday, April 8, 2023 at 9:00 a.m. after the Hog & Jog 5k at UNITY Park (200 W 400 S) on the large baseball/soccer field. All participants must provide their own Easter Basket.
The divisions for this year will be:
Division 1 - 4 years old and Under
Children in Division 1 must have the ability to walk and pick up eggs without assistance from parents; however, one parent may be in the hunting area with their child to give guidance and direction.
Division 2 - Ages 5, 6, 7 and 8
Division 3 - Ages 9, 10, 11 and 12 No parents will be allowed to help in Divisions 2 and 3!

Geology Lecture
Wednesday March 29th at 7pm at Ivins City Hall (85 N Main)

THE GEOLOGICAL HISTORY OF THE PINE VALLEY MOUNTAINS
If you've ever wondered about the origin of the Pine Valley Mountains (PVMs) then this is the presentation for you. Geologist, Marc Deshowitz will discuss the geologic history of our region and explain how and when the Pine Valley Mountains formed as well as a new idea that might provide more detail about their genesis. The PVMs are believed to be the largest feature of its kind on our planet which makes this presentation a must see for all.

About the Presenter:
Marc is a native of the Boston area. Upon completion of his undergraduate and graduate studies in Geology, he went to work in the energy sector for 30+ years, including five years in Research & Development. Marc and his wife are Ivins residents and are proud grandparents to 7 grandchildren.

Register at ivins.recdesk.com (no fee) to attend in person. If you'd like to watch without attending in person, find the YouTube link under ivins.recdesk.com under News or Programs.

Bingo in the Park
It's not spring without Bingo in the Park!
Ivins City Park West Pavilion
Tuesdays/Thursdays from April 4th – April 27th
5pm-5:45pm
Regular prize bingo from 5-5:30pm and special grand prize round from 5:30-5:45pm!
If your business would like to donate prizes, please contact the Parks and Recreation Dept.

Community Yard Sale



Wreaths Across America Program
Join the Ivins Community Supporting Wreaths Across America committee! Our upcoming meeting will be Wednesday March 15th at 6PM in the Council Chambers. We will be filling some empty council seats, working on our 2023 goals, and planning for December 16th 2023 Wreaths Across America program.

Concert in the Park
We're looking for talent to hold a concert at Ivins City Park this upcoming May!
If you are ready to bring your musical act to the stage, contact the Parks and Recreation Department at 435-634-7719 or snash@ivins.com

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. Sand Hollow Aquatic Center is a wonderful facility and we encourage you to take advantage of the opportunity to use it! 1144 Lava Flow Drive, St. George - 627-4585

Be sure to follow our Facebook page, Ivins City Parks and Recreation – Public Works for more updates and excitement!

Cemetery – We had 1 burial in the month of February and one disinterment

Staff has continued to work on their regular landscape and other areas as well as working on the new cemetery section and hosting two soccer tournaments.

Vandalism – Better than last month