

Washington County

Summer Activity Guide 2016

Summer is almost here and many parents will be looking for childcare. **Care About Childcare - Five County** is a state funded agency that is available to help you find child care in your community. You can look for child care on-line at: <http://careaboutchildcare.utah.gov>, where you can find detailed information about child care options in your community. If you have trouble using this web-site or wish to get referrals over the phone, please call **1-800-543-7527**. We will be happy to help you find full-time care. We also provide documentation on the dangers to children as well as the cost to communities when children are left home alone. For more information and valuable resources, visit our website, www.childcarehelp.org.



We have also compiled a listing of summer activities for children for the ten-county Southern Utah area we serve. The following is the list from your county. Other counties are available by calling us or by downloading them from our website. This is NOT a comprehensive list. However, we have tried our best to include as many summer activities as we could find. If we have not included your activity, please call our office and we will be happy to include your activity in our next printing. We hope this information will be useful as you plan summer activities for your children.

***We cannot guarantee quality or recommend programs. This is merely a list of programs in your area.
We encourage parents to carefully check out any program before enrolling their child.***

Program	Location	Contacts	Description	Ages	Hours
4H Clubs	County Wide	435-634-5706	Children and adult leader form a club and learn skills relating to the interests of the children. "Summer Clover Buds" program for children 8 years & under. Call for more information.	3 rd -12 th grades	Call for more information
Bowling	Dixie Bowl & Recreation	435-673-3272	Bowling, pool tables and computer games.	All Ages	Mon-Sat 10 am-10 pm
Bowling	Sunset West Bowling	435-674-4455	Family bowling center with youth bowling leagues, tournaments, and other activities.	All Ages	11 am-11 pm
Family Fun Center	Fiesta Fun Center	435-628-1818	Bumper boats, go-carts, video arcade, batting cages, miniature golf, driving range. Birthday parties.	All Ages	Open Daily
Community Education Classes	Community	435-652-7675	Programs: arts & crafts, music, cooking, dance, sewing, computers, science, language courses. Mommy and me: various topics. For more information visit http://new.dixie.edu/ce/	2-12 yrs	Call for days and times
Boy Scouts of America	County Wide	435-628-5172	Boys join troops to learn skills, citizenship, and do service projects. Visit www.utahscouts.org	8-18 yrs	Call for more information
Girl Scouts of Utah	County Wide	435-703-5344	For more information on girl scouts activities and programs visit http://www.gsutah.org/	K-12 th grade	After school
Free Fishing Day	County Wide	State DWR 801-538-4700	A free fishing day for anyone in the state of Utah. Sponsored by the Utah Dept. of Wildlife Resources.	All Ages	June 11, 2016

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County Fair	Washington County Fair	Wendy Sandberg 435-619-9522	Fruit & Vegetable Displays, Fine Arts, Entertainment, Dance, Rodeo, Petting Zoo, Demolition Derby, Parade, Booths, Contests, Fireworks, Arts & Crafts, ATV Rodeo, City of Fun Carnival, Food Court. For more information visit http://washcofair.net	All Ages	August 10-13, 2016
Youth Camps/Programs	St. George Recreation	435-627-4000	Programs and classes for youth. Visit http://www.sgcity.org/ for more information.	Varies	Call for more information
Jr. Paleontology Camp	Dinosaur Discovery Site	435-574-3466	All workshops run from 9-11am at the Dinosaur Discovery at Johnson's Farm. First workshop begins in June. Visit http://www.dinosite.org/	School Age	Call for more information
Junior Rangers	Zion National Park	435-772-3256 or 800-635-3959	Junior Ranger Explorer Program with guided tour. Visit http://www.nps.gov/zion/learn/kidsyouth/index.htm	6-12 yrs	Daily
Motorcycle/OHV Safety	Call for Location	801-538-7220	Safety course certificate required for riding on public lands. www.stateparks.utah.gov	8-15 yrs	Call for more information
Educational Camps	Tonaquint Park	435-634-5860 or 435-627-4500	Outdoor educational programs for all ages. Visit https://www.sgcity.org/departments/leisureservices/	All Ages	Call for more information
School	Montessori	435-652-9200	Academic instruction.	3-9 yrs	8am-3pm
School	Sylvan Learning Center	435-656-1700	Tutoring in reading, math, writing and study skills.	5 yrs +	Call for more information
Sports	St. George Recreation	435-627-4560	Sports programs for youth. Call for specific sports and dates.	All Ages	Call for more information
Gymnastics/Swimming	Bare Foot Gymnastics Montessori	435-634-9009	Ongoing classes. Gymnastics, swimming, cheerleading. Montessori preschool & kindergarten. Help for 1 st and 2 nd grades.	3 yrs +	Call for more information
Golf	Local Courses	SG Leisure Services 435-627-4500	Skills camp, tournaments and much more. For a complete list, visit http://www.stgeorgecitygolf.com/	7-17 yrs	Call for more information
Reading	Washington County Library	435-634-5737, ext. 1516	Summer reading program.	All Ages	Call for more information
Swimming	Hurricane City Pool	435-635-0256	Open swim and swim lessons. Visit www.cityofhurricane.com/categories/departments/swimming-pool/	All Ages	Call for more information
Swimming	St. George City Pool	435-627-4584	Open swim and swim lessons. Hydro-tube. Visit www.sgcity.org/swimming/sgsgcitypool.php	All Ages	Call for more information
Swimming	Veyo Pool	435-574-2300	Open swim and swim lessons. www.veyopool.com/	All Ages	Call for more information
Swimming	Washington Community Center/Pool	435-656-6360	Swim lessons, exercise facility. Visit http://www.washingtoncity.org/communitycenter/	All Ages	Call for more information
Swimming	Sand Hallow Aquatic Center	435-627-4585	Aqua aerobics. Open swim and swim lessons. Swim team. Visit SHAC for more information.	All Ages	Call for more information
Swimming	Summit Athletic Club	435-628-5000	Aqua aerobics. Open swim lessons. Swim team. Tennis lessons. General fitness.	All Ages	Call for more information

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Watercraft Safety	Call for location	801-538-7220	Boating and Personal Water Craft safety and certification. www.stateparks.utah.gov	12-17 yrs	Call for more information
Curiosity Club	Social Hall St. George	435-627-4590	Creativity, social interaction, arts, crafts and fun! Activities also available during the school year. Call for details.	3-6 yrs	Call for more information
Lil' Detective Camp	Tonaquint Nature Center	435-627-4590	Your child will be solving all new crimes and mysteries such as the Case of the Missing Tiara, the Dead Breakfast Mystery and Who Stole Mr. Bear? Registration Deadline: Thursday, March 6, 2014 at 6pm.	Grades 2-5	Call for more information
Fishing Clinic	Skyline Pond	435-627-4590	Participants will learn about the basics of fishing and the benefits of getting outdoors and enjoying the activity of fishing.	8-12 yrs	Call for more information
Boredom Buster Camp	St. George Recreation Center	435-627-4590	Kids will be busy running, jumping, and playing games such as Elbow Tag, Balloon Waddle, Catch the Dragon's Tail and more!	4-9 yrs	Call for more information
Camp Neptune/Atlantis	Sand Hallow Aquatic Center	435-627-4590	A fun 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.	4-10 yrs	Call for more information
Future Shredders Skateboard Camp	Sk8 George Skate Park	www.activityreg.com	This new summer camp is designed to teach beginner skateboarders basic and some intermediate maneuvers. Each participant is required to wear a helmet.	9-13 yrs	Call for more information
Little Grinders Skateboard Camp	Sk8 George Skate Park	www.activityreg.com	This new summer camp is designed to teach beginner skateboarders basic and some intermediate maneuvers. Each participant is required to wear a helmet.	6-9 yrs	Call for more information
Nature Camp	Tonaquint Nature Center	435-627-4590	Throughout the months of June and July, the Tonaquint Nature Center hosts an interactive nature day camp. Each day of camp is filled with new adventures, exciting experiments and opportunities to experience nature at its finest.	4 yrs-5 th grade	Call for more information
Safety Town	Heritage Elementary School	435-627-4590	The program includes pedestrian safety, internet safety, bike/scooter safety, stranger danger, drug awareness, fire safety, bullying and more.	K-1 st grade Fee: \$35	June 6-10, 2016 Registration: April 6 to June 1, 2016
12 & Under Fishing Derby	Tawa Ponds	435-627-4590	Free fishing experiences for youth 12 and under. Special prizes will be given away throughout the day. An introduction to fishing class will be offered several times each hour. Fishing rods, bait and tackle will be available at no cost.	12 & under	Call for more information
Jr Ranger Family Night	Tonaquint Nature Center	435-627-4590	Here is a fun and FREE activity for the whole family. You will learn about the great outdoors and the adventures that are available in Southern Utah.	12 & under	Call for more information
Karate	St. George	435-627-4560	Students will primarily learn selected techniques from Shotokan, Shorin Ryu, Judo, and Jujitsu. Also introduced will be selected techniques from Aikido, Hapkido, Chinese Kung Fu, and other styles.	Call for info	Mondays & Wednesdays

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Lil' Rollers Tumbling	St. George Recreation Center	435-627-4560	This is a basic tumbling class taught on Mondays for both boys and girls. It focuses on skills, coordination, flexibility and strength. Each child is encouraged to reach their own physical potential in a nurturing, safe environment.	3-4 yrs 4-5 yrs	Call for more information
Art Camps	St. George Recreation	435-627-4560	A variety of art camps designed for all different ages. Including clay, pottery, arts and crafts, bracelet looms, and drawing classes.	Call for info	Call for more information
St. George Carousel	Downtown St. George	435-627-4560	Carousel available throughout the summer for individual rides, along as reservations for the carousel for parties or reunions.	All Ages	Call for more information
St. George Dinosaur Discovery Site	Johnson Farm	435-574-3466	Houses well preserved dinosaur tracks, fossil fish and plants, rare dinosaur remains, invertebrates' traces and important sedimentary structures. For more information visit www.dinosite.org	All Ages	10 am-6 pm
Daughters of Utah Pioneer Museum	Washington County	435-628-7574	Preserves our pioneer heritage and honors the names and memories of those pioneers who came to Utah prior to May 10, 1869. They desire to educate children and other descendants to appreciate their heritage and those who prepared the way for us.	All Ages	10 am-5 pm
Rosenbruch Wildlife Museum	St. George	435-656-0033	Brings the wonders of the planets greatest animals in their natural habitat to you. Experience over 300 species over a quarter mile indoor mountain and enjoy movies, shopping and more! For more information visit www.rosenbruch.org	All Ages	10 am-6 pm
St. George Children's Museum	St. George	435-986-4000	Provides vibrant and engaging interactive activities that invite children and families to discover, imagine and create. For more information visit www.sgchildrensmuseum.org	Call for more info	10 am-6 pm
Laser Mania Family Fun Center	St. George	435-656-5832	The perfect place to take your family and friends for a great time. Laser tag, blacklight mini golf, 4D movie ride, romper cards, and large arcade. For more information visit www.laser-mania.com	All Ages	Call for more information
Jumping Jacks	St. George	435-627-1155	Inflatable playground with a "Parent's Area" to watch your kids have fun. Includes game area with air hockey and basketball as well as refreshments to buy. For more information visit www.jumpinjackskids.com https://www.facebook.com/jumpinjackstgeorge/	All Ages	11 am-8 pm

