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EDITORIAL

LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

By James McFadden



An Invitation to Participate

We have all been working hard over this last year, monitoring the news, witnessing so much uncertainty, watching businesses close, some permanently, and it's clear the shutdown and every-

thing that has followed has taken a mighty toll on all of us. It's more and more apparent as each moment passes; life, as we knew it, has completely changed, and things may never be the same.

It is through this uncertainty; we wish to declare the following. You can count on one thing in all this crazy that won't change; at least we don't intend to let it change. And that's this... we here at The Independent are going to stand firm and tall for as long as we can. As long as we have readers, writers, and supporters by our side, we will diligently strive to bring the world around us a little more into focus.

As we approach our 25th anniversary, we intend to continue to be a voice of, and for, southern Utah, those who call this amazing place home. We hope you will consider this a

call to arms because everyone can do something to help us achieve our goals and support our efforts.

Readers - Share us with your friends. Please pick up a handful of our publications each month and introduce us to the amazing people you interact with each day. And share our online stories with your friends.

Writers - Let us help make your voices heard. The Independent does not subscribe to one philosophy, ideology, religion, perspective, or a singular political conviction. We believe proper growth and understanding comes from diversity in thought, an exploration of culture, and a willingness to explore the world through others' experiences.

So, if you have ever contributed to the paper or online website in the past, we invite you to reach out and renew your resolve; pick up your voice where you left off. We can all benefit from the unique perspectives you have to offer. To those who have always wanted to write, but are not sure where to start, never fear. We have capable, enthusiastic professionals ready to help you navigate the ins and outs of authorship.

Supporters - If you are a current advertiser, contributor, or sponsor, we hope you will raise your voices even higher. We hope you will find a way to continue supporting and contributing to the mission and purpose of The Independent.

In closing, we welcome all thought leaders, community administrators, and local professionals to come and join forces with us. Bring your talents, insight, expertise, desire to express life through written word, and yes, even your opinions are welcome; let them be a beacon to those around us. Let's remind the world; we are more than the sum of what is happening around us.

The Independent is a place where thought and voice will never be suppressed, and we invite you to be a part of this great work.

PUBLISHER'S PERSPECTIVE

By Josh Warburton



Wow, what a year 2020 was! And here we all are in 2021! Well, most of us, anyway. I'm sad to say that I am now in the growing group of those who knew someone that died of COVID-19. And I know quite a few more who've

contracted it and survived, but many with lingering effects. That said, there's hope on the horizon. In addition to multiple vaccines being rolled out, treatments continue to improve. If we can keep our hospitals from overflowing in ICU capacity, our outlook for the new year looks good!

The stimulus bill passed, giving up to \$600 to most Americans, funding another round of PPP loans for businesses, and extending unemployment benefits to those hit hardest. This may not be enough to keep many from being evicted, going hungry, skipping medical care, and worse, but I see people in my communities stepping up and am excited to see this continue.

2020 was a challenging year for many businesses as well, the entertainment industry has really suffered, and local arts and entertainment have struggled tremendously. Hey, we've really had to work to keep the paper going, and we even got one of those PPP loans last year to stay afloat. All of that said, I am looking forward to what this year has to hold for all of us. I believe the pent-up desire to see live entertainment, go out to events, and otherwise share experiences with

family, friends, and strangers will result in a renaissance for events and entertainment. And as that happens, we want to continue to provide you the very best source for area arts, music, and entertainment coverage, in addition to the best guide to the greater Zion area with our Zion Guide content.

And to that end, we are in an extraordinary year for The Independent. I started this journey with three friends way back in 1996. At the time, we had the simple idea of providing a bridge between the people and the burgeoning music and entertainment scene in little southern Utah. It has been a really long and interesting road, but we have done that and so much more when we complete 25 years of publishing with our February edition later this month. Twenty-five years have come and gone so incredibly fast. I can hardly believe it, and I've lived it! So I hope you will all continue to come along this crazy ride with the Independent crew and me.

And as we hit this milestone, you'll likely see more change and evolution from us. We'll continue to adapt, tweak, adjust, and hopefully continue to produce the best local content in southern Utah. Watch for an exceptional March anniversary issue kicking off our 26th year and if you'd like to get your business or event in front of our large print and online audiences, just give us a call. We are making special deals this year as a way of giving back to the communities that have given us so much all these years (oh, and keeping the lights on). And lots of stuff we're happy to do for free. We look forward to serving you.

Have a really happy, prosperous, and especially healthy new year.

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WOMEN'S ADVENTURES ARE ON THE RISE

Utah has a long history with women's leadership. Back in 1896, Martha Hughes Cannon became the United States' first-ever female State Senator. Fifteen years later, in 1911, Kanab made history by electing the United States' first ever all-female town council and woman mayor. It shouldn't come as a surprise then that Kanab continues its legacy of strong women leaders into the 21st century: from Julie Castle, the CEO of national non-profit and Kanab's largest private employer Best Friends Animal Society, to Camille Johnson, Kane County's Director of Tourism, and a female-led Chamber of Commerce - women abound in leadership roles in the region around Kanab.

Fitting right in is Kanab-based tour operator Dreamland Safari Tours (www.DreamlandTours.Net), which incidentally is celebrating its 20th anniversary this year. Even though outdoor adventure is still a traditionally male-dominated field, Dreamland proudly counts five female desert guides among their staff - and more than 50% women employees overall when looking at guides and non-guide staff combined. And, the company is currently accepting

guide applications for the spring season and would love to hire more women guides. Dreamland co-owner Sunny Stroerer has long been an outspoken advocate for female participation in backcountry adventures (find her discussing women in the outdoors on NBC), and also runs a women's only high altitude expedition company called AWExpeditions.

For 2021 Dreamland Safari Tours is adding several

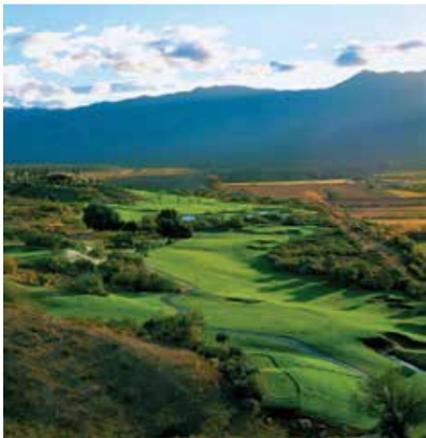


women's only trips to provide an opportunity for women to pursue big adventures in an all-female environment. On February 2-8, a small group of women will head out to navigate the length of the Paria River from White House to Lees Ferry in winter - a distance of roughly 40 miles. This will be a fabulous 4 night 5 day backpack in a stunning desert setting. All that's required is a healthy sense of adventure, the ability to hike 40 miles of uneven terrain and to carry a 35 pound pack, and be ready to have fun. Spots are still available.

International Women's Day has occurred for over a century, with the first celebration in 1911 supported by well over a million people. International Women's Day on March 8th of this year has the theme: Women in leadership: Achieving an equal future in a COVID-19 world. Dreamland strives to be a leader in the community and this is an important day for the company to celebrate its women leaders, and all women that make a difference. Dreamland has reserved all of its female guides to lead all-female trips on this day. Give them a call at 435-644-5506 to learn more.

Utah is magnificent, and women have played and continue to play an integral role in shaping it. Dreamland Safari Tours is carrying that legacy forward - because everyone wins when gender equality extends to the great outdoors.

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Join us February 19th, 20th and 21st in Kanab for the 7th Annual Balloons & Tunes Roundup.

This year we are expecting 40+ Hot Air Balloon Pilots and 12 Bands over a beautiful Southern Utah weekend. We are hoping for perfect weather so our pilots can launch all three mornings!

Hot Air Balloon Launches will take place at the former Coral Cliffs Golf Course in Kanab each morning at 7:30am (weather permitting).

Starting Friday afternoon join us on

Main Street for a one-of-a-kind vendor fair and listen to our first few bands battle it out for the winning title of this years' Battle of the Bands!

Saturday morning will start us off with another Balloon Launch, with our vendor fair continuing throughout the day and into the evening. To end the day join us on Center Street for a Balloon Glow at 7pm followed by a Lantern Festival as the top 3 winning bands play into the night!

On Friday and Saturday there will be a street fair and vendor fair along with the Battle of the Bands competing for cash prizes. On Saturday Evening there will be a balloon glow after dark down main street followed by the traditional Lantern launch.

Text HOTAIR to 888777 to receive live text updates throughout the event. Additionally, we will go live on the Kanab Balloons & Tunes Roundup Facebook Page each morning at the Pilot Briefing at the launch site and give updates for other elements of the event throughout the weekend!

Search for Balloons & Tunes on Facebook for minute-by-minute event updates!

ARTS TO ZION ART & STUDIO TOUR POSTPONED

ST. GEORGE — Due to safety concerns in connection with the COVID-19 pandemic, the Arts to Zion Art and Studio TOUR will be rescheduled for later this spring. Organizers for the multi-day event, traditionally held in January each year, hope to present the tour in April, possibly coinciding with the St. George Art Festival on the first weekend of the month.

In previous years, the tour has taken art-lovers to dozens of locations throughout Washington County, from public galleries to private home studios, where tourgoers could interact with artists in their creative spaces. Live music has also featured into the tour experience at select locations.

Organizers hope that rescheduling the tour for a later date will allow for greater distribution of COVID-19 vaccines to high-risk individuals and others in the community before the event.

"This was a difficult choice for our board to make," said Ron Brown, Arts to Zion Board chairman. "However, we think it is prudent for making the tour a safe experience for those involved, from the artists and gallery owners to those visiting their homes and businesses."

Information about a new date and details for changes to the event are forthcoming. Additional information will be available at ArtsToZion.org in the coming months..

Arts to Zion began in 2012 as a county-wide art tour, encompassing everything from intimate home studios to many of Southern Utah's best professional galleries. The tour connected artists on both sides of Washington County, from Ivins to Springdale, with the commercial and cultural hub of St. George in between, opening up the secrets of their private studios and offering the chance to see them in the midst of creation. Since that time, Arts to Zion has expanded from a single tour to a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that works with local partners to promote other events throughout Southern Utah, from the Smithsonian exhibition that came to the Silver Reef Museum in Leeds to the 2017 Oil Painters of America Western Regional Exhibition at Illume Gallery of Fine Art in St. George.



THE SHOW MUST GO ON! DIXIE'S GOT TALENT 2021 FINALISTS SET TO PERFORM

Dixie State University Alumni Association presents - Dixie's Got Talent, a spectacular showcase of talented performers from southern Utah, proceeds from which benefit student scholarships and the Dixie's Got Talent program.

This year, initial auditions were held in an open round through video submissions. Nearly half of the contestants were invited to the callback auditions. The top twenty contestants, ten from the youth category and ten from the adult category, were then picked to perform at the Finale Show scheduled for Thursday, January 21st, 2021, at 7:30 PM.

Tickets to watch and vote live in-person at the M.K. Cox Performing Arts Center are available at the DSU Ticket Office or online at dixie.edu/ticket-office/. Due to physical distancing requirements, limited seating is available, so don't wait and get your tickets today!

Prefer to watch from home? For the first year ever, watch the Finale Show live online. More information on how to stream the show and voting opportunities, along with a list of the DGT 2021 Finalists, can be found soon at Dixie.edu/DGT.

A prestigious panel of judges and an enthusiastic voting audience will determine the winners. The first place and runner-up in their category each receive a cash prize, gain experience and exposure before a vast audience, and hold the title of Dixie's Got Talent winner or runner-up for the year.

Dixie's Got Talent has been a region-wide performance highlighting the talents of Washington County residents and Dixie State University students for over 10 years.

A special thank you to our DGT 2021 sponsors who have generously helped to make this years show possible!



KAYENTA PRESENTS "LEADING MEN DON'T DANCE!"

John D. Smitherman—an Original American Tenor—Teams Up with St. George Sensations Rachel Cox, Greg Knell, Bryce Weber, and Andy Young for a Night of Romantic Music February 11th through 13th, at Center for the Arts at Kayenta

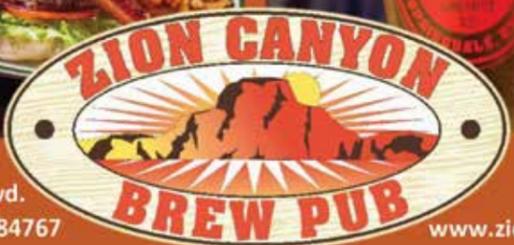
Ivins, UT—After performing to sold-out crowds at the Center For the Arts at Kayenta (CFAK) last February, John Smitherman returns to send us off for Valentine's Day, performing songs that connect to the love in all of us. He'll be joined by some of the most dazzling voices in Southern Utah: Rachel Cox, Greg Knell, Andy Young, and Bryce Weber. Talented pianist Tami Creamer will accompany. The troupe will perform a medley of entertaining songs from Leading Men Don't Dance, Jekyll & Hyde, Les Miserables, Into the Woods, The Phantom of the Opera, The Secret Garden, Man of LaMancha, My Fair Lady, and more. Don't miss out on an unforgettable evening of gorgeous music sung by the legendary Smitherman and Southern Utah's extraordinary vocalists. Purchase tickets online now at: kayentaarts.com, or call 435-674-ARTS (2787).

John D. Smitherman recently made his New Mexico concert debut this past November to double standing ovations and encores. John played the role of Raoul in the world premiere production of Return of the Phantom. He has performed the role of Jean Valjean in Les Miserables in 2014 and 2015 to become part of the elite group that can say they have done "The Big Three" referring to the top three leading man roles in musical theatre; Jekyll & Hyde, Jean Valjean, as well as the Phantom. He has performed well over 100 different roles on the professional opera

and theatre stages. Return of the Phantom is the first musical John has ever written. He can be heard on several recordings: John D. Smitherman...Live, Opera Passion, and By Popular Demand.

Upcoming at the Center For the Arts at Kayenta is Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf which will be the first professional regional theater production in this area of the most acclaimed play by Edward Albee. Starring Jan Broberg, Dean Jones, Christopher Whiteside and Sceri Ivers the piece touches on mental illness, alcoholism, marriage relationships and the deep wounds that unmet expectations and desires can create. Clarence Gilyard directs this all star cast and those with a hunger for deep theatrical diversity will find this mature play a feast for the artistic soul. February 25 - March 6.

Event Details:
 Dates: February 11, 12 and 13, 2021
 Time: 7pm-9pm
 Location: Center for the Arts at Kayenta (CFAK), 881 Coyote Gulch Court, Ivins, Utah 84738
 Cost: \$35 (\$10 students with current ID)
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OPINION

FREE ENTERPRISE AT RISK IN ST. GEORGE
By Howard Sierer

"I disapprove of what you say, but I will defend to the death your right to say it." This famous quote is attributed to the French philosopher Voltaire.

I have never been in a bar in St. George (and don't intend to start), but I will defend (but not to the death) the right of entrepreneurs to open a bar without the City Council deciding whether there's a demand for it. Recently, the council displayed an attitude that smacks of socialist central planning where government officials rather than consumers decide which products and services will be provided.

In November, the council reduced the number of bars it would allow in the city's 10-square-block "arts district" from six to four, with the stated purpose of keeping the area family-friendly. Mayor Jon Pike explained, "This is a historical area. We want to ensure that families feel comfortable bringing their kids to visit the museums, galleries, and other restaurants there."

This is a legitimate government objective, analogous to zoning ordinances that

prevent your next-door neighbors from converting their house into a 24-hour convenience store. We elect city council members to exercise their discretion in matters like this and I support their family-friendly objective. Those who disagree can vote for a new mayor and council, in coming municipal elections.

But supporters of free-enterprise economies should be stunned by the other reason the council gave for the proposed reduction: a lack of confidence in free markets.

Pike summed it up: "We don't really know if the demand is there for more bars; we felt that it would be best to limit the number of new bars until we have a better

idea of what's best for the establishments that are there already," noting that there are two bars in the area with a third in the process.

Translation: We at the city want to second guess entrepreneurs' judgment, even though it's their money that's at risk. An even more cynical interpretation: It's the city's job to protect existing businesses from competition.

Thank goodness this mindset wasn't in vogue when Costco, Walmart, Home Depot and Lowe's came seeking permits.

If the council is serious about second-guessing demand for business products and services, why shouldn't it determine how many fast-food outlets or dentists St.

George needs? It could also protect our health by following the lead of New York City's socialist city council in limiting the size of obesity-causing soda fountain drinks or outlawing "super-sized" fast-food meals.

Who believes that our council members should substitute their opinions for those of consumers about which otherwise-legal products and services are wanted?

Relying on the council's new four-bar limit in the arts district, a pair of local entrepreneurs applied to the city for a conditional use permit to open a bar in downtown St. George's Ancestor Square, in heart of the arts district.

The applicants for this fourth bar had every reason to expect an okay from the council. The city's planning commission had recommended approval and the city attorney advised that there was no legal basis to deny the request.

Nonetheless, at its December 3rd meeting, the council took the highly unusual step of tabling the issue after a motion to approve didn't receive a second.

Search FREE ENTERPRISE on our website at suindependent.com to read Howards final thoughts and to share your thoughts with other readers on this issue.



ARROWHEADS FEATURED ARTIST FOR JANUARY CHARLIE KESSNER PHOTOGRAPHER - ARTIST



Charlie Kessner is a photographer, videographer, climber, and adventurer whose eclectic style has led him to live a life he loves. His inspiration is rooted in a childhood spent surrounded by natural beauty in the jungles and beaches of Oahu, Hawaii.

Since moving from Hawaii, he has invested his time exploring the landscapes of the American Southwest and Midwest, to urban hubs in Europe, and to desolate wilderness in Central and South America -- all in pursuit of documenting the natural beauty of this world through the dynamics of nature and its intersection with human play.

Charlie currently lives in Saint George, Utah where the initial job as a field instructor for wilderness therapy brought him. The canyons and climbs have anchored him to the space while inspiring him to continuously explore and feed his passions.

There will be no reception for Charlie due to COVID-19 but you can see his work on display at the gallery all month long.

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MOVIES

THE BEST FILMS OF 2020!
By Adam Mast

Here are our pics for the best 'pics' of 2020. See if there is one here you missed!

10. LEAP OF FAITH: WILLIAM FRIEDKIN ON THE EXORCIST



This documentary is the perfect film for movie lovers, particularly fans of what is arguably the scariest movie ever made, "The Exorcist." Featuring an up close and personal interview with the legendary William Friedkin, "Leap of Faith" delves into the making of the much-beloved William Peter Blatty adaptation.

9. THE PLATFORM



This effective Spanish sci-fi import fuses the likes of "Snowpiercer," "Parasite," "Cube," and "Saw" to startling effect and the end result is one of the most darkly creative films of 2020. The fact that it was shot on the cheap makes it all the more impressive.

8. PALM SPRINGS



Andy Samberg and the Lonely Island crew are back at it and wouldn't you know it? They've crafted one of the funniest films of the year with "Palm Springs." We've seen the Living-The-Same-Day-Over-And-Over-And-Over-Again" gimmick countless times before in movies like "Edge of Tomorrow," "Happy Death Day," and most famously, "Groundhog Day" but I'll be darned if the hook doesn't work here.

7. I'M THINKING OF ENDING THINGS



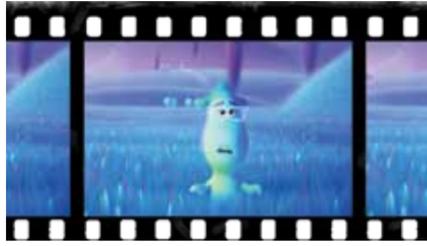
This latest mesmerizing mind-bender from Charlie Kaufman has polarized viewers since making its debut on Netflix back in September, but then, that is often the case with the works of the gifted storyteller behind "Synecdoche, New York" and "Anomalisa."

6. BILL AND TED FACE THE MUSIC



It comes as quite a big surprise that the sequel I never knew I wanted ended up being one of my favorite films of the year. It should also be noted that for all the brains at the center of Christopher Nolan's epic summer tentpole, "Tenet," "Bill and Ted Face the Music" emerged as the definitive time travel movie of 2020.

5. SOUL



Never underestimate Pixar. In the same year they released the sweet but play-it-safe "Onward," the team behind "Toy Story" deliver a profound and surprisingly adult "Soul." This isn't to say this film is inappropriate for children.

4. SOUND OF METAL



If this stunning independent drama isn't showered with praise on the awards circuit for its sound design, I'll be really surprised. In the raw and energetic "Sound of Metal," a spectacular Riz Ahmed plays a recovering drug addict and drummer in a metal band whose life is turned upside down as he starts to lose his hearing.

3. THE FATHER



Anthony Hopkins will most certainly be showered with awards for his work as a man suffering from dementia. He's positively extraordinary in this picture and honestly, this ranks as some of his best work.

To see the rest of the 'pics' we picked for 2020 visit us online at suindependent.com for a more complete description of each movie and to see who our top 2 'pics' were!

Find more at SUIindependent.com

CALENDAR

FEATURED EVENT

MASTER MAGICIAN: RHETT GUTER: WONDER AND WIZARDRY FOR A NEW YEAR Jan. 8 and 9, 7:30 PM. If you haven't already seen Rhett bringing people's jaws to the floor, head to his website, and have a look for yourself. He'll make you think more than twice about what's possible with a deck of cards or your own phone. Tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for students and children. Kayenta Center for The Arts, 881 Coyote Gulch Ct., Ivins.

FESTIVAL DEL SOL 2021 Jan. 16-18, 10 AM. The Festival Del Sol is a mountain bike festival that focuses on the great riding around St. George, UT. We will ride the techy trails including Zen, Kentucky Lucky Chicken, Gooseberry Mesa, and Paradise City (A local favorite often overlooked by tourists). All rides are intermediate to advanced and will have something to challenge every rider. And the best part, it's free! Red Rock Bicycle Co., 446 W. 100 S., St. George.

WINTER 4X4 JAMBOREE 2021 Jan. 14-16 8 AM., The Winter 4x4 Jamboree is a non-competitive guide trail run event for high clearance 4x4 vehicles. Groups of participants are led on rated trails by experienced trail leaders and helpers. Three trails will line up in the staging area of the fairgrounds parking lot prior to 9:45 AM and leave at 10 AM. Washington County Legacy Park, 5500 W. 700 S. Hurricane.

GREGG PETERSON BAND - CASABLANCA Jan. 1-3, 13-17, and Feb. 3-7, PM. Showtimes may vary. Classic Rock, Variety, and dance band. Free. 21 or older. 950 W. Mesquite Blvd., Mesquite.

AMERICAN THUNDER AT CASABLANCA Jan. 6-10, 7 PM. showtimes may vary. American Thunder performing all styles of music and genres including classic and contemporary rock, contemporary and traditional country, dance/R&B hits, and oldies favorites plus many more exciting songs. Free. 21 or older. CasaBlanca Resort, 950 W. Mesquite Blvd., Mesquite.

TJ TYLER AT CASABLANCA Jan. 20-24, 7 PM. showtimes may vary. TJ performs virtually every style of music and he plays off of his uncanny resemblance to Frank Sinatra whom he also pays tribute to in his show. Free Admission, must be 21 or older. CasaBlanca Resort, 950 W. Mesquite Blvd., Mesquite.

KID & NICK SHOW AT CASABLANCA Jan. 27-31, 7 PM. showtimes may vary. A fun, high-energy, interactive variety musical group. Free. 21 or older. 950 W. Mesquite Blvd., Mesquite.

Events by Day

TUESDAYS

STORY TIME AT WASHINGTON BRANCH 11 AM. Washington County Library System, 220 N. 300 E., Washington.

TRIBUTE TO THE KING - CASABLANCA 6-10 PM. Starring John Brooks. Must be 21 or older. Free. "Voted Best of Las Vegas 2013 "Best Elvis Tribute Show" and "Best Lounge Performer." CasaBlanca Skydome Lounge, 950 W. Mesquite Blvd., Mesquite.

WEDNESDAYS

STORY TIME AT HURRICANE LIBRARY 11 AM. Washington County Library System, 36 S. 300 W., Hurricane.

GAMER CLUB 3 PM. Teens and 'tweens who love anime, gaming, or both meet for book discussions, games, and great times. Santa Clara Library, 1099 Lava Flow Dr., St. George.

STILL LIFE WEDNESDAYS 4 PM. Three still life arrangements. Participants sketch or paint one or all three scenes. This free event is for adults. Art supplies not provided. All skill levels are welcome. Cedar City Library, 303 N. 100 E., Cedar City.

BINGO WEDNESDAY AT THE GRILLE 6-8 PM. Free. There will be prizes given to all the winners. Sand Hollow Resort, 5662 W. Clubhouse Dr., Hurricane.

THURSDAYS

DESERT COMMUNITY STRINGS AND NEW HORIZONS STRINGS 5:30-7:30 PM. Open to all ages and abilities. If you used to play a stringed instrument and would like to get back to the joy of music, this group is definitely for you. desertstrings.org Basement of St. George Medical Building, 736 S. 900 E., St. George.

KARAOKE NIGHT AT SAND HOLLOW RESORT 7:30 PM. Every Thursday night! Located in the Grille. Prizes available! Sand Hollow Resort, 5662 W. Clubhouse Dr., Hurricane.

KARAOKE WITH DJ LANCE AT MIKES TAVERN 9 PM. 90 W. Hoover Ave., Cedar City.

FRIDAYS

DJ EZ LIVE AT MIKES TAVERN 9 PM., 90 W. Hoover Ave., Cedar City.

LIVE MUSIC AT PEEKABOO WOOD FIRED KITCHEN 7-9 PM. Free. 233 W. Center St., Kanab.

CHARACTER SKETCHES 6:30 PM. Weekly non-instructed, non-mentored event during which live models are dressed as characters from literature. Participants sketch or paint the models. This is a free event for adults. Art supplies not provided. All skill levels are welcome. Cedar City Library, 303 N. 100 E., Cedar City.

SATURDAYS

TUACAHN SATURDAY MARKET 10 AM. Every

Saturday local artists, crafters, and vendors to come and show off their work. 1100 Tuacahn Dr., Ivins.

TAI CHI DRAGON QIGONG AT SANTA CLARA LIBRARY 10:30-11:30 AM. Full-body energetic healing. Admission is free. No experience needed. Tai Chi Dragon Qigong is good for all ages and all levels of health and mobility. Santa Clara Library, 1099 N. Lava Flow Dr., Santa Clara.

Events by Date

Fri, Jan 8

CEDAR POCKET AT PEEKABOO KITCHEN 7 PM. Free. 233 W. Center St., Kanab.

Sat, Jan 9

BRIDAL EXPO 2021 11 AM-3 PM. Everything you need in one place to plan your wedding. The first 100 people get a free swag bag filled with surprises. Browse through the dresses, photographers, decorators, caterers, florists, cake decorators, salons, and other pampering services. Come for lunch and enjoy your meal while listening to "The Bare Naked Waiters" group performing live. Iron Springs Adventure Resort, 3196 N. Iron Springs Rd., Cedar City.

SILVER REEF CHAPTER #26 ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR 2 PM. The Order of the Eastern Star is a Masonic appendant body open to both men and women. Members are aged 18 and older; men must be Master Masons and women must have a specific relationships with Masons. St. George Masonic Lodge #33, 262 S. Mall Dr., St. George.

SMART SATURDAY-ART CLASSES FOR KIDS 10 AM. All smART Saturday programs run from 10-11 AM the 2nd Saturday of each month. The program is designed for children ages 6-12 years old and includes an art lesson on an artist and a related art project. Classes are capped at 12 students. Register to guarantee your spot. St. George Art Museum, 47 E. 200 N., St. George.

Mon, Jan 11

HAM RADIO CLUB 6-7 PM. The Virgin Valley Amateur Radio Club holds meetings on the third Tuesday of each month. All hams interested in joining our group and all visitors are welcome. For information, phone Roy Miller (702) 345-3006. Airport Fire Station #2, 1200 Kitty Hawk Dr., Mesquite.

Tues, Jan 12

PAGE TURNERS BOOK CLUB 2:30 PM. Washington County Library System, 88 W. 100 S., St. George.

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VOYAGER LECTURE SERIES: GENOME SEQUENCING: A BIOLOGICAL JIGSAW PUZZLE 7:30 PM. Have you met the family genes? Some people experience illness due to their own genetic code. Dr. Derrick Haslem, one of the scientists working on the HerediGene initiative, will give a detailed lecture on the program regarding the link between human genetics and illness. Adults \$15 and Student/Child \$10. Kayenta Center for The Arts, 881 Coyote Gulch Ct., Ivins.

Fri, Jan 15

RIVERHOUSE BAND AT PEEKABOO KITCHEN 7 PM. Classic and southern rock with country blues served up hot as Brit or American groove. 233 W. Center St., Kanab.

Thurs, Jan 21

TEEN BOOK CLUB 3:30 PM. Washington County Library, 36 S. 300 W., Hurricane.

PAWS FOR TALES 4 PM. Children can read to registered therapy dogs. Free. St. George Library, 88 W. 100 S., St. George.

BOOK ENDS BOOK CLUB 4:30 PM. Washington County Library, 220 N. 300 E., Washington.

"A.I." ASSISTED ARTWORK 6 PM. Using software to simulate hand-painted design. Cedar City Library, 303 N. 100 E., Cedar City.

LET'S SEW! 6 PM. Time for some 'sew'cializing! Come learn how to make a cute, zippered bag from a placemat. \$7. USU Extension-Washington County Office, 339 S. 5500 W. Hurricane.

Fri, Jan 22

READER'S CIRCLE BOOK CLUB 3 PM. Washington County Library, 36 S. 300 W., Hurricane.

TOM BENNETT AT PEEKABOO KITCHEN 7 PM. Free. Tom Bennett is a traveling Folk Singer from SLC. 233 W. Center St., Kanab.

Wed, Jan 27

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP 7 PM. Washington County Library System, 126 Lion Blvd., Springdale.

Mon, Feb 1

PAWS FOR TALES 4 PM. Children can read to registered therapy dogs. Free. St. George Library, 88 W. 100 S., St. George.

Wed, Feb 3

ASK A FOSTER PARENT! Noon. Ask local families about their experiences fostering or adopting, at this casual forum offered by Utah Foster Care—what it's like, why they do it, how to get started, and more! Find us at the Cedar City Library! Lunch will be served. 303 N. 100 E. Cedar City.

Thurs, Feb 4

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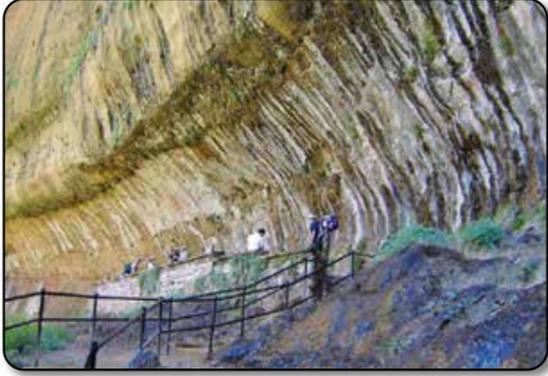
Tips To Maximize Enjoyment

Go on a less crowded hike

The most visited Zion have a lot of competition. If you'd rather not feel like you're in the line at a theme park, consider seeking out a less traveled path. Check out our newest feature, Less-Traveled Zion Hikes.

To avoid the crowds, go early or later in the day

Consider getting up extra early or trekking out midday after the initial rush has flooded in.



Top Things To Do In Zion

Get some great hiking in

Zion National Park is known for its scenic landscape and unrivaled hikes. No matter your fitness level, there are hikes here for you. Please go to ZionGuide.com to see the details on many area hikes.

Spend a day in Springdale

Springdale is unique to our national park system in that it is almost completely surrounded by Zion National Park. So when you're in Springdale, you're right in the middle of Zion Canyon.

Visit the east side of Zion and spend a day in Kanab

The east side of Zion is generally less crowded, making hikes more accessible and private. These are some of the most enjoyable hikes in the canyon. You can spot wildlife you won't see elsewhere in the canyon. The city of Kanab, situated east of the canyon, is full of unique attractions.

Take lots of pictures, leave only footprints

Be sure you've got extra charged batteries, smartphone cables, and memory cards so you can capture all the magic of Zion National Park. Additionally, there are numerous photo tour and guiding companies to assist you. Thank you for visiting the Zion National Park area.

Safety Tips For Zion

Emergencies

For 24-hour emergency response, call 911 or (435) 772-3322. The Zion Canyon Medical Clinic is located in Springdale near the south entrance to the park. For hours, please call (435) 772-3226. Other medical clinics are located in Hurricane. The nearest hospitals are in St. George, Cedar City, and Kanab.

Hydrate and use refillable water bottles

It is easy to get dehydrated while hiking and walking in the desert, so pack along extra water, and be sure to take rest and water breaks on long hikes. There are a number of places to refill your water bottles in Zion National Park including the visitors' center and Zion Lodge as well as a new hydration station at the Springdale bus stop in front of The Bumbleberry Inn and Zion Canyon Brew Pub.

Be cautious near steep cliffs

Falls from cliffs on trails can result in death. Loose sand or pebbles on stone are very slippery. Be careful of edges when using cameras or binoculars. Never throw or roll rocks because there may be hikers below you. Stay on the trail. Stay back from cliff edges. Observe posted warnings. Please watch children.

Watch for flash floods

All narrow canyons are potentially hazardous. Flash floods, often caused by storms miles away, are a real danger and can be life threatening. You are assuming a risk when entering a narrow canyon. Your safety is your responsibility.



Tips To Minimize Your Impact

Pack it in, pack it out & use recycling bins

Each month, Zion National Park pays many thousands of dollars to haul away waste collected from garbage cans and recycling bins. Your experience and that of everyone who visits Zion Canyon can be improved by never littering and making sure you pick up any trash you see along the way. Recycling bins are placed strategically throughout Zion Park, and it is highly encouraged for everyone to use them.

Please stay on the marked trails

Hiking off trails can lead to loss of vegetation, soil compaction, erosion, and unsightly scars on the landscape. Remember, if you bring it in, please pack it out.

Go before you go

It is always a good idea to use the restroom before you begin a hike since facilities are limited to select locations. If you do need to take care of your business, please pack it back out.

Be respectful to the wildlife

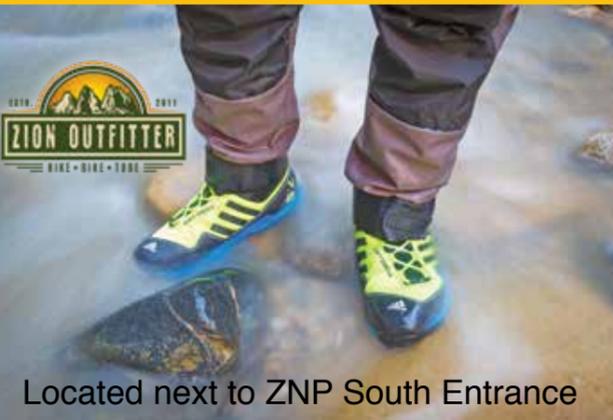
Feeding, harming, or capturing wild animals is illegal and can cause injury or death to the animal. Animals can become aggressive beggars when fed.

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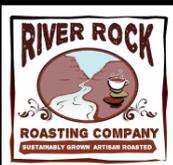
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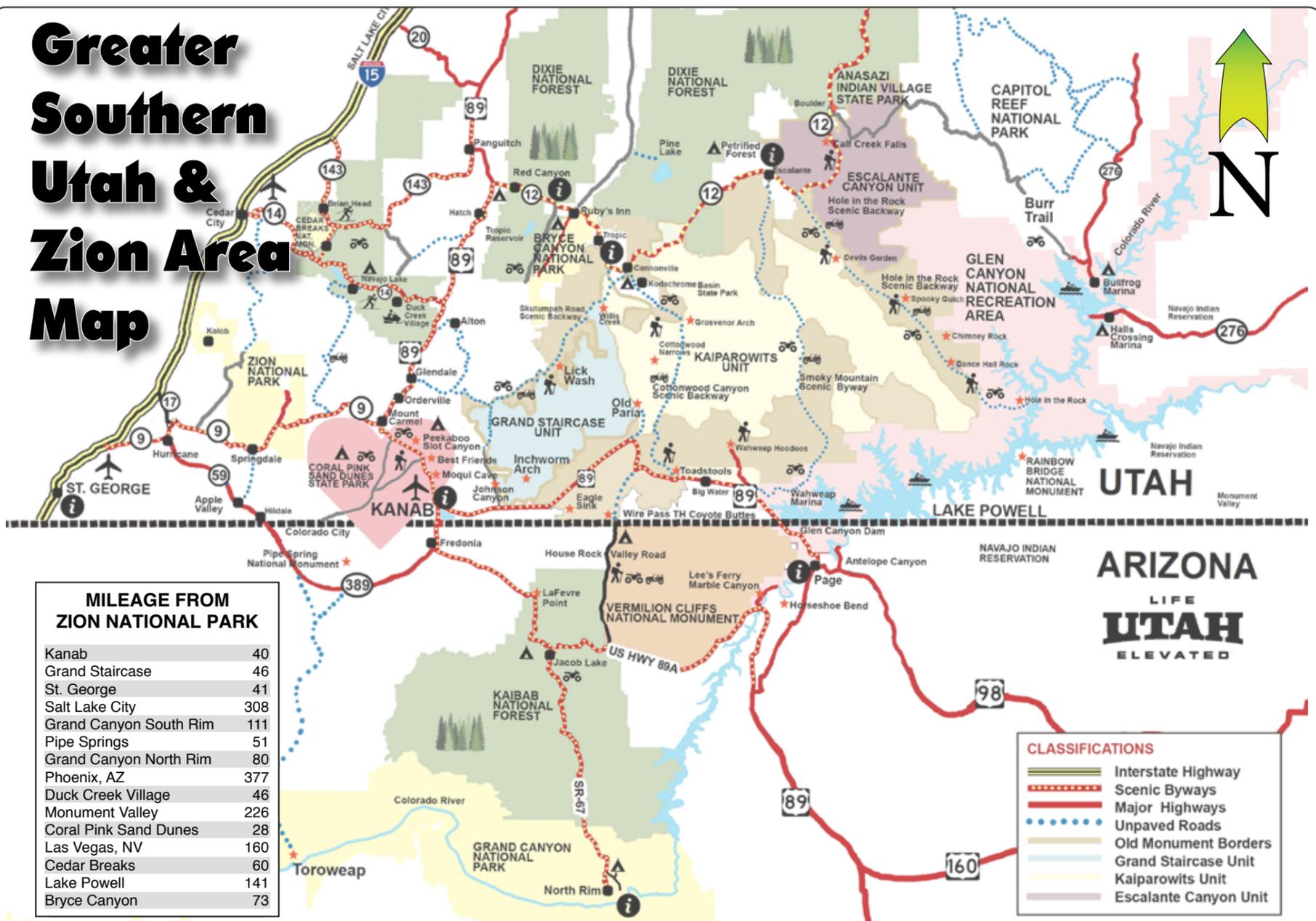
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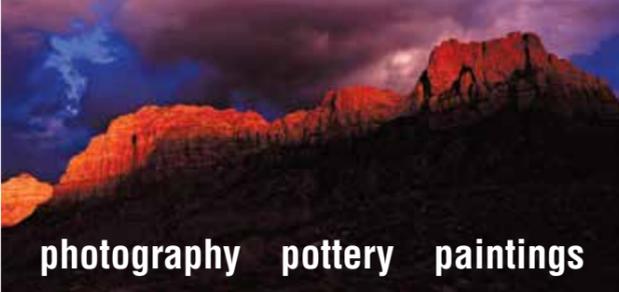
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BAKER - Baker Reservoir is a small lake on the Santa Clara River four miles north of Veyo on Utah State Route 18. It is a 63-acre lake with an average depth of about 20 feet. Many people come to the reservoir to camp at one of its 10 campsites and to fish. The reservoir is stocked with rainbow trout and contains brown trout, green sunfish, crayfish, reidside shiner, and mountain sucker. It has picnic areas and vault toilets. There is a fee for visiting the reservoir and no boat ramp.

BRYCE CANYON - Bryce Canyon National Park is a scientist's laboratory and a child's playground. Because Bryce transcends 2,000 feet of elevation, the park exists in three distinct climatic zones: spruce/fir forest, ponderosa pine forest and pinion pine/juniper forest. This diversity of habitat provides for high biodiversity. Here at Bryce, you can enjoy over 100 species of birds, dozens of mammals, and more than a thousand plant species. (435) 834-5322.

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CORAL PINK SAND DUNES - At an elevation of 6,000 feet and 12 paved miles off U.S. Highway 89 near Kanab, this park provides a fantastic setting for camping, hiking, OHV riding or just playing in the sand. A 265-acre conservation area prohibits motorized vehicles in order to protect the Coral Pink beetle (found nowhere else in the world) and its habitat. The mule deer, jackrabbit, kit fox, coyote, and many small rodents also make the park their home. (435) 648-2800.

DEAD HORSE POINT - Dead Horse Point State Park is perhaps Utah's most spectacular state park. Dead Horse Point is a promontory of stone surrounded by steep cliffs near Moab. The overlook at Dead Horse Point is 6,000 feet above sea level. Two-thousand feet below, the Colorado River winds its way from the continental divide in Colorado to the Gulf of California, a distance of 1,400 miles. (435) 259-2614.

DINOSAUR TRACKS - The St. George Dinosaur Discovery Site at Johnson Farm is home to exceptionally well-preserved dinosaur tracks, some displaying skin impressions. These tracks, along with hundreds of fossil fish, plants, rare dinosaur remains, invertebrates' traces, and important sedimentary structures, show evidence that this site was produced along the western edge of a large, Early Jurassic (age between 195-198 million years ago) freshwater lake. (435) 574-3466.

ENTERPRISE - There are two reservoirs in the Bull Valley Mountains 10 miles southwest of the town of Enterprise. The main one is Upper Enterprise Reservoir, about 250 acres with an average depth of about 50 feet, while Lower Enterprise Reservoir is 79 acres. Many come to the reservoir to camp, fish hike, and boat. The Honeycomb Campground is situated between both

lakes and has 21 campsites and flush toilets. There is a boat ramp on Upper Enterprise Reservoir and several fishing areas around both reservoirs. Fishermen will find rainbow trout and smallmouth bass here. Fees are charged.

FOUR CORNERS - The Four Corners is the only place in the U.S. where four states come together at one place: Arizona, New Mexico, Utah and Colorado. Here, a person can put each of their hands and feet in four states at the same time. The unique landmark is on Navajo Nation land and is open for visits from the public. West of U.S. Highway 160, 40 miles southwest of Cortez, Colo. (928) 871-6436.

GRAND CANYON - A World Heritage Site encompassing 1,218,375 acres on the Colorado Plateau in northwestern Arizona. The land is semi-arid and consists of raised plateaus and structural basins typical of the southwestern United States. (928) 638-7888.

GRAND STAIRCASE-ESCALANTE NATIONAL MONUMENT - Nearly 1.9 million acres of America's public lands and located between Bryce Canyon and Glen Canyon Recreational Areas. From its namesake Grand Staircase of cliffs and terraces across the rugged Kaiparowits Plateau to the beauty of the Escalante River Canyons, the Monument's size, resources, and isolated location provide amazing opportunities.

GUNLOCK - In scenic red rock country, 15 miles northwest of St. George, lies the 240-acre Gunlock State Park and Reservoir where year-round boating, water sports, and quality fishing for bass and catfish attract visitors. Facilities include boat launching ramp and pit privies. (435) 628-2255.

LAKE MEAD - Lake Mead National Recreation Area offers a wealth of things to do and places to go year-round. Its huge lakes cater to boaters, swimmers, sunbathers and fishermen, while its desert rewards hikers, wildlife photographers, and roadside sightseers. It is also home to thousands of desert plants and animals adapted to survive in an extreme place where rain is scarce and temperatures soar. (702) 293-8990.

LAKE POWELL - In Glen Canyon National Recreation Area is one of the world's great places for houseboating! The 186-mile-long lake offers sandy beaches, cool blue water, and exceptional red-rock scenery. It is excellent for boating, skiing, kayaking,

and fishing. Boat or hike to Rainbow Bridge, or explore any of its many canyons or sand dunes. (928) 608-6200.

PINE VALLEY - Pine Valley Reservoir is a beautiful place for fishermen to fish brook trout and rainbow trout. The reservoir is near the Pine Valley Recreation Complex, which has over 150 campsites with picnic and restroom facilities. This area is greener than most other parts of southwestern Utah with pine and pinion trees, and many come to enjoy camping and hiking. It is west of the town of Central. (435) 652-3100.

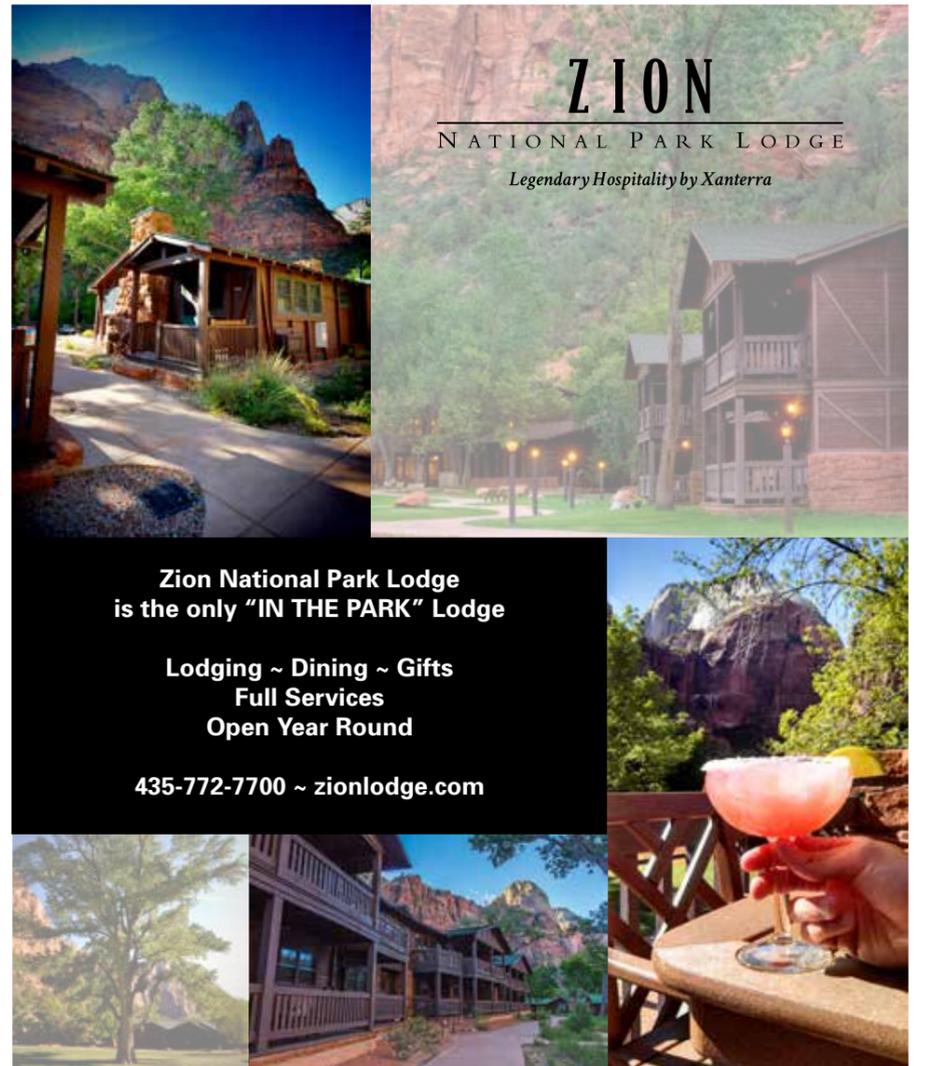
QUAIL LAKE - Quail Creek State Park provides excellent year-round camping, picnicking, boating, and trout and bass fishing in sunny southwest Utah. The park is three miles east of the Interstate 15 Hurricane exit on Utah State Route 9. Facilities include 23 campsites, modern restrooms, a fish cleaning station, and two covered group-use pavilions. (435) 879-2378.

SAND HOLLOW - Looking to fish? Swim? Ride your ATV in the sand? Do all that and more at Sand Hollow State Park, located between St. George and Hurricane. Bring your boat, a picnic, and some fishing gear for a fun day on the reservoir, or watch the kids swim while you relax on the beach. Load up your RV

or tent and settle in for a nice campout, or ride your ATV in the dunes of Sand Mountain. (435) 680-0715.

SNOW CANYON - Named after early Utah leaders Lorenzo and Erastus Snow, Snow Canyon State Park begins just outside of Ivins and stretches northward. Spectacular scenery includes towering red and white sandstone cliffs, black lava formations, and even a waterfall that appears during heavy rain. Snow Canyon offers 16 miles of hiking trails, beautiful sand dunes, technical rock climbing sites, horseback riding, year-round camping, nature studies, and wildlife viewing. This park is a favorite for locals and visitors alike. (435) 628-2255.

ZION - With breathtaking views, numerous hiking attractions of all difficulty levels and some of the most spectacular scenery on earth, Zion National Park and its surrounding areas attract thousands of visitors every year. This natural wonder is not only a mecca of recreational activity, but Zion and nearby Springdale host numerous cultural activities, as well. There's something for everyone in Zion - whether you're looking for a challenging hike or a fun excursion for the family. (435) 772-3256.



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The Weeping Rock Trail, Hidden Canyon Trail, and Observation Point Trail (East Rim from Weeping Rock) are closed due to rockfall damage. These closures are indefinite at this time. Lower Emerald Pools Trail is closed for trail repairs until Spring 2020.

Hiking is popular in Zion National Park, and popular hikes are seeing record visitation at peak days and times. For a less congested trek, consider these less-traveled hikes.

Northgate Peaks

By Don Gilman

The Northgate Peaks trail in the Kolob Terrace section of Zion National Park is an amazing trail with spectacular views. The trail itself is nearly flat, making it a perfect hike for families.

To reach the Northgate Peaks trailhead, take State Route 9 to the town of Virgin. Turn left onto Kolob Terrace Road. Drive for 15.7 miles through increasingly spectacular country until the short spur road (on the right) for the Wildcat Trailhead is reached. Drive a few hundred feet to the large parking area.

The trail heads east across grassy plains and stands of Ponderosa Pine with dynamite views of the towering Pine Valley Peak to the west. Soon the trail will be fully in the forest with limited views. After 0.9 miles, the junction with the Hop Valley trail is reached. Continue east, and 0.1 miles further, the junction with the Northgate Peaks Trail is reached. Head south on this trail for another 1.1 miles until the end of the official trail is reached at a rocky basalt bluff with epic views of the Northgate Peaks to the east and west and of North Guardian Angel to the south.

For families with young children, this makes an excellent turnaround spot.

Gifford Canyon

By Bo Beck

Gifford Canyon offers a nice stroll through a sandy wash and is very charming when water is running. This hike is nearly 3 miles long and will take about 2 hours to

finish.

To start this hike, park in the lot located immediately east of the Zion/Mt. Carmel Tunnel. The trail begins at the backside of the restrooms at the back of the parking lot. There will be a steep, sandy path to climb down before you enter Pine Creek slot. Follow the path upstream for almost 75 feet, and look for a 15-foot wall of slickrock. You can scramble up the rock or look for the beaten path on the backside of the rock.

On top of this wall is a narrow dirt path that is crowded by rock and vegetation. It winds around the mountain to a dead end with a beautiful view of the mountain where the Canyon Overlook Trail is located, opposite is Gifford Canyon.

The path will lead past stone bridge and to another minor slickrock climb. At the end of the canyon, there is a circle of cliffs preventing further exploration without climbing up the sandstone.

Chinle Trail

By Greta Hyland

Chinle Trail is an off-the-beaten-path trail located in the lower elevation west desert wilderness area, offering wide vistas, desert landscapes, and a reprieve from the more touristy trails in the park. Though it's a long trail, it's a mellow hike that can be cut off whenever you feel like turning around. It's a great hike with kids because it's not treacherous, slippery, or steep. Avoid it after snow or rain as it will be muddy.

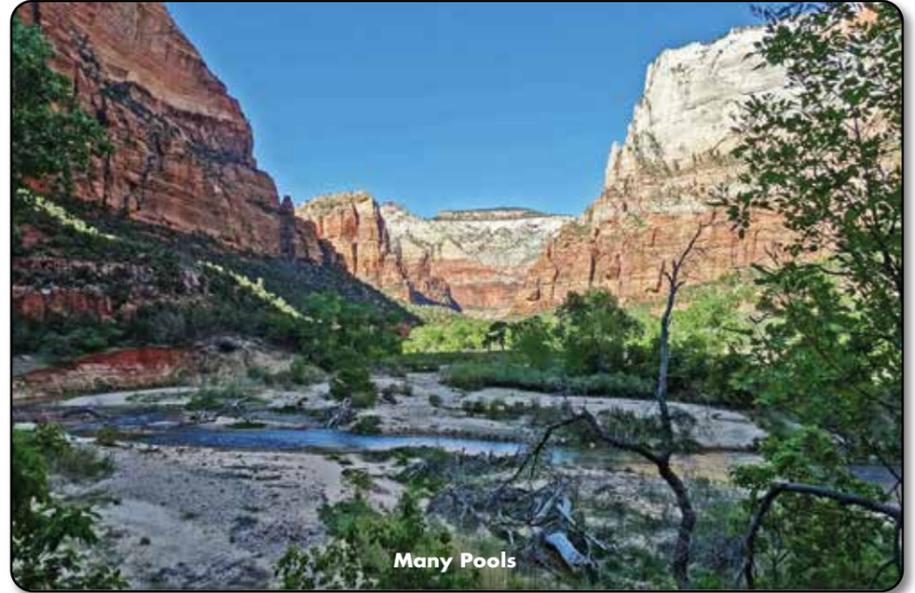
The Chinle Trailhead starts outside of Zion, south of Springdale. If you are coming from St. George, the turn is about a block before you hit the apple orchard and stand as you leave Rockville off of State Route 9. There is a parking area off the right of Anasazi Way near the Anasazi Plateau housing development. If you hit houses, you missed it. And yes, the trail starts below the housing development and takes you right through it. Don't worry though, it doesn't last long.

Shortly after you get through the housing development, you will hit a sign letting you know you are entering the Zion Wilderness.

At this point, you can breathe a sigh of relief, because you have gotten away from civilization to enjoy nature, and chances are that you won't see another soul until you return to your car.

Many Pools

By Candice Reed



The route is moderate with a gentle uphill climb to an alcove, but plan for a strenuous hike if you continue to the East Rim.

The route begins right off the highway. Drive to the pullout near the second drainage on the north side of the State Route 9, about 0.8 miles after the smaller tunnel. Walk carefully along the road about 150 yards and drop down into a sandy bowl on the north side of SR-9. There is a trail for a short distance, and then the sand turns into large flat stones that you can pick and choose to walk on, depending on your sense of balance. A short distance off the road, filled pools carved into the rocks appear. Ponderosa Pines and Juniper trees twisted by the wind are a good backdrop to the reds and whites ribboned through the rocks.

Hidden Canyon

By Bo Beck and Tanya Milligan

Hidden Canyon features steep ascents, narrow foot paths, and switchbacks on a narrow cliffside with exposure at high elevations. Some parts have chains to use for assistance. Be cautious near slippery sandstone areas with steep dropoffs. Expect full sun in most places after the early morning. Once you are into the canyon, it is shady and surprisingly cool.

This impressive 2.2-mile roundtrip hike begins at the same busy trailhead as Weeping Rock, Observation Point, and the East Rim. Begin at the Weeping Rock Trailhead, which quickly splits to the left. The trail you want to follow bears right toward the East Rim,

Observation Point, and Hidden Canyon. Watch for a sign that indicates the direction to Hidden Canyon.

A well-traveled path takes trekkers between sheer sandstone walls rising up hundreds of feet, made up by some of Zion's most famous landmarks: Cable Mountain and the Great White Throne. Once beyond the end

of the actual trail and into the slot canyon, look for small sandstone caves and a 20-foot long arch. Be careful to only explore as far as you know is safe for you! Few should ever venture past the freestanding arch.

Sandstone pools at the end of this hike are a favorite spot of the delightful and boisterous canyon tree frogs. Look for the tiny gray creatures near the water, and listen for their loud trilling. Past the pools is the end of the Hidden Canyon Trail.

Overlook Trail

By Charlotte Emett

The Overlook Trail is a short, beautiful hike located on the east side of Zion National Park, just outside the Mt. Carmel tunnel. The hike is about one mile roundtrip, and it usually takes people about an hour. It is definitely one of the easier hikes in Zion, but it's still considered a moderate-level hike due to a few exposed areas and sandstone pathways, which can be slippery.

The Overlook trailhead lies right outside of the Mt. Carmel tunnel by the ranger booth. Exit the tunnel too quickly and you'll miss it.

It begins with a staircase carved out of the sandstone leading up and away from the road. Soon, you'll be walking along the side of the mountain and looking down into a thin crevice known as Pine Creek Canyon. At about halfway, you'll walk across a bridge that wraps around a corner and leads to an area of recessed rock wet with the moisture that caused it to erode and be filled with ferns growing out of the sandstone.

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Warning: These hikes are very popular and often overcrowded. While they are well worth doing, expect them to be a little congested.

If you are feeling up to some of the more **difficult** hikes, try some of these popular hikes.

Angels Landing via West Rim Trail

Possibly the most popular hike in Zion, Angels Landing takes around four hours to complete and covers just under 5 1/2 miles. As you work your way up the 1,488-foot change in elevation, you'll want to look out for long drop-offs. This hike is not for young children or people with a fear of heights. Be sure to enjoy, but be careful along the last section of the hike, which is a steep, narrow

ridge to the summit. The hike starts at The Grotto.

Observation Point via East Rim Trail

This hike climbs through Echo Canyon to a viewpoint of Zion Canyon and offers access to Cable Mountain, Deertrap, and East Mesa trails. Plan for at least half of a day as this hike takes around five hours to complete and stretches over 8 miles. The 2,148-foot change in elevation from start to finish has long drop-offs, so be careful. Like Hidden Canyon Trail, this hike starts at Weeping Rock.

The Narrows via Riverside Walk

A full-day hike at 8 hours, the Narrows can pose extra dangers depending on the weather. High water levels can prevent access to the Narrows, so be sure to check with the visitor center before beginning this 9 1/2-mile hike. You'll start this hike at Temple of Sinawava.

Kolob Arch via La Verkin Creek Trail

Getting to Kolob Arch via the La Verkin Creek Trail follows Timber and La Verkin creeks and connects to the trail to Kolob Arch, one of the world's largest freestanding arches. A full-day hike, it will take around 8 hours to finish the 14-fourteen mile trip. This hike starts at Kolob Canyons Road.

If you are looking for something more **moderate**, try some of these mid-range hikes.

Watchman Trial

Starting at the Zion Canyon Visitor Center, this hike takes about two hours and covers just under 3 miles. The 368-foot elevation has some minor drop-offs and ends at a viewpoint for Tower of the Virgin, lower Zion Canyon, and Springdale.

Middle Emerald Pools Trail

A two-hour hike, Middle Emerald Pools has long drop-offs. The unpaved trail to the Middle Emerald Pools has loose sand and slippery rocks. You'll cover two miles in 2 hours over the course of a 150-foot elevation gain. The hike starts at Zion Lodge.

Upper Emerald Pool Trail

Starting at Zion Lodge, this is a shorter

trail covering one mile in about an hour. You will rise 200-feet in elevation, and there are minor drop-offs.

Kayenta Trail

This two-hour hike starts at the Grotto and goes for two miles. You'll gain 150 feet in elevation, and the trail does have long drop-offs. This unpaved climb connects the Grotto to the Emerald Pools trails.

Canyon Overlook Trail

Starting at Zion-Mt. Carmel Highway, this one-hour hike provides a 163-foot gain in elevation over the course of a mile. This rocky and uneven trail ends at a viewpoint for Pine Creek Canyon and lower Zion Canyon. While this trail is mostly fenced, there are long drop-offs.

Taylor Creek Trail

You'll begin this five-mile hike at Kolob Canyons Road. It should take around 4 hours to complete and provides a 450-foot gain in elevation. Larger groups may need to split up, as this hike limits 12 people to a group. It follows the Middle Fork of Taylor Creek past two homestead cabins to Double Arch Alcove.

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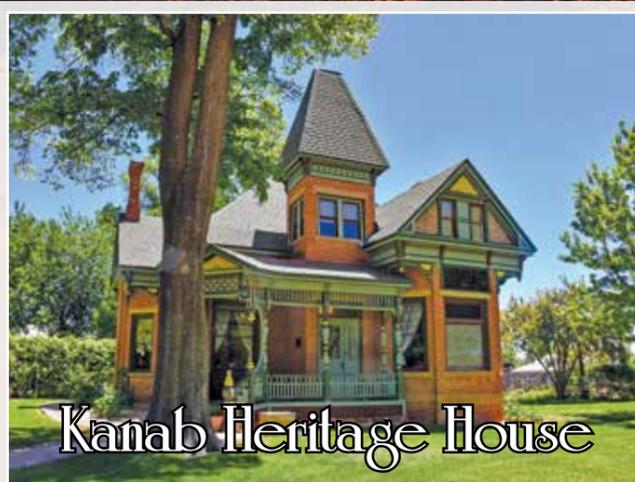
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