

RECREATION THIS WEEK: June 6, 2012

Recreation Department News...

MAMMOTH ROLLER RINK OPENS FRIDAY!

The Mammoth Lakes Multi-Use Facility and NEW Mammoth Roller Rink will open to the public on **Friday, June 8, 2012** at 3:00 p.m. The facility is located at 416 Sierra Park Road adjacent to the Mammoth Lakes Library and opposite Mammoth High School.

Operating as the Mammoth Ice Rink in winter, the Mammoth Roller Rink will offer summer recreational roller and inline skating, youth/adult roller hockey, arena soccer, broomball, basketball, mini-ramps, and table tennis/golf. The Mammoth Roller Rink is also a fun and unique venue for your next birthday party on wheels or special event.

Recreational skating/hockey and Multi-Use Facility admission fees have been set to encourage participation from all socio-demographics. In particular, the \$2.00 MUSD/MCOE fee for students makes it one of the most affordable recreation activities in Mammoth Lakes. For the 2012 summer season, adults skate for only \$7.50 with skate rentals (\$5.00 with skates), youth (5-15) for \$6.50 with skate rentals (\$4.00 with skates), and kids 4 and under skate free with a paid adult. This summer get your 6th Skate FREE with the Five Skate Pass (5SP), skate mid-week (Monday-Thursday) for only \$4.00 per person, per session (excludes skate rental), and pay only \$2.00/person to upgrade to the next session.

Roller hockey has been programmed from 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. for youth on Monday and Wednesday, and for adults on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Drop-in roller hockey is also available on Saturday between 9:00 – 11:30 a.m., and on Sunday from 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. For all those soccer enthusiasts, youth arena soccer is programmed every Sunday between 3:00 and 5:30 p.m. for only \$4.00/session.

Rent the Mammoth Roller Rink for your next party! All inclusive birthday party packages are available from as low as \$75 per 10 children, and up to \$15 per child for your personal party coordinator, cake, pizza, drinks and skate rental.

The Mammoth Roller Rink is owned and operated by the Town of Mammoth Lakes through a partnership with Mammoth Unified School District and Mono County Office of Education. The facility is drug-free, smoke-free and pet-free. We accept cash, credit cards, and personal checks with a valid driver's license. For the complete summer schedule, rates and special promotions visit www.mammothrollerrink.com, see our rack card in all Certified Racks located throughout Mammoth Lakes and along HWY 395, or call the Mammoth Roller Rink at (760) 934-2505 during operating hours, or the Recreation Dept. Office at (760) 934-8989 ext. 237.

NEVER HAVE A SLOW DAY IN MAMMOTH AGAIN!

The Town of Mammoth Lakes Recreation Department is proud to present the new 2012 Summer/Fall Recreation Guide. The guide is the definitive source for recreation in Mammoth Lakes packed-full of programs, events and activities for kids of all ages. Pick up your copy from any Certified Rack located throughout Mammoth Lakes, visit the Town Offices, Mammoth Lakes Welcome Center, or log onto www.MammothRecreation.com. Whether you're looking for family fun at our many parks, challenging your endurance on our many trails or replenishing your spirit in the great outdoors, we hope you'll take advantage of what our team has created, and what awaits you in Mammoth Lakes...Your recreation Nirvana!

NEW 2012 SUMMER FEES

For 2012, the Recreation Department has replaced resident and non-resident fees with “Early Bird” (EB) fees or “Regular” (Reg.) fees. Early Bird fees provide a 20% discount on camp programs if purchased 10-days in advance. This discount does not apply to the daily drop-in rate or facility rental fees. A \$5.00 family discount per child is also offered after the first family member has paid the EB or Reg. camp price.

WHITMORE POOL IS OPEN FOR LAP SWIM

Lap swimming at the Whitmore Pool is now offered midweek between 6:30 – 8:30 a.m., excluding Wednesday for Tri Club Training. Join us every Tuesday and Thursday for evening lap swim between 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. The cost is \$4.50 drop-in; \$100 Adult Season Pass; \$155 Family Season Pass (good for recreation swimming as well), or purchase the new 5 Swim pass \$20 (6th swim free!). **Stroke Improvement Classes:** Join certified swim instructors/coaches every Monday morning for some training! Classes are designed to improve the four competitive strokes, as well as get you trained up for that triathlon you signed up for this summer! Classes run 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. through August 27. Cost is only \$10 per session.

WHITMORE POOL PUBLIC OPENING AND FREE SWIM DAY

The Whitmore Pool public opening and FREE Swim Day is **Saturday, June 23, 2012**. Swim lessons also begin June 25, 2012. Call the Recreation Department Office at (760) 934-8989 ext. 222 for all the details.

MOUNTAIN-BIKE CAMP

Join the Recreation Department staff and local pro bike-shop riders in this intensive three-day (Wednesday–Friday) camp from **June 20–22, 2012**. We’ll bike all over Mammoth (and Mammoth Mountain Bike Park). For ages 9-13 years old, the fee is only \$126/\$105 Early Bird if you register at least 10 day in advance. Register at the Recreation Department Office or call (760) 934-8989 ext. 222 for information.

U.K. INTERNATIONAL SOCCER CAMP – SESSION 1

Professional British soccer coaches will once again host these popular camps. Coaches provide a safe, educational, and FUN program for ages 4–16 years old. The first 5-day session begins **Monday, June 25, 2012**. The cost is only \$105 for weekly morning sessions (\$35 per day), or \$165 for weekly full-day sessions (\$45 per day). Register at the Recreation Department Office or call (760) 934-8989 ext. 222 for information.

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On-Going Recreation Programs...

GET GYMNASTICS FEVER!

This year-round program is designed to introduce children from 3-18 years old the wonderful and exciting sport of gymnastics. Offered by Michelle DeJong, a level 8 competitive gymnast and Level 1-5 gymnastics coach, participants will learn to tumble and more in a safe and structured environment. This program is also a

recipient of Measure R funding with \$7,000 of gymnastic equipment. Three age sessions are available at the Community Center on Forest Trail.

- 3 yr. olds – Saturday: 8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
- 4-5 yr. olds – Saturday: 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.
- 5-8 yr. olds – Saturday: 10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.
- 8-12+ yr. olds – Wednesday: 4:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. & Saturday: 11:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
- 8-12+ yr. olds – Tuesday: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. – Invitation only.

Five session Punch Cards are available for \$60 for the first family member and \$55 for each additional family member. Private lessons are available upon request, please inquire with the instructor. Drop-ins cost \$15 per session are welcome and encouraged - First one is FREE! Please call (760) 934-8989 ext. 222 for more information or to register your aspiring Gymnast!

ZUMBA FITNESS

Party yourself into shape with Zumba® Fitness offered by Kaysie Williams from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the Mammoth Lakes Community Center, 1000 Forest Trail. Cost: 10 punch-\$77.50; 5 punch-\$42.50; Drop-In rate \$10 per class and your first class is only \$5!

Recreation News, Events & Activities in Town...

KIDAPOLOOZA

Get over to Mammoth Creek Park this **Saturday, June 9, 2012** for Kidapolooza - Celebrating Kids and Families in the Eastern Sierra! Festivities begin at 10:30 a.m., including games, Books, Hula Hoops, Crafts, Dancing, Story Time, Bicycle Rodeo, Bounce Houses, Entertainment, Hula-ing with LAVA MOON, Spanish/English music and dancing with JOSE LUIS OROZCO. This is a FREE event brought to us by Stacey Adler and the Mono County Office of Education, and the Inyo County Superintendent of Schools.

BODIE HILLS FLOWER TREASURE HUNT

Come out for an all-day floral treasure hunt in the Bodie Hills with Friends of the Inyo and the local Bristlecone chapter of the California Native Plant Society on **Sunday, June 10, 2012**. The Bodie Hills represent an exciting ecological mix of the Sierra Nevada and Great Basin bioregions. On this outing we'll hunt for flowering and non-flowering plants and get to know them a little better. Please come prepared for the outdoors with plenty of water, lunch, sunscreen. No pets, please. **When & Where:** 8:30 a.m. at the Mono Basin Forest Service Visitor Center parking lot or 9:00 a.m. at the junction of Highways 395 and 270 (Bodie State Park turnoff). **More info:** drew@friendsoftheinyo.org or call (805) 405-7577.

THE JUNE LAKE TRIATHLON – POST RACE BBQ BASH!

The TOUGHEST race in the most BEAUTIFUL place is only 5 weeks away. Spots are filling upso log on to <http://www.active.com> and register today. The weekend is filling up with events for racers and their friends and families, starting with the Friday night **Welcome Dinner at June Mountain Ski and Summer Chalet**. Race day hosts a festival expo with massage and a catered lunch on the beach. Organizers have just added a **post-race BBQ and party** open to the public at **Double Eagle Resort & Spa** - 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, July 7, 2012 at Eagles Landing Restaurant deck. Yet another reason to register soon!

CELEBRATE THE FIRST 50 DAYS OF FISHING SEASON!

Trout season is in full swing and is starting strong with warm temperatures and big hungry fish. It's the "50 Days of Fishmas" in Mammoth Lakes until Monday, June 18, 2012. Don't forget to purchase your tickets for a chance to win a 14 foot Klamath Deluxe S Boat, Honda 8 marine HP motor, and an EZ Loader trailer. Visit EasternSierraFishing.org for all the details.

Upcoming & On-Going Events...

- On-going Gymnastics/Tumbling Program at the Community Center
- On-going Zumba Fitness at the Community Center
- On-going Little Sluggers Instructional T-ball
- On-going Lap swimming at Whitmore Pool
- OPEN Tioga, Sonora and the Lakes Basin
- June 8 Mammoth Roller Rink OPENS!
- June 9 Kidapolooza
- June 9 National Get Outdoors Day!
- June 12 Recreation Commission Meeting, Measure R Spring Applicant Presentations/Recommendations
- June 20 Mountain Bike Camp
- June 22 Monster Energy Mammoth Motocross Begins
- June 23 Whitmore Pool Public Opening & FREE Swim Day
- June 25 UK International Soccer Camp, Session 1
- July 4 Fourth of July Festivities: Freedom Mile, Parade, POPS in the Park and Fireworks at Crowley Lake
- July 7 June Lake Triathlon