

## RECREATION THIS WEEK: June 16, 2016

### Parks and Recreation Department News...

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#### ADULT SUMMER PROGRAMS OPENINGS

The Parks & Recreation Department is excited for our Adult Summer Programming! We are currently taking registrations for the following Adult Programs starting in June:

Co-ed Softball League  
Men's Softball League  
Adult Doubles Tennis Camp & Social  
Adult Drop-in Tennis Sessions (advanced registration not required)

Space is also still available in the following Adult Programs throughout **July and August**:

Adult Doubles Tennis Camp & Social I & II  
Adult Drop-in Tennis Sessions (advanced registration not required)  
Private Tennis Lessons (reservation only)

Visit <https://apm.activecommunities.com/mammothrecreation/Home> to see our summer listings or to register for a program. Or contact (760) 934-8989 ext. 222 for more information.

#### MAMMOTH RECZONE GRAND OPENING JUNE 18

The Mammoth RecZone opens Saturday, June 18! Join us on Opening Day from 3:00 – 9:00pm for FREE Admission + Skate Rental + Complimentary Hot Dogs between 5:00-7:00pm. The facility is an outdoor venue (with shade, lights, and concessions) located in the heart of Mammoth Lakes offering fun on skates, blades, boards, nets, hoops and on ramps. Summer programming includes: Friday Night Socials (\$1 Ice Cream Floats), Saturday Skate Party with FREE rentals, and Sunday is BBQ and hockey night. Visit [www.mammothreczone.com](http://www.mammothreczone.com) or call (760) 934-2505 for all the details.

#### WHITMORE POOL SUMMER KICKOFF JUNE 18

Saturday, June 18 marks our summer kickoff event at Whitmore Pool, and the start of public swim for the season! Celebrations on Saturday will include FREE swimming from 12:00p-4:00p with a BBQ lunch. The Whitmore Pool will be open 7-days a week from June 18 with public swimming offered Monday-Friday from 12:30-3:30pm and from 12:00-4:00pm on the weekends. Join us for midweek lap swim, swim lessons (begins June 20), and don't miss our Stroke Improvement Class with Coach Sam every Thursday at 5:30pm. Beginning June 20, midweek transit service to the Whitmore Pool/Track commences – only \$2.00 roundtrip with purchase of \$10 ten-ride pass. The fees for Whitmore Pool use are as follows:

##### Daily

Adult: \$4.85  
Senior/Youth/Military: \$3.10  
Child: \$1.80

##### Season Pass

Adult: \$130 early bird/\$140 reg.  
Senior: \$110  
Youth/Military: \$56.50

##### 5 Swim Pass

Adult: \$22.50  
Youth: \$14.25  
Child: \$7.50



Infant: Free w/ Adult purchase

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Infant: Under 1 yr.     Adult: 16+ yrs.  
Child: 1-6 yrs.        Senior: 65+ yrs.  
Youth: 7-15 yrs.      Military: With ID

All passes may be purchased at Whitmore Pool. For more information, please contact Lindsey Lyon at (760) 934-8989 ext. 222 or visit <http://www.townofmammothlakes.ca.gov/Facilities/Facility/Details/6>.

**SIGN UP FOR KIDS SUMMERS CAMPS TODAY!**

The Parks and Recreation Department is currently taking registrations for our summer camps and programs. Space is still available in the following camps for June:

- Climbing Camp I (MiNi’S, Child, Youth)
- Climbing Camp II (Child & Youth)
- UK Soccer Camp I (MiNi’S, Child, Youth)
- Wave Rave Skate Camp II (MiNi’S)
- Swim Lessons (various ages and skill levels available throughout the summer)

There are also still spots available in many of our fun and exciting camps throughout July and August including:

- Aquatics Camp (9-14 yrs.)
- Junior Lifeguard Camp (11-14 yrs.)
- Girl Power Camp (8-14 yrs.)
- Mountain Bike Camp I (11-15 yrs.)
- Next Level Basketball Academy (6-14 yrs.)
- Showboat Youtheater: Annie (4-10 yrs.)
- Showboat Youtheater: Peter Pan (11-18 yrs.)
- Youth Tennis Camp (6-14 yrs.)
- Husky Prep Tennis Camp
- And many more...

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**SENIOR CENTER PROGRAM BEGINS AT THE COMMUNITY CENTER**

The Parks and Recreation Department is currently offering FREE senior programming on Wednesdays and Thursdays through June 29, 2016 at the Community Center (corner of Minaret and Forest Trail). The schedule is as follows:

- Wednesdays:
- 10:30am – 11:30am: Chair Yoga with Angela
  - 11:30am – 12:30pm: Luncheon (food will be provided)
  - 12:30pm – 1:30pm: Art Therapy Activity



Thursdays:

5:15pm – 6:15pm: Fitness with Dre (plan to wear comfortable clothing and shoes)

For more information contact (760) 934-8989 ext. 222. Additionally, a cancer support group is now forming. For more information please e-mail: [annakate.moore@mammothhospital.com](mailto:annakate.moore@mammothhospital.com)

**Recreation News, Events & Activities in Town...**

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**FRED HALL FATHER’S DAY FISHING TOURNAMENT**

This Saturday, June 18 and Sunday, June 19 be part of the Fred Hall tradition by participating in the Father's Day Derby. Fish in the Mammoth Lakes Basin, then weigh your catch at Rick's Sports Center in Mammoth Lakes for a chance at winning an awesome prize package! Call 760-934-3416 for more information.

**CSA AREA 1 SUMMER WELLNESS CLASSES**

Mono County Service Area 1 is now offering various wellness classes at the Crowley Lake Community Center. Classes are open to the public and are free for residents living in the district. If you live northwest of the Geothermal Plant and South of Sunnyslopes/Tom’s Place then you reside outside of the district and will be required to pay a nominal fee of \$5 per class. Class schedule is as follows:

Cardio Sculpt: Mondays 5:30-6:30pm

- June 20
- July 11, 18, 25
- August 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Mommy Bootcamp: Tuesdays 10:00-11:00am

- June 21, 28
- July 12, 19, 26
- August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Pilates: Tuesdays 8:00-9:00am

- June 21, 28
- July 12, 19, 26
- August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Fencing: Thursdays 6:30-7:45pm

- June 30
- July 14, 21, 28
- August 4, 11, 18, 25

Yoga: Thursdays 5:00-6:15pm

- June 30
- July 7, 14, 21, 28
- August 4, 11, 18, 25



## **NOW RECRUITING OWENS RIVER WATER TRAIL PIONEERS!**

Inyo County is a grant finalist for a \$500,000 CA Natural Resources Agency grant to develop the first designated water trail for kayaks, canoes, and paddleboards in the Western U.S! The 6.3 mile trail near Lone Pine winds through one of the most scenic sections of the re-watered Lower Owens River, with numerous green meadows, willow trees, and spectacular views of the Alabama Hills, Mt. Whitney, and the Inyo Mountains.

Inyo County and Friends of the Inyo are looking for volunteers to support the efforts by clearing cattails and bullrush in the water and from the shore. Trail building will occur this weekend, June 18-19. This support could help establish a useable recreational corridor on the Owens River. CA Natural Resources staff will be out on the water to appraise the project on June 21. The goal is to have them experience this amazing stretch of water, and demonstrate that volunteer stewardship can help build and maintain the Owens River Water Trail.

Building a water trail is almost as fun as using it. It's a full-immersion, unforgettable experience, and participants can say that they were instrumental at helping to establish the first river paddle trail in California and the west. Come out for this truly unique experience. Plan to meet where Narrow Gauge Road crosses the Owens River at 10am. Program will run until 3pm.

Sign-up today! Call Ben Wickham, Friends of the Inyo Outreach Coordinator:

Office: 760-873-6500 or Cell: 208-860-1199 or email [ben@friendsoftheinyo.org](mailto:ben@friendsoftheinyo.org)

## **2016 EASTSIDE VELO GROUP BIKE RIDES**

Eastside Velo (the Mammoth Lakes cycling club) has organized their list of group rides in the Eastern Sierra through October. Check below for updated ride schedule! All rides are open to the public and are scheduled as follows:

- 6/18: Pettigrew's Crowley Lake Ride
- 6/26: Death Ride Training Ride
- 7/2: Hawthorne Ride at Mono Lake Park
- 7/17: Triple Bypass
- 7/20: Tour de France Party Night @ Mammoth Brewing Co. & Time Trial #2
- 7/31: June Lake Ride
- 8/14: Reverse Century
- 8/17: Time Trial #3
- 8/28: Juniper Springs Ride
- 9/10: Mammoth Gran Fondo
- 9/24: Fendon's Pool Party
- 10/8: Benton Hot Springs Ride
- 10/22: Bristlecone Ride

Annual membership is \$35 and gives you access to all of the group rides. Non-members are welcome with a \$15 day use charge. Eastside Velo also offers weekly summer training rides every Wednesday at 5:15 pm. The summer training rides will meet at the Green Church (Benton Crossing Road). To RSVP for rides or to find out



more information, including information on the Women's Racing & Training Team or Time Trials, visit [www.eastsidevelo.org](http://www.eastsidevelo.org).

## **SIERRA CLUB EVENTS AND MEETINGS**

### *June - Range of Light Group Outings/Meetings*

**June 17-19:** Mono Lake Bird Chautauqua. ROLG will have a table at the picnic on Sunday. Come by and see us. For more information contact Maurica at [Maurica\\_And@yahoo.com](mailto:Maurica_And@yahoo.com).

**June 23:** Hike to Snow Ponds near Reverse Peak. Explore several new additions to USFS trail system to ponds which may have water in them this year. 2.5mi round trip. Short, steep uphill/downhill, easy walk across plateau, and many Sierra vistas. Meet at 4:30pm at the Mammoth Lakes Union Bank parking lot. Contact Jean at 760-648-7109 or [dillinghamjean@gmail.com](mailto:dillinghamjean@gmail.com) for more information.

**June 26:** Hike Silver Lake to Parker Bench. 4mi round trip, 2000' gain. Beautiful views of Silver Lake and Mono Lake and many aspen arborglyphs. Meet at 8am at the Mammoth Lakes Union Bank parking lot or at 8:45am at Rush Creek Trailhead across from Silver Lake Campground. Dogs limited. Contact Maurica at 760-932-7175 or [Maurica\\_And@yahoo.com](mailto:Maurica_And@yahoo.com) for more information.

**June 30:** McLeod Lake Hike. 1.1mi round trip. 300' gain, easy. Walk through barren, white forest of trees killed by CO<sub>2</sub>, enjoy views of Mammoth Mountain and Mammoth Crest and eat a snack along the sandy lake shore. Well-behaved dogs welcome. Meet at 4:30pm at the Mammoth Lakes Union Bank parking lot. Contact Dick and Joanne at 760-709-5050 or [rhihn@skidmore.edu](mailto:rhihn@skidmore.edu) for more information.

*OUTINGS AND DESTINATIONS MAY CHANGE DUE TO UNFORSEEN WEATHER CONDITIONS. ABOMINABLE WEATHER WILL CANCEL AN OUTING. IF IN DOUBT, PLEASE CONTACT LEADER AHEAD OF TIME.*

## **CURRENT RECREATION JOB OPPORTUNITIES**

- Aquatic Site Coordinator
- Sports Officials
- Volunteers

## **Upcoming & On-Going Events...**

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- ON-GOING Lap Swim at Whitmore Pool
- ON-GOING Adult Stroke Improvement classes at Whitmore Pool
- ON-GOING Senior Program at the Community Center
- June 18 Whitmore Pool and Mammoth RecZone Grand Opening
- June 18 Start of Whitmore Pool Rec Swim
- June 20 Adult Softball pre-season begins
- June 20 Swim School Opens for the season
- June 20 Climbing Camp I
- June 21 Drop-in Adult Tennis Sessions begin
- June 21 Adult Tennis Camp & Social begins
- June 22 Wave Rave Skate Camp I
- June 27 Climbing Camp II

- June 27 UK Soccer Camp I
- June 29 Wave Rave Skate Camp II
- July 5 Wilderness Camp I
- July 5 Mountain Bike Camp I
- July 5 Adult Co-ed Softball League
- July 6 Adult Men's Softball League
- July 9 Next Level Basketball Academy I & II
- July 11 Adventure Camp
- July 11 Girl Power Camp
- July 11 Youth Tennis Camp
- July 16 Men's Softball Tournament
- July 18 CSB Soccer Camp
- July 18 Climbing Camp III
- July 20 Wave Rave Skate Camp III
- July 23 Co-ed Softball Tournament
- July 25 Mountain Bike Camp II
- July 25 Wilderness Camp II
- July 26 Adult Tennis Camp & Social