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Indoor winter storage and boat winterization available at Jordanelle Rentals. Reservations and appointments available at 435-615-7397. Park entrance is free when dropping off your boat for service or storage.



Message from the Manager

Wow! What a summer! The park was busy, the water was great, we had our best Fire on the Water event ever, and lots of construction was completed. The park entrance was redone, half the Marina parking lot was paved, a playground was replaced, 2.2-miles of trail was cut, and the Nature Center was stained. I would like to thank everyone who decided to spend their summer with us, including all our visitors, volunteers, seasonal workers, private businesses, non-profits, and full time employees! Jordanelle is a special place to each of us in our own way. I look forward to another fun-filled summer. Again, thank you to the staff, volunteers, and to all of **YOU** who choose to recreate at Jordanelle and make it your home away from home!



*Laurie Backus
Park Manager*



Don't Spread the Mussels!

Help us keep these destructive mussels out of our lakes and streams. Self-decontaminating by cleaning, draining, and drying all equipment is the best way. If you are unable to self-decontaminate, call the park and schedule a professional decontamination. 435-649-9540

SUMMER 7 DAYS

FALL & SPRING 18 DAYS

WINTER 30 DAYS

DRY

Allow your boat to dry before you launch in other waters:

- SUMMER**
Wait 7 days in the summer
- FALL**
Wait 18 days in the fall/spring
- WINTER**
Wait 30 days in the winter

Hailstone Event Center

A “natural” choice for your special event.

Beautiful, natural, affordable. Located between Park City and Heber City, the Hailstone Event Center at Jordanelle State Park offers sweeping views of Jordanelle Reservoir and the Wasatch Mountains. The backdrop is ideal for your wedding, banquet, or retreat. Capacity is 500 for indoor/outdoor events and 220 for indoor events. Rental fee is \$750. Call the park for more details.



Video:

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o934K-hnB00>

Call 435-649-9540 to check availability.



DRY STORAGE

Protect your boating investment this winter!

Jordanelle offers many options for dry storage, winterization, and acid washes.

- Jordanelle Rentals offers secure indoor dry storage and boat services. \$115/month for storage during winter. 435-615-7397 or go to www.jordanelle rentals.com for more information and availability.
- Jordanelle State Park has spots available for secure outdoor dry storage. \$50/month from Nov-April. Call 435-649-9540 or stop by the park office.

Winter 2015 Event Dates



HAILSTONE

FEB 21 2015: Quad-fishalon ice fishing tournament
Jan.31 @ East Canyon
Feb.7 @ Deer Creek
Feb.14 @ Rockport
Feb.22 @ Jordanelle
\$55 for the Quadfishalon (pre-registrants)
\$15 for individual parks (pre-registrants)



ROCK CLIFF

N/A

ATTENTION BOY SCOUT LEADERS: We have openings for Klondikes! We require a \$3/person overnight fee, \$60 permit fee, insurance, and port-a-potties need to be brought in depending on the size of the group. Contact the park to reserve your date and fill out the paperwork.

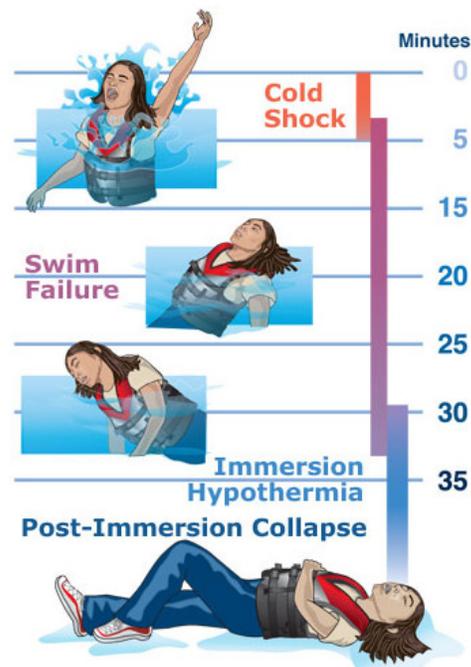
Cold Water Immersion and Hypothermia Can Kill

Boater's Tip: Don't ever think that boating activities won't expose you to the risk of hypothermia. Wear rain gear when it rains. A windbreaker over a fleece jacket is very effective to protect against the wind. Hypothermia can occur on what begins as a warm, sunny day. In remote areas, carry matches and go ashore if you need to build a fire. Also carry an extra jacket, hat, and blankets. Remember that, as a responsible operator, you should tell your passengers what to bring along for the outing.

Proper response to accidents results from good training and common sense. If an injury is minor, treat it immediately. If an injury is major, make the victim as comfortable and safe as possible until medical personnel arrive, assuming you have a way to call for help.

Cold water immersion kills in several ways. The colder the water, the greater the chance of death. However, the initial reaction to cold water immersion can occur in water as warm as 77° Fahrenheit. By understanding how your body reacts to cold water, you can prepare for and be better able to respond appropriately, thus increasing your chance of survival. *Reference: Utah's Boating Course Manual*

The Four Stages of Cold Water Immersion





Fall & Winter Park Hours

The park is open 6am to 10pm each day. The park office is generally open Monday – Friday, 10a.m. to 5p.m. (excluding Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's). Please display your annual pass or use the self-pay fee envelope system and pay with a check or cash. You may also pay at the office if someone is there. The day use fee will be reduced to \$7 at Hailstone as more facilities are closed down for winter.



Seasonal Information

CAMPING: Two camp loops are open and will continue to be open until it snows. Once it snows, self-contained camping is allowed in the marina parking lot for \$16/night, where the only open restroom is located. Fires must be 18" off the ground. No ground fires allowed. Camping at Rock Cliff is allowed in sites #1-7 only and in the parking lot for \$10/night. **ROSS CREEK:** Once it snows, the trailhead at Ross Creek will be closed until spring.



Vendors and sponsors needed!

We are looking to secure vendors and sponsors for the 2015 Fire on the Water event. This is a great opportunity for you to show and sell your products to 6,000-8,000 people in a fun environment.

Contact Randy at Marine Products for more information:

randy@marine-products.com

<http://vimeo.com/103209077>

Go to <http://stateparks.utah.gov/park/jordanelle-state-park/conditions> for current conditions at the park.



Utah State Parks Friends Group

This is a great organization to show your support for YOUR State Parks.

Do your part and JOIN! Go to

<http://friendsofUtahstateparks.wordpress.com/>

for more information.