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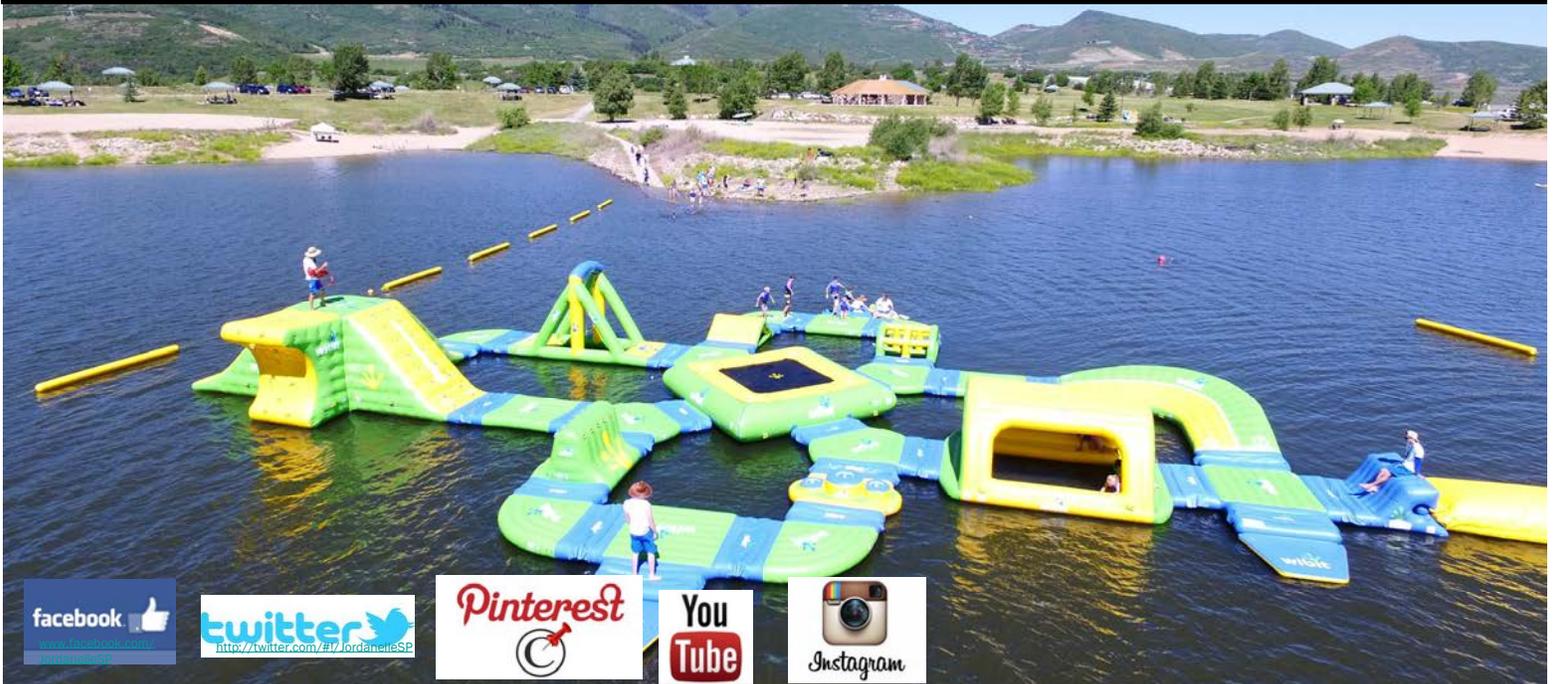
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Mark your calendar! You don't want to miss these 2 great events!

**SAT. JULY 16<sup>TH</sup> | 5 PM - 10 PM**

**MP**  
9TH ANNUAL **FIRE ON THE WATER**

**\$20**  
PER CARLOAD OF 8

**FIREWORKS AT 10:00 PM**

**JORDANELLE STATE PARK - HIGHWAY 40 EXIT 8**  
**LIVE MUSIC | BBQ | GAMES**  
**STAND UP PADDLE BOARDING - BOATS ON DISPLAY**

**BOAT PARADE OF LIGHTS | 9:00 PM | PRIZES FOR BEST BOAT!**  
1ST PLACE \$250 MPPS GIFT CARD - 2ND \$150 MPPS GIFT CARD - 3RD \$100 MPPS GIFT CARD



**BECOME A SPONSOR CALL KIRA AT 801-973-4017**

**\$5 with your current annual pass.**

**VETERANS SALUTE 5K**  
Aug. 13 Jordanelle State Park  
5K, Fun Run,  
and Pancake Breakfast!  
stateparks.utah.gov

SUPPORT OUR TROOPS!



**5K & FUN RUN**



NATIONAL ABILITY CENTER



All proceeds from the event will benefit the National Ability Center's Veteran and Military programs.

7:30AM Fun Run Start - \$10pp  
8:00AM 5K Start - \$30pp  
(\$5 discount for military)

8:30AM - 10:00AM  
\$3/person  
3 & under free

**Show your patriotism and honor our current and past military veterans by running this 5K.**

- 5K runners will receive a bugle "First Call" start and run through beautiful Jordanelle State Park. Along the course, runners will run past banners representing each of the major wars: WWI, WWII, Korean, Vietnam War, Gulf War, and the War on Terror.
  - All 5K runners receive participation medals and race shirts.
  - Awards will be given out for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishers according to age groups.
  - Go to <http://stateparks.utah.gov/parks/jordanelle/events-2/> to Register.
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Utah State Parks Reservations (800) 322-3770 [www.stateparks.utah.gov](http://www.stateparks.utah.gov)

**Jordanelle State Park**





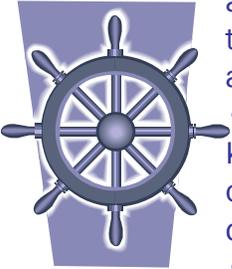
### Did you know there are Navigation Rules.....Traffic Laws of the Waterways?

• Accidents can be easily prevented if every vessel operator follows the navigation rules and fulfills the three major responsibilities of an operator:

• **1) Practice good seamanship.** It is the responsibility of every vessel operator to take all necessary action to avoid a collision, taking into account any special circumstances due to weather, vessel traffic, and limits of other vessels. Such action should be taken in ample time to avoid a collision and at a safe distance from other vessels.

• **2) Keep a sharp lookout.** Failing to keep proper lookout is the most common cause of collisions. Keep a close lookout at all times (by sight and hearing) for other vessels, navigational hazards and others involved in water activities. Keep your hands on the wheel so you are able to maneuver quickly.

• **3) Maintain a safe speed and distance.** Safe speed and distance is the speed that insures you will have ample time to avoid a collision. Safe speed will vary depending on conditions such as wind, water conditions, visibility and surrounding vessel traffic. Always reduce speed and navigate with extreme caution when visibility is restricted. **A wakeless or idle speed is required when operating a boat within 150 feet of another boat, person in the water, shore angler, ramp, or dock.**



### BE COURTEOUS!

• Courtesy docks are for loading people and to park while retrieving trailers if alone. A boat should only be on the dock as long as needed, but never more than 15 minutes. Fishing, sunbathing, swimming, or general loitering is not allowed as it adds to the congestion. Load your items quickly and do not block walkways.

• When using the boat ramp, prepare your vessel away from the ramp. Use experienced people to launch and retrieve your vessel. Never block the ramp or leave a vessel or vehicle unattended. When retrieving, do not pull your vessel into a launch lane until the towing vehicle is at the ramp. After retrieving your vessel from the water, pull it out well away from the ramp before preparing the vessel for the drive home.



### Did you know?

• Vessel operators should always be considerate of other vessel operators even when stopping to anchor or moor. Keep in mind that **it is illegal to:**

• Operate any vessel in such a way that it will unnecessarily interfere with the safe navigation of other vessels on the waterway.

• Anchor a vessel to a bridge, under a bridge or in a heavily traveled portion of a river or channel.

• Moor or attach a vessel to a buoy (other than a mooring buoy), beacon, light, or any other navigational aid.

• Move, displace, tamper with, damage, or destroy any navigational aid.





# FREE Beginner Boater Clinics

**July 1**  
**July 22**  
**August 4**

Come learn some helpful tips that will make boating a better experience! Boating clinics will be held on July 1, 22, and August 4 from 6:00PM to 8:00PM at Jordanelle State Park. Students will receive one hour of instruction on land and one hour on the water. Students will receive a completion certificate. Call the park office at 435-649-9540 or Marine Products at 801-973-4017 to register. Space is limited to 30 students per class.



Brought to you by:



## VETERAN'S WITH DISABILITIES HONOR PASS

The Division of Utah State Parks and Recreation is excited to announce the implementation of the new Honor Pass!

Effective July 1, 2016 the Division will offer a free Honor Pass to qualified veterans who are Utah residents and who were honorably discharged, and have a service related disability rating of 50% or greater.

Veterans meeting this requirement will need to provide a current Summary of Benefits letter issued by the Department of Veteran Affairs in order to obtain the Honor Pass at select locations across Utah. We plan to have Honor Passes available at most state parks starting July 1. These locations will be announced shortly, so please check this page for updates on current distribution sites before you leave to pick up a Honor Pass.

We appreciate your patience as we initiate this new program.

The Honor Pass is valid for day use admittance only to all state parks for the qualified veteran and up to 7 guests in the same private vehicle.

The Honor Pass is also not valid for special fees and charges within state parks including camping fees, golf greens fees, special program fees, etc.

Brush Up on Your Boating Skills and Take an Online Test! Go to <http://boating.utah.gov> Not only will you learn great information, but you may be eligible for a discount on your boating insurance. Contact your agent for more information.

## Stand Up Paddle Boards



**Always have your Personal  
Floatation Device (PFD) with you!**

Remember:

- Try to stay in wakeless areas or along shorelines. It is difficult for boaters to see you. Wear bright clothing and a hat if you can.
- Wear your life jacket. **It's the law to have it onboard for everyone!**
- Watch the skies. If bad weather is approaching, get to shore and wait it out.
- Boaters: This sport is growing in popularity. It is **YOUR** responsibility to watch out for participants. Stay at least 150 feet away from any vessel, dock, or swimmers when travelling over a wakeless speed. **YOU ARE RESPONSIBLE** for damage caused by your wake!



**Jordanelle Rentals has more to offer!** Great selection of boats including sport boats, pontoon boats, fishing boats, and paddleboards. In the Pro Shop we are now offering a large selection of QUIKSILVER apparel along with expanded lines of Reef footwear and apparel.



**(435) 615-7397**

<http://www.jordanellerentals.com>



### \* New for 2016 \* Personalized Interpretation Programs



Choose from 5 different programs and our volunteer naturalist will give a 20-minute program from the comfort of your own campsite or pavilion. Choose from the following programs: Flowers of Jordanelle State Park, The Creepy Crawly Critters, Geo-History of Jordanelle, Introduction to Star Gazing, and Stories of the Sky. Programs are free and are available on Fridays, Saturdays, and Sundays from 6:30PM to 10:00PM. You must sign up by 6:00PM on the sign-up sheet at Murdock Camp Services.

### Safety in black bear country

*Utah's mountains and forests are home to thousands of black bears.*



## Learn to live with bears!

Bears often live in the same places we camp, hike and build our houses. This poses a safety concern for both humans and bears. If a bear obtains food from a home or campsite — even once — it may become aggressive in future attempts. This almost guarantees the bear will have to be destroyed. Fortunately, there are steps you can take to protect both you and the bear.

### Camp and hike responsibly

Sloppy campers and hikers don't just endanger themselves, but also future visitors. Bears have amazing memories; they will return to a site repeatedly if they ate there at some point in the past. When in bear country, you should:

#### Maintain a bear-safe campsite

- ✓ Store food, drinks and scented items securely (in your vehicle, a bear-safe container or a tree – never in your tent)
- ✓ Dispose of trash in bear-proof dumpsters, if available
- ✓ Wipe down picnic tables
- ✓ Burn food off stoves or grills
- ✓ Pitch tents away from trails in the backcountry
- ✓ Always sleep inside your tent
- ✓ Never approach or feed a bear
- ✓ Report bear sightings to your campground host

We haven't had any official bear sightings at Jordanelle, but there has been some in Park City and Wasatch Co. Go to <http://wildlife.utah.gov/dwr>

## The "scoop" on dogs at Jordanelle



Dogs are welcome at Jordanelle, however there are some restrictions.

Jordanelle's primary purpose is water. The reservoir provides water to over 1 million people on the Wasatch Front, Utah County, and agricultural use in the Heber Valley. Restrictions are in place for several reasons, but failure to abide by the rules may result in the loss of that use or opportunity.

• **Dogs must be leashed at all times.**

• This helps protect wildlife, your dog, other dogs, and people who are scared of or allergic to dogs.

• **Dogs must be attended to at all times.**

• No one likes a barking dog. It's ok to take your dog on your boat.

• **Dogs must be picked up after.**

• This helps us protect our water. Dog poop contains a bacteria that is difficult for water treatment plants to remove. And no one likes a poopie campground or day use area.

• At Hailstone, dogs are allowed everywhere but the public beach area, which is the beach below the day use cabanas. They are also not allowed in or around the cabins, the park buildings, or restrooms.

• At Rock Cliff, dogs are allowed along the main road and north of the main road. Areas open to dogs include the ramp, Perimeter Trail, and 3 Rocks Trail. They are not allowed on the boardwalks or south of the main road.

### Camping Etiquette 101

Please follow these helpful tips to create a better experience for you, the people to follow you, and our hard working camp hosts and maintenance workers.

- Burn only wood in the provided fire pit. Split wood that is too large to fit in the fire pit. Trash belongs in the dumpster or recycle bin, not the fire pit.
- Do not walk through other people's campsites.
- Keep campsite clean and free of food scraps. Food attracts animals ranging from mice to skunks to bears.
- Keep noise to a minimum at all times. Your music or other noise should not be heard at your neighbor's site. Remember quiet hours are from 10pm-7am.
- Set up your camping unit during day light hours. Your neighbors will appreciate it and it will be easier for you too! Remember to park all vehicles on the designated asphalt.
- Keep an eye on your kids, including your 4-legged ones. They need to be supervised at all times and not left alone at any time.
- Protect Nature! All natural features in the park are protected. That includes the trees, rocks, water, and animals. Take nothing but pictures!
- Leave your site cleaner than you found it!



- > Plan Ahead and Prepare
- > Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces
- > Dispose of Waste Properly
- > Leave What You Find
- > Minimize Campfire Impacts
- > Respect Wildlife
- > Be Considerate of Other Visitors

**Attention Boaters: Mussels found in Lake Powell and suspect in Deer Creek Reservoir.**

All boats must be decontaminated or completely dry for at least 7 days during the summer.

Do your part to keep invasive species out of our reservoirs!



With the help of volunteers, the Rock Cliff Nature Center is open:  
 Fridays 1PM-5PM,  
 Saturdays & Sunday 9AM-5PM  
 through Labor Day.  
 Rock Cliff is located on the east side of Jordanelle, off Hwy 32.

**CLEAN**

Clean all plants and mud from your boat trailer and equipment

[LEARN MORE](#)

**DRAIN**

Eliminate water from bilges, ballasts, live wells and engines

[LEARN MORE](#)

**DRY**

Allow boat to completely dry before launching in other waters

[LEARN MORE](#)

### THE CULPRIT

**INVASIVE MUSSELS**

Mussels form dense, destructive colonies that encrust almost any underwater surface. Newly hatched mussels (called veligers) are microscopic. Veligers can easily be transferred to other waters without boat owners even knowing.

*(actual veliger)*

### THE DAMAGE

Mussel infestations in Utah lakes can:

- DESTROY FISHERIES**
- POLLUTE SHORELINE AND BEACHES**
- DAMAGE BOATS AND EQUIPMENT**
- COST MILLIONS TO CONTROL**

### THE INFESTATION

Mussels have already infested these nearby lakes:

- 1 Lake Powell
- 2 Lake Mead, NV
- 3 Lake Havasu, AZ

And hundreds in the U.S.

<http://www.stdofthesea.com/>

**2016 Event Dates**

**HAILSTONE**

- July 1: Free Boat Clinic
- July 8-9: Utah Wake Surfest
- July 16: Fire on the Water
- July 22: Free Boat Clinic
- July 30-31: PCSA Summer Regatta
- August 5: Free Boat Clinic
- August 5: Star Party at Beach House
- August 13: Military Appreciation Day: 5K race and pancake breakfast
- August 15: Junior Sailing Regatta
- September 17: Bass Tournament
- Sept. 24: Wasatch Mountain Head Rowing Regatta
- October 1-2: PCSA Sailing Regatta

**ROCK CLIFF & PERIMETER TRAIL**

- July 29: Doxa Threelay
- August 13: TriUtah Triathlon at Rock Cliff (area closed Aug.12 at 5pm- Aug.13 at 5pm)
- Oct. 8: Red Rock Relay trail race



Look for this sign at Jordanelle to know if a tech is on duty. Call the park if you need to schedule a decontamination. 435-649-9540.



# Summer Fun @ Jordanelle

When's the last time you soared?



Activities: Boating, camping, fishing, paddle boarding, swimming, kayaking, water park, geocaching, fly diving, picnicking, events, sunbathing, and more!

