

# CALENDAR

# of Events

## MARCH

### Nevada Desert Dogs vs. Albany Patroons

**Mar 1-2 6:30 PM**

Join the Nevada Desert Dogs as they take on the Albany Patroons at the Rising Star Sports Ranch in what this magazine is hoping may turn out to be a true underdog story. Go Desert Dogs! See their website for their complete game schedule.

[napbasketball.com](http://napbasketball.com) | [facebook.com/Nevadadesertdogs](https://facebook.com/Nevadadesertdogs)

### 14th Annual Fire & Ice Gala

**Mar 2 5:30-7:00 PM**

Raising support for Dixie State University needs-based scholarships, the 14th Annual Fire & Ice Gala features dinner, entertainment, and silent and live auction. All of the proceeds from the "There's no place like home" themed gala allow students, who, because of financial constraints, may not otherwise be able to complete or pursue a college education. Hosted by The Dixie Foundation, the Fire & Ice Gala is held on the Dixie State University campus in the M. Anthony Burns Arena. Tickets are \$150 per person.

[dixiefoundation.org](http://dixiefoundation.org) | (435) 817-9847

### 2018 Virgin Valley Little League Tryouts!

**Mar 3**

Is your child a baseball fanatic, or maybe they just want to try a new sport? Then bring them on down to the Virgin Valley Little League tryouts! Registration is required.

Contact Dan Wright, VVLL President, for more information.

See page 99 | [vvllmesquitenv@gmail.com](mailto:vvllmesquitenv@gmail.com)

### Mesquite Senior Games

**March 5**

Now in their 16th year, the 2018 Mesquite Senior Games invites men and women, age 50 and better, to compete in a variety of events against age-group peers. Events take place in March and April. They also host the CAN/AM and Winter Classic softball tournaments in October and December. Registration is now open on their website.

See page 108 | [mesquiteseniorgames.org](http://mesquiteseniorgames.org)

### The ParaLong Drive Cup

**Mar 7-8**

The ParaLong Drive Cup is a long drive championship that enables athletes with illnesses, injuries, and challenges to engage in competition and camaraderie with their peers.

This championship is open to the public, and spectators are welcome to attend. It will be held at the Mequite Sports & Event Complex, 1635 World Champion Way, Mesquite, Nevada. Call (865) 748-0771 for details.

See page 46 | [amputeelongdrivechampionship.com](http://amputeelongdrivechampionship.com)

### Nevada Desert Dogs vs. Ohio Cardinals

**Mar 9-10 6:30 PM**

Nevada Desert Dogs take on the Ohio Cardinals at the Rising Star Sports Ranch. Go Desert Dogs! See their website for their complete game schedule.

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### 2nd Annual Desert Color Dash

**Mar 10 8 AM-12 PM**

The City of Mesquite, together with the JL Bowler Elementary PTO and Virgin Valley Elementary PTO proudly presents the 2nd Annual Desert Color Dash. The 5k and Fun Run will take place at Hafen Lane Park, Mesquite, Nevada. Register at the Mesquite Recreation Center or online.

[mesquitenv.gov](http://mesquitenv.gov)

### Virgin Valley High School Presents

#### Disney's *High School Musical*

**Mar 15-17 6 PM**

VVHS hosts an opening night gala in honor of their production of Disney's *High School Musical* where you can meet the high school's 45-member cast. Tickets to the show are available from cast members. Tickets for the gala start at \$15, and Friday-Saturday shows are \$10 per person.

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### Uniworld Boutique Presentation

**Mar 20**

Special presentation with Uniworld Boutique River Cruises presented by The Travel Connection. Call the number below to RSVP and receive additional details.

See page 81 | (435) 628-3636

### RRCI Fun Run, Walk & Roll: 5K

**Mar 24 8 AM**

RRCI Fun Run, Walk & Roll: 5K is a community fundraising event to support the mission, goals, and services that RRCI, (formerly Red Rock Center for Independence) provides for people with disabilities in southwestern Utah. Admission is

\$20 for first applicant, and \$10 for each additional applicant. This event will be held at 2099 South Convention Center Drive, St. George, Utah.

[rrci.org](http://rrci.org) | (435) 673-7501 | [allison@rrci.org](mailto:allison@rrci.org)

### Red Rock Rampage

**Mar 24-25** 7-11 PM

If you've got a mountain bike, love to ride, enjoy competition — and a little good, dirty fun — then come on out to the Red Rock Rampage! Southwestern Utah is known for unique and challenging mountain bike trails and breathtaking scenery. With 30 different categories — ranging from kids to pro — the Red Rock Rampage offers something for every mountain bike enthusiast.

[ridesouthernutah.com](http://ridesouthernutah.com) | (435) 674-3185

### 39th Annual St. George Art Festival

**Mar 30-31** 10 AM-6 PM

Festival goers enjoy thousands of original works of art, live entertainment on two stages, a vibrant children's area, and foods of all kinds. Over 30,000 residents and visitors from around the west converge in the beautiful town of St. George on Easter weekend, one of the busiest travel weekends of the year. The festival is set in the beautiful Town Square with its carousel, fountains, and water features, flower gardens, and historic buildings.

[sgartfestival.com](http://sgartfestival.com) | (435) 627-4500

## APRIL

### 2018 Spring Home & Garden Expo

**Apr 6-7** 10 AM-7 PM

Come join us in celebrating the 16th Annual Home & Garden show! This expo has been southern Utah's largest and most complete showcase of all the latest products and services in southern Utah. Most importantly, you'll discover ideas, inspiration, information, and experts all designed to help you create the home and garden you've always wanted. Also, don't forget to bring your kids to this fun event, as there will be free face painting! This event will be held at the Dixie Center, 1835 Convention Center Drive, St. George, Utah. Admission is \$5.

[springhomeandgarden.com](http://springhomeandgarden.com)

### Nevada Desert Dogs vs. Yakima Sunkings

**Apr 6-7** 6:30 PM

Nevada Desert Dogs take on the Yakima Sunkings at the Rising Star Sports Ranch. Go Desert Dogs! See their website for their complete game schedule.

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### Rooster Cottage Spring Open House & Art Show

**April 7** 10 AM-4 PM

Rooster Cottage presents their 2nd Annual Open House

and Local Art Show. Enjoy free gifts, door prizes, and refreshments. 748 West Pioneer Boulevard, Mesquite, Nevada.

See page 82 | [roostercottage.com](http://roostercottage.com) | (702) 346-5112

### Clark County Fair & Rodeo

**Apr 11-15** 10 AM-11 PM

*Dare to Fair* at the Clark County Fair & Rodeo in Logandale, Nevada. Enjoy a carnival, rodeo, animal exhibit, live entertainment, vendors, and food! Ticket prices vary and can be purchased on their website, or at their box office.

See page 59 | [ccfair.com](http://ccfair.com) | (888) 876-FAIR

### Clash in the Canyons

**Apr 21-24**

The heat is back in Mesquite! A star studded field is set to return to the former host grid of the World Long Drive Championship from 1997–2012. Labeled by hitters as one of the best grids in all of long drive, the Mesquite Sports and Event Complex is famous for launching the careers of iconic champions Joe Miller, Tim Burke, Jamie Sadlowski, and Carl Wolter. Event is open to spectators.

[worldlongdrive.com](http://worldlongdrive.com)

### Free Entry to the National Parks

**Apr 21**

Come experience the national parks! All National Park Service sites that charge an entrance fee will offer free admission to everyone. Mark your calendar!

[nps.gov](http://nps.gov)

### Movie in the Park

**Apr 27** 7-11 PM

The St. George Area Chamber of Commerce and Staheli Family Farm presents *Movies in the Park*. Vendors, entertainment, and more! Movie showing starts at dusk. This free event will take place at Washington City Veterans Park, 111 North 100 East, Washington, Utah.

(435) 628-1650 | [susie@stgeorgechamber.com](mailto:susie@stgeorgechamber.com)

## SAVE THE DATE

**Mesquite Days – May 2-6** [mesquitenv.gov](http://mesquitenv.gov)

**5th Annual Mudd Volleyball Tournament – May 12**  
[mesquitenvrotary.org](http://mesquitenvrotary.org)

**12th Annual Amazing Earthfest – May 13-19**  
[amazingearthfest.org](http://amazingearthfest.org)