

# RECREATION ACTIVITY GUIDE

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# MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

Hello Rexburg! The Spring and Summer always bring fun times to our community and I'm so grateful to our City and the Recreation and Art Departments for offering so many amazing programs! This year is no different with many great options to get out and be active!

Our outdoor water park, Rexburg Rapids, is a wonderful amenity in our community. The facility offers a safe, welcoming environment with high-quality experiences for our community of all ages, and we prioritize affordable admissions! We will be kicking off the season on June 6th, 2024! You can also sign up for swimming lessons at the facility with one of our great instructors. It's a great way to stay safe and beat the heat of the summer, but hop on it! They sell out fast!

Do you remember your New Year's resolution? Maybe you'll want to check out our Teton Dam Marathon! The race will have multiple lengths for you to sign up for. There is a race for everyone!

Our Art Department's weekly creative classes have been a great success this year. Painting workshops for children, teens, and adults will continue at City Hall. The popular youth theatre camps return to the beautiful Romance Theater in July

JERRY MERRILL
MAYOR

and August with two shows, "Stone Soup" (ages 6-11) and "Footloose the Musical: Youth Edition" (ages 12-18). I'm so excited to see the kids' hard work pay off. I hope you will join me for their performances!

I really appreciate the accessibility of all of these programs. There is fun to be had for everyone and by everyone. It's so important to stress the necessity of recreational opportunities. Please get out and get involved with your family. The benefits to both our mental and physical health can't be understated.

Be sure to find us across our social media accounts; we're on Facebook and Instagram. We'll be featuring updates about all of these programs and more throughout the year. It's the best way to stay informed with what is happening in and around the City of Rexburg.



## JR. LIFEGUARD CAMP

#### 4 Sessions - 5 days each

Being a Lifeguard is an awesome experience and this is a unique opportunity to get prepared early! Jr. lifeguard camp is 5 days and helps participants gear up and get ready to get lifeguard certified at age 15. Participants will <u>not</u> receive a lifeguard certification, but will have 25 hours of professional instruction and 3 hours of Lifeguard shadowing throughout the week. They will also receive a whistle and a Jr. Guard T-shirt. Ages 11-14. Sessions must have between 8 and 20 participants.

Prerequisites: 11-14 years old

#### Schedule (Mon-Fri. 8:00am - Noon):

•	Session 1	June 24th - June 28th
•	Session 2	July 8th – July 12th
•	Session 3	July 22nd – July 26th
•	Session 4	Aug 5th – August 9th

Program Fees: \$99.00

Registration:

Registration Open	March 26th
Registration Close	Session Specific
Minimum Participants	8 per session

## **REXBURG RAPIDS**



## LIFEGUARDING CERTIFICATION CLASS

Ages 15 and over @ Rexburg Rapids | American Red Cross Certification Become a Red Cross Certified Lifeguard: keep people safe and save lives! The class at Rexburg Rapids is a 25-hour course offering certifications in Lifeguarding, First Aid, CPR, and AED. Participants receive a Red Cross Lifeguard Manual and a CPR mask. Certifications are based upon successful completion of the written exams and skills assessments.

#### Prerequisites:

- · Ages 15 and older
- Swim 150 yards continuously, tread water for two minutes with legs only, and swim 50 yards. Swim 20 yards' surface dive 10 feet and retrieve an object and swim on your back 20 yards and exit the pool.

Schedule TBD. Check our website for class dates and times. **Program Fees**: \$100.00 (Rexburg Rapids Employees Only)

## WATER SAFETY INSTRUCTOR CLASS

## Ages 16 and over @ Rexburg Rapids | American Red Cross

Teach people how to swim and give them a skill that might save their life someday. This class at Rexburg Rapids is approximately 40 hours in length. Participants will receive a WSI certification after successful completion of the written exam and skills assessments.

Schedule TBD / Check our website for class dates and times. **Program Fees:** \$220.00 OR \$100 for Rexburg Rapids employees

Registration:



Friday April 12th 4:00pm - 7:00pm

Saturday April 13th 4:00pm – 7:00pm

@ REXBURG RAPIDS

## **REXBURG RAPIDS**



## **SWIM LESSONS**

## Ages 6 months to 18 years 6 sessions @ Rexburg Rapids

Rexburg Recreation is pleased to offer swim lessons again this year at Rexburg Rapids waterpark. Each class is based on age and/or swimming ability with each participant receiving about 4 hours of instruction (8 total lessons). **Sign up early because lessons tend to fill up quickly!** Dates and class schedules are available online through Rec1. Generally, lessons are held Monday through Thursday mornings except for an evening session in June. Registration begins on March 25th and ends the Sunday before the class starts.

#### Prerequisites:

Please look online for class descriptions and the prerequisites that go with all the classes.
 (please note, if a child is not able to pass the prerequisites on the 1st day of class they will be moved to a class more fitting for their ability)

#### Schedule:

Session #1: June 17th - June 27th

Session #2: July 1st - July 11th (No lessons on July 4th)

Session #3: July 15th - July 25th Session #4: July 29th - August 8th Session #5: August 12th - August 22nd

#### Program Fees:

All Levels.....\$55.00

#### Registration:

Registration is Open

Registration Closes the Sunday Before first day of Class for that session.

## Register Online

## **REXBURG RAPIDS**



## **SWIM CLUB**

#### For Ages 6 to 18 years old

#### **Swim Competition Teams @ Rexburg Rapids**

This is an awesome opportunity for individuals to challenge themselves and others to improve their swimming abilities. The coaches have lots of experience and a love for swimming competitions. There will be two teams that will meet either Mon/Wed or Tues/Thurs from 7 am to 8 am starting in early June. There will be two swim meets, one in early July and one in August. For participating in this swim team, participants will receive a T-shirt and a swimsuit.

#### Prerequisites:

 Be advised: this is not a swimming lesson. Participants must attend a mandatory skills test to see if they can meet the requirements for unassisted swimming abilities.
 Participants must be able to swim 25 yards in a front or back crawl.

#### Schedule:

Team 1: Mon/Wed - 7:00-8:00 am Team 2: Tues/Thurs - 7:00-8:00 am

Dates: June 10th thru August 21st

#### **Program Fees:**

All Levels.....\$145.00

#### Registration:

Registration is Open
Registration Closes June 9th at 11:59 pm

## Register Online

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# CAROUSEL SUMMER KICKOFF



# May 24th | 4-8 PM

Mark your calendar for May 24th from 4-8pm and come enjoy the biggest event of the summer! FREE Carousel rides! Experience the farmers market right at Porter Park (just for this special occasion), bouncy houses, live music, a petting zoo, and more! All games and activities will be free for kids.

Start the summer off with a party at Porter Park!

## **YOUTH SPORTS**



## **YOUTH SOCCER**

If you are looking to participate in a youth soccer league, there are two options in the community. Tiny Burg Soccer and AYSO provide a soccer league in the spring and fall. The City of Rexburg Rec. Dept. offers an indoor soccer camp in the late fall and another session in the winter. If you have any questions, feel free to contact us.

## T-BALL - 6 & UNDER

This league is meant to teach the basics of baseball in a fun and positive manner. If you want to have your child in a Coach Pitch league, please sign up for the 8 & Under Youth Baseball League. Participants will be provided a baseball shirt/hat for their team. A softer rubber t-ball will be used to help lessen the fear of getting hit by the ball. No coach pitch will be allowed in this division.

Volunteer coaches are needed

#### Equipment Needed:

Baseball glove

Schedule......June 3rd – June 26th

\*\* Games will be played on Mondays/Wednesdays in late afternoons/early evenings.

Program Fees:

Activity Fee ...... \$40.00 (\$45 non-resident)

Registration:

## **YOUTH BASEBALL**



# IDAHO SELECT LEAGUES: 12 & UNDER & 14 & UNDER

This new Recreation Baseball League will offer a City Rec League experience but with more recreational teams to play from nearby towns. It features an 8-game season with no post-season tournament. Teams from St. Anthony down to Rigby will be participating to create a unique game experience each week rather than playing the same teams over and over again. Some games will be held outside of Rexburg. This league focuses on having fun, skill development, and sportsmanship. We will place only 11-12 players on a team so there is more playing time for all players. We provide a shirt and hat for each player. Baseball pants (gray) and cleats (no metal) are suggested.

A draft (Not a TRYOUT, everyone gets picked to a team) will be held at the Zone (275 Stationary Place) on April 18th at 6:30pm. Players who do not show up to the draft will be randomly assigned to a team. Friend Requests are not allowed.

Volunteer coaches are needed

Schedule \* (May 1st – May 29th)
12 & Under......Monday/ Wednesday

14 & Under......Monday/ Wednesday

#### Equipment:

- Gray Baseball pants (preferably)
- Cleats suggested (No metal)
- Baseball Glove

#### Program Fees:

#### Registration:

## **YOUTH BASEBALL**



## COACH PITCH (8 & UNDER), KID PITCH (10 & UNDER)

The Youth Baseball league format has an 8-game season with no post-season tournament for all age groups. Divisions are now set by age instead of grade with the option to play in older leagues if desired (ex. An advanced 8-year-old could play in 10U). This league will focus on having fun, skill development, and sportsmanship. We place only 11-12 players on a team so there is more playing time for all players. We provide a shirt and hat for each player. Gray Baseball pants and non-metal cleats are suggested. 8 & Under is coach-pitch. All the kids bat and play in the field. 10 & Under is kid-pitch. A draft will be held for this age division at a date and time TBD.

Volunteer coaches are needed

#### Equipment needed:

- Gray Baseball pants (preferably)
- Cleats- suggested (No metal)
- Baseball Glove

#### Program Fees:

#### Registration:

Registration Open: March 13th
Registration Close: May 12th

## **YOUTH SPORTS**



## **JUNIOR GOLF LESSONS – AGES 5-18**

Junior Golf Lessons are a great way for both those who are new to golf, or players looking for a tune up to improve their game. Students will not need their own clubs as they will be provided. Golf Lessons will take place every Wednesday in June.

Dates: June 5th - June 26th

#### Sessions:

9am-9:45am: Ages 13-18 10am-10:45am: Ages 11-12 11am-11:45am: Ages 11-12 12pm-12:45pm: Ages 5-10 1pm-1:45pm: Ages 5-10 2pm-2:45pm: Ages 5-10

Program Fees: \$55.00 (\$60 non-resident)

#### Registration:

Registration Open......April 2nd Registration Close.....May 29th

Location: Legacy Golf Course (26 Airport Rd. Rexburg)

## COMMUNITY GARDEN

The City of Rexburg offers Community Gardens at Riverside Park (in front of Rexburg Rapids) for community members to grow their own harvest during the planting season. There are 15 large beds (\$40 ea.) and 13 small beds (\$30 ea.) available for rent. You may begin planting when the planter boxes are ready on June 1st. Watering is the renter's responsibility! At some point during May/June, the water spigots will be turned on and will be available to use. Plots must be cleared out by November 1st to receive your deposit back.

We are excited to offer this great opportunity to the community! Happy planting!

Registration begins: April 15th
Program dates: June 1st-November 1st







Introducing Engage Rexburg, the City of Rexburg's official citizen engagement platform! Rexburg is known as "America's Family Community", and we want to hear from you, our community! Our goal is to utilize this platform so your voice can be heard and received. Here, you will be able to participate in local government by providing your feedback and staying informed about what is happening with Rexburg projects and initiatives.

## **ADULT SPORTS**



## **REXBURG CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT**

The 4th annual Rexburg Cornhole Tournament will be offered this upcoming August. Come compete in this super fun tournament that will offer prizes for the winners as well as drinks (non-alcoholic...sorry) and snacks for all the competitors. There is a 4-game minimum guarantee with pool play and tournament bracket play. Finish the summer off with an event to remember!

Divisions: Doubles

Date: August 31st Time: 6:00-8:00 pm

Registration Fee: Doubles-\$30/team (only 1 person needs to sign up, not both!)

Registration:

Registration Open......March 25th
Registration Close.....August 28th

Location: DONJO Sports Complex (425 E. 2nd N.)

## **ADULT SPORTS**



# REXBURG SUMMER PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT

Compete in Rexburg's 5th annual competitive pickleball tournament! Men's, Women's and Mixed Doubles are available. Prizes for the winners! Snacks and drinks provided. Sign up ASAP; spots go fast! If you need help figuring out what your pickleball rating is, feel free to contact us or search "USA pickleball rating" online.

DATES: JUNE 28TH-29TH

#### Friday:

• Mixed Doubles: [3.0] 2:00-4:30 pm | [3.5] 4:30-7:00 pm | [4.0] 7:00-9:30 pm

## Saturday:

• Women's [3.0] 8:00-10:30 am | [3.5] 10:30 am-1:00 pm

• Men's [3.0] 2:00-4:30 pm | [3.5] 4:30-7:00 pm | [4.0] 7:00-9:30 pm

\*8-team limit per division Format: Round Robin

Registration: \$35/team (Only 1 person needs to sign up)

Location: Nature Park (5th W. & 3rd N.)

STAY TUNED FOR OUR LABOR DAY PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT ON SEPTEMBER 2ND!

# REXBURG RUN CLUB!



The Rexburg Races Run Club is the newest running group in southeast Idaho! They meet every Thursday evening at various locations in the area. The club is open to everyone and anyone! Each week there will be several run-length options to choose the right distance for you! Come and join us each week!

Date: Every Thursday Time: 6:00 pm

\*\*Each week will be at a different location. Emails and posts will be sent out in advance.

Cost: FREE!

Sign up at Rexburgraces.com

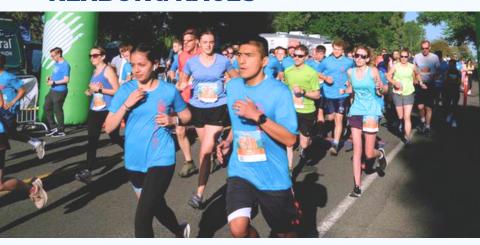
## **REXBURG RACES**



## **REXBURG RACES POLICIES**

- Once registration is complete and payment had been processed there is no refund.
   You can transfer your registration fee to another race that year, to next year's race, or find someone to buy your registration from you and we can change your info to theirs online.
- Last day to transfer is 1 week before the race.
- Shirt exchange: If you are not satisfied with the shirt size you ordered and would like to exchange it then you must wait until the race day to trade with whatever shirts are left over
- Teton Dam Marathon- Cannot exchange for a different TYPE of shirt (If you registered and ran 10k you cannot trade it for a marathon shirt, etc. Can ONLY exchange 10k for 10k and Marathon for Marathon)
- Teton Dam Marathon shirt exchange- 10am the day of the race at the packet pickup booth
- If you register after the shirt cutoff date, you can pick from the extra shirt sizes we ordered.
- SPONSORSHIPS: Bronze and silver sponsorships may be in-kind donations if approved by the Race Director. Race Title and Gold Sponsorships must be a cash donation.
- Day of registration is only offered for the Kids Race-Teton Dam Marathon and Main Street Mile.

## **REXBURG RACES**



## **TETON DAM MARATHON: JUNE 1ST**

On June 5, 1976, the collapse of the Teton River Dam unleashed a savage flood that caused \$500 million in damage, took eleven lives, and made thousands homeless all across SE Idaho. The Teton Dam Marathon & Races takes place every year around the anniversary of the breaking of the Teton Dam. Runners come to Rexburg from all over the country to participate. The races include a marathon, half-marathon, relay, 10K, 5K, and Kids Race.

Online registration is open now until May 30th, 2024 at 6:00 pm.

On-site registration is offered Friday, May 31st from 4-8 pm at Madisonhealth Hospital.

Fees range from \$20\* (5K) to \$95 (full marathon, late registration)

Race starts: 6:30am Full Marathon, 7:30 am Half Marathon,

8:00am 10K, 8:30 am 5K, Noon Kids Race and Relay

\*Registrations after May 15th are subject to not receiving runners T-Shirt and/or runners Medal

#### REGISTER AT REXBURGRACES.COM

Thank you to the title sponsor of this year's marathon:



## **REXBURG RACES**



## THE FOAMY 5K: JUNE 22ND

It's BACK!!! We are excited to bring back the Foamy 5K! We have made some changes to give you even more foam and fun! We've changed the course to double your foam fun. The course will start and finish in front of Rexburg Rapids at Riverside Park. After you finish your race join us for our post-race party in Rexburg Rapids! We will keep the DJ going and the foam flowing! Each participant will get a T-shirt, Medal, and access to our exclusive reservation at Rexburg Rapids!

#### Important dates and times

- · Guarantee T-Shirt and Medal June 7th
- Registration closes June 21st at 12pm

## **MAIN STREET MILE: JULY 4TH**

Join the community this July 4th as we run the Main Street Mile! The race is a family fun run that will take place before the 4th of July Parade. Runners will receive a free 4th of July day pass to Rexburg Rapids with every entry. Check-in at Mountain America Credit Union parking lot. Registration is open right up until the morning of the event!

The race starts at 9:45 am @ The Southeastern corner of Smith Park with the finish line at the intersection of S 2nd W and W 2nd S (Porter Park and Deseret Book, Cost is \$5 each runner.



## **IDAHO CENTENNIAL CAROUSEL**

## **SEASON: May 25th thru Labor Day**

Take a trip into the past and ride Idaho's only antique wooden carousel! Concessions and private reservations are available. Make it a day and visit the splash pad next door! No wet apparel is permitted on the carousel.

Times: Monday-Saturday 12pm-7pm

Cost: \$2.00/ride

For guestions or reservations, call (208) 372-2560

## RECREATION CONTACT INFORMATION

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## GLOBAL YOUTH SERVICE MONTH



**April 20 - May 20** 

**ROADSIDE CLEANUP DAY**4/27/2024



**FLOWBOR DAY** 5/16/2024



EAGLE PARK CLEANUP 5/13/2024

Follow us on Social Media to learn more!



## MUSEUM OF REXBURG

During the renovation of the Rexburg Tabernacle, the Museum of Rexburg is in a transitional period. While our collection remains in safe and secure storage, we will soon be offering a self-quided historical tour of downtown Rexburg.

## **FLOOD OF MEMORIES: JUNE 1ST**

One Saturday morning in June 1976, the Teton Dam collapsed, flooding the Snake River Valley with 80 billion gallons of water. At 2:25 that afternoon, a 15-foot wave of debris hit downtown Rexburg, changing our town forever. The Romance Theater was one of the buildings that survived that disastrous day. Join us at our historic theater on Saturday, June 1, 2024, at 1:00 p.m. as we pause to remember "the dam that broke and built a community." Please bring photos and memories to share.

Location: The Romance Theater

Cost: Free



## **ART STROLL**

Our monthly celebration of local artists returns in May and continues monthly through the fall! Join us and our featured artists at the Romance Theater on the first Friday of each month. You'll get the opportunity to mingle with local artists and experience hands-on activities. It's always fun for the entire family! To be a featured artist, contact us!

## **REXBURG CULTURAL ARTS**



## **UPCOMING PERFORMANCES**

Immerse yourself in the magic of live music and create wonderful family memories. Rexburg Cultural Arts is pleased to present an exciting lineup of community concerts, perfect for the sunny days of spring and summer! Join us at the historic Tabernacle Civic Center, Romance Theater, and beautiful Porter Park as we celebrate the power of music to unite, inspire, and move us all. Follow us on social media additional performance information.

#### **USAFA BAND FALCONAIRES**

Rexburg Tabernacle Civic Center	April 10,	7:00 PM
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#### REXBURG TABERNACLE ORCHESTRA CONCERT

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#### UPPER VALLEY WOMEN'S CHOIR CONCERT "Puttin' on the Ritz"

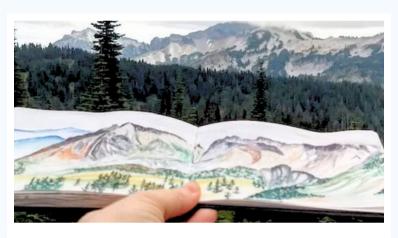
Romance Theater	May 13	7:30 PM
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#### COMMUNITY PATRIOTIC PROGRAM

Madison High School Performing Arts Center ......July 1, 7:00 PM

Learn more at RexburgArts.org

# REXBURG ARTS VISUAL ART CLASSES



# **Tuesdays & Thursdays**

Join artist Twyla Mahelona as she leads a guided class on watercolor painting! Art workshops are held on the 2nd floor of City Hall, in Rexburg Cultural Arts headquarters, with classes to engage every age.

## KIDS ART EXPLORATION (GRADES K-4)

Tuesdays @ City Hall (see website for times)

#### **CREATIVE CORNER (GRADES 5-12)**

Tuesdays @ City Hall (see website for times)

## ADULT INTRO TO WATERCOLOR (AGES 18+)

10:00-11:00 am & 7:00-8:00PM @ City Hall

View the scheduled theme, class time, and sign up for a class at RexburgArts.org. \* Only 12 spaces available per class \*

## **REXBURG CULTURAL ARTS**



## **STORYBOOK THEATER CAMP: AGES 6-11**

#### STONE SOUP

In this camp, children will have fun participating in every aspect of musical theatre - from behind the scenes to center stage - and enjoy learning that the greatest gift is to share.

**Location:** Romance Theater, 4 E. Main St., Rexburg **Camp dates:** July 8-19 (M-F), 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. **Tuition:** \$260 (register early, space is limited)

Performances: July 19 & 20

## **SUMMER THEATER CAMP: AGES 12-18**

#### FOOTLOOSE the Musical: Youth Edition

Youth who participate in this immersive theatre camp will build confidence, skills, and lasting friendships as they learn to sing, act, create and explore all the aspects of the theatre. In the words of Ren McCormack. "Let's dance!"

Location: Romance Theater, 4 E. Main St., Rexburg
Camp dates: July 29-August 9 (M-F), 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**Tuition:** \$400 (register early, space is limited)

Performances: August 9 & 10 Tickets: rexburgarts.org

Learn more at RexburgArts.org



Thank you to the season sponsor of this year's theater program.



## TABERNACLE LEGACY CAMPAIGN

In 1911, the Rexburg Tabernacle was funded and constructed by the community as a gathering place. After the 1976 Teton Dam flood, the community joined together to rescue it. Become part of the Rexburg Tabernacle Civic Center's rich history by contributing to the Tabernacle Legacy Campaign (TLC)! Your donation will help achieve different objectives within this important community project. By supporting TLC, you will not only aid in restoring this iconic landmark, but also demonstrate your commitment to preserving our history, honoring our heritage, and fortifying our future.

There was a generation who sacrificed to build it. Another who rallied to save it. Now it's our turn. Help preserve the legacy.

Rexburgtabernacle.org

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