

More Moab Area Events

November - December Events



Nov 1 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME

Nov 1 Day of the Dead Festival- Noon-5pm at the Moab Valley Multicultural Center, 156 N. 100 West. We are excited to bring the community together for a day full of celebration, cultural education & delicious food. If you are interested in decorating a tomb or altar for a loved one (pets included) please call MVMC 435-259-5444

Nov 1 Triple Crown of Moab- starting with the Dead Horse Ultra November 21st followed by Arches Ultra January 30th & finished with Moab's Red Hot 33K & 55K. For info: madmooseevents.com

Nov 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 Gravel Pit Lanes - 7pm No-Tap Monte Carlo, Moab Style! Call (435) 259-4748 to reserve a spot - only 12 lanes available. 1078 Millcreek Drive.

Nov 3 ELECTION DAY

Nov 3 Tuesdays at the Museum VIRTUAL- 6:30pm on Zoom. Topic: *My Canyonlands- The Adventurous Life of Kent Frost* with Jeff Frost & filmmaker Chris Simon. Film screening & discussion. Back by popular demand these live storytelling events will be held on Zoom & Facebook Live. Visit moabmuseum.or or our Facebook page for the links to attend

Nov 6-7 VIRTUAL Moab Folk Festival- 13 People's Choice artists have submitted video concerts for your enjoyment this year. Friday & Saturday at 7pm this retrospective will be available for viewing. For more info visit moabfolkfestival.com or call 435-259-3198. See ad & article pg 20B

Nov 7-8 Moab Celtic Festival: Scots on the Rocks- The rich heritage & colorful history of Scottish & Celtic cultures come alive. Enjoy Celtic food, crafts, highland dancing & traditional athletic contests For tickets & information, visit scotsontherocksmoab.org. See article & ad pg 13A

Nov 7 Moab Trail Marathon-Trail Marathon, 1/2 Marathon, 5K & Kids K- an unforgettable voyage through some of the world's most scenic & unique lands. It takes place in the spectacular & beautiful Kane Creek Canyon area near Moab. Registration includes a tech t-shirt, finishers medal or mug, awards, food, drinks & a beautiful, well-marked course. See moabtrailmarathon.com for more info.

Nov 11 VETERANS DAY

Nov 11 National Parks Fee Free Day-The Southeast Utah Group of national parks (Arches and Canyonlands national parks, Hovenweep and Natural Bridges national monuments) is joining national parks across the country in waiving entrance fees as a way to encourage people to get outdoors & spend time with their friends & family in the national parks this year. (This fee-free opportunity applies to entrance fees only and does not affect fees for camping, backcountry reservations, tours, or other special uses.)

Nov 17 Tuesdays at the Museum VIRTUAL- 6:30pm on Zoom. Topic: *The Arch-Flying Cowboy: Stories from Tim Martin*. Screening & discussion of this exciting film highlighting the aeronautic adventures of Tim Martin Back by popular demand these live storytelling events will be held on Zoom & Facebook Live. Visit moabmuseum.or or our Facebook page for the links to attend

Nov 19 Discovering Laramidia; The Dinosaur Empire of Southern Utah- 7:30-8:30pm at the Old Spanish Trail Arena, 3641 S. Hwy 191. Moab Festival of Science presents this free socially-distanced event. John Hankla, Paleontology

Research Associate from the Denver Museum of Nature & Science, will display the skeletons of two dinosaurs (Kosmocerotops and Teratophoneus). Come see his display & hear a lecture about the amazing new dinosaur discoveries happening in our region. Please bring your mask & come prepared to provide your neighbors with plenty of space.

Nov 21 Dead Horse Ultra- 50 mile, 50k, & 30k. Created to feature the Magnificent Seven Trails off of Gemini Bridges. The course will challenge you with technical slickrock & sandy washes it has great views of Arches National Park, the La Sal Mountains & the Moab Valley. Part 1 of the Triple Crown of Moab. For info: madmooseevents.com

WEDNESDAYS BLUEGRASS
THURSDAYS COUNTRY & GOSPEL
FRIDAY JUNIPER DRIVE
SATURDAY MAGIC fun for all ages!

visit website for exact times and more info!
MOABBACKYARDTHEATER.COM
 56 W. 100 S. (1/2 Block off Main next to Zax)

Moab's Backyard Theater

With winter coming on, this October might be the last chance for live outdoor entertainment this year! Locals and tourists alike are discovering that Moab is providing some of the only live entertainment in the west. Moab has its own



Quicksand Soup

entertainment venue downtown. Moab Backyard Theater, 56 W. 100 South (right behind Zax), provides entertainment four or five nights a week Tuesday through Saturday in a relaxed safe setting beneath a big cottonwood tree that's older than the town itself.

On Wednesday, Free Bluegrass night features Quicksand Soup, a local collection of some of the best pickers in the area. They have become renowned for their high-energy shows. Sand Sheff, who owns the venue along with his wife Sunnie, provides vocal, guitar and banjo. David Steward, a renowned local songwriter and guitar virtuoso, is on the lead guitar. Eric Jones, a native of Dinosaur, Colorado plays mandolin while young local sensation Alan Snow plays upright bass. Classically trained Tamara Frieda plays fiddle. The band just released 4 new CD's of American acoustic music last year.



Rick Boretti

Thursday nights features Saints and Sinners, an unusual mix of country and Americana stylings of Juniper Drive.

On Saturdays, magic returns to America with the amazing Rick Boretti. Rick's show is filled with humor and mystifying illusions! All shows are family and dog friendly.

All shows are at 7 pm. Social distancing is easy. Tuesdays through Friday shows are free. There is an admission charge for the Saturday Magic Show.

Nov 26 THANKSGIVING DAY

Dec 4 Christmas Tree Lighting

Dec 4-5 Holiday Art & Craft Fairs

Dec 5 Electric Light Parade

Dec 5 Winter Sun 10K

Musical Story Hour

by Erin Groves



On Saturday October 10th, 10:30am the Moab Music Festival and Grand County Public Library invite you and your little ones to explore the vibrant and diverse world of music through their collaborative "Musical Story Hour" quarterly events! These family-friendly events are intended to introduce young children (ages newborn to early elementary), with their parents, to a wide variety of musical instruments, songs, sounds, and genres through live musical demonstrations, story-telling, and instrument-themed crafts. This digital event will feature artist Mitchel Stevens on the Celtic harp.

Due to COVID-19, story hour events are going digital! Join us online for these quarterly events through the Grand County Public Library Facebook page. We look forward to gathering with you in person again soon!