

Summer 2018

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Save the Date: Summer in Steamboat Springs

Springtime in Steamboat Springs heralds the return of events galore that extend through the summer and into fall. Fun in the Steamboat sun kicks into high gear with a weekend of outdoor athleticism, between the annual Yampa River Festival and the 37th Steamboat Marathon, Half Marathon and 10K the first weekend in June. The first month of summer also includes the return of the Steamboat Springs Pro Rodeo Series, the Moots Colorado Ranch Rally and Reds, Whites & Brews in the Boat. A jam-packed July features the 115th Cowboy Roundup Days, 37th Hot Air Balloon Rodeo and Glow and the Tour de Steamboat. August follows suit with the return of the Steamboat Movement Fest, the Steamboat Stinger and the Routt County Fair. The schedule peaks in September with the 14th Wild West Air Fest, the Yampa Valley Crane Festival, Bike Week, Run-Rabbit-Run 50- and 100-mile race, OktoberWest and the Steamboat Art Museum Plein Air Painting event. Steamboat Restaurant Week caps off the fall events season Sept. 28 – Oct. 7. We've included these signature events and more in the calendar below.

| May | | August | t |
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| 4 | First Friday Artwalk, downtown | 3 | First Friday Artwalk, downtown |
| 25-28 | Downtown Steamboat Sidewalk Sale | 9-12 | Steamboat Movement Fest: Yoga, mountains, music |
| June | | 10-11 | Steamboat Springs Pro Rodeo Series closing |
| 1 | First Friday Artwalk, downtown | | weekend |
| 1-3 | Yampa River Festival | 11-12 | Steamboat Stinger |
| 3 | 37 th Steamboat Marathon, Half Marathon, 10K | 12 | Steamboat Sprint & Olympic Triathlon |
| 6 | 30 th Annual Y.E.S. Golf Tournament | 16-19 | Routt County Fair |
| 11-13 | Ride the Rockies | 23-26 | Vettes on the Rockies (Looking Glass Corvette |
| 14-17 | 30 th Annual Rocky Mountain Mustang Roundup | | Association) |
| 15-16 | Steamboat Springs Pro Rodeo Series begins | | |
| | (Fridays & Saturdays) | Septen | nber |
| 16 | Farmers Market begins (Saturdays) | 1-3 | Labor Day Celebration: 14th Wild West Air Fest, |
| 16 | Moots Colorado Ranch Rally | | Rocky Mountain PBR Bull Bash, Labor Day |
| 23 | Reds, Whites, & Brews in the Boat | | Sidewalk Sale, Steamboat Stage Race, |
| 24 | Tri the Boat Olympic & Sprint Triathlon, Half Iron | | Yampa Valley Crane Festival |
| | | 7 | First Friday Artwalk, downtown |
| July | | 7-9 | Bike Week |
| June 30 | 0-4 115 th Cowboys' Roundup Days, Ranch | 8 | Chili Challenge |
| | Rodeo, Ski Jumping Extravaganza, Fourth of July | 9 | Colorado League Bike Race (Colorado High Scho |
| | Parade, Tread of Pioneers Block Party, July Fourth | | Cycling League) |
| | Pro Rodeo Series, Fireworks | 10-16 | Lost Art Revival |
| 6 | First Friday Artwalk, downtown | 14-15 | Run Rabbit Run 50 & 100-mile race |
| 14-15 | 37 th Hot Air Balloon Rodeo and Glow | 14-15 | Steamboat OktoberWest |
| 14-15 | 44 th Art in the Park | 15 | Final Farmers Market |
| 21 | Tour de Steamboat | 22-29 22 28- | Steamboat Art Museum Plein Air Painting Even STARS Biking the Boat Fall Foliage Ride |
| | | Oct. 7 | Steamboat Restaurant Week |
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About Steamboat Springs

A Northwest Colorado gem just 2.5 hours from Denver, Steamboat Springs is a year-round outdoor playground and a historic resort town where western heritage meets abundant adventure. Summertime in Steamboat means miles of single track and endless county roads, tubing the Yampa and soaking in the hot springs, golfing among the peaks and valleys, and exploring the abundant lakes, rivers and streams that dot the landscape. Downtown Steamboat Springs pays tribute to its ranching roots with a renowned weekly

rodeo, heritage shops and outfitters, and a culinary community that takes homegrown to new heights. Throughout the summer Steamboat blooms with activity from Lincoln Avenue to the mountain base and beyond. Get Up Here and experience one of Colorado's authentic western mountain towns.

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