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- Experiential Learning
- Magnificent Landscapes
- Food, Live Music & Films

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Tenth Annual Celebration

May 8-14, 2016 in Kanab, Utah

Southern Utah's festival of discovery, learning, arts and adventure!

Details at www.AmazingEarthfest.org 435-644-5033

Welcome to Amazing Earthfest

Southern Utah's Festival of Learning, Discovery, Arts and Adventure!

"I am proud to strongly endorse the Amazing Earthfest and all its events and programs." – **Mayor Robert Houston, City of Kanab**

"The Kane County Office of Tourism is proud to welcome the 10th Annual Amazing Earthfest to Southern Utah. We hope everyone who attends will develop a greater appreciation for this wonderful region." – **Ken Gotzen-Berg, Director of Kane County Tourism**

All events listed are Utah time, unless noted. Please remember that 9 O'clock in Utah is 8 O'clock in Arizona.

Events are free of charge except where noted!

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7:00 pm-8:00 pm - National Conservation Lands	12	

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FREE LIVE MUSICAL PERFORMANCES!

Sunday, May 8

Arvel Bird at Invocation to Sustainability

Best Friends – 2:00 PM

Wednesday, May 11

Ron & Genevieve at Potluck Social Dinner Party

Jacob Hamblin Park – 5:00 to 6:30 PM

Saturday, May 14

Kenny Hall at Jake's Chaparral

Western Dinner – 6:00 to 8:00 PM

Saturday, May 14

Arvel Bird at Landscape of the Heart

Crescent Moon Theater – 7:00 PM

FABULOUS LIVE CONCERT!

Thursday, May 12

Earth Festival Chamber Concert - Paradigm Trio - 7:00 PM

Kanab High School Auditorium

Tickets on sale at AE Information Table and at the Door

Amazing Earthfest Information Table

Open Daily at Kane County Visitor Center (78 S 100 E)

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Arts and Culture

Presented By: The Rocking V Cafe
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ART ATTACK!

Date: Daily except Tuesday and Wednesday
Time: 11:30 AM - 10:00 PM
Location: The Rafters Gallery, upstairs at The Rocking V Café, 97 West Center St. Kanab.

Description: Come and enjoy the vast & unforgettable landscapes of the Colorado Plateau, along with its stunning wildlife, translated through the cameras, hands & brushes of talented local artists. A wide array of artistic media are on display including Photography, Paintings in oil, acrylic & watercolor, Ceramics, Sculpture, Jewelry, Wood, Bronze, Tin and Rock. Browse and marvel at nature's influence on art.

WELCOME TO KANAB: The Middle of Everywhere!

Presented By: Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument
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GSENM 20th Anniversary Event!
UNLEASH YOUR SPIRIT
Artist in Residence Music Workshops

Date: Tuesday, May 10, 2016
Time: 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM
Date: Wednesday, May 11, 2016
Time: 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
Location: GSENM Visitor Center, 745 East US. Hwy 89, Kanab.

Description: Let Celtic Indian and legendary performer Arvel Bird lead you in exploring the creative process through music and place, tapping your connection to the land and unleashing your personal soul song. Weaving local cultures, experiences on GSENM, stories of the ancient ones, and respect for Spirit everywhere into this workshop, join Arvel with your own musical instrument. A limited number of percussive instruments will be available. Open to all ages.

Arvel traces his maternal heritage and part of his musical inspiration to the Shivwits, a local Southern Paiute band that was placed on a reservation in southern Utah but whose territory originally ranged from what is now Grand Canyon-Parashant National Monument to the fertile Santa Clara & Virgin Rivers. Music remains a fundamental part of social and ceremonial society for Southern Paiutes.

Come to the Parade
Saturday, May 14 10:00 AM
US Hwy 89, Downtown Kanab

Presented By: Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument
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GSENM 20th Anniversary Event!
FIRST-PERSON PLACE-WRITING
Using the Personal to Illuminate a Landscape

Date: Tuesday, May 10, 2016
Time: 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM
Date: Thursday, May 12, 2016
Time: 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM
Location: GSENM Visitor Center, 745 East US. Hwy 89, Kanab.

Description: So many of us feel a powerful connection to the places we love. How can we write about those places in ways that are informative, personal, and resonant? How can we ground our personal writing about places in research and observation? Or conversely, how can we inflect fact-driven writing with our own personal sense of place?

In this two-part workshop open to all ages and skill levels, join GSENM Artist in Residence Rebecca Worby to explore these questions through writing exercises, group discussion, and short readings from memoir to nature writing and beyond.

Between sessions, participants are encouraged to apply what they've learned to the creation of new work, which they will have the opportunity to share at the end of the second session, scheduled for Thursday, May 12, at 6:30 PM. Bring your finished works or works-in-progress, a sense of fellowship, and your preferred writing instruments: pen and notebook, laptop, etc.

Presented By: Hubbell Trading Post/Western National Parks Association
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NAVAJO RUGS & JEWELRY

Date: Tuesday, May 10, 2016
Time: Exhibit 12:00 PM – 8:00 PM, Talks 1:00 PM and 6:00 PM
Location: Kanab City Library, 374 North Main Street, Kanab

Description: Don't miss this exhibition of beautiful Navajo arts direct from Hubbell Trading Post, the oldest continuously operated trading post in the American Southwest. Authentic, hand-woven Navajo rug designs displayed for sale in a range of prices plus fine silver and turquoise jewelry, American Indian handcrafts, books and more.

Special talks by Hubbell's trader, Edison Eskeets, at 1PM and 6PM will cover history, symbolism, artistry and production of Navajo rug designs, plus how to choose and care for them. Weaving demonstrations offered throughout the day!

Presented By: Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument

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GSENM 20th Anniversary Event!

CHANGING THE LENS

Artist in Residence Photography Workshops

Date: Monday, May 9, 2016

Time: 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM and 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Location: GSENM Visitor Center, 745 East U.S. Hwy 89, Kanab.

Description: Photographers James and Jenny Tarpley welcome children and adults of all ages to experience nature through the senses, photography, and a little humor too! Whether you are an amateur, seasoned pro, or just want to learn how to “see” differently and connect to your local landscape through photography, this workshop is for you.

We'll look at photographs of GSENM and surrounding areas, answering questions as we go, and test the “principles of observation” through a live photo scavenger hunt. The hunt will take place indoors and out, and focus on recognizing various aspects of our surroundings. A point-and-shoot, camera phone or dslr are recommended for this workshop.

Presented By: Jake's Chaparral Restaurant and Herb Basket

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LIVE MUSIC AND DINING AT JAKE'S

An authentic Western cultural experience with Kenny Hall!

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2016

Time: 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Location: Jake's Chaparral, 86 South 200 West, Kanab, Utah

Description: Jake's Chaparral is a family owned restaurant committed to providing a “Western Cowboy experience” with food and activities set to the theme, “Be a Cowboy for a Night.” Enjoy great music by solo Western Folklife artist, **Kenny Hall**, a 2015 star performer at the Western Folk Life Center in Elko Nevada. Traditional country-style meals include steaks, BBQ ribs, grilled chicken, country potatoes, baked beans, corn muffins with honey butter, fried avocados and more.

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GSENM 20th Anniversary Event!

LANDSCAPE OF THE HEART

Expressions of Grand Staircase by 3 Artists in Residence

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2016

Time: 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

Location: Crescent Moon Theater, 150 South 100 East, Kanab

Description: Celebrate the 20th anniversary of Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument with a noted speaker and three distinguished 2016 GSENM Artists in Residence; **Writer Becca Worby, Musician Arvel Bird and Photographer James Tarpley**. Experience the Monument's stunning beauty and remote wildness through perceptive emotions in words, music and imagery. Revel in an evening of artistic creativity like no other as three gifted artists express this land of extremes with different eyes and unique voices.

Artistic performances will follow an opening keynote speech by **Utah Writer and Conservationist Stephen Trimble**. Stephen participated in the conversations leading up to the proclamation of Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument. In his book, *Bargaining for Eden*, he researched the monument's origin story. In his talk, he'll tell that story. How did we come to preserve this remarkable landscape? What values lie within the boundaries? What we can learn from our journeys across these canyons and mesas?

Opportunities for book signing and sales will be provided following the performance. Proceeds support Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument through its nonprofit partner, Glen Canyon Natural History Association.

Presented By: Creative Community

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RED PUEBLO MUSEUM & FREDONIA HERITAGE PARK

Date: Tuesday, May 10 – Saturday, May 14, 2015

Time: Open 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM **Arizona Time**

Location: 900 North Hwy 89-A, Fredonia, Arizona

Directions: The Museum and Heritage Park is located at the Fredonia Welcome Center on the east side of US 89-A.

Description: Take a step back in time to discover clues that help us understand prehistoric ways of life and peoples of southern Utah and the Arizona Strip. Navajo and ancient Puebloan pottery, a large collection of projectile points and many other artifacts are on display as well as hundreds of photos of rock art found in the region.

The Fredonia Historical Society offers a look at the history, lifestyles and traditions of the pioneers, ranchers and homesteaders of the area. Covered picnic tables and restrooms are available.

Presented By: Amazing Earthfest
Contact: Earthfest Director, Rich Csenge
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EARTH FESTIVAL CHAMBER CONCERT

*Performance by the Paradigm Trio
directed by Joel Rosenberg*

Date: Thursday, May 12, 2016
Time: 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM
Location: Kanab High School Auditorium, 59 East Cowboy Drive, Kanab

Tickets at the door. Admission: \$15.00 for adults, \$5:00 students, children under 12 free.

On this occasion Amazing Earthfest brings you the very highest caliber in chamber music performance. Each of these fine classical musicians is an accomplished soloist. Meet these outstanding players, share conversation with friends, and mingle with visiting guests after the performance. Ticket sales each year for Amazing Earthfest concerts help bring extraordinary talent to Kane County. **Thank you for supporting these fine performances!**

Rarely appearing in southern Utah, the **Paradigm Trio** based in Salt Lake City, featuring **Kelly Parkinson, Violin, Joel Rosenberg, Viola and Jed Moss, Piano**, will perform music of **Brahms, Beethoven, Mendelssohn, Debussy, Schubert and Piazzolla**.

Joel Rosenberg, Earthfest Music Director, is a graduate of The Juilliard School in New York City. Mr. Rosenberg has received the Individual Artist Grant from the Utah Arts Council, and a Fulbright Grant to Italy, where he studied at the Santa Cecilia Conservatory in Rome, and the Accademia Musicale Chigiana in Siena. He has conducted the Australian Ballet with the Elizabethan Philharmonic and the Orchestra of Victoria at the Sydney Opera House, as well as the New Zealand Opera in Auckland, the Utah Opera, Ballet West with the Utah, Phoenix and Portland Symphony Orchestras, the San Francisco Ballet and the New Mexico Symphony, the Erik Hawkins Dance Company, and has appeared in concerto performances with pianist, Leon Fleisher. Presently, Mr. Rosenberg conducts the American West Symphony and Ballet, and the Paradigm Chamber Orchestra in Salt Lake City. <http://www.joelrosenbergconductor.com/pages/about.html>

As an in-demand collaborative and concert pianist, **Jed Moss** has shared the stage with artists from around the globe. He appears extensively in duo and chamber music concerts at colleges and universities from coast to coast, and has been the featured artist with orchestras in the Czech Republic, Uruguay, Washington DC, Texas, Idaho, Utah and California. As a contracted soloist, Moss has toured Europe with Utah's Repertory Dance Theatre, and frequently performs piano concerti to fully choreographed productions

with Ballet West. As a member of the Sundance Trio, he has toured the U.S., Ireland and the U.K., and continues to explore and commission new music for oboe, bassoon and piano.

Kelly Parkinson is one of Utah's leading violinists. A Graduate of Brigham Young University, she has appeared as a soloist with the Utah Symphony on The Salute to Youth Concert, and with the Paradigm Chamber Orchestra and Ballet West Orchestra. Kelly has studied with Daniel Heifetz, Henryk Szeryng and Percy Kalt.

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**RECEPTION WITH REFRESHMENTS
for Documentary Film Maker and Author,
Elizabeth Gaylynn Baker
Monday, May 9, 3:00 PM,
at Energee, 348 N. US Hwy 89, Kanab
Tel: 435-644-4242
Everyone is invited!**

Community

Presented By: Creative Community

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BIRD SONG YOGA IN THE PARK

Dates: Sunday, May 8; Tuesday, May 10; Thursday, May 12; Saturday, May 14, 2016

Time: 7:30 AM – 8:30 AM

Location: Jacob Hamblin Park, at the north end of 100 East in Kanab.

Description: In cool morning shade with the delightful sound of songbirds, discover how yoga can increase mind/body awareness. Learn the simple practices of breathing, postures and mindfulness that work for everyone willing to give them a try. Guided by a certified Shambhava Yoga instructor, stretch into a few poses, breathe deeply and smile. Extra mats available or bring your own.



Wear comfortable clothing and enjoy basic postures including sun salutation, stretch, inversion, warrior poses and others. Practice ends with silent meditation. Namaste!

Presented By: Creative Community

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FLOW YOGA

Dates: Friday, May 13, 2016

Time: 7:30 AM – 8:30 AM

Location: Jacob Hamblin Park, at the north end of 100 East in Kanab.

Description: Learn basic yoga postures, healthy alignment of the spine, as well as strengthening the musculature that supports the body. Founder & Editor in Chief of Etched Magazine, Darci Hansen, will share her passion for the practice. Transitioning slowly through the asanas with a heightened awareness of safe and intelligent movement, this class combines gentle/foundational, and Hatha flow yoga. Fitting for those who are new to yoga, have physical limitations, and for students who prefer a less rigorous and more relaxing practice. Bring a mat, a water bottle, and a friend!

Presented By: Professor Val D. Rust, UCLA

Contact: Val D. Rust

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E. D. WOOLLEY: "FATHER OF TOURISM"

A Visionary for Southern Utah and the Arizona Strip

Date: Tuesday, May 10, 2016

Time: 3:00 PM – 4:30 PM

Location: Family History Center, 20 West Main Street, (Corner of Center & Main) Kanab, Utah

Description: Join UCLA Professor Val D. Rust to learn the fascinating story about the life and works of Edwin Dilworth Woolley Jr., who organized the Grand Canyon Transportation Company, developed the first trail to Phantom Ranch from the North Rim, built a tram across the Colorado River, sponsored the first guided tours of the Kaibab region, led the first automobile caravan from Salt Lake City to the North Rim and established the first tourist hotel in Kanab. His efforts were crucial in getting the Grand Canyon named as a National Game Preserve, a National Monument, and a National Park. E. D. Woolley arrived in Kane County in 1882 and served as its Mormon Kanab Stake President from 1884-1910.

Presented By: Garkane Energy

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HALF-PRICE POWER AND ENERGY EFFICIENCY

Dates: Thursday, May 12, 2016

Time: 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Location: Southwest Applied Technology College, 733 South Cowboy Way, Kanab

Description: Electricity powers our modern lives! Come join the discussion and learn how you can reduce your carbon footprint and lower your monthly power bill too. This informal conversation with our local electric utility efficiency expert will also explore how to incorporate energy efficient products and integrate renewable energy into your lifestyle.

Potluck Social Dinner Party

Wednesday, May 11

5:30 – 7:00 PM

Jacob Hamblin Park Pavilion

Live Music by Folk Singers

Ron Jones and Genevieve Hannon!

Presented By: United Church of Kanab/Fredonia
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GIFTS OF GRATITUDE

Resolving the Spirit of Competition to Foster Community



Date: Sunday, May 8, 2016
Time: 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM
Location: The United Church of Kanab-Fredonia, 530 South U.S. Hwy 89A

Description: Please join this welcoming congregation for Sunday Service to listen, engage in dialog, and meet special Mother's Day guest speaker, author and documentary film maker, Elizabeth Gaylynn Baker, addressing the topic of gratitude for the gifts of Mother Earth. A brief community conversation will be encouraged and Elizabeth's recent book, *Gifts of Gratitude* will be available after the service.

On Sunday evening at Crescent Moon Theater, you can also join Elizabeth once again for a free community screening and personal introduction to her new award-winning film, *WE KNOW NOT WHAT WE DO*, starting at 6:00 PM. Right after the film, the audience will be invited to engage in community conversation about the ethical issues raised by film. Everyone is invited and all viewpoints are welcome!

Made possible by a grant from Utah Humanities.

Presented By: Willow Canyon Outdoor Gear, Books & Espresso
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GIFTS OF GRATITUDE

A Conversation with Author & Documentarian, Elizabeth Gaylynn Baker



Dates: Monday, May 9, 2016
Time: 5:30 PM - 6:45 PM
Location: Willow Canyon Outdoor Gear, Books & Espresso, 263 South 100 East, Kanab

Description: Please join author and documentary film maker, Elizabeth Gaylynn Baker, for supportive dialog and relaxed community conversation on the topic of gratitude for the gifts of Mother Earth. Elizabeth's recent book, *Gifts of Gratitude*, and dvd's of her latest documentary film *WE KNOW NOT WHAT WE DO* will be available. Everyone is invited and all viewpoints are welcome.

Don't miss the Sunday evening screening of her film at Crescent Moon Theater, May 8, starting at 6:30 PM. At this event in the intimate setting of "The Willow", you'll be delighted to visit more closely and candidly with Elizabeth!

Made possible by a grant from Utah Humanities.

Presented By: Kane County Master Gardeners & Kanab Beautification Committee
Contact: Larry Baer
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GROWING FOOD LOCALLY! *Gardening, Preservation and Seed*

Date: Wednesday, May 11, 2016
Time: 12:30 PM – 2:30 PM
Location: Southwest Applied Technology College, 733 South Cowboy Way, Kanab

Description: Learn with a pro how to grow fresh, healthy, delicious and nutritious food in your own back yard! Find answers to your questions about vegetable gardening, local climate, soil fertility, plant spacing, watering routines, natural pest control, harvesting, preserving food and saving seeds. Build self-reliance in your lifestyle!

If you're a local resident of Kanab, consider joining the Beautification Committee to help advance a culture of caring and keep our city as beautiful as the natural setting around it!
www.beautifulkanab.com

Presented By: Creative Community
Contact: Rich Csenge
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KANAB RECYCLES! *Electronics Collection*

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2015
Time: 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Location: Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East, Kanab.

Description: Amazing Earthfest encourages residents and visitors in Kane County to reduce, reuse and recycle! Electronic items including LCD monitors, microwaves, small kitchen countertop appliances, computers, printers and peripherals, old radio/stereo equipment, etc, will be accepted for FREE at this event and delivered to Virgin Valley Recycling in Hurricane, UT. **No old TV's or CRT monitors, refrigerators, washers or dryers will be accepted!**

SILENT AUCTION!
Treat your family or friends to a
MYSTICAL SLOT CANYON TOUR
With Dreamland Safari Tours!
Half-Day Tour for up to Six Persons
(Retail Value: \$540.00)
Enter bids at the Earthfest Information Table

Presented By: Creative Community

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INVOCATION TO SUSTAINABILITY



Date: Sunday, May 8, 2016
Time: 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Location: Angel's Landing Outdoor Amphitheater at Best Friends Animal Sanctuary in Kanab. West side of the gravel road north of Best Friends Welcome Center.

Description: On this Mother's Day, enter an ancient gathering site for a moving experience blending soul stirring music, discussion, poetry, prayer and meditation in a live outdoor performance exploring our connection to nature and to Earth as Mother.

Descendent of the Native American Southern Paiute tribe, **Celtic/Indian composer and musician extraordinaire Arvel Bird** will open the week's festival of learning arts and adventure events with a traditional ceremony to center, focus and heal.... At intervals throughout the program, you'll experience the powerful yet soulful sound of Arvel's beautiful violin and wooden flutes to keep your spirit soaring! www.arvelbird.com.

At this year's Invocation to Sustainability, **award-winning documentary film maker Elizabeth Gaylynn Baker**, special guest and keynote speaker for the 10th annual Amazing Earthfest, will enjoin the audience in dialog to uncover and enable effective responses to the threatening reality of **Global Warming; the most urgent issue of our time**. Afterwards, her DVD's as well as copies of her new book *Gifts of Gratitude* will be available for sale.

At 6:00 PM, Sunday, May 8, at Crescent Moon Theater in Kanab, Elizabeth will introduce her award winning new documentary film, **WE KNOWNOT WHAT WE DO**, in a free screening, followed by a facilitated conversation with the audience. Don't miss these rare opportunities to connect with Elizabeth, enlarge your understanding, and build community awareness and action around this very timely and critical issue. www.weknownotwhatwedo.net
www.giftsofgtatititude.net

Talented local poets including Raven Chiong and others will offer additional inspiration through their personal experiences.

Amazing Earthfest invites residents and visitors to explore the world of spirit, ethics and ideas. Welcome living inspiration in the beauty of the natural world. Gather on the grassy meadow of a natural red rock alcove, center and focus attention on the Source, connect with each other and all life forms with whom we share the land, and with the Earth that is home to all of us.

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POTLUCK SOCIAL DINNER PARTY

Date: Wednesday, May 11, 2016
Time: 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM

Location: Jacob Hamblin Park Pavilion, at the north end of 100 East in Kanab.

Description: Enjoy live music by **Ron Jones and Genevieve Hannon** while feasting together at an outdoor Potluck Dinner Party for friends, presenters and supporters of Southern Utah's Amazing Earthfest. From party snacks to desserts and everything in between, this is a community-building event where resident and visiting festival goers can meet volunteers and contributors, artists, authors, musicians, event presenters and scientists. Whether you're omnivore or vegan, bring your favorite home-cooked recipe and enjoy a festive atmosphere of live acoustic music and conversation.

Please let us know with an RSVP what home-made dish or dessert you intend to bring! Let's discover, share, enjoy and preserve the places we love! RSVP to jiw@gwi.net.

Presented By: Best Friends Animal Society

Contact: Welcome Center
Phone: 435-644-2001, ext 4537 Email: events@bestfriends.org

GRAND SANCTUARY TOURS

Date: Sunday thru Saturday, May 8-14, 2016
Time: 8:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 1:00 PM & 2:30 PM

Location: Best Friends Welcome Center
Directions: From Kanab, take Hwy 89 north to the main entrance to Best Friends Sanctuary. Turn right and go until you see the Welcome Center and parking area on the left.

Description: These two-hour tours begin at the Best Friends Welcome Center. You'll watch a brief video, then board our van to visit the cats and dogs and see other Sanctuary sites. Please register in advance at bestfriends.org/tour or by phone at 435-644-2001, ext. 4537. Tours are ongoing, seven days a week.

10th Amazing Earthfest

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Presented By: Creative Community

Contact: Marty Feely

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CLIFFS TO SQUAW TRAIL LOOP HIKE

Date: Monday, May 9, 2016

Time: 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Location: Gather at the Earthfest Information Table, Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East, Kanab, Utah. Carpool or caravan to the trailhead.

Description: Join photographer and former BLM park ranger Marty Feely for a strenuous 4.5-mile loop hike offering beautiful views overlooking Kanab, the Arizona Strip and beyond, as well as the White Cliffs and the Pink Cliffs of Bryce Canyon National Park. The trail rises 800 feet along steep switchbacks above Kanab, traverses for a couple of miles, then descends that elevation on a more gentle course. Wear proper footwear and bring at least 3 quarts of water, sun protection, plus snacks for lunch on the trail. Friendly, leashed dogs are permitted. Group size limited to 12 persons. Register in advance by phone or email with Marty.

Presented By: Grand Staircase Escalante Partners

Contact: Emily Schrepf

Phone: 559-960-7056

Email: emily@gsenm.org

HIKE BUCKSKIN GULCH TO WIRE PASS

Date: Tuesday, May 10, 2016

Time: 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Utah Time

Location: Gather at the Earthfest Information Table, Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East, Kanab, Utah. Carpool or caravan to the trailhead. Fee Required.

Cost: \$6.00 per person at trailhead.

Description: Join Grand Staircase Escalante Partners Site Steward Coordinator Jeff Frey to explore two remote canyons, passing three rock art panels along the way. This is a moderate 6-mile loop with one 6-foot drop-off in a narrow slot. Time will be allowed for photography and enjoyment of this magic "underworld." The route is likely to be dry, but recent rains or rain in the forecast may change our plans. Bring lunch, snacks, hat, sunscreen and plenty of water. In case of muddy roads or rain, an alternate hike is planned. Advance registration required. Limit 10 people.

Amazing Earthfest to Pass the Torch!

A staff position of Assistant Festival Director has been developed for a qualified applicant. Contact the director at 435-644-3735 to learn more.

Presented By: Glen Canyon National Recreation Area

Contact: Katie Wood

Phone: 928-608-6352 **Email:** Katie_Wood@nps.gov

NPS Centennial Celebration Event!

HANGING GARDEN WILDFLOWER HIKE

Date: Tuesday, May 10 and Thursday, May 12, 2016

Time: 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM **Arizona Time**

(7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Utah Time)

Location: Hanging Garden Trail near Page, Az.

Directions: From downtown Kanab drive 72 miles south on Highway 89 toward Page, Arizona. Approximately ¼ mile after crossing Glen Canyon Bridge, turn left onto a gravel road. Drive 200 yards on the gravel road to park at the trailhead. To carpool to this event, meet at 5:30 PM Utah Time, at the Earthfest Information Table, Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East, Kanab.

Description: Experience the desert in bloom on a ranger-led hike along the Hanging Garden trail. The one-mile round trip hike follows a wildflower-lined path to a shady alcove with a lush riparian habitat formed by a seep spring (the "hanging garden"). The alcove is full of ferns, mosses, and possibly even orchids in bloom for all to enjoy! The hike will take place in early evening and will end with the setting sun.

Meet at the trailhead. Bring your own water, wear comfortable clothing, hiking shoes and sun protection. No drinking water, trash, or restrooms are available on site. Visit www.nps.gov/glca for more information.

Presented By: Grand Staircase Escalante Partners

Contact: Emily Schrepf

Phone: 559-960-7056

Email: emily@gsenm.org

LOCAL HIKE WITH A LOCAL *Bunting Trail*

Date: Friday, May 13, 2016

Time: 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Location: Gather at the Earthfest Information Table, Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East, Kanab, Utah. Carpool or caravan to the trailhead.

Description: Jeff Frey, Grand Staircase Escalante Partner's Site Steward Coordinator, has lived in Kanab for 35 years and has a wealth of knowledge about prehistoric archeological sites to share with you! Join him and other GSEP staff for a moderate to strenuous hike up Bunting Trail and lots of information about the Ancient Puebloans who lived here hundreds of years ago. You'll have a chance to view petroglyphs and learn more about why they're there and what they may mean. Wear sunscreen and bring lots of water.

Presented By: High Desert Backcountry Horsemen
Contact: Noel Poe
Phone: 435-899-0467 **Email:** nmpoe0920@gmail.com

HORSEBACK RIDE TO SEAMAN POINT

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2016

Time: 8:30 AM – 1:00 PM

Location: Meet at Glazier's Family Market parking lot, corner of 100 East and 300 South in Kanab, ready to depart together at 9:00 AM, transporting your own horses or mules. Caravan to the trailhead.

Description: This easy to moderate ride in sand with segments of rocky trail begins in Seaman Canyon, east of Kanab along U.S Hwy 89 and is good for all ages. The ride ends at Seaman Point atop the Vermilion Cliffs with spectacular views of the valley, Kaibab Plateau and the Vermilion Cliffs. The destination features dinosaur tracks, and petroglyphs which can be found just below them with a little scrambling.

Plan to ride about 4 hours in the saddle, allowing extra time for lunch and a short hike. All riders must sign a Waiver of Liability. A parent or guardian must accompany children. Bring your own horse or mule, tack and hat, gloves, jacket, lunch, water and sunscreen. You must provide your own tow vehicle and trailer or travel with a friend.

Presented By: BLM Kanab Field Office
Contact: Clay Stewart, Recreation Planner
Phone: 435-644-1200 **Email:** c1stewar@blm.gov

MANSARD PETROGLYPHS HIKE

Date: Thursday, May 12, 2016

Time: 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM

Location: Meet at the Earthfest Information Table, Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East, Kanab. Carpool to the Mansard Trailhead to begin the hike at 8:30 AM.

Description: Join a BLM Ranger and an Archeologist for a moderately difficult six mile hike to an amazing petroglyph site sporting expansive scenic vistas. Segments of the trail are very steep with over 1000 feet in elevation change. Some scrambling is required to negotiate a seven-foot sandstone ledge along the way. Enjoy spectacular views of the Vermilion Cliffs and Kaibab Plateau! Share a picnic lunch and discussion of Native American rock art. Bring your usual hiking gear including a hat, sunscreen, plenty of water, lunch/snacks, day pack, and camera.

Help organize next year's Festival!

Amazing Earthfest welcomes volunteers who would like to offer their time and talents, visit www.AmazingEarthfest.org, go to our Facebook page, or call 435-644-3735.

Presented By: Grand Canyon Parashant National Monument
Contact: Amber Franklin
Phone: 435-688-3298 **Email:** amber_franklin@nps.gov

NPS Centennial Celebration Event! GUIDED EXPEDITION TO NAMPAWEAP

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2016

Time: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM **Arizona Time**
(10:00 AM – 4:00 PM Utah Time)

Location: Meet at the junction of Arizona Hwy 389 and County Road 109 (Toroweap Road) located approximately 5 miles east of Pipe Spring NM. Those wishing to carpool from Kanab should meet at 9:15 AM Utah Time at the Amazing Earthfest Information Table at the Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East in Kanab, and depart Kanab no later than 9:30 AM Utah Time.

Description: Join rangers from the Parashant National Monument for a caravan to beautiful Nampaweap Canyon, south of the Mt. Trumbull Wilderness at 6,100 feet in elevation. Rangers will lead a short, 1.5 mile roundtrip hike to reveal hundreds of petroglyphs created by the Archaic, Ancestral Puebloan and Southern Paiute peoples. Our hike through this prehistoric travel corridor will make a number of stops to talk about 12,000 years of human history in the area, including medicinal and food plants, hunting, rock art and more!

Participants must provide their own transportation to and from the site. We recommended a high clearance, 4-wheel drive vehicle with two spare tires and a full tank of fuel. There are no comfort facilities or cell service on the Monument. Bring your lunch, snacks, sunscreen and extra water for this rare adventure!

Presented By: Knuckleheads Bicycles & Local Cycling Enthusiasts
Contact: Darren Robinson or Rich Csenge
Phone: 435-689-0039 or 435-644-3735 **Email:** jiw@gwi.net

ROAD BIKE RIDE INTO GRAND STAIRCASE

Date: Sunday, May 8, 2016

Time: 7:45 AM – 12:00PM

Location: Meet at Knuckleheads Bicycles, 420 East 300 South (US 89), Kanab, Utah

Description: Join local cycling enthusiasts for a highly scenic 35 mile group ride out and back into Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument, a destination of staggering natural beauty! After pre-ride refreshments at the bike shop with Darren and Lisa, cyclists drive 10 miles east of Kanab on US 89 to Johnson Canyon Road, where the ride begins. Matchless scenery, low traffic, friendly people and a gentle grade make this a truly memorable ride! Pack your own water. Support will be available along the route.

Presented By: Knuckleheads Bicycles & Local Cycling Enthusiasts
Contact: Darren Robinson or Rich Csenge
Phone: 435-689-0039 or 435-644-3735 **Email:** jiw@gwi.net

MOUNTAIN BIKING THE CHOCOLATE CLIFFS

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2016
Time: 8:00 AM – 10:00 AM **Arizona Time** (9-11 Utah Time)
Location: Joy Jordan Woodhill Trail (BLM)
Directions: Meet at the Fredonia Welcome Center US 89-A, Fredonia, AZ, 6 miles south of Kanab. Drive from there in convoy to the trailhead.

Description: This highly scenic, 10-mile non-technical out and back ride on packed natural surface with easy to moderate climbing, sports expansive views of the Kaibab Plateau, Antelope Valley and the colorful cliffs of the Grand Staircase. Bring your own water and snacks. Extendable to 25 miles.

Science and Land

Presented By: Grand Staircase Escalante Partners
Contact: Emily Schrepf
Phone: 559-960-7056 **Email:** emily@gsenm.org

A TRIP BACK IN TIME *Moccasin Dinosaur Track Site*

Date: Wednesday, May 11, 2016
Time: 8:00 PM – 12:00 PM
Location: Gather at the Earthfest Information Table, Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East, Kanab, Utah. Carpool or caravan to the trailhead.

Description: Join Katja Knoll, Paleo Lab Manager with Grand Staircase Escalante Partners, for a trip back in time at Moccasin Mountain Tracksite. There, at least six different types of footprints are preserved from the Jurassic time period, including several types of dinosaurs as well as other animals. The tracks tell scientists a lot about life here hundreds of millions of years ago. Take this opportunity to “walk among dinosaurs”! If you have a 4-wheel drive vehicle, please take it (we may ask if you’re willing to carpool). Wear sunscreen and bring plenty of water. This is an “easy” level hike.

Presented By: Fremont Indian State Park and Museum
Contact: Don Merritt
Phone: 435-527-4631 **Email:** donmerritt@utah.gov

Utah Archaeology Preservation Event! ARCHAEOLOGICAL DIG & SURVEY DAY

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2016
Time: 9:30 AM Survey, 1:00 PM Excavation
Location: Fremont Indian State Park and Museum Visitor Center
Directions: Fremont Indian State Park is west of Richfield, Utah, off I-70, 17 miles east of I-15 junction. Take either exit 17 or exit 23 and follow the signs to the Visitor Center. To carpool to this event, meet at 7:30 AM at the Earthfest Information Table, Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East, Kanab.

Cost: Normal day use fee applies. \$6.00 per vehicle of 2 people or more, or \$3.00 for an individual. Half off for seniors.

Description: This archaeological dig is a mock excavation designed to show how archaeologists find and recover artifacts and what can be learned from items we find in the ground. An archaeologist will supervise activity at two separate excavations. One is designed for children up to 12 years old; the other is intended for high school age to seniors! The adult excavation will be an accurate representation of a real archaeological dig using real artifacts. The survey, up to two hours in length, is intended for all ages and abilities and includes walking over a short distance through grass and light brush.

Events will be held outside, rain or shine. Wear suitable clothing, including hiking shoes and long pants. Bring your own snacks and water. Tools and equipment will be provided but you may also bring your own.

Hounds Around Town at the 2016 Greyhound Gathering

A few activities you may find entertaining ...
5/13, Friday, 9 am - Hike at Pugh
5/13, Friday, 7 - 8 pm – Dancing with Dogs on Main St.
5/14, Saturday, 10 am – Parade in downtown Kanab

<http://greyhoundgang.org/about/greyhound-gathering/about/>

OBSERVE BACK COUNTRY ETIQUETTE

*Respect and Protect Native American Rock Art.
It's our Precious Legacy.*

Leave No Trace

Presented By: Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument

Contact: Ron Kay
Phone: 435-644-1300

Email: rkay@blm.gov

GSENM 20th Anniversary Event! NATIONAL CONSERVATION LANDS

History of Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument

Date: Wednesday, May 11, 2016
Time: 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Location: GSENM Visitor Center, 745 East US. Hwy 89, Kanab.

Description: Grand Staircase-Escalante was the first National Monument to be designated in America's new system of National Conservation Lands administered by the BLM. A vast and austere landscape protecting remarkable frontier resources, GSENM presents exemplary opportunities for science and research in paleontology, archaeology, ecology, history and geology, and is a destination for exquisite scenery and backcountry solitude. Learn more about GSENM and our National Conservation Lands, formally established by Congress in 2009.

Presented By: Kaibab National Forest, North Kaibab Ranger District

Contacts: Melissa Robinson or Carrie McDonald
Phone: 928-643-8120 or 928-643-8121 **Email:**
melissamrobinson@fs.fed.us or carriemcdonald@fs.fed.us

RECYCLED BIO-DEGRADABLE FLOWER POTS

Date: Monday, May 9, 2016
Time: 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM **Arizona Time**
(7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Utah Time)

Location: Fredonia District Office, 430 S. Main St., Fredonia, AZ

Description: Drop on by the Ranger Station in order to build, and fill a recycled newspaper flower pot that can be used on its own or planted in the ground as a starter. These pots will eventually biodegrade in the soil so they make great early garden starters. This is a kid-friendly project, open to all ages.

*We thank our many dedicated
Amazing Earthfest volunteers:
our community festival could not happen
without you – you're awesome!*

Presented By: Heartwater Farm

Contact: John and Rhonda Flatberg

Phone: 435-648-2073 **Email:** heartwaterfarm@scinternet.net

TOUR A SUSTAINABLE PERMACULTURE FARM

Date: Monday, May 9, 2016

Time: 10:30 AM – 1:30 PM

Location: Heartwater Farm, 6.5 miles north of Glendale, Utah, just off US Highway 89.

Directions: Meet at 9:30 AM at the Earthfest Information Table, Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East, Kanab, to carpool to this event. Drive north from Kanab on US Highway 89 past Glendale, to a road about ½ mile north of a Hwy rest area. Turn left at the Bryce/Zion Campground and proceed to the end of the road. When you come to the white Dome house—you have arrived. Park along the road. Allow 45 minutes driving time from Kanab.

Description: Visit an emerging Permaculture design project and sustainable farm. Learn how John and Rhonda Flatberg have built and live with their off-grid solar powered home.

Tour two growing domes where John and Rhonda raise most of their food year round. Walk along the "heart" waters of the Virgin River through a wetland restoration project with ponds and peat fen. Learn about wild edible and medicinal plants and sample a wild-crafted herb tea.

See a farm design which integrates wild habitat with intensive agriculture while building topsoil.

Bring hiking shoes that may get wet, drinking water, and pack a lunch if desired. Light refreshments will be served. Questions will be welcomed as you learn about permaculture basics, food forests, alley cropping on swales, holistic animal systems and building a more sustainable world locally.

Presented By: Creative Community

Contact: Randy Dunning

Phone: 435-319-9967 **Email:** randalldunning@gmail.com

TOUR THE GALAXY

Date: Monday, May 9, 2016

Time: 9:30 PM – 11:30 PM

Location: Cottonwood Canyon Trailhead, top of Stansfield Street, Kanab (near the water tank)

To carpool, meet at the Earthfest Information Table, Kane County Office of Tourism, 78 South 100 East, Kanab, at 9:15 PM

Description: Zoom in and get a close up look at the gems of the southern Utah spring sky. This is a good week for night sky viewing! We'll gaze at wispy nebula, star clusters and galaxies, plus Jupiter through an astronomical quality telescope. Join scientist and astronomy interpreter Randy Dunning to gain appreciation for the scale and wonder of our galaxy. Nighttime in the desert can be chilly so dress accordingly. If Monday is cloudy, plan to attend on Tuesday!

Presented By: Pipe Spring National Monument
406 N. Pipe Spring Road, Fredonia, AZ
Contact: Cathy Alger
Phone: 928-643-7105 ext 215 **Email:** Catherine_alger@nps.gov

NPS Centennial Celebration Event! **LIFE ON THE ARIZONA STRIP: PAST & PRESENT**

Dates: Sunday, May 8; Wednesday, May 11;
Saturday, May 14, 2016
Time: 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM **Arizona Time**
Location: Pipe Spring National Monument, 14 miles west of
Fredonia, AZ, on Hwy 389.

Cost: Regular entrance fees apply: \$7.00/adult 16 and over.
Free with America the Beautiful passes (annual, senior,
access, 4th grade Every Kid in a Park or military)

**NOTE: This event listing is Arizona Time (10 am AZ Time
is 11 am UT Time)**

Description: Gather for cowboy coffee and old-time music at
the chuck wagon. Learn flint napping, yucca sandal, Paiute
bead craft and rope making. Try your arm at throwing an
atlatl, cast an animal track, make a rag doll or enjoy toys and
games from the 19th century! Attend a historic grasslands talk
by our resource manager or tour the Pipe Spring Museum
collection with the Monument curator. BLM Kanab Office will
be on site with a wildlife display. Complete schedule at www.nps.gov/pisp.

Presented By: Volunteers for Lobos of the Southwest

Contact: Bob Brister
Phone: 801-363-0898 **Email:** bbrister@q.com

RETURN OF THE LOBOS *Restoring Mexican Wolves to the Southwest*

Date: Saturday, May 14, 2016
Time: 2:30 PM – 4:00 PM
Location: GSENM Visitor Center, 745 East US. Hwy 89,
Kanab.

Description: The Mexican gray wolf originally roamed
vast swaths of the southwestern U.S. and Mexico, but
their numbers were severely depleted to near extinction by
trapping and government extermination programs in the first
half of the 20th century. Begun in 1998, a captive breeding
program partially restored wolf populations to the so-called
Blue Range Wolf Recovery Area stretching between the Gila
National Forest in New Mexico and the Apache-Sitgreaves
National Forest in Arizona. Learn the natural history of
Mexican wolves, the story of their 18 year recovery, and what
it will take for Mexican wolves to survive in the long term.

Presented By: Bryce Canyon National Park
Contacts: Cindy Donaldson
Phone: 435-834-4732 **Email:** Cynthia_donaldson@nps.gov

DAYTIME STARS

Date: Wednesday, May 11, 2016
Time: 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Location: Kanab Elementary School

Description: Astro Rangers from Bryce Canyon National Park
explore the stars available to us both day and night! Safely look
at the sun to observe solar flares and sunspots. Find out why
the sky is blue and how the Earth compares to the Sun in size.
Crawl into the night during the day! Join us in our planetarium to
see the stars, discover how to find the North Star, and learn why
the Big Dipper isn't a constellation. ***This event is for school
children only and is not open to the public.***

Presented By: Creative Community
Contact: Mark Maryboy
Phone: 435-630-7488 **Email:** alanrnaumann@gmail.com

PROPOSED BEARS EARS NATIONAL MONUMENT *Profile of Collaborative Land Management*

Date: Wednesday, May 11, 2016
Time: 2:00 PM – 3:30 PM
Location: Raven's Heart Gallery, 57 West Center Street, Kanab

Description: On October 15, the Bears Ears Inter-Tribal
Coalition made history when it presented a detailed proposal
for a Bears Ears National Monument in southeast Utah. First
made prominent in the 1890s by the Wetherill expeditions,
Cedar Mesa is home to one of the highest concentrations of
archaeological sites in the nation. Considered sacred ground
by several regional native American tribes, an estimated 12,000
archaeological sites have been recorded here, with many more
hidden on the mesa tops where they are less visible, but more
vulnerable. With an estimated density of more than 25 sites per
square mile, many recognize the Cedar Mesa region as one
continuous pre-historic site.

This is a place of amazing natural beauty, with remote colorful
canyons, immense vistas, and still the potential for silence and
solitude – all of this with another rock art panel or ruin around
virtually every bend. Learn more about this remarkable place
and current efforts to protect it.

Sustain Amazing Earthfest!

In 2016, Kane County's Amazing Earthfest reached a milestone:
10 consecutive years! Help sustain the noble efforts of our
dedicated volunteers so that Amazing Earthfest can thrive and
grow into the future! Please make a generous donation today.

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Documentary Film Screenings

Crescent Moon Theater 150 South 100 East, Kanab, Utah

Film screenings are free of charge but your generous donations help us continue to present high quality productions like these year after year. Please ask an usher where you can place your voluntary contribution. THANK YOU!

Arrive 10 minutes early to see images of regional landscapes captured by archaeologist, Steve Stacey.

Sunday, May 8

We Know Not What We Do

Time: 6:00 PM (76 minutes)

Topic: Climate Change Awareness

Assisted by a grant from Utah Humanities, award-winning Documentarian Elizabeth Gaylynn Baker will be in the audience to introduce her film and host a community conversation immediately afterwards. This tough but tender plea presents both the voice of love and the voice of reason, to creatively examine the most important challenge of our time: man's relationship to his environment. It's a creative call for a moral and spiritual shift in our thinking to cut back or even completely change course and embrace alternative energy sources without throwing our world into chaos. Face this challenge; solve the dilemma, or run the risk of extinction! 2016 Official Selection in Santa Fe and Albuquerque film festivals, and recipient of the Humanitarian Award of Distinction and International Award for Excellence.



Monday, May 9

From Billions to None

Time: 5:00 PM (57 minutes)

Topic: Species Extinction

Learn the compelling, little-known story of the rapid extinction of the once abundant passenger pigeon, and explore its lessons for today with the alarming decline of many species worldwide. These sleek and beautiful birds darkened entire skies, like nothing in existence today. Yet in a matter of decades, human activity drove the species to extinction. By 1912, after a nationwide search, not a single bird could be found living in the wild. 2014 award winner at the American Conservation and Boston Environmental Film Festivals.

E. O. Wilson: Of Ants and Men

Time: 7:00 PM (120 minutes)

Topic: Ecology

Beautifully produced and lovingly told by one of the most important scientists and conservationists of our time. Touted as the "Father of Biodiversity and Sociobiology," Wilson gives us remarkable insights into why we are here, how we are interconnected, and why we should care, especially for the earth and all Her creatures--both great a small.

Tuesday, May 10

Animate Earth

Time: 5:00 PM (43 minutes)

Topic: Ecology

Ecologist Dr. Stephan Harding, a colleague of British scientist James Lovelock, originator of the Gaia Theory, makes the case for a new holistic revolution in science as an essential step towards solving the environmental crises created in large part by a mechanistic view of the earth. At its core, the new approach reconnects us with the planet by viewing the earth as a living system, as an animate being.

Inhabit

Time: 7:00 PM (92 minutes)

Topic: Permaculture

Explore current agricultural and environmental issues while leaning about regenerative farming, suburban gardens, organic orchards and food forests! Examine solutions based on principles of nature in ecosystems that help shift our impact from destructive to regenerative. Tour best practices through an intimate look at permaculture peoples and practices across rural, suburban and urban landscapes. A 2015 award winner at Yale, Princeton, Finger Lakes, Back to Nature, Life Sciences, Crossroads and Food & Farm Film Festivals! Co-sponsored by the Kanab Beautification Committee.

Wednesday, May 11

Jens Jensen: The Living Green

Time: 5:00 PM (55 minutes)

Topic: Landscape Architecture

One of the nation's most influential urban designers and early conservationists, the unsung pioneering landscape architect, Jens Jensen, shaped the Midwest's physical and cultural landscape in an enduring way. Inspired by the native prairie, Jensen believed that urban dwellers needed the beauty of nature in their lives and was instrumental in the creation of over 600 parks and gardens. Enjoy this historical profile of an American visionary! Co-sponsored by the Kanab Beautification Committee.

Mother: Caring for Seven Billion

Time: 7:00 PM (105 minutes)

Topic: Population

Since the 1960's world population has nearly doubled and now tops 7 billion. Though little discussed, this growth puts an unprecedented burden on Earth's life systems. Join Beth, an American mother and child rights advocate from a family of 12, to explore the connection between overpopulation and our most pressing environmental and humanitarian problems. Learn why raising the status of women through education and empowerment is an essential step to ease population growth and reduce poverty worldwide. Official Selection at American Conservation, Projecting Change, Princeton Environmental, Kansas Int'l and Planet Doc Film Festivals!

**High school and middle school students –
Don't miss these documentaries. They're
free and you may even learn something!**

Thursday, May 12

The Burden

Time: 5:00 PM (40 minutes)

Topic: National Security

Featuring high-level active duty and retired military leaders, elected officials and others, this is the first film to examine how America's dependence on fossil fuels poses serious immediate and long-term national security threats – and how the military is taking a leading role in the battle for clean, renewable, energy innovation. Official Selection at Washington D.C., Environmental, Long Beach Int'l, Macon and Heartland Film Festivals.

Breaking Point

Time: 7:00 PM (60 minutes)

Topic: Public Policy

One of the worst ecological disasters in U.S. history is rapidly approaching, a casualty of drought and "water wars" in the Southwest. California's largest lake is disappearing. Dramatic images and commentary from scientists, government officials and local residents present the history of the Salton Sea and the current options for saving it. Official Selection at American, Sedona International, Newport Beach, Wildlife Conservation, Oceanside International and Julian Film Festivals!

Friday, May 13

Weather Gone Wild

Time: 4:00 PM (43 minutes)

Topic: Climate Adaptation

Explore recent extreme weather events and scientific projections for the future. Violent stormy weather is a natural outcome of a warming planet. What can we do to give ourselves the best chance of protecting our homes and families from the devastating effects of a world of super storms? The perfect film for deniers: This film is not about whether or not climate change is real, or what may be the cause. Instead, it's about how to adapt!

Racing To Zero

Time: 5:00 PM (56 minutes)

Topic: Garbage

Only one third of the waste in the United States is recycled or composted. Through its practice of planned obsolescence, industry plays a major role. To reach zero waste, we need to change our relationship to garbage and view the things we discard as resources, rather than waste. Discover amazing solutions where cities all over the U.S. have instituted zero-waste policies. Challenge yourself to think differently about not only how we handle our garbage, but what it can become. Official Selection at San Francisco Green, Princeton Environmental, Wild & Scenic, Columbus International and Nation's Capital Film Festivals.

The True Cost

Time: 7:00 PM (92 minutes)

Topic: Global Fashion Industry

The groundbreaking, untold story about who really pays the price for our clothing. This is about the clothes we wear, the people who make them, and the impacts of fast fashion. Filmed in countries all over the world, from the brightest runways to the darkest slums, find out why the price of

clothing has been decreasing for decades, while human and environmental costs have grown dramatically. Official Selection at Cannes, Santa Fe, Napa Valley, Melbourne Environmental, CNEX, Kuala Lumpur Eco, Global Peace, Reading Film Festivals and more.

DAILY TED TALK SCREENINGS

11:30 AM and 4:30 PM



Dream Big On Climate

Times: 4:30 PM Monday, Wednesday & Friday;

11:30 AM Tuesday and Thursday

Topic: Climate Science (25 minutes)

In a new TED talk, Al Gore explains why he's optimistic about climate change. Like a hike through the Book of Revelation, super storms, rising seas, forest fires and crippling droughts are all too common. In this riveting talk, he poses three questions: Do we have to change? Can we change? Will we change? His answer is YES on all three! Learn why the former Vice President is so excited about our progress, particularly on clean energy, and share his optimism. "Some still doubt that we have the will to act," Gore says. "But I say the will to act is itself a renewable resource."

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CLIMATE DAY OF ACTION

Documentary Films and Community Dialog

Date: Friday, May 13, 2016

Time: 4:00 PM to 9:00 PM

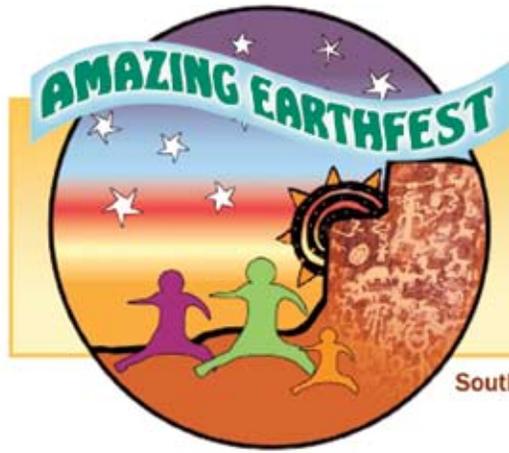
Location: Crescent Moon Theater, 150 South 100 East, Kanab

Description: We've all been hearing a lot about climate change and global warming. Strongly held opinions are often radically contradictory. What should we as a community and as a nation be doing about it? Many are convinced, some are believers, others are unsure, and a few are deniers and that's OK. To evolve our understanding, let's begin by getting better informed. Everyone's views are welcome. To ignore this issue is becoming perilous!

Amazing Earthfest invites the community to come together for a day of action to learn, interact, and then draw your own conclusions. We'll be screening three feature length films plus a 25 minute short at no charge to set the stage for discussion. After each film, opportunities will be provided for the audience to engage in civil dialog around this vitally important and increasingly urgent matter. All points of view are welcomed but arguments *will not* be allowed! Take in one, two, three or all of the day's informative screenings! See our complete Friday film list at www.AmazingEarthfest.org. Please join the fun!



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