



# STEAMBOAT SPRINGS

## *More Colorado*

### Save the Date: 2019

### Don't-miss summer events in Steamboat Springs

- May**
- 3 First Friday Artwalk, downtown
  - 24-27 Downtown Steamboat Sidewalk Sale
- June**
- 31-2 Yampa River Festival
  - 2 38<sup>th</sup> Steamboat Marathon, Half Marathon, 10K
  - 7 First Friday Artwalk, downtown
  - 6 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Y.E.S. Golf Tournament
  - 13-15 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Rocky Mountain Mustang Roundup
  - 14-15 Steamboat Springs Pro Rodeo Series begins (Fridays & Saturdays)
  - 15 Farmers Market begins (Saturdays) - *City Manager, Gary Suiter's favorite\**
  - 15 Moots Colorado Ranch Rally
  - 22 Reds, Whites, & Brews in the Boat
- July**
- 4-6 July 4<sup>th</sup> Celebration, Ski Jumping Extravaganza, Fourth of July Parade, Tread of Pioneers Block Party, July Fourth Pro Rodeo Series, Fireworks - *Longtime local, Deborah Olsen's favorite\*\**
  - 5 First Friday Artwalk, downtown
  - 13 Tri the Boat Olympic & Sprint Triathlon, Half Iron
  - 13-14 38<sup>th</sup> Hot Air Balloon Rodeo and Glow – *Local radio host, Shannon Lukens' favorite\*\*\**
  - 13-14 45<sup>th</sup> Art in the Park
  - 20-21 Steamboat Enduro
  - 20 Tour De Steamboat
  - 28 Steamboat Lake Triathlon
- August**
- 2 First Friday Artwalk, downtown
  - 15-18 Steamboat Movement Fest: Yoga, mountains, music
  - 11 Catamount Triathlon
  - 9-10 Steamboat Springs Pro Rodeo Series closing weekend
  - 10-11 Steamboat Stinger - *Local outdoor enthusiast, Jordan Beall's favorite\*\*\*\**
  - 17-18 SBT GRVL
  - 15-18 Routt County Fair
- September**
- 29-1 Labor Day Celebration: Rocky Mountain PBR Bull Bash, Labor Day Sidewalk Sale, Steamboat Stage Race, Yampa Valley Crane Festival, End of Summer Jam
  - 7 First Friday Artwalk, Western Heritage, downtown
  - 9 Colorado League Bike Race (Colorado High School Cycling League)
  - 14-15 Run Rabbit Run 50 & 100-mile race
  - 14-15 Steamboat OktoberWest
  - 21 Final Farmers Market
  - 21-27 Steamboat Art Museum Plein Air Painting Event
  - 21 STARS Biking the Boat Fall Foliage Ride
  - 27 –
  - Oct. 6 Steamboat Restaurant Week

## **Steamboat Summer Events**

From the weekly Farmers Market to the iconic Steamboat Stinger, learn more about the events our long-time locals love and why. . .

\* “I absolutely love the Farmers Market – it’s the perfect combination of locals and visitors mingling in the heart of downtown Steamboat Springs.” – City Manager, Gary Suiter

\*\* “I love our Fourth of July Parade. It’s so classic, small-town Americana. We pull out every fire truck, vintage car, horse and buggy, tractor and puppy dog from barns, garages and back yards. Almost everyone in town has been in the parade at one time or another. Dads help their little girls weave crepe paper in and out of bicycle spokes and then help steady them as they ride, wobbly, down the road. Big-city dancers who have just arrived at Perry-Mansfield are surprised to find themselves down Main Street, dodging super soakers. It’s just plain fun!” – Longtime local, Deborah Olsen

\*\*\* “Plan your whole Steamboat Springs visit around the Balloon Rodeo, in mid-July. You’ll have to get up early but it’s well worth it once you haul the kids out of bed to get to the launch site, which is on the shoreline of Bald Eagle Lake. You and your family can walk all around the balloons and watch them get set up, inflate, and lift high into the sky. And there’s no better photo op than when the balloons fly over the water and head into Steamboat, unless of course you cue the bald eagles who live at the lake and they do a fly-by at just the right moment. Once it’s over, head into town to enjoy the Farmer’s Market on Saturday, or Art in the Park which always coincides with the Balloon Rodeo. It’s such a fun time to enjoy all that Steamboat has to offer.” – Local radio host, Shannon Lukens

\*\*\*\* “The Steamboat Stinger is a family-friendly, multi-sport weekend event not to miss! With a mountain bike race on Saturday, running races on Sunday, and a Kids’ Strider Bike Adventure Zone both days, there is something for everyone. You can take advantage of Emerald Mountain’s unique trail system by participating in one or all the weekend activities, and the best part is that proceeds from the event benefit local non-profits!” – Local outdoor enthusiast, Jordan Beall

## **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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