



News from 10,000 Feet!

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2019 Fishing Derby Contest Winners



Dana Graham

The first tagged fish of the season was caught by Dana Graham on 6/21/2019. Dana is 55 years old and is from Heber Utah. She chose the Art Book as a prize so that she could have a fun activity for kids to keep in her property up here in Brian Head that she rents out. A fun fact about her is that she is a proud grandma of 3 who loves to fish!



Jake Halterman

The second tagged fish was caught by Jake Halterman on 6/29/2019. Jake is from Parowan, UT and he is 12 years old. A fun fact about Jake is that he really likes to fish. Jake chose a tent as his prize because he was going on a family camping trip and wanted to have his very own tent!



Julian Armijo

The third tagged fish was caught on 6/29/2019 by Julian Armijo. Julian is 11 years old and is from Riverside California. A fun fact about Julian is that he really likes to play soccer! Julian chose a fishing pole with extra tackle included so that he could have a new fishing pole to catch more fish with!

Recruiting volunteers for tree planting

USU ecologists are looking for volunteers for two projects in the Brian Head area. 1) We are seeking Brian Head area residents interested in planting aspen seedlings at their homes. We would supply the seedlings, and you would take them home and plant them. You could choose to do an experiment with them, e.g. water some and not others- we would supply more information about this and how to plant the trees. You would report back to us on their condition over time. Seedlings will be available to pick up at Apple Annie's July 27 – 29, 2019. 2) We will also be planting large areas with aspen seedlings in the Brian Head fire footprint, on these dates. We are looking for volunteers willing to do some manual labor on uneven terrain to plant the trees. If you are interested in either of these two projects, please contact Larissa Yocom at larissa.yocom@usu.edu, or Karen Mock at karen.mock@usu.edu. Thanks!

2019 Brian Head Summer Events

(Contact Brian Head Resort at (435) 677-2035 or Brian Head Town at (435) 677-2029 for more information)

July 27, 2019 – Brian Head Resort’s 5th Annual Car Show – Brian Head Resort is celebrating its 5th annual car show. There will be live music, mountain biking and all of our fun, family-friendly summer activities.

August 10, 2019 – Youth Enduro Series – This fun mountain bike race series is for those ages 10 – 18 years only.

August 17 & 18, 2019 – The Resort’s Annual Flyin’ Brian downhill bike event – Come watch or participate in this awesome downhill race.

August 17, 2019 – Brian Head Resort Festival of Flavors – Brian Head Resort’s annual Festival of Flavors is taking place in conjunction with the Flyin’ Brian Bike race. We will have beer, wine, and spirit vendors, along with live music.

August 24 & 25, 2019 – Brian Head Resort’s 2nd Annual Bike Festival – This fun and rapidly growing event showcases mountain bike demos and the latest gear from industry vendors.

August 31, 2019 – IMCC Bike Race – Watch for more information coming on this event!

August 31 & September 1, 2019 – Country Music Festival – Come join us for 2 days of Country Music. Scheduled bands are: Honkey Tonk Heroes; Heers Turner Oversized; Vanessa LaGrand; Mikalene Ipson; Most Wanted; and Muddy Boots.

September 7, 2019 – R’Oktoberfest 2019 - This will be the final event of the season at Brian Head Resort. There will be food, vendors, and great music. Bands are Josh Larsen; Closure; and the Metal Dogs.

All through the summer, Brian Head Town has its fishing derby going. If you catch a tagged fish from Bristlecone Pond you can bring the tag in to the Town Hall (56 N Highway 143) for a prize!

For important news and updates go to our websites at www.brianheadtown.utah.gov or www.visitbrianhead.org.

Fire Mitigation Chipping Project

As part of the Town’s fire mitigation, we will once again be chipping tree limbs. Please cut down your trees and lay them out to your curb between now and September 7th. They will be picked up and chipped during this time. Here are the guidelines for constructing piles for chipping:

1. Limbs should be no larger than 4 inches in diameter and a minimum of 30 inches in length.
2. Limbs should be placed with the butt (larger) end within 5 feet and at a 90-degree angle to a good road or driveway.
3. Stacked rows should be no more than 4 feet high and one row deep.
4. Be certain that natural vegetation is all that is put out for chipping; no rocks, roots, metal, dirt, lumber, construction materials, or trash in the piles.
5. Piles must be placed on your property (**not in the roadway or your neighbor’s property**).

Please keep track of your time spent on clearing your property (contracted or personal). The Town can use your time towards a match for fire mitigation grants. Turn in your time to Markie or Nicole at the Town Hall (56 N Hwy 143). Thanks!

Brian Head Town’s 2019 Summer Projects

Brian Head Town has the following projects scheduled for summer:

- Mountain View waterline project is getting started. In conjunction with this, construction for the Salt Pile waterline is scheduled to start July 29, 2019. These projects will provide water and sewer to approximately 100 residences. The Town has obtained a CIB grant for this project for \$732,648, and a loan for \$147,000, with a match to be provided by the Town (which has been saved and included in the FY 2020 budget).
- Brian Head Town’s annual street projects will begin the middle of August, 2019. Vasels and Trails at Navajo roads will be upgraded with new material.
- The Public Works Department is planting sections of lawn and some new trees around Bristlecone Pond.