

# MEDIA RELEASE



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## Enjoy Springtime Fun & Camps with Desert Recreation District From Sports Camps to Springtime Celebrations, Get Your Fun On!

Indio, CA (March 19, 2015) – Get Your Fun On This Spring with the Desert Recreation District (DRD). Events are planned throughout the Coachella Valley to celebrate Spring.

**Spring Into Fun.** These events are FREE. and open to all ages so come join us for spring themed activities, crafts, games and much more:

- March 21, 2015 - Jerry Rummonds' Senior & Community Center in Thermal from Noon until 2 p.m.
- March 28, 2015 - North Shore Beach & Yacht Club in North Shore from Noon until 2 p.m.



**Spring Scene.** Come join the fun activities such as group games, crafts, board games, tournaments, karaoke, and much more for those Kindergarteners through 8<sup>th</sup> grade:

- April 6 thru 10, 2015 – North Shore Beach & Yacht Club in North Shore from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- April 6 -7 – 8 at Jerry Rummonds' Senior & Community Center in Thermal from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

**Spring Soccer Camp.** Camp is for children ages 7-14 years old. There are beginning and advanced clinics to accommodate different skill levels of participants.

- March 30 – April 3, 2015 – Indio Community Center, Monday – Wednesday – Friday. Beginners class from 10:30 a.m. to Noon. Advanced class from Noon to 1:30pm.

**Spring Basketball Camp.** Quality, motivational instruction in a fun, competitive environment at a state-of-the-art gymnasium. Players are divided into age categories: 5 to 7 years old, 8 to 10 years old, and 11 to 14 years old.

- March 31 - April 2, 2015 - Indio Community Center. Sessions for those 5 to 11 years old are from 10 a.m. to Noon; 12 to 14 year old players from 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**Spring Camp** – New and returning campers ages 5 to 14 years old enjoy fun-filled days while learning new skills and building self-esteem through sports, activities, scavenger hunts, creative arts and tons of group games.

- March 30 – April 3, 2015 - Indio Community Center.

For more information on Desert Recreation District Spring programs and activities, visit [MyRecreationDistrict.com](http://MyRecreationDistrict.com), call 760-347-3484 or pick up a local Activities Guide at DRD Community Centers in Palm Desert, Thousand Palms, Bermuda Dunes, La Quinta, Indio, Indio Hills, Coachella, Mecca, North Shore or at DRD's Administrative office in Indio.

### The Desert Recreation District

*The Desert Recreation District (DRD) provides quality recreation experiences to residents throughout the Greater Coachella Valley. DRD manages, maintains and assists in maintaining over 30 parks and recreation facilities; creates and delivers quality programs, services and classes; and, facilitates leisure opportunities through partnerships that support and encourage residents to engage in healthy lifestyles and wellness activities. DRD hosts special programs such as Adaptive Sports for those with disabilities, events such as the Senior Games and partners with health care organizations such as Kaiser Permanente to fund scholarships for swim lessons and junior lifeguard classes. DRD is funded through tax dollars, special assessments, grants and nominal charges assigned to select classes and events. Over the last year, DRD hosted over 2,400 classes and programs and more than 100 special events.*

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