# JOIN MOUNTAIN ADVENTURES FOR THE 2006 SUMMER!

# **2006 MOUNTAIN ADVENTURES CAMP**

#### HIGH ROPES COURSE Mondays - \$25

New this year, find high adventure in the trees at the top of Red Lady Lift! In association with the Adaptive Sports Center and the Crested Butte Adventure Learning Center, Mountain Adventures Camp climbs to the skies on such Challenge Course elements as The Swinging Bridge, The Pamper Pole, and The Zip Line! Closed-toed sneakers are required.

#### MOUNTAIN BIKING Mondays - \$25

Where can your own two wheels take you? Travel the back roads and singletrack of the valley on this fun-filled day of mountain biking. Learn more about bikes, technique, and safe backcountry travel from our skilled and experienced riders. Bike, helmet, and closed-toed sneakers are required.

## "DINNER & A MOVIE" NIGHT

Tuesdays 3:30-8:00ish - \$15

Let's go out to dinner and see a movie! We gather at the mountain right after the day's activities, take the bus down to the Brick Oven for pizza, then head over to the Majestic Theater for a PG-rated movie. We cover the pizza and movie costs, bring your own money for concessions!

**BLUE MESA** Tuesdays and Fridays - \$25 Join us for a day of Wacky Water Adventures at the Blue Mesa Reservoir! Water Toys, Frisbees, and Games are provided for a day of fun in the sun. Supervised by our First Aid and CPR Certified staff.

## **ROCK CLIMBING**

Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays - \$25 Come experience the thrill and challenge of the vertical world on some of the area's finest crags! Experienced instructors provide a safe, fun, and challenging environment for learning the skills and techniques of this exciting sport. Climbs for all ability levels are provided as we explore the cliffs of Taylor Canyon and Hartman's Rocks. Closed-toed sneakers or climbing shoes (available for rental at the Alpineer) are required.

#### **RIVER RAFTING**

Float the Taylor River with the expert guides of Three Rivers Resort & Outfitting. Experienced instructors take you on a ride through the rapids on oar-framed rafts. Older or more experienced children may power their own way through the water in paddle rafts. Inquire about kayaking directly with Three Rivers. Children must weigh 40 lbs.

Saturdays - \$25

## All our instructors are First Aid and CPR certified



Mountain Adventures is an equal opportunity service provider and is operating under a special use permit on the Gunnison National Forest and BLM.

**MOUNTAIN ADVENTURES** is a day camp for boys and girls ages 6 and up. Experience our mountains, rivers, crags, trails, and scenery from river raft, by foot, on a mountain bike, or high on a cliff. The mission of Mountain Adventures is to provide opportunities for personal growth and connection to the community through safe, educational adventure-based activities.

**MOUNTAIN ADVENTURES** begins each day promptly at 9:00 am and runs until 3:30 pm, at which time all campers must be picked up. Our day starts and ends at the Whetstone Building by the Silver Queen chair lift. The daily fee includes staff supervision and instruction, snacks (LUNCH IS NOT PROVIDED), equipment unless otherwise noted, and all incidental fees. All participants must have a signed waiver, additional waivers signed for rafting and ropes course.

Every child will receive a **MOUNTAIN ADVENTURES** t-shirt and water bottle for the season.



For more information contact: Mark Robbins • Recreation Director mrobbins@mtcrestedbutte-co.gov 970-596-3589

## REGISTER EARLY ... PROGRAMS FILL UP FAST!

**REGISTER BY PHONE ONLY** 970-596-3589

Payment in Full Required By check or cash only, payable to: The Town of Mt. Crested Butte

Mt. Crested Butte Recreation Department PO BOX 5800 • Crested Butte, CO 81225

**REFUNDS:** Refunds are given for 48 hour advance program cancellation and physician documented medical emergencies ONLY! 2 weeks are required to process a refund.

## Visitcrestedbutte.com Search for: mountain adventure

# WHAT TO BRING:

The weather and climate of our high-altitude environment are not to be under-estimated! Exposure to the sun is extreme, and temperatures can change dramatically over the course of the day. Please make sure your child has the following items EVERY DAY:

Sunscreen W Water Sunglasses Hat
 Jacket or Sweater D Day Pack
 Shorts or Lightweight Pants
 Swimsuit, Towel and a change of clothes required for Blue Mesa and Rafting

and don't forget a
BAG LUNCH!!!



New for 2006, the Peak Challenge Camp offers advanced instruction for motivated, experienced adventurers. Sign up for all eight weeks or all four trips to receive a discount and get the most out of this exciting opportunity! Group sizes are limited so sign up soon! Please check with Mark to find out if this program is right for your child.

#### **CRAGGERS** Tuesdays (excluding July 25th) \$25/\$180 for all eight weeks

Take your climbing to the next level this summer! Learn crack and face techniques in Taylor Canvon, pull down on boulder problems in Skyland, and check out the new hotspot of valley climbing at Hartman's Rocks! Master climber and instructor Krista will teach climbing techniques and the technical skills of rope handling, belaving, and anchor building. Campers should have some climbing experience and be motivated to challenge themselves! Closed-toed sneakers or climbing shoes are required.

#### SINGLETRACKERS

#### Thursdays (excluding July 27th) \$25/\$180 for all eight weeks

Are you ready to test yourself on Crested Butte's world-class Mountain Biking trails? Ride the lifts for a Down-Mountain thrill, hit the upper loop and Tony's for a singletrack adventure, even peddle the legendary Strand Hill for the ultimate challenge! Learn advanced techniques and bike maintenance so you can travel safely on the harder terrain of the valley. Campers should have some biking experience and be motivated to challenge themselves! Bike, helmet, and closed-toed sneakers are required.

#### **RIVER RATS** July 22nd, August 5th and 12th \$45/\$120 for all three Saturdays

Brave the rapids of the Upper Taylor River! The expert guides of Three Rivers Resort and Outfitting take you down some of the most exciting water in the area. Children must be 12 years old, and have gone on at least one Mountain Adventures rafting trip beforehand.

#### **PEAK BAGGERS** \$100 for overnights \$150 for three-day, \$405 for all four trips Travel into the backcountry and summit the high peaks of Colorado with Susan and Jeremy, our highly experienced Wilderness First Responder trained guides. With their local knowledge they'll take you off the beaten track and into some of the area's finest wilderness, to pristine backcountry lakes, and up the most challenging peaks.

#### **COW LAKE**

#### June 17th & 18th

This is a great way to get your legs for the season, or a great challenge for younger children with little camping experience. Nestled by Cottonwood Pass, Cow Lake sits at over 11,000 feet and provides access to plenty of high-altitude hiking. "Green Circle."

#### **MOUNT AXTELL** July 8th & 9th

Stand atop 12,055 ft. Mount Axtell, a summit you look at from town every day! Starting from Ohio Pass, we approach the peak from the backside, and end the trip hiking right into town! "Blue Square,"

#### PARADISE DIVIDE July 22nd & 23rd

Play in the high mountains on our side of Paradise! An easy approach up Washington Gulch puts us in Paradise Basin and poised to summit Mount Baldy and Cinnamon Mountain, both 12,000 footers! "Blue Square."

#### **AMERICAN FLAG AND ITALIAN MOUNTAINS** August 11th-13th

Head out for THREE DAYS of high mountain travel. We will attempt to summit American Flag, at 12,713 feet, and 13-er Italian Mountain, at 13,379 feet above sea level! "Black Diamond."



JUNE 12th

through

AUGUST 13th

for Teens