



## Wizard of Oz

Join us for the all-time classic musical of Dorothy's adventures in the Land of Oz. With the Scarecrow, the Tinman and the Cowardly Lion, Dorothy embarks on a quest to see the Great Wizard of Oz. This is an irresistible family musical that will keep you tapping your toes.

**Dates and Time** - July 1-July 16 at 8:15 p.m. No performances on July Fourth, Sundays, or Tuesdays. **Beautiful Outdoor Theater** - 400 East 250 South in Midway behind Tarahumara Restaurant. Enjoy the spectacular view of Mt. Timpanogos.

**Tickets** - Tickets at [www.HighValleyArts.org](http://www.HighValleyArts.org). Kids \$9-\$12; Adults \$13-\$16 online. Tickets are also available at Days Market in Heber, or at the door.

**Camp Chair Seating** - Bring your own camp chairs or rent chairs at the theater for \$2/chair.

**Live music preshow** - Bring a picnic supper and come at 7:15 p.m. for great music. **Info** at [www.HighValleyArts.org](http://www.HighValleyArts.org)

**Group Rate Tickets** - Wednesdays, July 8 or 15. Available online. Tickets \$10 with a ten-ticket minimum purchase.

## Melodrama Theater for Kids



SECOND year! Kids between 6 and 11 are invited to participate in the FREE High Valley Arts' July 4th just-for-fun Kids' Melodrama Theater! Sign-ups are from 8-10 a.m. July 4th in the Community Center. Performances are at 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. on the Community

Center Lawn. Kids in the 11 a.m. performance will come to the Community Center at 10 to learn their parts; those in the 1 p.m. performance will come at noon.

After an hour of fun learning the melodrama, kids will perform for parents and friends. The audience will cheer, hiss, and be astonished at the theatrical miracle! Villians, maidens in distress, and a host of other characters will be on the stage! Sizes of groups are limited. Sign up early. Performances will last 15-20 minutes. Costumes provided.

## Wasatch Plein Air Paradise 2016



The 11th annual Wasatch Plein Air Paradise is the MAA's signature event. It is Utah's largest plein air painting competition and a national event. Artists paint outdoors in Wasatch County for six days from June

25th to the 30th to compete in Professional and Amateur divisions. Three other competitions will be held during the week: July 1st - Studio Works, and the Heber City Five-hour Paint Out, and on July 2nd - Midway's Five-hour Paint Out. Over 125 painters create as many as 500 new paintings during this brief gathering to compete for cash prizes and purchase awards.

The four-day WPAP exhibit and sale (June 30 - July 2nd, and July 4th) has additional "fresh" paintings added with each successive competition. On July 4th, after the pancake breakfast, a crowd-pleasing "Quick Draw" (9-10:30) is held outside. Thirty artists will finish a painting in 90 minutes immediately followed by a lively auction. Each year WPAP draws many art lovers and patrons to our beautiful mountain valley. **More info** at [www.MidwayArtAssociation.org](http://www.MidwayArtAssociation.org).

## Mountain Valley Photographers

"Stunning Wasatch Landscapes"



Don't miss an exhibition of fine art photography that showcases a collection of images from Mountain Valley Photographers that will feature the works of six local

Heber Valley photographers.

See the creative work of Don Gardiner, Alan Day, Brent Haddock, Quin Calder, Mary Waterman and Brian Murphy. They will display images that capture the beauty and majesty of the Wasatch Back and other Utah locations. Held at the Midway Community Center July 2nd and 4th.

## Heritage Events



The following heritage events will be presented at the Midway Community Center, 163 West Main, Midway, or nearby, on Monday, July Fourth.

**Midway's Beginnings:** John Besendorfer will tell

humorous stories as he shows some of the artifacts in his amazing assortment of historical objects and photographs.

**Early Mining in Wasatch County:** Jerry Springer will share his collection of slides illustrating early Wasatch County mining.

**Heritage Home Tours:** Guided visits to original pioneer homes with stories of their original owners.

**Cowboy Museum:** Tom Whitaker's cowboy museum with calvary, mining and Native American displays is open. Address: 510 N. River Road, Midway. Admission Free.

## Midway Art Association

The Midway Art Association's mission is to encourage amateur and professional artists by providing opportunities for associating with other artists, learning from workshops, field trips and demonstrations, and by painting and selling fine art in planned events.

MAA offers monthly pot-luck social meetings, with 2-hour free art demonstrations, the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm in the Midway Community Center studio. Throughout the year several workshops are presented by some of Utah's finest artists.

**Website:** [www.MidwayArtAssociation.org](http://www.MidwayArtAssociation.org).

## High Valley Arts



High Valley Arts Foundation is a non-profit organization with the goal of enriching lives through excellence in the arts and the celebration of heritage. Midway's Small Town Fourth celebration epitomizes

the mission of HVAF with the presentation of the family musical "Wizard of Oz" along with heritage events celebrating Heber Valley's roots.

In its ten years of operation, HVAF has entertained over 30,000 people. **Website:** [HighValleyArts.org](http://HighValleyArts.org).