**Grand Junction Parks & Recreation**  
**2020 Summer Activity Guide Photo Contest**

*Your passion is capturing great moments. So is ours.*

Summer time at Grand Junction Parks and Recreation is filled with the outdoors, smiles, laughs, sunshine and a whole lot of RECreating… and we want you to be part of that!

For the first time, Grand Junction Parks and Recreation is opening up the FRONT COVER of the Summer Activity Guide to public choice, so round up your top photos and get ready to submit them for the 2019 GJ Parks and Recreation Summer Cover Contest.

Entries will be accepted January 31, 2020 through February 23, 2020. Grand Junction Recreation Staff will choose a series of finalists based on the provided criteria by February 25. All finalist photos will be put out for a public vote the week of February 26 – March 1. The photo with the most social media likes (Facebook and Instagram only) will be announced Monday, March 3 at 9:00AM (Mountain Time) as this year’s Summer Activity Guide Cover Contest winner!

**Explore. Create. Inspire.**

When considering which photos to submit, please adhere to the following criteria (photos that do not meet these criteria will not be selected into the finalist series):

- Photos must tell a story about Parks & Recreation. Maybe it’s your child in a program we offer, or on a swing set at a City of Grand Junction Park – whatever you choose, make sure you capture the moment, and bring your creativity to life. **A great photo needs to tell a great story.**
- Consider the time of year in which you are submitting your photo(s).
- Photos must be taken at a City facility or park.
- Photos must include people (at least 1) in them.
- Photos must be high resolution – minimum of 300 dpi.
- Photos must be taken in vertical format, and will be sized to fit on letter paper - 8.5” wide by 11” tall.
- Consider placement for the Grand Junction Parks and Recreation logo.

To submit your photo(s) please email a copy to Allison Little at allisonl@gjcity.org, or drop them off in person at our office located at 1340 Gunnison Avenue. Photos must be submitted by 5:00PM (Mountain Time) on Sunday, February 23, 2020 (please note that offices are closed on the weekends, but submissions are accepted via email). Late submissions will not be considered. By agreeing to submit your photos for use in the Grand Junction Parks and Recreation Summer Activity Guide, you hereby give permission, and understand that the Grand Junction Parks and Recreation Staff has the right to edit (crop, color, or Photoshop in any way), add words and logo atop the photo, and publish your photo to fit the needs of the magazine’s cover. Please understand that any photos submitted for use in this contest, may be used for any future marketing purposes by the Grand Junction Parks and Recreation Department.