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Friday Afternoon Club on the Mountain Returns to Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park

Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park is the place to be for Friday Afternoon Club on the Mountain,

with free tram rides, live music and food and drink specials from 5 – 8:30 p.m. The summer series

starts Friday, June 17, with the 101<sup>st</sup> Army Dixieland Band.

**GLENWOOD SPRINGS**, Colo. (June 7, 2016) — Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park, which won Locals' Choice Awards for Best Place to View a Sunset, Best Date Spot and Best Music Venue in 2015, is giving locals more

chances to enjoy it all again this summer with its Friday Afternoon Club (FAC) on the Mountain. Featuring live music, and food and drink specials, from 5 – 8:30 p.m. on Fridays from June 17 through Aug. 12, the park's FAC also includes a free tram ride with a coupon that appears in the Post Independent on Fridays. The coupon is valid for free tram or bus rides for up to four people starting at 4 p.m.

The 101<sup>st</sup> Army Dixieland Band will kick the season off on Friday, June 17. The instruments of the band — trumpet, clarinet, trombone, tuba, banjo, piano and drums — have been synonymous with revelry for over a century. This mirthful military band's repertoire features music from the beginning of jazz, bringing the hits of Louis Armstrong, Cab Calloway, Jelly Roll Morton and many others to a new generation of traditional jazz enthusiasts.



Regular favorites at the legendary Sacramento Jazz Jubilee and Monterey Dixieland Band Bash, they have also performed for senators, governors and heads of state from around the world. As a component of the Colorado National Guard's 101st Army Band, these soldiers honor their nation through the most original American art form – jazz.

This summer's FAC schedule is as follows.

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June 17 — 101st Army Dixieland Band: jazz

June 24 — Frank Martin: Americana mix of country, bluegrass, folk, blues and jazz

July 1 — Gerry Goodman: classic rock, Stevie Ray Vaughn cover tunes, early country and blues

July 8 — Painters Stage: gypsy sounds and reggae rhythms

July 15 — Frank Martin

July 22 — Vid Weatherwax: provocative grooves, soul, rock and blues

July 29 — Gerry Goodman

Aug. 5 — Painters Stage

Aug. 12 — The Logan Brothers: classic rock, folk rock, and modern rock

Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park is located on top of Iron Mountain in Glenwood Springs, Colorado. Guests can take in panoramic views of the Colorado River and Roaring Fork Valley during the 10-minute tram ride and from the viewing decks. It's a beautiful spot to kick back and relax with friends at the end of the work week.

Guests can also enjoy the park's rides and attractions during the FAC events. A Funday Pass, just \$35 with the free tram ride, includes both walking cave tours and unlimited access to all of the park's rides and most attractions. The outdoor rides are open until dusk; the Laser Tag arena and 4D Motion Theater are open until the park closes at 9 p.m.

More information about the park, including hours of operation and a list of which attractions are open, can be found at GlenwoodCaverns.com or by calling 800-530-1635 or 970-945-4228, ext. 0.

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Located in scenic Glenwood Springs, Colo., midway between Aspen and Vail, Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park offers a one-of-a-kind mountain-top adventure. The Adventure Park features a gondola ride, walking and wild tours of Glenwood Caverns and Historic Fairy Caves, dining, and year-round attractions including an Alpine Coaster, Soaring Eagle Zip Ride, 4D Motion Theater and Laser Tag Arena. Seasonal offerings include the Giant Canyon Swing, Glenwood Canyon Flyer, Cliffhanger Roller Coaster, Wild West Express family coaster, a climbing wall, gemstone sluice box mining, a Ferris wheel ride and a holiday light display. Ideal setting for groups and birthday parties. Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park operates the new Iron Mountain Hot Springs now open on the bank of the Colorado River in Glenwood Springs.