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### ***The Utah Olympic Oval Kicks Off Summer This Month!***

**Kearns, UT (June 5, 2017)** – The temperatures are rising and the Utah Olympic Oval is “Beating the Heat” with an array of fun activities and events for individuals and families this June. In the first two weeks of June we will be starting our Food Truck League and Friday Night Flicks summer movie series as well as host our annual Olympic Day. In addition, the Utah Olympic Oval offers Public Ice Skating, Learn to Curl Classes and multiple of Learn to Skate programs.

Public Skating returns to its summer hours Monday, Wednesday and Fridays from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm as well as Saturdays from 1:00 pm to 6:00 pm. With over 1000 skate rentals and lots of space on one of our 2 NHL sized hockey rinks there is plenty of room for people to cruise around. Adult, youth and military passes can be purchased on location as well as annual Oval passes.

The Utah Olympic Oval Learn to Curl Program follows the lesson and skill development established by USA Curling and is taught by certified instructors. This program is offered Tuesdays from May through the end of August. The Learn to Curl program is ideal for date night or with a group of friends on a hot summer night to be cooling off on the ice and learning a new skill. You can register ahead of time online or show up night of to sign up.

With the popularity of the Food Truck League last summer and food truck cuisine around Utah, The Utah Olympic Oval in partnership with the KOPFC will be welcoming back FTL night starting Wednesday, June 7th, and every Wednesday night during the summer for our weekly Food Truck event. Patrons can visit the KOPFC south parking lot for some great food from around the Salt Lake Valley before they “Beat the Heat” with our climate controlled public skating or the KOPFC’s outdoor water park.

Returning for a sixth season, Friday Night Flicks kicks off on June 9 with a free showing of Sing at the Park Pavilion, located North West of the Utah Olympic Oval. This free outdoor summer movie series is hosted by Kearns Oquirrh Park Fitness Center (KOPFC) and Utah Olympic Oval in association with the Kearns Community Council. Gates open at 8 PM with movies starting at sundown.

On June 16 the UOO will be hosting the annual Olympic Day celebration. Where the Oval and youth around the world observe the Olympic values of Fair Play, Perseverance, Respect and Sportsmanship. It is also a day to celebrate the International Olympic Committee’s 3 pillars: Move, Learn and Discover. Celebrate with the Utah Olympic Oval: Athlete appearances and autographs, ice skating, music, and much more!

For more information on these events and other activities at the Utah Olympic Oval, please contact Guest Services, 801.968.6825 or by visiting [Utaholympiclegacy.org/events-at-the-oval/](http://Utaholympiclegacy.org/events-at-the-oval/).

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### **About Utah Olympic Oval**

Built in 2001 just in time for the Salt Lake 2002 Olympic Winter Games, the Utah Olympic Oval is located in the community of Kearns, just 16 miles west of Salt Lake City, Utah. The five-acre venue houses Utah's only 400-meter speed skating oval and two international-sized ice sheets as well as a state-of-the-art four-lane 442-meter running track. Today, the Utah Olympic Oval is a dynamic multi-use facility focused on developing and growing participation in ice sports in the state of Utah. As part of the Utah Olympic Legacy Foundation's designation as an Official U.S.Olympic Training Site by the United States Olympic Committee, the venue is headquarters for U.S. Speedskating, ensuring a legacy of continued growth and international success for the sport. With six Olympic Records and twelve World Records, the venue stands uncontested as the Fastest Ice on Earth. Follow us on [Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), on [Facebook](#). For more information about the venue, please visit [UtahOlympicLegacy.org](http://UtahOlympicLegacy.org) or call (801) 968-6825.

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