



NOVEMBER 2017  
BROWN BAG SCHEDULE

**NOV. 3 LACY MCINTYRE - RED CLIFFS DESERT RESERVE**

When you step over one of the Reserve's distinctive "step-over" gates, you are entering a special place, a place that is a privilege to visit. Not just another mountain bike trail, not just another horseback ride. You are entering a 62,000-acre scenic wildlife reserve set aside to protect the Mojave Desert tortoise and other rare plants and animals. The Reserve was established in 1996 to protect a large, diverse, and functional expanse of habitat capable of sustaining wildlife populations threatened by rapid development and habitat loss across Washington County in southwestern Utah. Located immediately adjacent to several growing communities, the Reserve also protects the cities' scenic red rock backdrop and an increasingly popular area for recreation.

**NOV. 10 SUSAN CROOK - CONSERVE SOUTHWEST UTAH (CSU)**

Conserve Southwest Utah (CSU) is a 501.c.3 non-profit grassroots coalition of local citizens advocating conservation the area's natural resources (our public lands, our water and our air) and cultural resources (the remnants of native and pioneer activity) and for the Smart Growth principles that enable conservation, for the benefit of present and future generations.

**NOV. 17 ANGIE BULLETS- DIXIE NATIONAL FOREST SUPERVISOR**

The Dixie National Forest, with headquarters in Cedar City, Utah, occupies almost two million acres and stretches for about 170 miles across southern Utah. It straddles the divide between the Great Basin and the Colorado River. Elevations vary from 2,800 feet near St. George, Utah to 11,322 feet at Blue Bell Knoll on Boulder Mountain. The southern rim of the Great Basin, near the Colorado River, provides spectacular scenery. Colorado River canyons are made up of many-colored cliffs and steep-walled gorges.

**NOV 24 – NO LECTURE DUE TO THANKSGIVING DAY WEEKEND**

**IMPORTANT NOTE REGARDING REGISTRATION TO ATTEND BROWN BAG LECTURES:**

Due to limited seating and high demand, you must register to attend any lecture. Sign up begins one week prior to each program at approximately 1:10 p.m. on each Friday at the conclusion of the program. Sixty seats are reserved for general admission, with an additional 20 seats for DASIA members. An additional 30-slot waiting list will be made available when the program is oversubscribed. Those on the waiting list will be contacted by telephone when a seat becomes available. Please be at the Public Lands Information Center by 11:45 a.m. to claim your seat.

Reservations may be made by calling the Public Lands Information Center at 435.688.3200