

PRESS RELEASE FOR HISTORIC ST. GEORGE LIVE!

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### WELCOME SUMMER WITH RETURNING ST. GEORGE SETTLERS

You might notice some visitors to St. George on the weekends of June, July and August 2021. They are members of the group of "Historic St. George LIVE!" who have visited each year since 1996, when they came to celebrate Utah's Centennial. They have returned to St. George to share their stories with residents and visitors alike.

Every Thursday, Friday and Saturday (except July 3 and 24) they will be at the plaza by the Pioneer Opera House and the Art Museum to greet visitors. Come by 9:45 a.m. to see a flute player, a wool spinner or play some games the pioneer children enjoyed. At 10 a.m. the HSGL! tour will begin with Jacob Hamblin on the plaza, then Orson Pratt in the Opera House. From there the group will board a bus to the other venues, the Tabernacle to meet Erastus Snow, the Courthouse for Judge John Menzies Macfarlane, the DUP Museum to meet a pioneer woman, and finish at Brigham Young's home. Tickets are available at the St. George Art Museum. Visitors who are 12 and older pay \$3 and all younger than 12 are free with an adult.

Tours begin June 3 and are scheduled through August 28. For more information call Debbie Mortenson at 435-668-4213. To schedule group tours, call Nancy Carlton at 801-458-0717. A bus and a guide are provided for the tours.

We guarantee that you will learn something new about southern Utah and you will enjoy these first person reenactment actors as they take you back to 1870 in southern Utah.