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Outdoor Activities

Coeur d'Alene – As temperatures rise, it's easy to want to pull the clutter out of the garage and make some extra cash. Nonetheless during this pandemic it would be wise to continue to follow the guidelines of the “stay home” order and social distancing.

Garage sales are not classified as an essential business. So during this time, we would recommend to continue to follow the guidelines set forth by Governor Little's office. The sooner this pandemic is behind us, the faster we can return to our “normal” lives.

However, it's not all bad news. Outdoor activity such as walking, hiking, running, and biking are still permitted. Remember to follow social distancing guidelines though. Also, day trips near your home are strongly encouraged. But if a trailhead is congested please consider finding another trail or go during non-peak hours. Also be sure to check with the Idaho Department of Fish and Game's seasons and rules before proceeding.

For further clarification on what is essential business, please follow Governor Little's guidance at <https://coronavirus.idaho.gov/>

For further details regarding COVID-19 and how it is impacting Idaho Fish and Game please follow <https://idfg.idaho.gov/covid19>

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