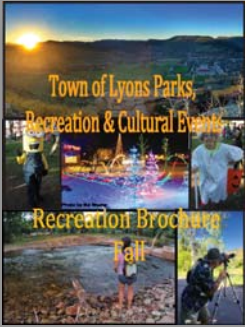


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To access the
Town of Lyons
full recreation
brochure please visit
www.townoflyons.com

Upcoming Events:

Sewing Basics
November 22nd
Walt Self Building

Town Hall Closed
November 24th
November 25th

**Parade of Lights &
Light Show**
December 3rd

Active Adult 50+ Crafts
December 8th
Walt Self Building

Arvada Center Trip
December 14th
Meet at Walt Self

For more event and pro-
grams please visit
www.townoflyons.com.



Stone Cup Pie Contest Sunday, November 20th

Don't miss your chance to enter your Pumpkin, Fruit or Pecan Pie for a chance to win the title of Best Pie Baker in Lyons! Call or stop by to sign up, 823-2345! Bring 2 pies (one to sell and one for judging) by 10am on Nov 20th. The winner will be announced by 3pm. The pies will be judged by the customers (starting at 11am) for a popular vote and also by a panel of distinguished judges. 100% of proceeds to be donated to the 2016 Lyons Parade of Lights.

2016 LYONS HOLIDAY PARADE OF LIGHTS

"Do You Hear What I Hear?"

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2016

The bright glow of the holidays is once again coming to the Town of Lyons on December 3rd! Friends and family will be happy to see the return of Lyons Lights in Sandstone Park. Be sure to come out and enjoy a colorful, exciting, dancing light display synchronized to music. Lyons Lights in Sandstone Park will be available for public viewing throughout the month of December. Beginning Saturday, December 3rd through Friday, December 23rd Lyons Lights in Sandstone Park will run every day from 6p.m. to 8p.m. The highlight of the weekend is sure to be the Holiday Parade of Lights on Saturday, December 3rd. The parade will start at 6:30 p.m. and will be filled with illuminated, colorful floats, many of which will be decorated in the theme of this year's parade—"Do You Hear What I Hear", Sign up today!

Be sure to catch live music and entertainment following the parade at approximately 7:15 p.m. in Sandstone Park on the Raul Vasquez Community Stage. Among those performing this year will be the Lyons High and Elementary Schools Show Choirs. At 7:40 p.m., there will be a wonderful fireworks display made possible by donations & grants received from the Lyons Community Foundation and other local supporters. The Parade Awards Ceremony will take place following the fireworks at approximately 8:05 p.m. on the Raul Vasquez Community Stage awarding the outstanding parade entries of 2016. The evening will wrap up with Lyons Lights in Sandstone Park from 8pm-9pm.

If you are interested in entering the parade this year, an entry form is included with this newsletter. If you would like to donate money or time to this event, a donation form is also included. If you have any questions, please call 303-823-8250 or email recreation@townoflyons.com

Open Basketball

Indoor Basketball is available this year at the Lyons Elementary School Gymnasium as a drop in.

Age: 18+
Fee: \$ 5 per drop in
Dates: Every Thursday
September 1- March 23
No Use Nov. 24, Dec 22, 29, March 30
Time: 8- 9:30pm
Location: Lyons Elementary Gym

Arvada Center

A Trip to the Arvada Center to see the musical "I'll Be Home for Christmas." has been scheduled for December. This play is set in 1969. The Bright family prepares for their annual Christmas variety show, one of the most watched and anticipated television events of the year. I'll Be Home for Christmas is set in the hours leading up to and during the live TV broadcast, featuring rich costumes, great dance numbers and exciting new music along with many seasonal favorites. Attendees will get to the Arvada Center in time to eat lunch first, possibly walk the gallery a little bit, and then enjoy the show.

Age: 50+
Fee: \$5.00 (boxed lunch will be provided)
Day: December 14th
Times: Leaving from Walt Self Building at 10:30 AM, Returning at 4:00 PM
Location: Estes Park Museum
Size: Minimum 5/ Maximum 20
Deadline to Register: November 14th

Active Adult 50+ Craft Making

The Town of Lyons Parks and Recreation is pleased to offer a fun crafting and social experience. We will craft a useful item that you will love in your home or as a gift!

Age: 50+
Fee: FREE
Dates: December 8th
Time: 12:30-2:00 PM
Location: Walt Self Building
Instructor: Lori LeGault
Size: Minimum 5/ Maximum 15
Deadline to Register: 1 week prior

Active Adult 50+ Hiking

Let's get out and enjoy our local trails now that it's cooling down! You will need to be able to get yourself to the trail head. Please bring a small backpack with water, hat, sunscreen, snacks/lunch.

Age: 50+
Fee: FREE
Dates: November 8th - Picture Rock Trail
Time: 10:00 AM-1:00 PM
Instructor: Lori LeGault
Size: Minimum 5/ Maximum 15
Deadline to Register: 3 days prior to the hike

Learn Sewing Basics

This class is for youth who are ready to learn the basics of sewing. Our local Lyons sewing friends will be instructing and helping youth learn the art of using a sewing machine. Please bring your sewing machine. You may be asked to bring specific materials for the project.

Age: 10+
Fee: FREE
Days: Nov. 22nd
Times: 3:30-5:00 PM
Location: Walt Self Building Basement
Instructor: Clair DeVito and other helpers
Deadline to Register: 1 week prior

Active Adult 50+ Trip to the Denver Art Museum

The Town of Lyons is happy to provide an exciting trip to do a Denver Art Museum Highlights Tour. Transportation will be provided by VIA . We will do the tour upon arrival, lunch, and then have some time to look around the museum before we come back.

Age: 50+
Fee: FREE admission, bring money for lunch
Date: November 10th
Time: Leave from Walt Self at 9AM
Deadline to Register: 1 week prior

Lyons Kids Kayaking Kicks Off at Centennial Pool

The Town of Lyons Department of Parks, Recreation & Cultural Events would like to invite Lyons youth and their parents to join them in Longmont at Centennial Pool to learn the basics of kayaking. The purpose of these open pool sessions is to prepare young kayakers for opportunities to participate in upcoming summer kayaking programs and learn basic kayaking skills in a comfortable environment. Sessions will be offered on Fridays starting January 13th- April 14th, 2017. Open Pool sessions will be held from 7:00pm-8:30pm at Centennial Pool in Longmont on the corner of Alpine and Mtn. View. There will be an ACA certified instructor on site. the cost is \$85 as long as participants register by January 13, 2017. Drop in rates will be \$10.00/ session. Participants must be skilled swimmers and parents must provide transportation to and from the site. The Department has a limited amount of equipment it will lease to students.

Age: 7-16
Fee: \$85.00
Dates: January 13, 2017-April 14, 2017
Time: 7:00 PM-8:30 PM
Instructor: ACA Certified Instructor
Size: Minimum 5/ Maximum 15

Raising Resilient Children in a Stressful World

The Town of Lyons in partnership with the Lyons Elementary School PTO is pleased to welcome Boulder Psychological Services to educate and empower parents on three pertinent youth topics. The first topic is Raising Resilient Children in a Stressful World and is a community discussion on parenting in our turbulent times and how to prepare our children for the challenges ahead. We will provide complimentary childcare and dinner at this event to those who register.

Age: PreK-5th Grade parents
Fee: FREE
Date: November 15th, 2016
Time: 6:00 PM-7:30 PM
Location: Lyons Elementary School
Deadline to Register: November 11th

2016 LYONS HOLIDAY PARADE OF LIGHTS CONTRIBUTION FORM

Every holiday season downtown Lyons and Sandstone Park transform into a magical place. We are once again asking for your generosity with a donation to help pay for the Parade of Lights and Fireworks show. This event has an annual cost of over \$8,500.00 and without your donations the Town cannot afford to make it happen. Please complete the form below and help us continue this Lyons tradition!

Dasher (Contributor).....	\$25-\$49
Comet (Supporter).....	\$50-\$99
Blitzen (Donor).....	\$100-\$249
Rudolph (Sponsor).....	\$250 AND UP

TOTAL CONTRIBUTION: _____

BUSINESS NAME: _____

CONTACT NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE: HOME _____ BUSINESS _____

Please make all checks payable to: "Town of Lyons" or simply deliver cash donations along with this slip to Lyons Town Hall (located at 432 5th Avenue) on or before December 2, 2016.

VOLUNTEERS! YES, I would like to volunteer to help with the annual Holiday Parade of Lights. Please call me with more information. PLEASE INDICATE WHICH OF THE ABOVE CONTACT NUMBERS TO CALL AND THE BEST TIME TO REACH YOU. _____

PLEASE MAIL THIS FORM TO: Town of Lyons
Holiday Parade of Lights
P.O. Box 49
Lyons, CO 80540

Thank you for contributing to the 2016 Lyons Holiday Parade of Lights!