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2022

# LYONS LINK



## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### NOVEMBER

- 7 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 14 PCDC Meeting
- 21 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 24/25 Thanksgiving Holiday - Town Hall Closure
- 28 PCDC Meeting

### DECEMBER

- 3 Holiday Artisan Market and Parade of Lights
- 4 Holiday Artisan Market
- 5 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 12 PCDC Meeting
- 19 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 23 Christmas Eve Holiday - Town Hall Closure
- 26 Christmas Holiday - Town Hall Closure

Register online for rec programs  
[www.townoflyons.com/rec](http://www.townoflyons.com/rec)



## 2022 PARADE OF LIGHTS

**Mark your calendars Lyons!** The 2022 Parade of Lights is scheduled for December 3rd, with the Holiday Artisan Market on Dec 3rd and December 4th.

The Parade of Lights theme is Starry Starry Night. The parade begins at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, December 3rd. Please visit [www.townoflyons.com/holidays](http://www.townoflyons.com/holidays) for a parade entry form.

If you would like to sponsor the event or make a donation, there is a link to the sponsorship form online.

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### Holiday Artisan Market

The Holiday Artisan Market will be held at the Lyons Elementary School (enter via the rear entrance on Stickney) on both Saturday and Sunday, December 3 and 4 from 10 am - 4 pm.

If you know creative kids who would like to sell their wares, they may sign up for a 2 hour time slot to sell their handmade goods. Children under 12 years old must be accompanied by an adult.

If you have any questions, email [iramsey@townoflyons.com](mailto:iramsey@townoflyons.com) or call 303-823-8250.



## HAPPY THANKSGIVING

So much to be grateful for in Lyons!

As a reminder, school will be off the week of November 21 - 25.

Town Hall will be closed on Thursday and Friday, November 24 and 25.



## LIMB DROP OFF EVENT

**Saturday, November 5 from 9 am - noon**

The Town of Lyons is helping to host another self-service Fire Mitigation/Fuels Reduction Drop Off Day. This drop-off service is for residents with property located within the Lyons Fire Protection District boundary, for one day only, Saturday, November 5, from 9 am - Noon at the Lyons Public Works Facility.

LOCATION: 4687 Ute Hwy, in front of Town's public works facility, (east of the tiny house builder)

Branches and limbs ONLY

NO yard waste, roots, grass, pine needles, pine cones, tree stumps, flood debris, dirt, rocks, construction materials, lumber or trash accepted.

Self- service, you unload your vehicle  
Residential use only

No commercial drop-off accepted  
Volunteers will ensure materials meet the requirements



## SECURE & CONVENIENT

GO GREEN LYONS! The Town of Lyons has an online payment system that is both secure and convenient.

Do your part to help reduce material costs and staff time by signing up for online billing and payment. It's secure, safe and convenient. Sign up today!

[www.townoflyons.com/onlinebilling](http://www.townoflyons.com/onlinebilling)



## BOT MEETINGS

The Board of Trustees meetings are held on the first and third Monday of each month at 7 pm, unless it is a holiday. The public is always welcome.

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## HOLIDAY GIVING DRIVE

You can help ensure every neighbor enjoys holiday meals and a comfortable season, by donating non-perishable food, toiletries, or funds to the Holiday Giving Drive. The Holiday Giving Drive is a collaboration between the Town of Lyons and the Lyons Emergency Assistance Fund (LEAF), to provide hope and a spirit of community this holiday season.

Donations of non-perishable food, toiletries and funds can be dropped off in the Cookie Monster Donation Bin, located in the front office of Town Hall, during normal office hours (Mon – Fri, 8AM to 4:30PM). The donations will be collected and distributed by LEAF.

If you'd like to learn more about supporting or seeking assistance from LEAF, visit [leaflyons.org](https://leaflyons.org).



## FALL BACKWARDS

Don't forget to "fall backwards" and set your clock back an hour, Sunday, November 6 at 2:00 am. It may be best to set the clock back when you go to sleep on Saturday night, November 5.



### BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR

With winter upon us, remember commercial and residential sidewalks are required to be cleared within 24 hours after a snowstorm.



## FALL CLEAN UP TIPS

As the leaves begin to fall, remember to be a courteous neighbor and remove leaves from your property. Please do not blow or rake leaves into the streets. This can clog street drains, which compromises the Town's stormwater system.

Mulch your leaves. Add a layer of leaves to your garden beds to add protection from the cold, wet weather and you'll have healthier plants in the springtime.



## LOW-INCOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

The Low-income Energy Assistance Program (LEAP) helps people pay their home heating bills in the winter months.

The LEAP program operates November 1 through April 30. Income limits have increased this year to open the program up to more Coloradans.

Learn more about the LEAP Program visit Colorado's Dept of Human Services. <https://cdhs.colorado.gov/leap>



## RECREATION PROGRAMS

The holidays are fast approaching along with colder weather. Keep your fingers crossed for freezing temps so that we can open the ice rink this year. Sign ups for ice skating lessons will be open by early December. There will be a bus trip for seniors in December. Details should be up on the Recreation page shortly.

More details on all programs are online: [townoflyons.com/recreation](https://townoflyons.com/recreation)



## CURBSIDE LIMB COLLECTION RETURNS

November 14 & 15

The Town of Lyons has contracted with Baer Forestry to do an additional limb pick up for residential properties that are less than one acre, on Monday, November 14 and Tuesday, November 15.

### Guidelines

- Branches and limbs ONLY. No grass, weeds, loose yard waste, or compost. It will not be picked up.
- No construction debris or treated lumber. No nails or wire in limbs. It will not be picked up.
- Limbs and branches should be placed curbside by 7:00 am on Monday, November 14 in order to be picked up.
- Limbs should be cut as straight as possible. Limbs must be less than 6" diameter and all cuts facing the same direction.
- Place limbs into stacks. Limbs should be placed off the sidewalk, Please work to ensure that no obstacles interfere with the pickup of the limb pile by the loader and chipper. Do not park in front of your limb pile. Municipal code prohibits placing items in the street.
- Limbs will not be collected in alleys. Even if your trash/recycling collection occurs in an alley, you must place limbs curbside in front of your property for pick-up.
- Residential properties only that are less than one acre.



## LYONS FIRE DISTRICT

The Lyons Fire Protection District is hosting a pancake breakfast and presenting their new fire engine to the community on Saturday, November 19, 2022 from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at Station 1, 251 Broadway St. Beginning at 11:00 a.m. the engine will be dedicated in honor of the life and service of volunteer Firefighter Griffin Ferguson.