

JUL
2023

LYONS LINK



COMMUNITY CALENDAR

JULY

- 4 Holiday - Town Hall Closed
- 5 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 5 Sandstone Summer Concert
- 10 PCDC Meeting
- 12 Sandstone Summer Concert
- 17 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 19 Sandstone Summer Concert
- 24 PCDC Meeting
- 26 Sandstone Summer Concert

AUGUST

- 2 Sandstone Summer Concert
- 7 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 9 Sandstone Summer Concert
- 14 PCDC Meeting
- 21 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 28 PCDC Meeting

Register online for rec programs
www.townoflyons.com/rec



LIBRARY AND TOWN HALL ART SHOW

The Lyons Arts and Humanities Commission (LAHC) and the Lyons Regional Library host a quarterly art exhibition on **Wednesday, July 12**. The LAHC is proud to display Kristine "Birdi" Smock's exhibition for this quarter's Lyons Regional Library Art Show.

There will also be a Town Hall Art Show, *Funky, Whimsy Town*. Bring your artwork to display at Town Hall, 432 5th Avenue on Friday, July 7 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm. The exhibition is open to area artists of all genres, ages, and abilities.

Join us for the opening reception, July 12 Wednesday, from 4:30 to 6:00 pm.



SANDSTONE SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

The Sandstone Summer Concert Series is back in full swing this summer on **Wednesday evenings**.

The 2023 series is weekly through Wednesday, August 16. We look forward to our partnership with the Lyons Community Foundation, whose grant funding greatly supports this annual concert series. As always, the concerts are free! It's a great way to meet new friends, reconnect with your neighbors and catch up with long-time friends. View the poster and print the line-up from the Town's website.

www.townoflyons.com/concerts



GO PAPERLESS

The Town's online bill option saves you time and gives you more flexibility in how you pay your bill. Going paperless also helps reduce resources of monthly printing and mailing. Visit

townoflyons.com/gopaperless



LAVERN JOHNSON PARK CLOSURES

Residents are reminded that LaVern Johnson Park will be closed for the 2023 RockyGrass Festival, from Wednesday, July 26 thru noon on July 31. It will also be closed for Folks Festival from Thursday, August 10 thru noon on Monday, August 14 as part of the lease agreement with Planet Bluegrass.

Residents with proof of local address in Lyons (80540) are allowed to walk into the park during the day as part of the lease agreement.



BOT MEETINGS

The Board of Trustees meets on the first and third Monday of each month. The public is always welcome in person or virtual. Agendas are posted on line.



SUPPORT LOCAL!

Lyons is known for its unique shops and restaurants! Support them by shopping locally and keeping your sales taxes local too.

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VOLUNTEER YOUR EXPERTISE AND IDEAS

The Town of Lyons has several openings for board and commission members. This is a great opportunity to make your impact in Lyons. Vacancies currently exist on the Parks and Recreation Commission (PRC), Historic Preservation Commission (HPC), the Housing and Human Services (HHSC) and the Board of Adjustments (BOA). To learn more and apply, please visit

townoflyons.com/180/Boards-Commissions



SIGN UP TO RECEIVE TRAIL CLOSURES & ALERTS

Boulder County Parks & Open Space will send email and text alerts when trails open and close. Users can sign up to receive notifications directly at boco.org/trailalerts

Trails close due to muddy conditions, seasonal wildlife closures, or other safety reasons. Closure alerts are posted on the Parks & Trails page, individual property page, and the Trail Closures, Alerts & Conditions page.



REMEMBER TO SCOOP THE POOP

Do your part to protect our local watershed.

The next time you are out walking your dog, remember to bring a waste bag with you to pick up after your pet. Dispose of bagged waste in garbage cans.



WET WIPES ARE NOT FLUSHABLE

Nationwide, more than \$1 billion in damage occurs annually from the flushing of wet wipes. Next year, they will be labeled DO NOT FLUSH. Please do your part and throw them in the trash not the toilet!



ROCKY MOUNTAIN NATIONAL PARK TIMED ENTRY SYSTEM

Timed Entry Permit Reservations are required, along with a park pass or entrance fee, to enter Rocky Mountain National Park from May 26 to October 22, 2023.

There are two different access options for timed entry permits in 2023, access with Bear Lake Road (Park Access+) and access without Bear Lake Road (Park Access). For complete details for you or your visitors this summer, visit www.nps.gov/romo/index.htm

The Bustang will operate on summer weekends, with bus service from Denver-Boulder and Lyons to and from Rocky Mountain National Park. ridebustang.com/estes-park/



DID YOU KNOW?

It is illegal to block a sidewalk with your vehicle? Refrain from parking across a sidewalk – you could be preventing someone with a disability, or a child, or anyone from making their way safely through town.



TREE LIMB PICK-UP

The Town of Lyons will be working with Baer Forestry to pick up tree limbs **within the town limits for residents with less than one acre** on Monday, July 17 and Tuesday, July 18. They will be working from the North side of Town to the South side of Town.

- 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, July 17 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-toward the street.
- Place limbs into stacks. Neighbors are requested to consolidate where possible. Piles should be of reasonable size and orderly as possible.
- Limbs should be placed off the sidewalk and with enough access for the chipper.
- 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.



LYONS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION GRANTS

The Lyons Community Foundation (LCF) is pleased to announce their 16th Annual Community Support granting season. Applications for Community Support Grants are available to all local non-profit organizations, beginning August 1st. Submissions are due on September 9, 2023. Electronic submissions are required; granting information and applications are available at lyonscf.org.

Over the lifetime of the Community Support Grants program, LCF has awarded more than half a million dollars in grant awards. This year, nearly \$50,000 will be made available to deserving recipients.