



JULY  
2021

# LYONS LINK



## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### JULY

- 5 Independence Day Holiday Town Hall Closure
- 6 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 12 PCDC Meeting
- 19 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 26 PCDC Meeting

### AUGUST

- 2 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 9 PCDC Meeting
- 16 Board of Trustees Meeting
- 23 PCDC Meeting

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



## BOT MEETINGS

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



## SANDSTONE SUMMER CONCERT SERIES!

It's back Lyons! The annual Sandstone Summer Concert Series returns this summer in July!

This year the Town has planned a seven week series with all **local** musicians. The series will run weekly on Thursdays, through August 12, with music starting at 6:30 pm. Rain delays will be made up at a later date.

The concerts are free and it's a great way to meet new friends and reconnect with your neighbors and long-time friends.

**July 8** Jessie Burns, Beth Gadbaw and friends

**July 15** Joe Kuckla and Irons in the Fire

**July 22** Billy Shaddox Band

**July 29** Arthur Lee Land Band

**Aug 5** The 89s

**Aug 12** Blue Canyon Boys

**TBD** Dechen Hawk (make up concert)



## SECURE AND CONVENIENT

The Town of Lyons has an electronic utility bill portal and online payment system. YES!

You can 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)

303-823-8250  
[communications@townoflyons.com](mailto:communications@townoflyons.com)

## SLOW THE FLOW IRRIGATION CONSULT

Slow the Flow can help you maintain a beautiful, healthy lawn while saving water. Resource Central Technicians will run a few tests to check your sprinklers' efficiency and diagnose any problems your system might have.

At the end of your consultation, you'll receive a customized watering schedule designed to reduce water usage and keep your lawn healthy and beautiful all summer long!

Consultations last about 75 minutes and could help you save thousands of gallons of water each year. It's easy to sign up and get long-lasting results! Simply call (303) 999-3824 or sign up at [ResourceCentral.org/Sprinklers](http://ResourceCentral.org/Sprinklers)



## 2ND AVE BRIDGE GRAND OPENING

Mark your calendars LYONS! The 2nd Ave Bridge will open to the public (and vehicular traffic) on Thursday, July 8 at 10 am. You're invited to celebrate!

Senator Hickenlooper and Congressman Neguse and the Boulder County Commissioners will be attending and the public is invited to attend!





## SALES TAX

Sales taxes for the first four months of the year is up 17%, \$59,730 more than the same period for 2020.



## LIBRARY AND TOWN HALL ART SHOW!

The Lyons Arts and Humanities Commission (LAHC) has partnered with the Lyons Regional Library to host quarterly art exhibitions in tandem with the Quarterly Town Hall Art Shows.

The LAHC is proud to display Sally White King's Bearable Light exhibition for this quarter's Lyons Regional Library Art Show.

In tandem, there will also be a Town Hall Art Show, Bringing Outdoors In & COVID-Wrought Creations. The exhibition is open to area artists of all genres, ages, and abilities. Bring your artwork to display at Town Hall, 432 5th Avenue on Friday, July 9 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm.

Join us for the opening reception, July 14, Wednesday, from 5:30 to 7:00 pm.



## REMEMBER TO SCOOP THE POOP

Did you know, dog waste is the third largest contributor of bacterial pollution in urban waterways? By properly disposing of dog waste, you can protect our local watersheds.

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



## BE WATERWISE

The average American household wastes more than 10,000 gallons each year from easy-to-fix water leaks. Visit [www.townoflyons.com/waterwise](http://www.townoflyons.com/waterwise) to learn more.



## LYONS KIND #CHOOSEBOTH

Celebrate Lyons Kind this summer and every day. We've adopted a community attitude of kindness to share with one another and those who visit us. Kindness is contagious. Kindness matters.

Let's remember that the great qualities which drew so many of us to move to Lyons – a small-town vibe, fun retail shops and restaurants, easy access to open space, the river corridor and our great parks – are the same qualities that folks who visit Lyons also like to enjoy.

We encourage all of us to be Lyons Kind, take a deep breath, share a helpful tip to a visitor and remember how lucky we are to call this special little town, **home**. LyonsKind #chooseboth



## WHAT NOT TO FLUSH

What gets flushed down the toilet doesn't disappear - it connects to the Town's sewer system, making its way through pipes and pumps to our wastewater treatment facility.

To keep this system functioning smoothly and to avoid clogs and backups in our town (and at your home), make sure that you are not flushing any of the items below –even those that are marked as flushable!

- \*Diapers
- \*Wipes
- \*Cat litter
- \*Medicines
- \*Feminine Hygiene Products
- \*Food products (including fats, oils, greases)



## SHOP LOCAL!

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



## PARKS AND RECREATION

**Summer Kayak Rentals** Rent a kayak for one month, two months or all summer! Rentals come with a kayak, paddle, life vest and helmet.

Other fun summer programs include:

Women's Mtn Biking, skateboard lessons and camps, Challenger Soccer camp

### Tubing Rentals

Rent a tube and float down the St Vrain! New this year! LaVern Johnson Park now has a concessionaire who will be at the park daily to rent tubes, stand up paddle boards, life jackets, river shoes and dry bags.



## ART IN PUBLIC PLACES

Join us for an opening art reception on Wednesday, July 14 from 5:30 - 7 pm at Town Hall.



## 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](http://boco.org/trailalerts)

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

Stay in the know! Sign up for Townrelated emails via [www.townoflyons.com/signup](http://www.townoflyons.com/signup)