



Lyons LINK

MAY 2024

GOLF CAR REGISTRATION

All Golf Cars (Low Speed Electric Vehicles) are required to be registered in Lyons, per the Lyons Municipal Code. Registration helps to ensure that the vehicle is safe and has the correct mirrors and signage required. The program is for the safety of drivers as well as residents. In addition, the registration shows where golf cars are allowed and prohibited. For more information visit

townoflyons.com/golfcar

SIDEWALK FUNDING AND INFRASTRUCTURE

The Board of Trustees (BOT) held a special meeting in late April to give staff direction regarding funding for a local match towards more sidewalks and pedestrian safety within the Town. The BOT directed staff to pursue the federal grant for sidewalk funding to include 3rd Ave and Stickney near the elementary school, along SH-7 as well as a safer connection along US-36 towards Eagle Canyon.

BEARS ARE BACK

With the warm weather, bears are coming out, and they will start looking for food and getting into trash.

Taking precautions such as locking up trash and other potential food sources from bears is important to prevent them from becoming habitually reliant on these sources for food. Bears become more of a risk when they associate humans with a food source.

It is very important for us to protect these animals and protect the public, and that is the responsibility of our community. If you do not have a bear proof bin, wait until the morning to put out your trash.

Garbage kills bears.



PAWS UP!

Your dog license fees help support the dog clean up stations and bags as well as the Lyons Dog Park.

Unless you're in the Dog Park, please remember to leash up your dog within the Town of Lyons. PAWS UP!

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

MAY

- 6 BOT Meeting
- 13 PCDC Meeting
- 20 BOT Meeting
- 27 Memorial Day Holiday
- 28 PCDC Meeting

JUNE

- 3 BOT Meeting
- 10 PCDC Meeting
- 17 BOT Meeting
- 19 Juneteenth Holiday
- 24 PCDC Meeting

The Board of Trustees (BOT) 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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EMERGENCY SIREN TESTING

Boulder County has begun testing of the countywide emergency sirens. The audible siren tests take place on the first Monday of each month, from April through September and occur twice on each testing day at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.

Siren tests ensure that all systems and procedures are working properly during the season of peak flood and fire danger. Should Boulder County experience severe weather during one of the planned audible tests, the siren tests for that day may be cancelled.

PARKING PASS

Parking passes for both LaVern Johnson and Bohn Park are available to **residents** of the Town of Lyons. One free resident parking pass per household. Golf cars are considered vehicles. Non-residents may purchase a season parking pass for a flat rate of \$80 per vehicle. Sign up for your 2024 resident parking pass.

townoflyons.com/parkingpass

The parking fee for 2024 is \$2 per hour on weekdays and \$3 per hour on peak-season weekends. Parking fees are enforced every day.

RECREATION PROGRAMS

It's sign up time for spring sports season! Local softball, baseball, and soccer teams are already forming and can fill quickly. Kids Mountain Biking classes for spring and summer are open. Square State Skate is back with summer camps and classes. Check out all the options!

Sign up now to get your preferred programs and dates. Visit townoflyons.com/recreation

MOUNTAIN BLOOMS GARDEN TOUR

Mark your calendars! The Lyons Garden Club 4th Annual "Mountain Blooms" Garden Tour is on Saturday, June 15, 2024 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., rain or shine. Tickets are free, but the Garden Club gratefully accepts donations. All details and information can be found at www.lyonsgardenclub.com. The tour will include eight fabulous gardens across town. The unique and beautiful Clarifier will also be featured on the tour.

HELPFUL UPDATES

- Each spring the St Vrain rises due to snow melt in the mountains. If you are interested in knowing the current rate of flow through town, the best site is the State's gage station for Lyons. <https://dwr.state.co.us/Tools/stations/SVCLYOCO?params=DISCHRG>
- At the direction of the BOT, the Town will have eight overflow dry camping spots for campervans and self-contained pick up trucks with slide-ins during the summer months at the 2nd Ave Trailhead. The camping is limited to a maximum of three days. The Bohn Park hosts will manage the area and reservations.



SHOP LOCAL SHOP LYONS

Ninety-eight percent of businesses in Lyons are independently owned.

Keep Lyons strong and successful.
Support your local merchants today.

SPRING DIVERSION DAY

The Town of Lyons and the Sustainable Futures Commission are hosting a **Diversion Day** for Town residents on **Saturday, May 18 from 9 am - 1 pm** at the Public Works Facility, 4687 Ute Highway.

Items accepted include yard waste, household hazardous materials (paint, solvents, batteries, oil, antifreeze), household electronics including computers, monitors and scrap metal. Residents need to pay CHaRM directly for certain electronic waste (tvs, monitors, small electronics, etc). NO TRASH, NO FURNITURE, APPLIANCES OR TIRES.

This event will be by **appointment only** to insure efficient drop off for participants. Please sign up in advance and secure your spot. Visit:

townoflyons.com/DiversionDay to register!

Join a board or commission and help to shape the future direction of Lyons.

townoflyons.com/getinvolved