



Lyons LINK

JULY 2024

LAVERN JOHNSON PARK CLOSURES

Residents are reminded that LaVern Johnson Park will be closed for the 2024 RockyGrass Festival, from Wednesday, July 24 thru noon on Monday, July 29. It will also be closed for Folks Festival from Thursday, August 8 thru noon on Monday, August 12 per the lease agreement with Planet Bluegrass. Residents with proof of a Lyons address (80540) may walk in during the daytime.

SANDSTONE SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

Sandstone Summer Concerts return to the Raul Vasquez Stage on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 pm. The concerts are weekly through August 7. The concerts are free thanks to The Town of Lyons along with grant support from the Lyons Community Foundation. It's a great way to meet new friends, reconnect with your neighbors and catch up! We also try to ensure we have a food truck as well as baked goods from the LCF booth.

www.townoflyons.com/concerts

Download the Clio App to take a fun walking tour of public art in Lyons!
Visit theclio.com/tour/1091

WILDFIRE MITIGATION REBATE PROGRAM

Boulder County has a **new** rebate program encouraging residents to actively take steps to protect their homes and communities from wildfire.

The rebate program is open to all residents who are actively improving home hardening and defensible space on their properties to reduce the potential for wildfire to spread.

This program provides a rebate of **up to \$500** to county residents, including those who live in the Town of Lyons, who apply and complete wildfire mitigation actions. Learn more.

www.wildfirepartners.org/rebate/



LAVERN M JOHNSON SCULPTURE

A public unveiling of a life sized bronze is scheduled for July 24th, 2024 from 4:30 - 6 pm to the west of the historic train depot in downtown Lyons. Created by local artist Christine Knapp, this sculpture captures the essence of Mrs. LaVern M Johnson's enduring legacy and her profound impact on the Lyons community.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

JULY

- 4 July 4 Holiday
- 8 PCDC Meeting
- 10 Summer Concert
- 15 BOT Meeting
- 17 Summer Concert
- 17 Art Show
- 22 PCDC Meeting
- 22 Floodplain Meeting
- 24 Summer Concert
- 24 Sculpture Unveiling
- 31 Summer Concert

AUGUST

- 5 BOT Meeting
- 7 Summer Concert
- 12 PCDC Meeting
- 19 BOT Meeting
- 24 Venus de Miles
- 24 Lights Out Lyons
- 26 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.

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STAGE 1 FIRE BAN

Sheriff Curtis Johnson has enacted Stage 1 Fire Restrictions, effective Monday, July 1, 2024.

The fire restrictions were implemented due to increasing fire danger, lack of moisture, and the forecast for hot temperatures. The fire restrictions will be in effect until the hazardous conditions have subsided.

With the upcoming Independence Day holiday, please note that it is illegal to use any personal fireworks within the fire restriction area.

LIMB PICK UP

Week of July 15, 2024 ONLY

The Town of Lyons has scheduled with a vendor to complete a curbside limb pick up for **residential properties within the town that are less than one acre**. This is for **branches and limbs ONLY**, with a maximum 6" in diameter. Your pile must be placed outside your residence by 7 am, on July 15, 2024 and stacked neatly with all cut ends facing the same way. Questions? Please call Parks and Public Works at 303-823-6622.



RECREATION PROGRAMS

A **free kids arts and activities program** is every Tuesday, from 10 - 11:30 am in Bohn Park. Kids ages 5+ are welcome to drop by for arts, crafts and outdoor games.

Or learn how to progress while having fun on **your skateboard**. Skaters of all ages and skill levels will skate together. Come shred with us!

Ages: 5 - 15 Monday - Friday, July 15 - 19, 8:30 - 10 am

Fee: \$140/week Visit townoflyons.com/recreation

BUSTANG SERVICE TO RMNP

The Bustang will operate transportation services from Lyons to Estes Park on summer weekends, with bus service from Denver-Boulder-Lyons to Rocky Mountain National Park. Its a great way for residents and visitors in Lyons to experience the National Park without having to worry about the timed entry program.

ridebustang.com/estes-park/

DO YOU LIVE IN THE FLOODPLAIN?

Not sure if you live in the floodplain? What is the impact of new flood maps? How will they affect you? Or your property?

FEMA has notified the Town of Lyons that the Preliminary Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs) will need to be adopted in late October 2024. The Town must adopt the latest flood maps and update its local ordinances regarding flood prevention and floodplain regulations. Check out the latest information on the town website townoflyons.com/floodmaps2024

Make plans to attend an informational session on Monday, July 22, 2024 at 6:00 pm at the library.

LIBRARY AND TOWN HALL ART SHOWS

The Lyons Arts and Humanities Commission (LAHC) and the Lyons Regional Library will host a quarterly art exhibition on Wednesday, July 17. The LAHC is proud to display works by two local artists, Kahlie Sue Pinello and Amanda Anderson for this quarter's Lyons Regional Library Art Show, *Living Dolls*.

There will also be a Town Hall Art Show, themed *Wild Things*, on display at Town Hall. Bring your artwork to display at Town Hall, 432 5th Avenue on Friday, July 12 from 5:00 to 7:00 pm to be included in the upcoming show. The exhibition is open to area artists of all genres, ages, and abilities.

Join us for the opening reception, Wednesday, July 17 from 4:30 to 6:00 pm in both locations.

Please note the earlier time so that you don't miss the Sandstone Summer Concert Series.



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

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

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

townoflyons.com/getinvolved