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Dec. 3, 2014

Holiday Happenings Is Saturday, Dec. 6

You won't want to miss this year's Holiday Happenings event on Saturday, Dec. 6 from 3-8 p.m. at the Ranch House. In addition to photos with Santa, there will be holiday crafts, games, a bake sale, cookies, mini cakes, cider, the Heritage Methodist Bell Choir, a storyteller and hay wagon rides. There will also be a craft fair showcasing several resident crafters. See the full schedule of events on Page 10.

New Process For Santa Tickets

Santa tickets allow you to reserve a time slot to take a photo with Santa so you do not have to wait in line all evening. You will be able to pick up Santa tickets on Friday or Saturday this year:

- **Friday, Dec. 5:** 5-7 p.m. at the Recreation Front Desk at the Ranch House
- **Saturday, Dec. 6:** 10 a.m.-2 p.m. (or until tickets are gone) at the Recreation Front Desk at the Ranch House

In an effort to be fair and ensure not all tickets for one time are given out on Friday, we will have a set number of tickets for each time slot available on Friday with the remaining tickets for each time slot available on Saturday. Tickets are free and given out on a first come, first served basis. For more information about all the fun at Holiday Happenings, please visit our website, www.ken-carylranh.org, and click on Special Events under the Programs & Activities tab.



Master Association Board Election

Please give some thought to serving your community by becoming a member of the Ken-Caryl Ranch Master Association Board of Directors. There are two seats on the MA Board that will be on the ballot for the election in March 2015. The MA Board meets the first and third Tuesday of each month in the evening at the Ranch House. For those of you who are interested in running for an MA Board position, applications are available at the Ranch House and online at www.ken-carylranh.org under the Administration tab then Master Association Board.

MA Budget Adopted With \$1 Dues Increase

The Master Association Board adopted the 2015 budget at its Nov. 18 meeting. The budget calls for a \$1 per month increase in dues, bringing the 2015 dues to \$46 per month for residential properties and \$30 an acre per month for commercial properties. Coupon books will be mailed to homeowners in December. Pink proxy cards will also be mailed with the dues coupon books. If you opted out of receiving a dues coupon book or are enrolled in Automatic Clearing House (ACH), a separate pink proxy card will be mailed to you.

Christmas Tree Sale Saturday

The annual Christmas Tree Sale will be held at the Dakota Lodge on Saturday, Dec. 6 from 8-10 a.m. A limited number of trees cut from forest management areas will be available to the public, on a first come, first served basis. Rangers are requesting donations in exchange for the trees, and the donations will be used to offset expenses in the

open space program.

Mainly Douglas Firs and some Ponderosa Pines were cut two weeks before the sale, so they will be very fresh and fragrant for the sale. These trees are not bushy and manicured like those found on Christmas tree lots around town, but the fresh pine scent still invokes the holiday spirit. The Rangers harvest-

ed small diameter trees in the open space to improve wildlife habitat and overall forest health. The removal of the small trees reduces overcrowding and eliminates ladder fuels that can carry fire into a forest canopy. Trees that don't find a home are chipped and made into mulch. The Ranger staff hopes to see you on sale day!

Manor House Submitting Plan For New Building

The owners of the Manor House have submitted a Site Development Plan to Jefferson County for development of a building west of the Manor House to replace the event tent. They also attended a Master Association Board meeting to advise the Board of their plan. When they have complete plans they will be making a submittal to the Master Association Architectural Committee. At that time, plans will be available for the community to review. If you have questions or comments about the plan, please contact Jefferson County Case Manager Alan Tiefenbach at 303-271-8738 or atiefenb@jeffco.us. To inquire about the Master Association process, please contact Chris Pacetti at chrisp@kcranch.org.

AGREEMENT BETWEEN FOOTHILLS AND KEN-CARYL RANCH RENEWED FOR 2015!

Through a cooperative effort between Ken-Caryl Ranch Metro District and Foothills Park & Recreation District, all Ken-Caryl Ranch residents can continue to use the Indoor Pools (Leisure, Lap & Therapy) and other amenities at Ridge Recreation Center at Foothills' District Resident Rates for Facility Admission!

A Foothills Photo ID Card (valid for 3 years) is required for Ages 9 & up to receive the Foothills District Resident Facility Admission Rate.
*Foothills Photo ID cards are available for purchase at Ridge Recreation Center (6613 S. Ward Street, Littleton, CO 80127).



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Manager's Column



by KCRMD District Manager Darrell Windes

The planning for the Ken-Caryl Ranch bond projects will be moving into another phase within the next week. The Metropolitan District Board of Directors is planning on selecting an architect for the Ranch House, Community Center and Dakota Lodge remodeling projects at its Board meeting on Dec. 9. A Request for Proposal for architects went out in early November with interviews of firms scheduled for the week of Dec. 1.

The selection of the architect will be made by a committee comprised of Board members from both the Metropolitan District and Master Association, key staff, and a member of the Community Planning Committee. Vanir Construction Management, the Owner's Representative for the bond construction projects, will serve in an advisory role in the selection process.

Once the architect is brought on board, more specific planning will begin in earnest as we move into 2015. Updates on the bond projects will continue to be provided in future issues of *Life at Ken-Caryl* and on the Ken-Caryl Ranch website at www.ken-carylranh.org.

The Metropolitan District Board of Directors is scheduled to adopt its 2015 budget at its Board meeting on Dec. 9. The 2015 budget will reflect two separate property tax mill levies: one for operations and one for the payoff of the bonds issued in September. The mill levy for the bonds will be the first year of a 10-year payback. The 2015 operating budget is once again a status quo budget with no changes in the level of current services provided. The mill levy for operations actually decreases slightly for 2015 as the overall assessed valuation for Ken-Caryl Ranch dropped slightly for the 2015 budget year. Copies of the adopted 2015 Metropolitan District budget will be available by the end of the year at the Ranch House and on the Ken-Caryl Ranch website.

The final special event on Ken-Caryl Ranch for 2014 is coming up this weekend with the annual Holiday Happenings event. For 2014, this event will move to a new day, Saturday, Dec. 6. Hours for the event have been expanded to 3-8 p.m. on Saturday. The event has been moved from its previous Friday evening time in an effort to allow more residents to participate over an extended period of time. As usual, this year's event will include hay wagon rides, sounds of the Heritage Methodist Bell Choir, a holiday bake sale, a storyteller and holiday crafts and games. Santa will pay a visit as well with free professional photos provided as part of the visit. Tickets for Santa are free but must be picked

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Community Calendar

Upcoming events/meetings are as follows (*all meetings/activities will be at the Ranch House unless otherwise stated*):

BOARD MEETINGS ARE OPEN TO ALL KEN-CARYL RANCH RESIDENTS.

December 2014

Tuesday	2	6 p.m.	MA/MD Joint Study Session
Thursday	4	10:15 a.m.	Story Time
Saturday	6	8-10 a.m.	Christmas Tree Sale — Dakota Lodge
Saturday	6	3-8 p.m.	Holiday Happenings
Tuesday	9	6 p.m.	MD Board Meeting
Thursday	11	10:15 a.m.	Story Time
Tuesday	16	6:30 p.m.	MA Board Meeting
Thursday	18	10:15 a.m.	Story Time

COMMITTEE/TASK FORCE MEETINGS

Architectural — Second and Fourth Thursdays at 7:30 a.m.

Community Planning — Monday, Dec. 8, 7 p.m.

Covenant — Third Wednesday at 4:30 p.m.

Historical Society — Wednesday, Jan. 21, 2 p.m.

MA Finance — Monday, Dec. 15, 5:30 p.m.

Open Space — Thursday, Jan. 22, 7 p.m., *Dakota Lodge*

All days and times are subject to change. Please visit www.ken-carylranh.org for updated information.

For more information about a particular meeting or a specific committee, please call 303-979-1876 or visit www.ken-carylranh.org.

Important Reminders From Waste Connections

• **Auto Dial Service:** Waste Connections, the trash and recycling services provider for Ken-Caryl Ranch offers an auto dial service to notify customers of any changes in trash pickup days. If you are interested in being notified through this service, you can sign up online by visiting www.wcdenver.com. Once you are at www.wcdenver.com, please click on contact tab. Complete the required information, click on Residential Trash Service, then in the comment section at the bottom

of the page explain that you are a Ken-Caryl resident seeking to sign up for the Call Fire service.

• **Delayed Trash Days:** Waste Connections observes the following holidays: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, July 4, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day, unless they fall on a weekend day. If your normal pick-up day falls on a holiday or after a holiday, your collection schedule will run one day late that week.

• **Recycling Notes:** Please remember to have your trash and recycling curbside by 7 a.m. on your collection day. Trash and recycling should be placed four feet apart from each other at the curb. Waste Connections will pick up individual bags or service totes/cans which homeowners have individually purchased. Recycling containers need to be clearly marked as recycling. Waste Connections has provided recycling stickers which can be placed on any purchased container. If you need a sticker please visit the Ranch House or Community Center. Single Stream Recycling means that glass, plastic, tin, and aluminum and paper products may all be placed in the same container.

• **Customer Service Contact Information:** Contact Waste Connections at 303-288-2100 or www.wasteconnectionsofcolorado.com for a complete list of what can and cannot be recycled, if a special items pickup is needed or for answers to any other questions.

• **Service Problems:** If you are experiencing service problems or have a missed pickup, please call Tom Wamsley directly at 720-234-4551.

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To reach members of the MA or MD Board of Directors, please call 303-979-1876 for contact information.

Covenant Clips

Happy Endings, New Beginnings

by Community Standards Administrator Rita Saunders

Now that we are officially immersed in the holiday season, I would like to reflect with you on 2014 as it draws to a close. This year has produced many welcome changes for Ken-Caryl Ranch. There has been continued activity on projects such as trail improvements, additional asphalt path conversions to concrete and the community planning process. There are two new playgrounds thanks to help from "community build" volunteers, updated signage is in the works, there is a new signature red roof on the Ranch House and a revamped website is soon being rolled out.

In this office, we rolled out an enhanced covenant inspection program designed to increase efficiency and availability of staff while maintaining a focus on cost effectiveness and accountability. Reactions and support for the changes have varied, but I have appreciated the opportunity to interact with residents, obtaining observations and feedback to improve the efforts going forward. Candid conversations have been overall productive, even if some were initially spawned from misinformation or strong emotions. Many goals have been achieved coopera-

tively, and the vast majority of visits, calls or correspondence have been cordial and reasonable.

I want to take this opportunity to thank our great community for its patience, sense of reason and collaboration to achieve successful outcomes. I have enjoyed some humorous exchanges, but have also been humbled to share in stories of heartbreak and triumph over tragedy. I truly appreciate candid communications to best address those issues colored in a shade of gray.

In the spirit of these holidays I hope you collect a treasure of family memories, enjoy heartwarming experiences with friends, and give yourselves the gift of time to reflect and relax. On the holiday topic, please don't attempt more exterior decorations than you can dismantle by Feb. 1. Be safe and smart with your festive displays because I want you to be able to look forward to the best year ever in 2015 with all body parts intact!

Please keep in mind that rules are dynamic in nature ... new issues surface, obsolete rules are deleted and others simply are amended or updated. Ken-Caryl Ranch documents are available at the Ranch House and on our website at www.ken-carylranh.org. Also, please don't hesitate to call me at 303-979-1876, ext. 113, or email ritas@kcranch.org should you have any covenant questions or concerns.

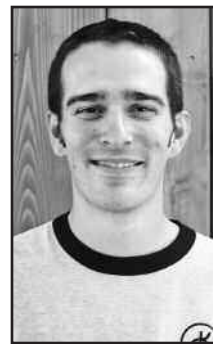
Ranger Field Notes

Dogs Chasing Deer In Winter

by Open Space Ranger Peter Marozas

I wanted to remind residents about dogs chasing deer in neighborhoods. A few weeks ago while I was on morning vehicle patrol through the Valley, I viewed a strange site out of the corner of my eye. A Mule Deer Buck in a cul-de-sac jumped and twisted in the air, dropping his head and pointing his antlers toward something on the ground.

As I drove by I saw a large dog (approximately 100 pounds) confronting the deer and barking. I began to slow down and had to brake suddenly when the deer came running across the road a few feet in front of me with the dog chasing close behind. I stopped the vehicle at the side of the road and upon exiting viewed the deer jumping over a resident's fence to flee the



dog. The good news is that the deer was safe as the dog could not jump the fence with deep snow in the area. After driving along Mesa Oak to search for the owner, I spoke with two men and one said the dog ran out of the house when it saw the deer. I am glad this incident ended without the dog or deer being injured either by fighting or a vehicle collision.

"Keep in mind during winter, deer expend large amounts of energy to stay alive — they can lose 30 percent or more of their body weight during the cold months. When big game animals are forced to run they become exhausted and use up valuable calories they need to stay alive. In addition, many female deer are pregnant and need to conserve energy. Pet owners can be fined up to \$275 for allowing their animals to chase wildlife. Dogs observed chasing wildlife can be shot by law enforcement officers." (*Dogs Chasing Wildlife* article, Colorado Parks and Wildlife)

Please keep your dog(s) on a leash! If you witness a loose dog chasing wildlife you should call the local Parks and Wildlife Officer, local Animal Control or Ken-Caryl Ranch Park Rangers.

Give The Gift Of Dirt!

Need a unique gift idea for a family member or friend? How about the gift of gardening? This is truly a gift that "keeps giving" as fresh, organic fruits and vegetables will be available throughout the summer. The Ken-Caryl Community Garden has small plots available for the 2015 growing season. The cost is \$75 plus a \$50 refundable deposit. We will put together a gift with a certificate for the plot, a pair of gardening gloves and wrap it for you! All you have to do is place it under the tree. Please contact harrietcamp@comcast.net for more information or to order your gift.





Community Plan & Improvement Projects



Architects Expected To Begin Work Soon

Submitted by Paul Camp, Vanir Construction Management

We are proceeding on schedule with the process of selecting an architecture firm to conduct the planning and design of the \$5.9 million in bond project improvements at the Ranch House, Community Center and Dakota Lodge Campus.

A Selection Committee composed of representatives from the Metropolitan District and Master Association Boards, staff from both the MD and MA, and a resident subject matter expert has begun reviewing detailed proposals from three architecture firms with

the goal of making a final recommendation by the Dec. 9 MD Board meeting. Representatives from Vanir Construction Management will assist the committee in their deliberations to select the firm that best matches the specific design requirements of the bond

projects. Assuming all continues to go as planned, we expect to have our first orientation meeting with the selected firm on Dec. 22.

If you have any questions on the status of the bond projects, please contact us at bondprojects@kcranch.org.

Manager's Column

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up in advance at the Ranch House Recreation Office on either Friday evening, Dec. 5 from 5-7 p.m. or on Saturday, Dec. 6 beginning at 10 a.m. This year's event is sponsored once again by the Metropolitan District and the Scientific and Cultural Facilities District. See the front page of this issue of *Life at Ken-Caryl* for more information on the event or call the Ranch House Recreation office at 303-979-4070.

Covenant Control Committee Opening

The Ken-Caryl Ranch Master Association is looking for a volunteer for the Covenant Control Committee. The committee upholds the governing documents of the Master Association and ensures enforcement in a fair and timely manner. You can find out more about this committee and download an application at www.ken-caryl.org by clicking on Committees & Task Forces under the Administration tab. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

Toys In Need For Action Center's Santa Shop

Submitted by Jill Messinger, Action Center

The holiday season can prove to be especially strenuous for our Jefferson County neighbors in need. In addition to paying rent, bills and providing food, families feel the added stress of providing holiday presents for their children. Luckily, the Action Center provides a significant program to ensure every child experiences the magic of the holiday season. The Santa Shop is a week-long program that takes place in early December. Parents and guardians are invited to pick out toys for their children, free of charge. Last year, the Santa Shop provided new toys to 4,068 children!

The Action Center is in need of new toys for children ages 0-12 years old. Toys such as MP3 players, hand-held electronics, bikes, skateboards, scooters, remote-controlled toys, dolls, action figures, make-up, craft kits, football and soccer balls, books, hat and scarf sets, and stuffed animals are in high demand this year.

The Action Center's donation dock is located at 8755 W. 14th Ave. in Lakewood. Donations are accepted Monday-Friday between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., and Saturdays from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Thank you in advance for your donation to our Jefferson County neighbors in need!

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Board Meeting Summaries

MD Board Meeting

On Nov. 18, the Ken-Caryl Ranch Metropolitan District held a Regular Meeting of the Board of Directors and discussed the following items and took the following actions:

- The Board received an update from the Veterans Monument Committee on review of possible sites for the Monument. This item will be discussed further with the Master Association at the Dec. 2 Joint Study Session.
- The Board also received an update from the District Manager on the renewal of the Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) with

the Foothills Park & Recreation District for use of the Ridge Recreation Center. The current agreement renews automatically unless either party wishes to make any modifications. The District Manager had received word from Foothills that their organization is in favor of renewing the agreement as it currently stands. The District Board confirmed their desire to do the same. As a result of the agreement of both parties, the IGA will renew for calendar year 2015.

- The District Manager updated the Board on additional investment options for the

bond funds to earn some slightly higher returns.

- Staff discussed with the Board some proposed changes to preschool fees for the proposed 2015 budget. The modified fees will be considered by the Board at the time the 2015 budget is adopted in December.
- The District Manager presented an update on the renewal of the Property and Liability and Workers Compensation insurance coverages for 2015 currently with the Colorado Special Districts Property and Liability Insurance Pool. It is anticipated renewal rates will be reviewed by the Board at the Dec. 9 Board meeting. The current policy expires Jan. 1, 2015.

Ken-Caryl Renews Agreement For Ridge Recreation Center For 2015

The Boards of Directors of both the Ken-Caryl Ranch Metropolitan District (KCRMD) and the Foothills Park & Recreation District (Foothills) have renewed for 2015 a special arrangement for residents of Ken-Caryl Ranch (KCR) to use the Foothills Ridge Recreation Center at Foothills resident rates.

The Ridge Recreation Center, which is located at 6613 South Ward Street just north of the boundary of KCR, is owned and operated by Foothills, a local park and recreation provider. Residents of KCR have always been able to use Foothills facilities as they are all open to the public. However, prior to 2014, residents of KCR were assessed non-resident fees for Foothills facilities as it is a separate park and recreation district. Residents of KCR do not pay property taxes to help support the facilities owned and managed by Foothills.

For calendar year 2014, KCRMD and Foothills entered into an Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) to permit KCR residents to use the drop-in amenities of the Ridge Recreation Center at the same daily rates as Foothills residents. The year 2014 was used as a trial period to gauge the use and popularity of the facility with residents of KCR with the KCRMD subsidizing the non-resident fee differential. The IGA has proved to be quite popular with KCR residents with KCRMD subsidizing nearly \$8,000 in 2014 for non-resident fee differentials for the benefit of KCR residents. Based on the positive feedback from KCR residents during 2014, the KCRMD and Foothills Boards of Directors have agreed to renew the IGA for 2015 with no changes.

The Ridge Recreation Center offers users an indoor lap and sep-



Residents of Ken-Caryl Ranch pay the Foothills resident rate to use the indoor pool at the Ridge Recreation Center.

arate leisure activity pool, a therapy pool, a gymnasium and track, a cardio weight room, racquetball courts and a rock climbing wall. As part of the agreement, KCR residents must get a special ID card issued by Foothills that will identify the user as a resident of KCR. ID cards that were issued to KCR residents in 2014 are still valid for 2015. While ID cards issued by Foothills normally cost \$5 per card charged to the user, KCR residents who may need an ID card will receive a card at no charge during the month of December. The current agreement is exclusive to the Ridge Recreation Center only. The agreement does not include the special discounted fee toward use of the Edge Ice Arena, the Peak Community and Wellness Center or any other Foothills amenities. The special rate is only for the drop-in use of these amenities and does not apply to classes or youth programs.

MA Board Meeting

The following is a summary of items from the Nov. 18 business meeting of the Ken-Caryl Ranch Master Association Board:

- The Board received a presentation from the owners of the Manor House outlining their plans to replace the tent with a new structure. Site development plans have been submitted to Jefferson County, and preliminary construction plans will be reviewed by the Architectural Committee in December. Discussion regarding the General Warranty Deed was held, and the Board will need to continue before issuing an opinion. Residents in attendance expressed concern about the noise from events at the Manor House tent and were told that an important part of this plan was to reduce the noise substantially.
- Staff and Board members reported on the status of Bond projects and associated committee work including the Community Planning Committee, which is focusing on development of the Community Plan.
- The 2015 Board Election calendar, application, procedure and rules/guidelines were provided for information purposes.
- **Manager's report:** A written report was included in the Board package.
- **Committees:** Board member Committee liaisons reported on the activities that their committees have been engaged in for the past month.
- A motion adopting the Prairie Dog Conservation Policy as submitted by the Prairie Dog Task Force was approved.
- A motion authorizing the Board President to execute KCRMA/KCRMD Cooperative Agreement Re: Prairie Dog Relocation was approved.
- A motion authorizing the expenditure to purchase a new cover for the pool at the Bradford Recreation Center was tabled.
- A motion authorizing the Board President to sign Boundary Fence License Agreements for the Eckels and Lee properties was approved.
- A resolution adopting the 2015 assessments and the 2015 budget was approved.



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Inaugural Gobble Wobble 5K And Fun Run Was Muddy But Fun!

Submitted by Heather McGonegle,
KCRMD Recreation Coordinator

On a beautiful Saturday morning on Nov. 22, 95 runners, walkers, families and kids toed the start line of our inaugural Gobble Wobble 5K and Fun Run. What a blast it was! Kids 13 years and younger excitedly chased Tammy the Turkey through the kids' Fun Run, while 5K runners and walkers took on Ken-Caryl's Hogback Trail for a challenging, scenic and muddy experience!

Registration proceeds from residents will benefit trail construction in Ken-Caryl Ranch's open space. An estimated \$1,400 was raised for the trails! Non-residents' registration proceeds of \$165 will benefit the Food Bank of the Rockies. In addition, more than 50 pounds of non-perishable food items were donated by registrants for the Food Bank of the Rockies.

It is clear this event was an enormous suc-



Kids 13 years and younger lined up to chase Tammy the Turkey through the kids' Fun Run at the inaugural Gobble Wobble event.



Adults and even a few dogs jumped off to a great start for the Gobble Wobble 5K.

cess and many thanks are due! First and foremost, thank you to our community sponsors: Sam's Club, Sprouts Farmers Market, Atlas Coffees, Nothing Bundt Cakes, Einstein's Bagels, Elements Massage Ken-Caryl, Ken-Caryl Pet Spa, Murdoch's Ranch and Home Supply, Safeway and Chick-fil-A.

Another huge thank you is due to our hard-working and enthusiastic volunteers from the Ken-Caryl Youth Programs staff and Ken-Caryl Ranch Trails Club. Your help is greatly appreciated! Lastly, thank you to all of those who attended the event. Your attendance truly showcased the immense community

pride and support we have here at Ken-Caryl. It was a joy to see so many smiling, costumed and active community members enjoying the Gobble Wobble 5K and Fun Run. We will be continuing this event annually, so we hope to see you again for more gobblin' and wobble!



Ken-Caryl Ranch Metropolitan District Board President Bob Generoli got a high-five from Tammy the Turkey as he crossed the finish line in the Gobble Wobble 5K.



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Minding Our Business

Wigs And Beyond

Local Business Aims To Help Customers Find Wigs During Cancer Treatment

by Community Relations Director Victoria DeSair

Kathy Pride was a successful hairstylist for 40 years until March 2013 when everything changed. She was given devastating news: she had stage four metastatic bone cancer.

"Being on my feet for many years, I'm no stranger to back discomfort. But on a snowy day in March, I could no longer take the back pain and went to the doctor thinking I might get some relief," said Kathy. "The medical staff ordered a scan and after waiting for what seemed like an eternity, I was diagnosed with stage four metastatic bone cancer that originated from my breast and given only two months to live."

Kathy began chemotherapy and radiation treatment at the University of Colorado Anschutz Cancer Center and is thrilled to say that a year and a half later, she's continuing to win her battle with cancer.

"Due to my own treatment, I have a full understanding of how traumatic it is dealing with hair loss. Having hair one day and the next day it comes out in clumps can be devastating," said Kathy.

Her personal experience led her to start her own business, Wigs and Beyond, located inside Trendz Boutique in the Ken-Caryl Market Place on the northwest corner of Kipling and Chatfield. The business opened in September, and she has already helped many women to find a wig, hat or headband that boosts their confidence.

"We have the newest styles in wigs, hats and



Kathy Pride is the owner of Wigs and Beyond and is proudly wearing one of the company's wigs.



Wigs and Beyond offers the latest styles in wigs, hats and headbands.

headbands. I custom fit the wigs according to head size, and also being a hairstylist, I am able to cut the hair to better frame the face or take out any unwanted bulk." Kathy said

she also offers encouragement, inspiration and even hope to the customers as they are going through treatment. Also, for a woman who is unable or not quite ready to leave their home, she can provide in-home consultations and take wigs or headwear to them.

For more information about Wigs and Beyond, visit www.wigsandbeyond.biz or the company's Facebook page. Wigs and Beyond is located at 10143 W. Chatfield Ave., Suite 13, and can be reached at 303-995-3314.



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Ken-Caryl Parent Network

All KC Ladies Invited To Ladies' Christmas Party; Toy Drive Ends Dec. 4

Submitted by Kathryn Falconer, KCPN Ladies' Christmas Party

The annual Ladies' Christmas Party will be Thursday, Dec. 4 at 7:30 p.m. at 8 Mountain Willow, sponsored by Susan Schell of RE/MAX. There will be appetizers, desserts, drinks and prizes. This fun event is open to all ladies on Ken-Caryl Ranch, not just KCPN members. The event is \$20 per person, and you must RSVP in advance on Big Tent for KCPN members or to courtney.raecker@gmail.com for non-members.

Toy Donation Drive

KCPN Cares invites you to help make holiday wishes come true for kids and families at Warren Village by donating to their 27th annual Holiday Shop. Each year, Warren Village collects donations of new gifts for both adults and children. The families are then invited to attend the Holiday Shop to select gifts for their loved ones, free of charge.

All Ken-Caryl residents can drop off new

gifts at the Ranch House or Community Center through Dec. 4. Please view the parents' and kids' wish lists of items online at warrenvillage.org/holidayshop/ and be sure all gifts are new and unwrapped. Warren Village helps low-income, single-parent families achieve personal and economic self-sufficiency — and to sustain it.

Lutheran Chorale Holiday Concert

The Lutheran Chorale invites you to "Welcome the Joyous Season!" on Thursday, Dec. 4 at 7 p.m. at the Lakewood Cultural Center, 470 S. Allison Parkway. This year, the Lutheran Chorale welcomes the season with the joyous sounds of Vivaldi's "Gloria" and with the peace that hearing familiar carols brings. The children's choir from Messiah Lutheran in Longmont and the Jubilate Choir from Lutheran High in Parker will join the Lutheran Chorale for the concert. Tickets can be purchased in advance from the Center and are \$15 for adults, \$12 for seniors, \$10 for students and \$5 for children. Come early for the annual Silent Auction at 6:30 p.m.!

Editor's Note: The Minding Our Business section features businesses within the boundaries of Ken-Caryl Ranch. If you have a business you would like to submit for this section, contact Community Relations Director Victoria DeSair at 303-979-1876, ext. 122, or victoriad@kcranch.org.

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Ken-Caryl Ranch Metropolitan District RECREATION ACTIVITIES

For Your Information

How To Register For Classes & Events

- **Online:** Go to ken-carylranh.org and click on Registration under Programs & Activities.
- **Phone-In:** Ranch House 303-979-4070, Community Center 303-979-2233
- **Mail-In:** Download a registration form at ken-carylranh.org by clicking on Registration under Programs & Activities. Mail the form along with your payment to: KCRMD, 7676 S. Continental Divide Rd., Littleton, CO 80127.
- **Fax-In:** Ranch House 303-979-5347, Community Center 303-979-6501
- **Walk-In:** Ranch House or the Community Center during normal business hours.
- VISA, MasterCard, American Express and Discover accepted. Check and cash accepted for walk-in and mail-in.

Nursery Hours
Community Center
Monday through Friday 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Hours may vary according to reservations.

Attention Patrons
Finger scanner or ID cards are required for admittance to use the Community Center and Ranch House fitness areas or you will be required to pay the drop-in rate. No exceptions.

Recreation Office Hours
Ranch House Recreation Office (303-979-4070)
Monday - Friday • 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Closed Saturday & Sunday
Community Center (303-979-2233)
Monday - Thursday • 5:30 a.m. - 10 p.m.
Friday • 5:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Saturday • 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Sunday • 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.

Finger Scan
Utilizing our finger scan stations or presenting a 2014 KCRMD valid ID is required for anyone age 3+ or older. Those seeking resident discounts must show proof of residency (within the Metro District boundaries). To receive or renew you must present one of the following: a valid Colorado Driver's License, Warranty Deed, Colorado ID, Lease Agreement or Property Tax Statement which must have the applicant's name and valid KCRMD address. If you have questions regarding residency and/or ID cards, call the Ranch House for assistance at 303-979-4070.

Visit www.ken-carylranh.org

KC Nature Programs

FAMILY PROGRAMS

Programs are appropriate for adults and children 3+ unless otherwise noted. Minimum class size is five participants. Pre-registration is required for all programs. Call 303-979-4070 or visit www.ken-carylranh.org to sign up!

Past, Present, And Future... Without Mr. Scrooge

Children will take a step back in time to celebrate the holiday season the way the first settlers did. While parents can go shopping for presents, we will bake cookies, make an old-fashioned candle, design ornaments and visit the Bradford-Perley House. This should make for a festive holiday future! Drop off and pick up is at Dakota Lodge.
Ages: 5 - 10
Date: Saturday, Dec. 20
Time: 12 - 3 p.m.
Fee: Res: \$15, Non-Res: \$18
Course #29722

Sunday Family Fun-Day; Hike With A Naturalist

We will go on easy to moderate hikes throughout the Ken-Caryl Ranch trail system. Each hike will have a topic, but will not limit the discussion on other surroundings. Please wear proper shoes and layers, bring a day pack with water, sunscreen and a snack.

- Drop-in, no registration required.
- 15 participant maximum
- These family hikes are **FREE** for residents! Non-residents are \$5 per person.
- Children 10 and under must be accompanied by an adult.
- LTBA — Location to be announced.

Topic	Dates	Time	Meeting Area	Trail	Level
Hibernate, Migrate, or Tough it Out	Sundays Dec. 7, 14	9 a.m.-12 p.m.	Dakota Lodge	*LTBA	E/M
Who are the Owls?	Sundays Jan. 4, 11, 18 & 25	9 a.m.-12 p.m.	Dakota Lodge	*LTBA Snowshoes or snow boots may be required.	E/M
FROZEN!	Sundays Feb. 1, 8, 15 & 22	9 a.m.-12 p.m.	Dakota Lodge	*LTBA Snowshoes or snow boots may be required.	E/M



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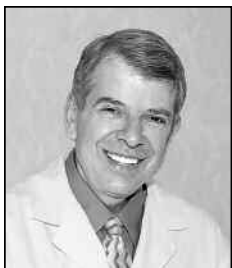
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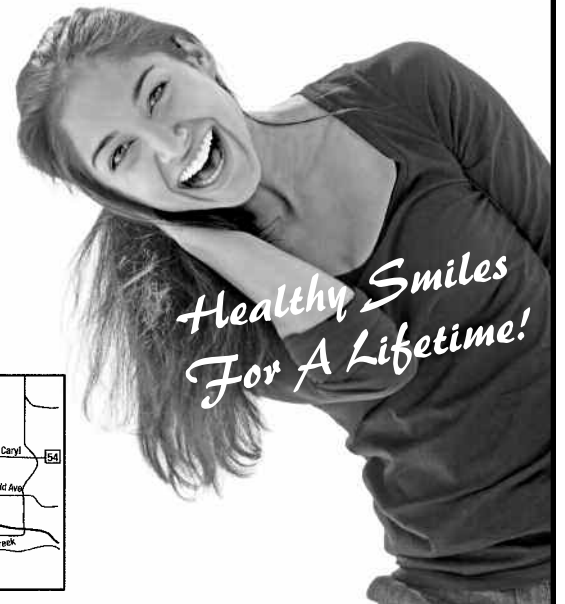
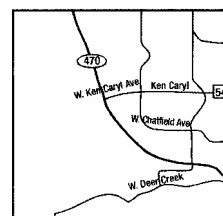
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KC Nature Programs

YOUNG EXPLORERS

Minimum class size is five participants, maximum is 20 participants. Pre-registration is required for all programs. Call 303-979-4070 or visit www.ken-caryl-ranch.org to sign up!

After School — Learn The Trails

This program is hike-based where we will learn the trails in Ken-Caryl Ranch and make stops along the way to look at wildlife, wildflowers, geology and historical sites. Bring a water bottle and snack for the trail.

Ages: 5 - 10
Time: 3:45 - 5:45 p.m.
Fee: Res: \$45, Non-Res: \$55 (unless otherwise noted)

Location: Dakota Lodge. Transportation is available from Bradford Primary. Pickup is Dakota Lodge.

SESSION 2

Dates: Mondays, Jan. 12 - 26
Course #29727 No class Jan. 19
Fee: Res: \$23, Non-Res: \$34

Dates: Tuesdays, Jan. 13 - 27
Course #29728

Fee: Res: \$34, Non-Res: \$42

SESSION 3

Dates: Mondays, Feb. 2 - 23
Course #29729 No class Feb. 16

Fee: Res: \$34, Non-Res: \$42

Dates: Tuesdays, Feb. 3 - 24
Course #29730

Fee: Res: \$45, Non-Res: \$55

THEMED PROGRAMS

Minimum class size is five participants, maximum is 15 participants. Pre-registration is required for all programs. Call 303-979-4070 or visit www.ken-caryl-ranch.org to sign up!

Whooo Are the Owls?: Jan. 5 - 30

There are several types of owls that call Colorado home. Come find out which ones they are and how to tell the difference. These birds have many special abilities that help with seeing in the dark, hearing and catching their prey, and much more! Let's explore to find a nesting pair of Great Horned Owls, one of the earliest nesting birds.

FROZEN!

Feb. 2 - Feb. 27

Elsa the Snow-Queen may have ruled in the movie, but in this class participants will discover how the animal kingdom survives when the land around us is FROZEN! Build tunnels in the snow like voles, walk on top of the snow like a bobcat and learn what is under the ice in the pond.

Babes In The Woods

Ages: 18 months - 2 1/2 years, with a parent
Location: Dakota Lodge
Fee: Res: \$25, Non-Res: \$30
Time: 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.
Tuesdays: Jan. 6 - 27 Course #29739
Fridays: Jan. 9 - 30 Course #29740
Tuesdays: Feb. 3 - 24 Course #29741
Fridays: Feb. 6 - 27 Course #29742

Tot Discovery

Ages: 2 1/2 - 3 years, must be potty trained
Location: Dakota Lodge
Fee: Res: \$48, Non-Res: \$55

Early Birds — KC Nature Before School Program For Bradford Primary And Intermediate

- Come explore the outdoors before heading off to school for the day! Please bring appropriate clothes to be outside. A light morning snack is provided.
- 7-9 a.m. Monday - Friday (You may drop off any time between 7 - 8:45 a.m. You may come to as many or as few days a week as you'd like.)
- Dakota Lodge with transportation to Bradford Primary and Intermediate
- \$10/day — Billed monthly according to what you sign up for each month.
- Please call or email Gabrielle Chisholm, Recreation Coordinator for Environmental Education, to receive registration packet and calendars. 303-979-1876, ext 106 or gabriellec@kcranch.org.

Story Time At The Ranch House

We have partnered again with Jefferson County Libraries to offer an exciting hour of family fun while sharing our love of children's literature. Join us for stories, finger plays and an introduction to letter sounds. No registration required.

Ages: All Ages
Dates: Thursdays, through May 21, 2015 (No Story Time Dec. 25 or Jan. 1)
Time: 10:15 a.m.
Location: Ranch House Dance Room
Fee: FREE!

PRESCHOOL WINTER BREAK MINI-CAMP

Dates: Dec. 22 - Jan. 6

Need a moment to prepare or take a break from the holidays? Sign your preschooler up for one or all of our fun-filled Winter Break Mini - Camp sessions. Each day will follow a typical preschool schedule filled with art exploration, songs, games, stories and themed activities. Our developmentally appropriate curriculum focuses on peer socialization, self regulation, and respect for all, in a hands-on, fun environment. A light, healthy snack will be provided in the morning and the afternoon. Children must be between the ages of 3 - 5 years old and be toilet-trained. Please be sure to pack your child a change of clothes and weather appropriate attire. Full Day children and Explorers will need a sack lunch.

Program Daily Fees and Options:

Little Learner: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. Res: \$17, Non-Res: \$21
Explorer: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Res: \$34, Non-Res: \$38
Full Day: 6:45 a.m. - 6 p.m. Res: \$43, Non-Res: \$48

REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN! Registration can be completed online on our website at www.ken-caryl.org, over the phone at 303-979-4070, or in person at either the Ranch House or Community Center.

Day, Date & Daily Class Theme	Little Learner 9 a.m.-12 p.m. #29783	Explorer 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. #29790	Full Day 6:45 a.m. - 6 p.m. #29797
Monday, Dec. 22 The Arctic Circle/North Pole (KidRhythms Music and Movement)	#29783	#29790	#29797
Tuesday, Dec. 23 Winter Weather Wonderland	#29784	#29791	#29798
Monday, Dec. 29 Arctic Animal Adventure (Yoga)	#29785	#29792	#29799
Tuesday, Dec. 30 Art in the Arctic	#29786	#29793	#29800
Wednesday, Dec. 31 People in the Arctic	#29787	#29794	#29801
Monday, Jan. 5 Food in the Arctic (Yoga)	#29788	#29795	#29802
Tuesday, Jan. 6 Inuit (Eskimo) Culture — "The Messenger Feast"	#29789	#29796	#29803

KC Kids

3 1/2 - 6 years • Mornings

Location: Dakota Lodge
Fee: Res: \$70, Non-Res: \$80
Time: 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Wednesdays: Jan. 7 - 28 Course #29749
Thursdays: Jan. 8 - 29 Course #29750
Wednesdays: Feb. 4 - 25 Course #29752
Thursdays: Feb. 5 - 26 Course #29753

KC Kids

3 1/2 - 6 years • Afternoons

Location: Dakota Lodge
Fee: Res: \$48, Non-Res: \$55
Time: 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Wednesdays: Jan. 7 - 28 Course #29751
Wednesdays: Feb. 4 - 25 Course #29754



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Special Events

Holiday Happenings

New Day!
Saturday, December 6th
Festivities begin at 3:00 p.m.

Holiday Happenings will take place at the Ranch House with the Jolly ol' Fella himself ready to hear Christmas wishes from the little ones.

This annual tradition ushers in the holiday season with the sounds of the Heritage Methodist Church Bell Choir, Hay Wagon Rides, Storyteller, Bake Sale, Free Professional Photos, and Holiday Crafts and Games.

Holiday Happenings will take place at the Ranch House.

Holiday Happenings will be brought to you by SCFD, KCRMD & KCPN.

Schedule Of Events

- 3 - 5:30 p.m. & 6 - 8 p.m.**
Visit with Santa/Free Professional Photos
Or bring your own cameras.
Upstairs Adult Lounge
If you would like to reserve a Santa time slot, tickets will be available at the Ranch House recreation desk beginning Friday, Dec. 5 from 5 - 7 p.m. and Saturday, Dec. 6 from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. or until gone.
- 3 - 8 p.m.**
Holiday Craft and Games
Aerobics Room
- 3 - 8 p.m.**
Bake Sale by Chatfield High School Marching Band
Upstairs Adult Lounge
- 3 - 8 p.m.**
FREE Cookies, Cider and Mini Cakes
Ranch House Main Lobby
- 3 - 8 p.m.**
Craft Fair
Ranch House Main Lobby
- 4 - 6 p.m.**
Heritage Methodist Church Bell Choir
Ranch House Main Lobby
- 4 - 5 p.m. & 6 - 7 p.m.**
Storyteller
Recreation Lobby
- 5 - 8 p.m.**
Hay Wagon rides
Outside in front of Ranch House

Junior Tennis Lessons

The next session will run
Jan. 5 - Feb. 21
Lottery Deadline: Dec. 14
Students will be tested
the week of Dec. 8
Schedules available online Dec. 5

Adult Lessons & Leagues

The next session will run
Jan. 5 - Feb. 21
Schedules available online Dec. 5

Match Play At Community Center

Date: Fridays
Time: 5 - 6 p.m.
Fee: Res: \$112, Non-Res: \$136
Must have played Junior Team Tennis this summer.
Limit 8
13 - 14 year olds Course #29693

Cardio Tennis At The Community Center

Cardio Tennis is a fast, fun, fitness workout that includes quick tennis rotations and running.

Please observe levels:
Res: \$10, Non-Res: \$13

Tuesdays	9 - 10 a.m.	2.5 - 3.0	Nic
Tuesdays	7 - 8 p.m.	3.5 - 4.5	Nic
Thursdays	7 - 8 a.m.	3.5 +	Chris
Fridays	8 - 9 a.m.	3.5 - 4.5	John/ Leslie
Fridays	9 - 10 a.m.	2.5 - 3.0	Mark
Fridays		** call at 6 p.m. Th	
Saturdays	8 - 9 a.m.	3.5 - 4.5	Chris

Preregistration required.
Call 303-979-2233 after 5 p.m.
(unless specified) the night prior.
Cancellations made less than two hours in advance will be charged.

Red Hat Divas

The monthly meeting schedule is as follows:
Jan. 27 — Red Hat meeting
10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
(Ranch House Adult Lounge)
If you are interested in signing up for future events or would like more information, please contact Pola at 303-779-4434.

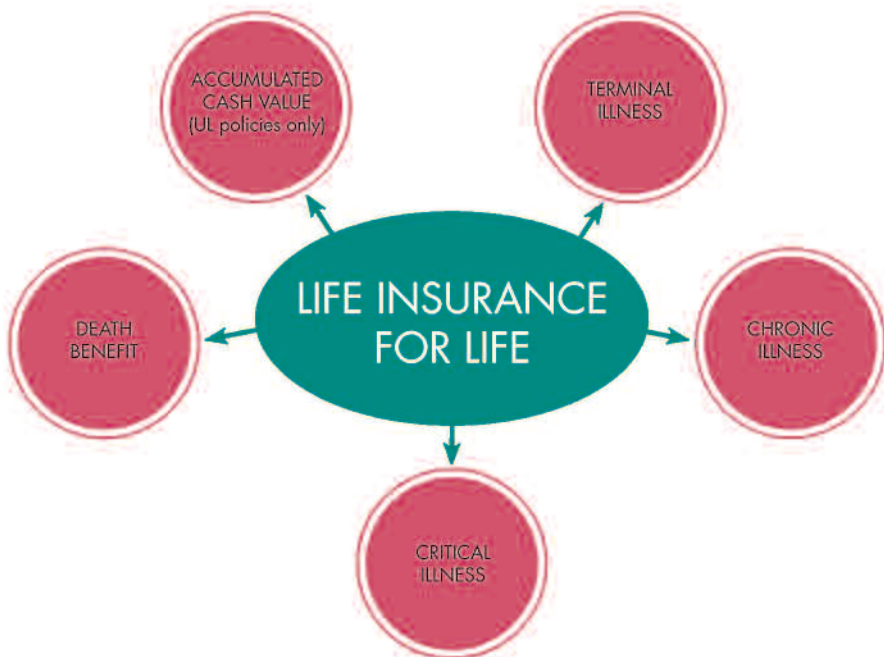
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Ages: 18 - 36 months and parent
Location: Ranch House — Dance Room

School-Age Enrichment

Friday Fun Nights

Calling all Ken-Caryl kids! Leave your parents at home and join the energetic and goofy Youth Programs staff for an evening of play and party. From 5:30 - 9 p.m., take part in science experiments, cooking projects, crafts, games, and even watch a movie. These parties are for K - 6th grade fun-lovers and dinner is provided.

Ages: K - 6th grade Course #29705

Date: Friday, Dec. 19

Time: 5:30 - 9 p.m.

Location: Ranch House

Fee: Res: \$35, Non-Res: \$40

Group Size: Min. 15/Max 45

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Ages: K - 6th grade Course #29826

Dates: Thursdays, Jan. 15 - Feb. 12

Time: 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Location: Ranch House Dance Room

Fee: Res: \$115 for 5 weeks,

Non-Res: \$120 for 5 weeks

Group Size: Min. 10/Max. 20

Cancellation Policy: All cancellations must be made by Friday, Jan. 16.

MINE, CRAFT, BUILD: Adventure Game Using LEGO

Bring Minecraft to life using LEGO! Resourcefulness, creativity, and cooperation come together in this unique building adventure game; roll the dice to mine for resources, and use these resources to build special items! Build a Zoo, Medieval Castle, and a Tree House Village! This LEGO experience is an original game designed by Play-Well instructors. Students will have a blast, even without prior experience with Minecraft or LEGO.

Ages: K - 1st grade Course #29842

Dates: Mondays, Jan. 19 - Feb. 23.

Time: 5:30 - 7 p.m.

Location: Ranch House Dance Room

Fee: Res: \$115 for 6 weeks,

Non-Res: \$120 for 6 weeks

Group Size: Min. 11/Max. 16

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MINE, CRAFT, BUILD: Adventure Game Using LEGO

Bring Minecraft to life using LEGO! Resourcefulness, creativity, and cooperation come together in this unique building adventure game; roll the dice to mine for resources, craft tools, and watch out for Creepers!! This ultimate LEGO Minecraft experience is an original game designed by Play-Well instructors, using gameplay elements and characters inspired by the popular Minecraft video game. Students will have a blast, even without prior experience with Minecraft or LEGO.

Ages: 2nd - 5th grades Course #29843

Dates: Wednesdays, Jan. 21 - Feb. 25

Time: 5:30 - 7 p.m.

Location: Ranch House Dance Room

Fee: Res: \$115 for 6 weeks,

Non-Res: \$120 for 6 weeks

Group Size: Min. 11/Max. 16

Cancellation Policy: All cancellations must be made by Friday, Jan. 16.

Fees: Res: \$25, Non-Res: \$30

Time: 9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Tuesdays: Jan. 6 - 27

Course #29771

Drama Club — Children will spend their time at the Drama Club learning about parts of a story, dressing up, and diving into dramatic play with their friends.

Ages: 3 - 5 years

Location: Ranch House — Youth Room

1 Day Fee: Res: \$50, Non-Res: \$58

2 Day Fee: Res: \$90, Non-Res: \$104

Time: 9:30 - 11 a.m.

Dates: Jan. 7 - 30

Wednesdays: Course #29773

Fridays: Course #29774

Wednesday & Fridays: Course #29775

StART With Art — Develop finer control of motor skills in this creative session as we experiment with different art materials and processes.

Ages: 3 - 5 years

Location: Ranch House — Youth Room

Fees: Res: \$50, Non-Res: \$58

Time: 10 - 11:30 a.m.

Mondays: Jan. 5 - 26 Course #29772

Little Chefs — Parents and children will work together to explore early math and science concepts as they cook and enjoy festive holiday treats.

Ages: 3 - 5 years and parent

Location: Community Center — Youth Room

Fees: Res: \$15, Non-Res: \$20

Time: 10 a.m. - 12 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 17 Course #29776

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If you maintain your current weight during the five weeks you will earn a \$10 credit that can be used at the fitness center (toward membership, tennis, or future fitness challenge) AND a chance to win a one-hour massage or one-hour personal training session.

Sign up now!

Any questions, feel free to contact Janet Robbins at 303-949-3352.

Dates: Dec. 1 - Jan. 3

Fee: Res. \$25, Non-Res. \$30 per person

Does not include a facility pass or drop-in fees.

Kick-off meeting Dec. 1 at 7 p.m.

Location: Community Center

Course #29845

Free Insanity Demo Class

Saturday, Dec. 6

Time: 10:30 - 11 a.m.

Course #29837

Deadline to register: Dec. 5, 6 p.m.

January Insanity Class

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays, Jan. 6 - 29

Time: 6 - 6:30 a.m.

Fee: \$64

Course #29838

Healthways SilverSneakers Fitness

We are now accepting Silversneakers. For more information please call the Community Center at 303-979-2233. Ken-Caryl has partnered with SilverSneakers to offer benefits to qualified members of AARP, Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield, Humana, Kaiser Permanente of Colorado and United Health Care. Healthways SilverSneakers Fitness program is also an **insurance benefit included in more than 65 Medicare health plans**. Through SilverSneakers, health plans and group retirement plans provide a gym membership to their insured at no additional cost.

SilverSneakers membership allows access to **more than 12,000 participating locations nationwide**, and includes all the basic amenities, group exercise classes and in some cases, classes geared specifically toward the active older adult.

It only takes a few seconds to see if you qualify for a free gym membership to the Community Center. Stop by and we can put your name, address and birth date into the database to see if you qualify or you can contact your insurance provider. Please be sure to use the exact name as it appears on your insurance card or contact your insurance provider.

Junior Weight Room Certification

The certification course is being held on the second Monday of every month from 4-5 p.m. at the Community Center. Youth between 12-18 years of age must be certified by our personal trainers in order to use the exercise/weight equipment at the center. Call the Community Center at 303-979-2233 to register for this course; no walk-ins will be accepted.

Fees: Res: \$20, Non-Res: \$23

Date: Dec. 8

Jan. 12

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Course #29767

Course #29768

Course #29769

New 2015 Fitness Classes

Pi-yo With A Foam Roller Level 1

In this 6 week program we will be using foam rollers along with movements, exercises and stretches from Pilates and yoga to help you improve your posture, stay injury free, improve flexibility, joint movement and core strength. Space is limited so sign up soon!

Dates: Tuesdays, Jan. 13 - Feb. 17

Time: 6 p.m.

Location: Ken-Caryl Community Center

Fee: Res: \$90, Non-Res: \$100

Course #29858

Class limit is 10 participants, sign up now at the front desk or at www.ken-caryl.org to reserve your space.

**Please also bring a check on the first day of class made out to L2S for \$25 to purchase your foam roller to use at home to practice the stretches, exercises and therapies you learn in class. If you already have a full-sized foam roller (36in-6in) bring it to class.*

Pi-yo Conditioning With A Foam Roller Level 2

This class is meant for those who have taken the level 1 class OR have past experience with a foam roller and Pilates and/or yoga. In this class we will learn more advanced Pilates based exercises, stretches and rolls.

This course will be geared toward active individuals and athletes who seek a higher level of conditioning to enhance performance, prevent injury and improve balance for all types of activities and sports (skiing, running, tennis, biking, golf).

Dates: Tuesdays, Jan. 13 - Feb. 17

Time: 7 p.m.

Location: Ken-Caryl Community Center

Fee: Res: \$90, Non-Res: \$100

Course # 29859

Class limit is 10 participants, so sign up now at the front desk or at www.ken-caryl.org to reserve your space.

**Please also bring a check on the first day of class made out to L2S for \$25 to purchase your foam roller to use at home to practice the stretches, exercises and therapies you learn in class. If you already have a full-sized foam roller (36in-6in) bring it to class.*

Resolution Bootcamp Classes

Start Strong In 2015!

Join other participants in a fun but tough crossfit style class where you will burn more calories, gain strength, endurance and tone up! Be prepared for cardio intervals, muscle conditioning, lots of ab work, games and more.

Dates: Thursdays, Jan. 15 - Mar. 5

Time: 5:30 - 6:15 p.m.

Location: Community Center

Fee: Res: \$80, Non-Res: \$90

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Course #29876

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New 2015 Fitness Classes

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ed support and camaraderie. There will also be great prizes for not only the overall weight loss and fitness challenge winners but for all who set a goal and achieve it!

The 8 week challenge runs Jan. 12 - Mar. 2

The competition includes:

- 8-week gym membership to the Community Center!
- Free nutrition classes starting in January!
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How do I sign up???

1. Register and pay at the Community Center or Ranch House front desk or call 303-979-2233 for your resolution fitness pass.
2. Show up on Jan. 12 at 7 p.m. for the first weigh in, meeting and nutrition class!
3. Grab a fitness class schedule to plan which classes you will attend!

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Eating Right For Successful Weight Management Level 1

Learn how to reach your health and fitness goals this year through sound nutrition and exercise. In this hands-on clinic you will learn:

- How to lose 1-2lbs a week and keep it off

- How to increase your metabolism so you burn more calories and have energy that lasts all day
- How many carbs, proteins and fats you need a day and what a portion/serving size really looks like.
- Basic exercise guidelines: tips on getting fitter faster
- How to stay on track, motivated and what to do if you fall off the wagon
- How to overcome barriers like time, cravings, fear of failure and eating when bored or stressed

*Includes: healthy snack ideas, informational handouts, and healthy recipes.

Date: Thursday, Jan. 15

Time: 7 p.m.

Course #29862

Cost: \$15 (Free to Weight Loss Challenge participants)

Eating Right For Successful Weight Management Level 2

Receive more in-depth guidance and personalized information that will ensure successful behavior change that will last a lifetime.

In this clinic you will learn:

- How to set up your own exercise program
- How many calories you need a day for your body and your goals
- How to set up your own meal plan
- Strategies for dealing with set-backs and personal barriers to success

You will also receive:

- Resting metabolic rate calculation (how many calories you need a day)
- Personalized meal plan
- Exercise log
- Food log

Date: Thursday, Jan. 22

Time: 7 p.m.

Course #29863

Cost: \$20 (Free to Weight Loss Challenge participants)

Specialty Classes

At Home Alone

Does your child spend a few hours home alone before or after school due to your work schedule or other commitments? This popular entertaining workshop is designed to prepare children to look after themselves during these times. Students learn how to stay safe through interactive lessons, role play and hands-on training. Every Kidproof course is non-threatening and empowering. This famous program has helped thousands of children become more confident and to make safe choices while at home alone. Bring a sack lunch and drink.

Ages: 10 - 13

Date: Saturday, Dec. 13

Time: 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Location: Ranch House AV Room

Fees: Res: \$40, Non-Res: \$50

Course #28017

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KC Nature News

Hibernate, Migrate Or Tough It Out

by Environmental Education Specialist Gabrielle Chisholm



Wow, what a beautiful mild fall we had! But all of a sudden it seems like the temperature dropped and winter rolled in. Have you noticed that there aren't as many birds singing in your window or that the broad leaf trees are bare? Now that it is colder, many of na-



ture's living things either hibernate, migrate or tough it out! Food, water, shelter and space are the factors that determine an animal's strategy against winter.

Many plants and trees go dormant, which means there is a large decline in food sources for many consumers. Animals like bears go to "sleep" while winter passes through because food like berries, leaves and insects are not as abundant. The word "sleep" is used

sometimes to describe hibernation, but hibernation is different from regular sleep. During regular sleep in warmer seasons, an animal moves a little, has an active brain, and can wake up very fast. With true hibernation, there is no movement, and it takes a long time for the animal to wake up and move around. Breathing and the heart rate are greatly reduced during hibernation. A hibernacula is the term used for the shelter that animals use during hibernation.

Some animals flee from their summer homes to find a warmer place with more food and usually a better place to breed. Migration can be a great risk for some, especially those who travel hundreds of miles to get to where they want to be. This journey takes up a lot of energy, but hopefully the destination will make it all worthwhile! Some well-known animals that migrate include Mon-

arch butterflies, salmon and many different birds.

If hibernating and migrating just won't do, some animals tough out the winter. Many that do this have special adaptations or characteristics that help with surviving in the cold snowy weather and their food source is still around. Small rodents like voles, mice and gophers will tough out winter because they are able to eat seeds and dry plant material. They also tunnel under the snow, which keeps them insulated and less exposed to the wind. Animals like bobcats and foxes are able to stay around because they are predators to these rodents.

Join KC Nature for Sunday Family Hikes to go looking for animals that are dealing with winter. Meet time is 9 a.m. at Dakota Lodge. The next three dates are Dec. 7, Dec. 14 and Jan. 4.

Art Notes

Art Guild New Member In The Spotlight: Barb Arne

Submitted by Michele Sires-DeLorean



Artist and Ken-Caryl Ranch resident Barb Arne joined the Ken-Caryl Art Guild in 2013 to connect with and learn from other artists through related knowledge and

experience. In a recent interview, Barb shared her thoughts on what has shaped her artistic development and her aspirations for a future body of work.

What art do you make, and how do you work? I enjoy creating black and white and color photos as well as using multiple exposures in photography. I also work in ceramics; and lately, have been focusing on fusing glass and creating mosaics. Mainly I work in my studio and with other artists when working on glass and mosaics and shooting photos with the Southwest Denver Photo Team Meetup group.

What's your background? I took my first ceramics class during the summer before high school and continued working with clay in high school, as well as sculpture and photography. I was awarded a four-year scholarship for art at the University of Northern Iowa. I graduated with a BFA in Photography, Sculpture and Ceramics.

What subject/themes do you pursue? I tend to bounce back and forth between photography, ceramics, fused glass and mosaics; and sometimes I am able to combine elements from all three into a new idea. Currently I am exploring the "sea," as I have always loved the ocean, and the Caribbean turquoise waters have sparked an interest I love to explore.

Describe a real-life situation(s) that inspired you/your art. The time I spend in the sea scuba diving inspires me. The sea is such a magical and free place to discover with only the sound of bubbles. My mind is so free in that environment as I observe sea life and investigate the corals. Nothing compares to being 80 feet below the sea, and I try to convey this love in my art.

Before moving back to Colorado in 2012, I spent five years as a volunteer at the Providence Center for the Healing Arts at the Asarian Cancer Center in Novi, Michigan. I started in the ceramics studio and worked on many projects that I helped them complete. I also started a photo group and learned

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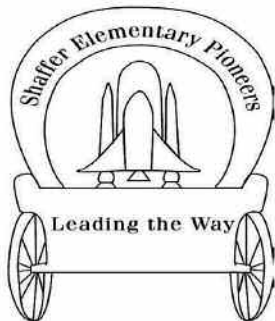
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Shaffer Elementary Kindergarten

Kindergarten Information Night

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Kindergarten Classroom Observation

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Deer Creek Middle School Open House

Deer Creek Middle School will be hosting an Open House for interested families on Thursday, Dec. 11 at 6 p.m. and Tuesday, Jan. 13 at 6 p.m. Staff and students will be on hand to provide information and answer questions about the programming choices at Deer Creek, including a rigorous core curriculum path and a challenging STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) program. For more information, please visit www.deercreekountaineers.org.

Falcon Bluffs Middle School Info Night

Falcon Bluffs Middle School will host an information night on Thursday, Jan. 8 from 6-7:30 p.m. for current 5th, 6th and 7th graders and for parents considering choice enrollment. There will be information about the school's comprehensive 6th-8th grade program. The night will include an overview of the school's academic and elective courses as well as information about activities and student life at Falcon Bluffs. Students are encouraged to attend with their parents.

Our Rising Generation

Local Scouts Want To Thank Ken-Caryl Residents



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Emily Kotulak Graduates From CSU

Emily L. Kotulak, daughter of Margo and Frank Kotulak of the North Ranch, graduated Magna Cum Laude from Colorado State University with a degree in Landscape Architecture on May 17. Emily was a 2010 graduate of Chatfield High School. She was awarded the Gerald Paul Monger Honor Senior Award for having the highest academic achievement in the study of Landscape Architecture. Emily has taken a position with Land Design in Irving, Texas as a Landscape Designer.

KC Kids Tie The Knot

Former Ken-Caryl Ranch residents Kevin Best and Jordan Ludwick were married July 19 in Cabo San Lucas. Kevin is the son of Steve and Mary Best of the Deer Creek neighborhood. The bride is the daughter of Kirk and Cheryl Ludwick, who are former Heirloom residents. Kevin and Jordan were raised on the Ken-Caryl Ranch and attended Bradford Elementary and Chatfield Senior High. Both are graduates of Colorado State University.

Kevin is employed in the marketing department of Fishpond and Jordan is a registered nurse at Aurora South Medical Center. The couple resides in Littleton.



Jordan and Kevin Best

Open House Album Release Party For KC Resident Collin Kinder

Submitted by Anita Kinder, North Ranch
Ken-Caryl Ranch singer-songwriter Collin Kinder, son of Anita Kinder of the North Ranch and Bruce Kinder of Aurora, has released his debut album featuring eight songs written and performed by Collin. Collin's stage name is Cullin Kin. The album is available on the Tate Music Group website at <https://www.tatepublishing.com> and on iTunes.

The Kinders extend an invitation to all residents for an Open House Release Party on Saturday, Dec. 6 from 4-7 p.m. at 42 North Ranch Road in Littleton. Signed copies of the CD will be available, and appetizers and refreshments will be served. Please join us in celebrating this exciting event and bring your family and friends. Please RSVP to raspatri@live.com or 303-904-3362.

Library Bookmobile Offers 3D Paper Gift Workshop

Join the Jefferson County Public Library Bookmobile in making some winter 3D paper gifts and decorations. The Bookmobile will host a paper craft workshop in the McDonald's Play Place on Saturday, Dec. 13 from 2-3:30 p.m. at 7509 S. Alkire St. Children ages 5 to 12 and their families are welcome to make one or all of three paper crafts: an origami gift box, gift bows and 3D snowflakes. Decorative paper and recycled graphic novel paper will be provided to create unique projects for decorating or gifting. Origami books will be available for checkout. Register online at jeffcolibrary.org/events or on the Bookmobile at its regular Saturday stop from noon-4 p.m. in the parking lot of the Ken Caryl Ave. and Shaffer Parkway Safeway. All participants will receive a treat from McDonald's.

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School News

Cinderella Chatfield Chargers Belong At State

Submitted by Ernie Jones, Quail Ridge

The Chatfield volleyball team entered the state tournament as the No. 12 seed. Two years previous, Chatfield was also seeded No. 12 on a trip to state, however this was a different year, different team and a different outcome. The Lady Chargers proved that it doesn't matter what the rankings and the seeds for the tournament are because the girls on the court decide the outcome. And what an outcome it was.

The Chargers lost their pool play opener to No. 1 seed Eaglecrest on Friday morning. Many thought, "Well that is that, and it was great to make it to state." However, later in the day No. 8 Cherry Creek beat Eaglecrest in five sets. That set up a date with Cherry Creek Saturday morning that started a day the Chatfield volleyball program will never forget.

Chatfield started out rough in the match with Cherry Creek, losing the first two sets 25-22 in both sets. The Chargers were down 24-19 in the third set but overcame that deficit to take the set and ultimately the match in five sets.



Congratulations to the Chatfield Chargers Volleyball Team for placing second at the State Championships.

Photo by Andrew Metzler

The tiebreaker for the pool had Chatfield to play Cherry Creek again and the winner playing Eaglecrest to determine the pool winner. Another close match but again Chatfield outlasted Cherry Creek 25-22.

No rest for Chatfield, a rematch with Eaglecrest was next. In a one-set match there is little room for error and Chatfield proved that they not only belonged at state but were turning many heads as the "Cinderella" team that would not be stopped. Chatfield defeat-

ed Eaglecrest 25-21.

Chatfield moved on to the semifinals against No. 4 seed Rampart Range immediately after the tiebreaker with Eaglecrest. Chatfield took the first set 25-22 but lost the second set 25-19. Chatfield took sets three and four, 25-21 and 26-24. What a day. Chatfield had never been to the State Championships but now they were going to the big dance.

A very tough and thrilling path to the finals, but there they were being introduced as the Colorado Division 5A finalists in volleyball. The opponent was the defending champion, No. 2 seed, Grandview High School.

Chatfield Senior Rose Cullom of Stallion

Pointe said, "I wanted to win for the team and especially the seniors and Taylor." Taylor English was injured during the regional game and could not participate in the state tournament.

Senior Paxton Beresford of Carriage Hill said, "We have a strong team and could spread the ball around, and we could trust whoever had the ball in their hands."

The Chargers proved they were no push-over and took a 10-5 and a 10-6 lead in sets one and two, which prompted timeouts from Grandview's head coach. In the end, however Grandview took the match in three sets and repeated as the state 5A champions.

"I couldn't be more proud of my team. They never gave up," Chatfield coach Stephanie Schick said. "The belief my girls have shown this day has been amazing and a memory forever."

Senior Syd Forst of Bradford Place said, "We came into the tournament with confidence, which made our chances better, and we played for each other like a family. I will never forget this season."

Senior Taylor English of Deer Creek said, "My best memory of state was coming back against Cherry Creek being down 24-19 in the third set. It was unfortunate due to my injury but watching my teammates play was simply amazing."

There is no doubt that the Chatfield Chargers volleyball team took full advantage of making it to state and ultimately the championship. Cinderella is alive and well.

Art Notes

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mosaic by contributing to two mosaic installations in the hospital. It was this experience, as well as my children moving away to college that reignited my art.

What's the best piece of advice you've been given? To always look for resources, whether material or advice. There are always many avenues to explore, so keep exploring.

What wouldn't you do without? The Internet. Since graduating from college in 1983, I've moved nine times and raised three children. The Internet has allowed me to keep in touch with artist friends and keep current in the art world, etc. I feel it is such a learn-

ing tool that shows instant access to so many techniques. Also, the computer has enabled me to work on photography without the use of chemicals.

Professionally, what's your goal? Just as the seashore is always changing and evolving, I hope to keep learning and growing as an artist. I now have time to devote to my art; hopefully to build a body of work so I can create another solo showing of my work (most recent was in 2011).

I am so fortunate to be back in Colorado. My family loves Ken-Caryl Valley. The Ken-Caryl Art Guild, the Denver SWPT Meetup Group, and the Colorado Mosaic Artists have allowed me to meet artists and expand my knowledge. They have inspired me and brought friendships as well.

Bradford Composers Perform At Reception

Submitted by Elea Plotkin, North Ranch

Piano and voice students of Ken-Caryl music teacher Elea Plotkin were invited to perform their original compositions at the Bradford PTA Reflections Reception on Nov. 2 at the Bradford Intermediate School. The annual PTA Reflections competition is nationwide. Bradford selects submissions from students in art, music and writing, which can then go on to compete at the district, state and national level.

Family and friends enjoyed listening to Alaina Wharton, Bradford third grader and daughter of Kim and Robert Wharton, play and sing her song, "I See the Light." Alaina's piece was advanced to the district level in the 2014 Reflections Contest for Original Music and will now compete in Jefferson County.

Lauren Daigler, Bradford sixth grader and daughter of Christine and Mike Daigler, performed her original song titled, "Peace" on the keyboard. Her composition was advanced to the district level and will also compete in Jefferson County.

Elizabeth Smits, age 7, a Bradford second grader and daughter of Jan and Kate Smits, performed her original piano composition titled, "The World Would Be a Better Place If We All Loved One Another." She also advanced to the district level and will compete in Jefferson County.

Daniel Bailey, a fourth grader at Bradford Intermediate and son of James and Traci Bailey, performed an original clarinet piece that he composed titled "Down By the Mountain." His clarinet teacher is Darryl Bostwick. Daniel's composition was also forwarded to the district level. Congratulations to these talented composers!



Bradford students Daniel Bailey, Alaina Wharton, Elizabeth Smits, Lauren Daigler won awards at the annual PTA Reflections contest.

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