

KRCC FM

COLORADO SPRINGS, CO.

ISSUES / PROGRAMS LIST

2nd QUARTER April 1<sup>st</sup> – June 30<sup>th</sup> 2021

***PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS:***

KRCC broadcasts a “PSA of the Day” for local non-profits and educational institutions every single day of the year. Each daily PSA is scheduled for broadcast 6 times throughout the broadcast day. The following is a comprehensive list of Public Service Announcements for this quarter...

A Second date has been added for this year’s Run To The Shrine. The 4-mile run/walk to benefit Cheyenne Mountain Zoo happens May 15 & 16. Registration includes Zoo admission for the evening and a commemorative T-shirt. More info on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The third annual Corazón de Trinidad Poetry Festival April 15-17 features a diversity of writers, readings, and writing workshops at ten virtual venues and one live open mic event. More info on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The El Paso County Assessor will host a series of virtual community town halls during the month of April to help the public better understand how property values are assessed locally. Dates, times and other information can be found at [elpasoco.com](http://elpasoco.com)

Colorado Springs residents can now apply for direct assistance for rent and utilities. The City is partnering with the Colorado Division of Housing to administer the funds. Applications on the DOH website at [cdola.colorado.gov/housing](http://cdola.colorado.gov/housing)

The American Association of University Women will host a virtual Authors Day via Zoom featuring two Colorado authors on April 17<sup>th</sup>. Proceeds from this event will benefit the AAUW scholarship fund. . More info on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

Colorado Springs Teen Court will host 'Saturday at the Stadium' on May 1<sup>st</sup>. The day includes local vendors, and resources from local nonprofits to support youth and their families. . More info on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

During National coin week, April 18-24, The American Numismatic Association is providing complimentary online educational programs as well as hobby-related games and quizzes for children at [nationalcoinweek.org](http://nationalcoinweek.org).

The Horticultural Art Society will stage its Spring Plant Sale event on 4 consecutive weekends April 30- May 22 (Friday-Saturdays) from 9am to 4pm in Monument Valley Park. There's more information about this on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The 2021 Polar Plunge benefiting Special Olympics CO is back. Plunge and/or run in person at the UCHHealth Park in Colorado Springs or sign up

for the Virtual Plunge from the comfort of your home. There's more information about this on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The City of Colorado Springs invites the public to share photos to celebrate the city's history during its 150<sup>th</sup> year birthday. "Then & Now" photos comparing an "old and new" view of the same scene can be shared side-by-side on social media. More info at [coloradosprings.gov/cos150](http://coloradosprings.gov/cos150)

Unused prescription opioid pain medicines can pose a risk for your family. Information about the safe disposal of unused medications is online at [fda.gov/drugdisposal](http://fda.gov/drugdisposal)

The 24/7 statewide hotline to call in concerns about of child abuse and neglect is 1-844-CO-4-Kids. For anyone seeking more information about how to support families visit [co4kids.org](http://co4kids.org) for additional resources.

The Space Foundation offers many educational programs online including podcasts and video series. There's even a virtual Cool Science event coming up on May 15. Visit [SpaceFoundation.org](http://SpaceFoundation.org) for further information.

A Virtual Lecture April 10th examines the history and future of the urban forest in Colorado Springs, and also explores the science of "Tree Ring Research" being conducted at UCCS. More info on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

Carbon Cut Colorado is a program of the Energy Resource Center that helps balance the carbon impact of your utility use and travel by providing

energy-efficiency upgrades to income-qualified families. Learn more at [carboncutco.com](http://carboncutco.com)

A Black Forest tradition where Guild members sell fine art, decorative arts and crafts and culinary delights in a boutique setting happens Thursday, April 29<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Black Forest Community Center. Find out more on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org).

The 3rd annual Angels of America's Fallen 5k run/walk happens Memorial Day in Col. Spgs. This year's event will be Virtual and In-person. Proceeds support the children of fallen service members and first responders through developmental activities such as sports, music, and other arts. More info at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

If you ever wondered about the Cheyenne Mountain military base and how it was constructed under a mountain, you may want to check out a virtual program from the Manitou Springs Heritage Center on May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Find out more on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org).

The Manitou Springs Heritage Center will Re-Open its Museum to the public on May 7th. Patrons are invited to learn about the "Seven Wonders of Manitou". The museum still conducts virtual programs as well. Find out more on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org).

The Community Partnership for Child Development will hold its 2<sup>nd</sup> annual mini-golf tournament on June 15<sup>th</sup>. All proceeds support comprehensive early childhood services to families in El Paso County. More information is on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The Bear Creek Nature Center will offer a course that will cover a variety of first aid, breathing and cardiac emergencies. It includes an online portion and an instructor-led session. Registration information is on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

Motorcycle Safety Awareness Month is in May. Last year, there were 137 motorcyclists killed on Colorado roadways, more than any year on record, and a 33 percent increase from 2019. The Colorado Department of Transportation is reminding riders to use plenty of caution.

Spring Clean-Up Discount Days at Waste Connections Southside Landfill runs May 3-15. This event is open to Pueblo city residents with a valid ID showing a city address or matching name on a current utility bill. Visit [thesouthsidelandfill.com](http://thesouthsidelandfill.com) for details.

Rainbow Falls Historic site is looking for volunteers to help clean up the weeds on May 21<sup>st</sup>. You can register online or by phone. All the details are on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The Colorado Springs area chapter of the Experimental Aircraft Association will stage a pancake breakfast at Meadowlake Airport on May 22<sup>nd</sup>. Funds support buying of wreaths for veterans in Fairview Cemetery. . All the details are on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The El Paso County Board of Commissioners is seeking citizen volunteers to serve on the Community Services Block Grant Advisory Board. Applications for the open positions are due by May 14 and can be found at [elpasoco.com](http://elpasoco.com)

Pikes Peak Library District will offer its Regional History Symposium marking the 150-year anniversary of Colorado Springs. This year's program

has been divided into four separate virtual events with the first occurring on May 22. Find more info on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

On June 5<sup>th</sup>, the National Museum of World War II Aviation in Colorado Springs will commemorate the 79th anniversary of the Battle of Midway, the epic air and sea battle that changed the course of the war in the Pacific. More info on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org).

The University of Denver Amache (a-mah-chee) project overviews six seasons of landscape archaeology at the site in southeastern Colorado where Japanese Americans were incarcerated during WW2. This online lunch and learn session happens May 26. More info on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The Colorado Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association has many resources for you including educational and informational sessions as well as support for caregivers. The 24 / 7 hotline for caregivers is 800-272-3900 or visit online at [alz.org](http://alz.org).

**Many veterans** cannot afford the dental care they need. For many of these vets volunteer dental professionals are their only hope. General dentists and specialists are both encouraged to register as a volunteer at [WillYouSeeOneVet.org](http://WillYouSeeOneVet.org)

**The Space Foundation** is seeking nominations for the 2022 induction into the Space Technology Hall of fame. For more information and to nominate a technology, visit [spacefoundation.org](http://spacefoundation.org). Nominations must be completed online by Aug. 31, 2021.

The Colorado Springs Children's Chorale is now enrolling for the 21-22 season. Youth in grades 3-11 are eligible. There's more information on this

and other public service announcements on the community calendar link at krcc. (June 24)

The Colorado Springs Children's Chorale is commemorating the changing seasons with evening and matinee performances this June, 4, 5, and 6th, on the estate of Glen Eyrie. Evening concerts will include a reception and history of Glen Eyrie. More info on the community calendar at krcc.org

"Desperadoes, Outlaws and Shysters of Western Fremont County" will be presented by the Western Freemont Historical Society in the Coaldale Community room on June 12. . More info on the community calendar at krcc.org

The Colorado Veterans Project invites civilians and military personnel to participate in the Memorial Day Run. All participants are encouraged to bring non-perishable food donations, which will go to Care & Share Food Bank in Southern Colorado. More info on the community calendar at krcc.org (May 29)

The Fort Carson Directorate of Family and Morale, Welfare and Recreation is hosting a hiring event on June 2. For more info contact the Fort Carson Public Affairs Office. Applicants are also encouraged to set up a profile at [usajobs.gov](https://usajobs.gov) and apply in advance.

The Victor Gem & Mineral show is coming up June 18<sup>th</sup>. There will be gold and gem panning at the Victor Lowell Thomas Museum and a presentation

on the geology of the gold mining district. More information is on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The Victor Lowell Thomas Museum invites you to step back in time and learn about Victor's 1890's cemetery, and the history that brought the residents there to the gold mining camp. This event will be held on select Saturdays, June through September. Check the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org) for further details.

The Guardians of Palmer Park invite you to help clean up & maintain the park on designated monthly workdays this summer. Folks need to REGISTER IN ADVANCE. There's more information on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org).

The Pikes Peak Pastel Society has been invited to hold their annual members art show at the Commonwheel Artists Co-op in Manitou Springs, Colorado on June 4. The show's theme is "Spring into Summer". There's more information on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org).

Art on the Hoof is a fundraising art show and auction that showcases local artists and helps support the Cheyenne Mountain Zoo. This event also includes a live band, live and a silent auction. Check the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org) for further details.

The City of Colorado Springs is seeking applications to fill an opening on the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services Advisory Board by June 8th. A couple alternate positions are also available. Applicants must be residents of the City of Colorado Springs. More information and applications at [coloradosprings.gov/boards](http://coloradosprings.gov/boards).

The El Paso County Fair is inviting local youth to participate in the Amazing Kids Contest on July 14th in Calhan, Colorado. Entry form and additional information can be found at [elpasocountyfair.com](http://elpasocountyfair.com). Deadline for applications is June 29 by 4:00 p.m.

Family Law Day happens July 16<sup>th</sup>. Attendees can join online to attend free classes on popular family law topics and get advice from family law lawyers over the phone regarding their legal matters. There's more information on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org).

The Manitou Springs Heritage Center hosts a virtual presentation by Pikes Peak International Hill Climb winner Chris Lennon on June 12<sup>th</sup> titled "The Peak of Racing". There's more information on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org).

The Justice Center is hosting a free event focused on tenant rights on Saturday, August 21st. in Acacia Park. More information on this and many other public service announcements can be found on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

As a way to celebrate Colorado Springs' 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary, the community is invited to [Pedal Our Past](#) to learn about the Springs' history. The City encourages this historic exploration by providing five pre-designated bike loops. More info at [ColoradoSprings.gov/PedalOurPast](http://ColoradoSprings.gov/PedalOurPast). (6/30)

'Poetry and Pottery' is back in Soda Springs Park in Manitou on Tuesdays from 12-2 through July 13. Poetry Heals mentors will facilitate poetry writing workshops, including individual and community poems. More information is on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The Colorado College Summer Music Festival runs through June 25<sup>th</sup>. There are in person and virtual ways to participate. More information on the series is on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The Board of El Paso County Commissioners is seeking volunteers to serve on the Board of Adjustment. The Board decides on issues of physical variances related to the county zoning code. Applications are due by June 21, and can be found at [elpasoco.com](http://elpasoco.com)

The second **Virtual Public Meeting** for Fishers Peak State Park's Master Planning process is June 24<sup>th</sup>. This interactive session will provide updates, stakeholder feedback and future engagement plans. More information is at [fisherspeakstatepark.com](http://fisherspeakstatepark.com)

El Paso County Parks free concert series runs through Sept. 2 at Homestead Ranch Regional Park. The concert series will feature a variety of music genres. Bring the family, a picnic, lawn chairs or blanket. Exact dates and times are online at [elpasoco.com](http://elpasoco.com).

IF STUTTERING AFFECTS YOU, YOUR CHILD, OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW, YOU CAN CALL THE STUTTERING FOUNDATION FOR HELP. THE NUMBER IS 800-992-9392 OR YOU CAN visit [stutteringhelp.org](http://stutteringhelp.org)

Fort Carson and the 4th Infantry Division will host Freedom Fest July 2 at Iron Horse Park. The event is open to Department of Defense ID cardholders and their guests with a valid visitor pass. Expect live entertainment and a fireworks display. ***For more information contact the Fort Carson Public Affairs Office***

PanCAN's PurpleStride Day in Colorado is on Sunday, June 27. Learn more about programs and services for pancreatic cancer patients and their

families. More information on this and other public service announcements is on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

The Annual Americans with Disabilities Act Celebration will be July 24 at the Rawlings Library in Pueblo. Sessions will cover growing up, accessibility in transportation, outdoor recreation, and aging and disabilities, and be livestreamed. Register at [www.PuebloLibrary.org](http://www.PuebloLibrary.org).

Library 21C will host the opening reception for the Colorado Springs Then & Now Photo Exhibit on July 8 at 6pm. A short documentary about making the Then and Now project will also be debuted. More information on the community calendar link at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org)

July 31, 1871, is when the story of the City of Colorado Springs began. Check out the Pioneers Museum for its newest exhibit, COS@150 and various other events to mark the city's 150<sup>th</sup> birthday. More information is on the community calendar at [krcc.org](http://krcc.org).

The El Paso County Board of Commissioners is seeking community-minded citizen volunteers to serve on the El Paso County Highway Advisory Commission. Applications for the open position from District 5 are due by July 6, and can be found at [elpasoco.com](http://elpasoco.com)

18 cast iron planters are up for adoption in Manitou. The intent is beautifying the Manitou Ave. streetscape with food sources for critical local pollinators like butterflies, moths, and bees. Registration info at [manitouspringscd.org/pollinationstation](http://manitouspringscd.org/pollinationstation)

