



Chamber of Commerce

Messenger

July, 2013

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PO Box 477, Bailey, CO 80421

www.bailey-colorado.org

Next General Membership Meeting:

Tues, July 9th
@ 7:30 AM at the
Platte Canyon Fire House
(at the top of Crow Hill)

Agenda

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Greeting and Intros
- Business of the Month: **House Call Hearing**
- Highlighted Business: **Bailey Country Store**
- Chamber Committee Reports
 - Bailey Day Recap
 - Bailey Car Show
 - Summer Chamber Mixer 8/11/13, 4-7
 - Bailey Trails Update
- Speaker / Presentation:
Joe Burgett, PCFD
Update on fire bans and restrictions
- Adjourn

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT:

Fellow Chamber Members,
The biggest event of the year, Bailey Day 2013, will be deemed a huge success. We got many encouraging compliments for adding the Olde West theme to the celebration. Old time photo booth, main street jail, saloon, and shows from re-enactors were great additions to this year's event. I would personally like to thank all of the board members, volunteers, law enforcement, fire department, sponsors and all other supporting individuals and organizations for their efforts to help make this year's Bailey Day one of the best ever. You all were part of this amazing TEAM!
Next up the Chamber is hosting the 2. Annual Car Show, organized by team leader Ann McQueen. Please help her making this show another successful one by signing up as a volunteer or sponsor. Last year's show was spectacular and some attendees actually called it the best organized car show around.
In general, there seems to be more activity and excitement around town to boost the local economy, increased chamber memberships and new stores are opening, including the long awaited reopening of the Bailey Country Store. Parks, trails, campgrounds and parking lots are getting fuller and it appears our efforts towards keeping crowds closer to Denver is slowly paying off. Keep up the good work and show your guests all we have to offer in the Canyon.
Make it a lucrative month.

Marcel Flukiger

Thanks to everyone who attended the 2013 Bailey Day! Your presence was greatly appreciated, and it wouldn't have been a success without YOU!! HUGE thanks to all of the volunteers, sponsors, donors, vendors, Main Street businesses, & bands!

Thank you, thank you, THANK YOU!!

July Business of the Month

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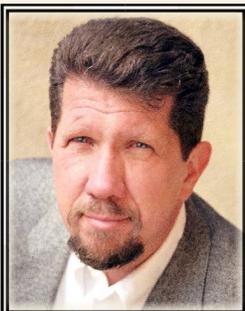
Bailey Country Store

In downtown Bailey

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PCACC Bailey Car Show

July 20th in downtown Bailey
Move in for Cars in the show is 9am
Car Show: 10am-2pm



Register cars with Ann McQueen, 303-838-1401.
\$15 per space. Space is limited to 65 cars so register soon!

****If you would like to sponsor, volunteer, donate items for goodie bags, or door prizes, also contact Ann McQueen at 303-838-1401.**

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JULY, 2013 CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

July 9: *Platte Canyon Area Chamber of Commerce Meeting*, 7:30AM at the Platte Canyon Fire House at the top of Crow Hill. Everyone is welcome to attend.

July 14: *Tanglewood Trail Restoration*. Get outdoors and give back. Join Volunteers for Outdoor Colorado as we work to restore the popular Tanglewood Trail in the Mt. Evans Wilderness. Because of its increasing popularity, VOC has committed to yearly maintenance of this trail. Volunteers will restore a section of degraded trail and work to curtail future erosion. Register for one or all four project dates. Learn more and register at www.voc.org/projects or call 303-715-1010.

July 20: *Mike O'Brien Memorial: Oxbow Trail Construction*. Get outdoors and give back by helping Volunteers for Outdoor Colorado construct another section of the ambitious Peaks to Plains trail. Once completed, this trail will connect trail systems from Golden to Loveland Pass. Volunteers will be clearing the trail corridor, improving trail tread, and building other structures, such as rock steps down to the river. Learn more and register at www.voc.org/projects or call 303-715-1010.

July 20: *PCACC Car Show in downtown Bailey*. Move-In is at 9am, Car Show from 10am-2pm. Pre-register vehicles with Ann McQueen. \$15, space limited to 65 spaces. If you would like to sponsor, volunteer, donate items for goodie bags, or door prizes, also contact Ann McQueen at 303-838-1401

July 25: *Platte Canyon Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors Meeting*, 7:30AM at the Platte Canyon Fire House at the Top of Crow Hill (**NOTE: Board of Directors meetings have been changed to 4th Thurs. of each month.**)

July 27: *Tanglewood Trail Restoration*. Get outdoors and give back. Join Volunteers for Outdoor Colorado as we work to restore the popular Tanglewood Trail in the Mt. Evans Wilderness. Because of its increasing popularity, VOC has committed to yearly maintenance of this trail. Volunteers will restore a section of degraded trail and work to curtail future erosion. Register for one or all four project dates. Learn more and register at www.voc.org/projects or call 303-715-1010.

July 27-28: *Burro Days*. Fairplay, CO. Contact the Burro Committee at (719) 836-1921.

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Bailey Day 2013 HUGE SUCCESS!



The Jail - have your friends arrested!



The Colorado Trailblazers Reenactment Troupe put on comedy skits and shows during Bailey Day.



Vendors



Olde Tyme Photo Booth



Vendors from another angle



Smokey and a local Bailey resident

Thank you to everyone who attended Bailey Day and also to volunteers, sponsors, bands, and Main Street businesses!

We have all of you to Thank!

THE 285 CORRIDOR COUPON BOOK

A Community WIN/WIN for: 285 Back Pack Project: Our Community...Feeding Our Kids & 285 Corridor Businesses and Organizations

For the Business and Organizational Community, this Coupon Book builds on the *Shop Local & Win Big* customer card sponsored by The Platte Canyon Chamber of Commerce in 2012. It is designed to draw people to our local businesses and organizations.

For the 285 Back Pack Project, the funds raised from the participating businesses and organizations and the sale of the coupon books will provide food on the weekends for children in our community who are food insecure.

- Fact: in the USA, one in five children are not getting enough to eat
- Fact: 20-35% of our area children receive free/reduced-fee lunch at school, which means their families are at or below the federal poverty line and frequently experience “food-insecurity”
- News: The Conifer Chamber of Commerce and the Platte Canyon Chamber of Commerce support this win/win solution that will encourage local shopping in the mountain communities along the 285 corridor
- News: a number of not-for-profit organizations already support the Back Pack Project, either through donations of dollars or food or by volunteering to fill grocery bags every week for kids to take home for the weekend or by transporting food.
- News: the plan is to expand the Back Pack Project beyond Deer Creek Elementary School, Bailey, to the Fitzsimmons Middle School and to Elk Creek and West Jefferson Elementary Schools, Conifer, for the 2013-14 school year.

Please see the TEMPLATE PAGE to determine what type of marketing tool your organization or business would like to purchase.
Go to the 285backpackproject.org web-site for further information



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PLATTE CANYON SCHOOL DISTRICT

Staff and students in Platte Canyon strive to achieve the District's mission of "Educational Excellence in Safe Schools." Together with parents, we focus our efforts on preparing students for higher education, successful entry into the world of work, responsible citizenship and life-long learning. When you visit our schools you will experience positive learning environments where students are actively engaged in meeting the high expectations set for student achievement. You will also see a wide-range of effective instructional strategies implemented to address diverse learning needs and talents. Technology, from multiple computer labs, to mobile laptops, to newer "tablet" tools are in use in multiple settings throughout the school day.

The District encompasses communities from Pine Junction to the top of Kenosha Pass. We are nestled in the foothills approximately 45 minutes southwest of Denver on the U.S. 285 corridor. Approximately 85% of the District's 345 square miles is National Forest land. We are bounded by the Lost Creek and Mt. Evans Wilderness areas. Platte Canyon is a wonderful rural setting for families and students.

Students in Platte Canyon continue to achieve at levels above state averages in reading, writing, math, and science. In addition to core academics, the community and District value art, music, drama, forensics, physical education, sports and extra-curricular activities. Our schools offer comprehensive programs and services including learning plans for gifted students and a full range of services for students with special needs.

Our schools include Deer Creek Elementary with approximately 450 students, Fitzsimmons Middle School with 250 students, and Platte Canyon High School with 300 students. We also offer an exceptional Early Childhood Education (Pre-school) Program located at Deer Creek Elementary.

The District is governed by a five member elected Board of Education. Board meetings are held on the second Monday of each month (except July) at 6:00 P.M. at the District Complex, 57393 U.S. Highway 285. Meetings are open to the public.

You May visit our website at www.plattecanyonschools.org for more information about the District. An eight minute informational video can be accessed on our home page. If you have questions, please contact our District Office at (303) 838-7666 extension 1000.