# August 2021 Newsletter

### August Birthdays

A. Bevilacqua: 08/24
C. Cranmer: 08/05
D. Dechand: 08/10
S. Haugeto: 08/21
A. Hittle: 08/08
L. Kime: 08/11
J. McCament: 08/07
A. McKinney: 08/02
Y. Pantoja: 08/25
P. Potter: 08/26
K. Thomas: 08/13
J. Williams: 08/13

Happy Birthday!

## Jess's Corgi Corner

#### Parent Feedback

- Parents have been asking about when being parent providers will end. We haven't heard anything yet and no news is good news!
- Parents are happy with the providers that they have
- Kiddos have been enjoying the treat baggies that we have been handing out (the Dollar Tree is amazing)
- Well done everyone!

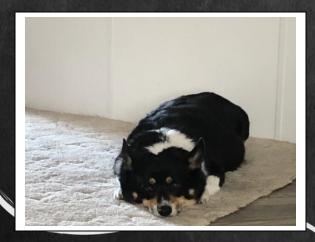
### August Anniversaries

K. Blocher: 8/16/19	K. Chapman: 8/15/19
L. Hites: 8/3/18	N. Laib: 8/22/19
C. Manges: 8/1/17	J. McCament: 8/22/19
J. Pendarvis: 8/29/19	P. Potter: 8/12/19
A. Welch: 8/22/19	K. Westcott: 8/28/19

Thank you all for everything that you do!



Remember to check out our new Facebook Page @PPRS Newsflash! This page helps to connect providers and parents/guardians so that providers are able to pick up extra shifts and parents/guardians are able to get the help they need





## August 2021 Provider of the Month



"Ashleigh is a great assest to our family. She hasn't been with us long but we are excited to make her part of the team here. What a wonderful help she is."

-Parent/Guardían

"She always enters her shifts correctly and her visit notes are very thorough."

-PPRS Admin

"From the very beginning she has been caring and thoughtful and very in tune with my client. She is understanding of her needs and is willing to go above and beyond to meet those needs. She comes prepared and on time every day that she works with my client. She is very professional but also very fun and silly with the client and the client loves her."
-Parent/Guardian

"Ashleigh is great at communicating with us and has been an amazing asset to the families and kiddos that she works with."
-PPRS Admin





# Events in El Paso County

'Morning, Noon, and Night in Garden of the Gods' Art Exhibition	Where: Garden of the Gods Visitor and Nature Center – 1805 N 30 <sup>th</sup> St, COS When: 8:00am-7:00p 8/1, 8/2, 8/3, 8/4, 8/5 Cost: Free (30% of each sale is donated to the preservation and maintenance of Garden of the Gods)
'U OK?' The exhibition, which presents a wide range of mediums, captures the emotional residue that seeped out from our past year together through works that are emotive, absurd, humorous, heartbreaking, and hopeful.	Where: GOGA 121 – 121 S Tejon St, COS When: 12:00pm-6:00pm 8/1, 8/6 Cost: Free
Sunday Bingo The DAV Auxiliary will be manning the kitchen with a variety of good food and munchies! Disabled American Veterans (DAV) Knob Hill Chapter 26 is one of 1300 chapters approved by the National DAV organization.  The National DAV program is a leading nonprofit that provides to veterans of all generations a lifetime of support—at no cost to them—so they can reach their personal victories.	Where: DAV 26 Knob Hill – 6880 Palmer Park Blvd When: 5:30pm-9:00pm 8/1, 8/8, 8/15, 8/22, 8/29 Cost: Each Bingo packet is \$7. Extra game options and supplies are extra.
Epic Night-O Comedy Laugh till ya cry as Oxymorons Comedy, Stick Horses in Pants, and Cowboy Comedian Chad Hutto entertain you with a night of award winning, clean, and family friendly improv and standup comedy! There'll be \$500 in raffle prizes with proceeds benefitting the Vine of Hope Orphanage in Uganda!	Where: 3E's Comedy Club – 1 S. Nevada Ave, COS When: 7:30pm-9:30pm Sunday, August 1 <sup>st</sup> Cost: General Admission: \$10 Seniors, Military, Public Servants, Teachers: \$8 Students and Kids under 13: \$5
Una Familia Grande: The Conejos Neighborhood Project Enjoy a new exhibit at the Colorado Springs Pioneers Museum, Una Familia Grande: The Conejos Neighborhood Project that displays artifacts, photographs, and stories that puts this once vibrant neighborhood back on the map. Through this community-based history project, neighbors will tell their own stories and visitors will gain insight into the Conejos Neighborhood's unique community identity, history, and culture.	Where: Colorado Springs Pioneers Museum – 215 S. Tejon St, COS When: 10:00am-5:00pm 8/3, 8/10, 8/17, 8/24, 8/31 Cost: Free
Colorado Summer Art Market Whether you're looking for gifts, cards, or Colorado-made souvenirs you'll find it here! Artists in this juried show include Juanita Canzoneri. Kristin Colvin, Nicole Copel, Jean Cuchiaro, Shelley Davidson, Silvia Deen, Deb Hager, Jennifer Hanson, Sara Keller, Judith Kimbrell, Nancy Lindenmier, Tom Mizek, K8e Orr, Patti Paiz-Jones, Maggie Quinn, Chris Reiss, Teri Rowan, Amanda Shotts, Claire Steele, Claire Steele, Susan Tjaden, and Leti Wesolowski	Where: Commonwheel Artists Co-op – 102 Canon Ave, Manitou Springs When: 10:00am-6:00pm 8/6, 8/7, 8/8, 8/9, 8/10, 8/11, 8/12, 8/13, 8/14, 8/15 Cost: Free
Food Truck Tuesdays The Colorado Springs Pioneers Museum's Food Truck Tuesdays are back! Enjoy a tasty lunch from local food trucks at the CSPM, every Tuesday on the museum's west lawn. Be sure to stop by between 11 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.	Where: Colorado Springs Pioneers Museum – 215 S. Tejon St, COS When: 11:00am-1:30pm 8/3, 8/10, 8/17, 8/24, 8/31 Cost: Free Admission
Visions of Color & Light, Appreciation & Gratitude The TLCA is excited to host a fine art exhibition featuring four fabulous artists: Don Weaver (photography); Carol Weaver (yarnscapes); John Goddard (photography); and Sandy Goddard (painting). They will be exhibiting in the Lucy Owens Gallery at the TLCA from July 16 to August 13.	Where: Tri-Lakes Center for the Arts 304 US-105 When: 12:00pm-4:00pm 8/3, 8/4, 8/5, 8/6, 8/7 Cost: Free

# Events in Denver and Surrounding Counties

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Denver Boutique Week!

Yarn Shoppe Denver to host the 3rd Annual Mile High Denver Boutique Week! July 30 - August 6, 2021. It's Time to Shop till you drop in Denver, Colorado! A Curated Event by Vintage Handbags Denver, and Yarn Shoppe Denver, 1615 California St., #403, (4th Fl), Denver, CO 80202. This free community event is not to be missed! Join us as we celebrate the best local Black owned businesses in the Mile High City!

**Where:** 16<sup>th</sup> Street Mall – 1615 California St #403, 4<sup>th</sup> Fl, Denver 80202 **When:** 10:30am-3:30pm 8/1, 8/2, 8/3, 8/4, 8/5, 8/6, 8/7

#### People + Produce Farmers Market

Featuring:

- 50+ Vendors Weekly
- Food Trucks + Fashion Trucks
- Mimosa Garden + Live Music
- & MORE!

Our weekly summer Farmers Markets strive to be a place where the community can shop for locally and sustainably grown produce, farmed and fished foods, grocery items, baked goods, craft items, and more!

Where: Belleview Station – 4910 S Newport St, Denver

**When**: 9:00am-1:00pm 8/1, 8/8, 8/15, 8/22, 8/29

Cost: Free

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#### **Turning Toward the Light**

For INSPIRE Arts Week 2021, the Lakewood Cultural Center is thrilled to be hosting "Turning Toward the Light," an exhibition by established artists Patricia Finley, Lydia Riegle, Janet Rundquist and Cyncie Winter.

Brought together by the common theme of celebrating the idea that art has tremendous power to uplift, enliven and fill our lives with light, these four abstract artists return to the North Gallery, offering their newest series of colorful paintings. Through their individual and unique voices, these artists add to the conversation of finding "good" and lessening the harshness of a beleaguered world. In this way, they infuse others with inspiration and a sense of belonging to the world.

Where: Lakewood Cultural Center – 480 S Allison Parkway, Civic Center South, Lakewood 80226 When: 10:00am-3:00pm July 4<sup>th</sup>-August 27<sup>th</sup> Cost: Free

#### Upper DownTUNES

Experience Upper DownTUNES, a free live music series located in Upper Downtown Denver. Join us in The Outer Space @ 16th & Welton Monday-Friday from 11AM-1PM and Thursday-Saturday from 4-7PM; and on both Glenarm Plazas Thursday-Saturday from 4-7 PM.

Amp up your lunch routine, after work drinks, morning meetings, and more with this free music series all summer long.

Thank you to the City and County of Denver and Bonfils Stanton Foundation for being "instrumental" in bringing Upper DownTUNES to life.

Where: The Outer Space @ 16<sup>th</sup> and Welton – 601 16<sup>th</sup> St, Denver 80202 When: May 24<sup>th</sup>-August

Mon-Fri: 11:00am-1:00pm Thurs-Sat: 4:00pm-7:00pm

Cost: Free

#### 12th Annual Sunnyside Jazz in the Park

A fun, family-friendly evening in Sunnyside. Bring chairs, blankets, and your favorite beverage. Food trucks on site. See our website for details.

4:30pm - Free Yoga by Better Buzz (registration required)

6:00pm - Mile Hi Brass Band

6:45pm - Denver Municipal Band

Where: Chaffee Park – 44<sup>th</sup> Ave and Tejon St, Denver 80211

**When**: 4:30pm-9:00pm August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2021

Cost: Free

9+CO Outdoor Summer Yoga Series

Every Thursday through the end of August, TruFusion and Milo Apartments at 9+CO are hosting a free Summer Yoga Series on the Milo Apartments rooftop

Where:
4109 E
80220

Yoga starts promptly at 6:00 pm.

Where: Milo Apartments – 4109 E 10<sup>th</sup> Ave, Denver

**When:** 6:00pm-7:00pm 8/5, 8/12, 8/19, 8/26

Cost: Free

#### Movies on McGregor

See your all-time favorite movies at our outdoor plaza all summer long on our giant LED screen.

Open for all - No admission fees. Concessions available.

Thursday, August 5 - Mighty Ducks

Wednesday, August 11 - The Goonies

Thursday, August, 19 - Remember the Titans

Thursday, August 27 - Big

Wednesday, September 1 - Raya and the Last Dragon

Where: McGregor Square – 1901 Wazee St, Denver 80202

**When:** Starts at 7:00pm 8/5, 8/11, 8/19, 8/ 26

Cost: Free

## Events in Paeblo County

#### Teen Hang Out

Come by the Teen Zone to hang out with other teens -- we'll be messing with kits, playing games, or doing art.

Where: Rawlings Public Library – 100 E Abriendo Ave, Pueblo 81004

When: Tuesdays from 4:00pm-

5:30pm Cost: Free

#### Colorado State Fair

Bring the family for 11 days and nights of Colorado's biggest summer party! Enjoy concerts, PRCA rodeo, Ranch Rodeo, Colorado's biggest carnival, livestock shows, competitions, attractions, The World Slopper Eating Championship, Fiesta Day and delicious fair food.

Times and prices provided are for the fair, prices and hours for the carnival are a little different ©

Where: 1001 Beulah Ave, Pueblo 81004

When: August 27<sup>th</sup> – September 6<sup>th</sup> Mon-Thurs: 12:00pm-11:00pm Friday-Sunday 10:00am-11:00pm Labor Day: 10:00am-11:00pm Cost: Adult Gate Admission (ages

13 & older) – \$12 Kids (ages 5-12) – \$6

Children 4 & under are FREE (when

accompanied by an adult)

#### Books in the Park

Books in the Park is a summertime favorite. The program traditionally includes books, arts, and crafts. Free lunches for children ages 18 and under are provided by Pueblo City Schools.

Pueblo Parks and Recreation is proud to partner up with the Pueblo City-County Library, YMCA of Pueblo, and other community partners for this great program. Where: Bessemer Park (720 West Northern Avenue 81004) & Fairmount Park (1929 W 29<sup>th</sup> St, 81008)

**When:** 11:00am-1:00pm Bessemer – 8/3 Fairmont – 8/5

Cost: Free

#### African Painted Dog Day

It's the day of the dog! Today is dedicated to raising awareness about our "AFRICAN PAINTED DOGS" and their status in the wild. Join us for special conservation carts, hands-on activities, demos, talks, and more! With a mission "to promote appreciation and understanding of the natural world" it is ultimately our hope that our inspiring animals, up close experiences, and education programs will increase awareness about global conservation issues and ultimately inspire YOU to become involved, along the Pueblo Zoo, in making a difference for animals in the world.

Where: Pueblo Zoo – 3455 Nuckolls Ave, Pueblo 81005 When: 10:00am-2:00pm Saturday, August 21st Cost: \$3-\$12

#### AVAS 4th Saturday Bird Walks

Join the Arkansas Valley Audubon Society at the River Campus each month on the 4th Saturday for an enjoyable outing to view and identify a variety of birds. Meets at the Riverfront Deck.

- Registration not required.
- Suitable for families and birders of all levels.
- Masks and social distancing required.
- B.Y.O.B., Bring Your Own Binoculars!
- This program is free of charge. Donations always appreciated!
- \$5 Parking pass fee required for River Campus/Raptor Center facilities and programs

**Where**: River Campus Deck – 5200 Nature Center Rd, Pueblo 81003

When: 9:00am - 08/28

Cost: Suggested Donation - \$5-\$10