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Mark your calendar now for the
13th annual Festival on Main.

**This premier event celebrating
the end of summer takes place
from 6 to 9 pm on Friday,**

August 23, on Main Street between 3rd and Longs Peak avenues.

The downtown district is closed to vehicles during the event, giving your family the opportunity to stroll up and down Main Street and enjoy great food, live music, numerous activities for children, street performers, downtown shopping, and much more!

Three stages will keep the music going from 6 to 9 pm. On the Main Street Stage see Cleason-Dunn-Wright at 6 pm and Mojomama at 7:30. The Beer Garden Stage will feature Sammy Dee Morton at 6 pm and The Steve Manshel Band at 7:30. Three acts will grace the 300 Block Stage: Tamborazo Alegria at 6 pm, Los Luceros de Zacatecas at 7, and Los Amos de la Sierra at 8.

Admission to Festival on Main is free, and several vendors will have food and beverages for sale.

For more information visit www.festivalonmain.com or call the Longmont Downtown Development Authority at 303-651-8484.



Come see what the Senior Center has to offer

Bring a friend, neighbor, or family member to the Longmont Senior Center Open House.

The Senior Citizens Advisory Board will be showcasing the many programs, activities, and services available to residents age 55 and older. Meet the Senior Center staff, members of the Advisory Board, and leaders of and participants in many of the center's activities.

In the meantime, check out all that Senior Services has to offer at www.ci.longmont.co.us/sen_ctr.

SENIOR CENTER OPEN HOUSE

Saturday, August 24

1 to 3 pm

Longmont Senior

Center

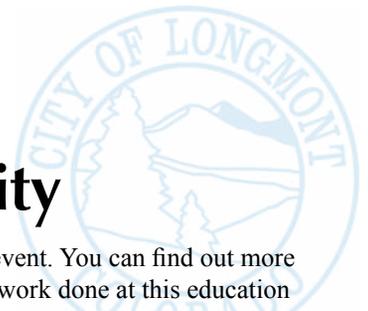
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Fireball Run Event Brings Longmont National Publicity



An exciting event kicks off in Longmont next month!

The Fireball Run, originating in Longmont, will be streamed live to a worldwide audience and filmed as part of an online TV series.

The live opening for the series will take place on Saturday, September 21, at Roosevelt Park, 700 Longs Peak Avenue, in conjunction with Longmont's Oktoberfest celebration. The weekend full of exciting events culminates with a parade of all of the teams and the green flag start on Sunday, September 22.

Fireball Run promoters describe the event as an emotional, eight-day, 2,500-mile, life-size trivia game with America serving as the game board. Forty driving teams, including one from Longmont, will participate in the event. At each of the eight destinations on their way to the finale in Riverside, Calif., the teams will solve clues and complete tasks centered on the host city.

Every team also is assigned a missing child from their home region, and they will distribute posters and bring awareness to each child's case along the route. To date, Fireball Run has aided in the recovery of 32 missing children.

The Fireball Run also lends support to local charities. As mayor, it is my honor to select the Tiny Tim Center as Longmont's designated

charity for the event. You can find out more about the great work done at this education center by visiting www.TinyTimCenter.org.

In addition to the national publicity Longmont will receive during the race, the impact on the local economy should be tremendous. A variety of racers, support teams, production crews, event organizers and spectators will fill hotel rooms, eat at restaurants and shop in Longmont during that week and provide a boost for local businesses and the local tax base. Tourism also will get a big boost through all the positive international promotion.

I invite the Longmont community to take part in this exciting event and to follow the race through social media and the Fireball website at www.FireballRun.com. And check out the video welcoming the event to Longmont. Visit www.youtube.com/user/cityoflongmont and look under the "Recent uploads."

For more up-to-date information regarding the Fireball Run in Longmont go to www.visitlongmont.org.



Dennis L. Coombs

Council Member Levison reelected to statewide board

In June Council Member Sarah Levison was reelected by municipal officials from around the state to a two-year term on the Colorado Municipal League (CML) Executive Board.



The CML Executive Board comprises 19 elected officials and key municipal staff members who are elected by the membership at an annual business meeting. The board is responsible for overall finances, management and policy affairs of the League.

CML is a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization that represents the interests of 266 cities and towns in Colorado. For more information about the Colorado Municipal League, visit www.cml.org.

Watch your city in action!



Now you can keep up with what's happening in Longmont by video.

Visit www.ci.longmont.co.us/videos to see the playlist of short video presentations about everything from upcoming events to business assistance programs to local amenities and much more.

You also can watch recordings of city council meetings and planning and zoning commission meetings, as well as educational messages to help you keep you and your family safe.

The playlist is updated regularly, so check back often.

Special recycling events in September

Shredding Event – 9 am to 2 pm, September 13

Shredded material is recyclable but not accepted in your curbside single-stream recycling cart. The City holds monthly document shredding events at the Waste Diversion Center at 140 Martin Street where you can conveniently recycle sensitive documents and help protect your identity. This event is for residential documents only.

Hard-to-Recycle Event – 9 am to 1 pm, September 14

This Hard-To-Recycle collection event will be held at the Waste Diversion Center at 140 Martin Street. Here you can recycle materials that are not allowed in your curbside recycling cart, including electronics, computers, televisions, cell phones, white foam block (Styrofoam) and many more. There is a charge for some items. Visit Ecocycle's web site at www.ecocycle.org/charm for a detailed list of items accepted and any fees that apply.

Annual Household Hazardous Chemical Drop-off Day – 9 am to 1 pm, September 14

A special Household Chemical Drop-off Day will be held at the Public Works Maintenance Facility, 375 Airport Road. Longmont residents can bring cleaners, solvents, pesticides, aerosol cans, paint and other household chemical wastes.

Items not accepted at this special collection include commercially generated wastes of any kind, biological wastes, medical wastes, medicines, radioactive materials, compressed gas cylinders (propane, butane), explosives, fireworks, ammunition and fire extinguishers.

Or, you can take household materials to the Boulder County Hazardous Materials Facility – at no cost and year round – at 1901c 63rd Street, Boulder (enter at Boulder County Recycling Center; follow signs to HMM

facility). Businesses can take their wastes to the Boulder County facility for a fee. Call 720-564-2251 for specific hours of operation.

- To use any of these free services, bring your current City of Longmont utility bill and identification as these programs are available only to City of Longmont refuse collection customers.
- For more information on these and other special events call the Public Works & Natural Resources Call Center at 303-651-8416 or visit www.ci.longmont.co.us/solidwaste/events.

Longmont department director named to national leadership post

Brad Power, Director of the City of Longmont's Economic Development Department, has been elected to serve as a trustee of the Urban Land Institute.

The Urban Land Institute (ULI) is a nonprofit education and research organization that provides leadership in the responsible use of land and in creating and sustaining thriving communities across the globe. The Institute has nearly 30,000 members worldwide representing all aspects of land use and development disciplines.

Power is one of two trustees (of a total of 140) who are employed in municipal government. His voluntary four-year term as a ULI Trustee began on July 1. Power also serves on ULI's national Public/Private Partnership Council and was chairman of that group from 2008 to 2011.

For more information about the institute visit www.uli.org.



City Observes Labor Day

Longmont city government observes the Labor Day holiday on Monday, September 2.

The following facilities will be CLOSED: Civic Center, Service Center, Development Services Center, Library, Senior Center, Youth Center, Museum, Waste Diversion Center, St. Vrain Memorial Building and Centennial Pool.

The Longmont Recreation Center will be open from 10 am to 4 pm, Sunset Pool will be open from 10 am to 5 pm, and the Union Reservoir swim beach will be open from 10 am to 6 pm.

There will be no trash or recycling collection on that Monday; it will be collected one day later than usual throughout the week.

Coffee with Council

At Coffee with Council you can talk with two council members on any topic of your choice.

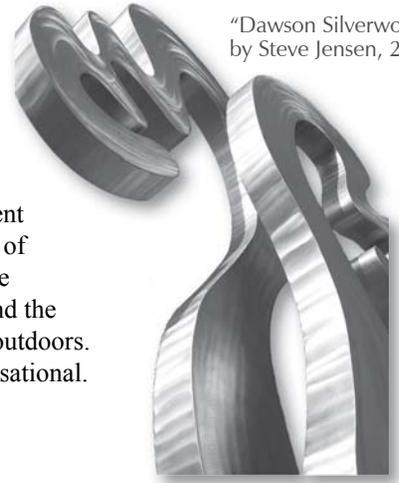
In August, Coffee with Council will be held at Mr. Bean, 1844 Hover Street. Council members Bonnie Finley and Katie Witt are scheduled to attend.

For information about city council meetings call 303-651-8649.

StART walking and biking

To see Longmont's public art collection

"Dawson Silverwood"
by Steve Jensen, 2003



StART walking and biking with free tours of Longmont's public art.

The Longmont public art collection comprises 60 permanent and six temporary installations. Each walking and biking tour of public artwork is different and focuses on a specific area of the city. You'll learn about the inspirations behind the artworks and the selection process for each piece while enjoying the beautiful outdoors.

All the tours are free, and the pace is moderate and conversational.

For dates, locations and details, and to learn more about Longmont's Art in Public Places program, visit www.ci.longmont.co.us/museum/aipp or call 720-299-9862.

Small Wonders Preschool registration now open

Small Wonders Preschool is now accepting registrations for the 2013-2014 school year.

Small Wonders' curriculum promotes learning and development in the social, emotional,



physical, creative, language and cognitive areas. At Small Wonders Preschool, children explore art, science, music, phonics, math concepts, art, rotating themed play centers and so much more! Students learn through play and through structured activities, individually and in groups.

Small Wonders is state licensed and operated by Longmont Recreation Services at the St. Vrain Memorial Building, 700 Longs Peak Avenue. Morning and afternoon classes are offered for preschoolers ages 3 to 5.

Classes begin August 26, but registrations are accepted year-round, and students can fill open spots at any time during the school year.

Call 303-651-8404 or visit www.ci.longmont.co.us/rec to find out why parents are calling Small Wonders "one of Longmont's best kept secrets."



Don't miss your last chance to enjoy summer!

End-of-summer hours at City pools

- **Roosevelt and Kanemoto activity pools** will close for the season on Sunday, August 11.
- **Sunset Pool** will remain open through Labor Day with the final day of swimming from 10 am to 5 pm on Monday, September 2.
- The **Union Reservoir Swim Beach** will end daily hours on Sunday, August 11, and will be open only on weekends, Saturday and Sunday, from 10 am to 7 pm, through Labor Day. Special Labor Day hours at Union Reservoir are 10 am to 6 pm. Union Reservoir will continue offering Open Water Swim through September 22: Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 5:30 to 7 pm, and Saturdays from 8:45 to 10:15 am. Open Water Swim is \$8 per person and includes the gate fee.

The end of August marks the beginning of a series of week-long annual facility closures for year-round recreation facilities.

- The **Longmont Recreation Center**, 310 Quail Road, will be closed from Sunday, August 25, through Sunday, September 1. It will reopen from 10 am to 4 pm on Labor Day, Monday, September 2.
- **Centennial Pool** will be closed for the Labor Day weekend, August 31-September 2.

For more information on end-of-summer hours, call 303-651-8404 or 303-774-4800, or visit www.ci.longmont.co.us/rec.