

# Our Community Calendar

By Judy Barnes, Community Calendar Editor  
 Although we strive for accuracy in these listings, dates or times are often changed after publication. Please double-check the time and place of any event you wish to attend by calling the info number for that event.

## GOVERNMENTAL BODIES

- **Forest Lakes & Pinon Pines Metropolitan Districts Board Meeting**, Mon., Jan. 7, 10 a.m., 6385 Corporate Dr., Suite 200, Colo. Springs. Usually meets 1st Mon. each month. See [www.forestlakesmetrodistrict.com](http://www.forestlakesmetrodistrict.com) to confirm meeting location/dates. Info: 327-5810.
- **Monument Board of Trustees Meeting**, Mon., Jan. 7, 6:30 p.m., Town Hall Conference Room, 645 Beacon Lite Rd., Monument. Meets 1st and 3rd Mon. each month in the Town Hall board room. Info: 884-8017, [www.townofmonument.org](http://www.townofmonument.org).
- **El Paso Board of County Commissioners Meeting**, Tue., Jan. 8, 9 a.m. Centennial Hall, 200 South Cascade Ave., Suite 150, Colo. Springs. Meets every Tue. and Thu. Info: 520 6430, <https://clerkandrecorder.elpasoco.com/clerk-to-the-board/board-of-county-commissioners-meeting-agendas/>
- **Tri-Lakes Wastewater Facility Joint Use Committee Meeting**, Tue., Jan. 8, 10 a.m., 16510 Mitchell Ave. Meets 2nd Tue. each month. Info: Bill Burks, 481-4053.
- **Palmer Lake Sanitation District Board Meeting**, Wed., Jan. 9, 9 a.m., 120 Middle Glenway. Meets 2nd Wed. each month. Info: 481-2732. [www.plsd.org](http://www.plsd.org).
- **Monument Planning Commission Meeting**, **CANCELED**: Would normally have been held Wed., Jan. 9, 6:30 p.m., Town Hall Board Room, 645 Beacon Lite Rd., Monument. Normally meets 2nd Wed. each month. Livestreamed at <http://bit.ly/2uZxjfa>. Info: 884-8017, [www.townofmonument.org](http://www.townofmonument.org).
- **Monument Academy School Board Meeting**, Thu., Jan. 10, 6 p.m., school library, 1150 Village Ridge Point, Monument. Meets 2nd Thu. each month. Info: 481-1950, [www.monumentacademy.net/school-board](http://www.monumentacademy.net/school-board).
- **Palmer Lake Town Council Meeting**, Thu., Jan. 10, 6 p.m., Palmer Lake Town Hall, 28 Valley Crescent. Meets 2nd Thu. each month. Info: 481-2953, [www.townofpalmerlake.com](http://www.townofpalmerlake.com).
- **Woodmoor Water & Sanitation District Board Meeting**, Mon., Jan. 14, 1 p.m., 1845 Woodmoor Dr., Monument. Now meets 2nd Mon. each month. Info: 488-2525, [www.woodmoorwater.com](http://www.woodmoorwater.com).
- **Lewis-Palmer School District 38 Board Meeting**, Mon., Jan. 14, 6 p.m., Learning Center, 146 Jefferson St., Monument. Normally meets 3rd Mon. each month. Info: 488-4700, [www.lewispalmer.org](http://www.lewispalmer.org).
- **El Paso County Planning Commission Meeting**, Tue., Jan. 15, 9 a.m., 2880 International Circle (off Union Blvd & Printers Pkwy). Meets 1st & 3rd Tue. (if required) each month. Find agendas: <https://planningdevelopment.elpasoco.com/el-paso-county-planning-commission/planning-commission-2018-meetings/>. Info: 520-6300.
- **Triview Metropolitan District Board Meeting**, Tue., Jan. 15, 5:30 p.m., Triview Metro office, 16055 Old Forest Point, Suite 300, Monument. Meets 3rd Tue. each month. Info: 488-6868, <https://triviewmetro.com>.
- **D-38 Accountability Advisory Committee (DAAC) Meeting**, Tue., Jan. 15, 7-8:30 p.m., Palmer Ridge High School, 19255 Monument Hill Rd., Monument. Normally meets 2nd Tue. each month, location varies. Info: 488-4700, [www.lewispalmer.org](http://www.lewispalmer.org).
- **Wescott Fire Protection District Board Meeting**, Tue., Jan. 15, 7 p.m., Station 1, 15415 Gleneagle Dr. Normally meets 3rd Tue. each month. Info: 488-8680.
- **Monument Sanitation District Board Meeting**, Wed., Jan. 16, 9 a.m., 130 2nd St. Meets 3rd Wed. each month. Info: 481-4886.
- **Academy Water and Sanitation District Board Meeting**, Wed., Jan. 16, 6 p.m., Wescott Fire Station 1, 15415 Gleneagle Dr. Meets 3rd Wed. each month. Info: 481-0711.
- **Donala Water & Sanitation District Board Meeting**, Thu., Jan. 17, 1:30 p.m., 15850 Holbein Dr. Workshop is open to the public. Meets 3rd Thu. each month. Info: 488-3603, [www.donalawater.org](http://www.donalawater.org).
- **Monument Board of Trustees Meeting**, Tue., Jan. 22, 6:30 p.m., Town Hall Board Room, 645 Beacon Lite Rd., Monument. Normally meets 1st and 3rd Mon. each month. Info: 884-8017, [www.townofmonument.org](http://www.townofmonument.org).
- **Forest View Acres Water District Board Meeting**, Wed., Jan. 23, 6 p.m., Monument Sanitation District board room, 130 Second St. Meets 4th Wed. each month. Info: 488-2110, [www.fvawd.com](http://www.fvawd.com).
- **D-38 Special Education Advisory Council (SEAC)**, Wed., Jan. 23, 6:30 p.m., Learning Center, 146 Jefferson St., Monument. Info: 433-5672, [MNay@lewispalmer.org](mailto:MNay@lewispalmer.org).
- **Tri-Lakes Monument Fire Protection District Board Meeting**, Wed., Jan. 23, 6:30 p.m., TLMFPD Station 1, 18650 Hwy 105. Meets 4th Wed. each month. Info: Jennifer Martin, 484-0911, [www.tlmfire.org](http://www.tlmfire.org).
- **Woodmoor Improvement Association Annual Meeting**, Mon., Jan. 28, sign in at 6:30 p.m., Lewis Palmer Middle School, 1776 Woodmoor Dr., Info:

488-2693, [www.woodmoor.org](http://www.woodmoor.org).

- **Woodmoor Improvement Association Board Meeting**, Wed., Jan. 30, 7 p.m., Woodmoor Barn, 1691 Woodmoor Dr. Normally meets 4th Wed. each month. Info: 488-2693, [www.woodmoor.org](http://www.woodmoor.org).

## LOCAL LIBRARY EVENTS

Please note that all Pikes Peak Library Facilities will be closed on Monday, Jan. 21 in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

For information on library events, see the library events column on page 24 and visit [www.ppld.org](http://www.ppld.org).

- **The Palmer Lake Library hours** are Tue.-Fri., 10 a.m.-6 p.m., and Sat., 10 a.m.-2 p.m. 66 Lower Glenway. Info: 481-2587, [www.ppld.org](http://www.ppld.org).
- **The Monument Branch Library hours** are Mon.-Thu., 9 a.m.-9 p.m., Fri. & Sat, 10 a.m.-6 p.m., Sun., 1-5 p.m. 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, [www.ppld.org](http://www.ppld.org).

## WEEKLY & MONTHLY EVENTS

- **Monument Hill Kiwanis Club Breakfast Meeting**, every Sat., 7:30 a.m., D-38 Admin Building, 146 Jefferson St., Monument. Guests are welcome at weekly meetings featuring speakers on a variety of topics and a free continental breakfast. Memberships open to the public. Join the 150+ men & women of the Tri-Lakes area who work together to make a difference for youth and our community. Info: RF Smith, (719) 210-4987, [www.MHKiwanis.org](http://www.MHKiwanis.org). See ad on page 11.
- **The Wine Seller Free Wine Tastings**, every Sat., 1-4 p.m., 2805 Roberts Dr., Monument. Info: 488-3019, [www.thewineseller.net](http://www.thewineseller.net). See ad on page 3.
- **Bingo by the American Legion**, every Sat., game sales start at 6 p.m., games start at 7 p.m., the Depot Restaurant, in Palmer Lake. Proceeds go to scholarships and other community support activities. Info: 481-8668, [www.americanlegiontrilakespost911.com/bingo.htm](http://www.americanlegiontrilakespost911.com/bingo.htm).
- **Watercolor Painting Demo**, most Sat.-Sun., 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Join Janet Sellers' painting demo, followed by art class at local cultural, gallery, and nature spots. For weekly location: 357-7454, [janetsellers10@gmail.com](mailto:janetsellers10@gmail.com).
- **Fuel Church Sunday Service**, every Sun., 9:30 a.m. fellowship with free donuts and coffee, 10 a.m. main service; 14960 Woodcarver Rd. (just west of I-25 off Baptist Road). Non-denominational, spirit-led. Info: [info@fuel.org](mailto:info@fuel.org), [www.fuelchurch.org](http://www.fuelchurch.org). See ad on page 16.
- **Tri-Lakes United Methodist Church Worship Hours**, every Sun., traditional services 8 & 11 a.m., contemporary service 9:30 a.m., Sunday school, all ages, 9:30 a.m., 20256 Hunting Downs Way, Monument. Info: 488-1365, [www.tlumc.org](http://www.tlumc.org). See ad on page 3.
- **Black Forest Community Church Sunday Worship**, every Sun., 10 a.m., 6845 Shoup Rd. All are welcome to the family friendly services. Info: [www.bfcc-ucc.org](http://www.bfcc-ucc.org). See ad on page 6.
- **Cathedral Rock Church Sunday Service**, every Sun., 10 a.m., Tri-Lakes YMCA, 17250 Jackson Creek Pkwy, Monument. Info: [www.cathedralrockchurch.org](http://www.cathedralrockchurch.org). See ad on page 11.
- **Tai-Chi Class**, every Mon., 10 a.m., Palmer Lake Town Hall, 28 Valley Crescent. Cost: \$5. Drop-ins welcome. Info: 481-2953, [www.townofpalmerlake.com](http://www.townofpalmerlake.com).
- **Seniors: Tai Chi Classes**, every Mon., 11-noon, Silver Alliance Senior Center at Lewis-Palmer High School (across from the YMCA). This soft, slow, and gentle form of exercise has many benefits. Registration required. \$3 suggested donation. RSVP & Info: 464-6873.
- **Seniors Monday Movie Matinee**, every Mon., 1-4 p.m., Silver Alliance Senior Center located on Lewis-Palmer High School campus. Free movies and snacks. See the schedule of films in Tri-Lakes Silver Alliance *Senior Beat*.
- **Artfully Speaking Toastmasters**, every Mon., 5:45 p.m., DeVry University, 1175 Kelly Johnson Blvd., room 13. Info: Jon Walsh, 640-9428; [www.artfully-speaking.toastmastersclubs.org](http://www.artfully-speaking.toastmastersclubs.org).
- **Women's A.A. Step Study**, every Mon., 6 p.m. Family of Christ Lutheran Church, 675 W. Baptist Rd. Info: 481-0431.
- **Yin Yoga Classes**, every Mon., 6:30-7:45 p.m., Yoga Pathways Studio, 755 Hwy 105, West End Center, Suite A (3/4 mile west of Safeway). A slow yoga practice; all levels welcome. First class always free. Info: Deb Harano, 338-8467; [DimensionsYoga@gmail.com](mailto:DimensionsYoga@gmail.com).
- **Monument Hill Kiwanis Bingo**, every Mon., 7:30 p.m., Carefree Bingo, 3440 N. Carefree Circle, Colo. Springs. All proceeds benefit those in need in the Tri-Lakes Community. Info: [mark.zeiger@gmail.com](mailto:mark.zeiger@gmail.com).
- **Adult Literacy Class**, every Mon. & Wed., 6-7:30 p.m., D-38 Admin. Building, 146 Jefferson St., Monument. Open to the public. Info: 488-4700.
- **Senior Citizen Luncheons**, every Mon.-Fri., 12-12:30 p.m., Mountain Community Mennonite Church, 643 Hwy 105, Palmer Lake. See the menu for the month in the Senior Beat newsletter. A \$2.25 donation is requested. Stay for bingo the 2nd Thu. each month. Res-

ervations are requested, phone 884-2304.

- **Western Museum of Mining & Industry (WMMI)**, open Mon.-Sat., 9 a.m.-4 p.m., 225 North Gate Blvd. (I-25 Exit 156 A). Daily guided tours at 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. Cost: \$10 adults, \$9 military/AAA, \$8 seniors & students, \$6 children 3-12, free to children under 3 & museum members. Info: 488-0880, [info@wmmi.org](mailto:info@wmmi.org), [www.wmmi.org](http://www.wmmi.org).
- **Tri-Lakes Silver Alliance Thrift Store**, open Mon.-Sat., 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 755 Hwy 105, Suite N, in the West End Center. Seniors 62+ get a 20% discount on Wednesdays. Military & Teacher Appreciation Day, 20% off regular priced items on Saturdays. All proceeds support Tri-Lakes Senior Programs. To donate furniture, call 488-3495 for a pickup. Info: [www.TriLakesSeniors.org](http://www.TriLakesSeniors.org).
- **Tri-Lakes YMCA Senior Coffee**, every Tue., 9:30-11:30 a.m., 17250 Jackson Creek Pkwy, Monument. Members and non-members are welcome. Socialize, have coffee and snacks in the front lobby. Free. Info: 630-2604, [hbrandon@ppymca.org](mailto:hbrandon@ppymca.org), [www.ppymca.org](http://www.ppymca.org).
- **Al-anon Meeting: Monument Serenity**, every Tue., 7:30-8:30 p.m., Ascent Church (formerly the Tri-Lakes Chapel), 1750 Deer Creek Rd., Monument. Info: Kay, 481-9258.
- **Peak Reader Children's Literacy Program**, every Tue. & Thu., 5:30-6:30 p.m., Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Free one-to-one tutoring for children reading below grade level. To enroll your child or volunteer as a tutor, visit [www.childrensliteracycenter.org](http://www.childrensliteracycenter.org) or call 471-8672.
- **Act II Thrift Shop**, open Tue.-Fri., 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sat., 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Proceeds benefit Tri-Lakes area nonprofits. Info: 487-3268, [car@mynorthlandchurch.org](mailto:car@mynorthlandchurch.org), [www.mynorthlandchurch.org/act-ii](http://www.mynorthlandchurch.org/act-ii).
- **Tri-Lakes Church of Christ Wednesday Night Fellowship Meal (Free) & Classes**, every Wed., 6-7:30 p.m., 20450 Beacon Lite Road, Monument (Corner of Beacon Lite & County Line Roads). Info: 488-9613, [gregsmith@trilakeschurch.org](mailto:gregsmith@trilakeschurch.org), [www.trilakeschurch.org](http://www.trilakeschurch.org).
- **Al-anon Meeting: Letting Go**, every Thu., 9-10:10 a.m., Tri-Lakes Chapel, room 209, 1750 Deer Creek Rd., Monument. Info: Kay, 481-9258.
- **A.A. Big Book Study**, every Thu., 7 p.m., Family of Christ Lutheran Church, 675 W. Baptist Rd. Info: 481-0431.
- **Overeaters Anonymous Big Book Study**, every Thu., 7-8 p.m., Natural Grocers, 1216 W. Baptist Rd., Monument. Info: Beth, 773-682-1223; or Nancy, 640-3343.
- **Live Music at the Speedtrap**, every Thu. open mic 7-9:30 p.m., musicians every Fri. & Sat., 8-11 p.m., 84 Hwy 105, Palmer Lake. Info: 488-2007, [www.speedtrapbistro.com](http://www.speedtrapbistro.com).
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- **Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS)**, every Fri., 8 a.m., Monument Chamber of Commerce, 166 2nd St., Monument. Info: Terry, 684-4912, or visit [www.TOPs.org](http://www.TOPs.org).
- **Group of Artists (GOA) Meetings** at Tri-Lakes Center for the Arts, Sat., Jan. 5, 10 a.m.-noon, 304 Hwy 105, Palmer Lake. Lively discussions about art topics, general studies on creativity. Meets 1st Sat. each month. Info: 481-0475, [info@trilakesarts.org](mailto:info@trilakesarts.org), [www.trilakesarts.org](http://www.trilakesarts.org).
- **Pikes Peak Music Teachers Association Meeting**, Tue., Jan. 8, 9:30 a.m., Graner Music, 4460 Barnes Rd., Colo. Springs. Music teachers and students meet for coffee, a meeting, and program presentation at 11 a.m. Meets 2nd Tue. each month. Info: Susan Marten,

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