- each month as well as Mon.-Thu., 7 a.m.-5 p.m., accepts porcelain fixtures, common recyclable items, household hazardous waste, various electronics, and TVs up to 19-inch diagonal. Bring a nonperishable food item for Care and Share. Info: 520-7878, http://adm.elpasoco.com/Environmental\_Services/Solid\_Waste\_Management.
- Palmer Lake Art Group, Sat., Aug. 10, 9 a.m., Mountain Community Mennonite Church, 643 Hwy 105, Palmer Lake. A variety of art programs are offered after the social gathering and business meeting. Guests welcome. Meets 2nd Sat. each month. Info: 487-1329, www.palmerlakeartgroup.com.
- Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group, Sat., Aug. 10, 9:45-11:30 a.m., The First National Bank of Monument, 581 Hwy 105. Meets 2nd Sat. each month. Info: Gail, 481-3711.
- Palmer Divide Photographers Group, Mon., Aug. 12, 7 p.m., Mountain Community Mennonite Church, 643 Hwy 105, Palmer Lake. Project Photography with Peter Kowalchuk. All are welcome. Meets 2nd Mon. each month. Info: 649-4241, www.pdphotographers.
- Chess Nuts, Tue., Aug. 13, 5-9 p.m., Silver Alliance Senior Center. Any age, any skill. Learners welcome. Drop in and leave when you want. Bring your own board and pieces if you have them. Meets 2nd & 4th Tue. each month. Info: www.TriLakesSeniors.org/chess.
- Friends of Monument Preserve (FOMP) Trail Work Night, Tue., Aug. 13, 6-9 p.m. Help maintain our area trails. Bring leather gloves, water, and bug repellent. Park at the main parking lot at the trailhead at the corner of Mt. Herman and Nursery Roads. Meets 2nd Tue., Apr.-Oct. Info: Bill Normile, 303-619-2156, info@fomp.org, www.fomp.org.
- Western Museum of Mining & Industry (WMMI) Speakers' Bureau: "Pikes Peak or Bust: Colorado's Women '59ers", Tue., Aug. 13, 6:30-8 p.m., 225 North Gate Blvd. (I-25 Exit 156 A). Julie v. L. Bell, presenter. Cost: \$5. RSVP & Info: 488-0880, RSVP@wmmi.org, www.wmmi.org.
- Black Forest AARP Meeting, CANCELED. No chapter meeting in Aug., Normally meets 2nd Wed. each month, 11:30 a.m.,Black Forest Regional Park, Pavilion 1, Shoup & Milam. Bingo, potted plant exchange. All ages welcome. RSVP & Info: Stan, 596-6787, www. aarpchapter1100blackforest.weebly.com.
- Foot Care Clinic, Wed., Aug. 14, Silver Alliance Senior Center located across the street from the Tri-Lakes YMCA, on the Lewis-Palmer High School campus. A registered nurse examines your feet and provides foot care advice, toenail trimming. Cost: \$30 for a 30-min. visit. Meets 2nd Wed. and last Fri. each month, by appointment only. Info & appointments: call the Visiting Nurse Association, 577-4448.
- Senior Tea, Thu., Aug. 15, 12-1:30 p.m., Silver Alliance Senior Center at Lewis-Palmer High School (across from the YMCA). Come early to socialize. Volunteers needed. Meets 3rd Thu. each month. Reservations required: contact Sue, 464-6873, sue@monumentalfitness.com.
- Art Hop, Thu., Aug. 15, 5-8 p.m., Downtown Monument west of I-25.The 3rd Thu. each month, May-Sept., the galleries, restaurants, and boutiques of historic downtown Monument stay open until 8 p.m. for a celebration featuring art openings, book signings, great food, live music, and more. Info: 481-3282, www.monumentarthop.org. See ad on page 9.
- Art Hop at Covered Treasures Bookstore, Thu., Aug. 15, 5-8 p.m., 105 Second St., Monument. Stephanie Barron will sign her historical fiction title, "That Churchill Woman," and Barbara Nickless will sign her Sydney Rose Parnell mystery series. Refreshments. Free, open to all. Info: 481-2665, www.coveredtreasures.com.
- Palmer Lake Historical Society: No meeting in August, Palmer Lake Town Hall, 28 Valley Crescent. All are welcome. Meets 3rd Thu. each month. Info: 559-0837, www.palmerdividehistory.org.
- The Breakfast Club, Sat., Aug. 17, 8:30 a.m., The Ridge at Castle Pines North (Ridge Grill and Bar), 1414 Castle Pines Pkwy. Single people 50+ meet new friends and have fun. Meets 3rd Sat. each month. Info: 303-815-8428, www.TBC50plus.org.
- **SOLO Senior Travel Club**, Sat., **Aug. 17**, 9:30-11 a.m., Serrano's, 625 Highway 105, Monument. All individuals who want to travel but don't have a travel partner are welcome. Meets 1st and 3rd Sat. each month. Info: Kit, 630-618-9400.
- Tri-Lakes Parkinson's Disease Support Group, Sat., Aug. 17, 10 a.m.-noon, Monument Community Presbyterian Church, 238 Third St, Monument. Come for socializing, discussions on Parkinson's-related issues including available support, and occasional speakers. Meets 3rd Sat. each month. Info: John Farley, 481-2364, robun2good@gmail.com; or Syble Krafft, 488-2669.
- Amateur Radio WØTLM (Tri-Lakes Monument Radio Association), Mon., Aug. 19, 6 p.m. social time, 7 p.m. meeting. All amateur radio operators or those interested in becoming amateur radio operators are welcome. Meets 3rd Mon. Info: Joyce Witte, 661-9824, Joycewitte@gmail.com; www.W0TLM.com.
- **Drummers!** Mon., **Aug. 19**, 6:30-8 p.m., Limbach Park, 151 Front St., Monument, near the band shell. Free and open to all ages. Bring any kind of drum or

- other hand percussion instrument. Beginners welcome! Meets 1st & 3rd Mon. during the summer. Info: Nan, 466-1257, nananddon@hotmail.com.
- Outpouring: TLUMC Supporting our Community, Tue., Aug. 20, 7 p.m., Pikes Peak Brewing Company, 1756 Lake Woodmoor Dr., Monument. Everyone is welcome. Meets 3rd Tue. each month. Info: LWeber1971@aol.com; for current speaker info go to http://tlumc.org/outreach/outpouring.
- Gleneagle Sertoma Luncheon Meeting, Wed., Aug. 21, 11:30 a.m., La Baguette French Bakery, 2417 Colorado Ave., Colo. Springs. Interesting speakers and programs; all are welcome. Meets 1st & 3rd Wed. each month, location varies. Info: Garrett Barton, 433-5396; Duane Gritzmaker, 481-2424; www.gleneaglesertoma.org.
- Senior Bingo, Wed., Aug. 21, 1-2 p.m., Silver Alliance Senior Center, Lewis-Palmer High School campus. Meets 3rd Wed. each month. Info: Sue Walker, 464-6873
- Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 7829, Wed., Aug. 21, 7 p.m., The Country Club at Woodmoor, 18945 Pebble Beach Way, Monument. New members welcome. Meets 3rd Wed. each month. Info: Post Commander Joe Carlson, 405-326-2588, jcarlson@vfw7829.org, www.vfw7829.org.
- VFW Auxiliary to Post 7829, Wed., Aug. 21, 7 p.m., The Country Club at Woodmoor, 18945 Pebble Beach Way, Monument. New members welcome. If you are a male or female relative of a veteran who served on foreign soil during war or other military action, you may be eligible. Meets 3rd Wed. each month. Info: Kathy Carlson, 488-1902, carlsonmkc@aol.com.
- Foot Care Clinic, Fri., Aug. 21, Silver Alliance Senior Center located across the street from the Tri-Lakes YMCA, on the Lewis-Palmer High School campus. A registered nurse examines feet and provides foot care advice, toenail trimming. Cost: \$35 for a 30-min. visit. Meets 2nd Wed., 3rd and last Fri. each month, by appointment only. Info & appointments: call the Visiting Nurse Association, 577-4448.
- Fox Run Park Volunteers, Thu., Aug. 22, 5-6 p.m., Southwinds Fine Art Gallery upstairs, 16575 Rollercoaster Rd. (corner of Baptist and Rollercoaster Roads). Join the growing group to learn about volunteering and supporting the park for safety, trails, trees, education, more. Guest speaker each week. Meets 4th Thu. Info: 357-7454, janetsellers10@gmail.
- Chess Nuts, Tue., Aug. 27, 5-9 p.m., Silver Alliance Senior Center, across the street from the YMCA. Any age, any skill. Learners welcome. Drop in and leave when you want. Bring your own board and pieces if you have them. Meets 2nd & 4th Tue. each month. Info: www.TriLakesSeniors.org/chess.
- Senior Social, Wed., Aug. 28, 1-4 p.m., 12455 Black Forest Rd. Meets 4th Wed. each month except Nov. & Dec. Info: aarpchapter1100blackforest.weebly.com.
- Tri-Lakes Chamber Monthly Education Series: *HR* as a Strategic Advantage, Thu., Aug. 29, 9-11 a.m.., 166 Second St., Monument. Highlights how human capital management can have a positive impact on the bottom line of a small to mid-sized company. Free. Register online, www.trilakeschamber.com/events-calendar.htm. Info: 481-3282.
- Foot Care Clinic, Fri., Aug. 30, Silver Alliance Senior Center located across the street from the Tri-Lakes YMCA, on the Lewis-Palmer High School campus. A registered nurse examines feet and provides foot care advice, toenail trimming. Cost: \$35 for a 30-min. visit. Meets 2nd Wed., 3rd and last Fri. each month, by appointment only. Info & appointments: call the Visiting Nurse Association, 577-4448.
- Tri-Lakes Lions Club Meeting, Thu., Sep. 5, 6:30-8 p.m., Tri-Lakes Chamber of Commerce, 166 2nd St., Monument. Meets 1st Thu. each month. Info: 303-883-8329, jim1947n@comcast.net, www.trilakeslionsclub.org.
- Palmer Divide Quiltmakers, Thu., Sep. 5, 6:45 p.m., Monument Hill Church, 18725 Monument Hill Rd., Unit 18, Monument. Meets 1st Thu. each month. Info: PDQ504@gmail.com.
- Faithful Friends, Thu., Sep. 5, 7 p.m., The Country Club at Woodmoor, 18945 Pebble Beach Way, Monument. A Ladies' Dessert with an inspirational speaker each month. Meets 1st Thu. each month. Cost: \$7. RSVP & Info: Sandi King, 719-237-3359.
- **SOLO Senior Travel Club**, Sat., **Sep. 7**, 9:30-11 a.m., Serrano's, 625 Highway 105, Monument. All individuals who want to travel but don't have a travel partner are welcome. Meets 1st and 3rd Sat. each month. Info: Kit 630-618-9400.
- Group of Artists (GOA) Meetings at Tri-Lakes Center for the Arts (TLCA), Sat., Sep. 7, 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, www.trilakesarts.org.
- **Lupus Support Group.** If you suffer with an autoimmune disease and want to connect with others, you are welcome to join this group. Info: dmbandle@hotmail.com
- Myasthenia Gravis Association of Colorado Support Group. Location varies. Info: Carolyn, 488-3620, www.4-mga.org, 303-360-7080, 4mga@4-mga.org.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

- Concerts in the Park, every Wed., through Aug. 21, 7-9 p.m., Limbach Park, 151 Front St., Monument. Music, food trucks, and fun for the family. Bring chairs, blankets. Info: www.trilakeschamber.com and click on 'Events.'
- Chautauqua Celebrates Railroad Days in Palmer Lake, Sat., Aug. 3, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Palmer Lake Town Hall, 42 Valley Crescent St. Model railroad layouts, historical presentations, railroad equipment, barbershop quartet, pioneer crafts, gold panning, walking tours, and an ice cream social by Tri-Lakes Friends of the Library at 1 pm. Info: 719-339-2794, www.palmerdividehistory.org.
- Palmer Lake Try-athlon, Sat., Aug. 3, 10:30 a.m., 104 Hwy 105, Palmer Lake. This fun fundraiser for Palmer Lake improvements features an easy, overly-assisted 50-meter swim, a 250-meter anything-with-wheels ride, and a 250-meter run/walk/hobble! Individual competitors or 3-person teams welcome. Info: www. awakepalmerlake.org.
- Tri-Lakes Cruisers 17th Annual Benefit Car Show, Sun., Aug. 4, 7 a.m.-3 p.m., Historic Downtown Monument, 2nd and Front Streets. Public invited free of charge to look around. Food vendors, door prizes, music, and much more. Proceeds benefit Tri-Lakes Cares. Info: TL-Cruisers@Mail.com; www.tl-cruisers.weebly.com.
- Fuel Church "Church in the Park," Sun., Aug. 4, 10 a.m., connection & fellowship 9:30 a.m., Dirty Woman Creek Park, 17575 Mitchell Ave., Monument. Info: www.fuelchurch.org. See ad on page 11.
- D-38 Home School Enrichment Academy Open House, Tue., Aug. 6, 5-7 p.m., Grace Best Education Center, 66 Jefferson St., Monument. Use east entrance on Adams Street. Staff will be present to answer questions, tour. Repeats Aug. 15, 10 a.m.; Aug. 21 & 26, 6 p.m. Info: 640-6392, ctanner@lewispalmer.org, www.lewispalmer.org/hsea.
- 35th Annual National Night Out, Tue., Aug. 6. Turn
  on your porch light and go outside to join your neighbors to make a show of solidarity and strength. Plan
  a block party, barbecue, neighborhood walk, or other
  activity. Find tips at www.natw.org.
- **Bill Nance Memorial Blood Drive**, Thu., **Aug. 8**, 1-5:30 p.m., Antelope Trails School, 13280 Jessie Dr. Walk-ins welcome, driver's license required. Hosted by Gleneagle Sertoma Club. RSVP & Info:719-488-9879
- 9, 7 p.m. activities begin (demonstrations by U.S. Taekwondo Center and a bounce house), movie begins at dark, Tri-Lakes YMCA, 17250 Jackson Creek Pkwy, Monument. Bring chairs & blankets, no pets please. Info: 884-8013, www.TownofMonument.org.
- Paradise Villas Community Garage Sale, Fri.-Sat., Aug. 9-10, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m., Struthers at Gleneagle Drive. See ad on page 4.
- King's Deer Community Garage Sale, Fri.-Sun., Aug. 9-11, Highway 105 and Roller Coaster Road. For details and map visit www.KingsDeer.org. See ad on page 4.
- Black Forest Festival, Sat., Aug. 10, 6:30 a.m-9 p.m., 12530 Black Forest Rd. Pancake breakfast by R&R Café 6:30-9:30 a.m., festival activities 8 a.m.-3 p.m. include booths, farm-themed children's activities/games/crafts and demos, music, expanded food venues, and more. Parade at 10:30 a.m.; outhouse races around 11:40 a.m. To volunteer, call 495-2718. Info: www.bfcommunityclub.org.
- Western Museum of Mining & Industry (WMMI): Antique Artisans & Machinery Faire, Sat.-Sun, Aug. 10-11, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., 225 North Gate Blvd. (I-25 Exit 156 A). Machinery exhibits and demos, popular vendors, kids' barrel train ride. Cost: \$7 ages 14+, \$6 ages 4-13, free to children under 4. RSVP & Info: 488-0880, info@wmmi.org, www.wmmi.org. See ad on page 5.
- Lang 21st Community Pig Roast & Client Appreciation Event, Fri., Aug. 16, 5:30-7:30 p.m., 236 Washington St., Monument. Free, all ages are welcome for fresh roast pig, sides, drinks, and a bounce house for the kids. Info: 481-0887, www.langinvestmentservices.com. See ad on page 7.
- Black Forest Fire and Rescue/AARP Blood Drive, Sat., Aug. 17, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., 11445 Teachout Rd. Info: Patricia Dix, 419-5347.
- Pickin' on the Divide, Sat., Aug. 17, 11 a.m.-6:30 p.m., Limbach Park, 151 Front St., Monument. Colorado bluegrass bands perform all day, rain or shine. Food and vendors, too. Please, no smoking or pets except service animals. Info: www.pickinonthedivide.com.
- Community Volunteer Fair at Tri-Lakes Y, Thu., Aug. 22, 4-7 p.m., 17250 Jackson Creek Pkwy, Monument. Explore ways to get involved in our community. Info: 719-481-8728. See ad on page 6.
- National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Free Adult Mental Health First Aid Training, Fri., Aug. 23, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Citizens Service Center, Third Floor Nautilus Room, 1675 Garden of the Gods Rd., Colo. Springs. Learn the signs and symptoms of mental health challenges or crisis, what to do in an emergency, and where to turn for help. Class size is limited and registration is required. Register online at www. mhfaco.org/find-a-class. Info: 473-8477 or info@namicos.org.
- Classic Car Show & BBQ at Jackson Creek Senior