- Tri-Lakes Monument Fire Protection District Board Meeting, Wed., Nov. 14, 6:30 p.m., 166 Second St., Monument. Normally meets 4th Wed. each month. Info: Jennifer Martin, 484-0911, or www.tri-lakesfire.com.
- Donala Water & Sanitation District Board Meeting, Thu., Nov. 15, Canceled. 15850 Holbein Dr., Colorado Springs. Normally meets 3rd Thu. each month, 1:30 p.m. Info: 488-3603.
- Lewis-Palmer School District 38 Board Meeting, Thu., Nov. 15, 6 p.m., Learning Center, 146 Jefferson St., Monument. Meets 3rd Thu. each month. Info: 488-4700
- Monument Sanitation District Board Meeting, Thu., Nov. 15, 7 p.m., 130 2nd St. Meets 3rd Thu. each month. Info: 481-4886.
- Monument Board of Trustees Meeting, Mon., Nov. 19, 6:30 p.m., Town Hall Board Room, 645 Beacon Lite Rd., Monument. Meets 1st and 3rd Mon. each month. Info: 884-8017.
- El Paso County Planning Commission Meeting, Tue., Nov. 20, 9 a.m., 2880 International Circle (off Union Blvd & Printers Pkwy). Meets 1st & 3rd Tue. (if required) each month. Info: 520-6300 or http://adm2.elpasoco.com/planning/agendas/pc/pc-agn.asp.
- Wescott Fire Protection District Board Meeting, Tue., Nov. 20, 7 p.m. Station 1, 15415 Gleneagle Dr. Meets 3rd Tue. each month. Info: 488-8680.
- Academy Water and Sanitation District Board Meeting, Wed., Nov. 21, 6 p.m., Wescott Fire Station 1, 15415 Gleneagle Dr. Now meets 3rd Wed. each month. Info: 481-0711.
- Palmer Lake Planning Commission Meeting, Wed., Nov. 21, Canceled, Palmer Lake Town Hall, 28 Valley Crescent. Normally meets 3rd Wed. each month, 6 p.m. Info: 481-2953 or www.ci.palmer-lake.co.us.
- Woodmoor Improvement Association Board Meeting, Wed., Nov. 28, 7 p.m., Woodmoor Barn, 1691 Woodmoor Dr. Meets 4th Wed. each month. Info: 488-2693 or www.woodmoor.org.
- Forest View Acres Water District Board Meeting, Thu., Nov. 29, 6 p.m. Monument Sanitation District boardroom, 130 Second St. Normally meets 4th Thu. each month. Info: 488-2110 or www.fvawd.com.
- Tri-Lakes Monument Fire Protection District Board Meeting, Wed., Dec. 5, 6:30 p.m., 166 Second St., Monument. Normally meets 4th Wed. each month. Info: Jennifer Martin, 484-0911, or www.trilakesfire.com.

LOCAL LIBRARY EVENTS

- All Pikes Peak Library Branches will close 6 p.m. Wed., Nov. 21 and remain closed Nov. 22 for Thanksgiving
- 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 or ppld.org.
- The Monument Branch Library hours are Mon.-Thu., 10 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 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Aftermath, every Mon., 4-8 p.m. Free drop-in math assistance for students of all ages with fractions, decimals, percents, geometry, trigonometry, pre-Calculus and Calculus, etc. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Paws to Read, Mon. & Wed., 3:30-4:30 p.m. Let your child practice reading to a Paws to Read dog. No registration required. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Bookbreak, Mon, Wed., and Fri., 10:30 a.m. A short read-aloud session particularly for preschoolers. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Storytime, every Tue., 10: 15-10:45 a.m. Stories and more for children ages 3 and older. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Palmer Lake Library: Storytime, every Wed., 10: 30-11:30 a.m. Stories and more for children ages 3 and older. Palmer Lake Branch Library, 66 Lower Glenway. Info: 481-2587 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Toddler Time, every Thu., 10: 15 & 10:45 a.m. Rhymes & rhythms for kids up to 24 months. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Snuggle-Up Storytime, every Thu., 7:30 p.m. Evening stories; PJs and blankies

- welcome. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Palmer Lake Library: Toddlertime, every Fri., 10:30 a.m. An introduction to the delights of rhyme, rhythm, and a few special stories as a first step to reading for 1- and 2-year-old children. Palmer Lake Branch Library, 66 Lower Glenway. Info: 481-2587 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Family Fun-Comedy, Magic, & Juggling with Ann Lincoln, Sat., Nov. 3, 1: 30-3 p.m. Comedy, magic, & juggling routines the whole family can enjoy, featuring on-stage audience participation and a magical live rabbit & dove. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Crafty Teens-"Phlash Plastic," Wed., Nov. 7, 3:30-5 p.m. For ages 12 and up. Make fun projects by upcycling plastics. Space limited; registration required. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. RSVP & Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: NANOWRIMO!, Sat., Nov. 10, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Join other writers during National Novel-writing month to work on your projects. Come with a friend or alone, write for a short or long time. Open to all ages. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Bookeaters, Wed., Nov. 14, 4-5:30 p.m. This teen-oriented book discussion group is for grades 7 and up. Read the book and then talk about it with your friends. Snacks too! Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Family Program–LEGO Club, Sat., Nov. 17, 10:30 a.m.-noon. Fun for all ages–Duplos for the littles ones and thousands of Legos for the rest. Bring your creativity and have some fun. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- American Girl Book Club, Wed., Nov. 28, 4: 15-5:30 p.m. Read about Julie, an American Girl from the 1970s, discuss the readings, and do a craft each month. Registration is required and limited. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. RSVP & Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Fabulous Friday Fun—Mystery Book Passages, Fri., Nov. 30, 4-5:30 p.m. Can you guess which passage goes with which book? Test your skill against other competitors in your age group. Come and see what makes Friday Fun so fabulous! As always, we'll play a round of Dewey Decimal M&M Bingo if time allows. Registration required. This activity is for grades 4-8. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. RSVP & Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Pikes Peak Library District's Kids Web: Kids Web at wwwppld.org features resources for school reports and homework, Tumblebooks—free online read-along books, and a Fun & Games link. A "grown-ups" link has information about local school districts, homeschooling, and more.

Adult Programs

- Monument Library Socrates Café, every Tue., 1-3 p.m. This group focuses on a deeper look into philosophy, religions, spirituality, and the common threads among humanity. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Beginning Computer Classes.
 Check at the desk for the schedule of free classes Wed.
 mornings for beginner computer users. Monument
 Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 4882370, or ppld.org.
- Monument Library Senior Synergy, every Wed., 10 a.m.-noon. Join this group dedicated to empowering individual growth through life-long learning and positive relationships. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, or ppld.org.
- Palmer Lake Library: Palmer Lake Knitting Group, every Wed., 10 a.m.-noon. Knit with other knitters. Cheri Monsen, expert knitter, will be there to answer questions. Palmer Lake Branch Library, 66 Lower Glenway. Info: 481-2587 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Free beginning and intermediate yoga class, every Thu. (except Nov. 22), noon-1 p.m., Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Life Circles, Mon., Nov. 5, 10:30 a.m. This supportive writing group provides

- inspiration and structure during the process of writing one's memories or history. Meets 1st & 3rd Mon. each month. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Business Resources for Non-Profits, Fri., Nov. 9, 8:30-10 a.m. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Registration requested. RSVP & Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
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- Monument Library: Meet best-selling author Kevin Anderson, Sun., Nov. 11, 2-4 p.m. Meet Monument's own international best-selling author Kevin J. Anderson. Anderson will talk about growing up in a small town and wanting to be a writer, and his journey to becoming one of the most popular authors in the field today. Copies of his novels will be available for sale at the event, with a portion of the proceeds going to the library. (Anderson does not charge for autographs.) Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library's Monumental Readers Book Club, Fri., Nov. 16, 10-11:30 a.m. All are welcome to this spirited group. Meets 3rd Fri. each month. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Tri-Lakes Knitters & Crafters, Fri., Nov. 16, 3:30-5:30 p.m. Drop in to share ideas, get help. Meets 1st and 3rd Fri. each month. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: Clare Wissinger, 481-8442 or ppld.org.
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- Monument Library: AARP Mature Safe Driving Program, Sat., Nov. 17, 1-5 p.m. Bone up on your driving skills and lower your insurance rates. Cost: \$12 for AARP members, \$14 for nonmembers. Registration required. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Registration & Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
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- Monument Library: History Buffs Book Discussion Group, Wed., Nov. 28, 1-3 p.m. Enjoy a trip through history with other history lovers. Meets 4th Wed. each month. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Holiday Harps, Sat., Dec. 1, 2-3:30. Enjoy the soothing sound of local harpists playing beautiful seasonal music in the library. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370 or ppld.org.
- Palmer Lake Library Book Club, Fri., Dec. 7, 9
 a.m. New members are welcome and no registration
 is required at this monthly book club. Meets 1st Fri.
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 Glenway. Info: 481-2587.
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- The Library Channel (Comcast 17) broadcasts 24/7. See live simulcasts of programs, recorded presentations, a schedule of Library events, children's story times, an adult literacy program, El Paso County Commissioners meetings, and much more. Find the schedule online at ppld.org, then click on the link "Happenings @ Your Library," then click on the "Comcast 17" link to search the schedule.

For these and other library events, please check ppld.org/communityconnections/calendar.

WEEKLY & MONTHLY EVENTS

Monument Hill Farmers Market, every Sat. until the snow comes, 8 a.m.-2 p.m., behind the D-38 Administration Building, Second and Jefferson St., downtown Monument. Park in the administration