## **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 doublecheck the time and place of any event you wish to attend by calling the info number for that event.

## **GOVERNMENTAL BODIES**

- Lewis-Palmer School District School Board Community Coffee, Mon., Feb. 8, 6-7:30 p.m., Learning Center (north entrance), 146 Jefferson St., Monument. Join the school board members for refreshments and informal conversation. Info: 481-9546.
- Tri-Lakes Wastewater Facility Joint Use Committee Meeting, Tue., Feb. 9, 10 a.m., 16510 Mitchell Ave. Meets 2nd Tue. each month. Info: Bill Burks, 481-4053.
- Triview Metropolitan District Board Meeting, Tue., Feb. 9, 5 p.m., 16055 Old Forest Point, Suite 300, Monument. Meets 2nd Tue. each month. Info: 488-6868.
- **D-38 Accountability Advisory Committee (DAAC) Meeting**, Tue., **Feb. 9**, 7 p.m., Lewis-Palmer Middle School, 1776 Woodmoor Dr., Monument. Meets 2nd Tue. each month, location varies. Info: 488-4700, www. lewispalmer.org.
- Palmer Lake Sanitation District Board Meeting, Wed., Feb. 10, 10 a.m., 120 Middle Glenway. Meets 2nd Wed. each month. Info: 481-2732.
- Palmer Lake Planning Commission Workshop, Wed., Feb. 10, 6 p.m., Palmer Lake Town Hall, 28 Valley Crescent. Meets 2nd Wed. each month. Info: 481-2953 (then press 0) or www.townofpalmerlake.com.
- D-38 Special Education Advisory Council, Wed., Feb. 10, 6:30 p.m., Learning Center, 146 Jefferson St., Monument. Meets 2nd Wed. each month. Info: D-38 Special Education Advisory Council, Wed., Jan. 13, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Learning Center, 146 Jefferson St., Monument. Meets 2nd Wed. each month. Info: 785-4208, cpetersen@lewispalmer.org.
- Monument Planning Commission Meeting, CAN-CELED. Normally meets 2nd Wed. each month at 6:30 p.m., Town Hall Board Room, 645 Beacon Lite Rd., Monument. Info: 884-8017.
- Woodmoor Water & Sanitation District Board Meeting, Thu., Feb. 11, 1 p.m., 1845 Woodmoor Dr., Monument. Meets 2nd Thu. each month. Info: 488-2525.
- Palmer Lake Town Council Meeting, Thu., Feb. 11, 6:30 p.m., Palmer Lake Town Hall, 28 Valley Crescent. Meets 2nd & 4th Thu. each month. Info: 481-2953 (then press 0) or www.townofpalmerlake.com.
- El Paso County Planning Commission Meeting, Tue., Feb. 16, 9 a.m., 2880 International Circle (off Union Blvd & Printers Pkwy). Meets 1st & 3rd Tue. (if required) each month. Info: 520-6300, http://adm2.elpasoco.com/planning/agendas/pc/pc-agn.asp.
- Monument Board of Trustees Meeting, Tue., Feb. 16, 6:30 p.m., Town Hall Board Room, 645 Beacon Lite Rd., Monument. The board will vote on the proposed water rate increase. The proposed rates are available at www.townofmonument.org. Normally meets 1st and 3rd Mon. each month. Info: 884-8017.
- Wescott Fire Protection District Board Meeting, Tue., Feb. 16, 7 p.m., Station 1, 15415 Gleneagle Dr. Meets 3rd Tue. each month. Info: 488-8680.
- Academy Water and Sanitation District Board Meeting, Wed., Feb. 17, 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., Feb. 17, 6 p.m., Palmer Lake Town Hall, 28 Valley Crescent. Meets 3rd Wed. each month. Info: 481-2953 (then press 0) or www.townofpalmerlake.com.
- Monument Sanitation District Board Meeting, Thu., Feb. 18, 10 a.m., 130 2nd St. Meets 3rd Thu. each month. Info: 481-4886
- Donala Water & Sanitation District Board Meeting, Thu., Feb. 18, 1:30 p.m., 15850 Holbein Dr., Colorado Springs. Meets 3rd Thu. each month except Nov. and Dec. Info: 488-3603.
- Lewis-Palmer School District 38 Board Meeting, Thu., Feb. 18, 6-9 p.m., Learning Center, 146 Jefferson St., Monument. Meets 3rd Thu. each month. Info: 488-
- Tri-Lakes Monument Fire Protection District Board Meeting, Wed., Feb. 24, 6:30 p.m., Town Hall Board Room, 645 Beacon Lite Rd., Monument. Normally meets 4th Wed. each month. Info: Jennifer Martin, 484-0911, www.tlmfire.org.
- Woodmoor Improvement Association Board Meeting, Wed., Feb. 24, 7 p.m., Woodmoor Barn, 1691 Woodmoor Dr. Meets 4th Wed. each month. Info: 488-2693, www.woodmoor.org.
- Forest View Acres Water District Board Meeting, Thu., Feb. 25, 5:30 p.m., Monument Sanitation District

- boardroom, 130 Second St. Meets 4th Thu. each month, 6 p.m. Info: 488-2110, www.fvawd.com.
- Palmer Lake Town Council Meeting, Thu., Feb. 25, 6:30 p.m., Palmer Lake Town Hall, 28 Valley Crescent. Meets 2nd & 4th Thu. each month. Info: 481-2953 (then press 0) or www.townofpalmerlake.com.
- El Paso County Planning Commission Meeting, Tue., Mar. 1, 9 a.m., 2880 International Circle (off Union Blvd & Printers Pkwy). Meets 1st & 3rd Tue. (if required) each month. Info: 520-6300, http://adm2.elpasoco.com/planning/agendas/pc/pc-agn.asp.

## LOCAL LIBRARY EVENTS

All libraries close Feb. 15 for President's Day

- 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.
- 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.
- Monument Library: Aftermath, every Mon., 3:30-7 p.m. Free drop-in math assistance for students of all ages. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Paws to Read, every Mon. & Wed., 4-5 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, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Storytime, every Tue., 10:30-11 a.m., 11:15-11:45 a.m. Ages 3 and up, with adult. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Toddler Time, every Thu., 9:30
   a.m. & 10:15 a.m. Rhymes & rhythms for one- and two-year-olds. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Palmer Lake Library: Storytime, every Wed., 10:30-11 a.m. Ages 3 and up, with adult. Palmer Lake Branch Library, 66 Lower Glenway. Info: 481-2587, www.ppld.
- Monument Library: First Saturday Teen Movie: Akeelah and the Bee, Sat., Feb. 6, 1-3 p.m. In honor of Black History Month; snacks and refreshments, too. No registration required. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Girl Scout Monthly Activity, Fri., Feb. 12, 4-5:15 p.m. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld. org.
- Monument Library: Teen Advisory Board, Fri., Feb. 12, 4-5:30 p.m. Help plan future events and parties for teens at Monument Library. Meet in the study room for snacks and conversation. Must fill out a volunteer application in order to count for volunteer hours. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library Family Fun: I Heart...!, Sat., Feb. 13, 2:30-4 p.m. Create a variety of heart crafts, cards, and more. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Family Program-LEGO Club, Sat., Feb. 20, 10-11:30 a.m. Duplos for the littles ones, Legos for the rest. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Palmer Lake Library Family Fun: Leapin' Leap Year, Sat., Feb. 20, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Celebrate Leap Year with a froggy theme: stories, crafts, games. Palmer Lake Branch Library, 66 Lower Glenway. Info: 481-2587, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Homeschool: "Wild Things Animal Program", Mon., Feb. 29, 1-2 p.m. Meet and learn about animals from the PPCC Zoo Keeping Technology program; hold a lizard, snake, or tarantula, Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. RSVP & Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Celebrate Dr. Seuss's Birthday, Wed., Mar. 2, 3:30-5 p.m. Join the Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Group and the Monument Library to celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Girl Scout Monthly Meeting, Fri., Mar. 4, 4-5:15 p.m. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld. org.
- Monument Library First Saturday Teen Movie: Mona Lisa Smile, Sat., Mar. 5, 1-3:30 p.m. Adults and teens, celebrate Women's History Month; snacks and refreshments, too. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Pikes Peak Library District's Kids Web: Kids Web

at www.ppld.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, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Senior Chats, every Wed., 10
   a.m.-noon. All seniors are welcome to share conversation and a cup of coffee in this casual discussion group.
   Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.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: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Palmer Lake Library: Palmer Lake Knitting Group, every Thu., 10 a.m.-noon. Knit with other knitters. Palmer Lake Branch Library, 66 Lower Glenway. Info: 481-2587, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Yoga, every Thu. (except Feb. 11), noon-1 p.m. Join PPLD's first established yoga group at the Monument library. Classes are held following D-38's calendar. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library Second Thursday Craft: Woodburning, Thu., Feb. 11, 2-4 p.m. Adults and teens create beautiful handmade gifts. Woodburning equipment, stencils, and some wood for practicing is provided. You may bring a wooden spoon or other wooden item to customize. Registration required: registration opens one week before craft day. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. RSVP & Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library Computer Help Lab: Special iPad Lab, Fri., Feb. 12, 9-10 a.m. Come in every 2nd Fri. of the month for help with your computer questions! Introduction to iPad use this month. Registration required. Registration opens one week before class. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. RSVP & Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Meet Local Author Robert Liparulo, Sun., Feb. 14, 2-3:30 p.m. An informal discussion for adults and teens on the writing life, pursuing your passion, and other writing topics. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Life Circles, Mon., Feb. 15, 9:30-11 a.m. Get inspiration and structure for writing your memories or history. Meets 1st & 3rd Mon. each month. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: AARP Smart Driver Course, Wed., Feb. 17, 12:45-5 p.m. Sign in at 12:30 p.m. Any aged person may attend, but the insurance discount only applies to those age 55 and older. Court-directed persons are welcomed; instructors are authorized to sign off related court documents. Cost: \$15 AARP members, \$20 for non-members. Pre-class reservations are requested but a few walk-ins might be accepted. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Woodmoor Dr. RSVP & Info: 488-2370, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Monumental Readers Book Club, Fri., Feb. 19, 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, www.ppld.org.
- Monument Library: Local History Films Showing, Sun., Feb. 21, 2-3:30 p.m. Local video producer Jim Swatzki will show two of his historical videos: Milestones: A History of Monument, Colorado, and Divide Country: A History of Palmer Divide Ranching Families. Q & A to follow. Videos will be available for purchase. Monument Branch Library, 1706 Lake Wood-

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