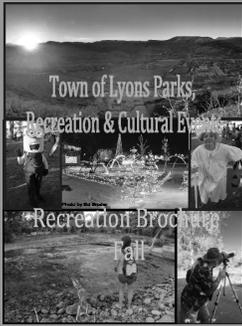


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Town of Lyons
full recreation
brochure please visit
www.townoflyons.com

Upcoming Events:

Active Adult Fitness
Wednesdays
Walt Self Building

Active Adult Book Club
Thursdays
Walt Self Building

**Parade of Lights &
Light Show**
December 3rd

Active Adult 50+ Crafts
December 8th
Walt Self Building

Arvada Center Trip
December 14th
Meet at Walt Self

Town Hall Closed
December 23rd
December 26th
January 2nd

For more event and pro-
grams please visit
www.townoflyons.com.



2016 LYONS HOLIDAY PARADE OF LIGHTS

“Do You Hear What I Hear?”

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2016

The bright glow of the holidays is once again coming to the Town of Lyons on December 3rd! Friends and family will be happy to see the return of Lyons Lights in Sandstone Park. Be sure to come out and enjoy a colorful, exciting, dancing light display synchronized to music. Lyons Lights in Sandstone Park will be available for public viewing throughout the month of December, beginning Saturday, December 3rd through December 31st every day from 6p.m. to 8p.m. The highlight of the weekend is sure to be the Holiday Parade of Lights on Saturday, December 3rd. The parade will start at 6:30 p.m. and will be filled with illuminated, colorful floats, many of which will be decorated in the theme of this year’s parade-“Do You Hear What I Hear”. Be sure to check out new activities in Sandstone Park this year from 3-6pm, including reindeer and percheron horses. Enter your float today up to the evening of the parade!

Be sure to catch live music and entertainment following the parade at approximately 7:15 p.m. in Sandstone Park on the Raul Vasquez Community Stage. Among those performing this year will be the Lyons High and Elementary Schools Show Choirs. At 7:40 p.m., there will be a wonderful fireworks display made possible by donations & grants received from the Lyons Community Foundation and other local supporters. The Parade Awards Ceremony will take place following the fireworks at approximately 8:05 p.m. on the Raul Vasquez Community Stage awarding the outstanding parade entries of 2016. The evening will wrap up with Lyons Lights in Sandstone Park from 8pm-9pm.

If you are interested in entering the parade this year, or if you would like to donate money or time to the event please visit www.townoflyons.com. If you have any questions, please call 303-823-8250 or email recreation@townoflyons.com. For a Full schedule of events please visit www.townoflyons.com.

Parent Education Presentation: The Slippery Slope of Screen Time

The Town of Lyons in partnership with the Lyons Elementary School PTO is pleased to offer another important parenting education topic to the public. Boulder Psychological Services is conducting this presentation to learn essential strategies for helping your child successfully navigate the wild world of technology. FREE dinner will be provided by a local restaurant.

Age: All Ages
Fee: FREE
Day: Tuesday January 17th
Time: 6:00-7:30 PM
Location: Lyons Elementary School Library
Instructors: Ryan Dawson LPC

Deadline to Register: There is no deadline for attending this presentation; but if you wish to have free dinner we ask that you RSVP by January 11th.

Open Basketball

Indoor Basketball is available this year at the Lyons Elementary School Gymnasium as a drop in.

Age: 18+
Fee: \$ 5 per drop in
Dates: Every Thursday
September 1- March 23
No Use Dec 22, 29, March 30
Time: 8- 9:30pm
Location: Lyons Elementary Gym

Active Adult 50+ Craft Making

The Town of Lyons Parks and Recreation is pleased to offer a fun crafting and social experience. We will craft a deco mesh wreath for your door or as a gift for some else's door!

Age: 50+
Fee: FREE
Dates: December 8th
Time: 12:30-2:00 PM
Location: Walt Self Building
Instructor: Lori LeGault
Size: Minimum 5/ Maximum 15

Hunter Education

Volunteers from the State of Colorado Division of Wildlife will be teaching a hunter education course. In Colorado, anyone born after January 1, 1949 is required to take a 15-hour course. Hunter Education certificates are valid in all states and are good for life (unless laws are violated). Areas to be touched on during the course include: survival, ethics, conservation, wildlife management, the law, field care of game, game identification, and the philosophy of hunting. To sign up for the course please call 303-823-8250 and leave a message with all names of those who will be attending and contact information.

Age: 7 and older
Fee: \$10 per student
Dates: Saturday January 21st (8 am-5 pm) and
Sunday January 22nd (9 am-3 pm)
Location: Walt Self Building
Instructor: Mike Hora
Class Size: 10 Minimum/ 40 Maximum

Fitness Class

Participants will do a 30 minute brisk walk on back roads, then upon arrival back at Walt Self we will do 30 minutes of strength training using resistance bands. The session will end with 15 minutes of balance and flexibility. You are allowed to join in/or duck out during any portion of the class. Please dress appropriately for exercise with layers and bring a water bottle.

Age: 50+
Fee: FREE
Dates: Every Wednesday
(No Class December 14th)
Time: 10:15 AM-11:30 AM
Location: Walt Self Building Basement
Instructor: Lori LeGault
Size: Minimum 5/ Maximum 15

Sewing Basics for Youth AND Adults

Join us for a fun sewing project to introduce or re-introduce you to basic sewing. Whether you want to learn or just haven't sewn in awhile, this is a basics class to allow you to get to know your sewing machine.

Age: 10+ and Adults
Fee: \$10 plus bring your own materials
(Upon registering we will let you know what to bring)
Day: Tuesday January 24th
Time: 3:30-5:30 (you may leave early)
Location: Walt Self Building upstairs
Instructor: Claire DeVitto and other helpers
Min/Max: Minimum 3, Max of 6
Deadline to register: 1 week prior

Lyons Kids Kayaking Kicks Off at Centennial Pool

The Town of Lyons Department of Parks, Recreation & Cultural Events would like to invite Lyons youth and their parents to join them in Longmont at Centennial Pool to learn the basics of kayaking. The purpose of these open pool sessions is to prepare young kayakers for opportunities to participate in upcoming summer kayaking programs and learn basic kayaking skills in a comfortable environment. Sessions will be offered on Fridays starting January 13th- April 14th, 2017. Open Pool sessions will be held from 7:00pm-8:30pm at Centennial Pool in Longmont on the corner of Alpine and Mtn. View. There will be an ACA certified instructor on site. The cost is \$85 as long as participants register by January 13, 2017. Drop in rates will be \$10.00/session. Participants must be skilled swimmers and parents must provide transportation to and from the site. The Department has a limited amount of equipment it will lease to students.

Age: 7-16
Fee: \$85.00
Dates: January 13, 2017-April 14, 2017
Time: 7:00 PM-8:30 PM
Instructor: ACA Certified Instructor
Size: Minimum 5/ Maximum 15

Book Club

Let's gather and enjoy reading some great literature! To be a part of the book club, you must RSVP. Next, you can go to the Lyons Regional Library to pick up your copy of the book. This month we're reading "The Girl on the Train". We have lots of fun, don't miss out!

Age: 50+
Fee: FREE
Dates: December 15th
Time: 12:30 PM-2:00 PM
Location: Walt Self Building
Instructor: Lori LeGault and Library Staff