Wanted: Parade float entries for the BHS homecoming parade on Friday, Sept. 19 at 4 p.m. All BHS classes (9th through 12th grades), sports, clubs/groups, and community are encouraged to participate in this annual event. Berthoud High School float entries will be judged for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes. Please contact Angie Purdy at bhsbulletin@yahoo.com if you'd like to have a float in the parade. Parade entry deadline is Wednesday, Sept. 17. Let's make this the best homecoming parade Berthoud has seen. Berthoud pride! Go Spartans ...

#### Thursday, Aug. 21

**Berthoud Parents As** Teachers event at the Berthoud Community Center from 9:30-10:30 a.m. All Berthoud families with preschoolers birth to 5 years are welcome to join us for a discussion of language development during the preschool years. "Let's Get Talking" will be presented by Margaret Skrobacz, speech-language therapist. Child care provided. For more information, call 970-215-0305 or email rhonda@thefamilycenterfc.org. Website http://berthoudpat.weebly.com.

Thursday, Aug. 21, a program presented by the Northern Colorado BeeKeepers Association will feature two speakers: Miles McGaughey, BCBA president and Keziah Katz, CSU doctoral student and bee researcher. Program will be at the Fort Collins Harmony Library meeting room. The library is on the west end of the Front Range Community College Campus at Harmony and Shields, Fort Collins. 6:30-8:30 p.m.

#### Tuesday, August 26

**Meet local artist** Michael Georges at Berthoud Community Library on Tuesday, Aug. 26, 6 - 8 p.m. Georges was commissioned by Berthoud Historical Society to create a painting to be auctioned at the 2014 Pioneer Heritage Gala on Sept. 20. Georges will tell the story behind his painting, which depicts the delivery of the first Fordson tractor to Berthoud and Northern Colorado in 1918. You can also view other works by Georges. Light refreshments will be served.

### Saturday, Aug. 30

The 13th Annual Bums of Berthoud community BBQ will be held on Saturday, Aug. 30 in Fickel Park from 2 - 7 p.m. If you would like to donate you can check out the Facebook page, Bums of Berthoud. For more information contact Suzanne Doles at 970-203-5884.

### Friday, Sept. 5

"An Apple A Day" Fannie Palmer Lunch — Be sure to make a reservation for, "An Apple For The Teacher." Fannie Palmer Lunch hosted by the Berthoud Historical Society Sept. 5, starting at 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. The lunch is held at the famous McCarty Fickel House Museum at 645 Seventh St. Berthoud. A delicious lunch will be served, including their famous carrot cake for dessert, followed by a narration about the history of the house and the people that lived there. Lunch reservations must be made by Thursday, Sept. 4, by noon. Contact Virginia 970-344-5160 to make a reservation. Cost of the lunch/narration \$12

# Saturday, Sept. 6

Chimney Hollow Open Space Tour, Saturday, Sept. 6, 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. The field trip will include an easy, round-trip walk of 0.5 mile for the whole group. After learning about the Windy Gap Firming Project's proposed Chimney Hollow Reservoir and the Chimney Hollow property, the group will split up. One group will have an opportunity to hike farther, and the other group will receive a historical interpretive tour of the property. The longer hike will be an additional 1.5 miles and is rated as moderate. This hike will give a sense of what the recreational amenities may become following a public management planning process. This special opportunity is free, but space is limited. Be sure to not miss this unique opportunity to visit an open space that is not currently open to the public. Register at: www.larimer.org/NRregistration. For any questions, please contact: Heather Young, 970-619-4489 or hyoung@larimer.org.

On Saturday, Sept. 6, emergency responders, safety educators, and supporting agencies from around northern Colorado are assembling for the Annual

Emergency Preparedness and Family Safety Expo, scheduled for 10 a.m.-2 p.m. at The Ranch located 5280 Arena Circle, Loveland in the First National Bank North Exhibition Hall. For general information, call 970-498-7149 or email vincenvm@co.larimer.co.us. Exhibitors interested in booth space, call 970-498-5732 or email mihlbaen@co.larimer.

### Saturday, Sept. 12

**Annual Streetfest** and Silent Auction. Join the party and celebrate with live music, dancers, food and fun at the 13th annual Wildfire Streetfest on Saturday, Sept. 12, from 6-10 p.m. in downtown Berthoud. Musicians KC Groves and Greg Blake will be featured. Other entertainment provided by local tap dancers, Tap Roots and Just 4 Kix. A silent auction to benefit Wildfire from 6 to 8 p.m features works by local artists. Gift baskets and certificates, along with other gifts items, will be sold. A live auction starts at 6:30 p.m. City Star Brewery is selling beer and food and other libations will be available. The Streetfest will be held between Fourth and Fifth streets on Massachusetts Avenue.

Breakfast fundraiser, Saturday, Sept. 13, 9 - 10:30 a.m. at Grace Place Church. A film and talk event to empower the community to protect youth from exploitations through human traffifing. A suggested donation of \$10, all proceeds benefit IEmpathize. To purchase call 970-532-9886.

#### **Announcements**

Craft people needed for juried 18 table craft fair. Berthoud United Methodist Church hosts a craft fair on Oct. 11. Applications and rules available at berthoudumc.org. Applications must be turned in by Aug. 30.

**LETA911** is excited to announce the ability to send a text message to 9-1-1 as an integrated service in our already robust 9-1-1 network and 9-1-1 equipment. The text to 9-1-1 service has been tested in Larimer County since mid-July. It is now live for the public. Texting to 9-1-1 provides accessibility to the hearing and speech impaired population, provides an alternative to reach help in a dangerous situation when a voice call is not possible, and in our high country where a voice call fails but texting is successful. Only two percent of all 9-1-1 dispatch centers across the nation are capable of receiving a text to 9-1-1 message. LETA911 is pleased to join the 2 percent to open this communication path to our citizens, our visitors, and our community.

The Larimer County Natural Resources Junior Ranger Guide is here. This new activity guide aims to connect children ages 7-12 to the amazing parks and open spaces Larimer County has to offer. Activities include visiting local parks and open spaces, attending guided hikes and programs, interviewing a ranger, and more. You can pick up a copy of the guide at the Larimer County Admin. Offices, 1800 S. County Rd. 31, Loveland, CO 80537 or download a copy at larimer.org/naturalresources. If children complete five or more activities by the end of the summer, they will be entered into a drawing to win a kid's backpack donated by REI Fort Collins. All children will receive a Larimer County Junior Ranger badge upon completing five activities. If you'd like more information, email Heather Young, Education Program coordinator, at hyoung@larimer.org.

Save the date for the Northern Colorado Birding Fair, renamed the NoCo Nature Festival, Saturday, Sept.er 27, 7 a.m. - 3 p.m. Nix Farm Natural Area, 1745 Hoffman Mill Rd., Fort Collins.

**Larimer County Natural Resources** announces the 2014 "Small Grants for Community Partnering" grant cycle. Applications are due Friday, Sept. 5, at 5 p.m., with awards announced by February, 2015. These grants are offered to individuals, organizations and groups, and homeowner/property owner associations for community, neighborhood, and group projects for:

- Protection or enhancement of open space, trails, natural areas, wildlife habitat, river areas and wetlands on private or public land
- Agriculture
- · Increased access to open lands and
- natural areas Research on open spaces
- Grant selection criteria, application and other information are available at www.larimer.org/naturalresources/

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openlands/smallgrants.htm. Applicants are encouraged to read through the selection criteria and to contact Sue Burke, coordinator for Small Grants for Community Partnering, with questions. Application forms, selection criteria and other information may be obtained:

- Online at www.larimer.org/naturalresources/openlands/smallgrants.htm • In person at Larimer County De-
- partment of Natural Resources, 1800 S. County Road 31, Loveland, or By mail by contacting Zac Wiebe at

(970) 619-4566 or zwiebe@larimer.org. **Business Workshops at Larimer County Workforce Center** 

What Does It Take to Be Your Own Boss — Whether you are just exploring business ownership as a possibility or ready to take the plunge, you will want to attend this information session. Aug. 25, 9 – 11 a.m., 418 E. Fourth St., Loveland. Sept. 11, 2 – 4 p.m., 200 W. Oak St., Suite 5000, Fort Collins.

Win the Government Contract! 4 Steps to Grow Your Business with Colorado PTAC — Learn how to complete for small and large contracts. Aug. 27, 9 - 11 a.m., 200 W. Oak St., Suite 5000, Fort Collins.

The Larimer County Dive Rescue Team is looking for qualified, professional candidates who are highly motivated and are eager to serve the community in the challenges of the aquatic environment. Applicant must have an interest in public service and ability to function as part of a highly skilled team of rescue professionals. We are looking for individuals with any of the following experience: water rescue, dive rescue, commercial divers, military divers, recreational SCUBA, EMT, Paramedic, law enforcement, or simply people with a big heart for helping people in their time of need.

The 20th Annual Larimer County **Environmental Stewardship Awards** program is underway. This year's nomination deadline is Friday, Sept. 19, 2014. You can nominate online at www. larimer.org/boards/eab/Awards/awards. htm or print a form at www.larimer.org/ boards/eab/Awards/ESAform.pdf, and mail it in to the address listed on the

The Larimer County Extension Office announces the following food preservation workshops to be offered in August:

Canning Basics for Safe Preserving: Learn all about the "how and why" of preserving food at home. This workshop focuses on canning safety, types of equipment and proper canning methods. For beginners or those needing a refresher. Thursday, Aug. 14, 6 – 8:30 p.m. Workshop Fee: \$25

The Art and Science of Dehydrating Foods: Drying is a creative way to preserve foods. Learn basic methods of drying fruits, vegetables, herbs, leathers and jerkies. Ideas for using dehydrated foods will be included. Wednesday, Aug. 20, 6 – 8 p.m. Workshop Fee:

Viva Salsa!: Salsa is one of the most popular condiments in America. Learn how to prepare and water bath can salsa using a recipe that has been tested and is safe for home canning. Wednesday, Aug. 27, 6 – 8:30 p.m.Workshop

Pre-registration is required for workshops and space is limited. Register online at www.larimer.org/ext or call 498-6000. All workshops held at Larimer County Extension Office, 1525 Blue Spruce Dr., Fort Collins.

**House of Neighborly** Service still needs food of all kinds, especially breakfast cereal and peanut butter. Urgent need for paper products.

BHS woodworking classes are looking for any unwanted hardwood or softwood boards for student projects. We can also use Corian countertop pieces of various sizes. Please contact Robb Sommerfeld at 970-613-7719 or Robert.sommerfeld@thompsonschools.

**Do you have** a problem with math? Free math-tutoring services are provided every Wednesday from 1:10 - 3 p.m. in room 135 at BHS. This informal service for students of any math subject including AP math subjects is provided by a former math teacher.

You got a problem with chemistry? There is help. Free tutoring services are provided every Thursday from 6:30 - 8 p.m in room 135. This is an open, informal environment for all AP Chemistry and Chemistry II students. This is a volunteer service provided by a chemist with 20+ years professional experience.

Scheduled Meetings AARP meets on the second Wednesday of each month at the Lions Depot on Third Steet at 5 p.m. for a covered-dish supper. Please bring something to share with everyone.

Al-Anon is an anonymous fellowip that offers support to people whose lives have been affected by relatives and friends who suffer from the disease of alcoholism. Anonymity is protected at all times. A weekly Al-Anon meeting is held in the nursery of the First Presbyterian Church of Berthoud (531 Eighth St.) on Tuesday evenings from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Please enter through the main door on Eighth Street, then go straight ahead into the nursery. An elevator is available for those who might need it. For more information, contact Liz at 970-290-4359.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at the Berthoud Lions Club every Monday and Friday nights from 8 to 9 p.m. Anyone desiring to quit drinking is welcome. There are no dues or fees. For

more information, please call 532-4653. A Balance and Fall Prevention Class is being held weekly. It's free. Drop-ins are welcome to attend. Classes are held at the Berthoud Area Community Center every Tuesday from 9 -9:45 a.m. Please call 970-532-2730 for more

information. **Berthoud Area Transportation** Service (BATS) is available for Berthoud residents on a demand-response basis.

Call 532-3049 to make a reservation or for more information. Service is available Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to

Berthoud Fire Protection District board meets on the third Tuesday of every month at the Berthoud Area Community Center, 248 Welch Ave. Agendas are available two days prior to the meetings by calling 532-2264. All meetings are open to the public.

Berthoud Library board meets on the first Wednesday of every month in the library community room at 7 p.m.

Berthoud Lions Club meets on the first and third Thursday nights at 6:30 p.m. at the Lions Depot at Third and Massachusetts. The depot is available for rent. Contact Sam Waldo at 532-2001. For more information about the Lions Club call Bob Talley at 532-2228. The Lions are available to loan out supplies for handicapped or disabled people. Contact John Bona, 970-532-

2605, Bob Talley, 970-532-2228.

Berthoud MOPS meets at United Methodist Church on the first and third Tuesday of the month from 9:15 to 11:15 a.m., September through May. Need nore information contact Hawley at 503-913-8338.

Berthoud Parents As Teachers is a free service for all families living in Berthoud who are expecting a child or with children ages birth to five. It includes personalized visits/parent education, group meetings and developmental screenings. Bilingual services available. Contact Rhonda Richer at 970-215 0305 or Rhonda@thefamilycenterfc.org http://berthoudpat.weebly.com.

**Berthoud TOPS** (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) meets every Wednesday at 8 a.m. at the Lions Club depot. Call Julie for information at 970-587-6424. TOPS is a non-profit, non-commercial weightloss support group.

First Presbyterian Church adult bible study, every Sunday at 8:30 a.m. Facilitated by Rev. Jerry Groves. Eighth Steet and Massachusetts Avenue. Everyone welcome.

Friends of the Library board meets in the library community room at 3 p.m. on the third Tuesday of every other month. Please call 970-532-2121 for exact dates.

**Historic Preservation Advisory** Committee meets monthly on the second Monday at 7 p.m. in the Town of Berthoud offices boardroom. For information call 970-581-4603

Job's Daughters Bethel #37 meets on the first and third Friday of each month at 7:15 p.m. at the Longmont Masonic Building, 312 Main St. The organization is open to girls between the ages of 10 and 20 who are interested in self-improvement and service to community. For details contact Megan Fritts 970-213-9050. All girls are welcome.

**Justin Bauer Memorial Post #67** of the American Legion meets on the second Thursday of each month at the Berthoud Area Community Center, 7 p.m. Contact Paul Talafuse for more information, 532-4498.

**Larimer County Commissioner** Tom Donnelly is in Berthoud the fourth Wednesday of every month at the Lighthouse Cafe at 8:30 a.m.

The Larimer County Republican office is open Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sign up to volunteer and help with voter registration, set up and staff booths at events, walk in the parades, make phone calls, assist in your precinct and many other activities. 4020 S. College Ave., Unit 11 in Fort Collins. 970-224-2577 or www. larimerGOP.org.

Larimer County Open Lands — All meetings will be held on the fourth Thursday of each month with the exception of November and December at 500 E. Third St. in Loveland. Meeting time is from 5 - 8 p.m. Please call 679-4534 if you need more information.

**Larimer County Planning Commis**sion meets on the third Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. in the Hearing Room, 200 W. Oak St., first floor, Fort Collins. www.larimer.org/bcc/meetings.

**Little Thompson Water** District Board of Directors meeting dates and agendas are posted on their website at www.ltwd.org. The district office is at 835 E. Highway 56, Berthoud.

Longs Peak Networking meets every Tuesday at 9 a.m. with the goal of assisting with your job search or overall career development. Ipnet.org. Life Bridge Church, west on Highway 66 from the intersection of Highway 287 (Main St.), Longmont. Main entrance on

Moms in Touch is currently meeting to pray for our school-aged students, teachers, staff and schools each Wednesday from 9-10 a.m. We would love to have you join us at Grace Place (upstairs). Any questions, contact Kim Land at 532-9886.

Planning Commission meets on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month at 7 p.m. at town hall.

Reminisce meets on the first and third Mondays of each month at 11 a.m. in the Berthoud Area Community

Rural Alternative For Transportation (RAFT) is available for seniors and disabled adults who reside outside of the town of Berthoud but within the Berthoud Fire Protection District. Phone the Berthoud Community Center 970-532-2730 to register as a rider to receive rides to and from Berthoud, Loveland or Longmont, Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Tree Advisory Committee** meets on the third Monday of each month at town hall at 6 p.m.

Wisdom Seekers will be meeting every Thursday, 9-11 a.m. at Grace Place in Berthoud, beginning Aug. 29 through March 2014. To register, or for more information, please contact Jill at 970-532-4936 or jtbieri@hotmail.com or Donna at 303-775-4006 or rose55@ aol.com.

#### **Berthoud Community Library August events** 248 Welch Ave,

970-532-2730 Aug. 22: Family story time 10:30 a.m. - Lorna will read stories and do finger plays for the whole family. Aug. 26: Busy B's story time 10:30 a.m. – Lap sit story time for babies and toddlers. After story time we will have special quest, Renee Newhalfer to talk to mom's about healthy habits for kids.

Aug. 27: Sweet P's story time 10:30 a.m. - Story time for preschool ages and their grown up. After story time we will have special guest, Renee Newhalfer to talk to mom's about healthy habits for kids. Aug. 29: Family story time 10:30 a.m. – Lorna will read stories and do finger plays for the whole family. After story time we will have special guest, Renee Newhalfer to talk to mom's about healthy habits for kids.

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