

# Talk *of the* Town

## Remember to Take Advantage of the Parker Call-n-Ride Service!

The Parker Call-n-Ride provides “curb-to-curb” transportation services within many areas of the Town of Parker. Riders of all ages can travel to and from destinations within the Call-n-Ride service area, Monday through Friday from 5:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Kids can utilize this amenity for just \$1.10 a ride! Popular summertime destinations include the Parker Recreation Center, H2O’Brien Pool, AMC Twenty Mile 10 Movie Theater, Parker Fieldhouse, schools and more!

It’s easy to book your trips by phone or online! Just call 303.301.5772 or visit [www.RTDCallNRide.com/CNRWeb](http://www.RTDCallNRide.com/CNRWeb).

**To view the Parker service area map, visit [www.ParkerOnline.org/Call-n-Ride](http://www.ParkerOnline.org/Call-n-Ride).**



## Are You Ready for Smokin’ BBQ, Cold Brews and Great Tunes?

Some of the country’s top barbecue experts will be in Parker to compete in the Seventh Annual Smokin’ Brew BBQ over Labor Day weekend.

Hosted annually by the CCV Rotary Club of Parker and sanctioned by the Kansas City Barbeque Society, the Smokin’ Brew contest is expected to draw more than 20,000 people to the PACE Center parking lot to watch the BBQ competitors, eat some great food and listen to a line-up of talented musicians.

considered the godfather of BBQ, who has also appeared on TLC network’s BBQ Pitmasters four times and is a two-time winner of the Jack Daniels’ World Championship BBQ Invitation.

This year’s event at the PACE Center will kick off at 4 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 4. The festivities will conclude with an awards ceremony at 5 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 6, following the judging of entries submitted by the 55 competitors who want a piece of the \$8,500 in prize money.

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Among the 2015 competitors are this season’s BBQ Pitmaster stars and two-time champions, Boyd Abts & Tim Grant of Truebud BBQ, who will be seeking a three-peat as Grand Champion. Also competing will be Johnny Trigg,

In addition to the BBQ, guests can enjoy some great entertainment, which begins at 5 p.m. on Friday with the Blush Band and the Bluzinators. On Saturday, Blinker Fluid will begin the day’s entertainment at noon, followed by guitarist Leroy Miller from 4 to 7 p.m. and the Rick Lewis Project from 8 to 10 p.m. Sunday will feature Bad Candy from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and Blackjack Canyon from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Hours for the event are 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday. The event is free, although tickets must be purchased for food and drink.

For more information, visit [www.SmokinBrewBBQ.com](http://www.SmokinBrewBBQ.com).

## From the Mayor and Town Council...

### ***Parks and Recreation Referendum on Upcoming November Ballot***



*The Parker Town Council.  
From left to right, front row:  
Josh Martin, Joshua Rivero,  
Renee Williams and John  
Diak. Back row: Amy Holland,  
Mayor Mike Waid and Debbie  
Lewis.*

On Monday, July 6, the Parker Town Council adopted an ordinance submitting a ballot question to the registered electors of the Town of Parker at the Nov. 3, 2015 regular election. This ballot question asks voters to allow the Town of Parker to issue debt up to \$39.9 million and impose an additional Town sales tax and use tax in the amount of one-half of one percent (0.50%) to repay the debt.

If approved, the proceeds of the debt issuance and taxes would be used for construction, installation, maintenance and operation of Parks and Recreation improvements, as well as

the acquisition of park and open space land, including, but not limited to:

- Expansion of Salisbury Park North, to include sports fields, trails, open space and an outdoor performance stage
- Expansion of O'Brien Park and H2O'Brien Pool
- Expansion of the trails network
- Acquisition and development of open space

If this ballot question passes, the Town will be authorized to proceed with the necessary action to incur debt and levy taxes in accordance with the question.

If the referendum does not pass, future Park and Recreation projects will take longer to complete. For example, instead of developing Salisbury Park North immediately, it would likely be built in several phases over a number of years.

To view a summary of frequently asked questions on this topic, please visit [www.ParkerRec.com/2015Ballot](http://www.ParkerRec.com/2015Ballot).

## **2015 Citizen Survey Results Now Available!**

Results of the Town of Parker's 2015 Citizen Survey can now be viewed at [www.ParkerOnline.org/CitizenSurvey](http://www.ParkerOnline.org/CitizenSurvey). This survey, which is conducted every two years, gives residents an opportunity to provide performance feedback to their local government and communicate priorities for community planning and resource allocation.

Survey results reveal resident opinions about Parker's quality of life, Town services and public trust, as well as providing insight into resident engagement in the community. Town Council and staff also utilize results to monitor trends in resident opinions, measure government performance over time and inform budgetary and strategic planning decisions.

Conducted by National Research Center, the 2015 Parker Citizen Survey was administered by mail to a representative sample of 3,000 Parker residents in February. The Town received a 25 percent survey response rate, with 754 respondents. New in 2015, respondents were also given the opportunity to complete the survey online, and 55 people took advantage of this option.

Overall survey conclusions indicate that residents feel positively about the quality of life and community in Parker, appreciate the high quality of services provided by the Town and are happy

with opportunities to participate in community events. Residents praise the performance of Town employees and the local government. Traffic, ease of getting around Town and growth are a concern for many residents.

For additional information or to view the full survey results, visit [www.ParkerOnline.org/CitizenSurvey](http://www.ParkerOnline.org/CitizenSurvey) or call 303.841.0353.

## **2016 Town Calendar Photo Contest**

**The Town of Parker invites you to enter your best Parker photographs in our 2016 Calendar Photo Contest. We are looking for striking images that depict life in our community—anything from natural landscapes, wildlife, events, facilities, businesses, architecture or weather to people living, working, shopping or playing. Winning photos will be included in the Town's 2016 Calendar and Annual Report that will be published in December 2015. Contest rules and guidelines will be published in the September issue of Talk of the Town, however you can get an early start by visiting [www.ParkerOnline.org/CalendarContest](http://www.ParkerOnline.org/CalendarContest)!**

## Parker Police Offer CERT Training

There are many types of disasters and emergencies that could affect Parker, including floods, fires and tornadoes. It is estimated that after a major disaster, it may take up to three days for relief workers to reach some areas. The Parker Police Department's Office of Emergency Management offers educational programs to help residents prepare for such an emergency.

One program being offered is Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training. This 32-hour training will begin in September during National Preparedness Month and extend into the first weekend in October. Training will be held Saturdays, Sept. 12 through Oct. 3, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Parker Police Department.

CERT is about readiness, people helping people, rescuer safety and doing the greatest good for the greatest number of people. During the training, citizens will learn how to shut off utilities; put out small fires; treat the three killers by opening airways, controlling bleeding and treating for shock; provide basic medical aid; search for and rescue victims safely; and organize themselves and spontaneous volunteers to be effective during a disaster.

CERT training is provided free of charge and is open to anyone ages 15 and over. All persons under 18 will be required to have a parent or guardian's written permission to participate. A criminal history check will be required and each applicant will be assessed individually. All participants will also be required to sign a liability waiver to participate in the training.

For more information and to apply, visit [www.ParkerPolice.org/CERT](http://www.ParkerPolice.org/CERT).

## Time for TOP Ample Harvest!

The Parker Police Department, Town of Parker and Parker Parks and Recreation have once again teamed up to provide fresh fruits and vegetables to those in need within our community.

One out of six Americans needs help feeding their family. Now is the perfect opportunity to donate your excess garden bounty to the Parker Task Force and help those in need. Donations will be accepted on Tuesdays and Wednesdays at the Parker Task Force, currently located at 20118 E. Mainstreet. The Parker Task Force will be moving to a new facility located at 19105 Longs Way during the month of August. To find information on the organization's location at the time that you wish to donate, call 303.841.3460 or visit [www.ParkerTaskForce.org](http://www.ParkerTaskForce.org).

It is best to harvest your crops in the early morning while they still have some of the coolness of the evening air. If they have dew, wipe them dry with a paper towel. Each item should be visually inspected for serious bruising, insect damage and ripeness. Please, do not donate produce that you would not buy for your own family.

TOP Ample Harvest is part of AmpleHarvest.org, a nationwide campaign that uses the Internet to diminish hunger, improve nutrition and help the environment in America. The goal is to help millions of backyard gardeners easily find a local food pantry eager for their excess garden bounty through education, encouragement and empowerment.

For more information on the program, visit [www.ParkerPolice.org/AmpleHarvest](http://www.ParkerPolice.org/AmpleHarvest). For questions about the Parker Task Force, call 303.841.3460 or visit [www.ParkerTaskForce.org](http://www.ParkerTaskForce.org).



## Woodman Drive and Parker Road Improvements

The Woodman Drive and Parker Road improvements project, with a construction contract price of \$421,000, is anticipated to be substantially complete by the end of August. Funding for this project is from a private-public partnership with the adjacent development west of the intersection and the Town providing oversight. The project included reconstruction of Woodman Drive (a private roadway) west of Parker Road plus widening of the E-470 off-ramp and intersection improvements to allow for an eastbound left-hand turn to northbound Parker Road (State Highway 83).

## Parker Recreation Center Grand Re-Opening Set for Aug. 22

The wait is over! It's time to enjoy the new and improved Parker Recreation Center during the Grand Re-Opening event on Saturday, Aug. 22 from 8 a.m. to noon with free admission. There will be a discounted \$3 all-ages admission from noon to 8 p.m.

Join us in celebrating the completion of the eagerly awaited expansion/renovation. We have several new and renovated spaces including a new leisure pool with a variety of amenities, a new therapy pool, additional lap swimming lanes, eight new family changing rooms, a half-gymnasium, a children's party room, new classrooms, a new fitness studio, an expanded lobby and reception area, renovated locker rooms, an expanded parking lot and a dynamic new exterior to the facility. In all, the Recreation Center boasts 34,000 square feet of new and renovated space!

This event will include free admission, a ribbon cutting, tours, activities for all ages, giveaways and more. The indoor pool area has limited capacity; patrons will be admitted into the pool for



60-minute sessions on a first-come, first-served basis. Please do not bring personal floatation devices; only coast guard approved life vests will be permitted. For additional information, visit [www.ParkerRec.com/RecreationCenterExpansion](http://www.ParkerRec.com/RecreationCenterExpansion), call 303.841.4500 or email [recreation@parkeronline.org](mailto:recreation@parkeronline.org).

### Community Development Corner *How Does Development Work in Parker?*

With the amount of growth happening throughout Colorado, as well as in the Parker community, the Town receives inquiries about its role in the development process. While the Town does own and develop some land in Parker for Town facilities, parks and other Town-provided amenities and infrastructure, most land in and around our community is privately owned. This includes both vacant land, as well as existing commercial structures. Many of these private properties have existing zoning in place, some dating back to the early 1980s, that allows for development or redevelopment into a variety of uses such as residential and commercial development.

Property owners may choose to request a rezoning of their property if the current zoning does not allow for a land use they would like to develop. Rezoning a property is a public process in which the final decision is made at a public hearing by the Parker Town Council. The Town's 2035 Master Plan provides a framework and guides Town Council and Planning Commission when they are making annexation and zoning decisions. When a property is zoned or rezoned, the General Land Use Plan map in the Master Plan is the guiding document that recommends what types of land uses are appropriate in what locations within Town.

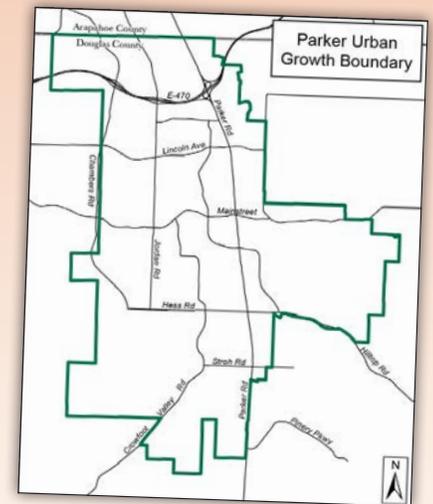
Once a property is annexed and zoned in the Town, the owner may choose to develop their land within the constraints of the property's zoning and the Land Development Ordinance. The Land Development Ordinance includes both the processes

and the standards that a property owner needs to meet to develop or redevelop their property. New businesses can also be opened in existing commercial structures as long as they meet the zoning requirements. For instance, if an individual wishes to open a dry-cleaning business or a

restaurant, they are able to do so as long as the type of use is permitted within the property's current zoning. The Town's zoning can restrict types of land uses but cannot restrict specific businesses or chains if the zoning and Land Development Ordinance requirements are met.

Although the Town has limited control over the type of businesses that come to Parker, we can ensure that any new development meets our Land Development Ordinance standards, is of a high quality, has adequate infrastructure and meets the Town's architectural design standards.

For more information about the Town's Master Plan, please visit [www.ParkerOnline.org/Parker2035](http://www.ParkerOnline.org/Parker2035). For more information on development, please visit [www.ParkerOnline.org/CurrentDevelopment](http://www.ParkerOnline.org/CurrentDevelopment).



# ***Enjoy the End of Summer with Parker Parks and Recreation!***

## ***Everyone Wins with Kids' TRY-athlon***

Hey kids, give it a TRY! Parker Parks and Recreation and Advanced Pediatric Associates present the Kids' TRY-athlon on Saturday, Aug. 15 at 7 a.m. at the Parker Recreation Center. Children ages 6 to 12 of all ability levels are invited to try their skills in three events: swimming, biking and running. This event is geared toward fun, not competition, so it is a great confidence booster for any kid.

The fee for this event is \$20 and includes a T-shirt and bag. Register online at [www.ParkerRec.com/KidsTRY](http://www.ParkerRec.com/KidsTRY). Distances and start times for each age group will be posted online. For event sponsorship inquiries, please contact Jaime Vollertsen at [jvollertsen@parkeronline.org](mailto:jvollertsen@parkeronline.org).

Parker Parks and Recreation would like to thank our Kids' TRY-athlon sponsors: Advanced Pediatric Associates, Huntington Learning Center, James R Sulhoff Agency, LLC – American Family Insurance and Parker Academy of Martial Arts.

## ***NEW Super Star School Day Program***

Looking for a place for your little ones to play, socialize and work on homework before and after school? The Parker Fieldhouse Day Camp will introduce the Super Star School Day program for kids ages 5 and 6 beginning Aug. 3. This program runs during regular school days, not during holiday breaks or summer, and costs only \$20 per session with no registration fee! The AM Half Day session runs between 7 a.m. and 1 p.m., and the PM Half Day session runs between 11:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Transportation is provided to and from a limited number of area schools, including Northstar Academy, American Academy, Pine Lane, Cherokee Trail and Little Blessings Preschool.

## ***Volunteer Opportunities with Parker Parks and Recreation***

Looking for volunteer hours? Parker Parks and Recreation has many volunteer opportunities available for those wanting to help out the community, fill up some free time or simply complete required service hours. Volunteers can now sign up to help out at the So Long to Summer 5K/10K, the Kids' TRY-athlon and Barker Days.

The So Long to Summer 5K/10K will be held on Saturday, Aug. 8 at Salisbury Park, and volunteers are needed to help with two shifts. The first shift runs from 6 to 10:30 a.m. and the second from 7:30 a.m. to noon. Volunteers are needed to help set up the course, direct people while on the course, warn non-participants who are using the trail that an event is ongoing, keep runners safe, hand out water and clean up after the event. The minimum age to volunteer for this event is 14.

**Visit [www.ParkerRec.com](http://www.ParkerRec.com) or call 303.841.4500 for information or to register for the above programs.**

The Kids' TRY-athlon is about fun over competition, allowing boys and girls to compete in swimming, biking and running. Volunteers are needed to ensure course safety, direct kids the correct way through the course, keep water stations filled throughout the event, assist the Aquatics Coordinator with lane assignments and heats and set up before and clean up after the event. Shifts run from 6 to 11:30 a.m. The minimum age to volunteer for this event is 14.

At Barker Days, H2O'Brien Pool goes to the dogs! Volunteers are needed on Sept. 12 from noon to 4 p.m. to monitor gates to ensure the dogs are safe, refill water stations, hand out bags, monitor the field, watch crowds in the obstacle course area, oversee the dog wash area, hand out prizes and clean up after the event. The minimum age to volunteer for this event is 13.

From one-day events to coaching a sports team, Parker Parks and Recreation would be happy to put your valuable skills to work. Volunteers are needed for various community and sporting events throughout the year, including Skate Nights, youth sports coaching and more! To volunteer for any of our events, visit [www.VolunteerConnectDC.org](http://www.VolunteerConnectDC.org) and choose "Parker" as your Geographic Area and "Town of Parker" as your organization.

## ***Spend Parent/Child Time in the Kids' Zone***

Kids' Zone classes are a great way for your youngster to express themselves, improve motor skills and learn new things! Parent/Child classes like My Baby's Got Rhythm Music and Sign Class (ages 6 weeks to 18 months), Toddler Music Makers (ages 18 months to 3 years) and Baby OM Yoga (ages 6 weeks to 1 year) help you bond with your baby while learning together. The cost for each of these five-week programs, which begin Sept. 14, is \$54 for Parker residents and \$58 for non-residents.

## ***Get Cooking with Youth Enrichment***

Let your child release their inner chef! Young chefs ages 6 to 10 can have a blast every week discovering how easy and fun it is to cook (and gobble up) tasty, healthy American and globally inspired Sticky Fingers Cooking recipes! Classes each feature a healthy recipe, emphasize safety and skill building and encourage environmental awareness in an engaging way. Class is held on Thursdays from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. beginning Sept. 10. The cost for the six-week session is \$147 for Parker residents and \$152 for non-residents.

## Get in the Swing of Spring with Parker Arts!

### Concerts in the Park

Come out and enjoy these FREE summer events at O'Brien Park. All Concerts in the Park performances start at noon. Bring a picnic and the whole family for an afternoon of music from around the world!

- *Tambours Sans Frontiers* – Aug. 2

Traditional Congolese percussion living up to their name, “Drums Without Borders.”

- *Pan Jumbies* – Aug. 9

A blend of calypso, soca, reggae, ska, jazz and more make a Caribbean groove.

- *Bad Candy* – Aug. 16

This acoustic cover band plays bluegrass, country, R&B and rock favorites.

- *Manuel Molina* – Aug. 23

This internationally known solo guitarist performs Latin music with passion.

- *The Bluzinators* – Aug. 30

The Bluzinators are a Parker favorite, playing a unique blend of swing and rhythm and blues.

### FREE PACE Patio Party: Samie True/Saynayers

- Aug. 26; 6 p.m.

The 2015 PACE Patio Party season ends with a doubleheader from local artists, Samie True and Saynayers. Singer/songwriter Samie True is from Parker and attends Legend High School. Saynayers is an alternative rock group from Boulder. Their music is split between originals and their unique versions of classic songs.

Guests can bring a picnic dinner (no outside alcohol allowed) or purchase snacks and drinks, all while enjoying the sunset in a laid-back atmosphere. Space is limited to the first 200 people to arrive. The patio opens at 5 p.m. with the performance beginning at 6 p.m. It is recommended that you bring your own lawn chairs, as seating will not be provided.

### Rodney Crowell

- Aug. 29; 7:30 p.m.

This multi-Grammy award winning artist performs his deep-rooted, plainspoken songs with country soul.

**For tickets and more information on Parker Arts shows and events visit [www.ParkerArts.org](http://www.ParkerArts.org) or call our Box Office at 303.805.6800.**

### Doubt, A Parable

- Sept. 11 to 20; times vary

Parker Arts and Parker Theatre Academy present this dramatic co-production at the newly renamed Schoolhouse Theater at Mainstreet (formerly the Mainstreet Center). Set at a Church School in the Bronx during the fall of 1964, *Doubt* explores human behavior as distrust and suspicions arise.

### Chuck Negron

- Sept. 19; 7:30 p.m.

Chuck Negron, formerly of Three Dog Night, has been captivating audiences for over five decades with his iconic vocals, renowned as lead singer on hit songs like “Joy to the World” and “Old Fashioned Love Song.”

### Singin’ in the Rain

- Sept. 25 to 27 and Oct. 2 to 11; times vary

Hilarious situations and snappy dialogue are in the forecast for this golden-age movie musical. Based on the classic MGM film starring Gene Kelly, this show is sure to have you singin’ along with a downpour of unforgettable songs like “Fit As A Fiddle,” “Good Morning” and, of course, the splashy title number, “Singin’ In The Rain!”

### Youth Theater Auditions with Parker Arts

*Don Quixote* is based on Cervantes’ book about the idealistic Lord of La Mancha, who believes he is a knight and strives to live his life by the code of chivalry. This is a very comical and poignant production and perfect for teen actors ages 10 to 18! Auditions will be at the Mainstreet Center on Tuesday, Aug. 25 from 5 to 7 p.m. There is no fee to audition, however, a registration fee of \$90 will be required if casted. Rehearsals will run Tuesdays and Thursdays through Oct. 1 and end with two productions on Oct. 2 and Oct. 3.

### Learn Something New!

Looking for an enriching dance experience with peers? Parker Arts offers a variety of dance programs for all ages, including ballet, tap, jazz, Irish Ceili, ballroom, musical theater, belly dance, line dance and couples dance! Classes begin in August. Registration is open for everyone’s local favorite, On Pointe School of Dance. All dancers ages 3 and up participate in a winter performance of *Clara’s Dream* at the PACE Center. Don’t wait to register your child, as spots fill quickly. Please visit [www.ParkerArts.org/Education](http://www.ParkerArts.org/Education) for class listings.

## New Paint Recycling Program Available for Colorado Residents

A new paint recycling program in Colorado began July 1 that will make it more convenient for households and most businesses to recycle unwanted paint.

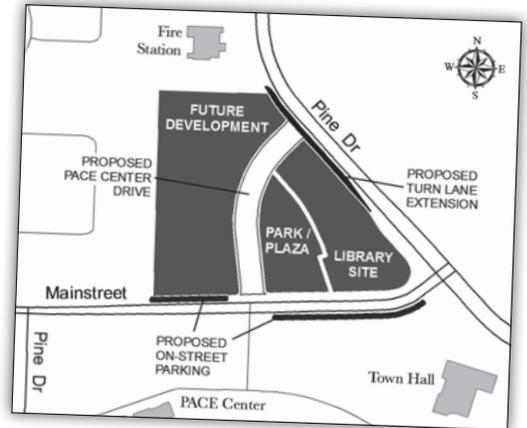
There are more than 100 drop-off sites accepting most house paints, primers, stains, sealers and clear top coatings (varnish and shellac) that adhere to the programs requirements. Currently, the three locations in Parker offering paint drop-off are Guirys, KWAL and Sherwin Williams. A complete list of drop-off sites across Colorado and requirements can be found on the PaintCare website at [www.PaintCare.org](http://www.PaintCare.org).

This program is funded by a nominal fee now added to the price of paint sold in Colorado, so there is no cost for drop-offs. It provides another option for Parker residents to dispose of paint and other eligible products, rather than waiting for the annual household chemical roundup. As a reminder, the discharge of paint or any other substance into the stormwater system is an illicit discharge that violates Town Code, as well as State and Federal law. To report illegal dumping, please call the Town of Parker's Stormwater Hotline at 303.805.6262.

## Phase Two of East Mainstreet Improvements Underway

The next round of improvements related to the EastMain Development Project is scheduled to begin in early August.

The infrastructure necessary to support the site's development will be constructed with this phase, including a roadway through the property, storm drainage, utilities and improvements to the adjacent roadways. The project also includes portions of the landscaping and lighting elements planned for the streets adjacent to the site.



This construction will require periodic lane reductions on the adjacent streets, but no full roadway closures are anticipated.

The infrastructure portion of the project is currently scheduled to be completed in November. For more information, please visit the project website at [www.ParkerOnline.org/EastMainDevelopmentProject](http://www.ParkerOnline.org/EastMainDevelopmentProject).

## Explore Historic Downtown Parker on Aug. 29!

Did you know that the Parker Consolidated School, known in recent years as the Mainstreet Center, is celebrating its 100th anniversary this year? The Town of Parker, the Parker Area Historical Society, Parker Parks and Recreation, the PACE Center and Douglas County Libraries have joined forces to celebrate with three FREE family-friendly events on Saturday, Aug. 29.

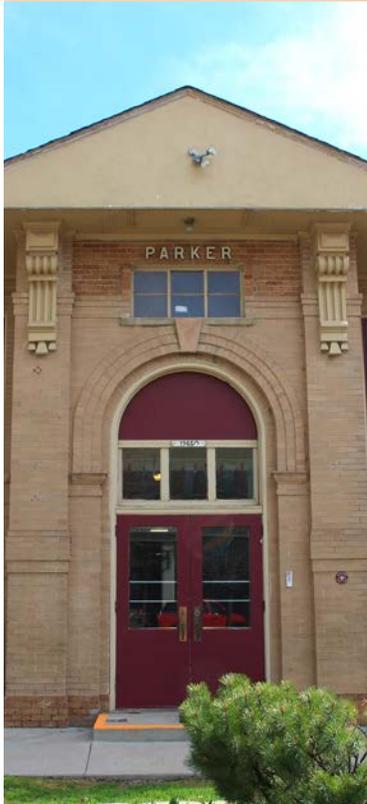
First up is Parker Quest, a scavenger-hunt-style event beginning at 10 a.m. Families, teams and individuals can enjoy an adventure-filled tour of downtown Parker while exploring its history and heritage. The journey begins at the O'Brien Park gazebo, where you will receive a passport with clues. Solve each clue to find the next location and the next clue, making your way through places of interest in our Town. To register for Parker Quest, call 303.791.7323 or visit [www.DouglasCountyLibraries.org](http://www.DouglasCountyLibraries.org), click

on the "events" tab and select Aug. 29 on the calendar icon.

At the end of the quest, you can be among the first to check out the new Parker Heritage Center, which will be having its grand opening! Peruse the local history exhibits and get a glimpse of what Parker looked like 100 years ago, when the community was young.

And what's a birthday without a party? Join Mayor Mike Waid at 12:15 p.m. as he kicks off a celebration with refreshments, old-fashioned games, a car show with fire trucks and, of course, cake! Mayor Waid will preside over the official re-naming of the Mainstreet Center as The Schoolhouse as part of the festivities.

Three great events...and all for free! Come downtown and help celebrate what makes Parker great.



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## August 2015 Community Calendar

### Town Council Meeting

Aug. 3 & 17; 7 p.m.  
Parker Town Hall

### Town Council Study Session

Aug. 10 & 24; 5:30 p.m.  
Parker Town Hall

### Planning Commission

Aug. 13 & 27; 7 p.m.  
Parker Town Hall

### Special Licensing Authority

Aug. 20; 7 p.m.  
Parker Town Hall

*Meetings are occasionally canceled or rescheduled. Call 303.841.0353 for more information.*

### Town Hall

20120 E. Mainstreet  
303.841.0353

### Economic Development

19801 E. Mainstreet  
303.805.6260

### Fieldhouse

18700 E. Plaza Dr.  
303.805.6300

### PACE Center

20000 Pikes Peak Ave.  
303.805.6800

### Police Department

18600 E. Lincoln Meadows Pkwy.  
303.841.9800

### Public Works Operations

9045 Tammy Lane  
303.840.9546

### Recreation Center

17301 E. Lincoln Ave.  
303.841.4500

## Upcoming Community Events

### 14th Annual Pinery Art Show

Aug. 1; 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
Lakeshore Park in The Pinery  
*Go to [www.Pinery.org](http://www.Pinery.org) or call 303.841.8572 for more information.*

### Parker Honey Festival

Aug. 2; 9 a.m. to noon  
O'Brien Park  
*Go to [www.ParkerArts.org](http://www.ParkerArts.org) or call 303.805.6800 for more information.*

### Concerts in the Park

Aug. 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30; noon  
O'Brien Park  
*Go to [www.ParkerArts.org](http://www.ParkerArts.org) or call 303.805.6800 for more information.*

### So Long to Summer 5K/10K

Aug. 8; 8 a.m.  
Salisbury Park  
*Go to [www.ParkerRec.com](http://www.ParkerRec.com) or call 303.805.6304 for more information.*

### 2015 National Night Out

Aug. 8; 2 to 8 p.m.  
O'Brien Park  
*Go to [www.ParkerPolice.org](http://www.ParkerPolice.org) or call 303.841.9800 for more information.*

### Movies in the Park: Frozen

Aug. 8; Dusk  
O'Brien Park  
*Go to [www.ParkerChamber.com](http://www.ParkerChamber.com) or call 303.841.4268 for more information.*

### Kids' TRY-athlon

Aug. 15; 7 a.m.  
Parker Recreation Center  
*Go to [www.ParkerRec.com/KidsTry](http://www.ParkerRec.com/KidsTry) or call 303.805.3278 for more information.*

### Art in the Park

Aug. 15 to 16; times vary  
O'Brien Park  
*Go to [www.ParkerArtistsGuild.com](http://www.ParkerArtistsGuild.com) or call 303.841.2709 for more information.*

### Parker Recreation Center Grand Re-Opening

Aug. 22; 8 a.m. to noon  
Parker Recreation Center  
*Go to [www.ParkerRec.com](http://www.ParkerRec.com) or call 303.841.4500 for more information.*

### Women's Divorce Workshop

Aug. 22; 8 a.m. to noon  
Southeast Christian Church  
*Go to [www.DivorceWorkshopDenver.com](http://www.DivorceWorkshopDenver.com) or call 303.210.2607 for more information.*

### Old Town Wine Walk

Aug. 28; 5 to 8 p.m.  
Downtown Parker  
*Go to [www.ParkerChamber.com](http://www.ParkerChamber.com) or call 303.841.4268 for more information.*

### Parker Quest

Aug. 29; 10 a.m. to noon  
Downtown Parker  
*Go to [www.DouglasCountyLibraries.org](http://www.DouglasCountyLibraries.org) or call 303.791.7232 for more information.*

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