

## Calendar of Events

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July 9, 2025

### **Colorado River Valley Chamber Board Meeting**

**Rifle Branch Library**

**207 East Avenue**

**Rifle, CO 81650**

08:30 AM - 10:00 AM MST

Ashlee Taylor, 9706252085

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July 12, 2025

### **Silt Historical Park 5k**

**Silt Historical Park**

**707 Orchard Ave**

**Silt, CO 81652**

08:00 AM - 10:00 AM MST

Desi Kirkpatrick, 970-309-3351

silthobble@gmail.com

*Silt Historical Park 5k*

*WALK - RUN - HOBBLE*

*DOGS WELCOME!*

*Join us for a fun morning with food, drinks, prize raffle and live music.*

*Registration begins at 7 a.m.*

*Register here:*

*5k Hobble Registration — Silt Historical*

July 16, 2025

**Monthly Ambassador Meeting**

**CMC Rifle Campus**

**3695 Airport Road**

**Rifle, CO 81650**

12:00 PM - 01:00 PM MST

Mandie Dovey,

mdovey@coloradomtn.edu

*If your interested in becoming an Ambassador for the Chamber, please contact us or join us at one of our monthly meetings to see what its all about.*

July 17, 2025

**Third Thursday on Third**

**Railroad & 3rd Street**

05:00 PM - 08:00 PM MST

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July 18, 2025

**Business After Hours with ANB Bank**

**ANB BANK**

**429 Railroad Ave.**

**Rifle, CO 81652**

05:30 PM - 07:00 PM MST

*Step out, connect, and grow your business at our July Business After Hours, hosted by ANB Bank! This casual networking event is the perfect opportunity to meet fellow Chamber members, make new connections, and spark potential business opportunities.*

*Enjoy delicious complimentary food and drinks, exciting giveaways, and the chance to mingle with professionals from a variety of industries. Whether you're looking to build your client base, strengthen community ties, or just get out of the house for a fun and productive evening, this is the place to be.*

*Bring your business cards, bring a friend, and get ready to make meaningful connections in a relaxed, welcoming environment. We'll see you there!*

July 19, 2025

**Pet Adoption Event - Petco**

**Petco - Glenwood Springs**

**105 E Meadows Drive**

**Glenwood Springs, CO 81601**

12:00 PM - 03:00 PM MST

Taya Bullock, 970-625-8808

taya@jhacc.org

*Stop by Petco in Glenwood Springs for a special adoption event! Meet one of our adorable & adoptable pets!*

*For questions about this event or to host an adoption event of your own please give us a call at 970-625-8808 ext. 1015 or send an email to Taya@jhacc.org*

July 26, 2025

**Christmas In July**

**Wild Roots Boutique**

**702 Main Street Silt, CO 81652**

**Silt, CO 81652**

10:00 AM - 03:00 PM MST

Ashlee Taylor, 9702741951

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*3rd Annual Christmas in July at Wild Roots Boutique. New Arrivals, Deals, Giveaways and more!! Enjoy a specialty drink from my neighbor Wild Coffee Roasters. A handful of vendors will be set up ready to bring on the Christmas cheer.*

July 30, 2025

**Ribbon Cutting for Columbine Liquor**

**840 Main Street**

**Silt, CO 81652**

03:00 PM - 04:30 PM MST

Ashlee Taylor, 9706252085

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*Join us for a ribbon cutting at Columbine Liquor in Silt. Bring a friend and lets help celebrate our small businesses in the community.*

August 2, 2025

**2025 Garfield County Fair Parade**

**Railroad Ave**

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM MST

*Parade theme this year is "Celebrate the Bounty of Our County"*

*The awards this year are:*

*Overall Best Theme: 1st*

*Best Float: 1st, 2nd, 3rd*

*Classic Auto: 1st, 2nd, 3rd*

*Performance Team: 1st, 2nd, 3rd*

*Horse Entry: 1st, 2nd, 3rd*

August 12, 2025  
- August 14, 2025

### **Our Community Listens - improving communication skills**

**Ute Theatre - Rifle, CO**

**132 E 4th St**

**Rifle, CO 81650**

08:30 AM - 04:30 PM MST

Barnaby Katz, 314-900-6906

barnaby.katz@chapmancommunities.org

*Our Community Listens is a three-day communications skills class offering a transformation learning experience to strengthen relationships, align teams, and build stronger communities.*

*You will:*

*Examine your behavioral tendencies and how to better communicate with others*

*Explore how the Communication Cycle forms the foundation of your interpersonal communication*

*Learn how to listen to connect with others*

*Appreciate the impact your nonverbal behavior has on your verbal communication*

*Develop a more effective way to handle confrontation*

*See and celebrate the good in others*

*The way we teach is unique. Our facilitators teach from experience as opposed to only delivering information. We have intentional curriculum that continuously loops through...*

*Enlightenment (personal insights)*

*Equipping (practical tools), and*

*Empowerment (application and sustainment)*

*We will start every day at 8:30am and end each day by 4:30pm local time. The modules build on each other. It is imperative that you attend each day in its entirety.*

*Adults ages 18 and older are welcome. Family members are discouraged from attending together.*

August 13, 2025

### **Colorado River Valley Chamber Board Meeting**

**Parachute TBA**

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August 14, 2025

**Business After Hours Mixer- Meet the Chief**  
**Colorado River Valley Chamber Office**  
**136 E. 3rd St**  
**Rifle, CO 81650**

05:30 PM - 07:00 PM MST

*Join us for a special Business After Hours event hosted by the Rifle Police Department. This is a unique opportunity to meet Chief Funston, ask questions, and connect with fellow community members and local professionals in a casual, welcoming setting. Don't miss this chance to build relationships and engage with those who serve and protect our city!*

August 17, 2025

**Ribbon Cutting Open House for Grand Valley Historical Society**  
**Wasson McKay House**  
**259 Cardinal Way**  
**Parachute, CO 81635**

01:00 PM - 03:00 PM MST

*Join us for a ribbon cutting open house and ice cream social in Parachute at the Grand Valley Historical Society.*

August 20, 2025

**CRVCC Workshop Series**  
**Colorado Mountain College Rifle Campus**  
**3695 Airport Rd.**  
**Rifle, CO 81650**

05:30 PM - 07:00 PM MST

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September 10, 2025

**Business After Hours with Mountain Family Health Centers**

**Mountain Family Health Centers**

**195 W 14th Ste C**

**Rifle, CO 81652**

05:30 PM - 07:00 PM MST

*Step out, connect, and grow your business at our September Business After Hours, hosted by Mountain Family Health Centers! This casual networking event is the perfect opportunity to meet fellow Chamber members, make new connections, and spark potential business opportunities.*

September 10, 2025

**CPR Training**

**Colorado River Fire Rescue- Rifle**

**1850 Railroad Ave**

**Rifle, CO 81650**

05:00 PM - 07:30 PM MST

*Invest in your safety with this exclusive half price Members only CPR class. This course consists hands on training and certification is included.*

*Space is limited to 25, so reserve your spot today!*

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**Colorado River Valley Chamber Ambassador Pickleball Fundraiser**  
**Grand Valley Recreation Center**

**0398 Arroyo Dr.**

**Battlement Mesa, CO 81635**

**05:00 PM - 09:00 PM MST**

*? You're Invited! ?*

*Colorado River Valley Chamber Ambassador Pickleball Scholarship Fundraiser*

*Join us for an exciting weekend of pickleball, community, and purpose at our first-ever Pickleball Tournament Fundraiser — supporting the Ambassador Scholarship Fund for local high school students!*

*? Date & Time:*

*Friday, September 19th | 4:00 PM – 9:00 PM (Pool Play)*

*Saturday, September 20th | 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM (Tournament Play)*

*? Location:*

*Parachute Battlement Mesa Parks and Recreation Center*

*0398 Arroyo Dr., Battlement Mesa, CO*

*? Why Play?*

*All proceeds benefit scholarships for students in Grand Valley, Rifle, Coal Ridge, and area private/home-based high schools — helping local teens take the next step in their education.*

*? Tournament Details:*

*Friday: Pool play to determine tournament seeding*

*Saturday: Full tournament play, with upper and lower divisions*

*Open to all skill levels: Beginner, Intermediate & Advanced*

*Ages 18 and older*

*Extras:*

*Local food trucks*

*Raffles & prizes*

*Discounted hotel rates and rec center day passes*

*? Registration:*



\$70 per team of 2

Online registration only – no day-of signups!

*Bring your paddle, bring a friend, and play for a purpose! Let's serve up some fun while investing in the future of our youth.*

October 8, 2025

**Colorado River Valley Chamber Board Meeting**

**Rifle Co-Work**

**144 East 3rd**

**Rifle, CO 81650**

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**46th Annual Chili Cook Off**

**Garfield County Fairgrounds**

**1001 Railroad Ave**

**Rifle, CO 81652**

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October 16, 2025

**Business After Hours with Rough Bar & Grill**

**The Rough Bar & Grill**

**3004 CO-325**

**Rifle, CO 81652**

05:30 PM - 07:00 PM MST

*Step out, connect, and grow your business at our October Business After Hours, hosted by The Rough Bar & Grill. This casual networking event is the perfect opportunity to meet fellow Chamber members, make new connections, and spark potential business opportunities.*

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**2nd International Conference on Agriculture & Natural Resources**

**Rome, Italy**

**Rome, Italy**

**Rome, CO 00042**

09:00 AM - 06:00 PM MST

Jenny Chiara, 14086482233

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*Inovine Scientific Meetings extends a warm invitation to attend the 2nd International Conference on Agriculture & Natural Resources (ICANR 2025), scheduled for November 17-18, 2025, in Rome, Italy. This prestigious conference will bring together experts, professionals, and researchers in the fields of agriculture and environmental sciences to explore the theme "The Agricultural Sector's Challenges in Safeguarding Natural Resources and the Environment for Future Generations."*

*For more details Explore our website: <https://agricultureconferences.com/>*

*Join us for an engaging experience, featuring insightful discussions, research presentations, and networking opportunities with leaders in the industry.*

*Best regards,*

*Jenny Chiara | Program Manager*

*Agriculture & Natural Resources Conference 2025 | Rome, Italy*

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**Ute Theatre**

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