Calendar of Events

April 9, 2025 Colorado River Valley Chamber Board Meeting

Rifle Co-Work 144 East 3rd Rifle, CO 81650

08:30 AM - 10:00 AM MST Ashlee Taylor, 9706252085 eventscrvcc@gmail.com

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April 11, 2025 Business After Hours with Elmers Glass of Rifle

Elmers Glass of Rifle 2117 Whiteriver Ave Rifle, CO 81650

05:30 PM - 07:00 PM MST

Our Business After Hours event is hosted by Elmers Glass of Rifle. It's designed to bring together professionals in a relaxed, after-work setting to build relationships, exchange ideas, and discover potential business opportunities.

It's a great chance to make new connections, learn about what other local businesses are doing, and even drum up new business for your own company.

April 16, 2025 Empty Bowls

Grand River Health Ballroom

501 Airport Rd Rifle, CO 81650

12:00 PM - 02:00 PM MST

Fighting Hunger one Bowl at a Time.

Colorado Mountain College Rifle ceramics students create one of a kind bowls to be filled with delicious soups crafted by Grand River Cafe.

\$25 Donation. Proceeds support Grand River Meals on Wheels

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April 16, 2025

CRVCC Workshop Series - Worker Safety & Company Viability for Small Business Colorado Mountain College Rifle Campus

3695 Airport Rd. Rifle, CO 81650

05:30 PM - 07:00 PM MST

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April 18, 2025

2025 CMC Sustainability Studies and Ecosystem Science & Stewardship Conference https://coloradomtn-edu.zoom.us/meeting/register/ao6kGNz0QjSGWTIELmZkXQ#/registration

09:00 AM - 12:00 PM MST Valerie LeMaster, 9709478432 vjlemaster@coloradomtn.edu REMATRIATING THE ROCKIES

How do we shift environmental conservation toward a more equitable and balanced future? Join our annual virtual conference highlighting the work of graduating students in Sustainability Studies and Ecosystem Science & Stewardship programs. Featuring an opening address by CMC President, Dr. Matt Gianneschi, with a closing presentation by our Keynote Speaker, Gemara Gifford, M.S, who will share her research on the pathways and barriers to rematriation in the Southern Rocky Mountain Region. "Rematriation" is a movement supporting the direct return of lands to Indigenous Peoples, the return of buffalo to their homelands, and the reclamation and resurgence of Indigenous Knowledge, cultural practices, languages, and lifeways.

For more information and detailed schedule, visit the Conference page for more details and to register for this FREE, virtual event.

April 19, 2025

Adoption Event - Tractor Supply (Rifle)
Tractor Supply (Rifle)
1581 Airport Road
Rifle, CO 81650

10:00 AM - 01:00 PM MST Taya Bullock, 970-625-8808

taya@jhacc.org

Stop by Tractor Supply in Rifle on Saturday, April 19th from 10:00 AM To 1:00 PM for a special adoption event with adorable and adoptable animals from Journey Home Animal Care Center. All adoptions this day at Tractor Supply will be just \$50.00/each.

We hope to see you there!

For questions about this event please contact our Community Outreach Director Taya at 970-625-8808 ext. 1015 or send an email to Taya@jhacc.org

April 26, 2025

2025 Annual Awards Banquet Atlantic Aviation Airport Hangar 6 375 County Road 352 Unit 2070 Rifle, CO 81650

06:00 PM - 09:00 PM MST

It's time to sign up for our Annual Awards Banuquet. Every year, we gather to honor the shining stars in our community—those who have made a real difference. Our Annual Awards Banquet is more than just a night of recognition. It's a celebration of hard work, dedication, and the passion that drives our local heroes. It's an unforgettable evening full of excitement, networking, and fun. It will include networking with local leaders and community members. Live and Silent Auctions filled with amazing prizes. A First Place Costume Contest—this year's theme? Top Gun! So, whether you're Maverick, Goose, or an iconic aviator, get ready to dress to impress and take the spotlight! This night is all about bringing people together to celebrate the spirit of community, and we'd love for you to be a part of it.

April 26, 2025

2025 Strutt for Mutts

Deerfield Park, Rifle

09:00 AM - 12:00 PM MST Taya Bullock, 970-625-8808

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The furriest 5K on the Western Slope!

Journey Home Animal Care Center's Strut for Mutt dog-friendly 5K returns on April 26th, 2025!

Sign up as an individual or as a team to walk, jog, or run with your dog to support shelter animals in need.

Sign up at:

https://runsignup.com/Race/CO/Rifle/StrutforMutts Want to become a sponsor? Contact Taya Bullock at: taya@jhacc.org or call 970.625.8808 ext.1015

May 2, 2025

Cinco De Mayo
Garfield County Fairgrounds
1001 Railroad Ave
Rifle, CO 81652

05:30 PM - 08:30 PM MST eventscrvcc@gmail.com

We are excited to be presenting Cinco de Mayo. It's time to sign up to compete for the title of campion. We have three categories; pozole, salsa and dessert. \$40 to register if you are a member and \$50 for a non member plus \$10 for any additional categories.

We will have live entertainment, band and an Jalapeno eating contest. Stop by and bring the whole family the evening off. \$10 for adults, \$5 for kids. Ages 10 and under are FREE.

May 3, 2025

MayFest

Cottonwood Park

100 La Plata Circle, Parachute, CO 81635

Parachute, CO 81635

08:00 AM - 10:00 PM MST

Nicole Loschke, 9702855701

nloschke@garfield16.org

MayFest is a youth-led initiative sponsored by the Jonathan D. and Marc C. Lewis Foundatoin. The event is designed to bring youth, their families, and community organizations together to learn about local resources, career opportunities, and internships, all while enjoying a day of fun activities such as a 5k Run (benefiting Suicide Prevention Coalition of Garfield County), dancers, Show and Shine (car show), Battle of the Bands, and much more.

We would love for your organization or business to set up a booth at the event. You can provide information about your organization, including resources for youth and their families, or sell your products. If you would like to have a booth at the event RSVP by April 15th to confirm your participation as a trinket vendor or local organization/business. If you would like to register for Battle of the Bands, please visit https://forms.gle/pSfi1TBwPz3kvV1t9

In addition to booth participation, there are other ways you can contribute, including making a monetary donation to the event or providing donated items for participant drawings to win throughout the day.

We would appreciate it if you shared this event with your network to help us ensure its success and maximize community attendance.

I appreciate your support, and we look forward to your participation in making this event memorable! Find more information here: https://sbfrc.garfield16.org/mayfest

Event Details:

**Date: ** May 3rd.

Location: Cottonwood Park - La Plata Cir, Parachute, CO 81635

Time: 8 am - 10 pm

May 14, 2025

Colorado River Valley Chamber Board Meeting

Parachute TBA

08:30 AM - 10:00 AM MST

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May 16, 2025

Business After Hours with Middle CO Watershed Council

Middle CO Watershed Council

200 Lion's Park Circle

Rifle, CO 81650

05:30 PM - 07:30 PM MST

Our Business After Hour event is a networking event hosted by Middle CO Watershed Council. It's designed to bring together professionals in a relaxed, after-work setting to build relationships, exchange ideas, and discover potential business opportunities. It's a great chance to make new connections, learn about what other local businesses are doing, and even drum up new business for your own company.

May 17, 2025

Barks, Brews & BBQ

Deerfield Park, Rifle

01:00 PM - 04:00 PM MST Taya Bullock, 970-625-8808

taya@jhacc.org

Barks, Brews, & Barbeque is back this year at Deerfield Park in Rifle by popular demand!

The remarkably well-attended event will feature plenty of tasty beers and spirits to sample, as well as delicious BBQ bites.

Ticket information is through the City of Rifle at: www.rifleco.org

We can't wait to see you on May 17th from 1-4pm for this exceptional event!

May 21, 2025

CRVCC Workshop Series

Colorado Mountain College Rifle Campus

3695 Airport Rd.

Rifle, CO 81650

05:30 PM - 07:00 PM MST

Erin Hunt, 970-625-2085

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May 24, 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 Saturday, May 24th 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

May 30, 2025

River Center Golf Tournament

Lakota Links Golf Course

09:00 AM - 04:00 PM MST

Carol, 970-984-4333

rivercenternewcastle.org

Friday, May 30th, 2025 at Lakota Links Golf Course in New Castle. 9 o'clock shotgun start. 4 person scramble format. To register or information about sponsorship

opportunities, please contact Carol at 970-984-4333 or email office

@rivercenternewcastle.org

June 11, 2025

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June 12, 2025

Business After Hours with CRVEDP

Rislende Riverside

54 Co Rd 311

Silt, CO 81652

05:30 PM - 07:00 PM MST Ashlee Taylor, 9706252085 crvccashlee@gmail.com

Join us for a fun Spring BAH with Colorado River Valley Economic Development Partnership (CRVEDP) at the beautiful Rislende Riverside.

June 18, 2025

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June 21, 2025

Pet Adoption Event - Petco Petco - Glenwood Springs

105 E Meadows Drive

Glenwood Springs, CO 81601

12:00 PM - 03:00 PM MST

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July 19, 2025

Pet Adoption Event - Petco

Petco - Glenwood Springs

105 E Meadows Drive

Glenwood Springs, CO 81601

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October 15, 2025

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