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NEXT JPUN MEETING

JPUN General
Membership Meeting
Tues., September 10th
6:30 - 7:30pm
Riverside Baptist Church
2401 Alcott Street
Rear Chapel

UPCOMING MEETINGS

JPUN Land Use Committee
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MUSIC AT JEFFERSON PARK

Jefferson Park
Sundda, August 25
Raising Cain
(Classic Rock)

JPUN GROUPS

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#200, Denver, CO 80211

JPUN Concert in the Park - August 25

Live music in Jefferson Park. Relax, gather and connect with your family, friends and neighbors while enjoying great music. Bring a blanket picnic or dine from food trucks.

August 25th starting at 5:30 we're holding our second summer concert in the park, featuring "Raising Cain" who specializes in classic & modern rock, 80's rock, pop, ballads, swing, country, Motown, oldies, and jazz standards. We hear they are a great band!

While we've got great sponsorship from businesses in the community, these concerts are still a lot of work, so we're looking for volunteers to help starting earlier in the afternoon, maybe 2:30 or 3, to get the park and the stage ready, and then to help break it down and clean up afterwards.



Calling all Volunteers: Celeste Melville is the brave soul coordinating this and she can be reached at celeste.1.melville@gmail.com if you have the time to help us make the concert a big success. I hope you can help us out. Thanks in advance for your help.

MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART DENVER GASPAR LIBEDINSKY: PRODUCTOS CASEROS

This exhibition takes urban architecture as its subject and explores the ways that structures determine the behavior of those inhabiting them. The two-screen projection Productos Caseros (Boquete-Production) documents the transformation of Cárcel de Caseros, a Buenos Aires prison that operated from 1979 to 2000. Originally slated to house criminals for short-term periods while their cases wound through the criminal justice system, the prison ultimately became the site where prisoners served out their full terms.

On June 6, 1984, the inmates staged a violent rebellion, attacking the architecture itself. By banging fire extinguishers against the wall, they struck holes in building, bringing natural light and fresh air into the space. In his video, Libedinsky bridges this distance between the prison and the city. In his work the holes and fragments of the now-destroyed prison frame views of Buenos Aires. Ironically, the preserved "ruin" of this historic site becomes a vehicle for reflecting on the future of its urban environment.

Gaspar Libedinsky was born in 1976. He is an architect, artist and educator based in Buenos Aires, London and New York. This exhibition is sponsored in part by the MCA Denver Director's Vision Society, the Andy Warhol Foundation for the Visual Arts and the Colorado Creative Industries. MCA Denver also thanks the citizens of the Scientific and Cultural Facilities District.

485 Delgany St Denver, CO 80202 | 303 298 7554 | Hours: Tuesday-Friday Noon-9pm | Saturday & Sunday 10am-5pm



LOCAL NEWS

Photovoltaic System at Eliot Street

Editors Note: Before publishing every edition of the Jefferson Park News I put out a request to our neighbors for interesting articles about what makes our community a great place to live or what can be done to make it better. (That is a standing request to all of our neighbors.) When I received a response from Donelson Lawry, a neighborhood rocket scientist, that he wanted to tell about the solar system he installed in his home, I was interested. I think you will be too. Story on Page 4



Jefferson Park United
Neighbors is on Facebook!



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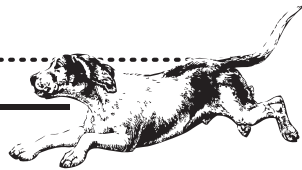
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Open Positions are available to serve on the JPUN Board, come volunteer.



Jefferson Park Pet of the Month



Doza

Doza is available for adoption through Colorado Canine Rescue, a nonprofit dog rescue located in the Denver area.
coloradocaninerescue.org

Doza is around one-year-old and maybe a Shar-Pei/Hound mix. Everyone she meets calls her Scooby Doo! She has some crazy ears that help her stand out from the pack! Her stellar personality also

doesn't hurt! She's inquisitive, alert and playful. She gets along very well with other dogs, especially when she can steal their toys and a chase ensues. She loves going to the dog park and meeting new friends...and running and swimming. She listens well and comes when called, and is attentive when it comes to her person. Doza is a dog who will need daily exercise, but isn't hyper. She is calm in the house and loves to snuggle by your side. Doza is very affectionate and just an all-around sweet girl. If you're looking for a dog who can keep up with your outdoor activities, but also snuggle on the couch at the end of the day, look no farther!! Doza and her ears are your girl!!

Would you like to see your pet featured?

Please send a photo and a few tidbits about your favorite pet to Tom at blythspirit@q.com or Kym at kymandpat@comcast.net.

JEFFERSON PARK UNITED NEIGHBORS

From the JPUN President

Jeff Archambeau, JPUN President

Hello Jefferson Park Neighbors,

Summer marches on, although luckily it has seen more moisture for our trees and grass and gardens that last year's blistering season. Unfortunately, we had to cancel the second of our Music at Jefferson Park concerts due to the ominous weather forecasts for the day, which of course, turned out partly wrong as the sun broke out right at downbeat time at 5:30 and made for a spectacular evening. Gotta' love our Colorado weather. Lots of work goes into putting these concerts on for the neighborhood (mostly by our great volunteers) and we had to make our decision at 11 a.m. while it was looking gloomy and before the stage folks, the band, the food trucks, and the volunteers got rolling to be ready by the time people showed up. We will be meeting this week to determine if it is feasible to reschedule the Highland Ramblers before the season is over. Many people I talked to at the park at concert time were looking forward to hearing this locally popular band.

Many of you were also able to take advantage of the generous donation from the Denver Broncos of a large block of tickets to the recent Kenny Chesney Concert at the stadium and I know many neighbors had a great time. Thanks again to Andy Gorchov and the Broncos for the opportunity to share this event with Jefferson Park friends and neighbors.

I'd like to give a special acknowledgement to our friends at Riverside Baptist, who have their upcoming 60th Anniversary on September 22, 2013. Riverside has been a strong and consistent supporter of JPUN over the years, and they are great neighbors. Their celebration will include activities at the church about the history of Riverside. After those activities, everyone will be invited to Jefferson Park for food, games and meeting new friends. More on their celebration as it gets closer.

Jeff Archambeau, JPUN President



Broncos Season is Here!!

See more about parking on page 7...

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DISTRICT 1 POLICE

National Night Out

A small group of neighbors gathered in the park to celebrate National Night Out on Tuesday, August 6th. Several of our District 1 police officers stopped by to say hello and visit with the community. This gathering was held in lieu of the regular monthly meeting, which is normally held on the 2nd Tuesday of the month.

The introduction of National Night Out, "America's Night Out Against Crime", in 1984 began an effort to promote involvement in crime prevention activities, police-community partnerships, neighborhood camaraderie and send a message to criminals letting them know that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back. NATW's (National Association of Town Watch) National Night Out program culminates annually, on the first Tuesday of August.

NATW is a non-profit organization dedicated to the development and promotion of various crime prevention programs including neighborhood watch groups, law enforcement agencies, state and regional crime prevention associations, businesses, civic groups, and individuals, devoted to safer communities. The nations premiere crime prevention network works with law enforcement officials and civilian leaders to keep crime watch volunteers informed, interested, involved and motivated.



FREE DAYS August & September

- Aurora History Museum | Tuesday, August 27
- Boulder Museum of Contemporary Art | Sat., Aug. 1
- Buffalo Bill Museum and Grave | Sunday, Sept. 22
- Children's Museum of Denver | Tuesday, Sept. 3
- Clyfford Still Museum | Saturday, September 7
- Denver Art Museum | Saturday, September 7
- Denver Botanic Gardens | Tuesday, August 27
- Denver Museum Nature and Science | Mon., Aug. t 19
- Hudson Gardens | Tuesday, September 17
- Longmont Museum | Saturday, September 14
- Molly Brown House | August 28



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COLORADO SPORTS

USA Pro Challenge

August 19, 2013 - August 25, 2013

Presented by Usa Pro Cycling Challenge

The USA Pro Cycling Challenge is the most demanding bike race ever held on American soil, with racers experiencing breathless altitudes, day after day. The race is on the level of the Tour de France, bringing the high speeds, danger and adrenaline of professional biking to elevations over two miles high in some of the most picturesque terrain in the world - the Colorado Rocky Mountains.

Don't miss the Denver finish on August 25 which will include a thrilling circuit course that will take the riders in multiple loops through some of the most picturesque areas of the city. The Denver Circuit takes the best parts of the 2011 and 2012 Denver stages and combines them into a new circuit.

It still hits all the Denver highlights - LoDo, City Park, Civic Center Park. There isn't a bad viewing spot. Watch for early breakaways...can they hold off the surging peloton? Watch the teams cue up and try to set up their sprinters...can they get to the front?

Watch the last corner and see who has the nerve to take it the fastest and claim the final prize in the shadow of Colorado's Capitol.



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NORTH DENVER DESIGN/BUILD

LOCAL RESOURCE

Photovoltaic System at Eliot Street

by Donelson Lawry

INSTALLED SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC SYSTEM ON GARAGE | SEPTEMBER 2012

I have a desire to receive free energy from the Sun and in the process learn Solar PV Array systems design, installation, regulations, and trade practices. A co-worker showed me a similar system he had on his house via a web app, and I was on my way. I have been meaning to write up a short note on it for the newsletter, so here goes.

By performing the design, procurement, permitting, and installation myself it is less expensive than hiring others to do the work. Tax incentives on the system and Xcel Energy rebates reduced the up-front costs. I chose panels (modules) on sale at a local solar distributor that compared well in performance/warranty. Individual panel micro inverters were selected for many reasons over a traditional central inverter. They perform well with individual array modules, maximize the output of each array, and simplify design by eliminating the DC string wiring calculations. Micro inverters also ease county and utility inspector review time with a simpler design. The web-based monitoring allows complete, thorough, and interesting monitoring of system performance. It also provides recording of power or energy on a panel-by-panel basis. Individual, serial number maintenance monitoring and recording of each inverter is also provided. In July I discovered a Panel performance issue by using the performance tracking method.



You can see the system here: **Eliot Street Solar:**

<https://enlighten.enphaseenergy.com/public/systems/5rtx105415>].

A mechanical attachment or racking system was chosen that had less components, simpler design, and produced by local Colorado company, located in Lafayette. It was slightly less expensive than competitors. I had a design issue with their engineering plans however, that delayed the installation but ultimately worked out OK. Other parts for various electrical components were purchased locally through electrical distributors, Lowes, ACE, and Home Depot.

The main components and features of the solar array are:

1. (21) SLK60P6LSLV-WHT, Siliken, 250W modules
2. (21) Enphase M215-60-240 micro inverters, 1 per module with integrated AC disconnect
3. (2) Enphase cables link (2) 10 & 11 panel strings to AC combiner box
4. PV Array contains 2 AC Combined Segments from micro Inverters
5. Combiner box contains circuit breaker/fusing for each string
6. Roof Surface Mount, 1" Standoff

The man hours involved in this project was extensive and not recommended for those who don't have help, or any electrical wiring experience. Much of the DIY decision was my engineering background and ego that 'I can do that!.' The project took me 5 months, during which I learned how to install the system and the many tricks involved so..., goal achieved. The best idea I had was to find a local professional installer and hire them to inspect my installation at the beginning planning phase, in the middle of installation, and at the end, right before the county electrical inspection. My personal Photo Voltaic (PV) consultant paid off huge dividends in avoiding mistakes in installation and inspection.

We receive a check from Xcel for the amount the system produces monthly. We have two meters. a billing meter, which is what we had prior, and a PV production meter. We continue to have a bill for what we use from the grid. as we did in the past. Now, we also get another letter and check monthly for the PV generation.

As of this writing, the system has been up and running for nearly 10 months and has generated over 5 MegaWatts of power. With this system the payback will be in the 6-year range. Currently, the incentives are not as favorable as 2012 for payback, but if you are planning on staying in your house for years, then the investment in a PV System may still be worth it. I have not estimated the percent increase in property value for the installation.

I ended up with a nice system, but it took a LOT of effort and TIME. It was very rewarding however and the system has been maintenance free and working well (except for one panel). The system and generation contract with excel are fully transferrable. It was kind of fun, I learned a lot and we get a check every month.



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Howl at the Moon, "The Dueling Piano Bar that Rocks" is rocking Lodo 4 nights a week. Every Wednesday is your chance to channel your inner Rockstar and sing with our live band. This is not your typical night of karaoke.

Howl at the Moon is located in Denver's LoDo area right next to Coors Field.



Summer Camp with Adult Drinks PARENTS WEEKEND

The Museum of Contemporary Art Denver
1485 Delgany St | 303 298 7554
Saturday & Sunday, August 24 & 25 | 10am-5pm

Introduce your folks to difficult concepts like Abstract Expressionism, Conceptual Art and Beverage Counseling.
Tours, lectures and craft cocktails.



gym coming soon

We are excited to be **joining** the Jefferson Park neighborhood! While we are under construction, join us in the park for some outdoor **CrossFit!**

Park Workout Schedule:

M & W: 10:00am - 11:00am
M - F: 6:00pm - 7:00pm
Saturdays: 10:30am - 11:30am
11:30am - 12:30pm

Contact us at 720-515-5746 or
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Rooted In Nutrition

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When I talk to people about eating healthy I often hear, "but I can't afford eating this way, how can I feed my family healthy foods on a budget?" My first response is usually, "I think of food as my health insurance."

By eating healthy now and supplementing appropriately I am preventing disease, the use of medication and medical intervention in the future. For kids it is especially important to feed them right during their developmental years. These years are crucial not only for their future disease prevention, but also for current mood, energy, happiness and immune health.

Here's where to start

1. Meal planning. Create a menu getting as detailed as you need and choose ingredient, not products. What do I mean by this? Make your snacks, granola or trail mix, instead of buying them pre-made. When creating your meal plan think of how you can buy in bulk. Plan your menus to utilize one ingredient in several dishes. Also cook in bulk. Make extra at dinner so you have left overs for lunch or breakfast the next day. To save money on ingredients buy what is in season and local.

2. Create a shopping list. I like to categorize my produce in once section, meats in another and dry goods in another. This makes my time in the grocery store as efficient as possible. When you plan ahead every food is eaten and every dollar is wisely spent. Avoid adding those food items that rack up the grocery bill. Can you do without the bottles water, packaged or prepared foods, speciality sauce or spice? Evaluating your spending and making cuts wherever possible to put towards your food is a pretty good idea.

3. Shop wisely. Shopping locally and in season will help with cost, provide you with more nutritious food and will give you a sense of community. Find your local farmers market, CSA or Co-OP, these can be very cost effective. If you have a deep freezer, purchasing whole chickens, a whole, half or quarter cow, pig or game meat is the most economical way to get these awesome proteins. Of course growing your own garden or joining a local garden community like Denver Urban Gardens will provide you will a wealth of nutrient dense vegetables and will save you money. If you have children this is a great way to get them involved with their food, create a respect and appreciation around food and help ward off picky eaters.

Pick your battles when looking at Organic vs. Conventional foods. Organic is slightly more superior in nutrients then conventional, but it is the toxins sprayed on the produce that we need to be concerned with. Follow the Dirty Dozen list when possible or wash all conventional fruits and vegetables in Grapefruit Seed Extract, vinegar or hydrogen peroxide to remove residue, bacteria, virus, pesticides and even waxes.

4. Buy in bulk and cook in bulk. As simple as that. As mentioned before, buying foods in bulk is going to save money and cooking in bulk will save time in the long run. If you can take 1 day a month or every couple months and cook several dishes and freeze them, then you really have no excuse for eating healthy at any time. You have a reserve and go to good food for those "I don't want to cook" days.

Eating healthy on a budget might take some leg work in the beginning, but once you find your families favorite dishes and your favorite grocery store or farmer it will be a breeze.



Raising Cain (Rock & Roll)

• Sunday, August 25th | 5:30 - 7:30 pm
Jefferson Park | 23rd & Clay

Farming Denver Public Schools!

This summer the Groundwork Denver Green Team has been working on urban farming sites located at Denver Public Schools (DPS) Schmidt Elementary and Bradley Elementary.

Through our partnership with Produce Denver, the Green Team has been helping to cultivate fresh produce that will go to DPS' food distribution center and from there to DPS student lunches this upcoming school year. The Green Team and Produce Denver planted 9,900

pepper plants, 5,700 tomato plants, 2,500 Zucchini plants and 3,000 cucumber plants.

As advocates for healthy eating, having the Green Team help bring healthy, locally grown food to their peers is a giant step in the right direction and a great opportunity to develop their ever-growing skills in urban agriculture.

(Produce Denver was awarded a contract to farm the school. The RFP was put out by Denver Public Schools (enterprise Management Dept.) and Produce Denver was selected by a committee and review board).

"El Contacto Verde" Launched Groundwork Denver has launched El Contacto Verde, its first Spanish language newsletter. This newsletter is delivered to almost 500 of their Spanish speaking partners and clients in Denver and Commerce City. The purpose of this newsletter is to provide useful and relevant environmental, community and health information, and to provide more opportunities for the Spanish-speaking community to get engaged in their work. There has been a great response so far with many calls coming in to offer ideas and participate in their programs. Many of the calls have come from the residents who received the newsletter but there also has been a response from new referrals. Groundwork Denver will use these responses to determine how they can better address the issues and concerns of the Spanish-speaking community. Contact Groundwork Denver if you would like to get added to the mailing list, or receive the electronic version of El Contacto Verde.



RUN IN YOUR PAJAMAS

Sleep Tight Colorado Third Annual 5K Pajama Jog Saturday, August 24th in City Park

8:30 am check in | 8:30 Costume Contest | 8:45 5K Begins (not a timed race)
Join others on Saturday, August 24th in Denver's City Park to run, jog or walk for a good cause. Sleep Tight Colorado presents their Third Annual 5k Pajama Jog. Your \$20 entry will include a special event water bottle.



100% of the proceeds go toward buy sleeping bags for Colorado's homeless. Children and leashed pets are welcomed. The event kicks off with a costume contest for men, women and children with great prizes including hour long massages and gift certificates to local hot spots.

Avoid a Parking Ticket During Broncos Season

Denver Public Works and Denver Community Planning and Development remind drivers to be mindful of the posted parking restrictions around Sports Authority Field at Mile High.

ON STREET PARKING

Denver Public Works Right of Way Enforcement Agents will be enforcing posted parking regulations during the Denver Broncos preseason games. Residents and visitors to the Sports Authority Field should follow all posted parking regulations in the stadium area.

Posted signs in the stadium area restrict parking to vehicles with the correct residential parking permit posted in the window from 12:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Thursday's, Saturday's and Sunday's. Those vehicles that park without appropriate permits will be cited and towed to a temporary impound facility located at the Public Works Campus at 2000 W. 3rd Avenue (2nd Avenue and Umatilla Street).

If you are eligible for a Residential Parking Permit (RPP), now is a great time to make sure your permits are current. You are likely eligible for RPP if you have a sign with posted restrictions on your street.
To find out more, call 3-1-1.

It's easy to avoid a ticket. Be sure you're parked properly and that you're complying with all signs. Here are the top three tickets issued in Denver, and how to avoid them:

PARKING METER VIOLATION This is an easy one to avoid, but is still our "most popular" ticket. Looking to avoid it? Always put money in the meter and be sure to either add more time if you're running out or leave before your time expires. Note: Meters have time limits, and parking beyond the allowed limit makes you subject to a \$25 ticket, even if you put more time on the meter after it runs out. No change? No problem, our new Smart Meters take credit/debit cards and Denver Parking Smart Cards as well.

STREET SWEEPING RESTRICTION VIOLATION When street sweeping takes place, any cars in the street will be ticketed and/or removed. Note posted signs regarding street sweeping schedules and move your car accordingly. Even if you have a residential parking permit, you need to move your car during your street sweeping day. Note: On your street sweeping day, that space is off-limits even if the sweeper has been through already.

LICENSE PLATE VIOLATION You need both a front and rear plate on your car, and they need to be at least 12 inches from the ground, on the outside of the car, fastened horizontally. In the City and County of Denver, both the police and parking enforcement agents enforce the license plate law, and this ticket is a whopping \$75. Lost your front plate and need a new one? **Contact a Denver County Motor Vehicle office for more info.**

Parking Sidebar Did you Know?

- Parking adds to the overall percentage of a city's land that is dedicated strictly to automobiles and in some cities takes up more land area than all other land uses combined.
- It is estimated that, under current Denver regulations, almost 50 percent more permits are issued to residents than there are spaces available on the street in residential parking permit areas.
- By converting parallel parking to angled parking on S. Gaylord Street in Denver, the amount of on-street parking increased by 55%.
- In order to create pedestrian-friendly places that help reduce the number and length of trips made in a car, Blueprint Denver recommends eliminating auto-oriented zoning standards in areas of change. It also recommends reducing the land used for parking with shared parking and structured parking.
- Purdue University researchers surveyed the total area devoted to parking in a midsize Midwestern county and found that parking spaces outnumbered resident drivers 3-to-1 and outnumbered resident families 11-to-1. The researchers found the total parking area to be larger than 1,000 football fields, or covering more than two square miles.



2013 DENVER BRONCO SCHEDULE

Home Games in Orange

Parking restrictions including Zoning Enforcement and Right of Way Enforcement will likely be scheduled for this event. Illegally parked vehicles in the neighborhoods surrounding Sports Authority Field at Mile High may be ticketed and towed.

PRESEASON

August 8	Denver Broncos vs. San Francisco	6 pm PDT
August 17	Denver Broncos vs. Seattle	7 pm PDT
August 24	Denver Broncos vs. St. Louis	6 pm MDT
August 29	Denver Broncos vs. Arizona	7 pm MDT

REGULAR SEASON

September 5	Denver Broncos vs. Baltimore	6:30 pm MDT
September 15	Denver Broncos vs. NY Giants	4:25 pm PDT
September 23	Denver Broncos vs. Oakland	6:40 pm MDT
September 29	Denver Broncos vs. Philadelphia	2:25 pm MDT
October 5	Denver Broncos vs. Dallas	3:25 pm CDT
October 13	Denver Broncos vs. Jacksonville	2:05 pm MDT
October 20	Denver Broncos vs. Indianapolis	8:30 pm EDT
October 27	Denver Broncos vs. Washington	2:25 pm MDT
BYE	BYE	BYE
November 10	Denver Broncos vs. San Diego	1:25 pm PDT
November 17	Denver Broncos vs. Kansas City	2:05 pm MDT
November 24	Denver Broncos vs. New England	8:30 pm EDT
December 1	Denver Broncos vs. Kansas City	12 pm CST
December 8	Denver Broncos vs. Tennessee	2:05 pm MST
December 12	Denver Broncos vs. San Diego	6:25 pm MST
December 22	Denver Broncos vs. Houston	12 pm CST
December 29	Denver Broncos vs. Oakland	1:25 pm PST

For all Denver Bronco ticket information, including both season tickets and individual game sales, please call the Broncos Ticket Office at 720-258-3333

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A Taste of Colorado stands proud as the end-of-summer celebration of community pride and spirit in the Denver region. Over 500,000 people make the four-day festival their Labor Day Weekend celebration, enjoying the offerings of more 50 area restaurants, 250 marketplace artisans and vendors, seven stages, and educational programs promoting the diverse cultural and western heritage of the region.

A Taste of Colorado Rock 'n Rolls into 30th Anniversary



There's something for every kind of rock fan on the KBCO World Class Rock Stage at the 30th annual A Taste of Colorado. The four-day, free admission, food, music, and entertainment Festival will take place Labor Day weekend, Aug. 30 through Sept. 2, in Downtown Denver's Civic Center Park.

American rock and soul band PLACES will kick things off Friday at 11:30 a.m. Megan Burtt will offer up her folk/pop melodies at 2:15 p.m. Blue-eyed soul and rock 'n roll songwriter Carson Allen will entertain at 5:30 p.m. Playing a variety of musical styles from rock, funk, R&B, and contemporary, Soul School will get people moving at 8:15 p.m.

On Saturday, pop/rock and gypsy jazz band Lost Caravan will take the stage at 10:45 a.m. Aaron Hart entertains the crowd with a sound reminiscent of the Goo Goo Dolls and The Beach Boys at 1:30 p.m. Four-piece pop punk band Calibrate Me will perform at 4:45 p.m. Tunisia will play favorites, from classic to contemporary, at 8:15 p.m. Singer/songwriter Lindsey Saunders lends her unique sound and acoustic guitar styling on Sunday at 10:45 a.m. Blues and rock singer Tyler Stanfield will take the stage at 1:30 p.m. The Wendy Woo Band will entertain the crowd with a mix of rock, blues, folk, and jazz at 4:45 p.m. With their pop infused indie/alternative songs, Fierce Bad Rabbit will conclude the night at 8 p.m.

Opening Monday at 10:45 a.m. is the local female-fronted synthrock/synthpop group AdrienneO. The ethereal harmonies and infectious pop-folk of SHEL will fill the air at 1:30 p.m. Five 13 will perform originals and covers influenced by the great arena

CoCoRaHS?

CoCoRaHS = Community Collaborative Rain, Hail and Snow Network

The Colorado Climate Center and he is looking for precipitation monitors in the Jefferson Park neighborhood to report to the CoCoRaHS network. From the urban communities of Denver to the farms of Baca County, from the four corners area near Cortez to the high peaks of Rocky Mountain National Park, the CoCoRaHS Network currently engages over 1,500 volunteers to measure rain, hail and snow throughout the state.

The Community Collaborative Rain, Hail and Snow Network was founded in 1998 in northern Colorado. A huge flash flood, resulting from a highly localized intense rain storm that dropped over 14 inches of rain over a few neighborhoods in Fort Collins, Colorado, helped point out the role that volunteers can play to report weather events, track rainfall patterns, help scientists, and monitor water resources.

They currently have a few hundred active volunteers in the Denver metro who report to our network, but have some major gaps in the city and county of Denver. Observers make a daily observation (or as often as possible) and report the data to our website. The information plots in real-time to daily maps of the area. **Their website is www.cocorahs.org.**

There is no cost to be involved with CoCoRaHS other than the purchase of their official rain gauge which is \$30. There are many wonderful educational aspects of being involved with CoCoRaHS, including learning more about the water cycle and why they have the tagline "**every drop counts!**"

1" of rain over 1 acre of land is over 27,000 gallons of water, so even on a summer afternoon when we receive just a few hundredths of precipitation, if it fell over a large area, it's still a TON of water from the sky!

UPCOMING TRAINING SESSIONS **Walk-ins are welcome**
(if possible, please RSVP to Chris.Spears@colostate.edu for the class of your choice)

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17 | 10:00am at The Crazy Merchant in Littleton

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