

# The Village Crier



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## NEIGHBORHOOD INPUT MEETINGS HELP FOSTER DIALOGUE BEFORE NEW HOMES ARE BUILT

On average, around 18 permits for new homes are issued in the Village each year. While 18 new homes is a small number compared to other cities in the metro-area, many of the homes being built in the Village today are extensive multi-year construction projects. Close to 80% of the new homes replace "scrapes" -- older homes in established neighborhoods that are demolished.

Because of the impacts that long-term construction projects may have on established Cherry Hills Village neighborhoods, in 2012 the City Council adopted a requirement for mandatory neighborhood input meetings before a building permit application can be submitted. These meetings are intended to help foster dialogue among neighbors before new construction projects start and provide basic information, such as the location of the new home, how the construction will be staged and a general timeline for completion of the project.

At the City Council March 18<sup>th</sup> meeting, an amendment to the ordinance was reviewed that would streamline the procedures for holding the neighborhood input meetings. These changes related to the notification procedures only, and would not change the format of the meetings.

The new procedures are expected to receive final approval at the April 1<sup>st</sup> Council meeting. For more information on the neighborhood input meeting process or the proposed procedural changes, please contact the Village Community Development Department at **303-783-2721**.

## SPRING CLEAN-UP REMINDER

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| <b>MAY 17 - 25, 2014:</b>          | Trash and rubbish  |
| <b>MAY 17, 2014:</b><br>9am - 2pm  | Electronics and Paint Recycling<br>One Day Only (Saturday) |
| <b>MAY 17, 2014:</b><br>9am - 2 pm | Community Shred Day<br>One Day Only (Saturday)             |

The City will again host a Spring Cleanup for residents. Dumpsters will be provided for citizens to dispose of their unwanted trash and rubbish. **Electronics and paint recycling will be available only one day this year (SATURDAY MAY 17<sup>th</sup>).** *Please do not bring these items except during the designated drop off time.* All other hazardous materials will need to be disposed of through the door to door program.

Dumpsters for household rubbish and trash will be available from **May 17 – May 25, 2014**. The City is unable to accept large appliances. You may be asked to provide proof of residency as you drop off items, so please be prepared to show a driver's license with a Cherry Hills Village address on it if asked.

The trash dumpsters will be located east of the maintenance shop just past the main entrance to the Village Center. Residents are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity to dispose of rubbish not included with normal curbside service.

Please note: *the City will be **UNABLE** to accept the following items: paint, electronics (except on Sat, May 17), tires, appliances, oil, antifreeze, fuels and any hazardous materials.* Depositing these items in the dumpsters may jeopardize the future of this program.

Also, there will be a designated area near the dumpsters for all *tree branches and shrubbery*. **Please do not put these items in the dumpsters.** City Staff will be chipping and recycling these materials.

# A MESSAGE FROM YOUR MAYOR



*Mayor Doug Tisdale*

## **“ ... mixing Memory and desire ....”**

**It has been said that, for several reasons, April is “the cruellest month.” One reason given is that April naturally prompts us to look back (memory) and to look forward (desire). The early days of spring set the stage for us to be both reflective and prospective. In homage to T.S. Eliot, here is Your Mayor’s mixing of memory and desire.**

## **WHERE DID OUR ELECTIONS GO?!?**

Some of you will recall that our last municipal elections were held in April 2012. In the ordinary course, as tradition would tell us, we should be voting right now. But at the last election we voted to change our Charter—moving the Village’s elections from the April municipal cycle to the November general election cycle. That means that Your Mayor, along with the three Councilors whose terms would have ended as of April 7, 2014, actually will serve through the end of this calendar year. On November 4, 2014 you will vote for all of the federal, state and local representatives who are up for election at that time. To highlight just one of the reasons that we made this change, the average voter turnout in our April-elections cycle was something like 25% to 35% of active registered voters. By contrast, the voter turnout in Cherry Hills Village in the 2012 November elections was just over 99% of active registered voters. Permit Your Mayor to say that number again: 99%! As we have said here before, “We’re engaged!” So, on November 4, 2014, vote for the candidates of your choice, but VOTE!

## **VILLAGE ACTIVISM!**

You already know that you reside in The #1 Best Suburb of America to Live In. (Your Mayor has pledged to donate a significant sum to your favorite charity if you ever catch him *not* mentioning that accolade in any speech he gives.) And you know that “We’re Engaged!”™ A phenomenal example of those two facets of our Village was provided in the final days of March. Ryan Dunne, son of Villagers Chris and Jennifer Dunne, is a 9 year old 3<sup>rd</sup> grader at Cherry Hills Village Elementary. Ryan suffers from Duchene Muscular Dystrophy. Ryan needed 100,000 signatures on a White House petition to urge FDA “Accelerated Approval” of a safe and effective medication

to halt the spread of his disease. By now you have seen Ryan’s story—on the Help Ryan Dunne Facebook page or on that website or on your local media. In just seven days from the time Your Mayor proclaimed “Ryan Dunne Day” (March 18), we went from 36,000 signatures to over 100,000 signatures! That works out to 9,000 signatures a day! Congratulations to the Ryan Dunne Family, schoolmates, neighbors and friends around the world who made this happen!

## **OPEN SPACE UPDATE**

Many of you attended and participated in one of the many recent public forums about open space in the Village. What a tremendous outpouring of support! The message that Your Mayor and your Council received was clear: preserve and protect open space in the Village! As you all know, the devil is in the details and Your Mayor and your Council are now collaborating with interested stakeholders and staff to come up with the important next steps to make this all a reality. Stay tuned for new developments!

## **QUINCY FARM VISIONING COMMITTEE NEARS CONCLUSION!**

The QFVC, which Your Mayor and your Council mandated last year, is nearing the end of its important and valuable work, getting ready to submit its report to the Parks Trails and Recreation Commission, after which it will come before Council. The end result will be a vision for the property so graciously donated to us by Cat Anderson. A genuine and sincere word of THANKS to all of the members of the Quincy Farm Visioning Committee—and especially to Chair Charles Maguire, Esq. and Vice-Chair Jeff Ferrell—for their hard work and dedicated service!

## **CENTENNIAL AIRPORT NOISE ROUNDTABLE**

If you know anything about the history of our Village (and if you have read Councilor Klasina VanderWerf’s wonderful book, *High on Country*, you do!), you will recall that our Village was incorporated in an effort to curtail noisy airplane overflights from a cargo airport that Denver proposed to be built just south of us. That airport was never built, but Centennial Airport was built as a general aviation port some years later. Noise from that airport has increased in recent months and Your Mayor has just appointed Councilor Katy Brown to be the Village representative on the Centennial Airport Noise Roundtable, to protect the interests of Villagers and to preserve our unique environment. Feel free to contact Councilor Katy Brown with questions or concerns.

## **WISH FOR WHEELS!**

Looking out into the coming weeks, Cherry Hills Village Elementary School—the #1 Best Elementary School in the entire State of Colorado!—has partnered with a local nonprofit to help fulfill the dreams and wishes of children who do not enjoy the same benefits that we have.

*(for more of “A Message From Your Mayor” see page 4)*

## FROM CHV POLICE

### SCAM ALERT

Cherry Hills Village residents have been receiving telephone calls from a person who is falsely identifying himself as "Major Stevens" from the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Department. The caller tells the citizen they have a warrant for their arrest and asks for personal information. The fictitious caller then advises the citizen they can clear up the warrant by using a money transfer at a Walgreens or Wal-Mart location. Residents should **never** give social security numbers or other personal information or money in this kind of situation; police agencies **do not** request this kind of info. Warrants are not "cleared up" by giving money over the telephone, nor do agencies request SSNs over the telephone to confirm warrant information.

The Arapahoe County Sheriff's Department does not use the rank of "major" and does not have anyone with this name working for their agency. Residents should never provide anyone with their social security number or other personal information over the phone. Neither the Arapahoe County Sheriff's Office or the Cherry Hills Village Police Department contact citizens by phone asking for money to clear up legal matters including summonses and warrants.

Residents are asked to contact the Cherry Hills Village Police Department at **303-795-4711** if they receive phone calls of this nature.

### NEW CHV POLICE OFFICER LENNY ABEYTA



*Officer Abeyta grew up in Montrose where he graduated from Montrose High School. After high school he joined the U.S. Navy where he served as a supply technician and served for 12 years. During that time he was deployed to Iraq with Explosive Ordnance Disposal Mobile Unit 7. During his time in the Navy he was also assigned to the USS Kitty Hawk, the Shore Intermediate Maintenance Activity, and the Naval Reserve Professional Development Center as an independent duty instructor.*

*After returning from Iraq, he moved back to Montrose and joined the Police Department in May of 2004 where he served as a patrol officer, school resource officer, and detective. Officer Abeyta is married to Laura; they have two children, Joshua, 17, and Brittany, 20.*

**NEXT CRIER DEADLINE: MAY 23RD**

## NOTICE OF CHERRY HILLS NORTH METROPOLITAN DISTRICT MEETINGS

The Cherry Hills North Metropolitan District serves the Cherry Hills North subdivisions (filings 1 and 2). Over the past 6+ years, District revenues have decreased due to multiple factors including reduced interest income. Current annual expenditures exceed annual revenues, which has resulted in a substantial reduction in the District's reserve fund (cash on hand).

The District and its Board of Directors (who are all residents of the Cherry Hills North neighborhood) have scheduled some special public community meetings to discuss the situation with residents **and answer questions**. Currently, Special Meetings are scheduled to take place in the Village Center from 6:30pm-8:00pm on the following dates:

Tuesday, April 29; Wednesday, May 28 (joint meeting with Cherry Hills North HOA); Thursday, June 26; and Tuesday, July 29th.

**The Board encourages all Cherry Hills North residents to attend one or more of these meetings.**

Residents can follow the District's business at our new website: <http://chnorthmetro.us/>. Residents can also sign up to get notices by joining the "interest" list at: <http://chnorthmetro.us/mailman/listinfo/interest> [space] [chnorthmetro.us](http://chnorthmetro.us).



### CALL FOR GRADUATE INFORMATION

**Please** send *The Crier* your daughter's or son's graduation information so we can share the good news with our CHV community. Email [marthawelborn@gmail.com](mailto:marthawelborn@gmail.com) or fax to **303-267-0863**. We will publish graduation information in the May/June issue of *The Crier*.

#### Please include:

1. Graduate's name
2. Parents' names
3. School student is graduating from (if college or graduate school, also the degree)
4. School student is planning to attend (if student is a high school graduate going on to college)
5. Student's plans after graduation if known.

**Please submit information by May 23rd**

## A MESSAGE FROM YOUR MAYOR (continued from page 2)

Wish for Wheels ([facebook.com/WishForWheels](https://facebook.com/WishForWheels)) and CHVE are collaborating on a truly phenomenal philanthropic outreach: they have been busy raising funds to acquire the parts for building bicycles for children at a local elementary school who do not have that seminal mode of transport for children. 115 Highline Elementary School kindergarteners will receive new bicycles by virtue of the charitable spirit of our CHVE students! This all culminates on Monday, May 12, from 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM, when they will be assembling these bikes on the playground at CHVE! All are welcome to attend and to help out. The next day they will deliver these bikes to the kids at Highline Elementary. Christmas will come seven months early for those lucky kids! Thank you, Wish for Wheels and CHVE!

## “WE’RE ENGAGED!”

And so, finally, as you contemplate “the cruellest month,” cherish the fact that our Village is a very special place of restful tranquillity and natural beauty. It is an island of splendor situated in the very heart of one of the most dynamic, vibrant metropolitan regions in the United States, populated by the most philanthropically minded citizens in the country. We are secluded but not isolated, exclusive but not exclusory, insulated but not insular. We may be viewed as out of reach, but we certainly are not out of touch. Spread this Message from Your Mayor: “We’re-engaged!”

*Editor’s Note: Recently Mayor Tisdale attended the 5 day National League of Cities’ Conference in Washington, D.C. As one of the members of the Colorado delegation, he participated in events designed to connect cities to Capitol Hill and build skills to govern, serve and advocate for CHV, the Denver Region and cities across America.*

*While there, he met with Senators Michael Bennett & Mark Udall and Congresspersons Mike Coffman, Diana DeGette, and Ed Perlmutter.*

*The Mayor said of his trip, “In addition to meeting with other regional leaders across the country to share the story of the phenomenal place that Cherry Hills Village and the Denver Region hold in the United States, I enjoyed the opportunity to have private meetings with five of Colorado’s nine elected Congressional representatives. Nothing beats meeting with Congressional members face-to-face when they’re about to walk into hearings on the matters that are important to local officials. In my position as Chair of the Colorado Municipal League Policy Committee, I am in a unique position to know about - and advocate for - things that matter to Colorado’s 266 cities and towns, where more than 90% of Coloradans reside.”*

## CHERRY HILLS GARDEN AND HOBBY CLUB CELEBRATES 55 YEARS!

The club was started by a like-minded group of women in 1959, who sought plants/trees that would thrive in the barren area. If those ladies could only see CHV now. This year, the club is offering a variety of programs such as yoga for all ages, learning about bees, making fresh salsa from our tomato harvests, and creating containers for hummingbirds and butterflies. We are a casual educational/social club and are always looking for new members. The club calendar is March to December and meets mainly on the third Wed. of the month from 10 AM-12 PM in member homes. If you are interested, please contact Deborah at **303-758-7629** or email [Hruzas@aol.com](mailto:Hruzas@aol.com).”

## UNDERGROUND STUDY COMMITTEE UPDATE

The Utility Line Underground Study Committee has begun meeting to discuss the goals that City Council has asked the committee to review. These goals include: the estimated cost of undergrounding utility lines; policy recommendations for cost sharing; a priority ranking for the sequence of undergrounding lines; suggested changes to the Municipal Code or Village policies to support the effort; a plan to finance the project; and all other matters the committee deems relevant.

During the past few meetings, the committee has focused on a timeline for their report, use of the Xcel 1% undergrounding fund, franchise agreements, improvement districts, similar communities and mapping of utility lines. **The committee meets on the first and third Thursday of the month at 9:00 am in the Village Center.** Residents are welcome to attend and offer feedback regarding future projects.

## PUBLIC WORKS ACCREDITATION

The Public Works Department began the process for accreditation by the American Public Works Association (APWA) last summer. Since then, the department has completed the self-assessment phase in which it determined how its policies and procedures compared to the recommended practices of nationally recognized experts. As part of the improvement phase, staff has started to document its existing guidelines and form new ones to comply with the 406 recommended practices that apply to the City. An evaluation team from APWA will visit later this year to determine if the department meets the recommended standards. If successful, the department will become one of only 90 agencies in the country to become accredited.

# BOARD AND COMMISSION OPENINGS

The City is currently accepting applications for openings on the Board of Adjustment and Appeals and the Parks, Trails and Recreation Commission. Please visit [www.cherryhillsvillage.com](http://www.cherryhillsvillage.com) for an application and more information about the boards and commissions. **Applications are due Friday, April 25<sup>th</sup>.**

The current members of the City's boards and commissions are listed below. Asterisks indicate a term ending in 2014. Reappointments are evaluated by the City Council.

## BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT AND APPEALS

\*Suzy Love, Chair  
\*Jamie Seitz, Vice-Chair  
Earl Hoellen  
Susan Struna  
\*Kerry Sullivan  
Mark Griffin (City Council Representative, Alternate)

## PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

\*Laura Christman, Chair  
Peter Savoie, Vice-Chair  
Jim Rubin  
\*Steve Szymanski  
David C.P. Wyman  
Al Blum  
Kassie Jensen



## PARKS, TRAILS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

\*Bill Lucas, Chair  
\*Jeffrey Ferrell, Vice-Chair  
Joshua DiCarlo  
\*Karen Barsch  
Colleen Dougherty  
Robert Eber  
\*Mike Gallagher

## PUBLIC ART COMMISSION

\*Ann Polumbus, Chair  
\*Gay Warren  
Douglas Smooke  
Teresa Harbaugh  
Klasina VanderWerf (City Council Representative)

# PARKS TRAILS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

The Parks Trails and Recreation Commission (PTRC) has been busy and has started 2014 with a demanding schedule. PTRC Chair Bill Lucas provided a general overview of the PTRC in the November/December issue of The Crier, and this article provides an update. Special thanks are due to Ryan Berninzoni; Parks Trails and Recreation Administrator, Matt Kresbach; Parks Crew Chief, Pamela Broyles; and all staff for all their hard work and effort. Throughout a long, cold winter, and now as the weather warms, our trails and open space areas look great!

The Commission received and reviewed the George W. Calkins Trust Subdivision sketch plat proposal at the November 14, 2013 PTRC meeting. On January 2, 2014, a number of PTRC Commissioners and residents met with the developer at the site to better understand the proposal. The developer formally submitted the Preliminary Plat for Commission review at the January 2014 PTRC meeting. The PTRC voted to recommend the application to the Village Planning and Zoning Commission, subject to conditions that include, among other things, restricted vegetation height along Quincy Avenue, moving a proposed pocket park to a more central location, and maintaining the exterior fencing along Quincy as split rail. The Planning and Zoning Commission reviewed the application at a public hearing on February 25<sup>th</sup>, but continued its review to a later date without making a decision. If you are interested in the details of the proposed subdivision, please contact the Village staff.

The Holiday Tree Lighting event was December 13, 2013. This brought a warm end to Chanukah and ushered in the Christmas holiday spirit. The event was well attended, and fun was had by all. In the midst of an otherwise cold and snowy December, it was a wonderful event.

On February 13<sup>th</sup>, the Commission held a public hearing and reviewed an application for installation of two synthetic play boulders and six wooden play stumps, along with installation of mulch and wood edging, in Dahlia Hollow Park. The proposed play area was approximately 50 feet by 20 feet, and would have been located in the southeast portion of the park near where the Village recently installed a bench. The play area would allow nearby residents a meeting place and communal play area. The Commission had previously considered a similar proposal, but due to the contentious discussion the proposal generated, tabled it without making a final decision. As with the original discussion, public participation was strong—on both sides of the proposal—with a majority opposed to the application due to traffic and noise concerns, as well as seeking to maintain an undeveloped park condition. After much discussion regarding the application, the Commission voted to reject the application.

On February 18, 2014, PTRC Chair Bill Lucas and many community members provided public comment to City Council members concerning the Village open space program,

the public's support for additional acquisitions, the ability to continue financing and caring for open space. Mr. Lucas commented that PTRC continues to support open space but periodically struggles with appropriate prioritization of open space acquisition and use of existing space.

We anxiously await Village staff's planting of new trees along the High Line Canal. Staff completed a new High Line Canal irrigation system last fall that will support these trees. It should look great and allow continued growth for years to come.

The Quincy Farm Visioning Committee (QFVC), a PTRC subcommittee, continues its extensive, diligent efforts and will make recommendations for the future use, preservation and programming of Quincy Farm. As reported in prior issues of the Crier, Catherine Anderson gifted this wonderful parcel on the south side of Quincy, on both sides of the High Line Canal, to the Village, giving us an exciting opportunity to continue her legacy to the land. The QFVC will present its recommendations to PTRC in the near future. Be sure to attend this meeting and stay abreast of how the Village will make use of this great treasure!

The Trail Enhancement Subcommittee, led by Jeff Ferrell and Mike Gallagher, is busy reviewing the Village's trail system and making recommendations on its enhancement. An example is the trail off Pond Road and Holly Street, where significant recent construction activity has perhaps obscured the 15 foot wide bridal trail. To remedy this, the subcommittee recommended installation of a bollard at the trailhead off Holly Street and Pond Road to identify the trail and allow easier access use of the trail.

The Special Events Subcommittee, capably led by Colleen Dougherty, met February 19<sup>th</sup> to discuss 2014 activities. The outdoor movie night was a great success and will take place again this summer, the car show returns better than ever (and hopefully without weather complications!), and December brings the holiday tree lighting! Watch the calendar for specific dates. We welcome your participation and support to make these events the best ever.

Finally, as reported in prior Criers, PTRC is excited to work on the Allan Hutto Memorial Commons Project and overall planning and programming for Meade Park, our Village "Central Park."

PTRC meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month and welcomes public attendance and participation. Come join us. In the meantime, PTRC looks forward to seeing you all out enjoying our parks, trails and recreation spaces.

*Robert Eber, PTRC Commission Member*





**3RD ANNUAL WOOF & WINE FUNDRAISER**  
**BENEFITTING THE ANIMALS OF THE SOUTH PLATTE VALLEY HUMANE**  
**SOCIETY • MAY 31ST, 2014, 7-10PM • RALPH SCHOMP HONDA BMW**  
**1190 PLUM VALLEY LANE • HIGHLANDS RANCH**

**THE HUMANE SOCIETY OF THE SOUTH PLATTE  
 VALLEY – CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE LOCAL  
 ANIMAL SHELTER**

When a lost animal is found by CHV Animal Control, Officer Newhouse will attempt to contact the owner through tags or a microchip. Animals can be held for up to a twelve hour period; then, and in cases of animals/dogs with no identification, animals will be taken to The Humane Society of the South Platte Valley, located at 2129 West Chenango Avenue in Littleton.

The Humane Society of the South Platte Valley's mission is to offer shelter, care and compassion for lost, stray and unwanted animals until they are redeemed by their families or adopted into a new home. All stray animals are held for a period of seven days prior to going up for adoption, providing owners ample opportunity to locate them. Please call **303-703-2938** with questions or visit HSSPV's website at [www.hsspv.org](http://www.hsspv.org).

If you are interested in helping your local shelter, a great start is to attend, sponsor, or make a donation toward HSSPV's biggest annual fundraiser, **The Woof & Wine**. Held on May 31<sup>st</sup> 2014 from 7pm-10pm at Ralph Schomp Honda BMW, the event features local food and drink, a silent auction, live entertainment, and adorable adoptable animals. Tickets are **\$75** and can be purchased on the website at [www.hsspv.org/woofandwine](http://www.hsspv.org/woofandwine).



## 2ND ART COMMISSION FUNDRAISER - AN ELEGANT EVENING FEATURING THE MAESTRO OF GLASS BLOWERS - LINO TAGLIAPIETRA

On June 1st, Village residents Trish and Ken Green are generously opening their home to host the 2nd annual Cherry Hills Art Commission Fundraiser. They have invited their good friend and internationally recognized glass artist, Lino Tagliapietra and his wife, Lina, as the featured guest and speaker for the dinner. Please read Lino's impressive biography below. He is known as the Maestro of glass blowers! The Greens have a beautiful home filled with their own impressive art collection. The evening will include lively conversation, an elegant seated dinner under the stars, and an opportunity to meet a master artist. Trish reminds attendees to *dress with a western attitude*, but remember that dinner will be served outside, so keep that in mind when selecting your outfit. All proceeds from the dinner will go toward the Art Commission's Donation fund. The Commission's goal is to eventually purchase a significant piece of art for the Village.

### LINO TAGLIAPIETRA - GUEST ARTIST AT JUNE 1ST CHV ART COMMISSION FUNDRAISER

At the age of 80, world-renowned glass artist Lino Tagliapietra shows no signs of slowing down. He continues to amaze, create and execute stunning works of art.

Born on the glass-blowing island of Murano, Italy, in 1934, Lino began his glass career at the young age of 11. After working with Muranese master, Archimede Seguso, for ten years, he earned the coveted title of Maestro by the age of 21. For more than 40 years, he continued to hone his skills working in numerous Murano glass factories. He crafted glass creations based on his own designs, but mostly blew glass from drawings drafted by talented international designers who could design, but not execute their own creations.

Lino first came to the United States in 1979 to teach at the Pilchuck Glass School in Stanwood, WA, started by Dale Chihuly. In 1989, Lino took the big leap and became an independent artist; the rest is history.

Since going on his own, Lino has excelled and has become synonymous with glass. He is known for his generosity and willingness to collaborate with young, emerging artists, and has shared his immense talent by teaching at glass programs and studios around the world. His quality workmanship, inspiration and innovation have earned him the respect and admiration of artists and collectors internationally.

James Yood, adjunct professor of art history at the School of the Art Institute of Chicago and contributor to GLASS magazine says, "...there are probably no two words more respected and honored in the history of modern sculpture in glass than 'Lino Tagliapietra'; he is the living bridge, the crucial link between the august history of Venetian glass and the ceaseless wonders of what today we call the modern Studio Glass Movement."

Lino is the recipient of numerous awards and is represented by museums and art venues world-wide, including (but not limited to): The Metropolitan Museum of Art, NY; Corning Museum of Glass, NY; The Danish Royal Museum, Copenhagen, Denmark; Venice Biennale, Italy; Tokyo National Modern Art Museum, Japan; Victoria and Albert Museum, London, UK; Renwick Gallery of the Smithsonian American Art Museum, Washington, D.C., Musée des Arts Décoratifs, Losanna, Switzerland and Paris, France; and Museo del Vidrio, Monterrey, Mexico.



*Lino Tagliapietra at work in his studio. Mr. Tagliapietra will be the guest artist at the Art Commission Fundraiser June 1st.*

## VILLAGER SHERRY HELMSTAEDTER SHOWS ART IN CHV COMMUNITY ROOM

It was an art history course in college and not her wheat, alfalfa and cattle stomping grounds of northern Montana that inspired Sherry Helmstaedter to take up art. From the time art class transformed her, Sherry continued to follow her passion by delving into all the artists she could find at museums and galleries around the world to study what they had pursued.

Today Sherry works with acrylic, watercolor and mixed media to create art which she describes as “abstract or a blend of fanciful or semi-realism loaded with color.” Her work has appeared in a number of exhibitions in the State including the Colorado Springs Art Guild Regional Fine Art Show and the Watermedia Exhibit at the Colorado History Museum. Her work also appears in a number of corporate collections like that of the John Madden Company.

This April and May, Sherry’s work will also appear in the Joint Public Safety Facility’s Community Room located at 2460 East Quincy Avenue. Hours of operation are 8:00-4:00 PM, Monday through Friday. This is a cheerful, colorful, unique show displaying a diverse range of genre. You’ll find landscapes, florals, people, animals, non-objective and abstract pieces of all sizes.

Sherry hosted a reception in the Community Room on April, 4<sup>th</sup>. Fifteen percent of all proceeds from this exhibition and any paintings and sculpture on her website will go to the Rotary Club of Denver for End Polio Now (contribute at: [endpolionow.org](http://endpolionow.org)) which plans to eradicate polio by 2018 in its endgame strategy. From 2013-2018, the Gates Foundation will match two-to-one (up to \$35 million per year) every \$1 that Rotary commits in direct support for polio eradication. For more information on Sherry Helmstaedter and her art, go to her website at [www.coloradopaintbox.com](http://www.coloradopaintbox.com) .

*The artist demonstrates the “fan brush” technique which creates “totally unpredictable effects as well as spontaneity in the finishing touches of a painting.” She also uses the technique to create texture.*



Examples of Sherry Helmstaedter’s work include:



*Venice of the Cotswolds; Mixed Media*



*By the Sea 50s Friends; Acrylic*



*Lily Pads; Watercolor*

# *HAPPY SPRING!!!*





## CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE ART COMMISSION ■

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The Master Plan for the Cherry Hills Village Art Commission requires that the Commission present its goals to City Council each year for Council approval. The Art Commission summarized its accomplishments to date and presented its annual work plan to the City Council at their February 4 meeting. The Art Commission was created in the summer of 2011. To date three sculptures have been placed in the Village on a loan basis and a major painting by Village artist, Duke Beardsley, was gifted to the Village. Public dedication ceremonies have been held for each piece. Ralph Mason, City's Public Works Project and Right of Way Manager, suggested the idea of having the Village schools paint the blades of our snowplows and the Art Commission coordinated this program. The South Metro Fire Rescue and City Police Department staff fell in love with a painting by Art Commissioner Gay Warren which was on display in the Community room; Gay gifted the painting to them. The first annual fund raising dinner was held at the home of Sally and Ray Duncan and \$10,000 was raised for the purpose of creating an Art Donation Account Fund to eventually purchase a significant piece of art for the Village. Chainsaw, a bronze beaver by Colorado artist Jesse Horton, was purchased at the Duncan event and gifted to the Village by Devon and Brad Stevinson and Bryan Stevinson. Peter Roosevelt held a personal art show in the Community Room and donated all the proceeds, \$12,750, to the Art Commission's Donation Fund. To date we have raised over \$30,000.

This year the Commission is working toward acquiring a loaned piece from a Colorado sculptor. A listing on CaFE, a national call of artists website, will describe what we are looking for. Basically, it is a call to Colorado artists to create a sculpture for a specific location outside our Joint Public Safety Building. We ask the artist to loan us a piece for a minimum of one year. We agree to pay for installation and sometimes materials up to a very limited amount of money. The incentive to the artist is great exposure in a community that values their own personal art collections.

The Commission is extremely excited to announce that our second annual fundraising dinner will be hosted by Ken and Trish Green on Sunday June 1st. The Greens most generously are sponsoring the dinner and have, through their personal friendship with internationally recognized Italian glass artist Lino Tagliapietra, convinced him to attend the dinner as the featured speaker. It will be an evening not to be missed.

The Cherry Hills Village Art Commission strives for transparency. All of its agendas and minutes can be found on the City's website at <http://cherryhillsvillage.com/PAC.aspx>. Its Master Plan which has been approved by City Council, is a detailed account of the Commission's purpose, responsibilities, funding and transparency and can be found at <http://cherryhillsvillage.com/artmasterplan.aspx>. Commission meetings are open to the public and Villager comments and support are welcomed.

Cherry Hills Village is served by the following Art Commissioners: **Ann Polumbus** (Chair), **Teresa Harbaugh**, **Doug Smooke**, **Gay Warren** and **Klasina VanderWerf** (City Council representative)



# Consumer Alert

## Sweepstakes Scams are Swindling Seniors

Sweepstakes scams are on the up-swing and are targeting older citizens. Several seniors are calling the District Attorney's Consumer Line to report they have either received a call, or have been duped in sweepstakes scams claiming to be through Lloyds of London, or a company called Make a Million. A Mexican lottery scam is also circulating. In both of these types of scams, victims are pressured into paying "taxes", "insurance" and other false fees up front before they can receive their extraordinary "prize" of either several millions of dollars, or a very expensive car. The huckster instructs the victim to either send payment through a wire transfer service, or to load the money on a Green Dot card and give the information on the card to the caller. (Green Dot cards operate similarly to gift cards in that money is loaded onto the card at the point of purchase, usually a retail store). The hucksters behind these scams are very high-ranking, i.e., claim to be from the "U.S. Department of Consumer Affairs", or the "president" of the sweepstakes company. Victims report that once they receive the initial call, a series of calls follow by the same person or others who spin convincing tales to reinforce the belief that the victim has really won. Older victims of these scams are reporting the loss of thousands of dollars as a result of these persuasion tactics.

### Facts about sweepstakes and lotteries:

- ♦ In Colorado, it is against the law to charge any fee on any legitimate sweepstakes prize.
- ♦ All foreign lotteries are illegal in the United States.
- ♦ Taxes on such winnings are never paid in advance.
- ♦ In valid sweepstakes contests, you have to enter the contest first, in order to win. The same holds true for lottery contests. If you haven't purchased a lottery ticket, you can't win.
- ♦ Research shows that the longer you stay on the phone with a huckster, the greater your risk of falling for a scam!

There is no possible way to verify the legitimacy of a sweepstakes contest that is pitched over the phone. The safest bet is to refrain from entering ANY sweepstakes contests. Avoiding contests will eliminate your name and phone number from getting on mailing lists that eventually end up in the hands of hucksters.

**DA – 18<sup>th</sup> Consumer Protection Line: 720-874-8547**

## PASSINGS

**Marilyn Paul Bulkley** passed away on January 25th after a brief battle with cancer. She leaves her husband of 51 years, Jack, her son, Jonathan, and her daughter, Melinda Chase and 2 grandchildren: Phoebe and Jack.

**Bill Crouch** passed away on February 27th at age 78. He is survived by his three children, daughters Shelley Hupp and Stacey McDonald and son, Scott, along with ten grandchildren and two sisters.

Our thoughts go out to the families of our recently departed Villagers and friends.

## CITY APPLIES FOR ARAPAHOE COUNTY OPEN SPACE GRANTS

The City has submitted two applications for the 2014 Arapahoe County Open Space Grant Cycle. The first request is in the amount of \$35,000 to fund a master plan for John Meade Park. The park is currently in need of a makeover to accommodate its increased use. The goal for the master plan is to identify and plan for current and future use of the park. The second request is in the amount of \$130,000 to stabilize a portion of Little Dry Creek in Woodie Hollow Park. The creek bank has started to shift due to erosion and has begun to encroach upon a nearby trail. The Arapahoe County Open Space Program works to preserve natural and heritage areas, enhance neighborhoods and regional parks and build and maintain trails. Award announcements are expected in June.

## DOG LICENSE RENEWAL

2014 dog licenses are now available. All dogs within the City of Cherry Hills Village must be licensed with the City on a yearly basis. The fee for licensing is \$10.00 per dog. To complete the registration for your dog in person, please bring their current rabies vaccination certificate to the Joint Public Safety Facility Monday through Friday from 8:00 am until 4:30 pm. To register your dog online, please go to the dog licensing section of our website at [www.cherryhillsvillage.com](http://www.cherryhillsvillage.com).

Please note that if you register your dog online, the license tag will not be mailed until the appropriate payment is received. (Payment options are listed on the website.) If you have any questions, please contact Animal Control Officer **John Newhouse** at 303-783-2739 or Police Clerk **Sarah Henderson** at 303-761-8711.

**Residents are also reminded to “scoop the poop” when necessary; please help keep our trails as clean as possible for everybody’s enjoyment and use.**

## CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE BABYSITTERS

*The Crier offers the following list as an information service only. The Crier does NOT review babysitter qualifications; Villagers must screen babysitters themselves. \* Indicates Pet and Plant care  
\*\* Indicates housesitting +indicates Red Cross babysitting Certif.*

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|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|
| <b>McKenna Adams*</b>       | <b>5251 Sanford Circle East</b> | <b>303-759-8322</b>  |
| <b>Tyler Adams*</b>         | <b>5251 Sanford Circle East</b> | <b>303-759-8322</b>  |
| <b>Pratibha Anand **</b>    | <b>81 Cherry Hills Farm Dr</b>  | <b>720-328-2154</b>  |
| <b>Claire Bailey*</b>       | <b>5840 Southmoor Lane</b>      | <b>303-733-2025</b>  |
| <b>Blaine Barsch</b>        | <b>3777 S. Albion St.</b>       | <b>303-621-4147</b>  |
| <b>Ellie Bauer</b>          | <b>3800 East Mansfield Ave</b>  | <b>303-808-5185</b>  |
| <b>Sam Cohen* **</b>        | <b>1501 E. Quincy Ave.</b>      | <b>303-761-3303</b>  |
| <b>Walker Crowley *</b> **  | <b>4051 South Ivy Lane</b>      | <b>303-981-2441</b>  |
| <b>Chelsea Davidson</b>     | <b>2230 E. Grand Ave.</b>       | <b>303-520-9727</b>  |
| <b>Maryanna DeLine+ *</b>   | <b>#1 Huntwick Court</b>        | <b>720-448-6097</b>  |
| <b>Jessica Diamond</b>      | <b>5134 E. Oxford Ave.</b>      | <b>303-692-9475</b>  |
| <b>Isabella Diamond</b>     | <b>5134 E. Oxford Ave.</b>      | <b>303-692-9475</b>  |
| <b>Kristin Douglass</b>     | <b>2450 Cherryridge Rd.</b>     | <b>303-762-0080</b>  |
| <b>Sibel Fite*</b>          | <b>17 Mockingbird Lane</b>      | <b>303-862 0906</b>  |
| <b>Jennifer Groene + *</b>  | <b>4000 So. Hudson Way</b>      | <b>303-753-6262</b>  |
| <b>Alexandra Haymons+ *</b> | <b>4050 So Hudson Way</b>       | <b>303-722-2386</b>  |
| <b>Nicole Honnen*</b>       | <b>15 South Lane</b>            | <b>303-819-4841</b>  |
| <b>Tylor Hopkins*</b>       | <b>1199 E. Layton Ave</b>       | <b>720-300-4625</b>  |
| <b>Camran Kazemian* **</b>  | <b>24 Martin Ln</b>             | <b>303-783-1333</b>  |
| <b>Chloe Kim * +</b>        | <b>2 Viking Drive</b>           | <b>507-254-2062</b>  |
| <b>Sadie Largan+</b>        | <b>7 Cherry Hills Farm Dr.</b>  | <b>303-761-5274</b>  |
| <b>Kate LaMair*</b>         | <b>16 Cherry Lane Drive</b>     | <b>303-584-0601</b>  |
| <b>Emily Matthews*</b>      | <b>1190 E. Kenyon Ave.</b>      | <b>303-781-6777</b>  |
| <b>Will Matthews*</b>       | <b>1190 E. Kenyon Ave.</b>      | <b>303-781-6777</b>  |
| <b>Carter McGrath* **</b>   | <b>5771 Charlou Dr</b>          | <b>303-220-5636</b>  |
| <b>Brook McIntyre</b>       | <b>4730 S. Lafayette St.</b>    | <b>303-789-1263</b>  |
| <b>Katie Mullen</b>         | <b>3715 S. Gilpin St.</b>       | <b>303-803- 8150</b> |
| <b>Molly Murphy*</b>        | <b>1015 E. Tufts Ave.</b>       | <b>720-428-8343</b>  |
| <b>Emma Murphy*</b>         | <b>1015 E. Tufts Ave.</b>       | <b>720-428-8343</b>  |
| <b>Phoebe Nielsen*</b>      | <b>4061 So. Cherry Street</b>   | <b>303-758-8702</b>  |
| <b>Sophie Otte* +</b>       | <b>2 Glenmoor Circle</b>        | <b>303-550-1525</b>  |
| <b>Lexi Pavlakis</b>        | <b>9 Sterling Ave.</b>          | <b>303-761-6183</b>  |
| <b>Cameron Reiss</b>        | <b>4789 So Dahlia</b>           | <b>303-810-3396</b>  |
| <b>Elizabeth Schwartz</b>   | <b>2135 E. Grand Ave.</b>       | <b>303-886-7431</b>  |
| <b>Kelly Steinberg+</b>     | <b>60 Glenmoor Circle</b>       | <b>303-862-9111</b>  |
| <b>Emma Sveen</b>           | <b>2115 E. Grand Ave.</b>       | <b>303-761-7757</b>  |
| <b>Gunnar Sveen</b>         | <b>2115 E. Grand Ave.</b>       | <b>303-761-7757</b>  |
| <b>Dylan Tallian*</b>       | <b>11 Lynn Road</b>             | <b>303-761-4162</b>  |
| <b>Madilyn Turken</b>       | <b>4020 S. Dexter St.</b>       | <b>303-753-2367</b>  |
| <b>Sara Turken</b>          | <b>4020 S. Dexter St.</b>       | <b>303-753-2367</b>  |
| <b>Lili Valis</b>           | <b>48 Sedgwick Drive</b>        | <b>303-761-8405</b>  |
| <b>Caitlin Vickers</b>      | <b>4828 S. Albion St.</b>       | <b>303-756-3266</b>  |
| <b>Annabel Wall</b>         | <b>5600 East Oxford Ave.</b>    | <b>303-765-0620</b>  |
| <b>Monica Wang * **</b>     | <b>14 Cherry Hills Farm Dr</b>  | <b>303-881-8508</b>  |
| <b>Natalie Watkins ***</b>  | <b>13 Cherrymoor Dr</b>         | <b>303-915-5223</b>  |
| <b>Erin Windfeldt*</b>      | <b>7 E. Bellevue Pl</b>         | <b>303-761-9619</b>  |
| <b>Caden Zimmerman</b>      | <b>4255 So Bellaire Circle</b>  | <b>303-733-9199</b>  |

*PLEASE help us by updating your son's, daughter's, or neighbors' information if they are no longer available or have moved away. Contact Martha Welborn at 303-773-6115, fax 303-267-0863, or email [marthawelborn@gmail.com](mailto:marthawelborn@gmail.com). A special "Thank You" to those of you who have recently contacted The Crier with some of these updates.*

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## **CHERRY HILLS VILLAGE POLICE SUPPORT DRUG TAKE BACK**

### **CLEAN OUT YOUR MEDICINE CABINET! NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION DRUG TAKE BACK DAY**

Saturday  
April 26, 2014  
10:00 am to 2:00 pm  
Cherry Hills Village Police Department  
2460 E. Quincy Avenue  
Cherry Hills Village, CO 80113

For additional information please visit [www.dea.gov](http://www.dea.gov)

#### **Items which cannot be accepted for Take Back programs:**

- Needles & sharps
- Mercury (thermometers)
- Oxygen containers
- Chemotherapy/Radioactive substances
- Pressurized canisters
- Illicit drugs