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NEWS RELEASE

June 2019 Calendar

May 29, 2019 – Schedule of events for the City of Northglenn for June and early July 2019:

Derby Day

Sat., June 1, 8 a.m.-12:30 p.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

Northglenn's unofficial kick-off to summer returns with Derby Day. Youth ages 2 to 14 are welcome to compete in the fishing derby and ride in the bike derby. In celebration of the city's 50th Anniversary, participants will receive a commemorative bike bell.

For the fishing derby, check-in starts at 8 a.m. Fishing in Webster Lake follows from 8:30 to 10 a.m. Awards will be presented in six age categories, along with the longest fish overall. Just as a reminder, participants **MUST** bring their own fishing pole, tackle and bait.

Nearby on the basketball court, the bike derby will have a learn-to-ride practice area and bike safety skills program. Bicycles and helmets will be provided. Plus, the city's Healthy Eating Active Living (HEAL) Committee will give away refurbished bikes to kids who need one.

Also, the city has invited healthy eating and/or active living vendors and groups to attend. Plus – you can take a photo and get a hug from Buddy Bison – mascot for the national Kids to Parks Day!

Cost is free for both derbies. However, fishing derby participants **MUST** pre-register at www.northglenn.org/derbyday. The first 300 registered will receive a hat and snacks.

Red and Blue BBQ Cook-Off

Sat., June 1, 12-4 p.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

North Metro Fire Rescue District and the Northglenn Police Department are firing up their BBQ smokers and going head-to-head alongside other teams to raise money for fallen and seriously injured first responders. Last year, the event raised more than \$8,500.

Along with the BBQ cook-off competition, visitors can enjoy live music, kids activities, vendor booths and a beer/wine tent. The event is free to attend; however, BBQ servings are \$3 each.

For more information, go to www.nmfr.org/bbq.

50 Years Forged in Iron: Community Iron Pour and Free Summer Concert

Wed., June 5, 4-9 p.m. iron pour, 6:30 p.m. concert, E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

The year-long celebration of the city's 50th Anniversary really heats up as we combine a free community iron pour and summer concert!

An iron pour is part art and part performance. Watch the artist heat the iron to molten temperatures, then pour it into a sculpted block that you design. 500 people can take home a free, one-of-a-kind iron art piece.

Meanwhile, the city's annual free Summer Concert Series kicks off with Thumpin'. This band's song repertoire spans five decades of funk, soul and R&B songs that are instantly recognizable and 100% danceable.

During the event, you can buy a meal, drink or dessert from a food truck on site. Food trucks open at 4 p.m. Beer and wine will also be sold, with profits benefiting Northglenn Arts.

For more information about the event, go to www.northglenn.org/ironpour.

AARP Smartphone Classes

Thurs., June 6, Northglenn Senior Center, 11801 Community Center Drive

Intro to Android: 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m. and 3-4:30 p.m.; Beyond the Basics: 12:30-1:30 p.m. and 5-6 p.m.

Learn how to use your Android smartphone in these free classes! In the introductory lecture, learn about texting, apps, photos and browsing. The follow-up intermediate talk covers maps, voice dictation, photos, security and more. You can attend either or both of the classes.

People of all ages are welcome. Please RSVP by June 4. Call 303-450-8801 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to sign up. RecTrac Code: 20527001

Senior Excursion: Washing Machine Museum and Lunch

Thurs., June 6, 11:15 a.m.-4 p.m., meet at the Northglenn Senior Center, 11801 Community Center Drive

Visit the museum that holds the Guinness World's Record with over 1,400 antique washing machines. Cost is \$10 plus the cost of lunch, which precedes the tour. For people ages 55 and over. Please register early, as space is limited. Call 303-450-8801 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to sign up. RecTrac Code: 20528007

Senior Center: Summer Kick-Off

Fri., June 7, 12 p.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

Celebrate the beginning of summer! Enjoy an outdoor potluck lunch under the Juniper Pavilion and fun summertime games. For people ages 55 and over. Cost is free, but please register by June 5. Call 303-450-8801 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to sign up. RecTrac Code: 20530003

Dumpster Days

Residents living on the east side of Interstate 25: Sat., June 8, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., Maintenance & Operations Facility, 12301 Claude Court

Residents living on the west side of I-25: Sat., June 22, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., north side of Northwest Open Space, West 112th Avenue and Ranch Drive

Cast away large and other unwanted items for free at the city's inaugural Dumpster Days!

Residents can conveniently clear up their garage, toss out old furniture and dispose of many other items that can't fit in a trash cart.

You must provide proof of residency, such as a driver's license or current utility bill with photo identification. Also, only one pickup or single-axle trailer per residence, please. This service is not open to businesses.

Prohibited items include tires, electronics, concrete, wet paint, dirt, sod, chemicals, building materials, mattresses, box springs and appliances that contain Freon.

For more information about the event, please call 303-450-4004.

Babysitting Class

Sat., June 8, 9 a.m.- 3 p.m., Northglenn Recreation Center, 11801 Community Center Drive

First-time babysitters ages 11 to 13 will learn how to watch over young kids. Skills covered include CPR, first aid, growth and development, safety, feeding, discipline, diapering and bathing. Please bring a sack lunch. Prices are \$60 for residents, \$65 for non-residents. Please RSVP by June 5. Call 303-450-8800 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to register. RecTrac Code: 20636001

Fire Safety Bingo

Mon., June 10, 1:30-3 p.m., Northglenn Senior Center, 11801 Community Center Drive

Learn how to stay safe and healthy in your home while having some fun with fire safety bingo. Presented by North Metro Fire Rescue District. Cost is free and open to all ages. Call 303-450-8801 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to sign up. RecTrac Code: 20527002

Senior Art on Parade Breakfast

Wed., June 12, 9 a.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

Take a walking tour of all the new Art on Parade sculptures. Northglenn Arts Director Michael Stricker will provide the background information on the pieces. Before the tour, meet at the Dogwood Pavilion for some breakfast burritos courtesy of the Northglenn Arts & Humanities Foundation. For people ages 55 and over. Cost is free, but you must RSVP by June 10. Call 303-450-8801 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to sign up. RecTrac Code: 20531003

Free Summer Concert: Tunisia

Wed., June 12, 6:30 p.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

Tunisia is a high-energy entertainment group that consistently gets the party started every time! Their dynamic show covers many styles, ranging from current hits to Classic Rock, R&B to Disco, Motown to Hip-Hop, Standard Jazz to Swing. While you enjoy the free concert, we'll have food trucks on site selling food, drink and dessert. Beer and wine will also be sold, with profits benefiting Northglenn Arts. For more information, go to www.northglennarts.org.

Free Yoga in the Park

Wed., June 12 and 26, 7-8 p.m., Northglenn Veterans Memorial, 11751 Community Center Drive

Who doesn't love a little sun mixed with a free yoga class? Roll out your mat and hold warrior pose with us. Stop by the Northglenn Recreation Center, 11801 Community Center Drive, or call 303-450-8800 for more information.

Parks and Recreation Project Public Hearing

Thurs., June 13, 5:30 p.m., City Council Chambers, 11701 Community Center Drive

Would you like to see a new park or playing field in Northglenn? Perhaps some new amenities in an existing area? The Parks and Recreation Advisory Board will have a public hearing focusing on desired projects in our parks and recreation areas. Your input helps determine which projects the city will budget for in the future. For more information, or to provide some suggestions if you cannot attend, please call 303-450-8800.

NYT Jr. Presents “City Mouse and Country Mouse”

Fri., June 14, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m., D.L. Parsons Theatre, 11801 Community Center Drive

After two weeks of rehearsing, actors ages 8 to 11 will conclude their acting class with two free performances. Please come on by and support these young thespians!

Mudapalooza 13

Sat., June 15, 9 a.m., Northwest Open Space, West 112th Avenue and Ranch Drive

Leave your superstitions on the sideline – it’s time to sign up for Mudapalooza 13, the city’s coed adult mud volleyball tournament!

Teams of eight to 12 players are guaranteed at least five games. Eight players are on the court, and at all times at least half of them must be female. This competition is open to individuals 18 and older.

Cost is \$325 per team. Sign up by going to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn or call 303.450.8800 and use code 20748001. Deadline is 8:30 p.m. Monday, June 10.

For more details and forms to fill out, go to www.northglenn.org/mudapalooza. A portion of the proceeds benefits A Precious Child. For more information, call 303-450-8800 or go to the site.

Free Family Swim

Tues., June 18, 5-8 p.m., Kiwanis Pool, 550 Garland Drive

Northglenn families can enjoy a summer evening at the pool – and some free ice cream. The pool is heated and the toddler pool and newly-installed splash pad will be open. For more information, call 303-450-8800. In case of inclement weather, call 303-457-1578 for potential closures.

Free Concert Series: The Martini Shot

Wed., June 19, 6:30 p.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

Recognized as Southern Colorado’s hottest band, the Martini Shot is a seven-piece, horn-powered, Pop-Rock cover and original band. Their covers are high-energy pop tunes in which they add horns to give it the “Martini Shot flavor”. While you enjoy the free concert, we’ll have food trucks on site selling food, drink and dessert. Beer and wine will also be sold, with profits benefiting Northglenn Arts. For more information, go to www.northglennarts.org.

Senior Nature Walk: Washington Park

Thurs., June 20, 9 a.m., meet at the Northglenn Senior Center, 11801 Community Center Drive

Go downtown to venture into nature with the 90-minute walk around Washington Park in Denver. Please bring a water bottle and a camera if you would like. Cost is free, but space is limited to 14 people. For people ages 55 and over. Please sign up by June 17. Call 303-450-8801 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to sign up. RecTrac Code: 20528005

Teddy Bear Picnic

Thurs., June 20, 10 a.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

Back for its 27th year, this annual gathering is free fun for kids and their favorite stuffed pals! Bring along a blanket to sit on and your own picnic snack and enjoy our live entertainment. Performing this year is Hunk-Ta-Bunk-Ta, a band where children can join in, engage and express themselves. Great for Pre-K to early elementary kids and their fuzzy friends. For more information go to www.northglennarts.org.

Weight Room Orientation

Thurs., June 20, 6-7 p.m.; Fri., June 21, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Northglenn Recreation Center, 11801 Community Center Drive

The weight room at the rec center offers a variety of workout equipment and resources. If you are new to the facility, this is a great place to start! For people ages 14 and over. Cost is free. Please RSVP a day before the event. Call 303-450-8800 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to register. RecTrac Code: 20425001

Senior Picnic

Fri., June 21, 11 a.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

Enjoy fried chicken and all the fixings by the lake. For Northglenn residents ages 62 and over. Cost is \$3. Register by June 19 by calling 303-450-8801 or going to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn. RecTrac Code: 20531002. Sponsored by Atria.

Colorado Youth Adventures: River Rafting

Tues., June 25, 7 a.m.-1:30 p.m., meet at the Northglenn Recreation Center, 11800 Community Center Drive

Float past a historic waterwheel, drop over Castle Falls, paddle through Mountain Lion and then hold on tight for Mr. Twister! Youth ages 11 to 18 can take a ride on this perfect introduction to whitewater rafting. Participants must wear a swimsuit and appropriate footwear. Please bring a sack lunch or money for food at Subway. We'll conclude the day with a hike. Cost is \$50 for residents, \$55 for non-residents. Call 303-450-8800 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to sign up. RecTrac Code: 20965001

Senior Book Club: "Defending Jacob"

Tues., June 25, 1 p.m., Northglenn Senior Center, 11801 Community Center Drive

Andy Barber has been an assistant district attorney for two decades. He is respected. Admired in the courtroom. Happy at home with the loves of his life: his wife, Laurie, and their teenage son, Jacob. Then Andy's quiet suburb is stunned by a shocking crime: a young boy stabbed to death in a leafy park. And an even greater shock: the accused is Andy's own son—shy, awkward, mysterious Jacob.

Cost is free. For people ages 55 and over. Call 303-450-8801 or stop by the center for more information.

Bike to Work Day

Wed., June 26, 6:30-9 a.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

Trade in the highway drive for the Greenway Trail in this regional event. The city and Smart Commute Metro North are hosting a rest station complete with free food, drinks and promotional items on hand. Sponsored by the Denver Regional Council of Governments. Go to www.biketoworkday.us to register or for more information.

Free Concert Series: Blinker Fluid Band

Wed., June 26, 6:30 p.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

Blinker Fluid Band is an explosive dance band that involves the audience in every song. Sets are finely crafted to fill the dance floor and keep it moving all night long. While you enjoy the free concert, we'll have food trucks on site selling food, drink and dessert. Beer and wine will also be sold, with profits benefiting Northglenn Arts. For more information, go to www.northglennarts.org.

Sculpture Tour

Thurs., June 27, 9 a.m., meet at the Northglenn Senior Center, 11801 Community Center Drive

Tour the city's collection of more than 25 sculptures, which were created by artists from throughout the country. Please register soon, as the trip only has 14 spots available. This tour is free and open to all ages. Call 303-450-8801 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to sign up. RecTrac Code: 20528003

Drama Performing Arts Presents "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"

Thurs., June 27, 7 p.m.; Fri., June 28, 2 and 7 p.m., D.L. Parsons Theatre, 11801 Community Center Drive

Can Ichabod Crane woo the hand of Katrina Van Tassel, or will he fall at the hands of the Headless Horseman? One of the earliest examples of popular American literature is brought to the stage. This is the culmination of a three-week class for young actors ages 10 to 16. Cost is free and open to the public.

July 4th Festival

Thurs., July 4, 7 a.m.-10 p.m., E.B. Rains Jr. Memorial Park, 11800 Community Center Drive

Come celebrate America's birthday with us! All your favorite festivities are back – the pancake breakfast, bake sale, car show, Pedals and Paws Patriotic Parade, Duck Derby and plenty of music and food.

And to celebrate the city's 50th Anniversary, we'll officially unveil the mural in the underpass underneath Interstate 25 from 2 to 6 p.m. Artist Chad Bolsinger will even give a demonstration.

The day concludes with a fireworks show over Webster Lake starting between 9 and 9:30 p.m. For more information, or to register for the car show, go to www.northglenn.org/july4th or call 303-450-8800. Sponsored by Horizons North Credit Union, Hello Fresh, Dodge Sign and Passanante's Home Food Services.

Senior Center Ice Cream Social

Fri., July 5, 1 p.m., Northglenn Senior Center, 11801 Community Center Drive

Here's the scoop - the senior center is hosting an ice cream social. Build your own sundae and cool off with friends. For people ages 55 and over. The event is free, but please RSVP by July 3. Stop by the center, call 303-450-8801 or go to www.northglenn.org/playnorthglenn to register. RecTrac Code: 20530004.

Northglenn, Colo., is a city of 38,905 residents that is located 13 miles north of downtown Denver. In the heart of the metro area, Northglenn is a place to call home and a forward-thinking community where businesses can thrive. Learn more by visiting northglenn.org. Like us on Facebook, @cityofnorthglenn, and follow us on Twitter, @northglennco.