

MARCH ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMINDERS

- **Community Flea Market Returning**—this summer during our Independence Day Celebration. When you are spring cleaning keep in mind that the Town will be having their 2nd annual community flea market on the 4th of July. The cost of a booth space is only \$20, (\$10 if you have a Town business license) and the booths will be located right in the heart of the downtown activities. Mark your calendar and start sifting through your treasures, it's a great opportunity! If you are interested in being a vendor please contact Julie Bullock at 719-836-2622, ext. 109 or email jbullock@fairplayco.us.
- **Property Improvement Incentive Program (PIIP)** - The Property Improvement Incentive Program will be offered for the fifth consecutive year to the residents and businesses of Fairplay. The PIIP program offers the granting of a rebate of all or a portion of the property taxes paid to the Town over the last five years for visible improvements to the outside appearance of your property. **Funds are limited, so get your PIIP applications in as soon as possible.** PIIP applications are available online at www.fairplayco.us under "documents and forms" or stop by Town Hall.
- **Xpress Bill Pay**—Sign up for paperless billing! Go to www.xpressbillpay.com and log in or "sign up". Follow the prompts and become a member of the paperless world to receive and pay your Town water and sewer bill.
- **Fairplay Elections** – The Town's regular municipal election will be held on April 3, 2018. Two Trustee seats and the Mayor's seat are up for election. Gabby Lane and Frank Just are running for the Mayor seat. Ray Douglas, Eve Stapp and David Michael Smith are running for the two trustee seats. The Fairplay Sanitation District election will be held on May 8, 2018. There are three District Board seats up for election. **Both of these will be conducted as mail ballot elections.**
- **Vendors Wanted for Fairplay's Wearable Art Festival** (aka Fairplay Bead and Fiber Show) – The Wearable Art Fest will be June 9th and 10th this year. The event location will remain on Front Street and host wearable art vendors, a beer & wine garden and great shopping opportunities. Vendors are needed! If you are interested in being a vendor please contact Julie Bullock at 719-836-2622, ext. 109 or email jbullock@fairplayco.us.
- **Dog License Required** – All dogs over six months of age within the Town limits of Fairplay must be licensed. Any dog that has been spayed or neutered is \$5. Non-neutered or spayed dogs are \$10. Licenses must be renewed each year. Please note that you must bring your current vaccination records with you. Visit our website, www.fairplayco.us and click on "documents and forms," or come to Town Hall for a dog license application.
- **Livestock Permits** – The Town of Fairplay requires anyone keeping livestock animals or fowl within the corporate limits of the Town to have a valid permit. Visit our website, www.fairplayco.us and click on "documents and forms," or come to Town Hall for a livestock permit.
- **Call for Volunteers**—Summer is right around the corner and volunteers are needed to help staff the Town Hall Visitor Center and to help at summer events. This is a great opportunity to meet new people, learn more about our area and to share information with visitors. Visitor Center training will take place at the end of May. Please fill out a volunteer application. They can be found on our website, www.fairplayco.us, under "documents and forms," or stop by Town Hall. For more information call 719-836-2622, ext. 109 or email jbullock@fairplayco.us.

March Code Enforcement Tip

It is the responsibility of the homeowners or occupants of properties inside the Town limits to remove snow or ice that has accumulated upon any sidewalk along their property for longer than twenty-four (24) hours. Please ensure the safety of those using sidewalks in Town by removing snow or ice as quickly as possible.

(Code enforcement is when cities and towns enforce their local laws. Usually this pertains to property upkeep but sometimes may refer to building codes. The Town of Fairplay strives to use sensible approaches to bring property owners into compliance.)

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Town Hall is located at 901 Main Street in Fairplay, (719) 836-2622, www.fairplayco.us

To sponsor, volunteer, or get involved, contact the Town of Fairplay.

2018 Town of Fairplay Events Schedule

March 8—Pizza Night Fundraiser, presented by Friends of the Fairplay Community, South Park Pub & Grill at the Fairplay-Valiton Hotel, 4:30pm—7pm, \$10/person, 6 and under \$5. Proceeds go to the Friends Building Fund. For info call 720-205-0178.

March 10—Casino Night, presented by the South Park Schools Foundation, 6pm—8:30pm at the American Legion in Fairplay, tickets \$25, complimentary appetizers and 2 1/2 hours of gambling. No children under 16 please. For info call 719-839-0450.

April 1—Fairplay Easter Egg Hunt, at South Park City Museum in Fairplay, Noon. Sponsored by the American Legion and Town of Fairplay. For info call 719-836-2720.

May 6—Spring Tea Party, presented by the Friends of the Fairplay Community, Hand Hotel, more details to follow. Proceeds go to the Friends Building Fund. For info call 720-205-0178.

May 15 to October 15—South Park City Museum is open, www.southparkcity.org, for info call 719-836-2387.

May 19—Fairplay Cemetery Clean Up, 9am—Noon. Volunteers are needed. For more information email vmead@fairplayco.us or call 719-836-2445.

June 1 to 3—Fairplay Town Clean Up Days, 7:30am—6pm or when dumpsters are full. Details of items accepted to be announced. For info call 719-836-2445.

June 7 to 10—Contin-tail Fairplay Rock & Gem Show, Platte Drive, Fairplay, 9am—5pm. For info call 720-491-0689 or email jaypenn246@gmail.com.

June 9 to 10—Fairplay's Wearable Art Fest, Front Street, "art to wear" vendors, beer/wine/food garden. For vendor applications or information call 719-836-2622, ext. 109 or email jbullock@fairplayco.us.

June 9—South Park Trail Marathon and 1/2 Marathon, Human Potential Running Series, www.humanpotentialrunning.com.

June 22—TGIFairplay Free Concert Series on Front Street, brought to you by Prather's Market. Enjoy live music with Split Window, a beach party theme and a pig roast. Beer, wine and food proceeds benefit the Friends of the Fairplay Community. For information call 719-836-2622, or visit www.visitfairplay.net.

July 4th—Fairplay's Independence Day Celebration, including fireworks, Burro Buster 5k race, Strut Your Mutt, parade, community flea market, food, free concert with the Walker Williams Band and kids activities. Events are on Front Street. For information call 719-836-2622, or visit www.visitfairplay.net.

July 7 to 8—Silverheels 100-Mile Endurance Run, and the "Last Call" 50-Mile Endurance Run, Human Potential Running Series, www.humanpotentialrunning.com.

July 18-22—Park County Fair & Rodeo, www.parkcofair.com.

July 27—TGIFairplay Free Concert Series on 5th Street, brought to you by Prather's Market. Enjoy free live music featuring Chris Daniels & the Kings. Beer & wine sales benefit the Friends of the Fairplay Community. For more information call 719-836-2622 or visit www.visitfairplay.net.

July 27 to 30—70th Anniversary of Burro Days, burro, llama, dog and outhouse races, art, craft and food booths, parade, rides, cowboy church, gunfights and more. For more information call 719-836-2622 or visit www.burrodays.com.

August 4—Sheep Mountain Endurance Runs, 50-Mile and 50k, Human Potential Running Series, www.humanpotentialrunning.com.

August 11—4th Annual South Park Throw Down Disc Golf Tournament, a PDGA sanctioned C-Tier Disc Golf Tournament. Contact southparkdiscgolf@gmail.com for information.

August 11 to 12—Living History Days at the South Park City Museum, www.southparkcity.org, 719-836-2387.

August 18—37th Annual Ed Snell 10k Walk/Run from Fairplay to Alma, www.almafoundation.com.

August 24—TGIFairplay Free Concert Series on Front Street, brought to you by Prather's Market, featuring the Hazel Miller Band. Enjoy free live music and a free Colorado peaches and ice cream social. Beer and wine sales benefit the Friends of the Fairplay Community. For more information call 719-836-2622 or visit www.visitfairplay.net.

September 4 to 8—9th Annual South Park Plein Air Arts Celebration, enjoy art painted throughout the week by talented Plein Air artists from around Colorado and beyond. Works of art will be for sale at the public art gallery opening reception on the 7th and again on the 8th where you can enjoy a live auction, For more information call 719-836-2622 or visit www.southparkartscelebration.com.

September 15—Oktoberfest celebration at South Park Brewing. For information call 719-836-1932 or visit www.southparkbrewingcolorado.com.