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Downtown Summer Art & Music Series



Saturdays - July 12, August 9 4:30-9:00pm, Intersection of 4th & Kimbark

The Downtown Summer Concerts have combined forces with ArtWalk's Summer on the Streets festival! Monthly street concerts at 4th & Kimbark are bigger and better than ever, featuring local food, drinks, kids activities, artists & makers, and live music. Bring the whole family at 4:30 for a kid-focused performance to start the festivities, and stick around for music from talented local and regional bands. And new this year – a full vendor market! Visit numerous artist & maker booths hosted by Firehouse Art Center while you enjoy the summer vibes and enjoy dancing in the street to live local music. More information available at DowntownLongmont.com or 303-651-8484.

NEIGHBORHOOD LEADERSHIP SERIES

Register for summer classes

Join us for a comprehensive traffic safety education series offered this summer. Learn about the City of Longmont's Vision Zero efforts around traffic safety and what you and your neighborhoods can do to improve personal safety, reduce traffic-related injuries in your community, and how to get involved.

Workshop Dates:

August 6

August 13

August 16-Site visit

Learn more at longmontcolorado.gov/nls.

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Fourth of July Party

Fireworks Viewing & Downtown Party: 2nd Ave and Emery St | July 4th | 5-11 pm Show starts at 9:15 pm longmontcolorado.gov/fireworks

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Find City Council meeting agendas and minutes at LongmontColorado.gov/City_Council.



Join Councilmembers and community members the third Saturday each month from 9-10 am.

- July 19: Lashley St. Station, 1200 Lashley St.
- August 16: Civic Center Mall, 350 Kimbark St.
- **September 20:** Senior Center, 910 Longs Peak Ave.
- October 18: Longmont Library, 409 4th Ave.

Find additional 2025 details online at:

LongmontColorado.gov/City_Council.

DIGITAL VELLUM: HOW CAN WE AVOID THE COMING DIGITAL DARK AGES



How can we make sure today's photos, documents, and digital memories are still around in the future?

Join us on Thursday, August 21, from 6 to 7 pm at the City Council Chambers for a free talk with Michael Witmore, former Director of the Folger Shakespeare Library in Washington, DC. Now a Longmont resident, Witmore works with internet pioneer Vint Cerf on ways to protect important digital materials — from personal files to cultural and historical records.

Unlike printed books that last for centuries, digital files can disappear quickly. This talk will explain what's at risk and how we can preserve what matters.

Registration opens June 1.

Visit bit.ly/LibDigitalVellum to sign up and be part of the conversation.

Keep Cool, Longmont!

Summer heat is here! With a few smart choices, you can stay safe, cool, and comfortable. If you're working or playing outdoors, start by drinking plenty of water, wearing lightweight clothing, and avoiding the hottest part of the day (usually between 3–6pm).

At home, try cooking, doing laundry, or running the dishwasher early in the morning or later at night to keep extra heat out of your space. An energy assessment can find where cool air is escaping from your business or home—and offer solutions to improve comfort and lower your energy bills.

Visit the Office of Sustainability's new Summer Heat webpage, LongmontColorado.gov/heat to learn more and get an energy assessment. You can also vote for cooling solutions—like planting trees and installing water features or cool pavement, and learn what Longmont is doing to support cooler, healthier public spaces for everyone.

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LONGMONT PUBLIC SAFETY'S CITIZEN ACADEMY

Have you ever wondered how heavy that firefighting gear really is? Curious as to why the SWAT team is sent out on some incidents and not others? Do you want to know why firefighters travel to the grocery store in the fire engine? Do you know what the busiest day of the week is for Public Safety?

Longmont Public Safety's Citizen Academy will answer questions you didn't know you had. It will also offer experiences you won't soon forget. This academy will include classroom presentations and discussion plus a hands-on day for Public Safety at the Fire Training Center.

You must be able to attend the all of the first four dates to participate:

Sept 3 - Public Safety Chief and staff

Sept 10 - Police Services

Sept 17 - Fire Services

Sept 24 - Collaborative Services

Sept 27- Field Day with Police and Fire at the Fire Training Center (Optional)

For additional information and how to get notification regarding this free academy, please visit bit.ly/LongmontPublicSafetyCitizenAcademy or call (303) 651-8424.



THE 'YOU' IN UTILITIES

Power to Count On

Once again, Longmont electric customers are in the spotlight for reliability.

According to the latest ratings from the American Public Power Association, a typical Longmont Power & Communications customer can go for more than two years without seeing a power outage. The data also found that when outages do happen, LPC crews typically have the lights back on within 42 minutes.

That's probably not a surprise to Longmont's residents and businesses, who have used that reliable power to build and enhance the community since 1912. And it's why Longmont has been recognized as a Reliable Public Power Provider since 2006 – the first year the designation was given – reflecting the care, investment and planning that has gone into Longmont's electric system.

No electric utility can be perfect, especially when dealing with Colorado weather, Colorado wildlife and the occasional off-course Colorado driver. But we strive to make it as good as it can be, so that your power can be there to meet your needs.

Find out more about the service you receive – and what to do in case of an outage – online at longmontcolorado.gov/news/a-powerful-commitment/.

Distributed and Virtual Power – What it Means for Longmont

Curious about the changing electric power grid and how you might play a role in the future? Join Sustainable Resilient Longmont for a discussion with Longmont Power & Communications and Platte River Power Authority to talk about distributed energy resources and virtual power plants – what they are and how they will help us meet our community energy goals. The event will be from 6:30 to 7:30 pm. Wednesday, Aug 13 in the Aspen Room at the St Vrain Memorial Building, 700 Longs Peak Ave.

Waterwise Yard Seminars

- Free to register
- · Held online via Zoom
- Weekday evenings 6:30-8 pm
- Variety of topics for all your garden needs Register online at

ResourceCentral.org/Seminars.

Questions? Call 303-999-3820 or
email GardenInfo@resourcecentral.org



RECREATION EVENTS & UPDATES



Longmont Kids Only Triathlon & Try-A-Tri

longmontcolorado.gov/triathlon | 303-774-4700 Saturday, August 16 | Recreation Center, 310 Quail Rd.

Whether your child is a seasoned racer or trying it for the first time (must be able to swim), the Longmont Kids Only Triathlon is built for ages 6-17. It's all about fun, fitness, and crossing the finish line with a smile. The adult Try-A-Tri is a super sprint triathlon—perfect for beginners, comeback stories, or anyone looking to test themselves in a friendly, low-pressure race. Join the fun, cheer each other on, and make it a day to remember! Want to volunteer or host a booth? Call 303-774-4694.

Free Community Night Concert - Five Seasons Quintet

longmontcolorado.gov/SandstoneEvents | 303-651-8404 5:30 - 7:30 pm, Tuesday, August 22 | Sandstone Ranch, 3001 Sandstone Dr.

The Five Seasons Quintet is a woodwind quintet that performs regularly in the Front Range region as part of the Melodic Light concert series. Please carpool, dress for the weather, and park in the upper parking lot, taking the walking trail to the Visitors Center. Arrive at 5:30 pm, bring a picnic, chairs or blankets and enjoy the scenery before the featured event at 6:30 pm. No registration required.

Register for Fall Activities in August

longmontcolorado.gov/recreation | 303-774-4700

Look for Recreation's Fall activities brochure online and in your Longmont mailbox early August. The Fall guide includes activities, fitness classes, programs, and special events that occur between September and December. Registration begins Tuesday, August 12.

Adult Leagues & Youth Sports Programs

longmontcolorado.gov/leagues | 303-774-3527

Register in early August for late summer/fall participation adult sports leagues in kickball, basketball, softball and pickleball. You can sign up with a team or as a free agent and we'll get you connected! Fall youth programs feature volleyball, cross country, and middle school soccer at participating schools.

Recreation Facility Maintenance Closures

longmontcolorado.gov/recreation | 303-774-4700

Every year, the City's recreation facilities close for maintenance on systems and equipment. Please visit our other facilities during the closure weeks.

- St Vrain Memorial Building, 700 Longs Peak Ave.: Closed August 4-9
- Recreation Center, 310 Quail Rd.: Closed August 24-31

Longmont Activity Pools

longmontcolorado.gov/pools | 303-774-4700

Longmont's two activity pools are designed for children 10 years and younger. Both pools offer zero depth entry, fun water features, and lots of space to splash and play. Each child 5 years and younger must be accompanied in the water by an adult who is at least 14 years old.

- Kanemoto Pool 1151 S. Pratt Pkwy.
- Roosevelt Pool 903 8th Ave. especially well-suited for kids 5 years and younger



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