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LA FEM DE LAS DIOSAS



Back by popular demand, the exclusive La Fem De Las Diosas (The Goddesses)! Dedicated to more than just growing coffee, La Fem is a dynamic network of community-based cooperatives run by women who support development and respect for women's rights. Fiercely independent and determined to succeed in the coffee industry, the 250-member cooperative has made much progress in terms of sustainable commercial coffee relations as well as the promoting solutions around women's education, health and housing issues.

Las Diosas develops project work focused on issues covering women's health, universal access to education, economic and moral support for single mothers. Purchasing this coffee, you support women's empowerment, organic agriculture, food security, sustainable development and more. Here at Desert Sun, we roast La Fem coffee to a medium roast leaving a clean, and round finish with citrus and spice.

Now available at True Value, 1000 N. Main St, Gunnison, CO!

TROOPER TIPS BY TROOPER GARY CUTLER "A CALL TO ACTION"

Over the 2018 holiday season this year, Colorado had a wakeup call. Starting Christmas Eve, and continuing through the next 72 hours, Colorado lost a total of 9 lives in 7 crashes. Those killed ranged from teenagers all the way to grandparents. The news talked about the loss of lives, people talked about it around friends and family; but pretty much Colorado went about its daily life after hearing the news.

If these people had been killed in a different way, say they were shot during the same period of time; the outcry from the public would have reached the heavens. But, for some strange reason, deaths in traffic crashes have been accepted as something that just happens. It needs to be acknowledged as a true, tragic issue, and needs to be stopped.

On December 27th 2018, when Troopers heard of the 5th person dying that single day, we decided we had to step up and get the public to act on preventing crashes; it starts with a message to Coloradoans that it has to stop. The Chief of the

Colorado State Patrol, Matthew Packard, made a video with a powerful statement to the residents of the state. He hearkened that we need a call to action to help protect the public from dying senseless deaths. We hope this will be the beginning of a movement to protect the public.

The State Patrol is seeing crashes involving DUI/DUID, lane violations, speeding, exceeding safe speed, and being inattentive to driving as some of our most common reasons for fatal crashes. Another reason we have dying in crashes is some people still refuse to wear their seatbelt, and we know it would have saved their life. I want you to know it's not just limited to fatal crashes; Coloradoans need to be aware there are way too many crashes as well.

The State Patrol is in charge of traffic safety in all unincorporated areas throughout Colorado. There are 5 State Patrol districts with subsequent troop offices within them, strategically positioned throughout the state to handle crashes. During that deadly 72 hour period, fatal crashes happened in all 5 State Patrol districts.

The State Patrol is focused on eliminating crashes, yet crashes continue to plague the state. The fatal crashes are worse in some counties, than others; these are El Paso, Adams, and Jefferson. Weld County in particular leads the state in both fatal and injury crashes. The crashes aren't a metro or rural area problem either; both areas have far too many crashes.

I listed the top problem violations where drivers are not taking responsibility to drive safely seriously, but this isn't the entire list of areas with issues. It takes every agency, every corporation, every household, every person in the state to lower the amount of fatal and injury crashes we are experiencing. You have that responsibility.

Over the next few months my articles will focus on the causes of the crashes throughout the state this past year. We will also look into what steps you can take to walk away from a crash if you are unfortunately involved in one.

What I want everyone to know is that traffic crashes are preventable and that is why we call them crashes and not accidents. Also survivability in a crash is exponentially raised by the use of seatbelts.

As always, safe travels!

GUNNISON COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION PRELIMINARY AGENDA: FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 2019

8:45 a.m.

- Call to order; determine quorum
- Approval of Minutes

• **Unscheduled citizens:** A brief period in which the public is invited to make general comments or ask questions of the Commission or Planning Staff about items which are not scheduled on the day's agenda.

9:00 a.m.

Land Use Resolution Amendments, Staff, work session, proposed amendments to the Land Use Resolution

9:05 a.m.

Adagio Properties, Clark Atkinson, work session, request for subdivision of .4-acres from Block 6, Crested Butte South, F#2 LUC 18-00040

9:30 a.m.

Irwin Backcountry Guides, LLC, represented by David Leinsdorf, work session, request to expand the use of the existing Irwin Backcountry Guides' Movie Cabin and Cat Barn for lunch and/ or dinner service as part of summer guided outfitting in the Irwin area. Additionally, IBG proposes to offer lunch and dinner events for Eleven and Irwin Guides guests, and to partner with other organizations and non-profits for lunch and/ or dinner events, from May through October. From June through September, IBG proposes to use the Movie Cabin and Cat Barn for an average of ten guests per day. This regular use will be in connection with its guiding activities and will be between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m. Lunch and/ or dinner events for up to 24 people, and wedding ceremonies (no receptions) for up to 24 people, concluding at or before 10:00 p.m.

LUC-18-00049

Adjourn

The applications can be viewed on gunnisoncounty.org,

link to <http://204.132.78.100/citizenaccess/>

- Public access
- Projects
- Application #
- LUC-18- 00040
- LUC-18-00049
- Attachments

THREE VEHICLE, SINGLE FATAL CRASH NEAR CORTEZ

The Colorado State Patrol is investigating a three vehicle crash on Highway 160 west of Cortez which resulted in one fatality.

At approximately 9:55 PM on January 10, 2019, a yellow 1969 Ford pickup was eastbound, toward Cortez, on Highway 160 at milepost 36. The Ford pickup drove into the oncoming lane, colliding with a semi-trailer being pulled by a white 2013 Kenworth semi-tractor. The Ford pickup rotated and collided with a guardrail on the west side of the road. A tire detached from the semi and a blue 2017 Subaru Impreza collided with that tire in the eastbound lane.

The driver of the Ford pickup, Alfonso Rascon, 72, of Cortez, CO, was transported to and pronounced dead at Southwest Memorial Hospital. The driver of the Kenworth semi and the driver and juvenile passenger of the Subaru sustained no injuries.

Drugs, alcohol, and excessive speed are not considered factors in this crash, which is still under investigation. Multiple agencies in Montezuma County responded to and assisted with this incident.

The Colorado State Patrol would like to extend our sincere condolences to those affected by this tragedy.

JOKERVILLE MINE DISASTER 135TH ANNIVERSARY PRESENTATION

Are you interested in local history? Did you know the 135th anniversary of the Jokerville Mine Disaster, the greatest tragedy to ever occur in our valley, is on January 24? I've uncovered many mysteries about the event, and details about some of the victims and their lives, that I've included in a historical pictorial book I just recently completed. Which victim was a convicted killer working under an assumed name? Why were boys as young as 12 working in the mine? Was the miner told not to enter the gas filled chamber, and subsequently accused of igniting the explosion, really deaf? If you are interested in learning more about this important local event, and would like to participate in an event to honor the 59 men and boys who perished on that frigid morning in 1884, join us at the Crested Butte Mountain Heritage Museum on Thursday, January 24, from 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Free admission, donations generously accepted. Please contact local historian Larry McDonald at larrymcdonald@rocketmail.com.

CLASSES AT GUNNISON ARTS CENTER

Ballet/Tap Combo ~ (Ages 4 - 6)
Mondays, 4:15 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.
Session 1: January 21 – March 4.

This combo dance class will introduce your little dancers to basic ballet vocabulary and techniques for a half hour and fun tapping repetition and combos the last half hour. Students must supply their own ballet and tap shoes. Instructor: Alexandria Rodriguez. \$80/session or \$150/both sessions at same time.

Shorty Hip Hop ~ (Ages 5 - 8)

Mondays, 5:15 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.
Session 1: January 21 – March 4.

Students will learn various beginning hip hop dance moves in a fun filled encouraging group environment while building self-confidence! Basics of all styles of hip hop will be incorporated such as street hip hop, break-dancing, poppin' and lockin'. Open to all levels of dancers! Instructor: Alexandria Rodriguez. \$80/session or \$150/both sessions at same time.

Adult Aerial Conditioning
Mondays, 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Session 1: January 21 – March 4

In this class students will gain an understanding of body conditioning and how to apply it to aerial dance. Students will go through beginner moves and also work on sequencing them on the Lyra and Sling. No previous experience or strength required. You will gain the strength as you learn! Instructor: Alexandria Rodriguez. \$80/session or \$150/both sessions at same time.

Creative Play ~ (Ages 0 - 4)
Tuesdays, 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 am. (Updated times from our printed catalogs and previous marketing)
Winter Session: January 22 – March 5

It's never too early to get your little one's imagination going! Join us for 45 minutes of playtime based in stories, music and SILLINESS. Parent or caregiver must be present. Minimum 4 students to run session. GAC Dance Studio. Instructor: Heather Hughes. \$80/session or \$150/both sessions.

Comic Books/Sequential Arts ~ (Ages 13 +)
Tuesdays, 4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.
January 22 – February 26

Students will learn drawing, inking and shading techniques used by comic book artists to create their very own story line. Concepts of caricature drawing, cartoon and sketching will also be explored. Students will finish their own comic book by the end of this six week class. GAC Kids Art Studio. Instructor: Spencer Musser. \$85/student, \$72.25/members includes all supplies.

Intermediate Adult Tap
Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Session 1 w/ Karen Immerso: January 22 – March 5.

Learn the essentials and basics of tap dancing while exploring combinations and routines. Open to higher level beginners and intermediate levels where beginners will be given extra support and intermediate dancers will be given challenging combos. Students must have their own tap shoes. Open to advanced beginners and intermediate advanced dancers. \$80/session, \$68/members.

Ballet/Tap Combo ~ (Ages 7 - 12)
Wednesdays, 4:15 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.
Session 1: January 23 – March 6

This combo dance class will introduce your little dancers to basic ballet vocabulary and techniques for a half hour and fun tapping repetition and combos the last half hour. Students must supply their own ballet and tap shoes. Instructor: Abby Owen. \$80/session or \$150/when you sign up for both at the same time.

Barre Sculpt
Wednesdays, 5:15 p.m. – 6:15 p.m.
Session 1: January 23 – March 6

Lift your seat, tone your muscles, and feel the burn in this hour long barre workout class. We'll use the fundamentals of Ballet, Yoga, and Pilates to sculpt long lean dancer bodies. All of the movements are small and will work each of your muscles to fatigue. This is a low impact, full body work out designed to not only make you stronger physically but also mentally. No dance experience required! Guys welcome! Bring a yoga mat (optional: 2-5 lb. hand weights, resistance bands,

sm. Pilates ball and/or yoga blocks.) Instructors: Alexandria Rodriguez. \$80/session, \$150/both sessions, or \$12/drop-in's.

Steezy Hip Hop ~ (Ages 9 - 12)
Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Session 1: January 23 – March 6

Students will learn various beginning hip hop dance moves in a fun filled encouraging group environment while building self-confidence! Basics of all styles of hip hop will be incorporated such as street hip hop, break-dancing, poppin' and lockin'. Open to all levels of dancers! Instructor: Abby Owen. \$80/session or \$150/both sessions at same time.

COLORADO RECEIVES \$499,000 FROM \$26 MILLION MULTI-STATE SETTLEMENT WITH LPL FINANCIAL, LLC

The Colorado Division of Securities, part of the Department of Regulatory Agencies (DORA), today announced that as part of a national settlement with LPL Financial, LLC (LPL) to repurchase from investors certain securities sold since October 2006, LPL will pay civil penalties of \$499,000 to the state of Colorado. The final order was entered in December 2018 and is part of a multi-state settlement by LPL totaling \$26 million.

The state of Colorado will recoup part of the settlement, while the Division of Securities will put \$249,000 of the settlement into the state's Investor Protection Trust to assist in efforts to prevent future harm toward investors in the state.

"This settlement sends a strong message that states across the country hold firms accountable to serve a vital role in protecting investors," Colorado Securities Commissioner Chris Myklebust said. "Our hope is that this settlement benefits protecting Colorado investors, both past and future."

The settlement stems from an investigation led by state securities regulators regarding the failure to establish and maintain reasonable policies and procedures to prevent the sale of unregistered, non-exempt securities by LPL to its customers.

State securities regulators concluded that LPL offered and sold unregistered, non-exempt securities and failed to reasonably supervise the flow of information to ensure full and proper compliance with state securities registration requirements.

While no evidence was found of willful, reckless or fraudulent conduct by LPL, investigators did find that the firm failed to maintain adequate systems to reasonably supervise agents, staff and employees to prevent the sale of unregistered, non-exempt securities. State investigators also determined that LPL failed to maintain books and records necessary to ensure full and proper compliance with state securities registration requirements and failed to conduct appropriate and necessary due diligence regarding the retention, use and subsequent cancelation of certain third-party services critical for compliance with state securities registration requirements.

In addition to a civil penalty, the settlement calls for LPL to offer certain requirements, including repurchasing from investors those securities held in LPL accounts determined to have been unregistered, non-exempt equity or fixed-income securities sold since October 1, 2006.

GUNNISON WATERSHED SCHOOL DISTRICT RE1J

SPECIAL SESSION/ WORK SESSION

LAKE SCHOOL

JANUARY 21, 2019 5:30 p.m.

I. Call to Order

II. Role Call

III. Pledge of Allegiance

IV. Modifications/ Approval of Agenda

V. Administrative Action Summaries

A. Amended current year budget - Stephanie Juneau

B. December quarterly financials Stephanie Juneau

VI. Action Items

A. Resolutions

a. Adopt amended budget

b. Appropriation resolution

c. Authorizing the use or a portion of beginning fund balance resolution.

VIII. Adjournment

Work Session

A. Facilities Master Plan Presentation and Discussion - RTA Architects, Brian Calhoun and Doug Abernethy.

