

August 14, 2011

County Seat For A Day Community Forum Wednesday, August 17, at Crystal Lakes

The Board of Larimer County Commissioners invite you to visit with them at Crystal Lakes on Wednesday, August 17, as part of the County Seat for a Day Community Forum. Larimer County Sheriff Justin Smith will also attend.

The Commissioners, Tom Donnelly, Lew Gaiter III, and Steve Johnson, look forward to visiting with you at 7 p.m. at the Wapiti Center, 300 Tami Road.

The idea behind the County Seat Community Forum is that it honors a community to go to that community. The Commissioners hold lots of regular meetings and hearings in Fort Collins, the County Seat, and they've decided that in the summer it would be helpful to residents living farther from the County Seat to take the County Seat on the road. This way communities throughout Larimer County will have a convenient opportunity to share their opinions with the County Commissioners and other County officials.

This is a great opportunity to ask questions directly in an informal setting. Larimer County Manager Frank Lancaster as well as other county staff will be there to answer questions too.

If you have specific issues you want to make sure get addressed please email or call me so I make sure we have the right people there to provide answers: Deni La Rue/Community Information, 970-498-7150, dlaru@larimer.org.

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„« I've been asked to let you know that the recycle roll off in Beaver Meadows is privately owned, and not for use by Crystal Lakes property owners.

„« The new wireless network name is CLA Basecamp. Please keep in mind that this is and unsecured wireless network.

„« The Restaurant is sending out a special request for volunteers for next weekend. Carrie says they will be VERY, VERY, VERY short-handed in the kitchen. Several of our student-staff are heading back to classes. If you can volunteer, please call Carrie directly at the Restaurant 970-881-2106, or leave a message with the office at 970-881-2250. All volunteers receive a free meal, and next weekend is Prime Rib weekend!

„« The Restaurant's new Head Chef: We would like to introduce a new addition to the restaurant staff. Brian Goodwin has joined us a Head Chef. He was raised on a Wyoming ranch, but has called Fort Collins home for several years. He is a family man with a new baby. His kitchen experience includes University of Wyoming Catering and the famous Silver Grill in Fort Collins. He specialized in comfort food. Please come in and welcome Brian to the mountain.

„« As the seasons start to change, we have a few positions that are opening up here at your Restaurant. We are in need of both paid workers and volunteers as dish/prep cooks, wait-staff and hosts. This is a great place to meet your neighbors and learn a bit more about our wonderful community. Please contact Carrie at the Restaurant during regular hours. 970-881-2106.

„« Folks who are planning to install a fire pit should carefully read the published requirements and specifications prior to beginning installation. Be sure that the location is at least fifteen (15) feet from any structure or flammable trees, including overhanging branches. This distance requirement includes decks, buildings, firewood piles, slash, shrubs, propane tanks, etc. Inspectors are all volunteers and if they must re-inspect pits it delays the approval process. Please pay careful attention to all the requirements, including having an appropriate lid, meeting the required depth, and having solid wall structure.

Did you get your photos in for the Photo Contest? Today is your last chance for this year!

I'll keep you posted.

Jody