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# LINDA'S TIDBITS

Welcome to Summer in Southglenn! We just hosted our annual Dumpster Day and are looking forward to Garage Sale days mid-July. See below for a few updates and announcements regarding these events.

Cancelled: July 4th Bike Parade - We're sad to announce that the annual July 4th Bike Parade with Southwind will not take place this year. Southwind has lost their association chair and has not yet been able to reorganize or recruit additional help. We hope to bring this beloved tradition back in the future.

Garage Sale Days, Friday and Saturday, July 11th & 12th. The Stellar Company is once again providing advertising for Southglenn Garage Sale days. We asked the Steller Company to keep signs out until Sunday after-

noon, but they took a survey and the majority of sellers preferred Friday and Saturday. Sorry to those that can't have a sale on Friday and wanted the signs kept out until Sunday afternoon. We hope you have great Sales and have fun!

Dumpster Day 2025 was a success! A big THANK YOU to our wonderful volunteers who helped to host Dumpster Day this year: Chris and Mary Kokias, Dora Cash, Makenzie O'Neill, Darla West, Susie Elmer, and Scott Nixon, and all those who paid their dues and participated. Thank you to Chris Treadway for organizing metal recycling and helping keep things tidy. Your efforts and your crew made a big impact!

Dumpster Day is one of our most expensive

but valuable events, helping keep our neighborhood clean and beautiful. It costs about \$4,600 to put this event on, but thanks to 258 households that paid SGCA membership dues earlier this year, 46 new memberships, and generous sponsorships, we only need to raise another \$2,600. Please consider paying your \$20 dues if you haven't already—it makes a big difference!

A Special Thanks to Our Dumpster Day Sponsors: Kristy Bringle Real Estate (our returning sponsor) and Kelly Robinson with Colorado Premier Tree Care — Experts in Tree Care. Check them out at ColoradoPremierTree. org or call 720-990-7004 or 970-623-2226.

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# **UPCOMING NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS**

July 11th-12th: Garage Sale Days

August: Movie Night

# NATIONAL PARENTS' DAY

National Parents' Day honors all parents on the fourth Sunday in July. No

> matter where our parents may be, this day serves to celebrate their important role in our lives.

> In May we celebrated mothers, and in June we celebrated fathers. It follows that in July we can bring all our parents together and show them some appreciation all at once.

> Parents play a vital role in the lives of children. From our birth, parents protect, teach, provide, and serve as role models. As part of a family, we look to them for guidance. We mirror their behav-

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If you have news, practical advice, or time- or money-saving tips, why not share it with your neighbors in a future issue of Southglenn Living? Send your article (and photos, too, if you have them) by the 15th of the month, to: attn: Editor Southglenn Living, PO Box 2024, Centennial CO 80161-2024. Or email to **SGCA.Editor@gmail.com**.

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# LINDA'S TIDBITS, continued from front page

Volunteers Needed: We are currently looking for a volunteer to attend city council meetings and share updates with our board. We're also in need of additional board members to continue keeping our neighborhood vibrant and strong. We all love our community events, but Dumpster Day was especially hard to staff this year. Many civic associations in the area have folded recently due to lack of volunteers—and we don't want that to happen here. Events are what brings a neighborhood together, but it takes many volunteers to put on these events for our community. If you have capacity, please try to step up and help when needed for events or better yet, get on the board. We'd love to have you! With just a little more help, we can keep Southglenn strong, connected, and fun.

We truly have the best neighborhood ever!

— Linda Nixon

## SOUTHGLENN COUNTRY CLUB

Well, it's July already. Half of the year is in the rear-view mirror. Is this year flying by or what? We've still got a lot of fun things to do, so we're picking up the pace in July.

Our Gators spent the whole month of June in the pool and are doing well in competition. Keep up the good work and swim fast!

We had our first glow ball golf tournament on June 21st. This is one of our favorite activities and is always full. So if you saw a bunch of people glowing in the twilight, that was just us celebrating Summer. It's always a good time.

We're celebrating our country's 249th birthday with our annual 4th of July party. We supply the hot dogs and drinks, and our members play games and get sun burnt. We'll have coin diving competitions for the kids, gift raffles and a splash competition off the diving board. The pool and golf course are always full for this one, so expect parking up and down Easter. Take care and be safe.

Then immediately following the 4th of July is our annual Summer Spectacular on July 5th. There will be dinner and drinks with a DJ and lots of party games. We're expecting a big turnout for this one too, so expect more traffic and parking overflow.

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Then comes the annual Sertoma Golf Tournament on Saturday, July 26th. This one is open to the public and always fills quickly. And the best part is it raises money for our local Sertoma chapters. Sertoma helps people-in-need with hearing disabilities all year round. We are honored to have them in our community and help them raise money for their good work. You can sign up via a link in our website flyer or drop by the clubhouse and fill out a paper form.

And that same night, July 26th is our Parent/Child glow ball tournament. This is a lot of fun as our shorter members play. It's almost as much fun to watch as it is to play.

And looking ahead, our annual Grip-It and Sip-It golf tournament is on August 2nd starting at 2pm. This is a fun event where we get to sample local micro-brews as we play golf. Handicaps grow as play progresses and laughs always outpace the scores.

We are a family and community-oriented club. We're very proud of the programs we offer for our member youth and the family events we offer to the public.

To learn more, check out our website at: https:// SouthglennCC.com/. Click on the "Calendar" tab to find continued on page 5



## PLEASE JOIN US

Southglenn Civic Association is an all-volunteer non-profit organization that was formed when the first homes were built in 1964. Our mission is to protect the quality of life and improve our community, participate in civic activities affecting Southglenn and encourage participation in government. While our annual dues are voluntary, we strongly encourage you to pay this small \$20 contribution each year, so that we may continue to provide these services. And yes, we mean you, whether you own or rent your property! To pay your dues, you may either mail them using the form below, bring them to a monthly SGCA meeting held every 3rd Wednesday at 7pm, or pay online at www.southglenncivicassociation.org.

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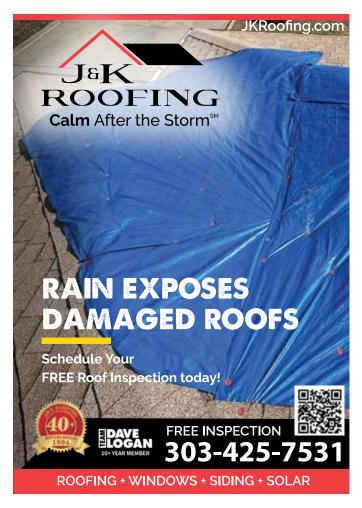
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events and programs that interest you and your family. Even if you're not interested in joining our club, the public events are listed there too. So, drop by, check us out, have some fun and enjoy your visit.

#### Also follow us on Facebook:

www.facebook.com/SouthglennCountryClub NextDoor: https://nextdoor.com/pages/ southglenn-country-club-centennial-co/

Summer is in full swing now and the fun keeps coming full speed. Keep an eye on the calendar and drop by for our next public event. Our membership roster is currently full. But our Southglenn neighbors have priority on the waitlist, so sign up today! All we need now is YOU.

The summer night is like a perfection of thought. -Wallace Stevens

# COMING SOON: **NEW TRAFFIC SIGNAL AT** ARAPAHOE RD. & CLARKSON ST.

Construction is underway on a new traffic signal at the intersection of Arapahoe Road and Clarkson Street, with completion expected by Fall 2025.

This project—led by the City of Centennial in partnership with Sturgeon Electric—will include not only the installation of a modern traffic signal, but also crosswalks, lighting, and pedestrian/bicycle enhancements. These improvements will significantly boost safety and accessibility for everyone using this busy intersection, especially those accessing nearby trails such as the High Line Canal and the C-470 Trail.

The project is funded through the Safer Main Streets Initiative, a collaboration between CDOT and DRCOG, aimed at improving safety and mobility in high-traffic areas.

## SPEND A DAY AT THE BEACH

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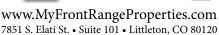
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#### Homes FOR SALE in Southglenn May 15, 2025-June 16, 2025

Style	Lowest	Highest	SqFt	How Many?
Ranch	\$716,000	\$716,000	1836	1
2 Story	\$725,000	\$910,000	2060-2076	2
Bi-level				0
Tri-Level/Multi Level	\$690,000	\$1,375,000	1977-4374	3

#### Homes UNDER CONTRACT in Southglenn May 15, 2025– June 16, 2025

Style	Lowest	Highest	SqFt	How Many?
Ranch	\$680,000	\$700,000	1594-1838	2
2 Story				0
Bi-Level				0
Tri-Level/Multi Level	\$649,900	\$685,000	1785-2357	2

#### Homes SOLD in Southglenn May 15, 2025–June 16, 2025

Style	Lowest	Highest	SqFt	How Many?
Ranch		-	-	0
2 Story				0
Bi-Level				0
Tri-Level/Multi Level	\$825,000	\$825,000	2464	1

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# THANK YOU, SSPRD, FOR IMPROVEMENTS AT CLARKSON PARK!

South Suburban Parks and Recreation District has recently invested significant resources into enhancing Clarkson Park. Improvements include the planting of more than 10 new trees and regrading the trail to ensure a safe and pleasant experience for all Clarkson Park users.

We're grateful for SSPRD's continued efforts to maintain and beautify our parks. As community members, let's do our part by respecting park rules and reporting any unauthorized activity.

To report concerns, contact the on-duty park ranger daily from 6:30 AM to sunset at **303-435-8227** or email **rangers@ssprd.org**.

As a reminder, when using SSPRD trails:

- **E-bikes:** only class 1 and class 2 e-bikes area allowed on district trails where bicycles are typically allowed.
- **Speed Limit:** Speed may not exceed 15 miles per hour.
- Safe Conduct: It is prohibited to utilize district trails in a careless or imprudent manner as to endanger any person, property or wildlife.
- **Yielding:** Cyclists, as well as park visitors operating electric bicycles or e-scooters, must yield to pedestrians, and equestrians.

# FLOAT THE RIVERS AND CREEKS

By July, the Colorado rivers that are commonplace for tubing and kayaking have slowed down, transforming into a great spot for some lazy floating. With the summer heat at its highest throughout the low-elevation front-range urban corridor, consider heading out to Golden's Clear Creek, one of the most popular spots for tubing. Or, you can opt to cool down at Boulder Creek.

If you're intent on staying close to your Mile High residence, hit up the convenient South Platte River. If paddleboarding is more your speed, check out the Corn Lake, Island Acres, and Connected Lakes sections of James. M. Cobb Colorado River State Park.

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The Fair is one of Arapahoe County's longest-standing community traditions. The current location of the Arapahoe County Fairgrounds was commemorated in July of 2006, marking the 100th anniversary of the Fair.

The Fair continues to showcase the County's agricultural and western heritage through 4-H programming, traditional agricultural activities and entertainment. For the price of your admission you can also enjoy carnival rides, daily motor sports, canine entertainment, BMX entertainment, trampoline entertainment, a petting farm and numerous other activities.

#### Fair Dates & Hours

TIME: 2025 Arapahoe County Fair Hours

July 24, 2025; 4 p.m.-Midnight

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# NATIONAL FATHER DAUGHTER TAKE A WALK DAY, JULY 7

National Father Daughter Take a Walk Day is observed annually on July 7th. This day promotes the benefits of family bonding time between fathers and daughters as well as the benefits of physical activity.

The memories made during your time together will stay with you forever. During the summer season, there are many incredible places to walk and enjoy nature as you spend time talking, laughing, and bonding. While taking a stroll, cherish the time spent together. Your child will value the gift of the time you give no matter how old they are.

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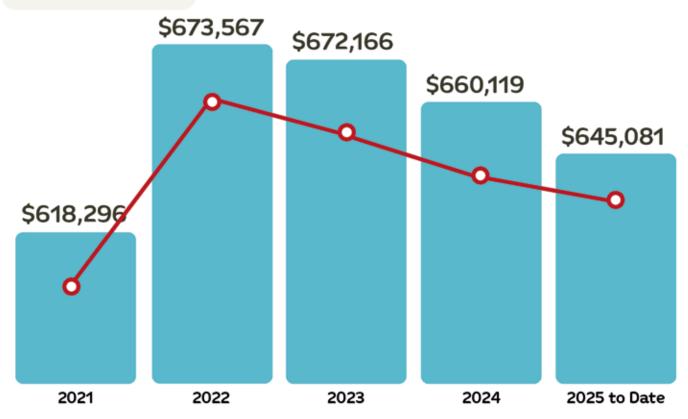
Rest is not idleness, and to lie sometimes on the grass under trees on a summer's day, listening to the murmur of the water, or watching the clouds float across the sky, is by no means a waste of time.

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