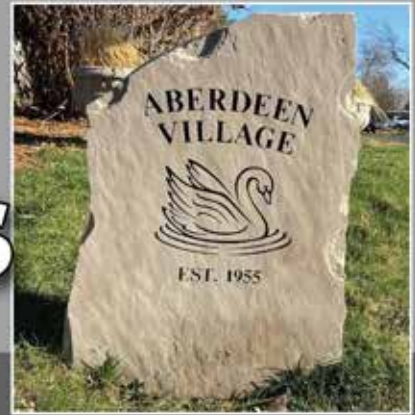


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Upcoming 2026 Meetings & Events Calendar

Board Meetings: Feb. 13; Apr. 10;
June 12; Aug. 14; Oct. 9; Dec. 11

Association Annual Meeting: May 18

Annual 4th of July Parade: July 4

Annual Picnic: August 23

Mark Your Calendar: Events Near Downtown Littleton

Monty Python's "Spamalot" brings big laughs to Downtown Littleton this February at Town Hall Arts Center on Main Street. The cheeky, song-and-dance retelling of "Monty Python and the Holy Grail" runs through February 22, with evening and weekend matinee performances that make it easy to plan around busy family schedules. The intimate venue means every seat is close to the action, so even those who usually trek into Denver for culture can enjoy a professional-quality show just a few minutes from home. Visit <https://townhallartscenter.org> for more information.

Vintage lovers or last-minute gifters can head to Aspen Grove on South Santa Fe to experience the "For the Love of Junk" Valentine's Flea Market on February 13-14. The two-day event features more than 35 vintage and specialty vendors, live music, gifts, and a flower bar, making it an easy stop for one-of-a-kind finds and local shopping. The event will take place inside space 450, next to Lululemon.

— Deana Moore, Editor

Board Member Letter

Happenings in Littleton

What's not happening is winter snow here on the front range to cause traffic delays, so let's see what might be going on in our area that you may have encountered already or might soon!

Lee Gulch Underpass and Broadway Culvert Repair

This major infrastructure project, which began in July 2025, is a dual-purpose effort to ensure road safety and improve trail connectivity.

Safety First: The primary goal is to replace a deteriorating 66-inch metal culvert located 30 feet beneath Broadway. This critical repair prevents potential road failure and flooding.

New Trail Connection: While the road is excavated, the city is installing a 10 x 12-foot pedestrian underpass. This will finally link the east and west sections of the Lee Gulch Trail, allowing residents to cross Broadway safely without detouring to the high-traffic Jamison Avenue intersection.

Timeline: Roadway work is expected to last through early 2026, with full project completion anticipated by October 2026.

County Line Road Shared-Use Path and Widening

There are two distinct but related projects currently impacting the County Line Road corridor.

Road Reconstruction: A massive \$30 million widening project is underway between University Boulevard and Broadway. This includes a 100-day full closure which began January 6, 2026 to remove a significant dip in the road at Lee Gulch and add a new travel lane in each direction.

Trail Connectivity: Separate from the widening, the County Line Trail Connections project is adding a 12-foot-wide concrete path on the south side of County Line Road. This will improve safety between Southpark Lane and Broadway and create a "Protected Intersection" at Southpark Lane to better safeguard cyclists and pedestrians.

Expected Completion: The shared-use path construction is slated to continue through Winter 2026/2027

Pickleball Complex

If you can navigate through the various construction projects, there is a new Southpark Pickleball Complex in town! Located near the southwest corner of S. Broadway and County Line Road, this new regional recreation destination is now substantially complete.

Facility Highlights: The complex features 19 individually fenced, north-south facing courts with professional acrylic surfacing. It also includes 147 parking spaces, heated restrooms, court lighting for evening play, and shade pavilions.

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Partnership: The facility is a joint effort between South Suburban Parks & Recreation and the Highlands Ranch Metro District.

Opening Status: While major construction finished in early January 2026, the official grand opening was postponed due to inclement weather. (I have to wonder what weather I missed!) A rescheduled date for the community celebration will be announced shortly.

— **Cathy Holtstaul, Vice-President**

Aberdeen Village Dues Request

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Toy Drive Follow Up

Thank you all for donating to the annual Aberdeen Village holiday toy drive; it was a merry success! Your toys were delivered by Littleton Church of Christ volunteers to families of Englewood Public School students. Teachers and staff gave a list of 32 hand-selected families who could not buy toys for their children to the church so that they could receive the toys you all donated to these families. Also, the church gave these families \$75 in gift cards. They gave these families boxes of food valued at \$150, which included everything for a family and more. Thanks for your generosity!

— Sincerely, Bennett Watt



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