



Concerts In Clement Park

Foothills Park & Recreation District is proud to offer Concerts in Clement Park free to the public and put on for the benefit of District residents and South Jefferson County residents. This outdoor series of concerts incorporates community collaborations and grant funded performances which are free, open to the public and family friendly. Performances are held at the Grant Family Amphitheater in Clement Park. All concerts start at 7 p.m. and are held on select Thursdays.

- **June 5 – Little Moses Jones** – 1990s and 2000s R&B, hip hop
- **June 12 – Funk in The Name** – funk, pop, second line
- **June 19 – The Tracers** – R&B, pop
- **June 26 – Crystal Visions** – music of Fleetwood Mac and Stevie Nicks
- **July 10 – Blue 88s Big Band** – big band jazz
- **July 17 – Michael Friedman Band** – R&B, funk, jazz
- **July 24 – Julia Kirkwood** – alternative pop, rock
- **July 31 – Blessing Bled Chimanga** – African jazz and dance music
- **August 7 – Austin Zimmerman** – folk, bluegrass, rock and roll
- **August 14 – Grunge Lite** – 90s alternative rock and pop covers

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Colorado Family Attractions For Kids 10 & Under

Elitch Gardens Theme & Water Park, Denver: Ride scream-inducing roller coasters, little-kid-friendly rides and water slides. (Check website for seasonal hours.)

Children's Museum of Denver: Learn about the world in the museum's child-sized grocery market, fire station and construction workshop.

Denver Zoo: See the more than 3,500 animals that call the 80-acre zoo home. The monkey and big cats exhibits are among the top crowd pleasers.

Downtown Aquarium, Denver: Feed a slippery stingray and gaze at hypnotically moving jellyfish, stealthy sharks and frisky fish of every color.

Butterfly Pavilion and Insect Center, Broomfield: Walk through a tropical rain-forest habitat filled with free-flying butterflies. Sniff exotic plants, pet a sea star and hold a tarantula.

Denver Museum of Nature & Science: Watch an out-of-this-world show at the planetarium and IMAX theater. Tour exhibits about space, gems and minerals, dinosaurs and the color spectrum.

Denver Art Museum: Explore, learn and play. Get creative with hands-on activities for all ages, relax in one of the family fun areas and discover world-class art.

Colorado Railroad Museum, Golden: Stroll the museum's 15-acre railyard featuring more than 100 railcars. Most Saturdays (and select Tuesdays) you'll also find train rides! Check the museum's train-ride schedule before you go.

Wings Over the Rockies Air & Space Museum, Denver: See dozens of historic airplanes, space vehicles and interactive exhibits. The collection includes a rare B-18A Bolo—one of only five remaining WWII-era bombers—five Century-Series fighters.

Fort Collins Museum of Discovery: Kids love the blend of science, history and culture at this hands-on experience in Fort Collins.

The Wild Animal Sanctuary, about 45 minutes from Denver in Keenesburg, amazes visitors with its Mile Into the Wild walkway that lets you observe lions, wolves, grizzlies and other rescued exotic and endangered species from above.

Mineral-rich fun, Idaho Springs: Play in the mineral-water swimming pool at Indian Hot Springs or pan for gold at Argo Mill & Tunnel.

Colorado Model Railroad Museum: In Greeley, examine intricate model railroad layouts, a wooden caboose from the Colorado and Southern Railroad and more than 1,000 railroad artifacts. See actual trains come and go on nearby tracks.

Trout Haven Ranch Trout Pond, Estes Park: Cast your line in Trout Haven's stocked pond — a perfect first-time fishing experience.

Water World, Federal Heights: Cool off at one of the biggest and best water parks in the nation.

Dinosaur Ridge, Morrison: Encounter more than 100 fossilized dinosaur tracks and informative signs.

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Red, White & You

Thursday, July 3, 2025 in Clement Park
(7306 W. Bowles Ave., Littleton 80123).

Event runs rain or shine. Red, White & You is a FREE patriotic, community event focusing on fun for the whole family! Red, White & You is the largest free community event in South Jefferson County. Geared toward all ages and designed to bring the community together, attendance is estimated at 35,000+ annually. The event includes kids' activities, live entertainment, food concessions, community business booths, beer & wine garden, and a fireworks display.

Cherry Blossom Festival

June 21, 2025, FREE

20th and Lawrence Streets, Denver, CO 80202

Fans of taiko drumming, teriyaki chicken, sake and Japanese artwork and wares won't want to miss this year's Cherry Blossom Festival – "Sakura Matsuri" in Japanese. The Annual Cherry Blossom Festival celebrates the Japanese heritage and culture through live entertainment, food and drink, a marketplace and informative exhibits and demonstrations.

*A father is someone you look up to
no matter how tall you grow.*

–Unknown

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National Flag Day

On June 14th, National Flag Day honors Old Glory and commemorates the adoption of the United States flag on June 14, 1777. Representing independence and unity, the Star-Spangled Banner has become a powerful symbol of Americanism and the flag is flown proudly.

Weed Your Garden Day

National Weed Your Garden Day on June 13th each year serves as a reminder to all gardeners to take an extra 5 or 10 minutes while weeding their gardens.

One of the best gardening tips is to stay in control of your garden. Unfortunately, weeds grow fast, very fast. With inattention, they can soon become overwhelming. Giving daily attention to your garden makes it easier to maintain. Weeding 5 or 10 minutes each day will make the job seem bearable. It might even be enjoyable. This way you will be in control, and the weeds will not!

*I've said it before, but it's absolutely true:
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dreams. Thanks to him, I could see a future.*

—Liza Minnelli

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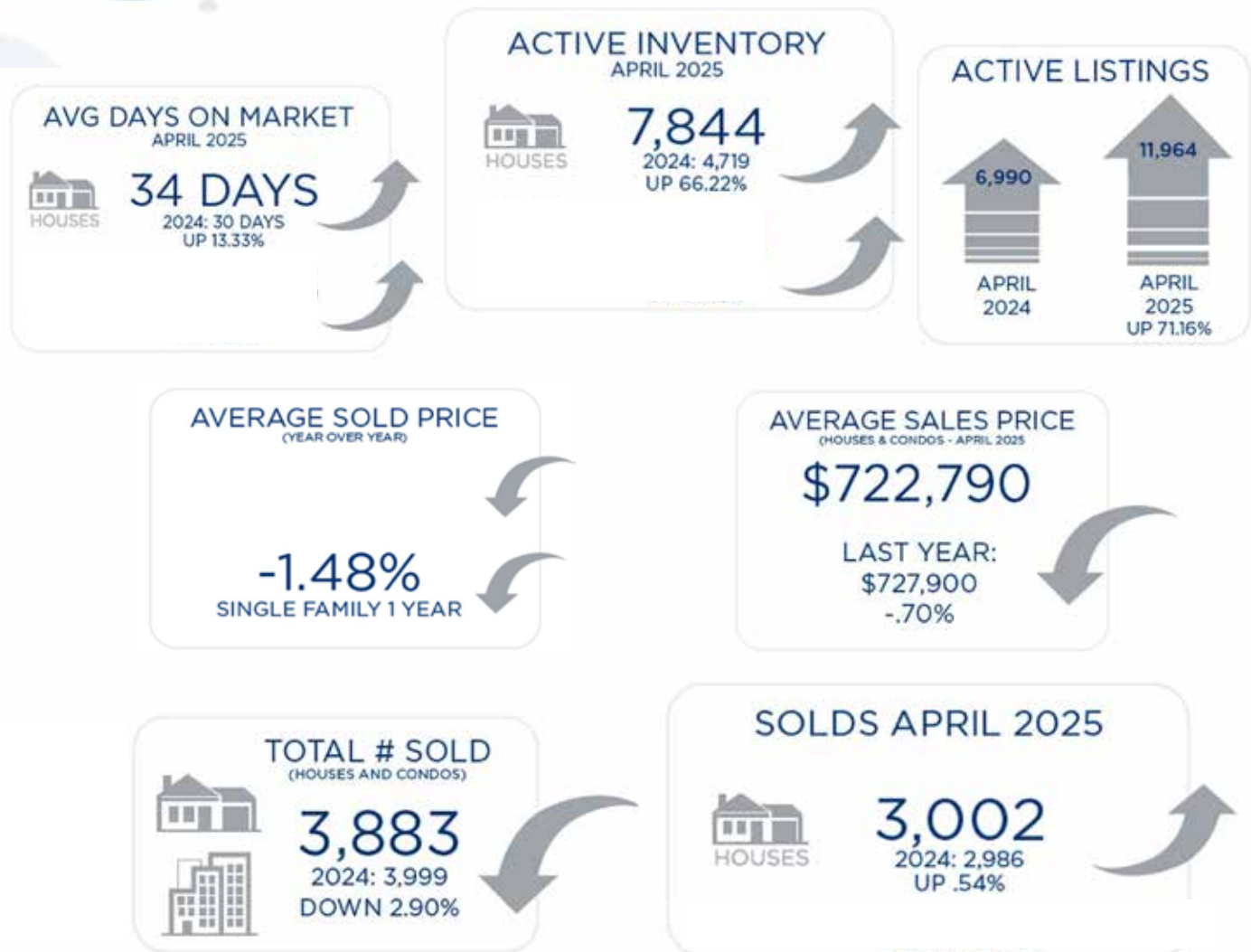
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