# WOODMAR SQUARE RESIDENT'S NEWSLETTER 

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Dates To Remember<br>Mark your calendars for these events - still time to pitch in and help!<br>Movie Night: July 20<br>Coordinator Amy Ascencio<br>and Danielle Runyan

Back to School Picnic: August 10
Coordinator Amy Ascencio
Drive: September 9. Personal hygiene
(soap, toothbrushes, etc)
coordinator Jennifer Magri
Halloween Parade and Pumpkin Festival:
Thursday, October 31 at 4:30
Coordinator or Sponsor needed
Drive: November 11. Food and coats.
Coordinator Jennifer Magri

## Red, White \& You

Wednesday, July 3, 2024 in Clement Park
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. Event runs rain or shine.

## Teen Services

Does your teen want to help out neighbors this summer and earn some extra cash? Send their contact info, age and job inquiry to our newsletter email and we will publish it. Babysitting, lawn care, pet care, etc.

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## Movie Night In July!

## Movie night is July 20th in Woodmar Square Park at Dark.

Hosted by: The Woodmar Square HOA
Amy Ascencio Realtor - West \& Main Homes 720-548-8031
Danielle Runyan - Mortgage Lender - Cross Country Mortgage 928-925-1896
Amy and Danielle will be providing popcorn, candy and water

## Colorado Caves To Explore

Cave of the Winds: Named for the cool breezes that emanates from the cave's entrance, Cave of the Winds in Manitou Springs is perhaps one of the most popular and stunning attractions in the Pikes Peak and Colorado Springs area. The cave opened to tourists in 1881, and today you can see 15 massive and brightly lighted rooms within nearly a mile of underground limestone caverns. For those who want a peek into its haunting depths, they'll turn out the lights and you can explore by lantern-light tours (included a haunted option).

The cave also offers two thrill rides: a zipline across a canyon to witness the grandeur of the area, and the TerrorDactyl, which launches riders 200 feet into the canyon at nearly 100 miles per hour. You'll also find attractions like the Bat-A-Pult - a seated zipline ride that soars 1,200 feet round-trip - as well as obstacle courses, climbing walls and gemstone panning.

After a journey into the center of the mountains, consider a stop at nearby Manitou Cliff Dwellings, where Ancestral Puebloan homes are tucked into the side of sheer walls.

Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park: Take an aerial tram to the top of a bluff in Glenwood Springs, where a tour of the stalactite- and stalagmite-rich Glenwood Caverns begins. The caves themselves are actually near the top of the mountain, rather than near the bottom as you might expect and require a ride to the top on a gondola that also offers amazing views of the surrounding Roaring Fork Valley. The cave's wide-open, massive rooms are lined with otherworldly rock formations. If you're feeling like you've got the hang of this caving thing, there are also tours of undeveloped portions of the caverns that include some crawling and squeezing to get in to.

After a tour deep underground, take the high-speed alpine slide to the bottom of the bluff or enjoy one of the rides found at the Glenwood Caverns Adventure Park near the cave's entrance.
-https://www.colorado.com/articles/colorado-cave-tours

## Kiwanis Club of Columbine

The Kiwanis Club of Columbine is a group of volunteers dedicated to improving the lives of children and families in our community. All are welcome to help on any of our projects or attend any of our social events. We do a lot of volunteer working with and for kids in our local schools throughout the year. If you are interested in working with kids we can use your help. Join us at our Columbine Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast at the Sumerset Festival in September! To learn more visit our website at columbinekiwanis.org, or join us for a free breakfast at our weekly meeting any Wednesday at 7 a.m. at 4Gs restaurant, 5950 S Platte Canyon Rd, Littleton. You do not need to join our club to participate. We have a lot of fun, meet new people, and do a lot of good things for our community. For details about a project or social event email kensweet@gmail. com.

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Tutoring - provides homework help, strengthens skills, and/or enrichment. Call/text Nancy, licensed teacher K-6, 303-932-9745 for availability.

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Classified ads are $\$ 4.00 /$ line (about 40 characters/line). Contact Newsletter Connections at 303-979-7499 or info@NewsletterConnections.com to place an ad. To view our display ad prices, visit our website at NewsletterConnections.com. The deadline for placing a classified or display ad is the 15th of the month for the next month's issue (i.e., 15th of Sept. for Oct. issue), except the January issue, which has a deadline of December 6th. Residents placing ads to sell household items are not charged a fee.

## 4th of July vs Independence Day

As many history buffs know, there's some irony to rise of the phrase "Fourth of July" since the date itself has little significance. Congress approved a declaration of independence on July 2, 1776, and John Adams expected that to be the most important date in American history. The official Declaration, however, was approved two days later by a committee. The first printed copies read "In Congress, July 4, 1776." Since that broadsheet was tacked up in cities all over the nation, the date stuck. -https://slate.com/


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## Woodmar Square Statistics for June 2024

|  | Lowest | Highest | How Many? |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ranch Style | None | None | 0 |
| 2-story | None | None | 0 |
| Tri/Multi-level | \$699,900 | \$699,900 | 1 |
| Bi-level | None | None | 0 |
| Current Homes UNDER CONTRACT in Woodmar Square |  |  |  |
|  | Lowest | Highest | How Many? |
| Ranch Style | None | None | 0 |
| 2-story | \$686,000 | \$899,000 | 2 |
| Tri/Multi-level | \$650,000 | \$650,000 | 1 |
| Bi-level | None | None | 0 |
| Homes SOLD in Woodmar Square (Sept. 1, 2023-June 14, 2024) |  |  |  |
|  | Lowest | Highest | How Many? |
| Ranch Style | \$651,200 | \$651,200 | 1 |
| 2-story | \$765,000 | \$850,000 | 3 |
| Tri/Multi-level | \$548,000 | \$710,000 | 5 |
| Bi-level | None | None | 0 |

The statistical information is based on MLS data June 14, 2024. Not all of the properties were listed and/or sold by Duffy \& Associates, LLC.


## What Clients are Saying About Duane...

The experience of working with Duane was phenomenal! He will tell you the truth, not just what you want to hear. He is methodical and calming-excellent personality traits that carry you through a trying time. The fact that Duane is an expert in the Columbine area is an added bonus. I would wholeheartedly recommend Duane to sell your home. Don't hesitate-he will take excellent care of you! J. S.

We would not hire any realtor, other than Duane, to find us the right home and to sell our existing property. During the process Duane became our lifelong realtor and, even more importantly, a true friend. C. \& M. E.

Duane was the perfect realtor to sell the home our parents owned. He has extensive real estate knowledge and knows the neighborhood very well. Duane was attentive and his guidance was invaluable. He is easy and pleasant to work with and we are grateful for his guidance, friendship, and very hard work on our behalf. We recommend him highly to anyone seeking the finest real estate agent. K. \& R. C.

