



July 26, 2024

Hello BV Chamber Members & Friends,

We had our biggest day yet at the Welcome Center yesterday with 38 walk-ins just between 10:00am and 3:00pm! I let several more folks in after hours while I was cleaning up, and that doesn't even include the numerous phone calls and email inquiries! The place is hopping and our volunteers are having fun talking to everybody - visitors and locals alike.

If you're a local business and your brochures aren't in here, you are really missing out and we'd love to have you represented in the new BV Welcome Center!

We have a volunteer who is stepping up to help the Welcome Center be open on Saturdays as much as possible. We want to be open more and continue to build capacity for the Buena Vista Welcome Center to serve our community.

We had a GREAT Business After Hours at [The Adventure Company \(TAC\)](#) last week. We learned all about TAC's commitment to safety on the river and you could just see people getting excited to book white water rafting trips with them!

There was an interesting discussion about water issues and river flows and we all loved hearing from Mark Hammer and Reed Dils about their long experience boating and running businesses in this area. We also had a super fun tour of [Station 24 Cafe](#) and everyone was really intrigued by the cool renovations they have done which highlight the old building's unique historical features. We ended the evening with a tour of the [Slackwater Inn](#) nestled into a beautiful spot on the Arkansas River.

A big thank you to our volunteers for the event. Megan Kingman from [CKS River Supply](#) and Darin Carl from [BV eBikes](#) manned the bar. Grace Garret from [Together We Stand](#) and Elaine Wolffe, our newest Board Member candidate checked people in at the front door. Also thanks to [Eddyline Brewery](#) and [Little Daisy Liquors](#) for being our drink sponsors!

A wonderful evening of connecting with new and old friends and making useful and fun business connections was had by all! Hope to see you at the next one! More info coming soon.

The BV Buzz will take a break next week as I will be on vacation! Have a great week and enjoy least last absolutely beautiful, wildflower and sunshine filled days of July!

Liz

Liz Morgan  
Executive Director  
Buena Vista Chamber of Commerce

Ps. We're doing a subscriber drive for the BV Buzz! We have 4829 subscribers with a nearly 50% read rate! Our goal is to get to a nice even 5,000. Do you have a friend who's not subscribed but you think would like to be? Forward this email to them and let them know why you think they should sign up. [SIGN UP for the BV BUZZ HERE.](#)

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# Community Coffee

Make announcements about your business or organization. Network and connect. Hear from local business, government & nonprofit leaders. Group conversations.

8AM - 9AM

WED.  
AUGUST 7,  
2024

BUENA VISTA  
COMMUNITY CENTER

715 E. MAIN ST, BUENA  
VISTA, CO

1st Wednesday of every month  
Free + open to the public.



## Featured Business: Valley Glass

Welcome to new BV Chamber member [Valley Glass](#)! Valley Glass is your premier destination for all things glass-related. "We take pride in being a full-service, local glass shop dedicated to meeting your needs with top-notch craftsmanship, innovation, and unparalleled customer service. We provide residential and commercial services including custom shower installations, storefronts, and window repair and replacement. Our skilled team is equipped to handle projects of any size and complexity with precision and efficiency."

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Are you a BV Chamber member and want to be featured in the BV Buzz? Contact us to get on the schedule.



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**LEAVE NO TRACE**  
**Take only pictures. Leave only footprints.**

As you plan your summer fun in Buena Vista, we invite you to bring Leave No Trace Principles to the front of your mind. It's time we collectively normalize caring for our shared spaces, lands, waters, and camp sites. With more love of our area comes more impact and the need for more mindfulness.

With a bit of attention, we can collectively keep our shared natural resources and campsites as pristine and enjoyable as possible, even with drastically increasing user numbers.

**The BV Chamber thanks you for doing your part!**

# BV Events

Share your events. Plan your fun!

[All Events](#)

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9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

The Buena Vista's Farmers Market will be held at Columbine Park located directly behind K's Burger Shack off highway 24 in Buena Vista Colorado. This park is a busy vibrant place in the summer with ample seating, shade, and ...

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11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

11:00 - 3:00 every Saturday (except not July 6) historical Turner Farm is open to the public. Admission is by donation. 1912 farmhouse. Original homestead cabin on its original site from late 1890s. Tool room. Mother-in-law cabin. Barn. 100 ...

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Unlock a Double Dose of Local Joy with Two-for-Tuesdays This Summer. A dog, a drink, chips, and a museum ticket for \$11 or less This unique collaboration supports two remarkable local non-profits, enriching cultural and social initiatives...

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Community Coffee / First Wednesday of every month / 8 AM - 9 AM / BV Community Center

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10-11**GOLD RUSH DAYS Legacy Stage Concert Series**

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

August 10 & 11, 2024 Buena Vista's celebration of our rich history, with artisan vendors, live music, burro races, old photo booths, costumes, food trucks, kid's games, face painting, and much more! LIVE MUSIC both Saturday and Sunday, ...

# Weekly Announcements

All Weekly Announcements



Explore Luxury Living: Open House at Elk Run Estates

Open House

Julie Kersting - First Colorado Land Office

DESPICABLE ME 4 CONTINUES AT THE COMANCHE

Comanche Drive In



Make Leadville your base camp with this 2 Beds, 1 bathroom 1097 square foot victorian!

Home For sale in Leadville!

Full Circle Real Estate Group

Despicable Me 4 Showing at the Comanche for 2 weeks

Comanche Drive In



Author Visit at Once Upon a Trapeze Bookstore

**Lisa Wingate, author of Before We Were Yours and Book of Lost Friends, will be visiting Once Upon a Trapeze Bookstore on the evening of Tuesday, July 30th, from 5:30-7:00, to discuss and sign her newest historical fiction novel, Shelterwood.**

Bookstore Author Events

Once Upon a Trapeze



First Colorado Land Office - Business Opportunity

Business Opportunity, Art Gallery, Framing

First Colorado Land Office

Office Space for Rent!

Office Space for Rent

First Colorado Land Office



Price Reduced! New Construction Home with Dedicated Arkansas River Access and Brilliant Mountain Views

Home For Sale in Buena Vista

Julie Kersting - First Colorado Land Office

Wild Flowers on Cottonwood Pass

This is such a beautiful time of year to be out hiking. Here are few photos I snapped on Cottonwood Pass this week.



# BV Business Directory

Visit our online business directory of amazing local businesses. Whether you need help with a home renovation project or are planning a trip to Buena Vista, we've got you covered.

[BV Business Directory](#)



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# Business Directory!



## Races & Competitions

Races, Rodeo



## Outdoor Recreation - WATER

Canoe, Whitewater Raft & SUP, Water Sports,  
Paddling, Kayak, Raft, SUP



## Restaurants, Food, Libations

Brewery, Distillery, Winery, Catering, Coffee House,  
Food Trucks, Liquor, Wine & Beer, Restaurants



## Nightlife, Music, Entertainment

DJ Services, Silent Disco, Karaoke, Live Music,  
Movie Theaters



## Shopping

Antiques, Bookstores, Clothing & Accessories, Gifts  
& Home Accessories, Grocery, Jewelry, Screen  
Printing

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