



# Milliken Messenger

March 2017



**HAPPY ST PATTY'S DAY**

## A WORD FROM OUR SENIOR COORDINATOR

My name is **Valerie Krise** and I am pleased to be the new Senior Coordinator for the Milliken Senior Center. I am excited to be here! We have some great activities planned for the senior center. At the end of February we traveled to the Wings Over the Rockies Air and Space Museum in Denver and we will be attending a painting class at the Painted Picket on March 14<sup>th</sup>. We have the Friendly Fork lunches every Monday and Friday starting at 11:15 with activities both before and after lunch. Price for senior lunch is just \$3.00. Call 970 660-5040 to reserve your spot. Look for us soon on the Town of Milliken website for more information

## 14TH ANNUAL EASTER EGGS-TRAVAGANZA



The Easter Eggs-travaganza is almost here again. Please join us Saturday, April 15th at Sappington Park, near Knowledge Quest Academy, 705 S. School House Drive.

The Easter Egg Hunt begins at 10:00 am. Kids up to 12 years old are welcome. Bring your camera and get a picture with the Easter Bunny.

Soak this in!



If you use a sponge in the kitchen, you can put it in the microwave wet for 45 seconds to sanitize every few days. It will be hot so be careful. You should change it out every 30 days - the 1st of the month is an easy day to remember.

### TOWN HALL

2017 Holiday Calendar  
Town Hall & the Police Admin. Office will be closed the following days:

- May 29th—Memorial Day
- July 4th—4th of July
- September 4th—Labor Day
- November 10th—Veterans Day
- November 23th—Thanksgiving Day
- December 25th—Christmas Day Observed

### IS YOUR STREET LIGHT BLINKING OR OUT?

To report the problem you will need the following :

**Nearest cross street and nearest house number**

**Light location** (ie corner, mid-block, alley, parking lot)

**Street direction** (North, South, NW, SE, NE, etc.)

**Facility Tag number (from light pole)** \_ \_ \_ \_ \_

**Call: 970 587-2772 Thanks for helping keep Milliken Streets Safe**

COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS



**TOWN HALL**

**May I water yet?**

Hand watering "holding a hose" with a shut off nozzle or bucket. Mon. thru Sun. is alright. No sprinklers yet.

**MILLIKEN HISTORICAL SOCIETY**

April 2017 is the 100 year anniversary of WW I. Milliken Historical Society will be presenting a display recognizing World War I veterans of Milliken. If you have information regarding individuals that served in WWI contact Sharon Morgan at 970-815-4777 or [smmorgan1950@gmail.com](mailto:smmorgan1950@gmail.com) (ie. photos, documents or articles that might be copied and shared.)  
**What do you know** about Weld County's Rattlesnake Kate? Watch for a MHS presentation scheduled for late April.

**PUBLIC WORKS**

**Save the date**  
 Arbor Day 4/21/17  
 look for details  
 in the  
 April Newsletter



**TOWN OF MILLIKEN**

**POLICE AND EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION**

Emergency /Urgent Police Response (24/7) 911

Non-Emergency Police Response (970) 356-1212x4

Milliken Police (970) 587-2772 M-F 8am-5pm

Town Hall (970) 587-4331

Fire Protection District (970) 587-4464

**POLICE**

Town of Milliken now has a designated parking lot for *residents* that need semitrailers or truck tractors parking. It is located on the North East corner of Center Drive and WCR 23 3/4. Permits for parking can be obtained at the town hall.



The cost is \$75.00 a quarter or \$250.00 a year. This is not to be used as a storage lot for motorhomes or campers etc. Although Town ordinance does not allow the parking of Semi's in town, we realize the importance of our citizens and over the road truckers need to get rest, family time, a good meal and local parking before getting back on the road again. Please call or come by Milliken Town Hall for further information and requirements. Ph.970 587-4331

**MARCH CALENDAR**

- Mon, 6, 13, 20, 27 Trash Pick-up
- Mon, 13 & 27 Recycle Pick-up
- Mon, 6 & 20 Mad Russian/Mill Iron Recycle Pick-up
- Wed, 1 & 15 Planning Commission, Meeting House 7:00pm
- Mon, 13th Historical Society, Heritage House 6:00pm
- Thur. 16th Milliken Business Association Welcome Center, 7:00pm
- Wed, 8 & 22 Town Board, Meeting House, 6:30pm
- Thurs, 16th Milliken Housing Authority, Town Hall 1:30pm

**Did you know**— The Treadmill (not know by that name yet.) started out in 1818 as a torture device., (some think it still is.) The device was later fitted with a pulley system to turn a Mill stone wheel and grind grain. Thus the name "Tread Mill".

**FINANCE/ UTILITY BILLING**

PLEASE remember to put your FULL UTILITY ACCOUNT NUMBER on your check or money order. This ensures that your payment will be credited to the proper address. You can also pay your bill online at: [www.xpressbillpay.com](http://www.xpressbillpay.com).

Thank you

**PET VACCINATION CLINIC**



Milliken Animal Clinic's annual vaccination clinic will be Saturday, April 29th held at the Milliken Fire Department from 9am until noon. \$10 vaccines will be available for both dogs and cats. No appointment needed. Cash or Checks please, No credit cards accepted. Reminder: All dogs older than 6 months must be registered with the Town. \$6 for spayed/neutered. \$10 if not altered.

**COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE**

**Mobile Food Pantry**

The Town of Milliken is partnering with the Weld Food Bank to provide fresh produce and other grocery items to the community. Next distribution date: Wednesday, March 22nd 10:00 am-12:00 pm Town Hall Interfaith Alliance volunteers are assisting with this project.

