



SEPTEMBER 2024 NEWSLETTER

A SEPTEMBER TO REMEMBER

@LAKOTA REC CENTER

New Castle, Colorado
Friday, September 20, 2024
5:00 Happy hour (BYOB, no glass)
6:00 Dinner

MENU

Caesar Salad

Entrées

Chicken Alfredo \$32

Elk Bolognese \$32

Vegetarian Pasta \$25

Bread & Dessert

Mail your checks payable to **100 Club** to Robin Van Norman, 720 Wood Nymph Lane, Glenwood Springs, CO 81601 to arrive BY SEPTEMBER 13. Or use Venmo - @GWS100Club. Be sure to specify your choice(s) of entrée(s).

PROSPECTIVE NEW MEMBER?

For more information and whom to contact about joining the 100 Club please visit our **Home Page**.

COMMUNITY CONCERTS

It's not too late to buy your season tickets for the **Glenwood Springs Community Concerts'** 2024-25 season. Still only \$60 per person for five fabulous concerts. The first concert is Oct 8, so don't delay! See their website <https://gsconcertassn.org> for details or call Nancy at 303-517-9800 or Kathy at 907-350-2204.

SEPTEMBER HIKES

Sep 2-6 – **Breckenridge Trip**, 7:00 at NN. Monday, we will hike Cross Creek, south of Minturn, enroute to Breckenridge. This is an easy hike, and will be one of two day-hikes for those of you who aren't going on to Breckenridge. Details on Breckenridge area hikes will be posted on the website.

Sep 4 – **Sutey Ranch**, 9:00 at REI or 9:15 at the trailhead. Cindy Ryman will lead stay-at-homes on this Wednesday hike close to home. Mild weather is forecast.

Sep 6 – **Pitkin Creek Falls & Lake**, 7:30 at NN. This will be a third, more difficult, hike for those of you not going to Breck. Some of the Breck group also will be doing this hike enroute home. Directions to the TH will be included with other Breck info online.

Sep 9 – **Coal Basin**, 8:00 at REI. West of Redstone, 4 miles from Hwy 133, the trail climbs 1400' in 6 miles.

Sep 11 – **Sweetwater/Rim Lake/Luark/Shingle Peak Loop**, 6:30 at NN. From the top of the hill east of Sweetwater Lake, this loop ascends 3100' in 16 miles. Or you may opt for a kinder, gentler option of **Sweetwater Creek**, from the same TH. This is a 4.5-mile out-and-back hike with only 1100' of elevation gain. Meet at NN for an 8:30 departure.

Sep 16 – **Crag Crest**, 7:00 at MM. On Grand Mesa, choose between a 7-mile (1000') through-hike, with car shuttle, or a 10-mile (1400') loop hike.

Sep 23 – **Skyline Ridge Loop or Snowmass Rim**, 8:00 at REI. From Town Park Center (Rodeo) parking lot, we will shuttle hikers to the upper (Divide Road) TH for the Snowmass Rim hike, which ends at Town Park. Skyline Ridge hikers will begin and end their hike at Town Park Center. Should be some fine fall colors on the mountain.

Sep 25 – **Keyser Creek to Blue Lake**, 8:00 at MM. This steep 5.5-mile out-and-back hike begins above Canyon Creek and ascends 3200' to Blue Lake at 10,400'. Early season snowfall could shorten the hike. Tailgate at the Herbst's home in Canyon Creek Estates.

Sep 30 – **Raggeds Trail**, 7:30 at REI. Popular trail near the top of McClure Pass, meanders 4 miles through aspen woodland to a view of the Raggeds Range.

BICYCLING

September 18 – **Challenging Ride**: We'll ride beautiful Castle Creek Road to see the changing fall colors. It's about 30 miles round trip with 2,000' of climbing. We'll ride past Ashcroft and Cathedral Lake trailhead to the end of the pavement. Meet at 10:30am at the Aspen Colorado Mountain College parking lot in the Airport Business Center (ABC) west end.

Easy Riders will ride from New Castle to Silt and back. Meet at 9am at Grand River Park on the south side of the river to avoid the construction mess at the new roundabout.

October 2 – **Challenging Ride**: We'll ride to the iconic Maroon Bells ride to see the fall colors. We'll meet at the Aspen Colorado Mountain College parking lot at 10:30am. Ride is about 25 miles with 1500' of climbing.

Easy Riders: There is no ride this week because Kathy is out of the country.

Questions: Email or call Mary, mary.wiener25@gmail.com, 303-818-9920.

TENNIS ANYONE?

We play mixed doubles tennis at Sayre Park on Fridays at 10:00 am, weather permitting. All skill levels welcome. In John's absence, Gerry Roehm will send out weekly reminders on Thursday.

PEOPLE'S BRIDGE

Men's Bridge and Ladies' Bridge has become People's Bridge. People of all sexual orientations are invited. We meet two Thursday evenings each month, starting at 6:30pm and ending about 9:00 pm.

Games are hosted by players at their homes. COVID shots are required, while masks are optional. However, if you have any COVID or flu-like symptoms, please stay home.

If interested, email Steve Huber — shuber@uh.edu.

ROSTER CHANGES FOR SEPTEMBER

NEW MEMBERS

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CHANGES

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