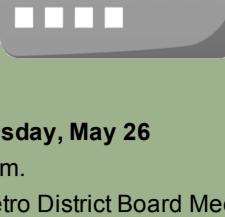




Calendar



Tuesday, May 26

6 p.m.
 *Metro District Board Meeting
 Ranch House
[Meeting Agenda](#)

Tuesday, May 26

7 p.m.
 Brannon Gearhart Task Force
 Dakota Lodge

Wednesday, May 27

7 p.m.
 Open Space Committee
 Dakota Lodge

Thursday, May 28

7:30 a.m.
 Architectural Committee
 Ranch House

Tuesday, June 2

6 p.m.
 MA/MD Joint Study Session
 Ranch House

Friday, June 5

Community Garage Sale
 Event
 Ranch House
CANCELLED

Saturday, June 6

Community Garage Sale
 Event
 Ranch House
CANCELLED

Thursday, June 11

7:30 a.m.
 Architectural Committee
 Ranch House

Tuesday, June 16

6 p.m.
 MA Board Meeting
 Ranch House

Wednesday, June 17

4:30 p.m.
 Covenant Committee
 Ranch House

Tuesday, June 23

6 p.m.
 MD Board Meeting
 Ranch House

Wednesday, June 24

7 p.m.
 Open Space Committee
 Dakota Lodge

Thursday, June 25

7:30 a.m.
 Architectural Committee
 Ranch House

Dates and times are subject to change, especially in regard to COVID-19 updates.

* Information regarding virtual meetings will be communicated as information becomes available. Please see the [Online Calendar](#) for the most current information.

Ken-Caryl Ranch e-News

May 26, 2020

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Ken-Caryl Ranch Tennis Update

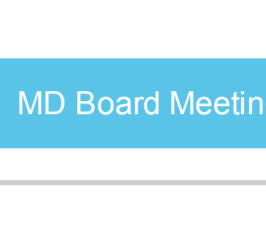
Serving up safety. As an added safety precaution, residents are advised that Junior Tennis lessons scheduled for the end of May have been cancelled. More information on upcoming lessons will be posted by the end of this week on our website and across our social media platforms.

Safety protocols will be sent to all participants. Additionally, please refer to our current Tennis Safety Guidelines, accessible on our website, to ensure the health and safety of all residents, guests and visitors.

For these guidelines as well as the latest information and updates regarding lessons, programs, cancellations and schedules, please visit our dedicated COVID-19 information page or click on the buttons below.

[2020 Tennis Safety Guidelines](#)

[COVID-19 Resident Information](#)



Pool Use Survey Data

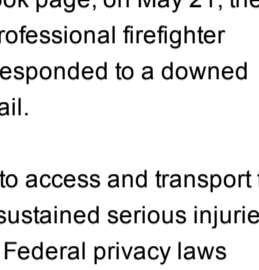
Thank you to all of our residents who participated in last week's pool use survey. In addition to a full COVID-19 update, resident feedback has been compiled and will be presented to the MD Board for review at tonight's scheduled meeting. For more information on how to safely join this meeting, click on the button below.

We are staying up-to-date on the latest reopening guidelines issued at the federal, state and county levels and will update plans and policies accordingly.

[MD Board Meeting Information and Agenda](#)

Trash Service Delay

Waste Connections will follow a modified trash schedule following the Memorial Day holiday.



Resident trash collection will run one day late if your normal pickup day falls on or after the holiday within the same week. For instance, a regularly scheduled Monday trash pickup will be today, Tuesday.

Helpful Links

• [Master Association Board Meeting Agendas and Minutes](#)

• [Master Association Board Contact Info](#)

• [Metropolitan District Board Meeting Agendas and Minutes](#)

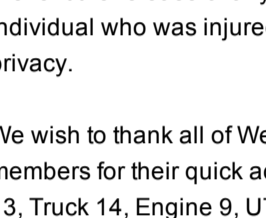
• [Metropolitan District Board Contact Info](#)

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Mountain Biking Accident on Cougar Trail

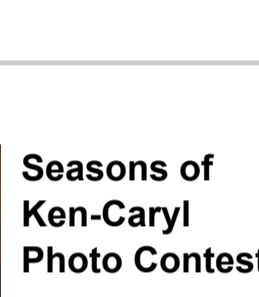
Per information obtained from West Metro Fire and Rescue's Facebook page, on May 21, the unit's professional firefighter crews responded to a downed mountain biker off of the Cougar Trail.

The Wildland Team UTV was used to access and transport the patient to the trailhead. The cyclist sustained serious injuries and was treated at a local hospital. Federal privacy laws prevent the release of any personal health information on the individual who was injured and we respect their right to privacy.

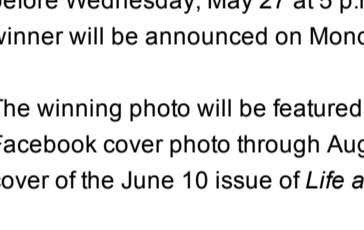
We wish to thank all of West Metro Fire and Rescue's Crew members for their quick action, including Engine 13, Medic 13, Truck 14, Engine 9, UTV9 and District 3 on the B-Shift who worked the scene, as well as the Jefferson County Sheriffs Office for their assistance in this rescue effort.

Bird Feeders Serve as Bear and Wildlife Attractants

Bird feeders are popular attractants for bears and other wildlife throughout the year, especially during the spring. A resident recently shared the accompanying photo of a bird feeder that was destroyed by a bear.



If the area where you live is experiencing bear activity, residents are encouraged to bring feeders inside until concentrated activity has passed. This includes those feeders containing seed, nectar or other food sources.

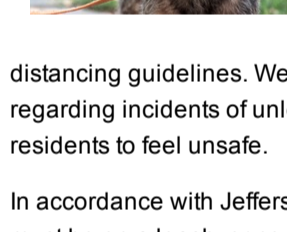


Seasons of Ken-Caryl Photo Contest

Last call for entries! Due to the popularity of our Earth Day photo contest, we are hosting several photo contests throughout the rest of the year to capture the "Seasons of Ken-Caryl!"

Submit a photo depicting summertime in Ken-Caryl! Submissions from last year will also be accepted. Simply email your photo with a caption to allisonh@kcranch.org by or before Wednesday, May 27 at 5 p.m. to be entered to win! The winner will be announced on Monday, June 1.

The winning photo will be featured as the Ken-Caryl Ranch Facebook cover photo through August and will grace the cover of the June 10 issue of *Life at Ken-Caryl!*



Love 'Em, Leash 'Em

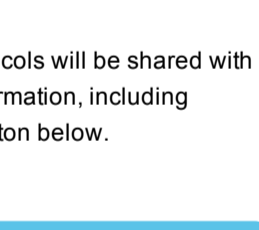
Now more than ever, it's important to leash dogs for the safety of others, especially in regard to adhering to current social distancing guidelines. We have received an influx of calls regarding incidents of unleashed dogs, causing many residents to feel unsafe.

In accordance with Jefferson County's Leash Law, all dogs must be on a leash, or confined on the owner's premises at all times. Unleashed dogs are a danger to other dogs, people and wildlife. Off-leash dogs are also a danger to themselves with running into nearby streets, being hit by cars, being bitten by wildlife or getting lost. Regardless of the temperament of your dog, please help all residents feel safe by leashing your four-legged companion.

For more information, please click on the button below.

[Off Leash Dog Information](#)

Challenger Soccer Offers Outdoor Summer Camps

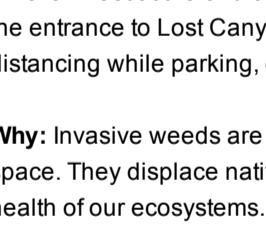


Challenger's outdoor, summer camps at the Ranch House are scheduled to start as early as July! Register today for the iconic, International Soccer Camp, Next Level Training, Tiny Tykes or one of our fantastic Goalkeeper programs!

Challenger Sports has in place health and safety protocols to help protect campers, parents and coaches.

Before attending camp, these protocols will be shared with all registrants via email. For more information, including registration, please click on the button below.

[Challenger Soccer Camp Registration](#)



Ken-Caryl Conservation Club Weed Warrior Kickoff Day May 31

All community members are invited to join our Ken-Caryl Conservation Club tackle noxious weeds in our open space. The Club will focus on teaching sustainable techniques to target Mullein and Russian Thistle all summer long. Trail Club members and Eagle Scouts looking for volunteer hours are also welcome!

What to bring: Bring a mask, pointed shovel, thick gloves, high boots, sunscreen and water.

When: Sunday, May 31 for the kickoff, then every Tuesday and Thursday throughout the summer. All meetings take place at 8:30 a.m. No commitment necessary! Simply drop in whenever you can and stay for as long as you want!

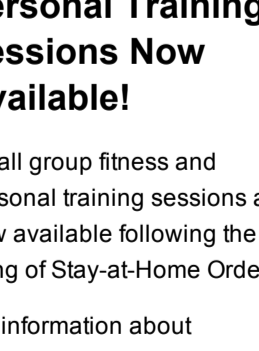
Where: Meet at the end of Mountain High Court to weed near the entrance to Lost Canyon. Please practice social distancing while parking, during demo and when working.

Why: Invasive weeds are aggressively advancing in our open space. They displace native species, which are vital to the health of our ecosystems. While herbicides have a place in weed control, they are not enough.

Contact the Ken-Caryl Conservation Club via email at kencarylconservationclub@yahoo.com with questions or call 720-273-5998.

Trail Reroute

This past January, the 2020 Trail Maintenance Plan was discussed by the Ken-Caryl Ranch Open Space Committee. The plan included a trail reroute in the North Ranch: an unnamed trail that connects the North Hogback Trail to the Lark Bunting Trail.

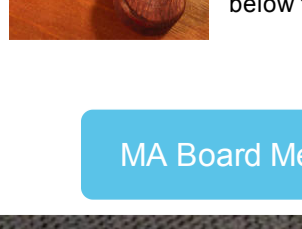


The Ken-Caryl Ranch Open Space Committee will review this proposed trail reroute at their monthly meeting on May 27. The proposed route ascends the hill at a lesser grade (approximately 8%) which will be much more sustainable and require significantly less maintenance. The new route is approximately 980 feet long and is proposed to connect to the North Hogback Trail at the intersection with the Lyons Trail. The Open Space Committee agreed that a better choice is to close this eroded trail, revegetate the soil and provide a new, more sustainable route.

Construction of the trail reroute and reclamation of the existing trail will be performed by volunteers.

More information, including images of this proposed plan, are available on our website by clicking on the button below. Questions? Please contact Volunteer Trail Coordinators Dan Mullins and Mark Celusniak at trails@kcranch.org.

[Trail Reroute](#)



Small and Personal Training Sessions Now Available!

Small group fitness and personal training sessions are now available following the lifting of Stay-at-Home Orders.

Be sure to register today! For more information about the personal small group class offerings, please click on the button below or contact Janet Robbins at janetr@kcranch.org.

[Small Group Fitness Classes](#)

Weekly Trails Report

The Weekly Trails Report from the Ken-Caryl Ranch Volunteer Trail Coordinators is available at the link below.



[Weekly Trails Report](#)

MA Board Meeting Summary

On May 19, the Ken-Caryl Ranch Master Association Board held a regular meeting. Click on the button below for a summary of this meeting.

[MA Board Meeting Summary](#)