



**WHITTIER**  
NEIGHBORHOOD  
DENVER, COLORADO

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**FREE DAY • Mon., June 20**  
Denver Botanic Gardens  
and Denver Museum of  
Nature & Science

**CITY FREE CONCERTS**  
Every Friday June 17– Aug. 5  
11:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M.  
Skyline Park  
For more information,  
call 303.640.6952

**CONFLUENCE CONCERTS**  
Every Thursday in July  
6:00–8:00 P.M.  
Confluence Park  
For more information,  
call 303.455.7109

**BLAIR-CALDWELL LIBRARY**  
**FUNDRAISER • Sat., June 11**  
8:00 P.M.–Midnight  
For more information,  
contact Jame Byrd at 720.404.6777  
or jamembyrd@yahoo.com.

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**  
WNA  
MEETING  
**WEDS., JUNE 15**  
**6:30 P.M.**

WHITTIER COMMUNITY  
CENTER  
2900 DOWNING ST.  
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# WHITTIER

## NEIGHBORHOOD

# SPOTLIGHT

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**DENVER RESIDENTS READY TO RETHINK RECYCLING**

**Y**ou've asked for it and now it's here! Denver Recycles will launch a new, easy-to-use, expanded recycling program for Denver residents on June 15.

The types of materials that are recyclable will be expanded. The new recyclable materials are: junk mail • paperboard (such as cereal and cracker boxes) • magazines and catalogs • phone books • office paper • corrugated cardboard • brown paper bags. Materials already accepted and that will continue to be accepted are: Newspapers with inserts • Plastic bottles • Glass bottles and jars • Aluminum cans, aluminum foil and pie tins • Steel cans and empty aerosol cans.

Residents will no longer need to separate their paper and bottles into separate recycling containers. All recyclables can be mixed together. The collected recyclable material will be separated at a new recycling processing facility designed to accept the new mix of materials.

Over the next five years, the current recycling bins will be replaced with one larger recycling container. Residents are asked to continue using their current recycling bins during the transition and to take advantage of the expanded program.

The redesigned Franklin Street Recycling Materials Recovery Facility, owned and operated by Recycle America Alliance, is a large part of what will make this new expanded program work.

For more information on these exciting new changes, call 720.865.6805 or visit [www.DenverGov.org/DenverRecycles](http://www.DenverGov.org/DenverRecycles).

**Charlotte Pitt from DenverRecycles will be at the WNA June 15 meeting to talk about the expanded recycling program and to answer questions.**

**PARA LOS RESIDENTES DE DENVER LISTOS A CONSIDERAR DE NUEVO EL RECICLAJE**

**¡S**e ha pedido y ahora está aquí! Denver Recycles (El Servicio de Reciclaje de Denver) lanzará un programa de reciclaje nuevo, fácil a usar, y expandido para los residentes de Denver el 15 de junio.

El primer componente será la expansión de los tipos de materiales que son reciclables. Los nuevos materiales reciclables son • cartón ondulado • propaganda enviada por correo • cartón que se usa en los envueltos de los cereales y galletas • papel que se usa en la oficina • guías telefónicas • bolsas de papel marrón • revistas y catálogos.

Se les pedirán más a los residentes separar su papel y botellas en recipientes separados. Todos los materiales reciclables se pueden mezclar juntos. El material reciclable que se colecciona se separar en la nueva instalación de reciclaje que se diseñó para aceptar este nuevo mezclaje de materiales.

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La nuevamente diseñada instalación de Franklin Street Recycling Materials Recovery Facility, Recycle America Alliance, desempeña un papel principal en el éxito del nuevo programa expandido. La instalación se ha sufrido el nuevo diseño y la implementación de equipo durante los últimos cuatro meses para que los materiales mezclados se puedan separar correctamente y eficientemente.

Para más información, visite llame al 720.865.6805 o [www.DenverGov.org/DenverRecycles](http://www.DenverGov.org/DenverRecycles).

## TELESCOPE VIEWING

Chamberlin Observatory, 2930 E. Warren Ave., on the University of Denver campus, has astronomy presentations and allows use of the 20-inch Avian Clark refractor telescope beginning at 7 P.M. Tues. and Thurs.

For more information go to [www.thedas.org](http://www.thedas.org) or call 303.281.9052 for reservations.



## VISIÓN DEL TELESCOPIO

El Chamberlin Observatory (El Observatorio de Chamberlin), 2930 E. Warren Ave., en el campus de la Universidad de Denver, ofrece presentaciones de astronomía y permite el uso del telescopio refractor de 20 pulgadas Avian Clark a las 7.00 de la noche los martes y jueves. Para más información visite el [www.thedas.org](http://www.thedas.org) o llame al 303.281.9052 para reservas.



## Blacktie-Colorado

### AFRICAN AMERICAN COMMUNITY CALENDAR

The Colorado Black Chamber of Commerce has partnered with Blacktie-Colorado to produce a centralized African American Community Calendar. Individuals and organizations can connect to the calendar by logging on to: [www.blacktie-colorado.com/aacalendar/](http://www.blacktie-colorado.com/aacalendar/). The calendar will provide African American organizations with a planning tool and provide interested parties with an up-to-date calendar of events for Denver's African American Community. For more information, contact Wil Alston at 303.831.0720 or [wil@coloradoblackchamber.org](mailto:wil@coloradoblackchamber.org).



## The Third Annual Whittier House Tour is October 2, 2005.

To support this year's tour theme, "Kitchens of Whittier," we are asking for family recipes from about ten Whittier residents. We'd like eight to ten recipes from all the ethnicities in our neighborhood.

Please contact Cheryl Bicknell if you are interested in donating a recipe or know someone who might, at [one4onedesign@comcast.net](mailto:one4onedesign@comcast.net) or 303.292.2651.

## Denver International School moving to Park Hill Denver International School se esta mudando para el Park Hill

Over the next month, you are likely to see us unpacking and settling into our new home at 1958 Elm Street, (the former home of Machebeuf High School).

### About Denver International School

Founded in 1977, Denver International School (DIS) is a private, coed school offering bilingual immersion programs in French, Spanish and Mandarin Chinese from Pre-K through Middle School. DIS is proud to offer after-school programs and summer camps that are available to all children in the Denver area. In addition, the school offers adult language courses.

### Summer Camps Start June 13!

Come join us for our fun and enriching summer camp programs! Choose from sports, language and culture, or variety camps. All camps are programmed on a weekly basis and organized by age group. Language camps are designed for both beginners and dual-language children.

### 2005-2006 Enrollment

If you're interested in finding out more about the benefits of bilingual education, we are currently accepting applications for next school year. Children in Pre-K and K are offered full immersion, while the higher grades incorporate the American (English-language) curriculum progressively.

Call us today at 303.756.0381 to visit the school or to register for Summer Camps. To learn more, visit [www.dischool.org](http://www.dischool.org).

Established in 1977, Denver International School provides a rich linguistic and cultural learning experience.



Denver International School

El proximo mes, Si a usted le gustaria ver la desempacada de nuestra nueva casa estaremos en el 1958 Elm Street,( En la formal casa de Machebeuf High School).

### Acerca de Denver International School

Fundada en 1977, Denver international School (DIS) es una escuela privada, mixta (ninos y ninas) ofrecu inmersion Bilingue de los programas en Frances, Espanol, Chino y mandarin desde Pre-Kinder hasta la primaria escolar. DIS se enorgullese por ofrecer el progrma de actividades escolares en las horas de la tarde y campamentos de verano que estan disponibles para todos los ninos residentes del area de Denver.

### El Campamento de verano comienza el 13 de Junio

Venga y disfrute de nuestros divertidos campamentos de Verano. Puede escoger desde deportes, idiomas y actividades culturales o otros diferentes campamentos. Basicamente todos los campamentos estan programados para una semana por grupos de acuerdo a las edades.El campamento de Idiomas esta disenado para comenzar con dos idiomas para los ninos.

### Las registraciones del 2005-2006

Si usted esta interesado en obtener mas informacion de nuestros beneficios de Educacion Bilingue nosotros estamos aceptando ahora mismo las aplicaciones para nuestro proximo ano. Ninos de Pre-kinder estamos ofreciendo completa inmersion del idioma ,Esperamos que mas grados se incorporen en America de (Ingles-Idiomas) y que nuestro curriculo sea progresivo.

Usted puede llamar hoy a 303.756.0381 para visitar nuestra escuela o para registrarse en el campamento de verano. Para que aprenda mas sobre nosotros, visite [www.dischool.org](http://www.dischool.org).





## City Park Jazz Festival cools the summer heat

Pack your picnic, spread your blanket at the Bandstand, and settle in for a summer of jazz. This season's free City Park Jazz series on Sunday evenings offers a cross-section of jazz styles to audiences for whom Sunday evening picnics at the Bandstand have become a tradition.

**All concerts are Sundays, 6:00–8:00 P.M.**

**June 5** • Manuel Molina and his Latin Combo

**June 12** • After Midnight

**June 19** • The Hazel Miller Band (in the Meadow)

**June 26** • Elements of Jazz

**July 3** • The Sammy Mayfield Blues Revue

**July 10** • Mistura Fina

**July 17** • Dotsero (in the Meadow)

**July 24** • DKO Jazz Sextet

**July 31** • Bonnie Lowdermilk

**August 7** • Lisa Bell and Crescendo

## “Community Bridge” Cop Shop, 3542 York Street, needs volunteers

A Cop Shop is a 100-percent volunteer organization that will work in partnership with the District 2 Police Department to focus on crime prevention in Whittier, Clayton, Cole, Elyria/Swansea, and North City Park/Skyland. Volunteers will be trained to perform administrative police functions, such as preparing police reports for local non-criminal complaints; graffiti; drug and gang activity; child identity and fingerprinting; and more.

This Cop Shop will also provide the community with classes/materials concerning crime prevention, health issues, and other educational programs to be developed and supported by our District 2 Police Department as the needs arise.

To find out more and to volunteer, contact Renee Bauer at 303.297.3273 or community-bridgecopshop@yahoo.com or pick up an application at 3542 York Street.



## “El Puente de Comunidad” Cop Shop, 3542 York Street, voluntarios de las necesidades

A Cop Shop es una organización que es hecho de 100 por ciento voluntarios trabajará en asociación con el departamento de la policía de Distrito 2 para enfocar en la prevención del crimen en Clayton, Cole, Elyria/Swansea, Whittier, y North City Park/Skyland. Los voluntarios ayudarán para realizar administrativas, funciones tal como preparar quejas no-críminales locales, actividad de drogas y pandillas, identificación de niños así como tomar huellas digitales y otras cosas más

El Centro también va a proveer la comunidad con clases/materiales de prevención del crimen, de salud, y otros programas de educación que están desarrollado y apoyado por el departamento de policía de distrito 2 como tenemos necesidades.

Contacta Renee Bauer 720.913.6193 y communitybridgecopshop@yahoo.com o agarra una aplicación en 3542 York Street.

## FREE BREAST & CERVICAL EXAMS OFFERED

The Colorado Women's Cancer Control Initiative is offering free breast and cervical exams to qualified women who have never had the screenings or have not had a mammogram in at least five years, or a pap exam in one year.

Qualifying factors include age (40 or older for pap, 50–65 for mammogram) and income levels. Income eligibility ranges from \$23,275 annual income for a single person to \$55,075 for a five-person household. Patients must also be uninsured or under-insured. Call 303.692.2521 for details.

## SE OFRECEN GRATIS EXÁMENES DEL PECHO Y DE PAPANICOLAU

El Iniciativo para el Control del Cáncer para las Mujeres de Colorado (Colorado Women's Cancer Control Initiative) les ofrece exámenes del pecho y de papanicolau gratis a las mujeres que cualifican por nunca haber tenido estos exámenes o por no haber tenido un mamógrafo en cinco años, o por no haber tenido el examen de papanicolau en un año.

Los factores para la cualificación son la edad (más de 40 años para el papanicolau, entre 50 y 65 para el mamógrafo) y los niveles de sueldo. El rango de elegibilidad de sueldo va de \$23, 275 para una sola persona a \$55,075 para una persona de una familia de cinco. También es necesario que a los pacientes les falten por completo seguro médico, o que su seguro médico sea insuficiente.

Llame al 303.692.2521 para los detalles.



## Relay for Life at Manual High School Fri. – Sat., July 22–23

Denver's community will come together as teams to walk for 24 hours to raise money to help prevent cancer.

You can support this powerful event by sponsoring a walker, buying a luminaria honoring those affected by cancer, or by just stopping by to give a cheer of encouragement to all the walkers.

Contact Herman Berry at 720.524.5460 or herman.berry@cancer.org for more information

RELAY FOR LIFE



## Pit Bull Ban: Are breed-specific bans the way to go?

Denver resident Sonya Dias will be at the June 15 WNA meeting to discuss why breed bans don't work and offering a petition to support stronger dangerous dog laws without breed specification. She will also share how to keep Whittier safer from loose dogs as well as providing information about where and how a pit bull can be transported out of Denver safely.

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**ABANDONED VEHICLES**

303.295.4637

**AFRICAN-AMERICAN RESEARCH LIBRARY**

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Hours: Closed Thurs. and Sun.  
Mon., Tues. & Wed. 10:00 A.M.–7:00 P.M.  
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303.698.0076

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Neighborhood inspections: weeds,  
junk cars, trash in yards, etc.  
720.865.3200

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720.944.3000

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**CITY PARK GOLF COURSE**

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Keep Denver Beautiful  
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Dead/diseased/on right-of-way  
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Hours: Closed Fri. and Sun.  
Tues. & Wed. 10:30 A.M.–9:00 P.M.  
Thurs. 10:30 A.M.–5:00 P.M.  
Sat. 10:30 A.M.–4:30 P.M.

**GANG HOTLINE**

303.331.5912

**GLENARM RECREATION CENTER**

303.295.4475

**GRAFFITI HOTLINE**

720.865.7867

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Information & referral • 303.831.1935

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For low-income women  
303.692.2521

**MANUAL EDUCATION COMPLEX**

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**NEPQue MEETINGS**

Last Monday of every month  
RSVP to get dinner at 6:00 P.M.  
2900 Downing St., Ste. 1B • 6:30 P.M.  
303.884.0201  
northeastparents@yahoo.com

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**TRASH PICKUP**

Large item • 720.865.6900  
Large item pickup:  
June 20–24  
Hazardous waste • 800.449.7587

**UNITED WAY COMMUNITY RESOURCE AND REFERRAL SERVICE**

Just dial 211

**Become a member of the Whittier Neighborhood Association—or renew your membership—and start making a difference in your neighborhood today!**

Membership cards are available at monthly WNA meetings.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Names of others in household \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (home) \_\_\_\_\_ (work) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Interests \_\_\_\_\_

I am enclosing \$20/household (\$12/Senior household) as new member(s) \_\_\_\_\_ as renewing member(s) \_\_\_\_\_ plus an additional donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to the Whittier Neighborhood Association.

Your membership is fully tax deductible and will be used to support the Whittier Community Center at 29th Ave. and Downing St. Thank you! Please enclose check made payable to Whittier Neighborhood Association and mail to 2900 Downing Street, 1B • Denver, CO 80205