



City Connection

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City Calendar

- ◆ City Council meeting
February 11– 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ Planning & Zoning Commission
February 12– 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ City Council Study Session
February 12- 6:30 p.m.
- ◆ City offices closed February 18
in observance of Presidents. Day
- ◆ Municipal Court
February 21- 9:00 a.m. &
1:30 p.m.
- ◆ City Council meeting
February 25 – 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ Planning & Zoning Commission
February 26– 6:00 p.m.
- ◆ City Council Study Session
February 26– 6:30 p.m.

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Easter Egg Hunt

Easter Egg Donations Needed

The Dacono Public Library Annual Easter Egg Hunt is scheduled to begin promptly at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 30th, at Clem Dufour Park— rain, snow, or shine. The Library is accepting donations of new or gently used plastic eggs; an estimated 1,000 additional eggs are needed for this event. The City will accept donations of clean new or used plastic Easter eggs, small items such as stickers, toys and coins to stuff the eggs, or novelty prizes until March 15. Please, no candy. The Easter Egg Hunt is open to all kids big and small. The event is free and registration is not required. The Frederick High School Key Club is sponsoring games for everyone 12 and up and special prizes for the little ones under 2. Kids and adults will be treated to a special appearance by the Easter Bunny! Contact Amy Bruno for more information at 303.833.2317 x129.



Ho-Ho Holiday Lighting Contest Winners

Congratulations to the 2012 Ho-Ho Holiday Lighting Contest winners. These residents received the Pride of Dacono award.



- Best Cul-de-Sac: 400 block of Sundance Circle
- Best Animation: The Kaplan Family- 1203 MacMurray Court
- Most Traditional: The Eldrenkamp Family- 3111 Meadowbrook Place
- Clark W. Griswold Award: The Surovick Family- 1255 MacTavish Street

Rickenbaugh Infiniti Council Approves Plans

The City Council approved plans for a 20,600 s.f. Infiniti dealership at the Dacono Gateway Center, located at I-25 and SH 52. The new dealership will primarily sell and service Infiniti cars. The building will include sales, parts, and a service wing. Construction is expected to begin this spring. “We are thrilled to see activity occurring at the Dacono Gateway Center”, said Mayor Charles Sigman. “The Rickenbaugh automotive group is a well-respected name, and we are glad to welcome them to Dacono”.

Dacono Special Election

May 7, 2013

The City of Dacono will hold a special election on May 7, 2013 regarding the operation of medical marijuana centers in the City of Dacono. Key dates for the upcoming election:

- April 8- last day to register to vote
- April 15- 1st day mail ballots can be mailed to registered electors
- May 7- Election Day

Voter registration information at
www.cityofdacono.com

City Government

City Hall

512 Cherry Street

Dacono, CO 80514

Phone: 303-833-2317

Hours: M-F 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Water: 303-833-2317 x121

www.cityofdacono.com

Trash (Gator Rubbish): 303-655-0710

Sewer (St. Vrain Sanitation): 303-682-4693

Emergency Police/Fire: 911

Police (non-emergency): 303-833-3095

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Hours: M, T, TH 12-5, Wed. 2-7, Fri. 1-5
Closed on Saturday & Sunday

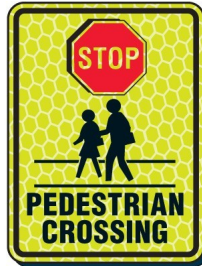
Elected Officials

- Charles Sigman, Mayor
- Michael Ayres, Councilperson At-Large
- Joe Baker, Mayor Pro-Tem
- Steve Bruno, Councilperson At-Large
- Kevin Plain, Councilperson At-Large
- Peggy Randolph, Councilperson At-Large
- Geneiveve Schneider, Councilperson At-Large

Who Must Yield?

Understanding a Marked Crosswalk

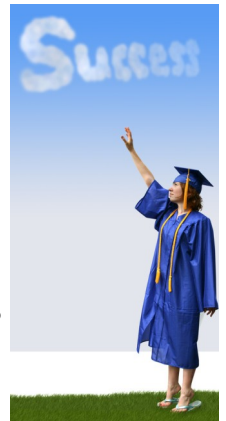
By now most residents have noticed the pedestrian crossing with a solar-powered flashing yellow beacon along Colorado Blvd. at 6th Street. This pedestrian crosswalk differs from those at an intersection where a traffic signal is present. The system along Colorado Blvd. at 6th Street does not include a vehicular signal that turns red. Rather, the solar-powered white lights (LEDs) encircling the "pedestrian walk" symbol sign continuously flash. This alerts motorists to the need to yield to pedestrians using the crosswalk. However, as with any other unsignalized crosswalk, the pedestrian must obtain eye contact with motorists and be assured that motorists are stopping or are stopped. Motorists are reminded to look for and to yield to pedestrians in the road when they see the bright, white lines of a crosswalk. Motorists should also be aware of the 35 mph speed limit along this stretch of Colorado Blvd. Colorado law says that cars must yield to the right-of-way to a pedestrian—however remember crossing safely is your responsibility.



Source: Colorado Department of Transportation

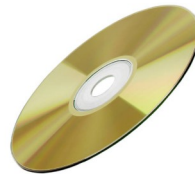
Post-Secondary Scholarships Available

The City of Dacono is accepting applications for its annual college/vocational training scholarship. Eligible candidates must reside in the City of Dacono and be a senior in high school. Qualifying candidates should have at least a 2.5 GPA. Interested applicants should submit an essay which outlines educational goals and plans to achieve those goals, details extra-curricular activities, and other information as requested. Scholarship applications are available online at www.cityofdacono.com or by contacting the Dacono City Clerk. Applications are due by April 18, 2013. Recipients will be notified.



Fix Your Discs at the Library

Are scratched and dirty discs making game play and movie watching difficult? The Dacono Library is now offering New Scratch repair service for DVD'S, CD'S, and most disc surfaces. Re-cluding CDs, DVDs and for 2 in the month of



motorized professional cleaning pads to help eliminate scratches and dirt, the new system cleans and repairs most disc surfaces for 5" optical disc including CD'S, CD-ROM'S, DVD'S, double sided DVD's Blu-Ray and most game console discs including PlayStation, PSone, & PlayStation 2 & 3, Xbox Xbox360. Most repairs take about 3 minutes per disc and many simple repairs can be done while you wait.

offering New Scratch repair service game discs. Cleans and repairs pairs standard 5" optical discs in-video game discs for \$2 for one \$3 January. Repair is simple, using a cleaner; cleaning solution and buff-

Remember!

When crossing any intersection always remember to:

- Push the pedestrian button if it is available.
- Look left, right, then left again before crossing
- Keep your eyes on approaching cars and try to establish eye contact
- Cross as quickly as possible staying on the right side of the crosswalk
- Continue to watch for cars, including behind you and especially those which are turning.