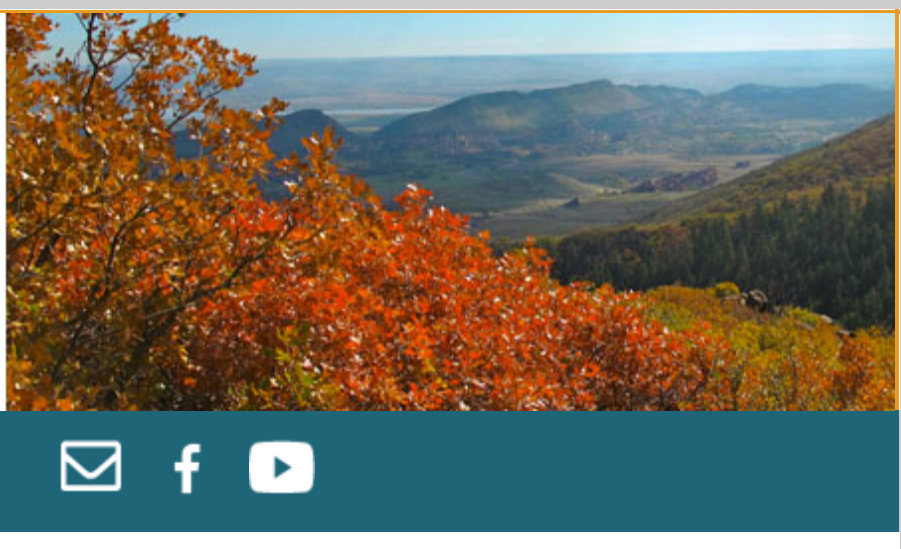




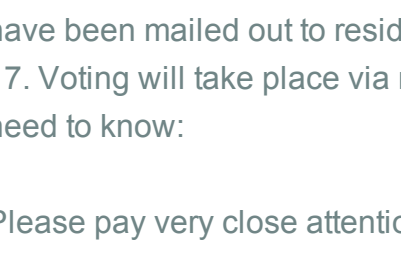
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Ken-Caryl Ranch e-News

April 17, 2023

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The Metropolitan District Board Election has Begun!

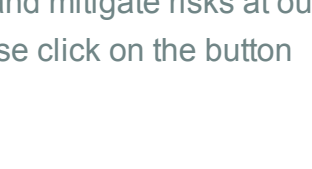
Five residents are running for the 2023 election to fill three seats on the Metropolitan District Board. Ballots have been mailed out to residents and should be received by all residents by today, April 17. Voting will take place via mail-in ballots. Election Day is May 2. Here is what you need to know:

Please pay very close attention to the information listed on the secrecy envelope you will receive with your ballot. This includes the locations you can mail or drop off your ballot. **If dropping off at the Ranch House, ballots are only accepted inside the Ranch House during normal business hours. Special hours will be available on Friday, April 28 from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.** It is up to the elector to ensure their ballot is received by 7 p.m. on Election Day, May 2. Postmark dates will not be accepted.

Please click on the button below for more information about the election as well as candidate profiles.

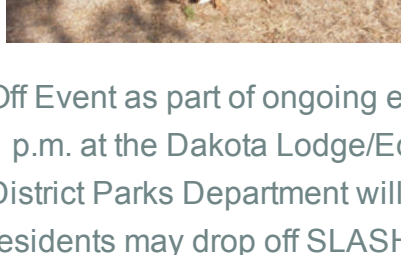
[MD Board Election Information](#)

New Safety Protocols at Ken-Caryl Pools



Summer pool season preparation is in full swing here at Ken-Caryl Ranch! We have a fully staffed aquatics team that is ready to serve our community and keep our pools safe. Ken-Caryl Ranch has made the transition over to a new aquatics risk management company, StarGuard Elite (SGE). SGE has created a new industry standard by finding creative solutions to improve safety and mitigate risks at our pools. For more information, including new safety protocols, please click on the button below.

[SGE Safety Protocols](#)



SLASHING Fire Risk at Ken-Caryl's SLASH Drop-Off Event on April 22!

Ken-Caryl Ranch is proud to offer a spring SLASH Drop-Off Event as part of ongoing efforts to promote wildfire mitigation on April 22 from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. at the Dakota Lodge/Equestrian Center. The Ken-Caryl Ranch Metropolitan District Parks Department will be on hand with the chipper. No reservations necessary, residents may drop off SLASH any time during the event. For a list of acceptable items/requirements for drop off, please click on the button below.

***Please note: ALL curbside SLASH pick-up slots are filled. We encourage residents to work with neighbors and friends to transport their own SLASH to the free drop-off event on April 22.**

[SLASH Drop-Off Requirements](#)

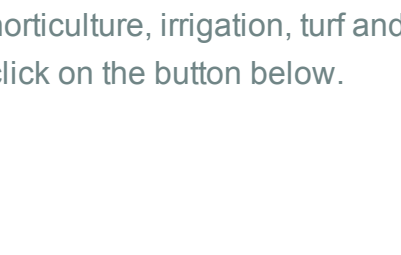
Tennis Registration



Registration is now open for USTA Mixed 40 & Over, CTA Adult 18-39, USTA 40 & Over and CTA Women's 2.5 18 & Over. To register, please click on the button below.

Questions? Contact Tennis Supervisor Robert Campbell at robertc@kcranch.org or 303-979-2233, ext. 202.

[Registration](#)

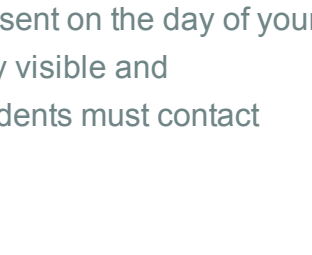


The Parks Department is Hiring Seasonal Positions!

Do you enjoy working outdoors? Want to be a part of keeping Ken-Caryl beautiful? Consider applying for a Seasonal Maintenance position with our Parks Department! Our Seasonal Parks Maintenance staff are responsible for assisting with all different types of maintenance activities within the parks system, including tree care, horticulture, irrigation, turf and maintenance. For more information and to apply, please click on the button below.

[Apply Today!](#)

2023 Recycling & Clean-up Event, May 6



Mark your calendars for this year's Recycling & Clean-up Event on May 6 from 8:30 a.m. – 2 p.m. at the Ranch House. This event is FREE for all residents; however, there are fees for TVs, monitors and floor printers. Recycle or dispose of your unwanted electronics, small appliances, furniture and trash!

NEW this year, GreenSheen Paint is coming to YOU as part of the event by offering FREE, door-to-door paint pick-up to recycle your old and unwanted paint and stain! This service is 100% FREE to Ken-Caryl residents! No need to be present on the day of your scheduled pick-up - just leave your paint cans outside and clearly visible and GreenSheen will do the rest! To schedule your paint pick-up, residents must contact GreenSheen Paint directly at 720-854-8722 or via email at events@greensheepaint.com.

For more information, including a list of acceptable items and items that cannot be accepted, please click on the button below.

[Event Information](#)



Here's What's Happening at the Community Center!

Barre Above

Raising the "barre" on fitness! Our next Barre Above 6-week session is available for registration. This fee-based class is on Fridays from 9:15–10:15 a.m. from May 5–June 16 (no class May 12). Register using the corresponding button below.

Guided Meditation for Stress Relief and Resiliency

Join Hypnotherapist and Certified Neurosculpting Facilitator Molly Wright for a 4-week 30-minute class to learn how to train your brain and manage your thoughts to better cope with chronic and acute stress. Each session will provide participants with a basic understanding of how the brain functions and quick tips to manage stress, and end with a relaxing guided meditation. This class takes place on Friday mornings from 8-8:30 a.m., from April 28 – May 19 at the Ken-Caryl Fitness Center.

[Barre Above Registration](#)

[Guided Meditation Class Registration](#)

Give Back Each Time You Buy Groceries at King Soopers

53 Households

\$ 641.55 Total Donations

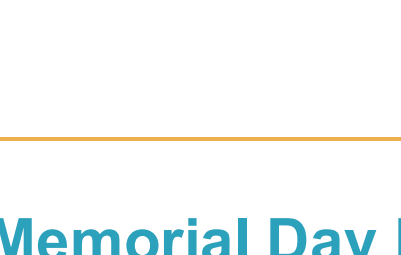
Anyone who has an interest in supporting the Ken-Caryl Ranch Foundation and shops at King Soopers can register their frequent shopper card with a code, and the Foundation will get a donation based on a overall purchases! So far this year, 53 households have participated in the program, with the Foundation raising \$641.55 between January through March.

The process to sign up for the King Soopers Community Rewards program is simple:

- *Go to Kingsoopers.com
- *Login to your account or create one if you do not have one.
- *Register your phone number
- *Go to MY ACCOUNT (Upper right drop down)
- *Choose COMMUNITY REWARDS (Left navigation)

You can search for the Ken-Caryl Ranch Foundation either by name or by entering DW239 in the search field and then click Enroll. Make sure when you shop at King Soopers to scan or add your account number or phone number. To enroll online, visit King Soopers' website by clicking on the button below.

[Enroll Today!](#)



New Babysitting Course

Sign your tween/teen up for our latest Babysitting Class on May 13 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. at the Ranch House! This course is designed to help prepare participants for their first babysitting opportunities. Basic childcare duties (feeding, bathing and diapering) will be covered. Participants will also learn about activities for various developmental stages. In addition, home and fire safety and the prevention and treatment of common injuries will be covered. This course is for kids ages 11-14. To enroll, please click on the button below.

[Registration](#)

Memorial Day Event, May 29



Join us as we honor our servicemen and women with a ceremony on May 29 at 10 a.m. at the Veterans Monument, located in Community Park, across from Shaffer Elementary School in the Ken-Caryl Ranch Plains. Stay tuned! More details to come.

Calendar

Meeting agendas are available online for [Committees](#), the [MA Board](#) and the [MD Board](#), and will be linked in the e-news calendar once posted.



Upcoming Meetings and Events

[MA Board Meeting](#) - April 18 at 6 p.m. / Ranch House & Online
[SLASH Drop-Off Event](#) - April 22 from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. / Dakota Lodge/Equestrian Center
MD Board Meeting - April 25 at 6 p.m. / Ranch House & Online



Committee Meetings Ranch House and Dakota Lodge

Covenant Control Committee - April 19 at 4:30 p.m. / Ranch House



Babytime/Storytime Ranch House 9:30 a.m. / 10:15 a.m.

April 20
April 27

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.

[Full Calendar](#)

Helpful Links

- [Board Contact Info, Meeting Agendas and Minutes](#)
- [Committee & Task Force Agendas & Minutes](#)
- [Register for Classes](#)
- [Weekly Trails Report](#)
- [Home Improvements](#)
- [KC Fitness Center](#)
- [Community Park Master Plan](#)