

# MILLIKEN MESSENGER



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MILLIKEN POLICE DEPARTMENT & MARES AUTO TIRE & REPAIR  
Invites Milliken Youth (through 5th Grade) to join us for

## **MILLIKEN HALLOWEEN** **FAMILY FUN NIGHT**

Saturday, October 29<sup>TH</sup>

Milliken Middle School

5:30PM - 8:00PM

PIZZA, HOT DOGS & DRINKS

Parents are encouraged to attend with their children.

**CANDY & CASH DONATIONS NEEDED!!!!**



Volunteers needed  
to help with games,  
candy and prizes.  
Please contact  
Maria Zuniga,  
970-660-5010.



## MILLIKEN SENIOR "HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE"

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>

9:00AM - 3:00PM

MILLIKEN TOWN HALL

1101 Broad Street

Eat, Shop & Enjoy



### **Historical Society 7TH Annual Meeting!**

The Milliken Historical Society will be holding its annual meeting on Thursday, November 10th at 7:00 p.m. at the Milliken Town Hall. The public is welcome. Please join us! RSVP to Melanie Tafaro, 303-470-0319 or Lois Ann Onorato, 587-4251.

Tear off and return to Town Hall or mail to Town of Milliken, PO Box 290, Milliken, CO 80543 or Email: skidd@town.milliken.co.us

### **WHAT IS YOUR IMAGE OF MILLIKEN?**

Please take a few minutes and respond to this questionnaire about Milliken. (Project in partnership with Milliken Business Assoc.)

When you think of Milliken as the community you live in, how would you describe it?

Is there a symbol, picture, or image that you identify with Milliken?

If you were going to advertise the assets of Milliken in the media, what would those assets be?

What do you want Milliken to become? (What would you want Milliken to look like in ten years?)

- ☞ Wednesday, October 5 & 19, Planning Commission, Meeting House @ Police Station, 7:00pm
- ☞ Wednesday, October 12 & 26, Town Board Meeting, Meeting House @ Police Station, 7:00pm
- ☞ Wednesday, October 19, Milliken Housing Authority, Town Hall, 8:30am
- ★ Monday, October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 Trash Pick-up
- ★ Monday, October 3, 17, 31, Recycling Pick-up
- ★ Saturday, October 8, Fall Clean-Up Day, Public Works, 8:00am - 2:00pm
- ★ Tuesday, October 11, Milliken Business Association, Town Hall, 7:00pm
- ★ Friday, November 4, Milliken Historical Society, Town Hall, 2:00pm
- ☺ HALLOWEEN FUN NIGHT, SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 5:30PM
- ☺ MILLIKEN SENIOR BOUTIQUE, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 9:00-3:00
- ☺ VETERANS DAY TRIBUTE, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11
- ☺ FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2

**OPENING MID-OCTOBER**  
**"Simply YOU Salon"**  
 Cosmetologist/Specialty in Nails  
**901 Broad Street**  
**970-388-0738**

WELCOME TO TOWN!



**COMMUNITY GARDEN**

Free produce for seniors and families in need. The Town is growing fresh produce in a Community Garden funded by a grant from Weld County. If you are a Milliken senior or family in need and would like to obtain FREE fresh produce from the garden, please contact Cheryl Powell at Milliken Town Hall, 970-660-5049.



**LIBRARY NEWS**

Now that school is back in session, we, here at the library, are hoping you keep us on your supply list! Is your first grader learning to read? Does your third grader need a book about George Washington? A fourth grader taking a class about Colorado history? A high schooler writing a report for American Government?

Let our friendly staff help you find just the right book for your student's project!

Glenn A. Jones M.D. Memorial Library, 400 S. Parish, Johnstown, 970-587-2459



**Message from the Mayor**

As most of you know, I do this "Mayoring by Walking Around". I have almost covered the entire Town of Milliken, with only two areas yet to go. Why do I do this? Because I want to meet as many of you as possible, face-to-face. I want you to know who I am and that you can talk to me about concerns, problems, and, yes, JOYS you might have. There have been numerous occasions when perceived problems have been explained and resolved right on a person's doorstep. Again, the best part of all of this is that we talked face-to-face.

There are also numerous times when I have received e-mails and letters from residents with concerns they want me to know about. Such communications are very helpful. When such concerns come to me, I not only have the opportunity to try and get them resolved, I can also thank the person for their concern for the Town and the other residents.

While I appreciate ALL communications, it is very difficult for me when I receive anonymous communications. Yes, I can take the information those letters contain and do my best to get the concerns resolved but I have no opportunity at all to talk to the person face-to-face or to thank the person for sending the letter. There are many who would put an anonymous letter in the waste basket immediately. I won't do that but I DO find it very difficult to not being able to talk face-to-face to get all the facts involved.

Continue to write to me but, please, I ask that you sign your letters. This would be very helpful.

I hope all of you have enjoyed your summer and looking forward to the cooler weather of Fall and all the events that this season brings.

JOY!

Janie Lichtfuss, Mayor



**Farmers Market at Town Square**  
 1101 Broad Street, Thursdays from 5:00pm to dusk  
 Fresh vegetables and fruits, along with crafts and music.  
 Help stimulate our local economy!

