



Town Hall will be closed on Monday, February 19<sup>th</sup> for the President's Day holiday. The Town Board will meet on Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup> (Special), 8<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81449378638>

# Newsletter

February 2024

## Town Board Matters

1. The Town Board held a public hearing and approved an application for a conditional use change at 224 Arthur Avenue, allowing use of the property for commerce and light industrial (warehousing). This is the site of the new Rod and Cue Club.
2. The Town Board held a public hearing and approved an application to allow construction of a single family residential dwelling unit at 307 S. Grandview Avenue. The lot is presently vacant.
3. The Town Board held a public hearing and approved an application to allow construction of an accessory residential dwelling unit at 314 Myers Street. The applicant was approved to construct the two story structure with a garage on the first level and living space above at the corner of Myers Street and Dodge Avenue.
4. The Town Board has reviewed local marijuana business license fees and reduced the fees recognizing that less staff and Town Attorney time is required to process license applications and renewals. The new fees collect the Town's cost to issue these licenses.
5. The Town Board approved pursuing an expansion of the Town's electric utility service area seeking to add properties owned by the Town and lying within the municipal boundaries, including the Tramway and Rollstone properties.

## Summer Camp Counselor Positions

**The Town of Oak Creek is looking for Summer Camp Counselors!** Counselors are responsible for planning activities, ensuring safety of participants, and providing a fun and exciting environment for all children to thrive and learn. Applicants must be 16 years or older. For more information, please email Alissa at [recreation@townof oakcreek.com](mailto:recreation@townof oakcreek.com)

## Summer Camp - Save the Date!

**Summer Camp registration will be on Monday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> starting at 8:00 a.m. (at Town Hall).** Summer camp information will be posted in March at <https://townof oakcreek.com/parks-recreation/>.

## CHRISTMAS LIGHTING CONTEST WINNERS!

Utility Gift Certificates awarded to:

**Home winners:**

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE - \$100**

421 Moffat Ave

**2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE - \$75**

312 Grandview Ave

**3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE - \$50**

107 W Highland Street



**Thanks to everyone who signed up for the contest and to everyone who helped by lighting up their homes!**

**Rossi Meadow Trails are now open for Cross Country Skiing!**

## Recreation

After Care and Full day Friday care are off to a good start, so far in 2024 we have had the Treads Museum out, built snow forts with Yampitika, and rode the gondola in Steamboat, and sledding galore!. After School Clubs: soccer, gymnastics, dance & learn to skate.

Thank you to Angie Baker, Kathryn Schlatter, Kyle Pastor, Nikki Knoebel, all the parent volunteers. Music Club (K-5<sup>th</sup> Grade) starts Feb 8th. Middle and High schoolers filled up the Billiards club at the Rod and Cue club with Wes Klumker (224 Aurthur).

Adults and seniors can enjoy boot camp, yoga, pilates, open creative studio, Join Us for Meditation with Andrea Abrahamson Thursdays 6:30-7pm starting Feb 19th. Please check out [townofoakcreek.com/parks-recreation](http://townofoakcreek.com/parks-recreation) to see our offerings and to register. Email [recreation@townofoakcreek](mailto:recreation@townofoakcreek) with any questions. Also look for the community survey regarding recreation on the website.

**WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK OUR SHOP LOCAL & HOLLY FESTIVAL CONTRIBUTORS FOR THIS HOLIDAY SEASON!**

**WE COULDN'T DO IT WITHOUT YOU!!**

### Meet the Candidates for Town Board

Join candidates on March 7<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 p.m., at Town Hall when the Town will be hosting a **Meet the Candidates** event for Town Board at our upcoming April 2<sup>nd</sup> mail ballot election. Ballots are mailed out to registered voters on or before March 21<sup>st</sup>. The public is invited to participate in this event.

### Winterfest

Start preparing your cardboard classic for Winterfest activities with a sledding competition on Saturday, February 24<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. at the Moffat Ave. sledding hill. There will be prizes for fastest down the hill and most creative! Afterwards there will be free skating at the Oak Creek Ice Rink from 4:00-6:00 p.m. **Bank of the San Juans will be providing Chili and Soup.**

### Reminders from our Public Works Department

Please keep your trash and recycling bins off the street until Monday night before Trash day, and remove them from street by Tuesday night. If your bins are on the street Public Works staff are unable to keep the streets plowed.

Remember not to plow, shovel, blow snow or any other method of snow removal onto public right-of-way. Vehicles parked on the street must be moved off the streets so there is sufficient room to clear where they were parked after every plow.

If you are clearing the snow off your roof and it is being cleared into a public right-of-way you will need to call Public Works to arrange for them to come clear the R-O-W so roads and alleys do not get blocked.

**Shop locally for gifts, take the family out for a meal, and support South Routt businesses.**