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Beer, Brats & Baseball

Thank you to all who participated in this event, making it a huge success; Cook Street School of Fine Cooking, Rock Bottom Brewery, The Tavern Downtown and the Colorado Rockies!

DNC Safety Concerns for Lower Downtown Denver

Thursday, July 16th 6:00pm, Wynkoop Brewery

The LoDo District, Inc., Downtown Denver Residents Organization (DDRO) and Lower Downtown Neighborhood Association (LoDoNA) are partnering together to present a Democratic National Convention (DNC) security briefing by Commander Deborah Dilley. It is our priority to be your main source of information for the DNC and provide necessary information regarding safety concerns. This discussion will address security issues and concerns residents and business owners may have during this historical event. Make sure to come early to enjoy the cash bar at 5:30pm, forum begins at 6:00pm. We look forward to seeing you there.

LoDo Young Professionals Go Green -

Based on a 2007 report from the Denver Metro Convention & Visitors Bureau, the most popular attractions were:

LoDo Historic District

Denver Zoo
 Denver Art Museum
 Colorado Rockies Baseball
 Red Rocks Amphitheatre
 Colorado State Capitol
 Buffalo Bill Museum & Grave
 U.S Mint
 Colorado History Museum
 IMAX/Denver - Museum of Nature & Science

Member Login

Still Looking for More?

Colorado Rockies & Coors Field

Pepsi Center & City Lights Pavilion

Elitch Gardens

Children's Museum of Denver

Recycling Open House

Thursday, July 17th - 6:00pm-8:00pm - Alliance For A Sustainable Colorado - 1536 Wynkoop

How many businesses and residents in LoDo recycle? How many would, but don't know about the resources available to get a program started? How many will start, now that the LoDo Young Professionals Committee has set out to make going green that much easier, starting with a Recycling Open House next month? "LoDo is a shining example of urban renewal and revitalization in so many ways," Jensen said. "We think we can also serve as an example of a true mixed-use environment that addresses and overcomes the obstacles associated with recycling." The program will kick off with a Recycling Open House on July 17 at Alliance For A Sustainable Colorado 1536 Wynkoop Street. The event will bring together some of Denver's largest recycling and waste management companies, including Alpine Waste, Waste Management and Recycle America to provide information on recycling paper as well as materials like food waste, cell phones and old computer hardware. Attendees - from bar owners to office managers to residents - will have the opportunity to browse these sponsors' booths at the Open House to learn about the options that best fit their needs. "Everyone wants to recycle, but a lot of people think it's too expensive or too much of a hassle," Jensen said. "We want to give people the right resources and show them how easy and cost-effective recycling can be. And we want to do it in a fun, relaxed atmosphere." For more information please contact Jensen directly at tjorgenjens@gmail.com or 720-224-9831.

LoDo District presents: The LoDo Connection

Thursday, July 23rd - 5:30 pm - 7:30pm - Elephant Corral - 1444 Wazee Street

Network with your neighbors at our annual LoDo summer party! Join us for an evening of fun, food, and music in the courtyard at the historic Elephant Corral. The menu includes a **Fajita Bar**, **Dixon's famous Margaritas** (there will be wine too), all accompanied by **Live Jazz!** So come hang out in a unique LoDo space, meet some new people, and enjoy great food and entertainment.

Colorado Ballet

Denver Art Museum

Denver Botanic Gardens

Denver Center for the Performing Arts

Denver Museum of Nature & Science

Denver Zoo

Opera Colorado

Special thanks to our sponsors: Dixon's Downtown Grill, The Elephant Corral, The Imbergamo Group, and Rock Bottom.

Note: In the event of inclement weather, we will simply move the party indoors at The Elephant Corral...

For more information or to RSVP, contact Jason at 303.628.5428 or info@lodo.org.

A Special Night of Theater in LoDo - Hot_L Baltimore

Saturday, August 2nd

Join the LoDo District, LoDo Cares and Van Gilder Insurance Corporation in supporting Senior Housing Options' production of HOT_L BALTIMORE, Lanford Wilson's award winning play. The play, about a run-down hotel and its quirky occupants, will be staged in the lobby of the Barth Hotel on the corner of 17th and Blake Streets. Join your LoDo District friends, neighbors and the occupants of the Barth Hotel itself on August 2 for a special wine tasting reception at 7 pm and intimate performance at 8:30.

This special evening is sponsored by Van Gilder through their contributions to the LoDo District and the LoDo Cares program. Tickets for the August 2 performance are \$90.00. Proceeds benefit critical life and safety needs including upgrades for emergency call systems, alarm and sprinkler systems, and new vans for the safe transportation of residents at Senior Housing facilities in Colorado. Hot_L Baltimore will run from July 17 through August 23, but only the August 2 performance will include the special Wine Tasting Reception and benefit LoDo Cares, along with Senior Housing Options. Don't miss this unique experience! Our very own LoDo "stars" will support the professional cast in cameo roles rivaling the likes of Harrison Ford! Get tickets now - this is a repeat of the 1991 performance that SOLD OUT every show and helped solidify the Barth Hotel as anchor in the LoDo community.

To RSVP, please call the Barth Hotel at 303.595.4464 ext. 10, or buy your tickets online [Senior Housing Options Website](#)

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Community Concerns/Issues

Campaign for the DNC. Participants will learn key facts about Denver, new attractions and upcoming conventions, resources for visitors, and the strategy for helping front line staff 'Go the Extra Mile'.

For more information or to register, call Robyn Carnes at 303.571.9436 or e-mail rcarnes@denver.org.

Sustainability is Only Half the Story

**Thursday, July 10th- 5:00pm - 6:30pm -
Tattered Cover, 1628 16th Street**

Special Opportunity! Meet Bill Reed, founding Board member of the US Green Building Council. Learn about how to expand and move beyond LEED Certification [Please RSVP at Alliance for a Sustainable Colorado Website](#)

Message from the Mayor - What to Expect During the DNC

Hosting the Democratic National Convention represents a tremendous economic and marketing opportunity for Metro Denver and Colorado, as well as a chance for local residents to witness and participate in a historical event. On a more practical side, we know that downtown residents and businesses have questions about possible Convention-related impacts. Because security and transportation planning is ongoing and details continue to evolve, more specifics will be available in the coming weeks. Ongoing updates will be disseminated widely and available through a variety of sources.

For more information regarding the DNC, please visit [City of Denver Website](#)

Designated Parade Route for the Democratic National Convention

The City and County of Denver announced the details of the Designated Parade Route to be available during the Democratic National Convention in late August for groups seeking to march toward the Pepsi Center. Details of additional transportation impacts are still being finalized and will be announced in the coming weeks, but City officials underscore that

downtown will be accessible and inconveniences to local residents, employees and businesses will be minimized. Denver's Designated Parade Route will be available all four days of the Convention (August 25-28, 2008) between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Over the next week, the City will work with the organizations that requested use of the Designated Parade Route to accommodate as many groups as possible in a fair and transparent manner. More information and ongoing updates will be disseminated widely and made available through a variety of sources, including www.DenverGov.org , www.DowntownDenver.com , www.DenverConvention.com , 3-1-1 and more. For further updates please visit [The Downtown Denver Partnership Website](#)

Street & Sidewalk Closures

Delgany - 15th to 16th - Thru October 2009 -

Road closure, sidewalk closure -

(Kennedy/Trammell Crow Project)

Wynkoop - Pedestrian Bridge to 15th - Thru

March 2009 - Parking lane (1401 Wewatta

Project)

Wynkoop - 14th to 15th - Thru July 2008 -

Parking and partial sidewalk closures (1515

Wynkoop Project)

Blake - 15th to 17th - Thru April 2008 -

Single right lane, meters, and partial sidewalk closures

(Sugar3 Project)

Blake to Market - 21st to 22nd - Through May

19th - Flying Tables - (Broadstone Loft Project)

Larimer to Lawrence - 18th to 19th - Through

October 2009 - Sidewalk & parking lane closure

(1800 Larimer Project)

For more information, call the Denver Public

Works Department at 720.865.8714.

[Visit the City & County of Denver Website](#)

Neighborhood Connections

Ski Train Summer Season Starts June 21

If the Ski Train trip to activity-filled summer fun

at Winter Park Resort doesn't make grownups

feel like kids again, at least the train fare will.

That's because adults of all ages traveling in

coach will pay the children's rate, \$39, \$10 off

the regular \$49 adult coach fare, for the first two

day-trips of the summer Ski Train season. The

train will travel to Winter Park on Saturdays June

21 through August 23. The Ski Train to Winter Park Resort is a way to escape from the city - and from high gasoline prices - without having to hassle with traffic. The train will leave Denver's Union Station at 9:00 a.m.; the return trip will depart from Winter Park at 3:00 p.m. Beginning July 5, the regular round-trip adult coach fare will be \$49. For the entire summer, the fares are \$39 for children 12 and under, \$39 for seniors 62 or older and \$39 for members of groups of 12 or more. All Club Car tickets are \$74 and include a continental breakfast, snacks and non-alcoholic beverages on the return trip. [Tickets may be purchased by phone at 303-296-4754 or online Ski Train Website](#)

"Chill" With the RAQC and LoDo This Summer

Summer time in Colorado means picnics, concerts, and enjoying the great outdoors. But it also signals the arrival of Ozone Season. For the second summer, the Regional Air Quality Council (RAQC) and partners like LoDo District are asking residents to chill! The RAQC's "Summer Chill" campaign asks residents to relax on the hottest summer days and avoid the activities that can cause ground-level ozone pollution such as driving, mowing the lawn, and painting or staining projects. Want to support this effort? Take the "chill pledge" at events throughout the summer or by visiting [OzoneAware.org](#). Let's take care of our summer air! [For more information please visit Ozone Aware Website](#)

Downtown Denver Partnership - 2008 Annual Meeting

**Wednesday, July, 9th - 7:30am - 9:00am -
Denver Marriott City Center - 1701 California
Street**

The Board of Directors of Downtown Denver Partnership, Inc. Downtown Denver, Inc. and Denver Civic Ventures, Inc. Invite you to attend the 53rd Annual Meeting. Coffee will be served in the foyer at 7:00 a.m. Breakfast will be served at 7:30 a.m. \$90.00 Individual \$900.00 Corporate Table (\$100/\$1,000 non-member pricing) [Please RSVP to Jeanna at Jeanna Craven's Email](#)

DDP Unveils Incentive Program

Beginning June 30th, Downtown Denver employees who typically drive to work alone will

be offered an incentive to leave their cars at home during the month of August in exchange for using transit, walking, bicycling or carpooling. The program will reward participants with a \$100 VISA gift card if they use an alternative mode of transportation at least 15 working days during August. Participants will be required to enter each commuting trip in an online commute log and must update it at least every 72 hours. Those who successfully fulfill the program requirements will be mailed a \$100 VISA gift card at the beginning of September. Participants will also be surveyed six months and 12 months later to follow up on any changes in their commuting patterns.

How to apply:

Visit www.downtowndenver.com and click on the link to the get Downtown UnCONVENTIONally program to review program guidelines and apply online by July 25, 2008.

Await application acceptance within seven days.

Accepted applicants will then receive emailed instructions for how to officially register for the program and begin logging their trips.

* All applicants must be employed within the 80202 zip code and currently drive alone to work. Questions regarding this program should be emailed to getdowntown@downtowndenver.com

For more information, please visit [Downtown Denver Partnership's Website](#)

Historic Denver Upcoming Event

Denver Story Trek is Historic Denver's newest program, an opportunity for visitors and residents alike to explore the city's historic resources and uncover the stories that hide behind their dignified facades. It travels through the Cherry Creek Bike Path, Civic Center Park and five landmark "hubs" - Four Mile Historic Park, Byers-Evans House Museum, Molly Brown House Museum, Kirkland Museum of Fine & Decorative Art and the Black American West Museum. We invite you to participate in this historic trek! You can tell your story at the Story Trek launch on July 19 at 10 am at the Colorado Governor's Residence. You'll hear the stories of Denver's leaders and learn how to record one of

your own memories. You can also join us for free guided bike tours along the recommended Trek routes, so bring your wheels or walking shoes! For more information please visit [Historic Denver's Website](#)

DDRO, LoDoNa, and LDDI to sponsor "The Downtown Philanthropic Task Force."

Wednesday, July 23 - 6pm- 9pm -The Museum of Contemporary Art, Rooftop Cafe 1485

Delgany Street Please join us for an evening of art and libations at the rooftop cafe of the Museum of Contemporary Art. Proceeds will benefit "TECO", the 2 year mentoring program for D.P.S. high school students that is run by the MCA. During the evening we will have a preview of a mural installment that the students will work on with the artist team of Eric & Heather ChanSchatz, which will run in the Idea Box as a semi permanent display. The mural will be a representation of the Denver Community and it's relationship to the broader world. Ticket price is \$50 and can be purchased by utilizing the RSVP link to the left. DUE TO SPACE CONSTRAINTS WE WILL HAVE A LIMITED NUMBER OF TICKETS AVAILABLE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS. To RSVP, please visit [Blacktie Colorado's Website](#)

18th Annual Cherry Creek Arts Festival

July 4th-July 6th

The 18th Annual Cherry Creek Arts Festival is a world- class event in the arts, and it's right in our own backyard. This Fourth of July weekend, the free festival promises to be as colorful as ever, with nearly 240 local, national and international artists on exhibit in Denver's Cherry Creek North Business Districts. Festival-goers can wander through a sea of visual arts booths and peruse the shops of participating Cherry Creek merchants, sample fine foods, watch artist demonstrations and enjoy performing arts entertainment. The "Fireworks Spectacular" on Saturday evening will round out the celebration. For more information, please visit [Cherry Creek Arts Festival's Website](#)

LoDo Doings

Happy Independence Day!

From all of us at the LoDo District, Inc., have a

happy and safe Independence Day!!

LoDo's Top 10 List of things to see and do During the DNC

As you know, 50,000 visitors are expected during the Democratic National Convention. What are you doing to take advantage of this excellent opportunity to attract visitors to your business? Do you have something unique, fun or interesting planned during the DNC? If so, please send it to info@lodo.org and we will post it on our website www.lodo.org, which by the way, is the #1 site when visitors search "lodo" on both Google and Yahoo search engines. To learn about the most up-to-date information regarding the Convention, go to www.denverconvention2008.com

The Hot L Baltimore - An Event Not to be Missed!

Eighteen years ago, we staged Lanford Wilson's award winning play in the historic Barth Hotel at its prime downtown Denver location at 17th and Blake. At that time, we needed new equipment to make our buildings livable. And now we are going to do it again, as a benefit for our Year of Safety and Security. All proceeds will be used to meet critical needs like upgrades for emergency call systems, alarm systems and fire doors, sprinkler systems, safe transportation of residents and the like-all to continue the extraordinary quality of life for 500 seniors. This is a unique experience! Each performance will feature a "who's who" of Denver's notables in exclusive cameo roles. See the likes of LoDo's own Susan and Leo Kiely and Jim Theye, celebrities like Ed Sardella, Randy Weeks, Bill Husted, Dean Prina and many others. In 1991 the show was sold out for every performance. We expect that it will be again. There are only 18 performances - Thursday, Friday and Saturday from July 17 through August 23, 2008. During that time, we expect nearly 1,800 people to attend with thousands more seeing publicity and advertising. Several nights are designated as special patron nights including a special wine reception. Tickets for the patron nights are \$200 for two. Regular tickets are \$50. All but \$10 of the ticket price is fully tax-deductible.

Fireworks in Downtown!

Celebrate our nations' independence in Downtown Denver this year! There are several

options for 4th of July fireworks and free events in our center city. Take part and enjoy the long weekend! Enjoy the fireworks at Coors Field on Thursday and Friday, July 3 and July 4, after the Colorado Rockies game. Tickets are required. For more information call (800) 388.7625 or (303) 762.5437 or go to www.ColoradoRockies.com. Cheer on the Outlaws as they take on the San Francisco Dragons in a game scheduled to begin at 7 p.m. on the 4th at Invesco Field at Mile High. Fireworks will follow. Tickets are required. For information, go to www.denveroutlaws.com or call 303-OUTLAWS (688- 5297). Also, don't miss the Colorado Symphony Orchestra's special Independence Day Celebration on Thursday, July 3 at 7:00 p.m., involving a free concert at City Park in Denver. The concert will end at 8:00 p.m.

Rockies Home Schedule-July

July 1-Padres
July 2nd-Padres
July 3rd-Marlins
July 4th-Marlins
July 5th-Marlins
July 6th-Marlins
July 17th-Pirates
July 18th-Pirates
July 19th-Pirates
July 20th-Pirates
July 21st-Dodgers
July 22nd-Dodgers
July 23rd-Dodgers

For more information, please visit [Colorado Rockies Website](#)

LoDo Events Calendar

LoDo Deals & Shopping

The Oxford Club Introduces Kevin Murphy Hair Products

Kevin Murphy is a fashion focused range of salon only, professional, hair care products. The range includes shampoos, conditioners, treatments and styling products, which have all been designed for specific hair types. Whatever your hair's texture, you'll find the products that will make your hair look like you've just stepped off the catwalk. All Kevin Murphy products contain high levels of natural ingredients and

uses high grade essential oils and amino acids for the ultimate hair and scalp treatment. You'll see the effects immediately. In addition, this product line is sulfate and paraben free and is eco-friendly.

Oxford Club | 1616 17th Street

For more information, please visit [Oxford Club's Website](#)

Players Annual Summer Sale

Monday through Friday, 10am-6pm. Saturday 10am-5:30pm. Evenings by Appointment

For more information, please visit [Players Clothing Website](#)

Check Out the Latest LoDo Deals List

Fun, Food, & Wine

It's time for The Keg's Lobster Summer!

Until August 17th come in and enjoy a tempting variety of your favorite lobster dishes. Start your meal with a real treat. Our Lobster Gratinee features oven-baked lobster with garlic, herbs and melted Monterey Jack and Cheddar cheeses.

Then for the true seafood lover, enjoy a Whole Atlantic Lobster -- an entire sweet and delicious lobster, steamed to order and served with melted butter and lemon. Or indulge in our delectable Seafood Sirloin. Enjoy our famous Keg sirloin, grilled to perfection and topped with garlic sautéed lobster, shrimp and asparagus, in a white wine & butter sauce. These featured entrees come complete with a Keg Size® baked potato and all the trimmings.

The Keg | 1890 Wynkoop Street

For more information, please visit [The Keg Website](#)

What's New at alto

What should I have for lunch? It's a daily question, answered frequently with the usual suspects: sandwich, burrito, or (horrors!) something from the vending machine. In other sophisticated countries, lunch is a beautiful chance to enjoy and appreciate the central part of the day - to embrace a little of the Good Life for which we have worked. In this spirit, alto is now open for lunch! Join us for lunch Tuesday through Friday and enjoy a jumbo crab cake, an antipasti platter, or a chopped Cobb salad in the middle of the day, in an elegant setting, with a

crisp glass of wine. There are certainly times for food wrapped in tinfoil, and cups with straws. But, at least once in a while, you deserve a midday meal worth remembering. Come let us treat you right.

alto | 1320 15th Street

For more information, please visit [alto's Website](#)

Let the Grilling and Cocktails Begin at Little Raven Vineyards

1590 Little Raven

Let the Grilling and the Cocktails Begin Memorial Day marks the start of the serious grilling season and most are talking about charcoal, the best utensils and their favorite recipe. We would like to take the grilling season a step farther and offer a few tips, not on technique, but rather on what to drink while you are creating that fabulous meal on the grill. You know you will serve a great wine with your meal (and we are always happy to help you pair a wine with your recipe). But while you're preparing that fantastic feast, kick-back, enjoy your grilling experience, and sip a grilling cocktail. For more information, please visit [Little Raven's Website](#)

Karaoke Under the Stars at Lodo's Bar and Grill

Thursday evenings. - Rooftop Patio

Lodo's Bar and Grill is excited to announce we will be doing Karaoke Under the Stars! Every Thursday night on our rooftop patio starting at 9:00. \$4 Jager/Red Bulls Beer Pong on our lower level and 2-4-1s from 10- close. We are also partnering with KTCL 93.3 and Coors for our Final Fridays concerts. Free concert from 5-7 on the last Friday of the month at Lodo's Bar and Grill. Honor. A committee of people from both the public and private sectors will select Denver's Top 150. We will select people across several different categories ranging from the arts, business, the environment, government, health, neighborhood, non-profit and faith-based. Then, on Nov. 22, the actual anniversary date for the City's 150th, a reception announcing and honoring Denver's Top 150 will take place. For more information, please visit [Lodo's Bar and Grill Website](#)

Wazee Supper Club has a special birthday gift--just for you!

15th & Wazee, LoDo

Wazee Supper Club has a special birthday gift--just for you! Join us during your birthday month and enjoy a free pint of beer or a complimentary dessert. It's our way of saying "Happy Birthday" to you!"The Staff" at the Wazee Supper Club [For more information, please visit Wazee Supper Club's Website](#)

Hot Sounds Concert Series - Thursday nights

Some of Colorado's hottest bands will perform every Thursday night this summer, from June 19 - August 7 beginning at 5:00 p.m. With the stage set in the middle of Glenarm Place facing south, the setting becomes a veritable nightclub on the street, complete with tall cabaret tables. The first band begins at 5 p.m. and the second band will take the stage at 7 p.m.

[For more information, please visit The Denver Pavilions Website](#)

Riverfront Park Fashion

July 17th and August 14th from 5:30pm-9:00pm. - Riverfront Park Plaza at the base of the Millennium Bridge (16th and Little Raven Streets).

Prices are \$30 for general admission, \$40 for reserved catwalk seat (includes admission) and \$360 for a reserved catwalk table (for 6, includes general admission). All tickets receive open bar, light nibbles and entertainment. July sponsors include fashion from Neiman Marcus, food by Zengo, drinks by Great Divide Brewing Co, Belvedere vodka, 10Cane Rum and SmartWater with an after party at Below. The event benefits The Railyard Dogs, the proposed off-leash dog park in downtown Denver. [For more information, please visit Riverfront Park Fashion's Website](#)

Lannie's "Screen Gems" Songs of the Movies with her Amazing Quintet at Lannie's Clocktower Cabaret

Opens Friday, July 11, 2008. Doors open at 7:00pm, show begins at 8:00pm.

A nostalgic trip through some of the greatest movie songs ever written. From the award winning theme from "Breakfast at Tiffany's" --Moonriver--to James Bond's "Goldfinger," the show is filled with musical, GEMS. Songs from the Wizard of Oz, Judy Garland movies and more. Lannie adds anecdotes and fun facts from the films as she goes along. Poignant and passionate, festive and fun, campy and

quirky.....her costumes alone are a show! Lannie is backed by her incredible: Errand Boys of Rhythm Quintet. For more information, please visit [Lannie's Clocktower Cabaret Website](#)

Looking for a Restaurant in LoDo?

LoDo Arts

MCA Denver: Trevor Appleson in the Photography Gallery

Trevor Appleson Photography, a new exhibition at the Museum of Contemporary Art Denver (MCA Denver), opened April 28th and will run through August 10th. Large photographs from a project the artist created in Mexico will be on view for the first time in the U.S. at MCA Denver.

The MCA Denver, is casual, hip and edgy..and the perfect impress your date and up "your cool factor." There's even a cafe/bar on the top floor with to-die for views of LoDo.

For more information, visit [Museum of Contemporary Art Denver Website](#)

Hop, Skip & a Jump Start Family 5K

The Children's Museum of Denver hosts its 2nd Annual 5k. Fun Run, Infant Crawl, toddler Trot and Kid Course. After the stroller-friendly 5k, children of all ages can participate in mini-meets and other fun, educational activities. The event focuses on the joys of healthy competition, the pride of engaging in exercise, and the ease of making wise diet decisions. Hop, Skip & a Jump Start addresses health and nutrition for every member of the family including those who may be crawling or toddling to the finish line.

Registration for the event is \$25.00 before August 16th, \$30.00 between August 16th and September 5th, and \$35.00 on race day.

Registration includes museum admission and all-day activities. All proceeds support the Children's Museum of Denver's educational programs, Playscapes, and resources and supplies that encourage both children and their caregivers to engage, play, grow and learn.

Children's Museum of Denver | 2121 Children's Museum Drive

For more information, call 303.433.7444 or visit the [Children's Museum of Denver Website](#)

"Artists from the San Luis Valley"

Is on exhibit at Republic Plaza, 370 17th Street, May 21 to July 24, 2008. The exhibition is sponsored by Brookfield Properties, owner and manager of Republic Plaza, and curated by Andra Archer. The exhibition is open to the public free of charge, Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 7 p.m. and Saturday, 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. For further information please call the Archer Concept Group: 303-514-8182

Robischon Gallery Features Concurrent Solo Exhibitions

Opening reception, Friday, July 18. - 6:00pm-8:00pm

Concurrent Solo Exhibitions: Jack Balas "Tattoo Detour," New Paintings and Drawings and William Lamson "Experiment," New Photographs and Video Work June 28 through August 2 [For more information, please visit Robischon Gallery's Website](#)

Target to Host Free Day at Denver Art Museum

Monday, August 25th

As part of its strong commitment to community and the arts, Target will host a free day at the Denver Art Museum (DAM) on Monday, Aug. 25 to celebrate the Democratic National Convention. This special day will allow Denverites, delegates and their families a chance to view the world-class collections and spectacular exhibitions at the DAM. "Denver and its strong focus on the arts will take center stage during the Democratic Convention this August, and we are so happy to have an extra day for visitors and locals to enjoy the Denver Art Museum," said Lewis Sharp, DAM Director. Thanks to Target, the DAM will open its doors with free admission from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Monday, August 25, a day the Museum is normally closed to visitors.

[For more information, please visit Denver Art Museum's Website](#)

Hop, Gretel & Hansel: A New Twist on an Old Tail

Recommended for ages 4-12 This 45-minute family production takes the famous Grimm Brothers' children's story and turns it into a hilarious comedy full of song and witty banter. As the children struggle to escape the nasty witch, Carmen Monoxide, and find their way

home, they are helped by the bewitched crow, Russell and Tom the Talking Cat. July 8-19 Tramway Theatre at 1101 13th Street Seating is General Admission Tickets are \$6 per person For more information, call 303.893.4100 or visit the [The Denver Center for the Performing Arts Website](#)

Cinemocracy Film Festival - DNC

Submissions Accepted From March 1st-July 15th

The 2008 Cinemocracy Film Festival is an open source film festival addressing the topic of "How do you define democracy?" During a year of monumental change, the Denver Office of Cultural Affairs and the Denver Film Society invite citizens of the world to speak out and share ideas on the definition of democracy through the creation of short films. All films submitted via free upload will be judged by the online public and the top 10 will be screened at a free public event in Denver during the week of the 2008 Democratic National Convention (August 25-28). Additionally, the winning film will be screened as part of the official program of the 31st Starz Denver Film Festival (November 13-23).

For more information, including submission guidelines and official rules, visit the [Cinemocracy Website](#)

Find A Gallery In LoDo...

News in the Neighborhood...

Denver Office of Cultural Affairs Honoring Exceptional Residents, Accepting Nominations for Denver's 150th

November 22, 2008. - Accepting Nominations through August 15, 2008.

Are you or do you know of someone who is making Denver a better place today for generations to come? In honor of its 150th anniversary in November, the City and County of Denver will honor 150 people who are making a difference in the Mile High City. Denver's Top 150 can be anyone from neighborhood activists to teachers to business people to artists to spiritual leaders. The main criteria is that they have to be doing something extraordinary, something noteworthy and something that is bettering the city for generations to come. Soon we will be accepting nominations for this distinct

honor. A committee of people from both the public and private sectors will select Denver's Top 150. We will select people across several different categories ranging from the arts, business, the environment, government, health, neighborhood, non-profit and faith-based. Then, on Nov. 22, the actual anniversary date for the City's 150th, a reception announcing and honoring Denver's Top 150 will take place. [To nominate an exceptional resident, please visit Denver Office of Cultural Affairs Website](#)

[The Denver Pavilions Hot Sounds Concert Series is Coming to Town, Volunteers Wanted Each Thursday from June 19th to August 7th, 2008. - 8 Hot Nights! 16 Amazing Bands! At least 160 opportunities to volunteer!](#)

The Lower Downtown Neighborhood Association is in search of 20 fun and enthusiastic people to serve beer and mixed drinks (no experience necessary - a brief orientation will occur upon your arrival at 4:30 pm) while enjoying great music and people watching each night of the Hot Sounds Pavilions Concert Series - 20 people times 8 nights, 160 people sharing great music, laughter and meeting new friends. There are eight shifts, one each night of the Concert Series available to volunteer for. [For more information, please visit Denver Pavilions Website](#)

[Civic Center Outdoor Market and Cafe each Thursday from June 19th to August 7th, 2008.](#)

Come to Civic Center and grab a bite to eat, listen to good music and do some shopping while enjoying a Colorado summer day in one of Denver's most historic parks. We have wonderful new lunch vendors this year - great BBQ, yummy tamales, bison burgers, and delightful crepes. (to name a few) You will also find quality Colorado produce, fresh breads and pastries, homemade pasta, and tasty treats for the office.

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