

Brighton window



Buffalo Soldiers 1st Sgt. Fred Applewhite explains his uniform to members of the audience of the Buffalo Soldiers riding/shooting/saber demonstration on Saturday at Eagle View Adult Center. The group represents the 9th and 10th U.S. Cavalries – composed of African-Americans – formed in 1866.

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27J Board thanks home builders

The 27J Board of Education recently recognized the contributions made by several home builders to help fund the construction of future schools and thanked the top six contributors to the Capital Facility Fee Foundation.

D.R. Horton has been top contributor since the CFFF was established in 2001. The company consistently contributes a capital facility fee for every lot it builds on in each of the cities in District 27J. D.R. Horton has contributed more than \$2.8 million and is currently building in Brighton Crossings, Quebec Highlands, Turnberry and High Point at DIA.

"These funds help mitigate the impact of growth on the district by paying to build new schools," board President Patrick Day said.

Other top contributors recognized were Richmond American Homes

(Reunion, Buckley Ranch, Brighton Crossing), Shea Homes (Reunion), Lennar (Amber Creek, Orchard Farms); Meritage Homes (The Preserve, Indigo Trails); and Brookfield Residential (Brighton Crossings). Both Bryan Reid of Brookfield Residential and Jeff Qualteri of D.R. Horton serve on the 27J Capital Facility Fee Foundation Board of Directors, which meets quarterly.

The Capital Facility Fee Foundation is a unique nonprofit public/private partnership founded in January 2001 to collect contributions (per dwelling unit for new home construction) from developers and builders to help fund school expansion or new school construction. Since the Foundation was established these contributions from developers and builders have saved District taxpayers more than \$10 million dollars.

"We thank all the developers and home builders who contribute on a consistent basis to the 27J Capital Facility Fee Foundation," Day said. "We would encourage all builders constructing homes in 27J neighborhoods to participate in the Foundation."

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Two Days

Today

8:30 a.m. – Walk On! Eagle View Adult Center; explore trails in the Brighton area, socialize and get in shape; first day meet in the center lobby; join anytime; Wear good walking shoes and bring water, join anytime for the \$4 fee

3-4:30 p.m. – Retro Arcade, Anythink Brighton; Play like it is 1980; an overview of how to make retro arcade games while also playing childhood favorites. For teens.

Thursday

10-11 a.m. and 1-2 p.m. – Just Breathe, Anythink Brighton; Learn how the lungs work and a variety of breathing techniques that can help you keep calm. RSVP

12:15-12:50 p.m. – Yoga, Platte Valley Medical Center, Suite 130; \$6; certified instructor. Bring your mat.

3-4:30 p.m. – The Studio: Action Lab, Anythink Brighton; Get hands on in The Studio.

7:30-9 p.m. – Kids Bicycle Rodeo, Benedict Park (parking at 1750 Skeel St.); for kids 4-12; learn bicycle skills – before the *E.T.* Movie in the Park; sponsored by Bike Brighton and the Brighton Police Dept.

Dusk – Flix and Kicks movie, *E.T. The Extra Terrestrial* (PG), Benedict Park, 1855 Southern St., at dusk; Bike-in Movie Night with Flix & Kicks & Kids Bicycle Rodeo; sponsors: Brighton Cultural Arts Commission, the Scientific Cultural Facilities District, and the City of Brighton.

Funeral notices

Julie M. Lucio, 51, of Brighton, died June 10. Visitation, 6 p.m., **June 19**, followed by rosary at 7 p.m., both at Tabor-Rice. Mass of Christian burial, 11 a.m. **June 20** at St. William Catholic Church, Fort Lupton.

Paul Philip Olvera, 71, of Westminster, died June 8. Survivors include his children Paul Jr., Michael (Cindy), Tanya (Brad), Megan (Michael), and Jerimie (Ashley); and 10 grandchildren and one on the way. He served in the Navy during the Vietnam War. Paul lived a full life celebrating all his children and grandchildren's accomplishments. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Hope for the Warriors – hope-forthewarriors.org – in memory of Paul Olvera. Visitation, 10 a.m. **Friday**, followed by funeral at 11 a.m., both at The Healing Place Church, Brighton.

Wilma M. Ryan, 85, of Brighton, died June 9. Graveside service, 1 p.m. **Thursday** at Elmwood Cemetery. [Full obit Tabor-Rice](#)

Burle M. DeBord, 95, of Brighton, died June 8. Memorial service, 1 p.m. **Friday**, Tabor-Rice Funeral Home. [Full obit Tabor-Rice](#)

Norma "Jean" Halbritter, 78, of Brighton, died May 14. Memorial service, 10 a.m. **Saturday** at Grace Baptist Church, Parker. [Full obit Tabor-Rice](#)

Gas gauge

\$2.13⁹ Lowest unleaded price as of 5:30 p.m. Tuesday:
• King Soopers station on Bromley (with Sooper Card)
NEXT LOW • \$2.16⁹ • Valero, Murphy Express and Agfinity/Cenex all on Bromley Lane