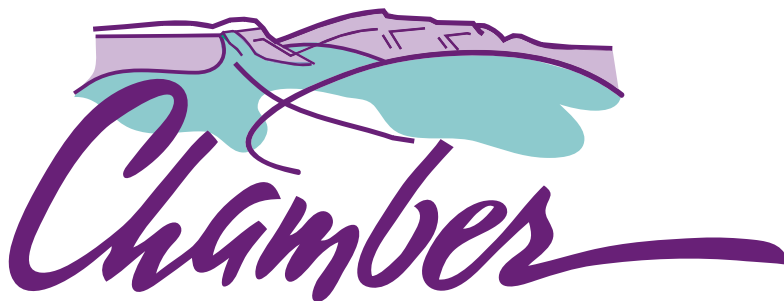


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# CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS LIST

*Grand Junction Area*



*Your Business Connection*

Grand Junction Area Chamber of Commerce, 360 Grand Avenue, Grand Junction, CO 81501  
Phone: 970-242-3214 | FAX: 970-242-3694 | [www.gjchamber.org](http://www.gjchamber.org)

**Administrative Professionals,  
International Association of**

*Karen Loughman, CAP*  
P.O. Box 1381  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
216-6546; Fax: 1-866-467-6546  
erlyisr@hotmail.com  
www.iaap-bookcliff.org

- Meets 3rd Wed of every month at Two Rivers Convention Center at 5:30pm.
- Officers Elected in May.
- *Business Association*

**Adoption Alliance**

*Tracey Blustein*  
2121 S. Oneida St Suite 420  
Denver, CO 80224  
303-584-9900; Fax: 303-584-9007  
info@adoptall.org  
www.adoptall.org

- International, designated infant, kinship, waiting child adoptions, a second parent, and foster care.
- *Service/Support*

**Adoption FIND (Family In New Dimensions) Resource & Referral**

*Gwen Huber*  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
243-7671; Fax: 243-7671 call first  
fghuber@gvii.net

- Strictly a Resource & Referral Line for Adoption Agencies.
- *Service/Support*

**Adoption: AAC Adoption and Family Network Inc.**

*Marissa Bebo*  
P.O. Box W or 735 E. Hwy 56  
Berthoud, CO 80513  
970-532-3576 or 303-444-5001;  
970-532-9879  
info@aacadoption.com  
www.aacadoption.com

- Korean and Chinese infant/children adoptions. Adoption and placement.
- *Service/Support*

**Adult Protective Services, Mesa County Dept. of Human Services**

*Jennifer O'Hearon Cole and Dyann Walt*  
P.O. Box 20000-5035, 510 29 1/2 Rd  
Grand Junction, CO 81502-5035  
248-2888; Fax: 255-3632  
www.mesacounty.info

- Adult Protection Review Team meets 4th Tues at the Community Services Building from 11:00-12:30.
- *Service/Support*

**AIDS, WESTCAP (Western Colorado Aids Project)**

*Mary Beth Luedtke*  
805 Main Street  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
243-2437;  
marybeth@westcap.info  
www.westcap.info

- Case Management, support and referral for HIV+ Individuals and families, HIV prevention education.
- Officers Elected in April.
- *Service/Support*

**Alano Club**

*Dave Ferguson*  
404 Glenwood Ave.  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
243-1010;

- Private Social Club for recovering alcoholics and family. Membership not necessary to attend meetings. Membership is \$15.00/mo single or \$20/mo couple.
- Meets daily.
- Officers Elected in April
- *Service/Support*

**Alcoholics Anonymous, Central Office of Western Colorado**

*Susan, Office Coordinator*  
1005 N. 12th Street, Suite 107  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
245-9649; Fax: 245-9649  
contact@aa-westerncolorado.org  
www.aa-westerncolorado.org

- Service organization that helps those with the desire to stop drinking.
- Meet various times and places. Please call for info.
- *Service/Support*

**Almost Home**

*Ellen Reimer*  
245 South First St.  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
241-3658; Fax:254-1262  
deroohome@yahoo.com  
www.catholicoutreach.org

- Service of Catholic Outreach, provides a weekly Renters' Guide listing vacancies.
- *Service/Support*

**Altrusa International, Inc. of Grand Junction**

*Debbie Risto, President*  
P.O. Box 432  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
858-1405; 712-1301  
drristo@netzero.com

- Service with emphasis on literacy.
- Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 5:30 @ City/County Building employee breakroom.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Service/Support*

**Alzheimer's Association Colorado Chapter Western Slope Office**

*Teresa Black*  
2232 North 7th St, Suite B1  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
970-256-1274 or 800-272-3900;  
Fax: 243-6924  
teresa.black@alz.org  
www.alz.org/co

- We offer four support groups and ongoing education classes. Call for current schedule.
- Two support groups. one is the 1st Thursday of the month at 1:00 pm here at the office. second one is the 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. Crossroads United Methodist Church - 599 30 Rd 81504
- *Service/Support*

**American Business Women's Association, Grand Junction Charter Chapter**

*Edith Kralik*  
2375 Broadway  
Grand Junction, CO 81507  
243-0108;

- Service, educational scholarships
- Meets 2nd Tuesday evening of each month
- *Service/Support*

**American Legion, Robbins McMullen Post 37, Dept. of Colo.**

*Albert Mahrer, Commander.*  
*H. Patricia Elsberry, Sr. Vice Commander.*  
P.O. Box 96  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
245-8042 answering service for Legion;  
hpatriciaelsberry@msn.com

- Call 256-7950 for monthly meeting and time and location
- Officers Elected in July
- *Veterans*

**American Red Cross, Western Colorado Chapter**

*David Hintch*  
506 Gunnison Ave.  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
242-4851(24 hour number);  
888-545-7800, Fax: 241-2337  
hintch@arcwcc.org  
www.redcrosswesterncolorado.org

- Emergency preparedness and response, first aid, CPR classes, services to military.
- Officers Elected in June
- *Service/Support*

**An-Anon and Alateen**

888-966-4662;  
• Support programs for families/friends of alcoholics; serving Grand Junction, Fruita, Parachute, Glenwood Springs, Basalt, and Aspen

- *Service/Support*

**Antiques: The Questers**

*Goldie Ward*  
4330 North Club Court, Unit B  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
241-0448;  
www.questers1944.org

- Meets once per month usually in private homes, with the purpose of sharing and stimulating interest in Antiques and collectibles and the restorational preservation of such.
- Officers Elected in May. Term begins in September.
- *Special Interest - Antiques*

**Art Center Guild**

*Cathy Zippert or Sally Lowrey*  
456 Seasons Dr.  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
245-9215 (Cathy);  
cathyzippert@yahoo.com/  
sallylowrey@aol.com

- Auxiliary support organization of the Western Colorado Center for the Arts
- Meets third Tuesday, September through May, at 10:00 am at The Arts Center.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Service/Support*

**Art Center: Western Colorado Center for the Arts**

*Robbie Breaux, President*  
1803 North 7th St.  
Grand Junction, CO 81501-3097  
243-7337; Fax: 243-2482  
info@gjartcenter.org  
www.gjartcenter.org

- Exhibits, classes, and workshops in the visual arts.
- Meets monthly.
- Officers Elected in September
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Art Heritage Program, School District 51**

*Connie Robbins-Brady, Coordinator*  
Basil T. Knight Center, 2523  
Patterson Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
254-5489; Fax: 243-6716  
cbrady@mesa.k12.co.us  
www.artheritageprogram.org

- Elementary, Free Art History Classes for classroom volunteers. Trained volunteers bring art history and experiential art lessons to elementary school classrooms throughout the Grand Valley and Gateway.
- Officers Elected in Fall
- *Education*

**Artists: Junction Clay Arts Guild**

*Ron Cloyd, President*  
635 Brooks Ct  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
245-2320;  
rrcloyd@bresnan.net  
www.gjcag.com

- Meets the 1st Tuesday of the month at Grand Junction Ceramics, 2807 C 1/2 Road, Grand Junction, CO 81501. Promotes the appreciation of and interest in the clay arts among Western Slope potters/clay artists
- Officers Elected in January
- *Arts/Culture*

**Artists: Southwest Photographic Arts Association**

*Rod Martinez*  
P.O. Box 1980  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
433-1256;  
rodsuemartinez@bresnan.net

- Meetings held third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 pm at the Western CO Community College.
- *Photography Club*

**Artists: Brush and Palette Club**

*Bob Martin*  
P.O. Box 3632  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
242-9010; 254-8556  
bobarttwo@yahoo.com

- Art programs, Monthly Art demonstrations at the Art Center, 7th and Orchard.
- Meets 1:00 p.m. third Thurs, Sept.-May at Western Colorado Center for the Arts.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Artists: Dream Time Creative Circle**

*Julia Widdop*  
202 North Ave, #252  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
424-1679;  
info@dreamtimers.org  
www.dreamtimers.org

- Support group for writers, artists, and musicians.
- *Special Interest*

**Artists: Grand Valley Porcelain Artists**

*Marge Bystedt*  
4010 Ptarmigan Piazza  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
242-2797; 858-3415 Patty Mendelssohn

- Please call for details.
- Meets 2nd Monday of each Month at the Mesa Mall Comm Room at 9:00.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Special Interest - Painting on China*

**Artists: Mountain Arts Glass Guild**

*Karen Lee Keifer*  
Grand Junction, CO  
243-8908;  
rainbowartistry@yahoo.com

- Promoting stain glass.
- *Special Interest*

**Artists: Pain Artists**

*Julia Widdop*  
202 North Ave, #252  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
206-350-0231;  
info@painartists.org  
www.painartists.org

- For people who suffer from chronic pain, using art as an outlet.
- *Special Interest*

**Artists: Pastel Society of Colorado**

*Penny Creasy*  
2177 Meadows Court  
Grand Junction, CO 81507  
256-9584;  
pencreasy@bresnan.net  
www.pastelsocietyofcolorado.org

- Visual artists organization promoting pastel painting.
- Meets the 3rd Saturday of every month, September - May, at the Art Center. Visitors welcome.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Arts/Culture*

**Artists: Rocky Mountain Collage Society**

*Gail Gerson*  
Grand Junction, CO  
241-8561;  
contact@  
rockymountaincollagesociety.org  
www.rockymountaincollagesociety.org

- Meets every other month, Sept-May, 2nd Tuesday at 7:00 pm at the Arts Center.
- *Special Interest*

**Artists: Embroiders' Guild of America, Desert West Chapter**

*Barbara Gale*

2700 G Road 2-C  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
970-243-2230;  
bagale@bresnan.net

- Preservation and education of embroidery art.
- General meeting 1st Tues of month at first Presb. Church on 27 1/2 Rd and Cortland.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Artists: Western Colorado Decorative Artist**

*Milly Garner*

523-8380;  
www.decorativepainters.org

- Affiliated with the Society of Decorative Painters.
- Meets 2nd Saturday, except July & August, at 9am at First Cong Church 1425 N 5th St. Business meetings and pain until 3 pm.
- *Special Interest*

**Artists: West Rockies Writers Club**

*Suzanne Bronson*

PO Box 4164  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
206-338-4484;  
www.westrockieswriters.com

- Educational club lending support, advice, and encouragement to writers.
- *Special Interest*

**Artists: Western Colorado Watercolor Society**

*Dani Tupper*

P.O. Box 3584  
Grand Junction, CO 81502-3584  
874-3088; Fax: 874-3088  
katup@msn.com

- www.wcwatercolorsociety.com
- Public demonstrations quarterly at various locations in Western Colorado. National and Local art exhibitions.
  - Officers Elected in November
  - *Arts/Culture*

**Arts and Culture, GJ Commission**

*Allison Sarmo, Coordinator*

1340 Gunnison  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
254-3865; Fax: 242-1637  
allisons@gjcity.org  
www.gjarts.org and gjcity.org

- Meets on fourth Wed., 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Parks Bldg, Lincoln Park
- Officers Elected in February
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Astronomy Club, Western Colorado**

*David Copley, President*

P.O. Box 40537  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
434-4364; James McSheehy  
243-2887

- threedguy@acsol.net  
www.wcacastronomy.org
- For amateur astronomers and anyone interested in learning about the night sky. Visitors are welcome to our meetings.
  - Meets 2nd Tuesday of each Month at 7:00 pm Wubben Lecture Hall, Mesa State College.
  - Officers Elected in Dec/Jan
  - *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Athletics: Dolphin Swim Team**

*Lee Young*

658 Faircloud Way  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
260-8459; Fax: 523-5775  
gjdolphins@yahoo.com  
www.grandjunctiondolphins.com

- Year round competitive and pre-competitive team
- Officers Elected in August
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Girls on the Run**

202 North Ave, Suite 284  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
257-9267;

- info@girlsontherungv.com  
www.gotrwesterncolorado.org
- Teaches girls grades 3-8 about health, friendship, body image, self esteem, and community service.
  - *Recreation/Support*

**Athletics: Grand Junction  
Gymnastics**

*Kerri, Kidzplex*

609 25 Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
245-3610;  
www.kidzplex.com

- Quality instruction and facility for recreational and competitive gymnastics.
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Grand Junction Rugby Club**

*Sam Kearn*

210-1734;  
grandjunctionrugby@gmail.com  
www.grandjunctionrugby.com

- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Grand Junction Soccer Club**

*Larry Johnson*

559 25 1/2 Road, Suite B112  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
242-4550; Fax: 242-4971  
info@grandjunctionsoccer.com  
www.grandjunctionsoccer.com

- Meets 1st Wed. of every month.
- Officers Elected in June
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Grand Junction Tennis Club**

*Carter Elliot*

555 North Ave, #7  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
242-1490;

- Sponsors tennis activities in the Grand Valley.
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Grand Valley Wave Swim Club**

*Ed Lenhart*

P.O. Box 569  
Fruita, CO 81521  
250-7025; Ellie Lenhart,  
Head Coach 250-9617  
justacct@jcigj.com  
www.gvwave.org

- Workouts and/or competitive swimming year round. Swim club for swimmers of all ages and abilities.
- Officers Elected in Fall
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Ice Skating, Inc.**

*Curt Maki*

PO Box 3654, Grand Jct, CO 81502  
778-7127;  
info@iceskatinginc.com  
www.iceskatinginc.com

- Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month at 12:00 noon at 2487 Industrial Blvd, Unit B, Grand Junction, CO 81505.
- Officers Elected in March
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Junction Indoor Tennis Center**

*Roger Speyer*

535 25 1/2 Rd  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
241-2280; 241-2280  
junctionindoortennis@gmail.com

- Full service indoor/outdoor tennis facility, tournaments, and socials.
- Meets at the Club house.
- Officers Elected in February
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Maverick Club, Mesa State College**

*Sean McKinney*

1100 North Ave, attn: Athletic Dept  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
248-1811;  
smckinne@mesastate.edu  
www.mesamavs.com

- The Maverick Club is comprised of Alumni and friends of Mesa State College united in an organized effort to serve the student athlete and College through their particular interest in the intercollegiate athletics.
- *Support*

**Athletics: Mesa County Junior Basketball Assoc**

*Steve Irion*

3225 Ridge Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
248-4829;

**Athletics: Mesa County Junior Football Assoc.**

*Jim Bratcher*

PO Box 822  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
245-0725;  
www.mcjfa.vicid.net

- Super Juniors - ages 7-9, season March-May. Juniors - grades 5th-8th, season Aug-Oct.
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Mesa County Junior Womens Basketball**

*Dave Montoya*

592 Maxwell Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
245-4724;

- Call for information. 7th & 8th grade basketball, Sept-Dec.
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Mesa Monument Striders**

*Conrad Cole, Treasurer*  
P.O. Box 3685  
Grand Junction, CO 81502-3685  
245-4243; Fax: 245-0336  
boogidieshoe@acsol.net  
www.mmstriders.com

- Running and associated exercise, group runs, races.
- Meets 4th Tuesday of every month, 7:00 pm at Raven Ridge on 25 Road.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Running Club*

**Athletics: Thunder Mountain Soccer Assoc.**

2139 N. 12th Street, Unit 10  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
263-8833;  
tmountainsoccer@gmail.com  
www.thundermountanisoccer.d4sportsclub.com

- Offers recreational and competitive leagues in Spring and Fall for ages 5-18.
- Officers Elected in October
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Tiger Paw Wrestling**

*Yvette Arrieta*  
205 N. 4th Street, Suite 450  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
683-5705; 361-0698  
tigerpawwrestling@yahoo.com

- Recreational wrestling for ages 4-14 (or 8th grade).
- Beginning Nov 2nd - Mon, Tues, Wed at Grand Junction High School - 6:30-7:15 for beginners, 7:30-8:30 for advanced.
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Western Colorado Baseball Assoc.**

*Mike Bullen*  
Grand Junction, CO  
242-3582;  
www.westerncoloradobaseball.com

- Competitive baseball for boys ages 12-14.
- *Recreation*

**Athletics: Western Colorado Volleyball Club**

*Jeff Wells, Director*  
PO Box 117  
Whitewater, CO 81527  
640-5195;  
wcvbc1@gmail.com  
www.westerncoloradovolleyball.org

- Junior Olympic program geared towards boys & girls ages 10-18.
- Normal season runs Nov-April. Summer camps.
- *Recreation*

**ATV Association, Western Slope**

*Steve Chapel Pres.; Yvonne Cain, PR Rep*  
P.O. Box 4283  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
Steve 241-2409 or Jacque 242-8842;  
dirtuser@bresnan.net  
www.wsatva.org

- Promotes safety and family oriented ATV responsible use and education. Also provides search and rescue assistance.
- Meets 3rd Wednesday of each month
- Officers Elected in January
- *Recreation*

**Beacon Senior News**

*Jessica Morehouse, Editor*  
P O Box 3895  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
243-8829; Fax: 1-800-536-7516  
beacon@pendantpublishing.com  
www.beaconseniornews.com

- Area's leading newspaper for those 50+ yrs. of age. Creative adult lifestyle newspaper
- *Service*

**Beta Sigma Phi**

*Judy Alexander*  
1729 Bell Ridge Court  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
245-4785;  
judya@bresnan.net

- For women of all ages. Six active chapters in town. Call for meeting times and places.
- Sorority chapters meet beginning Sept. through May. No summer meetings. Six chapters meeting each month on day of their choosing. One meets once a month -- the other twice a month.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Sorority*

**Bonsai Society, Western Colorado**

*David Morgan*  
3590 E1/2 Road  
Palisade, CO 81526  
464-7355;

- Usually meets 2nd Saturday at the Botanical Gardens Library, but please call to confirm.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Special Interest*

**Bookcliff Knife and Fork Club***Reford Theobald*

3760 Beechwood St  
 Grand Junction, CO 81506-4848  
 245-0563; Fax: 257-9313

- One celebrity speaker a year.
- Meets six times a year between Sept. and April for fine meal and an after dinner speaker.
- Officers Elected in Autumn
- *Educational NonProfit*

**Botanical Gardens Society, Western Colorado**

*Bill Haggerty, President. Elizabeth Neubauer, Interim Executive Director.*

641 Struthers Ave.  
 Grand Junction, CO 81501  
 245-3288 Office, Greenhouse  
 245-9030; Fax: 245-9001  
 wcbotanic@bresnan.net  
 www.wcbotanic.org

- Greenhouse/Butterfly House/Amphitheater/Outdoor Gardens/Childrens castle/Library
- Officers Elected in January
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Bowmen, Grand Mesa***Jim Law*

P.O. Box 752  
 Grand Junction, CO 81502-0752  
 245-2994; 270-9795  
 grandmesabowmen@bresnan.net  
 www.familylobby.com/  
 grandmesabowmen

- Three target ranges, one broadhead range, access year round. NFAA, CSAA and CBA affiliation.
- Officers Elected in April
- *Recreation*

**Brain Injury and Epilepsy Support Group, Western Slope***Drene Stevens*

875 Main Street, Ratekin Towers  
 Grand Junction, CO 81501  
 361-5495; Bill Queen 255-1694

- Division of Brain Injury Asscc. of Colorado and the Epilepsy Foundation of Colorado.
- Meets first Wednesday of every month 7p.m. to 9p.m. at 875 Main St.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Service/Support*

**Bridge Center***Jo Levy*

2923 North Avenue #5  
 Grand Junction, CO 81504  
 241-0276; 241-2856  
 robjohnson9@bresnan.net  
 www.bridgecenter.biz

- Meets Monday and Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 1:00 p.m.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Recreation*

**Camera Club, Thunder Mountain***David Mitchell*

P.O. Box 2403  
 Grand Junction, CO 81502  
 Marie Reed, Secretary 245-3244;  
 www.thundermountaincameraclub.org

- Meets 4th Tuesday of Month (Except Dec.) at 7:00 p.m. at River of Life Alliance Church 701 24 1/2 Rd.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Cancer Society, American***Joan Forrey*

2754 Compass Drive, Suite 100  
 Grand Junction, CO 81506  
 242-9593; 800-227-2345; Fax: 242-2283

joan.forrey@cancer.org  
 www.cancer.org

- Mesa County events consists of relays in Grand Junction and Fruita and a Making Strides Walk. We do have different programs for cancer patients and a wig room for wigs and hats, free of charge to cancer patients.
- *Service/Support*

**Caregiver Connections***Coleen Cunningham*

Historic Miller Homestead,  
 3090 N. 12th Street  
 Grand Junction, CO 81506  
 254-0891;

ccunningham@hospicewco.com

- For caregivers to learn about available resources and connect with others facing similar situations. This program is free of charge.
- Thursdays 10-11:30 am.
- *Support Group*

**Caregiver Task Force, Mesa County***Dave Norman*

P.O. Box 20000  
 Grand Junction, CO 81502-5035  
 248-2717; Fax: 248-2883  
 dave.norman@mesacounty.us

- A community force promoting education, advocacy and resource development for caregivers
- *Service/Support*

**Catholic Daughters of The Americas, Mt. Holy Cross #941**

*Toni Heiden-Moran*  
735 Rood Avenue  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
260-8664; 243-9295  
toni@heidenhomes.com

- Meets 1st week of each month, either on Tuesday Evening or Sunday Afternoon. Except Dec., July, & Aug. Call for location and times.
- Officers Elected in June, every other year
- *Special Interest*

**Catholic Outreach, Grand Valley**

*Sister Karen Bland*  
245 S.1st St  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
241-3658 or 243-0091;  
Fax: 254-1262  
kabland@juno.com  
www.catholicoutreach.org

- Human service organization. Soup kitchen, clothing, housing listing, financial aid and day center for the homeless. Transitional supportive and emergency housing.
- Officers Elected in May 3rd Week
- *Service/Support/Housing*

**Cattlegirls, Mesa County**

*Deb Albertson*  
P.O. Box 193  
Fruita, CO 81521  
858-9084; Deb 433-1044  
lyrad41@aol.com

- Meets 4th Monday of every month at 6:00 pm, various locations.
- Officers Elected in October
- *Service/Education/Community Organization*

**Center For Independence**

*Linda Taylor, Director*  
740 Gunnison Avenue  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
241-0315; Fax: 245-3341  
ltaylor@cfigj.org  
www.cfigj.org

- Information and referral, advocacy, independent living skills, training and peer support groups are provided to people of all ages and all disabilities to encourage individuals to live independently.
- Officers Elected in Fall
- *Service/Support*

**Chamber of Commerce, Fruita**

*Mary Lou Wilson, Director*  
432 E. Aspen  
Fruita, CO 81521  
858-3894; Fax: 858-3121  
info@fruitachamber.org  
www.fruitachamber.org

- Membership luncheon is the second Monday at noon.
- Call for meeting times and places
- Officers Elected in January
- *Business Association*

**Chamber of Commerce, Grand Junction Area**

*Diane Schwenke, President*  
360 Grand Ave.  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
242-3214; Fax: 242-3694  
info@gjchamber.org  
www.gjchamber.org

- Promotes businesses in the GJ Area. Call for meeting times and places.
- Officers Elected in Dec.
- *Business Association*

**Chamber Of Commerce, Palisade**

*Leif Johnson*  
P.O. Box 729, 319 South Main St.  
Palisade, CO 81526-0729  
464-7458; Fax: 464-4757  
info@palisadecoc.com  
www.palisadecoc.com

- Promotes businesses in the Palisade area; The Annual Peach Festival and other events in the east end of the valley.
- Officers Elected in Oct/Nov
- *Business Association*

**Child & Migrant Services**

*Christine Mok-Lamme*  
PO Box 1038  
Palisade, CO 81526  
464-5226; Fax: 464-7913  
CMSpalisade@yahoo.com

- *Services/Support*

**Child FIND**

*Nancy Flannery, RN, Coordinator*  
410 Hill Ave.  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
254-5405; Fax: 245-0825

- Public school assessment services for children up to 5 years of age. Assures children with special needs receive services.
- *Service/Support*

**Chiropractors Assn., Mesa County**

*Dr. Wes Sheader*  
2532 Patterson Road #15  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
254-2954; Fax: 254-2958

- Meets 1st Wed of month at Western Community College
- Officers Elected in January
- *Business Association*

### **Civil Air Patrol**

*Randy Stringer*

PO Box 717

Grand Junction, CO 81502

210-8597;

rlstring@hotmail.com

www.coloradowingcap.org

- Seniors meet the 1st & 3rd Monday from 7-9 pm. 18 and under meet every Tuesday from 6:30 - 9:00 pm at 2868 Aviators Way.
- *Search & Rescue/Disaster Relief/ Aerospace Education*

### **Club 20**

*Reeves Brown, Executive Director*

P.O. Box 550

Grand Junction, CO 81502-0550

242-3264; Fax: 245-8300

rebrown@club20.org

www.club20.org

- Western Slope coalition of chambers, businesses, counties, communities and individuals
- Officers Elected in March
- *Service/Support*

### **Coast Guard Auxiliary, U.S.**

*Gail Redin or Ed Jaros, Jim Redin*

2723 H Rd

Grand Junction, CO 81506

Gail Redin 243-3879. Jim Redin

261-9000; Fax: 245-9132

- 1/3 of "Team Coast Guard" for Public Ed and SAR
- Meets 2nd Monday at 7:00 pm. Call for location.
- Officers Elected in October
- *Service - safe boating classes and vessel inspections.*

### **Colorado Cross Disability Coalition**

*Rochelle Larson, Western Slope*

*Coordinator*

260-1804;

rsl2919@bresnan.net

www.ccdconline.org

- *Support*

### **Colorado Mountain Club, Western Slope Group, Grand Jct.**

*Lon Carpenter, Membership*

*Chairman*

2178 Meadows Ct.

Grand Junction, CO 81503

242-7411; 260-2976

Coloradobluesky@yahoo.com

www.cmc.org

- Outdoor club focused on hiking, conservation, education and social activities. The CMC hosts education, hiking, backpacking, skiing, ice climbing, and conservation activities for nearly 10,000 members statewide. The local CMC group has 100 members.
- Meets first Wednesday of each month at 7p.m. at the American National Bank at 6th and Rood (downstairs)
- Officers Elected in October
- *Recreation*

### **Colorado National Monument Assoc.**

*Denise Hight, Operations Manager*

Colorado National Monument

Fruita, CO 81521

Denise 858-3617 x 308;

Fax: 858-0372

colm\_cnma@nps.gov

www.coloradonma.org

- The mission of the CNMA is to assist the National Park Service with scientific, historical, and interpretive activities at CNM; to support educational outreach programs in the surrounding communities; and to heighten each visitor's appreciation of the monument.
- Officers Elected in Spring
- *Education*

### **Compassionate Friends**

*Alice Monroe, Professional Advisor*

P.O. Box 4314

Grand Junction, CO 81502

241-6346; or Betty Hancock

(resource person) 434-3822

alice@tfccolorado.org

- Bereavement group for parents and siblings.
- Meets the first Tuesday of every month at 7:30 pm at the Unity Church, 3205 N. 12th St. Drive to the back, lower lot behind the church. Entrance from that parking area goes directly into fellowship hall.
- *Service/Support*

**Counseling and Education Center (CEC) aka Center for Enriched Communications, Inc.**

*Penny Frankhouser, Executive Director*

2708 Patterson Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
243-9539; Fax: 245-7493,  
penny.cecwecare@bresnan.net OR  
frontdesk.cecwecare@bresnan.net  
www.cecwecare.org

- Affordable, professional individual, couples & family counseling. Medicaid, CHP, and other insurances accepted. Sliding fee scale available.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Service/Support*

**Cribbage Club**

*Barbara*

2559 Janece Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
242-3319;  
www.grassroots.org

- Grass roots cribbage club.
- Meets every Thursday 6:30 p.m. at 249 S. 4th St (Elks Club) ALL cribbage players are welcome - call for information
- Officers Elected in September
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Crime Stoppers of Mesa County**

*Maria Aragon*

625 Ute Ave, Grand Jct, CO 81501  
244-3630; 244-3787

- Meets second Wednesday of each month
- Officers Elected in January
- *Civic*

**Dance: Colorado West Area Square Dance Council**

*Pat and Wanda McBride*

3138 F 3/4 Rd  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
434-3543; Chuck and Carol Watkins,  
434-0868  
pandapw@juno.com  
www.WesternCOsquare-dancing.  
homestead.com

- Promotion of square and round dancing. Annual special event - Peach Promenade, 4th weekend in August.
- Council meets the 2nd Sunday of Sept, Nov, Jan, March. 1st Sunday May. Call for time and location.
- Officers Elected in October
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Dance: Grand Valley Community Contra Dance Society**

*Connie Smith*

216 Alcove Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81507  
260-5852;  
kaniart@bresnan.net

- Six contra dances a year, contact for details. Fun for ages 10+. Live celtic and olde time music by the Fifth Reel Band. All dances taught and cued by a caller. Casual dress.
- *Special Interest*

**Dance: Khubsurat Ruh Middle Eastern Dance Troupe**

*Mary Krasnow or Natasha Krasnow*

1715 Orchard Ave  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
242-4726 or cell: 640-0415;  
mary.krasnow39@gmail.com  
www.chedsey.com/khubsuratruh

- Performance and instruction of Middle Eastern ethnic dance
- Officers Elected in August
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Dance: La Mexicana Ballet Folklorico Dance**

*Angie Chavez*

285-2906; Andrea Medina 245-1517

- Meet on Monday at 10:00 a.m. at Latin-Anglo Alliance, 760 Winters Ave. Free lessons for adults and kids on Mexican Dancing. Performs through out Western Colorado.
- Season Sept - May, new students start June
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Dance: Levi's and Lace Square and Round Dance**

*Scott Larson*

525 Mockingbird Lane  
Grand Junction, CO 81507  
216-8503; Diane Burgess 210-2147  
delcove@bresnan.net

- Meets at the Masonic Lodge Fridays 7:00 pm.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Recreation*

**Dance: Sultan's Pride Middle Eastern Dance Troupe**

*Ellen Rehwoldt, Director, Choreographer*

541 Grand Valley Dr.  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
434-4608;  
Badramom@msn.com

- Performances, lessons and educational programs on culture and history.
- Regular classes at 305 D Main, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursdays from 5:30 - 6:30. Drop-ins welcome.
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Dance: Wild West Cloggers**

*Mindi Stevens, Director*  
 575 28 1/2 Road, Suite 29  
 Grand Junction, CO 81501  
 216-6866;  
 mas\_cowgirl@yahoo.com

- Instruction, performance, and promotion of the fun art of clog dancing for all ages, classes for beginners to advanced all ages. Also teaching country swing 3-step, 2-step, waltz, lessons are available.
- *Arts/Culture*

**Daughters Of The American Revolution, Mt. Garfield Chapter**

*Teresa Fulmer*  
 2634 Chestnut Drive  
 Grand Junction, CO 81506  
 254-0240;  
 Fulmertl@hotmail.com  
 www.dar.org

- Good Citizenship Awards. Awards in Historical Essay for school children, scholarships for high school students and continuing education. Nursing scholarships. Awards for volunteer service with Veterans Hospitals and Patriotic service.
- Officers Elected in April
- *Patriotic/Civic*

**Democratic Party, Mesa County**

*Martelle Daniels, Chair*  
 P. O. Box 2361  
 Grand Junction, CO 81502  
 248-9224;  
 www.mesacountydems.com

- Meets 3rd Monday of month at 5:30 pm, Operating Engineers Union Hall, 431 Kennedy Street.
- Officers Elected in February of odd years.
- *Civic*

**Dental Society, Western Colorado**

*Carol Lybrook, DDS, Treasurer*  
 551 Kokopelli Blvd, Suite A  
 Fuita, CO 81521  
 858-9511; Fax: 858-8520  
 westerncoloradods@msn.com

- *Dental Society*

**Domestic Violence: Latimer House Counseling and Advocacy Center**

*Jackie Sievers*  
 1003 Main Street  
 Grand Junction, CO 81501  
 Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault  
 Hotline 241-6704; Fax: 245-6632  
 jackie.s@htop.org

- Counseling for domestic violence, sexual assault, short term crisis intervention. Domestic violence, support group for women and children. Shelter for victims of domestic violence.
- *Service/Support*

**Domestic Violence: Men Against Violence**

*Melinda Millsapps, CoChair & Tres*  
 PO Box 100  
 Whitewater, CO 81527  
 234-4357 24 hour;

- Main focus is providing safe places for men, children, and women. Works directly with The Latimer House. 24 Hour Crisis line.
- Support group meets Thursdays at 7:00 pm at the First Assembly, 5th & Grand.
- *Support*

**Downtown Partnership**

*Heidi Hoffman Ham*  
 248 South 4th St.  
 Grand Junction, CO 81501  
 245-9697; Fax: 243-1865  
 heidih@downtowngj.org  
 www.downtowngj.org

- Call for more information.
- Meets 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 am.
- *Business Association*

**Drag Racers Assoc, Western Colorado**

*Teri Styers*  
 PO Box 760  
 Clifton, CO 81520  
 243-9022;  
 wcdra@hotmail.com  
 www.western-colorado-dragway.com

- To promote drag racing on the Western slope.
- Please check website for events.
- Officers Elected in September
- *Recreation*

**Eagles, Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie 595**

*Larry Alley, Secretary*  
 1674 Highway 50  
 Grand Junction, CO 81503-1795  
 243-6454;  
 www.foe595.com

- Every 1st and 3rd Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Auxillary is 2nd and 4th Thursday at 7:30 p.m.
- *Service/Support*

**Easter Seals Colorado**

*Lynn Robinson, CEO*

5755 West Alameda Ave

Lakewood, CO 80226

303-233-1666; Fax: 303-233-1028

lrobinson@eastersealscolorado.org

- Service for all disabilities, support, direct assistance and recreation.
- Officers Elected in Late Fall
- *Service/Support/Non-Profit*

**Education: American Assn. Of University Women, Grand Junction Branch**

*Marilyn Zimmerman, President.*

*Kathleen Kain, Secretary*

2001 Bison Court

Grand Junction, CO 81507

712-0474 Marilyn. 242-1323

Kathleen.; (970) 640-1194

kkain@bresnan.net

www.coaaauw.org

- Education access, service to community, Scholarship funding, 5 special interest groups, state and national support system. WELCOME NEW MEMBERS.
- Call for meeting times and places.
- Officers Elected in March
- *Educational Research/Support*

**Education: Colorado State University Cooperative Extension**

*Rhonda Follman, Area Director*

2775 Hwy 50 at Fairgrounds; P.O.

Box 20,000-5028

Grand Junction, CO 81502 5028

244-1834; Fax: 244-1700

rhonda.follman@mesacounty.us

- Education, CSU outreach.
- *Civic/4H Club*

**Education: Mesa Valley Education Association**

*Jim Smyth*

720 Glenwood

Grand Junction, CO 81501-3070

242-6507; Fax: 245-7089

jsmyth@nea.org

- Represents teachers while working with school board and District 51 to improve public schools for students.
- Officers Elected in Spring
- *Education*

**Elks, Benevolent and Protective Order #575**

*John Krizman, Secretary*

249 S.4th St, P.O. Box 1987

Grand Junction, CO 81501

243-0675; Fax: 263-7900

www.elksorg.org

- Lodge Meets - Every 1st & 3rd Wednesday at 7:30 pm
- Officers Elected in April 1st
- *Fraternal Organization/Non Profit*

**Employers Support of the Guard and Reserve (Dept. of Defense)**

*Ted Sparr*

510 Walnut

Grand Junction, CO 81501

243-1339; Ann 270-9374

tedbetssgj@bresnan.net

www.esgr.mil

- Funded by Dept of Defense
- *Veterans*

**Environmental: Blue Bird Recovery Project**

*Bob Wilson*

PO Box 1211

Grand Junction, CO 81502

242-5190;

audubongv@gmail.com

www.audubongv.org

- Providing nesting boxes for Blue Bird trails to increase the number of Blue Birds in Colorado.
- *Special Interest*

**Environmental: Colorado Environmental Coalition**

*Joe Neuhoof, Field Director or Jason*

*Wedemeyer, Field Organizer, Kate*

*Graham*

546 Main Street #404

Grand Junction, CO 81501

243-0002; Fax: 970-243-0413

jason@cecenviro.org,

joe@cecenviro.org

www.ourcolorado.org

- *Special Interest/Recreation*

**Environmental: Grand Valley Audubon Society**

*Karen Levad*

P.O. Box 1211

Grand Junction, CO 81502-1211

314-9071;

audubongv@gmail.com

www.audubongv.org

- Non-Profit Conservation/ Education Organization with emphasis on preservation of habitat for birds and other wildlife of a sustainable healthy environment for Western Colorado, the Nation and the World.
- Meets the 3rd Monday (Sept. - Nov.) and (Jan. - May) at the First Presbyterian Church at 27 1/2 Road & Cortland.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Non Profit Conservation/ Education Organization*

**Farm Bureau, Mesa County**

*Melvin Rettig*

1025 N. 4th St.

Grand Junction, CO 81501-7502

434-4128; 242-9255

- General farm organization that represents the interest of Farmers and Ranchers.
- Officers Elected in November
- *Business Association*

**Farmworker Health Clinic and Marillac Clinic at Palisade**

*Dr Amy Davis*

707 Elberta Ave., Suite A  
Palisade, CO 81526  
464-5862; Fax: 464-7352  
www.marillacclinic.org

- Medical assistance to agriculture workers and uninsured families.
- *Service/Medical/Support*

**Food Bank of the Rockies, Western Slope**

*Starlene Collins, Director*

734 Scarlet Dr  
Grand Junction, CO 81505-9430  
243-3937; Fax: 243-3938  
gjfbr@qwest.net  
www.foodbankrockies.org

- Food Bank Warehouse that serves non profit organizations that help those in need.
- *Service/Support*

**Food Bank, Community**

*Jane Craig, Representative*

533 Oriole Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81507  
640-0336; 243-0551

- Officers Elected in May
- *Service/Support*

**Food Share America**

9360 Federal Blvd.  
Denver, CO 80260  
303-428-0400 or 800-933-7427;  
Fax: 303-427-4440  
denvermetroshare@gmail.com  
www.foodshareamerica.com

- Registration dates vary by zip code. Saving all participants up to 50% on their groceries. Anyone can participate. We do accept EBT food stamp cards.
- *Service/Support*

**Friends of the Mesa County Libraries**

*Rachel Hanson*

PO Box 20,000-5019  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
683-2437;  
www.mcpld.org/donate.html

- Raise funds to support library programs and supplies.
- *Support*

**Friendship Force of Western Colorado**

*Sue Palmer*

P.O. Box 3665  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
241-9122; 260-9603  
spalmer2402@msn.com  
www.thefriendshipforce.org

- (Adult home exchange for one week). Travel and meeting people. Welcome New comers
- Meets 2nd Saturday every other month at Community Hospital at 1:30 pm.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation/Travel*

**Gardening: Chinle Cactus and Succulent Society**

*Dieter Kubisch, President*

2775 US Highway 50, CSU Ext  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
970-243-7861; Alternate: Don Campbell 245-5088  
www.colostate.edu/depts/coopext/tra/plants/chinlecactus.html

- Cactus and succulents - both indoor and winter hardy plants for Western Colorado.
- Meets 2nd Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the Mesa Mall Community Room.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Special Interest*

**Gardening: Colorado Desert Herb Society**

*Yvonne Barron*

311 1/2 Pine St  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
254-8567; Lana Ferguson 245-6159  
herbwoman46@hotmail.com

- Herb Garden at Botanical Gardens. Education and use of herbs. Annual Tea Party, hands-on herbal mixtures.
- Meets 2nd Monday of each month at the Western CO Botanical Gardens Annex at 6:30 p.m..
- Officers Elected in May
- *Education/Special Interest*

**Gardening: Desert Vista Garden Club**

*Arlys LaFehr, President*

2301 W Ridges Blvd  
Grand Junction, CO 81507  
241-4541;  
arlafehr@bresnan.net  
www.dvgc.wcgf.org

- Promote mutual interest and friendliness among flower and garden lovers; foster an interest in beautification of its community and parks; help preserve our natural beauty and surrounding landscape.
- Meet 1st Wed of month at 1:30 p.m. various locations.
- Officers Elected in September
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Gardening: Grand Valley Rose Society**

*Judith Curtis*

Grand Junction, CO  
589-1499; Wanda 858-9431

- Affiliate of the American Rose Society
- Meet the 4th Tuesday at 7:00 pm at the Botanical Gardens.
- *Special Interest*

**Gardening: Western Colorado Gardening Foundation**

PO Box 40423  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
523-1865;  
info@wcgf.org  
www.wcgf.org

- To promote funding for public & non-profit horticultural projects.
- *Special Interest*

**Gem and Mineral Club Inc, The Grand Junction**

*Mel Bersch*  
P.O. Box 953  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
Bambi 245-1414. Mel 242-3134.;  
Russ 256-0371  
www.grandjunctionrockclub.org

- Annual Gem and Mineral Show, Mother's Day weekend, Two Rivers Convention Center.
- Meets at 2328 Monument Road 2nd and 4th Thursdays 6:30 and 7:30 pm, with exceptions of summer and holidays.
- Officers Elected in October
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Genealogical Society, Mesa County**

*Dennis Jenkins*  
PO Box 1506  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
434-3409;  
jenkinsdennis1@yahoo.com  
www.gjmesa.com/mcgs

- Meets 2nd Thursday at 7:00 am at Cross Orchards Orchard Meeting Room. Meets 4th Wed, Jan-Oct, at 12:00 at the Museum of the West.
- Officers Elected in March
- *Special Interest*

**Geological Society, Grand Junction**

*Bill Chenoweth, Secretary*  
P O Box 4045  
Grand Junction, CO 81502-4045  
242-9062;  
cheno@bresnan.net

- Not-for-profit scientific and educational society.
- Meets every 3rd Wed, Sept-May at Mesa State College Saccomanno Lecture Hall at 7:30pm.
- Officers Elected in November
- *Special interest (geology)*

**German American Club Of Western Colorado**

*Jim Witt, President*  
2415 Mesa Ave  
Grand Junction, CO 81501-6249  
242-2657; 209-9241  
jkwitt811@aol.com

- Newcomers welcome!! Please call for times and locations.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Service/Support/Special Interest*

**Good Sam RV Club, Two Rivers Chapter**

*Jack Warner*  
284 27 Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
523-5625;  
jacphyshad@juno.com  
www.goodsamclub.com/

- Camping trips once per month during summer months.
- Meets 3rd Saturday of every month, call for more information.
- Officers Elected in November
- *Recreation*

**Good Sam, Western Colorado Travelers**

*Gloria Bonokoski, 434-7355/ Mary Diamond 433-7448/ Theona Moss, 464-7411.*  
3057 Lancelot Ct  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
434-7355;  
m.diamond@bresnan.net  
www.goodsamclub.com/

- Meets monthly, camping is April - October (weather permitting) Breakfast or luncheon Meets Nov, Jan, March. Call for schedule.
- Officers Elected in Fall
- *Recreation*

**Grand Junction Metaphysical Discussion Group**

*Kay Wheeler*  
2726 Sierra Vista Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
263-8850;  
kaywheeler@yahoo.com

- Different topic discussed each month, topic to be decided upon by input from group.
- Meets 1st Sunday of every month from 3:00-6:00 pm.
- *Special Interest*

**Grand Parents & Kinship Support**

*Rochelle Larson*  
Grand Junction, CO  
260-1804;  
rsl2919@bresnan.net

- Offers support, advocacy and referrals in navigating thru the systems (medicade, financial aid, etc)
- *Support*

### **Grand Valley BMX**

Mesa County Fairgrounds  
2785 US HWY 50  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
433-7159; Fax: 480-295-7441  
info@grandvalleybmx.com  
www.grandvalleybmx.com

### **Gun Club, Orchard Mesa**

*Tom Matthews*  
P.O. Box 4354  
Grand Junction, CO 81502-4354  
244-7758;  
www.omgunclub.org

- Meets third Tuesday of every month 7:30 p.m. at DOW Hunter Education Building.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Recreation*

### **Gun Club: Grand Junction Trap Club**

*Hal Robbins*  
116 32 Rd  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
314-2222;  
scottbonner2005@yahoo.com

- Shotgun shooting sport club. Trap and skeet and five stand.
- Winter hours 12:00-4:00 pm (Sept-April). Summer hours 10:00-4:00 (May-Aug). Open to public Tues 5:00-6:00 and Thurs 12:00-4:00. League shoots every Tues starts at 6:30.
- *Recreation*

### **Habitat For Humanity of Mesa County**

*Amy Rogers, Exec Director*  
P.O. Box 4947  
Grand Junction, CO 81502-4947  
255-9850; Fax: 241-0311  
hfhmesa@hfhmesa.org  
www.hfhmesa.org

- Non-profit organization that builds simple, affordable homes for low-income families.
- Officers Elected in June
- *Service/Support*

### **Head Start, Rocky Mountain SER Western Slope**

*Judy Lopez, Director*  
835 N. 26th St.  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
243-9318; Fax: 243-9322  
judylopez@qwestoffice.net

- Federally funded child development program, serving three to five year-olds and their families.
- Officers Elected in Annually in Fall
- *Non Profit - Child Development*

### **HEARTBEAT - Survivors After Suicide Support Group**

*Chet & Renee Little*  
3048 Mohawk Ave  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
985-4551;  
chetandrenee@bresnan.net  
www.heartbeatsurvivorsaftersuicide.org

- Meets 3rd Tuesday of each month at 7 pm at the Miller Homestead Building, 3090 N 12th Street.
- *Support*

### **Hilltop**

*Barbara Salogga, Director, Development & Marketing*  
1331 Hermosa Ave.  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
242-4400; Fax: 243-4646  
barbaras@htop.org  
www.htop.org

- Non-profit organization whose mission is to provide leadership for community-based services that foster self sufficiency and enrich quality of life.
- Officers Elected in July
- *Service/Support*

### **Historic: Grand Mesa National Scenic and Historic Byway Association**

*Jeanne Durr, President*  
P.O. Box 122  
Cedaredge, CO 81413  
856-3100;  
www.grandmesabyway.org

- Cedaredge Byway Welcome Center, (970) 856-3100, open May 1 through Color Sunday.
- Meets third Friday - place to be announced each month.
- Officers Elected in March
- *Special Interest*

**Historical: Mesa County Historical Society**

*Miffie Blozovich, President*  
P. O. Box 841  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
260-8130; 242-0971 ext 214,  
Fax: 242-2663  
miffie@bresnan.net

- Preservation and presentation of Mesa County history with bi-monthly programs on local history.
- Board Meetings 4th Tuesday Oct, Jan. April, July. Oral History Program 3rd Thursday each month at Museum, 242-0971 x209
- Officers Elected in January
- *History, Education, Museum of Western CO Affiliate.*

**Horsemen, Grand Mesa Backcountry**

*Dusty Owens*  
P O Box 4872  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
250-5509;  
dustykym8@msn.com  
www.gmbch.com

- Meets 1st Monday of each month at Mesa Mall Community Room 7:00 pm.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Recreation/Special Interest*

**Hospice and Palliative Care of Western Colorado**

*Christy Whitney*  
3090 B N. 12th Street  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
241-2212; Fax: 257-2400  
cwhitney@hospicewco.com  
www.hospicewco.com

- Hospice, palliative care consultations, grief support services, child/teen program.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Service/Support*

**Hospital Auxiliary, St. Mary's**

*Jackie Hunt*  
623 Roundtable Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
434-9988;  
jackieingjc@bresnan.net  
www.stmarygj.com

- Plant sale in May before Mother's Day. Jewelry Sale. Ornament Sale starts in Nov at the Hospital.
- Topic lunch meetings every other month at the Double Tree. Call for dates & times.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Service/Support*

**Housing and Building Association of NW Colorado**

*Debbie Rich*  
569 S. Westgate Dr. #3  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
245-0253; Fax: 241-5945  
info@gjhba.org  
www.gjhba.org

- Builders and Trade Contractors.
- Meets 1st Thursday of each month.
- Officers Elected in Elections Nov - Take office Jan
- *Trade Association*

**Housing Resources of Western Colorado**

*Dan Whalen*  
524 30 Rd, Ste 3  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
241-2871 Dan Ext.104;  
Fax 2454853  
danw@housingresourceswc.org  
www.housingresourceswc.org

- Providing services to low/moderate-income households for Mesa County and Western CO. Including self-help housing, housing rehabilitation loans, energy conservation, apt rentals, etc.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Non-Profit/Housing*

**Humane Society, Roice Hurst**

*Denise Lashmett*  
3320 D 1/2 Road  
Clifton, CO 81520-9708  
434-7337; Fax: 434-2769  
info@RHHumaneSociety.com  
www.roicehursthumanesociety.com

- Private non-profit full service shelter, the only no kill shelter on the Western Slope.
- Officers Elected in August
- *Service/Support*

**Humane: Not One More, Inc.**

178 Glory View Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
243-0268; 245-8484  
www.not-one-more.org

- Dedicated to improving the awareness & enforcement of laws & regulations regarding the sale & purchase of household pets.
- *Special Interest*

**Huntington's Disease Society of America, Rocky Mountain Chapter**

*Darla Mersman, Western Slope Peer Group*

242-2197;  
dmersman@summitviewcoaching.net

www.hdsarockymountain.org

- Meets last Tuesday of every month 6:30-8:00 pm at First United Methodist at 5th and White.
- *Service/Support*

**Insight Low Vision Educational Group**

*Lorene Hassig*

1719 Juniper Street  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
256-1811;  
lhassig@acsol.net

- Low vision education group trying to provide insight to other low vision individuals. Come learn, share, and network with us.
- Meets 1st Monday of every month at the Hilltop Commons Assisted Living Library from 3:00-4:30. 625 27 1/2 Road.
- *Support*

**Jewish Community Center/ Congregation Ohr Shalom - A Reform Synagogue**

*David Patz*

Synagogue: 441 Kennedy Ave.  
Mail: P.O. Box 1311, GJ, CO 81502  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
243-2491;  
info@ohrshalomgj.org  
www.ohrshalomgj.org

- Call for meeting locations and times.
- Officers Elected in July
- *Service/Support*

**Junior Service League**

*Mandy Harter*

P.O. Box 3221  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
243-7740; Fax: 241-4980  
www.jslgj.com

- A service organization of women.
- Meet the 1st Monday of each month, September through April, at Two Rivers Convention Center at 6:30 pm.
- Officers Elected in April
- *Service/Support*

**Kennel Club, Inc., Grand Valley**

*Johnnie Farmer*

P.O. Box 1751  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
241-8499;  
www.grandvalleykennelclub.net

- All breed dog club. Annual dog show, obedience classes, and confirmation. We like to have a good time with our dogs!
- Meets 3rd Tuesday of every month at the Remax 4000 Building, 1st & Patterson at 6:30 pm.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Special Interest*

**Kids Voting Mesa County**

*Martha Graf*

P.O. Box 4246  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
245-3414; 261-4013  
mgraf@mesa.k12.co.us  
www.kidsvotingmc.org

- Board meets 2nd Tues of each month at 5:00 pm in United Way Conf room in US Bank at 4th and White in GJ.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Student/Community/Civic*

**Latin-Anglo Alliance**

*Sam Ordonez*

P.O. Box 1734; 760 Winters Street  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
314-5302; Fax: 245-6100  
latinangloalliance@yahoo.com  
www.latinangloalliance.org

- Education Advocacy, Latino issue oriented, Community and Cultural focus.
- Board Meets second Monday of month. General membership meets fourth Wed of month.
- Officers Elected in January (every two years)
- *Special Interest*

**Library District, Mesa County Public**

*Eve Tallman, Director*

530 Grand Ave., P.O. Box 20,000-5019  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
243-4442; Fax: 243-4744  
www.mcpld.org

- Provides books, movies, computers, internet access and online info at 8 Mesa County locations.
- The Board meets last Thurs at The Central Library.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Library-Public*

**Lions Club, Clifton**

*Harry Warren, Representative*

549 Greenwood Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81507  
241-2498;  
wharrywarren@bresnan.net  
www.cliftonco.lionwap.org

- Meets second and fourth Thursday, 7 p.m. Clifton Community Hall.
- Officers Elected in April
- *Service/Support*

**Lions Club, Collbran**

*Bennett Young, President*

P. O. Box 97

Collbran, CO 81624

487-3478; 487-3200

- Meets the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at the Collbran Job Corps.
- Officers Elected in June
- *Service/Support*

**Lions Club, Fruitvale**

*Rochelle Larson, President*

260-1804;

rsl2919@bresnan.net

- Meets 2nd and 4th Monday of every month at Omars Catering at 7pm. Dinner meeting.
- *Service/Support*

**Lions Club, Orchard Mesa**

*Bruce Veatch*

PO Box 630

Clifton, CO 81520

270-7496;

bruce.veatch@exterran.com

www.orchardmesalions.com

- Meets first and third Monday, 7 p.m. at The Eagles Lodge, 1674 US Hwy 50.
- Officers Elected in July
- *Service/Support*

**Lions Club, Palisade**

*Rose Marie Spano, President*

P.O. Box 37

Palisade, CO 81526

464-4645; Peter Hodges 464-1385

palisadelionsclub@hotmail.com

www.lionwap.org/palisadeco

- Meets first and third Wed at 7:00 p.m. at Red Rose, Palisade.
- Officers Elected in July
- *Service/Support*

**Lupus Foundation of Colorado**

*Ms. Skip Schlenk, CEO*

1211 S. Parker Road, Suite 103

Denver, CO 80231

303-597-4050, 800-858-1292;

Fax: 303-597-4054

info@lupuscolorado.org

www.lupuscolorado.org

- Officers Elected in September
- *Service/Support*

**Make A Wish Foundation of Colorado**

*Joan Mazak, President and CEO*

7951 East Maplewood Ave

Suite 126

Greenwood Village, CO 80111

303-750-9474; 303-755-3108

jmazak@colorado.wish.org

www.wishcolorado.org

- Charity for Children with life-threatening illnesses.
- Officers Elected in August
- *Non-profit/Support*

**March of Dimes, Western Slope Division**

*Debbie Horwitz*

634 Main St., Ste.105

Grand Junction, CO 81501

243-0894; Fax: (970) 257-9630

www.marchofdimes.com

- Non-profit org. dedicated to improving the health of babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth and infant mortality.
- *Special Interest/Non Profit/education*

**Marillac Clinic**

*Steve Hurd, Executive Director*

2333 North 6th

Grand Junction, CO 81501

Medical 255-1782; Dental 255-6320;

Fax: 255-1711

steve.hurd@stmarygj.org

www.marillacclinic.org

- Non-profit community-oriented primary health care clinic serving low income, uninsured medical, mental health and optical needs as well as dental, Medicaid & CHP. Pre-owned eye glasses recycled to Marillac Clinic, 2635 N. 7th, Grand Junction.
- Officers Elected in September
- *Service/Support*

**Medical Society Alliance, Mesa County**

*Callie Ash, President*

924 24 1/4 Road

Grand Junction, CO 81505

245-1650;

- For physicians and their spouses. To nurture and support the medical family and to promote the health and wellbeing of Mesa County, Colorado.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Service/Support/Health*

**Medical Society, Mesa County**

*Dolores Bennett*

PO Box 4307

Grand Junction, CO 81502

243-2808; Fax: 243-3357

dbennett2@bresnan.net

www.mesacountymedicalsociety.org

- Officers Elected in October
- *Professional*

**Mental Health Inc; Colorado West Regional**

*Audra Stock, LPC, LAC*  
515 28 3/4 Rd.  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
245-3270; 683-7280  
astock@cwrmmc.org  
www.cwrmmc.org

- *Service/Mental Health*

**Mesa County Health Dept Volunteer Program**

*Marsha Thorson*  
510 29 1/2 Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
248-6976;  
mrc@mesacounty.us  
www.health.mesacounty.us/  
volunteer/index.cfm

- Numerous opportunities and free trainings and courses are available to qualified volunteers. ongoing needs to assemble packets/kits, speaking opportunities, injury prevention, health promotion, and emergency preparedness.
- *Support*

**Mesa County Medical Reserve Corps (MRC)**

*Marsha Thorson*  
510 29 1/2 Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
248-6976;  
mrc@mesacounty.us  
www.health.mesacounty.us/  
volunteer/index.cfm

- Our mission is to provide highly skilled, well-trained individuals in the event of a local, state, or national emergency.
- *Support*

**Mesa State College Foundation**

*Robert Brownson, President.*  
*Ginger Rodabaugh, Administrator.*  
1450 North 12th St  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
248-1987; Fax: 248-1107  
grodabau@mesastate.edu  
www.mesastate.edu/foundation/  
index.html

- Administers scholarships and maintains fiduciary responsibility for donations.
- Meets at MSC Campus, Alternate months beginning in January.
- Officers Elected in Elected May; first Mtg in July
- *Education/Private Foundation in Higher Ed*

**Meth Help Line**

*Jackie Seavers*  
1003 Main Street  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
683-HELP or 683-4357; 245-6632  
www.methfree.mesacounty.us

- *Support*

**Model Railroad Club, Grand Valley**

*Mickey Nuttall*  
P.O. Box 4101  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
245-3273;  
mnutt48414@aol.com  
<http://gvmrcgrdjct.googlepages.com/>

- Meets every Tuesday evening at 7:00 p.m. Cross Orchards, Business meeting is the second Monday of the Month at 7:00 p.m. Cross Orchards
- Officers Elected in November
- *Special Interest*

**Money Management Int'l/CCCS**

*Jerilyn Doshier*  
225 N. 5th Street, Suite 703  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
888-845-5669;  
jerilyn.doshier@moneymanagement.org  
www.moneymanagement.org

- Budget and debt management, bankruptcy counseling, housing counseling.
- Officers Elected in February
- *Service/Support*

**Moose #270, Loyal Order Of**

*Dennis J Tobin, Administrator*  
567 25 1/2 Rd  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
242-4754; Fax: 242-2881  
moose270@bresnan.net

- Fraternal organization.
- Meets the first and third Wednesdays. At 567 25 1/2 Rd
- Officers Elected in April
- *Service/Support*

**Motorcycle Trail Riding Association**

*Jared Renner*  
P. O. Box 3204  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
314-2462; 216-9587  
www.mtraj.org

- Recreational motorcycle trail riding club.
- Meetings vary, call for information.
- Officers Elected in April
- *Recreation/Special Interest*

**Motorcycle: Bookcliff Rattlers  
Motorcycle Club**

*John Potter, Sec/Treas*

P.O. Box 666

Fruita, CO 81521

www.bookcliffattlersmc.org

- For information please check out our website.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Recreation/Special Interest*

**MS Society, National**

*Colorado Chapter, Western Slope  
Office*

2232 N. 7th St. Suite 14

Grand Junction, CO 81501

241-8975 or 800-371-2667;

curemscolorado.org

- Information/referrals, care management, financial assistance for people living with and affected by Multiple Sclerosis.
- *Information/referrals, lending library*

**Muscular Dystrophy Assoc., Inc.**

*Terri Hasstedt, Executive Director*

2779 Crossroads Blvd., Suite B

Grand Junction, CO 81506

241-2181; Fax: 241-2601

grandjunctiondistrict@mdausa.org

www.mda.org

- *Nonprofit/Service/Support*

**Museum: Cross Orchards**

**Historic Site**

*Kay Fiegel, Site Manager*

3073 F Road

Grand Junction, CO 81504

434-9814; Fax: 242-3960

kfiegel@westcomuseum.org

www.wcmuseum.org

- On the national registry of historic places. Get a taste of rural life on an early 20th century fruit ranch.
- Officers Elected in February
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Museum: Dinosaur Journey  
Museum**

*John Foster*

550 Jurassic Ct.

Fruita, CO 81521

858-7282; Fax: 858-3532

jfoster@westcomuseum.org

www.wcmuseum.org

- Robotic dinosaur replicas, fossils, and articulated skeletons. Paleontology lab and Dino-Digs
- Officers Elected in February
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Museum: Museum of Western  
Colorado**

*David Bailey*

462 Ute Avenue

Grand Junction, CO 81502-5020

242-0971 or 888-488-3466;

Fax: 242-3960

dbailey@westcomuseum.org

www.wcmuseum.org

- Museum and Gift Shop. Exhibits on regional history. Guided tours available. Research library and genealogical resources. School outreach programs.
- Officers Elected in February
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Music Club of Grand Junction,  
Wednesday**

*Shirley Estern*

1 Rheims Court

Grand Junction, CO 81507

314-2436; Betty Sherman, Treas.

256-0315

- Furthering and instilling an enduring love for music. Music appreciation and education. Supply scholarships to Mesa State College students.
- Meets 3rd Wed. of each month, Sept-May. Please call for meeting information.
- Officers Elected in Spring
- *Music/Arts/Culture/ Education*

**Music: Bookcliff Barbershop  
Harmony Chorus**

*Roger McClelland, President*

2668 Paradise Way

Grand Junction, CO 81506

261-9498; 256-0619 Fax: 241-0299

harmony@bookcliffchorus.net

www.bookcliffchorus.net

- Men's four part harmony, acappella singing. Preservation of four part harmony singing.
- Meets tuesdays at 7:00 p.m. Holy Family School 26 1/2 & 9th Road.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Arts/Culture/Music*

**Music: Celtic Singers of Grand  
Valley**

*Joe Graham, Producer: Graham*

*Celtic Productions, Inc.(non-profit)*

1648 Treehaven Court

Grand Junction, CO 81506

256-0858; Fax 256-0974 call first

- Celtic Chorale music and soloists.
- *Arts/Culture/Music*

**Music: Centennial Band**

*John Cunningham*

2518 Monument Road, Suite B  
Grand Junction, CO 81507  
243-9091; 242-8546 Allen Crim  
www.ropermusic.com

- 12 concerts per year, 2 of them indoor, the rest are summer park concerts. New Members always welcome.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Arts/Culture/Music*

**Music: Colorado Riverfront Concert Series**

*Sandstone Entertainment*  
P.O. Box 2477

Grand Junction, CO 81502  
683-4333; Fax: 255-5039

MicheleRohrbach@Mesacounty.us  
www.riverfrontproject.org

- Free summer concert series at the James M Robb Colorado River State Park, Fruita.
- *Arts/Culture*

**Music: Country Jam USA**

*Julie Shafer, Marketing Director of CO*

2745 Patterson Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
242-6663; Fax: 970-243-7850  
julie@countryjam.com

www.countryjam.com

- The nations premier outdoor music event.
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Music: Early Music Ensemble**

*Bev Jackson*

P.O. Box 1272  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
257-1692;

b.jackson@bresnan.net

- Renaissance music performance.
- *Special Interest*

**Music: Fifth Reel Band**

*Connie Smith*

216 Alcove Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81507  
260-5852;  
kaniart@bresnan.net

- Piano, fiddle, guitar, clarinet band playing Celtic, Jazz, and Olde Time music at weddings, parties, dances.
- *Special Interest*

**Music: Flute Assn. Western Colorado**

*Judy VanderWande*

524 Verano St  
Clifton, CO 81520  
434-7353;

kristiballif@msn.com

- Concerts and performance of flute music. Adult Flute Players
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Music: Grand Junction Music Teacher's Association**

*Marjorie Zollner, President*

3009 Beachwood Street  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
241-4656; Lisa Bush 242-2449  
lisabushpiano@yahoo.com

- Meets 2nd Friday each month 9:30 am, Call for location.
- Officers Elected in Spring
- *Arts/Culture/Education*

**Music: Grand Junction Musical Arts Association**

*Michael Schwerin*

225 N. 5th Suite 120  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
243-6787; Fax: 243-6792

customerservice@gjsymphony.org  
www.gjsymphony.org

- This is the coordinating organization for the GJ Symphony, Talking Rhythms, Western Colo. Chorale, GJ Symphony Guild, GV Children's Choir, and the Western Colorado Jazz Orchestra.
- *Arts/Culture*

**Music: Grand Junction Symphony**

*Michael Schwerin*

225 North 5th Street #120  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
243-6787; Fax: 243-6792

customerservice@gjsymphony.org  
www.gjsymphony.org

- The Symphony presents ten or more concerts each year.
- Officers Elected in June
- *Arts/Culture/Music*

**Music: Grand Junction Symphony Guild**

*Kay McLaughlin, President*  
225 N. 5th Street, Suite 120  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
243-9966; Symphony Office  
243-6787  
kmcL777@bresnan.net  
www.gjsymphony.org

- The Grand Junction Symphony Guild is a non-profit organization consisting of almost 100 volunteers devoted to the support of the Grand Junction Symphony Orchestra, with a special interest in music education for children. Please call for more info.
- Officers Elected in May - installed in July
- *Arts/Culture/Music*

**Music: Grand Valley Children's Choir**

*Linda Koeman*  
856 S Haven Crest Ct  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
243-6421;  
lakoeman@hotmail.com  
www.gjsymphony.org

- Auditioned choir for fourth through sixth graders
- *Music*

**Music: High Desert Opera**

*Leah Lyon, Executive Director*  
360 Ouray Ave  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
523-9605;  
highdesertopera@yahoo.com  
www.highdesertopera.org

- Opera productions and performances and annual New Year's Eve Concert. Inclusive of local musicians, vocalists, and performers.
- Officers Elected Periodically throughout the year
- *Arts/Culture*

**Music: Mesa County Concert Association, Inc.**

*Mary Leah Gilbert Chavies, President*  
P.O. Box 4615  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
245-2394; Danni Langdon,  
Secretary 245-9829

- Sixty-five year old concert series featuring music and dance entertainment by worldwide artists at an affordable price.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Arts/Culture*

**Music: Sweet Adelines**

*Sue Chapman*  
PO Box 4876  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
243-1808; Shirley Porter 255-9419  
www.grandmesachorus.org

- Do you love music, love to sing, love to perform? Are you a woman 16 or older? You are cordially invited to visit any rehearsal.
- Rehearsals each Tuesday 6:30 to 9:30 pm at the Redlands Untied Methodist Church.
- *Music/Recreation*

**Music: The Schumann Singers**

*Sara Hermundstad*  
P.O. Box 3595  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
243-3945; Verda Patterson,  
242-0034 Treasurer  
info@schumannsingers.org  
www.schumannsingers.org

- Concert choir performing a wide range of choral music.
- Officers Elected in September
- *Arts/Culture/Music*

**Music: Western Colorado Chorale**

*E. Wayne McCalla*  
P.O. Box 187  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
858-8547; 462-3743  
wayne&cynthia@gmail.com  
www.westerncoloradochorale.org

- 3-4 public concerts per year.
- Officers Elected in May
- *musical performance*

**Music: Western Slope Concert Series**

*Tyme Mientka*  
3410 Ponderosa Ct  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
241-0741; Fax: 241-0741  
cellopiano@juno.com  
www.primamusic.org

- Six concerts, October - April every year.
- *Arts/Culture*

**Narcotics Anonymous**

201-1133;  
www.nacolorado.org

- Meetings: Wed & Thurs at First Congregational Church 8:00 - 9:00 pm. Mon at VA Hospital Building 35 5:30-6:30 pm. Sun, Mon, Tues, Fri, Sat at Meeting Hall 1938 N. 1st Street 8:00-9:00 pm.
- *Support*

**National Active And Retired  
Federal Employees Assoc-NARFE**

*Eva A. Fruit*

495 Meadowlark Way  
Clifton, CO 81520  
434-1043; Fax: 434-1043  
evafruit@bresnan.net

- Current and retired Federal employees
- Meets 3rd Thursday of even months 12:00 at Two Rivers Convention Center.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Special Interest/Seniors (active)*

**New Horizon Vocational Center**

*Jana Hill, Center for Independence*

740 Gunnison Avenue  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
241-0315;  
jhill@cfigj.org  
www.cfigj.org

- Empowering people with disabilities, this program helps people train for employment.
- Meets twice per week.
- *Support*

**Newcomer's Club**

*Ernestine Campbell*

P.O. Box 3222  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
434-7116;  
gjnewcomers@gmail.com  
www.gjnewcomers.org

- Helps newcomers get acquainted with each other and the area. Check website for activities.
- Meets on 2nd Wednesday of month at First Christian Church.
- Officers Elected in March
- *Special Interest/Recreation*

**Nordic Council, Grand Mesa**

*Tom Ela*

3125 Devin Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
434-9753;  
www.gmnc.info

- Grooming ski trails for public use.
- Meets first Tues monthly Sept - May, call for location
- Officers Elected in May
- *Recreation/Service*

**Odd Fellows, I.O.O.F.**

*Edith Kinder, Secretary*

589 Grand Valley Dr.  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
523-4355; Ruth & Chuck Acord  
523-0379  
www.ioofcolorado.org/

- Meets 130 North 5th Street GJ, 2nd Tuesday of the Month January - December except we do not meet in July or August.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Non Profit/Service/Support*

**Oil and Gas Assoc., Western  
Slope Chapter, Colorado**

*Kathy Hall*

P.O. Box 89  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
241-1200;  
www.westslopecoga.com

- Officers Elected in February
- *Service/Support*

**Ostomy Support, Grand Valley**

*Ed Schneider, President*

3300 F Road  
Clifton, CO 81520  
434-9880;

- Provides support and information for people with ostomies.
- Meets 3rd Monday of every month at 7:30 pm. Call for meeting location.
- *Support*

**Outing Club, Grand Junction**

*Walt Fite*

249 Red Rim Dr  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
243-7645; 255-9120  
gjcoutingclub@yahoo.com

- Recreation, hiking, biking, skiing etc.
- *Recreation*

**Overeaters Anonymous**

*George Weir, Member*

2807 Village Park Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
985-4089; 263-4496 (Answer  
Service - Tells meeting times)  
georgieweir@bresnan.net

- Meets New Life Church, 1350 N. 7th, Rm. 3, Mon. 7:00 p.m., Tues and Thurs at noon and Thurs 7p.m. & Saturday at 9:00 a.m.
- *Support*

**P.A.C.T. Independent Living  
Transitional Program for Young  
Adults**

*Mary Moore, Center for  
Independence*

740 Gunnison Avenue  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
241-0315;  
mmoore@cfigj.org  
www.cfigj.org

- A free weekly independent living skills class for young adults with disabilities to gain necessary life skills to maximize personal independence.
- *Support*

**P.O.P.S. Positive Outbound People**

*Jane Newton, Center for Independence*

740 Gunnison Avenue  
Grand Junction, CO 81501

241-0315;

jnewton@cfigj.org

www.cfigj.org

- Offering recreation and health and wellness opportunities to people with disabilities.
- Meets several times a week.
- *Support*

**Parent: La Leche League of Grand Junction**

*Tracie*

1290 Gilpin Street  
Loma, CO 81524

858-1211;

DonTrac405@msn.com

www.lllus.org

- Phone and email help daily.
- Call for meeting time/location/dates.
- *Service/Support*

**Parent: MOMs Club of Grand Junction**

*Carla Cogburn, President*

244-9194;

www.momsclubgjeast.weebly.com

- Support group for stay-at-home mothers. Playgroups, park days, moms night out, and field trips scheduled each month. Newcomer's always welcome.
- Officers Elected in June
- *Support*

**Parent: Western Colorado Parent Support Group**

*Sheila Sylvester*

925 20 Rd

Fruita, CO 81521

640-2591; Fax: 256-7386

skys@qwestoffice.net

- This organization helps parents with out-of-control children of all ages to take back control of their homes and lives. Newcomer's more than welcome.
- *Support/Education*

**Pregnancy Center of Grand Junction, The**

*Trula Mays, Director*

Main Office, 930 Main St, Satellite Office, 704 Elm Ave

Grand Junction, CO 81501

Main office: 241-7474, Fax 241-

7479; Elm office: 242-HOPE (4673)

www.pregnancy-center.org

- Free pregnancy tests, referrals, info on options - (maternity/children's clothing to 12 months)
- *Service/Support*

**Pro Bono Project of Mesa County, Inc.**

*Karen Detmers, Executive Director*

200 North 6th St, Ste 203

Grand Junction, CO 81501-2401

243-7940 X108; Fax: 243-7814

probono@colegalserv.com

- Legal referral office that places individuals with attorneys at no or low cost. Protection order assistance and offers legal education through clinics and seminars
- Officers Elected in January
- *Legal Referral*

**Project Linus**

*Kerrie Strasser*

485 31 1/4 Rd

Grand Junction, CO 81504

523-0028;

strasserfam@aol.com

www.projectlinus.org

- Providing new, hand made blankets to children who are experiencing a traumatic event in their life.
- *Service/Support*

**Property Managers: Western Colorado NARPM**

*Dena Watson*

PO Box 4352

Grand Junction, CO 81502

245-1133; Fax: 245-1176

dena@premierpropertygj.com

www.NARPM.org

- Property managers.
- *Service/Support*

**Quilt Association, The Art (AQuA)**

*Rita Faussone*

2470 Roaring Fork Dr

Grand Junction, CO 81505

245-6590;

rff@bresnan.net

www.theartquiltassociation.com

- Organization promotes, encourages, and shares the art of contemporary quilting and design. The Goal of Aqua is to explore textile manipulations and the diversity of mixed media as an art form.
- *Arts/Culture*

**Quilters: Sunset Slope Quilters**

*Sally Pape, Representative*

586 Gable Ct.

Grand Junction, CO 81501

244-6941;

- Promotion of Quilting
- Meets 2nd Wed of every month at First Pres Church on 27 1/2 Road at 9:15am.
- Officers Elected in November
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Rape Crisis Line**

*Hilltop Community Resources*

1003 Main Street

Grand Junction, CO 81501

241-6704 (Crisis, 24 hours).

241-0234; Fax: 245-6632

- *Service/Support*

**Rebekah Lodge, I.O.O.F.**

*Charlotte Laycock*

3002 I70 Business Loop

Grand Junction, CO 81504

243-1546;

[www.ioofcolorao.org](http://www.ioofcolorao.org)

- Take care of the sick & elderly.
- Meets 1st & 3rd Mondays at 7:30, call for location.
- *Support*

**Recreation: Colorado Plateau Mountain Bike Trail Association (COPMOBA)**

*Chris Muir, Board President*

P.O. Box 4602

Grand Junction, CO 81502

244-8877;

[info@copmoba.org](mailto:info@copmoba.org)

[www.copmoba.org](http://www.copmoba.org)

- Non-profit, Special Interest
- *Recreation/Special Interest*

**Recreation: Gold Wing Road Riders Assoc**

*Sandy Harris*

2385 1/2 Pleasant Ridge Ct

Grand Junction, CO 81507

243-3325;

[sfharris@bresnan.net](mailto:sfharris@bresnan.net)

- 1st Saturday of every month at the Golden Corral. Eat at 8:00 am, Meet at 8:45 am.
- *Recreation*

**Recreation: Grand Junction Parks and Recreation**

*Rob Schoeber*

1340 Gunnison Ave

Grand Junction, CO 81501

254-3866; Fax: 242-1637

[funnlinkexpress@gjcity.org](mailto:funnlinkexpress@gjcity.org)

[www.gjcity.org](http://www.gjcity.org)

- Develops and manages parks, recreation, Municipal golf courses, Lincoln Park and Orchard Mesa Swim Pools. Offers recreational and cultural classes as well as numerous team and individual sports programs.
- *Arts/Culture/Recreation*

**Recreation: Grand Mesa Jeep Club**

*Greg Palmer*

PO Box 4915

Grand Junction, CO 81502

314-2853; Roy 241-6250

[www.gmjc.org](http://www.gmjc.org)

- All 4WD owners are welcome.
- Meets 1st Monday of each month. Call or check website for location and time.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Recreation*

**Religious: Knights Of Columbus Council 1062**

*J.R. Yankovich*

P O Box 814

Grand Junction, CO 81502

241-8663; 242-9746

[www.kofc1062.org](http://www.kofc1062.org)

- October Tootsie Roll Drive for the handicapped
- Meets second Thursday @ 7:00 p.m., fourth Thursday @ 6:00 p.m. at Council Hall 412 32 Rd.
- Officers Elected in June
- *Service/Support*

**Republicans, Mesa County**

*Charles Pabst, Chair*

P.O. Box 423

Grand Junction, CO 81502-0423

243-8500;

[info@mesacountyrepublicans.com](mailto:info@mesacountyrepublicans.com)

[www.mesacountyrepublicans.com](http://www.mesacountyrepublicans.com)

- Meets 2nd Wednesday of the month. Luncheons are the 3rd Friday of each month.
- Officers Elected in February
- *Civic*

**Riverfront Commission, Grand Jct/Mesa County**

*Michele Rohrbach*

P.O. Box 2477

Grand Junction, CO 81502

683-4333; Fax: 255-5039

[MicheleRohrbach@Mesacounty.us](mailto:MicheleRohrbach@Mesacounty.us)

[www.riverfrontproject.org](http://www.riverfrontproject.org)

- Trail advocacy group, Free summer concert series at the James M Robb-Colorado River State Park, Fruita
- Officers Elected in June
- *Special Interest*

**Rotary Club of Grand Junction***Dennis Pretti*

P.O. Box 1888

Grand Junction, CO 81502

263-4473;

pdpretti@bresnan.net

www.gjrotary.org

- Meets Wednesdays at 12:00 at Two Rivers Convention Center.
- Officers Elected in December - take office each July first
- *Service*

**Rotary: Horizon Sunrise Rotary Club***Greg Agnew, President*

P.O. Box 459

Grand Junction, CO 81502

209-3795; 255-6400

gregagnew@me.com

www.hsclub.com

- Meets Thurs. 7:15 a.m at Bookcliff Country Club.
- Officers Elected in July
- *Service/Support*

**Rotary: Redlands Rotary Club***Phil Jones*

P.O. Box 4442

Grand Junction, CO 81502

242-6262; 242-2669

- Meets every Friday at noon at Omar's Catering.
- Officers Elected in July
- *Service/Support*

**S&B Ladies Low Vision Support Group***Cathy Johnston, Center for Independence*

740 Gunnison Avenue

Grand Junction, CO 81501

241-0315;

cjohnston@cfigj.org

www.cfigj.org

- Meets every Wednesday for arts/crafts, food, fun, and field trips.
- *Support*

**Safety: Mesa County Safety Council***Steve Sheehy, President; Roy Jones,**Vice President*

P.O. Box 1833

Grand Junction, CO 81502

Steve 243-9392; Justyn Hock

248-0600; Fax: 243-9392

s\_sheehy@msn.com

www.mesacountysafetycouncil.org

- Promote Safety at home, work and play. Annual Safety Fair in February at Mesa Mall.
- Meets 2nd Tues. 10:30 - 11:30 am at the Grand Junction Area Chamber.
- Officers Elected in April on alternate years
- *Non-Profit Service/Support*

**Salvation Army, The***Captain Dan Wilson*

P.O. Box 578, 1235 N 4th St

Grand Junction, CO 81502

242-7513; Fax:242-0238

www.salvationarmy.org

- Charitable religious organization, Sun Worship 10:30 a.m.
- *Service/Support/Church*

**Scale Modelers Society, Grand Junction***Don Campbell*

988 23rd Road

Grand Junction, CO 81505

243-0889; Fax 245-4953

hobbhut@acsol.net

- Meets 1st and 3rd Wed each month, at Hobby Hut Models, 811 N. 12th St., at 7:30 pm.
- Officers Elected in January, every two years
- *Special Interest*

**Search And Rescue Control***Jim Fogg*

215 Rice St

Grand Junction, CO 81501

244-3200;

www.mesacosarc.org

- *Service/Support*

**Seniors: Grand Junction Senior Recreation Center***Duke Hitchcock, President*

550 Ouray

Grand Junction, CO 81501

243-7408; Fax: 243-3854

- Meets 8am to 4pm Monday through Saturday until further notice.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Seniors/Support/Recreation*

**Seniors: Grand Valley Senior Golf Association***Lincoln Park Golf Staff*

800 Mantlo Cr

Grand Junction, CO 81501

242-6394; Fax: 242-9487

eloyv@gjcity.org

www.gjcity.org

- Meeting and golf the first and third Thursday of each month, Play at Lincoln Park, Scramble format
- *Seniors/Recreation*

**Seniors: Mesa County Council On Aging***Heather Hall, Secretary*

551 Chipeta

Grand Junction, CO 81501

248-2806; Fax: 248-2849

Heather.Hall@mesacounty.us

- Meets 2nd Monday 1:30-2:30 pm at Gray Gourmet 551 Chipeta Ave.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Seniors Services*

**Seniors: Mesa County Long Term Care Ombudsman for Nursing Home and Assisted Living Homes and The Title III Legal Service Program for Seniors in Mesa County**

*Marilyn Richardson*

200 North 6th Street, Suite 203  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
243-7940 ext. 106; Fax: 243-7814  
mrichardson@colegalserv.org  
www.coloradolegalservices.org

- Provide legal services for low income seniors, advocacy, for seniors living in long term care, nursing homes or /Assisted living
- *Service*

**Seniors: Mesa County RSVP, Inc**

*Jean A. Brewer, Executive Director*  
P.O. Box 1077

Grand Junction, CO 81502  
243-9839; Fax: 245-4808  
rsvp@rsvpgrandjunction.org  
www.rsvpgrandjunction.org

- Volunteer placement agency. Helping seniors find meaningful volunteer positions in Mesa County.
- Officers Elected in January - February
- *Non Profit/Service/Support*

**Seniors: St Marys Foster Grandparent Program**

*Denise Potterton, Director.*

*Erin Barry, Program Coordinator.*  
2232 North 7th St, Suite 2  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
263-9091; Fax: 263-9084  
erin.barry@stmarygj.org

- Adults 55 and older volunteer serving children with special needs through schools and various programs.
- *Service*

**Seniors: AARP, Bookcliff Chapter #1367**

*Bernie Anderson*

226 W. Roberson Drive  
Fruita, CO 81521  
858-9176;  
www.aarp.org/co

- AARP service to retired or older persons age 50+. Offer support or direct to support.
- Meets every other month at the Senior Center on the second Thursday of the month at 10:30 am.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Seniors*

**Seniors: Grand Valley Senior Daybreak**

*Laurie Frasier, Executive Director*

599 30 Road  
Grand Junction, CO 81504  
241-7798; 241-6919  
daybreak2@qwestoffice.net  
www.seniordaybreak.org

- An adult day program for dependent adults providing respite for caregivers.
- *Seniors/Adult care*

**Seniors: Gray Gourmet**

*Sharon Meiklejohn*

551 Chipeta  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
243-9844; Fax: 263-4446  
sharon.meiklejohn@stmarygj.org

- Meals for seniors.
- *Seniors*

**Sheriff's Posse, Mesa County**

*George Decker, 2nd Vice President*  
284 29 Rd  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
242-6680 for George or 858-4112 for JoAnn Swanson; 970-216-4917 for George

Deckercc@earthlink.net

- Meets third Tuesday at Posse home 8p.m. 25 and F1/2 Rd
- Officers Elected in January
- *Civic*

**Shrine Club, Western Colorado**

*William Marshall*

P.O. Box 2501  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
260-5432; 243-3094

- Officers Elected in February
- *Service/Support*

**Sidesaddlers, Frontier Belles**

*Connie*

665 Round Hill  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
243-0591; 523-0824 (Jean)  
klauzer@bresnan.net

- Women riding sidesaddle performing precision drills for rodeos and parades
- Officers Elected in September
- *Recreation*

**Sierra Club, Uncompahgre Group**

*N.J. Fulmer*

P.O. Box 1543  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
216-8277; 242-4863 Erich  
www.westerncosierraclub.org

- Primary goal is to encourage recycling on the Western Slope thru education and other means.
- Call Erich or N.J. for meeting locations.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Environmental*

**Singles: River City Singles**

*Francis Deaver*

704 1/2 Willowcreek Rd  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
248-9211;

- 50+ Mature group of singles who enjoy companionship and various events with others. Events in Beacon newspaper and the Free Press. New comers Welcome.
- Beginning October 1st meet at Boomers on Fridays at 5:00pm.
- Officers Elected in July
- *Senior/Recreation*

**Singles: Western Slope Non-Smoking Senior Singles**

*Lorna Davis, President*

2842 Morningside Ct.  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
243-7518; 434-3690  
davisent1991@msn.com

- Call for more information.
- Meets 2nd & 4th Saturday at the First Presbyterian Church, 3940 27 1/2 Road, Grand Junction, CO 81506.
- Officers Elected in February
- *Seniors/Special Interest*

**Sons of Norway (Vestafjell Lodge #6-146)**

*Barbara Firth*

2948 Kathy Jo Lane  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
245-5649; cell: 640-7718 or 858-6702  
bfirth5@msn.com

www.vestafjelllodge.org

- Meets second Sunday of every month at 2:00 p.m. Meetings held in Grand Junction as well as other Western CO Communities, Guests are welcome
- Officers Elected in January
- *Service/Special Interest*

**Speakers Bureau - Six Degrees Leadership**

*Shawn Hurley*

2474 Patterson Rd, 2nd floor  
Grand Junction, CO 81505  
270-8818;

shurley@majormortgage.com

www.sixdegreesleadership.com

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Tuesdays of the month at 4:30 pm
- *Networking/Public Speaking*

**Suicide Prevention**

*Gladys Gore*

1111 Horizon Drive, #803  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
263-4664; 424-2271

gladysmgore@msn.com

- Certified suicide prevention specialist. Free in-service speaker to any group of people.
- *Support*

**Swedes of the Grand Valley**

*Norm Kronvall*

530 Foy Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
245-0673;

- Mid-Summer Celebration in June Smorgasbord and Luciafest in December call for details.
- *Special Interest*

**Telecom Pioneers**

*Bernie Vahling*

800 Main St  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
244-4982; 523-4774

rshelp@juno.com

- Volunteers and provide books for children
- Monthly luncheons and board Meetings 2nd Monday of every month. Luncheon is 3rd Monday of every month.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Service/Special Interest/*

**Theatre: Avalon**

*Donna Redd*

159 Main St  
Grand Junction, CO 81501  
263-5700; Fax: 970-263-5720  
trcc@gjcity.org

www.avalontheatregj.com

- Facility for performing arts, movies, and other uses. To book call Two Rivers Convention Center at 970-263-5700.
- *Recreation*

**Theatre: Two Chairs Theater Company**

PO Box 3390

Grand Junction, CO 81502  
263-7920;

info@twochairs.org

www.twochairs.org

- *Recreation*

**Tobacco Education Council, Mesa County**

*Cathie Nicholson, Tobacco Program Coordinator*

P.O. Box 20,000-5033  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
254-4108; Fax: 254-4118

cathie.nicholson@mesacounty.us

http://health.mesacounty.us/

healthpromotion/mctec/

- Meets the 3rd Tues of the month quarterly beginning in Sept 12:30 - 1:30, Community Service Building, Mtg Rm 1060.
- *Service/Support*

**TOPS #CO 209, Clifton***Joyce Queen*

3063 Mesa Avenue  
 Grand Junction, CO 81504  
 434-7860; 434-7361  
 www.tops.org

- Help members lose excess weight and to maintain their weight loss.
- Meets at Turkish World Outreach, 508 A Fruitvale Ct, every Thursday 5:00 p.m..
- Officers Elected in Elected March, Take office April
- *Service/Support*

**TOPS #CO 82***Sue Crim, rep.*

184 Rainbow Drive  
 Grand Junction, CO 81503  
 242-8546;  
 www.health.mesacounty.us

- Meets Wednesdays 9:00am at the Northeast Christian Church 2001 Patterson.
- Officers Elected in March
- *Service/Support*

**Transportation: Grand Valley Transit/First Transit***Valdon Lewis, General Manager*

525 South 6th Street  
 Grand Junction, CO 81501  
 256-7433; Fax: 263-8467  
 valdon.lewis@firstgroup.com  
 www.gvt.mesacounty.us

- Public bus system
- *Service/Support/Public Transportation*

**Trout Unlimited, Grand Valley Anglers, Chapter of***Pat Oglesby*

PO Box 4451  
 Grand Junction, CO 81502  
 434-3912;  
 pcoglesby@bresnan.net  
 www.grand-valley-anglers.org

- Cold Water Fishery, fly fishing. Annual Fly Fishing Expo in Spring of every year.
- Meets are Pinyon Grill at Tiaro Rado Golf Course, 3rd Thursday 5:30 pm.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Resource Conservation*

**Union Pacific Employee Club #81***B. Alan Bower, President*

210 Orchard Ave  
 Grand Junction, CO 81501  
 242-7028; 250-5474 Lisa  
 alanlisa4@msn.com

- Active & retired Union Pacific employees.
- Officers Elected in November
- *Service*

**United Way of Mesa County***Mary Jo Diemer*

422 White, Suite 337  
 Grand Junction, CO 81501  
 243-5364; Fax: 242-6719  
 maryjodiemer@acsol.net  
 www.unitedwaymesacounty.org

- The mission of United Way of Mesa County is to meet human service needs through excellent stewardship of resources entrusted by the community.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Service/Support*

**Vegetarian Society of Colorado***Marian Dorn, Grand Junction*

*Branch Coordinator*  
 P.O. Box 1291  
 Grand Junction, CO 81502  
 255-0417; Fax: 255-0417 Call First  
 md@vegetariansocietyofcolorado.org  
 www.vegetariansocietyofcolorado.org

- Outreach and educational opportunities.
- Monthly polucks and lunch meetings, call for details.
- Officers Elected in February
- *Educational/Special Interest*

**Veterans: American Legion Auxiliary Post 33***Kathy Harris, President*

P. O. Box 172  
 Mesa, CO 81643-0033  
 268-5276(Home); 268-5057(Office);  
 260-2492 (cell); FAX: 268-5802  
 KJHGREEN@aol.com

- Wives, Mothers of Veterans, Ladies Auxiliary.
- Meets 2nd Wednesday of month at Legion Hut.
- Officers Elected in May
- *Veterans*

**Veterans: Blue Star Mothers***Wendy*

PO Box 2325  
 Grand Junction, CO 81502  
 242-3845;  
 info@gvbluestarmothers.org  
 www.gvbluestarmothers.org

- Membership is open to any mother currently living in the US who has a son or daughter in the military or an honorably discharged veteran.
- Regular monthly meetings, please call for info.
- *Veterans*

**Veterans: Marine Corps League,  
R. L. Crites Jr., Det. #624**

*Michael R Davis, Commandant*  
P.O. Box 1232  
Grand Junction, CO 81501-1232  
970-929-5238;  
rlcrites624@aol.com

- Military Service Club.
- Meets the first Saturday of each month at Fruitvale VFW Post, 30 Rd and Florence.
- Officers Elected in April
- *Veterans*

**Veterans: Military Officers  
Association of America**

*Rick Peterson*  
1731 North 3rd Street  
Grand Junction, CO 81501-2111  
245-6454;

- Participates in community service projects, awards annual scholarship, promotes legislation in interest of service members, veterans and their families.
- Officers Elected in February
- *Veterans*

**Veterans: Military Officers  
Association of America (MOAA)  
Western CO Chapter**

*James Peterson, Maj Retired USAF*  
867 Haven Crest Court  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
263-0531;  
www.moaagj.org

- Awards three Mesa State Scholarships, six dinner meetings yearly, sponsors fund raiser, Golf Scramble. Promotes legislation of interest to service members, veterans and their families.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Veterans*

**Veterans: Rocky Mtn. Wing  
Commemorative Airforce**

*Dorothy Dutton*  
780 Heritage Way  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
858-0542;  
djtduttt@acsol.net

- Flying Museum. World War II vintage aircraft. TBM-Navy Torpedo Bomber and J3 Piper Cub. Both Navy, Museum display is WWII and is starting to display Korea & Vietnam
- Open every Saturday 10:00-4:00. Other days open by appt by phone or email.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Veterans*

**Veterans: U.S. Submarine  
Veterans, Inc.**

*Terry Heers*  
3422 Northridge Drive  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
243-5762;  
heersgj@aol.com  
www.USSVI.org

- Meetings are held third Saturday Jan., March, May, July, September & November.
- Officers Elected in July
- *Veterans*

**Veterans: VFW Post #3981**

*Jim Stafford*  
2189 McKinley Dr  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
243-3303;

- Meets First Wednesday of the month, call for details.
- Officers Elected in April
- *Veterans*

**Veterans: Vietnam Veterans of  
America Inc. #57**

*Glenn E. White*  
P.O. Box 357 (1933 6 1/2 Road  
Mack, CO 81525)  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
858-1520; Fax: 858-8781  
usergw13697205@cs.com

- Call for info
- Officers Elected in April
- *Veterans*

**Veterans: Western Slope Vietnam  
War Memorial Park**

*James J. Doody*  
442 City View Ln  
Grand Junction, CO 81503  
250-5861; 216-3410  
doody@earthlink.net  
www.field-of-dreams.org

- *Veterans*

**Vintners: C.A.V.E Colorado  
Association for Viticulture &  
Enology. Db a Colorado Mountain  
Winefest**

*Guy Parker, President*  
P.O. Box 1556  
Palisade, CO 81526  
464-0111; Fax: 464-0999  
info@coloradowinefest.com  
www.coloradowinefest.com

- Educational and marketing trade group for wine makers and grape growers. Sponsor of Colorado Mountain Winefest
- Officers Elected in January
- *Non-Profit; Improve grape growing and wine making of Colorado Wines*

**Western Colorado 2-1-1***Charity Brockman*

P O Box 20000

Grand Junction, CO 81502

244-8400; 257-2219

wc211@mesacounty.us

www.wc211.mesacounty.us

- Western Colorado 2-1-1 is your connection to finding programs and services in Mesa County such as; Food Programs, Mental Health, Child Care, Financial Assistance, Volunteer Programs, etc. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday 8:00 -5:00.
- *Resource and Referral Agency*

**Western Colorado Community Foundation***Anne Wenzel*

225 N. 5th St., Suite 505

Grand Junction, CO 81501

243-3767; Fax: 243-9767

awenzel@wc-cf.org

www.wc-cf.org

- Builds charitable endowments and makes grants to 501c(3) non profits.
- Officers Elected in April
- *Special Interest*

**Western Colorado Congress***Heather Tischbein, Executive**Director*

P.O. Box 1931

Grand Junction, CO 81502

256-7650; Fax: 245-0686

info@wccongress.org

www.wccongress.org

- WCC is an Alliance for Community Action. Empowering people to protect & enhance their quality of life in Western Colorado.
- Officers Elected in October
- *Special Interest/Community Group*

**Western Colorado Suicide Prevention Foundation, Mesa County Suicide Prevention Coalition***Sheila Linwood*

619 Main Street, PO Box 4329

Grand Junction, CO 81502

683-6626; Fax: 256-9570

sheilalinwood@

suicidepreventionfoundation.org

www.suicidepreventionfoundation.org

- Meets 2nd Wednesday of every month from 12:00-1:00pm at 619 Main Street.
- *Education/Public Awareness*

**Women in Construction, National Assoc. of (NAWIC)***Mitzi Kenyon*

PO Box 97

Grand Junction, CO 81502

245-5000; 216-5801

mjkenyon@yahoo.com

www.nawic359.org

- National association of women in construction, core purpose: To enhance the success of Women in construction.
- Meets first Monday of each Month at 6:30 pm. Call for more information.
- Officers Elected in June
- *Special Interest*

**Women: Centennial Republican Women***Jacque Stafford*

1174 22 Rd

Grand Junction, CO 81505

201-1193; 241-1147 Fax: 241-1157

- An opportunity to meet with like-minded people and have fun, while keeping up with state & national issues.
- Meets 1st Thursday of every month except for July & August at the Tea House in Clifton. Call for more information.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Political/Civic*

**Women: High Country 99s,  
International Organization of  
Women Pilots**

*Sharon Delay*

636 Horizon Drive, #302  
Grand Junction, CO 81506  
243-8928;  
ddelay98@bresnan.net  
www.highcountry99s.org

- Local Chapter of 501c3 organization dedicated to promoting world fellowship through flight, providing networking and scholarship opportunities for women and aviation education in the community, and preserving the unique history of women in aviation.
- Meeting times vary - call or check website
- Officers Elected in October
- *Special Interest*

**Women: League of Women Voters  
of Mesa County**

*Kay Klausmeier, President*

208 Easter Hill  
Grand Junction, CO 81507  
241-7575;  
kklaus@bresnan.net  
www.lwvmesa.org

- Nonpartisan political organization that promotes informed and active participation in government and influences public policy through education and advocacy. The League is a national organization founded in 1920. We publish the Voter guide for major ele
- Meets 2nd & 4th Mondays Sept thru May at 7:00 p.m. at Community Hospital.
- Officers Elected in April
- *Special Interest*

**Women: Mesa County Republican  
Women**

*Ruth Ehlers*

P.O. Box 427  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
257-7120;  
gjruthgop@q.com  
www.mesacountyrepwomen.com

- Meets second Monday of each month at noon at Masonic Lodge. Call for information.
- Officers Elected in December
- *Civic*

**Women: Mesa County Womens  
Network**

*Brenda Watson*

P.O. Box 1423  
Grand Junction, CO 81502  
261-3446;  
mcwn@mcwn.org  
www.mcwn.org

- Meets the first Tuesday of the month at Two Rivers Convention Center
- Officers Elected in October
- *Service/Support*

**Writers Group, Inside/Out**

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- Support group for Grand Valley writers with free critiques.
- Meets at the club at Vintage 70, corner of G Rd and 27Rd.
- *Arts/Culture*

**Writers' Workshop, Colorado  
West**

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- Support and critique group for writers with a focus on publishing.
- *Special Interest*

**Youth Alternatives**

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- Dedicated to helping kids stay in school and out of trouble.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Service/Support*

**Youth: Boy Scouts, Western  
Colorado Council**

*Keith S Alder*

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www.wccbsa.org

- Officers Elected in April
- *Service/Support*

**Youth: Girl Scouts of Colorado**

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- Officers Elected in April
- *Service/Support/Youth*

**Youth: Mesa County 4-H**

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244-1835;

mesa@coop.ext.colostate.edu

www.tra4h.org

- *Recreation*

**Youth: Mesa County Partners**

1169 Colorado Ave.

Grand Junction, CO 81501

245-5555; 245-7411

www.mesapartners.org

- Adult mentors for high-risk youth. Juvenile restitution/community service program for juvenile offenders. Sponsor of Western Colorado Youth conservation corps & Club Mid After School Program.
- Officers Elected in January
- *Service/Support*

**Youth: The Tree House Center for Youth, Inc.**

*Cody Moore, Executive Director*

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www.treehousegj.org

- Youth prevention services provider of: middle school after school programs, high school & college age youth leadership development, & relational wellness education for teens.
- Officers Elected in Fall
- *NonProfit Youth Services*

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