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The Beacon



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We Do It All for YOU!

Spring is the time for renewal and rejuvenation. The weather is getting warmer and it's enjoyable to get out and about again. We are here to help you achieve your activity and wellness goals with the various indoor and outdoor activities we have planned for spring and summer!

Mt. Carmel's fiscal year ended March 31st, so spring is also a time of reflection for our team. We review what went well over the last year and what we would like to add or change. In order to make our wellness programs even more accessible to our community members, our goal for this year is to increase our collaboration with other organizations.



We are excited to partner with the Senior Citizen Center this summer by offering the Senior Technology Class to those 65 to 90 years old. We have other exciting collaborations we will announce as they are confirmed.

We recently said goodbye to Dr. Ivory Raye, who worked on wellness programs with Mt. Carmel for the past seven years. Ivory is focusing on her private naturopathic practice and other projects. We wish her the best in all her endeavors and greatly appreciate her contribution to Mt. Carmel!

We are excited to announce that Dr. Scott Uhalt, Ph.D., Health and Wellness Manager for the Phil Long Enterprise, will be returning to conduct a selection of wellness classes with Mt. Carmel. Some of his planned classes are:

- **Cooking for Wellness** a six-class series; basic nutrition concepts and cooking classes for anti-inflammation, diabetes, celiac disease, heart health, etc.
- *BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND* **Dr. Scott Uhalt, Ph. D.'s Body Wellness** a 10-week program with the goal to improve body composition (reduce body fat and increase lean muscle), which will also include how to manage stress, the importance of sleep, time management tactics, preventative care for men and women, and more!



J. Scott Uhalt, Ph.D., Corporate Health and Wellness Manager for the Phil Long Enterprise, has been deeply involved with Phil Long's health and wellness programs for over 20 years and has over 30 years of experience in professional environments for health and wellness. After graduating high school and then the USAFA Prep School in 1984, Dr. Scott continued his education at Colorado State University, earning a B.S. degree in

Exercise and Sport Science. He earned his M.S. degree in Health Education at Baylor University and his Ph.D. in Health Promotion/Disease Prevention at Texas A&M. Additionally, he has a personal training fitness certification from the American College of Sports Medicine and has been a Certified Health Education Specialist since 1992. In. 2020, Scott became a Master Certified Wellness Coach through the Catalyst Coaching Institute.

We hope you will join us soon for Scott's new programs, and please join us in kicking off our new Mt. Carmel Summer Concert Series on June 24th at Sister Blandina Wellness Gardens! Sit back and relax or dance the night away to the musical talents of Jeff and Samantha Montoya. We look forward to seeing you there!

Ashley DiPaola Director of Operations

Register Now to Get Your Game On!

Trinidad Team

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Sarah Valdez DA Register now for a fun day of golf while supporting Mt. Carmel's wellness programs for all ages, most of which are free, with the goal of nurturing the mind, body and spirit of everyone in our community. SPACE IS LIMITED! Register at mtcarmelcenter.org/golf or call 719-845-4877 for more information.



FUNDRAISING EVENT - NET PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT MT. CARMEL ADULT & YOUTH PROGRAMS

Trinidad Municipal Golf Course • 1417 Franklin Azar Drive • Trinidad, CO 81082

1st | 2nd | 3rd | 3rd | PLACE PRIZES

CONTEST PACKAGE WITH PRIZES \$30 each or \$100 for all five

Closest to the Pin ◆ Longest Drive
 Marshmallow Drive ◆ Hole-in-One ◆ Chip It

ALL TEAMS WILL PLAY WEDGIE CONTEST ON HOLE #6
MULLIGAN TICKET \$20 ea (only 1 ticket per player)

SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE

EAGLE SPONSOR \$1500 - Includes: Entry Fees (4), Custom Mt. Carmel Golf Balls (Sleeve), Sponsorship Tee Box Sign

BIRDIE SPONSOR \$1000 - Includes: Entry Fees (4), Custom Mt. Carmel Golf Balls (Sleeve), Putting Green Sign

FOURSOME TEAM \$575 - Includes: Entry Fees (4), Custom Mt. Carmel Golf Ball (1) & Tees

INDIVIDUAL ENTRY FEE \$130 - Per person, Without Sponsorship (Four-Man team required), Mt. Carmel Custom Golf Ball (1) & Tees

Golf Carts provided as needed to all teams

ALL SPONSORSHIPS INCLUDE: Promotional advertisement on

Mt. Carmel's Website and Sponsorship Banner.

1ST HOLE-IN-ONE WINS \$500! (Ticket Required)

TOURNAMENT INCLUDES:

- +18-Hole Golf Game
- +Breakfast Burrito
 - +Lunch Box
- +Appetizer Social
- +Complimentary Gift Bag

Register online at: mtcarmelcenter.org/golf DEADLINE TO REGISTER: JULY 5, 2021 For more information call Ashley DiPaola: 719-845-4877 or Renee Valentine: 719-641-3320

B - I - N - G - O is Back!

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Thank you
to our many volunteers!



A 501(c)(3) nonprofit owned by the community and reports to a local Board of Managers.

Salud accepts Medicaid, Medicare, CHP+, and most private insurance plans. We offer a sliding fee scale based on family size and income. Insurance enrollment assistance is available. Since 1970, Salud remains committed to providing care to all community members regardless of finances, insurance coverage, or ability to pay.

HOURS OF OPERATION

Medical: 7:30 am - 5:00 pm Monday - Friday (719) 422-8800

Dental: 8:00 am - 5:00 pm Monday - Friday (719) 422-8810

Telehealth Services available until 7:00pm Monday-Friday.

This clinic at Mt. Carmel opens at 9am on the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month.

Mark Your Calendars!

Don't Miss Mt. Carmel's Summer Concert Series!

Under The Stars

24 June **Jeff & Sam Montoya**

\$5 Cover Charge

Sister Blandina Wellness Gardens 7:00pm - 11:00pm

8 July **Grupo Vive**

\$5 Cover Charge

Mt. Carmel Wellness & Community Center 7:00pm - 11:00pm

16 July Jeff & Sam Montoya at Annual Pasta Dinner

Honoring Our Lady of Mt. Carmel \$13 Adults, \$10 Kids, 5 and Under FREE

Mt. Carmel Wellness & Community Center 11:00am - 2:00pm

19 Aug **Whiskey Creek Band**

\$10 Cover Charge

Sister Blandina Wellness Gardens 7:00pm - 10:00pm

Sept

Dynamix

\$5 Cover Charge

Mt. Carmel Wellness & Community Center 7:00pm - 11:00pm

23 Sept The Cappellucci's at Fall Fest

FREE

Mt. Carmel Wellness & Community Center 5:00pm - 10:30pm

Join us for our incredible summer concert series!

Visit mtcarmelcenter.org to learn more

Enjoy Food Trucks Onsite During Events and Beer & Wine Available For Purchase!



Sister Blandina
WELLNESS GARDENS
TRINIDAD, COLORADO

Community: Mind . Body . Spirit

It's That Time of Year Again



Your skin is not just an external covering; it's a large organ responsible for protecting your body from germs, balancing body temperature, making vitamin D and helping to regulate body fluids. It's also a reflection of your health and lifestyle. Protecting your skin from sun damage, infection, dehydration, allergic rashes and premature aging is important for looking good and staying healthy.

Practice these good skin care habits:

- 1. Limit sun exposure whenever possible and avoid sunburns. Sunburns can lead to cancer later in life.
- 2. Wear hats while outdoors to shade your face from the sun. The less sun you receive on your face, the fewer wrinkles you will develop as you age.
- 3. Use sunscreen every day, especially when you are outdoors for extended periods of time. Experts recommend products with at least 30 SPF.
- 4. Keep your skin moisturized. Apply moisturizers while your skin is damp. This will help lock in the moisture.
- 5. Stay hydrated. Hydrated skin can better protect you from sunburn and help regulate body temperature more efficiently.
- 6. Eat nutritious foods.
- 7. Check your skin regularly for irregularities. Moles that have grown in size or have rough edges should be inspected by your healthcare professional.

Be Kind to Vouself

Check out all of our wellness programs and events at mtcarmelcenter.org/eventcalendar or facebook.com/MtCarmelCenter



We Are So Grateful for our Generous Sponsors & Donors

As a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, it is through donations and sponsorships that we are able to offer wellness programs, kids' programs, festivals and other great events to our community, most of which are FREE. Won't you consider donating or sponsoring a program to help us continue these valuable services that improve lives?



Your support is greatly appreciated!

<u>Please donate at mtcarmelcenter.org</u> <u>under the "support tab."</u>

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