



Saleabration Frequently Asked Questions

General Event

When is the event?

Saturday, June 15, 2024, 8 AM - 2 PM

Where is the event?

Westside Community Center - 1628 West Bijou Street, Colorado Springs, CO 80904

Who can attend this Westside community event?

Anyone can attend!

Do I need tickets; is there a cost to attend?

No, this event is free to attend! Please note if you wish to be a yard sale vendor you will need to register for a vendor space. Register early; there is limited space.

Is this an indoor or outdoor event? What happens if there is bad weather?

Both! The event is rain or shine.

Is this a dog friendly event?

Well-behaved, leashed dogs are welcome to the outdoor portion of the event.

Why should I register to be a yard sale vendor?

A community-wide yard sale attracts more attention than a solo yard sale. There will be various activities onsite to bring out a diverse crowd of attendees. The event is free to attend and includes local musical acts. The event is being marketed by the City of Colorado Springs; Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services Department; Westside Community Center; Old Colorado City; and local musicians and food trucks.

Yard Sale

What time is the yard sale?

8 AM – 2 PM. Set up may begin at 7 AM. Yard sale vendors are required to be set up by 7:45 AM and stay until the end of the event at 2 PM.

What items can be sold at the yard sale?

We are looking for a wide variety of household and recreational goods. The sale of weapons, alcohol, drugs, and drug paraphernalia is strictly prohibited.

Can I sell my crafts/handmade goods as a yard sale vendor?

Please, no "craft fair" or farmer's market items. Think traditional yard sale.

Is there a fee to be a yard sale vendor?

Yes, \$20.00 per vendor space. This cost goes towards supporting future community-wide events at the Westside Community Center.

Is there a deadline to register as a yard sale vendor?

Yes, there are limited vendor spaces available, and vendors must register by Friday, June 7.

How do I become a yard sale vendor?

You can drop by the Westside Community Center front office or register online here.

Where will the yard sale take place?

The yard sale component of this event will take place in the gravel lot on the Westside Community Center campus.

What size is a vendor space?

Vendors will set up behind their vehicle. Each vendor will have a 10' x 26' footprint for their vehicle and vendor space.

What should I bring other than my items for sale?

Cash to make change, tables, chairs, pop-up/shade tent, sunscreen, water, snacks, etc. Vendors must be self-sufficient and supply all materials to operate your individual yard sale transactions.

Swap Meet

What is a swap meet?

It is a gathering of people who trade or exchange items for no money.

What swap items are accepted?

- Pest-free indoor and outdoor potted plants (mature or cuttings)
- Planter pots
- Books of any genre (paperback and hardback accepted)
- Garden seeds (must be labeled)
- Recipes (bring your favorite recipes on notecards)

Where is the swap meet taking place?

In Hughes Hall, inside the main community center building – 1628 West Bijou St.

Recycling

What items are accepted?

- Art supplies
- Books (paperback and hardback)
- Candle wax (no glass)
- Cycling gear
- Eyeglasses
- Printer cartridges
- Wine corks

What happens to these hard-to-recycle items?

Galvanize Recycling will keep these items from the landfill by dropping them with local organizations who will repurpose them.

Who is Galvanize Recycle?

They are a local hard-to-recycle startup business located on the Westside. Find more details about them here.

Is there a fee to drop my items for recycling?

No, however a donation of any size is appreciated. Your donation will support future community recycling efforts.

Live Music

What is the musical lineup?

- 8 8:30 AM Congo Paul (Drums for Diversity)
- 8:30 9 AM Jeremiah Erickson
- 9 10:30 AM Uncle Tío
- 10:30 AM 12 PM Deirdre McCarthy (formerly with Woodshed Red)
- 12 1 PM <u>Tim Bergsten</u>
- 1 2 PM Parker Lorenzen

Food Trucks

What food trucks will be at the event?

The Cupcake Doctor and Good Grub Food Truck. Check out their menus. We'll see you for some tasty vittles!