



ESTES PARK

# THINGS TO DO



## 27th Annual Elk Fest Weekend

September 27-28, Estes Park celebrates and pays tribute to Colorado's wapiti (elk) with lots of family fun, live music, vendors, food trucks and expert wildlife education.  
epelfest.com



## Estes Park Visitor Center

Stop by the EP Visitor Center for up-to-date information on summer and fall events, shuttle schedules, lodging options, shopping spots, area maps, and free self-guided tours. Let us help you make the most of your special visit! Open Daily 9am-5pm



## Estes Epic 50K MTB, 50K Run, Heavy Half

Sept 27-28 Estes EPIC Races 50K Bike, 50K Run, Epic Double, Heavy Half Marathon  
Raising money for EP High School MTB Team  
Running Wild Events is based in Estes Park, CO.  
www.runningwildevents.com



## Rocky Mountain National Park

Timed entry permits are now available for October Trail Ridge Road and Old Fall River Road are open. Call 970-586-1222 for road status updates. 970-586-1206, 8:00am-12:00pm nps.gov/romo. Tips for RMNP: #PlanLikeAParkRanger



## Astronaut Loren Shriver Speaks At YMCA

Sat Sept 27, 7-8 pm NASA Astronaut Commander Loren J. Shriver shares his missions on the Space Shuttle's Discovery and Atlantis deploying satellites & Hubble Space Telescope. Free and open to all! ymcarockies.org



## Visit Estes Park Online Information

The official online website for tourists of Estes Park. Find things to do, scenic hikes, wildlife watching, lodging, dining, download the Visitor Guide. Read about local live music, family activities, Rocky Mountain National Park. www.visitestespark.com



## The American Legion, Music, Games, Dining

Fri Sept 26 Sugar Mountain live music 6-8pm  
Fri Sept 26 Queen of Hearts 7pm Jackpot @\$4,282  
Sun Sept 28 Roy Dearen live music 4-6pm  
esteslegion.org



## Estes Park Museum

Open Wednesday-Saturday 10am-4pm.  
Learn the history of Estes Park with interactive displays, programs & exhibits. Free admission. 970 586-6256. estes.org/museum



## Snowy Peaks Winery Friday Live Music

Friday, Sept 26, Laurie & Lorrie 4:00-6:00pm  
Enjoy a different music artist every Friday.  
Reservations highly recommended 970-586-2099  
Join us in the Tasting Room, Snowy Peaks Winery at 292 Moraine Ave. snowypeakswinery.com



## Estes Valley Library Fall Hours

Open Monday-Thursday 10am-8pm,  
Friday & Saturday 10am-5pm, Sunday 1-5pm  
Meeting rooms, kid's area, study and reading area with current magazines and newspapers.  
24/7 Outdoor Wi-Fi service is available.



## Bogey's Sports Bar Live Music / Broncos

Fri Sept 26 Ain't From Here live on the rooftop 5-9pm  
Sat Sept 27 John Hodges 6-8pm  
Sun Sept 28 Jeremy Smith 4-8p  
Wed Oct 1 Music Video Bingo 7-9pm  
281 W Riverside Dr. Online: bogeys.bar



## Estes Valley Recreation & Park District

Estes Park has 2 golf courses. An 18 hole course and a 9 hole course. 970-586-8146. The Marina rents boats and bikes. A community center offers swimming, weights, exercise classes and summer/fall activities and events. www.evrpd.com



## Two Wonderful Locations in Estes Park

The Original Gas Station location Hwy 7:  
9/27 Pigfest: Live music & Westex 4-7pm  
The Publix House - 203 Cleave St.  
9/27 Chefs Kiss Catering Meatball Subs and Pesto Pasta 1-8pm  
Check out: www.facebook.com/lumpyridgebrewing



## First Friday Art Groove - A Self Guided Tour

First Friday every month. Visit local art locations; The Studio, The Art Center, Earthwood Artisans, Aspen & Evergreen, Images of RMNP, Earthwood Collections, Inspired Artisan Market, Rocky Mountain Majesty. Go to: estesartsdistrict.org



Fri Sep 26 Elktoberfest, Johnny's 11-7pm  
Sat Sep 27 Elktoberfest, Mexico Al Norte 11-7  
and Prost Brewing Stein Hoisting Competition 4-7  
Sun Sep 28 Elktoberfest, Rosa's Tacos 11-7  
Mon Sep 29 Elktoberfest, WesTex BBQ 12-7  
Tue Sep 30 Elktoberfest, WesTex BBQ 11-7



## Pikas in the Park Scavenger Hunt

Try this fun & challenging scavenger hunt. Find 12 small bronze pika figures throughout the downtown Estes Park. Rack cards are available at the Visitor Center to get you started!



## Lonigans Karaoke

Weekly Karaoke Nights are Fridays & Saturdays, 9pm. Everyone is welcome! Grab the mic!  
Sundays Nick Wag & the Rabble Rousers 6-8pm  
Happy Hour 4-7 daily, Food and drink specials  
www.lonigans.com 110 W Elkhorn Ave.

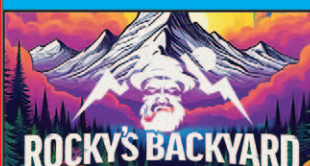


## Pumpkins & Pilsners Festival

October 4, the 12th Annual Pumpkins & Pilsners school fundraiser is in downtown Bond Park with pumpkins, music, beer, food trucks, pony rides, games, and lots of family fun! Join us! EPEducationFoundation.org

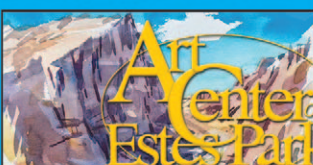


Sat 9/27 - Oktoberfest, Jingle Jangle Jabroni 5-7pm  
Sun 9/28 - WesTex BBQ 12-7pm  
Tue 9/30 - Vinyl Night 2-8pm  
Wed 10/1 - Open Mic 5:30-7:30pm  
Thurs 10/2 - WesTex 12-7 Beers for Queers 7-9  
Fri 10/3 - Mexico al Norte 12-7pm



## Rocky's Backyard Ultra Race

Sat. October 11, runners complete 4.167 miles under 1 hour, until one winner remains!  
Running Wild Events is based in Estes Park, CO. www.runningwildevents.com



## Estes Valley Plein Air Exhibit

The Art Center of Estes Park's Plain Air show features 34 artists exhibit. The display is open through Sunday, September 28th. Located in middle Stanley Village behind SubWay. www.artcenterofestes.com. Open Daily 11am-5pm



## Estes Park Fall Sidewalk Sale

Saturday & Sunday, October 11 & 12, 10am-5pm. Merchants downtown and throughout Estes Park have select merchandise on SALE! Check out the tables and display racks at the local businesses. Check www.visitestespark.com, esteschamber.org



## Live Music Dining At Twin Owls Steakhouse

James Davis plays Spanish & Classical Guitar music Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, 6-9pm (Music for dining guests, except nights with private events) Reservations are recommended at twinowls.net



## RM Craft Spirits Festival: Spirits & 'Grass

Saturday, November 1, Colorado Craft Spirits and Mountain Bluegrass Music at the Events Complex. Indoor live music stages, food trucks, bar games, vendors, Two ticket price options are available. Estes Park Events Center. Online: epspirits.com



## Stanley Home Museum Tours

The home of F.O. & Flora Stanley is a museum. The full tour experience lasts an hour with tours beginning at 10am, 12pm & 2pm Tuesday-Saturday, and Sunday 12 & 2pm. Tickets available at: www.StanleyHome.org. Or call 970-235-0062



## Creative Colorado Tablesitting/Scaping Contest

November 21, 22 & 23, 2025 Theme: "Celebrating Generations, Then & Now." Show at The Ember at Estes Park Resort. Questions contact Peggy West 303-332-7528 or Pwest590@msn.com Benefits support EP Museum Friends & Foundation



## Macdonald Book Shop Children's Storytime

Monday Sept.29: Theme: Dragons & Campfires  
Every Monday at 9:30am Macdonald Book Shop, a Foundational business of Estes Park since 1928, Presents a Themed Storytime at 152 E Elkhorn Ave Free, all ages. Visit: macdonaldbookshop.com



## Catch The Glow Holiday Season

November 22 through January 1. Six weeks of holiday activities! The day after Thanksgiving, Nov 28, is Northern Colorado's most spectacular holiday themed parade through downtown Estes Park after dark. Dress warm! epcatchtheglow.com