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# OPEN TOWN HALL

MON 8/21/23
6-8PM
AT THE GILPIN COUNTY
COMMUNITY CENTER



JOIN US FOR A DRIVE-IN

MOVIE Night

FRIDAY
25 AUGUST

Starts @ 8pm

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For an FAQ about the Parks & Recreation Mill levy, please visit the Friends website and click on "Mill Levy Extension FAQs" tab at the top of the page.

Zoom link available on website too.



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Information and Discussion for Ballot Issue of the Property Tax Mill Levy of 2.570 Mills Dedicated to Gilpin County Parks & Recreation.

Hear from and ask questions of a panel of County officials, including the Board of County Commissioners County Manager, County Finance Director and Parks & Recreation Director







Have a great school year, students!
Work hard and have fun!



### Staff Spotlight

## Marilyn Ashmore

#### Volunteer



"Growing up in an Air Force family with 4 sisters and a brother, and moving every 2 years, adapting to cultural and geographical transitions was the norm. Ultimately, most of my adult life and working careers were spent in Georgia. I have raised a son, daughter, and step-daughter and I am blessed with 5 grandchildren.

Through the years, I was a co-owner of a School of Charm and Modeling, often coordinating and emceeing Fashion Shows. I've produced and directed live TV and stage performances throughout the Miss America Organization's franchises, and enjoyed being host of a daytime talk show. My educational background is in Business Administration, and Non-Profit Management has provided jobs with exciting and challenging responsibilities. Working with the Georgia Trust for Historic Preservation, I was Director of its National Historic Landmark house museum (Johnston-Felton-Hay) in Macon, GA. Challenges like fund raising, restoration projects, board and docent relations, and tourism

marketing were extensive. Before relocating to Colorado 7 years ago, I was Capital Campaign & Development Director at the Museum of Aviation (2nd largest Air Force Museum in the country) with responsibilities of grant writing, event planning and the eventual planning, construction and opening of its 60,000 sq ft World War II Hangar.

For recreation I enjoy walking and in earlier years, tennis and camping. Once I retired, I realized that my many years of volunteering, not only with the Chamber of Commerce, Rotary, United Way and various not-for- profit organizations, awarded me new skills and a passion for supporting the needs of my community. It is amazing to me that I have found a new family of friends and hard- working people who share their passions right here "in my own back yard" so to speak!

As a member of Friends of Gilpin County Community Center, I became aware of a wide variety of roles – supporting the dedicated, smart, energetic and productive staff of the Parks and Recreation Gilpin Community Center. Once a volunteer in my spare time, while I was full-time employed, I am now able to dedicate even more of my time and energy to broaden our growing team of volunteers. Volunteering for events like the Spooky Stroll, Winter Arts Festival, Get Fit Event and helping with the year-long planning and staging for our 30th Anniversary Gilpin Fair, have all laid a solid foundation for my retirement years. I encourage everyone to take a second look at how you spend Your time... be a positive influencer and volunteer...join us while together we sustain the Center and enhance the Quality of Life for all our residents, young and older!"

Marilyn has been such a gift to our Parks & Recreation department! She was instrumental in the success of our 30th Anniversary Fair and her vast experience and skill in organizing and coordinating people for large events has been a true blessing. Marilyn is a hard worker and incredible person all around. We are so thankful that she chose us to invest her time and efforts into!

## Why Learn Taekwondo?



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