

# TOWN OF KIOWA: TALK OF THE TOWN

April 2024

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### KWWA Monthly Board Meeting

April 9, 2024 – 6pm  
Location: Town Hall @ 404 Comanche Street

### BOT Monthly Board Meeting

April 9, 2024 – 7pm  
Location: Town Hall @ 404 Comanche Street

### Joint Planning and Variance Monthly Meeting

April 17, 2024 – 6pm  
Location: Town Hall @ 404 Comanche Street

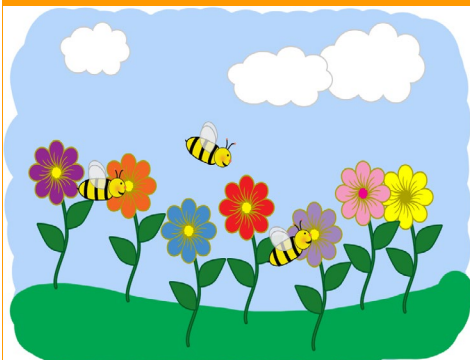
### TAX DAY

Monday, April 15, 2024

## 2024 EASTER EGG HUNT

Kiowa Easter Egg Hunt 2024 is in the books! This is probably one of our most favorite events of the year because we get to see all the happy, sugared up smiles and laughter of your sweet kiddos. We hope you all had as much fun today as we did.

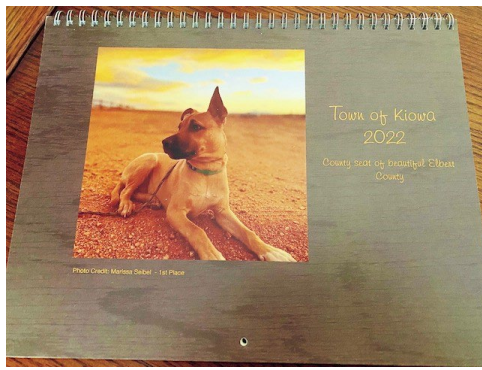
Thank you for our sponsors and volunteers from ECCO, Lifetime Properties, Farmers State Bank, Kiowa Lions Club, Advanced Quality Auto, Glaser Gas, Mile High Trailers, 40 Mile Feed, Bino's and to the Kiowa Fire Protection District volunteers for stuffing the thousands of eggs!



The Town of Kiowa invites you to enter your best Kiowa photographs in our 4<sup>th</sup> annual Town of Kiowa Calendar Photo Contest!

We are looking for striking images that depict life in Kiowa—natural landscapes, wildlife, events, facilities, businesses, architecture, weather or even people living life in our Town. Winning photos will be included in our 2025 Calendar. Deadline is December!

If you have questions, call 303.621.2366 or email [kiowa@townofkiowa.com](mailto:kiowa@townofkiowa.com)



**Just a reminder that it's that time again!!**

Town dog tag licenses come due every year, and it is up to the owner to supply the required rabies information each year.

Associated costs:

**\$10.00 PER SPAYED/ NEUTERED DOG**

**\$15.00 PER NON- SPAYED/ NON- NEUTERED DOG**

Please go online and renew your application today at: <https://townofkiowa.colorado.gov/online-portal-payment/applications>  
Or, come into our offices during normal office hours, Monday through Thursday, to fill out an application and pay in person.

## HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST AROUND KIOWA!

### LION'S CLUB ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup> – 8am until 12 noon

Lion's Club under ECCO @ 336 Comanche Street

### PINES AND PLAINS LIBRARIES

#### Kiowa Close Knit Crochet Group

Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> – 1pm

Location: 331 Comanche Street, Kiowa, CO 80117

#### Kiowa Book Club

Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> – 7pm

Location: 331 Comanche Street, Kiowa, CO 80117

Book of the month: Wuthering Heights by Emily Brontë

#### Kiowa Story Time

Fridays, April 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup>, and 26<sup>th</sup> – 10am to 11am

Location: 331 Comanche Street, Kiowa, CO 80117

Story time is great for building early literacy skills, making new friends, and encouraging a love of reading and learning. Each story time includes read aloud, songs and a craft or hands-on activity. All ages are welcome <https://pplibraries.org/o3a-activities-calendar/>



**2-5PM** |

150TH ANNIVERSARY OPEN HOUSE  
**FEBRUARY 13, 2024**  
ELBERT COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING  
215 COMANCHE ST., KIOWA, CO 80117

**6PM** |

CENTENNIAL FARMS & RANCHES BANQUET\*\*  
**JULY 27, 2024**  
ELBERT COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS  
95 UTE AVE., KIOWA, CO 80117 \*\*PRE-PURCHASED TICKETS REQUIRED

**2-7PM** |

150TH ANNIVERSARY OLD WEST CELEBRATION  
**SEPTEMBER 21, 2024**  
ELBERT COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS  
95 UTE AVE., KIOWA, CO 80117

The Open House and Old West Celebration are FREE and open to the public!

See the reverse side for details on exploring Elbert County this summer for a chance to win prizes!  
For more information visit: [www.elbertcounty-co.gov/589/150th-Anniversary](http://www.elbertcounty-co.gov/589/150th-Anniversary)

**Kiowa Water and Wastewater Authority  
(KWWA) happenings!**

**ATTENTION**

**IF YOU ARE EXPERIENCING AN AFTER-HOURS WATER EMERGENCY, SUCH AS A BROKEN WATER LINE, FROZEN METER, HIGH PRESSURE INCIDENT, ETC., PLEASE CALL DOUGLAS COUNTY SHERIFF DISPATCH AT 303-660-7500. DO NOT CALL 9-1-1 UNLESS IT IS A LIFE-THREATENING EMERGENCY. WHEN YOU CALL, ADVISE DISPATCH YOU RESIDE IN THE TOWN OF KIOWA AND HAVE THEM REFER TO THE A BOLO IN PLACE PERTAINING TO WATER EMERGENCIES.**

Unauthorized tampering with KWWA District systems and/or meters is illegal and will result in a fine of not less than \$2,000 per incident, in addition to the actual cost of damage, expense, and loss of the systems and/or meters. If you have knowledge of any incidents of tampering, you can submit an anonymous tip by either emailing [kiowa@townofkiowa.com](mailto:kiowa@townofkiowa.com) or calling 303-621-2366.

Per Resolution 2018-03

## **Town Council**

*Rick Kolm, Mayor*

*Trevor Smith, Mayor Pro Tem*

*Tammy Hart, Trustee*

*Baillie Wineland, Trustee*

*Jonathon Shafer, Trustee*

*Terry Howard, Trustee*

*Josh Baker, Trustee*

## **Town Staff**

*Kimberly Boyd, Town Administrator*

*Tasha Chevarria, Town Clerk and Notary*

## **Joint Planning and Variance Commission**

*Wendy Frenzel, Chairperson*

*Todd Lane, Co-Chairperson*

*Lori Rafferty*

*Sandy Kalisch*

*Shannon Lane*

*Julie Mizak*

## **Hours of Operation**

*Monday through Thursday 7:30am – 4:00pm*

*Friday, Saturday, and Sunday Closed*

*\*\*Hours may vary due to inclement weather and holidays.*

*NOTE: If you are trying to make water and sewer payments outside our normal hours of operation, payments can be left in the drop box available on the east side of our building or fast and easy through our online option at <https://www.xpressbillpay.com/#/>.*

## **Contact Us**

Phone: 303-621-2366

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Or, visit our website:

<https://townofkiowa.colorado.gov/>



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