

**AUGUST, 2024** 

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## NEWSLETTER

### **CALENDAR**

Be sure to check the OTHG website calendar at www.ssothg.org/activities

For detailed and updated information on all events and also our Facebook page.

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SUMMER HAPPY HOURS

SUMMER HIKING

MONDAYS
MEET AT 7:50 AM
RIVER CREEK PARK

**GRAVEL BIKING** 

**FRIDAYS** 



### **HAPPY HOUR**

**TUESDAYS 4-6PM** 

**AURUM RESTAURANT** 

ON THE LAWN

(We will be sharing the lawn with others)

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**POKER CLUB** 



MEET 8:30AM RIVER CREEK PARK

CASUAL ROAD BIKING

TUES. & THURS.
MEET MEET AT
9:00AM
RIVER CREEK PARK

**AVID BIKE GROUP** 

TUES. & THURS. 8:30AM RIVER CREEK PARK

**PICKLEBALL** 

GARDENING BOTANIC PARK

TUESDAYS 9:00AM OTHG GARDEN BOTANIC PARK \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

**POKER CLUB** 

AUGUST 14 6:30PM

COOKBOOK DINNER
CLUB
AUGUST 19

**AUGUST 14** 

6:30 PM

Contact Perry Ninger <a href="mailto:ningercpa@gmail.com">ningercpa@gmail.com</a> to join

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**OTHG DINNER** 



@ STONEWALL

August 15 at 6:00pm

\$55pp (Drinks, Tax and Gratuity not included)

Reservation to Louise Wu at <a href="mailto:louisewu55@yahoo.com">louisewu55@yahoo.com</a> by <a href="mailto:August 8">August 8</a> with Soup or Salad choice; Main choice and Dessert choice.

First course a choice of Soup or Salad

POTATO LEEK SOUP(GF)

(gold potato, rosemary, thyme, cream, poultry broth, leeks and crostini OR

**SUNFLOWER CRUNCH SALAD** 

(arugula, shredded purple cabbage, chopped broccoli, shredded carrots, sunflower seeds, vinaigrette

Main course - Choose 1

**SOUTHERN FRIED QUAIL** 

(Brined and breaded Colorado Quail, house-made Mac and Cheese, ColeSlaw

KABOBS CBGF

Mystic Hills lamb, blistered tomato arugula salad, pickled onions & peppers spicy feta, naan

**RAINBOW TROUT GF** 

Colorado Trout (2), Dill, Lemon, Thyme, Rosemary, Summer Succotash

**Dessert Choose 1** 

Strawberry Shortcake

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**BOOK CLUB** 

AUGUST 29 6:00 PM

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CRANE FESTIVAL DINNER/PROGRAM

AUGUST 31 5:00 PM CARPENTER RANCH

### **OTHG PIG ROAST**

SEPTEMBER 5 BOB ADAMS AIRPORT 5:00PM

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### **POTLUCK**

AT THE RANCH OCTOBER 9

### WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Bruce Genderson Donna Genderson Zac Brenna Verna Crawford

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RETURNING MEMBERS

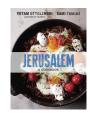
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WEBSITE AND MEMBERS DIRECTORY

Welcome to our updated website at <a href="http://www.ssothg.org">http://www.ssothg.org</a> You will

"Campfire S'more" Baked in a skillet - graham cracker crust, Chocolate Ganache, and topped with toasted marshmallows.

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### SSOTHG COOKBOOK/DINNER CLUB

# AUGUST 19TH KAREN & RICH WHITNEY COOKBOOK IS "JERUSALEM"

The Cookbook Club is a SSOTHG social event held almost every month (the 3rd Monday). It is a community for people of all cooking skills to meet to build cooking skills and friendships over food, one cookbook at a time. At the two OTHG HAPPY HOURS prior to the Dinner, members sign up and choose a recipe from the cookbook for the month. Take a picture of the recipe you have chosen, and don't improvise on the recipe. The group is limited to 12 participants. Bring only the dish you have prepared, silverware, dishes, etc. will be provided. Also bring your own beverage. The group will enjoy and discuss the different dishes. Please register with Shelly and Rob Harris by texting Shelly at 541-760-1627. Please make sure if you sign up that you individually will be preparing a dish. It creates a more robust conversation. Shelly or Rob will text all those signed up with directions.

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### **BOOK CLUB**

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, 2024 6:00 - 8:00 PM find all of our events by clicking on the 'CALENDAR' tab.

To access the PDF version of the OTHG Directory, click on the 'Members Only' tab. Once there, you must 'Sign Up' by typing in your email address and entering a password that you make up. (This is to ensure that the OTHG Directory is not available to the public.) Then click on 'Go'. The webmaster will verify that you are a member of the OTHG and send you an email approving your log-in information. After that, you will be able to log-in any time you want. You will also be able to download the Directory and keep it on your desktop.

### **FACEBOOK**

**Social Media** 

We now have a Facebook page! For those of you who are interested, log into Facebook and search SSOTHG - Steamboat Springs Over The Hill Gang' Then 'like' this group by clicking on the icon that says 'like' and shows a thumbs up icon. Feel free to post any news, information, and photos related to the OTHG but remember this is a PUBLIC group so anyone can view it.

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### **OFFICERS**

Co-Presidents:
Gisela Garrison
Teresa Lee
Administration, Finance,
Membership-Beverly Hayes
Social Events - Louise Wu
Communications - Jan Dring
Public Relations - Gisela
Garrison

**ACTIVITIES & ORGANIZERS** 



### BY CONNIE STAFFORD

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### OTHG/YAMPA VALLEY CRANE FESTIVAL DINNER AND PROGRAM



## at the CARPENTER RANCH AUGUST 31

5:00-8:00 PM

For complete information and booking information go to https://coloradocranes.org/festival-schedule/

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THE ANNUAL OTHG PIG ROAST THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5

### Summer/Fall

**Biking - Mellow Road** 

Jack Ferguson

**Biking - Road** 

**Steve Hayes** 

**Biking - Gravel Road** 

**Dave Kinnear** 

**Botanic Garden** 

**Emily Seaver** 

Fly Fishing

Open

Golf

**Steve Richheimer** 

<u>Hiking</u>

Teresa Lee

#### **Winter Season**

**Backcountry Skiing** 

**Harry Zinn** 

**Skiing - Downhill** 

**Jack Ferguson** 

**Snowshoeing** 

Lynn Sidman &

**Ute Lichtenstein** 

#### All Year

**Book Club** 

**Karen Whitney** 

**Pickleball** 

**Kelly Pickett &** 

**Yvonne Bailey** 

**Cookbook Dinner Club** 

**Rob and Shelly Harris** 

**Social Poker Group** 

**Perry Ninger** 

### **PHOTOS**

See great photos and sometimes videos on the Facebook site for Steamboat's Over the Hill Gang.

https://www.facebook.com/groups/35

### 5:00-8:00 PM

### Steamboat Springs Airport/Bob Adams Field

Admission Fee: \$20 per person **non refundable fee** to help defray some of the cost.

Sign up by Thursday, August 22nd (Vendors require final count 2 weeks prior to event)

Fill out the online form to reserve your place at the following link Click here to Sign Up and Pay your \$20/person - the online form includes a credit card link.

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#### Menu:

Whole Roast Pig with Garnish
Sweet n Tangy BBQ
Asian Sauce
Gold Sauce
Pineapple Mango Salsa
Pulled Turkey
Luau Beans
Mandarin Pepper Coleslaw
Hawaiian Style Potato Mac Salad
Ranch Rolls
Sweet banana peppers / pickled jalapenos
Assorted cookies

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# COMING EVENT OCTOBER 9

### OTHG POTLUCK AT THE RANCH

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#### **BIKING GROUPS**

ROAD BIKING CASUAL GROUP

### **TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS**

9:00 AM

We will, again, have two road riding groups: an avid group, which will ride a little faster and a casual group, which will ride more slowly and stop to gather from time to time. Riders will meet at River Creek Park at 9am on Tuesdays and Thursdays for an enjoyable outing. E-Bikes are welcome. Check the Activity Calendar for the current schedule: <a href="https://www.ssothg.org/activities">https://www.ssothg.org/activities</a>

### **AVID BIKE GROUP**

### **TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS**

8:30AM

The Tuesday and Thursday **Avid Bike Group** rides will move to an 8:30 am departure from River Creek Park beginning in July. Please refer to the **SSOTHG** calendar on the website for confirmation of each ride's start time. Tuesdays continue to be a shorter ride of 30-40 miles. Thursday rides can be longer (2 bottle rides) of up to 50 miles and may begin earlier.

\*\*Please note that these rides are leaderless. The riders will agree on a route and ride together each day. We will not usually have pre-planned rides.

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### **GRAVEL BIKING**

### FRIDAYS 8:30AM RIVER CREEK PARK

The Over the Hill Gang gravel road riders will begin weekly rides, this year, on Friday, June 7. We will meet every Friday, 8:30 a.m., at River Creek Park. Have your bike on or in your vehicle, since we will usually drive to the start of our route. Gravel bikes, mountain bikes and electronic versions of both are welcome.

The gravel rides will start off easy and become more challenging as the season progresses. Many of the routes are out and back, so riders can turn around if they get tired. The planned routes are listed on the Activity Calendar: <a href="https://www.ssothg.org/activities">https://www.ssothg.org/activities</a>

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### **SUMMER HIKES**

### MONDAYS 8:00AM (New Time)

### RIVER CREEK PARK

Join the OTHG Monday hikes in August. Meet at RCP (River Creek Park) @ US-40 & Walton Creek Rd - 2965 S Lincoln Ave. The group meets at 7:50 to coordinate ride sharing and route directions and we depart at 8:00a. The earlier time is because of longer drives to Zirkles and Flat Tops. Be sure to check the OTHG Calendar on Sunday evenings for any change in hikes based on weather, roads, etc. You can also contact Teresa at hike@ssothg.org if needed. Other important info at <a href="http://www.ssothg.org/hiking">http://www.ssothg.org/hiking</a>

**Aug 5: Gilpin Lake-1161** (P.236-238) (Zirkels) 10 miles RT, 8,460' to 10,338' ± An option is to go to Gold Creek Lake, 6 miles RT with a water crossing. Trailhead 8,460'±, lake 9,555' ±

**Aug 12:** Burn Ridge TH: Trail #1100. (Zirkels). 3.5 miles. Follows the South Fork of Elk River, mostly flat trail. Elevation 8390'

**Aug 19: Mandall Lakes & Pass-1121** (P.151-153) (Flat Tops) 4 miles to the lake and another to the pass. Trailhead 9,840, lake 10,770 and pass 11,980 ft. **Aug 28: Upper Fish Creek Falls** (P.41-46) (In town) 2.5 miles to the upper falls. Elevation 7375' to 8812'. Option to upper bridge. Parking fee

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### **FLY FISHING**



Send an email to <a href="mailto:ssothg.flyfish@gmail.com">ssothg.flyfish@gmail.com</a> to join the group and get on the Fly Fishing mailing list.

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### **BOTANIC PARK GARDENING**

**EVERY TUESDAY @ 9:00AM** 

Like Gardening? Come to the Over The Hill Gang Garden in Botanic Park and join us. Tools will be provided.

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### SSOTHG PICKLEBALL

### **TENNIS & PICKLEBALL CENTER**

2500 Pine Grove Road

WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS 8:00AM - 9:30AM

### **JUNE - SEPTEMBER**

We are playing at the pickleball center Wed & Fri 8:00-9:30 AM June - Oct. There is a fee to play. Please sign up to play.

Please read the Pickleball page on our website for further information, <a href="https://www.ssothg.org/basic-01">https://www.ssothg.org/basic-01</a>. **Kelly Pickett,** the organizer, can be reached at <a href="mailto:pickleball@ssothg.org">pickleball@ssothg.org</a>

### **HOWELSEN SUMMER PICKLEBALL**

DROP-IN/OPEN
THURSDAYS STARTING JULY 11
3:00 - 4:00 PM

**No sign up required**. **Yvonne Bailey** is coordinating this **free** pickleball. You can reach her at <a href="mailto:summerpickle@ssothg.org">summerpickle@ssothg.org</a> if you have any questions.

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### **OTHG MEMBERSHIP**

To Join the Over the Hill Gang go to <a href="https://www.ssothg.org/join-us">https://www.ssothg.org/join-us</a>.

SSOTHG Membership is a calendar year - January 1st - December 31st (No partial years)

Name Tags are ordered once a month before the newsletter goes out and take about 3-5 weeks for delivery.

Lost Your Name Tag? - the cost to replace a lost name tag is \$17. Send a check to OTHG, PO Box 772042, Steamboat Springs, CO 80477 - be sure to include the name for the name tag.

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