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Save the Date: Day of Friendship Community Event

MANITOU SPRINGS CO – You are invited to join us for a delightful afternoon of celebration at the Annual Day of Friendship Community Event. This year, we're bringing back the much-loved festivities, along with some exciting additions, to make it an unforgettable experience for everyone.

Date: Saturday, July 29

Time: 11:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Location: Fields Park, Manitou Springs

Get ready for a day filled with laughter, music, poetry, delectable treats, friendly competitions, and thrilling sports action. Here's a glimpse of what's in store for you:

11:00 AM - 4:00 PM: Pickleball Tournament

Calling all pickleball enthusiasts! Test your skills and compete in our exciting pickleball tournament. Whether you're a seasoned player or new to the game, this tournament promises fun, friendly competition for all skill levels. Show off your agility, strategy, and teamwork as you aim for victory.

11:00 AM: Vintage Baseball Starts

Step back in time as we kick off the festivities with a spirited vintage baseball game. Cheer on the Manitou Springers as they play by 1864 rules!

12:00 PM: Food Preparation and Potluck Setup

Come together as a community to prepare and set up a mouthwatering potluck. Let's create a feast that reflects the diversity and flavors of Manitou Springs.

1:00 PM: Potluck Begins

Indulge in a scrumptious array of dishes, lovingly prepared by your friends and neighbors. Share stories, forge new connections, and savor the flavors that bring us closer.



1:20 PM (tentative): Live Poetry & Local Speakers

Immerse yourself in the beauty of words and the power of storytelling as local poets take the stage. Listen to inspiring speakers who embody the spirit of our vibrant community.

2:00 PM: Art Unveiling and Marcy Morrison Bridge Dedication

Witness the unveiling of a remarkable art installation, a testament to our town's creativity and unity. Join us in honoring Marcy Morrison, a beloved member of our community, as we dedicate the soon-to-be installed artwork on the Beckers Lane Bridge in her name.

This free event is a heartfelt gesture to celebrate the residents of Manitou Springs and the bonds we share. No registration or RSVP is required; simply mark your calendar and bring your friends and family along for a day of joyous festivities.

Whether you're participating in the pickleball tournament, cheering for the vintage baseball game, enjoying live poetry, or savoring the potluck delights, the Annual Day of Friendship Celebration promises something for everyone.

See you on July 29th!

View the Facebook Event here: bit.ly/ManitouDOF

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