

1. The year in review—we made a difference:

Public Service for the USFS

Visitor Center Volunteer hours 635

Work projects at Heritage Park, Dexter, and Beach Cleaning/Fence repair total 222.75 hours:

- May 9th Clean Up of Heritage Park, 33 volunteers for 99 hours
- July 22nd Dexter Cabin Clean Up, 17 volunteers for 58 hours
- July 29, 31, and August 2nd Heritage Park and Parking Lot lopping/loading trailer & hauling 22.75 hours, 10 volunteers.
- Hinges replaced on Clarion back door and Dexter Widow's walk 2 hours, 1 volunteer.
- 25 hours of work from August 20th, by 7 volunteers repairing fencing and cleaning on the south side of the Twin Lakes Dam near the Interlaken Parking area.
- August 31 flipped boards on all but 1 picnic table in the Heritage Park, 4 hours, 2 volunteers.
- October 2 and 3, painted and sanded the picnic tables and benches in Heritage Park for 12 hours, 2 volunteers.

Support of Community:

Quick response to get 2 porta Johns funded and placed in the Visitor Center Parking lot from local businesses, individuals, and FOTL from October through April, with a need to fund 1 additional due to the long leaf-peeping season.

Chipping Day with ARWC – 7 homes (including one group) mitigation effort.

Aging in Place seminars (4): Aging at Altitude/In Place Medical Considerations; Home Safety; Recognizing & Avoiding Scams, and Legal Aspects & Considerations.

Hosted One Community Event to get local input into our Lake County Masterplan.

Hosted Lake County Open Space Initiative meeting with tour of Berrier Creek.

LT 100 Run Course Marshals—

- Our 39 volunteers worked 174.5 hours.
- Serving as Village Course marshals, spotters, gear waters, shuttle safety, etc.
- Not including time organizing schedules, our pre-meeting and then other time on Sunday getting things into the Fire Station/Taking down shelving in Schoolhouse, loading up Bob and his transport to Leadville of items left in Twin Lakes on Monday, and cleanup of hidden trash around the porta johns that was picked up on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Huge contributors to “Neighbors Helping Neighbors” food drive for the month of October, extended through November due to the food crisis and SNAP benefits being on hold.

Bingo every other week through the summer.

Hosting 3 Trivia nights with Kevin Copping.

Annual Picnic—held indoors due to rain, Halloween potluck, St. Patrick’s Day potluck, and Kentucky Derby potluck.

Submitted a second try for a grant application to Colorado Parks and Wildlife for up to \$100,000 to purchase bear-resistant garbage containers.

BRAVO FRIENDS OF TWIN LAKES MEMBERS AND BOARD—YOU ARE GOOD STEWARDS OF THE LAND AND SUPPORTERS OF OUR COMMUNITY!!!