2013 Commerce City Historical Society Accomplishments

January

Jan 2 - Meeting with the city planning department for the preservation plan.
Jan 4– Received sign from Hi-Lo
Jan 24 – attended the dedication of the SACWSD Stevenson Administration Building
Dog track demolition continues

February

Received Quality Community Foundation Grant
Annual CCHS meeting – February 17

March

2nd display at Key Bank – Metropolitan Bank History
CCHS Derby Survey Open House at Key Bank – March 21.

April

Coloring Book 2nd edition printed and distributer to all 2nd grade students (School District 14 and 27J) 1000 children
Bound Newspapers from Beacon
Received scrap books from the Mile High Kennel Club through Bill Lee

May

Plant Sale and Garage Sale May 3
Received a grant from the Denver Foundation (1000.00) May 3
From Time to Time Luncheon, May 5
Trip to Central City May 19
Coloring contest Winner Presentation at City Hall May 20
Participated in Memorial Day parade May 27

June

Roller Derby fundraiser – June 2
Hosted senior lunch and School History & Tour June 14
Hosted table at neighborhood outreach – River Run Park – June 13
Recorded and took pictures of Adams City High School Demolition
Started retrieving items out of the Adams City High School demolition project
McDonald's new building open house and donation – June 22

July

Received first check for the SHF Grant and opened a Grant Bank Account at key Bank
Hosted a Derby Outreach for the Grant from SHF at Key Bank – July 20
First annual Dottie Bakke Work Day

August

Hosted table at Derby Days – Aug 3
Derby survey started by Hoehn Architects
Hosted table at neighborhood outreach – Fairfax Park – August 8
August 31, held a Victorian Lunch and tour at the 1892 Dottie Bakke home
Received notification from the city about using Conter Estates Club house as our first Museum
Submitted 2 application to Saving Places to save the Dottie Bakke Home and the Quonset Hut Village
Received a grant from Key Bank
Hosted a table at "Back to School Night" at ACHS August 23

September

Hosted a table at the SACVFD Spaghetti Dinner Sat Sept 7
History mural complete at Wells Fargo bank – Sept 9
Participated in the Homecoming Parade for SD14 Saturday Sept 28
Hosted 6th Annual CCHS Pioneer Picnic Sept 28
Established the High School History Club at Adams City High School
Received a letter from "Saving Places" we did not receive any status for the Dottie Bakke house and the Quonset Hut Village

October

Working with Hoehn Architects on the Derby Survey
Brick sale from ACHS Building Demolition Oct 19 & 20 and selling brick bottles
Fish Tour History Lunch October 24, 2013 at the Commerce City Recreation Center
Participated in the Craft Fair at Our Saviour Lutheran Church Oct 26
Completed and distributed Newsletter number 3 for 2013
Volunteered at the ACHS high school and donated some items for the quarterback club in a parent goodie bag.
Volunteered to help the city bag candy for Creepy Hollows event

November

November - Basket and wreath making and selling
Delivering books to Monaco Elementary – November 12
Created a city wide calendar on sale November 18
Meetings with the Commerce City Planners for a Master History Plan Nov 6, 2013 at city hall
Participated in the Adams County Historical Society Country Christmas with a Christmas Craft Table November 23

December

Participate in CCBPA Santa event – Dec 7
Sponsored Derby Winter Festival Christmas tree – Dec 13
Made baskets for CCBPA Winter Gala silent auction
ACHS History Club tour & Christmas party at the Dottie Bakke house – Dec 13
Christmas Light Bus Tour and needy family donation - December 14
Bound more newspapers from Commerce City Beacon
City approved
Completed 4th quarter newsletter December 31.

Videos and/or pictures done in 2013

SACWSD Administration Building Grand Opening

SACWSD Administration Building Open House

ACHS Demolition (several over the period of June-September)

McDonalds Grand Reopening

Commerce City Memorial Day Parade

Coloring Book Distribution

Judging coloring book contest entries

Coloring Book Art Show and Award Presentation at City Council

From Time to Time Luncheon

CCHS Report to City Council 12/2/13

City Council Swearing in Ceremony

Adams 14 swearing in ceremony

US Ivory Crush

Fish Hatchery luncheon and tour

Commerce City Flood debriefing and tour

CCPD Commander Larry Woog Retirement Ceremony

ACHS Homecoming Parade

CCHS Pioneer Picnic

Fish Hatchery tour at 88th and McKay Road

Victorian Afternoon

Flood

Joe Rogers Funeral at State Capitol

Former ACHS Brick Sale

Adams 14 school buildings and plaques

Craft Day April 2013 and Oct. 2013

Casino Trips – May and November 2013

Historic Preservation Plan Open House at City Hall

Derby Daze

Signing of papers for Derby Survey

State Rep. Dominick Moreno's Hometown meeting

Terra Cotta entryway

Neighborhood Outreach

Plant Sale

Roller Derby

SACVFD Spaghetti Dinner

Wells Fargo Mural

Candidate forum

Adams 14 bond meeting

CCHS presentation at CCBPA meeting

Quality Community Foundation grant awards

Craft shows – Our Saviour Lutheran and Adams County Historical Society

Distributing coloring books at Monaco Elementary