

Commerce City Historical Society



Annual Meeting Friday Feb 21 2014

- The Commerce City Historical Society was founded in 2009.
- The CCHS Organizational meeting was held on August 21, 2009.
- The Articles of Incorporation were completed and signed on November 4, 2009.
- The By Laws were created and signed on November 20, 2009.
- The organization applied for a 501c3 status and they officially received their 501c3 status on February 7, 2010.



Our Mission

TO PRESERVE THE HISTORY OF COMMERCE CITY!



1. To have a museum where we can continue to Educate, collect and preserve the Past & Present history of Commerce City

2. To disseminate Information to raise interest in the history of our area.

3. To encourage the preservation of historic buildings

4. Provide exhibits and preserve our local history

5. To have a museum

And Primary Purpose…



OUR GOALS:



1. To establish a museum by June 2014

2. To establish a Welcome Center by June 2014

3. To apply for a Historic District for the Derby Diamond

- 4. Complete the Master Preservation plan with the city by December 2014

- 5. Create a virtual museum, starting June 2014



Membership:

2013

Founding Members 27

- **Individual 50**
- **Family 33**
- **Business 3**
- **TOTAL 133**

Lifetime Senior 5

Lifetime 3

In Memory 8

Comp 4

- **Facebook account**
  - (Commerce City Historical Society)
- **Website**
  - (cchistoric.com)
- **Email**
  - (cchistoricalsociety@yahoo.com)
- **Newsletters**
  - (March, June, September, December)

Publications

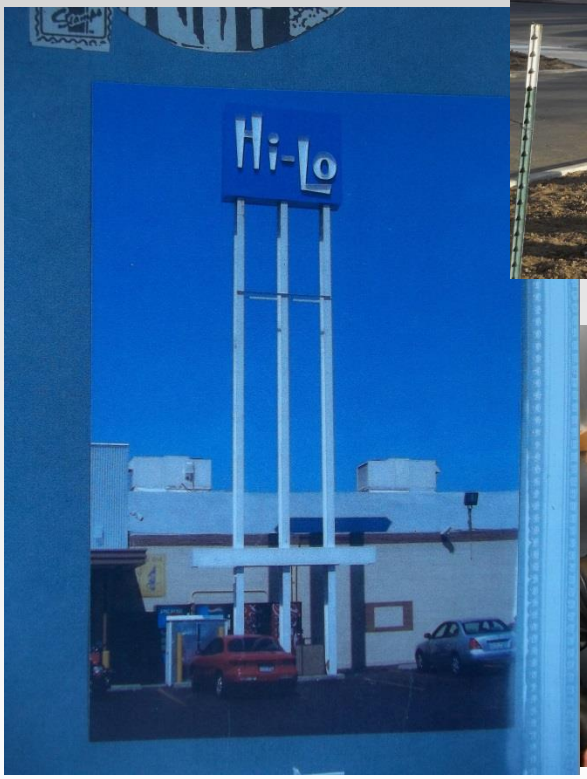


- We received the Hi-Lo sign
- Attended the SACWSD new building dedication (Stevenson Administration Building)
- Meeting with the city planning Dept.





January 2013















January -Dog track demolition continues



- Received Quality Community Foundation Grant -$4000.00
- Annual Meeting Feb 17, 2013



February 2013

MARCH 2013

- Key Bank Display case
- Commerce City hosts Historic Preservation Plan Open House







APRIL 2013

- Bound newspapers from the Beacon and the Sentinel
- Distributed Coloring Books
- Received scrap books from Bill Lee from the Mile High Kennel Club











May…

- Plant/garage Sale
- From Time to Time Luncheon
- Coloring Contest Winner Presentation with City Council
- Participated in the Memorial Day Parade
- Trip to Central City May 19

















MAY








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Historical Society
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Adams City
Derby
Rose Hill
Irondale
Dupont
Est. 2009

May





JUNE

Roller Derby Fundraiser June 2
Hosted Senior Lunch – Adams 14
School History and School Tour - June14

Recorded the ACHS Demolition & retrieved items

Hosted a table at the neighborhood Outreach at River Run Park

Received a donation from McDonald's grand opening-$550.00









- Received first check for the State Historical Fund Survey.

  $6,179.00
- Hosted a Derby Outreach at Key Bank for the SHF Project
- Dottie Bakke House Work Day



July









August

- Hosted table at Derby Daze Aug 3
- Hosted a table at CC Outreach at Fairfax Park Aug 8
- Victorian Tea at the Dottie Bakke House August 31
- Submitted an application for saving places (Dottie Bakke House and Quonset Hut Village)
- Received a grant from Key Bank
- Hosted a table at Back to School Night at ACHS
- First notification of possible Conter Building for CCHS museum use.









SEPTEMBER

- Hosted a table at the SACVFD Spaghetti Dinner
- Participated in the ACHS Homecoming Parade
- Hosted 6th Annual Pioneer Picnic
- Established the High School History Club at ACHS











September

- Commerce City History mural complete at Wells Fargo Bank





October

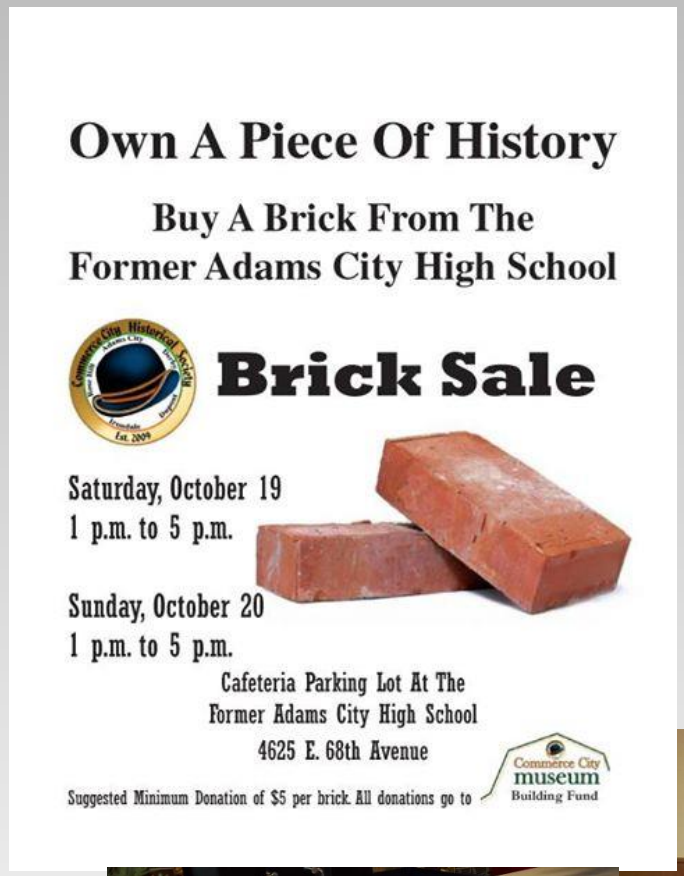
Brick Sale at ACHS Oct 19,20

Senior History Tour at the Recreation Center Senior Center – Trout Farm History

Participated in the craft fair at Our Saviour Lutheran Church

Participated in ACHS Quarterback Club Goodie Bag give away.

CCHS Volunteers helped bag candy for the Creepy Hollows event at the city hall.







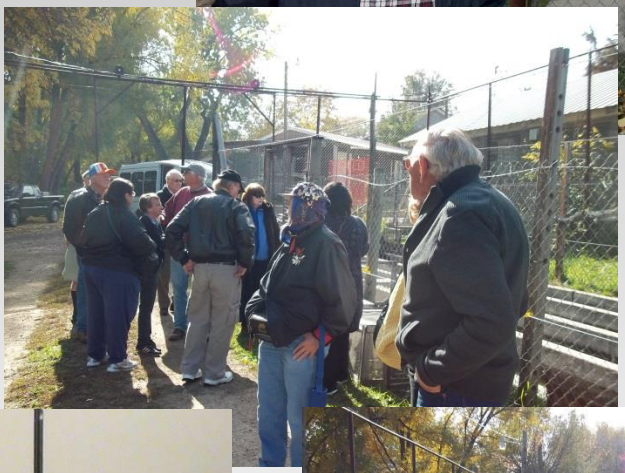






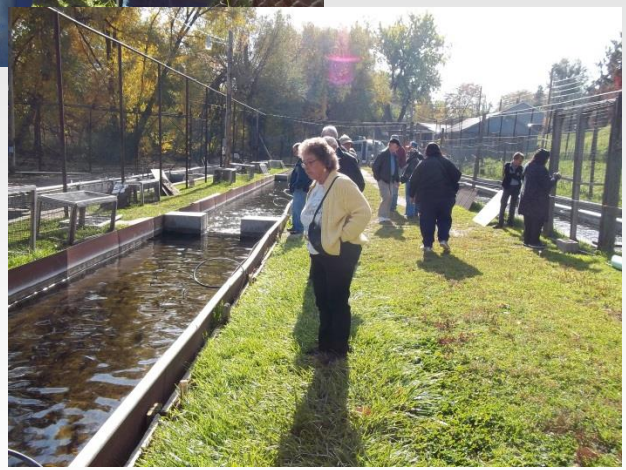






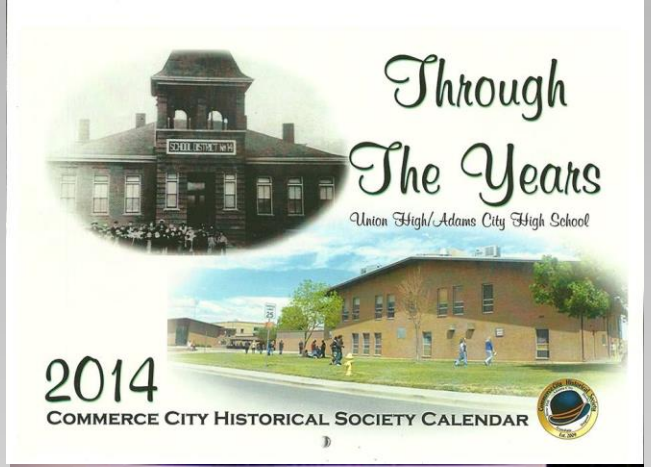
October





NOVEMBER

- Basket and Wreath workshop
- Central City Bus Trip Nov 3
- Delivered Coloring books to Monaco Elementary
- Created 2014 Calendar
- Continued meetings with the CC Planning Department for the Master History Preservation Plan – Nov 6
- Participated in the Adams County Museum Christmas Celebration at the Adams County Museum.













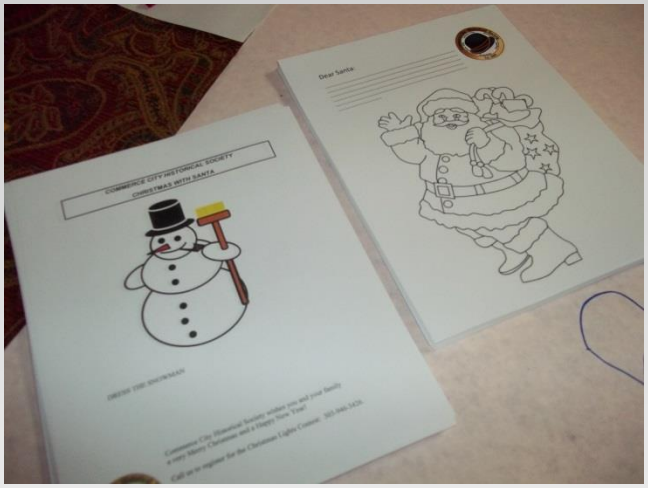


NOVEMBER



December

- Derby Winter Festival tree Dec 13
- CCBPA Santa - CCHS Coloring Table
- CCHS Christmas Lights Bus Tour















December





- **Metropolitan State Bank History Display**
- **Hi-Lo Check Cashing**
- **History Display**

Exhibits





- SACWSD Administration Building Grand Opening
- SACWSD Administration Building Open House
- ACHS Demolition Jun-Sept
- McDonald's Grand Opening
- Commerce City Memorial Day Parade
- Coloring Book Distribution
- Judging Coloring Book contest entries
- Coloring Book Art Show and Award Presentation at City Council

Videos completed in 2013

- 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 at the RMANWR
- 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 87th & McKay Road
- Victorian Afternoon
- Flood
- Joe Rogers Funeral at State Capitol



Former ACHS Brick Sale

Adams 14 school buildings and plaques

Craft Day April and May

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 Fundraiser

SACVFD Spaghetti Dinner

Wells Fargo Mural

Candidate Forum

Adams 14 Bond Meeting

CCHS Presentation at CCBPA

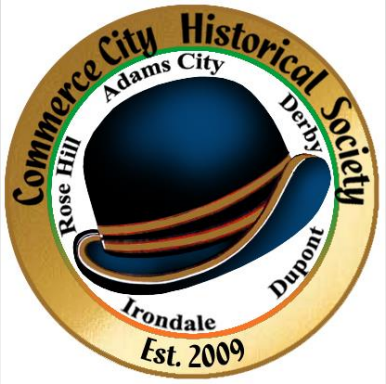
Quality Community Foundation Grant Awards

Craft Shows-Our Saviour, Adams County Historical Society

Distributing Coloring Books at Monaco Elementary

Association Memberships

- We belong to…
  - Commerce City Business and Professional Association
  - Adams County Historical Society
  - Westminster
  - Historical Society



Partnerships with other organizations

- Friends of the Rocky Mountain National Wildlife Refuges
- City of Commerce City, Council & Planning Department
- Community Enterprise
- South Adams County Water & Sanitation Dist.
- South Adams County Fire Department
- Adams 14 School District
- Brighton 27J School District
- South Adams Women's Association
- Union/ACHS Alumni Association
- Commerce City Cultural Council



- Commerce City Business & professional Association
- Westminster Historical Society
- Our Saviour Lutheran Church
- Historic Denver
- Key Bank



Acquisitions and gifts

- Dog Track Memorabilia
- Hi-Lo Memorabilia
- Signs
- Adams City High School Memorabilia
- Christmas Village



FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ASSETS

- **Bank Account Balance**
  December 2013
  $25,053.73

- **Building Fund Balance**
  December 2013
  $326.01

- **State Historical Fund Grant Balance**
  December 2013
  $1,838.23

  - **Petty Cash - $50.00**

- **History Memorabilia**
  - **Priceless!!!!**

- $1985.00

Membership Dues & Program Income



Grants & Contributions 2013

- Key Bank $500.00
- Quality Community Foundation $4000.00
- Denver Foundation
- $1000.00
- State Historical Fund $6179.00
- Individual Donations $150.00
- McDonald's $550.00
- SAWA $1000.00

- $13,379.00

Memorial Donations

Donald Hage Family

Ed Emerson Family

Shirley Leeper Family

- **$5,816.80**

Event Income and Contributions

- From Time to Time Luncheon
- Plant and Garage Sales
- Roller Derby Fundraiser
- Victorian Tea
- Black Hawk Bus Trips

TOTAL $9,864.60

INVENTORY SALES

- Calendar Sales
- Bricks
- Crafts
- Books
- Pay Pal Website

- TOTAL $1629.96

Xcel Payments and Reimbursements

- Xcel Payments $1642.39
- Xcel Reimbursements from the city
  - $1480.42



Expenses Operations/ Dues

- Office Supplies
- Postage
- Showcase Supplies
- Printing
- Pictures
- Flowers
- Food for volunteers
- filing fees
- Awards

- TOTAL Expenses $2,766.75

Contract Services

- Book Binding
- Newsletters
- Legal Fees
- Volunteers Needs

- Total $5,332.61

Fundraising Event and Free Events Expense

- From Time to Time Luncheon
- Victorian Tea
- Central City Bus trips
- Christmas Lights Bus Tour
- Pioneer Picnic
- Brick Sales
- Santa Christmas CCBPA
- Coloring Book

- Total $7,214.18

Board Members

- JoAnn Stevenson – President
- Esther Hall – Vice President
- Debra Bullock – Secretary/Treasurer
- June Younger –Historian
- Thelma Cole – Membership Director



Volunteers 2013

Don Sater Loretta Petty

Richard Hage Sharon Hage Harley Hall
Troy Hall Austin Hall

Nicole Hall Raymond Hall

David Chambers Pam Meier
Lynn Bradley David Busby

Fran Bigelow Mary Morton

Lela & Jerry Winkler

Joy Bishop Hester Bonnel

Janet Keesey Norm & Janet Union
Selene Martinez Lila Paige Douglas
Brittani Douglas Pearl Brown
Dottie Bakke Bob & Dorothy
Hutchings Harlow Leeper DaQuan
Rollen Hester Bonnell

Reba & Gary Drotar Jerry Johnson
Carol Dietz Donnie Converse

Martha Applegarth LeOra Richards
Laura Wells Roger Bonnel

Sheila Harris Steve & Kristi Douglas

Troy Younger Steven Younger

Josh Younger Amy Younger
Shirley Brown-Wilcoxen

Rene'Bullock