This food and health information is from Meals on Wheel MC dietitian: Holly, our dietitian, monitors our compliance with state guidelines for key nutrients such as vitamin C, sodium, calcium, fiber, and more.

### **Healthy Halloween Snacks**

With Halloween just around the corner, it is tempting to snack on traditional Halloween treats. Candy and other goodies used to celebrate the ghoulish season are often high in calories and not so healthy. This year, try substituting these types of treats for some more nutritious options. Carmel apples can be switched out with apples and peanut butter. This increases protein and fiber and limits the sugar. Try a candy corn parfait (pineapple, mandarin oranges and whipped cream) which contains fiber along with several vitamins and minerals. Pumpkin hummus is a less sweet snack that contains healthy fats, fiber and protein. The internet is full of wonderful ideas for healthy Halloween snacks. Have a healthy haunting Halloween!

-Article provided by Holly Krouse, Registered Dietitian









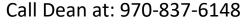


#### SNAP!

(Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program)

**SNAP** is a federal program that assists income-qualifying individuals and families by providing money each month for the purchase of groceries and nutritional items.

Food Bank of the Rockies' **Dean Madrid** is available to assist with sign-up!



Email Dean at: dmadrid@foodbankrockies.org



Foodbankrockies.org/about/programs/snap



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# The Scoop

#### **Eureka - Generations Lunch Club!**

Dining Site diners: We challenge you to step out of your comfort zone and give Generations Lunch Club a try! We still have space available if you are interested in trying it out on Fridays! Call the office for more information. 970-298-9844

#### Look at the Fun we've had so far!







#### **BLIZZARD BOXES ARE COMING!**

This month, we will be delivering the Blizzard Boxes! These boxes hold 6 shelf stable meals, that do not need to be refrigerated.

These meals are to be saved for when Meals on Wheels CAN NOT deliver food, due to bad weather. Living in Colorado, we all know that the weather can sometimes be unpredictable, and may prevent us from delivering the meals.

Please know that you do not have to accept this box, if you do not want it.

If you have questions, please call the office at 970-298-9844.



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
800/	1 MEATLOAF & GRAVY BAKED POTATO GREEN BEANS CITRUS GELATIN MULTIGRAIN BREAD	CREAMY COLESLAW WINTER MIX VEGETABLES	3 CHEF SALAD TOMATO SOUP WARM SPICED APPLES WHOLE WHEAT DINNER ROLL	CHICKEN & RICE CASSEROLE BROCCOLI & CHEESE MIXED BERRIES WHOLE WHEAT BREAD
	Cal:         902         Carb:         105         g         Sod:         777         mg           Fat:         30         g         Fiber:         12         g         Pro:         55         g	Cal:         1021         Carb:         108         g         Sod:         994         mg           Fat:         38         g         Fiber:         11         g         Pro:         66         g	Cal:         857         Carb:         91         g         Sod:         1315         mg           Fat:         38         g         Fiber:         12         g         Pro:         43         g	Cal:         778         Carb:         79         g         Sod:         779         mg           Fat:         34         g         Fiber:         13         g         Pro:         43         g
7 CLAM CHOWDER BUTTERED CARROTS BROCCOLI RAISIN WALNUT SALAD FRUIT COCKTAIL WHOLE WHEAT CRACKERS	8 HERBED CHICKEN BAKED POTATO PEAS MANDARIN ORANGES CINNAMON RAISIN BREAD		BEEF TIPS & GRAVY MASHED POTATOES GREEN BEANS COLESLAW FRESH ORANGE MULTIGRAIN BREAD	EGG ROLLS STEAMED BROWN RICE ORIENTAL VEGETABLES FRUIT AMBROSIA FORTUNE COOKIE
Cal:         622         Carb:         105 g         Sod:         857 mg           Fat:         15 g         Fiber:         12 g         Pro:         23 g	Cal:         787         Carb:         113 g         Sod:         496 mg           Fat:         18 g         Fiber:         16 g         Pro:         49 g	Cal:         623         Carb:         72         g         Sod:         636         mg           Fat:         25         g         Fiber:         10         g         Pro:         31         g	Cal:         748         Carb:         79         g         Sod:         913         mg           Fat:         23         g         Fiber:         11         g         Pro:         58         g	Cal:         827         Carb:         134 g         Sod:         884 mg           Fat:         19 g         Fiber:         11 g         Pro:         33 g
14 CHICKEN PARMESAN FETTUCCINI NOODLES ITALIAN VEGETABLES SPINACH SALAD W/ EGG FRESH APPLE BREADSTICK	15 BEEF CHILI BRUSSELS SPROUTS TOSSED SALAD APRICOT PINEAPPLE COMPOTE WHOLE WHEAT TORTILLA	16 BBQ PORK RIBLET SWEET POTATOES SPINACH FRESH BANANA CORN BREAD & HONEY	TURKEY CASSEROLE BRUSSELS SPROUTS TOSSED SALAD FRUIT COCKTAIL WHEAT ROLL	TUNA SALAD SANDWICH VEGETABLE SOUP PEANUT RAISIN SOUP MIXED BERRIES
Cal:         895         Carb:         103         g         Sod:         781         mg           Fat:         32         g         Fiber:         11         g         Pro:         51         g	Cal:         738         Carb:         102         g         Sod:         1176         mg           Fat:         23         g         Fiber:         17         g         Pro:         37         g	Cal:         842         Carb:         111 g         Sod:         885 mg           Fat:         25 g         Fiber:         12 g         Pro:         45 g	Cal:         666         Carb:         88         g         Sod:         536         mg           Fat:         19         g         Fiber:         11         g         Pro:         40         g	Cal:         704         Carb:         85         g         Sod:         1178         mg           Fat:         25         g         Fiber:         13         g         Pro:         42         g
21 PORK FRIED RICE ORIENTAL VEGTEBLES ASIAN BROCCOLI SALAD FRUIT COCKTAIL MULTIGRAIN BREAD FORTUNE COOKIE	TATOR TOT CASSEROLE SEASONED GREEN BEANS CARROT RAISIN SALAD FRESH ORANGE WHOLE WHEAT BREAD	TURKEY ALA KING W/ BISCUIT ISLAND VEGETABLES	24 CHICKEN SALAD SANDWICH TOMATO SOUP CHATEAU VEGETABLES COTTAGE CHEESE & PEACHES	25 CHIMICHURRI SALMON RICE PILAF CHOPPED SPINACH TROPICAL FRUIT MULTIGRAIN BREAD
Cal:         622         Carb:         97         g         Sod:         938         mg           Fat:         14         g         Fiber:         11         g         Pro:         28         g	Cal:         754         Carb:         100 g         Sod:         928 mg           Fat:         26 g         Fiber:         14 g         Pro:         36 g	Cal:         807         Carb:         118 g         Sod:         790 mg           Fat:         19 g         Fiber:         11 g         Pro:         44 g	Cal:         549         Carb:         71         g         Sod:         969         mg           Fat:         12         g         Fiber:         11         g         Pro:         44         g	Cal:         526         Carb:         66         g         Sod:         659         mg           Fat:         13         g         Fiber:         12         g         Pro:         42         g
28 TURKEY HOT DISH WHITE RICE SEASONED ASPARAGUS BLUSHING PEARS MULTIGRAIN BREAD	29 SAUERBRATEN HOT GERMAN POTATO SALAD RED CABBAGE SALAD GERMAN CHOCOLATE CAKE RYE BREAD	30 BAGEL PIZZA CAESAR SALAD STRAWBERRIES BUTTERSCOTCH PUDDING	31 - Happy Halloween! AMERICAN GHOULASH STEAMED CARROT FINGERS SLIMED ORANGES WHOLE WHEAT BREAD HALLOWEEN COOKIE	
Cal:         822         Carb:         128 g         Sod:         928 mg           Fat:         17 g         Fiber:         11 g         Pro:         40 g	Cal:         1081         Carb:         122 g         Sod:         806 mg           Fat:         31 g         Fiber:         10 g         Pro:         77 g	Cal:         591         Carb:         71         g         Sod:         803         mg           Fat:         26         g         Fiber:         5         g         Pro:         21         g	Cal: 1191	



Meals delivered between 10:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. Call **298-9844 ext. 3** if you have not received your meal by 12:45 p.m. Call before 3:30pm if you need to make a change in your service for the next day.

## **Dining Sites**

All reservations must be in by 3:30pm the day before.
970-298-9844

#### **Clifton Community Campus:**

M W TH F 12:00-12:30 3270 D 1/2 Rd, Clifton

#### **Palisade Community Center**

Tues. & Thurs. 12:00-12:30

120 W 8th St., Palisade

**Fruita Community Center** 

M T W F 12:00-12:30

324 N. Coulson St., Fruita

**Grand View Apts.** 

M-Th 12:00-12:30

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1501 N. 1st St., GJ

#### **OPEN TO RESIDENTS ONLY:**

Ratekin Towers Apartments

M-F 12:00-12:30

#### **AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST:**

<u>Colbran Congregational Church</u> <u>Mesa Community Center</u>

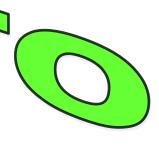
#### **MEALS INCLUDE 1% MILK**

\$3.50 is the suggested meal donation for age 60+

Meals on Wheels Mesa County uses the following major food allergens as ingredients: Milk, Egg, Fish, Crustacean Shellfish, Tree Nuts, Peanuts, Wheat, Soy, and Sesame. Please notify staff for more information about these ingredients.

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# Fall for a Ranch Home

The ranch style home formally originated in California in the 1930's. Previously homes were square shaped. The ranch style began the trend of one level rectangles with a rambling feel meant to remind owners of wide-open spaces. This style was inspired by cattle ranches -- hence the name, Rambling Ranch.

Early ranch homes were less than 1,000 square feet in size with small rooms distinctly separate from each other. Today's ranch homes tend to connect the kitchen, dining and living areas. Additionally, more homes are being built with wider halls to accommodate wheelchairs and walkers. Brand new ranch homes in Mesa County are typically 1,100-2,000 square feet. Cash is still king and mortgage interest rates have dropped to the low 6% range.

Here are a few homes eager for new owners.

4 TWELFTH CT GJ NORTH \$499,000 LOCK-N-LEAVE



Listed by Niki Yenter Przystup, VCK Group, Coldwell Banker

653 HALL FRUITA \$399,000 SOLAR



Listed by Niki Yenter Przystup, VCK Group, Coldwell Banker

459 FLORENCE GJ SE \$429,900 GAS FIREPLACE



Listed by LoriAnn Erb, VCK Group, Coldwell Banker

3092 LAWSON
GJ NE
\$499,900
4 BEDROOM
Listed by Rebecca
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