

# ACTIVITY SCHEDULE



**Bighorn Sheep Viewing — 10 am to 4 pm**  
Georgetown Wildlife Viewing Area  
*NE of town on Alvarado Rd near the lake*  
& Gateway Visitor Center: *I-70 interchange*  
Watch Rocky Mountain bighorn sheep on a nearby hillside. Spotting scopes will bring the action into clear view. Volunteer hosts will share a cup of hot-cider and help you learn about bighorns.



**Guided Hike — 1pm**

*Meet at the 22nd Street drive-across bridge at the lake*  
Enjoy a guided hike on the Silver Creek trail. This scenic two-hour hike begins at a moderate climb, but soon levels out so you can fully enjoy the scenery.



## ESPECIALLY FOR KIDS

### Historic downtown

**Kids Corner Crafts — all day**

*Gallery Atrium, 6th Street*  
Crafts and face-painting offered until 4 pm. Make a pair of bighorn sheep horns and join us in the Colorado Critters Parade! Best for kids ages 5+.



**Colorado Critters Parade — Noon**

Meet in front of the Community Center just before noon and march to Strousse Park. For all the kids and young at heart. Make some simple bighorn sheep horns and join us in the parade!



**Bounce house — all day**

Kids under 12 are invited to Hamill House to bounce away part of the day!



*Meet Elbert the Bighorn!*

**Bighorn Hokey Pokey — After the parade**

*Strousse Park*  
Learn about bighorn behavior with a familiar childhood dance. Ewe can join us, too!!!

**Georgetown Loop Historic Railroad**

Educational Sheep Festival Train trips depart exclusively from the Georgetown Devil's Gate Depot on the hour starting at 11:30 am.

## EDUCATION PRESENTATIONS

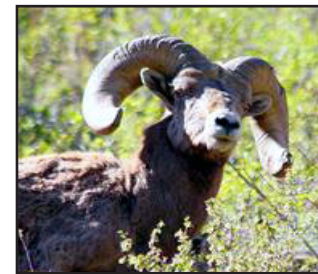
**Georgetown Community Center**

Programs throughout the day



**Catching Poachers: A Behind-the-Scenes Look at Protecting Colorado's Wildlife — 11 am**

Have you ever wondered how wildlife officers "catch the bad guys?" This presentation will show you how! Speaker: CPW District Wildlife Manager Ty Petersburg



**Bighorn Sheep of Georgetown — 1:30 pm**

The Georgetown herd has lived here since before recorded history. Learn their natural history, management, & activities. Speaker: CPW terrestrial biologist Sherri Huwer



**Winter Bird Feeding — 2:30 pm**

Discover how to attract the birds that winter along our Front Range. Learn to identify birds, and simple ways you can help songbird conservation. Speaker: David Menough, Wild Birds Unlimited



## THINGS TO SEE & DO

- **Live Music — Strousse Park, 12 noon to 1:30 pm; 3 -4 pm**
- **Campfire and Supporting Vendors: — Strousse Park, all day**
- **Georgetown history at Hamill House, the Hotel de Paris, and the Energy Museum**
- **Test your own climbing skills on the climbing wall, courtesy of the US Army/National Guard — corner of 6th & Rose**
- **Tommyknocker Beer: Butt Head Bock Lager! — Strousse Park, all day**

## WILDLIFE WATCHING IN COLORADO

Colorado is blessed with boundless opportunities to view wildlife, from the eastern plains to the high mountains, the metro area to the semidesert shrublands in the south. Colorado Parks & Wildlife urges families and friends to get outside and see all that our centennial state has to offer! Check out our website at:

<http://wildlife.state.co.us/Viewing/Wheretogo/>



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### THANK YOU!

The Georgetown Bighorn Sheep Festival is provided through the cooperation of Colorado Parks and Wildlife, the Town of Georgetown, The Georgetown Trust, numerous local business and volunteers. Special thanks to the Georgetown Promotions Committee and the Gateway Visitor Center!



*"Fortunate is the locality that perpetuates its mountain sheep. These courageous climbers add much to the ancient mountains and snowy peaks; the arctic wild gardens and the crags would not be the same for us if these mountaineers were to vanish forever from the height."*

*--Enos Mills*

# 2011 GEORGETOWN BIGHORN SHEEP FESTIVAL



Saturday, November 12

