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MOOO NEWS

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Celebrating our Freedom

In 2026, the United States celebrates 250 years since the Declaration of Independence, while Colorado marks 150 years of statehood. These anniversaries recognize the history, progress, and spirit that have shaped both the nation and our state.

America's 250th anniversary honors the nation's journey from 1776 to today. Through challenges and achievements, the country has grown into a symbol of freedom, opportunity, and innovation. The celebration encourages Americans to reflect on the past and work together toward a stronger future.

Colorado became the 38th state in 1876, earning the nickname "The Centennial State." Known for its majestic Rocky Mountains, outdoor recreation, and pioneering history, Colorado continues to thrive in agriculture, technology, and tourism.

Together, these milestones celebrate resilience, unity, and the shared values that connect Colorado to America's story.



This photo is a beautiful piece of Longmont Dairy history! One of our longtime customers, Kathy, shared this sweet memory:

"I came across this photo of myself from 1967 (I was five years old) and noticed the milk box in the background! My parents ordered from Longmont Dairy, then my family and now my kids' families! Always appreciate the great service and quality products."

Stories like Kathy's mean the world to us. **For over six decades, families across generations have welcomed our milk boxes and our milk onto their doorsteps.** Send us your photos for a chance to be featured, too!

JULY

Since 1776!



Dear Friends,

We hope you're enjoying the beginning of your summer. We know many of you live very busy lives, and we hope that our delivery service and mobile app help make things a little more convenient.

For those of you who have never used the app or aren't familiar with all of its features, we wanted to highlight a few of them:

- **Set reminders for yourself** at least one hour before the cutoff time to make adjustments.
- **Modify or skip deliveries** up to six weeks in advance as you plan for vacations or extra guests.
- **Customize your standing order** for items you want weekly, every other week, or once a month.
- **Browse new and seasonal items** or try any of our regular items from various categories.

Take Care,

Katie

PATRIOTIC ACTIVITIES FOR THE 4TH OF JULY

Celebrate the 4th with DIY patriotic decorations, fun crafts, yummy treats, festive activities, and a little history.

The kids will have a blast decorating your lawn, windows, or backyard with balloons, streamers, flags, pinwheels, and other patriotic creations.

Red, White, and Blue Snack Board

Create a festive spread that's as decorative as it is delicious. Arrange everything in stripes or a flag-inspired pattern for a cheerful centerpiece!

- **Red:** strawberries, cherries, watermelon cubes, pepper slices, Longmont Dairy Raspberry Lemonade
- **White:** cauliflower, cheese cubes, yogurt dip, popcorn
- **Blue:** blueberries, blackberries, blue corn chips, Longmont Dairy Blueberry Lemonade



Easy directions:

- Pre-cut a 6" x 6" paper square and decorate it with paint or glue on glitter.
- Use the pencil and ruler to draw 2 diagonal lines, corner-to-corner, that cross at the square's center.
- Mark the center point and mark a point 2 3/4" from each corner on the diagonal line. Cut in, from the corner to the 2 3/4" mark.
- Using the pin, punch a hole in the center, and at every other point about 1/4" from the tip.
- Poke the pin through one of the point holes and curl the point toward the center, don't fold
- Curl each pierced point, in turn, toward the center and poke the pin through all of the holes
- Push the pin through the center hole of the Pinwheel
- Holding the pencil on a flat surface with one hand, push the pin into the side of the eraser
- You're finished! Make a lot of 4th of July pinwheels to share with your neighbors.

Star-Spangled Scavenger Hunt

Hide red, white, and blue trinkets or paper stars around the yard. Give kids (or adults!) a checklist to complete. Include a few challenges, like "find something that sparkles" or "snap a picture with a flag."



American Music Bingo

Create bingo cards with song titles from classic American tunes, patriotic songs, or well-known summer hits. Play a playlist in the background and have guests mark off songs as they hear them.



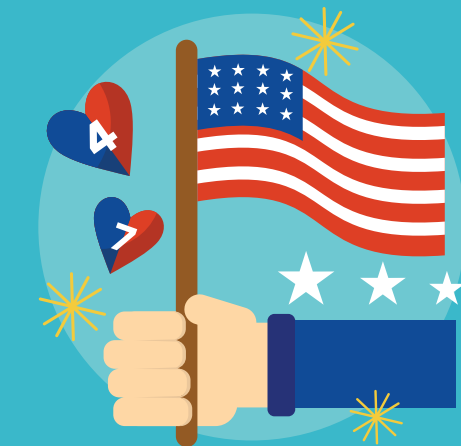
DIY Festive Accessories

Set up a small craft station with supplies for friendship bracelets, decorated paper crowns, star-shaped sunglasses, and simple parade hats. Provide cardstock strips, star stickers, markers, ribbon, and beads. Kids love making something they can wear, and it makes for great photos, too.



Flag Garland Photo Spot

Hang red, white, and blue bandanas or paper flags on string to create a simple backdrop for photos. Add a basket of props (star sunglasses, cowboy hats, fun signs) for instant laughs.



Twilight Glow Party

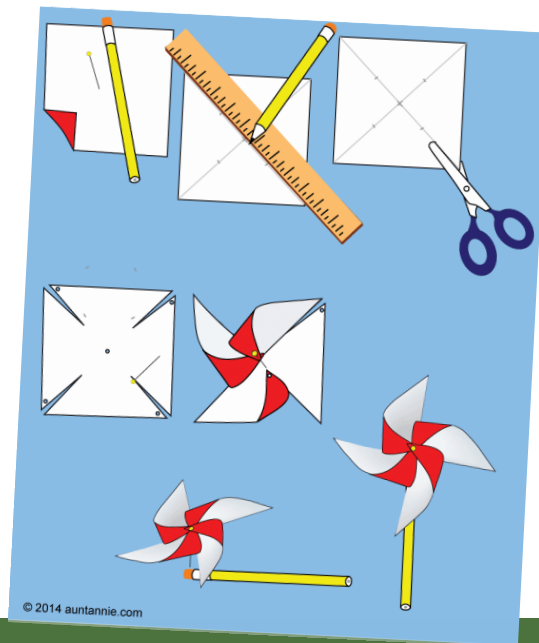
As the sun sets, hand out red, white, and blue glow sticks, glow bracelets, small lanterns, or LED balloons. Kids can make glowing necklaces, play yard games, and dance around as everyone waits for the fireworks to begin.



Make a 4th of July Paper Pinwheel

Here's what you need:

- Construction paper
- Pencil with eraser, unsharpened
- Straight Pin with ball top
- Scissors, ruler, and a pencil
- Optional: beads, glitter, and glue



4th of July Trivia Questions - Quiz Your Parents!

Why do we celebrate the 4th of July? [It's a day that represents the Declaration of our Independence from England, and the birth of the United States of America as an independent nation.]

What are the first seven words of the Declaration of Independence? ["When in the course of human events..."]

Who sewed the first official American flag? [Betsy Ross]

Why were the stars in a circle on the first flag? [To show that all the colonies were equal.]

In what city was the Declaration of Independence signed? [Philadelphia, Pennsylvania]

Whose signature is the largest on the Declaration of Independence? [John Hancock's]

Who was the king of England when the colonies declared their independence? [George III was the King of England]

What country gave us the Statue of Liberty? [France]

Who were the Minutemen? [They were a small, elite, military force that could be called upon to quickly defend their towns from war.]

MOOO RECIPES



Ice cream and raspberries were a favorite dessert in early American kitchens, and this classic combination still holds up today. This custard-style vanilla ice cream comes from Olna Boyd, Dan and Katie's late grandmother and the wife of Jim, Longmont

Dairy's first owner. Her recipe has been passed down through the family and remains a favorite.

Use this QR code to find the recipe online.



Olna Boyd's Vanilla Ice Cream

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| 4 large eggs | 2 quarts Longmont Dairy whole milk |
| 2 ² / ₃ c. sugar | 3 c. Longmont Dairy whipping cream |
| Dash salt | 1 Tbsp. vanilla (Watkins Double Strength) |

Beat eggs lightly. Add sugar, salt, milk, and put in a kettle (a double boiler works best). Let simmer over low heat, stirring constantly with a wooden spoon to keep it just below boiling point. When it has congealed to a consistency of thin custard, remove mixture from heat. Let cool. Add cream and vanilla, stir well.

Pour into canister of your ice cream machine to within about 3 inches of the top. Freeze according to manufacturer's instructions.



Clip and file in your recipe collection!



Save on Sliced Cheese

Stock up for your next barbecue! Save 75¢ when ordered for delivery in July. Try **Sliced Medium Cheddar**, **Sharp Cheddar**, or **Colby Jack Cheese** from Tillamook.



A Local Favorite

From Bavarian Bakery in Longmont, **Vienna Sourdough Kaiser Rolls** will add the finishing touch to your next burger. Available June 29-July 31.



Cool and Refreshing

Fresh-Brewed Iced Tea is made with Rocky Mountain water and premium black tea in partnership with Silver Canyon Coffee. The revitalizing and brisk infusion, with bold, robust flavors offers a refreshing pick-me-up.



JULY—SEASONAL PRODUCTS

Sweets

BREAD IN THE BOX

White Chocolate Raspberry

MARY'S MOUNTAIN COOKIE DOUGH

Monster & Fudge Fantasy

Meals/Soup

PREFARE—Chicken Fajitas

MAC N' NOODLES

Buffalo Chicken Mac n' Cheese

Meat

ROME'S SAUSAGE—German Sausage

CHARCUTNUOVO SAUSAGE

Prost Brewing Vienna Lager Bier Brat & Pork Jalapeño Cheddar Brat

