



MANAGER UPDATE

Meeting Date: 2/24/2025

To: Town of Grand Lake Board of Trustees
From: Steve Kudron, Town Manager

Ice Conditions

The Town's Ice Rinks are open, but the weather has deteriorated the surface. The Zamboni has been down for repairs. Remember, natural ice surfaces come with natural surface conditions. Be safe out there.

Marquee Progress:

Work continues at the Town Marquee. They are working through the weather. Welding has started and the material pile on Grand Ave has been removed. The contractor has set a Memorial Day finish date.

Winter Carnival a Great Success!

For the Carnivalers, it started with a Friday party at the Lariat and ended with a midnight party at Charlie's featuring a whole lot of casino action. In between we saw Kids snowmobile races, Teapot curling, Snow Golf, Ice Sculpting, a fantastic hot chocolate, game fun, warming hut sponsored by Colorado Aerolab, and of course Bedsled Races.

To Matt & the Public Works Team – Thank you for making sure the snow was moved here and there, we were able to make a race track with the help of the Trailgroomers, the trash was emptied and Town was returned to normal by noon on Sunday.

A super shoutout goes to our events coordinator Sarah Weekes. She has worked tirelessly with Winter Carnival volunteers, past and present, to gain understanding and add a current twist that made Winter Carnival an incredible Grand Lake Presents event. Wonderful job – thank you!

Winter Town Maintenance:

As the Temperature fluctuates wildly, problems may occur with services around Town. It is important to remember that the Town services the main lines, but all service lines (electric,

water, sewer, etc.) are the responsibility of the property owner. The Town will do what we can to support these property issues as they arise.

Equipment can be seen on Town roads almost every day in the wintertime. Please make certain that our workers are afforded your patience and distance when working.

When snow clearing operations occur, berms are a result of that operation. We do not clear every drive or pathway in residential streets as a matter of policy and practice.

March Event Highlights:

3/8/2025: Grand Lake Skijor **Downtown Grand Lake**

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3/11/2025: Happening at the House: Bob Gemmell **Grand Lake Community House**

For all of the great events happening in Grand Lake as well as Rocky Mountain Folk School classes, check out the March newsletter on the Town's website.

Next Board Meeting: March 10, 2025