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Green River Outlaw Days: Friday–Saturday, November 7th & 8th

Green River is proud to present our annual Green River Outlaw Days, this event is held in November. Activities include, Cowboy Action Shooting, a milk jug shoot, horseshoe tournament, a small Vendor Fair, BBQ Dinner, Cowboy Poetry, Brenn Hill concert, and more! Visit outlawdays.com for more information.



Participants are encouraged to register at outlawdays.com by October 26th to ensure a plate at the BBQ Dinner! You do not need to be a shooter to participate in the dinner and concert.

Cowboy-Action Shooting (“SASS”) is a live ammo amateur shooting sport for all ages, SASS is a timed competition using original or reproduction firearms from 1850-1900. Two revolvers, one lever-action rifle in pistol caliber, one side-by-side (“SXS”) shotgun or 1882 or 1897 model shotguns. Competitors, dressed in costume, will shoot “stages,” usually 5-6 stages per day. A stage consists of a



“story,” a procedure for shooting the target arrays. All stages this year are based around Outlaw Flat Nose George. A missed target is a 5-second time penalty and shooting in the

wrong order is a 10-second penalty. There are also minor and major safety penalties.

Spectators are welcome to come watch the shooting competitions, shop at the small Vendor Fair, and join in the Horseshoe Tournament.

Outlaw Days is made possible thanks to support from Green River City, and Emery County Travel Bureau.

Inaugural ‘Run for Rivers’ 5K & Kids 1K Fun Run, Set for November 8

The Run is a Fundraiser for the Confluence Center of Colorado

The Confluence Center of Colorado is excited to announce the inaugural Run for Rivers, a family-friendly fundraiser taking place on Saturday, November 8, at 10 a.m. along the scenic Riverfront Trail in Grand Junction, Colorado.

The event will feature a 5K run/walk, a 1K Fun Run for kids, and activities including a nature scavenger hunt and art project. All 5K participants will receive a commemorative T-shirt with registration.

“We are excited to host this fun, family-oriented event and give our community the opportunity to see our new facility,” said Jenn Moore, Executive Director of EUREKA! McConnell Science Museum. “This run is perfect for all levels and will be a great opportunity to spend some time on the beautiful trails by the river as the seasons change.”

The Run for Rivers will start and finish at the new Confluence Center of Colorado, a hub for education, stewardship, and collaboration around rivers, habitats and natural resources.

Event Details:

- **Date/Time:** Saturday, November 8, 10 a.m.
- **Location:** Confluence Center of Colorado, 2596 Dos Rios Dr., Grand Junction, CO.
- **Route:** Riverfront Trail, Grand Junction
- **Activities:** 5K run/walk, 1K kids’ run, kids’ scavenger hunt and art project
- **Registration:** confluencecenterco.org

This first-ever Run for Rivers is made possible thanks to the generous support of Shaw Construction, Grand Junction Sports Commission, One Riverfront, Mt. Garfield Wealth Management Group, RiversEdge West, Eureka! McConnell Science Museum, Camp Eddy and Amazon.

About the Confluence Center of Colorado

The Confluence Center of Colorado is a collaborative partnership of local non-profits who are all committed to the same mission-driven work of land and water stewardship,

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education, recreation, restoration, and agriculture. A new building that will house the partners is nearing the end of construction at the confluence of the Colorado and Gunnison Rivers at Dos Rios near downtown Grand Junction. Founding organizations include EUREKA! McConnell Science Museum, RiversEdge West, One Riverfront, Colorado National Monument Association (CNMA), Colorado Canyons Association, and Colorado West Land Trust. For more about the Confluence Center, visit www.confluencecenterco.org or follow @confluencecenterCO on Instagram.



Mountainfilm on Tour stops in Grand Junction, November 13th

By Sharon Sullivan

Mountainfilm on Tour comes to western Colorado’s Avalon Theatre, Thursday, November 13 for an evening of poignant, and adventure-packed documentaries selected from the May 2025 Telluride Film Festival. The Avalon Theatre is located at 645 Main St. in downtown Grand Junction.

While the Telluride Film Festival creates its own playlists for the tour, it also allows Mountainfilm hosts to curate their own program, which is what event sponsor Western Colorado Alliance chose to do, said WCA development associate Adriane Moline.

The grassroots community organizing group is particularly excited to show the film *First In, Last Out*, a documentary about extraordinary surfing photographer Christa Funk – who happened to grow up in Grand Junction, said Moline. Funk left Colorado to join the Coast Guard, and was assigned to Hawaii, where she later pursued photography and surfing. During the intermission, and after the screening of *First In, Last Out*, there will be a brief question and answer period with Funk.

Another notable film that evening is *About Damned Time*, a documentary about women who navigate the Colorado River through Grand Canyon, rowing wooden dories. The film centers on Cindell Dale, one of the first female dory guides, who helped pave the way for other women river guides who rowed the more challenging dories.

Other film topics include mountain biking, skateboarding, and, a story about an immigrant community and immigrant-run bakery in the Northeast.

Mountainfilm documentaries are known for their big, closeup adventure shots, said Moline. But what really sets these films apart is the “heart and inspiration” in the films, regarding people who are doing good work in their communities – which ties back to Western Colorado Alliance’s mission, said Moline.

The film showings start at 7 p.m., with doors opening at 5:30 p.m. with a happy hour and silent auction beforehand and during intermission. There will be live music performed by the duo Baltic Birch, and drinks and snacks available from the Avalon concessionaire.

Silent auction items include a handcrafted and hand-painted teepee donated from Secret Creek in Montrose. Other items include a 24-by-26-inch photo printed on metal by Christa Funk, plus numerous items donated by local businesses, such as spa treatments, gift cards, a pass for Iron Mountain Hot Springs in Glenwood Springs, and a pass for Aspen- Snowmass Ski Resort.

There are eight films, ranging from about three minutes to 20 minutes, said Moline, with the event ending around 9 or 9:30 p.m.

The Avalon Theatre has a strict bag policy, which only allows clear totes no larger than 12-by-8-by-12 inches, or a 1-gallon clear plastic bag. Bags that are not transparent must be 5-by 8-inches or smaller.

General admission tickets are \$18.87, which includes Avalon fees. For tickets, visit: www.avalontheatreji.com/upcoming-events/mtn-film-fest



Jeriel Clark-Dyar, Adriane Moline, and Tanya Travis at last year’s Mountainfilm event in Grand Junction.



Christa Funk: *First In, Last Out* Surf Photography

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