



WATER LANTERN FESTIVAL



EVENT GUIDE

Denver
July 12-13, 2025

EVENT INFO:

WHEN

July 12-13, 2025

WHERE

Carpenter Park
10698 Garfield St
Thornton, CO 80233

PARKING

See details on next page.

*The use of public transportation
or rideshare is encouraged!

WHAT TO BRING

Event ticket
Blanket/ Warm Clothes
Camping Chair

Camera
Bug Spray

WHAT TO EXPECT

Welcome to the Water Lantern Festival, where family, friends, and community members gather to reflect and connect with one another. Enjoy the vibrant and lively atmosphere of the festival, including local food trucks and lively entertainment. Create a unique lantern honoring your experience and set it afloat, lighting up the night with love and laughter

SCHEDULE

5:30-8:00 PM

arrival time between 5:30-8:00

Please arrive before 8:00 PM

8:00-8:30 PM

Lantern Stories, Meditation,
Launch Instructions

8:30-9:30 PM

Lantern Launch Window

9:30 PM

Event Ends



VENUE & PARKING

PARKING

Parking will be available at the park. Please see map below for more detailed parking information.



LANTERN LAUNCH

PLEASE NOTE

Our lantern launch is subject to weather conditions which may impact the lanterns movement on the water.

DECORATE YOUR LANTERN

1. Decorate your lantern with messages of empowerment, remembrance, and connection.
2. Push the four rods into each corner of the lantern base and slide the paper sleeve over the rods
3. Place the LED candle in the center of the lantern.
4. Listen for instructions and launch your lantern during the designated window.



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DISCOVERY YOGA

1 Hour Yoga Add-On before the event

START YOUR NIGHT WITH STILLNESS

Join us one hour early for a special yoga experience designed just for Water Lantern Festival attendees. Set your intentions with a guided meditation and gentle yoga flow led by a certified instructor – perfect for all experience levels.



WHY YOGA FIRST?

- ☒ Skip the lines – check in early!
- ☒ Grab your spot before the crowds.
- ☒ Start your evening calm and present.
- ☒ Enjoy the calm before the magical night.
- ☒ Connect with others in a peaceful setting.
- ☒ Leave grounded, calm, and ready to light the night

VENDORS & PARTNERS

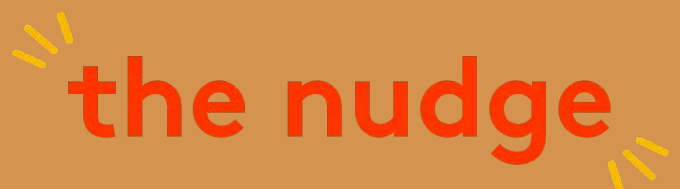
FOOD



VENDORS



PARTNERS



FESTIVAL MERCH

Available in limited quantities online on our website and for pickup at the WLF Store Tent

FRONT:



FRONT:



BACK:



BACK:



WANT A KEEPSAKE FROM THE EVENT?

Official Denver Water Lantern Festival shirts will be available for purchase on our website with pickup at the store tent. Sizes and quantities are limited, so purchase yours before they're gone!

Give Water. Change Lives

1 in 10 people around the world lack access to safe water. Water Lantern Festival is proud to support Water.org to help change this. Access to safe water improves health, empowers women, enables access to education, increases family income and changes lives. Water.org has transformed millions of lives around the world. Together we can change even more. Scan the QR code to learn more and give water today.



\$25 helps give one family lasting access to safe water or sanitation at home.

PERFORMERS

MOONSTRUCK MELODIES

Campfire Music for the Soul. Moonstruck Melodies is a husband and wife duo of dreamers, (solo performance by husband) inspired by life's magical experiences and love in all of its forms. Appropriately deemed "Campfire Music," these two coalesce the energy and vibration of folk-like storytelling, downright honest southern songwriting, and the ethereal companionship of strings and air. Moonstruck Melodies is telling a story, weaving a mythology following the "Lover's Journey." From answering a call that is heard, to swimming through a cosmically dark night, and finding the sunrise anew with helpers and tests galore, this mystical duo is cultivating a safe space to land... a spot around the universal campfire where we can gain warmth and inspiration.



HALEY HARKIN

Haley was born and raised in Austin, Tx, and is currently residing in Colorado. Surrounded by music most of her life, her roots are in folk, while pushing the edges of creativity. She has described her style as folk medicine music. Others have said her music feels like, 'bare feet on grass'. Her lyrics express her love for nature, humanity, and her desire to make change. With her sultry sounds and sweet words she will surely touch your heart.



PERFORMERS

EVAN JAMES

Evan James is a Colorado-based indie folk artist whose passion for music runs deep. His journey began the same year he earned his driver's license, when a Bob Dylan CD ignited his interest in folk music and opened the door to a world of storytelling through song. Since then, Evan has cultivated a unique sound influenced by artists like Dylan, Noah Kahan, The Lumineers, and James Bay, blending introspective lyrics with vibrant acoustic energy.



MORE INFO

DONATE

Water Lantern Festival is proud to support Water.org supplying clean water to people across the globe.

SUSTAINABILITY

Water Lantern Festival cares deeply about our environment and our water resources. Our lanterns are made from wood and rice paper making them as sustainable as possible. Following the event our team retrieves each lantern as well as any trash in or around the water. We encourage you to follow our example and leave the park better than we found it.

RELEASE WAIVER

By participating in the Water Lantern Festival presented by One World, you agree to the release waiver which can be viewed at <http://www.waterlanternfestival.com/release-waiver.php>.

We are not responsible for lost or stolen items. Children should not be left unattended at any time during the event.

EVENT UPDATES

Be sure to follow the Water Lantern Festival event page on Facebook to receive last-minute event updates.

