The Boulder JCC

Recognized as a leader in innovation and engagement, the Boulder Jewish Community Center (Boulder JCC) is a central address for Jewish life in Boulder, CO, and the Colorado Front Range. It is home to an exceptional early childhood center and diverse arts and cultural programming, as well as day camps, baby, toddler, youth, family, teen, young adult, adult, cultural arts, education, and community programs.

Who do we serve?

The Boulder JCC’s mission is to provide programs and services based in Jewish values and traditions in a place where people of all ages and backgrounds gather to connect, exchange ideas, learn, and grow together. The Boulder JCC is open to everyone and embraces a policy of nondiscrimination.

What will the new building offer?

The new Boulder JCC will be located at the corner of Cherryvale Road and Arapahoe Avenue in Boulder. It will be a 50,000 ft² building located on an 8-10 acre campus.

The new facility will house:

• Adult Classrooms
• Art Gallery Space
• Cardio Workout Space
• Catering Kitchen
• Classroom Space
• Classrooms for Parent and Child Classes
• Community Hall
• Community Office Space
• Full-service Preschool
• Group Fitness Studio
• Gymnasium
• Jewish Family Service Offices
• Library
• Locker Rooms
• Outdoor playing fields, play spaces, and gardens
• Reading Room
• Studio Art Room
• Study Room
• Teen Lounge
• Tumbling Room

How will the new building better serve the community?

Our goal is to create an open and inviting space so we can continue to meet our mission. We will:

• Meet growing demand for infant, toddler, and preschool options
• Provide opportunities for expanded after-school programming including arts, sports, films, and study space
• Provide programming space for a high-quality Jewish day camp
• Enable group fitness opportunities
• Provide spaces that match our exceptional arts, cultural, and educational programming through Menorah
• Offer unique Jewish cultural experiences to families of all backgrounds
Why do we need a new building?

Limitations in our current building:

- 12,000 ft² is inadequate to support the demand for programs and services
- Zoning restrictions prevent us from increasing the size and expanding the ages served by our preschool
- Significant maintenance issues make additional programming cost prohibitive
- Not easily accessible for those who use public or alternative transportation
- Cannot house a Jewish day camp due to limited/dated indoor and outdoor facilities
- Space prohibits offering expanded cultural arts related events

Green Building

The Boulder JCC has made a strong commitment to minimizing the environmental impact and maximizing the efficiency of our new building. Highlights of our initiatives include:

- Constructing a LEED-Certified building.
- Hiring RB+B as our architects. RB+B has received multiple awards for their LEED buildings and use of day-lighting.
- Designing convenient access to public transportation.
- Ensuring that the new building is at least 26% more energy-efficient than a building of similar size.
- Installing low-flow and waterless toilets.
- Maximizing recycling efforts and minimizing waste at the construction site and in the new facility.

How you can participate

Make a gift today by going to www.boulderjcc.org. Consider making a 5-year pledge (e.g., a $1,000 pledge is $200/year).

All donors at the $1,000 level and above will be recognized on a donor wall in the new building. There is no minimum contribution amount.

Visit our building website at www.boulderjccbuilding.org for the most up to date information on the Cornerstone Capital Campaign.

The Sturm Family Foundation (with the participation of ANB Bank) has made an extraordinary challenge: If we raise $500,000 by December 31, 2012, they will match that $500,000, dollar for dollar, bringing us to $18M and the start of construction.

Questions?

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