

Wednesday, October 1, 2014







"The Bakken: Examining Efforts To Address Law Enforcement, Infrastructure, and Economic Development Needs"



Candidates' Forum at Girard Hall

Girard Homemakers will host a candidates' forum on Monday, October 13 at 7 pm at Girard Hall. All local, state and national candidates have been invited. Ballot issues will also be discussed.

Girard Hall is located 6 miles west of the junction of Hwy 16 and Hwy 201.

Come prepared to ask questions and enjoy a piece of homemade pie.

LYREA Holding Food & Coat Drive

In the spirit of Co-op Month, Lower Yellowstone REC is holding its annual Food and Coat Drive. Please help those in need by bringing coats, hats, mittens or gloves and non-perishable food items to LYREC at 3200 W. Holly, Sidney. Cash donations are also welcome. Please remember to check expiration dates on food items. Any expired food items must be thrown away.

Upcoming Workshop

Fairview King and Queen

Fairview held their homecoming last week. Monte Cayko was crowned king and Faith Vitt was crowned queen. (Photo by Melissa Gackle.)

Right: A subcommittee on the Efficiency and Effectiveness of Federal Programs was held at the Richland County Fair Event Center Friday morning. Senator Jon Tester helmed the proceedings as Chairman and invited many witnesses to testify about their specific field of interest regarding the change in the area since the boom started and what sort of impact we are experiencing now. (Photos by Suzie Schieffer)





Left: Senator Jon Tester listens intently during testimony at the hearing on Friday.



"The Elm Coulee Oil Field: Birthplace of the Bakken Oil Boom" Geo-marker Placed During Ceremony Friday

Lt. Governor Angela Mclean, presents Geo Marker to the City of Sidney this past Friday. Mayor Rick Norby and the Director of Montana Department of Transportation, Mike Tooley, were also present. The Geological Program was started in 2006 by then 1st Lady Schweitzer and 8 years later we now have 50 markers in Montana. This program has since been picked up by 1st lady Bullock with Sidney being the first of 8 more planned geo-sites throughout Montana. The ceremony was held at the Sidney Chamber of Commerce.

These Geo-Markers explain which minerals and resources are located in this area. Pictured above is Lt. Governor Angela Mclean with Rau Elementary students (Photo by Suzie Schieffer)

ND Agricultural Producers Invited to Attend Important Farm Bill Meetings

Submitted by Dan Janes

USDA North Dakota Farm Service Agency (FSA) is partnering with the North Dakota State University Extension Service to host a series of informational meetings to discuss the Agricultural Risk Coverage (ARC) and Price Loss Coverage (PLC) programs authorized by the Agricultural Act of 2014.

The 2014 Farm Bill authorizes three program election options: PLC, ARC-County (ARC-CO) and ARC-Individual (ARC-IC). Producers must make a one-time decision to retain or reallocate crop bases, to retain or update program payment yields and select the type of coverage (price protection, county revenue protection, and/or individual revenue protection) for the 2014-18 crop years.

The informational meetings will explain the program election, base allocation and yield update process.

Meetings will be held in the following locations:

October 9, 8am-10am, Williston, Williston Research Extension Center, 14120 Highway 2

The meetings are free and open to the general public.

"Farm owners and operators have a lot of decisions to make for these new programs and we want to make sure everyone has as much information as possible before making enrollment choices," said Aaron Krauter, North Dakota FSA State Executive Director. "All interested producers, regardless of operation size, should join us to learn more about these new programs."

For more information about the meetings, please contact your local FSA office. MNAXLP

in Watford City for Parents, Becoming a Love & Logic Parent Series

By Marcia Hellandsaas NDSU Extension Agent, McKenzie County

Is being a parent draining your energy? Parents of tots to teens use these Love & Logic strategies to energize, reduce the nagging and complaining from your children, promote thinking and responsibility, and give consequences with empathy. Put a laugh back into your parenting in this fourweek series!

Become a Love & Logic parent will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm (CT) on October 7, 9, 14 and 16 at the McKenzie County Extension Service at 205 6th Street NW (located behind the Courthouse in the Rural Water/Economic Development Building) in Watford City. The classes will be free of charge and include a workbook and lite meal.

Participants MUST register by calling the McKenzie County Extension Office at 701-444-3451 or emailing: marcia.hellandsaas@ndsu. edu. Pre-registrations are requested by Friday, October 3.

This program is provided through funding from the ND Department of Human Services – Children and Family Services.

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Audrey Lorenz, 85, Sidney, MT Funeral services for Audrey Lorenz, 85, of Sidney, MT,

were at 11:00 a.m., Friday, September 26, 2014 at Ebenezer Congregational Church, Sidney, MT, with Pastor David Meehan officiating. Interment of cremains will be in Sidney Cemetery, Sidney, MT., at a later date. Remembrances, condolences and pictures may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.com.

Audrey died on Tuesday morning, September 23, 2014 at the Sidney Health Center Extended Care.

Martha Swanson, 94,

Sidney, MT Celebration of Life for Martha Swanson, 94, Sidney, MT will be at 2:00 p.m., Friday, October 3, 2014 at Zion Lutheran Church in Fairview, MT with Pastor Roberta Pierce officiating. Interment of cremains will be in Fairview Cemetery, Fairview, ND. Remembrances, condolences and pictures may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.com.

Martha slipped away swiftly and painlessly in the morning hours of Sunday, September 7, 2014 at the Sidney Health Center Extended Care.

Wilma "Kitty" Corneliusen, 76, Sidney, MT formerly of Terry, MT

Graveside services for Wilma "Kitty" Corneliusen, 76, of

Sidney, MT, formerly of Terry, MT were at 3:00 p.m., Friday, September 26, 2014 at Prairie County Cemetery in Terry, MT. Remembrances, condolences and pictures may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.com.

Kitty died on Tuesday morning, September 16, 2014 at the Sidney Health Center Extended Care Facility in Sidney, MT.

MSUB News Release: Summer 2014 Dean's List Announced

By Aaron Clingingsmith, MSU University Relations

Billings undergraduate students excelled academically during the 2014 summer session and have been named to the Dean's List.

The Dean's List is an honor roll of undergraduate students who earn 12 or more credits which are not of a Pass/No Pass nature and who earn a grade point average of 3.50 or better. A comprehensive list of all honorees can be found at www. msubillings.edu/deanslist.

Asterisk () = 4.00 GPA***

Sidney: Kaja Anderson, Amy Bieber* Wolf Point: Sierra Hentges*

Tester: New Resources for MT Ranchers Affected by Wolves

Submitted by Dan Malessa

Senator Jon Tester today announced that new resources are headed to Montana to prevent livestock loss caused by wolves.

Impacts 2014 Durum Crop

By Meagan Dotson

According to Joyce Eckhoff, head of the MSU Eastern Agricultural Research Center, the 2014 durum crop is expected to produce a high yield but lower quality than previous years. The spring durum, Divide, was the most common variety grown this year and due to heavy moisture in April and May, many crops were planted late, if at all. It was the rain early in the season that contributed to the high yield; however rain on the already mature crop late in the season is to blame for the lower quality. Harvest was also delayed because of the precipitation in August and September.

Durum, which is used to make pasta, is an important crop to the region because it offers variety, giving farmers an option in what they choose to grow. Durum often sells at a higher price than spring wheat which can make it appealing to farmers. Most of the durum produced in the United States is grown in northeastern Montana and northwestern North Dakota, with North Dakota being the top producer.

Eckhoff explains that a few years ago the price of durum was high because of limited global supply, and therefore many farmers opted to plant it. This caused a surplus and ultimately drove the price down. Because of the lower price and the wet spring, fewer crops were planted in 2014. Crops in France and Italy have also suffered because of wet conditions and this could potentially drive the price up.

The outcome remains to be seen as one report predicted that durum that was unaffected by rain would sell in the \$8 to



\$9 range. However durum that suffered the effects of the wet weather-lower test weight, discoloration and low falling numbers- would only sell in the \$6 to \$8 range. As of September 17, it was estimated that 29% of durum had been harvested in Montana and 20% in North Dakota.

St. Matthew's Church Fall Dinner October 19

Sunday, October 19, 2014, 11AM - 2PM. Turkey and dressing with all the trimmings including pie. Adults & Children 11-17:\$10.00 Children 10 & younger: \$5.00.

St. Matthew's Parish Center is located at 310 7th Street SE Sidney, MT. Please come & share a community meal.



Richland County



AREA RECOVERY GROUPS

MONDAYS:

- 10NDAYS:
 Noon AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney.
 1 3 p.m. Grief Recovery Support Group in First Lutheran Church, Fellowship Room, Watford City.
 6 p.m. Al-Anon, Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney.
 7 p.m. Fairview Alive and Kicking at Fairview Alliance Church, 704 S. Western Ave.
 9 p.m. Al Compton Pump & Compression
- B p.m.— AA Group, Northern Pump & Compression, Watford City. Call 770-3603 or 770-2675 for directions

TUESDAYS:

7 p.m. — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney.

WEDNESDAYS:
5:00 p.m. – Sober Life Young People's NAAA 12- step recovery group, 25 yr. old & younger, Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney.
8 p.m. – Al-Anon, Sanford Room, McKenzie Co. Public Library, Watford City.

THURSDAYS:

7 p.m. – NA meeting, MonDak Trucking office Bldg., 725 W. Holly, Sidney.

8 p.m. – AA Group, Northern Pump & Compression, Watford City. Call 770-3603 or 770-2675 for directions

or ride.
FRIDAYS:
6:30 - 7:30 p.m.- 5 Stones faith based recovery meeting, Sidney Nazarene, 606 9th St. SW, Back door is open.
7 p.m. - Watford City area Celebrate Recovery, Assembly of God, 2117 S. Main. For help call Robert 417-296-2809 or Stephanie 417-296-2810.
8 p.m. - AA meetings, Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. Bldg, Sidney.

SATURDAYS:

7P.M. – AA 24 hour group, Northern Pump & Compression, Watford City. Call 770-3603 or 770-2675 for directions or ride.

a.m. & 7 p.m. — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church Education bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney.

SUNDAYS:

7 p.m. — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney



LAKE WATER LEVEL REPORT

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SIDNEY WEATHER DATA

Source: MSU Eastern Agricultural Research Center

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The funds come from a U.S. Fish and Wildlife initiative created by Tester's bipartisan Wolf Livestock Loss Mitigation Act. The 2009 law boosts Montana's state-run livestock loss fund, which repays Montana ranchers the full market value of animals killed by wolves and helps ranchers prevent future wolf attacks through non-lethal means.

"Wolves are part of Montana's landscape, but we can't afford to have them threatening our ranching industry and the jobs that come with it," said Tester, a member of the influential Senate Interior Appropriations Subcommittee, which oversees funding for the Fish and Wildlife Service. "I'm glad to see this collaborative bill paying dividends for Montana's hard-working producers."

The state of Montana will receive \$150,000. Grants are being distributed to eight other states, including neighboring Idaho and Wyoming.

The Fish and Wildlife initiative provides funding to states and tribes, with federal share of the cost not exceeding 50 percent.

Walsh releases federal report on train congestion, calls for **Congressional Action**

Submitted by Andrea Helling

Senator calls for investment in Montana's transportation infrastructure to increase safety, ease congestion

Senator John Walsh today released a federal report that chronicles the growth of rail traffic and its impact on local communities.

Walsh in March commissioned the report from the Government Accounting Office (GAO). After Walsh called for the report, the GAO sent researchers across the country, including to Billings, Glendive, and Williston, ND, to assess recent rail traffic trends, particularly those patterns associated with the oil boom in the Bakken.

The report calls for Congressional attention to federal infrastructure investments related to congestion relief as major freight lines often go through city centers and can pose a challenge to public safety.

"This report shows we have a lot of work ahead of us to protect local communities as freight traffic increases on Montana roads and railways," Walsh said. "That means keeping up with the pace of good jobs created in the Bakken by adopting policies to relieve freight congestion. I'm committed to working with my colleagues and willing partners in the rail industry to pass a strong, long-term highway bill that prioritizes public and private investment in rail and road infrastructure."

The Department of Transportation expects freight traffic to rise 51% in tonnage from 2007 to 2040, in part due to limited oil pipeline capacity.

The GAO's full report is available at http://www.gao.gov/ products/GAO-14-740 **MNAXLP**

Events in Sidney unless otherwise listed. MT Zone.

Wed., Oct. 1

12 p.m. - 1 p.m. - Parents Cafe, Panini's Pizzaria, lunch provided

Thurs., Oct. 2

7 p.m. - Andy Hackbarth & Wayward Tambourine at MonDak Heritage Center. Tickets available at the door.

Fri., Oct. 3

11:30 a.m. - Sidney Senior Citizen Center will be hosting a meal. For more info call 406-433-8077.

2:30 p.m. – Sidney Homecoming parade

6:30 p.m. - 5 stone drug and alcohol recovery meeting, Sidney Church of Nazarene, 606 9th ST. SW, back door is open.

Sat., Oct. 4

7:30 a.m. - Noon - Richland County Farmer's Market. Richland County extension parking lot (1499 N Central Ave, Sidney)

7 p.m. - Oktoberfest featuring Andy Hackbarth & Wayward Tambourine, MonDak Heritage Center.

Mon., Oct. 13

7 p.m. - Candidates Forum at Girard Hall, 6 miles west of the junction of Hwy 16 & 201. Sponsored by Girard Homemakers. All local, state and national candidates have been invited.

Sun., Oct. 19

11 a.m. - 3 p.m. - St. Matthews, Sidney, Fall Dinner.

McKenzie County

Events in Watford City unless otherwise listed. CT Zone.

Tues., Sept. 30

5 - 7 p.m – McKenzie Co. Food Pantry open, First Lutheran Church, 212 2nd Ave. NW, Watford City. For more info call 701-444-3451.

7 p. m. - Pinochle will be held in Watford City at the Senior Citizens Center every first and third Tuesdays until spring. Any further questions please call Maddline at 701-570-4394.

Thurs., Oct. 2

12 p.m. - 2 p.m. - McKenzie Co. Food Pantry, lower level of the First Lutheran Church, 212 2nd Ave. NW, Watford City, Cash Wise food giveaway, for more info or to set up an appt. call 701-444-3451 or www.mcfoodpantry.com. 7 p.m.- Pinochle, Watford City Senior Center, 205 5th St. NW, for more info call 842-3760.

OTHER SURROUNDINGCOUNTIES

Events at the Confluence unless otherwise listed are CT Zone.



View all monthly events on our calendar at: www.roundupweb.com

Andy Hackbarth & Wayward **Tambourine to Perform in Sidney October 2nd**



By Jill Hill, President Northeastern Arts Network The Northeastern Arts Network proudly presents in concert Andy Hackbarth & Wayward Tambourine on Thursday, October 2nd. Contemporary folk ensemble with award-winning singer/songwriter Andy Hackbarth, this group creates music bearing the stamp of the contemporary West. These highly acclaimed road warriors have set themselves apart with a mix of intricately-arranged original songs, one-of-a-kind renditions of popular cover tunes and virtuosic guitar selections with an upbeat show that

continues to "wow" audiences of all ages.

Not only does Andy Hackbarth join the choice few indie artists who preserve the folk ethic of acoustic instrumentation, but he also manages to create a cohesive album while weaving together seemingly disparate musical traditions such as 19th century Spanish Romanticism, jazz standards, the classical masters and contemporary indie rock. A native of Colorado's Rocky Mountains, Andy grew up hiking the back country alongside his family's llamas. (They carried his guitars!) Early on, he played songs by Jim Croce and Gordon Lightfoot around the campfire but quickly made room for the works of Tarrega, Granados or whatever classical composers he happened to be studying at the Aspen Music Festival and School. Recognized as a classical guitar virtuoso in his early 20s, Andy sought to pursue new musical interests, in particular, writing his own songs. So, he relocated to Nashville, Tennessee until his songwriting was on par with his mastery of the guitar. "You don't realize how much you have to learn until you move to Nashville," he

says. "Truly great songs are so rare, and it's an incredible feeling to know that you've written a song in which every word counts---one that forces everyone who hears it to stop, really listen, and look at the world in a completely different way." Achieving this very effect, Treadmill Horses represents Andy Hackbarth's fourth album and contains seven carefully selected songs whose lyrics are as poetic as the arrangements are precise and beautiful.

This concert will be held at the MonDak Heritage Center at 7:00 p.m. Season tickets can be purchased at the door: adults \$45, senior \$40, and students \$35. Tickets can also be purchased at the door. For additional concert information contact Candy Markwald 406-488-4155, Jill Hill 406-489-4304, or Karen Boehler 406-433-4375. The Big Sky Series is made possible in part by through grant support from Montana's Cultural Trust, Montana Arts Council, National Endowment for the Arts, the Montana Performing Arts Consortium and the Western States Arts Federation (WE-STAF).

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Parents Café Oct. 1

The Parents Café will be discussing bullying and cyber bullying on Wednesday, October 1, 2014 at Panini's Pizzeria, 102 N. Central, Sidney 12pm to 1pm, lunch will be provided. Guest speaker Dr. Daniel Farr, Superintendent of Sidney Public Schools will be joining. For more information please contact Missy, Nicole or Vicky at 406-433-4097.



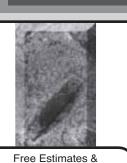
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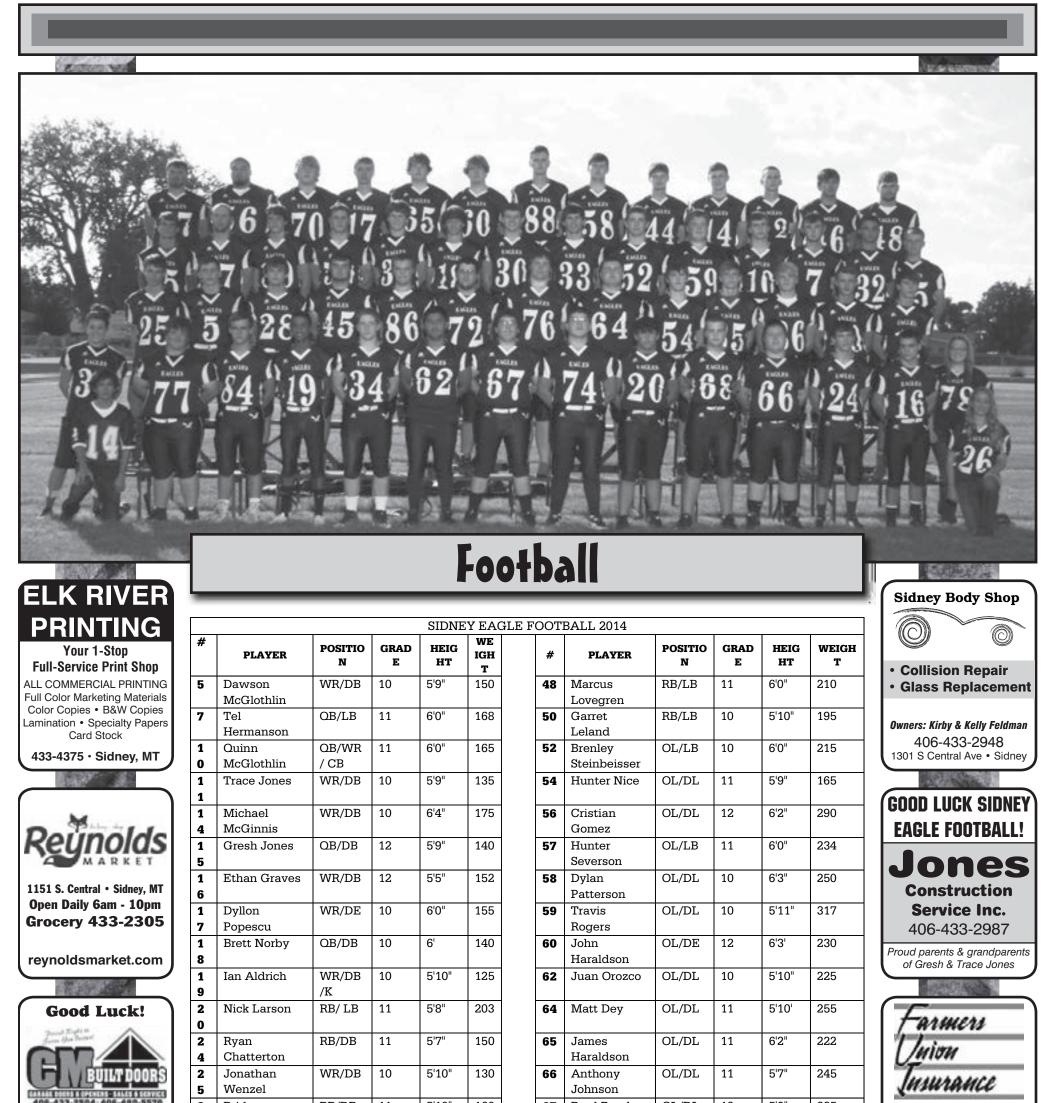
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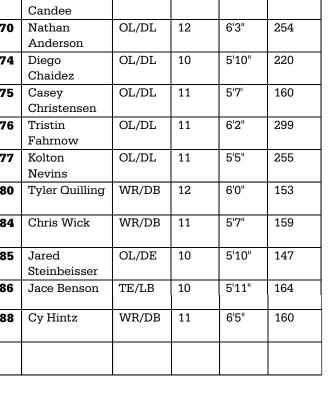
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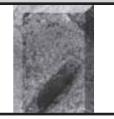
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October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month

By Lesley Thiessen, RN **Richland County Family Planning**

The topic of domestic violence has sprung to the forefront of American pop culture in recent weeks as a result of the Ray Rice video. Unfortunately, when the outrage of the American public fades and the public service announcements stop, 25% of all women will still experience domestic violence in their lifetime (CDC). Because 74% of all Americans personally know someone who is or has been a victim of domestic violence, we are obviously whispering about it (Allstate Foundation National Poll on Domestic Violence, 2006). We need to do more than whisper. We need to see domestic violence for what it is - violence....and it is NEVER okay.

Humans tend to gravitate to what is familiar - even if that familiarity is abuse. We have a responsibility to each generation to teach our young men and young women what a healthy relationship looks like. Anger should be discussed, and not expressed with violent words or actions. Unfortunately, 50% of men who frequently assault their wives also frequently abuse their children (evefoundation.org). Furthermore, studies suggest that between 3.3 and 10 million children witness some form of domestic violence annually (evenfoundation.org). These statistics are startling and it could be argued that up to 10 million children are being set up to become either victims or perpetrators of domestic violence. Domestic violence is a cycle we can break.

Domestic violence tends to be a silent crime. Only about 55% of all incidents of domestic violence are reported (CDC). It's a crime of shame and guilt. Men and women who are victims of domestic violence are embarrassed and ashamed by their abuse. They protect their abuser and blame themselves for causing the abuse. The abuser is often extremely remorseful and promises to never do it again - until the next time. Unfortunately, more than 3 women and 1 man are "loved to death" by their intimate partners in this country every day (Bureau of Justice Statistics). Abuse is NEVER about love. Abuse is about power and control.

As the football season wears on and we get caught up with the hype of tailgating, team rivalries and office pools, let's not forget that for one moment as a nation of fans and athletes, regardless of color or tax bracket, we came together and said collectively, "WE WILL NOT TOLERATE VIOLENCE IN OUR HOUSE!"

If you or someone you know is the victim of domestic violence or for more information call Lesley at 433-2207 at Richland County Family Planning, The Domestic Abuse Hotline at 1-800-799-SAFE (7233) or go to the website www. thehotline.org .

It's time to be silent no more.

MBCC Receives \$187,518 for the State Justice **Statistics Program**

By Tyson McLean

The Montana Statistical Analysis Center (SAC) at the Montana Board of Crime Control has received a \$187,518 grant from the U.S. Department of Justice Bureau of Justice Statistics. The grant will support research for two projects. One will continue to build on the state's 2010 crime victimization survey in order to better understand victimization trends while also focusing on victimization related to the increasing oil development in Northeastern Montana. The proposed study will provide much needed data on the current state facilities and services that are available to crime victims in Montana. The study will also provide data on drug-related crime victimization and public perceptions of fear of drug related crime. This data will also provide an opportunity to analyze Montana's Incident-Based data (compatible with the National Incident-Based Reporting System) to estimate how many more crimes occur that go unreported to law enforcement.

The second project will enhance and expand on work previously done in Montana regarding the management of jail populations in the state and the collection of data from/ about that population. The development of a systematic data collection process will facilitate state and Federal level reporting requirements for data that are difficult to manage

at the present time.

The project will be completed as a partnership between Tyson McLean, M.A., Montana Statistical Analysis Center Director and The University of Montana Criminology researchers, Dusten Hollist, Ph.D, Associate Professor of Sociology, Jackson Bunch, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Sociology, and Patrick McKay, M.A., Research Associate and Adjunct Professor at The University of Montana.

The Montana Board of Crime Control is the designated state agency that annually administers millions of grant dollars dedicated to preventing crime and making justice system improvements statewide. The 18-member board, appointed

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Montana Candidates Forums Slated for October In Sidney

Submitted by LaVanchie Starkey

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Invited locally are candidates for Richland County Sheriff, Richland County District Court Judge and House Districts 36 and 37. Each candidate has the opportunity to provide a short prepared message, followed by questions submitted by the audience. This is an excellent opportunity to discover how the candidates stand on local issues.

We are also excited to announce two debates scheduled in October.

Candidates for U.S. Senate, Montana House of Representatives Amanda Curtis and U.S. Representative Steve Daines have been invited to a debate on October 21st, both parties have accepted and will be present. The debate will be held at the Richland County Fair Event Center at 7:00 p.m. Questions from the audience will be submitted to a moderator and read to the candidates.

Candidates for U.S. House of Representatives. former State Senator Ryan Zinke and John Lewis, have been invited to a debate scheduled for October 20th, Zinke's campaign has confirmed. Again, the event will be held at the Richland County Fair Event Center at 7:00 p.m.

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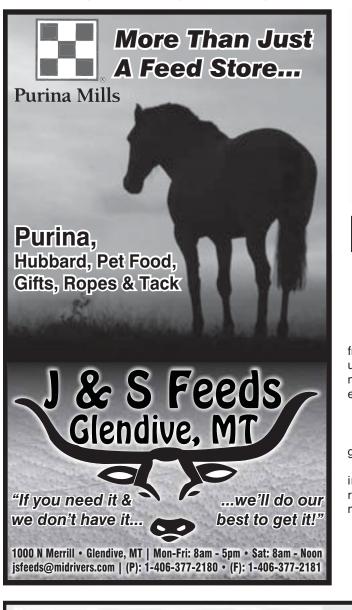
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Anyone interested in teaching a class may contact Sidney High School. Check the Sidney Public School website for more information (click on "Resources"): http://sidney.k12.mt.us





Help Wishes Fly Into Fall Make-A-Wish[®] Seeking Air Miles

By Stevie Moe

Now that fall is officially here, frequent fliers with air miles from Delta, U.S. Airways and United are urged to donate their unused air miles from summer travel to Make-A-Wish. Those miles are turned into free flights for wish kids battling life-threatening medical conditions, and once donated, they never expire.

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By Sarah Mudder, Communications Coordinator North Dakota Housing **Finance Agency**

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Doug Goehring and Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem, oversees the NDHFA.



Fall Landscaping & Lawn Care

By Tim Fine **MSU Extension Agent**

Recent weather fluctuations have driven home the point for me that fall is definitely upon us which means that winter and those dreaded four-letter words, cold and snow, are soon to follow. However, we can hope that those two things are still more than a few weeks away and enjoy what is left of the fall season. One way to do just that is to start preparing for next spring in the yard and garden. To help you get a head-start, here are a couple of tips for fall garden maintenance and clean-up.

In the vegetable garden- fall is a great time to add some amendments. After your vegetables have finished producing, it is time to put the garden to bed for the winter. If your plants are not diseased, feel free to leave them on the surface of the garden and till them in. Or, you may choose to pull them up and add them to the compost pile, either option is perfectly acceptable. If you have access to some well-composted manure or have a compost pile of your own, you may consider adding some to the garden prior to doing your tillage. Or, you may choose to just add the compost and let it sit without doing any tillage. That is o.k. too but you will definitely want to till it in next spring. Another option that can help add amendments to garden soil is to start a "green manure" crop this fall. Planting something like winter rye, oats, or legumes like peas will not only help retain topsoil, but in the case of the legumes, can add nitrogen to your soil. The one drawback with the green manures is that, you have to incorporate them into the soil next spring and there is always the chance that they may re-grow and end up being weeds the following season.

In the lawn-The two best things that can be done this time of year to help your lawn survive the winter and be ready to grow next spring are fertilization and aeration. Not necessarily in that order. Fall fertilization with a slow-release nitrogen product will help to encourage root growth this fall so that next spring when it warms up, the grass will be ready to go. Aerating a lawn helps combat issues like compaction and allows for more air to get down to the root zone. Oxygen is one of the most important elements that roots need to thrive. A good, deep watering of the root zone never hurts either. And when you are ready to make that final mowing, you might want to consider actually lowering the mowing height from what you normally mow the lawn at. This is not to suggest that scalping the lawn is a good thing but if there is not as much re-growth before the snow falls, there is less chance for the development of snow mold next spring.

In landscape beds-As flowers start to fade, it is a good idea to start to trim back spindly stalks, get rid of dead flowers, and prune out any diseased or damaged flowering plants and shrub and tree branches. If you have some more tender plants, like roses for example, you may want to consider cutting them back

to a manageable size and mulching over them to protect them over the winter. As a matter of fact, applying a fresh layer of mulch before the ground freezes helps not only to conserve soil moisture, but it also alleviates some of the issues associated with fluctuations in soil temperature.

Trees-As mentioned above, pruning can be done in the fall. Really, you should wait until the trees are dormant (have lost all of their leaves) so most people wait until early spring, when the temperatures are a little more conducive to being outside, but if there are a few nice days and the trees have reached dormancy, there is nothing saying that you have to wait. Probably of more importance, and especially for evergreen trees, is to give the root zone a really good deep soaking of water. This helps prevent desiccation over the

winter as winds and direct sunlight tend to zap moisture out of the trees. This deep watering should be held off until after the trees have gone dormant, so waiting until after leaves have fallen off of deciduous trees but before the ground freezes is a good practice. The cold, windy winter that we experienced in 2013 and early 2014 was not very kind to trees and landscape plants. Those factors coupled with a lack of snow cover caused many trees to die or severely delay leafing out. Then, this spring was wet and cold which created a perfect environment for many diseases to establish themselves in our landscape. Anything that you can do to help your tree(s) make it through the winter will be of great benefit next spring. Especially if this winter and next spring are similar to last year's. It's probably a good idea to wait until next spring to fertilize trees as well. Fertilizing now may actually encourage growth and not allow trees to properly "harden off" before winter.

Most people think of fall as a time to reap what you sew, sit back and wait for next spring to come; which is a perfectly acceptable practice as well. However, doing a few of these things may make next spring's chores a little bit easier. One thing that I should point out is that, when doing pruning, clipping, cutting etc... it is perfectly fine to add these clippings to a compost pile. However, if you are rouging out diseased branches and plants, they should be thrown in the garbage or burned. Many of our plant diseases are capable of over-wintering on plant material and unless the compost pile is closely monitored, it does not usually get warm enough to kill them.

As always, if you have any questions about the tips mentioned above, or if you want more detail about the whats and whys of the sugaestions mentioned, feel free to give me a call at 433-1206 or send an email to timothy. fine@montana.edu.











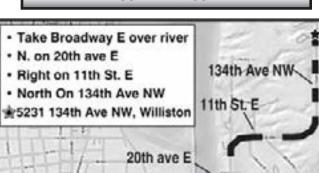


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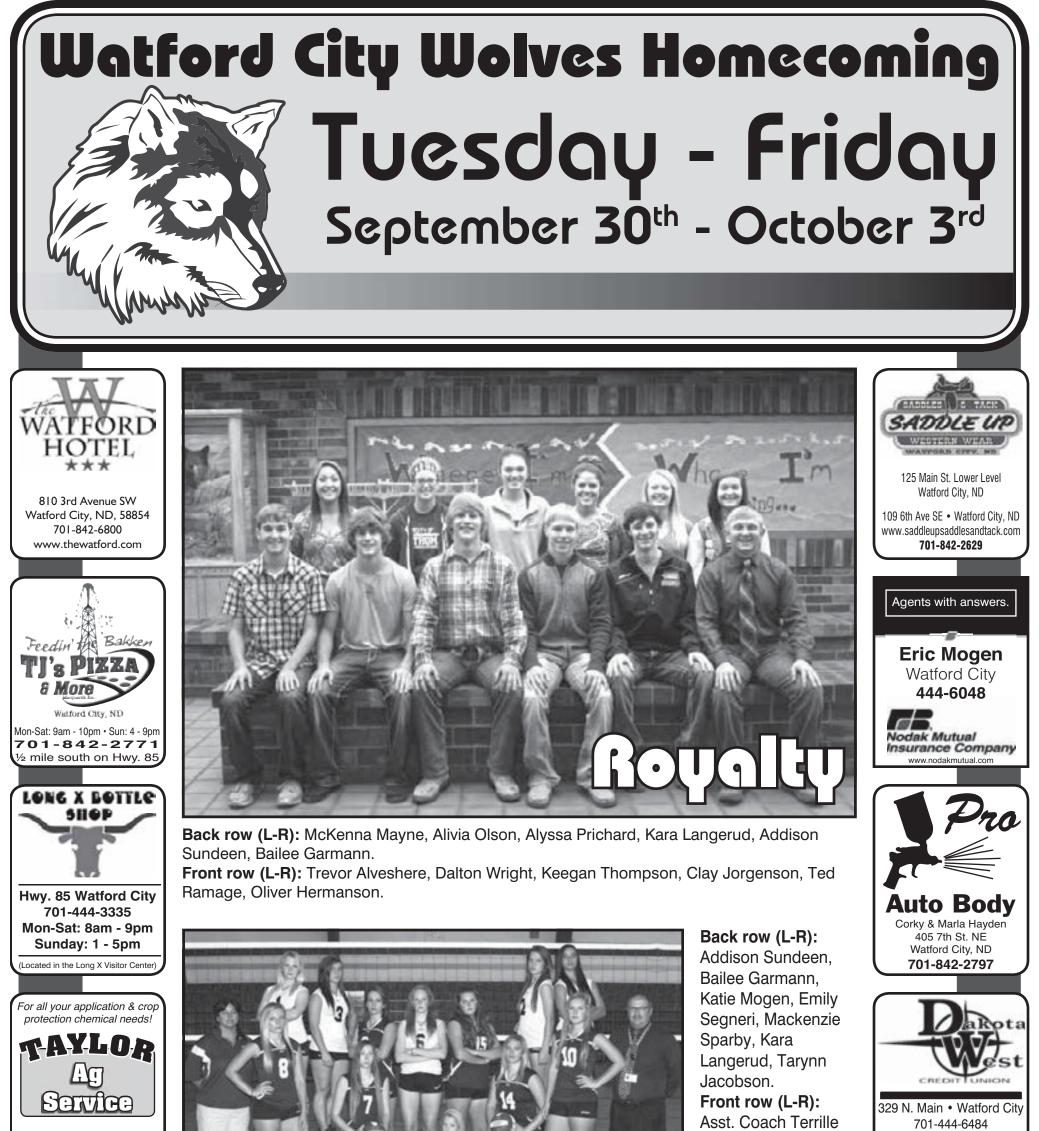


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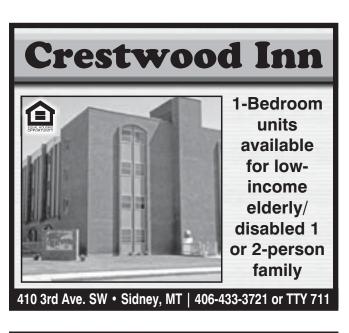
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Sat. Oct. 4 (rain or shine) 8-4 Multi-Family, tools, Furniture, outdoor, collectables, pumps housewares, old art, antiques. 4 miles NE of Fairview #58 N toward Dore/Williston to MM2 then East past Red Barn and 2nd Oil pump to SALE 15931 33rd. St. Follow signs. ALL MUST GO, period. 744-9011 or 366-2428 or 939-1048.



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The Roundup PO Box 1207, Sidney, MT 59270





Vo Ag Teacher Offers Hands-on Experience, Encourages Community Involvement



FFA Officers (L-R) Sierra Osborne, Reporter; Marcus Lovegren, VP; Chris Gartner, President; Garret Leland, Secretary; and Casey Christensen, Treasurer.

By Meagan Dotson

In January of 2014, Ted Fulgham made the switch from working in the oilfield to becoming the Vo Ag teacher at Sidney Senior High School. Having previously taught at Montana schools in Hardin for eight years, Lodge Grass for 3 years, and Joliet for two years, Fulgham is pleased to once again be working with students.

The Vo Ag department includes Animal, Equine and Livestock studies, as well as Agronomy and Welding. These programs teach basic skills for continued education or entering the workforce. For example, the welding class teaches the fundamentals of the trade so that a graduate would have the knowledge to become a welder's helper in the oilfield.

"These classes give students an outlet. Kids need to have someplace where they can do something hands-on. This gives them an opportunity to show success in areas other than academics," Fulgham commented.

There are 45 students between the mechanics, agronomy, farm business and livestock judging teams. As of two years ago, the state of Montana now pays FFA dues and this year FFA has between 80 and 90 members.

In addition to FFA involvement, class sizes have also increased as students in these classes range from freshmen to seniors. Equine studies are an addition Fulgham introduced to

the program. Community service is also a big part of hands on learning in the department and everyone in Fulgham's classes are involved in volunteer work.

"If you are going to be in my classes," says Fulgham, "you will be involved with serving the community."

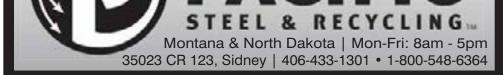
Over the summer FFA put on a petting zoo in the Tractor Supply Parking lot as a way to get people interested and involved. October 16th they will be helping with commodity boxes which are boxes filled with non-perishable food items distributed to elderly and low-income residents.

Upcoming events for the Vo Ag department include District Livestock Judging October 1st involving all districts from the Big Muddy region. Fulgham's students will also be participating in John Deere Ag Days in Bozeman, MT November 13, 14 and 15.

Fulgham adds that he is always open for ideas and input from the community. Anyone who would like to become involved is welcome to help out. He can be contacted at SHS at 406-433-2330.

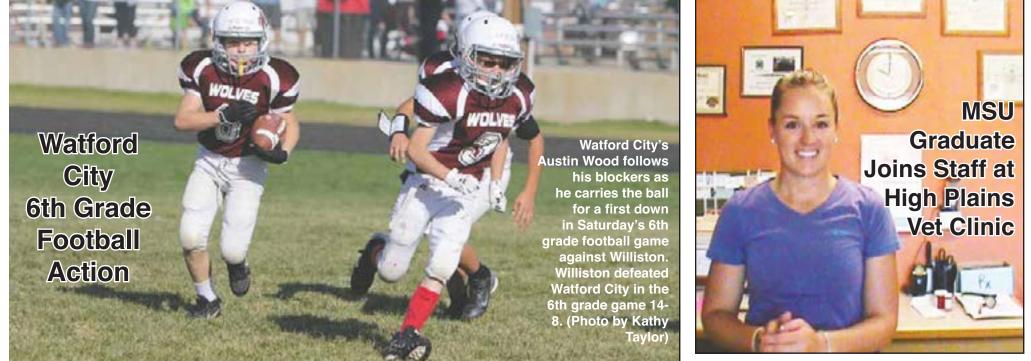








14A ROUNDUP, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2014





Anna Downen has been working at the High **Plains Veterinary Clinic** in Sidney since May, 2014. Downen and her team competed and placed 2nd in the National Animal Science Competition in July. The 24 year old **Columbia Falls native** recently graduated from **MSU-Bozeman with a BS** in Animal Science with a focus on equine. While Anna is working at the front office she also gets to help with the animals that are brought in and hopes one day to become a Certified Veterinary Technician. (Photo by Susan Schieffer)

Lunch Menus

Sidney School Thur., Oct. 2: Corn dogs, french fries, mandarin oranges. Fri., Oct. 3: Chili, cinnamon roll, pineapple tidbits. Mon., Oct. 6: Ravioli, garlic toast, tossed salad, pears. Tues., Oct. 7: Taco hot pocket, tossed salad, fruit fluff. Wed., Oct. 8: Tater tot hot dish, green beans, peaches, applecrisp.

Savage School

Thur., Oct. 2: Baked potato bar, broccoli, cheese, chili/taco meat, fruit cocktail. Fri., Oct. 3: Turkey noodle, carrots/corn, pineapple, whole grain buns. Froid School

Froid School Thur., Oct. 2: Chili, elephant tracks, salad bar. Fri., Oct. 3: Polish dogs w/sauerkraut, baked beans, ruffle chips, salad bar, fruit.

Mon., Oct. 6: Biscuits and gravy, southwestern scrambled eggs, mandarin oranges, breakfast bar.

Tues., Oct. 7: Chicken noodle soup, egg sandwiches, pickle spears, salad bar.

Wed., Oct. 8: Roast beef, mashed potatoes/gravy, green beans, salad bar, vanilla pudding.

<u>Rau School</u>

Thur., Oct. 2: Cook's Choice. Fri., Oct. 3: Soup, bread, fruit. Mon., Oct. 6: Chicken chalupa hotdish, veggies, fruit salad. Tues., Oct. 7: Taquitos, beans & rice, veggies, fruit. Wed., Oct. 8: Ham & potato hotdish, carrots, fruit.

Lambert School

Thur., Oct. 2: Polish sausage, cabbage, mixed fruit. Fri., Oct. 3: Ham & turkey subs, fresh veggies, chips, snicker salad.

Culbertson School

Thur., Oct. 2: Tater tot casserole, mandarin oragnes. Fri., Oct. 3: Chicken wraps with lettuce, carrots and celery, pears. Mon., Oct. 6: Nachos with chips and cheese, kidney beans, tomato slice, grapes. Tues., Oct. 7: Pork chops, stuffing, peas, applesauce. Wed., Oct. 8: Hot pockets, coleslaw, broccoli and cauliflower, peaches.

Richey School

Thur., Oct. 2: Mac & cheese, baked beans, peas, pears.
Fri., Oct. 3: Spaghetti, bread stick, green beans, pineapple.
Mon., Oct. 6: Chicken strips, baked hash browns, applesauce.
Tues., Oct. 7: Taco soup, dinner roll, apple crisp.
Wed., Oct. 8: Super nachos,

peaches, cake.

Fairview School

Thur., Oct. 2: Taco in a bag, raw veggies, mandarin oranges, dessert.

Fri., Oct. 3: NO SCHOOL Bainville School

Thur., Oct. 2: Turkey & cheese wraps w/lettuce, peach halves. Fri., Oct. 3: Meatballs in Marinara, pasta, breat stick, fresh veggies, fruit cup.



A Little Bit Country 2015 Wheat **Show Planned**

By Warren Froelich NDSU Extension Agent Williams County

Plans for the 62nd Annual National Hard Spring Wheat Show are nearly complete. The dates are February 2nd, 3rd and 4th with the site being the Grand Williston Hotel. As in the past, almost 20 speakers are scheduled to present new information that can be applied to profitable food production.

One of the keynote speakers will be Dr. Mike Boehlje, Distinguished Professor of Agriculture Economics and the Center for Food and Agricultural Business at Purdue University. Dr. Boehlje is involved in teaching, research and executive education in agriculture finance. farm and business strategy and management and structural change in the agricultural industries. The major theme of his work is the importance of strategic planning and thinking, and positioning the firm for long-term success in a turbulent business climate.

During his three hour presentation, Dr. Boehlje will discuss many issues which farm producers can use for future planning including a predicted cyclical downturn in agriculture.

More information about the total education program and other activities will appear in my future columns.

Sunburn in the Winter Yes, this can happen to trees, especially the young

and those with smooth bark. Here is how it happens. Remember, a tree trunk receives no shade in the winter. Its branches are leafless and the trunk is exposed. On a sunny afternoon, the sun casts its rays upon the trunk and heats it up. Temperatures on the sunny southwest side of the tree can be as much as 77° warmer than on the north side. This heat causes the dormant cells beneath the bark to become active. When the sun sets, the trunk rapidly cools. The activated cells freeze and burst, causing the bark to crack.

Maples are a good example for possible sunscald. Others are linden, mountain ash, honeylocust, plum, cherry, crabapple and apple. Just look on the southwest side of these trees for vertical cracks which are a good sign of sunscald.

Wrapping the above sensitive trees for at least their first two winters will be very helpful in preventing sunscald. In fact, if you have a great love for the tree, I would wrap them for their first five winters or until the bark develops texture.

The recommendation is to use kraft paper, starting at the base and winding the paper up to the first major branch. Another possibility is to place white plastic tree guards around the trunk. This protection will reflect the rays of the sun off the trunk, keeping it cool. Unwrap the tree after the last frost in the

spring to let the trunk expand and prevent insect infestation. There is a word of caution

when choosing a tree wrap. Do not use black tree guards. This absorbs heat, which is the last thing you want to do.

Lawn

Over the years I have received many questions about aerating lawns, mostly about when. Tom Kalb, NDSU Extension Horticulturist, suggests "now" as the best time of year. This aeration will promote a stronger root system and reduce thatch problems. Kalb suggests using self-propelled core aerators and making two to four passes. He avoids drum rollers and solid tines. These may actually compact the soil.

Kalb believes there is some benefit to aeration but firmly believes most lawns will never need it. I must agree. If a lawn is properly managed with adequate watering and fertilizer, and is growing on well drained loamy or sandy soil, aeration is just a replacement for good physical exercise. If your lawn soil is largely of clay aggregates and compacted, then aeration has some benefit.

Spring is also a good time to aerate lawn but aeration in the spring may promote weed growth because of the soil disturbance.

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Input Needed on Montana

Response to EPA Rules

Submitted by the Montana Chamber of Commerce

The Montana Department of Environmental Quality is holding a series of three meetings Sept. 30 thru Oct. 2 to take public comment on five options they've outlined for how Montana can comply with the EPA's proposed rules to regulate greenhouse gas emissions. Information about those options can be found here

We encourage you to turn out to give your opinions on those five options. But more importantly, we encourage you to share your thoughts with DEQ and the governor about whether these EPA rules are a good idea or not.

If you can't attend one of the meetings, you can sign an Online Petition to weigh in.

How Montana chooses to comply with this proposed rule is a relatively minor issue compared to the impacts to Montana resulting from how other states comply. Montana exports 75% of the coal we produce, most of it domestically. The coal-fired power plants in Montana export much of the electricity they produce. And most of the energy from Montana oil and natural gas is consumed in other states.

Simply put, our energy sector is a major part of Montana's economy, and it could be devastated by the EPA rule.

Governor Bullock is right to plan ahead for Montana's compliance in case the EPA's rule goes into effect. But what we need him to do even more is to be a vocal voice for our energy industry in standing up to the Obama administration. A lot of Montana jobs are at stake. You can download talking points here.

You can make a difference. Plan to attend one of DEQ's three meetings and give your input:

Colstrip - September 30, 6-8 PM Colstrip High Auditorium 5000 Pinebutte Drive

Billings - October 1, 6-8 PM MSU-Billings Library Building, Room 148 1500 University Drive

Missoula - October 2, 6-8 PM Best Western Grant Creek Inn, Ponderosa Room 5280 Grant Creek Road

If you can't attend, please sign the online petition to make vour voice heard.



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'E-rase your E-waste' Exceeds Collection Goal

So that's why they call them computer towers! Just some of the more than 300 GPUs collected at this year's E-rase your E-waste events. Altogether more than 44,000 pounds of outdated electronics were recycled in 2014, the 10th year of the local e-cycling program.

Submitted by Beth Redlin

The results are in and, once again, E-rase your E-waste organizers have exceeded the goal they set for their 2014 annual collection events.

"We wanted to celebrate our 10th anniversary by collecting enough e-waste to bring our 10-year total over 175 tons, and we did it with one and a half tons to spare," Committee Chair Jackie Couture noted. "Altogether, we collected 44,118 pounds of e-waste this year through our May and September events. That's a lot of potentially hazardous waste that is NOT going into our local landfill!"

Organizers reported that 144 individuals, businesses, schools and more brought in 12.6 tons of outdated electronic items for recycling to the group's fall event on Sept 5-6. In May, another 112 individuals and businesses participated in the group's spring collections in Sidney and Fairview, bringing in another 10 tons.

Among the items recycled at both events were: 249 computer monitors; 305 CPUs; 236 printers, 225 TVs, along with 77 phones, 69 laptops, 20 copiers 14 fax machines, 10 microwaves and innumerable keyboards, cameras and other small items. Miscellaneous scanners, smart boards, projectors, vcrs, boomboxes and even an organ were also collected, along with more than 553 pounds of batteries. The latter, along with the leaded glass contained in the TVs and computer monitors, meant that more than 6,000 pounds of potentially hazardous lead was kept out of the local landfill, Couture noted. In addition, nearly 11,700 pounds of plastic were also recycled under this year's program. While the bulk of participants in 2014 were Sidney and Richland County (MT) residents; several also traveled from as far away as Plentywood, Richey and Circle in Montana, and Williston and Watford City in North Dakota. Yellowstone E-waste Solutions of Billings provided their e-cycling services free of charge at both spring and fall events, Couture noted, adding, "They do a wonderful job for us!" The "E-rase your E-waste" effort in Sidney is coordinated by members of the Richland County Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC), Richland Opportunities Inc., and volunteers with other community organizations including the RSVP program. The Montana Department of Environmental Quality has also committed funds for advertising the 2014 event and the Richland County Public Works Department makes their facilities available for the collection event in Sidney. "It's a group effort every year," Couture noted. "And we really appreciate everyone's commitment to keeping our community healthy and safe."

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To the editor:

The E-rase your E-waste committee would like to thank everyone who helped us reach our e-cycling goal earlier this month in celebration of our 10th year of providing e-cycling opportunities to the MonDak region.

Our goal was to reach 175 tons of e-waste collected for reuse or proper disposal over the past 10 years, and we made it with a ton and a half to spare! Thanks to the 144 individuals, businesses, agencies and organizations participating in our Sept. 5-6 event who brought in more than 24,800 pounds of e-waste for recycling to put us over the top!

Altogether, we collected a grand total of 44,118 pounds of e-waste at our May and September 2014 E-rase your E-waste events in Sidney and Fairview (May only). That's more than 22 TONS of e-waste that DIDN'T go into our local landfill again this year! That e-waste included an estimated 11,185 pounds of plastics, 6,129 pounds of lead and 1.3 pounds of mercury.

Our thanks to everyone who made it possible: our participants, our volunteers, our local media, both print and broadcast, our sponsors and our e-cycler, Yellowstone Solutions Inc. of Billings, whose participation enables us to support a Montana business and still provide free e-cycling for our community.

The organizing committee also wants to extend our heartfelt appreciation to the Richland County Solid Waste and Disaster and Emergency Services departments for providing the space along with logistical and financial support for our 2014 events, and the Montana Department of Environmental Quality for providing promotional support. We'd also like to thank volunteers Deb Gilbert and newcomer Jessica Davies for their help with this year's fall event.

Again, thanks to everyone for making our $10^{\mbox{th}}$ year of e-cycling another big success!

The 2014 E-rase your E-waste Committee Jackie Couture, Chairperson