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The Makoshika Basketball Tournament was a very fun experience for all who attended. More photos of the tournament are in this newsletter. Photo credit Cody Smith Photography.

CHAMBER MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

LaDonna's School of Dance

LaDonna's Dance began in 1978. LaDonna began her studio in a small studio space in her home. She started with over 200 students and handmade most costumes. The very first spring recital was held at the Sacred Heart School gymnasium.

We have been performing the Nutcracker every December for over 25 years, and have done various performances at our local Nursing Home, Vet's Home, Bridge Days, Dawson Days, The Dawson County Fair, and have performed at the DCHS Highschool and DCC College for 1/2 time entertainment.

We do local and national dance competitions in the spring and our annual Spring Recital the first week of June. Our local Badlands Crowning Stars Dance competition is coming up on April 15th-16th. Our Spring Recital is set for June 1st. Both of these events will be held at the DCHS Auditorium. Thirty-five of our dancers just returned from the Dance Excellence festival in Los Angeles, CA. We try and attend this event every 3-4 years.



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Eastern Montana Community Mental Health Center NONPROFIT OF THE MONTH



The Eastern Montana Community Mental Health Center was established in 1967. The mission of Eastern Montana Community Mental Health Center is to provide quality, professional, comprehensive mental health and substance abuse treatment services to the citizens of Eastern Montana in ways that respect the dignity of our citizens and communities.

EMCMHC serves seventeen counties in Eastern Montana. The counties served are Carter, Custer, Daniels, Dawson, Fallon, Garfield, McCone, Phillips, Powder River, Prairie, Richland, Roosevelt, Rosebud, Sheridan, Treasure, Valley, and Wibaux. Their Dawson County Location is at 2016 N. Merrill Ave & at 119 South Kendrick Ave, in Glendive.

They offer services dealing with Metal Health Assessments, Therapy (Group & Individual), Veterans Affairs Services, Medication Management, Case Management, Anger Management, Psychiatric Recovery Services, CSCT, Rehab & Support Services, MACT Services, Peer Support Services, Crisis & Emergency Services. They also offer a great variety of Substance Abuse and Dependency Services.

We at Eastern Montana Community Mental Health Center are committed to helping create healthy and secure communities, achieved through a comprehensive system of care that holds paramount the needs of the consumers. Vital to this commitment is a network of services and professional providers offering services of unparalleled value.

BUSINESS CULTIVATORS

Trainings & Webinars for enhancing your business skills

April 6 - Understanding Your Financials for Better Business Decisions - Free Online Meeting
 April 11 - A Quick-Start Guide to Marketing Your Business - Free Webinar
 April 25 - 5 Strategies to Run a More Efficient Business - Free Webinar

<u>For More Classes or to Registration Information Look at the</u> <u>Business Cultivators post on our Facebook Page</u>

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MAKOSHIKA BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Event Review

The Glendive Chamber of Commerce held 31st annual Makoshika Basketball Tournament in Glendive, March 10-12. The tournament was going to be packed until a winter storm moved in and made it hard for some teams to make it to the tournament.

There was initially 90 teams registered for the tournament from 34 different communities. 68 teams were actually able to make it and compete in the tournament.

The Makoshika Basketball Committee would like to thank all of the volunteers, referees, teams, and fans that helped make this year's tournament a success. They would also like to thank our court sponsors Mid-Rivers, TBID, Reynolds, Sugarplum, Bravera Bank, Cape Air, Glendive Medical Center, & Fair Bridge Inn & Suites. Thank you to all of our poster sponsors. Also Thank you to Boss for sponsoring the brackets as well as all the printing work they did for us.







Thank you to Codi Smith Photography for all our amazing tournament photographs!

Thank You to our Members:





















COMMUNITY CLEAN UP WEEK April 22-29, 2023

PAINT THE TOWN & WOOD RESCUE

APRIL 22 | 8AM-2PM LANDFILL WEIGH STATION

Drop off your paint cans, plywood, particle board, 2ftx2ft or bigger pieces of wood.

Usable paint will be redistributed to any community member needing paint.

Wood will be used for community beautification project.

FREE VOUCHER to use at the Glendive Landfill.

- Pick up voucher from the Glendive Chamber of Commerce.
- Voucher only valid during Community Cleanup Week.
- One voucher per household.
- Limited to one standard pickup truck load per household.

ITEMS NOT Accepted

- E-WASTE
- REFRIGERATOR UNITS
- TIRES
- COMMERCIAL
 DEMO
- BATTERIES
- HAZARDOUS WASTE/
 OIL



Thank you to the City of Glendive, Dawson County and WBI for contributing the funds that make this cleanup possible!

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