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On January 21st, The Chamber held the 36th Annual Farmer Rancher Appreciation Banquet at the Elks Lodge. Over 200 producers attended. Thank you to all that sponsored and helped!

CHAMBER MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

The Flower Basket

The Flower Basket is a sweet flower shop located at 503 N. Merrill Ave. Suite 4 in Glendive. It's specializes in fresh flowers and beautiful gift items. We make all of our arrangements in store so it is the epitome of a creative business. The Flower Basket has many part-time employees that willingly share their talent to make special gifts for you. We love it when people stop in to the shop. Look for special classes in 2023. The owner Amy Temple calls the shop, tiny but mighty if you haven't come into the store yet please stop in. The hours are 830 to 5 Monday through Friday and 10 to 1 on Saturdays. We deliver locally website and we have а which glendiveflowers.com. The phone number is 406-377-5615. We are happy to help you and take your order, remember this month Valentine's Day is coming up. We have a special relationship with our customers and we try to do our best to serve you and to make beautiful flower arrangements.



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NONPROFIT OF THE MONTH

Dawson County Arts Unlimited



Dawson County Arts Unlimited also known as The Gallery was founded in 1991 after a group of dedicated individuals were planning it since 1988. This non-profit is currently and always has been run completely by volunteers. All funding is from the commission of artworks sold, memberships, fundraisers, and donations. The Gallery was started primarily to educate and promote the arts in all forms. We currently have paintings, sketches, pottery, jewelry, quilts, gourds, wood, bronzes, ceramics, photos and much more. After being in several locations, we eventually bought our current location at 109 N. Merrill Avenue in Glendive. We have several special displays throughout the year and are currently featuring the works of Evelyn Cameron on loan from the Evelyn Cameron museum of Terry, MT. Several times during the year we have events that feature one or more Gallery artists. Be on the look out for one coming this spring. Volunteers and customers are always welcome!!



LOCL PARTNERSHIP

Save Time and Sign Up with Locl

We want to make it easier for you to show up properly on Google. That's why we're excited to announce that Glendive Chamber is partnering with Locl to help Glendive tourism-facing businesses improve their presence in web searches for free!

How to sign up for Locl (getting started takes as little as 5 minutes!)

- 1. Create your Locl account
 - Once your Google Business Profile(s) have been claimed and verified, head over to https://locl.io/glendive/ to create your free Locl account.
 - Note: if you have more than one location, you will not need to create a separate Locl account!
 - 2. Connect your GBP Account to Locl.
 - You will be prompted to login (if you are not already) to GBP and "allow" Locl access. This
 connects your GBP account to Locl, enabling you to make updates to your GBP profile,
 using Locl.
- 3. Complete your account setup
 - There are a few additional fields you will need to fill out in order to complete the process. Please note: you may change these inputs any time once you are in Locl.
- 4. You're in! Get familiar with Locl!
 - Take a tour, get familiar with the tools available to you and let us know if you have any questions or concerns.





Sign Up For Free!

GLENDIVE AG-TRADE EXPO

Friday February 10th, 9 AM - 6 PM
Saturday February 11th, 9 AM - 4 PM
At the EPEC in Glendive.



The GATE committee is excited to hold the 45th Annual GATE Show this year! With over 70 vendors, you are sure to enjoy this years show!

New to the show this year is the Made in the Mon-Dak row. This is a row of special vendors producing goods in Montana or North Dakota. Many of them use locally sourced ingredients in their products.

The show will also feature a kids craft section. Children can come and make a craft to take with them. The local 4-H club will be there to assist the children with the craft. The Gate Committee and Stockman Bank generously purchased the supplies for the crafts, so this is offered completely free of charge.

There are some amazing raffle prizes again this year. A bronze Harvey Rattry sculpture "Shutin' The Gate" donated by Bridger Bronze. A Traeger Pro Series 34, pellet grill donated by Agri Industries of Sidney. The Third Prize is a Sig-Sauer model BDX 10x42 binocular/rangefinder.

As always there are many great vendors and seminars to attend both days!

BUSINESS CULTIVATORS

Trainings & Webinars for enhancing your business skills

- Feb 2 Beef & Beer, Pulse & Produce: How Can the State Help With Grants Free Online Meeting
- Feb 7- Business Builder Workshop: Cybersecurity on a Small Business Budget Free Webinar
- Feb 15 Developing an Exit Strategy Free Workshop
- Feb 21- Small Business Cash Flow: Understanding Money Management Free Webinar
- Feb 23 How to Recession Proof Your 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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