

Gardiner Chamber of Commerce

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Free Community Newsletter!

MARCH 2ND, 2016 EDITION #9

Quarterly update from the President of the Gardiner Chamber of Commerce



GARDINER, MT
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

As the days noticeably start to get longer and the temperatures warm, many of us have our minds preparing for the upcoming "busy summer season". We have many opportunities and activity going on in our Chamber and awesome little town at the North Entrance to Yellowstone National Park.

First, we have postponed starting the public restroom project in the Visitor Center due to shortfalls of resort tax monies collected from several businesses that haven't paid their resort taxes, as well as, all bids coming in much higher than expected. It is our full intent to complete this project by the April 2017 date for the grant monies.

Next, the branding process is still developing and in the hands of ENGAGE Strategies at this time.

The Governor's Conference on Tourism will be held in Kalispell, MT on April 10-12. If you would like further information, you can go to www.tourism.mt.gov

Properties and Facilities committee has been also working on getting a better handle on the use of the rodeo grounds. A use permit will be available for people wanting to keep horses on the property. This property has been very underutilized and we hope to make it accessible to people with permission to use. More information will be available soon.

Work continues this summer on the Gardiner Gateway Project. Phase 1 is still on track for major completion before the National Park Service Centennial Celebration on August 25th. Most remaining Phase 1 tasks are finish work and should be less impactful compared to last summer. Phase 2 of the project is currently out for bid and the project team anticipates work to begin in March. Phase 2 contains portions of Park Street (East), Main Street, First Street, Third Street and the Yellowstone River Access. For more information keep an eye on the newsletter or visit the project website at www.gardinergatewayproject.org

Partners of the project have also been working diligently towards planning an event to celebrate the centennial of the National Park Service, Gardiner's role in the National Park story, and commemoration of the major completion of the project. The event "An Evening at the Arch" will likely be a FREE ticketed event. The team is working to ensure residents of Greater Gardiner (Gardiner, Jardine, Mammoth) are all able to attend. More details and promotional materials will be released in coming months but this is sure to be a date that will go down in history and will put Gardiner in a regional if not national spotlight.

Another opportunity will present itself the next 2 winters as Xanterra will be mostly closed to renovate the hotel and dining room. If you are interested in collaborating on helping make this a viable opportunity for Gardiner, please contact the Chamber. We are wanting to gather and get ideas, information and work together to make this help Gardiner be a more sustainable year round visitation destination.

Don't forget, As a Chamber member, you have the ability to put your events on the Chamber website. Please utilize this feature to minimize conflicts on dates. If you need a refresher course on how to do this, please don't hesitate to contact Barbara at the Chamber office, she will be happy to assist you.

It is a great time to be a member of the Gardiner Chamber and help promote Gardiner as well as your business! If you are not a member of the Gardiner Chamber, and would like to join, please contact us! 848-7971.

Regards,

Schalene Darr
Gardiner Chamber of Commerce, President

The Gardiner Chamber of Commerce serves our community through developing local tourism while endorsing the stewardship of the Yellowstone Ecosystem.

Help Wanted

HIRING A VARIETY OF POSITIONS for the upcoming season in morning housekeeping shifts and afternoon/evening hosting shifts. Looking for team players, self motivated workers, and friendly faces to join us! Fair pay and six months of work, May 1 thru Oct 10! Part time and full time available. Please email resumes and references to liza.fauber@gmail.com

MAMMOTH CLINIC hiring part time receptionist; summer weekend hours. No previous experience necessary. Send resume to dbrown@medcor.com. Direct calls to 406-640-1388 --Deb Brown.

FULL-TIME YEAR ROUND SALES ASSOCIATE position available. Yellowstone Gifts & Sweets is seeking a sales associate. Must be able to work flexible schedule and weekends. Pay dependent upon qualifications and includes paid vacation. Pick up application at Yellowstone Gifts & Sweets or email resume to kci@mcn.net.

COWBOY'S LODGE AND GRILLE – Now hiring experienced kitchen help. Call or stop by to inquire. 229-221-3948

DYNAMIC GUIDE WANTED. All year work available, hours vary. Research/writing assistance. EOE. Send resume to discoverwolfbear@aol.com.



DINING OPTIONS

COWBOY'S LODGE AND GRILLE – Open 11am-8pm, 7 days a week. Lunch specials daily. Call to reserve big parties, catering available. 406-848-9175.

TUMBLEWEED is open Friday-Tuesday 7am - 3pm. Stop by for a bowl of homemade soup or a fresh baked treat! We will be featuring our Reuben sandwich served on marble rye with Bubbie's old fashion sauerkraut.

TWO BIT SALOON... Breakfast, Burgers, Beer... Warm up with us! Winter Opening Hours : Join us for breakfast, Monday-Friday 9:30 am, Saturday and Sunday 8:30am... "Morning Medicine" is our specialty ~ *Because we can!* Why not treat yourself to a Mimosa or a "Mule". Homemade soup and Wings are Back. Pool League Thursday. Come taste our new Micro Drafts and try our Daily entree specials. **Happy Birthday YNP, March 1, 1872** *not to be confused with the NPS which celebrates it 100th year August 25 2016. Is it YOUR Birthday ??? Come in and ring the bell and get your free birthday drink !*



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LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



THANK YOU to the Gardiner American Legion for the donation of the United States and Montana State flags that are now flying in front of the Visitor Information Center for our community.

– Gardiner Chamber of Commerce.



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GARDINER GATEWAY PROJECT UPDATE: Northwestern Energy and CenturyLink will be performing minor utility relocation activities in March in anticipation of major construction activities resuming in early April. Look for local updates in the Gardiner Newsletter in March with more specific information as it becomes available. See www.gardinergatewayproject.org for general project information and contact info@gardinergatewayproject.org for general questions.

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND: please join us for the **6th annual Early Bird Sale at Kellem's Montana Saddle** on Saturday, March 19, where early birds get the best discount! 6am-7am = 40% off; 7am-8am = 30% off; 8am-9am=20% off. (Does not include saddles, tack, chaps, chinks and consignments, but DOES include everything else, as well as new arrivals and already discounted stuff.) Rolls and coffee served until we run out. (Another reason to be early!) **Special drawing for anyone wearing their jammies and slippers.**

2ND ANNUAL Y2DAK FILM FESTIVAL! A night out with films and food. Thursday, March 31 at 6pm. Mammoth Community Center. Come watch some great films by Montana filmmakers and yeat your fill of chili and brats. Beer, wine and soda also. Fundraiser for Y2DAK (Yellowstone Youth Doing Acts of Kindness) and their service projects.

FEED THE CAT – FEED THE DOG: A free pet food service is available on Mondays 11am-5:30pm at 104 Vista St., B, in Gardiner. Knock on red gate. Also available Tuesdays 1pm-6pm at Gardiner Food Pantry. (No paperwork required) Our quality pet food is donated by Livingston Spur Line Ranch Store and other caring individuals. 406-848-9491. Thank You.

PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE: The Gardiner Resort Area District Board of Directors will be holding a meeting on Tuesday, March 8, at 7 p.m. upstairs at the Gardiner Visitor Center, located at 216 Park Street, Gardiner, MT. Agenda items will address the following: 2nd reading (public hearing) of proposed Ordinance #2016-1: An Ordinance Describing the Procedures for the Enforcement and Collection of the Gardiner Resort Tax, Ordinance #2016-2: An Ordinance Describing the Procedure for the Annual and Emergency Appropriation of Resort Tax Funds, and other administrative matters. The public is welcome to attend. Copies of the proposed ordinances are available at the Gardiner Visitor Center or online at www.GardinerResortTax.com under News.

16TH ANNUAL CHOMP AND STOMP IS BACK! March 12 at the Community Center with doors opening at 6:30pm. Join us for the annual chili cook off and this year a barn dance featuring Pretty Good String Band. \$8 entry at the door. If you wish to enter your chili please call or text 406-223-2751. Deadline to register is March 11.

THE YELLOWSTONE ASSOCIATION excited to offer a **\$750 scholarship** to a current senior at **Gardiner Schools** who will be entering trade school/college/university in the fall of 2016. The application can be picked up at the school and the deadline for submission is May 1, 2016.

HEALTHCARE FOR ALL! Mammoth Clinic-Medcor, Inc, Park County Public Health Dept. & Community Health Partners are offering a **free** health event for the Gardiner Community. Medcor staff will be available to chat about the services available at the clinic, PCHD will share information about the MT Quit-line and CHP will help folks that qualify for the new Montana Medicaid insurance get enrolled!! The event is Tuesday, March 15th from 10am-5pm at the Community Center, 209 Main Street W. For more information contact Beth Renick at renickb@chphealth.org.

THE GARDINER CVB monthly meeting will be Thursday, March 10th at 10:00am upstairs at the Visitor Information Center. Public welcome.

SCHOOL ELECTIONS NOTICE - Gardiner Public Schools will have two (2) open trustee seats for the May 2016 elections. Each seat is a 3 year term. Candidate packets are available at the school office. The 2016 election is posted on the calendar on the school website at www.gardiner.org. If you have questions you may contact Cindy Powell, School District Clerk / Election Administrator: call 406-848-7563 or email cpowell@gardiner.org.

THE GARDINER RESORT AREA DISTRICT is now accepting applications for resort tax funds. Applications can be found at www.GardinerResortTax.com under *Faqs & Forms*. Completed applications must be received by April 1, 2016. Applications will be reviewed at the April 12 meeting and appropriations will be made at the May 10 meeting. Please email info@gardinerresorttax.com with any questions.



DEQ Extends Comment Period on Scope of Crevice Mine Study

Exploration license for potential gold mining project near Gardiner in Park County

Due to a clerical error, an incorrect email address for the submission of comments was distributed by the DEQ. In order to rectify this, the DEQ has extended the comment period an additional 7 days giving until Thursday, March 10th, 2016 for the public to submit comments regarding this project.

The correct email address is DEQMEPA@MT.GOV
Or use the web portal at: <http://svc.mt.gov/deq/publiccomment/>.

Written comments may be submitted to:
Jen Lane, DEQ MEPA Coordinator
P.O. Box 200901, Helena, MT 59601
406-444-4956
Email to: Jlane2@mt.gov.

**Comments for this scoping period must be submitted to DEQ
no later than March 10, 2016.**

Crevice Mining Group, LLC has submitted an application to the Montana Department of Environmental Quality for an exploration license to investigate the potential for a gold mining project on private property located northeast of Gardiner in Park County.

DEQ is accepting comments on the scope of an Environmental Analysis (EA) for the proposed project. Simply stated, the scoping process helps identify issues, determine points of contact, establish project schedules, and provide recommendations to DEQ as to the need for an Environmental Impact Study (EIS).

The application proposes a surface disturbance totaling seven acres, including an exploration road, a waste rock storage area, surface drilling pads, a topsoil stockpile area, and a Land Application Discharge (LAD) area. The application also proposes the construction of the first 200 feet of an exploration adit. The exploration application can be accessed at DEQ's website at: <http://deq.mt.gov/Land/Hardrock>.

The DEQ will make reasonable accommodations for those with disabilities who wish to participate in the MEPA process. If you require an accommodation, please contact Lisa Peterson at 406-444-2929 or: lpeterson@mt.gov.

LOST & FOUND

FOUND – A ring with a sparkly diamond-like stone was found on the sidewalk on the east side of Scott Street/ Second Street just south of the bridge. Call or stop by the Chamber of Commerce to identify. 406-848-7971.

FOUND – A key was found by the ATM at First Interstate Bank on 2/25/16. Call or stop by the bank to identify. 406-848-7474.

GARDINER, MONTANA
2016 EVENTS

- 16th Chomp and Stomp*—March 12
- Park to Paradise Triathlon*—May 14
- Hells-a-Roarin Horse Drive*—May 28
- Raft Race*—Mid June
- 38th NRA Rodeo*—June 17 & 18
- Shakespeare in the Park*—July 17
- NPS 100th Anniversary: "An Evening at the Arch"*—August 25
- Big Bear Stampede and Brew Fest*—September 10
- Christmas Stroll*—December 1

<http://business.gardinerchamber.com/events>
406-848-7971

A "One Class at a Time" award was presented by First Interstate Bank and KTVQ to Lori Hoppe's Ag Education Welding Class at the Gardiner Public School on Tuesday February 23. Lori applied for a grant to purchase a bench grinder for the metal shop. This class falls under the Metalwork portion of the Ag education program which was newly implemented three years ago. Students in this metalwork class are part of a dual-credit Ag welding class, through Gallatin College of Bozeman. There are five students (four of which are female) working toward the three-credit WLDG 110/111 course. Lori was presented with a check for \$300.00 to purchase her new grinder. It was an exceptionally fun day because Lori Hoppe is the daughter-in-law of Cheryl Hoppe who is the Branch Manager of First Interstate Bank. At the presentation was Suzette Cunningham who is a Personal Banker at First Interstate Bank and her daughter Caitlyn Cunningham is one of the welding students who was filmed while exhibiting her metal cutting skills.



JARDINE SKI RUN RESULTS

RESULTS:

ADULT

Men's 8K Skating:

- 1) Nelson Story 31:31
- 2) John Nichols 31:55
- 3) Bill Mayer 35:22

Women's 8K Skating:

- 1) Chris Shanafelt 40:43
- 2) Megan Backer 42:29
- 3) Mel Condon 45:37

Classic Men:

- 1) Sam Bolinger 43:53
- 2) Rich Troy 44:23
- 3) Kerry Gunther

Classic Women:

- 1) Julianne Baker 54:00
- 2) Jane Olson
- 3) Lauren McGarvey

YOUTH:

8K Boys:

- 1) Zander Opperman 34:32
- 2) Baxter Furhman 34:44
- 3) Hayden Bartlet, AGE 6, 1:35:09

8K Girls:

- 1) Bailey Fuhrman 44:38

Launch Pad

- 1) Maya Kowski 26:18
- 2) Stacy Graham 26:20

Pine Creek

- 1) Jack Meyer 10:51
- 2) Claire Woodin 10:55
- 3) Lucas Shoutis 11:52
- 4) Haven Kowski 18:53
- 5) Peter Mayer 22:42

Peewee/Heartbreak Hill

- 1) Jackson Bartlett 3:11
- 2) Kaia McNeil 4:45
- 3) Lisa Mayer 8:22
- 4) Siri Shoutis 10:02



Thank You Contributors & Volunteers

- Betty Deweese
- U. S. Forest Service
- Gardiner Chamber
- Livingston Enterprise
- Yellowstone Grill
- YPSS
- Dino Lube
- Gardiner Market
- Bill Berg - Cool Works
- Timber Trails
- Delaware North
- Yellowstone Association
- Tumbleweed Books
- B-Bar Ranch
- Bohart Ski
- Xanterra
- Montana Whitewater
- Gardiner Bruins
- Joe and Tamia Keel
- Rick Lampaugh
- Mary Strickworth
- Chico Hot Springs
- Mary Meagher
- Rick and Marylee Reese
- Jeanne Johnson
- Bob Fuhrman
- Richard and Nancy Parks
- Doug and Tau Madsen
- Tami Dalling
- Bear Creek Council
- Rick McAdam
- Nathan Varley
- Doug and JoJo MacCartney
- Leo Leckie



THANK YOU TO ALL OF OUR VOLUNTEERS AND PARTICIPANTS!

REAL ESTATE

RED LODGE, MT- \$84,900 - 3/4 acre corner lot, great mountain views, city sewer, custom house plan, below the ski mountain. By contractor, will build to suit. Can email: david@davidsimpsonconstruction.com. Can be viewed at www.davidsimpsonconstruction.com.

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marciehertz@wispwest.net

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FOR SALE – 3 bed 2.5 bath home. Yellowstone Street, great location in Gardiner. On the Yellowstone River, south facing views into Yellowstone National Park. Detached garage, outside wood boiler. To see this or any listing, call Chris Lyness, Realtor. 406-930-0299.

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Jennifer Short (406) 233-5856 Broker/Owner
Bill Blackford (406) 224-2826 Real Estate Agent

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"Say to those with fearful hearts, Be strong, and do not fear, for your God... is coming to save you."

Isaiah 35.4 NLT



GARDINER BAPTIST CHURCH

www.gardinerbaptistchurch.org

Yellowstone Bears Emerging From Dens

Grizzly bears are emerging from hibernation in the Greater Yellowstone Area, so hikers, skiers and snowshoers should stay in groups of three or more, make noise on the trail, and carry bear spray. Bear spray is a good last line of defense, if kept handy and used according to directions, when a bear is approaching within 30 to 60 feet.

The first confirmed report of grizzly bear activity in the Park was February 22. Wolf biologists observed a large grizzly bear in the Nez Perce drainage.

Bears begin looking for food soon after they emerge from their dens. They are attracted to elk and bison that have died during the winter. Carcasses are an important food source, so bears will sometimes react aggressively while feeding on them. The park implements seasonal bear management area closures to reduce encounters between bears and humans in areas where there is a high density of elk and bison carcasses. Visit <http://www.nps.gov/yell/parkmgmt/bearclosures.htm> for a listing of bear closures.

Yellowstone regulations require visitors to stay 100 yards from black and grizzly bears at all times. The best defense is to stay a safe distance from bears and use binoculars, a telescope or telephoto lens to get a closer look.

While firearms are allowed in the park, the discharge of a firearm by visitors is a violation of park regulations. The park's law enforcement rangers who carry firearms on duty rely on bear spray, rather than their weapons, as the most effective means to deal with a bear encounter.

Visitors must keep food, garbage, barbecue grills and other attractants stored in hard-sided vehicles or bear-proof food storage boxes. This helps keep bears from becoming conditioned to human foods, and helps keep park visitors and their property safe.

Visitors should report bear sightings to the nearest visitor center or ranger station as soon as possible. Updated bear safety information is available on the Yellowstone bear safety webpage at <http://www.nps.gov/yell/planyourvisit/bearsafety.htm> and in the park newspaper available at all park entrances.



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CHURCH SERVICES

**St. John's Episcopal Church
(Emigrant):**
Sundays:
Worship 8am

**The Church of Jesus Christ of
Latter-Day Saints**
Sundays:
Sacrament Service 10am

St. Williams Catholic Church:
Sundays
11:00 am

Gardiner Baptist Church
Sundays:
Sunday School 9:30am
Worship 11am
Lunch 12noon, All welcome
Bible Study
Wednesday evening 6:30pm
Sunday evening 6:30pm

**Mt. Republic Chapel of Peace
(Cooke City):**
Sundays:
Worship 9:30am

Gardiner Community Church:
Sundays
11:15 am Gardiner
Community Church
10:15 am Sunday School for all
ages at Gardiner Community
Church
Bible Studies throughout the
community during the week,
contact Pastor Rob Spykstra
406-848-7300

COMMUNITY SERVICES & COMMITTEES

AA Meetings: Wednesday @ 7pm at St. William's Catholic Church. Contact 1-724-496-9894

American Legion
Meeting: 2nd Tuesday @ 7pm at the Gardiner Community Center.

Bear Creek Council
Meeting: 3rd Wednesday @ 7pm - For more information: 406-848-9445
www.bearcreekcouncil.org

Christmas Covers:
Serving Park County through our community projects. 406-848-9491
Jo Hudson.

Gardiner Food Pantry
Hours: Tuesdays from 1pm-6pm. 307.344.9006
Linda Gray.

Gateway Hose
Company Board of
Trustees Meeting:
March 14th, 2016
@ 7pm at the Fire Hall.

Electric Peak Arts
Council Meeting:
Sept-May, 1st Wednesday @ 5:30pm in the Gardiner High School Library.

Gardiner-Park County
Water District Board
Meeting: 2nd Tuesday @ 6pm at the District Office.

The Gardiner Resort
Area District monthly meeting is held every second Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Gardiner Visitor's Center.

G-Town Thrift Store
Thursdays 4-7pm and
Saturdays 1-7pm located at the Community Church 318 W. Main St.

Gardiner Community
Library Tuesdays 10am-5pm, 6pm-8pm & Thursdays 6pm-8pm. 406.848.7835.

Gardiner School Board
Meeting: 2nd Wednesdays @ 7pm in the Gardiner School Conference Room.

Greater Gardiner
Community Council
Advisory Board Meeting: 1st Tuesdays @ 7:15pm.
www.gardinermt.org

Gardiner Chamber of
Commerce /
Visitor Center:
Mon- Tues 8:30am-5:00pm, Weds - Fri 8:30am-4:00pm. Closed Sat & Sun. Monthly Board meeting, 3rd Thursdays at noon. Located at 216 Park Street. 848-7971.

CVB Meeting: 2nd Thursdays @ 10:00am at Gardiner Visitor's Center.

IF YOU HAVE A COMMUNITY SERVICE GROUP OR COMMITTEE THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADD TO OUR LIST CALL THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE AT 848-7971 OR EMAIL ADS@GARDINERCHAMBER.COM

If you are feeling sad, as if no one cares or that life isn't worth living any more ...

Please - Call the Montana Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 1-800-273-TALK (8255)
Someone does care~ They will listen to your story

Deadline for all newsletter ads is Tuesday before noon. NEWSLETTER ADS must be paid for in ADVANCE. There is no billing. Ads submitted without full payment will not be run.

Ads are \$7.00 for 40 words or less in paragraph form for non-chamber members and \$6.00/40 words for chamber members plus 10 cents for each additional word for members and non-members alike. Email or call for display ad pricing. 848-7971. Ads may be submitted by email to ads@gardinerchamber.com and/or by coming directly to the Chamber office at 216 Park Street during business hours. (there is an after hours drop box too!) If payment is required, then please drop off a copy of the ad with payment at the office or mail in advance to Gardiner Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 81 Gardiner, MT 59030.

It is helpful if you submit your ads before Tuesday. Ads CANNOT be placed over the telephone. Lost and Found, Free, Thank you, ads are free up to 40 words & .10cents/word over 40. Nonprofit status does not guarantee a free ad. Call if you have questions. phone 406.848.7971

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