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Joy Britton, 76, died Monday, May 6, 2024 in Dillon, Montana. She was home with her daughter and husband. A memorial service will be held in her honor Saturday, July 20, 2024, 11AM at Big Sky Missionary Baptist Church, 3148 MT HWY-91, Dillon, MT 59725. Pastor Ken Gilchrist officiating.

Joy was born July 20, 1947, in Napa County, California to Victor (Vic) A. Merth and Ester Mae Merth (Leslie). She graduated from Gabriel Academy, San Gabriel, CA in June 1965. In 1966, Joy attended courses at San Mateo City College in California to advance her experience and expertise in computer and office machinery. In 2003, Joy graduated from Faith Bible Institute. She has owned and operated a successful photography business. Joy was an accomplished, dependable, and trustworthy administrative assistant she worked at some well-known businesses through the years including the National Center for Appropriate Technology (NCAT), Summit Valley Title Co, both in Butte, MT, HazelBaker Title Co, in Dillon, and finally Vigilante Electric Cooperative, from which she retired in 2020.

Joy has always been a quiet and reserved woman. However, behind the silence and beautiful timid smile resided a wealth of knowledge, fountain of faith and passion to share the gospel of Jesus Christ. Her witness and ministry meant so much to her; she lived her life as a servant of The Lord. Joy is survived by her husband George Britton, daughter Amy Dingfield, siblings Judith Brainard, Jennifer Hickman, and Jon M. Merth, two grandchildren Ada and Levi Dingfield, and numerous nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her parents and stepson Richard Britton.

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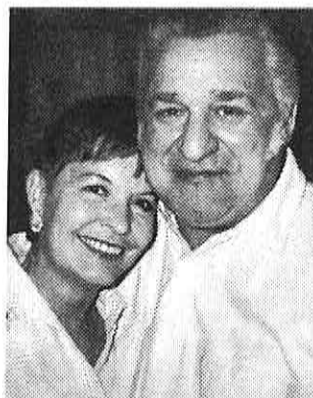
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Both Don and Carolee attended Beaverhead County High School graduating in 1954 and 1955 respectively. While in high school, the two met and fell in love. The day after Don graduated, he left Dillon for San Antonio, Texas to

begin his career in the United States Air Force. The following year, after Carolee graduated, they were married on August 6, 1955 in Rapid City, South Dakota. While stationed in Rapid City, their four children: Connie, Daniel, Cynthia, and Donald Jr. (Mike) were born.

Don's career took the family to South Dakota, Florida, Michigan, Okinawa, South Carolina, Vietnam, South Korea, Philippines, and Guam with retirement in Spokane, Washington on 1-1-1977.

Carolee managed the family while working many positions during her career and military travels. She enjoyed all of her positions throughout her career.

When Don's mother passed away, Don and Carolee returned to Dillon, Montana where they became owners of the Dillon Bar and Hotel. In 1983, Don came out of retirement to begin his second career as a Tavern owner. Don and Carolee owned and managed the Dillon Hotel and Bar until August 2012. There they worked hard growing the business and forging unbelievable friendships. Don and Carolee worked hard to provide an environment of "Where friends gather."

Carolee was diagnosed with Parkinson's in 2012. She



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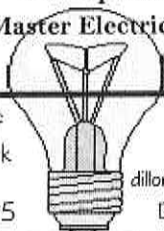
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managed to navigated this devastating disease for 11 years.

Health challenges had Don enter into care at the Pioneer Care and Rehabilitation in 2019, with sometime at the Legacy Assisted Living facility where he & Carolee received excellent care.

Carolee & Don are survived by their four children Connie Wohrle of Carolina Beach, North Carolina, Dan Gregovich (and wife Rita) of Spokane, Washington, Cynthia Gregovich of Mountlake Terrace, Washington, and Donald Gregovich Jr. (Mike) of Coeur d Alene, Idaho. Carolee's sister and brother-in-law, Robin and Arne Kallestad, grandson Christopher Oliver, great grandchildren Meygan Oliver and Marissa Foisy-Oliver, nieces Barb Sinclair and Pam Applegate.

Don was preceded by his grandparents, parents, sisters Elsie Gregovich and Irene Vert, and several nieces, nephews, cousins, and his stepfather Matt Plute.

Graveside services will be Friday May 17th 2024 at Mountain View Cemetery at 1 pm and a reception at Mac's Last Cast/Blacktail station in the meeting room at 3pm.

Don, Carolee, and family would appreciate any memorials to be sent to the Montana Parkinson Foundation (3509 Macduff Circle, Billings, Montana 59101) or a Veterans organization of your choice.

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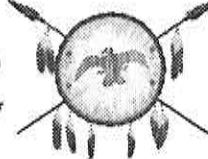
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## Partial spring fish population estimates completed for Big Hole River

### Trout numbers increase in some areas

Fisheries staff with Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks are conducting annual fish population estimates in the Big Hole River. Estimates from two of the four sampling areas are completed, showing several increases in trout numbers from historic lows last year.

In the Melrose section, which is immediately downstream of Salmon Fly Fishing Access Site, biologists found an estimated 192 rainbow trout per mile and 506 brown trout per mile. These figures are increases from 2023 estimates, which were 161 rainbow trout and 324 brown trout. Both estimates for 2024 still remain well below the long-term averages, which are 488 rainbow trout and 908 brown trout per mile.

In the Hogback section, which runs from Glen Fishing Access Site to Tony Schoonen Fishing Access Site, biologists found an estimated 263 rainbow trout per mile and 722 brown trout per mile. Rainbow trout numbers decreased slightly from 2023's estimate of 288 fish. Brown trout estimates, however, more than doubled from last year's estimate of 289 fish. The long-term averages for this section are 473 rainbow trout per mile and 920 brown trout per mile.

Jim Olsen, FWP's fisheries biologist for the Big Hole River, says good water levels in 2023 likely helped improve the survival of juvenile trout because most of the population increase observed this year was in 2-year-old fish.

Population estimates are still pending for the Jerry Creek and Pennington sections, which respectively include the upper and lower reaches of the Big Hole River. These results and updates from other waterbodies in the upper Missouri River Basin will be published as they become available.

FWP and Montana State University embarked on a new cooperative research effort when annual sampling found fish numbers to be at or near historic lows in sections of the Big Hole, Beaverhead and Ruby rivers last year. This partnership includes hiring three PhD students and additional staff to study fish mortality, recruitment and health.

This spring, FWP staff tagged fish in the three rivers, as well as the lower Madison River. As anglers report each tagged fish they catch, they're helping researchers identify individual fish and monitor their health, survival, movement and other indicators over time. Anglers who submit reports could also be eligible for rewards.

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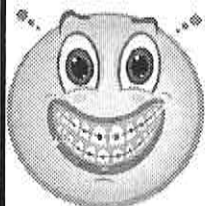
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## Bulldog Volleyball Announces 2024 Schedule

University of Montana Western sixth-year head volleyball coach Katie Lovett has announced her team's schedule for the 2024 season.

The slate includes three preseason non-conference tournaments, as well as the annual Frontier and North Star crossover that splits up the 15-match slate of Frontier Conference action.

Montana Western begins the season Aug. 16-17 in Caldwell, Idaho for the College of Idaho Preseason Tournament. UMW opens with powerhouse and 2023 NAIA national tournament semifinalist Viterbo University (Wis.). They will then follow with a tough Morningside University (Iowa) on the opening day. They close out the weekend with host College of Idaho, followed by another big matchup with 2023 NAIA tournament semifinalist Eastern Oregon.

After packing a punch with their opening weekend, the Bulldogs then travel to Louisiana where they will face Webber International (Fla.), Loyola (La.), and Texas Wesleyan from Aug. 23 through the 24. UMW finishes its preseason tournament play at Ottawa University Arizona from Aug. 30-31 as they face Arizona Christian, Ottawa University Arizona, and Embry Riddle (Ariz.).

"We have a really competitive preseason schedule lined up for us this year. The College of Idaho tournament always brings in phenomenal competition that will challenge us right away," Lovett said. "The Loyola tournament is another one we are really looking forward to, especially getting to play teams we do not typically see over our direction. OUAZ is always a great tournament to finish up with getting to play good competition to get us ready for a very tough Frontier Conference."

The Bulldogs open their Frontier schedule at home as they host MSU-Northern on Sept. 13. UMW is set to play three matches against all Frontier opponents, with the schedule being split down the middle by the Frontier and North Star crossover that is hosted this year by Rocky Mountain College. The Bulldogs will face Valley City State (N.D.), Jamestown (N.D.), and Dickinson State (N.D.) from Oct. 10-12.

"As usual, all of the Frontier teams are going to be tough opponents. Even teams that graduated big playmakers have brought in great talent to not skip a beat," Lovett continued. "We competed well this spring and worked really hard to put us in a good mindset for this upcoming season."

Frontier action will culminate with the 2024 Frontier Conference Tournament on Nov. 15-16 that will be hosted by MSU-Northern this

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year. The Bulldogs will look to channel the late season magic of the 2023 season and claim an NAIA playoff berth following the tournament.

"Post season is always a fun time at the Conference Tournament, and we are hoping to put ourselves in a good position through the regular season to make the most of the opportunity the tournament presents," Lovett said.

### Letter to the Editor

A very important election is upon us, namely the open District # 3 Public Service Commissioner position. I am enthusiastically voting for Jeff Welborn and I think you should, too. Here's why.

The PSC needs a strong independent voice who listens primarily to the people's voices rather than the power brokers when determining affordable and reliable utility rates. As consumers we need someone who stands with us, and I believe that Jeff Welborn is just that person.

As a legislator representing southwestern Montana, both in the House of Representatives and the Senate, Jeff actively sought out input on important legislation from his constituents. He held important committee positions which also gave him the knowledge and negotiating skills to judge the weighty decisions that will come before the PSC.

And importantly, I trust he will put the interest of our rural and ag-based communities in the forefront. Affordable utility rates are vital for our growing families, growing retiree sectors and small businesses.

We need Jeff Welborn as our voice on the Public Service Commission.

Ronald V. Loge MD  
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## Veteran's Corner Update

By Mike Lawson

Memorial Day is fast approaching and will be on the 27th of this month which is a Monday. Each year in Butte the VFW Post 1448 & the 1448 Auxiliary coordinates the placement of up to 4,000 flags on the graves of Veterans interred in Mount Moriah, St. Patricks, Holy Cross and Mountain View Cemeteries.

All the flags are marked with pink tape to enable easy identification for placement and recovery.

Volunteers are needed, so all residents & families are welcome to assist in this effort. Groups such as the Civil Air Patrol and Montana Youth Challenge cadets have always supported this project.

The flags will be placed on Saturday May 25th. Meet at 9:00 am at the Spanish American Veteran plot in Mount Mariah. Anyone who can help will be welcomed with open arms. Afterwards all the volunteers will meet at MacKenzie River Pizza for a pizza lunch.

Dillon, Anaconda, Deerlodge, Whitehall, Twin Bridges, and Sheridan will be doing similar efforts.

A lot of our deceased veterans are a reminder to us that they served in both wartime and peace. Because of their serving, the deterrent of a hostile nation invading us has never happened. We don't have to look far to see nations invading other nations. Our freedom is not free but is bought with the blood, tears and triumphs of our Veterans.

A lot of Veteran Service Organization reunions are taking place at this time of the year. This week, I'll be in Billings for our Department of Montana Marine Corps League Convention. Our members will be coming from all over the state to rub shoulders in fun and business. It's always an uplifting experience.

The foliage around us is turning green and is a sign that we need to get out of our hibernation mode and enjoy this time of "mother nature" bringing new life around us.

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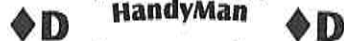
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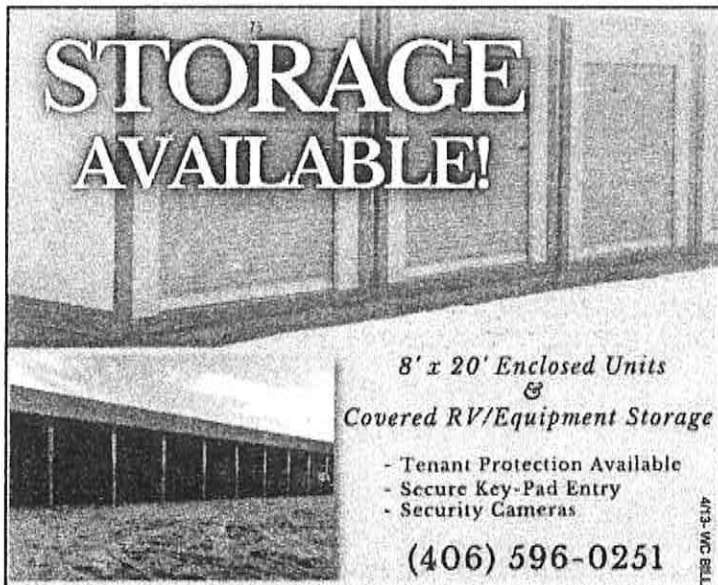
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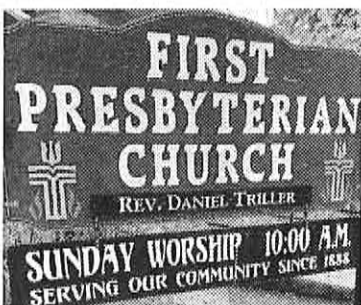
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## NEW ACCOUNTS/TELLER POSITION

PIONEER FEDERAL SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION is accepting applications for a full-time New Accounts/Teller position at our Dillon location.

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- handling and balancing cash;
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If you are highly motivated and looking for an environment to exercise your problem-solving skills, excellent communication, organization, tireless work ethic, and teamwork mentality, Pioneer Federal wants to meet you! Previous banking experience is welcomed, but all applicants will be considered.

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# JSA



5/6-B/6

## Adult Softball League

The Dillon Jaycee Softball Association is back for another season. There will be a Men's, Women's, and Co-ed League. The season will be played June-July. Visit the Dillon Jaycees website under the community involvement tab for more information and entry forms.

✓ Elect **MIKE KLAKKEN** ✓

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**STARTS JUNE 3**  
**ENDS AUGUST 23**  
**2024**

JULY 3RD IS A HALF DAY, PICKUP AT 1PM, NO CAMP JULY 4-5

**TIME: 7:45AM-5:30PM**  
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## Dillon Elementary Schools External Vacancy Announcement

School District #10 anticipates having the following full-time certified position open for the 2024 - 2025 school year.

- 1.0 FTE Certified **Elementary Special Education Teacher** – Must have current, unexpired Montana Certification in Special Education PK-12 (32A SPE) or Special Education PK-8 (32E SPE).



### External Application Procedure

- 1) Letter of interest
- 2) Completed District Application/Resume
- 3) 3 current Letters of Recommendation
- 4) Copy of Certification and Transcripts



*All School District #10 classified staff members, who are appropriately certified and interested in applying for any of the above, must complete the entire application packet. Current employment with the district does not guarantee an interview.*

External Application Deadline – Open Until Filled  
Contact Mrs. Natalie English, District Secretary, at [nenglish@dillonelem.k12.mt.us](mailto:nenglish@dillonelem.k12.mt.us) or at (406) 683-4311, option #3 for application materials.

All application materials must be returned to Mrs. Natalie English at the District Office before the aforementioned deadline!  
Incomplete applications will not be considered!

Dillon Elementary School District #10  
C/O Randy Shipman, Superintendent  
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Dillon, Montana 59725  
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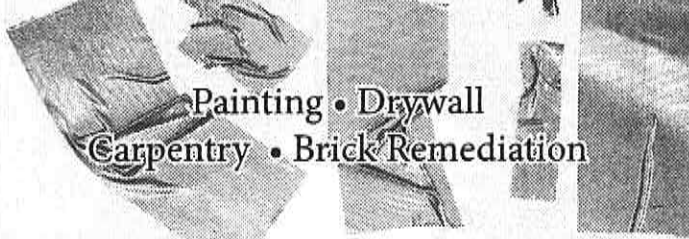
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## BEAVERHEAD COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE

This committee would like to present to all readers the Montana Republican Party Platform

This news insert is very important information for all Republicans to make responsible choices in the upcoming election. As Republicans it vital that we elect representatives that will know and understand our Party Platform, that these representatives will use it as a directing guide when making decisions.

To read the entire Party Platform log into: <https://mtgop.org/about/party-platform/>

**What do Republicans believe?** The Montana Republican Party subscribes to a set of principles that transcend specific policy issues while guiding the positions of the Party takes on those issues. These principles derive directly from the wisdom of America's Founders, as expressed in the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States of America. Republicans believe "these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights, among which are Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness."

**Republicans believe** that to secure these God-given rights, governments are instituted among men deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed.

**Republicans believe** that the Constitution of the United States of America is a unique and binding compact, which defines a republican form of government designed to protect the rights of citizens by limiting the power of their government.

**Republicans believe** that the Constitution is as relevant today as it was on the day it was ratified. It is not an evolving, ever-changing document.

**Republicans believe** that centralization of political power invites the replacement of the rule of law by the rule of men and thus enables the rise of totalitarianism.

**Republicans believe** that each level of government should continuously strive to limit the scope of its own activity and to avoid infringing upon the lawful activities of free citizens.

**Republicans believe** in the dignity of each individual person and in promoting opportunities for all.

**Republicans believe** that a robust civil society – traditional families, churches, and various voluntary associations of free citizens – is essential for sustaining self-government.

**Republicans believe** that in the absence of free markets and secure property rights, personal and political freedom cannot long flourish.

**Republicans believe** in the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death, and that only parents have the right to direct all reproductive decisions for their minor children.

**Republicans believe** that the family is central to God's plan for mankind. We believe the ideal traditional family structure is a father and a mother as it is unified in love and purpose, raising children based on their inalienable rights.

**Who are the Republicans?** Montanan Republicans are men and women of all walks of life and of all creeds and colors. We are grateful to God for the quiet beauty of our state. We are united in viewing the United States of America as an exceptional nation that in its inception broke the historical norm. We celebrate being self-governing, free citizens. We recognize the debt we owe those citizens who came before us, and we gladly acknowledge our duty to pass the gift of liberty on to our children and grandchildren. If you share these values, please join us.

#### **RESOLUTION ON PLATFORM PRINCIPLES**

**WHEREAS** Republican solidarity in opposition to the Democrat socialist agenda is necessary to preserve the security of our country, our economic and political freedoms, and our way of life; and

**WHEREAS** Republican faithfulness to its conservative principles and public policies as dictated by members of the GOP during convention and found in the Montana State Platform is necessary to maintain and restore the trust of the electorate in the Republican Party and a proven path that will lead to Republican electoral victories; and

**WHEREAS** we understand the broad written form of the whole of the Montana GOP Platform provides a great narrative tool for discussing our beliefs, it is a mechanism to detail policy to support in legislation; and

**WHEREAS** the MTGOP has a responsibility to develop a simple set of Principles based upon the MTGOP Platform that could then be applied to all proposed legislation.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the MTGOP identifies the following ten (10) policy positions to be detailed in the Montana Republican Platform in a "Principles" section.

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|------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Tax Policy          | 6. Education         |
| 2. Size of Government  | 7. Social Programs   |
| 3. Scope of Government | 8. Natural Resources |
| 4. Sanctity of life:   | 9. State Rights      |
| 5. Private Property    | 10. Judicial         |

The Republican Party of Montana recognizes that **this Platform and these 10 Planks are the only source for the values, definitions, and expectations the members of this association recognize when evaluating a candidate for public office within the Primary Election.**

#### **PARTY PLANKS**

- |                            |                          |
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| 2. American Indian Affairs | 12. State Administration |
| 3. Business and Labor      | 13. Taxation             |
| 4. Crime                   | 14. Transportation       |
| 5. Economic Development    |                          |
| 6. K – 12 Education        |                          |
| 7. Election Law            |                          |
| 8. Human Services          |                          |
| 9. Immigration             |                          |
| 10. National Affairs       |                          |

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