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Beaverhead County Museum Event: The Story of Camp Fortunate

Join us for a captivating evening at the Beaverhead County Museum as Steve Morehouse presents "The Story of Camp Fortunate." This engaging presentation will take place at the Old Depot Theatre, providing a perfect setting to delve into the rich history of Camp Fortunate.

- Date: Thursday, January 16, 2025
- Location: Old Depot Theatre, 125 S. Montana St.
- Doors Open: 6:00 PM
- Program Starts: 6:30 PM
- Admission: Free (Donations welcomed)
- Extras: Refreshments and a raffle

About the Presentation

"The Story of Camp Fortunate" will explore the historical significance of this notable site, offering insights into its role in the past and its impact on the present. Steve Morehouse, a knowledgeable historian, will guide attendees through the fascinating narratives and events that shaped Camp Fortunate.

Contact Information

For more information about the event, please feel free to reach out:

- Phone: 406-683-5027
- Email: bvhdmuseum@hotmail.com



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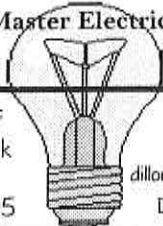
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The Montana Department of Justice (DOJ) and the Office of Public Instruction (OPI) announced that submissions are open for the 42nd Annual National Missing Children's Poster Contest. Montana fifth graders can submit their art in the theme of "Bringing Our Missing Children Home" to help raise awareness of the issue of missing children and have a chance to win a trip to Washington, D.C.

A winning Montana poster will be selected, and the artist will receive a \$100 cash prize and get to celebrate with Attorney General Austin Knudsen and Superintendent of Public Instruction Susie Hedalen. The winning poster will then be submitted to the national contest. The national poster contest winner, along with his/her parents and teacher, will be awarded a trip to Washington, D.C. to participate in the National Missing Children's Day ceremony on Wednesday, May 21.

Student artwork must meet the following criteria to be considered and will be judged on originality, creativity, use of color and materials, and reflection of contest theme.

- Artwork that is original and handcrafted
- 8 1/2 x 14 inches in size
- Include the words "Bringing Our Missing Children Home"

Posters with digitally produced images, collages, cut-outs, and stamping will not be accepted.

A written poster contest student application form must be submitted along with each poster. The application will be judged on the level of understanding of the subject, clarity, and grammar appropriate for the fifth grade. Application and consent forms are available here.

Montana has participated in the annual national "Bringing Our Missing Children Home" poster contest since 2009.

Since 2003, DOJ has issued 55 AMBER Alerts that have helped locate 77 children, four who were deceased. To see a list of the persons currently missing in Montana and to get more information on Montana's AMBER Alert and Missing Persons programs, visit <https://dojmt.gov/missing-persons/>.

Posters and student application forms must be received by February 28, 2025. Send them to:

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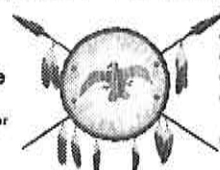
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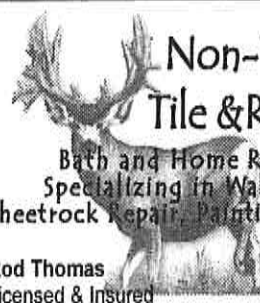
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The simple joy of snow

Tom Purcell

I love the snow. I love how it forces us to slow down and take pause. I especially love how a good snowfall puts Washington, D.C. into panic mode, as it has again this week, causing federal office buildings to shut down. I lived in the D.C. region for about eight years and the response to snow in the nation's capital was way different from how it is in places like Pittsburgh. You see, Washington, D.C. is full of self-appointed experts who are eager to tell the rest of us how to live.

These uber-smart people can't stop meddling with our appliances, furnaces, air conditioners and water heaters — they keep driving up the cost of every one of them with their never-ending mandates.

But when a few flakes of snow fall on the ground, they fall to pieces.

That's because they lack the common sense of people from the Midwest — what they refer to as "Flyover Country."

And so it is that the same people who tell us that toilet paper and bottled water are ruining the environment flock to supermarkets to hoard toilet paper and bottled water.

Washingtonians aren't used to having to deal with reality.

In Washington, a lobbyist can make a fine living by spewing out bogus numbers and arguments to convince policymakers to write laws that favor the organizations he represents.

Our government doesn't care much for reality, either. If it needs more money, it just prints more.

When our lawmakers gave us an ethanol-subsidies program that screwed up our corn market and drove up food costs, were there consequences?

Nope, just a couple of shoulder shrugs and some comments about their intentions being good.

Outside of Washington, D.C., however, people have no choice but to live in reality.

When record snows fall in the heartland of America, a person's first instinct is to do what he must to keep the snow from affecting his family's wellbeing.

We Pittsburghers know we can't control the cold and snow, but we can control how we respond to them. And we respond with joy.

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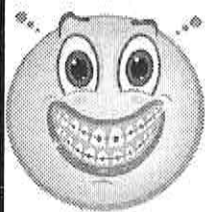
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We do this because the snow brings out the best in us.

As I write this column, my entire yard, and all of the woods that surround it, are coated with a thick layer of snow.

My four-year-old labrador, Thurber, is happy to go outside and play on any occasion, but there is something about the snow that brings out even more joy in him — an infectious joy that makes me laugh out loud.

And since I planned ahead for the realities of winter — my snowblower is tuned and my 4x4 Toyota truck eats snow-covered roads for lunch — I haven't a worry in the world.

Now if you'll excuse me, it's time for this snow-loving Midwesterner to go outside and toss my dog his favorite ball!

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS

January 9th, 2025
City Council Chambers
7:00 P.M.

Hunting for female mountain lions to close in Hunting District 690

By order of the Montana Fish and Wildlife Commission, the hunting of female mountain lions will close in Hunting District 690 on Thursday, Jan. 9, at one-half hour after sunset. This closure does not apply to holders of Limited Lion Licenses.

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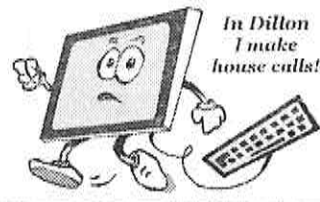
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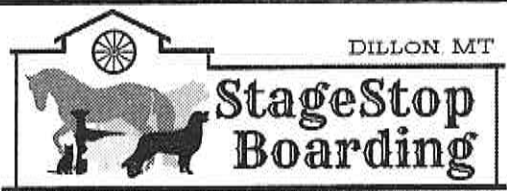
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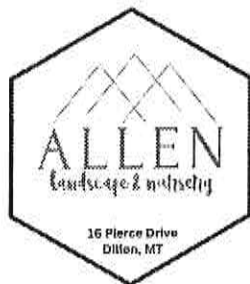
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Veteran's Corner Update #290
 By Mike Lawson

Greetings to all of you who read my SW MT Veteran update articles. We got our first decent snow of about four to six inches, depending upon where you live in SW Montana. We need much more snow but this was a good start. The temperatures are mainly in the 20s and down into the single digits. We're not suffering the bitter cold or the heavy snows like the Great Lake states are going through. I'm reasonably sure we'll experience our share of that in the next few months...

I just read a book about the Granite Mountain-Speculator Mine Disaster of 1917 Butte, Montana. I can relate to one famous cinematographer and film maker, John Armstrong, who said "I finished the book with tears streaming down my face." I along with some of you older folks, worked in one mine or another on the hill here in Butte. For me it was working down in the Kelly Mine for 4 months, drilling underground for Boyle Brothers Drilling in the early 1970's. My grandfather, dad and uncles had all been miners in one Butte mine or another in the years and decades before this. For me it was an experience I'll never forget. The dark blackness meeting us as we went straight down the Kelly shaft to the 1800 ft level in the small man carrying cages, combined with the silence, was a bit eerie. For four months I made myself go to work, as this going down a hole into the middle of the earth was not appealing in the least bit. There was a strike and that was my ticket to stay above ground. This book "A Darkness Lit By Heroes" by Doug Ammons, took me back to the darkness of the deep underground mines. Butte was a thriving copper mining town with hundreds of miners working the numerous mines on the hill. I was heartbroken when reading the stories told of the miners who died from the smoke, fire and gas. The other heartbreaking moments were the mothers, wives and children who waited outside the mines to see if their loved one was rescued or brought to the surface dead. I always knew and had heard about this mine disaster and contributed some metal cutouts of mining figures drawn by Mike Kujawa on pattern paper. I cut them out and welded them together and they're at the Granite Mountain-Speculator Memorial site located by the the two mines of that disaster, east of Walkerville. After reading this book, I'll be forever affected by not only the

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Veteran News Updates:

- Christmas is over and our Veteran Organizations are meeting at their regular monthly meeting dates. One of the events the Marine Corps League does on the first Saturday of the month is to have an SOS Breakfast at a different location each month. This month we had it at the Oasis Restaurant in Butte and had a great time. Our surrounding towns of Anaconda, Deer Lodge, Dillon, etc., also do this type of get togethers, so watch for the advertisements and go to one.

- The DAV Vans are busy, as a lot of Veterans are going to their first of the year appointments. It always makes our drivers feel good to know they were able to help a veteran by giving them a ride. We are seeing more women veterans riding which is good to see. If you're a caregiver for your veteran and need to go to his or her appointment with them, we will give you a ride also. Any veteran in the VA Health System that needs a ride to a medical appointment, call me at 1 406 560 3591.

The issue of the homeless and these folk's survival is one each of us can take to heart. By donating food/money to the food banks or rescue missions or any other organization helping the homeless it is well worth considering. Stay safe, walk safe on the ice/snow and dress warm.

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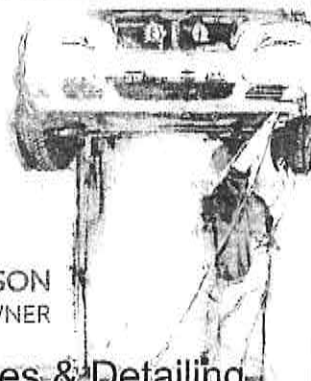


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- **Date:** Thursday, January 16, 2025
- **Location:** Old Depot Theatre, 125 S. Montana St.
- **Doors Open:** 6:00 PM
- **Program Starts:** 6:30 PM
- **Admission:** Free (Donations welcomed)
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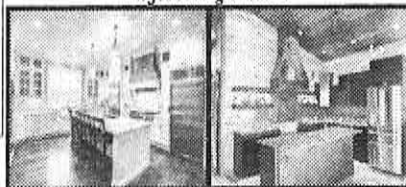
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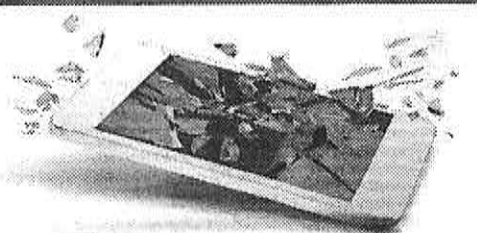
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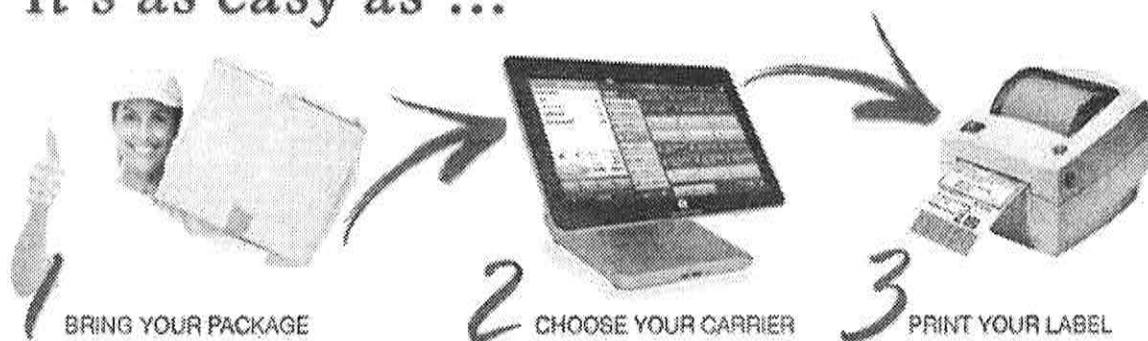
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2025 Technology Levy



By the Numbers



\$150,000

Technology Fund increase to protect student and staff data, purchase student learning software, improve parent communication tools and maintain and replace instructional devices.



10 year term for levy

If approved, the technology levy would remain in place until 2035.



14.7% less per-pupil

Dillon Elementary School District spends 14.7% less per-pupil than Montana's per-pupil average. SD #10 spent \$11,388 per pupil, in contrast to Montana's state average of \$13,346, as reported in the 2022-2023 school year.



\$50,000 - \$1 million

Monetary losses to school districts following a cyber incident ranged from \$50,000 to \$1 million according to the U.S. Government Accountability Office.



23 years

Number of years since Dillon Elementary School District has requested technology funds, despite growing demand. Currently, the district has a \$50,000 annual technology levy.



141%

Increase in technology-related costs over the last 7 years ensuring students and the district can keep pace with technological advancements essential for modern education.



\$275,000 current shortfall

Current technology costs exceed the existing \$50,000 technology levy by \$275,000. A new technology levy would increase funding and allow general funds to be reallocated to support our students, teachers, staff, and community.

Learn more at <https://www.dillonschools.org/page/2025-technology-levy> or scan the QR Code.

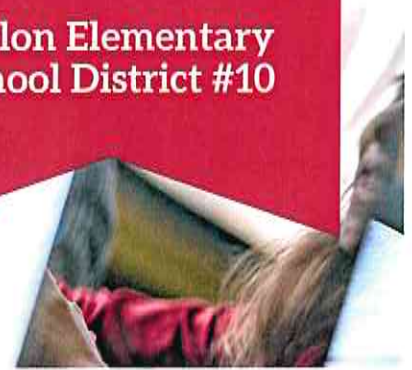


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Why is Dillon Elementary asking for a technology levy increase?

Dillon Elementary School District #10 is asking for voter approval of a \$150,000 technology levy increase in the May 2025 election to help maintain and update critical educational technology. This additional funding will support the following:

- Protecting Student and Staff Data
- Purchasing Student Learning Software
- Improving Parent Communication Tools
- Maintaining and Replacing Instructional Devices

How much would this cost me?

Tax Increase Estimate	
\$8.01 per year	Estimate for a home with a market value of \$100,000
\$24.02 per year	Estimate for a home with a market value of \$300,000
\$48.03 per year	Estimate for a home with a market value of \$600,000

Please visit the website below for additional tax estimates and information.

The Dillon Elementary School District technology levy will provide sustainable funding to maintain a safe learning environment, ensure reliable access to educational resources, purchase parent communication tools and digital learning platforms as well as maintain and replace instructional devices.

Protecting Student and Staff Data and Privacy:

Annual threat response and cybersecurity subscriptions are vital in protecting student and staff data and maintaining a safe learning environment. In 2023, 22% of all data breaches involved the education sector, highlighting the significant risk and need for effective data protection measures.

Purchasing Student Learning Software:

Annual software fees for student assessment and learning tools are essential to the success of our students. The variety of educational resources provides personalized learning experiences, allowing students to progress, addressing their individual needs in an effective and enjoyable way. Additionally, it offers valuable data and insights to help us track progress, identify areas for improvement and tailor instruction to better support student achievement. Technology directly impacts our students' success.

Improving Parent Communication Tools:

Effective parent communication technology is crucial for fostering a supportive school community focused on student success. These funds will enable timely updates and the purchase of tools that enhance collaboration between parents and educators, improving student outcomes. Additionally, communication technology supports both administrative functions and the diverse needs of students.

Maintaining and Replacing Instructional Devices:

Maintaining and replacing instructional devices is crucial for keeping technology up to date and supporting effective teaching. Annual IT support contracts help our small school manage technical issues, maintain a productive learning environment, and allow educators to focus on student success. We also need repairs for devices used in state-mandated assessments.

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