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Beaverhead Search and Rescue News

Submitted by: Mel Rice-Public Relations

The Beaverhead Search and Rescue held its monthly meeting Wednesday, January 8, 2025. The meeting was called to order by commander Kolby Malesich at 7:10 PM with 33 members in attendance. The treasurer's report was giving and guests were introduced.

The first order of business was the 39th Annual Stan Shafer Memorial Ice Fishing Derby. Tara Remely, derby chairperson, made note of ticket sales to date, passed around the sign-up sheet for working the derby, and asked for assistance on collecting door prizes. The derby well be held Sunday, January 19th, at Clark Canyon Reservoir. This year's derby will have the same great prizes available to lucky anglers and ticket holders. There will be 50/50 drawings for every $500 in ticket sales. Usually there are at least 3 drawings. We will also have drawings for door prizes that range from ball caps to cash money. Most years there are around 100 door prizes generously donated to the derby by businesses in Dillon, around the county and neighboring counties.

Two fish that are caught/tagged and released a few days before the derby are worth $7000 and $9500 respectively. Then the unit pays out cash awards of $400 for the largest trout by weight and $400 for the largest ling by weight in each category. Second place in each category receives $200, third place $100, and 4th place $50. There is also a kids' contest for those 12 years old and younger which follows the same format as the adult competition except for the prize money amount and only 3 places are paid. The largest kid trout is worth $75, largest kid ling $75, second place in both categories is $50, and third place $25. Tickets are available at several merchants around town, from search and rescue members and at times there will be an S&R member selling tickets at Town and Country and Safeway. Get those ice augers sharpened, ice poles and reels ready to go for another fun filled day on the ice with your Beaverhead Search and Rescue.

Next on the agenda was a recap of the incident of a small plane going down south of Dillon. As previously reported the plane had icing issues and was forced to make an emergency landing in the sagebrush. Both pilot and passenger were unharmed and were brought back to town.

Training officer, Adam Norlander, announced several training opportunities for members. The first is a water rescue training sponsored by the Ruby Valley S&R. That will be January 9th at the YMCA pool. Next there will be First Aid and CPR training February 12th and 13th. Members are required to hold a current card for both First Aid and CPR. The last training coming up will be on February 16th and will be a snowmobile operational training with an avalanche component.

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- Treasurer- Brian Vinson
- Communications- Brad Wagner
- Equipment- Evan Helle
- Training- Adam Norlander
- Public Relations- Mel Rice
- Board of Directors- Chuck Maddox, Cody Schnee, Steve Mock

The meeting adjourned at 8:15 followed by a short training video presented on rescues of individuals who have broken through ice and are in the water. Get that fishing gear ready and come join us at Clark Canyon Reservoir for a day of fun and excitement. "In the Business of Saving Lives", your Beaverhead Search and Rescue

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Marti Laknar- Education & Outreach Beaverhead Conservation District

January 18th 5:00-8:00 pm (Dinner Included)

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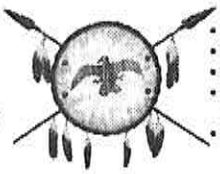
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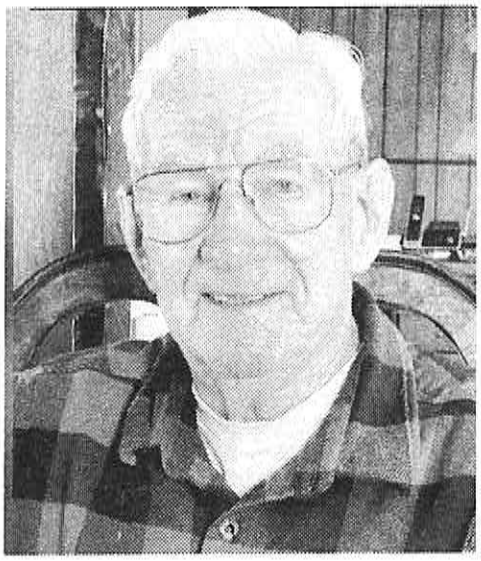
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The University of Montana Western will host a special birthday celebration for Dr. Alan Zetler, a beloved educator, mentor, and loyal UMW supporter, during the Montana Western vs. Carroll College basketball games on February 8, 2025. Dr. Zetler, who is turning 95, is one of the university's most dedicated fans and a cherished presence at UMW events.

Dr. Zetler has a distinguished history of service to UMW, where he served as a professor and the director of the nationally acclaimed Montana Rural Education Center. Over the course of his career, he made significant contributions to education in Montana, holding roles such as Assistant Professor of Education, Associate Professor of Education, Director of Placement and Student Teaching, and Dean of Education. Under his leadership, the Montana Rural Education Center earned the prestigious G. Theodore Mitau Award for innovation in higher education.

Despite his retirement, Dr. Zetler has remained actively involved in the educational community, chairing accreditation teams for Montana Teacher Education institutions. His passion for education, the university, and its students has never wavered.

"Dad shows his love and appreciation for our community and family by volunteering, helping, building and cheering on talent. Our hearts swell when we envision all the people over the many, many decades that dad has positively benefited. He attends all home sports events at Western so having this celebration with so many people he cares about on his 95th birthday will be the best gift ever, thank you!" said Peggy Zetler.

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The event will also include an alumni social featuring birthday cake, appetizers, and a no-host bar. "We are thrilled to celebrate Dr. Zetler's 95th birthday with his UMW family. This celebration is a small way for us to thank him for everything he has done for the university," said Roxanne Engellant, Director of the UMW Foundation.

For more information about the celebration, please contact Jolene Robbins, Special Events and Alumni Coordinator at 406-683-7303 or jjolene.robbins@umwestern.edu.

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Dillon area residents were asked to vote on a theme to best represent the City of Dillon, and artists are asked to consider the top three themes that were picked:

- Beaverhead County High School Beavers and University of Montana Western Bulldogs
- Rodeo and Ranching
- Fishing and Hunting

Artists must consider the surfaces of the vehicle which will have the vinyl wrap applied, for example there can be no graphics in front two windows and front windshield. A detailed outline of the vehicle as well as the submission form is available online at https://www.dillonmt.org/patrolling-with-pride. Artists may submit multiple designs, but one submission form should accompany each design.

Beaverhead County HS Activity List

1/10	Wrestling @ Frenchtown	Away	5:00 pm
1/10-1/11	Speech & Drama @ Corvallis Fri: 4:00	Overnight Sat: 8:00 am	Away
1/11	Boys & Girls Basketball @ Polson		
	Doubleheader – G Sub-varsity @ PHSLinderman Gym		
	B-1/2:30/4:00 pm		
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1/13 Mon	Booster Club Meeting	Seminar Room	6:00 pm
1/13 Mon	School Board Meeting	Board Room	7:00 pm

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January 14, 2025,
at 7:00 P.M.
District Conference Room

I. MEETING CALL TO ORDER – 7:00 P.M. – PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

a. It is important for everyone to remember that this is a District #10 Board of Trustees meeting held in public. Members of the public who wish to speak shall be recognized and allowed input, at the discretion of the Chair.

II. INDIVIDUALS OR DELEGATIONS:

a. This is the portion of the agenda set aside for public comment regarding non-agenda items. Anyone wishing to address the board may do so with the following stipulations:

III. CONSENT AGENDA:

a. Motion to Approve –

IV. REPORTS:

a. Superintendent – Mr. Shipman
b. PV Principal – Mr. Fitzgerald
c. DMS Principal – Mr. Rogers

V. CORRESPONDENCE AND PETITIONS

VI. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

VII. NEW BUSINESS:

a. Appoint New Trustee
b. Policy Review 5000 Series – Yearly Review
c. Superintendent Evaluation

VIII. INFORMATION:

IX. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:

a. Policy Review 6000 Series – Yearly Review
b. Resolution Calling for the May School Election

X. DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING:

a. Tuesday, February 11, 2025, at 7:00 p.m.

XI. EXECUTIVE SESSION: AS PRESCRIBED BY 2-3-203 M.C.A.

a. Annual Evaluation of the Superintendent

XII. ADJOURN: Time_____

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BEAVERHEAD COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' MEETING
MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 2025
COMMISSIONERS ROOM – COURTHOUSE
DILLON, MT
AGENDA

9:00 A.M.	Pledge of Allegiance Update on County Projects *Public Comment* Commissioners Report *Public Comment*
12:00 P.M.	*RECESS for lunch*
1:30 P.M.	Unfinished Business / Other Topics of Discussion *Public Comment* Public Comments Under County Jurisdiction Not on Agenda *Public Comment* Payment of Invoices *Public Comment* Action on Previous Meeting Minutes *Public Comment*
5:00 P.M.	ADJOURN

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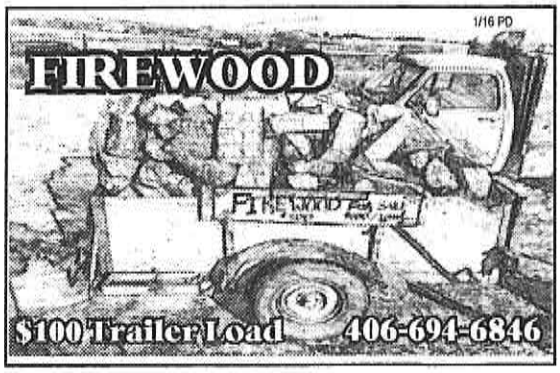
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Beaverhead County Museum Event: The Story of Camp Fortunate

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
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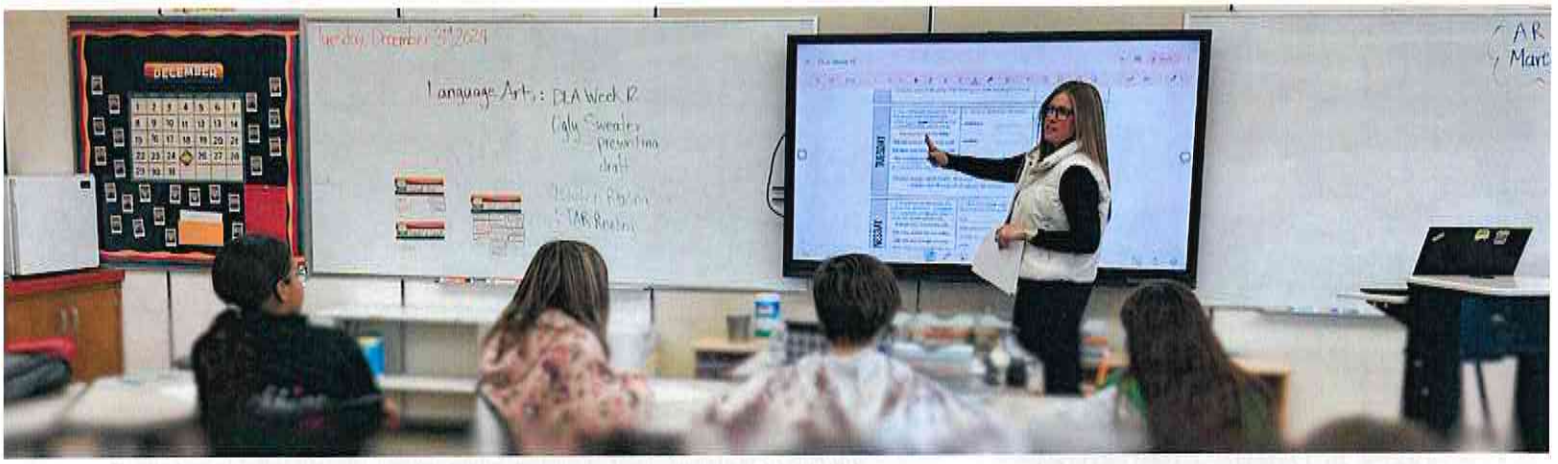
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Dillon Elementary School District #10

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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2025 Technology Levy



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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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