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## Public Works reports on year's progress

By Robin Jordan

2017 was a busy year for Butte-Silver Bow's public works department, with many projects completed or underway in all four of the department's divisions, commissioners heard last week.

Public Works Director Dave Schultz told commissioners many may not be aware of all the work done by the various divisions of his department because they have seldom report to the council, a situation he hopes to change by scheduling more regular reports. Representatives of transit, water utility, metro and water divisions gave reports on their various projects last week.

The transit division is responsible for local bus service as well as the county's para-transit service. Cory Johns, head of the division, said Butte-Silver Bow has four fixed bus routes that operate Monday through Friday and two routes on Saturday. The two routes with the highest ridership, he said, are the Walkerville and Montana Tech routes, which connect the uptown to Harrison Avenue. The Oregon Avenue route provides east and west service and the Around Town route provides service to rest homes, hospital and medical clinics and shopping destinations.

Johns said bus ridership has increased an average of 27 percent since the county eliminated bus fares in 2016, with the highest increases on the Walkerville and Montana Tech routes.

The county took over para-transit services last June and provides free curb-to-curb service for the disabled as long as they live within one-half mile of the regular bus routes.



Talented sculptors chipped and chiseled icy works of art Saturday during the 17th annual Ice Sculpting Contest, filling the uptown area with their masterpieces. *Photos by Robin Jordan*

Johns said his department has installed eight new bus shelters. The bus shelter on Park Street will be replaced with a covered bench at the new parking garage once it opens in January and two new bus shelters will be installed next spring.

In the coming year, Johns said his division will be seeking a grant from the state to produce a new 5-year transit development plan, which he said will cost about \$40,000. In addition, he said, the city hopes to add hourly service on its Oregon Avenue route to and from the new Ridge Waters waterpark at Stod-

den Park.

Bob Boone, Engineering Technician for the Water Utility Division, said his division completed a couple of projects at Silver Lake at the Meyers Dam, including installing a new line to bypass the old spring line and replacing an inlet. Another large project completed was a water main replacement at the intersection of Holmes Avenue and Hill Street.

Last year also saw the opening of the new Basin Creek Water treatment plant, not only insuring that all Butte's drinking water meets state and federal standards, but that the

city can more efficiently utilize its water sources.

Boone said a major accomplishment for his division was installation of a new telemetry system that allows monitoring and control of pressure and flow of water throughout the southside distribution zone of the city. He said controlling the flow and minimizing leaks in the area has been a primary problem for the county for many years. In the past, he said, the Butte distribution system had an average of 400 leaks per year,

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## Winners announced in annual Ice Sculpting Contest

The chisels and chippers are now still and nearly 40 sculptures have emerged on the streets of Uptown Butte after the 17th Annual Ice Sculpting Contest was held on Saturday, thanks to major sponsors Northwestern Energy, Glacier Bank, Water and Environmental Technologies and KXLF/KBZK.

Park 217 Restaurant, Steele's Furniture, and Taco del Sol and The Pita Pit also lent support for the event.

An empty bowl rests on a planter by the Thornton Block on East Broadway, an owl is perched in front of Cavanaugh's County Celtic and down the street an ice cream cone sits in front of Insty Prints next to one

tasty burger in front of Best Burger on West Park Street.

At the Imagine Butte Resource Center, a shamrock greets visitors at the door of Orofino Coffee and an ice turtle rests in front of Gamer's, an ice angel poses in front of Metals, and a trophy Elk is mounted in front of the BSB Courthouse while a rare arctic grayling leaps in front of Daniel Insurance on E. Galena Street.

The judges have cast a cold eye and selected the best of the best in six categories. Here are the winners selected by the judges as the best:

Grand Prize - Post Bar, 102 E. Galena Street - Frank Hall

Master 1st - Daniel Insurance, 22 W. Galena Street - Justin Deshazo  
Master 2nd - Headframe Spirits, 21 S. Montana Street - Frank Todaro  
Adult 1st - Butte Silver Bow/Rotary Tree, Park and N. Arizona Street - Kelly McGonigal  
Adult 2nd - Gamer's Cafe, 15 W. Park Street -- Ernie Smith and Ron Frisner  
Adult Rookie 1st - Butte News.Net, 65 E. Broadway - Viktor Kujawa and Dayne Robinson  
Adult Rookie 2nd - Insty Prints, 120 W. Park Street - Rob McClain

Youth 1st - Metals Sports Bar & Grill, 8 W. Park Street - Clayton and Connor Heggem

Youth 2nd - Best Burger, 116 W. Park Street - Ethan Heggem

Decorated 1st - Headframe Spirits, 21 S. Montana Street - John McKee  
Decorated 2nd - Beautiful Butte and Beyond, 21 N. Montana Street - Kimberly and Kasey Yadao.

The 17th Annual Ice Sculpting Contest is one of several events throughout the year organized and presented by Mainstreet Uptown Butte, including the 27th Annual Christmas Stroll last week and the 8th Montana Folk Festival returning to Butte next July 13-15.

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# BUTTE SPORTS

Dan Lean made players, students, coaches better



By Bill Foley

As soon as I looked at the Butte Sports Hall of Fame plaque for the 1991 Butte High football team, I knew I had made a major goof.

Assistant coach Dan Lean jumped off the picture at me the split second I pulled the plaque out of the bubble wrap.

Right there in the front row of the team photo was Mr. Lean, and he was sitting next to head coach Jon McElroy. When I saw Mr. Lean, I started to panic.

It was two days before my first induction ceremony as executive director of the Hall Fame, and I had already blown it.

The list of assistant coaches on the 1991 state championship team that I had, for some reason, didn't have Mr. Lean's name.

There was not enough time to have another plaque made before the banquet, and I was kicking myself because I should have

known better.

Of course Mr. Lean was an assistant on that team. Of course he was. That's what he did.

And he did it well.

He was the consummate assistant coach behind so many great Butte High teams.

Mr. Lean, who passed away following a tragic accident last week, coached alongside McElroy for his entire 18 years as head football coach at Butte High. That included 118 wins and three state championships.

He was there to assist Pat Foley for all 161 wins of his 12 years as leader of the Bulldog boys' basketball team. Mr. Lean was an assistant during the 1984 state championship season. He was part of the 1988-89 and 1989-90 teams that lost three games in two seasons.

"Everything we accomplished he deserves as much credit as I do," Foley says. "He used to give me tips on the bench, and I very seldom went against it."

McElroy says Mr. Lean was a positive influence on the players and his fellow coaches.

"He was fair and honest with the kids," McElroy says. "He treated one kid just like he did the other kid. He was a good coach and a good guy, and most impor-

tantly, he was a good friend."

I never played for Mr. Lean, but he was one of the best teachers I ever had. In trigonometry class my junior year at Butte High School, I quickly learned to appreciate his fair and straight-forward approach to the classroom.

You did your homework in Mr. Lean's class because, well, you had to. There was no detention for failing to turn in an assignment, but you would lose five points off the next test for every homework assignment you didn't complete.

The key to math – at least for knuckleheads like me – is doing the homework.

I learned trigonometry so well from Mr. Lean that my college trig class was the easiest 'A' I ever earned, and I am far from a math whiz.

One of the first things I quickly noticed about Mr. Lean as a teacher was that the chair to his desk was almost complete unnecessary. He stood in front of the class and taught trigonometry from the second the students were seated until the bell rang.

To say Mr. Lean wasn't flashy would be a major understatement. He was so monotone that I swear you could hear call for Ferris Bueller at the beginning of every class, and the 55-minute period sometimes seemed like 6 hours.

It is also an understatement to say that the tax payers – and students who wanted to learn – got every penny's worth when it came to Mr. Lean.

"He was an amazing person," Foley says. "He was a worker. That's what he was. He was a worker. He just taught and taught."

Whether he was in the classroom, on the court or on the field, Mr. Lean was a teacher. He made the students, athletes and fellow coaches better.

He was also a contributor for the Bulldogs on the track.

"He never coached track, but he helped at every track meet," longtime Bulldog track coach Charlie Merrifield says. "He was there at every meet. He was a head of the finish line."

Getting inducted into the Butte Sports Hall of Fame was old hat to Mr. Lean. His selection with the 1991 football team was at least his fourth trip into the Hall.

He went in with the 1977 and 1981 Butte High state champion football teams and the 1984 Bulldogs basketball team.

Mr. Lean never had the honor of becoming an individual inductee like McElroy, Foley and Merrifield, but he certainly helped many players and coaches get fitted for their Green Jacket.

His contribution wasn't always celebrated, but it was recognized. Even more, Mr. Lean was known for his friendship.

"He was a good man," McElroy says. "He was one of those guys who was a good friend. That's the important thing. He is going to be really hard to replace as a friend."

Foley also coached with Mr. Lean when they were both assistants under Larry Ferguson. He says in all the years with Mr. Lean, he can't remember a single fight.

"He was a really good friend to me. We were really close," Foley says. "I am so brokenhearted."

The last time I saw Mr. Lean was, fittingly, at Butte High School. It was five days before he died, and Mr. Lean was he at the school to watch his grandson wrestle and to support the Bulldogs.

I'm so glad I went out of my way to shake his hand. "Hi Mr. Lean, the Bulldogs look pretty good today," I said.

Butte High had just beaten up on Kalispell Glacier, and the Bulldogs were getting ready to take on defending Class AA state champion Kalispell Flathead.

"Yeah," Mr. Lean said with a laugh. "We're going to see just how good in a minute."

When I learned of Mr. Lean's untimely death, forgetting his plaque was not the first thing I thought of. Instead, I remembered how he laughed as I profusely apologized to him in the minutes leading up to the banquet.

That's when I realized my panic was all for nothing.

Mr. Lean didn't care one bit that he had to wait a couple of weeks for the plaque with his name on it. He didn't dedicate his life to teaching and coaching because he wanted Hall of Fame plaques.

He did it because, well, that's just what he did.

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# City Scene

## Art

The Carle Gallery, 3rd floor of the Butte Public Library, hosts Penny Walde's exhibition entitled: "More than Just Black & White" through the end of the year. The public is welcome.

Martha U. Cooney Art Gallery, Metals Bank Bldg., Suite 301, will be featuring the book "Goodnight Butte" by author Alyssa MacDonald and illustrator, Martha U. Cooney-Simonich. All proceeds (100%) of this hard cover book will benefit the Spirit of Columbia Gardens Carousel. Also featured is MilAnn Combs and her exquisite miniatures of wildlife and landscapes. Refreshments will be served. For information, call 498-5368.

Ghetto Gallery, 654 1/2 S. Montana St, a private gallery, is open by appointment, call 490-0721 and ask for Patricia Schafer.

## Theatre

The Butte Elks lodge will host the Virginia City Brewery Follies on December 15th & 16th. Show starts at 8:00 P. M. each night. Tickets are \$22.50 in advance and \$30.00 at the door. This is called TWIST-MAS in DECEMBER. The politically incorrect humor with some twisted Christmas themes. Phone Elks 782-3278 to order tickets.

## Special Events

The Butte Symphony's annual Christmas Concert, Saturday, Dec. 16, 7:30 p.m. at the Mother Lode Theatre. Holiday music from Germany, Russia and the United States. Sing along with the Orchestra and choruses from Butte High, Butte Central and Anaconda High Schools. Tickets available at the Mother Lode Box Office, 723-3602.

## Music

"Merry Christmas Darling," A Carpenters Christmas concert show, Tuesday, Dec. 12, 8 p.m. at the Mother Lode Theatre. For ticket information or purchase, call 723-3602 or order online at buttearts.org

Silver Dollar Saloon  
• Wed Open Mic 9:00

Julians Piano Bar  
• Salvie, Fri., Sat. & Sunday  
• Cindi Shaw Thursday  
• Special guest Kurtis "Goejam" Nelson

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# What's Cooking

## Peanut Butter Kiss Cookies

By Debbie Sorensen

Deciding which cookie recipes to prepare last weekend for baking with friends was lots of fun. This cookie was a first choice and is one of our all-time family favorites. I smile when I see that it was typed by a special aunt. I think that she had an old Underwood typewriter. She would strike over letters and cross out rather than erase. The last line on the back side of the card is an apology for the typing errors. That makes me smile too. Typing on those old machines was quite different than these snazzy computers.

I was delighted to get this recipe because it made me think of Christmas cookies. Years ago, Mary, a customer on our milk and egg delivery route in Great Falls, would add this type of cookie to a Christmas platter she sent to the ranch the week before Christmas. There would be three or four of these cookies hidden in the groupings of holiday goodies. With eight people in our household, it was usually the crew delivering that day, who ended up with those favorites.

I have no idea why we didn't bake some of these cookies ourselves. Maybe the recipe was a family secret of Mary's. Maybe we never thought to ask her about sharing the recipe. Maybe we thought the only time of the year you could eat these, was at Christmas time. Maybe you'll try them and enjoy them yourselves.

## Peanut Butter Kiss Cookies

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|---|----------------------------------|
| 1/2 c. butter, softened                 | 1/2 c. white sugar               |
| 1/2 c. brown sugar                      | 1 egg, beaten                    |
| 1/2 c. peanut butter (smooth or chunky) | 1 tsp. vanilla                   |
| 1 1/2 c. flour (unsifted)               | 1 tsp. salt                      |
| 1 tsp. soda                             | 3 tsp. water                     |
| 1/2 c. regular oatmeal                  | 42-48 Hershey kisses (unwrapped) |

Cream butter and sugars together. Add in beaten egg, mixing well. Stir in the peanut butter and vanilla. Combine dry ingredients and sift into creamed mixture. Add water and oatmeal, stir until combined.

Preheat oven to 350°. Drop dough by small teaspoonful's onto ungreased baking sheet. Bake for 8-10 minutes, until cookies set up, but are not browned. Remove pan from oven and place a chocolate kiss in the center of each cookie. Allow to cool 2-3 minutes on pan and then remove to cooling racks. You will need to let the kisses cool and set up, or they will smear over the cookies.

Yield: 42-48 cookies. This recipe doubles nicely and freezes well.

## Weekly Scanner

Weekend rundown of our local law enforcement and surrounding agencies  
Police/Agencies responded to over  
225 calls this weekend

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|------------------------|----------------------------|
| - 1 Accidents          | - 10 Medical emergencies   |
| - 11 Arrests           | - 25 Suspicious activities |
| - 1 DUI                | - 11 Harassment/assault    |
| - 3 Intoxicated Person | - 2 Hit and run            |
| - 15 Disturbance calls | - 3 Parking Complaint      |
| - 28 Traffic stops     | - 7 Unwanted Person        |
| - 17 Theft/Burglary    | - 86 Numerous, Fire        |
| - 4 Stolen Vehicle     | Calls, well checks,        |
| - 4 Fraud              | wanted person,             |
| - 3 Vandalism          | vandalism, paper           |
| - 7 Alarms             | service.....etc.           |

## Local Sports Schedule

### BUTTE HIGH BULLDOGS

**Boys Basketball**  
Dec. 14 @ Helena Capital

**Girls Basketball**  
Dec. 14 vs. Helena Capital @ CC

**Wrestling**  
Dec. 14 @ Deer Lodge Mixer  
Dec. 15-16 @ CMR Holiday Classic  
Dec. 14 @ GFH JV Invite

**Swimming**  
Dec. 16 @ Great Falls Invite

### BUTTE CENTRAL MAROONS

**Boys Basketball**  
Dec. 15 vs Frenchtown  
Dec. 16 vs Stevensville  
Dec. 18 vs Belgrade Frosh  
Dec. 19 vs Belgrade

**Girls Basketball**  
Dec. 15 @ Frenchtown  
Dec. 16 @ Stevensville  
Dec. 18 vs Belgrade Frosh  
Dec. 19 vs Belgrade

**Wrestling**  
Dec. 15-16 @ CMR Classic

### MONTANA TECH

**Men's Basketball**  
Dec. 15 @ Salish Kootenai College  
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**Women's Basketball**  
Dec. 17 @ The Master's University  
Dec. 18 @ Hope International U



# Editorials

Shop locally this season

By Robin Jordan

I've always envied people who are able to do their Christmas shopping throughout the year and who have all their gifts wrapped and ready for giving by December 1. I envy those people, but I've never been able to do my Christmas shopping that way and I doubt I ever will.

Even when I've tried—finding a perfect present in July and stashing it carefully away for Yuletide giving—I generally forget about it or forget where I put it.

So, for me, Christmas shopping usually begins in early December and ends, oh, a few hours before the family gets together for Christmas Eve.

Whether you're one of those who prides yourself on having all your shopping done early or one of those like me who puts it off until the last minute, please consider shopping locally for Christmas this year.

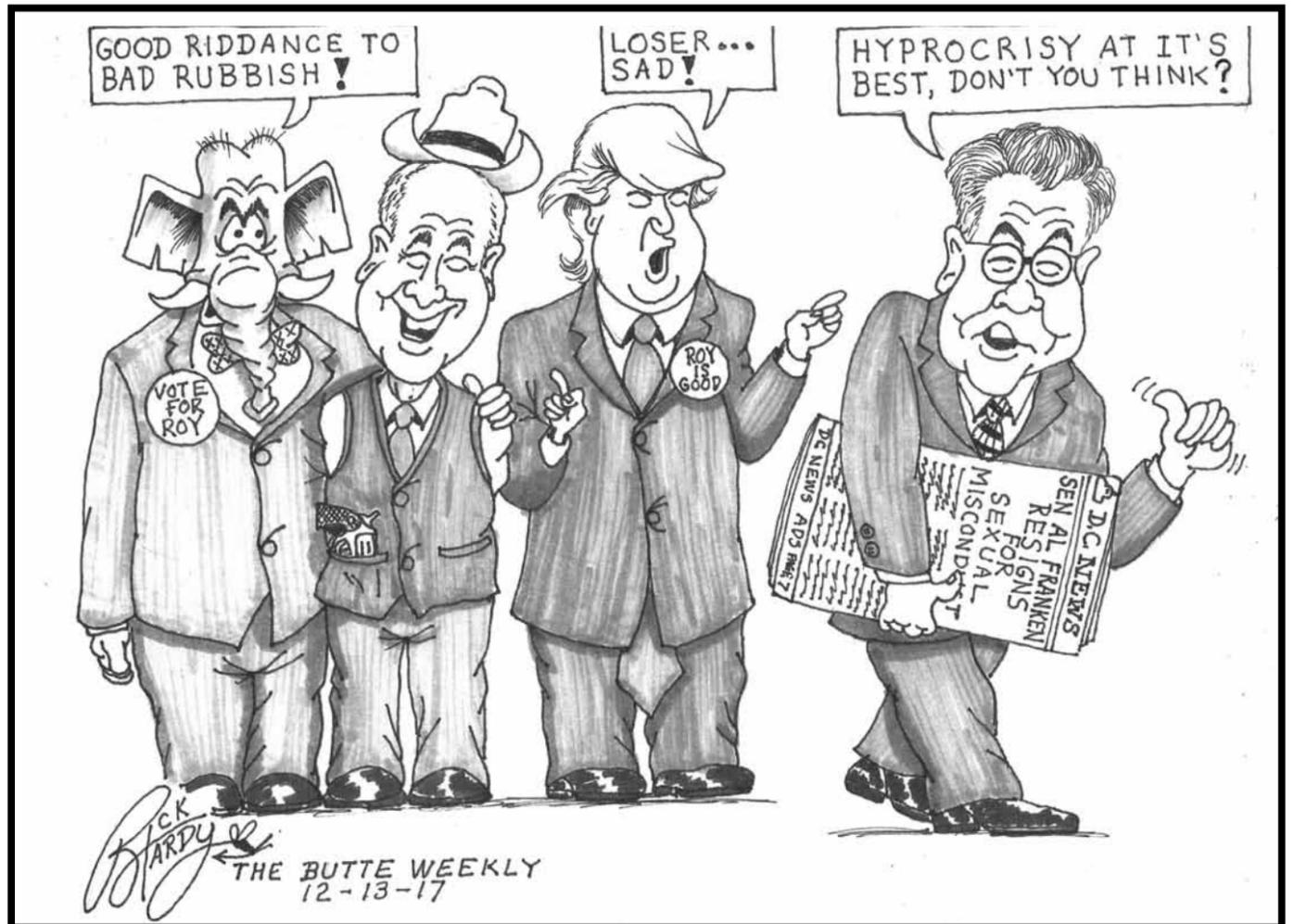
Our local merchants have a lot to offer at Christmas. They work hard to know the needs of their customers and to anticipate the kinds of items that will be in demand. They offer great service and are happy to help you shop for the perfect gift for that hard-to-buy-for person on your list. Some will even special-order items for you or provide other services like gift-wrapping or delivery.

Supporting our local merchants benefits the whole community. These folks pay taxes that help pay for the many services we depend on. Not only that, but they give generously to support everything from local sports teams, festivals and local charities. They provide local jobs that are essential to our economy.

Our local businesses are part of what makes Butte unique. Our local shops and eateries are part of what makes what makes our communities home. They also are a big part of the distinctive character of our town and one of the big reasons tourists love to come here.

Doing at least part of your Christmas shopping locally makes the whole season more fun for you as well. In Butte, our merchants put a great deal of effort into decorating their businesses and participating in great community events like the annual Christmas Stroll and Ice Sculpting Contest. They host plenty of other events with live entertainment, refreshments and an opportunity to help local charities. Shopping locally gives us all an opportunity to get out with family or friends, stop for a coffee or hot cocoa and enjoy seeing the sights and sounds of Christmas, things we can't get from shopping online or from a catalogue.

So, whether you're just beginning your Christmas shopping or just looking for a few stocking



stuffers, please remember—Shop Locally!

## Doing our Military Empire Math

By George Waring

Alex Emmons of The Intercept reported in mid-September that the Senate's agreed upon military budget for fiscal year 2018 of around \$700 billion would almost match the spending level during the younger Bush years at the height of the wars in Afghanistan and Iraq. This budget allows U.S. military spending to exceed the total spending of our next 10 rivals put together. (Figures from the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute.) With this \$700 billion military budget, the U.S. will be spending more than three times as much as China on its military, and 10 times as much as Russia. The Stockholm groups reports that the U.S. already accounts for more than a third of all global military spending.

Emmons noted that the \$80 billion increase in military spending over last year's outlay would actually pay for Bernie Sanders' program to make tuition free at American public colleges and universities.

There were only eight Senators who voted against the military funding bill.

Who's going to get all these billions? If recent history is a guide, we can make an educated guess. According to William D. Hartung writing on Tomdispatch.com in October, huge corporations. The numbers are staggering. In fiscal year 2016, \$304 billion, nearly half of DOD's \$600 billion-plus budget for that year went to defense contractors. Hartung cited the Federal Procurement Data System's top 100 contractors report as show-

ing "the biggest beneficiaries by a country mile were Lockheed Martin (\$36.2 billion), Boeing (\$24.3 billion), Raytheon (\$12.8 billion), General Dynamics (\$12.7 billion), and Northrop Grumman (\$10.7 billion). Together, these five firms gobbled up nearly \$100 billion of your tax dollars, about one-third of all the Pentagon's contract awards in 2016."

I'll break with my math theme here in order to report that President Trump chose John Rood to be his undersecretary of defense for policy. Rood was the senior vice president for Lockheed Martin, in charge of government relations activities (i.e., lobbying).

Hartung writes that our defense industry corporations create well-paying jobs. The defense sector has spent a total of more than \$1 billion on lobbying activity since 2009, employing anywhere from 700 to 1,000 lobbyists in any given year. He writes, "To put that in perspective, you're talking about significantly more than one lobbyist per member of Congress, the majority of whom zipped through Washington's famed "revolving door"; they moved, that is, from positions in Congress or the Pentagon to posts at weapons companies from which they could proselytize their former colleagues."

Then there's that war lasting 16 years in Afghanistan. Don't forget the Carter and Reagan years when the CIA armed and trained Osama bin Laden's mujahedeen to kill Russians.

From a June Boston Globe column entitled, "A zombie war in Afghanistan" by Canadian aid worker, Scott Gilmore, comes the following:

"There have been 2,399 American deaths in Afghanistan since 2001. And that is only a small fraction of the full price in human lives. The Watson Institute at Brown University calculates that

there have been 104,000 fatalities during this time, of which 31,000 were civilians."

"The Taliban now control more territory than they have at any time since 2001. Al Qaeda continues to operate in Afghanistan. ISIS is now there as well. In Kabul the embassies, government ministries, and aid agencies are forced to hide behind massive blast walls."

Gilmore reports that Harvard economist Linda Bilmes tried to calculate the total cost of the post-9/11 wars to American taxpayers. She concluded that "long-term medical care and disability compensation for service members plus military replenishment and social and economic costs" totaled at least \$4 trillion." That's \$4,000,000,000,000.

Don't forget the Nukes!

The Congressional Budget Office was expected to issue a new report in early November, one revising cost estimates for the nuclear weapon modernization program that was approved by President Obama at \$1 trillion. It's being bumped upwards to \$1.25 trillion over the next 30 years.

A fitting conclusion to this insanely deadly math comes from this Trump administration deadly blessing:

"You can ... be assured that our administration is committed to strengthen and modernize America's nuclear deterrent," Mike Pence, the vice-president, said on Friday, October 27th, on a morale-boosting visit to Minot air force base in North Dakota, home to Minuteman III intercontinental ballistic missiles and B-52 strategic bombers.

"History attests the surest path to peace is through American strength. There's no greater element of American strength, there's no greater force for peace in the world than the United States nuclear arsenal."

**Public Works reports**

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more than any other major city in Montana. Thanks to the new telemetry system, he said, there were only 110 leaks in 2017.

Matt Moore, Metro Division Manager, said major upgrades to the Metro Sewer Plant were completed this year, ensuring water flowing from the plant to Silver Bow Creek meets all state and federal standards.

Another major project for the Metro Division was installation of new sewer lines in the area of Gold and Alabama Streets that serve St. James Hospital and the surrounding neighborhood. Moore said Butte-Silver Bow replaced 665 of sewer line at a cost of \$122,322.

As part of maintenance, Moore said crews got camera footage of 74,000 feet of pipe and jetted an equal number of feet. Crews also foamed 42,000 feet of pipe to kill root growth.

The division also completed storm water projects at the Original Mine Yard and the parking lot at the corner of Front and Utah Streets. The areas were paved with bricks that allow storm water to seep into the earth, rather than collecting in pools, so the water does not go into storm sewers. The projects were paid for from the Superfund Capital Improvements fund.

Schultz said public works was able to complete the construction of the retaining wall on the west side of the Courthouse and realignment of Montana Street using in-house labor at a cost of \$391,321. He said an independent engineering estimate from Water and Environmental Technologies put the cost of having the work done by an outside firm at \$644,634. Schultz said the wall was constructed using 1.3 million pounds of concrete block, topped by a 6-foot fence. Water lines were replaced and the street configured to create 15 new angled parking spots on the west side of the Courthouse.

The project took 157 calendar days, Schultz said. Twenty two days were lost to accommodate court hearings because windows in the courtrooms need to be left open during hot summer days and noise from the street below would have interrupted court proceedings. Schultz said while work was stopped, crews were able to work on other projects throughout the community, whereas if an outside firm had been hired, the county would have had to pay for the lost days of work.

Nick Sanford, manager of the Road Division, said crews paved 2.75 miles of road last year in 16 locations, including a section of Arizona Street, the Original Mine Yard Trail, trails at Skyline Park, the parking lot at the Copper Mountain Sports Complex and a portion of the parking lot at the Stamp Mill. The division used millings to pave 1.5 miles of rural road. Sanford said the division scrub-sealed and fog-sealed 23 streets, a total of 5.06 miles of street in the Country Club area.

The division also did concrete work on 18 sidewalks and/or curb and gutter construction. Contractors were hired to complete ADA-compliant corners, curbs and gutters at 8 locations.

Sanford said maintenance tasks included patching 9,799 potholes, crack-sealing 23 roads, improving 95 alleys and grading and/or graveling 43 rural roads. One thousand fifteen signs were built and installed or replaced and culverts were repaired or replaced in 14 locations. Eighty eight streets were striped.

Schultz said the biggest improvement in the Road Division this year was the implementation of a 3-bin mix process for asphalt. Schultz said the system uses a mix design prepared by Pioneer Technical Services that uses calibrated quantities of different-sized aggregate and oil. The

payoff, he said, is a better quality of asphalt that will make streets last longer.

Schultz said the public works department is looking at the possibility of doing a major road reconstruction project on the western section of Dewey Boulevard from Montana Street to the entrance of Stodden Park in 2018. The project would include replacing the water main in that section as well as removing all the asphalt and reconstructing the street from curb to curb. Major drawbacks of the project would be disruptions in access to the Post Office and businesses along Dewey Boulevard,

Schultz said, as well as disruption of traffic in general, but the department will be looking at ways to minimize these problems.

Schultz said although Dewey Boulevard is one of the streets under the jurisdiction of the Montana Department of Highways, the state already has projects scheduled for Park Street and Excelsior Avenue. He said with expected new construction at Stodden Park, the decision was made for Butte-Silver Bow to do the work so it can be done more quickly to accommodate new improvements at the park.

## Health Center, Copper Ridge announce partnership

The Southwest Montana Community Health Center and Copper Ridge Health and Rehabilitation Center have announced a new partnership with SWMTCHC's medical director Dr. Shawna Yates also becoming the medical director of the skilled nursing facility at 3251 Nettie St.

"We are excited about this partnership," said Brenna Anderson, administrator for Copper Ridge. "We are very fortunate to have Dr. Yates providing care and overseeing the quality of care here."

Copper Ridge offers both skilled rehab and long-term care at its 186-

bed five-star facility.

Anderson estimates that Yates will be providing care for at least half of its population as well as assisting with policy and procedures and quality assurance.

"The Southwest Montana Community Health Center is pleased with this new partnership and uphold our mission by supporting other health-care facilities," said Jennifer Malone, CEO of the federally qualified healthcare clinic. "We look forward to building more partnerships with other groups and agencies that ultimately strengthen our community."

## CHC selected to participate in behavioral health initiative

The Southwest Montana Community Health Center has been chosen to participate in a project to identify teenagers who are at risk for addiction and refer them to treatment.

Called the Facilitating Change for Excellence in Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) initiative, it gives primary care providers the tools they need to offer preventative anticipatory guidance and identify adolescents who are using substances. It allows the practice to apply brief interventions to reduce risky use and refer youth in need of specialty addiction treatment if appropriate.

"From our community needs assessments, we know that the people of Butte are concerned about the level of substance use in teenagers and adults," said Jennifer Malone, CEO of the SWMTCHC. "This prestigious project will help us tackle this issue and assist teenagers and their

families who are struggling with this issue."

With support from the Conrad N. Hilton Foundation and contribution from esteemed national experts, the National Council for Behavioral Health developed the standardized implementation model which has been adopted by the SWMTCHC.

"If we can identify a teen at risk for addiction, we are potentially saving a life and a family from a life of suffering," said Linda Rosenberg, president and CEO of the National Council for Behavioral Health. "Training primary care practitioners to screen and to identify and to intervene early as a routine part of their practice gives them a change to do what they do best - helping young people grow into healthy adults."

The SWMTCHC was one of 15 federally qualified health centers nationwide selected to pilot the initiative through an 18-month learning collaborative.

### Are You a Snowbird? Protect Your Finances While You're Gone

Winter is (just about) officially here – but you may soon be leaving it behind if you're a snowbird. When you go, though, you'll want to keep your financial situation from getting caught out in the cold. These are a few suggestions you may want to consider:

**Protect your home.** If you're like many people, your home is your biggest investment, so you'll want to protect it while you're away. You're probably already familiar with the steps you should take, such as informing your neighbors that you'll be gone, stopping your newspapers, forwarding your mail, using a timer to turn lights on and off, and so on. And these days, with smart phones and advanced security systems, you can look in on your home whenever you like.

**Notify your bank.** Recognizing the prevalence of identity theft, the fraud departments of many banks are getting more aggressive in spotting and denying unusual charges. Consequently, you'll want to give your bank your temporary address and contact information before you leave. By doing so, you can reduce the risk of your account being frozen temporarily if your financial institution can't reach you

with questions about charges from an unexpected location. You might also find it useful to open a bank account at your snowbird site.

**Gather your tax forms.** If you're gone most of the winter, you may bump up against the tax-filing deadline, which, in 2018, is April 17. So, to allow yourself enough time to prepare your taxes, or to have them prepared by a professional, gather your tax information before you leave. Make sure you've got all your investment-related forms, such as your 1099-INT (for interest income) and your 1099-DIV (for taxable capital gains and dividends).

**Track your investments.** You can probably track the progress of your investments online, and it's a good idea to do so, just as you would at your permanent residence. Even if you're only gone a couple of months, you may need to make some investment moves, such as "maxing out" on your IRA, so stay on top of your accounts and contact your investment professional, as needed. As always, though, don't overreact to sudden market swings – ideally, you've got long-term strategies in place that can serve your needs in most

investment environments. In any case, it also wouldn't hurt to notify your financial professional that you'll be away for a while, even if you typically only see him or her a couple of times a year.

**Arrange for bill payments.** If you handle most of your bills online or through auto-pay, you won't have to worry about missing a payment while you're gone. Still, if you take care of some bills the old-fashioned way, with checks, envelopes and stamps, you may want to give yourself some sort of reminder of when these payments are due.

**Be careful on social media.** To be on the safe side, you may not want to trumpet your extended time away from home on Facebook or other social media platforms. It's sad but true that identity thieves watch for information like this.

In all likelihood, you'll enjoy being a snowbird – and by making the above moves, you'll have less financial baggage to deal with when you take off.

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# Lifestyle

## Healthy Living

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and weight, otherwise it is a generic tool and one size does not fit all. Also, if you utilize a fitness tracker that has these details programmed in, and it has a

## Aerobic Fitness

We hear the term 'aerobic fitness' tossed around, but what does it really mean, and how do we attain it? The central component of aerobic fitness involves the ability of lungs, heart and vascular system to deliver oxygen to muscles via the blood stream. Without getting too technical, that means that heart and lungs are healthy and strong and are working the way they should. They do not stay aerobically fit by themselves and that is why aerobic exercise, or exercise with oxygen, is so important.

Aerobic activities are sustained exercises, such as walking, jogging, rowing, swimming, or cycling, that stimulate and strengthen the heart and lungs, thereby improving the body's utilization of oxygen. In order to get the maximum benefit when exercising aerobically, you don't want to work out too hard, but you want to work out hard enough.

The Borg scale of perceived exertion is a good scale to use and is easy to use. It is a scale of one to ten, with zero being no effort at all and ten being very, very heavy effort. We want our sustained exercise to be somewhat hard to heavy, or from 4 to 7. You can work harder for short intervals, but it is not recommended working above an 8.5. Very heavy is good for a limited time, but you don't want go to very, very heavy. At that point, you are working without oxygen.

If you are using a piece of aerobic equipment, like a treadmill or a bike, you can take advantage of their tools (if they are so equipped) but only if you program in your sex, age

heart-rate monitor, that can also take some of the guesswork out of aerobic exercise.

If you are a technical sort, you can google 'target heart-rate zone' and find instructions on how to take your resting heart rate and mathematically figure out exactly what your personalized heart rate range is. For those that are less technical, if we are already walking, for example, and we walk briskly, can carry on a conversation and feel that much of the time we are working hard, we are at a good place on the aerobic scale. I have always done well using the simplest test. That is being able to carry on a conversation, but not being able to sing. If you can sing the workout is not hard enough!

You probably realize that healthy hearts and lungs are literally the core of our being and keeping them in good shape will not only add years to our lives, but life to our years. The statistics on the period of disability we have up to the time we go to our final resting place are very interesting. The average period of disability for inactive folks is six years and it is six months for those who remain active.

This time of year, just fitting exercise into our busy schedules is a challenge. A little incentive never hurts though. Knowing you are less likely to gain weight when you are moving and burning up extra calories, plus having more energy to get our tasks done, can give us that extra push to keep up our activity during the holidays. My hope is that it makes the holidays more enjoyable for all of you!

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# Our readers write

*Military Memorial Maintenance Needs Require Action*

By Paul Vallely, MG US Army Ret

The big national parks in Montana are an obvious boon to our state's economy, bringing in several million visitors each year. But with the passing of Veteran's Day, it's important to realize that the National Park Service (NPS) is responsible for maintaining much more than the big draws like Glacier and Yellowstone—the agency

also manages over 150 sites of military significance around the country, including some here in Montana. And while Veterans Day may have come and gone, the maintenance needs of our military memorials in Montana remain.

Military sites account for one-third of NPS units, including national battlefields, military cemeteries, battlegrounds, and fortifications where the agency preserves and interprets our

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# Carousel Corner

Larry Hoffman

Every day when I go to our Carousel site, I'm overwhelmed with the changes from a year ago, or even last summer. The place is almost always buzzing with activity, people working on several projects in different parts of the building. And, baby, it's warm inside!

It's really noticeable on Thursdays, when the Exchange Club is there. Last year those guys showed up week after week to put up sheetrock when it was often colder inside than out. It's nice to have them back and working in sheltered warmth. Oddly enough, more of them have been working this season

They have a regular production line process to clean and paint everything from baseboards to molding to mechanism parts. It's fun to watch.

Speaking of the mechanism, by the end of the week the "sweeps", wooden arms that radiate out from the center to the full diameter, should be in place. Tom and Nathan Ortega are painting parts when they're not working on Nathan's Eagle scout project, beautiful replica Columbia Gardens benches.

JS Plumbing hung most of the fixtures and tied them in to the water system last week. In a long-anticipated moment, he turned on the main water valve and ... nothing came out. A phone call to Kelly Dennehy revealed the pool construction crew had shut off the water to make the connection to the new water main for the facility. Suddenly the reason for the blocked access to our main travel route through

the parking lot became clear! They turned the water on Friday, but Joe has to come back this week to turn ours on.

Our goal is still to open the doors to our Carousel on Saint Patrick's Day, March 17.

Plan to be with us for our Second Annual Carousel Gala, Saturday, January 27, at the Quality Inn (former War Bonnet), with a circus theme. The Uptown Café will be providing the food and the Met Tavern the drinks, which will include the Purple Pony Carousel blend from Headframe Spirits.

There is only room for 380 people and we sold out last year, so make your reservations soon! Michele Brennick at 494-8207 is the lady with tickets at \$50 per person. Reserved and Premium tables are available. If you would like to donate items for the auctions, contact Sonya Rosenthal at 565-1985 Rosenthal.sonya@outlook.com.

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# This Week In Labor History December 13<sup>th</sup> - December 19<sup>th</sup>

*"If we define an American Fascist as one who puts money and power ahead of human beings, then there are undoubtedly several million Fascists in the United States." Vice President Wallace, 1944 warning that Fascism would someday rise in the U.S.*

## Wednesday, Dec 13:

AFL Executive Council hosts a meeting of delegates from Unions, railroad brotherhoods, and farmers' organizations and organizes the AFL's National Non-Partisan Committee to conduct labor's political campaign in 1920. -1919 Death of Samuel Gompers, in San Antonio, Texas. President and founder of the American Federation of Labor (AFL). He collapsed in Mexico City on while at a meeting of the Pan-American Federation of Labor. Gompers expressed the desire to die on American soil, and he was placed aboard a special train and sped toward the border. -1924

## Thursday, Dec 14:

Daniel DeLeon was born on this date. DeLeon was one of the founding members of the IWW. He was a leader of the pro-political action faction within the IWW that hoped to further the cause of the worker through the ballot box and political action. Soon after the

founding of the IWW, his faction lost out to the pro-Direct Action faction.

-1852

33,000 striking members of the Machinists end a 69-day walkout at Boeing after winning pay and benefit increases and protections against subcontracting their work overseas. -1995

## Friday, Dec 15:

The Kansas National Guard (defending corporate profits and the rich) called out to subdue up to 6,000 women who were protesting new anti-labor legislation that outlawed strikes in the state.

The women made headlines across the nation: they were christened the "Amazon Army" by the New York Times.

Victory came a year later when the U.S. Supreme Court ruled the Kansas anti-labor laws unconstitutional. -1921

California's longest nurses' strike ended after workers at Doctors Medical Center in San Pablo and Pinole approved a new contract with Tenet Healthcare Corp., ending a 13-month walkout. -2003

## Saturday, Dec 16:

The Bagel Bakers of America Union engage in a work slowdown at 32 of New York's 34 bagel bakeries in a

dispute over health fund payments and workplace sanitation. -1951

8 female bank tellers in Willmar, Minn., begin the first strike against a bank in U.S. history. At issue: they were paid half what male tellers were paid. The strike ended in moral victory but economic defeat 2 years later. -1977

## Sunday, Dec 17:

Martin Glaberman dies. Labor Historian, poet, academic and autoworker.

Associated with the Johnson-Forest Tendency, a "radical" left group that accurately recognized the Soviet Union as a State controlled Capitalist tyranny rather than a workers' state. He influenced activists that would play a major role in the Dodge Revolutionary Union Movement and the League of Revolutionary Black Workers. -2001

Int'l Union of Aluminum, Brick & Glass Workers merges with United Steelworkers of America. -1996

## Monday, Dec 18:

Chattel slavery abolished in the US. Secretary of State William Seward issued a statement verifying the ratification of the 13th Amendment, ensuring that "neither slavery nor involuntary servitude... shall exist within the

United States." The business of slavery gave birth to the American form of Capitalism. -1865 General Motors announces it is closing 21 North American plants over the following 4 years and slashing tens of thousands of jobs. -1991

## Tuesday, Dec 19:

A 47-day strike at Greyhound Bus Lines ends in defeat when members of the Amalgamated Transit Union are forced to accept a new contract containing deep cuts in wages and benefits. Striker Ray Phillips died during the strike, run over on a picket line by a Greyhound scab. The Union fighting pay cuts that came after the deregulation of the transportation industry. -1983

26 men and a woman are killed in the Wilberg Coal Mine Disaster near Orangeville, Utah due to a forced work speedup. The disaster has been termed the worst coal mine fire in the state's history. Federal mine safety officials issued 34 safety citations after the disaster but had inspected the mine only days before and declared it safe. -1984

*This Week in Labor History is compiled by Kevin D. Curtis*

# The Great Outdoors

*Downsizing National Monuments a questionable move*

By Paul Vang

Donald Trump had quite a week. Trump's former National Security Adviser, Mike Flynn, pleaded guilty to lying to the FBI, in a plea deal that likely will send more than a few more heads rolling before the dust settles. He got the only legislative victory of his tenure, a big tax bill that promises to raise taxes on the middle class but gives big ("beautiful") cuts for corporations and the wealthy, and adds a trillion bucks to the national debt over the next ten years.

He endorsed, and got the Republican National Committee to spend campaign money on, the former Alabama Supreme Court judge who twice was thrown out of office for illegally defying Federal court orders, now renowned for hitting on teenage girls back when he was a 30-something deputy district attorney. Then, in an action that surprised nobody, Trump announced that he was taking action to vastly reduce the size of the Bears Ear and Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monuments in Utah.

The reductions in these monuments will eliminate about 1.1 million acres from Bears Ear and 800,000 acres from Grand Staircase-Escalante.

Trump told a Salt Lake City audience that the actions would "reverse federal overreach," and send a message to people who think, "that the natural resources of Utah should be controlled by very distant bureaucrats located in Washington."

In addition, the Washington Post reports that Interior Secretary Ryan Zinke will make further recommendations to reduce other monuments in Oregon and Nevada.

While Utah politicians cheered, not everybody is happy. A coalition of Native American tribes, including Ute, Hopi, Navajo, and Pueblo of Zuni, announced they will file suit in U.S. District Court in Washington D.C. to challenge Trump's action on Bears Ear. Another coalition of environmental groups has filed suit challenging reduction of Grand Staircase-Escalante. Ironically, Bruce Adams, chairman of the San Juan County Commission, and an opponent of Bears Ear National Monument, said he hoped the boost in tourism his county has had in the last year would continue.

Amy Roberts, president of the Outdoor Industry Association, noted that business has thrived in the 20 years since the creation of Grand Staircase-Escalante and "there's a risk now that those people's livelihoods will be threatened as people hear that the monument's been cut in half and wonder whether it's worth visiting."

Greg McReynolds, one of several contributors to an upland hunting blog, Mouth Full of Feathers, notes that the heart of Trump's proclamation is that lands "you could hunt and fish and explore when they were part of Bears Ear and Grand Staircase-Escalante" that were protected by national monument status "will be eligible for sale, strip mining and oil and gas development."

A myriad of organizations, such as the Sierra Club, Backcountry Hunters & Anglers, Montana Wildlife Federation, and including outdoor gear

retailer Patagonia, have registered protests against the downsizing of the national monuments. Patagonia's website proclaims, "The president stole your lands."

Closer to home, Charlie O'Leary, chairman of the Butte-Silverbow Urban Forest Board and a long-time public land advocate, posted a protest on his Facebook page, telling of many visits to "Red Rock Country to explore slot canyons, scamper around on the Navajo sandstone, and peer over vertical cliffs of purple, red and orange... I feel a great deal of disappointment and anger with Trump and Zinke as they attempt their public land grab to benefit their friends in the oil and coal industry."

A minority voice in the outdoors community is Safari Club International, which issued a statement supporting the action, "We at Safari Club International applaud the decision... to protect access to millions of acres of

public land in Utah... the Administration is affirming the benefit of traditional land uses..."

It is clear that the battle over National Monuments is just beginning, and the courts will decide whether a president can reverse the actions of previous presidents in creating national monuments.

What is also clear is that Donald Trump doesn't understand that a president's legacy is based on achievement. There won't be any monuments erected to honor a president whose main accomplishments were to destroy the legacies of his predecessors.

Paul Vang's book, "Sweeter than Candy, A Hunter's Journal" is available at Books & Books, Cavanaugh's County Celtic, The Bookstore in Dillon, or online at <http://writingoutdoors.com>.

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**Ice Sculpting**

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**For The Record**

**DEATHS**

- Nov. 14—Kim LeCoure, 60
- Nov. 18—Katherine "Beth" Elizabeth McKee, 84
- Nov. 23—Claudia G. Fausner Whaley, 78, Las Vegas, NM

- Nov. 30—Donna Marie (Lewis) Levengood Marsh, 80
- Dec. 2—Mathilda A. Hanson, 95, Boise,
- Dec. 4—Lewis "Pa" Mankins, 91  
Glen Drabant, 57
- Dec. 5—Harold Schnabel, 77

**Our Readers Write**

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history. And like many of the units in the National Park System, most of these sites of military significance are deteriorating due to a lack of maintenance funding.

In Montana the Fort Union Trading Post National Historic Site, Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument, and Big Hole National Battlefield are all maintained by the NPS. Unfortunately, each of these sites has amassed a significant amount of deferred maintenance as federal funding for needed repairs has been unreliable.

The NPS uses the term deferred maintenance to categorize any needed repairs that are delayed, sometimes for years, because there is no money to pay for them. It's become a growing problem for NPS as visitation to national parks has been soaring during the past few years and the facilities used to accommodate them can be 50 years or older. The growing strains on national parks is beginning to show, and eventually could have an impact on their desirability as vacation destinations due to accessibility and safety concerns.

At Little Bighorn Battlefield alone, NPS has estimated the amount of deferred maintenance at nearly \$10 million. Some of the big ticket items are what you would expect NPS to need in interpreting a large battlefield site—needed repairs to drinking and waste water systems at the visitor center, access roads to monuments and trails, and parking lots.

In addition, though, difficult-to-

replace aspects of the site itself are in disrepair due to lack of maintenance. The battlefield landscape, trails through the site, interpretative media, and monuments commemorating those who fought there are all on the NPS deferred maintenance inventory. The NPS does the best it can to prioritize what can be repaired on any given year, but does not have the resources to address all it should.

This is a growing problem that needs to be addressed. The deferred maintenance backlog for NPS in 2016 was estimated at \$11.3 billion. For national parks in Montana, that figure is over \$250 million.

Allowing that maintenance to go undone year after year has obvious consequences, and eventually could lead to a downturn in visitations. But beyond the important economic boost NPS provides, these sites have important historical significance for Montanans that is well worth preserving.

And with one of the largest veteran populations in the country, Montana values its military history. So as we remember our veterans, let's all take a moment to encourage our congressional delegation to seek a long-term solution to the deferred maintenance funding shortfall that has plagued NPS for too long. We need them to provide dedicated annual federal funding for national park repairs.

After all, these parks, battlefields, and historic sites are treasures to all Montanans, and vital to preserving our heritage. Let's make sure they're taken care of.

# LEGAL NOTICES

David L. Vicevich Matthew C. Enrooth Vicevich Law 524 E. Park Street, Ste. B Butte, MT 59701 Telephone: (406) 782-1111 Fax No.: (406) 782-4000 dlvicevich@gmail.com State Bar of Montana No. 4791/13778 MONTANA SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, SILVER BOW COUNTY Cause No. DV-17-417 JOE MERRICK and HEATHER MERRICK, Plaintiffs, vs. The ESTATE of BILLY JOE MCGEE, if alive, if deceased, and all unknown heirs; BILLY MCGEE, personal representative of the estate of Billy Joe McGee, if alive, if deceased, and all unknown heirs, DAVE PALMER, CHIEF EXECUTIVE, of Butte Silver Bow County; LORI BAKER-PATRICK, SUMMONS TREASURER of Butte Silver Bow County; DEPARTMENT of REVENUE, an agency of the State of Montana; TIM FOX, ATTORNEY GENERAL, State of Montana; BUTTE SILVER BOW WATER DEPARTMENT, other persons unknown or claiming or who might claim and right, title, estate or interest in lien or encumbrance upon the Plaintiff's ownership or any cloud upon the Plaintiff's title thereto, whether such claim or possible claim be present or contingent including any claim or possible claim or dower, inchoate or accrued, Defendants. THE STATE OF MONTANA SENDS GREETINGS TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS YOU, THE DEFENDANT, ARE HEREBY SUMMONED to answer the Complaint in this action which is filed in the office of the above-named Court, a copy of which is herewith served upon you, and to file your answer and serve a copy thereof upon Petitioner's attorney within 21 days after the service of this summons, (42 days if you are the State of Montana, a state agency, or a state officer or employee sued in an official capacity) exclusive of the day of service; and in case of failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint. GIVEN under my hands this 4th day of December, 2017 Matthew C. Enrooth Attorney At Law 524 E. Park Street, Ste. B Butte, MT 59701 Attorney for Petitioner TOM POWERS CLERK OF COURT By B. Parks 19, 20, 21, 22

Tressa Rose Colomb 3120 Kossuth Butte, MT 59701 Montana 2nd Judicial District Court, Silver Bow County, In the Matter of the Name Change of Tressa Rose Colomb, Petitioner Tressa Rose Colomb Cause No.: DV-17-425 Dept. No.: 1 Notice of hearing on Name Change This petitioner has asked the District Court for a change of name from Tressa Rose Colomb to Tressa Rose Orizotti. The hearing will be on 2-2-2018 at 9:30 a.m. The hearing will be at the Courthouse in Silver Bow County Date: 11-21-2017 Tom Powers Clerk of district court by deputy clerk of court 15, 16, 17, 18, 19

Raymond Swan PO Box 153 Ramsay MT, 59748 (406) 299-0998 Petitioner Pro Se Montana 2nd Judicial District Court, Silver Bow County, In the Matter of the Name Change of Raymond David Swan, Petitioner Raymond David Swan Cause No.: DV-17-405 Dept. No.: 2 Notice of hearing on Name Change This petitioner has asked the District Court for a change of name from Raymond David Swan to Hogan Swan. The hearing will be on 1-12-2018 at 9:00 a.m. The hearing will be at the Courthouse in Silver Bow County Date: 11-3-2017 15, 16, 17, 18, 19

Brad Newman, District Court Judge Second Judicial District 155 West Granite Street Butte, MT 59701 (406) 497-6420 MONTANA SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT SILVER BOW COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF: S.R. No. DN-16-87-BN Youth(s) In Need Of Care. CITATION THE STATE OF MONTANA SENDS GREETINGS TO CINDY CHARON, THE BIRTH MOTHER OF S.R.: By Order of this Court, you are hereby cited and required to appear before this Court, in the County of Silver Bow, State of Montana, at the Court Room thereof at the Courthouse in said County of Silver Bow, on the 3RD day of January, 2018, at 9:00 o'clock a.m. of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why judgment should not be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Petition for Permanent Legal Custody, Termination of Parental Rights with Right to Consent to Adoption and Request for Hearing Re: Birth Mother filed by the Department of Public Health and Human Services in the office of the Clerk of this Court. WITNESS the Hon. Brad Newman, District Judge of the State of Montana with the seal of said Court affixed this 8TH day of December, 2017. ATTEST: TOM POWERS - CLERK OF COURT By: Deputy Clerk 19, 20, 21

Brad Newman, District Court Judge Second Judicial District 155 West Granite Street Butte, MT 59701 (406) 497-6420 MONTANA SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT SILVER BOW COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF: C.R. No. DN-16-88-BN Youth(s) In Need Of Care. CITATION THE STATE OF MONTANA SENDS GREETINGS TO CINDY CHARON, THE BIRTH MOTHER OF C.R.: By Order of this Court, you are hereby cited and required to appear before this Court, in the County of Silver Bow, State of Montana, at the Court Room thereof at the Courthouse in said County of Silver Bow, on the 3RD day of January, 2018, at 9:00 o'clock a.m. of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why judgment should not be taken against you for the relief demanded in the Petition for Permanent Legal Custody, Termination of Parental Rights with Right to Consent to Adoption and Request for Hearing Re: Birth Mother filed by the Department of Public Health and Human Services in the office of the Clerk of this Court. WITNESS the Hon. Brad Newman, District Judge of the State of Montana with the seal of said Court affixed this 8TH day of December, 2017. ATTEST: TOM POWERS - CLERK OF COURT By: Deputy Clerk 19, 20, 21

Judicial District Court, Silver Bow County, In the Matter of the Name Change of Brenda Lee Johnston, Petitioner Brenda Lee Johnston Cause No.: DV-17-393 Dept. No.: 1 Notice of hearing on Name Change This petitioner has asked the District Court for a change of name from Brenda Lee Johnston to Brenda Lee Raiha. The hearing will be on 1-5-2018 at 9:30 a.m. The hearing will be at the Courthouse in Silver Bow County Date: 10-25-2017 Tom Powers Clerk of district court by deputy clerk of court 19, 20, 21, 22

Candace Payne Luxan & Murfitt, PLLP Fourth Floor, Montana Club Bldg. P.O. Box 1144 Helena, MT 59624 (406) 442-7450 Attorneys for Plaintiff WYKO, LLC IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA, IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF BUTTE/SILVER BOW SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION Cause No. DV-17-402, WYKO, LLC, a Montana Limited Liability Company, Plaintiff, v. MILTON WOLFFS, and THE ESTATE AND GUARDIANSHIP AND CONSERVATORSHIP OF ELEANOR LUCILLE WOLFFS, aka, ELEANOR WOLFFS, AN INCAPACITATED PERSON, the CITY AND COUNTY OF BUTTE/SILVER BOW, a political subdivision of the State of Montana, and the unknown personal representatives, the unknown heirs and/or the unknown devisees of any of the aforementioned Defendants who may be deceased; the unknown successors, the unknown assigns and the unknown creditors of any of the aforementioned Defendants, however designated or described; and all other persons, unknown, claiming or who might claim any right, title, estate, or interest in or lien or encumbrance upon the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title, whether the claim or possible claim is present or contingent, Defendants. THE STATE OF MONTANA TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS, AND TO ALL PERSONS CLAIMING ANY INTEREST OR LIEN UPON THE REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED, OR ANY PART THEREOF, GREETINGS: A lawsuit has been filed against you. Within 21 days after service of this summons on you, you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Montana Rules of Civil Procedure. Do not include the day you were served in your calculation of time. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are listed above. This action is brought for the purpose of quieting title to land situated in Silver Bow County, Montana, and described as follows: The West 10 feet of Lot numbered Two (2), and all of Lot numbered Three (3) in Block numbered Seven (7) of the Bellevue Addition to the City and County of Butte-Silver Bow, Montana, according to the official plat and survey thereof now on file and of record in the office of the County Clerk and Recorder. If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court. Date: 11-27-17 CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT By: K. Deehan 19, 20, 21

Candace Payne Luxan & Murfitt, PLLP Fourth Floor, Montana Club Bldg. P.O. Box 1144 Helena, MT 59624 (406) 442-7450 Attorneys for Plaintiff WYKO, LLC IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA, IN AND FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF BUTTE/SILVER BOW SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION Cause No. DV-17-403 WYKO, LLC, a Montana Limited Liability Company, Plaintiff, v. MARY C. GRMOLJEZ, the CITY AND COUNTY OF BUTTE/SILVER BOW, a political subdivision of the State of Montana, and the unknown personal representatives, the unknown heirs and/or the unknown devisees of any of the aforementioned Defendants who may be deceased; the unknown successors, the unknown assigns and the unknown creditors of any of the aforementioned Defendants, however designated or described; and all other persons, unknown, claiming or who might claim any right, title, estate, or interest in or lien or encumbrance upon the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title, whether the claim or possible claim is present or contingent, Defendants. THE STATE OF MONTANA TO THE ABOVE-NAMED DEFENDANTS, AND TO ALL PERSONS CLAIMING ANY INTEREST OR LIEN UPON THE REAL PROPERTY DESCRIBED, OR ANY PART THEREOF, GREETINGS: A lawsuit has been filed against you. Within 21 days after service of this summons on you, you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Montana Rules of Civil Procedure. Do not include the day you were served in your calculation of time. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are listed above. This action is brought for the purpose of quieting title to land situated in Silver Bow County, Montana, and described as follows: Lots numbered 1, 2, and 3 in Block 40 of the Smith & Shewe Addition to the City and County of Butte-Silver Bow, Montana, according to the official plat and survey thereof now on file and of record in the office of the County Clerk and Recorder. If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court. Date: 11-27-17 CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT By: K. Deehan 19, 20, 21

ROSS P. RICHARDSON, ESQ. HENNINGSEN, VUCUROVICH & RICHARDSON, P.C. 116 West Granite P.O. Box 399 Butte, Montana 59701 (406) 723-3219 Attorney for Personal Representative MONTANA SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT SILVER BOW COUNTY IN RE THE ESTATE OF: MARY JEAN PELLETIER, Probate No. DP-17-115 Deceased. NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Matthew P. Pelletier the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the above-named estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must be mailed to Matthew P. Pelletier, the Personal Representative, return receipt requested c/o: 116 West Granite, Butte, Montana, or filed with the Clerk of the above Court. DATED this 20th day of November, 2017. Matthew P. Pelletier - Personal Representative 17, 18, 19

Judicial District Court, Silver Bow County, In the Matter of the Name Change of Gerri Margaret Englert, Petitioner Gerri Margaret Englert Cause No.: DV-17-434 Dept. No.: 2 Notice of hearing on Name Change This petitioner has asked the District Court for a change of name from Gerri Margaret Englert to Gerri Margaret Kober. The hearing will be on 2-9-2018 at 9:00 a.m. The hearing will be at the Courthouse in Silver Bow County Date: 11-20-2017 Tom Powers Clerk of district court by deputy clerk of court 19, 20, 21, 22

David L. Vicevich Amanda D. Hunter Vicevich Law 524 E. Park Street, Ste. B Butte, MT 59701 Telephone: (406) 782-1111 Fax No.: (406) 782-4000 dlvicevich@gmail.com State Bar of Montana No. 4791/44088997 NOTICE OF DEFAULT, ELECTION TO SELL AND NOTICE OF SALE UNDER MONTANA DEED OF TRUST Pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain MONTANA TITLE & ABSTRACT COMPANY, hereinafter identified and referred to, the Trustee thereunder, hereby gives Notice of Default, Election to Sell and Notice of Sale as to that Deed of Trust as follows: DEED OF TRUST The GRANTORS are TERRY QUANE and KIMBERLY BROOKINS, as joint tenants, with right of survivorship, of 1516 Philips Avenue, Butte, Montana, 59701, the TRUSTEE is MONTANA TITLE & ABSTRACT COMPANY, with its principal office at 400 W. Granite, Butte, Montana, 59701, the successor TRUSTEE is DAVID L. VICEVICH, Attorney At Law, of VICEVICH LAW, P.C., whose address is 524 E. Park Street, Suite B, Butte, Montana, 59701 and the BENEFICIARY is FORD CONSUMER FINANCE COMPANY, INC. and its successors and assigns, P.O. Box 30870, Laguna Hills, California, 92654, under a Montana Trust Indenture dated November 10, 1997. CITIMORTGAGE, INC., SUCCESSOR BY MERGER TO CITIFINANCIAL MORTGAGTE COMPANY, INC. F/K/A ASSOCIATES HOME EQUITY SERVICES, INC. F/K/A FORD CONSUMER FINANCE COMPANY, INC., 1000 Technology Drive, O'Fallon, Missouri, 63368, assigned its interest to WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SOCIETY, FSB, AS TRUSTEE FOR STANWICH MORTGAGE LOAN TRUST, 1600 South Douglass Road, Suite 200-A, Anaheim, California 92806, under a Corporate Assignment of Deed of Trust dated March 9, 2016. WILMINGTON SAVINGS FUND SOCIETY, FSB, AS TRUSTEE FOR STANWICH MORTGAGE LOAN TRUST, 1600 South Douglass Road, Suite 200-A, Anaheim, California 92806, assigned its interest to COLONIAL IMPACT FUND II, LLC, 520 Silicon Drive, Suite 110, Southlake, Texas 76092, under an Assignment of Deed of Trust on July 6, 2016. COLONIAL IMPACT FUND II, LLC, 520 Silicon Drive, Suite 110, Southlake, Texas 76092, assigned its interest to CHAPMAN CAPITAL GROUP, LLC, 11054, Longleaf Lane, Argyle, Texas 76226, under an Assignment of Deed of Trust on September 28, 2016. CHAPMAN CAPITAL GROUP, LLC is the present BENEFICIARY. DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY LOTS NUMBERED TWENTY-EIGHT (28), TWENTY-NINE (29) AND THIRTY (30) IN BLOCK NUMBERED SEVEN (7) OF THE GRAND AVENUE ADDITION TO THE CITY AND COUNTY OF BUTTE SILVER BOW, MONTANA, ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL PLAT AND SURVEY THEREOF NOW ON FILE AND OF RECORD IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK AND RECORDER. RECORDING REFERENCE: ROLL 153, CARD 443. STATED AMOUNT: 207300. Tax Code/PIN: 207300. RECORDING INFORMATION The Deed of Trust herein referred to, the Assignment of Deed of Trust, dated September 28, 2016 but which was not yet recorded. DEFAULT AND SUM OWING The Default for which this foreclosure sale is made is failure by the GRANTORS, or any person, to pay the monthly installments due on the Promissory Note for which the Deed of Trust was given as security. The following sums are now due and owing to the present BENEFICIARY, from the GRANTORS or their successors, in interest on the obligations secured by the said Deed of Trust. A total breakdown of the delinquency is as follows: The principal amount of past due payments is due is \$13,834.16; the interest due is \$1643.50; late charges due are \$691.71; escrow fees due are \$200.00; 2015 property taxes are \$1648.58; 2016 property taxes are \$1,526.59 for a total delinquent balance of \$19,544.54 as of September 1, 2017 plus delinquent property taxes for 2017 which have not been fully calculated by the county as of this date. The remaining principal balance on this Promissory Note was \$36,882.27, plus the interest and fees listed above and plus the delinquent property taxes for 2017 which have not been fully calculated by the county as of this date. The remaining principal balance plus interest and fees on said note and the 2017 property taxes are now due and owing together with costs and expenses incurred by the TRUSTEE and/or BENEFICIARY, with accrued interest at the rate of 4.625 percent per annum, from the date of expenditure thereof, and reasonable TRUSTEE's and attorney's fee as provided for by Mont. Code Ann. § 71-1-320 and the sum owing on the obligations under said Deed of Trust is as above stated. ELECTION TO SELL That by reason of the Default as hereinabove set forth, as to said Deed of Trust the BENEFICIARY has elected to consider all of the principal and interest due, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said Deed of Trust, and the Promissory Note secured thereby, and have elected to sell the property to satisfy the obligations and have requested the TRUSTEE to proceed to do so. DATE AND TIME OF SALE The TRUSTEE will sell said property on April 10, 2018, at 11:00 a.m., Mountain Standard Time or Daylight Savings Time, whichever is in effect at said time and place. PLACE OF SALE The sale will be held at the front steps of the Silver Bow County Courthouse, 155 W. Granite Street, Butte, Montana, 59701. TERMS OF SALE This sale is a public sale and any person, including the BENEFICIARY, (excepting only the undersigned TRUSTEE) may bid at the sale. The bid price must be paid in cash with conveyance being made by TRUSTEE'S Deed. The sale purchasers shall be entitled to possession of the property on the tenth (10th) day following the sale, and any person remaining in possession after that date, shall be deemed to be a tenant at will. The original of the Notice is recorded in the office of the County Clerk and Recorder of Silver Bow County, Montana, and a copy of this notice has been mailed by Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested to the GRANTORS TERRY QUANE and KIMBERLY BROOKINS, of 1516 Philips Avenue, Butte, Montana, 59701; and to the County Treasurer of Silver Bow County Courthouse, 155 W. Granite Street, Butte, Montana, 59701. DATED THIS DAY OF November 2017. DAVID L. VICEVICH, TRUSTEE STATE OF MONTANA :ss. County of Silver Bow On this day of November, 2017, before me the undersigned, a notary public in and for the State of Montana personally appeared the TRUSTEE, DAVID L. VICEVICH, of Butte, Montana, and acknowledged to me that he executed the foregoing instrument. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunder set my hand and affixed my notarial seal on the day and year first above written. Notary Public for the State of Montana 17, 18, 19

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## Community Calendar

Community Calendar is available to list events in Butte. To list and event email it to editor@butteweekly.com. Please clearly state it is a calendar item in the subject line

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**A Star Wars Release Party** will be held at the South Branch of the Butte Public Library at the Butte Plaza Mall Friday, Dec. 15 from 3:30-6 p.m. Warm up for the new movie by watching the last movie, munching on snacks and making Star Wars-themed crafts. Costumes encouraged. Families welcome. For more information, call 723-3361 or email scurtis@buttepubliclibrary.info

**The Butte-Silver Bow Public Archives** is introducing its new exhibit, "A Call to Care Within Our Community, An Historical Overview of St. James Healthcare That Celebrates The Sisters of Charity of Leavenworth." The Sisters of Charity have provided medical services to the people of Butte since 1881, with the building of St. James, the administration of the hospital, and the introduction of the St. James School of Nursing. The Archives is located at 17 W. Quartz St. Details: 406-782-3280.

**2018 Library Calendars** on sale now: The Butte Public Library gathered submission from their patrons as well as a few from their historic collections to make this local, one-of-a-kind, calendar. All proceeds from the sale of this calendar will go towards improving the Library's collections and events. Calendars are \$10 and are available at the Library's Main Branch.

**Butte-Silver Bow Public Library** is excited to announce the new season of Check Out the Performing Arts! In partnership with The Mother Lode Theater, Butte Symphony, and Butte Community Concerts, BSBPL will once again offer tickets for check out to library patrons. Tickets will be available at the Reference Desk on the second floor one week prior to show time. Patrons may check out one ticket and must have their library card with them. Please call the library for more information or ticket availability at 406-723-3361.

**First Fridays**, new informational noontime series on the first Friday each month in the Big Butte room on the third floor of the Butte Public Library. In the tradition of the Westside Shakespeare Club (a Chautauqua here in Butte), First Fridays is dedicated to exploring our world, our history, and literary works. If you would like more information about this program, please contact Shari Curtis at

406-723-3361.

**The Butte Public Library's** Loosely Knit Club meets every Tuesday from 1-3 at the Library to knit, crochet, or craft together in a welcoming and supportive environment. The group welcomes new members or drop-ins. The club is offering knitting classes for anyone 7-12 years old. The classes will run from January 9 through February 13. They will be held from 3:30-4:30 every Tuesday. All materials will be provided. Registration is required-please call 723-3361 or visit buttepubliclibrary.info

**Fall/Winter Pickleball:** Indoor Open Play at the Butte Civic Center Annex runs through January 26th. The annex will be open Monday through Friday mornings from 9 a.m.-12 noon, and Tuesday and Wednesday nights from 6 p.m.-9 p.m. The fee is \$5 per person per visit or \$50 for the Fall/Winter session. Parks and Recreation will provide the nets, paddles and balls for each session or bring your own paddle and/or balls. All players must sign the Roster and Recreation Activity/Release Form before play starts. Roster and Recreation Activity/Release Forms are available online at co.silverbow.mt.us or at the Parks and Recreation Office at the Butte Civic Center main office between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Join us for our free "Learn to Play Clinic" on Thursday, October 19 at 6 p.m. at the Civic Center Annex. Don Plessas and the Butte Pickleball players will teach you the basics of the game and get you ready for Open Play sessions. Butte-Silver Bow Parks and Recreation will provide the needed equipment (paddles, balls and nets). Contact Bob Lazzari at 497-6535 for more information.

**Afterschool** events for Teens: The Butte Public Library hosts BSBPL Coding Club on Tuesdays and on Anime/Manga Club on Thursdays--both from 4:00-5:00. All events are open to all ages and abilities. BSBPL Coding Club offers a chance to learn JAVA coding with www.coding.org. Code Studio's easy to use tutorials are designed to teach Computer Science Basics for students of all ages. You can start anytime and work at your own pace. Either bring your own laptops or use one of ours to the third floor of Butte Public Library. The Anime and Manga club is for those who love these genres to get together and watch, read, discuss and possibly even produce their own. Anyone who is interested should stop by the Teen Room on the second floor of Butte Public Library. The group will decide each week what we do--watch anime, discuss a book, or talk about member's work. Call 723-3361 for more information.

**The Butte-Silver Bow Public Library Book Club** meets the third Friday of the month at 1:00pm in the Frank Little room on the third floor of the Library. This month's reading is "East India" by Colin Faulkner. Copies are available for check out from the Circulation desk on the first floor. Please join us for a lively conversation about this interesting book. Please call the library for location information at 406-723-3361.



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