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LOCAL AREA EVENTS

January:

Funky Bunch Improv | Billings Billings Bulls Hockey | Billings Venture Improv | Billings Saturday Night Fever - The Musical | Billings

February:

Northeast Montana Farm Expo | Plentywood Lion's Club Basketball Tournament | Plentywood The Sleeping Beauty | Billings Snowball Cup Gelnade Championship | Plentywood International Guitar Night | Billings Prof | Billings California Guitar Trio and Montreal Guitare Trio tour Montana | Helena-Whitefish-Hamilton

March:

Northeast Montana Farm Expo | Plentywood Cherish the Ladies Alberta Bair Theater | Billings Wild West Walleyes | Wolf Point

April:

Harlem Globetrotters | Billings Spring Craft Bazaar | Plentywood Love, Loss and What I Wore | Billings Festival of One-Act Operas | Billings Garrison Keillor | Billings

May:

High School Youth Rodeo | Plentywood Lions Club Pancake Breakfast | Wolf Point SUDS The Musical | Billings

June:

Old Car Club Show | Plentywood Funky Bunch Improv | Billings Bump & Run | Plentywood Mens Golf Roundup | Plentywood Wild West Days | Poplar Prairie Fest | Plentywood Pioneer Days & Dirty Shame Show | Scobey

July:

Fireworks | Plentywood Fireworks | Wolf Point Shrine Circus | Wolf Point Bump & Run | Plentywood Prairie Fest | Plentywood Trap Shoot | Plentywood 19th Annual Health Care Foundation Tourney| Plentywood

Country Showdown | Wolf Point Shakespeare in The Park | Wolf Point Wild Horse Stampede Rodeo | Wolf Point Wahcina Dakota Oyate Celebration | Poplar Sheridan County Fair | Plentywood NRA Rodeo | Plentywood Men's Open Golf Tournament | Plentywood

August:

Women's Golf Tournament | Plentywood Wadopana Pow Wow | Wolf Point Hot August Nights | Plentywood Daniels County Fair | Scobey Roosevelt County Fair | Culbertson Fun Run | Culbertson Wagon Train/Trail Ride | Culbertson

September:

Poplar Indian Days Celebration/Pow Wow | Poplar Threshing Bee/Antique Show | Culbertson

October:

Festival of Trees | Wolf Point

October (cont.): Magic City Monster Con | Billings

November:

Fall Craft Bazaar | Plentywood Christmas Parade of Lights | Scobey Pioneer Town Lights | Scobey Sheridan Health Care Foundation 13th Annual Christmas Kickoff | Plentywood

December:

Santa's Visit | Wolf Point Parade of Lights | Wolf Point Townwide Open House Circle - Santa Day | Wolf Point Christmas Stroll | Scobey

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CountyTreasurer	406-765-3414
Disaster Emergency Services	
Election Department	
County Library	
Free Museum	
Sher-Wood Airport	
Drivers Examiner	
Department of Revenue	
Road & Bridge	
Treasurer	
County Attorney/Public Administrator	
Public Assistance	
Sheriff	406-765-1200
Sanitarian	

Roosevelt County

Assessor/Appraiser	406-653-6256
County Treasurer	406-653-6260
Public Health Director	406-653-6227
Clerk and Recorder	406-653-6229
GIS Administrator	406-653-6208
Disaster & Emergency Services	406-653-6224
Deputy Treasurer	406-653-6238
Aging Coordinator	406-653-6221
County Attorney	406-653-6295
Deputy Clerk and Recorder	406-653-6250
Deputy Clerk of Court	406-653-6266
Clerk of District Court	406-653-6266

Daniels Countu

Court House	
Clerk of Court	
Treasurer	
Clerk and Recorder	
County Attorney	
Sheriff	
County Agent	
Assessment/Appraisal	
Chief Probation Office	
Disaster/Emergency	
Justice of Peace	
Shop	
Superintendent/Schools	
Welfare Office	

Fort Peck Tribes Services

Fort Peck Tribes	
Child Care	
Community Health	
Tribal Police	
Adult Jail	
Juvenile Detention Center	
Transitional Living Unit	
Spotted Bull Treatment Center	
Tribal Courts	
Vocational Rehabilitation	
Senior Citizen Feeding Program	
Indian Health Service.	



SHERIDAN COUNTY HISTORY



Griginally part of Valley county, Sheridan County was created so eastern settlers would be closer to a County Seat and the industries they hold. Named after Civil War hero General Phil Sheridan, Sheridan was voted to be a county in 1913. With neverending plains and rich soil the first settlers were that of cattle companies. The ample grassland was perfect for letting the herds graze and the industry boomed.

Later, the railroad ran through the area. Conductors thought more power would be generated if the cinder screen on the locomotives smoke stack was removed. This allowed embers to escape and started wild fires all along the tracks. With blowing winds and rolling plains the fires were quite the nuisance. It took many years for the grasslands to be fully regrown and lots of cattle were lost.

These days the area looks much like it once did. The beautiful landscape and local hospitality is unrivaled. Sheridan County has a population of around 3,500.

Cities: Plentywood

Towns: Medicine Lake - Outlook - Westby

Westby Originally located in Divide Count

Originally located in Divide County North Dakota and established in 1910, new state borders were drawn in 1914 and subsequently Westby became a Montana town. The name came from Danish settlers combining the words West and by (the Danish word for town). Westby is home to approximately 160 people.



SHERIDAN COUNTY COMMUNITIES

Medicine Lake

Settled by farmers and ranchers, Medicine Lake is a cozy little Montana town. On their way to surrender at Fort Buford in North Dakota, Sitting Bull, and his tribe of Lakota people, passed through the area. Also, in 1937, Medicine Lake recorded Montana's highest temperature of 117° F. The town is home to just under 250 people.

Plentywood (County Seat)

In 1900 the first business popped up in the area. Followed, a couple years later, by a post office. It's not a known fact how the name of the town came to be, but local folklore says this... One evening, after a long day, a group of cowboys came to rest by a creek and were hungry. They all went out scavenging for any firewood they could use to make the nights meal. After looking long and hard, and finding none, the chuck wagons chef tried using damp buffalo chips as a substitute for kindling. Having little success finding wood and starting the fire, Dutch Henry exclaimed, in cold, tired frustration "If you go 2 miles up the creek... you'll find plenty wood..!" And so it was. That was the name of the future town.

Molded by bootleggers and cattle farmers the town began to grow. A hundred years later, some of the same buildings/businesses stand in place, with the same families running them. Plentywood is home to nearly 2,000 people.

ROOSEVELT COUNTY HISTORY



Roosevelt county, named after the late Theodore Roosevelt, was created in 1919 when Sheridan county residents voted on the split. A resting point of the Lewis and Clark expedition, Roosevelt county began like most other counties in the area. Vast prairie land and rich farming soil brought people to the area. Ranchers and business people alike, were the first to settle here. Small shops and saloons sprung up creating industry and free land brought people from all over to this undeveloped area. Home of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation, where nearly 75% of the land is appropriated, is home to the Assiniboine and Sioux tribes. With a land mass of 2,370 sq miles Roosevelt County is home to approximately 10,500 people.

Cities: Poplar - Wolf Point

Towns: Bainville - Brockton - Culbertson - Froid

Roosevelt County Communities

Culbertson

Incorporated in 1912 and named after Clerk of Fort Union, Major Alexander Culbertson, Culbertson got its start in 1887 along the Missouri river with the arrival of the railroad. Horse and fur trading were the first industries to flourish in the area. Alongside of migrating buffalo and roaming Natives, settlers found a great spot to set up shop alongside the mighty river. It became a livestock and agricultural center for the area. Now the area is home to over 50 businesses and over 700 residents.

Froid

Another stop of the Lewis and Clark expedition, Froid is where Captain Meriwether Lewis shot his first grizzly after being chased by it for nearly 100 yards. Like many other towns in the area, the railroad insured Froids' future. In the 1980's, oil was discovered in the area and people began to seek the riches from it. Froid is now home to just under 200 people.

Poplar

First inhabited by Native Americans, this small town began as an Army post to enforce Fort Peck Reservation boundaries. Fur traders, contractors and construction workers were next to take refuge here. In 1893 the Army left the area and the town began to form. By 1910 Poplar had over 30 Businesses including 2 churches but no saloons. A law was set in place prohibiting all "intoxicating liquors." For 25 years the area was dry of any alchohol. In 1917, after much dispute over county make-up, Poplar was incorporated into Sheridan County which was then split into Roosevelt County. Now, the community is a cozy place to rest your hat. The friendly people and scenic landscape makes for the perfect place to make your home. It is now home to about 800 residents.

Wolf Point (County Seat)

In early May of 1805 the Lewis and Clark Expedition passed throughout this future town. There is quite a dispute over the original naming of the town. Some say it came about as a result of the wolf hunting. There were so many wolves hunted in 1867-1868, the wolves would freeze before the skins could be harvested. The hunters set up a spot by the river bank to pile the carcasses to thaw when spring came. The pile became so high, it was a landmark for the area. Others say the name comes from steamboat captains who said the hill at the "point," or high ground of the river, resembled a wolf. Whichever story you chose to believe, it is a fact that wolves were very prominent in the area at one point in history. The town experienced a boom after the arrival of the railroads. Cheap and reliable transportation, even in winter, brought settlers flocking to the area. "Free" land was given out and now, a little over 200 years after the arrival of Lewis and Clark, Wolf Point is home to around 2,600 people.

DANIELS COUNTY HISTORY



he area is home to farmers and ranchers. It started out as beautiful plains as far as the eye can see, with roaming herds of buffalo grazing on them. In the early years Native Americans owned the land. They flourished because of its rich soil and plentiful hunting grounds. The first settlers were following the railroads and brought in the swell. Farms and small businesses began popping up along the rails and bringing industry and population increases with them. The County itself, was created in 1920 when portions of Sheridan and Valley Counties were broken off into the newly created Daniels County. Named after Mansfield Daniels, the county has a land mass of 1,427 sq miles and is home to approximately 1,800 people.

Cities: Scobey

Towns: Flaxville

PANIELS COUNTY COMMUNITIES

Flaxville

The creation of Flaxville was due almost entirely to the split of The Great Northern Railroad. In 1913 they created a new track that led to the current town location. The ease of transportation, to go shopping and find entertainment, had people flocking to the area. Businesses and people moved from Orville to be close to the track and hustle and bustle the railroad creates. With many professionals coming and going throughout the area, almost 30 firms were located in Flaxville.

Along with the rest of the nation, the "Dirty 30's" took its toll on the town and with the increased ease of transportation in the 40's and 50's, the town suffered. People moved to larger towns seeking higher paying jobs and the "American Dream."

Farms in the area grew larger and with modern technology making its mark on the farming industry, less farmers were needed to get the job done. The town is now home to about 70 people.

Scobey (County Seat)

Scobey was first inhabited by Native Americans, chasing migrating buffalo herds. It was also home to outlaws trying to evade the law and keep a low profile. in 1901, settlers began making their way to the area and setting up shop. Mansfield Daniels built a post office where the future town would be settled. A saloon, blacksmith, general store & hotel were some of the first businesses. For a long time the area was considered badlands. Bandits, horse thieves and

rouge Natives were just a couple of things to keep you on your toes.

In 1913 The Great Northern Railroad ran through the area and put a kink in Daniels plans. The end of the railroad was established a mile and a half away from the current townsite. Eventually everyone and everything moved to the new location and the town began to rebuild itself at the end of the tracks. The railroad was the main draw for people seeking free land in the area. They began farming wheat and from 1923 to 1926 the town was the largest producer of wheat grain in the nation.

Troublesome times were on the horizon. In the 1930's the area experienced crippling drought and with the Great Depression to boot, the future looked grim for the town. Scobey wasn't done yet. From the 1940's to 70's the farming industry rejuvenated the town and didn't look back. Nowadays it is a quiet little farm town with all the charm and hospitality one would expect. It is home to roughly 1,100 residents.



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1733 Brush Lake Rd. Dagmar, MT 59219 406-483-5455

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Lone Pine State Park 300 Lone Pine Rd Kalispell, MT 59901 406-755-2706

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Medicine Rocks State Park 1301 Snyder Avenue Glendive, MT 59330 (406) 377-6256 **Missouri Headwaters State Park**

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Bolster Dam Campgrounds 406-765-1700 Plentywood

Bone Trail Campground 406-526-3411 Fort Peck

Brush Lake State Park 406-234-0900 Plentywood

Burke Ranch Outfitters 406-228-9727 Glasgow

Cole Ponds 406-228-3700 Saco

Culbertson Bridge 406-228-3700 Culbertson 406-526-3411 Jordan Diamond Willow Fishing

Devil's Creek Campground

Access Site 406-234-0900 Sidney

Downstream Campground 406-526-3411 Fort Peck

Dredge Cut 406-228-3700 Fort Peck

Duck Creek 406-228-3700 Fort Peck

Duck Creek Campground 406-526-3411 Fort Peck

Elk Island 406-234-0900 Savage

Flat Lake Access Site 406-526-3411 Fort Peck

Floodplain Campground 406-526-3411 Fort Peck Fort Peck Lake Reservoir and Recreation Area 406-526-3411 Fort Peck

Fort Peck Dredge Cuts

406-228-3700

Fort Peck

Fort Peck West Campground 406-526-3411 Fort Peck

Fourchette Bay Campground 406-526-3411 Malta

Gartside 406-234-0900 Sidney

Glasgow Base Pond 406-228-3700 Glasgow

Hell Creek State Park 406-234-0900 Jordan

Hi-Line Charter Fishing 406-262-2195 Fort Peck

Jordan Wildlife Station 406-557-6145 Jordan Kibler Charter Fishing 406-557-2503 Jordan

Lewis and Clark Fishing Access 406-228-3700 Wolf Point

McGuire Creek Campground 406-526-3411 Fort Peck

Medicine Lake National Wildlife Refuge 406-789-2305 Medicine Lake

Nelson Creek Campground 406-526-3411 Fort Peck Nelson Reservoir 406-759-5077 Malta

hing R&B RV Park 406-653-3355 Wolf Point

> Rock Creek Fishing Access Site 406-228-3700 Fort Peck

Rock Creek Marina 406-485-2560 Fort Peck

Rocky Outfitters 406-478-3978 Fairview Seven Sisters 406-234-0900 Crane

The Pines Campground 406-526-3411 Fort Peck

West End Recreation and Campground 406-526-3411 Fort Peck

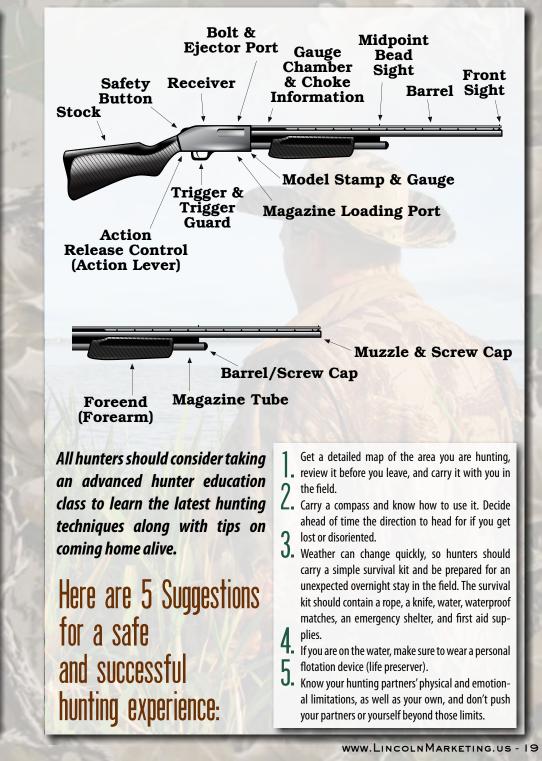
Whitetail Reservoir 406-228-3700 Flaxville



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HUNTING SEASONS

HUNTING SAFETY



2016 BIG GAME SEASONS

Antelope 900 series.....Aug 15-Nov 13 archery.....Sept 3–Oct 7 general.....Oct 8-Nov 13 **Bighorn Sheep** archery.....Sept 3-Sept 14 general.....Sept 15-Nov 27 Bison.....Nov 15–Feb 15, 2017 Black bear spring.....Apr 15– Varies (May 31 - June 15) fall archery.....Sept 3-Sept 14 fall.....Sept 15-Nov 27 Deer & Elk archery.....Sept 3–Oct 16 youth, deer only, two-day hunt......Oct 20-Oct 21 general.....Oct 22-Nov 27 backcountry - HD's 150, 151, 280, 316* archery.....Sept 3-Sept 14

general......Sept 15–Nov 27

Elk Shoulder Seasons –

Could occur before and after the archery and general seasons. Check website for details. **Moose**.....Sept 15–Nov 27 **Mountain Goat**.....Sept 15–Nov 27 **Mountain Lion** archery....Sept 3–Oct 16 fall.....Oct 22–Nov 27 winter.....Dec 1–Apr 14, 2017

2016 UPLAND GAME BIRDS SEASONS

 Mountain Grouse......Sept 1–Jan 1, 2017

 Partridge......Sept 1–Jan 1, 2017

 Pheasant.....Oct 8–Jan 1, 2017

 Sage Grouse....Sept 1–Sept 30

 Sharp-tailed Grouse...Sept 1–Jan 1, 2017

 Turkey

 spring......Apr 9–May 15

 fall......Sept 1–Jan 1, 2017

For general reference only. 2016 dates adopted in July, 2016. Trapping District 1, 2 & 3 **Beaver**.....Nov 1 - April 15, 2017 **Bobcat**.....Dec 1 - Feb 15, 2017* Trapping Districts 4, 5, 6 & 7 **Beaver**.....Dec 1 - May 31, 2017 **Bobcat**.....Dec 1 - March 1, 2017* Portion of Trapping District 6 **Swift Fox**....Nov 1 - March 1, 2017* **Fisher, Marten, Wolverine** (where open).....Dec 1 - Feb 15, 2017* **Mink, Muskrat, Otter**....Nov 1 - April 15, 2017* * May close earlier when the quota is reached

2016 MONTANA FURBEARER SEASONS

UPLAND GAME, MIGRATORY AND WEBLESS MIGRATORY BIRDS

Crane	July 28
	Sept 1
Turkey	
	March 3
	July 28
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These dates are provided only as a general reference. Check current regulations for specific dates. Visit our website @ http://fwp.mt.gov

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3rd Saturday in May through November 30 **some rivers are open entire year Check the fishing regulations at http://fwp.mt.gov/fishing/

Lakes & Reservoirs:

Open all year unless otherwise specified

FISH	MONTANA	LENGTH (inches)	WEIGHT	GIRTH (inches)	SITE	ANGLER	BAIT	DATE
Arctic Grayling		20	3.63 lbs.	11.7	Washtub Lake	Gienn Owens	Wet Fly	6/28/03
Bigmouth Buffalo	•	40.7	57.75 bs.	32.5	Nelson Reservoir	Craig D. Grassel	Bow & Arrow	6/4/94
Black Bullhead		14.37	2.60 lbs.	11.5	Smiley Slough	Birrell White	Bait	6/20/09
Black Grappie		16.7	3.13 Bs.		Tongue River Reservoir	A Elser		1973
Bluegill		11	2.64 Bs.	17	Peterson's Stock Dam	Brent Fladmo	Worm	6/3/83
Blue Sucker	•	32.56	11.56 lbs.	17.09	Mik River	Dean Armbrister	Spinner	5/14/14
Brook Trout			9.06 lbs.		Lower Two Medicine Lake	John R. Cook		1940
Brown Trout			29 lbs.		Wade Lake	E.H. "Peck" Bacon		1966
Bull Trout (Dolly Varden)	•	37	25.63 lbs.	25		James Hyer	Trolling Line	1916
Burbot	•	39	17.08 lbs.	16.25	Missouri River Wolf Point	Jeff Eugene Iwen	Minnow	4/18/89
Channel Catfish	•	41.75	34.8 lbs	25	Fort Peck Reservoir	Dan Davenport	Jg	7/26/13
Chinock Salmon		38	31.13 lbs.	26.5	Fort Peck Reservoir Face of Dam	Carl L. Niles	Diamond King Spoon	10/2/91
Cisco		18.2	2.08 lbs.		Missouri River	Troy Holstein	Jig & Minnow	6/2/14
Creek Chub	•	11.0	.52 lbs		Harbaugh Bass Pond	William Bibeau	Worm	5/12/13
Coho Salmon		25.5	4.88 lbs.		Fort Peck Reservoir Face of Dam	Irven F. Stohl	Daredevil	6/29/73
Common Carp		38	40.2 lbs.	30.5	Nelson Reservoir	Jared S. Albus	Bow & Arrow	5/24/98
Cutthroat Trout	•		16 lbs.		Red Eagle Lake	Wm. D. Sands		1955
Emerald Shiner		3.43	0.01 lbs.		Park Grove Bridge	like Brøaten	Rapela	6/5/06
Fathead Minnow	•	2.7	0.01 lbs.		Dollar Lake	Chris Gustine	Bait	5/30/14
Flathead Chub	•	11.2	0.59 lbs.		Thernton Pend	Douglas Jordan	Worm	4/29/01
Freshwater Drum	•	29.5	21.59 lbs.	26.5	Fort Peck – Ghost Coulee	Matt Washut	Smelt	5/3/03
Golden Trout		23.5	5.43 Rs.	13	Cave Lake	Mike Maloi	Lure	7/16/00
Goldeye	•		3.18 lbs.		Nelson Reservoir	Don Nevrivy	Jig/Power Crawler	7/4/00
Green Sunfish		9.0	0.84 lbs.	9.87	Hickson's Pond	Bette Schmieding	Worm	5/25/09
Kokanee Salmon		25.8	7.85 lbs		Hauser Lake	John Bomar	Jg	8/23/03
Lake Chub	•	3.9	.02 lbs.		Teton River	Joe Hagengruber	Worm	8/22/10
Lake Trout		42.5	42.69 lbs.	31.5	Flathead Lake	Ruth Barber	Flatfish	6/23/04
Lake Whitefish		27	10.46 lbs.		Flathead Lake	Swan McDonald V	Jg	8/26/06
Largemouth Bass		22.5	8.80 lbs.		Noxon Rapids Reservoir	Darin Williams	Rubber Tube Bait	5/2/09
Largescale Sucker	•	23.1	6.16 lbs.	14.8	Woodland Pond	Kevin Fraley	Worm	6/27/08
Longnose Sucker	•		3.27 Bs.		Marias River Loma	Ray Quigley	Worm	5/8/88
Mottled Sculpin	•		0.05 lbs.		Belt Creek (North of Neihart MT)	Brad Sullivan	Worm	7/30/01
Mountain Sucker	•	6.2	1.60 oz.		Beaver Creek Reservoir	Robert Garwood	Worm	4/23/01
Mountain Whitefish	•	23	5.11 lbs.	12.5	Hauser Reservoir	Wait Goodman	Rapala	10/10/07
Northern Pikeminnow	•	27.125	7.88 lbs.		Noxon Rapids Reservoir	Darrel Torgrimson	Lure	5/28/91
Northern Pike			37.5 lbs.		Tongue River Reservoir	Lance Moyer		1972
Paddlefish	•	77	142.5 lbs.	41.75	Missouri River Neer Kipp Park	Lany Bransletter	Snagged	5/20/73
Pallid Sturgeon	•		60 lbs.	27.5	Yellowstone River Near Sidney	Gene Sattler		5/13/79

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Largemouth Bass		22.5	8.80 lbs.		Noxon Rapids Reservoir	Darin Williams	Rubber Tube Bait	5/2/09
Largescale Sucker	•	23.1	6.16 lbs.	14.8	Woodland Pond	Kevin Fraley	Worm	6/27/08
Longnose Sucker	•		3.27 Bs.		Marias River Loma	Ray Quigley	Worm	5/8/88
Mottled Sculpin	•		0.05 lbs.		Belt Creek (North of Neihart MT)	Brad Sullivan	Worm	7/30/01
Mountain Sucker	•	6.2	1.60 oz.		Beaver Creek Reservoir	Robert Garwood	Worm	4/23/01
Mountain Whitefish	•	23	5.11 lbs.	12.5	Hauser Reservoir	Walt Goodman	Rapala	10/10/07
Northern Pikeminnow	•	27.125	7.88 lbs.		Noxon Rapids Reservoir	Darrel Torgrimson	Lure	5/28/91
Northern Pike			37.5 lbs.		Tongue River Reservoir	Lance Moyer		1972
Paddlefish	•	77	142.5 lbs.	41.75	Missouri River Near Kipp Park	Larry Branstetter	Snagged	5/20/73
Pallid Sturgeon			60 lbs.	27.5	Yellowstone River Near Sidney	Gene Sattler		5/13/79

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Peamouth	•	16.125	1.52 lbs		Clark Fork River	Mike Jensen	Artificial Fly	7/29/07
Pumpkinseed		9.5	0.96 lbs.		Upper Thompson Lake	Nathan Bache	Lure	7/30/06
Pygmy Whitelish	•	9.84	0.36 Rs.	6.3	Little Bitterroot Lake	Richard Geldrich	Maggot	2/13/10
Rainbow Trout		38.62	33.1 lbs.	27	Kootenai River David Thompson Brdg	Jack G. Housel, Jr.	Lure	8/11/97
Rainbow-Cutthroat Hybrid Trout		35.75	30.25 lbs.	27.5	Ashiey Lake	Pat Kelley	Bait	5/16/82
Redside Shiner	•	6.5	0.10 lbs.	3.75	Lost Lake	Josh Ahles	Worm	8/21/01
River Carpsucker	•	24	6.95 lbs.	16.5	Fort Peck Reservoir	Brady Miller	Bow & Arrow	8/15/08
Rock Bass		10.8	1.31 lbs.		Lower Crazy Head Springs Pond	Karson Campbell	Nightorawler	4/26/14
Sauger	•	28.2	8.805 lbs.	15.1	Fort Peck Reservoir	Gene Moore	Whistlen/Minnow	12/12/94
Saugeye			15.66 lbs.		Fort Peck Reservoir Squaw Creek	Myron Kibler	Minrow	1/11/95
Shorthead Redhorse	•	20.25	4.68 lbs.		Marias River Near Loma	Ray Quigley	Worm	4/14/85
Shortnose Gar	•	35	7.41 lbs.		Fort Peck Dredge Cuts	Brandon Hansard	Bow and Arrow	5/16/13
ihovelnose Sturgeon	•	39.75	14.125 lbs.		Missouri River	Chad Buck	Nightorawler	5/21/10
Smallmouth Bass		22.5	6.7 lbs.	16.5	Fort Peck Reservoir	Melvin McDanold	Gulp Minnow	8/30/13
Smallmouth Buffalo	•	38	38 lbs.	29.25	Nelson Reservoir	Brady Millor	Bow & Arrow	4/28/07
Spottail Shiner		3.0	.02 lbs.		Tiber Reservoir	Joe Hagengruber	Worm	8/14/10
Stonecat	•	10	0.54 lbs.		Mik River	Dale Bjørga	Worm	6/16/96
Tiger Muskellunge		50	38.75 lbs.		Deadmans Basin Reservoir	Leo Cartin	Bait	9/2/12
Tiger Trout		20.6	4.04 lbs.	12	Bear Lake	Joe Sobczak	Wooley Bugger	2/9/97
Utah Chub			1.81 lbs.		Canyon Ferry Reservoir	Eugene Bastian	Rat Fink/Maggots	2/5/92
Walleye		35	17.75 lbs.	22	Tiber Reservoir	Robert Hart	Minnow	11/18/07
White Bass		17	2.80 lbs.	12	Missouri River South of Bainville	Vernon Pacovsky	Minnow	10/13/07
White Crappie		18.5	3.68 lbs.		Tongue River	Gene Bassett	Worm	5/10/96
White Sturgeon	•	75	96 Ibs.		Kootenai River	Herb Stout		1968
White Sucker	•	21.625	5.33 lbs.	12.75	Nelson Reservoir	Fred Perry	Spear	2/10/83
Yellow Bullhead	•	14.0	1.62	8.9	Ninepipes Reservoir	Frank Tepp	Lure	2/5/15
Yellow Perch		14.375	2.39 lbs.	12.1875	Lower Stilwater Lake	Josh Emmert	giL	2/19/06



BOATING SAFETY

Operating Watercraft

FOLLOW THESE GUIDELINES TO HELP PREVENT AND PREPARE FOR CAPSIZING, SWAMPING, OR SOMEONE FALLING OVERBOARD.

• Make sure that you and your passengers are wearing life-Jackets while the boat is moving. • Attach the ignition safety Lanyard to your wrist, clothes, or life jacket. • Don't allow anyone to sit on the gun wale, bow, seat backs, motor cover, or areas not designed for seating. Also, don't let anyone sit on pedestal seats when craft is not in idle. • Don't overload your boat. Balance the load of passengers and gear stored on-board. • Keep your center of gravity low by not allowing people to stand up or move around while craft is in motion. • In small boats, don't allow anyone to lean beyond the gunwale. • Turn boat at slow rates of speed. • Secure the anchor line to the bow, never to the stern. • Don't risk operating water craft in rough conditions or bad weather.

Who May Operate a Motorboat

(OTHER THAN A PERSONAL WATERCRAFT)

• FOR ENGINES 25 HORSEPOWER OR LESS: - Those under age 12 may operate without restrictions.

• For engines over 25 horsepower through 75 horsepower:

- THOSE UNDER AGE 12 MUST HAVE SOMEONE 21 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER ON BOARD WITHIN REACH OF THE CONTROLS.

• For engines over 75 horsepower:

- No children under age 12 May operate, even with an adult on board.

- OTHER RESTRICTIONS APPLY TO BOAT OPERATORS 12 TO 17 YEARS OLD:

- OPERATORS FROM 12 TO 17 YEARS OF AGE MAY OPERATE ENGINES OF 25 HORSEPOWER OR LOWER WITH NO RESTRICTIONS.

• For engines over 25 horsepower:

- Operators 12 to 17 years of age must have: A watercraft operator's permit, or someone age 21 years or older old on board within reach of the controls.



• AT LEAST ONE COAST GUARD APPROVED TYPE 1, 2, 3 OR 5 FLOTATION DE-VICE THAT IS THE PROPER SIZE FOR EACH PERSON ON BOARD OR BEING TOWED.

• All devices must be in good condition and easily accessible.

• Children under age IO must wear a device when on board a boat that is underway unless:

IN AN ENCLOSED CABIN OR BELOW DECK OR ON AN ANCHORED BOAT THAT IS BEING USED FOR SWIMMING OR DIVING OR PASSENGER CRAFT WITH A LICENSED CAPTAIN.

• Along with the above at least one approved Type 4 must be on board boats 16 ft. or longer (except canoes and kayaks) and immediately available.

• A Coast Guard approved Type 5 device may be substituted for any other Coast Guard approved device if it meets the same requirements and is noted on the label.

• Anyone riding a jet ski or other Personal Water Craft must wear an approved -non inflating flotation device, as well as anyone being towed by a water craft.

BICYCLE SAFETY

SNOWMOBILE SAFETY



Please respect private property and no trespassing signs. Stay on trails. Exercise extreme caution on all lakes and streams. Obey

all state and local laws and ordinances. Do not operate snowmobiles/ATV's on county roads or state highways.

Drink lots of Water!

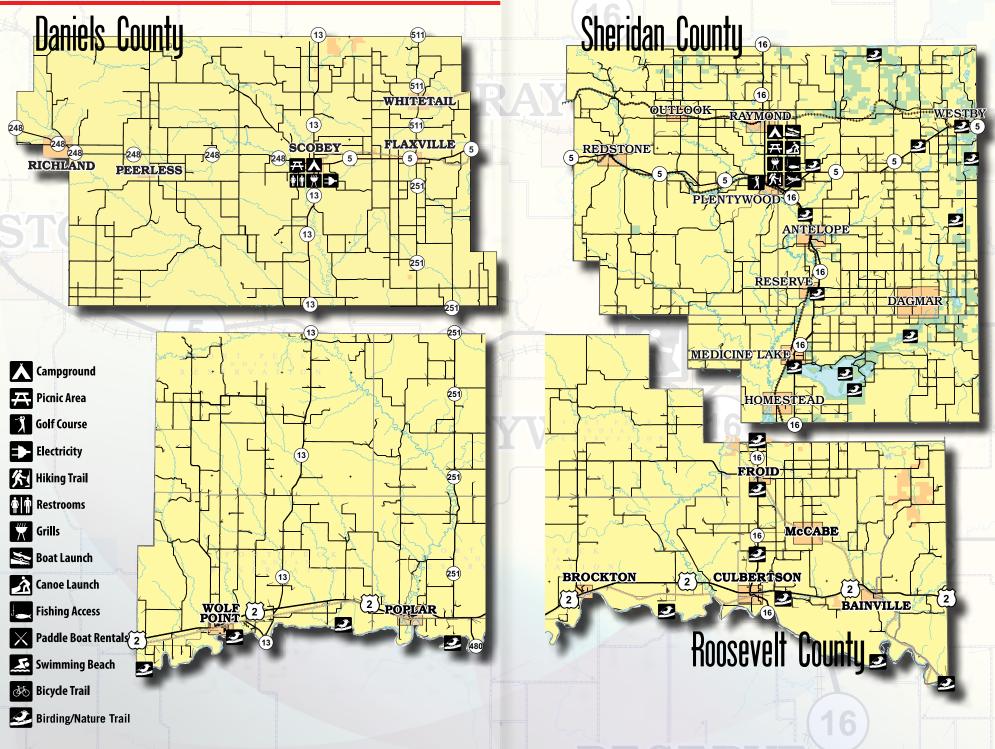
 Always wear a properly fitting bike helmet as most serious injuries are to the head. • Be sure your handlebars, seat and wheels fit snugly. • Keep your bike in good shape by checking and oiling your chain, making sure your brakes work properly and maintaining your tire pressure. • Always ride with both hands on the handlebars except when doing turn signals. • When leaving a driveway, curb or alleyway always stop and check for traffic in both directions. • Cross only at intersections. • Use the crosswalk to walk your bike across busy intersections and follow the traffic signals. • Never ride against traffic. Travel in the same direction as the cars. • Whenever you can, use bike routes and avoid busy streets. • Don't ride near parked cars as doors can open and cause accidents. • Obey all traffic signs and traffic lights. • When biking with friends, ride in a single file. • Always pass other bikers or pedestrians on the left and say "On your left!" to make your presence known. • Always use bicycle hand signals to alert traffic of your changing direction.



• Do not consume alcohol or take drugs prior to or during your snowmobile trip. Doing so increases your chances of injury or death.. Slow down and don't cut to the inside of the trail corners. It's dangerous and illegal. • If you snowmobile at night, don't override your lights. • Always use the buddy system. Never ride off alone. • Drowning is one of the causes of many snowmobile fatalities. Whenever possible, avoid the ice. • Wear sensible, protective clothing designed for operating a snowmobile. • Use a full size helmet, goggles, or visor to prevent injuries from twigs, stones, ice chips and other debris. • Avoid wearing long scarves. They may get caught in moving parts of the snowmobile. • Know the terrain you are going to ride. If unfamiliar to you, ask someone who has traveled over it before. • Know the weather forecast, especially the ice and snow conditions. • Be sure your snowmobile is in top-notch mechanical condition throughout the months of use. • Familiarize yourself with the snowmobile you are driving. Thoroughly read the manual that accompanies the snowmobile. • Do not pursue domestic or wild animals. That is not the conduct of a sportsman. Report such violations to the nearest law enforcement officer.

Showmobiling is fun. Going to the hospital isn't.

OUTDOOR RECREATION



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Don't like all the dirt in your fingernails while you work in the garden? Before you go out, run your fingernails across a bar of soap and you'll effectively seal the undersides of your nails so dirt cannot accumulate. Then, after you are all done gardening, use a toothpick or nailbrush to remove the soap and your nails will be sparkling clean.

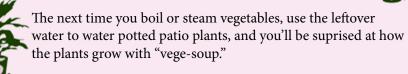
> Spray vegetable oil on your string trimmer to help prevent jamming or breaking (Treat before installing string in trimmer).



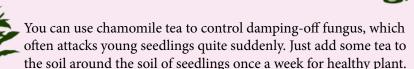
Make a convenient measuring tool out of a long handled garden tool by laying it on the ground next to a tape measure. Use a permanent marker to copy the inches and feet. Next time you are spacing plants you already have a dual-purpose measuring tool in your hand!

Write the names of your plants (With a permanent marker) on the flat parts of stones of any size and lay them in front of your plants for natural looking markers.





You can use leftover tea and coffee grounds to help acidify the soil of acid-loving plants like azaleas, rhododendrons, camellias, gardenias and blueberries. A light sprinkle of about 1/4 of an inch applied once a month will help keep the pH of the soil on the acidic side.



often attacks young seedlings quite suddenly. Just add some tea to the soil around the soil of seedlings once a week for healthy plant.

Here is a really quick way to dry out your herbs: Just lay a sheet of newspaper on the seat of your car, arrange the herbs in a single layer, then roll up the windows and shut the car doors. Your herbs will be dry in no time!





Use your blender to grind up egg shells. Just like a mother bird chews up worms for the baby birds making the food easier to digest, grinding eggshells makes it easy for your garden to absorb the calcium egg shells retain.

Animals (cats especially) seem to think all of the hard work you've put into your garden looks like a huge litter box. To keep them from pooping on your basil and other plants, strategically place a few plastic forks around your plants to deter them from destroying your fresh herbs, fruits, and vegetables.

SAFETY TIPS

PARENTS:

• Teach your kids that an emergency is when you need help from a doctor, a police officer or a firefighter.

- Designate a safe place by your house that a child can go to if they need help right away.
- Have your kids memorize your address and phone numbers. They should also know your full name and where you work.

KIDS: FIRE SAFETY

• If you or someone else is on fire - remember to STOP, DROP and ROLL. Wrap a blanket on the person to help put out the fire.

• If there is a fire, leave the house as fast as you can! Crawl on the floor to avoid smoke and if the door is hot, don't open it - find another way out.

Learn all the fire exits in your house. Assign a safe place outside for everyone to meet in case of a fire emergency.

HOME ALONE

- Never tell anyone that you are home alone.
- If someone calls and asks for your mom and dad, tell them "They cannot come to the phone right now, can you please call back later?"
- Do not answer the door, unless it is someone that you know your parents have okay'd them to come over.



FIRST AID FOR INSECT BITES/ANAPHYLAXIS & POISON SAFETY INSECT BITES/ANAPHYLAXIS

Anaphylaxis is a severe allergic reaction from insect bites (latex, food and drug allergies can also cause Anaphylaxis). Typical symptoms include hives, the swelling of lips or eyes, swollen throat, drop in blood pressure, light headedness, confusion, nausea or diarrhea. If someone is having an allergic reaction from an insect bite seek medical attention immediately.

POISON PREVENTION

Teach your children about pois<mark>on and how it ca</mark>n look like a food or drink. They should always ask an adult bef<mark>ore eating or drin</mark>king anything. Have them learn

the poison control phone number: 1-800-222-1222 and keep it programmed or posted near all your phones. Here are some prevention tips.

Lock up your poisons and medications. Keep them out of the reach of children, lock them up if possible. Make sure your children understand that medicine is not candy.

Follow directions carefully. Read your labels. Be sure to use and store all poisons and medications properly according to recommendations.

Keep your pets safe from household chemicals,

too. Don't allow pets near areas that have just been cleaned with chemicals, such as freshly mopped floors or bleached bathtubs and sinks. Clean up any antifreeze/coolant spills. Pets like the flavor but they can die if they ingest it. Store poisonous foods or plants in areas that your pets cannot access. Call your local emergency veterinary hospital if you believe your pet has been poisoned.



SAFETY TIPS

FIRST AID FOR BURNS & CHOKING

BURNS

For minor 1st and 2nd degree burns smaller than 3" in diameter: Cool the Burn. Run cool water over the burned area for 5 minutes, or until the pain diminishes. Never put ice on a burn!

Bandage the burn with sterile gauze:

It is important to use loosely wrapped gauze. This will avoid pressure and the bandage protects blisters. NEVER put lotions, vaseline, ointments or butter on burn. Do not break any blisters, which can cause infection.

Take Aspirin, Ibuprofen, Naproxen or Acetaminophen to relieve pain:

Minor burns usually heal with these basic treatments. Be aware for signs of infection which may include: increased pain, redness, fever, swelling or oozing. If symptoms develop, seek medical help. Avoid tanning the burned area for at least a year. Protect the area with sunscreen outdoors. Avoid giving aspirin to children.

For 3rd degree burns/all major burns - DIAL 911 DO NOT run cold water over large severe burns - this can cause shock. DO NOT remove burnt clothing. Check for signs of breathing/coughing/movement. If there are no signs of breathing begin CPR. Elevate burned areas above heart level, if possible. Cover the burn(s) with cool, sterile, moist bandages, towels or cloth.

CHOKING

Most people clutch at their throats when choking, an obvious symbol for help. However, if a person isn't giving that signal, be alert for these indications. Inability to talk, difficulty breathing or noisy breathing, inability to cough forcefully, skin/lips/nails turning blue, loss of consciousness.

The Red Cross recommends a "five-and-five" method for first aid: First give five blows between the person's shoulders with the heel of your hand. Second, perform the Heimlich maneuver

(abdominal thrusts) five times. Alternate between five back blows and five abdominal thrusts until the blockage is dislodged.

IN AN EMERGENCY, DIAL 911



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Bicycle Hand Signals Left Turn Signal **Right Turn Signal Right Turn Signal** (use left arm) Stop or Slow Down (use right arm)



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Slowing

Communication is an essential part of safe riding. Hand signals are a practical way to communicate between other riders and traffic.

Be sure to give easy to see and clear hand signals when snowmobiling. Hand signals should never be subtle, but always deliberate.





Left Turn

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YIELD

BRIDGE AHEAD

SPEED LIMIT 25

STEEP

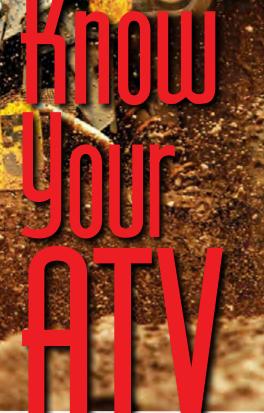


clothing. • Don't lend your vehicle to unskilled riders. • Supervise young or inexperienced riders. • Never carry a passenger on vehicles meant for one rider. • Do not operate under the influence of drugs or alcohol. • Drive at speeds that are appropriate to trail conditions. • Stay to the right on trails. • Stay away from thin ice, open water and wetlands • Know the weather forecast. • Make sure headlights and taillights work properly. • Maintain safe distances between other riders. • Reduce your speed when riding at night. • Yield to other motor vehicles and trail users. • Young or beginning riders are encouraged to take a safety training course.

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ATV SAFETY

 Check your vehicle before you ride. • Wear protective equipment and



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