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* * * * * * Best of Bozeman Winner's List Inside! * * * * * *

(Leon Haywood – "I Want'a Do Something Freaky to You" (1975)
Pratt & McClain – "Happy Days" (1976)
Keith Carradine – "I'm Easy" (1976)
Thin Lizzy – "The Boys Are Back In Town" (1976)
Elvin Bishop – "Fooled Around and Fell in Love" (1976)
Henry Gross – "Shannon" (1976)
Silver – "Wham Bam" (1976)
Larry Groce – "Junk Food Junkie" (1976)
John Sebastian – "Welcome Back" (1976)
Cyndi Grecco – "Making Our Dreams Come True" (1976)
Rick Dees and His Cast of Idiots – "Disco Duck" (1976)
Wild Cherry – "Play That Funky Music" (1976)
Walter Murphy & The Big Apple Band – "A Fifth of Beethoven" (1976)
Starland Vocal Band – "Afternoon Delight" (1976)
Cerrone – "Love in C Minor" (1977)
David Dundas – "Jeans On" (1977)
David Soul – "Don't Give Up on Us" (1977)
Thelma Houston – "Don't Leave Me This Way" (1977)
Hot – "Angel in Your Arms" (1977)
Ram Jam – "Black Betty" (1977)
Dean Friedman – "Ariel" (1977)
Alan O'Day – "Undercover Angel" (1977)
Debby Boone – "You Light Up My Life" (1977)
Meri Wilson – "Telephone Man" (1977)
The Floaters – "Float On" (1977)
Sanford-Townsend Band – "Smoke from a Distant Fire" (1977)
Paul Nicholas – "Heaven on the 7th Floor" (1977)
High Inergy – "You Can't Turn Me Off" (1977)
Randy Newman – "Short People" (1978)
Samantha Sang – "Emotion" (1978)
Patti Smith Group – "Because The Night" (1978)
Eruption – "I Can't Stand The Rain" (1978)
Alicia Bridges – "I Love the Nightlife" (1978)
Walter Egan – "Magnet and Steel" (1978)
Cheryl Lynn – "Got to Be Real" (1978)
Chris Rea – "Fool (If You Think It's Over)" (1978)
Bobby Caldwell – "What You Won't Do For Love" (1978)
City Boy – "5.7.0.5." (1978)
Patrick Hernandez – "Born to Be Alive" (1979)
Anita Ward – "Ring My Bell" (1979)
Sugarhill Gang – "Rapper's Delight" (1979)
Chanson – "Don't Hold Back" (1979)
Bell & James – "Livin' It Up (Friday Night)" (1979)
Amii Stewart – "Knock on Wood" (1979)
Suzi Quatro & Chris Norman – "Stumblin' In" (1979)
Sniff 'n' the Tears – "Driver's Seat" (1979)
Nick Lowe – "Cruel to Be Kind" (1979)
The Knack – "My Sharona" (1979)
The Buggles – "Video Killed the Radio Star" (1979)
David Naughton – "Makin' It" (1979)
Tom Johnston – "Savannah Nights" (1979)
Roger Voudouris – "Get Used to It" (1979)
Steve Forbert – "Romeo's Tune" (1979)
Randy VanWarmer – "Just When I Needed You Most" (1979)
M – "Pop Muzik" (1979)
The Crusaders – "Street Life" (1979)
The Boomtown Rats – "I Don't Like Mondays" (1979)
Gary Numan – "Cars" (1979)
McFadden & Whitehead – "Ain't No Stoppin' Us Now" (1979)
1980s
Rocky Burnette – "Tired of Toein' the Line" (1980)
Lipps Inc. – "Funkytown" (1980)
Utopia – "Set Me Free" (1980)
S.O.S. Band – "Take Your Time (Do It Right)" (1980)
Robbie Dupree – "Steal Away" (1980)
Benny Mardones – "Into the Night" (1980)
Rodney Crowell – "Ashes by Now" (1980)
Devo – "Whip It" (1980)
The Vapors – "Turning Japanese" (1980)
Terri Gibbs – "Somebody's Knockin'" (1980)
Grover Washington, Jr. – "Just the Two of Us" (1981)
Tommy Tutone – "867-5309/Jenny" (1981)
Soft Cell – "Tainted Love" (1981)
Bertie Higgins – "Key Largo" (1981)
Quarterflash – "Harden My Heart" (1981)
Buckner and Garcia – "Pac-Man Fever" (1981)
Red Rider – "Lunatic Fringe" (1981)
Lee Ritenour – "Is It You" (1981)
Tom Tom Club – "Genius of Love" (1981)
Get Wet – "Just So Lonely" (1981)
The Afternoon Delights – "General Hospi-Tale" (1981)
Joey Scarbury – Believe It or Not (1981)
Silver Condor – "You Could Take My Heart Away" (1981)
Toni Basil – "Mickey" (1981)
Frankie Smith – "Double Dutch Bus" (1981)
After the Fire – "Der Kommissar" (1981)
Dr. Jeckyll & Mr. Hyde – "Genius Rap" (1981)
Diesel – "Sausalito Summernight" (1981)
Prism – "Don't Let Him Know" (1982)
Marshall Crenshaw – "Someday, Someway" (1982)
Bob and Doug McKenzie – "Take Off" (1982)
Thomas Dolby – "She Blinded Me with Science" (1982)
Patrice Rushen – "Forget Me Nots" (1982)
Dazz Band – "Let It Whip" (1982)
Modern English – "I Melt with You" (1982)
Dexys Midnight Runners – "Come On Eileen" (1982)
Bow Wow Wow – "I Want Candy" (1982)
Karla Bonoff – "Personally" (1982)
Haircut One Hundred – "Love Plus One" (1982)
Men Without Hats – "The Safety Dance" (1982)
Musical Youth – "Pass The Dutchie" (1982)
The Monroes – "What Do All The People Know" (1982)
A Flock of Seagulls – "I Ran (So Far Away)" (1982)
LeRoux – "Nobody Said It Was Easy" (1982)
The Waitresses – "I Know What Boys Like" (1982)
Larry Elgart and His Manhattan Swing Orchestra – "Hooked on Swing" (1982)
Josie Cotton – "Johnny Are You Queer?" (1982)
Tane Cain – "Holdin' On" (1982)
The Weather Girls – "It's Raining Men" (1982)

Shannon – "Let the Music Play"
Scandal – "The Warrior" (1984)
Romeo Void – "A Girl in Trouble (Is a Temporary Thing)" (1984)
Nik Kershaw – "Wouldn't It Be Good" (1984)
Rockwell – "Somebody's Watching Me" (1984)
A-ha – "Take on Me" (1984)
Laid Back – "White Horse" (1984)
Mike Reno – "Almost Paradise" (1984)
Animotion – "Obsession" (1984)
General Public – "Tenderness" (1984)
Jack Wagner – "All I Need" (1984)
Dead or Alive – "You Spin Me Round (Like a Record)" (1984)
Philip Bailey – "Easy Lover" (1984)
Talk Talk – "It's My Life" (1984)
Mary Jane Girls – "In My House" (1984)
Face to Face – "10-9-8" (1984)
Autograph – "Turn Up the Radio" (1984)
Baltimora – "Tarzan Boy" (1985)
Robin George – "Heartline" (1985)
Maria Vidal – "Body Rock" (1985)
Billy Crystal – "You Look Marvelous" (1985)
Yello – "Oh Yeah" (1985)
'Til Tuesday – "Voices Carry" (1985)
Eddie Murphy – "Party All the Time" (1985)
Harold Faltermeyer – "Axel F" (1985)
Force MDs – "Tender Love" (1985)
Scritti Politti – "Perfect Way" (1985)
Simple Minds – "Don't You (Forget About Me)" (1985)
Godley & Creme – "Cry" (1985)
Paul Hardcastle – "19" (1985)
The Dream Academy – "Life in a Northern Town" (1985)
Clarence Clemons – "You're a Friend of Mine" (1985)
Jermaine Stewart – "We Don't Have to Take Our Clothes Off" (1985)
Boys Don't Cry – "I Wanna Be a Cowboy" (1985)
Opus – "Live is Life" (1985)
Swing Out Sister – "Breakout" (1986)
Nancy Martinez – "For Tonight" (1986)
The Blow Monkeys – "Digging Your Scene" (1986)
Gloria Loring – "Friends and Lovers" (1986)
The Georgia Satellites – "Keep Your Hands to Yourself" (1986)
Don Johnson – "Heartbeat" (1986)
Chris de Burgh – "The Lady in Red" (1986)
The Fabulous Thunderbirds – "Tuff Enuff" (1986)
Device – "Hanging on a Heart Attack" (1986)
Robbie Nevil – "C'est La Vie" (1986)
Timex Social Club – "Rumors" (1986)
Timbuk 3 – "The Future's So Bright, I Gotta Wear Shades" (1986)
Stacey Q – "Two of Hearts" (1986)
Cutting Crew – "(I Just) Died in Your Arms" (1986)
Pseudo Echo – "Funkytown" (1986)
Oran "Juice" Jones – "The Rain" (1986)
Nu Shooz – "I Can't Wait" (1986)
World Party – "Ship of Fools" (1986)
Double – "Captain of Her Heart" (1986)
Honeymoon Suite – "Feel It Again" (1986)
XTC – "Dear God" (1986)
The Communards – "Don't Leave Me This Way" (1986)
Midnight Oil – "Beds Are Burning" (1987)
Bruce Willis – "Respect Yourself" (1987)
T'Pau – "Heart and Soul" (1987)
Pretty Poison – "Catch Me (I'm Falling)" (1987)
Living in a Box – "Living in a Box" (1987)
Billy Vera – "At This Moment" (1987)
Paul Lekakis – "Boom Boom (Let's Go Back To My Room)" (1987)
Patrick Swayze – "She's Like the Wind" (1987)
Company B – "Fascinated" (1987)
Club Nouveau – "Lean on Me" (1987)
Bourgeois Tagg – "I Don't Mind At All" (1987)
When in Rome – "The Promise" (1988)
Johnny Hates Jazz – "Shattered Dreams" (1988)
Rob Base & D.J. E-Z Rock – "It Takes Two" (1988)
Edie Brickell & New Bohemians – "What I Am" (1988)
Will to Power – "Baby, I Love Your Way/Freebird Medley" (1988)
Bobby McFerrin – "Don't Worry, Be Happy" (1988)
The La's – "There She Goes" (1988)
Johnny Kemp – "Just Got Paid" (1988)
Dan Reed Network – "Ritual" (1988)
MARRS – "Pump Up The Volume" (1988)
Information Society – "What's On Your Mind (Pure Energy)" (1988)
E.U. – "Da'Butt" (1988)
Jane Wiedlin – "Rush Hour" (1988)
The Church – "Under the Milky Way" (1988)
Vixen – "Edge of a Broken Heart" (1988)
J.J. Fad – "Supersonic" (1988)
Ziggy Marley and The Melody Makers – "Tomorrow People" (1988)
Kon Kan – "I Beg Your Pardon (I Never Promised You a Rose Garden)" (1989)
Boys Club – "I Remember Holding You" (1988)
Grayson Hugh – "Talk It Over" (1989)
Neneh Cherry – "Buffalo Stance" (1989)
Roachford – "Cuddly Toy" (1989)
Jeff Healey – "Angel Eyes" (1989)
L.A. Guns – "The Ballad of Jayne" (1989)
Faster Pussycat – "House of Pain" (1989)
Love and Rockets – "So Alive" (1989)
Martika – "Toy Soldiers" (1989)
Biz Markie – "Just a Friend" (1989)
Michael Damian – "Rock On" (1989)

Gerardo – "Rico Suave" (1990)
Positive K – "I Got a Man" (1992)
Charles & Eddie – "Would I Lie To You?" (1992)
Paperboy – "Ditty" (1992)
RuPaul – "Supermodel (You Better Work)" (1992)
Duice – "Dazzey Duks" (1993)
95 South – "Whoot, There It Is" (1993)
Tag Team – "Whoomp! (There It Is)" (1993)
Robin S. – "Show Me Love" (1993)
Blind Melon – "No Rain" (1993)
Snow – "Informer" (1993)
Haddaway – "What is Love" (1993)
The Proclaimers – "I'm Gonna Be (500 Miles)" (1993)
4 Non Blondes – "What's Up?" (1993)
BoDeans – "Closer to Free" (1993)
The Breeders – "Cannonball" (1993)
Corona – "The Rhythm Of The Night" (1993)
Ahmad – "Back in the Day" (1994)
Ini Kamoze – "Here Comes the Hotstepper" (1994)
Rednex – "Cotton Eye Joe" (1994)
Toadies – "Possum Kingdom" (1994)
Everything but the Girl – "Missing" (1994)
Adina Howard – "Freak like Me" (1995)
Deep Blue Something – "Breakfast at Tiffany's" (1995)
Skee-Lo – "I Wish" (1995)
Los Del Rio – "Macarena" (1995)
The Tony Rich Project – "Nobody Knows" (1995)
Del Amitri – "Roll to Me" (1995)
Dionne Farris – "I Know" (1995)
Joan Osborne – "One of Us" (1995)
Luniz featuring Michael Marshall – "I Got 5 on It" (1995)
Nonchalant – "5 O'Clock" (1996)
Jann Arden – "Insensitive" (1996)
Dishwalla – "Counting Blue Cars" (1996)
Ghost Town DJ's – "My Boo" (1996)
Donna Lewis – "I Love You Always Forever" (1996)
Spacehog – "In the Meantime" (1996)
Crucial Conflict – "Hay" (1996)
Primitive Radio Gods – "Standing Outside a Broken Phone Booth with Money in My Hand" (1996)
Mark Morrison – "Return of the Mack" (1996)
The Cardigans – "Lovefool" (1996)
The Nixons – "Sister" (1996)
Duncan Sheik – "Barely Breathing" (1996)
Oasis – "Wonderwall" (1995)
OMC – "How Bizarre" (1996)
White Town – "Your Woman" (1997)
Freak Nasty – "Da' Dip" (1996)
The Verve Pipe – "The Freshmen" (1997)
Sister Hazel – "All for You" (1997)
Tracey Lee – "The Theme (It's Party Time)" (1997)
Aqua – "Barbie Girl" (1997)
Fiona Apple – "Criminal" (1997)
Meredith Brooks – "Bitch" (1997)
Camp Lo – "Luchini AKA This Is It" (1997)
Shawn Colvin – "Sunny Came Home" (1997)
Hanson – "MMMBop" (1997)
Lord Tariq and Peter Gunz – "Deja Vu (Uptown Baby)" (1997)
Chumbawamba – "Tubthumping" (1997)
Marcy Playground – "Sex and Candy" (1998)
The Verve – "Bitter Sweet Symphony" (1998)
Harvey Danger – "Flagpole Sitta" (1998)
Semisonic – "Closing Time" (1998)
Five – "When the Lights Go Out" (1998)
Shawn Mullins – "Lullaby" (1998)
Jennifer Paige – "Crush" (1998)
Alana Davis – "32 Flavors" (1998)
Eiffel 65 – "Blue (Da Ba Dee)" (1998)
Natalie Imbruglia – "Torn" (1998)
Eagle-Eye Cherry – "Save Tonight" (1999)
Lil' Troy – "Wanna Be a Baller" (1999)
Lit – "My Own Worst Enemy" (1999)
Lou Bega – "Mambo No. 5" (1999)
New Radicals – "You Get What You Give" (1999)
B*Witched – "C'est la Vie" (1999)
Sporty Thievz – "No Pigeons" (1999)
Tal Bachman – "She's So High" (1999)
Jordan Knight – "Give It to You" (1999)
Len – "Steal My Sunshine" (1999)
Macy Gray – "I Try" (1999)
Vengaboys – "We Like to Party" (1999)
BBMak – "Back Here" (1999)
The Product G&B – "Maria Maria" (1999)
Alice Deejay – "Better Off Alone" (1999)
2000s
Sonique – "It Feels So Good" (2000)
Hoku – "Another Dumb Blonde" (2000)
Nine Days – "Absolutely (Story of a Girl)" (2000)
Lee Ann Womack – "I Hope You Dance" (2000)
Evan and Jaron – "Crazy for This Girl" (2000)
Samantha Mumba – "Gotta Tell You" (2000)
Wheatus – "Teenage Dirtbag" (2000)
Baha Men – "Who Let the Dogs Out?" (2000)
Dream – "He Loves U Not" (2000)
SR-71 – "Right Now" (2000)
S Club 7 – "Never Had a Dream Come True" (2000)
Jessica Andrews – "Who I Am" (2000)
ATC – "Around the World (La La La La La)" (2001)
City High – "What Would You Do?" (2001)

Truth Hurts – "Addictive" (2002)
Big Tymers – "Still Fly" (2002)
Khia – "My Neck, My Back (Lick It)" (2002)
Tweet – "Oops (Oh My)" (2002)
Trapt – "Headstrong" (2002)
t.A.T.u. – "All The Things She Said" (2002)
Dirty Vegas – "Days Go By" (2002)
Chad Kroeger ft. Josey Scott – "Hero" (2002)
Phantom Planet – "California" (2002)
Las Ketchup – "The Ketchup Song (Asereje)" (2002)
Smilez and Southstar – "Tell Me" (2002)
Bone Crusher – "Never Scared" (2003)
The Ataris – "The Boys of Summer" (2003)
Eamon – "Fuck It (I Don't Want You Back)" (2003)
The Darkness – "I Believe in a Thing Called Love" (2003)
YoungBloodZ – "Damn!" (2003)
Nick Cannon – "Gigolo" (2003)
Stacie Orrico – "(There's Gotta Be) More To Life" (2003)
Fountains of Wayne – "Stacy's Mom" (2003)
Lumidee – "Never Leave You (Uh Oooh, Uh Oooh)" (2003)
Kevin Lyttle – "Turn Me On" (2003)
Los Lonely Boys – "Heaven" (2004)
Gunther – "Ding Dong Song" (2004)
J-Kwon – "Tipsy" (2004)
Ryan Cabrera – "On the Way Down" (2004)
Houston – "I Like That" (2004)
Yellowcard – "Ocean Avenue" (2004)
Howie Day – "Collide" (2004)
Hoobastank – "The Reason" (2004)
Terror Squad – "Lean Back" (2004)
Mario Winans – "I Don't Wanna Know" (2004)
Trillville – "Some Cut" (2004)
The Click Five – "Just the Girl" (2005)
D4L – "Laffy Taffy" (2005)
Daniel Powter – "Bad Day" (2005)
Snow Patrol – "Chasing Cars" (2006)
Taylor Hicks – "Do I Make You Proud" (2006)
Cassie – "Me & U" (2006)
Paris Hilton – "Stars Are Blind" (2006)
Brooke Hogan ft. Paul Wall – "About Us" (2006)
Fort Minor ft. Holly Brook – "Where'd You Go" (2006)
Jibbs – "Chain Hang Low" (2006)
DJ Webstar and Young B – "Chicken Noodle Soup" (2006)
The Pack – "Vans" (2006)
Cherish ft. Sean P – "Do It to It" (2006)
Young Dro – "Shoulder Lean" (2006)
Augustana – "Boston" (2006)
Hellogoodbye – "Here (In Your Arms)" (2006)
Gnarls Barkley – "Crazy" (2006)
Rich Boy – "Throw Some D's" (2006)
Mims – "This Is Why I'm Hot" (2007)
Huey – "Pop, Lock & Drop It" (2007)
J. Holiday – "Bed" (2007)
Elliott Yamin – "Wait For You" (2007)
Hurricane Chris – "A Bay Bay" (2007)
Yael Naim – "New Soul" (2008)
Michael Franti & Spearhead – "Say Hey (I Love You)" (2008)
David Archuleta – "Crush" (2008)
Flobots – "Handlebars" (2008)
Metro Station – "Shake It" (2008)
Estelle – "American Boy" (2008)
The Veronicas – "Untouched" (2009)
Asher Roth – "I Love College" (2009)
2010s
Yolanda Be Cool featuring DCUP (2010) – "We No Speak Americano"
Orianthi – "According To You" (2010)
Spose – "I'm Awesome" (2010)
La Roux – "Bulletproof" (2010)
Jaron and the Long Road to Love – "Pray for You" (2010)
Duck Sauce – "Barbra Streisand" (2010)
Cali Swag District – "Teach Me How to Dougie" (2010)
Alexandra Stan – "Mr. Saxobeat" (2011)
Edward Maya and Vika Jigulina – "Stereo Love" (2011)
Kirko Bangz – "Drank in My Cup" (2011)
Jaden Smith – "Never Say Never" (2011)
Kreayshawn – "Gucci Gucci" (2011)
Rebecca Black – "Friday" (2011)
Karmin – "Brokenhearted" (2012)
Grouplove – "Tongue Tied" (2012)
Gotye featuring Kimbra – "Somebody That I Used to Know" (2012)
Alex Clare – "Too Close" (2012)
Trinidad James – "All Gold Everything" (2013)
Of Monsters and Men – "Little Talks" (2013)
The Finatticz – "Don't Drop That Thun Thun" (2013)
Icona Pop ft. Charli XCX – "I Love It" (2013)
Baauer – "Harlem Shake" (2013)
AWOLNATION – "Sail" (2013)
Foxes – "Clarity" (2013)
MKTO – "Classic" (2013)
The Neighbourhood – "Sweater Weather" (2013)
Capital Cities – "Safe and Sound" (2013)
Ylvis – "The Fox (What Does the Fox Say?)" (2013)
A Great Big World – "Say Something" (2013)
Vance Joy – "Riptide" (2013)
Hozier – "Take Me to Church" (2014)
O.T. Genasis – "CoCo" (2014)
Bobby Shmurda – "Hot Nigga" (2014)
Passenger – "Let Her Go" (2014)
American Authors – "Best Day of My Life" (2014)
Nico & Vinz – "Am I Wrong" (2014)
Magic! – "Rude" (2014)
Mr. Probz – "Waves (Robin Schulz Remix)" (2014)
iLoveMakonnen ft. Drake – "Tuesday" (2014)
Milky Chance – "Stolen Dance" (2014)
Mark Ronson ft. Bruno Mars – "Uptown Funk" (2014)
T-Wayne – "Nasty Freestyle" (2015)
Jidenna ft. Roman GianArthur – "Classic Man" (2015)
Walk the Moon – "Shut Up and Dance" (2015)
Rachel Platten – "Fight Song" (2015)
OMI – "Cheerleader (Felix Jaehn remix)" (2015)

2023 BEST OF BOZEMAN

BEST ANTIQUE STORE
Antique Barn 41.16%
Antique Market and More 15.36%

BEST APPETIZER
Sidewinders 12.36%
Mountains Walking Brewery 5.6%

BEST ART GALLERY
Altitude Gallery 25.09%
Emerson Galleries 16.73%
Montana Trails Gallery 16.73%

BEST ASIAN FOOD
Hooked Sushi 10.83%
Seven Sushi 9.17%
WASABI Japanese Steakhouse 8.62%

BEST ATV/MOTOR SPORTS STORE
Summit Motor Sports 30.77%
Yellowstone Motor Sports 23.48%
Big Boys Toys 21.86%

BEST AUTHENTIC MT AMBIANCE
Western Cafe 20.26%
Stacey's Old Faithful Bar 17.47%

BEST AUTOBODY REPAIR
Ressler Collision Center 16.73%
Billion Auto Body 12.35%

BEST AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR
Ressler Motors 15.68%
Tom's Alignment 9.41%
Farr Automotive 8.01%

BEST BAKERY
Wild Crumb 47.16%
Aurore French Bakery 16.1%

BEST BAR
Devil's Toboggan 8.58%
Plonk 8.18%
Rocking R Bar 8.18%

BEST BAR FOOD
Mountains Walking Brewery 11.35%
Montana Ale Works 9.42%

BEST BARBER SHOP
Legends Barber Club 14.44%
Upper Cut Traditional Barber 14.08%
Johnny & June's Barber & Beauty 13.00%

BEST BANK
First Security Bank 24.94%
Stockman Bank 15.11%

BEST BBQ
Bar 3 BBQ 32.72%
Follow Yer' Nose BBQ 23.11%
Bourbon 21.74%

BEST BEER SELECTION
SHINE Beer Sanctuary 20.29%
Sidewinders American Grill 11.69%
Hop Lounge 1146%

BEST BREWERY
MAP Brewing Company 23.46%
Mountains Walking Brewery 19.14%

BEST BIKE SHOP
Owenhouse Cycling 22.37%
Bangtail Bikes 1525%

BEST BOOKSTORE
Country Bookshelf 58.16%
MSU Bookstore 15.26%

BEST BREAKFAST
The Western Café 21.93%
Storm Castle Café 15.37%
Jam! 12.44%

BEST BURGER
Backcountry Burger Bar 17.23%
Cholms Burger 15.34%
Best Burger 10.98%

BEST CAR DEALER
Ressler Motors 35.59%
Billion Auto Group 14.59%

BEST CASUAL DINING
Sidewinders 13.13%
Bridger Brewing Co 7.88%
Montana Ale Works 7.47%
Mountains Walking Brewery 7.47%

BEST CHEF IS AT
Blacksmith Italian 15.87%
Blackbird Kitchen 14.11%
Feast Raw Bar & Bistro 8.06%

BEST CITY PARK
Story Mill Community Park 24.05%
Lindley Park 22.03%

BEST CLOTHING STORE
Revolvr Menswear 15.18%
EVRGREEN Clothing 15.18%
Whiskey & Lace Boutique 10.89%

BEST COCKTAILS
Plonk 18.18%
Devil's Toboggan 15.62%
est. 1864 Noir Bar & Restaurant 8.86%

BEST COFFEE
Ghost Town Coffee Roasters 17.06%
Treeline Coffee Roasters 15.77%

BEST COFFEEHOUSE
Wild Joe's 15.17%
Cold Smoke Coffeehouse 13.1%
Treeline Coffee Roasters 12.87%

BEST COFFEE HUT
Nexus Drive Up Coffee 31.42%
Jump Start Espresso 14.5%
MoJava 12.08%

BEST CONVENIENCE STORE
Town Pump 45.84%
Joe's Parkway 22.52%
Kagy Korner Store 10.99%

BEST CRAFT/HOBBY STORE
Hobby Lobby 40.44%
Michaels 14.4%
Paper & Grace 10.8%

BEST DANCE STUDIO
Tanya's Dance Co. 24.73%
Montana Ballet Co. 18.13%
Starlite Bozeman 17.03%
Bozeman Dance Academy 17.03%

BEST DAY SPA
Canyon River Spa & Salon 22.66%
Capelli's Salon & Day Spa 14.39%
Ceremony Salon & Spa 14.39%
The Loft Spa 14.39%

BEST DISPENSARY
Collective Elevation 15.88%
Juniper Cannabis 14.8%
Grizzly Pine 7.22%

BEST DISTILLERY
Willie's Distillery 27.3%
Dry Hills Distillery 23.31%
Wildrye Distilling 23.01%

BEST DONUTS / PASTRIES
Granny's Gourmet Donuts 41.2%
Wild Crumb 26.6%
New Day Bakery 7.4%

BEST ECO-FRIENDLY PRODUCTS
Community Food Co-Op 58.99%
Huckleberry's Natural Market 13.67%
Habitat for Humanity ReStore 9.35%

BEST EVENT VENUE
The Elm 38.7%
The Ellen Theatre 9.32%
Rialto Theater 6.65%

BEST FESTIVAL
Sweet Pea Festival 23.87%
Big Sky Country State Fair 19.63%
SLAM Festival 14.59%

BEST FINE DINING
Blacksmith Italian 9.75%
JW Heist Steakhouse 8.47%
Feast Raw Bar & Bistro 8.47%

BEST FLORIST
Labellum 21.57%
Wild Blume 18.04%
Langohr's Flowerland 13.73%

BEST FLY FISHING SHOP
The River's Edge Fly Shop 20.87%
Montana Troutfitters 17.48%
Fins & Feathers 15.53%

BEST FOOD TRUCK / CART
El Rodeo 20%
Mo'Bowls 19.78%
Cholms Burger 14.89%

BEST FRAME SHOP
Old Main Gallery & Framing 33.12%
The Frugal Frame Shop 28.57%
Michaels Custom Framing 28.57%

BEST FURNITURE STORE
UFS (Used Furniture Store) 10.67%
Refinery on Seventh 9.88%
Architect's Wife 9.09%

BEST GARDEN SHOP / NURSERY
Cashman Nursery 40.21%
The Garden Barn 22.98%
Murdoch's Ranch & Home Supply 7.57%

BEST GOLF COURSE
Bridger Creek Golf Course 39.76%
Cottonwood Hills Golf Course 26.51%

BEST GROCERY STORE
Town & Country Foods 31.53%
WinCo Foods 20.71%
Rosauers 14.93%

BEST GYM/FITNESS CENTER
The Ridge Athletic Club 32.25%
Bozeman Hot Springs 7.82%
Spire Climbing Center 6.19%

BEST HAIR SALON
Evolve Hair Design 26.36%
Capelli's Salon & Day Spa 13.18%
Theory Hair Salon 6.72%

BEST HANGOVER FOOD CURE
Western Café 16.29%
Storm Castle Café 14.04%
Cat's Paw 13.53%

BEST HAPPY HOUR
Plonk 17.53%
Montana Ale Works 9.74%
Brigade 8.44%

BEST HARDWARE STORE
Owenhouse Ace Hardware 44.52%
Belgrade Ace Hardware 21.46%
Murdoch's Ranch & Home 16.44%

BEST HIKING TRAIL
Lava Lake 15.84%
Hyalite Canyon 13.77%
The M 12.21%

BEST HOT WADA
Norris Hot Springs 27.58%
Chico Hot Springs 27.32%
Bozeman Hot Springs 26.8%

BEST ICE CREAM SHOP
Genuine Ice Cream 36.53%
Sweet Peaks 29.4%

BEST INDIAN FOOD
Pakeezah Bozeman 68.33%
Curry Express 28.47%

BEST INEXPENSIVE RESTAURANT
The Roost 10.76%
Bagelworks 10.53%
Taco Montes 10.53%

BEST ITALIAN FOOD
Blacksmith Italian 32.92%
Fresco Café 9.9%

BEST JOGGING TRAIL
Peets Hill 24%
Gallagator Trail 23.11%
Bozeman Creek Trail 19.56%

BEST JUICE BAR
Farmer's Daughters Cafe 34.52%
The Well Juicery 30.46%
Blended 16.75%

BEST KARAOKE
American Legion 34.78%
Eagles Club 30.43%
Bar IX 14.13%

BEST KID-FRIENDLY RESTAURANT
Sidewinders American Grill 20%
MacKenzie River Pizza 19.63%

BEST KOREAN FOOD
I-Ho's Korean Grill 61.92%
Whistle Pig Korean 36.42%

BEST LIVE THEATER GROUP
Shakespeare in the Parks 39.5%
Montana TheatreWorks (Ellen) 15.5%
Brewery Follies 11.5%

BEST LIVE THEATER VENUE
Ellen Theatre 55.26%
Emerson Center for Arts & Culture 21.05%

BEST LOCAL BEER CRAFTER
MAP Brewing 23.56%
Mountains Walking Brewery 19.11%

BEST LOCAL BEER (FLAVOR)
Map Brewing, Midas Crush IPA 18.36%
Salmon Fly Honey Rye 15.54%
Strange Cattle IPA 12.15%

BEST LOCAL BAND / ENTERTAINER
Pinky & The Floyd 20.32%
Kitchen Dwellers 16.77%
Laney Lou & the Bird Dogs 12.26%

BEST LOCAL EVENT
Bozeman Farmers Market 17.7%
Music on Main 15.57%
Belgrade Festival of Lights 12.58%

BEST LUNCH
Fink's Delicatessen 8.73%
Bridger Brewing Co 6.44%
Biankini's 5.41%
Revelry 5.41%

BEST MARTIAL ARTS GYM
Montana Mixed Martial Arts 26.45%
Bozeman Taekwondo Academy 10.74%
Gallatin Valley Martial Arts 10.74%

BEST MEXICAN FOOD
Fiesta Mexicana 20.69%
El Rodeo 17.24%
Albertano's Authentic Mexican 10.34%

BEST MUSICAL INSTRUMENT STORE
Music Villa 64.63%
Eckroth Music 27.95%

BEST MUSIC VENUE
The Elm 46.36%
Filling Station 9.33%

BEST NEW RESTAURANT
Ponderosa Social Club 21.22%
JW Heist Steakhouse 14.83%
Pho Saigon 12.79%
est. 1864 Noir Bar & Restaurant 12.79%

BEST NIGHTLIFE
Rocking R Bar 16.33%
est. 1864 Noir Bar & Restaurant 11.83%
Crystal Bar 10.39%

BEST NONPROFIT
Heart of the Valley 21.46%
Eagle Mount 10.85%
Warriors & Quiet Waters 9.91%

BEST OIL CHANGE
Speedy Lube 19.51%
Lube Alley 17.89%
Ressler Quick Lube 15.85%

BEST OPITICAL SHOP
Advanced Eyecare Associates 29.28%
20Twenty Eyecare 20.15%
Eyes on Main 17.49%

BEST OUTDOOR ACTIVITY
Hiking 24.71%
Skiing/snowboarding 16.25%
Camping 12.81%

BEST OUTDOOR GEAR SHOP
REI 26.61%
Bob Wards Sports & Outdoors 15.29%
Sportsman's Warehouse 10.7%

BEST OUTDOOR PATIO
MAP Brewery 21.45%
Sky Shed 10.43%
Bozeman Taproom 9.28%

BEST OVERNIGHT GETAWAY
Chico Hot Springs 32.67%
Yellowstone National Park 28.13%
Sage Lodge 15.63%

BEST PACKAGE LIQUOR STORE
Montana Spirits & Wine 29.38%
Belgrade Liquor 24.86%
Cat's Paw 18.93%

BEST PET GROOMER
Dee-O-Gee 44.23%
Andie's Paws & Claws 10.58%

BEST PIZZA
MacKenzie River Pizza 12.4%
Pizza Campania 11.02%
Bridger Brewing Co 10.43%

BEST PLACE FOR A FIRST DATE
Hooked Sushi 8.17%
Plonk 6.76%
Blacksmith Italian 6.48%
Brigade 6.2%

BEST PLACE FOR FAMILY FUN
Museum of the Rockies 44.07%
Bridger Bowl 16.72%
Bozeman Hot Springs 8.21%

BEST PLACE FOR A MASSAGE
Canyon River Spa 18.01%
The Loft Spa 16.11%

BEST PLACE FOR MEAT
Daniels Gourmet Meats 43.24%
Primal Meat & Fish Market 18.36%

BEST PLACE TO EAT SEAFOOD
Hooked Sushi 18.16%
Seven Sushi 17.29%
Feast Raw Bar & Bistro 16.14%

BEST PLACE TO SHOP FOR SEAFOOD
Primal Meat & Fish Market 30.74%
Costco 20.37%
Community Food Co-Op 13.33%

BEST PLACE FOR GIRLS NIGHT OUT
Plonk 29.14%
Ponderosa Social Club 12.59%

BEST PLACE FOR GUY'S NIGHT OUT
Copper Whiskey Bar 13.87%
est. 1864 Noir Bar & Restaurant 9.66%

BEST PLACE TO BUY JEWELRY
Miller's Jewelry 22.59%
Alara Jewelry 17.99%
Montana Silversmiths 13.81%

BEST PLACE TO DANCE
Rocking R Bar 31.31%
Bar IX 13.08%

BEST PLACE TO EXPERIENCE NATURE
Yellowstone National Park 26.68%
Glacier National Park 18.6%
Hyalite Canyon 17.52%

BEST PLACE FOR GIFTS FOR HER
Heyday 36.73%
Miller's Jewelry 8%

BEST PLACE FOR GIFTS FOR HIM
Murdoch's 20%
REVOLVR Menswear 19.23%

BEST PLACE FOR KIDS' ACTIVITIES
Museum of the Rockies 32.23%
JumpTime 22.73%

BEST PLACE TO MEET SINGLES
Rockin' R Bar 16.87%
est. 1864 Noir Bar & Restaurant 12.65%
Ponderosa Social Club 10.24%

BEST PLACE FOR A NEW TRAFFIC LIGHT
11th & Durston 31.29%
College & Willson 25.16%
Sourdough & Kagy 18.71%

BEST PLACE FOR PET SUPPLIES
Dee-O-Gee 33.79%
Murdoch's 21.98%

BEST PLACE TO TAKE YOUR DOG
Snowfill Recreation Area 21.03%
Gallatin Regional Park 17.59%

BEST PLACE FOR UNIQUE GIFTS
Heyday 29.41%
Farmer's markets 12.75%
Cactus Records & Gifts 12.09%

BEST RADIO DJ
Dave & Ally - KSKY 106.9 63.05%
MOOSE Mornings - Michelle Wolf 7.04%

BEST RADIO STATION
106.9 KSKY 47.89%
91.9 KGLT 16.63%

BEST RECORD / CD STORE
Cactus Records & Gifts 85.61%
Vargo's Jazz City & Books 7.02%

BEST RESTAURANT
Sidewinders American Grill 6.83%
Feast Raw Bar & Bistro 5.47%

BEST RESTAURANT DESSERT
Montana Ale Works 11.43%
Blacksmith Italian 9.64%
est. 1864 Noir Bar & Restaurant 8.93%

BEST RIVER
Madison River 39.08%
Gallatin River 27.3%

BEST RUNNING SHOE STORE
Bozeman Running Co 63.81%
Schnee's Boots, Shoes 10.07%
Bob Ward's sports & Outdoors 10.07%

BEST SANDWICH
Fink's Delicatessen 27.53%
Pickel Barrel 18.72%
Biankini's 11.67%

BEST STORE TO BUY BEER
Town & Country Foods 23.08%
Town Pump Food Stores 20.28%

BEST THRIFT STORE
Sacks of Bozeman 25%
Twice Treasured Thrift 14.06%

BEST SHOE STORE
Schnee's Boots, Shoes 29.96%
Bozeman Running Co 14.57%

BEST SKI AREA
Bridger Bowl Ski Area 76.49%
Big Sky Resort 20.54%

BEST SPORTS PUB
Spectators Bar & Grill 18.52%
Cat's Paw 13.13%

BEST SPORTS EQUIPMENT STORE
REI 21.22%
Bob Wards Sports & Outdoors 14.29%
Round House Ski & Sports 12.24%

BEST STEAK
Land of Magic 22.41%
Stacey's Old Faithful Bar 15.52%
JW Heist Steakhouse 11.21%

BEST SUSHI
Seven Sushi 31.73%
Hooked Sushi 29.33%
Dave's Sushi 21.6%

BEST TAKE-OUT
Thai Basil 14.24%
Cosmic Pizza 10.61%

BEST TASTING ROOM
Mountains Walking Brewery 16.38%
MAP Brewing Co 15.02%

BEST TATTOO STUDIO
East Main Ink 33.49%
Aether Tattoo Club 21.7%

BEST TEAHOUSE
Steep Mountain Teahouse 53.17%
Spice & Tea Exchange 44.88%

BEST TIMED FOOT RACE
Run to the Pub 31.94%
Huffing for Stuffing 21.99%

BEST TRAIL
Lava Lake 16.15%
The M 13.85%

BEST USE OF TAXPAYERS' MONEY
Rent Control 24.64%
Schools 15.17%
Snow Removal 10.66%
Street Maintenance 10.43%

BEST T.V. EVENING NEWS SHOW
KBZK - CBS 64.82%
KWYB - ABC FOX 13.57%

BEST T.V. MORNING NEWS SHOW
KBZK - CBS 67.03%
KWYB - ABC FOX 17.58%

BEST USED FURNITURE STORE
Refinery on Seventh 47.12%
UFS (Used Furniture Store) 38.22%

BEST VETERINARY
Hardaway Veterinary Hospital 18.24%
Cottonwood Veterinary Hospital 14.66%

BEST WINE SHOP
Montana Spirits & Wine 40.25%
The Wine Gallery 27.39%

BEST YOGA STUDIO
Bozeman Power Yoga 19.61%
Your Yoga 18.3%

BEST THING ABOUT BOZEMAN
Access to Great Outdoors 33.41%
Mountain Surroundings 31.18%

WHAT COULD MAKE BOZEMAN BETTER
Affordable Housing 55.39%
Less People 17.18

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO WADED THROUGH THE LONG LIST AND VOTED!

Shane presents screening of Kubrick's absurdist Cold War classic

The Livingston Film Series presents a free public screening of Stanley Kubrick's significant 1964 film ***Dr. Strangelove*** at 7pm on Thursday, September 14th in the Dulcie Theatre at the Shane Lalani Center for the Arts.

Kubrick's classic Cold War satire concerns an unhinged United States Air Force general who orders a preemptive nuclear attack on the Soviet Union. It separately follows the President of the United States, his advisors, the Joint Chiefs of Staff and a Royal Air Force exchange officer as they attempt to prevent the crew of a B-52 (following orders from the general) from bombing the Soviet Union and starting a nuclear war. Featuring a remarkable cast, including George C. Scott, Sterling Hayden, Keenan Wynn, Slim Pickens, Tracy Reed and Peter Sellers as a British RAF exchange officer, the President of the United States, and Strangelove himself.

The Livingston Film Series screens independent features, documentaries, local films and vintage classics – absolutely free – on the second Thursday of every month in the Dulcie Theatre at the Shane Lalani Center for the Arts. Concessions are available before the show. UV air filtration in the Dulcie Theatre and lobby.

Doors open at 6:30pm with screenings to follow at 7pm. Admission is free, but donations are gratefully accepted. For more information, please visit **www.theshanecenter.org**.

The Livingston Film Series is generously sponsored by Marilyn Clotz & Mary Ann Bearden and Donald B. Gimbel. •

Aspen St block party benefits families fighting pediatric cancer

As Southwest Montana's busiest season approaches its finale, the LightWell Foundation has announced the return of its **End of Summer Fun Fest**. The ninth annual event is set for Sunday, September 10th, from 3–7pm outside the Ponderosa Social Club.

Aspen Street will come alive with a block party like no other, featuring an unforgettable day filled with laughter, love and unwavering solidarity with event proceeds benefitting Gallatin Valley families fighting pediatric cancer.

Take part in this community event to make a difference with live music by the one and only El Wencho, kids activities including face painting and a bouncy house, as well as delicious bites from local food trucks. The festival will also feature an unforgettable performance by the awe-inspiring 406 Cirque, a circus performance group that leaves audiences breathless with their daring acts and mesmerizing talents.

Attendees may also participate in a silent auction, where every bid made will directly support those brave kids fighting pediatric cancer. Every single cent of these proceeds will go toward their treatment, care and hope for a brighter future.

The event is a chance to create miracles, touch lives and to make a real difference in the lives of these courageous young warriors and their families. This is an opportunity to come together as a community, supporting one another and stand shoulder to shoulder with Gallatin Valley families fighting pediatric cancer.

Admission to this heartwarming affair is only $10 per adult with kids admitted absolutely free! Bring the entire family along for an evening of joyous togetherness while contributing to an incredible cause. For more information and to purchase advance tickets, visit **www.lightwellfoundation.org**. •

BFS titles feature decade-spanning love story, neighborly extra-terrestrial

Bozeman Film Society continues to present independent film under the Big Sky with two upcoming screenings. First up is New York Times Critics Pick ***Past Lives*** on Wednesday, September 6th, at 7:30pm. The event will be held at Downtown Bozeman's Ellen Theatre.

Nora and Hae Sung, two deeply connected childhood friends, are wrest apart after Nora's family emigrates from South Korea. Two decades later, they are reunited in New York for one fateful week as they confront notions of destiny, love and the choices that make a life in this heartrending modern romance. Written and directed by Celine Song, the cast includes Greta Lee and Two Yoo. Presented in Korean and English. Rated PG-13, the film runs 106 minutes.

"A soaring romance that will make you catch your breath." – *The Hollywood Reporter*

Following on Wednesday, Sept. 27th is sci-fi comedy ***Jules***. The screening will be held at the Ellen and will begin at 7:30pm.

Milton (Ben Kingsley) lives a quiet life of routine in a small western Pennsylvania town, but finds his day upended when a UFO and its extra-terrestrial passenger crash land in his backyard. Before long, Milton develops a close relationship with the extra-terrestrial he calls "Jules." Things become complicated when two neighbors (Harriet Samson Harris and Jane Curtin) discover Jules and the government quickly closes in. What follows is a funny, wildly inventive ride as the three neighbors find meaning and connection later in life – thanks to this unlikely stranger. Directed by Marc Turtletaub, the film is rated PG-13 with a runtime of 90 minutes.

"Featuring sterling performances from an uncharacteristically underplaying Ben Kingsley alongside Harriet Sansom Harris and Jane Curtin, *Jules* emerges as a low-key delight." – *The Hollywood Reporter*

Past Lives and *Jules* screen at 7:30pm on Sept. 6th and 27th, respectively, at the Ellen. Reserved tickets are $13.50 for adults, with discounted admission available for seniors and students. Wine, beer and concessions will be available prior to the screenings.

Find ticketing access and learn more about the current season at **www.bozemanfilmsociety.org** – and Keep 'Em Flickering! •

MSIP concludes summer tour with three local performances

Montana Shakespeare in the Parks is set to conclude its 51st summer tour with local performances of William Shakespeare's ***Measure for Measure*** and Alexandre Dumas' ***The Three Musketeers***.

This is the company's first time performing *Measure for Measure* since the year 2000. Categorized by scholars as one of Shakespeare's "problem plays," neither neat comedy nor tragedy, audiences will be captivated by the way this play explores themes of power, class dynamics and justice through a modern and inclusive lens.

A swashbuckling tale filled with action and adventure, *The Three Musketeers* will enthrall all generations of audience members as they get swept away to 17th century France, following a young hero's journey as he embarks to fulfill his lifelong dream of becoming a Musketeer. Adapted by Robert Kauzlaric, this play is sure to delight audiences of all ages. This is the company's first year producing *The Three Musketeers*.

Performances of *The Three Musketeers* are set for 5pm on Saturday, September 9th, at Livingston's Shane Lalani Center for the Arts and Tuesday, Sept. 12th, in Bozeman's Grant Chamberlain Park at 5:30pm. *Measure for Measure* comes to Bridger Brewing in Three Forks at 5pm on Sunday, Sept. 10th.

Montana Shakespeare in the Parks is an outreach program of Montana State University's College of Arts and Architecture and was founded on the firm belief that Shakespeare belongs to everyone. The accomplished company of performers, designers and staff work tirelessly to connect communities, many of which are rural, to the arts in local parks and public spaces free of charge, providing a reach and accessibility that is unmatched by any other program of its nature in the country.

The public is invited to experience the magic of Montana Shakespeare in the Parks and their free, world-class performances under the big skies of the West. For the most up to date tour schedule, visit **www.ShakespeareInTheParks.org**. •

IndepenDANCE delivers annual performance showcase

IndepenDANCE Community Dance Project is proud to present their 15th annual showcase, ***Rise***. The event is set for Saturday, September 9th at the Willson Auditorium in Downtown Bozeman. Performances will be held at 2pm and 7pm.

This community event features unique pieces created just for this show, choreographed and performed by community members. This year's show is composed of 20 pieces representing a full range of dance, from hip-hop to belly dance to contemporary styles.

Performers this year will include Nina Erickson, Austine Moonshadow, Colette Pengelley, Deenya Rabius, Leonard Wood, Marise Cotton-Rowell, Veronica Nelson, Elise Knox, Haley Doland, Samantha Hinckley, Evelyn Paz Solis, Tim Edgar, Dezaray Paunovich, Samantha Simonich, Tamara Knappenberger, Remya Nair, Kiera Smith, Tara Heinrich and Erin Levy. Come experience a fantastic show and support the local arts community!

Tickets are $22 and available in advance at **www.independance-project.org**, where you can learn more about the project and *Rise* choreographers.

IndepenDANCE is known for their diverse productions, in which each piece is entirely different than the last. The project endeavors to inspire, unite and nurture dancers and choreographers while celebrating diversity and creativity through movement. The non-profit organization provides its participants the ability to create all types of dance together and showcase their work in a variety of settings. IndepenDANCE thrives because of the community's passion for dance and belief that the art of movement has no limits. •

Symphony's 56th season kicks off with Dvorak, guest cellist Inbal Segev

Bozeman Symphony is thrilled to kick off the 2023-24 concert season with an opening weekend performance of Dvorak's ***New World Symphony***. The program features Israeli-American cellist Inbal Segev performing *DANCE* for Cello and Orchestra, a piece that has been streamed over 10 million times. Set for September 23rd and 24th at Downtown Bozeman's Willson Auditorium, audiences will be swept away by this rousing start to the Symphony's 56th season.

"Our audience is going to experience two of classical music's leading living composers of our age," says Music Director Norman Huynh. "Kevin Puts is an American composer who uses traditional aspects with a modern twist. *Virelai* is the perfect piece of music to introduce our patrons to his sound world. Anna Clyne's sense of melody ties to a long tradition of British orchestral music. However, she can quickly shift the mood of a piece to feel more angular or make you feel like you're suspended in time, like the first movement of her concerto, *DANCE*."

"Tying this program together is Dvorak's Symphony No. 9 "New World." He was influenced by his trip to North America and through his signature folk style, was able to open possibilities for American composers to find their own unique voice. The English Horn solo is absolutely divine and worth hearing live, especially by our wonderful English Horn player, Mateo Mendez."

Celebrated for her fresh insights into music's great masterworks, Segev is equally committed to reinvigorating the cello repertoire, and has commissioned and premiered major new works from an international who's who of today's foremost contemporary composers. A prodigy who first played for the Israeli president at just eight years old, Segev came to international attention ten years later when she made concerto debuts with both the Berlin and Israel Philharmonic under the baton of Zubin Mehta. Since then, she has appeared as a soloist with such leading orchestras as the London Philharmonic, Orchestre National de Lyon, Dortmund Philharmonic, Pittsburgh Symphony, Baltimore Symphony and St. Louis Symphony. Today she lives in New York City with her husband, their three teenage children and her cellos.

The Willson performances will be held on Saturday, Sept. 23rd at 7:30pm and Sunday, Sept. 24th at 2:30pm, in Downtown Bozeman. Individual tickets are available for purchase at **www.bozemansymphony.org** or by calling (406) 585-9774. Tickets at the door are based on availability. Adult tickets start as low as $29, with student-discounted tickets available. •

Verge presents two-handed portrait of impassioned career artist

In collaboration with Empty ( ) Space Company, Verge Theater continues to showcase local theater with a special residency at the Emerson Center for the Arts & Culture. Tickets are now on sale for John Logan's ***Red***, with remaining performances set for September 6th–10th. Wednesday and Thursday performances begin at 7pm. The Friday performance begins at 8:30pm following the Art Walk, with Saturday shows to follow at 3pm and 7pm. A closing Sunday matinee will take place at 3pm.

Master abstract expressionist Mark Rothko has just landed the biggest commission in the history of modern art, a series of murals for New York's famed Four Seasons Restaurant. In the two fascinating years that follow, Rothko works feverishly with his young assistant, Ken, in his studio on the Bowery. But when Ken gains the confidence to challenge him, Rothko faces the agonizing possibility that his crowning achievement could also become his undoing.

Raw and provocative, *Red* is a searing portrait of an artist's ambition and vulnerability as he tries to create a definitive work for an extraordinary setting. Suggested for ages 13 and up. The production features profanity, adult themes and mentions of self-harm and violence.

Under the direction of Bradford Rosenbloom, tickets for *Red* are available for purchase now. Cost for admission is on a pay-what-you-wish basis with a suggested price of $25. Visit **www.vergetheater.com** for reservations and further information about educational opportunities for aspiring thespians. •

Fall Chamber opportunities

Business Before Hours is set for Thursday, September 7th from 7:30–8:30am. The event will be hosted by *Madison Valley Bank* at their location, 200 S 23rd Ave, Unit E5

Business & Community Conversation is on Wednesday, Sept. 13th. *SCL Health, Now Intermountain Health – Growing with You* will be held from 11:30am–1pm. Learn about the clinic's primary care and specialty outreach efforts, its future growth plan and community connections. Jodi Bryant, Practice Administrator, and Kyle Hanson, Director of Strategy & Business Development, will be on hand to present. The forum will take place at SpringHill Suites. Members pay $23 for this presentation.

The **Business During Hours** event is Sept. 27th from 4–6pm, at *Montana Science Center* 2744 W Main.•

PechaKucha returns with grab bag of fun & informative presentations

The next **PechaKucha Night** features the fascinating history of the Nazi Enigma machine; the renovation of the Ellen Theatre's backstage with the stories that lurk behind the curtain; and the hair-raising tales behind Missy O'Malley's wig collection.

Barbara Keremedjiev, president and co-founder of the American Computer & Robotics Museum; John Ludin, executive director of the Ellen; and Missy join eight other presenters at 6:40pm on Tuesday and Wednesday, September 12th and 13th at Downtown Bozeman's Ellen Theatre. The irrepressible Missy will be doing double duty as emcee of the evening.

Montana native Bob Buzzas tells the remarkable story of Mike Mansfield who spent 10 years working in the Butte mines before rising to become majority leader of the U.S. Senate; artist, writer, stand-up comic Dezri Rochin describes living with a "neurodivergent" mind; and Willie Eide presents on "Baseball, apple pie … and bourbon?"

Flora McCormick will offer "5 rude awakenings I didn't expect becoming a parent"; high school student Alex Ronsen will describe the fulfillment and challenges of volunteering as a peer counselor to kids with special needs; and Julie Geddes will present "How to Think Like a Pancreas" on the special challenges of living with Type 1 Diabetes.

At 57, John Larkin will describe his long, winding path through the tech revolution, culminating (at least for now) with Artificial Intelligence, with all its promise and potential to ruin everything. But, just to be sure we don't go too far down the rabbit hole, local funnyman Ritchie Boyd will ensure we go home with a laugh as he once again channels Groucho Marx.

The event is sponsored by Bozeman Art Museum. Tickets are available at **www.theellentheatre.com**. for $9 (including facility fee). Students may purchase tickets at the door for $5.50.

PechaKucha (peh-chak-cha) offers anyone with a passion or a vision – designers, artists, inventors, architects, adventurers, entrepreneurs – an opportunity to share their ideas with the community during a fast-paced, friendly social get-together. There's just one catch: presenters have only 20 slides x 20 seconds each, a total of 6 minutes, 40 seconds! •

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY

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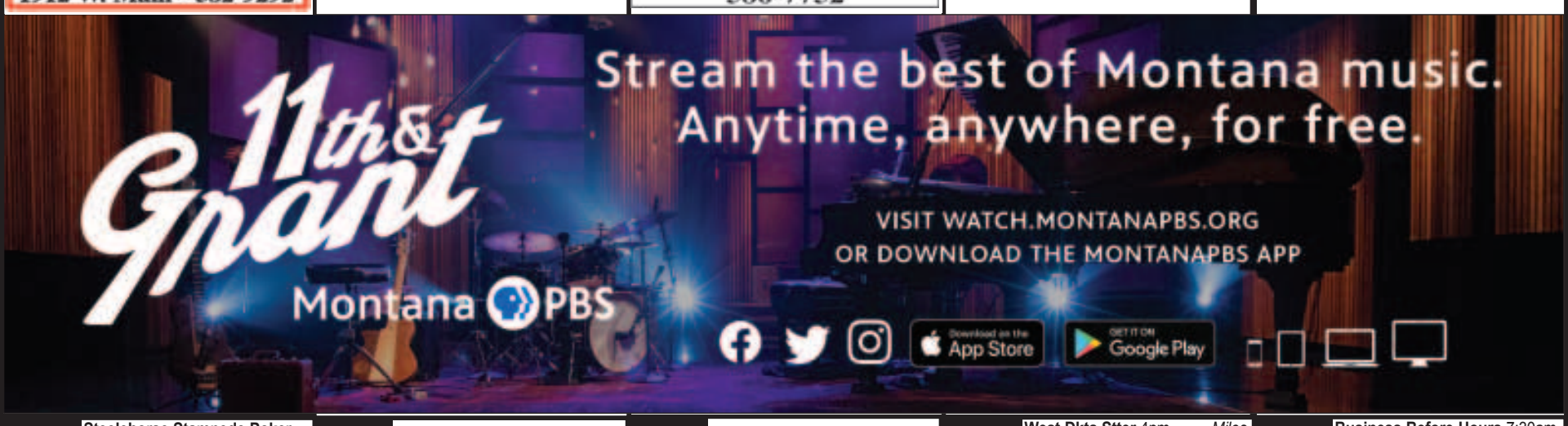

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Steelehorse Stampede Poker Run Breakfast 8am *American Legion – Livingston*
Duke's Sunday Morning Cars and Coffee 8am *Duke's Cafe– Belgrade*
6th Annual Art for Everyone 8am *Wilson Hotel – Big Sky*
Steelehorse Stampede Poker Run 10am *American Legion – Livingston*
The Garage Cars and Coffee 10am *The Garage*
Cowboy Brunch With Ryan Acker 11am *Bodhi Farms*
Weston Lewis 11am *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Jazz Brunch 12:30pm *Break Room*
Sunday Funday for Suffer Out Loud 2pm *Bozeman Brewing Co.*
Sunday is a FUNDAY 2pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Celtic Music Sundays 3pm *Valhalla Meadery*
White Sulphur Springs Labor Day Rodeo 4pm *White Sulphur Springs*
Brewery Follies 4pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Cornhole Tournament 4pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
North Fork Crossing 7pm *Bozeman Hot Springs*
Empty Space Company Presents: RED by John Logan 7pm *Verge Theater – Emerson Suite 107*
Boris + Melvins 8pm *The Elm*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*

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White Sulphur Springs Labor Day PARADE 11am *White Sulphur Springs*
White Sulphur Springs Labor Day Rodeo 1pm *White Sulphur Springs*
Family Night at Waypoint 5pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
4C Bunkhouse Open Mic 5pm *Bunkhouse Brewery – Four Corners*
Livingston's Historic Architecture Walking Tour 5:30pm *Livingston Depot Center*
Game Night Live Trivia 6pm *Wild Rye Distilling*
Tom Kirwan 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
Trivia at Bacchus 7pm *Bacchus Pub*
Empty Space Company Presents: RED by John Logan 7pm *Verge Theater*
Open Mic at the Goat 8pm *Fainting Goat Pub – Livingston*
Monday Competitive Video Games 8pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Live Jazz w/ Alex Ribolatta & Friends 8:30pm *The Break Room*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*

5

Yoga on the Lawn 2pm *Belgrade Library*
Newcomer Orientation 5pm *Bozeman Dharma Center*
Tim Rooney & Taylor Burlage @ Bozeman Farmers Market 5pm *Lindley Park*
Gardiner Historic Walking Tour 5pm *Roosevelt Arch – Gardiner*
Cribbage League – BZN 5:30pm *Bunkhouse Brewery*
Jump into Trivia 6pm *The Jump*
GNL Trivia at Colombo's Pizza 6pm *Colombo's Pizza*
Last Best Place Trivia 6pm *Last Best Place Brewing Co.*
406 A Cappella Project – Fusion Fall Session Kick-Off 6:30pm *Hope Lutheran Church*
Stephen Trimble 7pm *Wheatgrass Books*
Empty Space Company Presents: RED by John Logan 7pm *Verge Theater – Emerson Suite 107*
Bone Dry Comedy Hour Open Mic 8pm *Last Best Comedy*
Bingo at The Molly 8pm *Molly Brown*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*
Karaoke @ IX 9pm *Bar IX*

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West Dkta Stter 4pm *Miles Band Shell Park – Livingston*
Brice Ash Trio 6pm *MAP Brewing*
Shine Trivia Night 6pm *SHINE Beer*
Open Mic with Bozeman Poetry Collective 6pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Last Best Singo 6pm *Last Best Plac Brewing*
Western Swing Wed 7pm *The Jump*
Jelly Roll Backroad 7pm *Fieldhouse – MSU*
Brendan Nolan 7pm *Nordic Brew Works*
Family karaoke 7pm *49'Er Diner – Livingston*
Empty Space Company Presents: RED by John Logan 7pm *Verge Theater*
David James Duncan 7pm *Elk River Books LV*
Bozeman Film Society – Past Lives 7:30pm *Ellen Theatre*
Wobble Wednesday brings the beats 7:30pm *Filling Station*
Taylor Burlage 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Trivia Night @ The Waypoint 8pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Jazz Night hosted by Eddie T 8pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*
Trivia at the Molly 8pm *Molly Brown*
Young Dubliners 8pm *The Elm*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Quenby & Susan Gibson 8pm *The Attic – Livingston*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*
Comedy Open Mic 9pm *J & Company Bar*
Silver Dollar Open Mic 9pm *Silver Dollar Saloon – Butte*

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Business Before Hours 7:30am *Madison Valley Bank*
Farm Party 5pm *Bodhi Farms*
Improv Show! 5pm *LFTD*
Montana Exit 6pm *Bale of Hay Saloon – VC*
Montana Manouche 6pm *Follow Yer' Nose*
Pinky &The Floyd 6:30pm *Len Hill Park BS*
"Sex" Ed Vincent 6:30pm *LFTD*
The Band of Drifters w/ Big Ol' 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
RED by John Logan 7pm *Verge Theater*
The Teccas 7pm *Bozeman Hot Springs*
Livingston Film Series 7pm *Shane Livingston*
Bozeman Symphonic Choir auditions 7pm
Open Door Theatre – Auditions for 'Blithe Spirit' 7pm *Unitarian Universalist Fellowship*
Vintage Swing Dancing 7pm *Blend – Wine Bar & Gallery*
Robert Cline 7:30pm *Fainting Goat Pub – Livingston*
Anthony Sutton 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Natalie Prauser & Marty Bush 8pm *Old Saloon – Emigrant*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Tom Garnsey 8pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*
Last Best Comedy Fest: Stand-Up Show! 8pm *Live From The Divide – LFTD*
Karaoke Eagles 9pm *Eagles Bar*
Nickel B 9pm *Haufbrau*
Last Best Comedy Fest: Improv Show! 9:30pm *Live From The Divide – LFTD*
Last Best Comedy Fest: Coast to Coast 11pm *Live From The Divide – LFTD*

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Bozeman Half Marathon 8am *12200 Cottowood Road*
Duke's Cars and Coffee 8am *Duke's Cafe and Bakery – Belgrd*
Bozeman 10K 8am *Triple Tree Trailhead*
Gallatin River Clean-up 10am *Gallatin Canyon*
The Garage Cars and Coffee 10am *The Garage*
Yellowstone Harvest Fest 2023 11am *Ferry Landing Ranch – Livingston*
Cowboy Brunch With Benn & Able 11am *Bodhi Farms*
Cole Decker 11am *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Summer Makers Market 12pm *Bunkhouse Brewery – Four Corners*
Bozeman Out of the Darkness Walk 1pm *Lindley Center*
Sunday Funday for Forward Montana 2pm *Bozeman Brewing Co.*
Public Skate 2:30pm *Ressler Motors Ice Rink – GCF Fairgrounds*
9th annual End of Summer Fun Fest – El Wencho 3pm *Ponderosa Social Club*
RED by John Logan 3pm *Verge Theater*
Celtic Music 3pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Aspen St block party 3pm *Ponderosa Social Club*
MSiP FREE Show of Measure for Measure 5pm *Bridger Brewing – 3 Forks*
Lost Ox 7pm *Bozeman Hot Springs*
Jackson Emmer and Andy Sydow 7:30pm *Gallatin Labor Temple*
Songs From The Road Band 8pm *Live From The Divide – LFTD*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*

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Stage Confidence Improv For Professionals 10am *Ponderosa Social Club*
Public Skate 11:30am *Ressler Motors Ice Rink – GCF Fairgrounds*
SCORE Monthly Meeting 12pm *Bozeman Chamber of Commerce BACC*
Second String Orchestra Fall 2023 Registration 12pm *First Presbyterian Church – Bozeman*
4C Bunkhouse Open Mic 5pm *Bunkhouse Brewery – Four Corners*
Family Night at Waypoint 5pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Livingston's Historic Architecture Walking Tour 5:30pm *Livingston Depot Center*
Montana Shakespeare in the Parks FREE Show of Measure for Measure 5:30pm *Castle Museum and Carriage House – White Sulfur Springs*
Game Night Live Trivia 6pm *Wild Rye Distilling*
West Dakota Stutter 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
Trivia at Bacchus 7pm *Bacchus Pub*
Open Mic at the Goat 8pm *Fainting Goat Pub – Livingston*
Monday Competitive Video Games 8pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*

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Yoga on the Lawn 2pm *Belgrade Library*
Gardiner Historic Walking Tour 5pm *Roosevelt Arch – Gardiner*
Alli and I 5pm *Lockhorn Cider House*
Slim Pickins & TrebleMakers @ Bozeman Farmers Market 5pm *Lindley Park*
Cribbage League – BZN 5:30pm *Bunkhouse Brewery*
Montana Shakespeare in the Parks FREE Show of The Three Musketeers 5:30pm *MSU Grant Chamberlain Park*
Jump into Trivia 6pm *The Jump*
GNL Trivia at Colombo's Pizza 6pm *Colombo's Pizza*
CONTEMPLATIVE VESPERS — Exploring the movement from "Ordinary hope" into "Mystical Hope." 6pm *Pilgrim Church Lawn*
Last Best Place Trivia 6pm *Last Best Place Brewing Co.*
Mountainfilm on Tour: Indomitable Spirit 6:30pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Pecha Kucha 39 6:30pm *Ellen Theatre*
Bingo at The Molly 8pm *Molly Brown*
Karaoke @ IX 9pm *Bar IX*
John Dell 9pm *Haufbrau*

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Manhattan Farmers Market 4pm *Railroad Park – Manhattan*
Western Sustainability Exchange Farmers Market 4:30pm *Sacajawea Park – LV*
Big Sky Farmers Market 5pm *Fire Pit Park – Big Sky Town Center*
Shine Trivia Night 6pm *SHINE Beer*
Open Mic with Bozeman Poetry Collective 6pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Last Best Singo (song bingo) 6pm *Last Best Place Brewing Co.*
Pecha Kucha 39 6:30pm *Ellen Theatre*
Western Swing Wednesdays 7pm *The Jump*
Smells Like Nirvana w/ Quinby & Dead Original 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Craig Morgan w/ Amanda Stewart 7pm *Armory Music Hall*
Raven Roshi 7pm *Nordic Brew Works*
Family karaoke 7pm *49'Er Diner – Livingston*
Mike Guzi 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Jazz Night hosted by Eddie T 8pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*
Trivia at the Molly 8pm *Molly Brown*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Trivia Night @ The Waypoint 8pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*
Comedy Open Mic 9pm *J & Company Bar*
Silver Dollar Open Mic 9pm *Silver Dollar Saloon – Butte*

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Metal in the Mountains 5pm *Len Hill Park Big Sky Town Center*
Farm Party 5pm *Bodhi Farms*
Shelly Besler 6pm *Follow Yer' Nose BBQ – Emigrant*
Drink and Draw 6pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Thursday Trivia at Four Corners 6pm *Bunkhouse Brewery – Four Corners*
Sheridan Cruise-In on Main 6pm *Ruby Valley Brew – Sheridan*
Country Swing Lessons 7pm *Tanya's Dance Co. – Bozeman*
Jump into Bingo 7pm *The Jump*
Lakota Nation vs US – Film Screening 7pm *The Rialto*
Tom Catmull 7pm *Bozeman Hot Springs*
Livingston Film Series presents 1964's film Dr. Strangelove 7pm *Shane Livingston*
Jay Gavin 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
The History of Western Fly Fishing in Five Flies – Dr. Jen Brown 7pm *Norm Asbjornson Hall – MSU*
Vintage Swing Dancing 7pm *Blend – Wine Bar & Gallery*
Blake Brightman 7:30pm *Fainting Goat Pub – Livingston*
Thursday Night Out! 8pm *Last Best Comedy*
Soul Bots 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Dakota Poorman 8pm *Old Saloon – Emigrant*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Tom Garnsey 8pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*
Karaoke Eagles 9pm *Eagles Bar*
UK Goners 9pm *Haufbrau*

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Duke's Cars and Coffee 8am *Duke's Cafe – Belgrade*
Yellowstone Gateway 30k 9am *Sage Lodge*
Cowboy Brunch With Taylor Burlage 11am *Bodhi Farms*
Jess Atkins 11am *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Cirque Ma'Ceo by Cavallo Equestrian Arts 1pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds – GCF*
Sunday is a FUNDAY 2pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Sunday Funday for Gallatin Valley Pheasants Forever 2pm *Bozeman Brewing*
Public Skate 2:30pm *GCF Fairgrounds*
Celtic Music Sundays 3pm *Valhalla Meadery*
MSU School of Music 3pm *Shane Lalani Center – Livingston*
Cirque Ma'Ceo by Cavallo Equestrian Arts 4pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds – GCF*
Brewery Follies 4pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Jazz Jam Session featuring The Alex Platt Trio 5pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
Chris Janson w/ Frankie Ballard 6pm *Bridger Brewing – 3 Forks*
3D Printing 6:30pm *Bozeman Public Library*
MINT 7pm *Bozeman Hot Springs*
UMphrey's McGee 8pm *The Elm*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*

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Stage Confidence Improv For Professionals 10am *Ponderosa Social Club*
Public Skate 11:30am *GCF Fairgrounds*
4C Bunkhouse Open Mic 5pm *Bunkhouse Brewery – Four Corners*
Family Night at Waypoint 5pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Livingston's Historic Architecture Walking Tour 5:30pm *Livingston Depot Center*
Movie Night: Fly Like a Girl 6pm *Bozeman Public Library*
Game Night Live Trivia 6pm *Wild Rye Distilling*
Tyler Stepp 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
Trivia at Bacchus 7pm *Bacchus Pub*
Monday Competitive Video Games 8pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Open Mic at the Goat 8pm *Fainting Goat Pub – Livingston*
Cole Decker 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
The Lowest Pair 8pm *Live From The Divide – LFTD*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*

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Yoga on the Lawn 2pm *Belgrade Library*
Symbolism in the Cemetery: A Historic Walking Tour 4pm *Sunset Hills Cemetery*
Gardiner Historic Walking Tour 5pm *Roosevelt Arch – Gardiner*
Cribbage League – BZN 5:30pm *Bunkhouse Brewery*
Jump into Trivia 6pm *The Jump*
GNL Trivia at Colombo's Pizza 6pm *Colombo's Pizza*
Last Best Place Trivia 6pm *Last Best Place Brewing Co.*
Recipe Test Kitchen 6:30pm *Bozeman Public Library*
Javier Zamora Discussion: MSU's Hispanic Heritage Month 2023 7pm *MSU – SUB*
Counting Crows 7:30pm *KettleHouse Amphitheater – Missoula*
Justin Mayor 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Bingo at The Molly 8pm *Molly Brown*
Matt Nelson 8pm *The Elm*
Pony Bradshaw 8pm *The Rialto*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*
Karaoke @ IX 9pm *Bar IX*

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Big Sky Farmers Market 5pm *Fire Pit Park – Big Sky*
Gallatin Nature Society Nature Journaling 5pm *Steep MtTea*
Johnny Dango 6pm *MAP Brewing*
Shine Trivia Night 6pm *SHINE Beer*
Women's introduction to fly casting 6pm *Gallatin River Lodge*
Open Mic with Bozeman Poetry Collective 6pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Last Best Singo 6pm *Last Best Brewing Co.*
Glowforge printing 6:30pm *Bozeman Library*
Book Club 6:30pm *Bozeman Public Library*
Core Skills of a Meditation Practice 7pm *Bozeman Dharma Center*
Western Swing 7pm *The Jump*
Family karaoke 7pm *49'Er Diner – Livingston*
Walcrik 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Elisabeth Carlisle Band w/ Guest Artist Cicci Landèn 7pm *Ellen Theatre*
Wobble Wednesday bringing the beats 7:30pm *Filling Station*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Taylor Burlage 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Jazz Night hosted by Eddie T 8pm *Tune Up*
Trivia at the Molly 8pm *Molly Brown*
Trivia Night @ The Waypoint 8pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*
Comedy Open Mic 9pm *J & Company Bar*
Open Mic 9pm *Silver Dollar Saloon – Butte*

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Fall Festival Carnival 4pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds*
Farm Party 5pm *Bodhi Farms*
A Tangled Path to Extremism: Desperation, Resentment, and Rebellion in Rural Montana 6pm *Museum of Rockies*
Bridger Creek Boys 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
WhiSKI Series, Bozeman premiere of TGRs 'Legend Has It' 6:30pm *The Rialto*
Country Swing Lessons 7pm *Tanya's Dance Co. – Bozeman*
Jump into Bingo 7pm *The Jump*
Harry Potter Fest 7pm *The Waypoint – BS*
David & Deidre Casey 7pm *Bozeman Hot Sp*
Decibel Nest w/Hell's Half Acre – Metal 7pm *Filling Station*
Kathleen McLaughlin 7pm *Elk River Books – LV*
Cole Decker 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Vintage Swing Dancing 7pm *Blend – Wine Bar & Gallery*
Yotes 7:30pm *Owl Lounge – Livingston*
Thursday Night Out! 8pm *Last Best Comedy*
John Razook 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
The Tallest Man on Earth 8pm *The Elm*
Sean Devine & Brooks Forsyth 8pm *The Attic – Livingston*
Holding for Hux 8pm *Tune Up Baseme Bar*
Karaoke Eagles 9pm *Eagles Bar*
Tiny iota 9am *Haufbrau*

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Cars & Coffee 8am *Duke's Blgrd*
Maggie Hickman 11am *Bodhi Farms*
Peter King 11am *Pine Creek– LV*
Fall Festival Carnival 12pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds – GCF*
Board Game Day 12pm *Last Best Brewing*
Sunday is a FUNDAY 2pm *Waypoint – Big Sky*
Fiber Arts 2pm *Bozeman Public Library*
Public Skate 2:30pm *Ressler Motors Ice Rink – GCF Fairgrounds*
Dvorak's New World Symphony 2:30pm *Willson Auditorium*
Celtic Music Sundays 3pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Brewery Follies 4pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Garrett Kuntz, Charles Ellsworth & Carl M Banks, Ben De La Cour – Songwriter's Showcase 7pm *Bozeman Hot Springs*
Voice of Addiction w/The Love Darts – Punk 9pm *Filling Station*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*

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Stage Confidence Improv 10am *Ponderosa*
Public Skate 11:30am– *GCF*
4C Bunkhouse Open Mic 5pm *Bunkhouse Brewery – Four Corners*
Family Night at Waypoint 5pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Beginners Pottery Wheel Class (9/25-11/6) 5:30pm *Bozeman Community Kiln*
Livingston's Historic Architecture Walking Tour 5:30pm *Livingston Depot*
Bison Archeology 6pm *Bozeman Library*
Weston Lewis 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
Trivia at Bacchus 7pm *Bacchus Pub*
Foreigner "The Greatest Hits" tour 7:30pm *Brick Breeden Fieldhouse – MSU*
Monday Competitive Video Games 8pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Open Mic at the Goat 8pm *Fainting Goat Pub – Livingston*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*

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Yoga on the Lawn 2pm *Belgrade Library*
Caregiving with LaDawn Whiteside 2:30pm *Bozeman Library*
Gardiner Historic Walking Tour 5pm *Roosevelt Arch – Gardiner*
Cribbage League – BZN 5:30pm *Bunkhouse Brewery*
Jump into Trivia 6pm *The Jump*
GNL Trivia at Colombo's Pizza 6pm *Colombo's Pizza*
Last Best Place Trivia 6pm *Last Best Place Brewing Co.*
Bingo at The Molly 8pm *Molly Brown*
Atreyu & Memphis May Fire 8pm *The Elm*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*
Karaoke @ IX 9pm *Bar IX*

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Ukulele Society Jam Session 1pm *Senior Center*
Fiber Arts 4pm *Bozeman Library*
Chamber Event 4pm *Montana Science Center*
Willi Carlisle (Matinee) 5pm *LFTD*
Jacob Rountree 6pm *MAP Brewing*
Shine Trivia Night 6pm *SHINE Beer*
Bozeman Poetry Collective 6pm *Valhalla*
Singo (song bingo) 6pm *Last Best Brewing*
Embroidery machine class 6:30pm *Library*
Western Swing 7pm *The Jump*
Blake Brightman 7pm *Nordic Brew Works*
Family karaoke 7pm *49'Er Diner – Livingston*
Bozeman Film Society – Jules 7:30pm *Ellen*
Sam Cohen 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Jazz Night w/ Eddie T 8pm *Tune Up*
Trivia at the Molly 8pm *Molly Brown*
Eggy w/ StiLgone 8pm *The Elm*
Brewery Follies 8pm *Gilbert BreweryVC*
Open Mic at the Hauf 9pm *Haufbrau*
Comedy Open Mic 9pm *J & Company Bar*

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Farm Party 5pm *Bodhi Farms*
Gretchen Minton 6pm *Ellen*
Chandler Huntley 7pm *Bzn Hot*
Robin and Linda Williams 7pm *Shane Center– Livingston*
Taylor Burlage Trio 7pm *Pine Creek – LV*
Vintage Swing Dancing 7pm *Blend*
Creekside Duo 7:30pm *Fainting Goat LV*
Thursday Night Out! 8pm *Last Best Comedy*
Paul Catalto 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Sammy Jean Cohen Band 8pm *Old Saloon – Emigrant*
Jai Wolf 8pm *The Elm*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Electric River Presents: Scott Pemberton
O Theory 8pm *Filling Station*
Tom Garnsey 8pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*
Karaoke Eagles 9pm *Eagles Bar*

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FRIDAY

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Public Skate 1pm *Ressler Motors Ice Rink – GCF Fairgrounds*
Circus on Ice 4:30pm *Haynes Pavilion – GCF*
Happy Hour Open Mic at LBC 5pm *Last Best Comedy*
Donny Elliot Band 5:30pm *Kountry Korner Café*
As Above, So Below – Tracie Spence Photography Opening reception 5:30pm *Old Main Gallery*
IX Trivia @ VI 6pm *Bar IX*
Celtic Music Fridays 6pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Friday Night Jazz 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
Powderhorn Country Dance 6:30pm *Music Ranch Montana – LV*
Stand-Up with Reena Calm 7pm *Last Best Comedy*
Public Skate 7pm *Ressler Motors Ice Rink – GCF Fairgrounds*
The Sleepless Elite 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Montana Manouche 7pm *Blend – Wine Bar & Gallery*
Empty Space Company Presents: RED by John Logan 7pm *Verge Theater – Emerson Suite 107*
Circus on Ice 7pm *Haynes Pavilion – GCF*
Dan Dubuque – Live Music 8pm *The Break Room*
In A State Between: 30 Original Plays in 60 Minutes 8pm *Blue Slipper Theatre – Livingston*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Hannah Juanita 8pm *Old Saloon – Emigrant*
Ben Larson & The Grown Ass Men 8pm *The Jump*
Cole Decker Band 9pm *Chico Hot Springs Saloon*
Chelsey Trevino 9pm *Haufbrau*
Hornbread w The Prawns and Fairly Brief 9pm *Filling Station*
Karaoke Night 9pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Ocean Lee Band 9pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*

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Gallatin River Clean-up 10am *Gallatin Canyon*
Osher Lifelong Learning Institute 4pm *Pilgrim Congregational Church UCC*
Summer Art Walk 5:30pm *Downtown Bozeman*
Yellowstone Harvest Fest 2023 Free Kick Off Party 6pm *Ferry Landing Ranch – Livingston*
Montana Manouche 6pm *Emerson Center*
IX Trivia @ VI 6pm *Bar IX*
Celtic Music Fridays 6pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Warrior Taste Fest 6pm *Haynes Pavilion – GCF*
Last Best Comedy Fest: Stand-Up Fresh Face Showcase! 6pm *The Rialto*
Friday Night Jazz 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
Powderhorn Country Dance 6:30pm *Music Ranch Montana – LV*
The Groms – Live Music 7pm *The Break Room*
Monster Trucks Most Wanted 7pm *GCF*
710 Ashbury 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Last Best Comedy Fest: Improv Show 7pm *Last Best Comedy*
Gage Sowell 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Bonnie Raitt 8pm *KettleHouse Amphitheater – Missoula*
Open Range 8pm *Old Saloon – Emigrant*
The Max 8pm *The Attic – Livingston*
Last Best Comedy Fest: Improv Show 8pm *The Rialto*
The Dead Yellers 8pm *The Jump*
LBCF: Stand-Up Show! 8pm *Live From The Divide – LFTD*
RED by John Logan 8:30pm *Verge Theater*
Night Owl Run 8:30pm *Miles Park – Livingston*
Karaoke Night 9pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Kate Voss & The Hot Sauce 9pm *Murray Bar – Livingston*
Art and Funk Collective 9pm *Haufbrau*
Lost Ox w/ The Scurry 9pm *Filling Station*
Stormgrass Band 9pm *Chico Hot Springs Saloon*
LBCF Josh Johnson & Friends! 9pm *Last Best Comedy*
The Resonance Quartet 9pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*
LBCF: Treasure State Showcase 10pm *The Rialto*

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OLLI at MSU Friday Forum: Statewide Fisheries Management Plan for Montana 12pm *Virtual Event*
Public Skate 1pm *GCF Fairgrounds*
Big Sky Oktoberfest 3pm *Big Sky Town Center*
Steep Botanical Bookmark Making 4pm *Steep Mountain Tea House*
Happy Hour Open Mic at LBC 5pm *Last Best Comedy*
Celtic Music Fridays 6pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Mountain in My Mind 2: Tragedy into Triumph 6pm *The Rialto*
Friday Night Jazz 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
Powderhorn Country Dance 6:30pm *Music Ranch Montana – LV*
Stand-Up with Daniel Eachus 7pm *Last Best Comedy*
Cirque Ma'Ceo by Cavallo Equestrian Arts 7pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds – GCF*
Wes Urbaniak & The Mountain Folk 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Entering the Dharma Gate 7pm *Bozeman Dharma Center*
Alpha Gamma Rho's Testicle Festival w/ Rodney Atkins & Jarrod Morris 7pm *Brick Breeden Fieldhouse – MSU*
Bozeman Icedogs vs Sheridan Hawks 7:30pm *Ressler Motors Ice Rink – GCF Fairgrounds*
Mike Kirkwood 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Moon Hooch 8pm *The Elm*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
An Evening with El Wencho 8pm *Filling Station*
Lazy Owl String Band 8pm *The Jump*
Karaoke Night 9pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Ian Thomas & The Band Of Drifters.. Western Americana 9pm *Chico Hot Springs Saloon*
Stand-Up with Daniel Eachus 9pm *Last Best Comedy*
Hornbread 9pm *Haufbrau*
Blues Line 9pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*

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Public Skate 1pm *GCF Fairgrounds*
Fall Festival Carnival 4pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds – GCF*
Happy Hour Open Mi 5pm *Last Best Comedy*
BSDF Apre Ski 2023 Gala 5pm *Bodhi Farms*
Ex Libris Art Opening & Cara Chamberlain Broadsides & Book Signing 5pm *Wheatgrass Books*
2023 Stibitz-Wilson Awards 5pm *Ellen Theatre*
Autumn Plant Swap 5:30pm *Belgrade Community Library*
Teton Gravity Research presents 'Legend Has It' 6pm *Emerson Crawford Theater*
IX Trivia @ VI 6pm *Bar IX*
Silas Stewart and Craig Hall – Jazz 6pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Friday Night Jazz 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
North Fork Crossing w/ Jampoke 7pm *Pine Creek – LV*
MSU Bobcats vs Boise State Broncos 7pm *Ressler Motors Ice Rink – GCF Fairgrounds*
4th Fridays Art Walks 7:30pm *Downtown Livingston*
Ryan Yates 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Peter King & The Dead Yellers 8pm *Old Saloon – Emigrant*
Western Skies – Country Rock 8pm *The Jump*
JD Graham 8pm *Live From The Divide – LFTD*
Teton Gravity Research presents 'Legend Has It' 8:30pm *Emerson Crawford Theater*
Karaoke Night 9pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Tsunami Funk.. Funk, Soul & Groove 9pm *Chico Hot Springs Saloon*
The Dirty Shame 9pm *Murray Bar – Livingston*
Mandy May Blest 9pm *Haufbrau*
Mojo Rising – The Doors Cover Band 9pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*

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Rockies Rebels Art and Trunk show 5:30pm *A D Maddox Studios – Livingston*
The Hooligans 6pm *Follow Yer' Nose – Emigrant*
Catch of a Lifetime 6:30pm *Bozeman Library*
Friday Night Jazz 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
Red NOT Chili Peppers 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Rachel Fogletto 7 & 9pm *Last Best Comedy*
TGR: Legend Has It 7pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Tim Kliphuis & Rimrock Hot Club 7:30pm *Ellen Theatre*
The Coronation of Poppea 7:30pm *Hope Lutheran Church*
Mike Kirkwood 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Alice Invents a Little Game 8pm *Blue Slipper Theatre – LV*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Not.Greenday 8pm *The Rialto*
The Dirty Shame – Outlaw Country 8pm *The Jump*
Brother Elsey 8pm *Live From The Divide – LFTD*
Blake Brightman Band 9pm *Chico Hot Springs Saloon*
The Max – MSU Homecoming 9pm *Cat's Paw*
Darsombra – Psychedelic 9pm *Filling Station*
Nickel B 9pm *Haufbrau*
Elana Hayden 9pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*

SATURDAY

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Labor Day Poker Ride 8am *Bale of Hay Saloon – Virginia City*
6th Annual Art for Everyone 8am *Wilson Hotel – Big Sky*
Gallatin Valley Farmers' Market 9am *Gallatin County Fairgrounds*
Maggie Hickman 11am *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Public Skate 12:30pm *Ressler Motors Ice Rink – GCF Fairgrounds*
Rob & Loli 1pm *Bale of Hay Saloon – Virginia City*
Brewery Follies 4pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Art for Everyone – Whiskey, Wine and Art 5pm *Wilson Hotel – Big Sky*
Donny Elliot Band 5:30pm *Kountry Korner Café*
Victoria Priest 6pm *Valhalla Meadery*
Steelehorse Stampede Dinner w/ Music by Davy Jones 6pm *American Legion – Livingston*
MSU Bobcats vs. Utah Tech – Gold Rush 6pm *Bobcat Stadium – MSU*
Notorious BOZ with Bennett Drozic 7pm *Last Best Comedy*
The Gravy Ladles 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Empty Space Company Presents: RED by John Logan 7pm *Verge Theater – Emerson Suite 107*
Jody & The Woodflowers 7pm *The Jump*
Abby Webster Band 7:30pm *Fainting Goat Pub – Livingston*
Leona & Ron Williams Concert 7:30pm *Music Ranch Montana – LV*
True Reckoning 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Dan Dubuque – Live Music 8pm *The Break Room*
In A State Between: 30 Original Plays in 60 Minutes 8pm *Blue Slipper Theatre – Livingston*
Ian Munsick – SOLD OUT 8pm *Old Saloon – Emigrant*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Western Roots Country Dancing 8pm *Bourbon*
MINT! (Live Music) 8pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Ryan Culwell 8pm *Live From The Divide – LFTD*
Whiz BANG! Intoxicating Comedy 9pm *Last Best Comedy*
Cole Decker Band 9pm *Chico Hot Springs Saloon*
Tom Kirwin 9pm *Haufbrau*
American Philosophy w Liquid Gnar and Scavenger 9pm *Filling Station*
Sam Platts and the Plainsmen 9pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*

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4th Annual Cloud Nine Poker Run 9am *Cloud Nine Cycles*
Gallatin Valley Farmers' 9am *Gallatin County Fairgrounds*
Gallatin River Clean-up 10am *Gallatin Canyon*
Yellowstone Harvest Fest 11am *Ferry Landing Ranch – LV*
Ryan Acker 11am *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
KGLT Record Fair 11am *MSU – SUB*
Slice of Science Funraiser 12pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
Monster Trucks Most Wanted 1pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds*
IndepenDANCE: Rise 2pm *Willson Auditorium*
Bunktoberfest 2pm *Bunkhouse Brewery – Four Corners*
RED by John Logan 3pm *Verge Theater – Emerson Suite 107*
MSiPThe Three Musketeers 5pm *Shane Center – Livingston*
Last Best Comedy Fest Stand-Up Show 5pm *Last Best Comedy*
Barbie's Roller Derby Dreambout 5:30pm *Haynes Pavilion – GCF*
Summer Shootout Film & Photo Festival 6&9pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Last Best Comedy Fest: Stand-Up Fresh Face Showcase! 6pm *The Rialto*
Last Best Comedy Fest Improv Show 6pm *Last Best Comedy*
Cactus Cuts, Abby Webster, Ryan Acker, Lee Henke 7pm *Pine Creek – LV*
RED by John Logan 7pm *Verge Theater – Emerson Suite 107*
Bonnie Raitt 7pm *Brick Breeden Fieldhouse – MSU*
IndepenDANCE: Rise 7pm *Willson Auditorium*
Monster Trucks Most Wanted 7pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds*
Last Best Comedy Fest Improv Show! 7pm *Last Best Comedy*
Kate Voss & The Hot Sauce 7pm *The Jump*
Barbie's Roller Derby Dreambout 7:30pm *Haynes Pavilion – GCF*
Reuben Sinnem 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
North Fork Crossing 8pm *Owl Lounge – Livingston*
Amy LaVere & Will Sexton 8pm *Live From The Divide – LFTD*
Rich Hall-Shot From Cannons! 8pm *The Rialto*
Hell's Half Acre w/ 1 Second to Go – Metal 9pm *Filling Station*
Mathias 9pm *Haufbrau*
Stormgrass Band – Bluegrass 9pm *Chico Hot Springs Saloon*
Last Best Comedy Fest Improv Show! 9pm *Last Best Comedy*
Last Best Comedy Fest 9pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*
Last Best Comedy Fest: Josh Johnson & Friends! 10pm *The Rialto*
Last Best Comedy Fest Improv Show! 10pm *Last Best Comedy*

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Give Back to the Yellowstone River Clean Up 9am *Miles Band Shell Park – Livingston*
Yoga & Mimosas 9am *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Entering the Dharma Gate 9am *Bozeman Dharma Center*
"Writing Beyond the Page" with Layli Long Soldier 10am *Tinworks Art*
Classic Literature Book Club 10:15am *Bozeman Public Library*
Fall Festival Car & Motorcycle Show 11am *Belgrade Senior Center*
Chandler Huntley 11am *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
MSU Bobcats vs. Stetson – Military Appreciation 1pm *Bobcat Stadium – MSU*
Big Sky Oktoberfest 3pm *Big Sky Town Center*
Cirque Ma'Ceo by Cavallo Equestrian Arts 4pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds – GCF*
Brewery Follies 4pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Lovingston Downtown Love Fest w/ The Speepless Elite & DJ Saltlick 6pm *Downtown Livingston*
Notorious BOZ with Charlie of Doom 7pm *Last Best Comedy*
Bozeman Icedogs vs Sheridan Hawks 7pm *GCF Fairgrounds*
Ballroom Dance Bozeman's Autumn Dance w/ Kate & the AlleyKats 7pm *Tamarack Ballroom – Bozeman Senior Center*
Cirque Ma'Ceo by Cavallo Equestrian Arts 7pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds – GCF*
Holland Dotson 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Tyler Potter & His Last Minute Surprise 7pm *The Jump*
Lost canyons 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
UMphrey's McGee 8pm *The Elm*
Little Jane and the Pistol Whips 8pm *Eagles Ballroom*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Western Roots Country Dancing 8pm *Bourbon*
Whiz BANG! Intoxicating Comedy 9pm *Last Best Comedy*
Ian Thomas & The Band Of Drifters.. Western Americana 9pm *Chico Hot Springs Saloon*
The groms 9pm *Haufbrau*
Shiba San 9pm *The Rialto*
Taylor Burlage / The Dead and Down 9pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*

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Virginia City Bike Fest – Music by Dan Henry 8am *Bale of Hay Saloon – Virginia City*
Golden Gravel Grinder 8am *Discovery Park – Virginia City*
GVBC Ringling – Maudlow – Belgrade Gravel Road Tour 8am *Gallatin County Fairgrounds – GCF*
Shelly Besler & Tony Polecastro 11am *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Local Authors in Conversation – Random Acts of Silliness 12pm *Country Bookshelf*
Fall Festival Carnival 12pm *Gallatin County Fairgrounds – GCF*
Brewery Follies 4pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Library Gala 5:30pm *Klimpton Armory Hotel*
Teton Gravity Research presents 'Legend Has It' 6pm *Emerson*
Modern Natives 6pm *Valhalla Meadery*
MSU Bobcats @ Weber State 6pm *Stewart Stadium – Ogden Utah*
MSU Bobcats vs Boise State Broncos 7pm *GCF Fairgrounds*
Chandler Huntley 7pm *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
Cowboy Poetry 7pm *Elling House – Virginia City*
Band of Drifters Trio 7pm *The Jump*
Dvorak's New World Symphony 7:30pm *Willson Auditorium*
Myer'd Down 8pm *Owl Lounge – Livingston*
Ryan Yates 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Matt Miller Band 8pm *Old Saloon – Emigrant*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Western Roots Country Dancing 8pm *Bourbon*
Local Natives w/ Chartreuse 8pm *The Elm*
Teton Gravity Research presents 'Legend Has It' 8:30pm *Emerson Crawford Theater*
Whiz BANG! Intoxicating Comedy 9pm *Last Best Comedy*
Tsunami Funk.. Funk, Soul & Groove 9pm *Chico Hot Springs Saloon*
Brother Venus – Rock 9pm *Filling Station*
West Dakota Stutter 9pm *Haufbrau*
Gage Sowell 9pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*

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Peace by Piece Quilt Show 9am *Park County Fairgrounds*
Zoo In You – Family Day 9am *Museum of the Rockies*
MSU Choir Alumni Recital 9:30am *Holy Rosary*
Kailee Failla 11am *Pine Creek Lodge – LV*
MSU Bobcats vs Portland State – Homecoming 2pm *Bobcat Stadium – MSU*
Bozeman Folklore Annual Party – Public Welcome 5pm *Eagle Mount*
Haven's Evening of Hope 5:30pm *Armory Music Hall*
BoZambique 6:30pm *Red Tractor Pizza*
TGR: Legend Has It 7pm *The Waypoint – Big Sky*
Craig Johnson's Longmire 7pm *Elk River Books – Livingston*
Cactus Cuts – New Age Americana 7pm *The Jump*
The Coronation of Poppea Opera 7:30pm *Hope Lutheran Church*
Mike Kirkwood 8pm *Bozeman Taproom*
Alice Invents a Little Game 8pm *Blue Slipper Theatre – Livingston*
Eat A Peach 8pm *Old Saloon – Emigrant*
Brewery Follies 8pm *H. S. Gilbert Brewery – Virginia City*
Raven Roshi 9pm *Tune Up Basement Bar*
Blake Brightman Band 9pm *Chico Hot Springs Saloon*
Notorious BOZ with Dee Metrick 9pm *Last Best Comedy*
The Max – MSU Homecoming 9pm *Cat's Paw*
SNDR SATURDAY – DJ Dance Party 9pm *The Rialto*

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Brothers Comatose, John King headline music & arts festival's sophomore event

Following its successful launch last year, the anticipated return of the **Yellowstone Harvest Fest** is set for Saturday and Sunday, September 9th and 10th. Ferry Landing Ranch will once again play host to the festival, located east of Livingston. The event is a great excuse to get outside and enjoy the outdoors with live music, food and drink, arts and crafts as well as vendor booths. Events will take place from 10am–8pm each day, bringing together music, the Yellowstone community and the beauty of Montana.

This year's festival promises an unforgettable experience, featuring a fantastic lineup of 12 country and bluegrass bands, including headliners **The Brothers Comatose** and **John King**. The event also showcases other talented artists such as **Jalan Crossland**, **Clay Street Unit**, **Michelle Rivers**, **Madeline Hawthorne**, **Matt Wallin & Nervous Breakdown**, **Marty Bush**, **The Teccas**, **Charlie Denison**, **Brice Ash** and **TJ Overcast**.

Immerse yourself in the beauty of Montana at this family friendly festival, offering outdoor activities like hands-on archery and fly fishing demos, as well as over 50 arts and crafts vendors. Indulge in amazing food and beer from Katabatic Brewing, and enjoy a range of family activities from LINKS for Learning and Ferry Landing Ranch. Event organizers have pledged a 10% donation of festival proceeds to LINKS, an after-school and summer program for elementary school children . Don't miss out on this unforgettable weekend of music, adventure and giving back.

Festival admission is $45 each day, or $65 for both with camping packages available. Children 12 and under are admitted free! Visit **www.yellowstoneharvestfest.com** for complete event schedule, advance ticketing access, and to learn more about the event. Follow on social media for regular updates. •

Country star Craig Morgan performs at Armory in benefit of area veterans

Enjoy some fantastic live music and support a great cause with a special show at the Armory Music Hall this month. Located in the downtown hotel of the same name, the space offers Gallatin Valley event-goers a new option to experience arts and culture.

On Wednesday, September 13th, the Armory hosts country star and Army veteran **Craig Morgan** for a show in benefit of regional nonprofit First Hunt Foundation's Connecting Heroes & Hunters program. The music begins at 8pm with local singer/songwriter Amanda Stewart. Doors at 7pm.

A multi-faceted entertainer, Craig Morgan has made a name for himself as a country music icon, TV personality, author, celebrated outdoorsman and patriotic Army veteran. One of country music's best-loved artists, Morgan has amassed over 2 billion career streams and charted over 25 songs on Billboard, thrilling massive crowds with signature hits including "Bonfire," "Almost Home," "Redneck Yacht Club," "International Harvester," "This Ole Boy," "Soldier," "That's What I Love About Sunday" and his faith-filled tribute to his son Jerry, "The Father, My Son and The Holy Ghost." The deluxe version of his *God, Family, Country* album features "How You Make a Man," and was released on Veterans Day 2022, the same day he headlined a sold-out show at Nashville's historic Ryman Auditorium.

The Connecting Heroes & Hunters program provides education and training for acquiring hunting skills to veterans and first responders 100% free of charge to all participants. Purchase of a ticket to this event will help bolster the nonprofit's important work with Southwest Montana service members.

Armory Music Hall tickets are available for standing-room general admission and limited VIP seating. A complete list of upcoming performances and ticketing access is available at **www.armorymusichall.com**. •

Big Sky's Len Hill Park hosts Pinky, first-ever 'Metal in the Mountains'

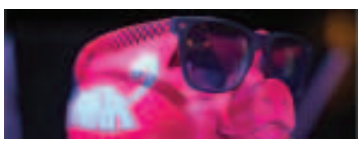
The Arts Council of Big Sky caps another great summer of free ***Music in the Mountains*** with an evening featuring local tribute **Pinky & the Floyd** on Thursday, September 7th. The annual tradition again comes to Len Hill Park in Town Center and is one of the most anticipated nights of the series. There will be no opening band for this show with music beginning at 7pm.

Since its inception in 2008, the band has exploded in popularity, selling out nearly every show, wherever they travel. Their performances strike the perfect balance between intimacy and intensity, and the energy and stage presence is unprecedented. The band performs over 80 songs, and seven full albums worth of Pink Floyd music making them one of the premier Pink Floyd Tribute acts in the industry. You can expect albums in their entirety, and a little something from every Floyd genre – from *Syd Barrett* to *Division Bell*, and everything in between.

The Arts Council has added one more event to this summer's 'Music in the Mountains' lineup. This one, however, will have a different – and louder – flavor than the rest of the music presented so far.

On Thursday, September 14th, settle in for ***Metal in the Mountains***, an end-of-summer festival featuring three local heavy metal bands. The event includes Big Sky's **Scavenger** as the headliner, with support from Belgrade's **Liquid Gnar** and Big Sky's own **Stoneman's Way**. Music starts at 5:30pm in Len Hill Park.

"We've been planning this for a few months and are super excited to announce this lineup to our Music in the Mountains series," said Brian



Hurlbut, the Arts Council's Executive Director. "It will be great to showcase the area's burgeoning heavy metal scene to a Big Sky audience."

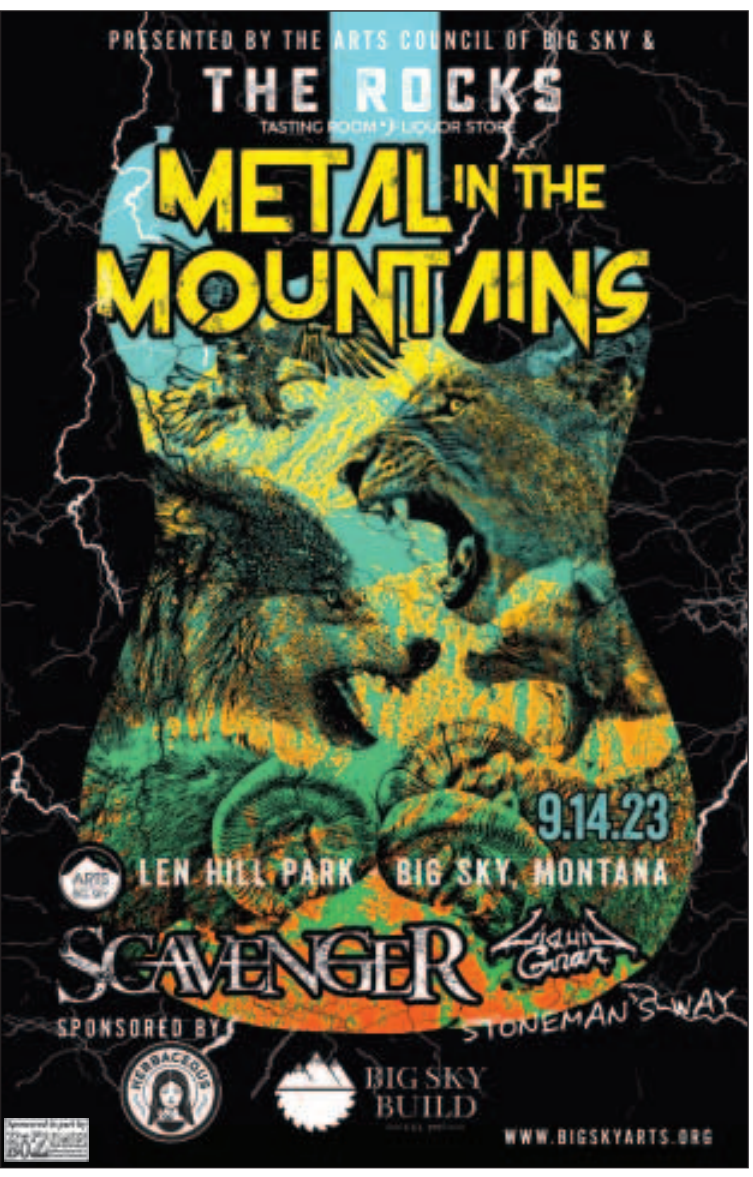
This year marks Scavenger's ten-year anniversary since their first show at the Broken Spoke Bar in Big Sky. The riff-heavy metal band has played more than 150 shows since then at venues around Montana and beyond, showcasing their original material. Their first album, *Cliff Manor*, released in 2018, and the quartet will release its second album later this year. The band members – which include Timmy Bowers on drums/vocals, Ben Blodgett on bass/vocals, Joey Mathis on guitar, and Brent Philippi on guitar/vocals – have been part of the Big Sky community for decades.

"We've seen many shows in the park and it's very validating to us all to get to showcase our music on that same platform," said Philippi. "We are aware people look at metal music differently, but we're committed to staying true to ourselves artistically while at the same time changing a few minds when it comes to heavy metal music."

Liquid Gnar is based out of Belgrade and recently won the Belgrade High School Battle of the Bands competition, which included groups from all over Gallatin Valley. The band also performed at this year's Rockin' the Rivers Festival in Three Forks. The group's latest single is "Eye of the Sun."

Stoneman's Way is a punk-influenced rock band based in Big Sky and Bozeman that released their debut album, *Get It Right*, earlier this year. The band frequently plays at venues around the area.

Len Hill Park opens at 6pm for the Pinky & the Floyd show, and 5pm for 'Metal in the Mountains.' These tobacco and vape-free events are family friendly with food and beverage trucks on site. Dogs and glass containers are prohibited. For more information and to check out what other events the Arts Council has going on, please visit **www.bigskyarts.org**. •



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Bridger wraps summer with rockin' modern country showcase

Bridger Brewing has had an incredible inaugural summer concert series, with the Three Forks amphitheater quickly earning its place among Southwest Montana's favorite outdoor venues. The music is set to conclude with one final performance of the season.

Budding country artist **Chris Janson** is set for a Sunday, September 17th, show alongside special guest Frankie Ballard. The music begins at 6pm.

Proud member of the Grand Ole Opry and multi-platinum songwriter and artist, Janson is part of country's new breed. In touch with the lighter side of life with self-penned No. 1s "Fix a Drink," "Good Vibes" and the triple-platinum "Buy Me a Boat," as well as the more thoughtful truths of "Done," "Things You Can't Live Without" and the CMA Song of the Year nominee and ACM Video of the Year "Drunk Girl." Both "Boat" and "Girl" were named to the Nashville Songwriters Association International's prestigious "Songs I Wish I Wish I'd Written" list, which is why artists like Tim McGraw ("Truck Yeah," "How I'll Always Be"), Justin Moore ("Off the Beaten Path"), Cody Johnson ("Let's Build a Fire") and the iconic Hank Williams Jr. ("God Fearin' Man," "Those Days Are Gone") reach for Janson's songs for their own projects.

Beyond his artistry are his live shows, where all that heart-on-the-four-wheeler songwriting meets the fans where they come to rock. *Rolling Stone* proclaimed him "a live legacy in the making," and Janson is a frequent presence at the nation's biggest country festivals, tours and unexpected sit-ins. For a man known for his outdoors lifestyle and collaborations with Bass Pro Shops and Cabela's, making music from his own life has established the harmonica-forward multi-instrumentalist the go-to guy for young country for the last decade. Janson is currently headlining his 2023 tour while his *Outlaw Side of Me* single "All I Need Is You" is his most-added radio hit to date.

Advance general admission tickets are available for purchase now. Visit **www.bridgerbrewing.com** for ticketing access and to learn more about more upcoming happenings. Cheers! •

Brick home to concert four-pack featuring industry stalwarts

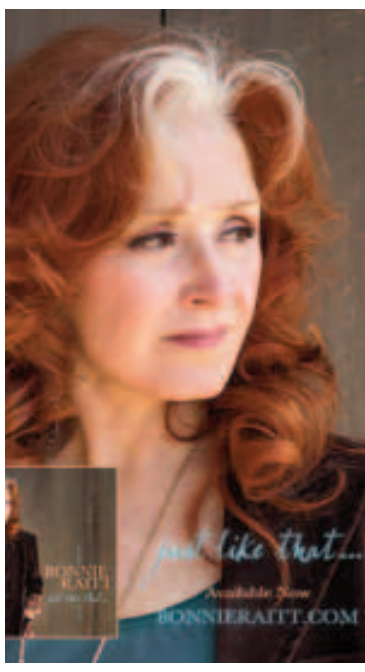
As the fall season approaches, local audiences have several opportunities to experience the national tours of some of the music industry's brightest stars at Brick Breeden Fieldhouse.

First up, **Jelly Roll** brings his "Backroad Baptism" tour to Bozeman on Wednesday, September 6th. Opening support comes courtesy of Struggle Jennings and Caitlynne Curtis with the music set to begin at 7pm.

The chart-topping, multi-genre phenomenon scored his first No. 1 on country radio with his debut country single "Son of a Sinner" and earned a two-week Rock No. 1, cementing "his rising mainstream stardom" (*Tennessean*). More recently, he released "She" as well as his current radio hit, "Need a Favor" – both from his new album, *Whitsitt Chapel*. Having independently amassed more than 4 billion career streams, Jelly made his Grand Ole Opry debut in 2022 and continues to sell out venues across the United States. His hit single "Save Me" – a confessional, vulnerable expression of self-doubt set the stage for his new season of life and took him to new heights – continues to resonate with fans and tap into Jelly's uniquely-connective ability to bring fans "therapeutic music."

Returning to Southwest Montana on Saturday, September 9th, is **Bonnie Raitt** with her "Just Like That..." tour. Roy Rogers will open the 7pm show.

Touring her twenty-first album and first new release in more than six years, the Rock and Roll Hall of Famer continues to draw on the range of influences that have shaped her legendary career, while creating something that speaks to the circum-



stances and challenges of these unprecedented times. The mix of sounds and approaches on *Just Like That…* reveals how, fifty years after the release of her debut album, Raitt continues to personify what it means to stay creative, adventurous and daring over the course of a life's work. The album won three Grammy Awards, including "Song of the Year" for the title track.

Rodney Atkins is set for a Friday, September 15th, show as part of Alpha Gamma Rho's annual Testicle Festival. Jarrod Morris will be on hand to warm up the crowd for the 7pm show.

One of country music's biggest stars, the chart-topping artist's current solo studio album, *Caught Up in the Country*, reveals an artist who is confident enough to know that making your best music can require patience and experimentation. The results are his most daring collection so far, touching on emotions and sounds which continue to expand his range – from the twangy celebration of the album's title track (featuring the roof-raising vocals of The Fisk Jubilee Singers) to the slow-burn cover of Jason Isbell's "Cover Me Up." With six No. 1 singles, eight Top 5s, and billions of career streams under his belt, Atkins continues to be recognized as one of the most powerful voices in country music.

And appearing in Bozeman one last time on Monday, September 25th, is **Foreigner** as part of their "Farewell Tour." Music begins at 7:30pm.

With ten multi-platinum albums and 16 Top 30 hits, the band is universally hailed as one of the most popular rock acts in the world with a formidable musical arsenal that continues to propel sold-out tours and album sales, now exceeding 80 million. Responsible for some of rock and roll's most enduring anthems including "Juke Box Hero," "Cold as Ice," "Hot Blooded," "Waiting for a Girl Like You," "Feels Like the First Time," "Urgent," "Head Games," "Say You Will," "Dirty White Boy," "Long, Long Way from Home" and the worldwide #1 hit, "I Want to Know What Love Is," Foreigner still rocks the charts more than 40 years into the game.

Advance tickets to these shows and other events are available for purchase now at **www.montana.edu/brickbreeden** or at the Fieldhouse box office. •

Shane Center Presents' closes with eclectic duo performance

Livingston's Shane Lalani Center for the Arts concludes their inaugural concert series 'Shane Center Presents' this month. **Robin & Linda Williams** are set to perform on Thursday, September 28th. Music starts at 7pm.

Robin and Linda Williams are closing in on a five decade-long career that has included 24 personal recordings, thousands of concerts on three continents, a Robert Altman-directed movie, hundreds of performances on NPR's *A Prairie Home Companion* and other radio and television shows. As live performers they are second to none and are at home on whatever stage they find themselves, be it a tiny coffee house or bar, or a large, storied concert hall or festival. As gifted songwriters, the duo has earned the respect of their musical peers, their songs having been recorded by such well-known artists as Mary Chapin Carpenter, Tom T. Hall, Tim and Mollie O'Brien, Mary Black, The Seldom Scene and Emmylou Harris, to name a few.

'Shane Center Presents' has brought an eclectic roster of world-class musicians to the Dulcie Theatre this year, including Australian guitar virtuoso Joe Robinson, composer Philip Aaberg and NY NY Dueling Pianos. Following a welcoming response by the community, event organizers are already looking to 2024 for a new season of fantastic live music.

Individual ticket pricing for Robin & Linda Williams is $30 for adults, $23 for seniors/college students/military and $15 for youth. Visit **www.theshanecenter.org** or call the box office at (406) 222-1420 for tickets. Concessions available. UV air filtration in the Dulcie Theatre and lobby.

The inaugural season of Shane Center Presents is generously underwritten by Carol Glenn & Sal Lalani and Donald B. Gimbel. •

American Philosophy, Lost Ox & Scott Pemberton come to Filler

No matter what sort of music you're into, the Filling Station brings in locally celebrated musicians and traveling acts of every stripe. The concerts showcase artists from a variety of genres, welcoming diverse audiences to the north Bozeman space with performances held throughout the week.

Opening the month is **Hornbread** on September 1st with opening support from The Prawns and Fairly Brief at 9pm. W inner of MSU's 2023 "Battle of the Bands," this energetic seven-piece ska band brings original tunes and trusted covers to life. Head down and check them out!

Helena's **American Philosophy** follow on Sept. 2nd with openers Liquid Gnar and Scavenger at 9pm. The three-piece original rock band brings over a decade's worth of material, pushing the envelope with high-energy live performances of adrenaline-raged hard rock. With a new dynamic mash up of hip-hop beats, punk rock guitars and gritty grungy bass, the band has enhanced their lineup of material and continues to deliver incredible live shows for their burgeoning fan base.

Lost Ox visits from Portland for their Sept. 8th show featuring an opening set from The Scurry at 9pm. The genre-blending jammers combine elements of funk, psychedelia, jazz, Americana and progressive rock. Rooted both in the jam-band resurgence of the 90s and the original 1960s psychedelic folk rock revolution, their style encompasses many familiar jam tropes, all executed and reimagined with an inspired, dauntless precision. The band has released three full-lengths – *Wildheart*, *Earthsnake* and *Stuck* – with a new album in the works.

Take in an evening with **El Wencho** on Sept. 15th at 8pm. The powerhouse duo delivers big sound that relates the Montana lifestyle through immersive lyrics, catchy melodies and driving rhythms. Their authentic music is an eclectic fusion of genres that draws on sonic elements from red dirt rock, blues, country, Americana and polyrhythmic Latin percussion. Live shows are an experiential combination of their dynamic Montana sound, engaging storytelling and comedic flair.

Electric River presents **Scott Pemberton O Theory** on Sept. 28th at 8pm. Rooted in the familiar yet utterly unique, this nimble power trio creates their own brand of progressive roots music blending deep jazz, blues, rock/grunge, funk and psychedelia – often during the same song. Driven by Scott's wildly unorthodox approach to the guitar, improvisation and songwriting, every concert is an entirely fresh experience.

Looking to a new month, **Pinky & the Floyd** return to the Filler for a special fundraiser show in benefit of the Milton Menasco Foundation on October 6th. All event proceeds will directly support the foundation with additional details to be announced. Known for their performances of full albums, Pinky and the Floyd have fronted some legendary theatrical productions including "The Wall," "The Division Bell" and "3 Different Ones" featuring *Animals*, *Darkside* and *Wish You Were Here*.

Advance ticketing information for these and other shows are available at **www.fillertickets.com**. Log on to the website for additional details and a full calendar of upcoming concerts. Follow the Filler on social media for event updates and other venue announcements. •

Ellen stage features nights of Americana rock & gypsy jazz

With live shows inching indoors as the summer season wraps, Downtown Bozeman's Ellen Theatre is a great place to catch a show by touring musical acts. Here's a look who's set to visit in the coming weeks.

Catch the **Elisabeth Carlisle Band** live in concert on Wednesday, September 20th at 7pm. All seats are $26.50 with student discounts available.

A singer/songwriter from Santa Cruz, she is known for her poignant lyrics and distinguished melodies. Her ballads can cut to the heart, and her coastal California roots bring energy and good Americana rock to her shows. Her bandmates from Sweden bring their years of professional experience from performing with artists like Jill Johnson, The Liberators, Charlie Musselwhite, The Men and The Harmony Aviators.

"A Swingin' Friday Night" featuring **Tim Kliphuis** and the **Rimrock Hot Club** follows on Friday, September 29th at 7:30pm. The duo will celebrate the music of the famed musical duo, Stéphane Grappelli and Django Reinhardt. All seats are $29.75.

Kliphuis is a world-renowned violinist who has performed with some of the biggest names in jazz, including Bireli Lagrene and Angelo Debarre. His recent successes have led to a Sony Classical recording contract and a performance for the Dutch King and Queen. Rimrock Hot Club is a group of talented musicians who specialize in playing hot jazz from the 1920s and 1930s. They have been praised for their authentic sound and their energetic performances.

Together, Kliphuis and Rimrock Hot Club will recreate the sound of Paris in the 1930s, when gypsy jazz was at its peak. They will play a mix of traditional gypsy jazz tunes and original compositions. Fans are encouraged to bring their dancing shoes as there will be plenty of room to "cut a rug."

Wine, beer and concessions will be sold in the lobby one hour before each event. Ticketing and further information about these and other upcoming happenings is available at **www.theellentheatre.org**. For additional inquiries, call the box office at (406) 585-5885. •

Local rock n' rollers deliver end-of-summer shows to Livingston & Bozeman

Montana favorite supergroup **The MAX** returns to the local spotlight with a trio of upcoming shows to help close out the summer season. The local legends will first perform at Livingston's Attic on Friday, September 8th, with music beginning at 8pm. Later in the month, the band returns to the Cat's Paw on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 29th and 30th, during Montana State University's homecoming weekend. The music starts at 9pm each night.

The MAX is a three-piece band from L.A. (also known as the Livingston area) that has entertained and delighted audiences across the country for decades. Since its inception in 1984, they've toured the US extensively and have become a mainstay on the local Montana scene since 1993, setting the bar for longevity and quality among the region's many bands.

Featuring Kyle Brenner on guitar and vocals, Bobb Clanton on bass guitar and vocals, and Ethan Decker on drums, this "power pop party rock" trio from the Rockies puts out a massive sound for just three guys and has an incredible knack for pulling off spot-on covers of tunes young and old. The MAX has two independent album releases, *Shadows in the Shade* and *Vinyl Valentine*.

The Max has opened for Styx, REO Speedwagon, the Fabulous Thunderbirds, Atlanta Rhythm Section, Marshall Tucker Band and Foghat, and has shared the bill with the Red Hot Chili Peppers and Big Head Todd & the Monsters. They have played from Pittsburgh to Portland and everywhere in between.

Advance tickets to the Attic show are $15 and available through **www.themaxrocks.com** or at Whiskey Creek Saloon. There is no cover for the Cat's Paw shows. •

Soak up scintillating Saloon sounds with weekend trek to Chico

Repeat winner in this year's annual 'Best of Bozeman' community survey for 'Best Overnight Getaway,' Chico Hot Springs continues to attract those looking for a little R&R. Plan a weekend trip. Here's what's in the Saloon this month.

Cole Decker Band is set for September 1st and 2nd. The Mississippi-born frontman pulls from his musical roots of old school country. He's influenced by the likes of Waylon Jennings and newer artists including Chris Stapleton, Brent Cobb and Jason Isbell. Expect full-band performances of songs featured on Decker's debut EP, *Can't Ruin a Bad Reputation*.

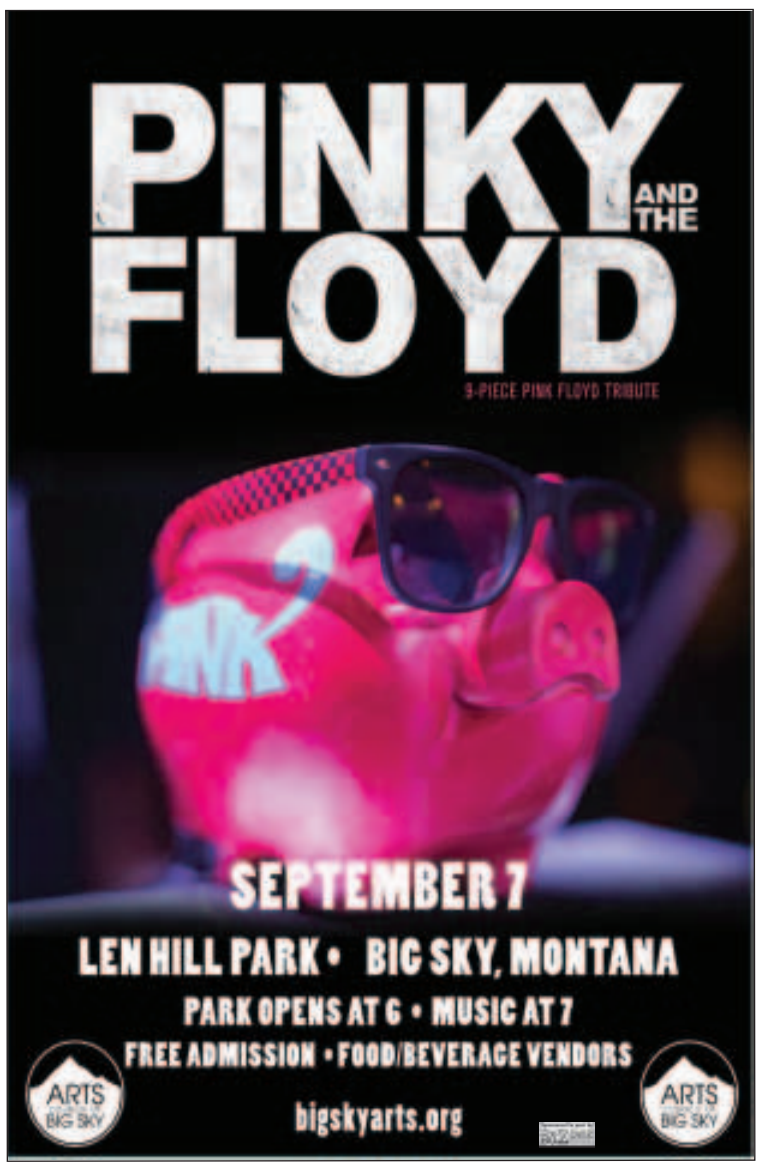
Check out the **Stormgrass Band** on Sept. 8th and 9th. The trio performs tight harmonies and a wide-ranging Americana sound. Band members include Jeff Peterson (guitar, vocals), Cabot Metz (banjo, steel) and Shawna Lockhart (bass).

Ian Thomas & Band of Drifters are back Sept. 15th and 16th. The group plays modern American roots music and encourage audiences to dance. Based mostly in Montana and Tennessee, the band also includes players from all over the country, keeping the music varied in arrangement, instrumentation and regional influences. The Drifters' sets draw from country, folk and blues traditions with an emphasis on original songs, done in the old style.

Tsunami Funk follow with back-to-back shows on Sept. 22nd and 23rd. The Bozeman-favorite group always packs the dance floor with Funk/R&B-rocking grooves. Tsunami Funk plays tunes from artists like Stevie Wonder, Pharrell Williams, Bruno Mars, Red Hot Chili Peppers, James Brown, Earth Wind & Fire, Sly & the Family Stone, Kool & the Gang, Van Morrison, Steely Dan, Bob Marley, and many more!

The **Blake Brightman Band** plays for Saloon-goers Sept. 29th and 30th. The five-piece follows the frontwoman's lead with an energetic set of hits and originals. The singer/songwriter's stylings fall somewhere between country western and Mississippi blues, with her own modern spin.

Live Saloon music begins at 9pm. Chico Hot Springs is located in Pray, 20 miles south of Livingston. For more information and to make a reservation, visit **www.chicohotsprings.com**. •



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Band of Drifters, Cactus Cuts & tribute @ Pine Creek

Another sunny season comes to a close at Pine Creek Lodge this month, an outdoor venue that allows local musicians and national acts to come together on the same stage in the name of incredible live music. If you haven't made it over to Paradise Valley yet this summer, there's still a long month of events to attend before they pack it up until next year! Here's a look at what's coming up.

The Sleepless Elite are next up on September 1st. The duo has inspiration rooted in musical theater, and the sound of artists like Paramore and Blondie, Blink-182 and the Strokes. Their unique sound can be heard on their latest release, *Still Dreaming*.

Following on Sept. 2nd are **The Gravy Ladles**. Serving up a heaping spoonful of Americana with home-cooked originals and spiced up covers, this trio brings soaring three-part harmonies over saxophone, fiddle, ukulele, djembe and more. They blend the good ole American music of bluegrass, blues, rock, reggae and funk.

Check out a midweek set with **The Bo Show** on Sept. 6th. The van-dwelling Montana musician plays solo and with fellow musicians from all over the country, sporting a constantly changing lineup of players and musical styles.

Band of Drifters performs with support from Big Ol' on Sept. 7th. The group plays modern American roots music and encourage audiences to dance. Based mostly in Montana and Tennessee, the band also includes players from all over the country, keeping the music varied in arrangement, instrumentation and regional influences. The Drifters' sets draw from country, folk and blues traditions with an emphasis on original songs, done in the old style.

Tribute group **710 Ashbury** takes the stage on Sept. 8th. The Helena-based group lays down all your classic Grateful Dead favorites with every spirited performance.

Bozeman's own **Cactus Cuts** are set for a Sept. 9th show alongside openers Abby Webster, Ryan Acker and Lee Henke of the Last Revel. The five-piece Americana folk band draws inspiration from the harmonious melodies of the Milk Carton Kids and the virtuosic guitar stylings of Doc Watson. The band weaves together intricate acoustic arrangements, compelling storytelling and lush vocal harmonies that are the perfect musical combination of modern bluegrass and old-time Americana.

Quenby and Dead Original warm up the crowd for Chicago-based **Smells Like Nirvana** on Sept. 13th. Composed of seasoned pros and die-hard fans, this live tribute to Nirvana is a haunting episode of grunge-filled angst and rock prowess played without click tracks or backing tracks – a rare trait in today's contemporary musical landscape, the philosophy Nirvana lived by.

Enjoy a solo set by tunesmith **Jay Gavin** on Sept. 14th. He writes songs for fans of real country music. The singer/songwriter is known for his natural authenticity, catchy hooks, foot stompin', autobiographical everyman songs and good timin' live shows.

Wes Urbaniak & the Mountain Folk perform on Sept. 15th. The "musical love child of Tracy Chapman and Mumford & Sons," the frontman makes noise on homemade guitars, beats on them with his hands, and tools and creates acoustic and amazing music. Urbaniak has been touring the country for years, now with the Mountain Folk, sharing their Montana music performed on locally crafted instruments from Urbaniak's shop.

Visiting from Billings, **Holland Dotson** showcases her talents on Sept. 16th. With heavy influences from her Appalachian roots, she draws inspiration from artists like Tyler Childers, Colter Wall and Chris Stapleton to create a unique sound of familiar favorites.

Stomp your feet to the music of **Walcrik** on Sept. 20th. Blending roots, Americana, bluegrass and folk music, they'll have you up and dancing one minute, then listening intently to the lyric-driven songwriting about life, love, loss and the American West.

Cole Decker tickles strings and performs for Lodge-goers on Sept. 21st. The Mississippi-born singer/songwriter pulls from his musical roots of old school country. He's influenced by the likes of Waylon Jennings and newer artists including Chris Stapleton, Brent Cobb and Jason Isbell.

Take in a Sept. 22nd show by **North Fork Crossing** with opening support by Jampoke. Their genre resides somewhere in a strange untapped musical realm between traditional bluegrass, psychedelic rock, Americana and Folk. The quintet are drawn to bluegrass reaching a younger generation, priding themselves on their unique sound being the "evolution of string band music."

A returning favorite, **Chandler Huntley** impresses with his Sept. 23rd set. With a Southern voice and Travis-picking guitar style, he draws influence from Johnny Cash, Merle Haggard, Guy Clark, John Prine, Robert Earl Keen and other country greats, from the current and past.

Taylor Burlage Trio entertains with a whimsical performance on Sept. 28th. The frontman's songwriting takes on a texture reflective of the mountains he grew up in, using their power and imagery to craft songs that navigate life, loss, joys and heartbreak of the human condition. His debut album *I Might Be Gone* released in the spring.

Closing out a busy month of shows on Sept. 29th are **Red NOT Chili Peppers** with openers Emma & the Ledge. The band pays tribute to the ultimate funk rock quartet, a band that has transcended three decades of chart-topping success and developed one of the largest die-hard fan bases in the world. Expect a show featuring the hits and high energy performance that brought the Chili Peppers international acclaim. The Red NOTs offer a sincere devotion to that classic Chili Pepper sound fans have come to expect.

Also in Paradise Valley, Pine Creek presents its ***Brunch Live Music Series***. The weekend offering regularly showcases regional musicians from 11am–1pm. Order some food and find a spot! Upcoming acts include: **Maggie Hickman** on Sept. 2nd, **Weston Lewis** Sept. 3rd, **Ryan Acker** Sept. 9th, **Cole Decker** Sept. 10th, **Chandler Huntley** Sept. 16th, **Jess Atkins** Sept. 17th, **Shelly Besler & Tony Polecastro** Sept. 23rd, **Peter King** Sept. 24th, **Kailee Failla** Sept. 30th and **Steph Yeager** on Oct. 1st. These shows are free of admission and open to the public.

All night shows begin at 7pm, unless otherwise noted. Advance admission to ticketed shows on sale now, or at the door based on availability. Select performances are free of admission. Please visit **www.pinecreeklodgemontana.com** for ticketing details, cabin reservations, and more about these and other upcoming events. •

Little Jane debuts new album with Eagles show

A legacy in Downtown Bozeman's nightlife scene, the Eagles Bar features the very best talent the Valley has to offer with regular Wednesday acoustics and weekend jamming. Here's a look at what's happening in the coming weeks.

Slip into your dancing shoes for a night of all your favorites with a **House DJ** on September 1st and 2nd. The dance floor offers plenty of room to showcase the best moves, whether you've got a partner in crime or are going solo.

Luke Flansburg delivers a solo show on Sept. 6th. He'll bring a wide variety of music ranging from funk to rock to blues. Also a member of Pinky & the Floyd, Tsunami Funk and MOTH, prepare for a fun set of covers and originals that will span the genres.

The Disruptors take the stage with back-to-back performances on Sept. 8th and 9th. The high energy band does their darndest to get audiences singing along with their wide selection of rock n' roll tunes from the '60s to now.

Also on Sept. 9th, head up to the ballroom for the **Best Damn Punk Show** beginning at 2pm. Participating bands include Special Duties, Starving Wolves, Endless Struggle, Decent Criminal, Göners ÜK, Jerk!, The Shiverz, Shocktroopers, Deadender, The Lucitones, Prints, Jug o' Piss, Death Trophy and Scuba Steve & the Shark. Presented by Go for the Throat and Blueprint to a Better Life, tickets to this 21+ event are $20 in advance or $25 at the door.

Singer/songwriter **Hannah Jo Lally** shows off her talents on Sept. 13th. From the back roads of Eastern Washington, enjoy an evening of country cuts and distinctive originals. She draws influence from the likes of Suzy Bogguss and Charley Pride, Waylon Jennings and Mary Chapin Carpenter, among others.

Enjoy the original country rock of **Dead Yellers** on Sept. 15th and 16th. Founded by frontman Peter King, the music follows a theme of courage in the face of adversity, delivered in an upbeat, western roots format, ultimately leaving the audience feeling hopeful and happy. Sometimes joined by fiddle, pedal steel, bass and harmonica, this group always brings something unique to their performances.

Local band **Little Jane & the Pistol Whips** bring their album release party to the Ballroom on Sept. 16th at 7pm. Inspired by the mountains and prairies of Montana from the winding passes to lonely dusty roads, Little Jane's new album, *The Long Road Ahead*, is a love letter to Montana. The thoughtful lyrics about life at a crossroads, sadness, hope and renewal invite the listener into the haunting lyrics. Montana-born lead singer Ashly Jane's dynamic voice has a vintage country feel like Loretta Lynn, but she can sing anything. Her breadth of ballads to barn dance top tapping tunes has delighted audiences across the Big Sky and beyond. Tickets to this show are $15 and include a copy of the new album.

Mario Miner Jr. of two-piece rock n' roll project Gallatin Ghost Train performs on Sept. 20th. Expect an evening of blues-skewing tunes and some original songs.

Head down to the Eagles to mosh with local rockers **Parahellion** on Sept. 22nd and 23rd. The shows are a perfect opportunity to blow off some steam and spend a few of those hard-earned dollars!

Another night of acoustics follows on Sept. 27th featuring the talents of **Keelan Evins**. A longtime performer in and around the Bozeman area, this songsmith delivers for his audiences and is a magician on the guitar.

Eagles favorites **Bluebelly Junction** are back Sept. 29th and 30th. The "rockabilly" group brings an arsenal of originals and personalized covers. The high-energy band tends to veer away from slow jams, other than the occasional tune.

Exercise your pipes with **Karaoke Night** sponsored by Bozeman's Best Entertainment Group, setting up at FOE every Thursday. Sing your heart out and cheer on your friends! Sign-ups start at 9pm.

The Eagles hosts **BINGO Night** every Saturday beginning at 6pm. Round the troops and ready your dobbers for a night of friendly competition.

Make sure to check out **Bridger Mountain Big Band** on Sunday nights. The ensemble performs at 7pm. The 17-piece jazz orchestra celebrates the music of Duke Ellington, Count Basie and more, with original arrangements and music of all genres from the 1900s to today. Check them out on social media for performance announcements.

Acoustic Wednesdays start at 8pm and weekend bands are on at 9pm. Head downtown for some great live music or stop in to support your local Eagles any night of the week. •

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Stand up & cheer for the 'Cats at homecoming pep rally downtown

'Tis the season for the good ole blue and gold! The Downtown Bozeman Association and Montana State University Athletics will present the **MSU Homecoming Pep Rally** at 6pm on Friday, September 29th, as the 2023 season marches toward victory.

Join for this community event to stoke excitement for Homecoming Weekend and get pumped for the big game, when the 'Cats take on Portland State on Saturday at 2pm. Coach Vigen and some of the players will help rally the crowd along with the Spirit of the West Marching Band and MSU Spirit Squad.

Head downtown to show your Bobcat spirit and be entered in a chance to win fantastic prizes from downtown business sponsors. Dress up in your favorite Bobcat merchandise and get ready to practice your game day cheers and chants for what hopes to be another successful season on the gridiron. This event is FREE and open to the public, and will go on rain or shine. Go Cats Go!

Visit **www.downtownbozeman.org** for additional details and to see what else is happening Downtown. A complete schedule of this year's 'Cat games can be found at **www.msubobcats.com** where you can check out the 2023 roster and learn more about the MSU Athletics program. •

History of Western fly fishing topic of annual Trout Lecture

From MSU News Service

Jen Brown, an environmental historian focused on the history of fisheries, animals, conservation and natural resource policy, will present **"The History of Western Fly Fishing in Five Flies"** at 7pm Thursday, September 14th, in Norm Asbjornson Hall, Room 165, at Montana State University. The event is part of the MSU Library Trout and Salmonid Lecture Series and is free and open to the public. A reception will follow.

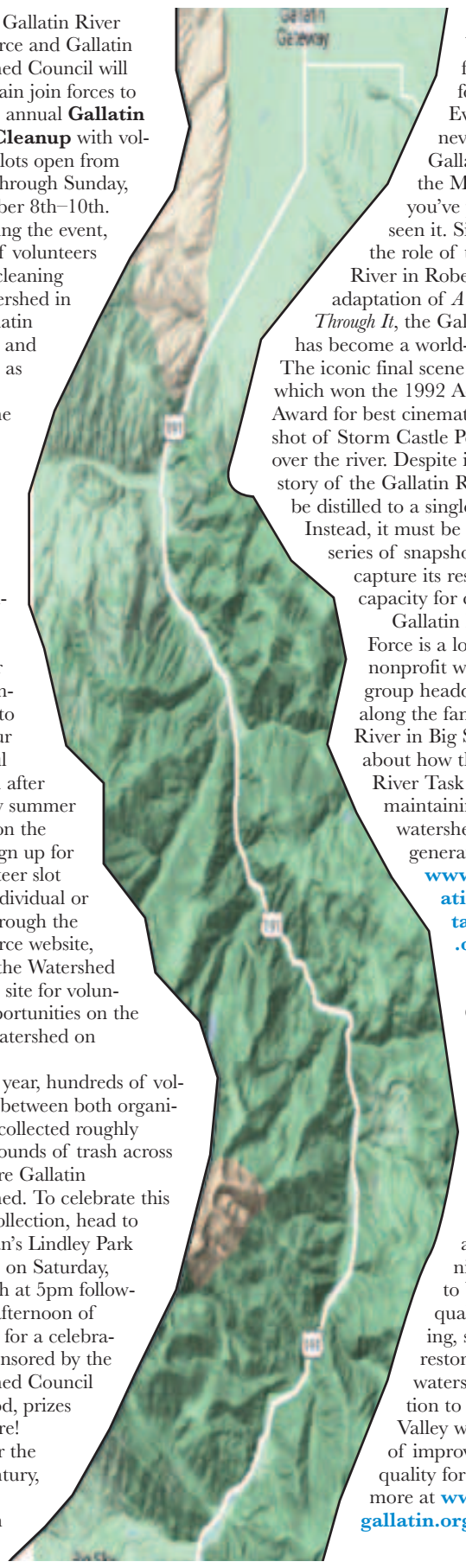
Brown is an associate professor of history at Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi. She is the author of *Trout Culture: How Fly Fishing Forever Changed the Rocky Mountain West* and the writer and producer of The Gulf Podcast, which uses oral history to focus on the people and nature on the Texas Gulf Coast. She is also working on a book about dolphins, in which she tells the story of a largely forgotten release of two laboratory dolphins in Hawaii in 1977 to show how dolphins became beloved during the age of ecology.

Brown has a bachelor's degree in social science from the University of Montana-Western, a master's degree in history from MSU and a doctorate in history from Washington State University.

Through the annual Trout Lecture, the library strives to address all aspects of trout and salmonids and to represent the diversity of angling culture. Thanks to contributions from donors, the Sept. 14th event is free and open to the public.

Seating is limited and preregistration is encouraged. Guests can register online at **www.montana.edu/calendar/events/46951**. For information on the MSU Library's Trout and Salmonid Collection, visit **lib.montana.edu/trout**. •

Lend a hand for the Gallatin River's annual tidying effort



The Gallatin River Task Force and Gallatin Watershed Council will once again join forces to host the annual **Gallatin River Cleanup** with volunteer slots open from Friday through Sunday, September 8th–10th.

During the event, teams of volunteers will be cleaning the watershed in the Gallatin Canyon and Big Sky, as well as along the lower watershed. The cleanup is a great opportunity to work together as a community to clean our beautiful Gallatin after the busy summer season on the river. Sign up for a volunteer slot as an individual or team through the Task Force website, or visit the Watershed Council site for volunteer opportunities on the lower watershed on 2–4pm.

Last year, hundreds of volunteers between both organizations collected roughly 4,000 pounds of trash across the entire Gallatin Watershed. To celebrate this year's collection, head to Bozeman's Lindley Park Pavilion on Saturday, Sept. 9th at 5pm following an afternoon of cleanup for a celebration sponsored by the Watershed Council with food, prizes and more!

Over the past century, the Gallatin River has become a famous hub for recreation. Even if you've never fished the Gallatin or rafted the Mad Mile, you've probably seen it. Since playing the role of the Blackfoot River in Robert Redford's adaptation of *A River Runs Through It*, the Gallatin River has become a world-class brand. The iconic final scene of the film, which won the 1992 Academy Award for best cinematography, is a shot of Storm Castle Peak towering over the river. Despite its fame, the story of the Gallatin River cannot be distilled to a single image. Instead, it must be told as a series of snapshots, which capture its resilience and capacity for change.

Gallatin River Task Force is a locally led nonprofit watershed group headquartered along the famous Gallatin River in Big Sky. Learn about how the Gallatin River Task Force is maintaining a healthy watershed for future generations at **www.gallatinrivertaskforce.org**.

Greater Gallatin Watershed Council is a Bozeman-based nonprofit that works with local volunteers, landowners and community partners to bring water quality monitoring, stream restoration, and watershed education to the Gallatin Valley with the goal of improving water quality for all. Learn more at **www.greatergallatin.org**. •

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Talented Bobcats primed for another deep playoff run - 2023 Bobcat Preview

by Danny Waldo

It's been eight months since the **Montana State Bobcats** trudged off the field in Brookings, SD, one step short of a return trip to the FCS National Championship in Frisco, TX, but head coach Brent Vigen's crew is reloaded and ready to make another deep playoff run in 2023.

Last season, Montana State surprised some after ascending to the top of the Big Sky Conference, finishing with a perfect 8-0 record in league play. There will be no such surprises this fall as league coaches and media members have both picked the Bobcats to repeat as league champions. However, the road to Frisco will not be an easy one as the 'Cats must replace key contributors on both sides of the ball, in addition to replacing one of the top assistant coaches in the country in offensive line coach Brian Armstrong, all while navigating the toughest schedule in the conference. Montana State faces four league opponents who joined the 'Cats in the FCS playoffs, in addition to a return trip to Brookings in Week 2 to face the defending national champion South Dakota State Jackrabbits.

But nobody outside of Bozeman is feeling sorry for the Bobcats given the success they've experienced in Vigen's first two seasons at the helm (24-5, 15-1 Conference), and the talent they have remaining on the roster entering the 2023 season. Seven Bobcats garnered Preseason All-Big Sky accolades, with six also earning Preseason All-American nods. Junior quarterback Tommy Mellott has landed on the Preseason Walter Payton watch list, while junior defensive tackle Sebastian Valdez has earned a spot on the Preseason Buck Buchanan list. Both will be counted on heavily to lead their respective units, but each will have plenty of help in keeping the Bobcats on top of the Big Sky in MSU's quest to get back to Frisco in January.

OFFENSE

While the Isaiah Ifanse era is officially over in Bozeman, a number of capable backs remain to keep the Bobcat ground game churning in 2023. Montana State boasted the top rushing attack in the nation last season, led by the two-headed monster at quarterback, Tommy Mellott (1,140 yds) and Sean Chambers (899 yds). Both return to MSU's backfield, as does third leading rusher Elijah Elliott (744 yds) and fourth leading rusher Lane Sumner (439 yds) who was limited by injuries for a good portion of the 2022 season. Additionally, Marqui Johnson, who contributed 426 yards on just 32 carries last fall, could see his workload increase in '23 giving the 'Cats another explosive option out of the backfield.

All of MSU's backs will benefit from the return of an experienced offensive line anchored by Justus Perkins, Rush Reimer, JT Reed and Omar Aigbedion, all of whom started at least one game last fall. The big question mark will be how will the rushing attack continue to evolve under the leadership of new offensive line coach Al Johnson, who comes to Bozeman via Wisconsin where he coached running backs in 2022 after starring on the Badger offensive line in the early 2000s. Johnson has big shoes to fill after the departure of Brian Armstrong who molded MSU's offensive line into one of the most formidable units in the country, and parlayed that success into a new gig at Fresno State.

Not only did the Bobcats' offensive line excel at creating advantages in the run game, they also proved worthy at providing time for Mellott and Chambers to spread the ball around to a variety of receivers, led by Willie Patterson, who led the 'Cats in receptions and yards in 2022. While Patterson has moved onto NFL Europe, a number of potential replacements return, most notably Clevan Thomas Jr. and Derryk Snell who each snagged 22 receptions last season, tied for third on the team. The Bobcats' passing attack could also see a boost in production thanks to a pair of FBS transfers in Lonyatta Alexander Jr. (Washington/Arizona St.) and Tyler McCullouch (Colorado State), as well as the emergence of Christian Anaya, a redshirt freshman who saw limited action in 2022.

Overall, there is enough talent on the offensive side of the ball to keep the 'Cats at the top of most statistical categories in the FCS and provide the firepower needed to make another serious run at the national championship.

DEFENSE

The biggest question mark for Montana State's defense entering the 2022 season was who could replace the production of all-everything linebacker Troy Andersen, and Callahan O'Reilly was the answer. Now, in 2023 the Bobcats are looking for O'Reilly's replacement, and they may not need to look very far from the family tree, as younger brother McCade O'Reilly appears ready to step into the spotlight as part of another strong Bobcat linebacking corp. Senior Nolan Askelson will be the anchor of the Bobcat linebackers, and will don the Bobcats' famous No. 41 jersey for his final season, but he'll receive plenty of help from O'Reilly, as well as Danny Uluilakepa and junior college transfer Cole Bullock.

But the strength of the 'Cats defense may be found on the defensive line, where junior Sebastian Valdez has developed himself into one of the most disruptive forces in the FCS. Valdez is a preseason Buck Buchanan candidate after a strong 2022 where he logged 10 tackles for loss and 7.5 sacks from his defensive tackle position. Valdez is sure to face more double teams and attention from opposing offensive lines, freeing up defensive ends Brody Grebe and Kenneth Eiden IV to increase their sack totals from 2022. The duo combined for 7 sacks last season, but will be counted on to provide greater pressure in 2023.

The unit looking to prove itself the most coming into the 2023 season is the Bobcat secondary. Victims of a number of big plays in the passing game last season, the 'Cats secondary would love nothing more than to prove they are not the weakest link of what could be a salty defensive unit. Led by junior Simeon Woodard, who enters his third fall as a starter at cornerback, the Bobcats have the depth and experience to lock down opposing receivers and give the defensive line more time to pressure the quarterback. Level Price and Dru Polidore both saw extensive action at the safety position, and junior Rylan Ortt started the final six games at safety after returning from suspension. Ortt's production looks to increase with a full slate of games. A trio of young corners will be fighting for time opposite Woodard to man the cornerback position.

SPECIAL TEAMS

The Bobcats' special teams unit is experiencing addition by subtraction following the departures of Bryce Leighton and Blake Glessner and the arrival of FBS transfer Brendan Hall. Hall comes to Bozeman from SMU and boasts a booming leg that has earned him the nod at punter and placekicker for the 2023 season.

The kick return game is in flux to start the season as well due to offseason shoulder surgery that will sideline last season's leading returner Taco Dowler for at least the first four weeks of the season. A potential replacement for Dowler could be Colorado State transfer Tyler McCullouch who boasts game breaking speed as well.

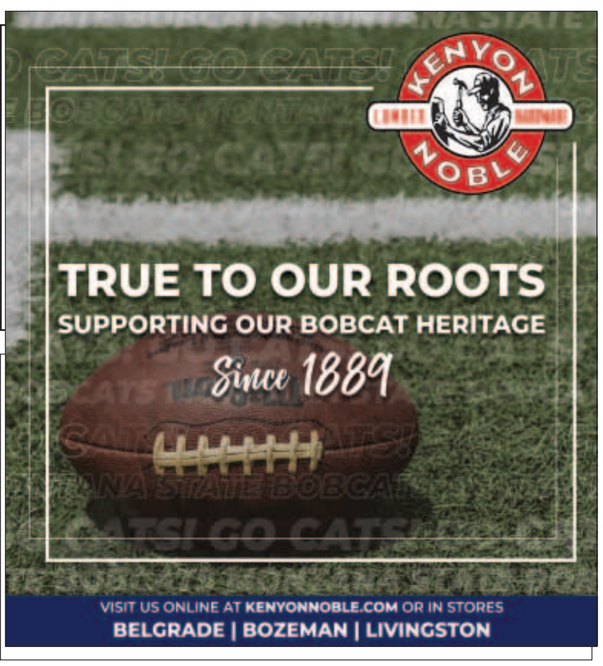
OUTLOOK

As hard as it may be to believe, Brent Vigen's third team in Bozeman may be his most talented. Vigen and his staff have made a concerted effort to increase roster depth at all positions to prepare for a deep playoff run, and their work continues to pay off. However, the Bobcats will face one of the most difficult schedules in the FCS, beginning with a Week 2 trip to Brookings, SD, to face the defending national champions. That contest versus SDSU should provide a great litmus test for where Montana State's national title hopes lie. If they can survive that test, then they should be able to handle their conference slate that includes road games at Sacramento State, Weber State, Idaho and Montana, all of whom were playoff participants a year ago, but the potential for a slip up is real and the likelihood of an undefeated conference season appears iffy. But with each of those four teams playing at least one common opponent, one would expect the Bobcats to earn their second straight Big Sky Conference championship, return to Frisco, TX, and take home their first national title since 1984.

The Bobcats' season kicks off with the annual 'Gold Rush' game, Saturday, September 2nd, vs. Utah Tech at 6pm in Bobcat Stadium. For a complete schedule of Bobcat athletics, log onto **www.msubobcats.com.** •

2023 Bobcats Football Schedule

09/02/23	vs Utah Tech TrailBlazers Annual Gold Rush Game	6pm MT	MSU____ Opp____	BOZEMAN BOBCAT STADIUM ESPN+, SWX MONTANA Bobcat Radio Network
09/09/23	@ South Dakota State Jackrabbits	5pm MT	MSU____ Opp____	Dana J. Dykhoiuse Stadium Brookings, South Dakota MTN Stations, ESPN+ Bobcat Radio Network
09/16/23	vs Stetson U Hatters Military Appreciation	1pm MT	MSU____ Opp____	BOZEMAN BOBCAT STADIUM ESPN+, SWX MONTANA Bobcat Radio Network
09/23/23	@ *Weber State Wildcats	6pm MT	MSU____ Opp____	Stewart Stadium, Ogden Utah MTN Stations, ESPN+ Bobcat Radio Network
09/30/23	vs *Portland State Vikings Homecoming	2pm MT	MSU____ Opp____	BOZEMAN BOBCAT STADIUM MTN Stations, ESPN+ Bobcat Radio Network
10/14/23	vs *Cal Poly Mustangs Parent/Family Weekend	6pm MT	MSU____ Opp____	BOZEMAN BOBCAT STADIUM MTN Stations, ESPN+ Bobcat Radio Network
10/21/23	@ *Sacramento State Hornets	8:30pm MT	MSU____ Opp____	Hornet Stadium, Sacramento, Ca ESPN2 Bobcat Radio Network
10/28/23	@ *Idaho Vandals	2pm MT	MSU____ Opp____	Kibbie Dome, Moscow, ID MTN Stations, ESPN+ Bobcat Radio Network,
11/04/23	vs *Northern Arizona Lumberjacks Pack the Place in Pink /Ag Appreciation	1pm MT	MSU____ Opp____	BOZEMAN BOBCAT STADIUM MTN Stations, ESPN+ Bobcat Radio Network
11/12/22	vs *Eastern Washington Eagles Senior Day	1pm MT	MSU____ Opp____	BOZEMAN BOBCAT STADIUM MTN Stations, ESPN+ Bobcat Radio Network
11/18/22	@ *MONTANA Grizzlies	12pm MT (NOON)	MSU____ Opp____	Washington Grizzly Stadium, Missoula, MT MTN Stations, ESPN+ Bobcat Radio Network



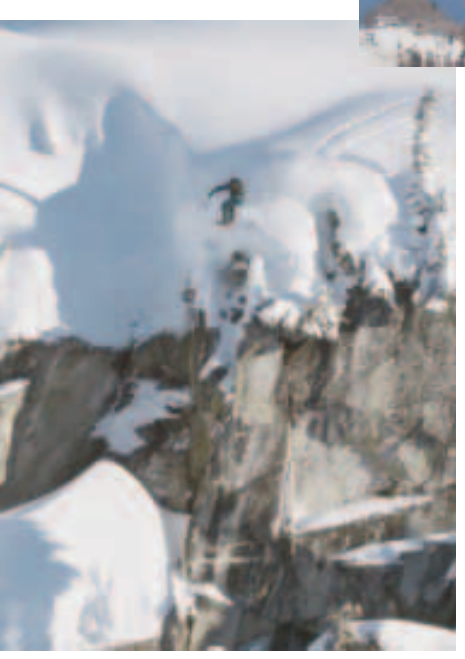
TGR brings new adventure film to Emerson ahead of winter rec season

Click in, Bozeman! On Friday and Saturday, September 22nd and 23rd, join Teton Gravity Research at the Emerson Center for the Arts & Culture to experience the new ski and snowboard film, ***Legend Has It***, on the big screen. This will be thee kick-off celebration for all winter sport aficionados.

TGR's 28th annual film release features an array of awe-inspiring locations, including Patagonia, the California Sierra, Pakistan and TGR's backyard, Jackson Hole. Their elite team of athletes pushes the boundaries in some of the wildest terrain across the globe, helped by the winter of 22/23 that provided record-breaking storm cycles in iconic locations. *Legend Has It* features stunning cinematography, mind-blowing scenery and TGR's most progressive riding to date.

The TGR team chased lines in the Sierra Nevada during California's snowiest winter on record, rode bottomless powder in the Tetons, explored classic Alaskan spines in the Chugach Mountains and Coast Range, ventured deep into Colorado's backcountry, and embarked on far-flung expeditions in Patagonia and the Karakoram in Pakistan.

Legend Has It features world-renowned skiers and riders such as Kai Jones, Ian Mcintosh, Nick McNutt, Parkin Costain, Griffin Post, Janelle Yip, Jeremy Jones, Tim Durtschi, Colter Hinchliffe, Maggie Voisin and many more who pushed their limits to create this film. The film showcases insight into athlete personalities and their relentless commitment to adventure.



Legend Has It will screen at the Emerson Center on Sept. 22nd and 23rd, with early 6:30pm showings and late shows to follow at 9pm. Tickets are $15 in advance, $20 day of show, and $10 for youth 16 and under. Doors at 6pm and 8:30pm, respectively. Visit **www.tetongravity.com** to reserve your seat.

Whether you choose to come to the family friendly early show or to get rowdy at the late show, it's sure to be a great night. As always, there will be athlete appearances and a ton of prize giveaways from Sierra Nevada, YETI, Tincup Whiskey, Atomic and Volkl, among others. Plus, everyone in attendance will have a shot at the tour grand prizes including a Nissan Pathfinder Rock Creek edition and a trip to TGR's hometown Jackson Hole Mountain Resort.

One of the world's leading action sports brands, Teton Gravity Research has produced dozens of award-winning feature-length films, numerous television series, and national television commercial spots. •

Barbie World' comes to Bozeman with Roller Derby's season closer

Going out with a vibrant bang, Gallatin Roller Derby hosts its final home bout of the 2023 season with a double-header. Dress in pink and sparkles for **Barbie's Roller Derby Dreambout** on Saturday, September 9th at the Gallatin County Fairgrounds' Haynes Pavilion. Beginning at 5:30pm, Team Montana takes on Happy Valley followed by Barbie vs. Addams Family at 7:30pm.

Wear classic pink, or give Beach Barbie in a Hawaiian shirt, or 80s aerobics Barbie in neon leg warmers! Kens also welcome. Costumed attendees aged 18+ get first crack at limited trackside seating (aka the Danger Zone). This family friendly event features a food truck, no-host bar by the American Legion, raffles, games and prizes.

Tickets for the Barbie Dreambout are $10 in advance at **www.grderby.com** or $15 at the door. Kids age 10 and under are admitted free. Doors open at 5pm.

A portion of event proceeds will benefit Gallatin Valley Food Bank. The local nonprofit, whose mission is to improve food security throughout Southwest Montana, is the critical link between food and the people who need it.

Gallatin Roller Derby is nonprofit organization and member of the Women's Flat Track Derby Association. For more information about women's flat track roller derby and Gallatin Roller Derby, visit the aforementioned website or find them on social media. •

Last call for local produce & novelties as farmers' market season sunsets

Though we've seen some smoky skies in the waning weeks of summer, locals have still been able to enjoy the sunny outdoors we look forward to every season. That being said, the days of short sleeves and flip-flops are running thin. The farmers' markets of Southwest Montana bring the locals together in Bozeman, Livingston and communities beyond with regular outdoor events. Read on to see where you can get your final fixes of garden-fresh produce, fantastic food, novelty items, live entertainment and more.

The original **Gallatin Valley Farmers' Market** open its gates on Saturday mornings from 9am–noon, with season-ending events set for September 2nd and 9th. The market takes place at the Gallatin County Fairgrounds in Bozeman. Serving the community for more than four decades, the popular market provides an opportunity and location for numerous local vendors of homemade food, handmade crafts, and locally grown produce to market, display and sell their goods to promote economic well-being and support the development of home-based businesses.

Concluding on September 5th and 12th, **Bozeman Farmers' Market** is held Tuesday evenings in Lindley Park. Market hours are from 5–8pm. Dedicated to the promotion of local growers, artisans, crafters, nonprofits, small businesses, food artisans and musicians, this local favorite is a fantastic way to support our community. These markets feature fresh produce from local farmers, arts & crafts, dinner options and more. Grab some groceries, get that gift made locally for an upcoming birthday, and kick back with a bite under the summer sky!

Western Sustainability Exchange's **Livingston Farmers Market** is held Wednesday nights in Miles Park Band Shell with finale events on September 6th and 13th. The event begins at 4:30pm and runs through 7:30pm rain, wind or shine. This destination event features locally grown produce and meats, baked goods, prepared foods, beer, arts and crafts vendors, and much more! It's a great place to stock up on locally grown foods, shop from local artisans, or just relax and enjoy the view of the Yellowstone River and Absaroka Mountains.

Also on Wednesdays, the **Big Sky Farmers Market** takes over the Town Center Plaza from 5–8pm. Remaining events are scheduled for September 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th. Every year, numerous vendors including local and regional farmers, professional artisans, young artists and entrepreneurs, and community organizations come together to help foster and maintain a market that's true to Big Sky mountain culture. Expect to find fresh produce, herbs, plants, flowers, baked goods, art, jewelry, and clothing, as well as Montana-made products like antler art, woodworking and so much more.

All markets are FREE of admission, so be sure to attend one of these awesome weekly events as summer concludes in support of your fellow citizens! Follow your market of choice on social media for event updates. •

Modern handcrafted market settles in for annual fall showcase

Shop creations from hundreds of regional artists at the annual Bozeman Fall MADE fair at Brick Breeden Fieldhouse

The **Bozeman Fall MADE fair** has been announced for early next month, with event organizers excited to connect artists with the Gallatin Valley community once again. The event will take place at Brick Breeden Fieldhouse on Friday and Saturday, October 6th and 7th. Friday is VIP Night from 5–8pm, with early bird admission on Saturday at 9am and general admission from 10am–4pm.

Shop and discover a curated collection of 195+ local and regional artists. You can expect to see everything from affordable, functional works of art to fine heirloom pieces at the show. Make a day of it with your friends and enjoy strolling the aisles and supporting your local artists.

Though entry and parking are free to attendees during the main Saturday event, those interested in a head start on shopping can purchase a $10 Friday VIP Pass for an exclusive shopping experience from 5–8pm the night before the event opens to the public. Beat the crowds with a $5 Early Bird Pass to gain entry from 9–10am on Saturday. Proceeds will benefit Random Acts of Silliness, a theater and visual arts organization inspiring laughter and play in the Gallatin Valley. Attendees: please bring a non-perishable food item to help support the Gallatin Valley Food Bank.

Visit **www.handmademontana.com** for additional details, access to VIP tickets, and to pre-shop all of the participating artists.

The MADE fair is a modern art and handcrafted market featuring local and regional artists and makers. Events are a curated collection of skilled artisans as well as a handful of non-profits. The MADE fair's mission is to increase awareness of handmade goods as an alternative to mass-produced items and support local and regional small craft businesses by providing a place to sell their goods.

handMADE Montana provides opportunities to artists of all levels, from the hobbyist to the seasoned professional. It has been awarded 'Retailer of the Year' by the Made in Montana program. •