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## Leap into colorful amphibian world with MOR

Alongside its famed Siebel Dinosaur Complex, Museum of the Rockies offers visitors a new changing exhibition to engage with in the new year. *FROGS: A Chorus of Colors* opens February 6th. A members-only preview event will be held the evening prior. Here's a closer look at what's in store.

Leap into a vibrant, multisensory world of live frogs from around the globe! Discover singing, camouflaged, and wildly colorful frogs in habitats filled with live plants and

rainforest vibes. Play with hands-on interactives, trigger real frog calls, and get nose-to-nose with nature's most surprising superstars.

Explore every side of these amazing amphibians – their biology, natural history, role in human cultures, importance to ecosystems, and the threats they face in a changing world. This immersive adventure is fun, fascinating, and ribbit-ing for all ages.

And mark your calendars! The 5th annual **Dinosaurs & MOR! Festival** takes over the museum late

next month. Explore the fascinating world of dinosaurs with expert presentations, family friendly workshops and passport stations, a special dinner and much more. The Festival will take place March 27th–29th. Find additional information and ticketing access through the host website. Stay tuned for details.

MOR is open from 9am–5pm daily. For more information about these exhibits and other museum happenings, visit [www.museumoftherockies.org](http://www.museumoftherockies.org).

## Full-hearted auction benefits Reach Inc

Celebrating its sixth decade of service to the Gallatin Valley community, Reach Inc. once again presents its annual art auction benefit at The Commons with an in-person showcase featuring the work of local artists and makers. The 15th annual **Have a Heart Art Auction** will be held Saturday, February 7th beginning at 6:30pm.

The event will include both live and silent auction featuring art from the Bozeman area and beyond. All participating artists have agreed to

donate one hundred percent of art sales to support Reach and the adults with developmental disabilities they serve. While warm weather may not be available, warm hearts will abound at this lively celebration of community and creativity.

Auction admission is \$40 with delicious appetizers and refreshments available to event-goers. Purchase tickets and participate in the bidding by registering at [ReachArt2026.givesmart.com](http://ReachArt2026.givesmart.com) where you can preview all auction

items. Event dress is business casual.

Established in 1974, Reach Inc. has grown to serve numerous clients in need. They support people 18 years or older who are diagnosed with an intellectual disability by providing residential, vocational, and transportation services. With its vocational Work Center, full-service residential facilities, and a growing fleet of vehicles, Reach provides substantial community support for adults with developmental disabilities.

## Shane screens riveting indie thriller

The Livingston Film Series will present the next in its free screening series with *Abroad* on Thursday, February 12th. The film begins at 7pm at the Shane Lalani Center for the Arts.

*Abroad* is a gripping, low-budget indie thriller that keeps you on the edge of your seat. Despite its modest production, the film excels in creating tension with its tight script and clever pacing.

The lead actor's performance is impressive, particularly in portraying

a character consumed by obsession with great subtlety. The minimalist set design and dark lighting enhance the eerie atmosphere, emphasizing feelings of isolation and unease. While the film occasionally relies on familiar clichés, it more than makes up for it with clever twists and a suspenseful, satisfying conclusion.

While *Abroad* may lack the flashy visuals of big-budget thrillers, it more than compensates with its smart storytelling and intense atmosphere. It's a must-watch for fans of tension-filled

mysteries. Continuing its latest season of screening independent features, documentaries, local films and vintage classics, doors open at 6:30pm with screenings to follow at 7pm.

Admission is free, but donations are gratefully accepted. Concessions available. For more information, please visit [www.theshanecenter.org](http://www.theshanecenter.org).

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

## Symphony's free Community Concert returns

The Bozeman Symphony will present its annual free Community Concert featuring Dan Brown's *Wild Symphony* on Saturday, February 21st, at the Willson Auditorium. Conducted by Music Director Norman Huynh and narrated by Riley O'Toole, Associate Artistic Director of Montana Shakespeare in the Parks, the program is designed for children ages 5–12 and provides an engaging introduction to orchestral music for audiences of all ages.

*Wild Symphony* brings nearly two dozen musical portraits from the animal kingdom to life on stage and is quickly becoming a modern children's classic. Audiences will journey from the joyful rhythms of "Bouncing Kangaroo," to the mysterious melodies of "Wondrous Whale," and the hair-raising harmonies of "Brilliant Bat." The music is inspired by Brown's *New York Times* bestselling children's book of the same name, which features vibrant illustrations that complement the score.

Concertgoers are encouraged to come dressed as their favorite animal or those from *Wild Symphony*: Mouse, Woodbird, Kangaroo, Kittens, Ray, Hippo, Frogs, Ostrich, Armadillo, Boar, Ponies, Whale, Cheetah, Elephant, Rat, Beetles, Spiders, Bat, Swan and Cricket.

Brown, best known as the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Da Vinci Code*, reveals another side of his creativity as a lifelong musician and composer. *Wild Symphony* reflects his early inspiration from beloved works such as *Peter and the Wolf*, *The Carnival of the Animals* and *The Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra*.

Also returning to the Community Concert this year is

the Bozeman Symphony's Instrument Petting Zoo, offered before, between, and after each performance. Young attendees can explore orchestral instruments up close with the help of knowledgeable "instrument zookeepers." Children will have the chance to touch instruments, learn proper holding techniques, identify instrument families, and even try making music themselves.

"For more than 30 years, the Bozeman Symphony has presented free community concerts to inspire young people and create opportunities for everyone to experience the joy of symphonic music," said Executive Director Jacob Blaser. "These performances often spark a child's interest in playing an instrument, creating a ripple effect that uplifts and unites generations. It's one of the most rewarding ways we fulfill our mission."

Two public performances of *Wild Symphony* will take place on Saturday, Feb. 21st, at 10:30am and 1pm at the Willson Auditorium in Downtown Bozeman. In addition, all area fourth graders will attend a special concert on Thursday, Feb. 19th.

These events are made possible through the generous support of sponsors Calum & Tricia DeSouza, Bob & Donna Ritchie, Bruce and Kimberlie Jodar, and the Arne & Steffi Siegel Endowment of the Montana Community Foundation. The Bozeman Symphony also thanks Eckroth Music for providing instruments and staff for the Instrument Petting Zoo.

Admission is free, but tickets are required. Reserve seats at [www.bozemansymphony.org](http://www.bozemansymphony.org) or call (406) 585-9774. •

## Montana Shakes! presents special performance

Montana Shakespeare in the Parks invites the community to attend a FREE performance of their spring Montana Shakes! program, *Good in Everything*, an original play based on *As You Like It*, directed by Matt Foss. The event is set for Monday,

February 16th, at Christus Collegium in Bozeman. Doors will open at 12:45pm before the 1pm performance. Seating is first-come, first-served. Run time is 45 minutes will be followed by a post-show talkback with the actors. Created for grades K-6,

families are sure to delight in this interactive, fun play!

No outside food or drink is allowed, aside from water bottles. A parking holiday permit has been approved by the City, so people may park along the street without being ticketed.

A special thank you to Christus Collegium for hosting this special community event, and to Thrive for acting as presenting sponsor.

The Montana Shakes! program brings interactive, original plays based on Shakespeare's

plays to 60 elementary schools each spring. The plays introduce Shakespeare to young people in a way that is based on engagement and not apprehension. Learn more about the program at [www.shakespeareintheparks.org](http://www.shakespeareintheparks.org).

## Montana State University brings tastes of the world to campus

From MSU News Service

From Vietnamese pho to Greek halloumi flatbread to French crepes, there will be something for everyone at Montana State University's annual **International Food Bazaar** on Wednesday, February 18th.

The event will be held in MSU's Miller Dining Commons and Rendezvous Dining Pavilion from 4:30 to 7:30pm. It is open to the public and requires paid admission

to the dining halls.

Adult admission is \$17 for entry into one dining hall or \$25 for both dining halls. Admission for children ages 5-13 is \$15; children up to age 4 are admitted free. Students with residential meal plans can access the bazaar by swiping their CatCard, as they would for a standard meal.

Culinary staples from more than 25 countries will be represented at the bazaar. MSU Culinary Services

will prepare food for the event, which is put on with the support of the MSU Office of International Programs to celebrate the university's diverse student body.

"The International Food Bazaar is a fantastic opportunity to bring people together through a shared experience – food – while celebrating the cultural and culinary traditions of our many wonderful international students," said Sally

Mudiamu, dean of global engagement and international programs at MSU. "The event embodies our international mission of 'bringing Montana to the world and the world to Montana.' We hope to foster conversation, curiosity and meaningful cross-cultural exchange through this decades-long tradition on campus."

Miller Dining Commons will feature cuisine from Thailand, Malaysia, Vietnam, Philippines,

Indonesia, Argentina, Turkey, Greece, Brazil, Iran, India and Pakistan.

Rendezvous Dining Pavilion will feature dishes from Germany, Nepal, Ethiopia, Italy, China, Tanzania, Ghana, Nigeria, Uganda, Morocco, France, Sri Lanka and South Korea.

For questions or additional information, visit

[www.montana.edu/international/foodbazaar.html](http://www.montana.edu/international/foodbazaar.html).

## PK features Venezuelan tour, Montana music venues

In a timely presentation, Bozeman oncologist and Venezuela native William Conkright will showcase his country's natural beauty, culture and history at back-to-back presentations this month.

Conkright is one of eleven presenters at the next **PechaKucha Night(s)**. The events will be held at Downtown Bozeman's Ellen Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday, February 18th and 19th. Both shows

begin at 6:40pm and feature the same lineup of speakers each night.

Much natural beauty can be found right in our own state. Matt Peters will give us a tour of some of Montana's greatest venues for music, ranging from Pine Creek Lodge, to a 9,000-person forest oasis.

Of course, beauty is in the eyes of the beholder, or so the saying goes. Few have ever imagined needing to wear a prosthetic eye in a cul-

ture where eye contract is so important. But Melissa Butynski will introduce us to the surprisingly hilarious and evolving world of ocular prosthetics, which offer a novel means of self-expression.

Sometimes you just need to get away from it all, and Karen May has the perfect vehicle – a 1949 International Harvester pick-up truck she calls "Rusty." Karen will describe the two-year process of bringing Rusty back to life and the many adventures she and Rusty have shared.

In keeping with this "retro" theme, Ron Harms will recount his life as a country doctor in northern Wisconsin and give an old timer's perspective on healthcare today.

Auctioneering is another profes-

sion that has changed greatly over the years. Craig Mandeville, who grew up in the auction business, will trace its history from Babylonian times to eBay.

Dog mushing also reminds us of a bygone era. Lisa Trankley will tell of her unique and humorous struggles racing a small sprint team in the 1990s.

This PechaKucha features two presentations that focus on raising children outside of the traditional school. Jamie Hetherington will recall the story of Victor, "the wild boy" of Aveyron discovered in the forests of Southern France circa 1800. The boy, once dismissed as "hopeless," became the subject of a landmark experiment that would forever change the landscape of

education.

Here in Bozeman, many parents continue to look for new approaches to educate their children. Ciera Krinke will explore why the school day feels misaligned for so many families. She argues that understanding the origins of schools helps us rethink what learning could look like.

It's not just children who can benefit from a new approach. Tricia Williamson, a school counselor for 20 years, helped create Felines and Foliage for Fulfillment (4F), a non-profit that partners with local therapists to refer clients to "cat enrichment sessions" and pairs people to work on gardening projects.

Gardening is close to Tori Pintar's heart as well. Two years ago, Tori and her husband began converting their turf grass into raised vegetable gardens and perennial drought tolerant plant beds. Like any DIY project, it took much longer than anticipated, cost more, and gave them far more than tomatoes, including some unexpected visitors.

Terry Cunningham, who just completed his term as Bozeman's mayor, will serve as emcee of this PK Night, which is sponsored by Gallatin Valley Earth Day. Tickets are available at [www.theellentheatre.com](http://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! •



**Cinematic Legends: The Music of Hans Zimmer & Ennio Morricone**

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## Wild weekend of sales returns to Downtown

The Downtown Bozeman Association, downtown merchants and restaurants are proud to present **Winter Crazy Days 2026**. Featuring countless merchants, it's the biggest and best seasonal sale – set this year for Friday through Sunday, February 20th–22nd with deals each day (participant hours may vary).

Whether you've been eyeing that ski jacket all season, plan to revel in a date night outing with your sweetheart or just want to score some great deals, Downtown Bozeman will have something for everyone on this fun weekend of local shopping. Find special dine-in and take-out menus and the best deals on winter

merchandise.

This event is FREE and open to the public, and will go on snow or shine. Please visit [www.down](http://www.down)



[townbozeman.org](http://townbozeman.org) for details about what to expect from this year's offerings, as well as information about participating businesses.

Annual DBA special events

include: the Christmas Stroll, Bridal Walk, Crazy Days, Art Walk series, Music on Main, Cruisin' on Main car show, and many more. The DBA also administers the Downtown Dollars program and several other downtown enhancement programs.

A member of the Downtown Bozeman Partnership, the purpose of the Downtown Bozeman Association (DBA) is to promote Downtown Bozeman as a center of business, culture and entertainment; to conduct and promote activities and events that build a strong local economy; and to contribute to the well-being, growth and vitality of Downtown Bozeman. •

## Doc Series titles speak to Ogenerational realities

The Bozeman Doc Series continues on Thursday, February 5th, at the Emerson Center for the Arts & Culture, with the Montana premiere of the award-winning new doc, *Remaining Native*. The film screens at 7pm.

Ku Stevens, a 17-year-old Native American runner living on the Yerington Paiute reservation in northwest Nevada, hopes that his dream school, the University of Oregon, will recognize his talent and recruit him. But as Ku trains, he confronts unreconciled emotions as he recalls his great-grandfather Frank Quinn's story.

At only 8 years old, Quinn ran 50 miles across desert to escape an Indian boarding school. That journey becomes interwoven with Ku's own ambition to not only run a collegiate-qualifying time but to connect past, present and future. Ku sets his sights on recreating his great-grandfather's flight to freedom, as the young athlete embraces



his Native identity and runs with it, reconnecting with his family history.

"Utterly absorbing... both an inspiring coming-of-age story and impactful history lesson." – *Variety*

Following at 7pm on Sunday, February 22nd, at the Emerson, enjoy the Montana premiere of the Sundance Grand Jury Award winner and currently Best Documentary Oscar-shortlisted new film, *Seeds*.

Interweaving the stories of three Black generational farmers to create a collective and intimate portrait of farming today, *Seeds* is a moving and powerful exploration of their lives, joys and struggles as well as the fragility of legacy and owning land.

With remarkable intimacy, the film documents their everyday lives

– cotton harvesting, chasing cows, dealing with broken machinery, and financial precarities. The camera relishes simple moments – conversations through car windows, candy from grandma's purse as it captures moments of warmth, joy, and fulfillment – turning them into striking vignettes that honor the families' connection to the land and each other.

"A remarkable portrait of America's oldest Black farmers and the resilience they exhibit... an incredibly rewarding journey, a film indebted to the past that feels brilliantly alive." – *Indiewire*

Doors open at 6:30pm. Tickets are available at the door or before the show online at [www.bozeman-docseries.org](http://www.bozeman-docseries.org), where you can also buy Season Passes and 7-film punch cards, learn more about the series, and view trailers for upcoming films. The series will continue every other week through April. •

group of impoverished, artistic friends living in Manhattan's East Village. Mark, an aspiring filmmaker, struggles to find his place in the world; his roommate Roger, an HIV-positive musician, wonders how he will leave his mark before he dies. Mimi and Angel look for true love as they face the harsh reality of life as HIV-positive young people, while the businesslike Joanne seeks fidelity from her wild-child performance artist girlfriend Maureen.

## Blue Slipper stages quietly powerful suburban story

The stage is set as Livingston's Blue Slipper Theatre presents the next production in its new season with Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright David Auburn's *Summer, 1976* this month. Performances are set for February 20th through March 1st. Friday and Saturday shows will begin at 7:30pm, with Sunday matinees to follow at 3pm. The local production is directed by



Ron Judkins.

*Summer, 1976* is a poignant, intimate two-character play about an unlikely friendship between two women in suburban Ohio during the summer of America's Bicentennial. One is a young, ideal-

istic artist seeking independence and creative purpose, the other is a devoted wife and mother quietly questioning the boundaries of her own life. As their paths cross, the women form a deep and unexpected bond that challenges their assumptions about art, love, family and personal fulfillment.

Told through direct address and shifting perspectives, the play blends humor, nostalgia and emotional depth to explore moments of self-discovery and the lasting impact of relationships that may only exist for a brief season. *Summer, 1976* is a tender reflection on growth, choice, and the small encounters that can alter the course of a life.

Tickets for *Summer, 1976* are \$20 for general admission, or \$15 for seniors/students/military and are available at

[www.blueslipper.org](http://www.blueslipper.org). Seating at the Blue Slipper, located at 113 E Callender, is limited. Please call (406) 222-7720 for more information. •

## Verge goes sci-fi for next original production

Verge Theater is delighted to present an unforgettable run of theater with *The Curators* at the Emerson Center for the Arts & Culture. Performances will be held February 20th through March 1st. Thursday, Friday and Saturday shows begin at 7pm, with a Sunday matinee to follow at 3pm.

Verge presents a bold new sci-fi play about control, morality and the cost of failure written by Olivia Olson and directed by Kyrie Dawson. Gallery Art provided by artist Adam Olson.

In the mid-2400s, humanity gets one last chance – this time on Planet 6 Sirius. The Old World has collapsed under unequal nuclear power, global economic strikes, and the ensuing "war on capitalists."

Amid the smoldering ruins, the ruling coalition Fission Power Supply launches a final experiment: its strongest legion and a crop of human seeds are sent to colonize a distant planet.

The mission: rebuild humanity, with values engineered to ensure success. The problem: who decides what makes us human? As power and memory compete, *The Curators* explores what emerges from the hope for renewal – and what remnants of the past inevitably follow.

Tickets for *The Curators* are available for purchase now for \$35. Visit [www.vergetheater.com](http://www.vergetheater.com) for reservations and further information about educational opportunities for aspiring thespians. •

## No day but today: famed musical comes to Shane, Ellen

Local thespians return to the stages of Livingston and Bozeman with a trip to 1980s New York late this month and into next. The Shane Lalani Center for the Arts presents a production of Jonathan Larson's *RENT* from February 27th through March 8th, before moving to The Ellen Theatre for performances from March 13th through March 22nd.

Larson's Tony and Pulitzer Prize-winning masterpiece that revolution-

ized Broadway and captured the spirit of a generation celebrates its 30th anniversary this year. Set in New York's East Village, *RENT* is a raw and exhilarating story about love, friendship, and finding your voice. This special production will appear in both Livingston and Bozeman – an anthem for living boldly in the now.

Based on Puccini's beloved opera *La Bohème*, *RENT* follows the ups and downs of a year in the life of a

group of impoverished, artistic friends living in Manhattan's East Village. Mark, an aspiring filmmaker, struggles to find his place in the world; his roommate Roger, an HIV-positive musician, wonders how he will leave his mark before he dies. Mimi and Angel look for true love as they face the harsh reality of life as HIV-positive young people, while the businesslike Joanne seeks fidelity from her wild-child performance artist girlfriend Maureen.

matinees to follow at 3pm. An additional 7:30pm performance will be held March 19th at the Ellen.

Tickets are on sale now. Make reservations through [www.theshanelalani.com](http://www.theshanelalani.com) and [www.theellentheatre.com](http://www.theellentheatre.com), or call the box office at (406) 222-1420 or (406) 585-5885.

*RENT* is generously sponsored by the Sal & Carol Lalani Endowment, Livingston's ACE Hardware, and Colin & Seabring Davis. •

## Oscar season takes over BFS calendar

of displacement, but the unbreakable spirit of survival.

Presented in Arabic with subtitles. Not Rated, the film runs 145 minutes. The *New York Times* Critics Pick was produced by Mark Ruffalo and Javier Bardem.

Returning to the Ellen Theatre, critical darling *Hamnet* screens on Tuesday, Feb. 17th. The film is Directed by Chloé Zhao whose 2020 feature *Nomadland* secured her the Academy Award for Best Director as only the second woman to ever win in the category.

*Hamnet* tells the powerful story of love and loss that inspired the creation of Shakespeare's timeless masterpiece, *Hamlet*.

After her son Hamnet dies, aged eleven, Agnes Shakespeare is

struck with intense grief. As she mourns with her husband William, the pair struggle to come to terms with the frailty of life and the ruthlessness of the plague. Set in 16th-century England, Agnes, a healer by trade, must find a way to move on with her life and provide for her other children.

*Hamnet* was nominated in eight categories as part of the 98th Academy Awards, including Best Film, Director and Actress. Starring Jessie Buckley and Paul Mescal, the film is Rated PG-13 with a runtime of 125 minutes.

Hosted by BFS, the annual **Oscar-Nominated Shorts** event will be held at the Ellen on Friday, Feb. 27th. The evening begins at 7pm with an animation, documen-

tary and live-action triple feature.

Showcasing the best short films from around the world, the always anticipated event presents feature-length programs dedicated to each Academy Award Short. See host website for program information and ticketing access.

*All That's Left of You* screens Feb. 11th at the Rialto, before moving

back to the Ellen for its screenings on Feb. 17th with *Hamnet* and the Oscar Shorts on Feb. 17th. 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](http://www.bozemanfilmsociety.org) and Keep 'Em Flickering! •

## Think better business with Chamber events

The frigid winter elements are keeping many of us indoors, allowing plenty of space to make a business plan for Montana's sunny season. Bozeman Area Chamber of Commerce continues to host monthly gatherings designed for trade professionals in and around town.

Another edition of **Business Before Hours** is set for Thursday, February 5th from 7:30–8:30am. The event will be hosted by *Career Concepts* at their location, 1336 Stoneridge Dr., Unit 2, in Bozeman. The local recruiting and staffing agency works to connect the right candidate with the right job at the appropriate time with a personalized approach.

Next up is a **Business & Community Conversation** on Wednesday, Feb. 11th. A discussion about the *State of the City* will be held from 11:30am–1pm. Attendees will learn more about a variety of topics affecting our community. Mayor

Joey Morrison and Deputy Mayor Douglas Fischer, both from the City of Bozeman, will be on hand to present. The forum will take place at the Best Western Plus GranTree Inn. Members pay \$32 for this presentation.

The latest **4:44 @ 4C** follows Thursday, Feb. 12th, at *Arctic Spas Bozeman* from 4:44–6pm. They're located at 81341 Gallatin Rd., Suite B, just south of Four Corners. The local showroom features a selection of hot tubs and spas that are of the most energy efficient, longest lasting, and easiest to maintain in the world.

Register for **Business Lunch Seminar** entitled *Understanding Tax Credits & Other Incentives for Commercial Solar Projects* on Wednesday, Feb. 25th from 11:30am–1pm. Sam Atkins and Noah Herreid of Independent Power will present. Their presentation will explore the various credits, their deadlines and how to apply, as well as Montana's C-PACE Loan Program and additional

incentives. The forum will take place at the Chamber Center. Members pay \$32 for this presentation.

Also on Feb. 25th, **EVEN Hotel During Hours** event from 4–6pm. It will be held at their location, 406 Belgrade Blvd., near Bozeman Yellowstone International Airport. The modern, wellness-focused hotel offers comfortable rooms, fitness amenities, on-site dining, and a complimentary airport shuttle – ideal for both business and leisure travelers. Bozeman Chamber gatherings and other forums provide a business networking outlet for members and others. Visit [www.bozemanchamber.com](http://www.bozemanchamber.com) to register for any of these events and to learn more. Event admission may be included with membership. The Chamber Center is located at 2000 Commerce Way in Bozeman. •



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Cars and Coffee Bozeman 8am  
City Brew Coffee 19th Ave  
Bozeman Winter Classic –  
Pickleball Tournament  
9am The Picklr Bozeman  
Water Creature Lantern Making  
Workshop 1pm Fairgrounds – GCF  
In a Landscape: Classical Music in the  
Wild 3pm Warren Miller Center – Big Sky  
Public Skate 3pm Ressler Rink – GCF  
Après-Ski DJs 3pm Mountain Village Big Sky  
Opera Montana: RAGTIME 3pm The Ellen  
Celtic Jam 3:15pm Valhalla Meadery  
Stumpy Sunday! 3:30pm  
Scissorbills Saloon – Big Sky  
Jody and the Woodflowers 4pm Dear  
Josephine Lounge – One&Only Moonlight  
Zander Chovanes 6pm Moonshack  
– One&Only Moonlight Basin  
Lena Rich Duo 6pm  
Vista Hall – Big Sky Resort  
Chandler Huntley 6pm  
Horn and Cantele Saloon – Big Sky  
Bridger Mountain Big Band 7pm Eagles Bar  
Riparia 7pm Bozeman Hot Springs  
Jack Ooster 7pm Norris Hot Springs  
Multimedia Series:  
a Music Technology Concert  
7:30pm MSU Reynolds Recital Hall

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Media and Design Lab 10am  
Bozeman Public Library  
Public Skate 11:15am Ressler Rink – GCF  
Noon Notes 12pm Bozeman Public Library  
Pint Night 4 Roots Family Collaborative  
Mountains Walking Brewery  
Auditions: Beast of Bozeman 4:30pm  
Emerson Center for Arts and Culture  
January Perfect Pairing Dinner  
6pm Montana Ale Works  
Wildrye Trivia 6pm WildRye Distilling  
Sweet Pea Fundraising Dinner  
6pm Montana Ale Works  
Tom Georges 6pm  
Horn and Cantele Saloon – Big Sky  
Bacchus Trivia 7pm Bacchus Pub  
Tuesday Night Rodeo Club 7pm  
Montage Alpenglow Lounge – Big Sky  
Eagles Comedy Open Mic Night  
8pm Eagles Bar  
American Monday Karaoke  
9pm American Legion – Bozeman

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Rush Hour Resistance 8am  
Gallatin County Courthouse  
Gallatin County Commission  
PUBLIC MEETING  
9am Gallatin County Courthouse  
Eat to Thrive – with Karen Mitchell  
11am Bozeman Public Library  
Auditions: Beast of Bozeman 4:15pm  
Emerson Center for Arts and Culture  
Nonfiction Writers Group 5:30pm  
Bozeman Public Library  
Last Best Trivial 6pm  
Last Best Place Brewing Co.  
Valhalla Open Mic 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
Outlaw Trivia 6pm Outlaw Brewing  
KataBingo 6pm Katabatic – Livingston  
Trivia 6pm It Will Always Be That Lounge  
Tuesday Night Rodeo Club 6pm  
Horn and Cantele Saloon – Big Sky  
Colombo's Trivia 6pm Colombo's Pizza  
Zander Chovanes 6pm Moonshack Moonlight  
Trivia 6pm 406 Brewing Co. – Manhattan  
BZN Backgammon Club 6pm Rialto  
Link Men's Cohort 6:30pm Light House  
VNEA Pool League 7pm Eagles Bar  
Dammit Lauren 7pm Bacchus Pub  
Ryan Kelly 7pm Montage Alpenglow BS  
Master Class: Ashley Hall & Nathan Tighe,  
Brass 7:30pm MSU Reynolds Recital Hall  
Tips Up Open Mic Night 8pm  
Tips Up – Big Sky  
Molly Bingo 8pm Molly Brown  
My Favorite Thing 9pm  
The Big Sky Waypoint

**4**

Public Skate 11:15am GCF  
BPW February Luncheon  
11:30am Kiln of Bozeman  
Midweek Eats – Quick Comfort  
4pm Bozeman Public Library  
Mathias 4pm Josephine Lounge – Moonlight  
Auditions: Beast of Bozeman 4:30pm  
Emerson Center for Arts and Culture  
BoZambique 5pm MAP Brewing  
Chris La Tray's Becoming Little Shell  
5pm Livingston Park County Library  
Bitter Roots Revival 5:30pm Bridger Brewing  
NorthWestern Energy Public Meeting –  
5:30pm Bozeman Public Library  
The Impacts of Ancient Volcanic  
Eruptions on Climate and Ecosystems  
with Dr. Madison Myers 5:30pm MoR  
Drink and Draw 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
Tom Susanj 6pm AC Hotel Bozeman  
Jin & Jazz Friends 6pm Tune Up Bar  
Scratchin' Gravel 6pm Horn and  
Cantele Saloon – Big Sky  
Rockin Bingo 6pm Always Be That Lounge  
Rockin Bingo 6:30pm College St Taproom  
Waypoint Trivia 7pm The Big Sky Waypoint  
Chandler Huntley 7pm Alpenglow BS  
Adult Swing Wednesdays 7pm  
The Westerner – Gallatin Gateway  
Workshop Jazz Concert, directed by  
Ryan Matzinger 7:30pm  
MSU Reynolds Recital Hall  
Jacob Rountree 8pm Tips Up – Big Sky  
Open Jam 8pm Murray Bar – Livingston  
Molly Trivia 8pm Molly Brown  
Eddie T & Jazz Friends 9pm Tune Up Bar

**5**

Business Before Hours  
7:30am Career Concepts  
Montana Chamber Music –  
Volterra Trio 11am Reynolds Hall  
Thursday's Table 1pm BZN Library  
Eddie Tsuru 4pm Carabiner Lounge – BS  
Teen Kitchen Lab 4pm Bozeman Library  
Land and Water Stewardship for Locals:  
Speaker Series 5pm Gallatin Gateway  
Digging Deeper into Egg Mountain:  
A Unique Late Cretaceous  
Terrestrial Assemblage 5:30pm MoR  
Grave Mortality w/ Nikki 6pm LBComedy  
John Foster 6pm Bridger Pub – 3 Forks  
Bluegrass Jam 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
Kids Science Night at MSU 6pm MSU – SUB  
Dustin Tucker 6pm Tune Up Bar  
Scratchin' Gravel 6pm Horn & Cantele BSKy  
Chandler Huntley 6pm Moonshack Moonlight  
Spirited Trivia 6pm Bozeman Spirits  
Remaining Native BZN Doc 7pm Emerson  
GCD – Land and Water Stewardship for  
Locals Speaker Series: Forest Health  
& Management 7pm Gateway Center  
Tom Catmull 7pm Bozeman Hot Springs  
MSU Men's Basketball vs Idaho 7pm Brick  
RICH HALL 7:30pm VIP Barber and Whiskey  
Katie Hall 7pm Old Saloon – Emigrant  
Gavin DeGraw 7pm The Elm  
Gravel Trivia 7pm Stacey's Bar  
Luke Stockwell 7pm La Brasserie  
Downbeat Swing 7:30pm Bozeman Taproom  
Faculty Recital: Dr. Wonki Lee, &  
Dr. Er-Hsuan Li, 7:30pm Reynolds Hall  
Jacob Rountree 7pm Bozeman Taproom  
Line Dancing 8pm Bourbon  
Deep Coulee 9pm Haufbrau  
Open mic 9pm Bozeman Taproom  
Kailey Marie Trio 9pm Tips Up – Big Sky  
American Thursday Karaoke 9:30pm  
American Legion – Bozeman

**8**

N Division Freestyle  
Competition 9am Bridger  
Kafka's Monkey 2pm The Rialto  
Gallatin Valley Concert Band:  
American Favorites 2:30pm GHS  
Public Skate 3pm Ressler Rink – GCF  
Après-Ski DJs 3pm Mountain Village Big Sky  
Celtic Jam 3:30pm Valhalla Meadery  
Stumpy Sunday! 3:30pm Scissorbills – BSky  
Jody & the Woodflowers 4pm Josephine L  
Zander Chovanes 6pm Moonshack  
Chandler Huntley 6pm Horn & Cantele BS  
Lena Rich Duo 6pm  
Vista Hall – Big Sky Resort  
Bridger Mountain Big Band  
7pm Eagles Bar

**9**

Homeschool Mondays  
9am Museum of the Rockies  
Media and Design Lab – Ages 12+  
10am Bozeman Public Library  
Public Skate 11:15am Ressler Rink – GCF  
Pint Night 4 Roots Family Collaborative  
Mountains Walking Brewery  
Gallatin Valley Food Bank's  
Pop-Up Pantry 4pm  
Peace Lutheran Church – Belgrade  
Gallatin-Park Central Labor Council  
Meeting 5:30pm Gallatin Labor Temple  
Tom Georges 6pm  
Horn and Cantele Saloon – Big Sky  
Wildrye Trivia 6pm WildRye Distilling  
Sacajawea Audubon Society  
PUBLIC Monthly Meeting  
6:30pm Hope Lutheran Church  
Tuesday Night Rodeo Club 7pm  
Montage Alpenglow Lounge – Big Sky  
Bacchus Trivia 7pm Bacchus Pub  
Eagles Comedy Open Mic Night  
8pm Eagles Bar  
American Monday Karaoke 9pm  
American Legion – Bozeman

**10**

Rush Hour Resistance 8am  
Gallatin County Courthouse  
Gallatin County Commission  
PUBLIC MEETING  
9am Gallatin County Courthouse  
Cribbage Tournament  
5pm SHINE Beer Sanctuary  
Nonfiction Writers Group  
5:30pm Bozeman Public Library  
Valhalla Open Mic 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
Trivia 6pm Last Best Place Brewing Co.  
Tuesday Night Rodeo Club 6pm H&C BS  
Zander Chovanes 6pm Moonshack Moonlight  
Elevators with Shwayze & JARV 6pm Elm  
More Than Medicine: Understanding  
the Psychosocial Impact of Cancer  
6pm MSU – SUB  
Outlaw Trivia 6pm Outlaw Brewing  
February Perfect Pairing Dinner!  
6pm Montana Ale Works  
Colombo's Trivia 6pm Colombo's Pizza  
Trivia 6pm 406 Brewing Co. – Manhattan  
Bozeman Backgammon Club 6pm  
Gute Laune Wurstbar above The Rialto  
Always Trivia 6pm  
It Will Always Be That Way Lounge  
Ryan Kelly 7pm Montage Alpenglow  
Lounge – Big Sky  
VNEA Pool League 7pm Eagles Bar  
Tips Up Open Mic Night  
8pm Tips Up – Big Sky  
Molly Bingo 8pm Molly Brown  
My Favorite Thing 9pm  
The Big Sky Waypoint

**11**

Symp Storytime 10am Library  
Public Skate 11:15am GCF  
WITCHIES, Chickies, and  
Radical "Libbers": The  
Women's Liberation Movement and  
American GIs 12pm MSU – SUB  
Mathias 4pm Josephine Lounge – Moonlight  
Midweek Eats – 4pm Library  
Ryan LittleEagle 5pm MAP Brewing  
Kyle Austin 5:30pm Bridger Brewing  
Kevin & Zander 6pm Horn and Cantele BS  
Drink and Draw 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
Sam Hall 6pm AC Hotel Bozeman  
Rockin Bingo 6pm Always That Lounge  
Rockin Bingo 6:30pm College St Taproom  
Science Inquiry Series: Solar Energy –  
from Physics to Policy  
6:30pm Bozeman Public Library  
BFS: All That's Left of You  
6:45pm The Rialto  
Adult Swing Wednesdays  
7pm The Westerner – Gallatin Gateway  
Chandler Huntley 7pm Alpenglow Big Sky  
Solar Power for Crops and Cows: Why  
Montana's Farmers and Ranchers are  
Embracing Solar  
7pm Museum of the Rockies  
Waypoint Trivia 7pm The Big Sky Waypoint  
International Guitar Night 2026  
7:30pm The Ellen Theatre  
Brice Ash 8pm Tips Up – Big Sky  
Molly Trivia 8pm Molly Brown  
Open Jam 8pm Murray Bar – Livingston

**12**

Thursday's Table 1pm Library  
Night Ski 4pm Crosscut  
Weird Careers – Teens 4pm  
Bozeman Public Library  
Eddie Tsuru 4pm Carabiner Lounge Big Sky  
Chamber's 4:44 @ 4C:44pm Arctic Spas  
Galentine's at the 1889 Barn 5pm 1889 Barn  
Chris La Tray's Becoming Little Shell  
5pm Livingston Park County Library  
Dark Money Screening Empire Twin LV  
Chandler Huntley 6pm Moonshack  
Kevin & Zander 6pm Horn and Cantele BS  
Kyle Austin 6pm Bridger Pub – 3 Forks  
Sip & Shop 6pm Dry Hills Distillery  
Bluegrass Jam 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
Elise Atchison and Amanda Eggert  
6pm Bozeman Public Library  
Spirited Trivia 6pm BZN Spirits Distillery  
Jesse the Ocelot 7pm BZN Hot Springs  
Abroad screening 7pm Shane – Livingston  
Ryan LittleEagle 7pm Old Saloon – Emigrant  
Gravel Trivia 7pm Gravel Bar – Ennis  
Matt Miller 7pm Stacey's Old Faithful Bar  
Winter Wildlands Alliance Backcountry  
Film Festival 7:30pm Big Sky Waypoint  
Downbeat Vintage Swing 7:30pm La Brasserie  
Line Dancing 8pm Bourbon  
King Ropes Duo 8pm Tips Up – Big Sky  
Frequenseas 9pm Haufbrau  
Open mic 9pm Bozeman Taproom  
American Thursday Karaoke 9:30pm  
American Legion – Bozeman

**15**

MW Chocolate & Beer Pairing  
2pm Mountains Walking  
406 WinterFest "The  
Après" 2pm Ponderosa  
Sewing Circle – Mending & Troubleshooting  
2pm BZN Public Library  
The Music of Hans Zimmer and Ennio  
Morricone 2:30pm Wilson Auditorium  
Public Skate 3pm Ressler Rink – GCF  
Stumpy Sunday! 3:30pm Scissorbills – BS  
Celtic Jam 3:30pm Valhalla Meadery  
Jody & the Woodflowers 4pm  
Josephine Lounge Moonlight Basin  
Jazz Jam -The Alex Platt Trio  
5pm Red Tractor Pizza  
Paint & Sip – Moonlit Mountains  
5pm Wilson Hotel – Big Sky  
Zander Chovanes 6pm  
Moonshack – One&Only Moonlight Basin  
Chandler Huntley 6pm  
Horn and Cantele Saloon – Big Sky  
Darren Johnson Avalanche Education  
Fundraiser w/Bad Neighbor 6pm The Rialto  
Lena Rich Duo 6pm Vista Hall – Big Sky  
Bridger Mountain Big Band 7pm Eagles  
Jacob Rountree & the Somethings  
7pm Bozeman Hot Springs  
Jack Ooster 7pm Norris Hot Springs  
Julie Fowlis – Modern Celtic  
Music 7:30pm Warren Miller Performing  
Arts Center – Big Sky

**16**

Public Skate 11:15am Ressler Rink – GCF  
FREE Community Performance  
of "Good In Everything"  
1pm Christus Collegium  
FREE Family Theatre Performance of  
"Good In Everything" on President's  
Day 1pm Christus Collegium  
Pint Night 4 Roots Family Collaborative  
Mountains Walking Brewery  
Crosscut Night Ski  
4pm Crosscut Mountain Sports Center  
Tom Georges 6pm  
Horn and Cantele Saloon – Big Sky  
Wildrye Trivia 6pm WildRye Distilling  
Tuesday Night Rodeo Club 7pm  
Montage Alpenglow Lounge – Big Sky  
Bacchus Trivia 7pm Bacchus Pub  
Eagles Comedy Open Mic Night  
8pm Eagles Bar  
American Monday Karaoke  
9pm American Legion – Bozeman

**17**

Chinese New Year 2026: Year  
of the 'Fire Horse' 12am  
Rush Hour Resistance 8am  
Gallatin County Courthouse  
Gallatin County Commission  
PUBLIC MEETING 9am Gallatin City Courthouse  
Chris La Tray's Becoming Little Shell  
5pm Livingston Park County Library  
Nonfiction Writers Group  
5:30pm Bozeman Public Library  
Trivial 6pm Last Best Place Brewing Co.  
Valhalla Open Mic 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
Tuesday Night Rodeo Club 6pm  
Horn and Cantele Saloon – Big Sky  
Zander Chovanes 6pm Moonshack M-light  
Colombo's Trivia 6pm Colombo's Pizza  
406 Trivia 6pm 406 Brewing Co. – Manhattan  
BZN Backgammon Club 6pm Rialto  
Trivia 6pm Always Be That Way Lounge  
Henry Sieben: Building a Ranching  
Legacy 6pm Bozeman Public Library  
Ryan Kelly 7pm Montage Alpenglow Lounge – Big Sky  
VNEA Pool League 7pm Eagles Bar  
Tips Up Open Mic Night  
8pm Tips Up – Big Sky  
Molly Bingo 8pm Molly Brown  
My Favorite Thing 9pm  
The Big Sky Waypoint

**18**

Public Skate 11:15am GCF  
What's Cooking with Dr.  
Joe? 12pm Bozeman Library  
Library Book Club 3pm B & N  
Mathias 4pm Josephine Lounge Moonlight  
Midweek Eats – 4pm Bozeman Library  
MSU Intl Food Bazaar 4:30pm Rend Hall  
MSU Intl Food Bazaar 4:30pm Miller Com  
The Boomerangs 5pm Bridger Brewing  
Brice Ash Trio 5pm MAP Brewing  
"Myths and Belonging" 5pm MSU Procast  
Book Club 5:30pm Country Bookshelf  
Bozeman Green Drinks with Families for  
a Livable Climate 5:30pm Feed Café  
Drink and Draw 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
Kevin & Zander 6pm Horn and Cantele BS  
Jacob Roundtree 6pm AC Hotel BZN  
Paint & Sip Fundraiser for Cottonwood  
Day School 6pm Gallatin River Lodge  
Rockin Bingo 6pm Always Be That Lounge  
Rockin Bingo 6:30pm College St Taproom  
2 Color 3D Printing 6:30pm Bozeman Library  
PechaKucha 6:40pm The Ellen Theatre  
Adult Swing 7pm The Westerner – Gateway  
Waypoint Trivia 7pm The Big Sky Waypoint  
Chandler Huntley 7pm Montage Alpenglow Lounge – Big Sky  
Bindle Wireless Playhouse 8pm Last Best Comedy  
Big Sky High Duo 8pm Tips Up – Big Sky  
Molly Trivia 8pm Molly Brown  
Open Jam 8pm Murray Bar – Livingston

**19**

Thursday's Table 1pm Library  
Eddie Tsuru 4pm Carabiner BS  
Night Ski 4pm Crosscut  
Teen Maker Lab – Device  
Dismantling 4pm Bozeman Library  
2026 Auction for the Arts  
5pm Big Sky Center for the Arts  
Comedy Night: "Joke Slingers"  
6pm Willes Distillery – Ennis  
Chandler Huntley 6pm Moonshack Moonlight  
Kevin & Zander 6pm Horn and Cantele BS  
Tessy Lou 6pm Bridger Pub – 3 Forks  
Bluegrass Jam 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
Fundraiser for Love INC 6pm Bar 3 BBQ  
The Stand-Up Pop-Up: Valentines  
Edition! 6pm Apres Brewing & Coffee  
Spirited Trivia 6pm Bozeman Spirits Distillery  
PechaKucha 6:40pm The Ellen Theatre  
Ryan Little Eagle 7pm BZN Hot Springs  
MSU Women's Basketball vs Weber  
State 7pm Brick Fieldhouse – MSU  
Paul Lee Kupfer 7pm Old Saloon – Emigrant  
Holland Dotson 7pm Stacey's Bar  
Brendan Nolan and Harpdog John 7:30pm  
Fainting Goat Pub – Livingston  
Vintage Swing 7:30pm La Brasserie  
Line Dancing 8pm Bourbon  
King Ropes Duo 8pm Tips Up – Big Sky  
Frequenseas 9pm Haufbrau  
Open mic 9pm Bozeman Taproom  
American Thursday Karaoke 9:30pm  
American Legion – Bozeman

**22**

Friends & Foundation Used  
Book Sale Bozeman Library  
Cars and Coffee Bozeman 8am  
City Brew Coffee 19th Ave

**23**

Winter Crazy Days 2026 10am BZN  
Public Skate 3pm Ressler Rink – GCF  
Nordic Junior National Qualifier 3pm  
Crosscut Mountain Sports Center  
Summer, 1976 3pm Blue Slipper Theatre – Livingston  
The Curators 3pm Verge Theater – Emerson Suite 107  
Band-o-rama: Featuring the MSU Wind  
Symphony & University Band  
3pm Gallatin High School – GHS  
Celtic Jam 3:30pm Valhalla Meadery  
Stumpy Sunday! 3:30pm Scissorbills BS  
Jody and the Woodflowers 4pm  
Josephine Lounge – Moonlight Basin  
Paint & Sip – 4pm Bar 3 BBQ  
Zander Chovanes 6pm Moonshack Moonlight  
Chandler Huntley 6pm  
Horn and Cantele Saloon – Big Sky  
Lena Rich Duo 6pm  
Vista Hall – Big Sky Resort  
Bridger Mountain Big Band  
7pm Eagles Bar  
BZN DOC Screening: 'Seeds' 7pm  
Emerson Center for Arts and Culture  
Sober Sunday : Come Back K!  
7pm Gallatin Labor Temple  
Kronos Quartet 7:30pm Warren Miller  
Performing Arts Center – Big Sky

**24**

Rush Hour Resistance 8am  
Gallatin County Courthouse  
Gallatin County Commission  
PUBLIC MEETING 9am Gallatin City Courthouse

**25**

Billings RV & Boat Show and  
Sale 10am MetraPark – Billings  
Public Skate 11:15am GCF  
Memory Cafe 3pm Bozeman Public Library  
Dear Josephine Lounge – One&Only Moonlight Basin

**26**

NCAA Regionals GS 9am Bridger  
Billings RV & Boat Show  
10am MetraPark – Billings  
3D Printing 10:15am BZN Library  
Thurs' Table 1pm BZN Library

**1**

Cars and Coffee Bozeman 8am  
City Brew Coffee 19th Ave  
Bridger Brewskis & Spurs 9am  
Bridger Pub & Grill – 3 Forks

**2**

March Melt Fun Run 10am Rocking R Bar  
RV & Boat Show 10am MetraPark – Billings  
Spring Home Show 10am Fairgrounds  
Community Dual GS 10am Bridger Bowl  
Self-Tape Spectacular: Elevate Your  
RENT 3pm Shane Center – Livingston  
MT Choral Artists 3pm Holy Rosary  
Public Skate 3pm Ressler Rink – GCF  
Pete Butta 3pm Mountain Village Plaza – LV  
Summer, 1976 3pm Blue Slipper – LV  
The Curators 3pm Verge Theater – Emerson  
Celtic Jam 3:30pm Valhalla Meadery  
10th Annual Moms Like Me 4pm The Elm  
Bozeman Ice Dogs vs Butte  
5:45pm Haynes Pavilion – GCF  
Lena Rich Duo 6pm Vista Hall – Big Sky  
Bridger Mountain Big Band 7pm Eagles  
The Scurry 7pm Bozeman Hot Springs

**3**

Anne Frank: A History for Today Exhibit  
Bozeman Public Library

**4**

Anne Frank: A History for Today Exhibit  
Bozeman Public Library  
Public Skate 11:15am GCF

**5**

Anne Frank: A History for Today Exhibit  
Bozeman Library  
Thursday's Table 1pm Bozeman Public Library

FRIDAY

SATURDAY

6

N Division Freestyle Comp 11am Bridger Bowl  
 Public Skate 11:15am Ressler Rink - GCF  
 Take A Chance 1pm The Landing - Moonlight  
 Après-Ski DJs 3pm Mountain Village - Big Sky  
 Ella Rae Cole 4pm Field and Stream Lodge - Bozeman  
 Chris Bohene 5:30pm Willies Distillery - Ennis  
 Celtic Music Live 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
 The Lazy Owl Stringband 6pm Pony Bar - Pony, MT  
 Brendan Nolan 6pm Grand Hotel - Big Timber  
 Willy on the Wire 6pm Vista Hall - Big Sky Resort  
 Kevin Fabozzi 6pm Horn and Cantele Saloon - Big Sky  
 The Salt of the Universe: A Literary Concert 7pm Verge Theater - Emerson Suite 107  
 KT Tunstall 7pm The Elm  
 Chad & JT 7pm Last Best Comedy  
 Kafka's Monkey 7pm The Rialto  
 Chuck Briseno Trio 7pm Old Saloon - Emigrant  
 Maggie Hickman 7pm Sacajawea Bar - Three Forks  
 Lena Marie Schiffer 7pm The Attic - Livingston  
 Ice Dogs vs Great Falls 7:30pm Haynes Pavilion - GCF  
 Symphony Orchestra Concert, directed by Dr. Tobin Stewart 7:30pm MSU Reynolds Recital Hall  
 Rocky Mountain Pearls 8pm The Jump  
 Women's Bobcat Hockey 8:30pm Gallatin Fairgrounds  
 FLAVATOWN 9pm Eagles Bar  
 JRs Karaoke 9pm JR's Lounge & Casino  
 Sam Hall 9pm Haubrau  
 Chad & JT 9pm Last Best Comedy  
 Plaza Karaoke 9pm Plaza Bar - Three Forks  
 El Wenko 9pm The Filling Station  
 Savannah Wood 9pm Bozeman Taproom  
 Emma and the Ledge 9pm Tips Up - Big Sky  
 Cosmic Possum 9pm VESTIA 9pm  
 The Dirty Shame 9pm Buffalo Burrows 9pm  
 Jacob Rountree & The Somethings 9pm Sierra Padres and Friends 9pm  
 Winter Karaoke 9pm The Dirty Shame 9pm  
 Chico Hot Springs Saloon  
 Murray Bar - LV  
 The Big Sky Waypoint

7

King and Queen of the Ridge 8am Bridger Bowl  
 N. Division Freestyle Competition 9am Bridger Bowl  
 Fzoe Nose Run 9am Bridger Brewing - Bozeman  
 Bozeman Winter Farmers' Market 9am Fairgrounds  
 Flowers and Chocolate on the farm 10am Rathvinden Farm  
 Poetry Writing Workshop & Reading with Maggie Dewane 10am MoR  
 Exhibit Opening Celebration for FROGS 10am Bozeman Public Library  
 Jazz in the Library - Bozambique 2pm Bozeman Public Library  
 Family Kitchen Lab 4 Elementary Schoolers 2pm Bozeman Library  
 The Salt of the Universe: A Literary Concert 3pm Verge Theater  
 Globes Lantern Making Workshop 4pm Gallatin County Fairgrounds  
 Legacy & Light Gala (Miss Rodeo Montana) 4:30pm Hart Ranch  
 Montana Backcountry Discovery Route Film 5pm The Ellen  
 Eagles Burgers & Bingo for Charity 5:30pm Eagles Bar  
 MSU Men's Basketball vs Eastern Washington 6pm Brick - MSU  
 Benn Busalacchi Duo 6pm Vista Hall - Big Sky Resort  
 Kevin Fabozzi 6pm Horn and Cantele Saloon - Big Sky  
 Bridgarcare Sweet Tooth Ball 6:30pm The Elm  
 The Pickpockets 7pm Pine Creek Lodge - LV  
 Kafka's Monkey 7pm The Rialto  
 Chris Bohene Duo 7pm Old Saloon - Emigrant  
 Luke Williams 7pm Sacajawea Bar - Three Forks  
 Bozeman Ice Dogs vs Helena 7:30pm Haynes Pavilion - GCF  
 MT Chamber Music: Volterra Project Trio 7:30pm MSU Reynolds Hall  
 The Pack Strings 8pm The Filling Station  
 Country Dancing 8pm Bourbon  
 Chuck Briseno Band 8pm The Westerner - Gallatin Gateway  
 JRs Karaoke 9pm JR's Lounge & Casino  
 FLAVATOWN 9pm Eagles Bar  
 The Lazy Owl Stringband 9pm Murray Bar - Livingston  
 Jacob Rountree 9pm Bozeman Taproom  
 Latin Night 9pm Grey Dog Bar  
 VESTIA 9pm Montana Jack - Big Sky  
 Buffalo Burrows 9pm The Big Sky Waypoint  
 Sierra Padres and Friends 9pm Haubrau  
 The Dirty Shame 9pm Chico Hot Springs Saloon

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W.C. Huntley 4pm Field & Stream - Bozeman  
 The Significance of Round Dances 4pm MoR  
 Valentine's Relay & Rail Jam 5pm Lindley Center  
 1872 - George Hill Reception 5pm Collins Fine Art  
 Ryan Little Eagle 5:30pm Willies Distillery - Ennis  
 Round Dances by Thomas Limberhand 5:30pm MoR  
 Celtic Music Live 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
 Ryan Little Eagle 6pm Horn and Cantele Saloon - Big Sky  
 Valentine Social 6pm AC Hotel Bozeman Downtown  
 Willy on the Wire 6pm Vista Hall - Big Sky Resort  
 Brendan Nolan 6:30pm Great Divide Ski Area - NW of Helena  
 Backcountry Film Festival 6:30pm Emerson Center  
 Abby Webster 7pm Pine Creek Lodge - LV  
 Threesome: Rich Hall + NOW 7pm Last Best Comedy  
 BSSSF Gold Medal Ski Ball 7pm Buck's T-4 Lodge  
 Mosh w/ Icarus // Prints // J.A.D.E. 7pm Labor Temple  
 Colter John 7pm Norris Hot Springs  
 Jackson Holte Trio 7pm Old Saloon - Emigrant  
 Big Richard & Delta Mae 7pm The Elm  
 Mathias 7pm Sacajawea Bar - Three Forks  
 Music: Hans Zimmer & Ennio Morricone 7:30pm Willson Aud  
 Bozeman Ice Dogs vs Badlands 7:30pm Haynes Pavilion  
 Bobby Weir Celebration: Mosquitoes on the River 8pm  
 Shakedown County 8pm The Jump  
 Broken Hearts LCircus Cabaret + Live Music 8pm 406Cirque  
 Neon Rainbow 8pm The Westerner - Gallatin Gateway  
 Still Fools 9pm Haubrau  
 Desperate Electric and Stilgone 9pm The Filling Station  
 Harley Huestis 9pm Bozeman Taproom  
 Ghosts of Endor 9pm Tips Up - Big Sky  
 JRs Karaoke 9pm JR's Lounge & Casino  
 The Justin Case Band 9pm Chico Hot Springs Saloon  
 I-90 Organ Trio 9pm Murray Bar - Livingston

14

Skyloppet 9am Crosscut Mountain Sports Center  
 Farmers' Market 9am Gallatin County Fairgrounds  
 Parenting and Caregiving as the Path 9:30am Dharma  
 5th Annual Ski for Soren 9:30am Crosscut Sports Center  
 Public Skate 12pm Ressler Rink - GCF  
 Bozeman Fashion Week 2pm Gallatin County Fairgrounds - GCF  
 Parent U: Restorative Justice Part 2 2pm Headwaters Academy  
 Family Kitchen Lab 2pm Bozeman Public Library  
 Teen Sewing Workshop - Hand Sewing Skills 2pm Bozeman Library  
 Crochet and Knitting Workshop 2pm Bozeman Public Library  
 Jazz in the Library 2pm Bozeman Public Library  
 Music: Emma and the Ledge 3pm Bridger Bowl  
 Aprés-Ski DJs 3pm Mountain Village Plaza - Big Sky  
 Boots and Buckles Ball: Fireworks Fundraiser 5pm PCFairgrounds  
 Contra Family Dance / Potluck 5:30pm Eagle Mount  
 Eagles Burgers & Bingo for Charity 5:30pm Eagles Bar  
 Grateful Dead Night 6pm Red Tractor Pizza  
 Kailey Marie 6pm Horn and Cantele Saloon - Big Sky  
 Willy on the Wire 6pm Vista Hall - Big Sky Resort  
 Abby Webster 7pm Pine Creek Lodge - LV  
 Katie Hall 7pm The Jump  
 West Dakota Stutter 7pm Norris Hot Springs  
 Band of Drifters Trio 7pm Old Saloon - Emigrant  
 The Rope Trick: A New Play 7pm Mother Lode Theatre - Butte  
 Clint Anderson & the MT Gazette 7pm Sacajawea Bar - Three Forks  
 Music of Hans Zimmer and Ennio Morricone 7:30pm Willson Aud.  
 Bozeman Ice Dogs vs Sheridan 7:30pm Haynes Pavilion - GCF  
 Country Dancing 8pm Bourbon  
 Tanner Laws Band w/ Josh Sanchez 8pm The Westerner - Gateway  
 Cupid's Court: A Pickleball Fundraiser 9pm The Pickl'r Bozeman  
 Big Blonde 9pm Haubrau  
 31st Floor 9pm The Filling Station  
 John Oosterhuis 9pm Bozeman Taproom  
 JRs Karaoke 9pm JR's Lounge & Casino  
 Brian Kassay 9pm The Big Sky Waypoint  
 Brisket Flats 9pm Murray Bar - Livingston  
 The Justin Case Band 9pm Chico Hot Springs Saloon

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Winter Crazy Days 2026 10am Downtown BZN  
 Checkmates 1pm The Landing Moonlight Basin  
 Public Skate 1pm Ressler Rink - GCF  
 Kevlove 3pm Mountain Village Plaza - Big Sky  
 Ryan Kelly 4pm Field and Stream Lodge - Bozeman  
 Luke Stockwell 4pm Field and Stream Lodge - Bozeman  
 Tessy Lou 5:30pm Willies Distillery - Ennis  
 Celtic Music Live 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
 Community Meeting 6pm Bozeman Dharma Center  
 Chandler Huntley 6pm Horn and Cantele Saloon - Big Sky  
 Abby Webster Duo 6pm Vista Hall - Big Sky Resort  
 Menagerie of the Imaginary Mini Parade 6pm GCF  
 Joe Robinson 7pm Pine Creek Lodge - LV  
 Stand-Up with Dave Fulton 7pm Last Best Comedy  
 Ian Munsick: Eagle Flies Free Tour 7pm Fieldhouse  
 The Curators 7pm Verge Theater - Emerson Suite 107  
 Ryan Little Eagle 7pm Norris Hot Springs  
 Shelly K & Tony P 7pm Old Saloon - Emigrant  
 Stephen Stephens 7pm Sacajawea Bar - Three Forks  
 Summer, 1976 7:30pm Blue Slipper Theatre - Livingston  
 Pianoforte Concert: 7:30pm MSU Reynolds Recital Hall  
 Float Like A Buffalo 8pm The Jump  
 Tsunami Funk 9pm Eagles Bar  
 Plaza Karaoke 9pm Plaza Bar - Three Forks  
 Sam Hall 9pm Haubrau  
 Stand-Up with Dave Fulton 9pm Last Best Comedy  
 Still Fools 9pm The Filling Station  
 Dustin Tucker 9pm Bozeman Taproom  
 Winter Karaoke 9pm The Big Sky Waypoint  
 Kailey Marie 9pm Grey Dog Bar  
 JRs Karaoke 9pm JR's Lounge & Casino  
 Kevlove 9pm Montana Jack - Big Sky  
 Rocky Mountain Pearls 9pm Tips Up - Big Sky  
 The Beagles 9pm Murray Bar - Livingston  
 Scurry 9pm Chico Hot Springs Saloon

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Friends & Foundation Used Book Sale 8am Bozeman Library  
 Bridger Gully Freeride w/ Jampoke 8am Bridger Bowl  
 Nordic Junior National Qualifier 8am Crosscut  
 Country Dancing 8am Bourbon  
 Winter Farmers' Market 9am Gallatin County Fairgrounds  
 Winter Crazy Days 2016 10am Downtown Bozeman  
 Raptor Meet and Greet 10am Museum of the Rockies  
 Classics Book Club 10:15am Bozeman Public Library  
 Symphony Storytime 10:30am Willson Auditorium  
 Public Skate 12pm Ressler Rink - GCF  
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 DJ Trace 1pm Backcast Bar & Grill at Montage - Big Sky  
 Women's Basketball vs Idaho State 2pm Fieldhouse - MSU  
 Jazz in the Library - Bob Nell & Bob Bowman 2pm Bozeman Library  
 Eagles Burgers & Bingo for Charity 5:30pm Eagles Bar  
 Cole Decker 6pm Horn and Cantele Saloon - Big Sky  
 Benn Busalacchi Duo 6pm Vista Hall - Big Sky Resort  
 Menagerie Imaginary Lantern Parade 6pm Gallatin Regional Park  
 Chautauqua Winter Series 6:30pm Elling House - Virginia City  
 STILGONE 7pm Pine Creek Lodge - LV  
 Maddy O'Neal 7pm The Elm  
 The Curators 7pm Verge Theater - Emerson Suite 107  
 'Ballroom Dance' Black & White Ball 7pm Tamarack Ballroom  
 Tessy Lou w/ Kenny Williams 7pm Old Saloon - Emigrant  
 Hermina Jean & Catfish Carl 7pm Sacajawea Bar - Three Forks  
 Bozeman Ice Dogs vs Great Falls 7:30pm Haynes Pavilion - GCF  
 Summer, 1976 7:30pm Blue Slipper Theatre - Livingston  
 OG Nixon 8pm Club Zebra  
 Lena Marie Schiffer 8pm The Westerner - Gallatin Gateway  
 Tsunami Funk 9pm Eagles Bar  
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RMISA Regional Championships 8am Crosscut  
 NCAA Regionals GS 9am Bridger Bowl  
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 Public Skate 1pm Ressler Rink - GCF  
 Take A Chance 1pm The Landing at Moonlight  
 A-Train 3pm Mountain Village Plaza - Big Sky  
 Kailey Marie 4pm Field and Stream Lodge - Bozeman  
 Montana Exit 5:30pm Willes Distillery - Ennis  
 Abby Webster Duo 6pm Vista Hall - Big Sky Resort  
 Chandler Huntley 6pm Horn and Cantele Saloon - Big Sky  
 Celtic Music Live 6pm Valhalla Meadery  
 MBC 'Spellbound Masquerade Ball' 6:30pm Armory Music Hall  
 710 Ashbury 7pm Pine Creek Lodge - LV  
 Stand-Up with Chris Fairbanks 7pm Last Best Comedy  
 Brendan Nolan 7pm Sacajawea Bar - Three Forks  
 The Curators 7pm Verge Theater - Emerson Suite 107  
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 Lena Rich w/ Jon DeGroot 7pm Old Saloon - Emigrant  
 Oscar-Nominated Shorts 7pm The Ellen Theatre  
 RENT 7:30pm Shane Lalani Center for the Arts - Livingston  
 Nora Spielman & Michael Videon, guitar 7:30pm Reynolds  
 Summer, 1976 7:30pm Blue Slipper Theatre - Livingston  
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 Brandon Hale & The Dirty Shame 8pm The Jump  
 The Fossils 8pm The Attic - Livingston  
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 Dan Dubuque 9pm Haubrau  
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 Savannah Wood 9pm Bozeman Taproom  
 The Fog 9pm Grey Dog Bar  
 A-Train + Pete Butta 9pm Montana Jack - Big Sky  
 JRs Karaoke 9pm JR's Lounge & Casino  
 Winter Karaoke 9pm The Big Sky Waypoint  
 Scratchin Gravel Trio 9pm Tips Up - Big Sky  
 Rocky Mountain Pearls 9pm Murray Bar - Livingston  
 Shakedown Country 9pm Chico Hot Springs Saloon  
 Roadrunner 9pm Eagles Bar

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Country Dancing 8am Bourbon  
 NCAA Regionals SL 9am Bridger Bowl  
 Winter Makers Market 9am Livingston Depot Center  
 Bridger Brewskis & Spuds 9am Bridger Pub - 3 Forks  
 Terrain Park Jam w/ Brian Kassay 9:30am Bridger Bowl  
 Spring Home Show 10am GCF - Gallatin County Fairgrounds - GCF  
 Billings RV & Boat Show and Sale 10am MetraPark - Billings  
 Public Skate 12:15pm Ressler Rink - GCF  
 MSU Men's Basketball vs Sacramento State 1pm Fieldhouse - MSU  
 The Magic of Jeki Yoo - Family Show 2pm The Ellen Theatre  
 Family Kitchen Lab - Fairy Bread 2pm Bozeman Public Library  
 Jazz in the Library 2pm Bozeman Library  
 A-Train 3pm Mountain Village Plaza - Big Sky  
 RMISA Regional Championships 3pm Crosscut Mountain Center  
 Eagles Burgers & Bingo for Charity 5:30pm Eagles Bar  
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 A-Train + Pete Butta 9pm Montana Jack - Big Sky  
 K-Pop Night 9pm Grey Dog Bar  
 DJ Carl 9pm Tips Up - Big Sky  
 Desperate Electric 9pm The Big Sky Waypoint  
 Ben Larson & The Grown Ass Men 9pm Murray Bar - Livingston  
 Shakedown Country 9pm Chico Hot Springs Saloon

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Anne Frank: A History for Today Exhibit 8am Bozeman Library  
 Signal Fire 12am Grey Dog Bar  
 N Division Freestyle Chmpnships 10am Bridger  
 Public Skate 11:15am Ressler Rink - GCF  
 Jenn N' Juice 12pm Iglu - Big Sky Resort  
 VESTIA 3pm Mountain Village Plaza - Big Sky  
 Jacob Rountree 4pm Field and Stream Lodge - Bozeman  
 Abby Webster Duo 6pm Vista Hall - Big Sky Resort  
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 North Fork Crossing 7pm Pine Creek Lodge - LV  
 Stand-Up with Monica Nevi 7pm Last Best Comedy  
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 Brendan Nolan 7:30pm Fainting Goat Pub - Livingston  
 Bozeman Ice Dogs vs Helena 7:30pm Haynes Pavilion  
 FLAVATOWN 9pm Eagles Bar  
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 JRs Karaoke 9pm JR's Lounge & Casino  
 The Shuffle Bums 9pm Chico Hot Springs Saloon  
 Quenby & The WOW Band 9pm Murray Bar - Livingston

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Anne Frank: A History for Today Exhibit 8am Bozeman Library  
 N Division Freestyle Championships 9am Bridger Bowl  
 Community Free Ski Day 9am Crosscut Mountain Center  
 Farmers' Market 9am Gallatin County Fairgrounds  
 Ride & Seek w/ Bad Neighbor 10am Bridger Bowl  
 Celebration of Art 11am Wilson Hotel - Big Sky  
 Public Skate 12pm Ressler Rink - GCF  
 Jenn N' Juice 12pm Iglu - Big Sky Resort  
 DJ DBL TEXT 1pm Backcast Bar & Grill at Montage - Big Sky  
 MBC - Sleeping Beauty 2pm Willson Auditorium  
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 Bowling for Birds 2026 4pm The Bozeman Bowls  
 Eagles Burgers & Bingo for Charity 5:30pm Eagles Bar  
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 North Fork Crossing 7pm Pine Creek Lodge - LV  
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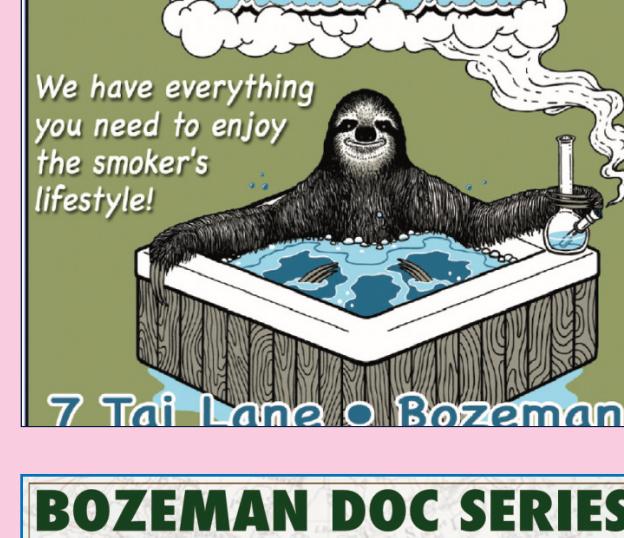
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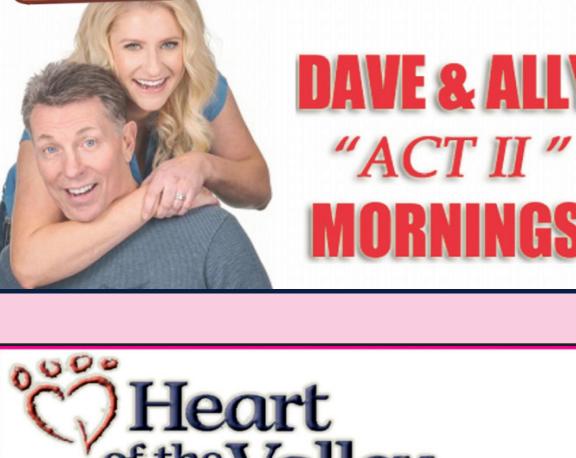
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## Global celebration of strings at Ellen

The world-renowned touring showcase of contemporary guitar artistry, **International Guitar Night**, returns to The Ellen Theatre on Wednesday, February 11 at 7:30pm. The event delivers an unforgettable evening of breathtaking musicianship and global musical voices.

In its 26th season, IGN brings together four extraordinary soloists for one night only, each representing a distinct musical tradition and pushing the boundaries of string performance. This year's dynamic lineup features: Vietnamese classical guitarist Thu Le; rock, flamenco and classical guitarist Lucas Imbiriba from Brazil; Russian modern fingerstyle guitarist Alexandr Misko; and ukulelist Taimane from Hawaii, marking her IGN debut.

Hailed as a modern fingerstyle innovator, Alexandr Misko captivates audiences with explosive percussive techniques and genre-defying compositions. A viral sensation with millions of views online, Misko has released six albums and performed

on prestigious stages from Carnegie Hall to major international festivals, continually redefining what the acoustic guitar can do with his custom-built instruments.

For the first time in International Guitar Night history, the ukulele takes center stage with Taimane, an artist who has redefined the instrument's role in contemporary music. Blending classical virtuosity, rock power, and Polynesian roots, Taimane rose from Waikiki street performances to international acclaim. She has earned four N H k Hanohano Awards and a global fanbase, proving the ukulele's limitless expressive potential.

Brazilian guitarist Lucas Imbiriba brings fiery intensity and emotional depth to the stage, seamlessly blending flamenco passion, Latin rhythms, classical elegance and rock energy. A multiple classical competition winner, Imbiriba has embraced bold acoustic arrangements that have earned him millions of online views and a devoted worldwide following.

Rounding out the evening is Thu

Le, a celebrated Vietnamese classical guitarist known for her refined technique and lyrical expression. A graduate of prestigious European conservatories, Thu Le bridges Eastern and Western musical traditions with a distinctive voice that has earned acclaim on international concert stages.

Together, these four artists create a spellbinding evening of solo performances and collaborative moments, showcasing the guitar and ukulele as truly global instruments.

Founded by guitar impresario Brian Gore, International Guitar Night has brought the world's finest guitarists to stages across North America for over two decades, celebrating innovation, diversity, and the universal language of music.

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

## Celtic, strings & a capella grace Warren Miller Performing Arts Center

Southwest Montana has plenty of opportunities to experience live stage entertainment with Big Sky's Warren Miller Performing Arts Center this winter season.

Enjoy an evening of modern Celtic music from **Julie Fowlis** on Sunday, February 15th. The concert begins at 7:30pm.

The award-winning Scottish Gaelic singer is renowned for a voice that feels both ancient and alive – pure, powerful and instantly recognizable. Her music is deeply influenced by the Hebridean islands where she grew up and by the Highland landscapes where she now resides. Described by writer Robert Macfarlane as “if snow could sing,” her luminous sound has carried from the Outer Hebrides to stages around the world, from Carnegie Hall and the Royal Albert Hall to Disney Pixar’s *Brave*, where she sang the beloved theme songs for the Oscar-winning film.

Experience the definitive strings of the **Kronos Quartet** on Sunday, February 22nd. Music begins at 7:30pm.

For 50 years, the foursome has challenged and reimagined what a string quartet can be. Founded at a time when the form was largely centered on long-established, Western European traditions, Kronos has

been at the forefront of revolutionizing the string quartet into a living art form that responds to the people and issues of our time. In the process, Kronos has become one of the most celebrated and influential groups of our era, performing thousands of concerts worldwide, releasing more than 70 recordings of extraordinary breadth and creativity, and collaborating with many of the world's most accomplished composers and performers.

Looking to a new month, **Voxave** will deliver their brand of dynamic a cappella on Saturday, March 7th. Show starts at 7:30pm.

Hailing from Central Florida, the 11-member group is renowned for their intricate and captivating vocal arrangements. Voxave brings together a rich tapestry of musical backgrounds with an impressive discography boasting multiple chart-topping songs and albums. They've collaborated with a host of Grammy, Dove and American Music Award winners, earning acclaim for their exceptional performances. Voxave's impact on the a cappella scene is undeniable.

For further information or to purchase tickets for these performances and other upcoming events, visit [www.warrenmillerpac.org](http://www.warrenmillerpac.org). •

## Turn nose to Valentine's with special anti-event

Feeling lovey dovey may not be for everyone this year, but there's a remedy for that! WYRD Productions is set to host its **Anti Valentine's Mix Genre Show** on Friday, February 13th. The event will be held at Verge Theater, located within the Emerson Center for the Arts & Culture, at 6pm.

This deliciously unromantic event is back for its third year. Come laugh, scream-sing, or brood dramatically in a corner – all emotional states are valid!

Feeling bold? Enter in the White Lie T-Shirt contest. Entry is \$5 with \$2 going into winning pot. First place gets a winner basket from event sponsors and second will take home a cash prize. May your design be as devastating as your last breakup.

The evening will feature live performances by sorryimolive, The Love Darts, Beau Dacious, Vera Visceral, Jacob Rountree, Rex Pistols, Austine Moonshadow and Sorry, Man. •

Tickets are \$20 in advance, or \$25 at the door as availability allows. VIP admission also available featuring up-close interactions with performers, free merch and a personal butler! Limited tickets will be sold for this anticipated off-holiday event.

A special thanks to event sponsors Eroticé, Belgrade Liquor, BridgerCare and Steep Mountain Teahouse. Find additional information and ticketing access at [www.wyrdmontana.com](http://www.wyrdmontana.com). •

## Symphony brings Hollywood to life

With a career spanning more than four decades, Zimmer has created instantly recognizable music for countless major motion pictures. His work has earned multiple Academy Awards, Golden Globes and Grammy Awards, cementing his reputation as one of today's most influential film composers.

Ennio Morricone, one of cinema's most revered composers, enjoyed a prolific career spanning more than 60 years. The legendary Italian composer wrote music for over 500 films and television productions, crafting timeless scores that continue to captivate audiences worldwide. His many accolades include an Academy Award for Lifetime Achievement and a competitive Oscar for his score to *The Hateful Eight*.

“Hans Zimmer and Ennio Morricone have created timeless

melodies and film scores that are beloved throughout multiple generations,” said Music Director Norman Huynh. “To hear a full symphony orchestra play the music from *The Lion King*, *The Dark Knight*, *Cinema Paradiso* and *The Good, Bad, and Ugly* will be a thrilling experience.”

Performances will be held Feb. 13th–15th at the Willson Auditorium in Downtown Bozeman. Individual tickets are available for purchase online at [www.bozeman-symphony.org](http://www.bozeman-symphony.org) or by phone at (406) 585-9774. Tickets at the door based on availability. Tickets begin at \$30 with student-discounted tickets available.

This special event is made possible through the generous support of sponsors Cal and Tricia DeSouza, Bob and Donna Ritchie, Bruce and Kimberlie Jodar, as well as Rick Sanders and Janice Hand. •

## Bridger brews acoustic music nights

Eclectic two-piece **The Boomerangs** perform on Feb. 18th. The duo brings a great mix of classic rock, pop and baby boomer favorites that will have the audience singing along. With diverse harmonies and multiple instrumental flavors, the Boomerangs create a fun and entertaining experience for everyone.

The **Lazy Owl String Band** entertains on Feb. 25th. A diverse group of musicians, influences range from jazz and blues to punk rock. However varied, the Owls are undeniably steeped in an old-timey traditional style. The group encapsulates an ethic of hard driving, whiskey drinking, boot-stomping music with infectious energy that's sure to get you moving.

*Three Forks Shores* Montana musician **John Foster** showcases his talents on Feb. 5th. He performs good ole fashioned country music fitting for an acoustic brewery set among friends and family.

Following his Bozeman set the

night prior, **Kyle Austin** plays Three Forks on Feb. 12th. He'll once again blend genres that skew country and perform cuts from his original catalog.

Frontwoman of the Shotgun Stars, **Tessy Lou Williams** follows on Feb. 19th. The country singer/songwriter is deeply rooted in traditional influences, with a spin on Western culture. Her self-titled debut album is available now.

**Kevin Clarke** will close out the month with a Feb. 26th show. The Butte-based singer/songwriter is known for his acoustic rock music and mastery of the 12-string guitar.

Bozeman music begins at 5:30pm, and 6pm in Three Forks. Bridger Brewing provides the Gallatin Valley community with unique hand-crafted brews, fresh artisan-style pizzas, as well as a full menu of protein-rich entrées exclusive to the Three Forks location. Find a current tap list and food menus at

[www.bridgerbrewing.com](http://www.bridgerbrewing.com). •

## Brick host to night of modern country

As the winter season retains its grip, local audiences have an opportunity to enjoy a night of traditional American music at Brick Breeden Fieldhouse. Budding country artist **Ian Munsick** takes the stage Friday, February 20th. Fellow genre acts Jake Worthington and Tyler Nance will open the 7pm show.

Munsick is a Wyoming-born country artist celebrated for blending modern country music with the grit, heritage and storytelling of the American West. Raised on a ranch in Sheridan, and immersed in music from an early age, he developed a sound shaped by family harmonies, traditional instruments and wide-open landscapes. His music often weaves together fiddle, steel and layered vocals with contempor-

rary production, creating a style that feels both rooted and forward-looking.

Lyrically, Munsick draws from rural life, faith, family and the culture of the West, delivering songs that resonate with authenticity and emotional depth. As part of the new wave of country artists honoring traditional influences while pushing the genre forward, he has earned a growing national following and a reputation as one of modern country's most compelling Western voices. His latest full-length release, *Eagle Feather*, is available now.

Advance tickets for Ian Munsick and other upcoming events are available for purchase now at [www.montana.edu/brickbreeden](http://www.montana.edu/brickbreeden) or at the Fieldhouse box office. •

With music lovers currently unable to experience a show at Bridger Brewing's outdoor amphitheater, their Bozeman and Three Forks locations continue to host musician nights this winter. Here's a look at who's performing in the coming weeks.

*Bozeman Shows* Enjoy the sounds of **Bitter Roots Revival** on February 4th.

The band performs an eclectic mix of bluegrass/folk/rock as varied as the Beatles, Crosby Stills & Nash, the Grateful Dead, Tyler Childers, Dolly Parton and many other artists, as well as some originals. They're a multi-instrumentalist trio that includes guitar, bass, mandolin, fiddle and banjo, with an emphasis on three-part harmonies.

Nashville-based musician **Kyle Austin** follows on Feb. 11th. Raised on traditional country, his setlist is highly inclusive featuring a variety of genres. He also performs a batch of originals included on his debut release, *Out-Law*.

*Three Forks Shores*

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frontman of the Billings-based Arterial Drive, **Drew McDowell** has been writing songs and performing in Montana for years, also alongside his band The Scurry. Playing a poppy indie rock sound, he sings a healthy blend of amazing originals and classic covers. His eponymous debut album is out now.

**Shakedown County** returns with shows on Feb. 27th and 28th. Visiting from Great Falls, the foursome is one of Montana's favorite country dance bands that delivers audiences energetic renditions of all the classics and beyond. Expect a supercharged night of country-rock.

Live Saloon music begins at 9pm. Chico Hot Springs is located in Pray, 20 miles south of Livingston. For more information, visit [www.chicohotsprings.com](http://www.chicohotsprings.com).

Check out budding local band

**The Scurry** on Feb. 20th and 21st.

*Tell 'em, "I Saw It In The BoZone!"*

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Shake the winter chill with a visit to Chico Hot Springs. The local resort offers accommodations for overnight visitors and features regular entertainment in the Saloon. Check out the upcoming live music schedule.

Veterans of the local live music scene,

**Brandon Hale & the Dirty Shame** are back

at it on February 6th and 7th. The outlaw country band has been a staple of the Montana live music scene for decades, known for their cutting originals and unique spins on songs by the likes of Willie Nelson, Waylon Jennings and Johnny Cash, among others. Their recent album



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**Case Band**, performing Feb. 13th and 14th. The '70s to '90s rock band covers tunes ranging from the Allman Brothers and Three Dog Night, to Stone Temple Pilots and Pearl Jam.

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*Tell 'em, "I Saw It In The BoZone!"*

## Iconic hip-hop group comes to Bozeman

Bozeman's Armory Music Hall opens its stage to iconic hip-hop ensemble **Bone Thugs-n-Harmony** this month. Presented by Summit Sound Productions and Deco Music Group, the show is set for Saturday, February 28th. DJ Kyle Davis kicks off the music at 7:30pm.

**Bone Thugs** are one of the most iconic and influential hip-hop groups of all time. Hailing from Cleveland, Ohio, the Grammy Award-winning group rose to fame in the 1990s with their signature melodic rap style and rapid-fire lyrical delivery.

Known for timeless hits like "Tha Crossroads," "1st of tha Month," "Foe tha Love of \$" and "East 1999," the foursome

helped shape the sound of hip-hop and influenced countless artists across generations. They continue to release new music today.

With over 30 years in the game, their live shows are a celebration of classic hip-hop energy, lyrical precision, and anthems that defined an era. Brush up on all your favorite tracks and experience true legends performing their greatest hits – one night only at the Armory.

Armory Music Hall tickets are available for standing-room general admission as well as limited booth seating and VIP packages. This show is 18+. A complete list of upcoming performances and ticketing access is available at [www.armorymusichall.com](http://www.armorymusichall.com).

## Eagles delivers wave of groovy live acts

Montana folk are always looking for a friendly venue to blow off some steam, and Downtown Bozeman's Eagles Bar offers the perfect cocktail of drinks and live music to satisfy. The local watering hole remains home to a steady schedule of live music.

Billings-based **FlavaTown** will bring down the house on February 6th and 7th. The multi-piece is known for their brand of flavorful old school soul, R&B and funk pop grooves. The band features Scott Morales, Alex Nauman, Erik Olsen, Gabe Bonvicino and Isaiah Morales.

Local rockstars **Tsunami Funk** deliver on Feb. 20th and 21st. The Bozeman-favorite group always packs the dance floor with Funk/R&B-rocking grooves. They play 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 more.

Check out **Roadrunner** on Feb. 27th and 28th. Featuring guitarist Tyler James, Andrew

Miscoe on keys, drummer Bob Johnson, and bassist Max Eaton, the foursome brings the music of the Jerry Garcia Band to life!

Laugh it up every Monday with the Eagles' **Comedy Open Mic Night**. Whether you're a spectator or have a few jokes of your own, sets begin at 8pm.

The Eagles hosts **Burgers & BINGO Night** on Saturday evenings, with dinner and the game beginning at 5:30pm. Grab your friends and dober of choice for a chance to win some extra bucks.

Make sure to check out **Brider 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.

Weekend live music starts at 9pm. Head downtown for some great live music or stop into the Eagles for a cold one when the next hankering hits.

## Lodge keeps warm with 'Winter Concert Series'

After another unforgettable year of summer concerts under the pines, Pine Creek Lodge is turning inward – literally – with its Winter Concert Series, featuring a hand-picked lineup of acclaimed artists performing in an intimate indoor setting.

Nestled between the Absaroka and Gallatin mountain ranges and just steps from the Yellowstone River, the venue has become a bucket-list destination for live-music lovers from across the country. While best known for its legendary outdoor summer shows, winter at Pine Creek offers something entirely different – and equally special.

"The room is small, the air is warm, the sound is dialed in, and there's no bad seat in the house," says the Lodge team. "It's the kind of night that reminds you why live music still wins."

Next up is Salt Lake neo-bluegrass outfit **The Pickpockets** on Saturday, February 7th. As bluegrass continues to grow and bend as a genre, this foursome is at the forefront, pushing the roots of bluegrass into new territories. The four-piece string band takes audiences into an inviting world of heartfelt lyrics, catchy melodies and gripping solos. Using an expansive repertoire and ever-growing sound, they continue to immerse spectators in new styles, new genres, and unforgettable grooves. With traditional instruments and future outlooks, The Pickpockets are breathing new life into a timeless tradition: bluegrass.

Local singer-songwriter **Abby Webster** follows on Friday and Saturday, February 13th and 14th. Her songs blend alt-country, folk and bedroom pop elements, showcasing lyrics that are as whimsical as they are visceral. Her latest album, *Livin' by the Water*, and follow-up singles are available now.

Guitar virtuoso **Joe Robinson** performs on Friday,

February 20th. The world-renown guitarist and singer/songwriter from Australia is a uniquely skilled musician, widely regarded as one of the world's top fingerstyle soloists. He is also an accomplished electric improviser, composer and songwriter. Robinson's signature musical touch and ability to seamlessly blend these elements allows him to create a sound that is truly one-of-a-kind and defies classification within any particular genre.

Enjoy an album release party with dirtbag soul band **STiLGONE** on Saturday, February 21st. Extra special guest Desperate Electric will be on hand for opening support. The band plays a unique fusion of genres, spanning funk, soul, hip-hop, reggae, psychedelic rock and more. While covering so many styles they manage to create a cohesive sound that is uniquely their own, one they have dubbed "intergalactic dirtbag soul." Their live shows are an immersive trip through detailed soundscapes, danceable grooves and the lyrics of songwriter and guitarist Symon Palmer. The show celebrates the release of their new album, *A La Mode*.

Late this month, Dead tribute **710 Ashbury** take the stage for back-to-back shows on Friday and Saturday, February 27th and 28th. The Helena four-piece lays down all your classic Grateful Dead favorites with every spirited performance. Committed to preserving the legacy of the popular genre-skewing rock band, 710 features a talented group of veteran Montana musicians.

Coming up at the Lodge: jam band bluegrassers **North Fork Crossing** on March 6th and 7th, progressive bluegrass outfit **Sicard Hollow** March 19th, Americana roots rockers **Aaron Golay & the Original Sin** March 21st and country folk trio **Honeyholler** on March 27th. Stay tuned for details.

Advance tickets for these shows are available now, but space is limited. All music begins at 7pm. Small food menu available. Please visit [www.pinecreek-lodgemontana.com](http://www.pinecreek-lodgemontana.com) to learn more about these and other upcoming off-season shows.

## OLLI at MSU forum introduces new Bozeman mayor

From MSU News Service

The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at Montana State University will host a virtual Friday Forum on February 13th titled "Opportunities & Challenges as the New Mayor of Bozeman, Joey Morrison."

The event will be held from noon to 1:30pm online via Zoom and is free and open to the public.

The forum will feature a presentation from Joey Morrison, who was sworn in as Bozeman's newest mayor on Jan. 7th. He previously served on the Bozeman City Commission as deputy mayor for two years alongside former Mayor Terry Cunningham.

In an interview with the *Bozeman Daily Chronicle*, Morrison said he plans to focus on

housing and affordability during his term. At the forum, he will outline his vision for the next two years, highlighting the challenges and opportunities facing Bozeman's growing community.

Registration for the event must be completed at [www.montana.edu/olli/friday](http://www.montana.edu/olli/friday) or on Zoom before 11am Feb. 13th. Upon registration, participants will receive an email with a Zoom link and instructions for joining the forum.

OLLI at MSU's Friday Forums are held on the second Friday of the month from September to May. OLLI at MSU is a program of Academic Technology and Outreach, which provides innovative outreach and engagement opportunities across the university.

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## Attic supplies nights of folk fusion, authentic hippie



Downtown Livingston's favorite live music spot brings in acts to suit every palate – and plenty of cocktails to go with 'em! Here's a look at some of the upcoming artists heading up to The Attic.

brand of boogie, the band guarantees a rockin' good time. The members have been acquainted for years and are connected by their love of music.

Looking to a new month, Take in a performance by duo act **Sgt. Splendor** on March 20th with opening support by Danny Bee. The project blends indie rock, folk and Americana into rich, atmospheric songs. Known for thoughtful songwriting, layered harmonies and a balance of intimacy and cinematic sweep, their music feels both expansive and deeply personal, rooted in a strong sense of place. Comprised of Kate Vargas and Eric McFadden, the pair will perform selections from their debut full-length *Death of the Hoochie Koo* and new album *Isotopia*.

All events begin at 8pm. Advanced ticketing information for other upcoming Attic shows is available at [www.theatticmon-tana.com](http://www.theatticmon-tana.com). The Attic is located at 110 N Main in Livingston, just above Whiskey Creek Saloon.



**THE FOSSILS**

## Natural energy subject of next Science lecture

What has made solar-generated electricity cheaper than all other methods of power generation, and what does it mean for our energy future? Learn more from Dr. Erik Grumstrup, professor in the MSU Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, and Gallatin Valley Friends of the Sciences, whose popular lecture series returns this month.

Co-sponsored by local nonprofit Hopa Mountain, the next talk of the series is set for Wednesday, February 11th. **"Solar Energy: from Physics to Policy"** will begin at 6:30pm. It will be held in the Community Room at Bozeman Public Library.

In his presentation, Grumstrup will explain the fundamental physics of photovoltaic generation and how economic and adjacent technological drivers are leading to unprecedented changes in how our energy needs will be met in the future.

Dr. Grumstrup holds a Ph.D. in Chemical

Physics from the University of Colorado, and served as a post-doctoral researcher at the University of North Carolina and the Army Research Office. He has led a research group at Montana State University since 2014, studying how electrons behave in "functional materials" – materials that make possible modern technologies from solar cells to computers.

The presentation will be followed by a Q&A period. The informative talks are presented in person on select Wednesdays. The presentations are free and open to the public, with seating on a first-come, first-served basis.

Find Gallatin Valley Friends of the Sciences on social media or visit [www.gal-latinscience.org](http://www.gal-latinscience.org) for additional details and information about future talks. The nonprofit was established in 2017 to explore cutting edge science topics, their latest developments, and their relevance to society.



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## 'Land & Water Stewardship' tackles forest health

Following its first event to kick off the new year, Gallatin Conservation District continues its "Land & Water Stewardship for Locals" speaker series with another presentation this month. The next topic to be covered, **Forest Health & Management**, will take place

Thursday, February 5th, at the Gallatin Gateway Community Center. The event begins at 5pm.

Join Jay Pape with Gallatin County Emergency Management and Elias Davis with the Department of Natural Resources (DNRC) to address:

- Forest health in the county and beyond
- Forest pests and diseases, signs and symptoms
- Conifer encroachment and how to keep your grasslands
- How to properly manage your

property to reduce the risk of fire

- Resources available in the county to help manage your property

This four-month long series is dedicated to landowners and realtors who are looking to expand their knowledge about our natural resources in Montana and how to properly manage them. These talks are free and open to the public.

Gallatin Conservation District administers the Natural Streambed and Land Preservation Act, provides youth and adult education opportunities, sponsors grants, provides assistance to small acreage landowners, conducts a cost share program for landowners, provides items for sale, partners with other agencies on natural resource based projects, and gets actively involved in various programs and events. Learn more at [www.gallatincd.org](http://www.gallatincd.org).

## Humans' power, spirit celebrated with winter shorts

"Go big or go home," winter enthusiasts! Wild Montana's Madison-Gallatin Chapter brings the 21st annual Winter Wildlands Alliance **Backcountry Film Festival** to Bozeman's Emerson Center for the Arts & Culture on Friday, February 13th. Prepare to get goosebumps as you "ooh!" and "ahh!" at the impact and importance of our winter wildlands through this collection of short films. Doors open at 6:30pm, with films set to begin at 7:30pm.

This year showcases a dynamic lineup of short documentaries and ski films that transport audiences straight to the heart of winter. Adventure, love, travel, ski culture, ice, pain, friendship and DEEP POWDER – you'll find it all as the festival brings these powerful stories to towns around the world.

This year's film lineup includes *A Baffin Vacation*, *Love on Ice*, *Ridge to River*, *Let My People Go Skiing*, *Polar*, *Descents to Dunes*, *40 Years on the Trail*, *Shaped by Ice*, *Adaptive Avalanche*, *Uncharted: The White Continent*, and *Going Home*. Film lineup subject to change.

Advance tickets are \$15, or \$10 for youth at [www.theemerson.org](http://www.theemerson.org) and will also be sold at the door as

availability allows. And don't miss the raffle! Numerous items have been donated by ski industry companies and local businesses in support of the event.

Since its inception, the festival has toured across states, countries – even Antarctica – screening hundreds of inspiring films that celebrate adventure, conservation and the magic of winter. Over the years, the festival has raised millions of dollars to support local projects that strengthen winter communities and protect our wild snowscapes.

Every winter, BCFF tours 100+ cities and mountain towns, hosted by SnowSchool sites, local retailers, grassroots recreation and conservation groups, outdoor affinity groups and many more community organizations. Funds raised stay in the local community to support SnowSchool, human-powered recreation and conservation efforts, as well as avalanche/safety programs.

Note: additional local showings of these films as part of the national tour will be held in Big Sky on Feb. 12th, Butte on Feb. 19th, Helena on Feb. 22nd and Great Falls on Feb. 27th. Visit the WWA website for additional details and ticketing access. •

## Depot hosts fourth 'makers market'

The Livingston Depot Center is proud to announce the return of **Winter Makers Market** on Saturday, February 28th from 9am to 4pm. The Winter Makers Market showcases local and regional artists, artisans, and makers inside the Depot atrium for one day during the cooler months of winter.

This year's event offers guests a fun and relaxing shopping environ-

ment with an exclusive selection of artists and an indoor seating area to enjoy hot drinks with local handmade treats. The Market features vendors from near and far sharing their crafts and goods.

Admission is \$1 for adults. Kids ages 12 and younger are admitted free. All proceeds support the Depot's indispensable collections, services and programs.

The Livingston Depot Foundation is a nonprofit organization committed to enriching the lives of residents of Livingston and surrounding communities and tourists to the Yellowstone area. Located in the heart of downtown Livingston, at 200 W Park St. Additional information can be obtained by visiting [www.livingstondepot.org](http://www.livingstondepot.org).

## Splashin' with passion: annual Plunge

Get out into the arctic elements in support of Montana's Special Olympics athletes with a harsh dip into icy winter waters! The annual **President's Polar Plunge** will take place Saturday, February 21st at Glen Lake Rotary Park, just off Manley Road.

Sponsored by a number of local businesses and community members, plungers will take to the glacial waters at 1pm. Check-in will be held from 11:30am-12:30pm. Scores of plungers have raised hundreds of thousands of annual dollars with these statewide events. Help take this

haul to the next level!

Attendees need not submerge themselves should they still like to offer their support on the sidelines while observing daring members of the community freeze for a purpose. The event is meant to band people together from this and neighboring communities in an effort to raise awareness. The Plunge entertains, while advocating for and representing the place we all call home.

Questions? Visit [p2p.onecause.com/26presidentsplunge](http://p2p.onecause.com/26presidentsplunge) for registration and additional event information.

Donations may be made through the website.

Special Olympics Montana is a nonprofit organization determined to provide year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for children and adults with intellectual disabilities, giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy, and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills, and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes, and the community. •

## 'Earth Day' series talks ranch solar

Gallatin Valley Earth Day continues its annual event series preceding the spring festival with another presentation this month.

**"Solar Power for Cows & Crops"** will be held Wednesday, February 11th, at Museum of the Rockies. Learn why Montana's farmers and ranchers are embracing solar with the 7pm talk.

The panel discussion will feature Montana ranchers and farmers – Jen Saunders, Laurie Gaugler, John Wicks and Walter Schweitzer – and

solar installer John Palm to discuss why and how ranchers are installing huge solar arrays.

Installing solar is easier than you think! Join to learn how to qualify for the federal tax credit and how a solar PV system can save overhead and operating costs in the short and long term. An investment for future generations, that helps families stay on the ranch or farm!

The solar talk will also be presented virtually for those who cannot attend. Find a registration link

and additional event information at [www.gallatinvalleyearthday.org](http://www.gallatinvalleyearthday.org).

Details about other upcoming talks will be available through the website leading up to the April 19th festival.

Gallatin Valley Earth Day encourages local citizen action to help protect our planet from right here in the Gallatin Valley. The group came together in creation of a Bozeman festival that celebrates this vital work. Learn more by visiting the aforementioned website. •

## Cold Smoke contests on the edge

Skiers and snowboarders of Southwest Montana are flocking to Bridger Bowl to cut through even limited snowfall. Try your hand at some slopeside contests to keep ski season exciting!

Take part in the always exciting **King & Queen of the Ridge**. The benefit event will take place Saturday, February 7th. Race with friends of all ages on alpine skis, tele skis or snowboards. Take one run on the blue course and one on the red. Best of two timed runs.

Funds raised during this weekend event help support avalanche education in Southwest Montana

100% of proceeds go to the Friends of the Gallatin National Forest Avalanche Center. \$300,528 has been raised since 2003!

The **Brider Gully Freeride** follows on Saturday, Feb. 21st. This judged freeriding event off Bridger's Ridge grades participant runs based on various criteria. It is designed for skiers and snowboarders of all disciplines.

Co-hosted by Montana State University, Bridger will present the **NCAA Regionals** with events set for Thursday through Saturday, Feb. 26th-28th. This

Championship series brings the greatest collegiate skiers from across the country. Come out and cheer them on! See host website for additional details.

Click into your skis or board for the **Terrain Park Jam** on Saturday, Feb. 28th. This slopestyle competition features a variety of rails, rollers, boxes, banks and barrels. Skiers and snowboarders will take two judged runs and a jam on a feature chosen by each age group.

Finally, Bridger's next **Community Dual GS Series**

event is set for Sunday, March 1st, held in tribute to John Harkin.

Open to citizen racers of all ages and boards – alpine skis, tele skis or snowboards. Compete against your friends! Take one run on the blue course and one run on the red course. Best of two timed runs.

Bridger Bowl operates a FREE ski bus service to and from the mountain, with multiple pick-up times daily. Operating midweek and weekends, the bus picks up at MSU's Strand Union Building and the Gallatin County Fairgrounds' Park n Ride lot on Tamarack St. throughout the entire ski season.

Additionally, Eagle Mount Shuttle operates its own transportation service for disabled skiers and riders Friday-Sunday. Find a request form through Bridger's website along with shuttle schedules.

The ski area is located on the east slope of the Bridger Mountain Range. Download the Bridger Bowl app for snow reports and other announcements! For season pass information, bus schedule and upcoming event details, visit [www.bridgerbowl.com](http://www.bridgerbowl.com).

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