



Montana JCI Senate

NEWSLETTER

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417 25th Ave. NW,
Sidney MT 59270

Welcome Back Montana Senate,

I hope this finds everyone healthy, happy and enjoying a beautiful summer. It was great seeing and catching up with so many of you at the senate campout. We even had a chance to visit with this year's MTJC President, and fellow senator, Trisha Hellemms while there.

I'm looking forward to serving as your senate president this year. I see my job as a simple one -- survive until the next election. With this in mind, I do have a few ideas for the upcoming year. Some may think they're radical. Some may think they're foolish. Some may think, didn't we quit doing that for a reason? But, this year we're going to give them a try and see what happens.

So, just in case you're wondering why you're reading a newsletter again, the simple answer is communication. A little something to help keep everyone informed and sort of up to date on the state of senate affairs around Montana. With this, we can provide information on meetings, conventions, other gatherings and hopefully answer some of the questions you have.

Another thing we're moving ahead with is an

actual senate meeting at the Fall Jaycees Convention which will be held September 9-10 in Sidney. Our meeting will be held on Saturday the 10th at 2pm in their new Fire Hall. I'm looking forward to catching up with the east side of the state since we haven't had the opportunity for quite a while. Plans are also in the works for a meeting at their year-end convention, but when and where it will be are still to be determined. So, there's another newsletter coming.

As long as we're talking about the future, hotel reservations are now being taken for our year-end meeting May 5-6 in Great Falls at the O'Haire Motor Inn. And next year's campout will be July 7-9 at Kim's Marina. Just a little head's up, with more information to follow as they get nearer.

With that, I think I'll draw this to a close for now. No sense having too much of a good thing. I look forward to seeing you around the state this year.

Thanx,
Ross Moritz
JCI Senator #65304
2022-23 Montana Senate President

Montana JCI Senate
Fall Meeting - Sidney
September 10, 2:00pm
Join the MT Jaycees Convention



2022-2023
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2022-2023 Treasurer

Greetings from your new treasurer. I would like to thank Deborah Roberts for 14 years of service as the Montana JCI Senate Treasurer. Her dedication and commitment mean's a lot to us. I also want to thank her for all the help with this transition.

The new mailing address for the

Montana JCI Senate is:

417 25th Ave. NW,

Sidney MT 59270.

My cell number is: **406-489-0719**

Email: **tricntyadm@midrivers.com**

Please do not hesitate to contact me anytime.

I would like to invite everyone to the September Senate meeting in Sidney. Unfortunately, Larry and I will be out of town, but we have some newer Senators that are helping out. Should be a great time at the Fire Hall in Sidney. If you can't make it to Sidney, we hope to see you in May in Great Falls. It's always fun to catch up with everyone.

Hope to see everyone at a meeting soon.

Tami Christensen

2023 SENATE CAMPOUT - CANYON FERRY

Campout will be July 7-9 at Canyon Ferry. Please call on January 2nd to make reservations - can't be done before then because their system is not set up to do a year in advance.

SAVE THE DATE

**MT JCI ANNUAL
SENATE MEETING**

May 5-6, 2023
Great Falls, MT
O'Haire

Send a Note... Receive a Note.

Contact Senate Chaplain Cindy Gabbert if you would like a special greeting card sent out to a fellow Senator - or if you have something to share with the senate membership. You can reach Chaplain Cindy at 406-939-4222 or email at tcgabby@midrivers.com

CHAPTER EVENTS

MTJaycees.org

- Helena Extension Event
Aug. 7 @ Jaycee Park
Helena 1:00 pm
- Annual Derby, August 20
Sidney Jaycees
- TBA - Guns Vs. Hoses:
Miles City Jaycees
- Haunted Hallows, TBD:
Billings Jaycees
- Haunted House,
October 22-31:
Havre Jaycees
- October 28 & 29
Haunted Trails:
Miles City Jaycees
- Koats for Kids,
November:
Havre Jaycees
- Community Christmas
Tree, First weekend in
Dec: Billings Jaycees
- December 11th
Christmas store:
Miles City Jaycees
- Christmas Light Judging:
December
Havre Jaycees

Sponsor a Jaycee Award

Reach out to Treasurer
Tami Christensen to
sponsor the Jaycees
awards today!

Montana Jaycees Foundation Community Grant Program

MT JC's Foundation Community Grant is a program where the yearly interest from the Foundation Trust Fund is awarded to a MT Jaycee community program/project. MTJC chapters need to submit PMG steps 1-7 along with the grant submission form to MT JC Senator & Program Manager, Cindy Gabbert.

The grant request form along with the PMG is due by mid-April each year to Cindy Gabbert, all community grant submissions that meet the grant criteria will be voted on by the MT JCI foundation board at their election meeting, in early May & funds are sent immediately to the winning project(s). After the project is completed the chapter is to submit to Cindy the final PMG steps 8-10 of the project.

If you have any questions about the program don't hesitate to contact Cindy at 406-939-4222 or tcgabby@midrivers.com

Yours in Jaycees,
Cindy Gabbert #57109

[Grant Applications are located on www.mtjcisenate.org](http://www.mtjcisenate.org)

2022 MTJC Foundation Scholarship Winner:

Elijah Mildren

2022 US JCI Senate Foundation Scholarship

Winners from Montana:

Elijah Mildren & Colton Noyes

**Please email your photos of senate stuff
to Earl Taylor: earl@taylorenterprises.biz
for inclusion on the website.**

Thank you Earl for making our website happen!

Thank you to everyone who submitted a bit of news to share.

I would like to send the newsletters via EMAIL and share them on FACEBOOK.

Connect to the Montana JCI Senate Facebook Group..

Send me an email to be added to the newsletter list.

*Thank you,
Chamene Plum
JCI Senator #69958
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Thank You Deborah Roberts!

Thank you Deborah for the many years of hard work and dedication you put in as Treasurer for the Montana Senate.

Your commitment to the organization made things easier for all involved. We couldn't have done it without you.

*Thank you again from all of us,
Your Fellow Senators*



**Open Phone-Camera,
Scan, click and join
the Montana
JCI Senate
Facebook Group**



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MONTANA JAYCEES

2022 ELECTION CONVENTION

HOSTED BY THE SIDNEY JAYCEES SEPTEMBER 9TH & 10TH

THEME FOR EACH NIGHT! FRIDAY IS ADAM SANDLER & SATURDAY IS 1920'S

REGISTRATION

\$40 per person

\$15 Children

\$50 late (postmarked after august 15th)

\$15 just lunch (taco bar shredded beef, ground beef, or chicken)

\$20 just dinner (shrimp alfredo or chicken parmesan w/ salad, breadsticks, dessert)

ACCOMIDATIONS

Candlewood Suites Sidney

2016th St NW, Sidney, MT 59270

406-482-9692

Call Candlewood directly to get discounted rate (\$70 for Single \$80 for doubles)

MAIL IN REGISTRATION FORM TO

Sidney Jaycees

PO Box 455, Sidney, MT 59270

Any questions call or text: 406-480-3069 Harleigh or 406-480-2654 Greg

Please provide advance notice if childcare is needed, it will be provided.

Chapter:

Name:

Registration: \$40/\$50 if late:___ Only Lunch \$15:___ Only Dinner \$20:

List any dietary restrictions:

Competitions: First Timers:___ Innovators:___ Brownsfield:___ Write Up:___ Speak Up:
Master Speak Up:___ Jaycee Jeopardy: