

Issues and Answers

January/February/March 2024

Quality Behavioral Health

Seasonal Depression, Crisis Line, Suicide prevention- run dates- Jan 1-31

Crisis Line, Suicide Prevention – run dates Feb 1-28

FCS, Crisis Line – run dates March 1-31

Tri- State Hospital

Ran ads to promote our only local non-profit hospital services.

Ran ads for High Tea Fundraiser for the Hospital

Gina Quesenberry Winefest

- Proceeds go to help with cancer patients and their families with medical and housing funds.- run dates March 1-25

Youth Outdoor Unlimited Auction

- Raise funds to help youth diagnosed with life threatening illnesses and physical disabilities to go on a hunting or fishing trip of their dreams.

Lewis Clark Animal Shelter

- Ran ads for their Auction Fundraiser – Mardi Gras for the Paws

United Way

- January/February/March – ran ads for period project – help young girls receive free personal hygiene products
- February/March – ran ads for Lice Awareness

Lewis Clark Chamber of Commerce

- Ran ads to help promote business commerce in the LC Valley

Library Giving Day

- Helps fund programs for Youths and Adults

FREE IDAHO BOAT SAFETY COURSE IN LEWISTON:

The Nez Perce County Sheriff's Office is offering a free boating safety course in Lewiston on April 21, 2024, from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm at the Sheriff's Office Training Room located at 1150 Wall St., Lewiston, ID. This course is open to boaters of all levels of experience and focuses on Idaho boating laws and safety tips.

18TH ANNUAL CELEBRATION AT JACK O'CONNOR CENTER

The Jack O'Connor Hunting Heritage & Education Center in Hells Gate State Park, Lewiston, Idaho, is celebrating its 18th Annual Anniversary on Saturday, April 27, 2024, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM. Admission is free for the open house at the Jack O'Connor Center and the Outdoor Writer's Forum, which will feature guest writers from across the country. An evening banquet and auction are scheduled for 6:00 PM at the Hells Canyon Grand Hotel in Lewiston. Banquet tickets are \$75, with reservations required. The event will have special guest speaker John Kruse, an experienced outdoors writer and radio host. The event will also include live and silent auctions, with all proceeds supporting the exhibits and programs of the Jack O'Connor Center, a 501(c)3 non-profit organization.

The Women's Connection of the LC Valley

WCOLC_Valley is thrilled to announce that grant applications are now being accepted for funds from the 2024 Women's Connection Purse Auction. This event aims to support organizations dedicated to empowering and serving women in our community. Organizations seeking funding must meet the following criteria: Serve women and focus on initiatives that benefit women in various aspects of their lives. Be a valid 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. The grant application process is now open, providing an opportunity for non-profits to secure funding to further their impactful work in supporting and uplifting women. Interested organizations are encouraged to apply and showcase how their projects align with the mission of the Women's Connection. Applications will be accepted until Friday April 5th, 2024.

VETERANS STAND-DOWN EVENT

GRANGEVILLE - Saturday, March 30, 2024, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Veterans Stand-down event at 318 East Main. Supplies for homeless Vets or those in dire need, a County Veterans Service Officer will be available to answer questions, and free lunch will be served from noon - 1:00 p.m.

GENESEE SPRING CRAFT FAIR

The Genesee Spring Craft Fair is scheduled for April 27th from 10AM to 4PM at the Genesee Community Fire Station, located at 235 W. Chestnut St., Genesee, ID. Attendees can explore booths offering crafts, jewelry, garden items, purses, and more. Coffee and food will be available for purchase. The event offers free admission and free parking.

VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS BREAKFAST

The Juliaetta-Kendrick Volunteer Firefighters are hosting a breakfast event on Sunday, April 7th, from 7:00 AM to 11:00 AM at the Juliaetta Elementary School Cafeteria. The menu features ham, sausage, pancakes, scrambled eggs, hash brown casserole, orange juice, coffee, and various homemade toppings. Admission is \$12.00 for adults \$4.00 for kids, with children under 4 attending for free.

LEWIS CLARK BLUEGRASS PRESENTS BLUEGRASS VALLEY

The Lewis Clark Bluegrass Organization is hosting "Bluegrass Valley" on April 6, 2024, at Clarkston High School Auditorium, 401 Chestnut St., Clarkston, WA. The event features live performances from Factory Mullet, Higher Ground, and Moscow Mules, beginning at 7:00 p.m., with doors opening at 6:00 p.m. Tickets are priced at \$10.00 per person, and kids 15 and under enter free with a paying adult.

USS IDAHO CHRISTENING WATCH PARTY

On Tuesday, 02 April 2024, a USS Idaho Christening Watch Party will be at the Lewiston VFW Post, 1104 Warner Ave, Lewiston. Doors will open at 5:00 PM, and the rebroadcast will start at about 5:30 PM. The Video is about an hour long. This is open to the Public, if you can attend please come so we can have a good showing.

The Idaho Animal Rescue Network

GET YOUR TICKETS! You don't want to miss the first EVER "Dogs, Cats & Cowboy Hats" dinner and silent auction. The Idaho Animal Rescue Network is excited to partner with LCCU to bring this event to the valley. Strap on those boots, put on your best pair of jeans, and support the rescue that does so much for our LC Valley! April 13, 2024 at Holiday Inn, 700 Port Drive, Clarkston. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. for social hour.

FREE FOOD DISTRIBUTION AT CLARKSTON WALMART

The Mobile Market, in collaboration with 2 Harvest and supported by Walmart, is hosting a free food distribution event at the Clarkston Walmart, located at 306 5th St., Clarkston, WA 99403, on Wednesday, March 27th, from 11:00AM to 1:00PM. This drive-thru event aims to serve up to 250 families while supplies last. No appointment or documentation is required for participation. For more information, please visit 2-harvest.org.

Free caregivers workshop in Riggins on Tuesdays

RIGGINS – St. Luke's McCall and Aging Strong are hosting a free six-week workshop for caregivers beginning Tuesday, April 2, meeting weekly on Tuesdays, 2-3:30 p.m., at the Heritage Center, 109 S. Lodge Street, Riggins. Registration is required.

Bowling benefit for Pilants

A benefit for the Pilant family will be at Camas Lanes, Grangeville, on Saturday, May 4, 2-7 p.m. Two games at \$25 per bowler (in-house food and beverages available, but not included). Donations for the Pilant family, with or without bowling, are also accepted.

Spring craft fairs are April & Mar 27, 2024

The Grangeville Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the Second Annual Spring Craft Fair Saturday, April 27. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., at Grangeville Elementary Middle School. Sts Peter and Paul Annual Spring Fling Vendor Fair is also set for April 27. Book a booth with the chamber for the GEMS fair by calling 208-983-0460. To be a vendor or for more information on the SPPS fair, call or text Terri at 208-451-0380.

Leadership seminar on tap in April 2024

Communicating as Leaders, a workshop hosted by Mountain View School District 244 board of trustees in conjunction with the Idaho School Boards Association, is set for Wednesday, April 10, at Grangeville High School, from 5-8 p.m.

Riggins Rodeo Queen tryouts 2024

Become an ambassador for the Riggins Rodeo; try out for queen May 4 at 10 a.m. Application deadline is April 26. For an application, email rigginsrodeoqueenecordinator@gmail.com, or call Megan Thompson at 208-315-3585.

Kooskia book sale in April

KOOSKIA — Friends of the Kooskia Community Library are having their spring book sale on Wednesday and Thursday, April 3 and 4, at the Kooskia Community Center, 3-7 p.m., with the dollar bag sale taking place at 6 p.m. on Thursday.