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Saturday, August 28, 2010 Start Times: Full-6:30am Half-8:30am *Volunteers needed! Contact Dave Jacobson*(*a*) 652-7771 during the day.



Friday, August 27 from 6-10pm there will be a festival on Main Street! Come and enjoy some music and fun! Featuring bands: "Belly Up" and "Hard Times". Also, raffle tickets are on sale now for a fabulous plane ride for 3 over the marathon the next morning! Plane ride donated by Wynn's Flooring & Furniture. For more information call Hannah McCausey or Jake Amen



August 23-27 is Homecoming Week! Friday, Aug. 27-Huskies vs. Teton Go Huskies! *10am-Parade *12:30-Alumni Assembly *3:30-Volleyball game *7:00-Football game



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Information deadline for the Newsletter is due by 8 AM on the Sat-urday prior to the first and third Tuesday of the month. Please email anything you would like posted to info@ashtonidaho.com or leave a message at 652-3355.

Business Spotlight:

Are you tired of being the cook at home? Well maybe you need a night off? Get on over to

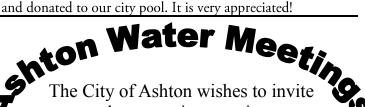


Big Juds Diner ! They've been in business for over 14 years. Owner Todd Bossard has made this business a favorite of the locals. He also is a great person to call when you have a party to cater. Just have Todd cook your meat for you, roast beef, pulled pork, you name it, Todd will make it good. They are famous for their 1lb. burger and each patty is weighed individually so no one is jipped in any way! And you got to love their fresh cut fries! Can't stay long, order your lunch or dinner to go. Just call

652-7806. They are open 11-10pm in the summer Mon.-Sat. and 11-9 in the winter.

raiser

The community barbeque and baked goods auction was held Friday, August 13th in the City Park at the Rotary Pavilion. Though the numbers were few and the baked goods fewer, we were still able to raise \$1,100. Thank you to all who attended and donated to our city pool. It is very appreciated!



The City of Ashton wishes to invite *everyone* to the upcoming meetings set to discuss fixing the nitrate problems. There will be an **informational** meeting where questions will be taken Thursday, Aug. 19 @ 7pm and then a **<u>public hearing</u>** on **Wednesday**, Aug.

25 (a) 7:30pm where public testimony about the project will be taken. Both meetings will be held at the City Building.



The Ashton Chamber of Commerce will be holding their monthly meeting this Thursday, August 19th at noon in the Chamber office. All businesses and members are encouraged to attend and become a part of keeping commerce in



Ashton! This month lunch will be catered by *Big Juds*. Please bring \$3-\$4 for lunch.

Come and enjoy a great Idahoan meal Breakfast, Lunch, or Dinner Open All Week Sun.-Sat. 6am-10pm

City of Ashton NewS

Ashton Swimming Pool

<u>The pool is going to be open a little longer</u>!! Support our local pool and have a safe and fun summer! Swimming is \$3.50 per person.

Time to Swim!!

- Aug. 16,20,21-open 1-5 pm
- Aug. 17,18,19-open 4-8pm
- Aug. 27 & 28-open-1-5pm
- The Ashton Urban Renewal Committee has started the plan amendment process to expand both the geographical boundaries and investment/ expenditure objectives. The Committee is inviting community input of ideas and visionary projects as they begin the process of a renewal master plan. *Please deliver your ideas, in writing, to either the City office or email to* <u>cityclerk@cityofashton.com</u>. *Please share your ideas as soon as possible. The ideas will be gathered for consideration on Sept.* 1.5th.



The Ashton Christian Fellowship church is having a garage sale this **Friday & Saturday, Aug. 20 & 21** from **9am-4pm** at their church. Come see what good deals you can find! There will be lots to see and buy.



On Thursday some tourists were traveling through and stopped at our wonderful Visitor Center. Walking in the lady exclaimed to the man, "Our stars are in line, we need to be married now." With that the man asked for assistance from the volunteers. At this time our Visitor Center volunteers became "Wedding Planners" and were on the phone making quick arrangements! They called Mayor Stronks and within 15 minutes he met the couple (who had all their papers ready) at the city building, Cathy & Jan quickly became witnesses and the wedding proceeded! Following the wedding the happy couple returned to the Visitor Center where wedding pictures took place , making sure to include their helpful "Wedding Planners", as a part of their happy day! Their dreams came true in our beautiful area!

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- August 19-Chamber of Commerce monthly meeting @ 12 in Chamber office
- August 19-Informational meeting on Nitrates in City Water @ City Building @ 7pm
- August 19-School Board meeting @7pm
- August 20-21-Ashton Christian Fellowship Church garage sale 9-4pm



August 23-SCHOOL STARTS!

- August 25-Public Hearing for citizen input on water @ 7:30pm @ City Building
- August 27– North Fremont Homecoming: Huskies vs. Teton Redskins
- August 27-Fall Festival @ 6-10pm on Main St.
- August 28-Mesa Falls Marathon!

Regular Event: Henry's Fork Farmer's Market: Every Friday from 4-8

*The next newsletter will come out on Sept. 7th. Please get news to Chamber by the Saturday before. Thanks!

We encourage all to continually support our Ashton Businesses!!

Email info@ashtonidaho.com with your events time and description to get your event posted FREE! For more event details visit our on-line Community Calendar at www.ashtonidaho.com We place events on our community calendars for free!



Businesses participating in the "Shop Ashton" promotion who have received Ashton Bucks need to turn them into Rachel Hatton or Kathy Stegelmeier to redeem them for their cash value. Or, you may mail them to the Chamber to the address on the back of the "bucks". <u>Get shopping, "bucks" will expire Sept. 6th!</u>



This summer a group of artists and citizens in town have been meeting and creating a "Welcome to Ashton" sign to encourage travelers to slow down and come see our lovely city. It has been designed and a company has been chosen after it was put out for bids. The sign will read, "Ashton Welcomes You", with an arrow under it pointing into town and saying, "Your Adventure Starts Here". There will be three signs, one for each entrance; north, south, and east. Most of the funds for the signs have been donated and others are being approached for the rest of the needed money. So keep your eyes open as we hope to have the signs up by fall. This will become a great accomplishment and one more thing for us to be glad that we live in this beautiful city!

*The NF Booster Club is looking for people to join and be a part of the club. If you are interested in becoming involved, please contact MoNee Harrigfeld @ 652-3963.

