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# June

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## Ashton Area Chamber of Commerce



We are excited about our plans for our 4th of July Celebration! The theme this year is **"We the People"**. The parade and festivities will be held on Monday, July 4th. We are excited to announce our grand marshal of the parade this year will be **Bud Swanstrum**. Also through the love of some local car lovers, they are planning a local car show. We are very pleased and excited to announce after two months of communication, we have been granted clearance from Salt Lake City, Washington D.C., and Gowen Air Force base out of Boise to have two A-10 Aardvark aircraft for our flyover. They currently fly this type of plane in Afghanistan. These are some of the events to look forward to on the 4th of July. Plus, our spectacular firework show that evening in the N.F. Soccer Field at 10pm. We as a Chamber of Commerce hope you will make Ashton your holiday destination! Watch for more details to come! We want to encourage all families, businesses, and groups to participate in our parade with a float designed according to our theme. The more involvement, the better our parade & 4th will be! Our 4th of July Chairman is Rachel Hatton. You may reach her at 652-0144 with any questions or to volunteer to help!



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

## Business Spotlight:



47 years ago Art and Velma Anderson came to the Ashton area. When winter came they went down to California. While there they learned how to play golf. They came back to Ashton, went out to Squirrel, took a bulldozer and built the first 2 holes of **Aspen Acres Golf Course** in 1965. Within the next two years they

added seven more holes to complete the first 9 holes. Through their travels back and forth to California and **Aspen Acres** they made many friends in California that wanted to enjoy the cooler summers here; so Art and Velma built the first 8 R.V. spaces and a restroom/shower for their guests. From this beginning, now **Aspen Acres** has blossomed into a full 18 hole golf course and 42 R.V. spaces with newly remodeled restrooms/showers for their guests. **Aspen Acres** was recently showcased on Idaho Public Television for small privately owned golf courses. The R.V. spaces are equipped with 50 amp service, water, and sewer. **Aspen Acres** also has Wi-Fi available for those who just can't leave *all* their technology behind. **Aspen Acres** is now managed by the Anderson's granddaughter Nancy Pierce. With so much work and upkeep, she expressed it is her "labor of love". So, if you're up to a little get-away and/or enjoy golfing; then we would encourage you to make **Aspen Acres** your destination. It's Ashton's little secret, peaceful paradise away from the hectic way of everyday living! **Their hours are 8am-6pm. For questions call 652-3524.** Check out their website also: <http://www.aspenacresrvpark.com>



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# Rankin Motel



## Community Calendar

- June 8—City Council @ 7pm
- June 8-12—Mountain Man Rendezvous (schedule of events is available at the Visitor Center)
- June 8— N. F. Food Pantry 5-7pm. Bring ID.
- June 11—Fall River’s Annual Mtg. 8-11:30am
- June 11—Statewide Free Fishing Day! 
- June 13-17—Ashton City Clean-Up
- June 14—Flag Day 
- June 16—Ashton’s Arbor Day Celebration @4pm in City Park
- June 16—Ashton Chamber of Commerce Monthly Mtg. @ 12:00
- June 16— School Board Meeting @7pm @ N.F.H.S.
- June 19—Happy Father’s Day
- June 21—Summer Begins
- June 22—N. F. Food Pantry 5-7pm. Bring ID.

\*\*The next newsletter will come out on June 21st. Please have information to the Chamber by the Saturday before. Thank you!

*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!

# City of Ashton News

- City Council will be this Wednesday, June 8th @7pm.
- Ashton City Clean-up will be June 13-17th. \*\*Please only dispose of yard clippings and stuff that is biodegradable.
- Ashton’s Arbor Day Celebration will be June 16th @4pm in the City Park.
- Our City Pool is set to open June 20th! (May change due to our Idaho weather!)
- The Ashton Archives is having a raffle. They are raffling off a two book set(\$75 value) of Ashton Family Histories. \$1/ticket or \$5/6 tickets. Tickets are sold at Key Bank, Bank of Idaho, City Building, or at the Archives. Drawing will be July 4th at the park. You **do not** need to be present to win.

# Community Birthday Calendars

It’s that time of year to order your community birthday calendars! If you have never received a calendar and would like your family’s birthdays and anniversary dates placed on it, please call Laura Bowman @ 652-0131 or Jori Lenz @ 652-3243.



## ATTENTION ALL BUSINESSES!!

Since **Saturday, June 11th** is such a busy day with the Fall River Electric Annual Meeting, Free Fishing Day, and the Mountain Man Rendezvous, we can be sure to expect many people in Ashton! This is Grrreat! We as your Chamber encourage you to take advantage of this day for special sales, advertising fliers at these events and find enticing ways to keep people here to have a great business day!

# Ashton

Thanks for the great start! Get your orders in for the next delivery date on June 25th. Free delivery!



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