

June 21, 2011 FREE

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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**". Our celebration will be held on **Monday, July 4th**. We are honored to announce our grand marshal of the parade this year will be **Bud Swanstrum**.

We are very delighted to announce our flyover from the 124th Fighter Wing at Gowen Field with two A-10 Thunderbolt II aircraft. They currently fly this type of plane in Afghanistan.



Here is a schedule of events:

**7-9am—Rotary Breakfast \$5/person**

**8:30am—Line up for parade at old N.F. parking lot**

**10am—Parade & Military Flyover**

**11am—Flag Ceremony, Entertainment, Booths, and Classic Car Show in park**

**10pm—Fireworks Display in N.F.H.S. Soccer Field.**

We as a Chamber of Commerce hope you will make Ashton your holiday destination! 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 home 652-0144 with any questions, for booths, or to volunteer to help!



We would like to invite and encourage all youth groups and anyone who can help clean up the soccer field from the fireworks debris on **Tuesday, July 5 @ 6pm**. Thank You!



Annual PEO  
Rummage Sale  
Ashton Flea Market

July 4-9 9:30am-4:30pm

Come and Support our local PEO!

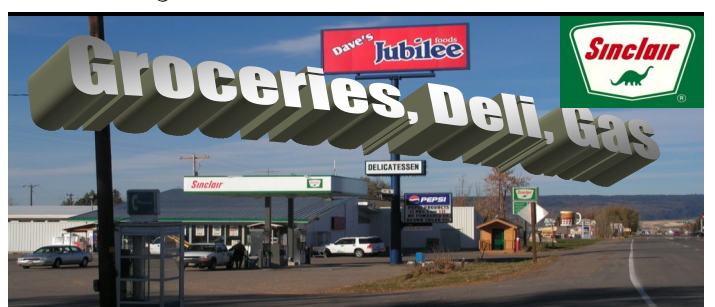
## Business Spotlight:

### Chriswell's Trail's Inn

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

It is our pleasure to spotlight an Ashton favorite, best known by the locals as the "coffee shop". In 1985, Don and Mary Chriswell purchased Trail's Inn from Ruth Bishop. Today, 26 years later with a lot of hard work and determination their granddaughter, **Shelby McSweeney** has continued to keep the family business doors open. With the wildlife décor and welcoming Idaho hospitality this is sure to be a favorite. They feature delicious, boneless rainbow trout, a chicken fried steak that will cover your entire plate, top sirloin steak, chicken, shrimp, and now featuring a rib-eye steak weekly. Their weekend special is prime rib. All these wonderful choices come with salad bar and your choice of spud...yep that's right, spud is our neck of the woods way of saying potato. They offer french fries, mashed potatoes with gravy, or the famous twiced baked potato that can only be found at **Trail's Inn!** They also have delicious homemade soup daily and a nice ice cream cone to top of your yummy meal! So, if it's your turn to cook tonight, why don't you head on over to **Chriswell's Trail's Inn**, say hello to Shelby and enjoy "A Lil' Bit of Idaho!" For "take out" call **652-9918**.

As the 4th of July Chairman I am delighted to encourage you to see the display in our Ashton Archives created by Liz Hossner in honor of our theme, "We the People". It will truly make you proud to be an Ashtonite and an American! The Archives will be open July 4th before and after the parade.



108 S. Hwy. 20—Ashton, ID (208) 652-7771

# Rankin Motel



## City of Ashton News

- Our City Pool is set to open June 20th! Open Swim is from 1-5pm. Watch for specials throughout the season. \$3.50/person
- Watch for some people coming around to your home to conduct an income survey that is required for the City to apply for a grant for the water project.
- **Volunteers are needed at the Visitor's Center!** If you have a day or a few hours that you can help out please call MoNee @ 709-0510
- A cell phone was found in the park, if it could be yours call the City Building @ 652-3987.
- **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.**



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**Mexican Food**

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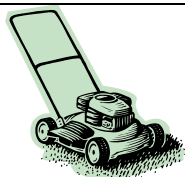
*We are opening another place in Last Chance/ Island Park. Just look for our taco bus on your way to the park and get something yummy on the road! Island Park to go orders call 313-7725*

### Targhee Ridgerunners

Wish to Congratulate the class of 2011 and the recipients of the scholarships they offered to the graduates! The recipients were: Cherish John, Michael Owen Grube, Taylor Cordingley, Trevor Judy, and Darcy Baler



### Nate's Lawn and Garden



- Small Engine Repair
- Rota tilling

*Small engine repair mobile service available!  
 Call today @ 652-0299*

### Community Calendar

- **June 21—Summer Begins**
- **June 22—N. F. Food Pantry 5-7pm. Bring ID.**
- July 2—Island Park's Sawtelle Stampede
- **July 4—INDEPENDENCE DAY!  
 ASHTON'S CELEBRATION ALL DAY!**



*\*\*The next newsletter will come out on July 5th. 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!

### Ashton Archives Update

The Ashton Archives will have a display at the park on July 4th that will feature the Ashton Township By-laws and several years of minutes. JoAnn Anderson helped make copies of the 1906 papers so they may be handled. Many natives are listed along with property payments. Description of the Hess Museum with pictures includes an inventory.

Small items including an Ashton star police badge found by Kristy Parkinson, a handmade baby coat, several advertising give-aways from years ago and a perfect attendance award might stir your interest! How many people will recognize a blotter? Archivist, Jane Daniels, has some revamped light fixtures to show off thanks to the city.

Margaret Howe has finished cataloging many of the photos in the Archives along with cross referencing the pictures which hopefully will make them easier to locate. Items needed to enhance the Archives include yearbooks from the early and middle 1960's, and pictures of Bear Gulch.

Due to failing health, Jane Daniels needs to retire. Jane can no longer lift the newspaper boxes. She is hoping someone who can say "no" will be found since the hardest part of being the Archivist is the ability to politely refuse your best friend when they want to borrow something from the Archives. The most often asked question concerning the Archives is "When are you open?" A call to 652-3222 will let you know when you can catch Jane, even on the weekend!

THANK YOU JANE!

### Recycling Old Materials (R.O.M.)

*R.O.M. want to come to your home and pick up your old small appliances, computers, T.V.'s, etc. for FREE to recycle them. Just give Dennis Kalco a call @ 351-5448 and he will come to your home and pick up your recyclables for you.*

*Check out his website:  
[romrecycling.webs.com](http://romrecycling.webs.com)*

