



Chamber Of Commerce 714 Main St. P.O. Box 351 Ashton, Idaho 83420 (208)652-3355

Ashton Area Chamber of Commerce



Our next meeting will be **Thursday, July 16th at noon** at the Chamber office. Lunch will be provided by Chriswell's Trails Inn.



Vacation Bible School

Monday July 20– Friday July 24, 2015
9:00am – 12:00pm

Join us at: Zion Lutheran Church (9th & Main St.)

Inviting all children – Preschool & K-6 graders for a week of fun activities, arts and crafts, Bible Study, games and much more

Contact: Julie: 346-2895 or Cheryl: 356-0840

Vacation Bible School sponsored by:

Zion Lutheran Church
Ashton Christian Fellowship Church
Ashton Methodist Church
Trinity Lutheran Church

Vacation Bible School Fundraiser
Quilt Raffle
Tickets: \$1 each or 6 for \$5
Drawing will be July 19th

Purchase Tickets @
Henry's Fork Foundation or
Contact: Julie – 346-2895

Got Quilts?

A Randy Palmer family quilt fundraiser is underway! Some ladies are working to gather quilts to be sold at a craft fair at the Buffalo Run in Island Park during Labor Day weekend and at the Spirit of Christmas here in Ashton the first Saturday in December. They are hoping to get enough baby quilts, lap quilts, receiving blankets, quilt bags, pillows, camping quilts, etc. donated to sell at these two craft fairs to help Lindsay and her family. Please contact: Nelda Hammer@652-7617, Karen Palmer @ 652-0005, Aleana Gunnell @ 558-7553, Chris Willis @ 221-1453, or Colleen Kidd @ 359-2415 if you have any quilts to donate to be sold.

The American Legion (Ashton Post 0089) is sponsoring an



American Red Cross Blood Drive

When: Tuesday, July 21 (1:00 – 6:30 pm)
Where: Ashton Community Center

To schedule a specific time - Contact:
Julie Maurer – 652-3567 (work) or 346-2895 (cell)

Walk-ins are also welcome!

Join In

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 or leave a message at 652-3355.

Spotlight:

The American Legion was chartered by Congress in 1919 as a patriotic veterans organization. Focusing on service to veterans, service members and communities, the Legion evolved from a group of war-weary veterans of World War I into one of the most influential nonprofit groups in the United States. Membership swiftly grew to over 1 million, and local posts sprang up across the country. Today, membership stands at over 2.4 million in 14,000 posts worldwide. The posts are organized into 55 departments: one each for the 50 states, along with the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, France, Mexico and the Philippines. Over the years, the Legion has influenced considerable social change in America, won hundreds of benefits for veterans and produced many important programs for children and youth.



Founded in 1919, The American Legion Auxiliary has nearly 1 million members from all walks of life. The Auxiliary administers hundreds of volunteer programs, gives tens of thousands of hours to its communities and to veterans, and raises millions of dollars to support its own programs, as well as other worthwhile charities familiar to Americans. It is all accomplished with volunteers. While originally organized to assist The American Legion, the Auxiliary has achieved its own unique identity while working side-by-side with the veterans who belong to The American Legion. Like the Legion, the Auxiliary's interests have broadened to encompass the entire community. The American Legion Auxiliary is the world's largest women's patriotic service organization. Through its nearly 10,500 units located in every state and some foreign countries, the Auxiliary embodies the spirit of America that has prevailed through war and peace. Along with The American Legion, it solidly stands behind America and her ideals. For God and country, they advocate for veterans, educate our citizens, mentor youth, and promote patriotism, good citizenship, peace and security.



Our local American Legion Post 0089 is always present at our 4th of July celebration leading our parade and posting the colors at the City Park. They offer scholarships to our high school students and send boys over to boy's state. They also present American Flags to the 5th graders after they have completed learning their states and capitals. Our legion's commander is currently Bob Gaston. Our local American Legion Auxiliary is ready to serve our local veterans, send girls to girl's state, distribute the poppies on Memorial Day, and give away home flags during the 4th of July. They are lead by Wanda Tracy.

City of Ashton News



- * City Council will be Wednesday, July 8th @ 7pm.
- * The pool is open 1-5. Come cool off at our city pool!



Come and enjoy some yummy Mexican food!

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Mon.--Sat. 9am-9pm

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Grand Teton Relay Friday, August 14th

Teams will be running East on Main beginning at 6am from NFHS on Friday morning through early afternoon.

For more information: grandtetonrelay.com;
support@grandtetonrelay.com or call: 801-636-4981.

Community Calendar

- July 8—City Council @ 7pm @ City Building
- July 8—N.F. Food Pantry 5-7pm @Ashton Community Center. Picture ID required.
- July 16—Chamber of Commerce Monthly Mtg. @ Noon at Chamber office
- July 16—School Board meeting @ 7pm @District office
- July 20-24—VBS from 9am-12pm @ Zion Lutheran
- July 21—American Legion Blood Drive@ 1-6:30pm
- July 22—N.F. Food Pantry 5-7pm @Ashton Community Center. Picture ID required.
- July 24—Pioneer Day!

**The next newsletter will come out on July 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!

Thank You!

Your Ashton Area Chamber of Commerce would like to shout out a big THANK YOU to those who helped with preparations, set-up, participation, and clean-up for our Independence Day celebration. We hope everyone had an enjoyable and safe holiday!



208-652-3606

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