



Our next monthly meeting will be *Thursday, September 17th* at noon at the Chamber office. Lunch will be provided and it is \$10 per person for lunch. All members are encourage to come and be a part of your Chamber of Commerce!



5.00 Entry fee

Buck or Bull must be legally tagged and Bagged between Aug. 31, 2015 and Dec. 31, 2015

Can be taken by any legal means-rifle, muzzleloader, archery etc. (No Ranch Bulls or Bucks)

PRIZES: ISSC M22 MUDDY GIRL CAMO BLK SLIDE 22LR 10RD OR HERITAGE ROUGH RIDER 22LR. 6.50" BLUED

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208-652-7072

<u>Special Summer event with Sloppy</u> <u>Joes and special sales on Sept. 4th</u> and 5th.



<u>Volunteers Needed</u>! Come help give a home. This Saturday and every Saturday to follow until the new home is complete. Work

Days are Saturdays from 8:30-3:00. The location is 10th & Highland. Dana Goodwin has described the Habitat volunteer process very nicely....She'll be putting in lots of hours, and has already, helping with earlier projects in Ashton. What the community may not know is that the volunteer portion of Habitat builds is the basic ingredient to keeping the building costs low, specifically so the new homeowner's mortgage will be affordable. Dana is helping herself to realize a dream, and we are helping her to achieve it—it's called "sweat equity."

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.



The Ashton Area Chamber of Commerce is pleased to spotlight and shed a little history on the Rankin Motel this time. As the automobile industry became popular so did family vacations and lodging. In 1924, D.K. Rankin and his brother Hugh built the Rankin Auto Court cabins and the Log Cabin Motel cabins. D.K. and his wife Eva with their five children ran their farm and rented their cabins. Betty (Rankin) Grover and her husband bought the business from her dad and expanded with more units. Today, Betty's daughter Jenny and her husband Robert Groom have worked very hard to keep the family tradition alive! They have 4 cabins; each with two bedrooms, microwave, refrigerator, and a coffee pot. Plus 6 other rooms. All their rooms have cable T.V. They have been working very hard to give their business a face lift and to upkeep the landscaping with new flower beds and a new business sign depicting the heritage. So, if you have family or friends that need a place to rest on their way to Yellowstone Park or over to the beautiful Grand Tetons; have them make Rankin Motel their destination for a rest! For reservations call 652-3570 and they'll leave the light on! Check out their website as well:

<u>www.rankinmotel.com</u>

On August 5, 2015 our dear friend and colleague, Robert Groom lost his valiant and courageous battle with cancer. We as the board of the Ashton Area Chamber of Commerce want to express our heartfelt sympathy and will miss our dear friend who served with us on the board for some time and would even drive from Pocatello to our meetings during the win-

ter months. His service will be missed and his seat empty as we remember all he had to offer to make our Chamber of Commerce a better organization and Ashton a better community!



ASHTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWSLETTER



* City Council is Wed. Sept. 9th @ 7pm



Come and enjoy some yummy Mexican food! Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner Mon.--Sat. 9am-9pm Located at 514 Main St. Ashton, ID Call for your orders to go at 652-7225.



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September 1, 2015 Free Copy

Community Calendar

- Sept. 7—Labor Day! City Building will be CLOSED.
- Sept. 9—City Council @ 7pm
- Sept. 9—N.F. Food Pantry 5-7pm @Ashton Community Center. Picture ID required.
- Sept. 17—Chamber of Commerce Mtg. @ noon@ Chamber office
- Sept. 17—School Board Mtg. @ District office @7
- Sept. 18-N.F. HOMECOMING @ 4:00/7:00pm
- Sept. 23—N.F. Food Pantry 5-7pm @Ashton Community Center. Picture ID required.

The next newsletter will come out on **Sept. 15th. Please have information to the Chamber by the Saturday before. Thank you!

We encourage all to continually support our Ashton Businesses!!







Quilts will be for sale at the Buffalo Run Antique Collectibles and Craft Show Friday, September 4th & Saturday, September 5th from 9am-7pm.

All proceeds will go towards the Randy Palmer Family Fund. Your support is very appreciated!

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!



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breakfast(\$7 value). Come in and try our good ol' fashioned PERCOLATED coffee! We look forward to seeing you soon! For to go orders or for catering please contact Ryan at **313-0851**.