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The next Ashton Area Chamber of Commerce meeting will be Thursday, June 15, 2017 @ noon @ our new location...601 Main Street.



#### Ashton's Annual 4th of July Celebration

Tuesday, July 4th is only 4 weeks away:

<u>Here's the plan:</u>

7:30-9am—Rotary Breakfast— \$6/person @ Rotary Pavilion in City Park 10:00am—Parade: "Fun"tastic Fremont

theme by Mrs. Howell's 1st graders

\*Grand Marshal: Ross Wynn

11am-2pm—Flag Ceremony, booths in park, Entertainment, & classic car show in the City Park

NEW! Funtime Carnival with Rides in old NFHS Football Field.

<u>1pm-5pm</u>—City Pool Open! Wear your Red, White and Blue and get in for \$2/person

#### 10:00pm—Fireworks @ NFHS Soccer Field

To participate or questions please call Rachel Hatton @ 652-0144

### The Circus is coming to Ashton



Saturday, July 1st Two shows Watch next Newsletter for more information. Mark your calendars!



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.

#### **Business Spotlight:**



Ted and Mary Stronks came to Ashton in 1952. Ted was a lab technician at Ashton Memorial and Mary worked as a beautician at the Ashton Beauty Shop. After Dr. Krueger was killed in a plane crash and the hospital closed, Ted and Mary purchased the Ashton Building Center from Merrill Evans. Ted changed the name to Stronks & Sons, carrying on his great grandfather's history of Stronks Lumber in Baldwin, Wisconsin. Ted ran the lumberyard and his son Teddy worked along side his dad learning the business for 20 years. In 1998, Teddy and Delena purchased Stronks & Sons from his parents so his dad, Ted could retire. Mary continued enjoying her ladies and doing their hair. Stronks & Sons has grown from offering your general lumber and hardware needs to now offering all of that plus paint, appliances, propane, and Fed-Ex. They concentrate highly on customer service and being competitive in the building industry!

Now with the third generation *learning* the business, **Stronks** & **Sons** has transitioned from paper and pencil to computers and technology. Jeff Stronks offers appliance repairs, and T. Jay Stronks keeps **Stronks** & **Sons** up to date with his computer and business skills.

It's been a long journey, yet a labor of love as anyone knows who has owned their own business. Over the past 40 years, Stronks & Sons has employed many young and old helping others gain self-esteem and learn the value of hard work. Teddy and Delena wish to express their love and gratitude to this community for their friendship and support over the years! Come and enjoy free lunch from 11-2 on June 17th at our 40th anniversary celebration. Besides free lunch, catered by 511 Main, we will have great deals, vendor demonstrations, giveaways, and for every \$5 you spend that day you will get a raffle ticket which can be entered in to win other great prizes, including a Maytag Washer & Dryer. So be sure to come in, say, "hello", and celebrate 40 years of Stronks & Sons Do It Best serving Ashton! They're located at 316 Main Street. You can call them at 652-7725 and check out their Facebook page or their website at www.stronks.doitbest.com

## Happy 80th Birthday

The community is invited to an open house to celebrate Eugene Glen Clark's 80th birthday.

When: Saturday, June 10 Time: 1-4pm Place: United Methodist Church

### City of Ashton News



- \* City Council will be June 14th @ 7pm
- \* Ashton Archives has started digitizing information. They are looking for volunteers to help document items. They are also in need of older obituaries to include in the archives. If anyone is interested in helping with this project please contact the City Building @ 652-3987.



Come and enjoy some yummy Mexican food!
Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner
Mon.-Sat. 9am-9pm
Located at 580 Main St. Ashton, ID
Call for your orders to go at 652-7225.

### The Cut Above

The Cut Above is open Monday-Friday 10-6 and Saturdays 10-2. Please call Amy Calonge at 208-652-3606 for an appointment.



TENTS ~ R.V. ~ COTTAGES

**JOLLEY CAMPER** 

Call For Reservations at : 208-652-CAMP



#### **Community Calendar**

- June 10—Kid's Free Fishing Day @ Stoddard's Mill Pond @ 9am-2pm
- June 14—Flag Day!
- June 14—City Council @ 7pm @ City Building
- **June 14**—N.F. Food Pantry 5-7pm @Ashton Community Center. Picture ID required.
- June 15—Chamber of Commerce Mtg. @ noon
- June 15—School Board Mtg. @ 7pm @ District office
- June 18—Father's Day!
- June 21—Summer Begins!
- **June 28**—N.F. Food Pantry 5-7pm @Ashton Community Center. Picture ID required.
- July 1—Culpepper & Merriweather Circus!

\*\*The next newsletter will come out on **June 20th.**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!



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