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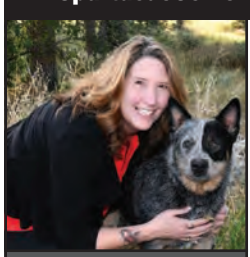
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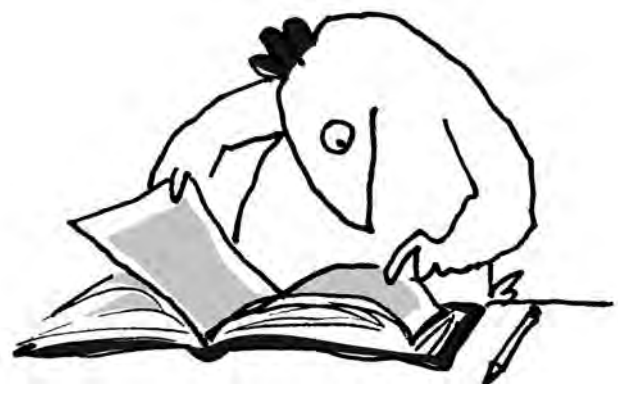
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International Check Your Wipers Day

November 16th

— National Day Calendar —



International Check Your Wipers Day, on November 16th, reminds drivers to regularly check their windshield wipers to ensure optimum visibility in the event of inclement weather on the road.

According to the FHWA, about 21% of all accidents in the United States are weather-related. As travelers plan for road trips, it's important to remind them to proactively check their wipers. Visibility is an important factor in driving in poor weather conditions like rain, snow and ice. A survey by MICHELIN® Wiper Blades found that 92% of drivers agree that poor wiper blades can affect their driving ability. However, 90% of drivers do not plan the time to check their wipers properly and 55%+ don't know how to check their wiper blades properly.

OBSERVING #CheckYourWipersDay

On International Check Your Wipers Day, ensure your family's driving ability and safety by checking the windshield wipers on all your cars. Great reminders on when to check your wipers include:

- During an oil change.
- When you fill gas.
- After a car wash.
- Before a road trip.
- At the start of winter and spring seasons.
- Add checking your wipers to your maintenance checklist. When you celebrate, be sure to use #CheckYourWipersDay on social media.

Standard recommendations suggest we change our wiper blades every 6 to 12 months. However, the frequency varies depending on the location of residence and how often the vehicle is driven. This requires people to regularly inspect their wipers to ensure that they are not past the lifespan, which leads to compromised visibility.

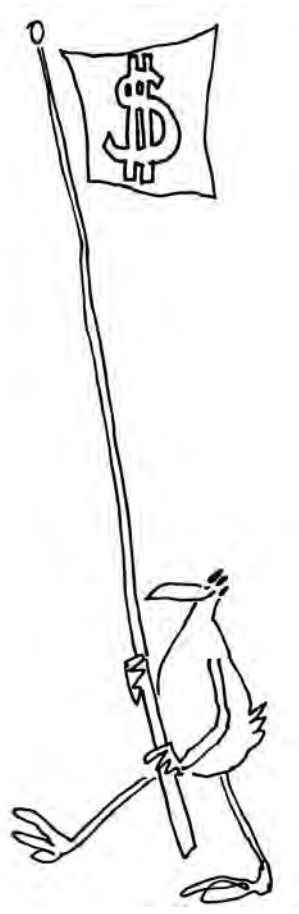
INTERNATIONAL CHECK YOUR WIPERS DAY HISTORY

The Registrar at National Day Calendar proclaimed National Check Your Wipers Day in September of 2021. As of 2022, due to seasonality, MICHELIN® officially requested May 16th become National Check Your Wipers Day (Día Nacional de Revisar Tus Limpiaparabrisas) for countries in Latin America. Additionally, MICHELIN® changed the November 16th observance to International Check Your Wipers Day to be celebrated in the U.S., Canada, Europe and Asia. Both the May 16th and November 16th observances are a reminder to educate drivers about checking their wiper blades.

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World Diabetes Day
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Around the globe on November 14th, World Diabetes Day raises awareness and provides education concerning a disease that affects over 400 million adults internationally.

Diabetes is a metabolic disease that causes high blood sugar levels. It is also a leading cause of blindness, amputation, heart disease, and kidney disease. Besides causing severe medical issues, the condition also causes millions of premature deaths each year. In fact, diabetes has become one of the leading causes of death around the world. The World Health Organization (WHO) states that 1.6 million people died from diabetes in 2016. By the year 2045, approximately 629 million adults will have diabetes.

A large number of people affected by diabetes is a source of concern for global health care workers. Awareness, education, action, and research all can make a difference. In many cases, Type 2 diabetes is preventable.

Ways to Prevent Type 2 Diabetes:

- Eliminate sugar and refined carbs
- Work out regularly and avoiding a sedentary lifestyle
- Make water the primary beverage
- Maintain a healthy weight
- Quit smoking
- Eat a high fiber diet
- Optimize Vitamin D levels
- Take natural herbs, such as curcumin and berberine, that increase insulin sensitivity

Type 2 diabetes is not preventable for everyone. However, making healthy choices provides the best chance of not getting it. In the United States, 9 out of every 10 cases of diabetes can be avoided if the above lifestyle changes are implemented. Families, schools, workplaces, communities, and healthcare providers can all work together to make healthy choices easy ones.

While Type 1 diabetes is not as preventable, it can be managed well with insulin injections. Managing Type 1 diabetes might also require frequent blood sugar monitoring, eating healthy foods, exercising regularly, and maintaining a healthy weight. Education is key to learning how to manage symptoms of Type 1 diabetes.

How To Observe #WorldDiabetesDay

To observe this day, many healthcare professionals, companies, celebrities, and politicians host a variety of activities to spread awareness about diabetes. To participate:

- Learn more about both Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes by visiting www.worlddiabetes.org.
- Find out how to get screened for diabetes.
- Talk to your family and loved ones about diabetes prevention.
- Encourage one another to make healthy choices.
- Wear blue for diabetes awareness.

When sharing on social media, use #WorldDiabetesDay.

World Diabetes Day History

The International Diabetes Federation (IDF) was founded in 1950 in Amsterdam. Together with the WHO, the IDF created World Diabetes Day in 1991. The goal was to raise awareness of the rising threat of diabetes around the world. In 2006, the day became one of the official United Nations Days. World Diabetes Day is held on November 14th each year to commemorate the birthday of Sir Frederick Banting who co-discovered insulin in 1922. Today, this day is observed in 170 countries and territories.

Recent themes for World Diabetes Day include:

- 2018-2019: Families and Diabetes
- 2017: Women and Diabetes
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Turn Thanksgiving Leftovers Into Comfort With Classic Turkey Divan

One of the best parts of Thanksgiving is the leftovers. I often end up with leftover turkey breast, and if you do too, you'll love this recipe: Turkey Divan. It features turkey, broccoli and mushrooms in a creamy, cheesy sauce topped with buttery breadcrumbs.

Created in the 1950s by Chef Lagasi at New York City's Chatham Hotel, Turkey Divan was the signature dish of the hotel's Divan Parisien restaurant.

Turkey Divan is great for stretching leftovers and reviving dry turkey breast in a rich sauce. This dish became a Thanksgiving leftover staple, often made with canned soups. Our version, however, uses a homemade cream sauce for a velvety, flavorful result.

We make a creamy bechamel sauce directly in the pan with sauteed onions and mushrooms, then add cheese. You can use any meltable cheese -- cheddar, Monterey Jack, colby or Swiss. I used white cheddar and Parmesan.

Broccoli is traditional, but feel free to swap cauliflower or a mix of veggies. I've added mushrooms, but you can leave them out (or leave out the mushroom haters -- your choice). Turkey Divan is delicious on its own or served over buttered egg noodles or rice.

TURKEY DIVAN CASSEROLE

Yield: 6 servings

Total Time: 45 minutes

1 (16 oz.) bag frozen broccoli florets (5 cups)

4 tablespoons butter, divided

3 cups cooked turkey breast, cut into 1-inch pieces

1/2 cup onion, finely diced

8 ounces mushrooms, sliced (about 2 1/2 cups)

3 tablespoons all-purpose flour

3 cups whole milk, warmed

2 cups cheddar cheese, shredded

1/4 cup Parmesan cheese, grated

2 teaspoon Dijon mustard

1/2 teaspoon kosher salt

1/4 teaspoon pepper

2 tablespoons butter, melted

1 cup panko breadcrumbs or substitution (see below)

Cooked egg noodles or rice for serving (optional)



Turkey Divan: A creamy, cheesy casserole that's comfort food at its

Preheat oven to 350 F. Coat a 9-by-13-inch baking dish with cooking spray.

If you have "steam-in-bag" frozen broccoli, cook according to package directions, them place in the baking dish.

If your broccoli needs to be cooked on the stovetop, use a skillet, no need to dirty another pan. In a large skillet, simmer 1/2 cup water over medium-high heat, add broccoli, cover, and return water to a simmer. Cover and cook until tender, about 5 minutes. Drain well and transfer to your baking dish; set aside. Wipe out skillet and return to stove.

Melt 1 tablespoon of butter over medium heat. Add the turkey and cook until heated through. Transfer to your baking dish with the broccoli, set aside.

In the same skillet, melt 2 tablespoons butter, add onion, and cook until softened. Add mushrooms and cook until tender and browned, about 6-7 minutes. Add 1 more tablespoon of butter, sprinkle flour over the onion-mushroom mixture, and stir for 2 minutes to cook the flour.

Reduce heat to low and slowly add warm milk, stirring until thickened, about 8 minutes. Gradually add both cheeses, allowing each addition to melt. Stir in Dijon mustard, salt and pepper.

Pour the sauce over the turkey and broccoli, toss gently to distribute sauce. Combine the butter and panko crumbs, stirring until crumbs are moistened. Sprinkle on top of casserole before baking.

Bake for 20-25 minutes until golden and bubbly. Let cool for 15 minutes. Serve over noodles or rice if desired.

No leftover turkey? No problem! Use chicken, rotisserie chicken, pork or ham instead.

Some ideas to use in the crumb topping besides panko crumbs would be Parmesan, cracker crumbs, breadcrumbs, potato chips, crispy fried onions, chopped nuts, crispy rice cereal or corn flakes. Happy Thanksgiving!

Here's wishing you a sweet ending to your feast and a happy Thanksgiving holiday weekend.

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Lifestyle expert Patti Diamond is the penny-pinching, party-planning, recipe developer and content creator of the website Divas On A Dime -- Where Frugal, Meets Fabulous! Visit Patti at www.divasonadime.com and join the conversation on Facebook at DivasOnADimeDotCom. Email Patti at divapatti@divasonadime.com

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Community Calendar

Winter Gear Youth Drive (Western MT), 8am-5pm weekdays through Nov. 15th, at NorthWestern Energy Walk-In Center, 1903 S. Russell St., Missoula. Drop-off site collecting new or gently used youth winter coats, snow pants, boots, and mittens for local kids.

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27th Annual Tom's Turkey Drive, Registration now open online at: 2-harvest.org/toms-turkey-drive-sign-up. KREM 2 and Second Harvest are teaming up with local food pantries to make sure neighbors in our community have everything they need for a holiday meal, because food connects us all. Drive-thru pick-up Thanksgiving week for a complete Thanksgiving meal box (turkey and all sides). Families must sign up online ahead of time to reserve a box: 2-harvest.org/toms-turkey-drive-sign-up

Nourish Spokane Thanksgiving Box Drop-Off, Deadline Friday, Nov 20th, at Nourish Spokane Pantry, 205 N University Rd, Suite 1, Spokane Valley. 509-240-9932. Accepting donations of turkeys, hams, boxed stuffing, gravy packets, and canned holiday sides to build family meal boxes. Open Tues., Thurs., Fri.

Christmas Bureau Tri-State Regional Registration, open online now through mid-November. Coverage Area: Open to eligible families across Eastern WA (Spokane/Pend Oreille), North Idaho (Kootenai/Bonner/Shoshone/Latah), and Western MT borders. Website: christmasbureauspokane.org. Online application portal for families to register for holiday grocery vouchers, children's books, and toy distributions.

History Hour Lecture: The Effects of War: Letters, the Home Front, Organized Support, and Art, Thursday, November 12th, 5:30pm-7pm, CdA Library, 702 E Front Ave, in the Community Room. War extends beyond conflict, affecting service members, their families, and civilians. These effects are reflected in letters to and from the home front, showing how families and communities adapted to wartime challenges and organized support, aid, and services. Artists captured the emotions, sacrifices, and lasting impact of war, while also preserving the experience for future generations to experience. Join Fine Artist and Museum Professional Elizabeth Boutin for a discussion on these topics and how each played a role during and after war. This event is intended for community members of all ages.

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Save Room for Thanksgiving Feasts with a Light, Savory Bite

— Family Features —



If you're tired of the same, heavy Thanksgiving dishes that leave you feeling stuffed like a turkey, look no further than the appetizer table. It may be easy to overindulge on savory bites, but you can avoid ruining your appetite with sweet, light bites ahead of the main course.

These Sweet Potato Goat Cheese Bites are perfect for snacking while carving the bird, swapping out sugary treats for nutritious yet delicious hors d'oeuvres. If you thought sweet potatoes are only used in casseroles for Thanksgiving, think again – this nutrition powerhouse can be a staple on holiday menus for years to come in this better-for-you app.

Don't let their sweet nature fool you – behind their colorful interior, sweet potatoes are chock full of nutrients from which you can benefit, even during the holiday season.

They're a wholesome option for the entire family as they're full of vitamin A and a good source of fiber and potassium. Plus, they contain complex carbohydrates that are released at a steady pace for a constant source of energy, meaning you won't have to worry about sugar highs or lows while enjoying the festivities.

To find an entire menu's worth of nutritious appetizers, sides and more, visit ncsweetpotatoes.com.

Sweet Potato Goat Cheese Bites

Recipe courtesy of Katie Crenshaw on behalf of the North Carolina Sweetpotato Commission

Prep time: 10 minutes

Cook time: 20 minutes

Servings: 24

- 2 medium sweetpotatoes
- 2 tablespoons coconut or olive oil spray
- 1 teaspoon seasoned salt
- 5 ounces goat cheese
- 2 tablespoons honey, divided
- 1/4 cup chopped candied or toasted pecans
- 1/3 cup dried cranberries
- 1 tablespoon fresh basil, sliced thinly, for garnish

1. Preheat oven to 450 F.
2. Slice sweetpotatoes 1/4-inch thick.
3. Line large baking sheet with parchment paper. Layer sweetpotatoes on top of parchment paper.
4. Spray sweetpotatoes with coconut spray and sprinkle with seasoned salt. Flip sweetpotato slices and repeat.
5. Bake 10 minutes. Flip slices and bake 10 minutes. Transfer sweetpotatoes to serving plate.
6. Mix goat cheese and 1 tablespoon honey until whipped and creamy. Spread goat cheese over sweetpotato slices.
7. Sprinkle with pecans and cranberries. Drizzle remaining honey over sweetpotatoes.
8. Garnish with basil and serve.

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We did draw a little on our neighbours just over the border when naming some of our drinks, we didn't think anyone just over the line would mind 😊

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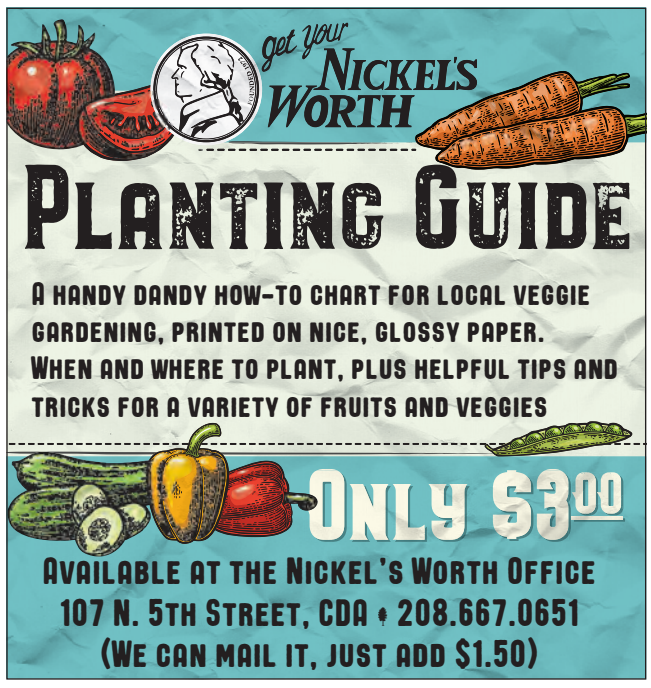
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Gluten-Free Donut Holes

— The Loopy Whisk —



These gluten free donut holes are perfectly soft and fluffy, super easy to make, and ready in just 15 minutes. Because they're made with baking powder rather than yeast, you can fry them straight away, no proofing required. You also don't need to shape them: just drop spoonfuls of the batter directly into the hot oil. They're the perfect bite-sized treat, and you'd never know they're gluten free!

Importantly, this is a no-yeast recipe, which means that there's no proofing required. Instead, the donut holes are leavened with baking powder, so you can whip them up and fry them straight away. And even if you fry them in two batches, they'll be ready in about 15 minutes. The recipe actually makes a batter rather than a dough, so you also don't need to shape the individual donut holes – just drop spoonfuls of the batter straight into the hot oil.

Gluten-Free Donut Holes

- 150 g (⅔ cup) full-fat Greek-style yoghurt, room temperature
- 50 g (¼ cup) caster/superfine/baker's sugar; granulated sugar is ok
- 1 large egg, room temperature
- 30 g (2 tbsp) unsalted butter, melted and cooled until warm
- ½ tsp vanilla bean paste (or 1 tsp vanilla extract)
- 85 g (¾ cup) tapioca starch (Note: You can use an equal weight of arrowroot starch, cornstarch (US)/cornflour (UK) or potato starch instead.)
- 70 g (½ cup) millet flour (Note: You can use an equal weight of finely milled/ground brown rice flour instead.)
- 25 g (3 tbsp) sorghum flour (Note: You can use an equal weight of light buckwheat flour, white teff flour or oat flour instead. Use the latter only if you're not sensitive to oats.)
- 1½ tsp baking powder
- ½ tsp xanthan gum
- ¼ tsp salt

You will also need:

- 100 g (½ cup) caster/superfine or granulated sugar
- 2 tsp ground cinnamon
- Oil for frying

Preheating the oil:

Start preheating the oil before you make the donut hole batter. Make sure that your oil is at least 2 inches (5cm) deep in whatever saucepan or pot you're using. Heat the oil to 355-365°F (180-185°C). You need to maintain this oil temperature throughout the frying process, so adjust the heat as necessary.

Tip: The best oil for frying is one that's neutral in flavour and has a high smoking point. I prefer to use sunflower oil, but you can use your favourite frying oil instead (so long as it fulfils those requirements).

Donut hole batter:

In a large bowl, whisk together the yoghurt, sugar, egg, melted butter and vanilla until well combined and smooth.

In a separate bowl, whisk together the tapioca starch, millet flour, sorghum flour, baking powder, xanthan gum and salt.

Add the dry ingredients to the wet and mix everything together into a smooth, fairly thick batter with no flour clumps. It should have the consistency of thick cake batter.

Frying the donut holes:

Once the oil has reached 355-365°F (180-185°C), drop about 1½ tablespoon portions of the batter into the hot oil. You should get 18-20 donut holes in total.

I recommend using a cookie/ice cream scoop for portioning out the batter, but you can also use two spoons (one to scoop up the batter, the other to push the batter off the first spoon and into the hot oil).

The number of donut holes that you'll be able to fry at the same time will depend on the size of your saucepan or pot. Don't crowd them together too much – I usually fry them in two batches.

Fry the donut holes for about 4-5 minutes in total, flipping them every 30-45 seconds to ensure an even, deep golden brown colour.

Use a skimmer (spider strainer) or a slotted spoon to remove the donut holes from the oil onto a baking sheet lined with paper towels (to absorb any excess oil).

Rolling in cinnamon sugar and serving:

In a large bowl, mix together the sugar and cinnamon.

Allow the hot donut holes to cool for about 5 minutes, then roll them in cinnamon sugar.

Serve warm. You can serve them all on their own or with dips, such as jam or a homemade chocolate fudge sauce (see the Notes section below for the chocolate fudge sauce recipe).

Storage:

The gluten free donut holes are at their best while they're still slightly warm or within a few hours of frying, but you can store them in a closed container in a cool, dry place for about 2 days.

Just before serving, re-heat them briefly in the microwave for about 10-15 seconds. This will return them to their original pillowy softness.

The Loopy Whisk® was created by Katarina "Kat" Cermelj, who has spent 10 years developing allergy friendly recipes that are basically indistinguishable from their "regular" equivalents. See more at theloopywhisk.com

Community Calendar

Fall Percussion Concert, Thursday, November 12th, 7:30pm, featuring NIC Percussion Ensemble, directed by James Schmehl at Schuler Performing Arts Center, 880 W. Garden Ave., CdA. Open to the public and free!

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ArtWalk, Friday, November 13th, 5pm-8pm, in downtown CdA. What a perfect time of year to browse 15+ galleries/ shops! Watch artists at work, sample goodies. ArtWalk is held the 2nd Friday of each month.

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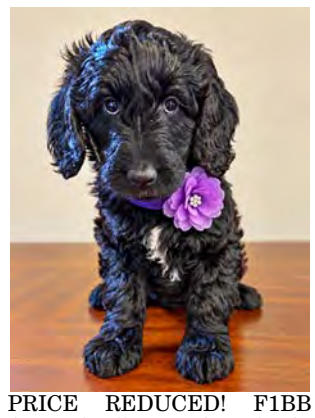
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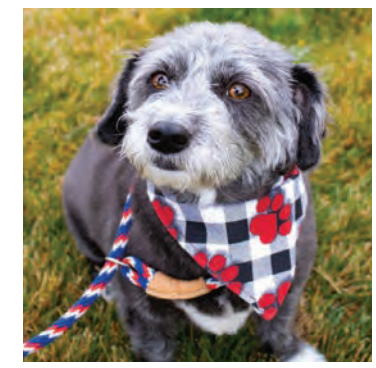
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— Companions Animal Center —



Green Bean Casserole is a 4-mo-old Domestic Shorthair Male. "I am just a baby! Please be patient with me as I learn and grow! Before considering adding me to your life, please make sure you have the appropriate amount of time, space, and resources available to care for me for my lifetime."



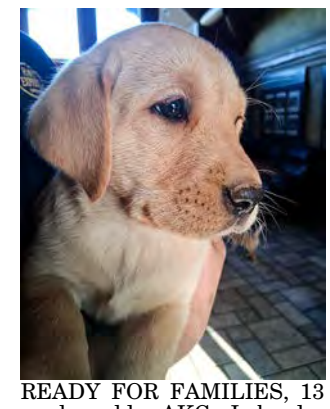
Mable is a sweet 3-year-old Corgi/Havanese mix who is on a weight-loss journey and working toward a healthier lifestyle. Mable is a very loving girl who enjoys being around people. She has had good experiences in homes with children and cats, making her a wonderful potential companion for the right family. Mable does need to be the ONLY dog in the home, where she can enjoy all the love, attention, and care she deserves. If you're looking for a loving companion to share your home and heart with, Mable may be the perfect girl for you!

COMPANIONS ANIMAL CENTER
formerly Kootenai Humane Society

Companions Animal Center is located at 10275 N Atlas Rd, Hayden, ID. We are open to the public Tuesday-Saturday noon-6pm, Sunday noon-4pm, and closed Mondays. Visit www.companionsanimalcenter.org or call 208-772-4019 for more information.



(2) MALE PUGS READY for their forever homes! Super sweet and playful, 10 weeks old, asking $500 each. Please contact 541-561-8815



READY FOR FAMILIES, 13 weeks old. AKC Labrador puppies, both parents on site. Wonderful well behaved family dogs, and great retrievers. More English style Labs. Up to date on shots and wormer. Puppies come with a puppy pack, bag of food, and section of litter blanket for familiar scent. Only two yellow males available, $600. Call or text 208-610-1184, Priest River

YORKIE PUPPIES, ONE male and one female; tails docked, dewclaws removed, first shots, dewormed. Text 509-845-1170, Tri-Cities

FEMALE FRENCHTON, 2.5 months old, ready for home, sweet but shy, $800. For more info, 208-304-7752, call or text

TOY AUSSIE PUPPIES with tails. Dewormed and first shots. Merles and tris available. Prices vary $300-$750. Text 406-925-9625 for pics. I have weak cell signal. If I don't respond please text me again. Located in Darby, MT

WE HAVE ONE MALE Purebred Pomeranian that is ready for his new home! He is such a sweet playful boy and is gentle with kids. He's 7 weeks old. We are asking $700. Please contact 541-561-8815

MICRO AMERICAN BULLY puppies for sale! ABR registered, 1 male and 4 females available. Ready for their new homes December 3rd! Delivery available. Call or text for details, pictures, and availability, 509-905-8747, Kennewick, WA

WE HAVE BEAUTIFUL Pekitzu babies. Some are imperial, ready to go. Puppies will be between 5 to 10 lbs. All come with shots, deworming, puppy starter pack, health guarantee, and lifetime breeder support. Parents fully health tested. For more info: 509-201-0885, Ellensburg

I HAVE TWO BEAUTIFUL Pomapoo male puppies in search of their new homes. Great with children, 8 weeks old, 1st vaccine and dewormed. Asking $650 each. For more info, send a message to 509-948-3227

IN-HOME DOG BOARDING: Professional in-home dog boarding at a beautiful Ranch in the country. Dogs enjoy a calm home-like stay with personalized care and lots of attention. Fenced outdoor play areas, large acreage to enjoy leash walks/ runs, comfy dog beds inside. Dogs are screened for health and temperament safety. We take a very limited number of dogs at a time and fill up fast for the holidays, so book soon! Located outside Yakima, WA. $75 per night, per dog. 509-949-8983

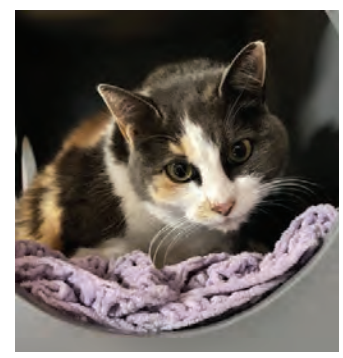
GOLDEN RETRIEVER, 8 months old. Can't keep. Has shots, housebroken, crate trained. Knows basic commands. $500 rehoming fee. 208-651-9606

THE NEXT BUSINESS Card Book from the Nickel's Worth will be out soon. Only $50 for your full color, business card sized ad. The Business Card Book comes out quarterly and is distributed across North Idaho and Western Montana. Extra copies are available at our office at 107 N. 5th St., CdA, or you can view it online at www.nickelsworth.com. Call us today to get your ad in: 208-667-2408

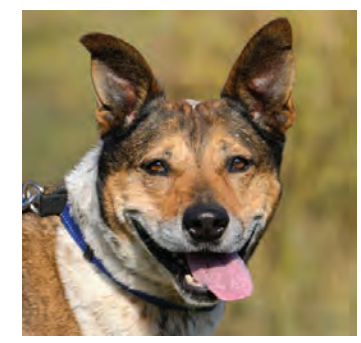
CORGI PUPPIES: FULL panel genetic health tested, and puppies cannot be affected by genetic diseases. They are vaccinated, wormed, microchipped, and come with a care package. Wapato, WA. 509-945-5108

Pets of the Week: Alice and Stapley

— Better Together Animal Alliance—



Meet Alice! Alice is a 12 year old stunning beauty with a loving personality. She may be a senior feline but you wouldn't guess it. Alice loves to sit on your lap and chit chat. She also gets along well with other cats. Alice spends a lot of her time indoors but does like to go outside and explore at will. She has not spent much time with dogs or with children so a slow introduction would be recommended. If she sounds like just the cat you've been looking for, stop in and have a visit!



Meet Stapley! Stapley is an active, independent 11-year-old boy looking for a confident, experienced owner who can provide plenty of exercise, engagement, and attention. He's very aware of his surroundings and may bark at other animals, so he'd do best as the only pet in the home. Stapley does well with older children (13+). Stapley is very eager to please and doesn't mind being put to work. He is really obedient and a great mouser! He is sensitive to loud noises such as fireworks and gunshots and thrives with a consistent routine. If you're looking for a loyal companion and have plenty of time and love to give, Stapley may be your guy!

BETTERTOGETHER ANIMAL ALLIANCE
Dedicated to serving the animals of northern Idaho.

Animal Care Center: 208-265-7297, 870 Kootenai Cut-off Road, Ponderay, ID, 83852. Hours: Monday-Saturday noon-4:30pm. Thrift Store: 208-263-0706, 9am-6pm daily, donations: 8am to 4:30pm daily.

Learn more at www.BetterTogetherAnimalAlliance.org

Pets



NEWBORN MINI Airedoodles: Adorable, mostly black puppies, born October 30th. Mom is a purebred Airedale Terrier; dad is a purebred miniature Poodle. Both have great temperaments, are great with kids, and are smart as whips. Gentle, kind, loving family dogs and sweet family companions. Both breeds are hypoallergenic. Will be ready to go end of December. Now accepting inquiries. $1200 USD. Creston, BC. Call or text 250-402-3385 or 780-844-0304

MALTESE POODLE. Cream white color, female, 5 lbs. $2000. Message at 509-919-2274, Spirit Lake, ID

MICRO MINI Bernedoodle puppies for sale! Micro and Mini Bernedoodles available. Burbank, WA. Message or call 509-430-7204. Burbank Bernedoodles



ENGLISH CREAM GOLDEN Retriever puppies. AKC, 7 weeks, awesome, calm personalities, shots and dewormed, DNA tested, OFA hips/ elbows, socialized. $1500. Reserve your puppy today. Call/ text 208-337-1142, retrieversofthepalouse.com

CAVAPOO PUPPIES READY for new homes! We have 2 females and 1 male left in this litter who are looking for a great home now! $1300. Call or text 509-516-6781

CHIHUAHUA PUPPIES! Snuggly little 8 week old Chihuahua puppies ready to go. They have had their 1st vaccines and dewormings. $500. 509-949-8983

10 WEEK OLD FEMALE Pug. Up to date on vaccinations, $750. Located in Pasco, WA. For more info, call/ text 509-274-0860



AKC BOXER PUPPIES, only three males left looking for their forever homes! One brindle and two white. Super sweet boys, up to date on shots. $1000, Chewelah area. 208-704-6371

BEAUTIFUL REGISTERED standard Schnauzer puppies. 3 females and 6 males, $2500. Both parents are on site. Call 208-819-8026 for more information or email bwhisper2@gmail.com



YORKIE/ HEELER MIX. Only males available, born August 30th, $200. Located in Post Falls. Call or text 208-874-7634

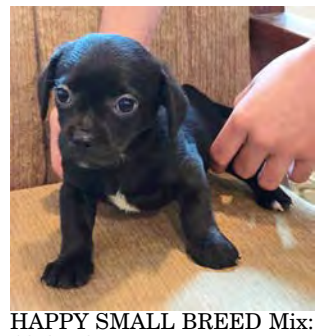
SECOND CHANCE PETS, Inc. All cats spayed or neutered. Two shorthaired tiger-tabby kittens; one male, one female, born early August 2026. Check them out on Second Chance Pet Rescue's page on Facebook; visit Petfinder.com: Second Chance Pet Rescue, Hayden, ID; call 208-666-6025

MICRO MINI Bernedoodle for sale. 1 male puppy available. Burbank, WA. $2500. Message/ call 509-430-7204. Burbank Bernedoodles

F1 GOLDENDOODLES: These puppies are the best friend for all ages of humans plus they love other animals. Walking buddy, companion for all indoor and outdoor activities, also would make wonderful service dogs. 3 females, 1 male. Also have a pick-of-the-litter male at 12 weeks old available. Up to date on shots and deworming. Health guarantee. $600 each. Call or text 509-200-9000

TWO SASSY NINE WEEK old Chihuahua boys ready to go. They have their 1st vaccines and have been dewormed. Will stay small. $450. 509-949-8983

BEAUTIFUL CHIHUAHUA puppies! Males $800; females $900. 208-627-9424

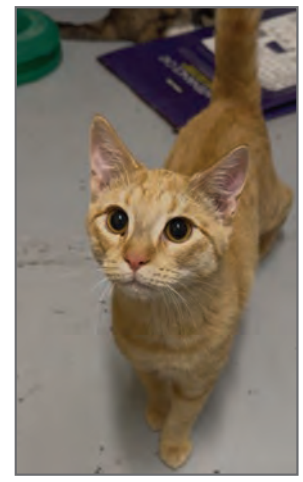


HAPPY SMALL BREED Mix: Chihuahua, Doxie, Pug, Poodle, etc. 9 weeks old, 2 males, $200, 1 female, $300. Shots, wormed. Please text 509-217-8648, Oakesdale, WA. More photos at nickelsworth.com

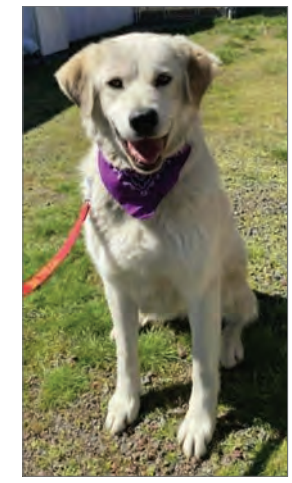
AKC GERMAN Shorthaired Pointer. "Lindsay's BBA Porter," Natural Ability (Prize 1), Gun Dog Test (Prize 3), crossed to "BMB Freeloader Hewey," 2-time National Amateur Champion, 2-time Runner-Up National Amateur Champion, Runner-Up National Champion, Open All-Age Invitational, 12-time Field Champion, 2-time Runner-Up Champion, 2-time National Field Champion, Grand Field Champion, Field Champion. Male German Shorthaired Pointer puppies available, ready to go home the week of Christmas, $1200. 509-385-7721, Cheney, WA. Photos at nickelsworth.com

Pets of the Week: Tiger and Heidi

— Hope's Haven Animal Shelter —



Meet Tiger! He is an 8 month old short haired tabby. He can be very timid and skittish, but warms right up with some good chin scritches. He loves to play and cuddle with all other cats and even seems to thrive when he has the company of other cats. He's a very sweet boy looking for a good home with some nice siblings.



Meet Miss Heidi! She is about 3 years old and we believe she is a Great Pyrenees mix. Heidi came in with her sister Clementine as strays in Harrison so we do not know a whole lot about her past. What we do know is that she and her sister are both more on the shy side, and will take a kind hand and patience to help her get more comfortable with the big ole world. Heidi loves to give hugs and sing you the song of her people when she warms up to you. She does well on a leash, is working on her basic commands and is on the laid back side. Heidi can not go to a home with small children because of her lack of confidence and big size.

All adoptions include vaccinations, worming, flea and ear mite treatment, spay/neuter and any medical treatment needed while staying with us, and they also come with a full check up from a veterinarian.

Hope's Haven Animal Shelter (Benewah Humane Society) is open Monday-Saturday, noon-4pm. Come into Hope's Haven to visit and view our animals or check them out first on our website. Give us a call for more information today!

Phone: 208-245-7387 | Email: hopeshaven@smgazette.com
Website: benewahhumanesociety.com | Address: 53 Robinson Ln, St Maries, ID

BEAUTIFUL CAVAPOO puppies. Lovingly home raised with exceptional care and socialization. $2500. Ready November 25th, 2026, Thanksgiving. Reserve your puppy today! Limited availability! Home 541-429-4019, call 541-215-7941



(3) MALE PUPPIES, $1100 each. Reserve now for availability on Nov. 22nd at 6 weeks old for Thanksgiving gifts. Pomeranian dad with blue eyes, Poodle/ Shih Tzu mix mom. Super friendly. 208-827-3562

POMERANIAN PUPPY: Male purebred merle Pomeranian puppy. Born August 19th, ready to go. Very well socialized with children and other animals. Working on potty training and kennel trained. Needs his own person. $800 OBO. 509-419-1670

BERNEDOODLE PUPPIES: 7 puppies, 5 girls and 2 boys. They have been dewormed and are current on shots. Parents are both Bernedoodles weighing under 40 lbs. Parents are around family and are very family friendly. They do not display any aggressive behavior. $1300-$1500, willing to negotiate. Message 509-305-5185 for more info

KING CHARLES CAVALIER puppies: We have 4 adorable King Charles Cavalier girls available for adoption, one of each color! $1800. Call or text Julie, 509-516-6781



THREE VERY SWEET female Ragdoll kittens! Born June 25th, TICA registered, 20 weeks old. Cupcake is very curious! Cookie loves to purr! Cocoa is very frisky! Kittens will have had their second round of shots. $1750. Go to Dazzlingragdollkittens.com. We have family owned cattery. 509-859-5769, Spokane, WA



ADORABLE RAGDOLL MIX kittens, 8 weeks old, litter box trained, extremely calm and friendly, love being snuggled, wonderful with children, $150. Call or text 208-217-8827

SILVER VALLEY CAT Wranglers: Several nice adult cats plus kittens available now. We are always in need of foster homes and volunteers. Text or call 208-446-7131. Facebook.com/SilverValleyCatWranglers

OLDE ENGLISH BULLDOG puppies, 2 females and 4 males born August 28th. 3 rounds of vaccines and up to date on deworming, records included. $1800 each. Yakima County. Meet/ delivery available. 509-853-6005

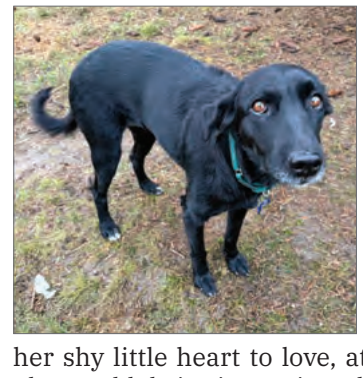
SHOSHONE PET RESCUE! Russo, 7 month male Husky mix puppy; Molly B'Golly, senior special needs miniature Pinscher mix; Walter, 1 year red tri male 60 lb. mixed breed; Beth, 2 year female Australian Cattle dog/ Blue Heeler; Nala, 3 year female Husky/ Pyrenees/ Pit mix; Mable, senior female 60 lb. mixed breed; Henry, 1.5 year male Boxer mix; Izzy, 3 year female Boxer/ Pitbull; Shaggy, young adult male Terrier mix; Hudsen, 6 year male black Lab; Beary Potter, 10 month male Sharpei mix; Freckles, young adult female Pitbull mix; Ray, 9 year male Chihuahua/ Beagle; Tommy, 1+ year male black Lab mix; and Larry, awesome 8 year male, medium sized mixed breed. More info at www.petfinder.com or call 208-512-3401

F1 GOLDENDOODLE BORN 6/18/26. Up to date on vaccinations and dewormer. One male available. For more info contact Diana, 509-760-6675

FOUR MONTH OLD TOY Aaussie male. We have a purebred, four month old red tricolor Toy Aussie male. He's always been very shy and the last of his litter. Reduced price. Call or text 509-634-0692

Pets of the Week: Brie and Benji

— Luke's Legacy —



Are you looking for the sweetest, kindest little 44 lb. female dog? Brie is a mature 5 year old who is past the stage of destroying anything but just wants love. This little girl has had a tough life but despite that, still opens her shy little heart to love, attention and affection. She would thrive in a quieter household where there isn't so much commotion. She is literally perfection wrapped in a little, petite body. She is: House trained; crate trained; gets along with other dogs; I don't see her having an issue with cats but can test if needed; spayed; current on vaccinations; microchipped; READY for her forever home who will never let her down again.



Benji: 8 year old hound x Australian Shepherd mix. Super sweet and mellow. Knows some tricks. House and crate trained. Benji was left at a vets office because the owners could no longer afford the food he was eating. Benji has food allergies and is in hydrolyzed protein. It will cost about $130/month for his dog food. Otherwise Benji is happy, healthy and just looking for a home to live the rest of his life in peace and style. He's a wonderful boy and very quiet for a hound mix. He loves to be with his people and a part of the family. Good with kids.

Call or text Erin for an application 208-755-7127 or email emwllrd@gmail.com with a letter of introduction.
You can also visit LukesLegacy.care or fill out an application at forms.gle/8tFzSsi36ECEYfDR9

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TINY TOY AUSSIE PUPPY: Jingle is a tiny little, blue merle boy with bright blue eyes. He is very fluffy. Purebred. Call or text 509-634-0692



(3) FEMALE BEAGLIER puppies. They make the perfect family pets! Ready to go to their forever homes on 11/20/26; shots, dewormed. $800. 208-610-0262

SCHNAUZER PUPPIES: (2) purebred male Schnauzer puppies born August 31st, has 1st and 2nd shots, tails docked and dewclaws removed. Ready for new homes. Asking $500. Located in Omak. Partial delivery available. Call 435-406-9653



PUG PUPPIES BORN Sept. 21st. First shots, $700. 208-714-7240

STUD SERVICES Available with our 6 year old purebred Field Golden Retriever, Nacho. He has a beautiful, vibrant red coat, a broad, square head, good structure, a strong, athletic build, and a wonderful, affectionate temperament. Nacho weighs 80 lbs. and is in excellent physical condition. He's a working gun dog, shed hunter, and dock diver with a natural love for the water and would practically live in it if we let him. He's an experienced and proven stud who has successfully sired multiple litters, consistently producing between 8 and 10 puppies per litter. His offspring are known for their intelligence, affectionate personalities, athleticism, and trainability. Several have gone on to become therapy and medical alert dogs, with others participating in show and competitive hunting. Nacho is fully AKC registered, dual registered with the NHKC, and has OFA Good hips and elbows. He's current on all health examinations and vaccinations, and his five generation pedigree is available for review. Nacho has an excellent breeding history with no performance issues and has successfully serviced females both at our location and at the female owner's location. Natural breeding and AI services are available, with collection and shipping arrangements coordinated through our veterinary clinic. A formal stud service contract is available, and all prospective females must have current health clearances. Nacho also recently celebrated his birthday and is freshly groomed, looking especially handsome and ready for his next date. Athol, ID. For stud service inquiries, please call or text 208-755-8361 or email TLBeach0317@gmail.com



GOLDENDOODLE Puppies, ready Christmas Eve! Beautiful F1B Goldendoodle puppies! 6 boys and 5 girls, born October 29th and ready for their new homes December 24th. Both parents are loving, family friendly Goldendoodles, approximately 50 lbs. Puppies will come with age appropriate vaccinations, deworming, and microchips. Come meet the puppies and take your pick! A $500 deposit secures your puppy! Call for pricing! Call or text Heidi, 208-691-2017, Rathdrum, ID

BICHON FRISE POODLE, 1.5 years old, potty trained, white, female. Looking for a loving home. $2000. Message for more info 509-919-2274, Spirit Lake, ID

TINY PAWS, BIG Personalities! Yorkshire Terrier puppies. Meet our adorable little bunches of fluff. Two sweet girls and one handsome little boy, with beautiful Biewer bloodlines giving them that extra special look! These precious pups are full of charm and ready to steal your heart! Serious calls only, 509-910-6626

CUTENESS OVERLOAD! Full Yorkie looking for loving home. 509-567-1012

MAINE COON/ TABBY: (2) beautiful female kittens, 16 weeks old, very loving and sweet, litter trained. They look more Tabby than Maine Coon because of the shorter hair but they are both very verbal. We are asking $200 each OBO. We just want to find them the best homes. One kitten is fully orange with tabby markings and the other is orange and white also with tabby markings. 509-619-5768

ENGLISH SPRINGER Spaniel puppies! AKC registered, family raised, ready in time for Christmas! Born 11/1/26, 4 females and 3 males. There are a variety of colors: liver and white, roan and tricolor. Tails docked, dewclaws removed. Up to date on vaccines and deworming in time for pickup. Very socialized. The English Springer Spaniel makes an excellent family dog and hunter. They are easy to train and very eager to please. Asking for a nonrefundable $250 deposit to reserve your puppy. Puppy pick up date 12/20/26, $1500. Please call or text Jonay at 509-301-3855. Located near Yakima, WA



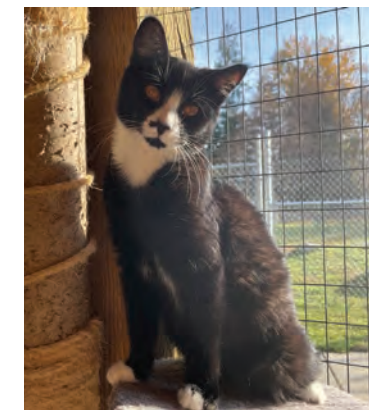
AWESOME AKC SHELTIE puppies. Excellent family dogs. Champion pedigree, health tested background, first shot and worming, health guarantee, $1200 and up. 208-660-1562 or 208-660-6797

Pets of the Week: TigyTig and Hayworth

— Priest River Animal Rescue —



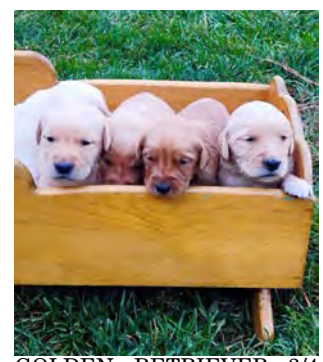
Meet TigyTig, an affectionate, playful cat whose enthusiasm for life is contagious! He is looking for a foster home that can support his lifelong esophageal condition. Tigy mainly needs soft food blended into a slurry, served in small meals throughout the day. He gets along with other cats but just needs supervised feeding—no free-feeding or sneaking in snacks! Despite his special needs, Tigy feels AWESOME and brings plenty of love, laughter, and comical antics. Would you be interested in fostering this lovable boy? Please fill out a foster application for him online today!



Hi, I'm Hayworth, a striking black and white domestic medium hair kitten ready to steal your heart! At just a teenager, I'm already spayed and litter box trained, so you can skip the hard stuff and jump straight to the fun. I'm a sweet and affectionate girl who loves being around people — I'd make a wonderful indoor companion for any home. My adoption fee is $40, and I'm waiting to meet you!

Phone: 208-448-0699 | Email: pranimalhouse@hotmail.com
Website: pranimalrescue.org | Address: 5538 Highway 2, Priest River, Idaho

Our hours are Tuesday through Saturday, 11:00am to 4:00pm. Walk-ins are welcome to see the adoptable animals. We have a wonderful Critters Thrift Store full of hidden treasures.



GOLDEN RETRIEVER 3/4 and Golden Lab 1/4 puppies. Friendly. Been around children and other animals. Available for adoption now. Shades: cream, darker golden, red. $900. Additional pics at nickelsworth.com. Text for more info and pics, 360-333-3229, Spokane/ Cheney

AKC SHIH TZU PUPPY: Female AKC Shih Tzu, 11 months old, $800. 509-961-0154, Yakima, WA

SHIH TZU PUPPIES Available. 7 weeks old, have first shot and were dewormed. Asking $650. 509-985-9024

THREE FEMALE FRENCH Bulldogs. Full AKC registered, ten weeks old, vaccinated and dewormed. Located in Pasco, WA. $2000. For more info, call/ text 509-274-0860

MINI AUSTRALIAN Shepherds: 2 Mini Aussie pups. One's a normal merle, one's a minimal merle. Bright blue eyes. 12 weeks. Purebred. Call or text 509-634-0692



SALE PRICE! KING Charles Cavalier Toy Spaniel, too cute to be real. Happy, healthy, purebred, raised with TLC. Shots, dewormed, and ready to make you happy. Was $2500, now $1800 for a lifetime of loving companionship. 208-446-3832

Lost & Found



MISSING SINCE NOV. 1st near Plummer, ID. Maxx, 2.5 year old white Great Pyrenees Lab cross. Very sweet, very friendly. Wearing a red collar with scan tag and a black and orange shock collar. Please help us find our big boy. Call Rod 208-661-9797, or Marianne 208-661-3483



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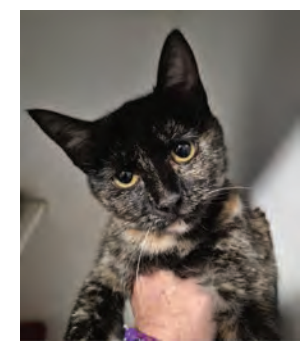
NICKEL'S WORTH LOVE! "Thanks so much! You guys were a huge help running those ads!" Kyle, Dec. 2025

Pets of the Week: Linus and Calisa

— Thompson River Animal Care Shelter —



Linus is so glad to be here. He's a 3 year old 12 pound Chihuahua mix, who is actually almost all chihuahua unless he has some fox terrier in her. He recently came to us from New Mexico, where he was pulled by animal control from a home with too many dogs and given the care that he needed, along with his 3 siblings. All these dogs love other dogs, and they are all doing well at loving people too. Although they came out of a situation where they probably didn't have much human care They are here with us now and enjoying our cooler temperatures and the care that they're getting here, which includes outdoor time, which they like a lot. These 4 siblings are all spayed or neutered. They are up-to-date on vaccines and wormers and they'll also be microchipped. They are a bit shy at first as you would be too, but they're coming out of it really quickly. They can be adopted for $300 each, and their new life can begin soon. If you're interested in one of these pups, please fill out an application from our website and we'll get back to you within twenty four hours.



Hi there! I'm Calisa, a 7 month old domestic short hair. I came to TRACS with some canine acquaintances from Browning. I am very pretty for a tortie, playful AND loveable. How can you beat those 3 traits!! I am just looking for a home to call my own and some humans to loves me. After coming here from Browning, that would be an amazing life for me. I am spayed, microchipped and up to date on vaccinations. My adoption fee is $150. If you are interested in giving me my furrever home, just submit our Adoption Application Form on our website pet-tracs.com. *Disregard the dog questions, well, because I am obviously not a dog!

TRACS is located in Thompson Falls, MT. If you are interested in adopting, please head over to our website, pet-tracs.com and click on the link for adoption application. You can also reach us at 406-827-8722. All pets are healthy, vaccinated and will be spayed or neutered.

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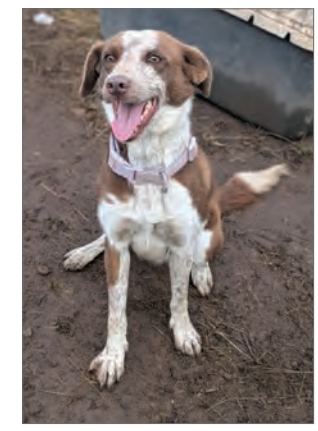
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Pets of the Week: Boone and Molly

— Second Chance Pet Rescue —



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— Newby-ginnings of North Idaho, Inc. —

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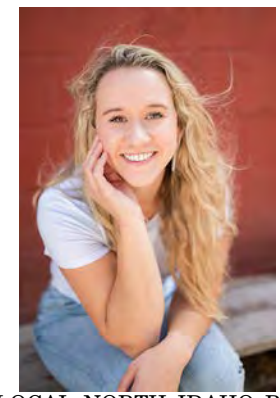
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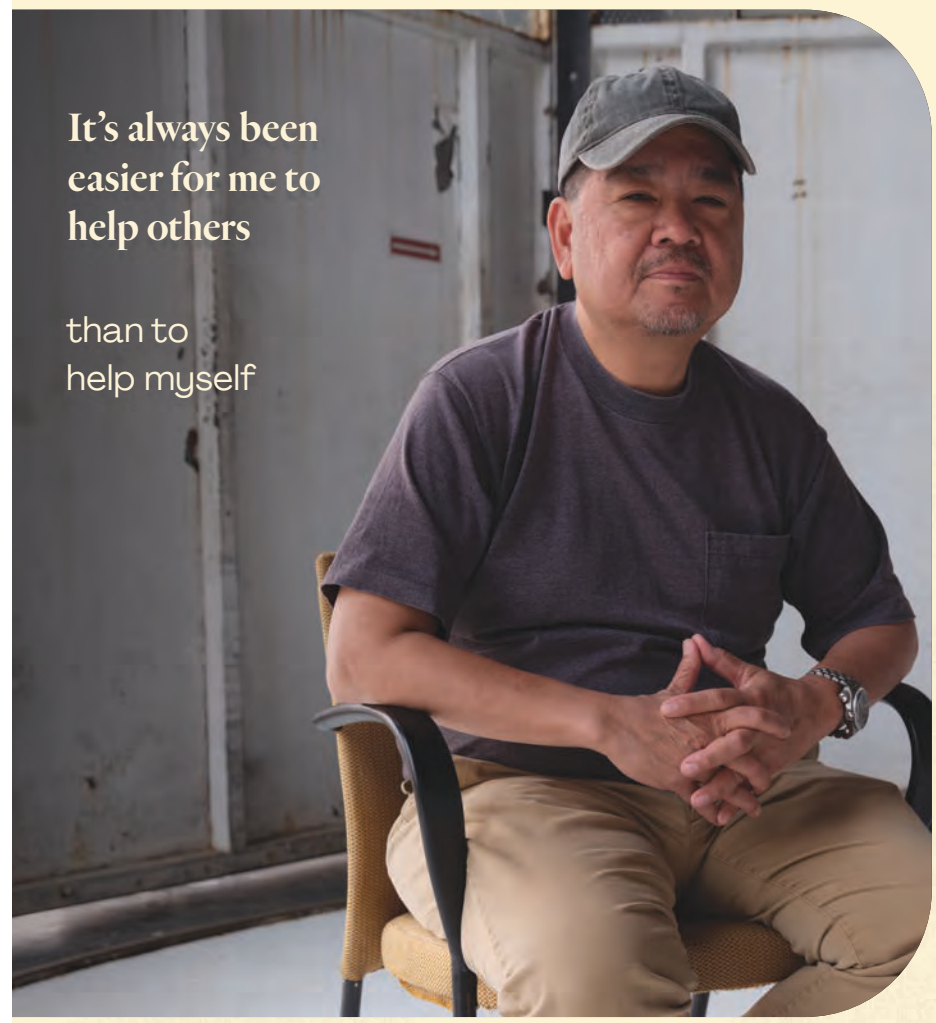
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Reminder: Take Precautions When Handling Sick-Looking Wildlife

— Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game —

HELENA – Highly pathogenic avian influenza (HPAI) continues to be a concern in Montana. While Fish, Wildlife & Parks staff have received several calls from bird hunters and other outdoor recreationists about sick-looking wildlife, it's important to keep in mind that animals infected with HPAI don't always show symptoms.

HPAI is a naturally occurring virus that is extremely infectious and fatal to poultry and some species of wild birds and mammals. It was first detected in wild birds and domestic poultry in Montana in spring 2022. Symptoms include respiratory distress, weakness, lack of coordination, seizures and death, but affected birds are often simply found dead.

People should take precautions when handling harvested game birds or any sick or dead bird they find. Whenever possible, avoid contact with sick or dead wildlife. Even if a contagious disease is not suspected, gloves should always be worn if a dead animal must be handled for disposal.

In Montana, various duck species are most likely to carry the virus without symptoms, while geese and raptors have been the most common wild birds to die from the virus.

Bird hunters should follow these simple precautions when processing or handling wild game:

- Do not harvest or handle wild birds that are obviously sick or found dead.
- Keep dogs away from sick or dead waterfowl, and do not feed raw scraps to domestic animals.
- Wear disposable latex or rubber gloves while cleaning game or cleaning bird feeders.
- Clean game birds outdoors in a well-ventilated area.
- Do not eat, drink or smoke while cleaning game.
- Avoid contact between people, equipment and materials that have been in contact with wild birds and backyard poultry flocks to avoid bringing the virus back to your flock.
- Wash hands with soap and water or alcohol wipes immediately after handling game or cleaning bird feeders.
- Wash tools and work surfaces used to clean game birds with soap and water, then disinfect with a 10 percent solution of chlorine bleach—one part chlorine bleach to 10 parts water.
- Separate raw meat, and anything it touches, from cooked or ready-to-eat foods to avoid contamination.
- Cook game meat thoroughly to an internal temperature of at least 165°F.

Poultry owners should maintain separation between wild birds and domestic poultry. Bird feeders should not be kept near poultry and should be cleaned regularly with a 10 percent bleach solution. Disposable gloves should be worn when cleaning bird feeders.

For more information on poultry biosecurity, visit www.aphis.usda.gov/aphis/ourfocus/animalhealth/animal-disease-information/avian/defend-the-flock-program/dtf-resources/dtf-resources.

Raptors are susceptible to HPAI and are typically exposed by eating infected birds. Falconers should consider avoiding hunting and/or feeding wild birds, particularly waterfowl to their falcons during the outbreak. Enhanced biosecurity practices, cleaning and limiting contact with wild birds or birds from other facilities is also warranted. Sick falcons should be promptly reported to a veterinarian and be quarantined from other birds in the facility

For more information on HPAI in wild birds, visit fwp.mt.gov/conservation/diseases/avian-influenza, or visit the USGS website at www.usgs.gov/centers/nwhc/science/avian-influenza-surveillance.

For information on HPAI in humans, visit the CDC website at www.cdc.gov/bird-flu/prevention/hpai-interim-recommendations.html.

Community Calendar

CLN 50th Anniversary Celebration, Saturday, November 14th, 10am-4pm at Hayden Library, 8385 N. Government Way. Enjoy refreshments, live music, complete a bingo card, eat cake, and learn about Community Library Network's history.

Wills for Warriors, Saturday, November 14th, 10am-3pm at eLegacy & Crandall Law Group, 8596 N. Wayne Dr., Hayden. An estate planning event for veterans, including creation of a free basic will. Qualify and register by calling 888-308-7526 or email info@elegacylaw.com. Openings are limited.

Free: Wreath-Making Class, Saturday, November 14th, 11am-2pm at Lake City Center, 1916 N. Lakewood Dr., CdA. Hosted by Kerry Green from Keller Williams Realty. Free and open to the public!

Free: Fall Cardinal Voices & Vocal Jazz Concert, 7:30pm Monday, Nov. 16th, presented by NIC Music Dept. at Schuler Performing Arts Center, 880 W. Garden Ave., CdA. Hear Cardinal Voices & NIC's Vocal Jazz Ensemble. Enjoy this free lively performance in comfort!

CPR Training, Tuesday, November 17th, 5pm-7:30pm at Shoshone Medical Center (cafeteria), 25 Jacobs Gulch Rd., Kellogg. Free community training, presented by Silver Valley Fire & Rescue. To register, contact Jake at 208-783-3003, or email jpommerening@shomed.org. Also: Nov 19, 5-7:30 pm, "First Aid Training" at same location; same registration contact.

Free Community Thanksgiving Dinner, noon-4pm Thursday, Nov. 26th, at Country Boy Cafe, 6160 E. Highway 54, Athol. All you have to do is text or email the number of people in your party to 208-704-5330 or thecountryboycafe@gmail.com (before Thanksgiving and day-of). Carry out also available.

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Late Fall and Winter Can Be Productive for Stream Fishing

— Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game —



Dress for the weather, and catch some trout and whitefish

Folks may witness an angler wading out into a stream during frigid weather and wonder "what the heck are they doing?"

The short answer? Probably catching fish.

Late-fall and winter fishing are often overlooked on Idaho's rivers and streams because many people don't want to deal with the cold or are too busy chasing deer and elk, but trout and whitefish remain fairly active. In fact, late-season fishing has some advantages because many streams are at their lowest levels and fish are concentrated. Many rivers are also nearly empty of anglers, so you get your pick of prime fishing spots.

Find the right river or stream

Spring-fed rivers and streams and those fed by dam releases often fish well during winter months because temperatures tend to be slightly warmer and more stable.



Rainbow trout are a favorite winter quarry, and where you find them, you will often find whitefish. Whitefish school up in the fall and typically spawn in November, so where you catch one, you're likely to find more. (You can read more about catching whitefish in this article.) You will find trout and whitefish in similar places you find them other times of year, but in late season, they often favor deeper, slower water — although you can still catch them in riffles.

Also remember that while fish remain active during winter, they're still cold-blooded, and they may be a little sluggish. They're unlikely to aggressively chase food, but they will take it — or a good imitation of it — when it's placed in front of them.

Tweak your techniques

Winter fishing doesn't require any special tactics, just figure out where the fish are and what they're likely to be feeding on. Drifting bait or fly fishing with nymphs are often your best tactics. If you see dimples on the water, it may be fish rising to feed on insects, which will likely be tiny midges or mayflies, and fish will rise to a well-presented dry fly.

Try different sections of the river and try to figure out where fish are holding and feeding. After you catch a fish, seek out similar water, but remember, fish may move around during the day. But where you find them one day during winter, they're likely to remain nearby, so keep those places in mind when you return.

Fly anglers should not overlook streamers. They can look like a big, easy meal when presented slowly, but don't expect trout to vigorously chase them like during summer. Even dead drifting a streamer can be effective.

Fish spook easily in low, clear water, so be stealthy. Walk softly, don't immediately wade into the middle of a fishing hole, and wear drab colors. Repeatedly cast into likely looking water before moving on. You may be surprised that you can catch multiple fish in a fairly small area, so cast and drift (or slowly retrieve) your bait or fly numerous times before moving to the next spot.



To find places to fish, check Fish and Game's Fishing Planner at idfg.idaho.gov/ifwis/fishingplanner/. While many of Idaho's waters are open to fishing year round, some are limited to catch-and-release fishing during winter, so double check the regulations.

Here are late-season fishing tips:

- **Sleep in:** There's rarely a need to be there at first light. You will usually have better fishing late morning to early afternoon when the water warms a few degrees.
- **Stay close to home:** Winter is a good time to explore your local trout fisheries — or rediscover them.
- **Plan short trips:** There's no getting around the effects of cold weather, and eventually it will take its toll. Plan to fish for an hour or two and call it good. If you can last longer, consider it a bonus.
- **Bring hand warmers:** Your hands are most likely to get wet, and they can easily get chilled. A hand warmer will quickly rewarm them. An extra pair of gloves is also a good idea because one pair usually gets wet.
- **Think about traction:** Rocks are slippery when wet, and more slippery when icy. Wading boots with cleats are a good option. It's also good to have a set of dry clothes in your vehicle in case you take an unexpected plunge.
- **Keep your feet warm:** Probably goes without saying, but you may be wading in water that's barely above freezing, so wear thick socks or double up. If your feet get cold, you will be uncomfortable.
- **See it as adventure:** Things will look and feel different, but the trip will be rewarding if you appreciate those differences. Catching a few fish never hurts, either.





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Although most hunters respect the land, property and wildlife they are hunting, others may not.

Every hunting season, there are reports of vandalizing of Block Management Area (BMA) boxes, hunters driving off road, trespassing, hunters being shot over, littering, livestock being shot and more. FWP encourages everyone to be good stewards of the land and calls on all of us to protect access, respect landowners and keep our hunting traditions strong.

At the heart of this effort are two key programs: fwp.mt.gov/protectthehunt

- **Hunter-Landowner Stewardship Program**, which helps hunters build respect and trust with landowners by taking the video guide + test. See fwp.mt.gov/education/hunter/hunterLandowner
- **Thank a Landowner portal**, a simple way to show gratitude to those who share their land. Find it at fwp.mt.gov/hunt/thank-a-landowner

Below are just a few reminders (in no particular order) that hunters and all outdoor enthusiasts should be aware of when enjoying our resources:

- Prevent wildfires – Be aware of fire danger and county restrictions and use precautions.
- Avoid standing crops – Avoid hunting, walking or driving in fields that have not been harvested yet.
- Respect livestock operations – Fall is a very busy time for all producers. Along with late harvest, cattle and other livestock are being moved from their summer and/or fall pastures and are often brought near the home site for winter feeding and care. Please use common sense and respect when around these activities.
- Don't litter – Not only is littering careless and unsightly, it is against the law, and doing so while hunting or fishing can result in loss of privileges for one year.
- Manage human waste – We all must use the outdoor restroom at times. Please do so in a respectful manner and bury waste if possible. BMA sign-in boxes and parking areas are not the places to do your business!
- Leave gates as you find them – If a gate is closed, close it behind you. If it is obviously open (pulled all the way back to the fence), leave it open. If you are unsure, contact the landowner or public land agency.
- Know your target and beyond – Hunters must be sure of what they are shooting at (species, sex, etc.), and know what lies beyond their target (houses, outbuildings, livestock, vehicles other hunters).
- Be weed free – Check clothes, dogs, ATVs and other vehicles for weeds and weed seeds to help prevent the spread to other private and public lands.
- Avoid driving on muddy roads – Unless it is a well-graveled road, walk. No one likes rutted roads. Sometimes, if you wait a couple of hours after rain (or for melting snow to freeze), road conditions often improve.
- Avoid ridge driving and driving to overlooks – Not only is this a poor strategy while hunting, it is considered as "driving off road" if it is not already an established or marked trail.
- Do not park on roads – Move well off roads to avoid folks moving farm equipment. Find a designated parking area or an approach that is clearly not being used for equipment, but do not park in tall grass.
- Don't drive off road – While hunting on private property, a person may not drive off established roads or trails without landowner permission. Off-road travel on public land, including game retrieval, is prohibited unless designated as open. Consult the appropriate land agency or land maps for specifics.
- Ask for permission to hunt – Montana law requires permission for all hunting on private land. Even if the land is not posted, hunters must have permission from the landowner, lessee or their agent before hunting on private property.
- Completely fill out BMA slips – If a hunter doesn't correctly fill out a block management slip, they are hunting without permission.
- Know where you are – Whether you are hunting public land, private land or land enrolled in an access program such as block management, it is every hunter's responsibility to know where they are to avoid trespassing. Maps are always available and there are GPS chips and cell phone apps to aid in orientation.
- Legally access public lands – Access to public lands through private land requires permission of the private landowner, lessee or their agent.
- Follow camping rules – Camping is allowed on most public lands (see land agency regulations), but permission is needed to camp on private property and BMAs.
- Know the rules – Consult BMA maps for specific rules on block management property, including driving on roads, parking areas, no shooting zones, walk-in-only areas, camping, number of hunters allowed, game retrieval, etc.
- Rules for most land agencies, such as state trust lands, BLM, USFWS, USFS, BOR, etc., can be found on maps and/or on brochures, or go to the appropriate agency website or local office for information.
- Report violations – Report any hunting and fishing, trespassing, vandalism or other criminal activity you see to 1-800-TIP-MONT (1-800-847-6668).

The 1-800-TIP-MONT, or tipmont.mt.gov, program is a toll-free number and web address where one can report violations of fish, wildlife or park regulations. Callers can remain anonymous and may be eligible for a reward up to $1,000 for providing information that leads to a conviction.

Remember, "The Outside is in us All!"

Community Calendar

Free: North Idaho Youth Symphony, 7pm Monday, Nov. 16th, at Lake City High School Auditorium, 6101 N Ramsey Rd., CdA. Open to the public!

Free: Fall Concert, 7pm Tuesday, Nov. 17th, presented by Panhandle Symphony Orchestra at Lake City HS Auditorium, 6101 N. Ramsey Rd., CdA. An all-volunteer group of musicians will perform under the direction of Tim Sandford. Donations appreciated.

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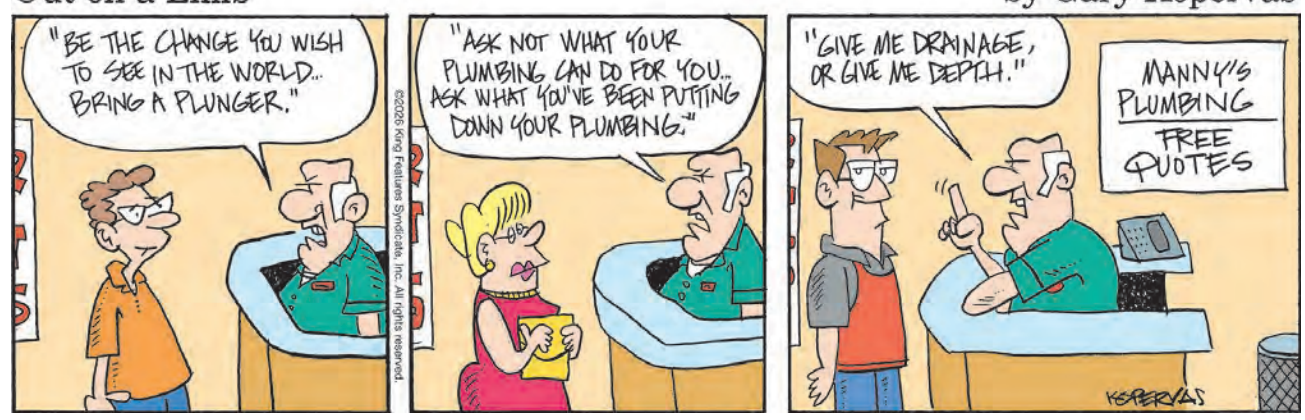
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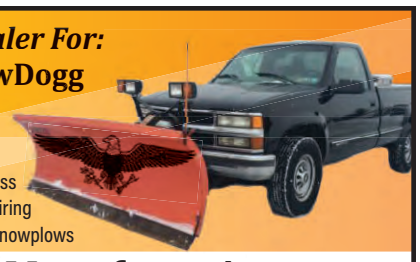
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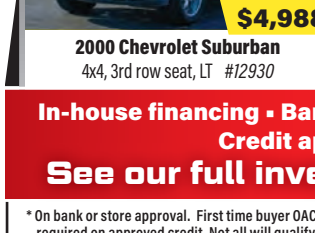
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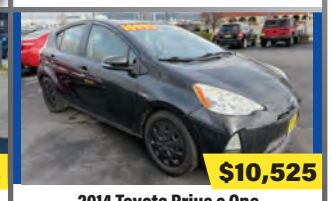
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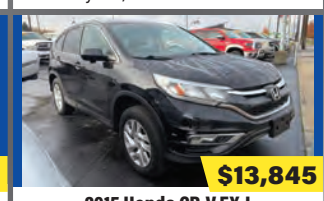

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National Chicken Soup for the Soul Day

November 12th

— National Day Calendar —



National Chicken Soup for the Soul Day celebrates who you are and how you get there. Take time to nurture your soul on November 12th.

A little chicken soup does a lot of good. It's warm and hearty. As we cup our hands around the bowl, the heat radiates into our bodies. The steam hits our face with a comforting aroma. Similar to what chicken soup does for our bodies, the regular nurturing of our souls benefits our health. Whether you pick up a book, meditate or go for a long walk, reflect on who you are and your achievements.

HOW TO OVSERVE CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL DAY

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- Tell an inspiring story to a friend or family member. It will lift their spirits and remind them that you care about them.
- Try a new recipe and make it a double batch. Then share it with someone who needs some cheering up.
- Do something wholesome for yourself.
- Listen to some soulful music.
- Watch a movie with an uplifting message.

While you're celebrating National Chicken Soup for the Soul Day, be sure to share it with someone else. Celebrations are always better together. Whether it's via video chat or face to face, spread that warmth and cheer. Use #ChickenSoupForTheSoulDay to post on social media.

NATIONAL CHICKEN SOUP FOR THE SOUL DAY HISTORY

National Day Calendar® continues researching the origins of this positive day. While the publisher and consumer goods company, Chicken Soup for the Soul began publishing in 1993 with its headquarters in Cos Cob, Connecticut, it did not create the day. The first book, as most subsequent titles in the series, was of true stories written by ordinary people about their own lives and soon became a best-seller. Since then, they have published approximately 250 books full of thousands of stories and inspiring all ages.

However, the first known publication of National Chicken Soup for the Soul Day can be found in a publication called Creative Forecasting in 2002. The listing included a suggestion to read a Chicken Soup for the Soul book to a resident. This publisher creates activity lists for retirement facilities and other organizations. What began as a newsletter in 1989 has grown to a magazine and website.



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Blueberry Muffin Tops

— Crowded Kitchen —



Instead of making an entire muffin, we developed this tops-only recipe, because let's be honest...it's the best part. It's a simple method of creaming butter and sugar, adding in the other wet ingredients, then mixing with the dry. We folded in blueberries and topped each muffin top with streusel for that signature muffin top look.

Blueberry Muffin Tops

Muffin Batter:

- ½ cup unsalted butter softened to room temperature
- ½ cup granulated sugar
- 1 teaspoon lemon zest
- 1 egg
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 ¼ cups all-purpose flour
- 1 ½ teaspoons baking powder
- ¼ teaspoon baking soda
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ¼ cup whole milk
- 1 cup fresh blueberries

Streusel:

- 2 tablespoons unsalted butter room temperature
- ¼ cup + 1 tablespoon all-purpose flour
- 2 tablespoons granulated sugar

1. Preheat the oven to 375°F / 190˚C. Line a sheet pan with parchment paper.
2. In a large bowl, cream together the butter, sugar and lemon zest until light and fluffy, about 2 to 3 minutes.
3. Beat in the egg and vanilla until completely incorporated.
4. Add in the flour, baking powder, baking soda, and salt. Mix until combined.
5. Pour in the milk and stir with a spatula or wooden spoon until a very thick batter forms.
6. In a small bowl, mix together the blueberries with about a tablespoon of flour, then fold the flour-coated blueberries into the batter.
7. Move the muffin tops to the refrigerator and let them chill for at least 30 minutes.
8. While the batter chills, make the streusel topping. Add the butter, flour, and sugar to a small bowl and use a fork or your fingers to rub the butter into the dry ingredients
9. Scoop out the batter with a 3 tablespoon cookie scoop. Don't smush it down at all. Roll the top and sides of the ball in streusel, leaving the bottom un-streuseled. Place on the parchment-lined sheet pan, leaving about 3 inches on all sides between each dough ball.
10. Bake for 12–15 minutes, until the very edges of the muffin tops begin to brown and the muffin tops start to become golden brown on top.
11. Let cool completely on a wire rack before enjoying.

Notes/Tips

Let the dough chill after folding in the blueberries. It serves two purposes: chilling the dough makes it a lot easier to scoop, and it also helps the muffin tops to spread less in the oven.

Try to keep the dough scoops as tall as possible. If they get flattened out, the muffin tops will spread a lot more than an unflattened scoop.

Get streusel all over the top and sides of the muffin top. Since these spread, even if the ball is completely covered (bottom excluded), you'll still end up with a nicely distributed streusel.

You'll want your streusel to be pretty fine so it can evenly cover the dough balls, so use your fingers to sort of rub it into smaller pieces. If you're finding this difficult, add a touch more flour the streusel mixture and try again.

You'll want to bake the muffin tops until the bottom edges start to brown. Another visual cue is that the muffin tops will start to become a bit golden, and the streusel will begin to stand out in comparison. If the bottoms start to brown before the tops seem finished, slide a second sheet pan underneath the existing parchment-lined sheet pan.

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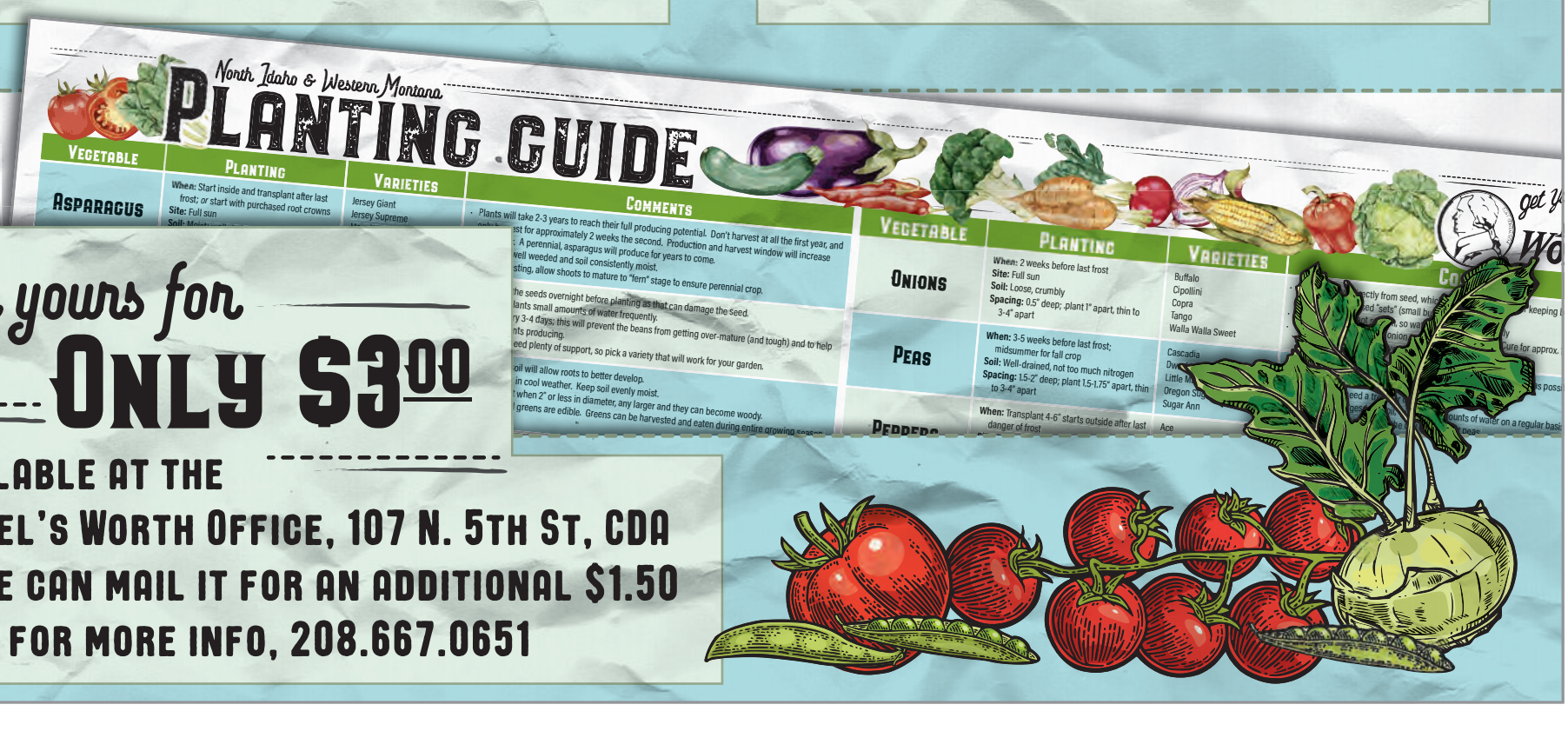
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Vegetable	Planting	Varieties	Comments
Asparagus	When: Start inside and transplant after last frost; or start with purchased root crowns Site: Full sun	Jersey Giant Jersey Supreme	· Plants will take 2-3 years to reach their full producing potential. Don't harvest at all the first year, and … for approximately 2 weeks the second. Production and harvest window will increase … A perennial, asparagus will produce for years to come. … well weeded and soil consistently moist. …sting, allow shoots to mature to "fern" stage to ensure perennial crop.
			…he seeds overnight before planting as that can damage the seed. …lants small amounts of water frequently. …y 3-4 days; this will prevent the beans from getting over-mature (and tough) and to help …nts producing.
			…eed plenty of support, so pick a variety that will work for your garden.
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Vegetable	Planting	Varieties	Co…
Onions	When: 2 weeks before last frost Site: Full sun Soil: Loose, crumbly Spacing: 0.5" deep; .plant 1" apart, thin to 3-4" apart	Buffalo Cipollini Copra Tango Walla Walla Sweet	…ectly from seed, whi… …ed "sets" (small bu… …, so wa… …Onions…
Peas	When: 3-5 weeks before last frost; midsummer for fall crop Soil: Well-drained, not too much nitrogen Spacing: 1.5-2" deep; plant 1.5-1.75" apart, thin to 3-4" apart	Cascadia Dw… Little M… Oregon Sug… Sugar Ann	…keeping …
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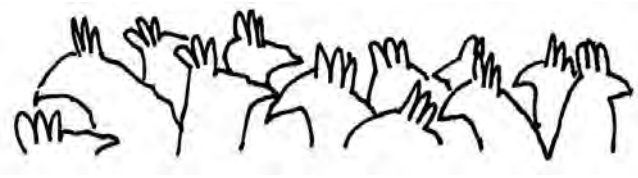
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Cranberry Glass

Cranberries are a familiar sight at the Thanksgiving table. Cranberry glass? Maybe not so much. Pinkish-red glass with a yellowish tone was part of the Victorian era vogue for colored glass. Cranberry glass was made into decorative art glass pieces, like this centerpiece with multiple flared flutes and applied leafy trim, which sold for $250 at World Auction Gallery.

This glass color was first made about the time of the Civil War; coincidentally, about the time Thanksgiving became the annual holiday we observe today. Cranberries, a native plant of North America, were a well-established part of the American diet by then. Native Americans enjoyed their astringent flavor and many health benefits, including an abundance of vitamins and disease-treating properties. Historians recorded that they made the berries into a sauce to accompany meat. English colonists quickly adapted them for the same reasons, calling the plant "craneberry" because the curving branches reminded them of cranes' long, thin necks.

English naturalist John Josselyn wrote in his important 1671 work New England's Rarities, discovered in Birds, Beasts, Fishes, Serpents and Plants of that Country that they help prevent scurvy (we now know that one cup of raw cranberries has 25% of the daily recommended value of vitamin C) and are good as a sweetened sauce or in tarts. The first American cookbook, "American Cookery" by Amelia Simmons, published in 1796, encouraged serving cranberry sauce with turkey. Some things never change!

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Q: I have an old print of a scene with wild game on a table. I looked it up and found out it was a copy of a painting by Joseph Jambor from 1921. How can I find out if it is worth anything?

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A cranberry glass centerpiece like this one adds a beautiful Victorian touch to a dinner table but wouldn't be practical for serving cranberry sauce.

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TIP: Cranberry juice will stain stone, so be careful if you have marble-top tables. Other liquids will stain, but cranberry juice stains are especially bad.

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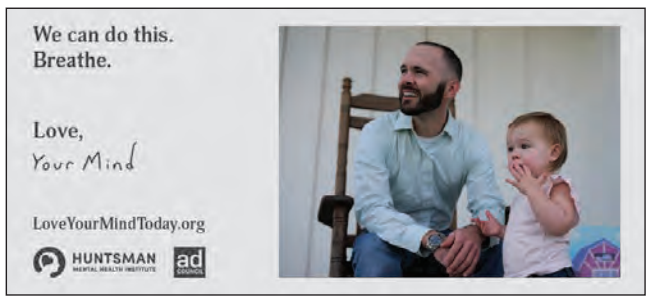
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— Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game —

Idaho Department of Lands mandates proper food, garbage, and attractant storage on specific state endowment lands in Unit 1.

A reminder that hunters, anglers, and outdoor recreationists on Idaho state endowment lands **are required** to securely store food, garbage, and other attractants to help prevent conflicts between the Panhandle Region's people and bears, including grizzly bears.

All overnight visitors (including lessees) on Idaho state endowment lands in Unit 1 must properly store food, garbage, and other attractants out of reach of bears. When possible, folks should use bear-resistant containers approved by the Interagency Grizzly Bear Committee (IGBC). A list of approved products can be found on their website: igbconline.org/programs/bear-resistant-products/

If bear-resistant containers are not available, people should store attractants:

- In a locked, hard-sided vehicle, camper, or trailer
- Hung at least 10 feet above ground and 4 feet from climbable objects
- Or inside a properly functioning IGBC-approved electric fence

Failure to follow these rules may result in citations and fines.

The IDL order is a proactive measure to help prevent future conflicts and encourage responsible recreation and help protect people and wildlife in an area popular for hunting, fishing, camping, calling, and boating on nearby Priest Lake. Fall activities can leave behind attractants that draw bears into areas frequented by people, including leftover fish remains, discarded game animal parts, and food scraps and garbage from campsites.

"Properly storing food, garbage, and harvested game is one of the simplest and most effective ways people can help prevent conflicts with bears," said Morgan Pfander, Panhandle Regional Wildlife Biologist. "We want folks to continue enjoying the incredible recreational opportunities in the Panhandle while doing their part to keep people safe and bears wild."

During fall, bears enter a period of increased feeding known as hyperphagia when they consume large amounts of food to build fat reserves for winter. Unsecured attractants can be especially appealing during this time and may bring bears into campsites, recreation areas, and other places where people spend time.

Whether at home or recreating, people in bear country are encouraged to follow bear-safe storage practices regardless of landownership. That means securing food, coolers, garbage, fish remains, harvested wildlife, and other potential attractants so bears cannot access them. Visitors should familiarize themselves with applicable food storage requirements before heading into the field and follow all rules for the lands they visit.

For more information about bear safety and recreation in bear country, visit Idaho Fish and Game's website or contact the Panhandle Regional Office at 208-769-1414.

To learn more about recreating on IDL state endowment lands, please visit their website at www.idl.idaho.gov/endowment-land-and-recreation/







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Here's How To Navigate (And Successfully Apply For) Idaho's Second Annual Nonresident Tag Draw

— Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game —

Application period for nonresident general season deer and elk tags runs Dec. 5-15.

You're a nonresident and want to hunt in Idaho in 2027 — you've come to the right place.

As Idaho Fish and Game prepares for its second nonresident deer and elk tag draw, hunters too should be taking notes and getting equipped to participate during this 10-day application period that will be here before we know it.

While the framework of this tag draw will operate exactly as it did in December 2025, there are some important highlights that hunters should be mindful of for this year's application period:

- IDFG will not be accepting payments or tag applications over the phone.
- Nonresident hunters will have to pay the standard $18 nonresident application fee (per species) during their application.
- Next year (2027) will be a big game season setting year. A lot goes into a season setting year, which we will talk about more at length down lower in this story. But due to the nature of how seasons are set by wildlife managers, critical wildlife data won't be fully collected until January and February — well after the nonresident application period closes — so hunts could change.

Don't miss a beat. Here's what you need to successfully apply in the 2027 tag draw

Fish and Game recognizes that it can be confusing to apply for Idaho's deer and elk hunts as an out-of-stater. Just like when you're planning your actual hunt, research, strategy, and online resources can go a long way in ensuring your gameplan is well thought out. Whether you participated in last year's inaugural tag draw or plan on applying for the first time in this year's draw, you are going to need **three critical elements**.

- A valid 2027 Idaho Nonresident Hunting License
- 2026 Big Game Seasons and Rules Booklet (idfg.idaho.gov/sites/default/files/seasons-rules-big-game-2026.pdf)
- 2027 Nonresident General Tags Supplemental Brochure (idfg.idaho.gov/sites/default/files/seasons-rules-big-game-supplemental-proclamation-2027.pdf)

First things first, nonresidents will need to purchase a 2027 hunting license; you will not be able to apply without it. Your first step should be to log in to your GoOutdoorsIdaho.com account, make sure all your information is up to date (including your mailing address and email address), and purchase your 2027 hunting license, available beginning Dec. 1.

With a 2027 hunting license secured, your next move is to figure out which hunts to put in for. Having both resources (#2 and #3) in front of you when applying is critical.

Folks will want to cross-reference 2026 hunts in the big game brochure with the 2027 Nonresident Supplemental Brochure when choosing their hunts. Because 2027 is a season-setting year, 2027 hunts will not yet be set by the Commission by the time of the December tag draw. (Those seasons get approved during the March 2027 Commission meeting.) While the specific deer and elk seasons will not be available until March, the list of 2027 nonresident general tags will be available and established during the Dec. 5-15 application period.

The Nonresident General Deer and Elk tags brochure lists tags for elk, regular deer, and white-tailed deer available by elk zone or hunting unit. Use this supplemental guide with the 2026 Idaho Big Game Seasons and Rules booklet, which provides historical hunt seasons and boundaries, rules, and other information that can provide further context when pulling the trigger on your hunt(s).

Important dates for 2027 nonresident general deer and elk tags

- **Dec. 5-15, 2026:** Application period for Nonresident Tag Drawing (including Disabled American Veterans (DAV) deer/elk tags)
- **Early January 2027:** Results announced
- **Jan. 20, 2027:** Deadline to claim tags (except DAV)
- **Feb. 5-15:** Second application period nonresident draw
- **Early March 2027:** Second application period results announced
- **March 20, 2027:** Deadline to claim awarded tags for second application and all DAV tags

What can I apply for (and how many choices do I get)?

Hunters can submit a total of two applications: one for elk and one for deer (except for DAV applicants). Hunters can apply for up to **five hunt choices** (units/zones) each for deer and elk. Regular deer tags and white-tailed deer tags can be applied for on the same application.

Group applications may be submitted with up to four hunters in a group, and if the group application is drawn, everyone in the group gets a tag as long as there are tags available for all members of the group.

How the Disabled American Veteran tag draw works

If you're a nonresident disabled American veteran (DAV), you will be eligible to participate in both draws: the nonresident draw (mentioned above) and the DAV draw.

The DAV draw requires that the applicant have a Nonresident Hunting/3-day Fishing DAV license. DAV applicants are eligible to apply for a DAV deer tag (Regular Deer or White-tailed Deer) and for a DAV elk tag.

DAV elk tags will only be available for uncapped elk zones. Remember, DAV hunters can also participate in the nonresident draw, which does allow hunters to apply for capped elk zones. If awarded in the nonresident draw, DAV hunters would still need to pay full price nonresident fees.

If a DAV hunter is successful in both the DAV draw and the nonresident draw for the same species, they will be required to pick a single tag when claiming the tag. They are not eligible to purchase both tags.

There will only be one application period for the DAV draw (Dec. 5–15) to allow for an extended claim period for DAV hunters. The deadline to claim DAV tags will be the final draw process deadline on March 20, 2027.

Important Note: DAV eligibility paperwork must be received by Dec. 11, 2026 at 2 p.m. to guarantee it can be processed before the close of the application period. Any paperwork received after Dec. 11 at 2 p.m. runs the risk of not being fully completed before the close of the application period.

So, you've applied for the nonresident and/or DAV tag draw. Now what?

You've successfully completed your 2027 deer and elk tag draw application, and now the waiting game begins. What should you expect in the coming weeks and months?

First, your draw results will show up in your email inbox sometime in early January.

All hunters who draw a deer or elk tag in the nonresident tag drawing must purchase it by Jan. 20, 2027. That is an absolute deadline — any tags not purchased by that date will be forfeited and available in a second application period in February.

Anyone who is successful in the first application period is ineligible to apply for that same species in the second nonresident tag drawing.

Participating in the nonresident general season deer/elk drawing will not affect a hunter's eligibility to apply for controlled hunts in the spring.

For all information about the nonresident tag drawing, including more information about nonresident DAV tags and Junior Mentored tags, see the Nonresident Deer and Elk tags webpage.

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Part 1 of 2

— Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game —



It may seem easy, but correctly identifying your target species can be a challenge at times

Is that a mule deer or a white-tailed deer? A moose or an elk? A black bear or a grizzly bear? These are questions asked and thoughts pondered by many a sportsman each hunting season.v

While it may seem like an easy task, correctly identifying your target species can be challenging at times. Weather conditions, distance from the animal, and misleading appearances can be factors that complicate the task.

Freshen up your identification skills by reviewing characteristics of a few species in Idaho that are commonly misidentified.

Mule Deer vs. White-tailed Deer

Mule deer:

- Large ears relative to their heads
- White rumps
- Rope-like tail with a black tip
- Antlers of older males fork and fork again



White-tailed deer:

- Small ears relative to their heads
- Brown rump
- Brown tail with white fringe
- Bottom of erect tail is completely white
- Antlers of older males consist of main beams with tines pointing upward



Moose vs. Elk

Moose

- Dark brown to almost black fur; uniform color across the body
- Dewlap or "beard" (fur-covered skin below the chin)
- Dorsal hump behind the neck
- Wide palmate or paddle-shaped antlers (male)
- Long, broad nose with visible fatty pads near nostrils
- Solitary; though females may be seen with calves or yearlings



Elk:

- Tan to brown in color with light-colored rump; darker neck and head
- No dewlap
- Narrow, more pointed nose
- Branched antlers (single beam with tines); in older males, antlers sweep back toward the rump
- Social; commonly observed in small groups or herds



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Saturday With the Symphony, Saturday, November 21st, 11am, at CdA Library, 702 E Front Ave. A free children's program presented by members of the CdA Symphony Orchestra, all ages are welcome! Participants will experience the making of music and a correlating storybook reading. Held every 3rd Saturday.

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Black Bear vs. Grizzly Bear

Black bear:

- No prominent shoulder hump
- Straight face profile
- Tall ears
- Short claws (1-2 inches)



Grizzly bear:

Prominent shoulder hump

Dished face profile

Short, rounded ears

Long claws (2-4 inches)



Never rely on size and color to determine the species of bear, as both can be misleading. Pictured below is a nearly black-colored grizzly bear. For additional training resources on identifying bear species, check out idfg.idaho.gov/hunt/bear-info/overview.



Yes, this is a grizzly bear — albeit a nearly all-black colored one.

Why it matters

Cases of misidentification result in the harvest of animals that were not intended to be harvested.

Hunting seasons and rules are set using the best information available to ensure hunting, trapping, and fishing remain available to future generations. While a few cases of misidentification may not negatively affect a wildlife population, more widespread occurrences can.

In addition, cases of misidentification may result in citations being issued, which negatively impacts the sportsmen involved. It is the responsibility of hunters to correctly identify their target species and know when and where hunting for that species is allowed. Make sure to review the 2026 Idaho Big Game Season and Rules brochure (idfg.idaho.gov/sites/default/files/seasons-rules-big-game-2026.pdf) so you are in the know.

For more information or if you have questions, please contact the your local Fish and Game Regional office.



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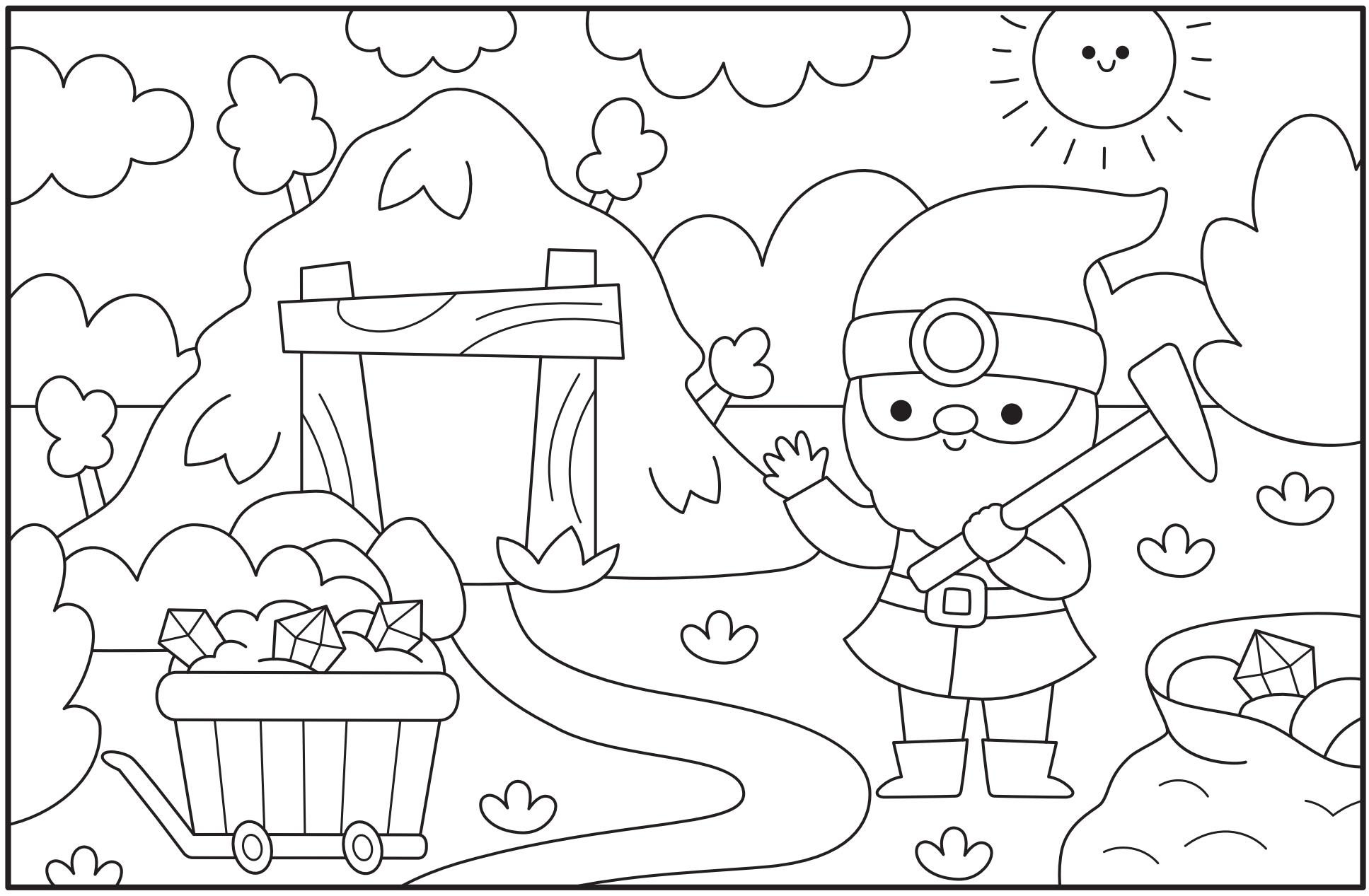
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When planning for school days, "quick and easy meals" may be the first goals on your list, but as any busy parent knows, nutrition is also a top priority. The best meal choices for back-to-school season balance convenience with wholesome ingredients to help kids stay fueled and focused all day long.

If you're looking for a nutritious, quick recipe to help your family make it through the morning this Pumpkin Pie Kefir Smoothie will be your go-to this fall. Made with Maple Hill's Vanilla Kefir, it's a wholesome and tasty way to serve up 100% grass-fed, organic dairy that's free from GMOs, hormones and antibiotics.

At dinner time, turn to practical and satisfying solutions like grilled chicken paired with Greek yogurt and pesto, which lets you savor those delicious flavors of grilled fare with a better-for-you marinade that takes chicken to the next level. For a well-rounded meal, serve with whole-wheat pasta and sun-dried tomatoes.

Staples like Maple Hill's 100% grass-fed organic dairy – rich in nutrients, free from GMOs, hormones, and antibiotics – make it easier to build meals that check all the boxes: convenient, nourishing and delicious. Plus, each product comes from farms that prioritize regenerative practices as nature intended. Consider this: 100% grass-fed organic dairy provides a 50% healthier ratio of omega 3:6 and 40% higher levels of CLA fatty acids compared to traditional organic dairy so you can always feel good about what you're feeding your family.

To find more information about 100% grass-fed organic dairy and recipes fit for family nutrition throughout the school year, visit MapleHill.com.

Pumpkin Pie Kefir Smoothie

1/2 frozen banana

3 tablespoons pumpkin puree

1 cup Maple Hill Creamery Vanilla Kefir, plus additional for serving

20 grams unflavored collagen peptides

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

1 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice

1/4 cup ice

ground cinnamon, to taste

1. In high-speed blender, blend banana, pumpkin puree, 1 cup vanilla kefir, collagen peptides, vanilla, pumpkin pie spice and ice until smooth.
2. In glass, add drizzle of additional vanilla kefir then layer smoothie on top. Sprinkle with ground cinnamon, to taste.

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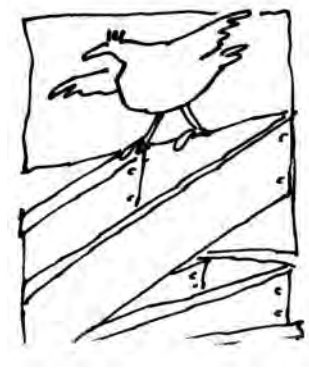
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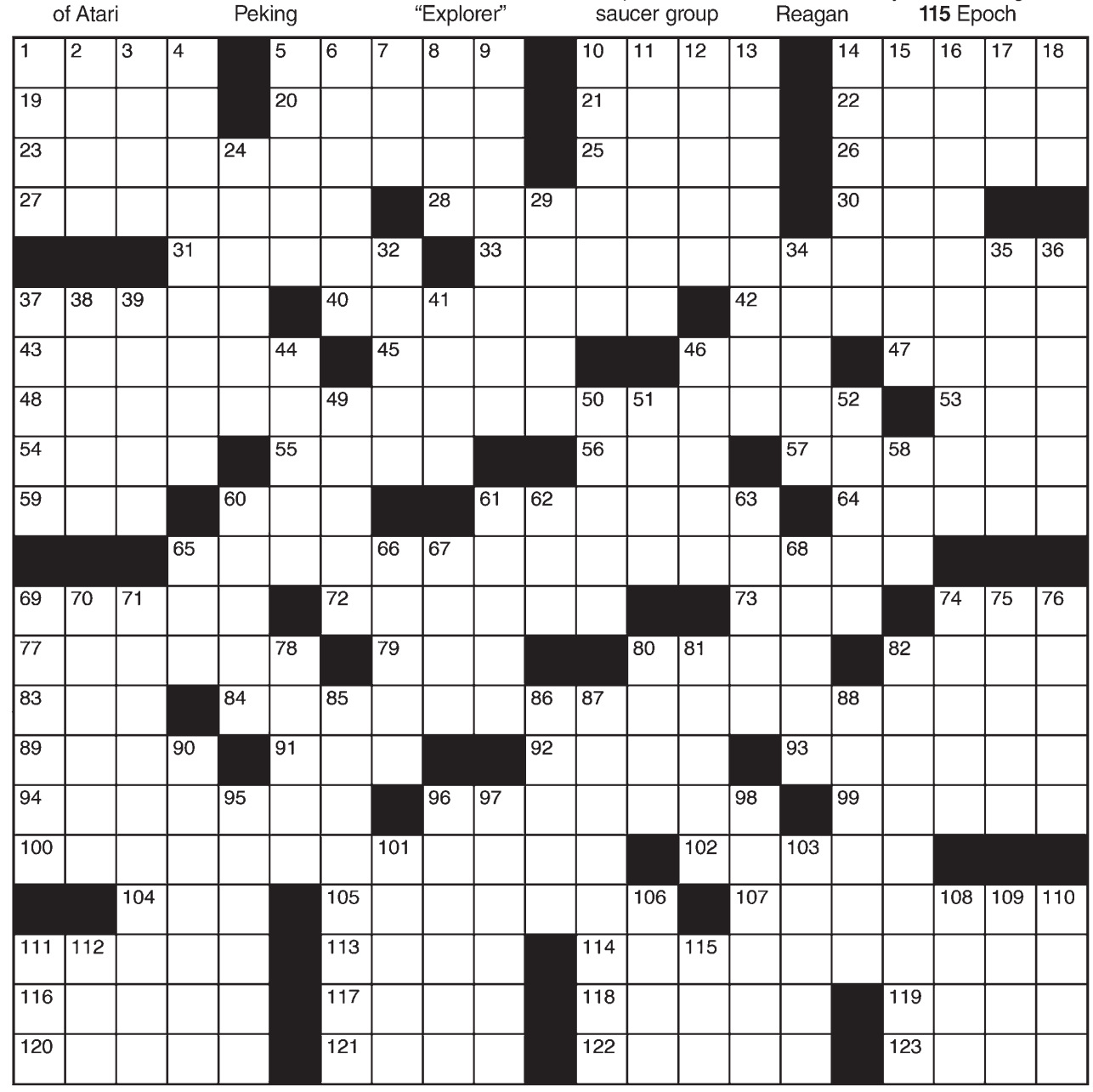
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30 Cry of disgust
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48 1962 Western with Kirk Douglas, Gena Rowlands and Walter Matthau
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55 Female bleaters
56 Bovine call
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60 Viral gene material
61 Ho Chi Minh City, formerly
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72 Explodes
73 Pea protector
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100 Leader of a marching musical group
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104 Boston fish
105 Title for Walter Scott
107 Be an arbiter
111 Rain forest, desert or wetland
113 2004 Chevy debut
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117 Caulk, e.g.
118 Lop- — rabbit
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120 Valleys
121 J.D. Salinger title girl
122 Logbook, e.g.
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How to Naturally Sweeten Your Thanksgiving Feast

— Family Features —



During this season of Thanksgiving, people are focused on family, friends and, of course, food. This honey-roasted turkey breast recipe is the perfect main dish when gathering your loved ones for a comforting meal you can feed good about.

The secret ingredient is Busy Bee Raw Honey, sourced entirely in the U.S., tested for safety, quality and three times for purity. Each bottle comes with a peel-away back label and Real Honey Code so you can trace your honey's journey from flower to hive to your holiday table.

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Honey-Roasted Turkey Breast

Servings: 8

1 full turkey breast (6-7 pounds), bone in, skin on, fully thawed

kosher salt

freshly ground black pepper

Glaze:

1/2 cup Busy Bee Raw Honey

1/2 cup orange juice

2 teaspoons Dijon mustard

3 tablespoons apple cider vinegar

1 teaspoon kosher salt

1 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper

3 sprigs fresh thyme

1 clove garlic, peeled and crushed

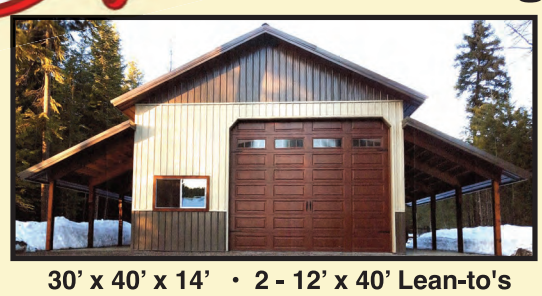
1. Fill Dutch oven or large frying pan halfway with oil and butter; heat over medium heat.
2. In large bowl, mix eggs and milk then place chicken strips in mixture.
3. In separate bowl, mix flour, barbecue seasoning and mesquite seasoning. Add salt and pepper, to taste.
4. Remove 4-6 chicken strips from milk mixture and cover completely in flour mixture.
5. Drop pinch of flour in hot oil; if it crackles, it's hot enough. Once hot, fry battered chicken 4 minutes then, using tongs or fork, turn over and fry 4 minutes. When done, chicken will be golden and almost float. Remove from frying pan and repeat with remaining chicken.
6. Serve with dipping sauce of choice, if desired.

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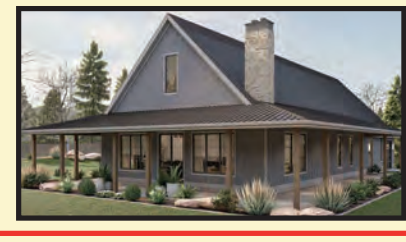
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