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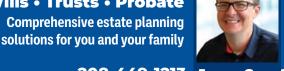
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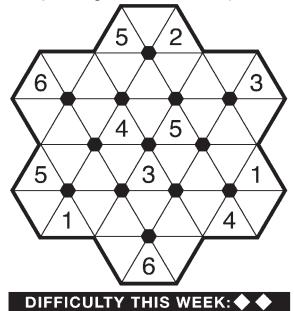
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Buckshot Barber's ad for the 3/15/24 issue had an incorrect phone number, due to an error by the Nickel's Worth. We apologize for any inconvenience or confusion.

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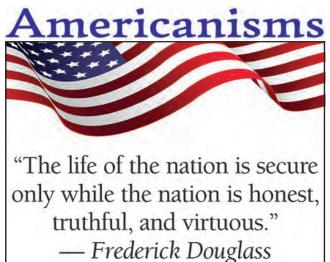
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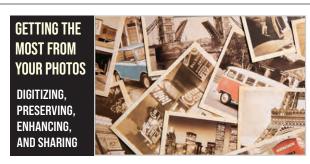
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The service has no age restrictions, although it is geared toward older adults with low to moderate income. It's not necessary to be an AARP member to take advantage of this service.

Free tax prep assistance will be offered at three appointment sites and one walk-in site. Bring a Social Security card for all people on the return, a photo ID, your 2022 tax return and all 2023 income documents, such at W2s and 1099s.

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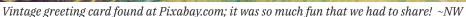


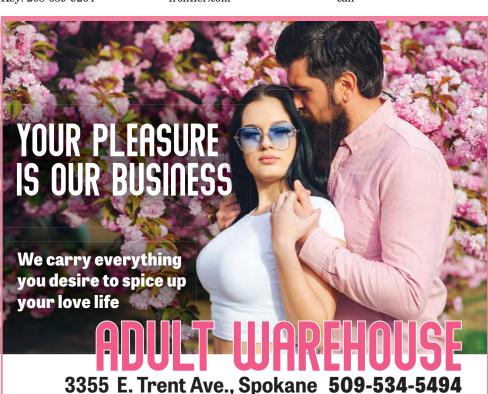
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#### FWP Seeks Public Comment On Recommended Awards For The Montana Trail Stewardship Grant Program

– Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks –

Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks is seeking public comment related to the environmental impacts of the proposed list of funding awards for the 2024 Trail Stewardship Program (TSP) grant cycle. This year the program is recommending \$2,000,000 in grant funds to 36 projects around the state.

In total, FWP received 40 applications requesting \$2.33 million in funding. Applications were submitted by federal and state agencies, towns, cities, counties, recreational clubs and nonprofit organizations. Eligible projects include development and rehabilitation work on urban, rural, and backcountry trails; construction of new trails and facilities; and snowmobile and cross-country ski trail maintenance and grooming operations.

The 2024 application process was highly competitive with many strong projects proposed. FWP staff conducted an internal review and scoring of applications. In addition, State Trails Advisory Committee (STAC) members reviewed applications and met March 5 and 6 in Great Falls to provide feedback on projects and make recommendations to FWP for distribution of the funds.

A list of the proposed grant recipients is available at: fwp.mt.gov/aboutfwp/grant-programs/trail-stewardship/public-comment. Some projects are proposed to receive full funding, while others are proposed to receive partial awards.

Comments will be accepted in writing to P.O. Box 200701 Helena, MT 59620-0701, and by email to: TSPGrants@mt.gov.

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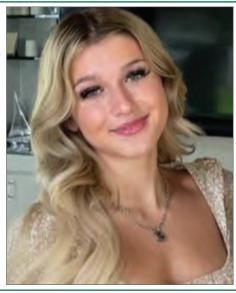
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#### **Cassidy Rosemarie Conely**

November 21, 2003 — February 28, 2024



At Lumaha'i Beach (North Shore, Kauai), February 28, 2024, Cassidy Rosemarie Conely left this world to go home with Jesus in Heaven. The world will miss this beautiful human, with so much authenticity, depth and feeling. At only 20-years old, Cassidy had a gentle and kind heart. She adored cute little animals, drove big trucks, loved coffee-date-sistertime and did back flips off cliffs. She was her daddy's world, his everything, his Boo. Her safe-place and confidante was her mama. Cassidy saw the fine and beautiful details of the world.

She had sparkling blue eyes and a smirk that usually lead to something very funny or mysterious. Her loves were the ocean and water, art and self-expression, road trips with loved ones, riding her Harley and lifting heavy weight in the gym. She allowed herself to be messy and take risks. Cassidy always marched to the beat of her own drum. She loved both cozy clothes and dressing up and had an eye for doing brilliant make-up. She had a raw beauty that shined whether she was in her pajamas or ready for a night out.

Cassidy was born in Reno, NV on November 21, 2003 and moved to Hailey, Idaho in 2010 with her family. Growing up in the Wood River Valley, she participated in 4-H, played volleyball, track and gymnastics. You may have encountered her light and love, serving up Bowls of Soul at Java in Hailey. She was determined to graduate Wood River High School early and accomplished that in November of 2021, 6 months before her peers. She became a tattoo artist and owned her own shop in Boise at the age of 19. She created beautiful art as tattoos and especially loved tattooing flowers.

Cassidy's memory will forever be cherished by her dad Jason Conely, sister Josie Conely, mom Yvonne and stepdad Robbie Walden, step-sisters Harper and Rowen Walden, grandparents Pat and Jerada Conely, grandfather Sigi Vogl (Natasha), grandmother Katherine Sterling (Don), aunt Christina Crawford (JC), aunt Jennifer Caudle (Lauren), cousin Patrick Grover, and boyfriend Rory March. May her legacy live on through family and friends. May we remember her for being goofy, kind, messy, feeling all of her feelings, being compassionate and greeting others with a firm hand-shake.

We are so blessed and humbled by the outpouring of love and generosity witnessed during this time. Thank you for your love. As you remember the beauty and life of our girl, remember to move others to be their authentic selves, to be kind, to love others freely, to be understanding and to be brave, in the same way that Cassidy did best.

"This is my comfort in my affliction, that Your promise gives me life." Psalm 119:50

#### **Community Calendar**

"Cabinet of Natural History" art exhibit, beginning Friday, April 5th, during regular visitor hours, at Travelers' Rest State Park, 6717 US-12, Lolo, MT. Call 406-273-4253 or visit fwp.mt.gov/ stateparks/travelers-rest for more information. This art exhibit is a unique, complete collection of vintage hand-colored art printed on stone.

Solar Science Saturday, Saturday April 6th, 10am-3pm, at Palouse Discovery Science Center, 950 NE Nelson Ct., Pullman, WA. Free admission, face painting, read-alouds, planetarium shows, and glow-themed activities. For more info, visit innovia. org/fifty/

Teen Quit Tobacco & E-Cigarette Course, next classes April 9th and May 14th, Tuesdays, 3:30pm for (4) consecutive weeks, offered by Panhandle Health periodically & is designed for middle/high school students to address lifestyle choices, social skills, stress management, decision-making, goalsetting, nutrition & physical activity for (4) weeks FREE of charge in Hayden. More info & dates at: panhandlehealthdistrict.org/quitting-tobacco/

Life & Liberty, Lift Every Voice Concert, Friday, April 12th, 7pm, and Saturday, April 13th, 2pm, presented by Chorale CdA at Trinity Lutheran Church, 812 N. 5th St., CdA. Tickets at choralecda.

Free Movies at the Garland, Sunday April 21st, at the Garland Theater, 924 W Garland Ave., Spokane, WA. Free showing of *Despicable Me* will be held at 11am and 5pm; free showing of *Paw Patrol* is scheduled for 2pm. A free pinwheel is available for all attendees. For more info, visit innovia.org/fifty/

Community Recycle Day, Saturday April 27th, 10am-2pm, at Post Falls City Hall, 408 N. Spokane Street. Take advantage of no-cost E-recycling, paper shredding & prescription drug take-back; also drop off old TVs, computers, cell phones. Receive FREE insulated grocery bags, recycling calendars & more.

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#### **Hunter Harvest Stats Show Drop In Elk And Mule** Deer Harvest, Bump In Whitetails In 2023 **Part 1 of 2**

— Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game —



For the first time since 2013, statewide elk harvest came in below 20,000.

It didn't take a whole lot of rubbing the crystal ball to forecast a less-than-stellar mule deer harvest in 2023 because of the severe winter that preceded it. And with last fall's harvest stats now available, the story that commenced after one of the worst eastern Idaho winters on record can be told.

Ironically, it may have been the opposite weather that contributed to the lowest elk harvest since 2013. Warm fall weather with little precipitation often creates poor hunting conditions, but weather or not, the statewide elk harvest dropped nearly 2,400 animals compared to the prior year.

But not all deer and elk harvests were down. White-tailed deer harvest had a modest bump-and the first increase in four years—signaling herds may be recovering from a large disease die-off in 2021.

"It was kind of a screwy year," said Toby Boudreau, Deer and Elk Coordinator. "I think everyone expected the mule deer harvest to drop significantly, but we're hopeful the mild winter will speed up their recovery, or at minimum, get it off to a good start."



The elk harvest is a bit of a head-scratcher. Anecdotally, Fish and Game heard reports from experienced elk hunters who were not finding elk in their usual spots during fall, and suspect weather may have been a significant factor.

"We're fairly confident the dip in the statewide harvest does not reflect a dip in the elk population, but it may take another year to see that," said Boudreau.

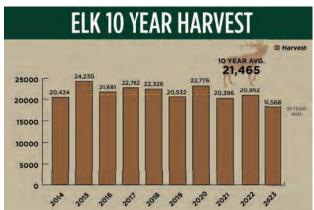
Additionally, Fish and Game used data from radio-collared elk that showed some herds stayed on summer range much longer than in other years. In fact, the lack of movement off their summer ranges actually prevented the Department from conducting one of its planned elk surveys.

#### Harvest highs and lows

It was a good run. 2023 would have been the tenth year in a row for elk harvest to eclipse the 20,000 mark, but that was not how last fall played out. Elk hunters took home 18,568 elk in 2023, roughly an 11% drop in animals harvested compared to 2022. Roughly 87,864 elk hunters-less than 1% fewer than 2022-took to the mountains in 2023 in search of elk, with 21% of those individuals successfully harvesting an elk.

To no one's surprise, mule deer hunting saw a big decline in 2023. A total of 74,503 mule deer hunters hunted last fall, with nearly 25% of those successfully packing out a mule deer. Last year's roughly 22% decrease in total mule deer harvest is also the seventh-consecutive year below the 10-year average. While it may seem impossible to have 70% of the years below the 10-year average, it's a reflection of an unusually large mule deer harvest in 2015-16 that drove up the 10-year average.

Finally, onto whitetails. White-tailed deer harvest has been at the top of bad news headlines in recent years due to large disease outbreaks; however, in 2023, the number of whitetails harvested showed a bump in the right direction, from 19,182 in 2022 to 19,828 in 2023, which hopefully reflects recovering whitetail herds. Last fall's whitetail harvest also eclipsed the mule deer harvest for only the sixth time since 1975, when Fish and Game began tracking deer harvest by species.



#### Elk

#### By the numbers

• Total elk harvest in 2023: 18,568

• 2022 harvest total: 20,952

Overall hunter success rate: 21%

• Antlered: 11,363

• Antlerless: 7,205

• Taken during general hunts: 11,719 (17% success rate)

• Taken during controlled hunts: 6,849 (23% success rate)

#### How it stacks up

The most notable statistic from the 2023 elk season is the first bullet point shown above: 18,568 total elk harvested. That number is down 11% from the previous year and marks the first time since 2013 that the total number of elk harvested came in below

Now, what does that mean? It's difficult to prove what factor or factors played a part in the drop in elk harvest, but it's within the normal fluctuations in harvests from year to year.

Statewide, elk populations have been relatively stable, and were not impacted by winter as badly as mule deer or pronghorn in eastern Idaho

And overall hunter numbers were practically identical to the previous year's hunter effort. Additionally, general season hunter success was right in line with previous years (17%) while controlled hunt success dropped substantially from an average of 41% over the previous five years to 23% last year.

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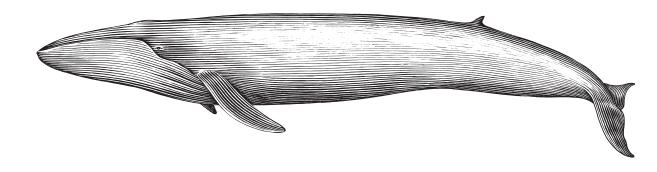
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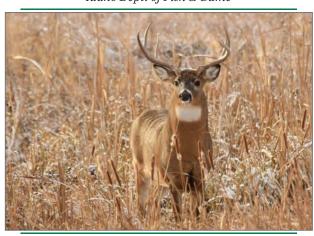


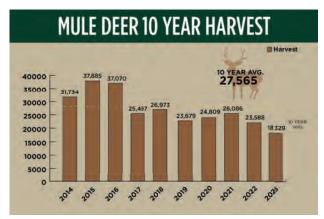
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# Hunter Harvest Stats Show Drop In Elk And Mule Deer Harvest, Bump In Whitetails In 2023

Part 2 of 2

- Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game -





#### **Mule Deer**

#### By the numbers

• Total mule deer harvest in 2023: 18,329

• 2022 harvest total: 23,588

- Overall hunter success rate: 25%

Antlered: 15,245Antlerless: 3,083

• Taken during general hunts: 13,267 (21% success rate)

• Taken during controlled hunts:5,062 (46% success rate)

#### How it stacks up

Leading up to the 2023 mule deer hunting season, Fish and Game wildlife managers knew hunting would be tough due in large part to one of the worst winters we've had on record in eastern Idaho.

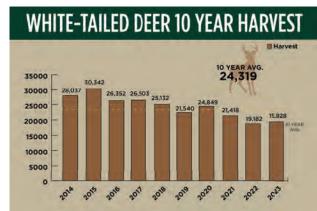
If you recall, in March 2023, Fish and Game wildlife managers saw the writing on the wall, and proactively cut many antlerless hunts for that year. Despite a large effort by staff and volunteers to emergency feed deer and elk, a lot of animals were lost due to deep, prolonged snow and frigid temperatures that stretched into spring.

Harsh winters like the one in 2023 can potentially set herds back several years, and the department will continue to monitor the effects in the upcoming years.

Looking at last year's mule deer harvest numbers from a statewide perspective, we see a roughly 22% decline from the previous year, marking the first time mule deer harvest has, too, been below the 20,000 mark in over 12 years.

Hunters themselves appeared less on the landscape last year, too, tallying 74,503 during 2023. That's a 6% drop. Back in August 2023, Idaho Fish and Game wildlife officials noted that hunters should expect to see fewer fawns and two-point bucks in those hard-hit areas, and smaller herds in general. And while mule deer herds typically take several years to rebound from a harsh winter, they are a resilient bunch. And incredibly mild winters, like the one we just had, can significantly benefit rebounding muleys.

The bottomline: Mule deer herds got hit hard in parts of southern Idaho, but history has shown they can recover, and a few more mild winters can accelerate that effort. Hunters need to have some patience, but they may start to see signs of recovery as early as next fall with more young bucks being out there.



#### **White-Tailed Deer**

#### By the numbers

• Total white-tailed deer harvest in 2023: 19,828

• 2022 harvest total: 19,182

• Overall hunter success rate: 40.3%

• Antlered: 13,741

• Antlerless: 6,088

• Taken during general hunts: 18,548 (38% success rate)

• Taken during controlled hunts: 1,281 (40% success rate)

If you've been waiting for some good news, well here it is.

White-tailed deer represented the biggest 'win' for the 2023 hunting season, as noted by the upswing in harvest numbers for the first time since 2019. An estimated 49,098 white-tailed deer hunters hit the woods last year, with 40% of those successfully bagging a deer. As predicted, heading into the 2023 hunting season overall harvest numbers for white-tails increased from 19,182 to 19,828.

Recall back in 2021, epizootic hemorrhagic disease (EHD) wreaked havoc on the Clearwater region's whitetails, killing an estimated 6,000-10,000 deer that year. Like any species, it takes time for animals to rebound. Prior to the '23 hunting season, Boudreau forecasted "another 2-3 years" before the Clearwater's whitetail herds would be fully recovered, but optimistically pointed out that they were in fact "over the hump."

Overall, Idaho's white-tailed deer population outside the Clearwater Region is looking good. Fish and Game wildlife staff will continue to monitor the EHD and CWD situation among deer and elk populations during the summer and fall, as well as evaluate fawn survival rates upon the conclusion of this winter.

Please be mindful that even as April and early May come and the snow melts and hills begin to green that deer are still energetically stressed from previous winter conditions and its effect on their bodies. Deer go into the winter with their groceries on their back in the form of fat — the less they are stressed and pushed around on the winter ranges, even during early spring, is an important factor in their survival and the health of their future offspring.





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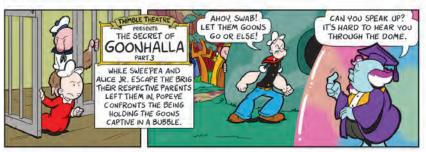
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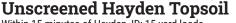
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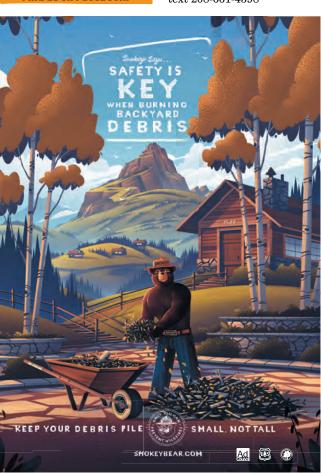
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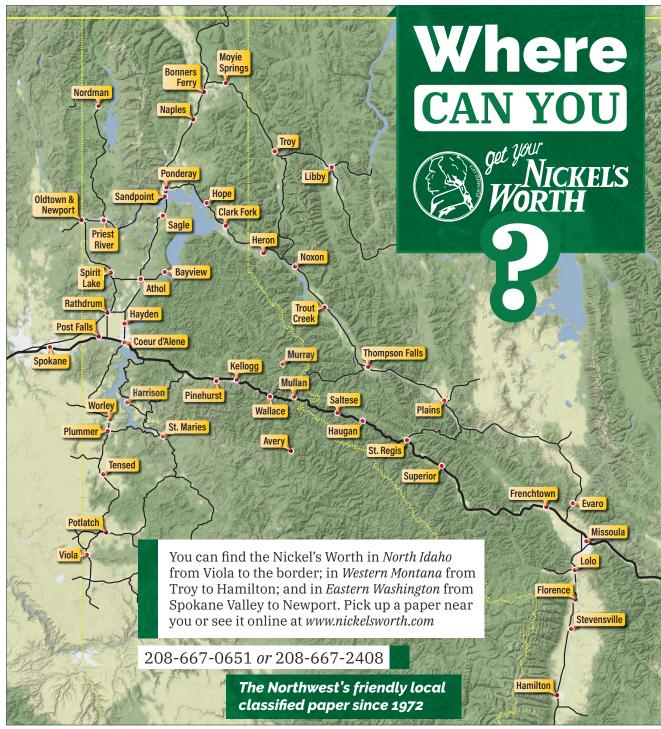
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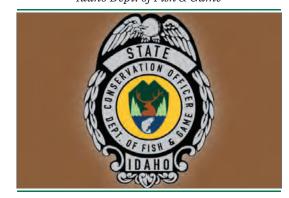
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#### **Illegal Possession Of A Bighorn Sheep Head Leads** To Big Fines And Penalties

– Idaho Dept. of Fish & Game –



On March 1, 2024, an Idaho resident was sentenced in a Kootenai County court for the unlawful possession of a bighorn sheep ram he claimed to have salvaged as a roadkill in Idaho. The offender was granted a withheld judgment and ordered to pay a \$10,000 Civil Penalty, \$1,307 in restitution for DNA processing, two years supervised probation and a two-year hunting license revocation.

The case originated in Fremont County where Idaho Fish and Game opened an investigation after the filing of a suspicious Roadkill Salvage Report of a bighorn sheep ram reported to have been picked up as a roadkill in Fremont County, Idaho. Under Idaho law, individuals may recover and keep wildlife species classified as upland birds, upland game animals, big game, furbearers and predators that may be lawfully hunted or trapped that have been killed by accidental vehicle collisions. Some of those animals, including big horn sheep, require inspection by Fish and Game staff after the salvage report. Montana's vehicle salvage law only allows for the salvage of deer, elk, moose and antelope, not bighorn sheep.

'The salvage rule in Idaho provides opportunity for individuals to recover and possess certain wildlife killed by accidental vehicle collisions so that parts of those animals can be utilized," says Upper Snake Regional Conservation Officer Barry Cummings. "Fortunately, we have seen very few individuals abusing the law and using it to unlawfully smuggle wildlife across the border as was done in this case."

With help from Montana Fish Wildlife and Parks and the Fremont County Sheriff's Office, investigators determined the offender had actually picked up the sheep's head near Ennis, Montana and not in Idaho. In an effort to pass off the salvage as legal, the offender took the sheep to the Fish and Game regional office in Coeur d' Alene, claimed it as an Idaho roadkill and falsified the mortality report.

"We place a high value on our wildlife resources in Idaho and our officers work tirelessly to protect them," says Cummings. "I do appreciate the court taking this case seriously and want to thank all of the agencies involved for their efforts."

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# Montana WILD Welcomed

Visitors In 2023 - Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks -

**Record Numbers Of** 

From the outside, Montana WILD looks like a quiet place, but inside staff and visitors are bustling with exploration and hands-on adventures.

2023 was one of the busiest years yet for Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks' education center on the west side of Helena. Take a look at some of the numbers:

- 17,000 drop-in visitors to the exhibit hall
- 5,500 students attending virtual field trips
- · 4,200 students with 119 school groups at the center for field trips
- 2,700 participants in 57 public programs, including bat walks and bird-banding stations

During 2023, Montana WILD updated its exhibit hall and offered new programs including telemetry, nature journaling, bear safety and wildlife yoga, which introduced young learners not only to animal biology and ecology but also to basic yoga

"We strive to keep things new and exciting for our visitors," said Montana WILD Program Manager Corie Bowditch.

FWP also offered new programming for school groups. Students not only learned about the Endangered Species Act, with a specific focus on the black-footed ferret, but also participated in programs focused on population ecology and the anatomy and physiology of mammals using skulls. Montana WILD's transportation grant allowed students to come from as far away as Malta and Eureka for a day of conservation education.

In 2024, Montana WILD hopes to expand its programming even more with the addition of an AmeriCorps member.

"We got to work with some amazing teachers and students last year," Bowditch said. "We look forward to collaborating more with our partner organizations and providing more opportunities to come to Montana WILD to learn and explore with us each day."

For more information and to see upcoming events at Montana WILD, go to fwp.mt.gov/ education/montana-wild.



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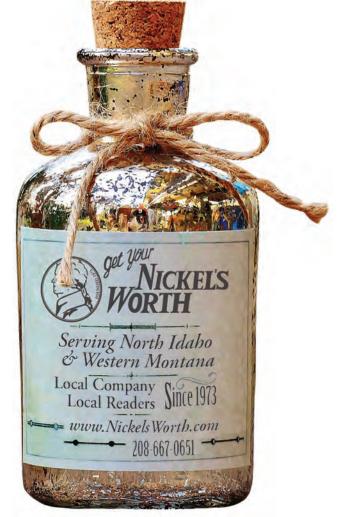
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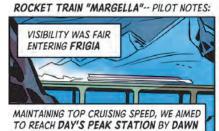
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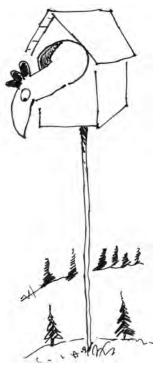


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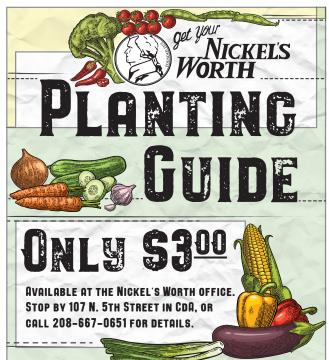
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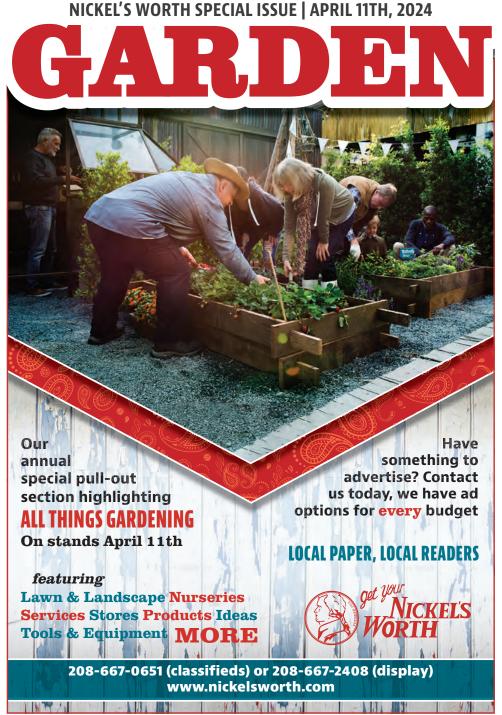
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- Residents of the Galapagos island of Floreana use a barrel of disorganized mail in place of a formal postal system. Tourists are responsible for sorting through the mail and grabbing any parcels they can deliver on the way to their destination.
- In curling, good sportsmanship and politeness are essential. Congratulating opponents on plays and abstaining from trash talk are part of what's known as the "Spirit of Curling."
- Apollo 17 astronaut Harrison Schmitt was allergic to moon dust.
- According to the record-holder for tallest waffle stack, Guinness World Records has a 40-page document defining what a waffle is. (Frankly, we think we could have managed it in just 30.)
- Alaska is simultaneously the westernmost and easternmost state.
- High schools and universities in New Zealand are allowed to keep up to a pound of uranium on the premises for educational purposes.
- Marie Curie's notebooks are still radioactive.
- In 2010, rock band Nickelback approached Dark Horse Brewery about having their beer featured in a video, which would have provided great exposure for the small Michigan company. They declined, however, as "none of us at the brewery really care for the band."
- The German version of the term "Average Joe" is Otto Normalverbraucher, which translates to "Otto normal consumer."
- An ordinance in Gainesville, GA, states that everyone must eat fried chicken, "a culinary delicacy sacred to this municipality, this county, this state, the Southland and this republic," with their hands. The tongue-in-cheek law began as a publicity stunt aimed at getting folks to think of Gainesville as the fried chicken capital of the world.
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— National Day Calendar —



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Do you remember as a small child the fun you had with dandelions? Well, these bright yellow flowers serve a purpose. Dandelions are a food source for insects and some birds. Humans eat young dandelion leaves and enjoy tea and wine made from the leaves and flowers. The Native Americans used dandelions to treat specific ailments. Nutritionally, dandelions contain a source of vitamin A and C, calcium, iron, and fiber.

Before using any weed as a food source, make sure it is correctly identified and free of herbicides and pesticides. Research the safe edible part of each weed and find useful cooking and preparation tips.

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- Take the day to learn some of the benefits of the plants, weeds, flora, and fauna around us.
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#### **National Weed Appreciation Day History**

Our research was unable to find the origin and the creator of National Weed Appreciation Day.

#### Weeds FAQ

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**Q.** I'm confused. Are weeds bad or good?

A. A weed is basically any plant that grows where it's not wanted. For example, if your vegetable garden is overrun with lambsquarter, it might be stealing nutrients from your tomatoes and onions. This prolific plant was once used to make lettuce salads or cooked and used as a replacement for spinach. And it still can be, but it's known more as a nuisance in the gardening world. Many other weeds have gained this reputation because they are unsightly and difficult to remove. They don't follow the rules of other plants that gardeners and farmers have found to make for successful planting.

**Q.** Is there a list somewhere that tells me what's a weed and what isn't?

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# National Pita Day March 29th

— National Day Calendar —



National Pita Day is on March 29 and celebrates the dipping, scooping, and wrapping of as many ingredients as we can think of into this delicious bread. We want everyone from around the globe to celebrate with National Day Calendar as we indulge in a prehistoric delight from the Middle East.

Pita has rich roots dating back about 2.4 million years ago during the Stone Age. Evidence shows the Natufian people in the region that is now Jordan, made a kind of flatbread from wild grains. However, unlike today's pita bread which forms a pocket, the ancient pita bread was thin and flat. The first actual mention of pita bread takes place around 1936. In recent years, pita bread has become very popular in the US and around the globe as a healthy alternative to bread.

#### What is pita?

Pita bread is a staple of modern-day Middle Eastern and Mediterranean cuisine. Pita is a circular double-leavened flatbread that originated in the Mediterranean, Middle East, and surrounding areas. Though there are plenty of variations that can

be made, pita is traditionally prepared with flour, water, baker's yeast, and salt. In addition, pita bread is naturally low in sugar and calories and is a rich source of protein and fiber.

Most pita bread is baked at high temperatures which steams the water in the dough, causing the pita to puff up and form a pocket. However, pita can also be baked without pockets and is often referred to as a "pocket-less pita."

#### **Ideas for Eating Pita Bread**

- As a bread alternative for any sandwich.
- A great "crust" for pizza.
- Toasted for a delicious addition to breakfast.
- As a side to accompany your hot soup or salad.
- · For dipping in hummus or tzatziki
- A baked pita cut into pieces makes a great chip.

Pita bread may have ancient beginnings in the Middle East, but it is no longer limited to that part of the world. In fact, popularity in the past few years has grown and restaurants and grocery stores now offer a variety of flavors and options.

#### 3 Ways to Eat Pita Bread

- 1. Meats: Steak, chicken, falafel, and lamb.
- 2. Dips: Baba ganoush, hummus, or tabbouleh
- 3. Sandwich: Chicken salad, fresh vegetable medley, tuna salad

#### **Origins Of National Pita Day**

National Pita Day on March 29 first appeared on social media in 2021. Since then, this food holiday is quickly gaining popularity that matches the popularity of bread. As of 2023, National Day Calendar has been unable to find the creator or founder of National Pita Day. Until we do, spend the day enjoying pita bread as a sandwich, dip, or side with soup. Remember to tag #NationalPitaDay when you post your pita bread creations on social media.



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# **Pets**

#### Pets of the Week: Kalani and Sullivan

— Better Together Animal Alliance —

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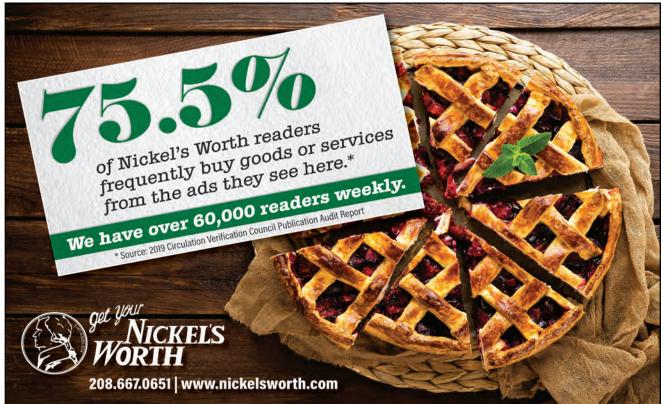
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#### Pets of the Week: Joe and Kaia

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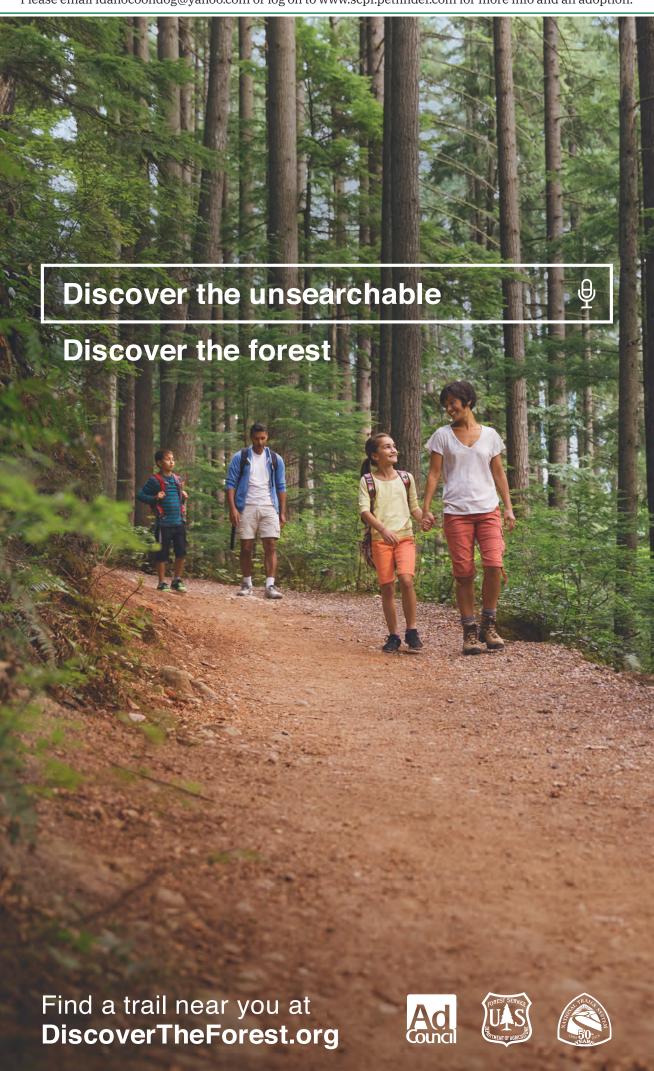
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# Weekly **SUDOKU**

#### by Linda Thistle

8		4					3	
5				4		9		7
	6		2		1			
		2			4	6		
3	8						5	
			1	7				3
		6		3		4		
	7		5					2
	3				8		1	

Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

#### DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: lacktriangle

◆ Moderate ◆◆ Challenging ♦ ♦ ♦ HOO BOY!

GRASS HAY----- \$270 TON 1ST CUTTING ALFALFA--- \$270 TON 2ND CUTTING ALFALFA - \$300 TON

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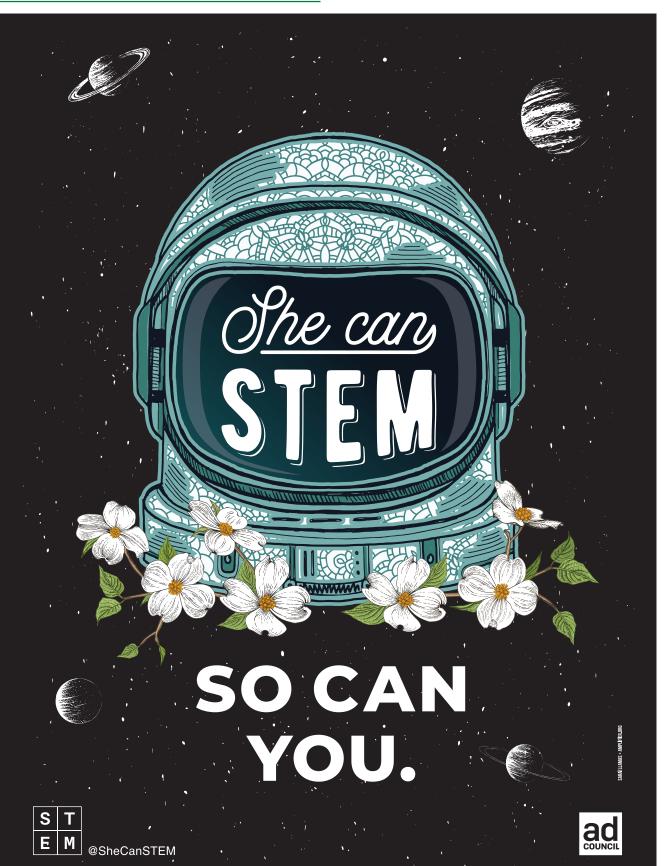
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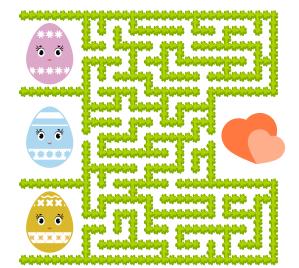


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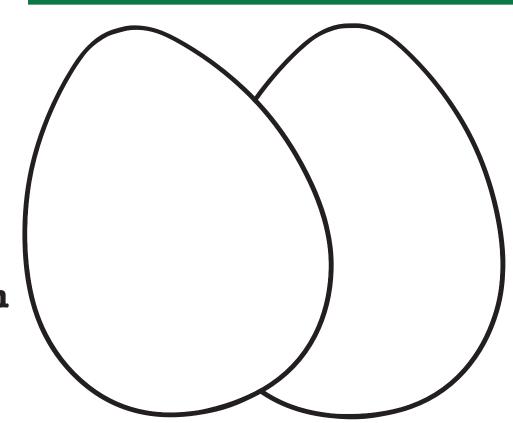
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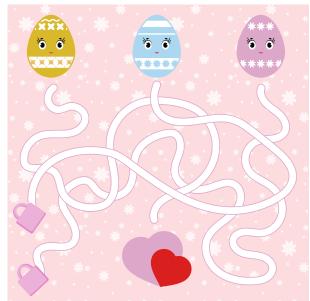




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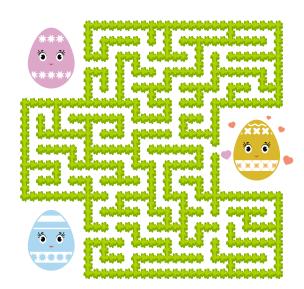


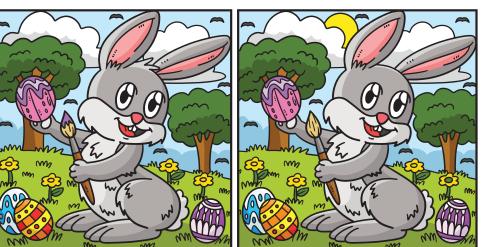
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# **Even Exchange**

1. Submit, Summit

- Guest, Quest
- Prude, Prune
- Yankee, Yanked
- 5. Braise. Bruise
- 6. Night, Fight
- 7. Lever, Level
- Teller, Taller
- 9. Alive, Alike
- 10. Saint. Stint

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1. Put forward	B	Pinnacle	$\_$ $\_$ $M$ $\_$ $\_$ $\_$
2. Visitor	G	Mission	Q
3. Stuffed shirt	D	Trim the shrubs	N _
4. New York player	E	Tugged	D
5. Simmer	A	Black-and-blue mark	U
6. Evening	N	Box	F
7. Machinery arm	R	Steamroll	L
8. Bank employee	_ E	More statuesque	_ A
9. Existing	V	Similar	K
10. Canonized one	_ A	Stretch of activity	_ T



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