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## Recognition Dinner for International Women's Day



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## International Women's Day Dinner Brings Awareness

March 8 is marked as International Women's Day which is a global day celebrating the social, economic, cultural and political achievements of women. The first International Women's Day gathering was in 1911 and was attended by well over a million people.

The day also marks a call to action for accelerating gender parity, says Kat Autenrieth, Regional Director of North American Brownfields Exploration for Kinross Gold USA, pictured directly below, second from left. Kat prepared a presentation on International Women's Day for various meetings and classes at RMGC. In an industry whose roles are mainly filled by men, deliberate or unconscious bias can make it difficult for women to move ahead. Kat explained that both men and women are bias and that we must not place blame, but work together to raise awareness of what women deal with on a regular basis. This affects some women more than others, in particular women in traditionally male roles, which is often seen in the mining industry.

To bring about awareness and change means to take action in the workplace. Kat urges people to notice situations that are biased and challenge what is being said. Listen to what women have to say about their experiences and believe them when they speak up about a biased situation. Other ways to support gender equality and acceptance is to stop gossip, harmful language and labels.

Kinross Round Mountain hosted a dinner on March 8 at Blitz Creek to honor and celebrate women in the mining industry. Pictured on this page and the next are women from our community enjoying the dinner at Blitz Creek Bar and Grill as well as enjoying the progress made towards eliminating gender bias.



## International Women's Day Dinner 2022













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## **Community Happenings**

## Sunnyside Historical Museum Open House

## Saturday, March 19 and April 16 from 10:00am-4:00pm

Located in Carvers, across from the RV Park.

> Take a walk back in time at the museum in Carvers—across from the RV park.



Come visit and have coffee and cookies!

For more information call Dianne at 775-346-0030 or Carol at 307-389-1704

Pictured left: Bobby Bottom, long-time Manhattan resident, in the old Round Mountain jail.

#### www.sunnysidemuseum-roundmountain.com



Sonja Miller at the Celtic Museum in Hessen, Germany, her home town area.

## **Community Champion**

This issue's Community Champion is Sonja Miller. Sonja is the principal of Round Mountain K-12 Schools. Sonja is originally from Germany, but has been in the US for 30 years. She began her education career as a special education teacher, then moved into administration. In 2017, Sonja and her husband Jim relocated to Round Mountain from Pahrump after falling in love with the area on a visit north. Since then, Sonja has dedicated herself to the school and the community. Sonja loves the closeness of this community. She loves the way people look out for each other here. She loves the seclusion of Smoky Valley and how little influence the outside world has on us. "Our kids have the rare opportunity to grow up with a freedom which no longer exists in other places," she said. One of the traits of the school culture that Sonja has been able to foster is a close relationship among staff, students and teachers. "Our teachers have the opportunity to really get to know their students and tailor instructions to individual students," she said. She is proud of the fact that staff and students are proactive in problem solving and care about their friends and each other. "I am extremely proud of our staff and students and feel very blessed to work with such amazing people," added Sonja. Looking ahead, Sonja said the school is working on ensuring our state rating reflects our growth. "It is my hope that parents and students will be proud of our school," she added. There are some projects in the far future that include improvements to our facilities. Next year's goal will focus on community and parent involvement. "With the input of our staff, students, and parents, we will take our school to the next level!"

## **RMHS J4NG Program**

Jobs for America's Graduates, or JAG, is a nationwide program created to mentor and support students to build a bright future. For over 40 years, JAG programs have been running in 39 states in the U.S.

In Nevada, the JAG programs are referred to as J4NG, or Jobs For Nevada's Graduates. Located within schools, J4NG identifies students whose grades have dropped, attendance declined, or they ran into disciplinary problems. With this extra support, 96% of J4NG students graduate from high school. Without J4NG, the aforementioned students' success would be in jeopardy.

In addition to identifying and mentoring students to acquire a high school diploma, J4NG is a gateway to career pathways. J4NG commits to following students for a year post high school, which is a very unique quality. The program introduces students to opportunities in full-time employment, trade school options, or full-time college. According to J4NG.org, the program costs under \$1,400 per students per year and provides a minimum of 120 contact hours per student per year.

Kinross Round Mountain saw the potential of the program in Round Mountain and funded its existence at Round Mountain High School 3 years ago. Currently, the J4NG coordinator at RMHS is Kenndra Larsen. Kenndra teaches life skills and career preparation skills. They explore skills from the importance of a firm handshake to career paths to applying for scholarships.

Students also get the opportunity to hear from guest speakers from a variety of vocations. Learning about career options opens up opportunities for the future. "We plan on hosting at least two guest speakers a month,' says Kenndra. So far this year the RHMS J4NG program has hosted several guest speakers, including Cale Dolan, Chase Diller, Samantha Faga and Nicole Silberschlag. Sam is the "go to" gal for the RMHS J4NG program, and Nicole spoke with the students about her path and how it lead to her career with Kinross. "It's important

me that to these kids hear outside voices on real life stories," said Kenndra. "Cookie cutter lives are not real thing, but hard work and perseverance are what pays off," she continued.



## Welcome Mat

**Phillip Mashale** joins Mobile Maintenance. Phillip is from Elko where he worked for Jerritt Canyon Gold, LLC.

**Jack Hosh** joins Security at Kinross Round Mountain. Jack is from Las Vegas and Tonopah and was previously employed by Nevada Department of Corrections. He loves cars, guns, and being outside.

**Sandra Cordova** joins the Daycare. Sandra is from Beatty where she worked for Motel 6. In her free time, she likes listening to music.

**Shelby Janz** also joins the Daycare. Shelby is from Battle Mountain where she was previously employed with Super 8. Shelby joins her father Todd Janz at RMGC. In her free time, she likes to read.

**Michael Smith** joins the ALPM Shop. Mike is from Dayton where he worked for Sierra Eco Systems. His hobbies include cornhole, card games, board games, and spending time with his family.

Kathlynn Farnsworth joins the Mine Department. Kat is from Reno and joins relative Terence Yeager at the mine. She was previously employed at Susanville Corrections and Northern Nevada Medical. Kat's hobbies include welding, off-roading, fishing, and horses.

**Zachary Nixon** joins the Mine Department. Zach is from Elko where he worked for Big O Tires. He joins relatives John Nixon, Josh Nixon, and Kay Dial. In his free time, Zach enjoys fishing, camping, and shooting.

Ace Green joins the Mine Department. Ace is from Nevada and was previously employed at Robinson Mine. Ace's hobbies include hunting, fishing, racing cars, his kids, sports and golf.

## Welcome to RMGC!





For Open Positions... Go to Kinross.com > go to careers > and create a login. Follow the prompts to access job postings and apply online. RMGC longer accepts paper applications.

## **Community Calendar**

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| Sunday  | Monday    | Tuesday   | Wednesday                                   | Thursday  | Friday  | Saturday  |
| <u>13</u>   | <u>14</u> | <u>15</u><br>Sr Bus to T-pah<br>@10AM<br>RM Town<br>Board Mtg @<br>SC | <u>16</u><br>STEM 4-5pm<br>RMPL<br>All ages | <u>17</u> | <u>18</u><br>Story Time<br>@RMPL<br>10-11am<br>Spanish Lessons<br>2pm for all ages<br>@RMPL                             | <u>19</u> |
| Mitchell Fleischer, DC<br>Chiropractic Care at<br>Round Mountain Health Clinic<br>Second Thursday of Every Month<br>Call 775-451-7325 for an appointment. |           |   | <u>23</u><br>STEM 4-5pm<br>RMPL<br>All ages | <u>24</u> | 25<br>Story Time<br>@RMPL<br>10-11am<br>Spanish Lessons<br>2pm for all ages   | <u>26</u> |
| <u>27</u>   | <u>28</u> | 29<br>Sr Bus to T-pah<br>@10AM<br>RM Town<br>Board Mtg @              | <u>30</u><br>STEM 4-5pm<br>RMPL<br>All ages | <u>31</u> | @RMPL<br><u>1</u><br>Story Time<br>@RMPL<br>10-11am<br>Spanish Lessons  | 2         |
| <u>3</u>  | <u>4</u>  | Sc<br>Sc<br>Senior Bus to<br>Tonopah @10AM                            | <u>6</u><br>STEM 4-5pm<br>RMPL<br>All ages  | Ζ         | 2pm for all ages<br>@RMPL<br><u>8</u><br>Story Time<br>@RMPL<br>10-11am<br>Spanish Lessons<br>2pm for all ages<br>@RMPL | <u>9</u>  |

(HFS) Hadley Fire Station (CAB) Carvers Ambulance Barn (KTH) Kingston Town Hall (SCG) Simpson Center Gym (SC) Simpson Center

Important Phone Numbers

Clinic 377-3267 \* RMHS 377-2690 \* RMES 377-2236 \* RM Library 377-2215 \* Simpson Center 377-1166 Chiropractor 775-451-7325 \* Senior Bus 346-0345 \* Nye County Sheriff 775-377-2488 \* Vet: 775-482-3399

### **Around the Community**



## Help Wanted

The Town of Round Mountain is accepting applications for seasonal lifeguards. Pay starts at \$12/hr with varying hours and days with no benefits. Under general supervision, enforces water safety regulations and oversees swimmers at swimming facility, promoting patron health, enjoyment and safety. Lifeguard applicants must have the ability to obtain certifications in American Red Cross Lifeguard Training, and first Aid/CPR and AED for the Professional Rescuer. Successful applicants must pass pre-employment drug screening and other required background checks. Applications and a copy of the job description may be obtained at the Round Mountain Town Hall, 100 Had-

ley Circle, Round Mountain, NV 89045. Open until all positions are filled. For more information, please call 775-377-2508. EOE.





## **NCSD** Announcement

#### DESTRUCTION OF OLD SPECIAL EDUCATION FILES

Nye County School District (NCSD) in compliance with the Federal guidance 34CFR 300.624 maintains Special Education records for a minimum of six years beyond the exit of a Special Education Student. The personally identifiable information collected, maintained and used by Special Education Support Services for students, who have exited in 2015, will be destroyed by April 1, 2022. If a former student or parent (for former students under age 18) with a release of information would like to access these records prior to their destruction, please contact Special Education Support Services at (775) 751-4015 by March 31, 2022.

## **Local Business Directory**

### Massage by Marilyn Green

#### 702-409-4024 Located in Hadley

Call or text for an appointment—flexible hours

\*Swedish, deep tissue, prenatal, geriatric, sports\*

Offering customizable massages to help you achieve the desired outcome for your body and health. Whether you are looking to ease muscle tension or relax your body and mind, massage is the perfect place to start.

NVLMT 6626

## **High Desert Gifts**

775-377-8260

#### Located at 38 Hadley Circle

#### Wed-Sat 10am-5:30pm

Gift baskets, fresh flowers, house plants, candles, melts, incense and so much more. We deliver!





#### Open Mon-Fri 4am-10am Sat-Sun 5am-2pm

775-346-0478

Pastries, custom desserts and cakes, breakfast sandwiches, biscuits and gravy, coffee and tea, iced and blended beverages.

## Blitz Creek Bar & Grill 775-377-1122

#### 10 Electrum Drive—Hadley

Your local spot for drinks, pizza, wings, fries, burgers, sand-



wiches, salads and more! Outdoor dining, corn hole, horseshoes—weather permitting.

#### Open 11am-7pm daily

New for 2022

The Valley View will now feature local business advertisements and announcements. Please reach out to rmnewsgal@gmail.com to be included in future issues.

MASSAGE

Integrative/Therapeutic Massage

(775) 771-7709

Hadley Plaza

KATHY QUAS, L.M.T. (NVMT 3712) Diana Hamblin Jeppsen Realtor® NV LIC.# S.0189792 Realty, Ltd. 290 W. Williams Avenue Fallon, NV 89406 www.berneyrealty.com Office (775) 423-4230 Fax (775) 423-6454 Toll Free (888) 305-8432

(310) 779-6004 diana@berneyrealty.com

Contact rmnewsgal@gmail.com if you'd like to have your business ad here!

## **Community Announcements**

#### Alcoholics Anonymous Meetings

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings are held every TUESDAY, FRIDAY, & SUNDAY at 6:30pm at 89 Hadley Circle. For more information contact Chip at 702-308-1428.

#### No to Abuse

#### Anger Management Classes

Nevada Outreach Training Organization/No To Abuse, located at 1120 Globemallow Lane in Tonopah, offers the following classes: *Nurturing Parenting*- Every Tuesday at 10:00am; *Family Peer Group*- Every 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 3:00pm; *Anger Management- Men's Group* Every Thursday at 10:00am; *Women's Group* Every Thursday at 12:00pm. For more information, please call 775-482-3016 between 10:00am—2:00pm.

## **Community Churches**

#### **Mountain Valley Church**

Mountain Valley Church is located at 89 Hadley Circle. Sunday services start at 10:30 and our services are on Facebook Live around 11. We also have a FOOD BANK for one and all. Call Clarice at 775-346-0480. We are a non-denominational church like no other. Come join us for love, laughter, and learning about our heavenly Father. For more information call Pastor Greg at 775-346-0528. Join us on Facebook and at www.mtnvalleychurch.com.

#### St. Barbara's Catholic Mission

Come join us at mass or communion service every Saturday at 5:30pm at 91 Hadley Circle. The number to St. Patrick's Church in Tonopah is 775-482-6746.

Homes & Land for Sale

Willow Creek ranch site. 80 fenced acres with

mountain stream, springs and meadow grass.

Incredible valley and mountain views. 30 minute drive from Hadley. Owner/licensee 702-804-

1000.

#### The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

Located at 7 Jefferson Drive in Carvers. Worship service is held every Sunday at 10:00 a.m. and Sunday School is at 11:15 a.m. All visitors are welcome. For more information contact President Michael Whit-

#### Kingston Village Baptist Church

Bible study at 9:30 a.m. and worship at 11:00 a.m. each Sunday morning with fellowship to follow. Everyone is welcome. For questions or further information, call 731 -445-0444.

#### **Desert Oasis Christian Center**

We invite you to join our family on Sunday morning as we connect with God and each other. Adult Sunday school begins at 9am. Our Worship service and children's service begin at 10:30am. Join us at 76 Hadley Circle, across from the General Store. For more information, call Gene Schwarz at 775-346-0336.

Grace Lutheran Church We invite you to share your faith. Services are the second and fourth Sundays of the month. Divine Services begin around 2:00-2:30 pm. depending on the weather. Call Earl at 775-346

## Classifieds

#### Homes For Rent/Lease

RV spaces available in Kingston on a monthly basis. Large spaces, quiet, and beautiful views. \$350/month. Call Robert at 775-501-1747.

Daily and Weekly Rental—fully furnished, must see to appreciate. Contact Jumping Jack Motel for availability/more info. 775-377-2566.

Carvers CONTRACTORS Rentals. Lower rates than you would imagine. Fully furnished and equipped with outside BBQ area, kitchen ware and linens. Daily, weekly, & monthly rentals. Utilities included are electric, propane, wifi and Dish Network and weekly maid service. For more info and rates, please call 775-699-6999 and ask for Mrs. Short.

#### For Sale

For Sale: 1965 Ford Mustang GT, 289 Engine, Auto transmission, air conditioning, vinyl top, excellent condition. \$25,000. Call 775-527-5119

#### PRICE REDUCTION

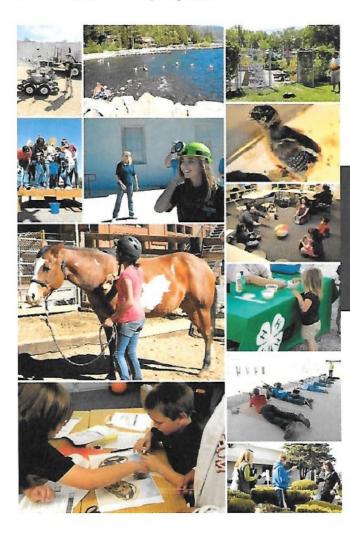
2004 Forest River 31 Ft Motorhome Class C. Arctic Package, One slide, large bed above driver, queen bed in back, sleeps 8 comfort-



### Northern Nye County 4-H

#### Calling everyone ages 5 to 19!

Do you want to learn how to build a robot, or a Mars Rover, or learn how to cook, or learn to write computer code? What about learning how to take care of animals? If you are willing to learn and have fun then check out our 4-H programs.



#### WHO CAN JOIN?

Youth, ages 5 to 19 as of January 1 of the current year, may join.

#### WHERE DO I SIGN UP?

Northern Nye County Extension Office is located at 1 Frankie Road (the old courthouse) Tonopah, Nevada. Contact Extension Educator, Misha Allen at 775-482-6794 or 4-H Coordinator, Carol Shilling at 307-389-1704.

#### WHAT IS THERE TO DO?

Members, age 9 to 19 select 4-H project(s) to explore through club and county activities. A wide range of projects and activities are available to choose from, including, but not limited to: shooting sports, robotics, rocketry, engineering, photography, cooking, sewing, gardening, small animal care such as: rabbits, poultry, dogs, cavy (guinea pigs), livestock care such as: sheep, goats, beef, horses. Cloverbud members, age 5 to 8 participate in noncompetitive activities exploring a wide range of fun and interesting projects.

#### WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

Members learn life skills, make new friends, enhance self-esteem, achieve personal goals, develop positive relationships with peers and volunteers, and have fun learning and sharing as a family and a club.

#### Misha Allen, N. Nye County Extension Educator 775-482-6794 or 541-272-9218 mishaa@unr.edu

Carol Shilling, N. Nye County 4-H Coordinator 307-389-1704 <u>cshilling@unr.edu</u> #1 Frankie Street (old courthouse), Tonopah, NV.

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## **TRM Easter Egg Hunt**

## Town of Round Mountain Annual Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup>

| 9:00 a.m.  | 12 and up year-olds at Hadley Park   |
|------------|--------------------------------------|
| 9:15 a.m.  | 9-11 year-olds on grass at Town Hall |
| 9:30 a.m.  | 6-8 year-olds at Little League Field |
| 9:45 a.m.  | 4-5 year-olds at Softball Field      |
| 10:00 a.m. | 1-3 year-olds at Gazebo Park         |
|            | in front of the Library              |

## For more information please call 775-377-1166

## **Arbor Day Celebration—Vendors Wanted**



Local teams



# DONKEY BASKETBALL

THURSDAY, MARCH 31 7PM HS GYM Tickets at the door: \$10 adults \$8 Grades 6-12 \$6 Grades K-5 4 and under free Concessions available at the FFA Snack Shack!