Chamber Of Commerce 714 Main St. P.O. Box 351 Ashton, Idaho 83420 (208)652-3355

Area Chamber of Commerce

Ashton Chamber of Commerce monthly meeting will be this Thursday, November 19th at noon at the Chamber office. Lunch will be provided by Frostop.

~ Attention all Veterans ~

You are cordially invited to the American Legion ~ Ashton Post 89 **Annual Veterans Day Dinner**

Where: Ashton Legion Hall - 686 Idaho St.

When: Friday, November 20th

Time: 6:00 p.m. Dress: Casual

> Please call if you are planning to attend so we can get a good count ' Julie Maurer, Post Adjutant – 346-2895

Community Christmas Program 2015

Sunday, December 13th NF High School Auditorium @ 6 PM

We are looking for classes, choirs, solos, duets, groups, families, dancers or anyone interested in performing.

Please contact us ASAP or BEFORE December 5th:



Katie Wynn @ 403-4770 or Leslee Wilson @ 801-529-6878





Quilts will be for sale at the Ashton Annual Spirit of Christmas Craft Show Saturday, December 5th from 10am-3pm.

All proceeds will go towards the Randy Palmer Family Fund to help with Christmas for the family. Your support is very appreciated!

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Call: Maria Altamirano (Owner) 208-569-2498 Cecilia Altamirano (Receptionist) 208-569-7286



Information deadline for the Newsletter is due by 8 AM on the Saturday prior to the first and third Tuesday of the month. Please email anything you would like posted to info@ashtonidaho.com or leave a message at 652-3355.

Member Spotlight:

About 7 years ago, Reverend Barbara Bunsold and Klara Varga Bainbridge saw a need for a food pantry in Ashton. They wanted it to be community based with the idea of all denominations helping, participating, and donating. Klara approached the City Council and Mayor at a City Council meeting about the idea and wondered where there was space available to have the Food Pantry. They offered the space in the upstairs of the Ashton Community Center, and it was a done deal. They made the Ashton Community Center home for the North Fremont Food Pantry. The North Fremont Food Pantry have received their non-profit status. They would like to shout out a big "Thank You" to the Grand Teton Relay, businesses, scouts, and individuals for their donations of time, energy, food, and money! The North Fremont Food Pantry distributes food every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month. You must have photo I.D. and can receive food once a month. The volunteers who run the North Fremont Food Pantry make up boxes ahead of time for a family of 2 or 4 which includes about \$35 of food and personal items for a family of 2 and about \$70 of food and personal items for a family of 4. The North Fremont Food Pantry serves 35-45 families. That is approximately 120 individuals per month. A challenge that continues for the North Fremont Food Pantry is knowing that there are many individuals or families out there that need food but don't utilize the North Fremont Food Pantry. They recently have seen a small increase of senior citizens, whom they are happy to help.

Last year the Idaho Food Bank came before Christmas time and brought extra food to distribute to those in need. Some of the volunteers noticed a greater need from some community members that don't regularly visit the food pantry. The North Fremont Food Pantry board would like to find a way to reach out to those in need and be able to help them. And as in any organization striving to help the community, volunteers are always needed on Wednesday nights when food is distributed and other times to sort and shelve the donated food. Funds are not as healthy right now and they are short on money to purchase turkeys this year. So anyone that would like to donate to the North Fremont Food Pantry, it would really be appreciated! Also, those wishing to donate canned foods and/or non-perishables can drop them off at Dave's Jubilee or at the Ashton Library. The North Fremont Food Pantry is made up of a board including: President—Freida Mirelez; Vice-President-John Blower; Secretary—Caroline Neubauer; Treasurer—Klara Varga Bainbridge; and board member at large—Bobbie Hibbert. They meet every 1st Tuesday of each month in the evening. Anyone wishing to help is welcome to attend. For questions please call Freida @ 403-8916. We as the Ashton Area Chamber of Com-

merce are thankful for the North Fremont Food Pantry and the service it provides for our community. We hope as the holiday season approaches that we can all be mindful of our neighbors and their possible needs at this time and throughout the winter months.



City of Ashton News



 City Building will be CLOSED Nov. 26 & 27 for Thanksgiving.



Winter Hours started November 9th. Come and enjoy some yummy Mexican food!

Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner

Mon.-Thurs. 11am-8pm Fri.-Sat. 9am-9pm

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FYI: Because of scheduling problems related to the holidays, the North Fremont Food Pantry will distribute food only once each month in November and December: on Wednesday, November 18 and on Wednesday, December 16 from 5:00-7:00 p.m. at the Ashton Community

Center. Clients must present a picture ID. For more information or for emergency situations, call Frieda, 403-8916, or John, 709-4717.



108 S. Hwy. 20—Ashton, ID (208)652-7771

Circle your calendars for Ashton's Spirit of Christmas, December 5th. Come celebrate the start of the holiday season with friends and neighbors...where you will find great shopping for unique arts and craft gifts. Ashton Community Center starting at 10am. Details coming!



Community Calendar

- Nov. 18—N.F. Food Pantry 5-7pm @Ashton Community Center. Picture ID required.
- Nov. 19—Chamber of Commerce Monthly Mtg.
- Nov. 19—School Board Meeting @ 7pm @ District office
- Nov. 26—Happy Thanksgiving!
- **The next newsletter will come out on **Nov. 17th.**Please have information to the Chamber by the Saturday before. Thank you!

We encourage all to continually support our Ashton Businesses!!



GO HUSKIES!!



Email info@ashtonidaho.com with your events time and description to get your event posted FREE! For more event details visit our on-line Community Calendar at www.ashtonidaho.com
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For to go orders or catering please contact Ryan at 313-0851