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Exhibition Game Sets the Stage for New Hockey Club



Havre Daily News/Colin Thompson

Saturday night (January 18), MSU-Northern hosted an exhibition game between Montana State University Bobcats hockey club and the University of Providence Argos hockey club in the Havre Ice Dome. The game was a fundraiser for Northern's new hockey club team, which will join the league next fall. "Our goal right now is to bring a competitive team to the ice for the 2020-2021 season in October," said Jeff Krissek, Northern's new head hockey coach. The packed house enjoyed some high-energy college level hockey and got to see the Lights hockey club's official uniform.

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One Man, Two Guvnors

January 24-25 & 30-31 and February 1 & 6-8



Out-of-work musician Francis Henshall becomes separately employed by two men – Roscoe Crabbe, a gangster, and Stanley Stubbers, an upper-class twit. Francis tries to keep the two from meeting--to avoid each of them learning about the other. Complicating events, Roscoe is really Rachel Crabbe in disguise, her twin brother Roscoe having been killed by her gangster boyfriend, Stanley. Complicating events still further is local mobster Charlie the Duck, who has arranged his daughter's engagement to Roscoe despite her preference for an amateur actor. Even further complications are prompted by several letters, a very heavy trunk, several unlucky audience volunteers, an extremely elderly waiter, and Francis' pursuit of his twin passions: Dolly (Charlie's feminist bookkeeper) and food.

All MSUN students, staff, and faculty get in free! Just show up at the door with a student ID and MAT will let you right in! Advanced tickets are available at Bear Paw Meats, the Computer Center or Fiveheads. Again, all that is needed is an ID!

[For paid tickets...](#)

ASN Students Participate in Nursing Olympics



Last Thursday, the Associate of Science in Nursing (ASN) Level I and Level II nursing students divided into teams and competed in the third annual MSU-Northern Nursing Olympics. The purpose of this event was to provide the nursing students with a fun, stress free way to practice their nursing skills before their clinical check offs.

The nursing students competed in several stations designed to test their nursing skills. These stations included making a bed, putting on personal protection equipment, applying ace wraps to knee injuries, the use of crutches, and a medication station.

The first two teams that correctly completed the stations with the fastest time won a Department of Nursing t-shirt from the MSU-Northern bookstore. The winners were: Cheyenne Wearley, Stephanie Moog, Chelsea Daniken, and Danielle Matonich.

MSU-Northern Receives Another \$100K for Stadium Project



MSU-Northern announced it recently received gifts from three different donors totaling \$100,000 toward Phase 1 of the Sports Complex project. Russell and Jennifer Keller gave \$50,000 toward the project. The Kellers are MSU-Northern alumni and former student athletes. The desire to give back and to pay it forward also motivated John and Sara Eisenbarth to contribute \$25,000. These gifts, as well as a \$25,000 commitment from D.A. Davidson, brings the fundraising total to nearly \$2.6 million in less than 1 year.

[Read more...](#)

A 90-Year Reflection on... The Northern Montana College Western Club

Image & Text by T. Welch – 2/22/2020

The Northern Montana College Western Club was a campus club in the 1960s and 1970s. It was a club that primarily supported the college rodeo team. Club members had jackets with a patch (see graphic) sewn onto the left front of the jackets. This patch was stitched by a business located in Lewistown, Montana.



Equal Pay for Equal Work Poster Contest

The Equal Pay for Equal Work Montana Task Force is pleased announce a statewide college campus poster contest highlighting 'The Next Generation of Equal Pay for Equal Work.'

This year is the 100th anniversary of the 19th amendment, which granted women the right to vote. Posters should express the importance of equal pay for equal work by showing how the last century has shaped women's roles in the workforce and/or articulate a vision for the next century of progress.

The contest is open to all college students enrolled at a Montana college or university January 7, 2020-February 17, 2020. Entries must be posted on the Equal Pay Task Force's Facebook page and a poll will determine the top three finalists. The task force will judge the finalists during their spring meeting on March 3, 2020, and a grand prizewinner will be selected. Finalists will receive a Visa gift card and the grand prize winner will be invited to the state capitol to have their poster signed by Governor Bullock.

[EPEW Poster contest guidelines...](#)



Important Announcements

2020 Census – Great Jobs Available

The 2020 Census is your chance to play a part in history! Temporary census positions offer the perfect opportunity to earn extra money while helping your community.

Most 2020 Census positions will last several weeks. They feature: competitive wages, weekly paychecks, flexible hours, and paid training. Their website provides details about the positions and the qualifications you'll need to apply.

Census outreach should be well underway by early March. In addition to the impacts above, the Census creates the opportunity for student jobs. With just one job application, you may be considered for one, some, or all of the 2020 Census positions. Which positions you are considered for depends on your answers to the application assessment questions and the availability of work in your area.

[For 2020 Census Jobs...](#)

Upcoming Major Events

90th Celebration Gala – Feb. 15



On February 15, 2020, The Northern Alumni Foundation is hosting a unique 90th Celebration Gala at a very special venue on the campus of MSUN, our Diesel Technology Center. At this event, we will be celebrating the past, present, and future of the University and will provide a unique experience in this stunning venue. With live music, games, raffles, photo booth, and silent auction items, this surely is to be the event of the year! Cocktail attire is requested.

[For Tickets...](#)

Founders' Excellence Award and Athletic Hall of Fame Nominations Due - Jan. 27

"The deadline to nominate deserving candidates for both the MSU-Northern Founders' Excellence Award and Athletic Hall of Fame is fast approaching! Email your nominations to shantel.cronk@msun.edu by Monday, January 27th. The Founders' Excellence Award honors individuals whose professional accomplishments, loyalty, and service have enhanced the development of Northern. The Hall of Fame recognizes players, managers, coaches, and other individuals who have made outstanding contributions to athletics. Visit the Foundation website for details, nomination forms, and to see lists of past award winners."

Founders' Excellence webpage:

<https://www.northernalumnifoundation.org/foundation/founders-excellence.html>

Athletic Hall of Fame webpage:

<https://www.northernalumnifoundation.org/foundation/athletic-hall-of-fame.html>

Little River Institute Open House - Jan. 30

The students and staff of the Little River Institute are hosting an Open House on Thursday, January 30, 2020 from 12:00 pm until 4:00 pm and invite the campus and community to the newly renovated space on the top floor of the Student Union Building. The renovations include a new elevator in the Student Union Building as well as a new tutoring room, the Sage Learning Lab, and a new student gathering space, the Sweetgrass Commons, which is the home to the Little River Institute peer mentors and Sweetgrass Society. The Little River Institute is a five-year \$1.9 million grant through the Native American Serving NonTribal Institutions (NASNTI) Program of the U.S. Department of Education intended to improve the retention and completion rates of American Indian students on the campus of MSU-Northern.

Cultural Lunch and Learns - Feb. 5, 12

The Little River Institute will once again host Cultural Lunch and Learns with Kishey Pisim Baker in February. A light lunch will be provided.

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Campus Calendar

Friday, January 24

- MAT presents: One Man, Two Guvnors - 8:00 PM

Saturday, January 25

- Lights Wrestling @ Tyler Plummer Classic
- Havre Chamber Arctic Games Ice Fishing - 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM
- Winter Family Fun Event - 2:00 PM - 4:30 PM
- MAT presents: One Man, Two Guvnors - 8:00 PM
- Library open 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Monday, January 27

- Founders Excellence Nominations Deadline
- Athletic Hall of Fame Nominations Deadline

Thursday, January 30

- Little River Open House - 12-4:00 PM
- MAT presents: One Man, Two Guvnors - 8:00 PM

Friday, January 31, 2020

- Skylights Basketball vs Lewis-Clark State College - 6:00 PM
- Lights Basketball vs Lewis-Clark State College - 8:00 PM
- MAT presents: One Man, Two Guvnors - 8:00 PM

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By: William Lanier

The History of our Northern Athletic Hall of Fame



Back in 1992, a committee comprised of a couple of the Northern Alumni Board began planning for a Northern Alumni Athletic Hall of Fame. The Northern Alumni Board approved this endeavor and the Northern Alumni Athletic Hall of Fame was born. In February of 1994 the first eight alumni were inducted.

Now 26 years and 81 members later, the Northern Athletic Hall of Fame is still recognizing the outstanding Northern alumni athletes. The only way that these Alumni Athletes get inducted is for them to have a nomination packet completed and submitted.

For more information on how to nominate an outstanding Northern Alumni and to see who is already in the Northern Athletic Hall of Fame please click on this link: <https://www.northernalumnifoundation.org/foundation/athletic-hall-of-fame.html>

In the southwest lobby of the Northern Gymnasium (across from the concession stand) is the Northern Athletic Hall of Fame display that has plaques for all the inductees.

In 1978, Joseph S. Wright was awarded the first Founder's Excellence Award. Since then there has been 103 additional recipients of this award. These too need to be nominated. Please click on the link to see the list of these recipients and for information on nominating a person for this award.

<https://www.northernalumnifoundation.org/foundation/founders-excellence.html>

If you want to nominate someone for either of these awards, please do not hesitate, as the deadline for this period is Monday, January 27th. If you would like more information, please contact Shantel Cronk at shantel.cronk@msun.edu or call (406) 265-3711.



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