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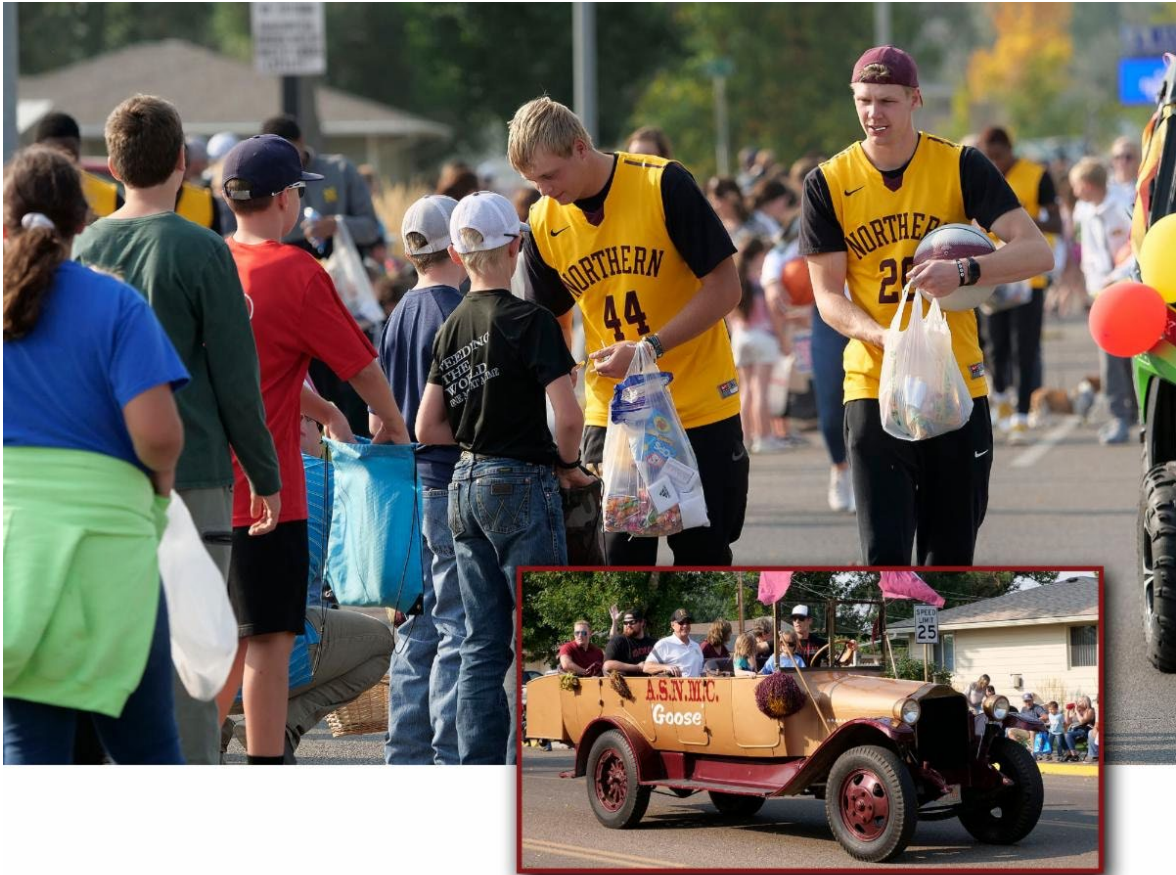
The Official Newsletter of MSU-Northern - September 24, 2021



MSUN - Quick Facts (Animated Video)

Learn some quick facts about Montana State University-Northern in this animated video!

Northern was All “N” the Festival Days Parade



Saturday morning thousands of people were on hand to enjoy the sunny day and to take part in Havre's Festival Days Parade. MSU-Northern was once again proud to be the parade sponsor. Many of MSU-Northern's clubs and sporting teams marched in the parade. It was an excellent precursor to Homecoming week

MSU-Northern Celebrates American Indian Heritage Week



MSU-Northern's Sweetgrass Society and Littler River Institute proudly stand inside one of the two Tipi's they set up to help the campus honor the American Indian Nations and their cultures. Selena Sandman-Wells demonstrates some of the indigenous beadwork at one of the beading sessions. It is important that we recognize and acknowledge that our beautiful Montana State University-Northern campus is located on the ancestral homelands of the Blackfeet Nation.

KNMC Rock Lotto



To celebrate 20 years back on the air, KNMC hosted a party on campus that included their annual Rock Lotto event. KNMC Rock Lotto is an event in which local musicians put their name in a hat and are randomly placed into bands for a one-time performance. The event took place last Saturday (September 18), as part of Havre's Festival Days celebration.

Homecoming Spirit Week



This past week, MSU-Northern has celebrated Homecoming Spirit Week which started with the festival days parade and ends tomorrow with the crowning of the homecoming king and queen during a half-time presentation at Saturday's home football game. The week has featured activities like American Indian Heritage Week, decorating contests, folf, bingo, bubble soccer, Northern trivia night, movie night, The Glow run, athletic activities and more. Stay tuned to next week's NNN for a highlight video on all of the week's activities.

MSU-Northern Honors Constitution Day



Constitution Day commemorates the formation and signing of the U.S. Constitution by thirty-nine brave men on September 17, 1787, recognizing all who are born in the U.S. or by naturalization, have become citizens. The MSU-Northern Library honored Constitution Day with free cookies and pocket-sized copies of the U.S. Constitution.

The Constitution of the United States of America is the supreme law of the United States. It is the foundation and source of the legal authority underlying the existence of the United States of America and the Federal Government of the United States. It provides the framework for the organization of the United States Government. The document defines the three main branches of the government: The legislative branch with a bicameral Congress, an executive branch led by the President, and a judicial branch headed by the Supreme Court. Besides providing for the organization of these branches, the Constitution outlines obligations of each office, as well as provides what powers each branch may exercise. It also reserves numerous rights for the individual states, thereby establishing the United States' federal system of government.

[Learn more...](#)

Last Chance to Vote for Homecoming King and Queen

Students, be sure to vote for your favorite homecoming couple. The polls will close today (Friday, Sept. 24) at noon. There are three ways you can access the voting site: 1) a link on the current student page (use your MyInfo User I.D. and Pin), 2) log into a lab computer, Internet Explorer will automatically launch and open to the ballot page, 3) a link on the web calendar event for those days. All students who have paid the activity fee are eligible to vote. The activity fee is paid by all students taking courses at the Havre campus & all student-teachers.



The 2021 Homecoming Candidates are: (top left to bottom right)

ASMSUN Senate – Abigail Morse escorted by Dylan Chvilicek

Ambassadors –Kaci Nicholson escorted by Noah McDermott

Nursing Club – Shania Neubauer and Ronald Chavez

Residence Hall Association – Anonda GoesAhead escorted by Bridger Beach

Residential Education – Janae Boles and Joh'kyreian (JK) Shealy

Student Family Residence Association – Abigail Ellison and Levi Keltner

Secondary Education Association – Peyton Kehr escorted by Mascio McCadney

Student Athlete Advisory Council (SAAC) – Morgan Mason escorted by Isaac Bartel

Healthy Living Advocates (HLA) – Ryley Kehr escorted by David Harris

Lights Football and Skylights Basketball – Sydney Hovde escorted by Spencer Kolody

Skills Club – Rachel Lindsay escorted by Kendall Barta

Post-Secondary Ag Students (PAS) - Tracey Reed escorted by Hunter Velk

Sweetgrass Society – Dulci Skunkcap escorted by August "Auggie" SpottedWolf

Business Professionals of America (BPA)- Erika Arnold escorted by Noah Newman

Mamma Mia Last Weekend



The Montana Actors' Theatre presentation of the live musical, "Mamma Mia" continues to delight audiences for one last week. This romantic comedy is based on the 2008 jukebox musical based on the songs of pop group ABBA. The plot follows a young bride-to-be who invites three men to her upcoming wedding, each one with the possibility of being her father.

[Click here for tickets...](#)

Northern Trivia Comes Alive



The Northern Alumni Foundation hosted a very successful and fun Homecoming Trivia Night at Old Station Brewery this past Wednesday. Eleven teams competed against each other and proved their trivia mastery in categories such as Northern facts, Montana & Havre history, cocktails, and hits of 1971! Thank you to Steve Neiffer and Old Station Brewery for allowing the Foundation to use their space, thank you to Bill Lanier who helped create Northern trivia questions, and thank you to everyone who turned out to play!

New @ the Library

Several bestsellers are now available for a 2-week checkout to Northern students, faculty, and staff. Come over and see which ones are available. You will find them on the shelves near the fireplace upstairs. We look forward to see you in the library!

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Parking for Saturday's Mamma Mia Matinee

There will be a football game running this Saturday during the Mamma Mia Matinee. People coming to that performance will need to park in the south parking lot

by the gym or down at the SUB as the parking lots near the theatre will be closed for tailgating parties. People needing handicap assistance will be given special access through the closed northwest road entrance to be dropped off along the north sidewalk. Cars will still need to be parked in the SUB or gym parking lot.

Hill County Health Department Recent Recommendations

The Hill County Health Department has provided the following instructions and guidelines to help limit the transmission of COVID-19 to others.

[Click here for more information....](#)

UPCOMING EVENTS

Counting Coup Free Concert – Tonight

Counting Coup will be playing a FREE CONCERT to celebrate Homecoming and American Indian Heritage week on Friday (Sept. 24) on the MSU-Northern Campus. They will play from 7-9 behind the Armory Gym in the Cowan Courtyard. The food trucks Chachi's Tacos and Streatery will be there serving food.

They are a western-blues-folk-rock group consisting of front man, Troy Falcon (bass/guitar/vocals), along with Toby Falcon (guitar/vocals), Brenden Fritzler (harmonica), and Matt Kuhl (drums). With a broad range of influences, we have many greats to look up to and will, unapologetically, throw in a cover or two amongst our originals. With captivating lyrics and melodies that truly capture the soul of the song, you can't help but connect with it," from their website <https://countingcoup.net/home>.

QPR Suicide Prevention Training - Sept. 28

QPR (Question, Persuade, and Refer) is an evidence-based training that teaches participants to recognize the warning signs of suicide and how to question, persuade, and refer someone to help. Similar to CPR, QPR is an emergency mental health intervention meant for anyone to learn skills to help save lives.

Two sessions are scheduled (you only need to attend one). Staff, Faculty, Students and community members are all welcome to attend. It is free, and you will receive a certification that is good for 2 years (similar to CPR). Tuesday September 28 3:00 – 5:00 PM. If you are interested in attending, please contact: amber.spring@msun.edu

TekNoXpo & ShowCASE – Oct. 7

Save the date for Northern's annual TekNoXpo! This event will take place on Thursday, October 7, 2021, at various locations around campus. TekNoXpo & ShowCASE introduces high school students to all that MSU-Northern has to offer in academics, ranging from graphic design projects, to diesel equipment operation, to interacting with livestock, and even working with simulated humans in the nursing lab, this event is very hands-on!

[Learn more...](#)

The Power of the Student Voice – Oct. 13

The second session of the Student Leadership Series will be Wednesday, October 13, at 5:00 pm, in the SUB Ballroom. Margaret Campbell and Paul Tuss will discuss “The Power of the Student Voice.” Both speakers come with a wealth of experience in leadership roles where the student voice was imperative. They will speak on how to communicate effectively so that student voices are heard at the administrative level – whether that be on campus, in the community, at the Office of the Commissioner of Higher Education, Senators, Representatives, or the Governor’s Office.

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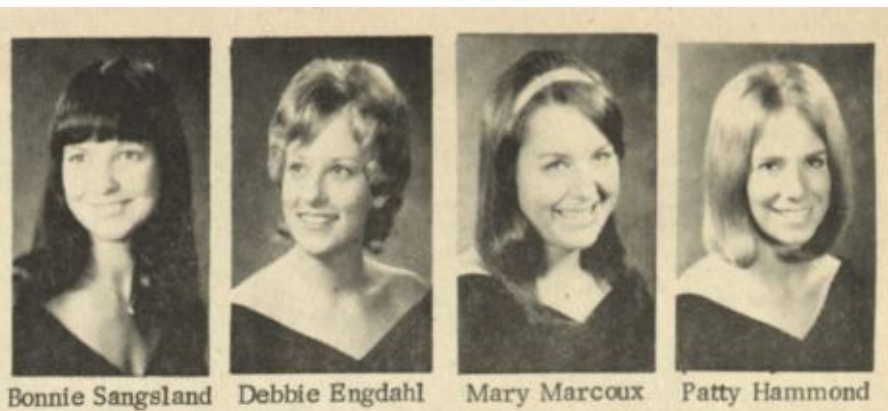
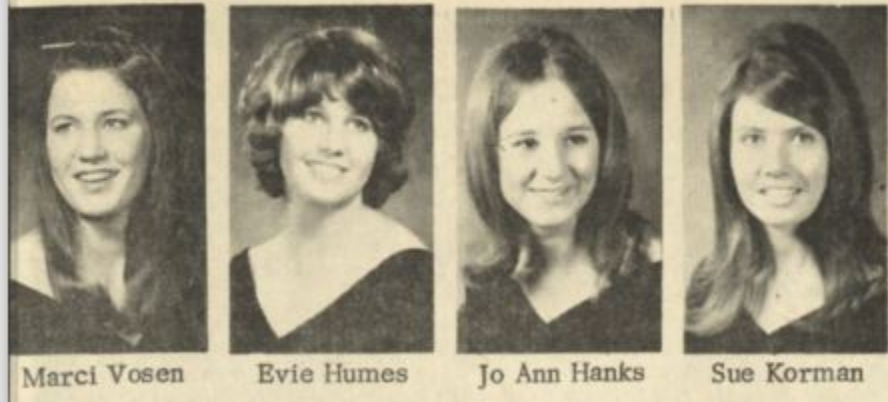
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Tidbit Time Machine Fall 1971

In conjunction with Homecoming 2021, let's go back 50 years and check out what NMC Homecoming was like in 1971.

There were 8 candidates for Homecoming Queen and from of the Wednesday, October 27, 1971, edition of the NoMoCo here are those candidates;



On Thursday, October 28, prior to the Jimmy Webb concert at the Armory Gymnasium, Sue Korman was crowned Homecoming Queen. Sue was a sophomore elementary education major from Saco, Montana. Here is her official portrait from the **Northerner** Yearbook!

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Sue Korman



There were multiple other events going on that week and here is clip of the events that week that was published in the Wednesday, October 13, 1971, edition of the NoMoCo:

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:
Thursday, October 28 --
7:30--Crowning of Homecoming Queen
8:00 -- Jimmy Webb Concert
Following Jimmy Webb Concert-NON-GRUEB dance in the SUB.
Friday, October 29 --
Dusk -- dummy burning behind Math-Science Building followed by the Snake Dance to Buttreys, Grubb dance in Sub.
Saturday, October 30 --
10--Parade (see notes of interest)
1:30 -- Northern Lights vs. Rocky Mountain Bears
4:30 -- Mini-concert in SUB presented by the Northern Sons.

In case you were wondering about the football game, the Northern Lights were leading Rocky Mountain College 16-2 in the final quarter but ended up with a tie of 16-16.

Going back the to the Jimmy Webb concert. That name may sound familiar to many as he is the songwriter for "Up, Up, and Away" that was a hit in 1967 for The 5th Dimension. In which he received a Grammy Award. Jimmy also wrote three of Glen Campbells's biggest hits, "By the Time I Get to Phoenix", "Wichita Lineman," and "Galveston." In 1986 Jimmy Webb was inducted into the Songwriters Hall of Fame and in 1990 he was inducted into the Nashville Songwriters Hall of Fame.

Thank you to the MSU-Northern Vande Bogart Library and their web page <https://www.msun.edu/library/> that has links to old NoMoCo and Northern Light newspapers from 1933 - 2007 and Northerner Yearbooks from 1953 – 2007.

If you have any questions comments on this or ideas for future NNN TidBits, please e-mail me at wjlanier1963@yahoo.com

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