

The Official Newsletter of MSU-Northern - September 27, 2019

GIFTS BUILD MOMENTUM FOR MSU-NORTHERN STADIUM PROJECT

MSU-Northern announced it has received \$250,000 in new support of its stadium project, just one week after announcing two gifts totaling \$550,000.



Come to the official announcement of the football stadium project this Saturday February 28, before the football game.

Read more...

MSU-Northern Big Sky Region Rodeo



The MSU-Northern rodeo team hosted its annual MSU-Northern Big Sky Region Rodeo last weekend in the Bigger Better Barn at the Great Northern Fairgrounds. MSU-Northern went up against all of the colleges and Universities in the state who have rodeo programs and did an outstanding job. Way to go Rodeo Team, you make Northern Proud!

Campus Cuts the Cake to Celebrate 90th Birthdate



On Tuesday, September 24, MSU-Northern cut the cake to celebrate 90 years since the first day of class. For more information on our world, 90 years ago check out this week's TidBit.

Click Here to see the story KRTV did on our 90th.

Festival Days Parade



Last weekend was the 39th annual Havre Festival Days Parade. MSU-Northern was honored to once again host this outstanding community event. The parade played an important part in helping Northern and the community celebrate Northern's 90th year.

KNMC Rock Lotto Was a Huge Success



KNMC's Fourth Annual Rock Lotto took place last Saturday, September 21. Rock Lotto is an event where local musicians put their name in a drawing

to be randomly placed into bands for a one-time only performance. This year, over 35 musicians signed up to create seven unique lotto bands with musicians from Havre, Chinook, and Fort Benton.

American Indian Heritage Week



The Little River Institute, in collaboration with the Sweetgrass Society, and the TRiO Student Support Services program, organized several events on the MSU-Northern campus this past week in honor of American Indian Heritage Week.

The week began with the annual TiPi raisings. This year Dustin Weatherwax of Browning shared the Blackfeet tipi with us. Thomas Champagne of Fort Belknap and Havre shared the Aaniiih (Gros Ventre) tipi with us. The Sweetgrass Society provided the third tipi. The campus welcomed the Nakoda (Assiniboine) women to share their culture with us. In addition, people wore purple on Tuesday, September 24, for Suicide Prevention Awareness, an issue that they have chosen to be a focus of their organization this year.

Click here to see KRTV's story on American Indian Heritage Week

Is This An Interview Or A Date?

By: Mary Heller Career Center



Three local employers came to Northern on Wednesday, September 25, to provide advice and tips on how students can prepare themselves for a successful interview. Anthony Cammon, with State Farm, Joe Ross with Cavalier's Clothing, and Megan Hammon with Maurice's were guest speakers invited by the Career Center for the luncheon event held in the SUB Ballroom.

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PAS Club Highway Clean-up



Each year the MSU-Northern Professional Agricultural Student club (PAS) picks up the trash from mile marker 5 to 7. Last Thursday they conducted their annual highway clean-up campaign. This is just another example of MSU-Northern students stepping up to help our community.

Student Central Retains the Door Prize for a Second Year

Student Central has once again taken the top prize in the competitive Northern Homecoming Door Decorating Contest. In a rousing show of spirit, they placed a large balloon arch outside their main entryway – a clear display of a portal to another time. When one steps through the portal, their breath is taken away, they ponder "which decade am I in?" as they look around them at the lifelike replica of MSUN's very own Goose automobile and the old jerseys taped to the portraits on the wall. At least, this is what one has to assume went through



the judges minds when they awarded Student Central a perfect score in every category. In an astonishing show of impartiality, the ambassadors forgot their ties to the department that employed them when they awarded Student Central the top prize for the second year running. Congrats Student Central!

Last Chance to Vote for Your Homecoming Court

Today is your last chance to vote for your Homecoming King and Queen. **There are three ways you can access the voting site:**

1) A link on the Current Student page (use your NetID and password)

2) Log into a lab computer and follow the link in the browser window that opens

3) Use the link on the web campus events calendar

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.

Check out the candidates at http://www.msun.edu/stuorgs/asmsun/elections/hcFall2019.aspx

Upcoming Major Events

Chippewa Cree Flag Presentation – Sept. 27 (Update: POSTPONED until November)

In honor of the official American Indian Heritage Day, you are invited to participate in a presentation of the Chippewa Cree flag to MSU-Northern at the Vande Bogart Library on Friday, September 27, at 1:00 p.m. Merle Tendoy, an elder, will share the meaning of the tribal seal with a drum group. Light refreshments will be served.

Homecoming Car Show – Sept 28

MSU-Northern is premiering a Homecoming car show on the Saturday (Sept. 28) of Homecoming Weekend, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Northern's campus. They will even be providing rides in the Golden Goose. The car show will be open and free to the viewing public. The charge for people to show their vehicle at the event is \$10 for pre-registration through Friday, Sept. 27, and \$15 at the event.

Proceeds collected from the car show will go toward automotive scholarships for two or three students. People can register with Northern automotive and diesel technology Professor Kevin Ruby at <u>kevin.ruby@musn.edu</u>.

Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks Q & A for Northern Students- Sept. 30

Montana FWP will be doing a presentation along with a Q&A session about licensing, regulations and access opportunities pertaining to hunting and fishing in the area. The presentation begins at 7:30 p.m. Monday, September 30 in the Morgan Hall Lounge.

EmpowerMontana: Building A Climate of Respect and Inclusion Leadership Workshop -Oct. 5

The EmpowerMT workshops help participants to become leaders by deepening self-awareness and setting a hopeful and positive tone that builds community. The workshop focuses on identifying our own cultural lenses and

how they impact us, better understanding of others, and building a shared language and foundation of understanding.

The workshop is Saturday, October 5, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. in Donaldson Commons. Lunch will be provided.

Click Here For more information or to register, visit

Campus Calendar

Friday, September 27

- Northern Rodeo @ UM-Western
- Homecoming and Student Senate Elections 12:00 AM 4:00 PM
- Cree Flag Presentation in the Library 1:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 28

- Northern Cross Country Battle of the Border
- Northern Rodeo @ UM-Western
- Homecoming Car Show 9:00 AM 1:00 PM
- Lights Football vs Montana Tech 1:00 PM
- Skylight Volleyball @ Carroll College 1:00 PM

Sunday, September 29

Northern Rodeo @ UM-Western

Monday, September 30

Northern Golf @ Lewis-Clark State College

Tuesday, October 01

Northern Golf @ Lewis-Clark State College

Friday, October 04

TidBit

By: William Lanier

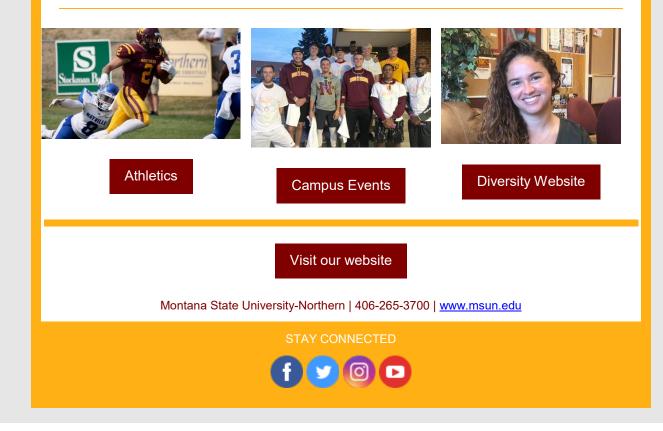
Skylight Volleyball vs Rocky Mountain College

MSU-NORTHERN A Look at Our World 90 Years Ago

This week marks the 90th anniversary of classes beginning at Northern. As you will notice in several other articles in this week's NNN, this indeed is a monumental occasion that is being celebrated across the campus. Please bear with me this week as we go back in time to see the beginnings of Northern. Originally established as "Northern Montana Agricultural and Manual Training School" opened in 1929 as "Northern Montana School." In 1931 the name was changed to "Northern Montana College" and then in became Montana State University-Northern in 1994.

Read more...

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