

Northern Network News



The Official Newsletter For MSU-Northern

Sept 24, 2010

Festival Days Parade



Once again MSU-Northern was the official sponsor for the Havre Festival Days Parade. Despite the wet and chilly weather, 14 campus clubs, organizations and athletic teams came together to participate in this year's parade.

Webcast of Football Game



Saturday's home football game (Sept. 25) will be Northern's first game to be simulcast live over the web. The game starts at 12:00 noon and can be watched over the following link: <http://www.msun.edu/athletics/webcasts.htm>. You can also click on the MSUN video icon on the Athletic page on Northern's website.

Alumni Association Scholarship Social & Auction

Hit the Jackpot with Northern this Saturday night at the Alumni Social & Auction. It's not too late to get your tickets by calling 265-3711 or get them at the door. This year's auction features over 100 items donated by generous businesses and individuals in Havre and the surrounding area. The fun starts at 6pm in the Student Union Building!

Recycling Facts & Tips

A used aluminum can is recycled and back on the grocery shelf as a new can, in as little as 60 days. That's closed loop recycling at its finest!

Upcoming Events

Sept. 24

MSUN Rodeo @ Miles City
Community College Rodeo

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Homecoming Nomination
Forms due by 5pm

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Skylights Volleyball vs. Lewis-
Clark State College

8:00 PM - 10:00 PM
Montana Actors Theatre
presents: The Diary of Anne
Frank

Sept. 25

MSUN Rodeo @ Miles City
Community College Rodeo

12:00 PM - 3:00 PM
Lights Football vs Rocky
Mountain College (WATCH
ONLINE!)

5:00 PM - 6:30 PM
Skylights Volleyball vs
Westminster College

6:00 PM - 11:55 PM
Northern Alumni Association
Scholarship Social & Auction

8:00 PM - 10:00 PM
Montana Actors Theatre
presents: The Diary of Anne
Frank

Larry Romo Visits Campus



Larry Romo, U.S. Director of Selective Service and Alum of MSU-Northern was on campus Wednesday to meet with Northern's administration and speak to two education classes. During his speech he talked about the advantage of attending a small college and how that made a huge difference in his life. He stressed the importance of leadership and good communication at all levels. He helped them to understand that it is not about the individual it's about the team.

Flu Shots

Students can start to receive flu shots on Oct. 4th in the Student Health Services Office in the SUB on Monday-Thursday 9:00-3:00. The cost is \$15.00/student (if you go to the health department it will cost you \$25). All Northern students are welcome to take advantage of this service. This is not available to family members.

For more information call Jamie 265-3599

New Assistant Registrar



Alisha Schroeder is the new Assistant Registrar. Schroeder has a Bachelor's Degree in Business Communications with additional studies in Computer Technologies. In previous employment, she worked at Northern Montana Hospital in the Billing Department. Alisha also worked as the Team Leader for the Student Assistance Foundation in Helena. In other employment, she was a Financial Aid Specialist and a Student Accounts Specialist at UM Western.

Northern Helps United Way

Attention Northern Campus Community! United Way of Hill County would like to encourage you to donate to this year's campaign. Northern's goal this year is \$10,000. The overall goal for United Way in Havre is over \$100,000.

Donation forms will be placed in faculty and staff mailboxes, and the option for a payroll deduction will be available. All funds donated within Hill County stay in Hill County and help support the Agencies that help those within our

Sept. 27

6:00 PM
Folf

Sept. 28

Start Time 8:00 AM
Homecoming & Student
Senate Elections

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM
Painting of the "Hello Walk"

4:30 PM - 6:30 PM
Campus BBQ for Homecoming
Week

6:00 PM
Folf

6:00 PM
Wall Climbing

Sept. 29

Homecoming & Student
Senate Elections

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Homecoming Candidate Bowl

Sept. 30

End Time 3:00 PM
Homecoming & Student
Senate Elections

5:00 PM - 5:30 PM
Homecoming "Pie the
Homecoming Candidates"

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM
Intramural (Co-ed) Volleyball
Captains Meeting

Oct. 1

MSUN Rodeo @ UM-Western

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Intramural (Co-ed) Volleyball
Rosters Due

7:00 PM - 8:30 PM
Skylights Volleyball @ Rocky
Mountain College

Oct. 2

MSUN Rodeo @ UM-Western

1:00 PM - 4:00 PM
HOMECOMING: Lights
Football vs. Carroll College

community. If you would like to donate to a specific agency, feel free to do so. Otherwise, your donation will be divided amongst all 12 agencies (Kitty Keepers, the 13th is the only agency that must be designated).

This year Norton Pease (who has also had his head shaved for the cause) is once again offering his scalp as an incentive. The largest donor from the University will have the honor of shaving his head bald on Nov. 18th- in celebration of this historic event. If you have any further questions regarding United Way of Hill County or the agencies it serves please contact Norton Pease, Spike Magelssen, or visit <http://helphillcounty.org>.

Drop Deadline

The last day to drop with a "W" for first half-semester courses is Wednesday, September 29th.

Empty Tea Pots Event

MSU-Northern's business students partnered with the college's art department to participate in the 1st annual Empty Tea Pots event. MSU-Northern students created custom tea pots in a variety of shapes and sizes. Event attendees made donations for the various tea pots during Festival Days and the money was given to the Havre Community Food Bank. The event raised \$934.

Planning For Your Future

Live Beyond Your Years.
Live and Give Within Your Means.

We seldom neglect the important things in life. One of the important things is preparing a will or estate plan. Statistics suggest more than half of all American adults do not have a will or any type of formal estate plan. This is equally true for multimillionaires as it is for those with less means. An estate plan costs so little to make, there is really no good reason not to have one. One of the best motivators for making a will is a desire to help your favorite charitable cause. With just a few words, you can take care of your family, your friends and the causes that are important to you. By doing this, you ensure a legacy so your passion for good work continues well beyond your lifetime.

This year has been an especially difficult one for many of us. Perhaps you are among those who have not given to your favorite causes as much as you would have liked. A will is an excellent way to give without giving anything away today! By including a charitable cause in your will, you can make an excellent gift knowing that you can live your life without sacrificing anything. If you have already included our mission in your will, please let us know. We want to honor you for your decision and let you know how much we appreciate you. You don't have to give us the details, but we can help you ensure your wording makes it possible for your wishes to be followed. Whether we have been in your plans for decades or you are considering writing or rewriting your plans now, please let us know. We want to help you accomplish your goals and wishes. Just as importantly, we want to honor and thank you for your generous decision. As the year ends and a new one begins, use this time to make sure you have secured your legacy for your family, friends and for yourself. Call the Northern Foundation at 265-3711 for more information.

Banned Book Week

Do You Read Banned Books? What is the best book that you have read during the past year? Did you encourage your friends to read that book? Did you know that people tried to ban many books during the last year- tried

(WATCH ONLINE!)

2:00 PM - 3:30 PM
Skylights Volleyball @ Carroll
College

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
Homecoming BBQ & Concert

to deny other people the opportunity to read those books?

Sept. 25-Oct. 2 is Banned Book Week (BBW). During this week we will be celebrating our rights to read and think for ourselves. For more information about BBW, visit the Library's web page (<http://msun.edu/infotech/library/>). Join the library staff on Thursday, Sept. 30th from 2:30-5:00 PM for the chance to browse through many of these challenged books and to enjoy some cookies. You may find a new "best" book!

Adjunct Faculty Needed

MSU-Northern seeks adjunct faculty for the 2010-2011 academic year for the Havre, Lewistown, and Great Falls campuses. Openings (including online) may be available in the following areas:

- HVAC-Sheet Metal
- Carpentry
- Business
- Education
- Nursing
- Arts & Sciences

To apply please submit a cover letter, resume, three professional references, and the MSUN Adjunct Employment Application. Applications are also available in the MSUN HR Office at P.O. Box 7751, Havre, MT 59501, 406-265-4147.



It's time to cheer on our Northern Lights against Carroll College! Homecoming weekend is for all Alumni, Friends, and Fans of Northern to reconnect and have lots of fun. We have everything from an Early Bird Golf Tournament to a Post-Game Party at the Chancellor's. Check out our website at www.msun.edu/alumni for full details of the weekend's events and to register.

Homecoming Week Activities

MSU-Northern 2010 Homecoming will be October 2, 2010. The Lights will be "taking on" Carroll College at the Blue Pony Stadium. Students may attend the game free of charge with a current MSUN ID. All MSU-Northern Clubs and Organizations are encouraged to nominate a Homecoming King & Queen candidate. The deadline for nomination forms is September 24th at 5pm. Please pick up and return your completed forms to the Student Union Building Information Desk. There will also be a mandatory candidate meeting on September 24th at 5pm in the SUB Fireside Lounge to go over the election rules.

Monday, September 27-28 - Int/Rec Folf Tourney @ 6 p.m.
(meet at the SUB)

Tuesday, September 28-30 - Elections (on-line)

Tuesday, September 28 - 1 p.m. - Hello Walk Painting

Tuesday, September 28 - 4:30 p.m. - BBQ (Dining Hall)

Tuesday, September 28 - 6 p.m. - Wall Climbing (Weight Room)

Wednesday, September 29 - 7 p.m. - Candidate Bowl (Pin-n-Cue)

Thursday, September 30 - 5 p.m. - Pie the Candidates (SUB Lawn)

Friday, October 1 - Dusk - Homecoming Bonfire
(Physical Plant Parking Lot-weather permitting)

Saturday, October 2 - 1 p.m. -Lights Football vs. Carroll College
(Blue Pony Stadium)

Saturday, October 2 - ½ time coronation
Saturday, October 2 - 5 p.m. - Homecoming BBQ & Concert with
"Electric Ranch" (SUB Lawn or Ballroom-depending on weather)

The Diary of Anne Frank



Back by popular demand the Montana Actors Theatre is pleased to present The Diary of Anne Frank. This moving production written by Frances Goodrich and Albert Hackett is well worth seeing. Shows are Sept. 23-25 Oct. 7-9 at 8:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10/adult \$8/student or Senior Citizens. MSUN students are free with a current student I.D.

Job Openings at Northern

Below is a partial listing of positions open at Northern:

- Instructor, Health and Physical Education
- Assistant Professor of Psychology
- Admissions Specialist (10 month position)
- Admissions Specialist (12 month position)
- Dean of Education, Arts & Sciences, and Nursing
- Adjunct Instructors

For complete vacancy listings see www.msun.edu/hr/employment.htm

Computer Corner

By Marianne Hoppe

Microsoft Office Tip: A new use for the mouse wheel in Office 2007 and 2010

If you're using Office 2007 or Office 2010, there's a mouse wheel trick you might not be aware of: you can move through the tabs using your mouse wheel. Hover the mouse over the Office button or one of the tabs. Then slowly roll your mouse wheel.

- Roll the wheel back to browse to the right.
- Roll the wheel forward to browse to the left.

Ok, "Big deal" you think... but this new behavior grows on you. It's an almost no-effort way to take a quick peek at the options on each tab. Use it when you're looking for something and can't remember what tab it's on. It's more efficient than clicking each tab!

Neither the Office button in 2007 nor the File tab in 2010 is in the cycle. You must click those to access their features and options.

TidBit

by: Bill Lanier

Currently on the Northern Alumni Board of Directors we have an individual that has been affiliated with Northern for more than 60 years (approximately 75% of the time Northern has existed). This individual graduated from Northern in 1951 when Northern was only a two year school and still a few years from gaining status as a four year institution. There are only four current buildings that were on campus when he was going to school, Pershing Hall, Donaldson Hall, Metals Tech and Cowan Hall was in the process of being built. In fact Northern's very first President, Dr. G.H. Vande Bogart, was still at the helm and the President of the United States was Harry S. Truman when he started school at Northern Montana College. This individual is Mr. Bob Boettcher. Thanks Bob for all you have done for Northern. To meet Bob Boettcher and other members of the Northern Alumni Board, please attend the Northern Alumni Association Scholarship Social & Auction on Saturday September 25, 2010 at 7:00 pm in the Student Union Building.

The answer to last week's trivia quiz is: Cowan Hall.