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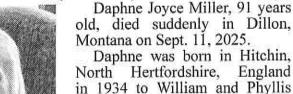
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#### Death Notice Adele Rouse ~ 102 Yrs Od

October 24, 1923 ~ October 27, 2025 Obit to follow

#### Daphne Joyce Miller

(1934-2025)



Shepherd.

She had one sibling, her sister Pearl. Her father served in the Army and her mother ran an inn/ boarding house. Her mother never learned how to drive a car but she flew a plane to deliver the mail



during WWII.

Daphne did very well in school. She was awarded a partial scholarship to attend medical school but her family couldn't afford the remaining costs, so she had to decline.

After high school Daphne worked as a farm harvester and

candy factory worker.

Daphne met the love of her life, Roy Miller, at the NCO club at the RAF Sculthorpe in Norfolk, England and about a year later they were married June 5, 1956 (Unindependence Day) in Kettering, Northamptonshire, England.

Daphne and Roy had 5 boys: Karl; Gordon; Paul; Philip;

and Tony.

Daphne arrived at Newark, New Jersey, United States of America on Oct. 19, 1958. They later moved to Virginia, Oregon, and finally Montana.

Daphne's favorite hobbies were knitting, baking, gardening, reading, solving crosswords, and word finds.

Daphne also had a great love of dogs. She owned many dogs over the years and her favorite breed was the Irish Setter.

Daphne also worked at the Lutheran Nursing Home as well as Safeway for over a decade where she won numerous Best Customer Service awards.

Daphne was preceded in death by her parents, her sister Pearl, husband Roy, and her sons Karl and Gordon. She is survived by: her sons Paul, Philip, and Tony; 8 grandchildren; and 8 great grandchildren.

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UMW Alumnus Benjamin Schwabauer to Present for Young Alums Program

University of Montana Western alumnus Benjamin Schwabauer will present for the Young Alums Program, hosted by the Department of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences, on Tuesday, November 4, at 3:30 p.m. in Main Hall Room 218.

The mission of the Young Alums Program is to provide current students with the opportunity to engage with Montana Western graduates who earned degrees from the Division of Arts, Humanities, and Social Sciences.

Schwabauer earned a Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies in Drama, Pop Culture, and Visual Arts from Montana Western. During his time on campus, he performed in and designed for numerous productions, including The SpongeBob Musical, Jasper in Deadland, Almost, Maine, and The Witching Time.

Following graduation. Schwabauer assisted Grandstreet Theatre in Helena, Montana, with its production of Noises Off, contributing to the construction of a fully articulating drum revolve. He has also worked on productions at the Helena Avenue Theatre and was an active member of the UMW Drama Club's Improv Troupe.

In his free time, Schwabauer maintains a dedicated

writing and art practice. With a passion for storytelling in all its forms and a deep commitment to collaboration, he looks forward bringing his creativity. technical skills, and enthusiasm to new projects and artistic communities.

information. For please contact Assistant Professor of Theatre Stephen Alan Seder at stephen.seder@umwestern.edu.





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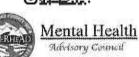
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#### Attorney General Knudsen launches PSA to combat elder fraud and abuse in Montana

Attorney General Austin Knudsen launched a new public service announcement to remind Montana seniors to be aware and take precautions as bad actors commonly prey on the elderly population.

The 30-second spot features Attorney General Knudsen and Susan Bivins, an Anaconda resident who lost her life savings to a scammer in 2022. In the spot, Bivins shares how she was defrauded and provides Montanans with tips to avoid falling victim to fraud schemes. It will run through the end of the year.

"Scammers deliberately target seniors who have been working and saving their entire lives to retire. At the Montana Department of Justice, we will continue to do what we can to hold perpetrators accountable. I encourage every Montanan to learn the signs and stay in contact with their older friends, neighbors, and relatives to help us stop this abuse.' Attorney General Knudsen said. "Always remember if something feels wrong: Stop. Check. Protect. And if you or a loved one is the victim of elder abuse, contact my office immediately."

After fraudulent charges on her Amazon account, Bivins was scammed by a man posing as a Federal Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) agent who convinced her she was the suspect in a money laundering scheme. For weeks, he kept tabs on her until he eventually told her she was ruled out as a suspect, but she needed to transfer her savings to him to keep it safe from the money launderers. In return, he promised the DEA would issue her a cashier's check for the total amount once her money was safe, but she never received it. The scammers who targeted Bivens used popular tactics like fear, pressure, and urgency to coerce her into complying with their demands.

"You really need to listen to your gut, and if your gut tells you this is not right, pay attention to that," Bivins said in the PSA.

Older Americans are frequently the targets of scammers trying to make a quick buck, and can also be victims of physical, emotional, and sexual abuse. According to AARP, there are more than 369,000 nationwide incidents of financial abuse that target older adults each vear.

The Montana Department of Justice's Division of Criminal Investigation (DCI) oversees three sections that work to protect Montana's elders. The Medicaid Fraud Control Unit provides direct assistance to criminally investigate elder abuse and exploitation within

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health care facilities, the Office of Consumer Protection (OCP) protects seniors from financial exploitation, and the Elder Justice Unit helps to combat financial exploitation, abuse, and other crimes committed against Montana's older population.

Common scams that a predator may use against the elderly include the grandparent scam, in which a scammer pretends to be a grandchild in need of monetary assistance; romance scams, which target lonely seniors looking to build a romantic relationship; and law enforcement scams, in which the scammer is creating a false sense of authority by claiming to be law enforcement.

Attorney General Knudsen offered the following tips to avoid

falling victim to a scam:

Don't give out personal information to someone soliciting it from you over the phone or the internet. Banks and government agencies will never call and ask for your personal information.

Never wire or give money to someone you don't know. Don't send gift cards, prepaid debit cards, or cryptocurrency to someone you do not know. Even if you think it's someone you know, follow up to make sure before you wire any money.

Use common sense and do your due diligence: ask around, talk to

others, call OCP if you have any doubts or questions.

Be skeptical, resist high-pressure tactics, and take your time. If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is!

Montanans can report the financial exploitation and abuse of seniors to the Montana Department of Justice at 406-444-3874.

Montanans can also report any phone, email, or mail scams to the Montana Department of Justice's Office of Consumer Protection at contactocp@mt.gov, or 406-444-4500 (toll-free: 800-481-6896), or online at dojmt.gov/consumer.

Montanans can report suspected cases of Medicaid fraud or elder abuse by calling the Medicaid Fraud hotline at 800-376-1115.

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Schedule of Events

Friday, October 31

Haunted Homecoming Photo Booth in the Roe House Halloween Costume Contest: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., Dining

Montana Western Men's Basketball vs. Southern Oregon Raiders: 3:00 p.m., Straugh Gymnasium

Homecoming Royalty & Bulldog Spirit Voting Closes: 4 p.m. Campus Food Drive Closes: 5:00 p.m.

Alumni & Friends Social: 4:30 - 7:30 p.m., Keltz Arena Montana Western Bulldog Volleyball vs. Carroll College Saints: 7:00 p.m., Straugh Gymnasium

Saturday, November 1

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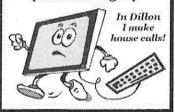
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10/31 Fri Football Playoffs - 1st Round TBA End of 1st Ouarter 10/31 Fri BCHS

11/1 Sat Volleyball Play-In Game - winner @ #4 TBA TBA 11/1UMW vs EOU UM Western Sat 1:00 pm

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Thu FFA Meeting 6:00 pm 11/6 Vo-Ag UMW vs AČU UM Western 11/8 Sat 1:00 pm

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#### Kyle Gruhler Named Frontier Conference Men's Basketball Offensive Player of the Week

Montana Western men's basketball player Kyle Gruhler picked up Frontier Conference Men's Basketball Offensive Player of the Week honors after leading the Bulldogs to a 76-61 victory at Evergreen in their season opener Oct. 25.

"Kyle played great this past weekend and really stepped up for us, head coach Patrick Jensen said. "It shows the work he has put in this summer and reflects not only his hard work but our groups unselfishness and the work everyone is putting in."

Gruhler posted game highs in both points (31) and rebounds (seven) against the Geoducks. He also added two assists.

The Vancouver, Wash., native shot 55.6 percent (10-18) from the field, 45.5 percent (5-11) from beyond the arc, and 100.0 percent (6-6) from the charity stripe in the contest.

Additionally, Gruhler scored UMW's first 11 points in the game helping them take the lead over Evergreen early in the game.

# Secretary Christi Jacobsen to host Halloween trick-or-treating at Montana State Capitol

Montana Secretary of State Christi Jacobsen will host Halloween trick-or-treaters on the flag plaza in the front of the Montana State Capitol on Friday, October 31, from 4-6 p.m.

Secretary Jacobsen and her colleagues will hand out fullsized candy bars and invite all Montana kids and families to join in the fun. Several other offices and state agencies will participate with Secretary Jacobsen in providing treats.

"I'm excited to share a spooktacular evening with Montanans at the Montana State Capitol," said Secretary Jacobsen. "Come one and all to show off your costumes and enjoy delicious full-sized candy bars. Happy Halloween, Montana!"

Secretary Jacobsen reminds Montana drivers to be alert to children and families as they travel to households around their neighborhood. She also urges trick-or-treaters to be safe when crossing the street, walk in groups with a chaperone, and be cautious of potential cooling temperatures in the evening.

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By Mike Lawson

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• Alzheimer's disease is one where you lose your memory and ability to think clearly. I read that approximately 500,000 Veterans live with Alzheimer's disease. It's projected that number will increase to 540,000 by 2033. Veterans are more at risk due to a number of contributing factors including dramatic brain injury, post traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), exposure to Agent Orange and chronic medical conditions. The VA is addressing this with two groundbreaking anti-amyloid therapies, lecanemab (Leqembi) and donanemab (Kisunla)-for Veterans with early stage Alzheimers. This treatment was developed to slow cognitive decline. It's personal for each of us to think we are mentally losing it. If we think we might be experiencing these types of issues, the VA is there to evaluate and treat us. Take the first step and make an appointment for not only your sake but for the sake of your family as well.

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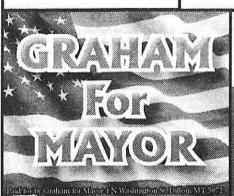


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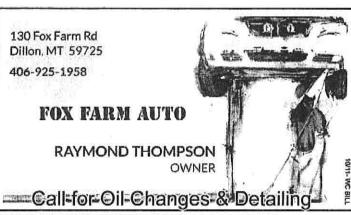
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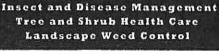
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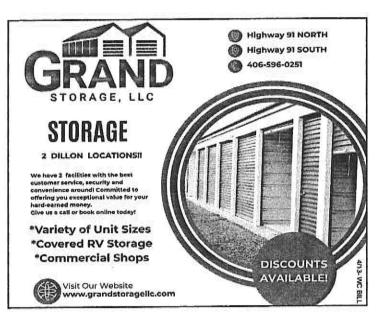
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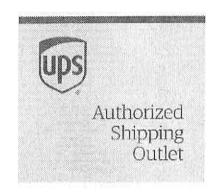
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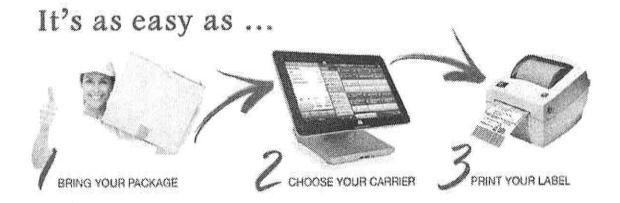






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#### **HELP WANTED**

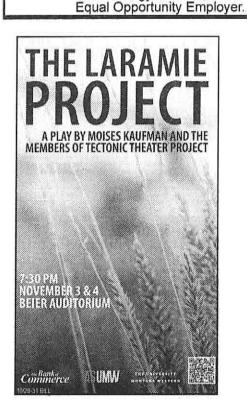
10/22- WC BILL

MEA is seeking a full time Propane Delivery Driver Job Duties:

- Deliver propane to customers
- Performs simple maintenance on trucks
- 2. Load and unload product
- Maintain daily truck reports
- Assist with taking physical inventories
- Attends schools and meetings as required
- Performs other duties as assigned Requirements:
- High School Diploma or equivalent
- 21 years of age
  Valid Class B CDL including Tanker, Air Break
  and Hazmat endorsements.
- Must be able to pass a pre-employment DOT physical, drug test and Homeland Security Background test
- Must be able to work with and communicate well with others.
- Proficient verbal and written communication skills
- Knowledgeable with computers.
- Lifting, pushing, pulling, bending and climbing out of trucks in and
- Must have a willingness to work outdoors and all weather conditions. drive in
- Must maintain a professional image Montana Energy Alliance is a drug free work

place. We offer competitive wages, benefits and a 401K package. \$25- \$30/hour DOE. Please drop resume and cover letter off at 300 Cleverley Dr., Dillon, MT Montana Energy Alliance, LLC is an







#### Barrett Hospital Auxiliary Gift Shop announces:

BHH Gift shop is taking pre orders for See's Candy. Orders need to be received by Noon October 30th with expected pick up date during the week of November 10th. Individuals with pre orders will be called when candy is ready for pick up at the gift shop. Orders can be placed by calling Lori Ball 406-596-5559 or via email: qiftshop@barretthospital.org

If you do not get a confirmation email or return call, please try again.

#### Drices

\$31.00
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\$29.50
\$19.00
\$24.50

The gift shop now takes credit cards with a minimum \$10.00 purchase!

# Women on Weights NOVEMBER 3, 2025 - DECEMBER 17, 2025

18 Total Sessions. Thanksgiving Week will be Monday Only

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CLASSES ON MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS, & FRIDAYS
CHOOSE MORNING (8:30AM) OR EVENING (M & W: 6:30PM, F: 5:30PM)

A 6 week training course specifically customized for people looking to work towards better nutrition, training, and lifestyle changes!

Become better prepared physically and mentally to achieve your ideal body composition!

W.O.W. is instructed by certified personal trainers: Kyle & Jordan





\$225 FOR
MEMBERS
\$250 FOR
NON-MEMBERS

(18 TOTAL SESSIONS, \$12.50/SESSION FOR MEMBERS)

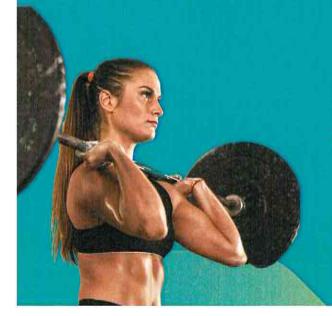


- Personal training 3 days a week
- Resistance & Strength training
- Workout splits
- Positive mindset checklist
- Nutritional guidance
- Importance of macronutrients and how to determine macros
- Supplement recommendations

BY THE END OF THIS COURSE, YOU'LL LEAVE WITH A TRAINING PROGRAM AND THE TOOLS TO CONFIDENTLY CONTINUE ON YOUR OWN

> Sign up at the Y today! Limited Spots! Payment plans available upon request

SOUTHWESTERN MONTANA FAMILY YMCA
75 SWENSON WAY
(406)683-9622
swmtf-ymca.org





# **Every Monday during November**

KDBM/KBEV Radio Stations and The Dillon Elks Lodge have received generous donations of both brand new and gently used winter coats and hats for individuals of all ages. If you are in need of a coat, please visit the Elks Lodge this November, Monday through Friday, between 5 PM and 7 PM.

More Information Contact the following:

KDBM-KBEV Radio Stations 406-683-2800 The Dillon Elks Lodge 406-683-5552









Helping to make the hardest times of life more manageable. We care for your loved one with Dignity and Respect.

#### We offer assistance with...

Funeral arrangements

Cremation options

Celebration of Life

Headstones

Urns

End of Life Planning

Memorial Items

Social Security Needs

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Long Distance Transports

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Open Monday—Friday 9 - 5 PM Saturday by appointment

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