



The Cooke City Newsletter is published once each week. The deadline for advertisements is each on Wednesday. Businesses can advertise for four issues at a rate of \$15 per month with a 40 word limit per advertisement. Individual ads are \$5 for the first 40 words and \$ .10 for each additional word on a weekly basis. Ads can be e-mailed to [info@cookecitychamber.org](mailto:info@cookecitychamber.org) or mailed to CCCC, P.O. Box 1134, Cooke City, MT 59020. If you have questions please call 838-2495 and leave a message. We reserve the right to refuse any ad and also the right to edit for length, grammar and good taste. You can access the newsletter year round on the chamber website at [www.cookecitychamber.org](http://www.cookecitychamber.org).

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In Memory of Steve Liebl

January 8, 2010

**Thank you to the Volunteers that helped Deep Clean the Firehall last Wednesday!**  
**Thank you to all those that moved the piano from the Fire Hall to the Loving Cup.**  
**Thank you to those that helped remove the wood stove from the Fire Hall!**

**SKI CLUB** - everyone welcome regardless of skill level. We meet on Mondays at 3:00 at the LOVING CUP.

**The Friends of the Gallatin National Forest Avalance Center** are offering FREE one hour basic avalanche awareness presentations to be held at the Cooke City Fire Hall on Saturday, January 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m. All are welcome.

**Upper Yellowstone Snowmobile Club** – Regular Monthly Meeting 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of every month. January 12<sup>th</sup> 6:30 potluck, meeting at 7:00 at the Fire Hall.

**Mt. Republic Chapel of Peace** – One service at 9:30. Visitors are welcome. If you have questions, please call our new Pastor Haley Goranson at 838-2397. Wednesday night Bible Study – 6:00 potluck with study starting at 7:00. Everyone welcome. Thank you to everyone that participated in the Christmas Eve service.

**Resort Tax Quarterly Reports** are due January 31, 2010.

**In Case of an accident, illness or a lost person** – Go to the closest phone and dial 911. They will assist you and page Cooke City E.M.T's. Please call 911 FIRST!!!

### **Just for Fun!**

A man walks into a restaurant with a full-grown ostrich behind him. The waitress asks them for their orders.

The man says, 'A hamburger, fries and a coke,' and turns to the ostrich, 'What's yours?' 'I'll have the same,' says the ostrich.

A short time later the waitress returns with the order 'That will be \$9.40 please,' and the man reaches into his pocket and pulls out the exact change for payment.

The next day, the man and the ostrich come again and the man says, 'A hamburger, fries and a coke.' The ostrich says, 'I'll have the same.' Again the man reaches into his pocket and pays with exact change.

This becomes routine until the two enter again. 'The usual?' asks the waitress. 'No, this is Friday night, so I will have a steak, baked potato and a salad,' says the man. 'Same,' says the ostrich. Shortly the waitress brings the order and says, 'That will be \$32.62.' Once again the man pulls the exact change out of his pocket and places it on the table.

The waitress cannot hold back her curiosity any longer. 'Excuse me, sir. How do you manage to always come up with the exact change in your pocket every time?'

'Well,' says the man, 'several years ago I was cleaning the attic and found an old lamp. When I rubbed it, a Genie appeared and offered me two wishes. My first wish was that if I ever had to pay for anything, I would just put my hand in my pocket and the right amount of money would always be there.'

'That's brilliant!' says the waitress. 'Most people would ask for a million dollars or something, but you'll always be as rich as you want for as long as you live!'

'That's right. Whether it's a gallon of milk or a Rolls Royce, the exact money is always there,' says the man.

The waitress asks, 'What's with the ostrich?' The man sighs, pauses and answers, 'My second wish was for a tall chick with a big butt and long legs who agrees with everything I say.'

## Businesses

### LOVING CUP CAFE

Serving breakfast and lunch from 8:00am to 3:00pm everyday. We feature locally roasted organic coffees, baked goods and WI-FI. Specials daily. 838-2412

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**SILVERTIP MOUNTAIN CENTER:** Open year-round in Silver Gate. Local outdoor shop with a world-class selection of maps, clothing, tents, packs, ski and climbing gear plus gifts. Ski, snowshoe, and ice climbing rentals. Open Dec. 26 – Jan. 1. 10:00-4:00. All winter: Sat. – Sun. 10:00 - 4:00 or call any time: (406) 838-2125 / 800 863 0807.

[www.silvertipmountaincenter.com/](http://www.silvertipmountaincenter.com/)  
[jay@silvertipmountaincenter.com](mailto:jay@silvertipmountaincenter.com).

**New Year's Special at Therapeutic Massage of Cooke City at the Big Moose Resort** – 1 hour massage for \$40.00 or 3 hour massages for \$100.00. Gift certificates available. Call for appointment. Also, offering chair massage or foot soak/massage. 406-838-2393, by appointment only. Located at Big Moose Resort. [www.bigmooseresort.com](http://www.bigmooseresort.com); [info@bigmooseresort.com](mailto:info@bigmooseresort.com)

### **BEARCLAW SALES & SERVICE**

We now rent sleds along with all types of avalanche equipment. We will also be carrying parts and accessories for snowmobiles. Rent a shop bay to work on your sled, or let us keep your sled over night in a heated bay. Call us at 838-2040 for additional information. Located next to the Super 8 Motel.

### **BUNS N BEDS DELI and CABINS**

Sandwiches for here or to go. Daily BBQ, fresh breads, salads, cheese cakes, malts and milkshakes. Catering available 406-838-2030

### **BEARCLAW BAKERY**

Open Tuesday-Sunday for **breakfast** from 6:00-11:00 a.m. along with homemade cinnamon and pecan rolls. Our homemade Breakfast Burritos are huge! Espresso machine is up and running - stop by for a peppermint mocha or your favorite coffee drink. 838-2040

### **PC Cowboys –**

Computer sales and service for the home or office. We do: virus & spyware removal, networking solutions, software & hardware support, technology consulting, software training. Our address is 2220 Big Horn Ave. Cody, WY, phone # 307-587-3400; website: [www.pccowboys.com](http://www.pccowboys.com). Assisting our clients with technology decisions.

## For Sale / For Rent / Help Wanted / Lost

**Part time Position Available : Cooke City Community Council Clerk**, The position will be considered a part time, hourly position with employee working a total of up to 10 hours per week @ \$11.00 hour. Hours will be determined according to work load and in cooperation with other Board members to insure the CCCC needs are met. ***DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:*** *Bookkeeping, Meetings/Communiity Communication,Resort Tax, Data and Information,Community Newsletter,Grant writing, Fundraising/Events.* Description and applicant requirements available upon request. For more information please contact Donna Rowland @ the Chamber office, 838-2495 or e-mail: [donnarowland77@aol.com](mailto:donnarowland77@aol.com) or Bev Chatelain @ 838-2393 or email: [bigmooseresort@aol.com](mailto:bigmooseresort@aol.com)

**For Rent -** A Great Log Cabin – Charming, rustic log cabin, stone fireplace, fully stocked kitchen. Bedroom & sleeping loft, sleeps 5. Snowmobiling, skiing to Yellowstone Park, wolf watching, photography, dog sledding, snowshoeing, bird watching, star-gazing. Available by the night, year round. \$175/night. 406-322-4244

### **Area properties for sale by owners –**

[www.cookecitymontanafsb.com](http://www.cookecitymontanafsb.com)

**FOR SALE BY OWNER:** Painter Outpost LLC, located on HWY 296 (Chief Joseph Highway) 23 miles from the NE entrance to Yellowstone Park. Business sits on 11+ acres of riverfront land, and includes a restaurant, a gift shop, a convenience store, fuel sales, cabins, a 14 space RV park, 4 tent sites, a central RV dump, a barn and 7 corrals. Two liquor licenses, and wireless internet. A turnkey opportunity. Check out our web site at [www.painteroutpost.com](http://www.painteroutpost.com) . Call 307-527-5510 or email [carol@painteroutpost.com](mailto:carol@painteroutpost.com) for further details.

