Wanted: Uniform Items

Do you have some gray and green hanging in your closet that you are never going to squeeze into again? How about helping out some fellow colleagues who are not fortunate enough to have a uniform allowance? Rick Mossman recently attended the International Ranger Federation Conference in South Africa and met some Argentineans and Ugandans who are in desperate need of anything you could spare as they have to buy their own uniforms.

The Argentineans could use any uniform items, especially fleece, sweaters, coats, or shirts.

The Ugandans could use raincoats, Gore-Tex, shirts, shorts and fleece. They could also use any type of field equipment including daypacks, sleeping bags, cameras, binoculars, watches and compasses. Rick says this stuff does not need to be fancy as they currently have little or nothing.

Please route any items to Rick Mossman at the South Entrance by December 1st and he will take care of getting the items shipped.

All Employee Meeting: November 15

There will be an All-Employee Meeting on Wednesday, November 15th, in Mammoth at the Amfac Recreation Hall. The meeting will begin at 10:00 a.m.

Anyone with a topic they would like to present or that they would like the Superintendent to present, should contact Jan Laye at 344-2002 or Kerry McCartney at 344-2003. Comments and suggestions are always welcome and appreciated.

YFEA will be serving lunch after the meeting (by reservation only). See page 5 for further details!

Brown Bag Seminar...

Mark your calendars for November 30th! Personnel will host a Brown Bag Seminar on applying for government jobs starting at noon in Room A of the Canteen Building in Mammoth.

Topics to be reviewed will include the life cycle of an application, the crucial items to include in every application and what you can do to learn from every application you submit.

If you miss this one, they plan to offer similar sessions throughout the year at various locations. See you there!
Welcome to Yellowstone:
Catherine Wolf  Office Assistant – Old Faithful Maintenance
Kurt Olofson  Roads and Grounds Maintenance Supervisor – Mammoth

New Permanents:
Christina Phelps  Supervisory Visitor Use Assistant – East Entrance

Retiring:
Sue Crowfoot  Farewell to Sue – December 2, 2000

Peer Award Recipients for the Month of October:
Jeff Duckett  Rangers
Jessie Jordan  Rangers
Joy Perius  YCR
Lisa Helms  Rangers

Congratulations to Ed Boatman! He has accepted a Permanent EEO WG-8 position at Death Valley National Park. Ed has worked for Tower Maintenance for over 7 seasons. He will be missed at Tower! Best of luck in your new career!

It’s a BOY!

Congratulations to the Perius Family as they welcome new arrival Jacob David!
Jacob was born October 11th and weighed 7 lbs, 3 oz!
For Sale - 97 Polaris Indy Trail, 2 up snowmobile, great shape. $1500. Call Earl at (307) 242-7275.

For Sale - 1971 Volkswagen Van, purple, runs fine. $1500. Call after 5:00 p.m. at 344-8532.

For Sale - 1990 Chevrolet 4x4 ½ ton with newly painted camper top to match. New tires, windshield, transmission and clutch. 164K, $8250. Phone (307) 344-9071 after 5:30 p.m. and weekend or 344-2471.

For Sale - Snowmobile, 1990 Polaris 400 SKS liquid cooled, red color. Runs well, 5900 miles. $1200 OBO. Call (406) 838-2300 or (307) 344-7753.

For Sale - Fitness Equipment - 1) Montana Muscle Bench with flat, incline/decline features, parallel dip station, squat rack, leg extension/curl station, and preacher curl station. 2) Lat Pulldown Unit for front/back lat pulls, tricep pushdowns, upright row. 3) 250 lbs. Standard metal weights with long bar and collars, EZ curl bar, dumbell bars, and tricep bar. 4) Nearly new Nordic Track AbWorks machine. 5) Nearly new Nordic Track Linda Evans Leg Shaper. 6) DP GymPac 2000 Multi-station cable weight stack machine with bench and attachments. All equipment is quality strength training gear - enough to set up a great home gym! Call 848-7900 or 848-7306 to see or test this equipment. The price is right!

For Sale - mattress and box spring, twin size, good condition. $50.00. Call 848-7209 after 5:00 p.m.

For Sale - 1992 Ford Thunderbird V8, 2 door, 116,000 miles, $4500. 344-7717.

For Sale - 2000 Charmac Cargo Trailer, 16 ft x 8 ft. Towed once only, then used exclusively for storage. Only 8 months old. Excellent Condition! $3,700 firm. 344-9252 or 344-8573.

Wanted - Topper W58 ½ x L75 for 1984 Nissan Truck. Call (307) 344-8532. Please leave a message if no answer.

Needed - House sitter for December 22nd - December 30th to watch our VERY affectionate dog, cat, and fish. If interested, call 344-7712 or 344-2353.
Congratulations to the winners of the Fire Prevention Week Poster Contest. Each student will receive a $50 savings bond. Funding for the savings bonds was donated by Amfac, Hamilton Stores, and Yellowstone Park Service Stations. Students, keep up the good work and remember to always practice fire safety!

Jarrett Kremer  Kindergarten – Gardiner
Krista Belanger  First Grade – Gardiner
Brandon Hansard  Second Grade – Gardiner
Shelley Haug  Third Grade – Gardiner
Courtney Blomquist  Fourth Grade – Gardiner
Darren Blomquist  Fifth Grade – Gardiner
Sara Meyer  Sixth Grade – Gardiner
Miranda Wiltse  Kindergarten – Mammoth
Anna Reid  First Grade – Mammoth
Tess Whittlesey  Second Grade – Mammoth
Niki Inafuku  Third Grade – Mammoth
Mark Bush  Fourth Grade – Mammoth
Dillon Gruber  Fifth Grade – Mammoth
Miyeko Inafuku  Sixth Grade – Mammoth
Katie Mahony  Kindergarten – West Yellowstone
Grayson Bell  Kindergarten – West Yellowstone
Nick Liszka  First Grade – West Yellowstone
Maddie Cude  Second Grade – West Yellowstone
Nick Johannes  Second Grade – West Yellowstone
Shelby Schoenhard  Third Grade – West Yellowstone
Naomi Huidekoper  Fourth Grade – West Yellowstone
Heather Pfeifer  Fifth Grade – West Yellowstone
Kelsey Otis  Sixth Grade – West Yellowstone
Pedro Perez
Join us for Lunch!

Who: All Employees (by reservation only!)

When: November 15, 2000 (after the All Employees Meeting)

What: Lasagna, tossed salad, garlic bread, dessert, beverages

Where: Amfac Recreation Hall

Why: Good food and good company!

Bargain Price: $3.50 for members - $5.50 for non-members

We need to know how much food to prepare and how many tables to have available so...

Please make reservations in advance by replying to this notice or by calling 344-2062 or 344-2031 by Friday, November 11th.

Save standing in line that day and buy your ticket in advance from: Bob Lindstrom, Mary Heller, Barb Agle, Beth Taylor, Debbie McPherson, or Judi Mihan

Other YFEA News...

Don’t forget! YFEA is counting on you to entertain us at the Holiday Party. Please be thinking of talented ways to amaze and amuse your co-workers. The party is December 13th at 4:30 p.m. in the Amfac Rec Hall in Mammoth. Please contact Nancy Tyson (344-2064) or Judy Jensen (344-2031) to sign up.
Mark your calendars for The Annual Christmas Tree Lighting!

Tuesday, December 12, 2000
at 5:00 p.m.

We will be meeting at the tree outside the Administration Building for the "official lighting" and a few carols by Little Peoples Learning Center (weather permitting), and then off to the warmth of the Mammoth Rec Hall for food and festivities!

Enjoy the camaraderie and food and a visit with Santa and his jolly elf. Stay tuned for details on possible photo opportunities with Santa.

Please bring an hors d'oeuvre to share!
Influenza Vaccine Update:

Mammoth Clinic was advised, on November 1, 2000, that there has been an additional delay in receiving our flu vaccine. The pharmaceutical company was unable to give us a shipping date.

As soon as we receive the vaccine, we will make an announcement. We will also set up clinic dates to give vaccine shots in Gardiner and Mammoth. We apologize for the delay.

Mammoth Clinic News...

Colleen Eldred, an OB/GYN Nurse Practitioner, is available by appointment, to provide exams, prescriptions, consultations and referrals for the women in our community.

Pat Coleman, RN, has completed training through the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN., to provide Well Women Exams. This includes a clinical breast exam and Pap smear, as well as referrals for mammograms.

FREE BREAST AND CERVICAL SCREENING EXAMS AVAILABLE AT MAMMOTH CLINIC THROUGH THE MONTANA BREAST AND CERVICAL HEALTH PROGRAM

Mammoth Clinic is participating with the Montana Breast and Cervical Health Program. This program, established through a grant from the Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services, offers free breast and cervical cancer screening tests to uninsured or underinsured women ages 50 to 64 who meet income guidelines. Women who qualify and enroll in the program will receive services such as clinical breast exams, Pap tests, and mammograms through physicians, nurse practitioners, and physician assistants within Gallatin, Park, and Sweet Grass counties. The health care providers at Mammoth Clinic can provide this service to qualifying women who live in Gardiner, Cooke City, and Yellowstone National Park. Women who are 50 to 64 years of age and do not have health insurance that pays for breast and cervical cancer screening tests should call the Gallatin City-County Health department at 582-3107 or Mammoth Clinic at 344-7965 to see if they are eligible to participate.
The Yellowstone Park Foundation’s Board of Directors approved eight new projects for funding commitment at the October 6 board meeting at Lake Ranger Station. The projects had been selected previously by the Foundation’s Grant Committee out of the 20 projects submitted last spring to the Superintendent’s Office from the various park divisions. The Grant Committee members chose the projects that they felt best fit certain criteria and were appropriate for the Foundation’s mission to protect, preserve and enhance Yellowstone.

The eight projects chosen for the year 2000-2001 are listed below by division, with titles shortened for brevity. Fund-raising for those projects is now underway. If a project proposal that you were involved with did not receive a funding commitment this year, do not give up; the Foundation staff will still try to raise money to fund it. The Stock Replacement Project submitted by the Ranger Division is a good example. Though the project was not chosen by the Grant Committee for funding commitment, the Foundation was able to finance it through a private donation. As a result, the Ranger Division now has four new horses and one mule. When complete, this project will result in a total of 10 new stock animals and 10 saddles for park rangers.

If your project was not chosen for funding this year and if it has not been funded through other sources by the spring of 2001, you can re-submit it to Superintendent Finley at that time. We will do our best throughout the coming months to find funding for all of the worthwhile projects that you or other Yellowstone personnel have taken the time and effort to submit.

The following proposals have been accepted for funding commitment by the Yellowstone Park Foundation:

**Yellowstone Center for Resources:** 1. Acquire Calfee Collection 2. Acquire Historic Objects 3. Paleontological Resource Survey

**Interpretation Division:** 4. Replace Outdated Exhibits

**Maintenance Division:** 5. Fan Creek Project 6. Grant Marina Boardwalk 7. Slough Creek Project.

**Superintendent’s Division – Planning:** 8. Canyon Accessibility Improvement.
Position Announcement

Position: Assistant Sales Manager
Location: Mammoth Hot Springs, Yellowstone National Park
Reports To: Sales Manager
Posted: October 15, 2000

Summary Description:

The Yellowstone Association is a non-profit organization that works in partnership with the National Park Service and United States Forest Service to provide educational products and services relating to the Greater Yellowstone Area. The Association operates bookstores and a mail order/wholesale department that support this goal directly, by providing visitors with high quality educational materials, and indirectly, by generating net revenues that are contributed to the above agencies for education and interpretation.

The Assistant Sales Manager assists with purchasing and merchandising for the Association’s eleven locations in the area. He or she is also fully responsible for the Association’s wholesale program, including planning, product development, promotion, and sales. These duties require excellent communication skills and the Assistant must be able to represent the Association well not only to our vendors, but also to the retail market.

Primary Responsibilities:

- Promote wholesales through mailings, phone calls, and visits to local retailers.
- Assist Sales Manager with placement of purchase orders.
- Follow up with vendors on shipment and/or price discrepancies.
- Assist Sales Manager in handling organizations POS computer inventory system, including maintenance of equipment, data entry, and collection of standard reports.
• Respond to requests and maintain regular communication with seasonal staff.
• Assist Sales Manager in marketing and merchandising at sales locations.
• Additional duties as assigned by the Sales Manager

Qualifications:

Required: Professional, friendly manner and good negotiation skills, sales and/or purchasing experience, computer literacy, accuracy and attention to detail.

Desirable: Proven track record in sales and marketing of books and educational items, experience with point of sales inventory systems, and knowledge of national park cooperating associations.

Compensation

This is a full-time position with a yearly salary range of $23,000 –$25,000, based on experience. Benefits include starting vacation of two weeks a year, ten paid holidays, retirement program, and flexible benefit plan. Yellowstone Association employees enjoy a fun office environment and the satisfaction of knowing that our work directly benefits Yellowstone National Park. A one-bedroom apartment may be rented from the Yellowstone Association at an affordable rate.

To Apply:

Please send resume, cover letter, and three professional references to

Debbie Collins, Sales Manager
Yellowstone Association
PO Box 117
Yellowstone National Park, WY 82190

Applications must be received no later than 4:30 MST on Wednesday, November 22, 2000. A limited amount of applicants will be interviewed and the position will begin in January of 2001.

The Yellowstone Association is an equal opportunity employer.
Position Announcement

Position: Program Manager, Yellowstone Association Institute
Location: Mammoth Hot Springs, Yellowstone National Park
Reports To: Director of Educational Operations
Posted: October 25, 2000

Summary Description:

The Yellowstone Association Institute is a nonprofit field school operated in partnership with the National Park Service. We offer an extensive seminar program and other in-depth courses on the natural and cultural history of the Yellowstone area. Courses are based at our Lamar Buffalo Ranch field campus, at historic park hotels, and in the backcountry. For a complete description of the Institute program, please visit us at www.YellowstoneAssociation.org.

The Program Manager is directly responsible for the further development of this respected educational program. He or she will work closely with the Director of Educational Operations to manage existing programs, develop new programs, and maintain the highest standards of program quality and customer service. Success in this position requires good business sense, excellent teaching skills, and a strong commitment to the educational mission of the Yellowstone Association. The Program Manager will be based at our Mammoth office from Labor Day to Memorial Day and at our field campus during the summer months. Applicants must be comfortable living and working in a remote setting with few amenities.

Primary Responsibilities:

• Create annual course schedule based on interpretive and budget goals.
• Develop new educational programs consistent with the mission and goals of the Yellowstone Association and the National Park Service.
• Manage daily operations at the Lamar Buffalo Ranch, including supervision of resident volunteers.
• Recruit and develop contract instructors and paid employees of the highest caliber.
• Monitor courses and provide constructive feedback and support to instructors.
• Develop and implement a comprehensive risk management plan for the Institute.
• Teach short courses on the natural and cultural history of Yellowstone.

Qualifications:

Required: Bachelor’s degree (Master’s preferred) in Interpretation, Environmental Education, Outdoor Recreation Management or a closely related field. At least three years of successful program development and staff supervision experience in a similar educational organization. Exemplary teaching and public speaking skills. Demonstrated commitment to customer service. Strong organizational ability and attention to detail. PC computer proficiency. Valid driver’s license.

Desirable: Close knowledge of the Yellowstone ecosystem, WFR or WEMT certification, Excel and Filemaker proficiency, marketing and fund raising experience.

Compensation:

Annual salary of $25,000 to $30,000, based on experience. Starting benefits include two weeks paid vacation, ten paid holidays, retirement program, and flexible benefit plan. A studio apartment may be rented for a reasonable monthly rate. A two-bedroom log cabin is provided at the field campus during the summer months.

To Apply:

Please send resume, cover letter, and three professional references to:

Jeff Brown, Director of Educational Operations
Yellowstone Association
PO Box 117
Yellowstone National Park, WY 82190

Applications must be received not later than 4:30pm MST on Monday, November 27, 2000. The position is scheduled to begin in January.

The Yellowstone Association is an equal opportunity employer.
We are planning a Gardiner All School (students, including those who may not have graduated from Gardiner; parents, teachers, school board, etc.) reunion for July 13th, and July 14th, 2001. In order to find out how many are interested in this, please complete this questionnaire and return to the address at the bottom of this sheet. Also, if you know of someone we may have missed, please notify them or send their addresses to me. At this time we do not know what the prices will be but will keep you informed. Please register at http://www.asd.com/ and we will be posting information there. It is free and takes just a few seconds.

All about You

Your Name

Maiden Name

Year Graduated (or would have)

E-mail Address (optional)

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone # (optional)

Spouse’s name

Children’s Name(s)

Grandchildren’s Name(s)

Occupation (if retired, list previous)

We need to have some idea of how many will be coming and would like to include the information in a directory for everyone.

Please check if you plan to attend

Please check if you hope to attend

How many will be with you?

Please return this as soon as possible so that we can forward additional information to you.

Ron and Loma Young
P. O. Box 204
Joliet, Montana 59041
(406) 962-3160
E-mail: ronlomayoung@uswest.net

Thanks and we look forward to seeing you in July 2001.
Can you park your car in the garage? Closets stuffed to the top? Trying to simplify?

Why haul your rummage to Bozeman?

Turn your used and unwanted “quality” stuff into a valuable donation to the Yellowstone Park School PTO fund raiser!

RUMMAGE EXTRAVAGANZA!

Chili Feed, Raffle Prizes & Carnival

Wednesday, November 15, 2000
4:30 to 7:30 p.m.
Mammoth School Gymnasium

Donations accepted at the YNP school gym from 10/30-11/10 during school hours.

Consignment sales (> $20) will be accepted on Saturday (11/11) and Sunday (11/12) from 2-4 p.m.

We may be able to pick up your donations! Please call 344-6632 to find out more.
Mammoth General Store
Winter Menu

**Daily Entrees**

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**Soup, Chili & Misc.**

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**Soup of the Day**

- **Monday**
  - Chicken Noodle
- **Tuesday**
  - Cream of Broccoli
- **Wednesday**
  - Cream of Potato
- **Thursday**
  - Corn Chowder
- **Friday**
  - Tomato Florentine

**Day of the Week Special**

- **Monday**
  - Gyro $3.50 (Authentic Greek Meat & Sauce on Pita Bread)
- **Tuesday**
  - Taco 1.75 (Soft or Crisp Tortilla with Sour Cream & Salsa)
- **Wednesday**
  - Bar-B-Q 3.95 (Sliced beef in a delicious sauce)
- **Thursday**
  - Fiesta Salad 3.25 (Chicken Fajita strips in edible bowl with all the toppings)
- **Friday**
  - Beef Stew & Biscuits 3.00 (Delicious Stew served with 2 large Pillsbury biscuits)

**Drinks**

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**Serving Lunch**

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

**Take-Out Orders**

344-7702

Effective October 30, 2020
Christmas Open House

Live Music by Jeremy Jerla!
Fri. Dec. 1 * 5 - 8 P.M.

Festivities Continue Sat. Dec. 2

Refreshments & Holiday Cheer
Mingle With Friends & Neighbors
Register for Door Prizes & Specials

Great Gift Selections
Gift Wrapping

Yellowstone Gallery
216 Park St.
Gardiner, M.T.