



The Yellowstone News

August 16, 2001

Next Deadline: September 4, 2001

A Construction Schedule Reminder:

Madison Junction to Norris Junction

May 30 - August 26 - open 9 AM - 9 PM with 30 minute delays

August 27 - November 3 - closed 24 hours/day.

Hemingway Family Fund

Mark Hemingway, the maintenance foreman at Grant Village, has been diagnosed with cancer and went to Salt Lake City to determine which type of treatment he will have to undergo. At this point in time, Mark is doing better and is now on a light work schedule. You may donate to a fund for the Hemingway's at the Yellowstone Federal Credit Union to help with his medical and family expenses. Please make checks payable to the Hemingway Family Fund, Yellowstone Federal Credit Union, P.O. Box 87, Yellowstone National Park, Wyoming 82190. Our thoughts and best wishes are with Mark and his family.

Obituary

Ray Dobbs, a long time resident of Gardiner, passed away on Monday, August 13, 2001, in Dallas, Texas. After a bout with illness and an extended hospital stay, he died in his sleep. A graveside service was held on August 16, in Elgin, Texas. For more information on memorial donations, please contact April at 848-7351.

NATIONAL PARKS DAY

Saturday, August 25, 2001

Free Entrance into all National Parks

CONGRATULATIONS

A round of applause to Tammy Wert, Steve Sarles, Collette Daigle-Berg, Bill Berg, Dave Tyroler, and others on the team CoolWorks.com. The group bicycled 575 miles in the AIDS Vaccine Ride raising \$3,400.00 to help fund AIDS research.

Position Announcement

Yellowstone Association Institute seeks Registrar for educational program inside Yellowstone National Park. Responsibilities include: taking phone calls, student registration, correspondence, and daily office operations. Requires friendly, professional manner, computer skills, and accuracy. Full description @ www.YellowstoneAssociation.org/whatsnew/index.htm. Hourly rate is \$10.00/hour plus benefits. Please send resume and three professional references to Pam Cahill, Institute Operations Manager, Box 117, Yellowstone National Park, Wyoming 82190. Closing date is August 20, 2001.

The Yellowstone News is a National Park Service employee newsletter, published monthly by the Public Affairs Office. To submit articles, notices of events, classified ads, or announcements please email yell_public_affairs@nps.gov, call 344-2013, or send via interdepartmental mail or fax to 344-2014. Please include your name and phone number with all submissions.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MULTI-FAMILY YARD SALE

Saturday, August 25, 2001, from 9:00am-1:00pm. Lots of little girls' clothes and baby items (size birth-6X). Other items include: stroller, bathtub, swing, snugli, baby monitors, other baby items, plus many household/kitchen items and merchandise waiting to be discovered. Where.....7 Solar Mountain Road (third left after the Rocky Mountain Campground on the way to Jardine).

YELLOWSTONE FEDERAL CREDIT UNION

Effective July 1, 2001, the Yellowstone Federal Credit Union will have "Free Checking". There will be no minimum checking balance required and no monthly fees. Soon we will be offering a Visa Check Card (Debit/ATM) service. The effective date for this new service will be announced in a future newsletter.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE SKILLS NEEDED

The Public Affairs Office once again is requesting assistance with foreign language skills. Anyone with knowledge of a foreign language who is not on the current list please call the Public Affairs Office at 344-2013. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

NOXIOUS WEEDS IN YOUR PARK SERVICE RESIDENCE YARD?

We ask that park residents help us **control the spread of noxious weeds** in Yellowstone National Park. Steps to **prevent and control** noxious weeds include:

- Learn to identify exotic plants including Houndstongue and Canada Thistle.
- Control Houndstongue by cutting at the base with a shovel and disposing of the seed heads in the garbage.
- Control Canada Thistle by cutting off the tops of the thistle.
- Contact Paul Miller's crew at Extension 2185 regarding identification and control of weeds.

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED.....

MAMMOTH CLINIC SUMMER HOURS

The Mammoth Clinic is open 7 days a week until the end of August. The clinic hours are 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and 2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. To make an appointment, please call the clinic at 344-7965.

LOOKING FOR PHOTOS "CELEBRATE THE LAKE"

This is an on-going photography exhibit at the Lake Ranger Station and is sponsored by the Yellowstone Employees Association. The photographs in this exhibit are from Yellowstone employees (Amfac, YPMS, YPSS, YA, Hamilton Stores, NPS, Federal Highways, etc.) who would like to have their special photograph of the lake on exhibit at the Lake Ranger Station. Any size photograph is acceptable with preference, although not mandatory, to the photograph being matted or framed for aesthetic presentation. The photographs will remain with the collection on exhibit at the Lake Ranger Station. Please call Alice Siebecker if you have any questions. She can be reached at 242-2403.

AN EDUCATIONAL EVENT

Yellowstone Center for Resources is pleased to present an educational event, August 27 and 28th, on the Nez Perce 1877 passage through Yellowstone National Park. Two public presentations by author Jerry Greene, National Park Service historian, will be held the evening of the 27th at 7:30 p.m. in the Map Room at Mammoth Hot Springs Hotel, and again on August 28th at 8:30 p.m. in the Old Faithful Visitor Center. Admission is free to park employees and the public. Park personnel are also invited to a round table discussion in Mammoth, Room A in the Canteen building from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. on August 28th. Topics for discussion include, among others, the Nez Perce route through the park; the reason for choosing the most rugged terrain; why a few Radersburg tourists were killed; some insight into why an elderly Nez Perce woman died at Indian Pond; and the profound significance of the Trail for the Nez Perce people. Please join us at this important and provocative event. For more information contact Nancy Stroupe at extension 2205 or Rosemary Sucec at extension 2229.

ANNUAL EMIGRANT FAIR

The Emigrant Fair is being held this year on September 9, 2001. The times and events are listed below.

10:00 a.m. Craft Fair (rent a table for \$15.00)
St. John's Church Hall
Emigrant

11:00 a.m. Turkey Shoot
Story Ranch

12:00 noon Turkey Dinner
Emigrant Community Hall

For more information please contact Sharon Neal at 333-4374.

PEER AWARD RECIPIENTS

George Barrett
Mark Bogdan
Chuck Bolle
Doug Coy
Sara Diedrick
Doug Hoeme
Sara Howell

Richard Jenkins
Laura Johnson
Jim Juvan
Sandy Karnes
Holly Long
Joanne MacCartney
Buck Mace

John Mack
Melissa McAdam
Scott McPherson
Sue Nell
Joy Perius
Kevin Richen
Beth Taylor

PERSONNEL NEWS

WELCOMES:

Becky Anthony, Secretary
EOD 09/02/01 Cultural Resources YCR

Cynthia Casalina, Industrial Hygienist
EOD 10/07/01

David Elwood, Farrier
EOD 07/29/01

Tom Kirchner, Maintenance Mechanic
EOD 09/09/01 Canyon

Diane Kline, Secretary
EOD 08/12/01 Public Affairs

Dave Whaley, General Equipment Mechanic
EOD 07/29/01

PROMOTIONS:

Dave Ross, Supervisory Park Ranger
EOD 07/01/01 Bechler

Shannon Savage, GIS Specialist
EOD 07/29/01 Yellowstone Center for Resources

Matthew Vandzura, Assistant Sub-District Ranger
EOD 08/26/01 Canyon

REASSIGNMENTS:

Steven Krumm, Mobile Equipment
EOD 07/29/01 Servicer

Ashley Sites, Supervisory Forestry
EOD 09/15/01 Technician

TERM APPOINTMENTS:

DeWayne Williams, Exhibit Specialist
EOD 07/29/01

FAREWELL AND BEST WISHES

Alison Robb, Mount Rainier N.P.
Tom Farrell, Wind Cave N.P.

RANGER MUSEUM VIPs, 2001

Drop in to the Ranger Museum and visit an old friend! Please call Katy Duffy, West District Interpretive Ranger, at 344-2803 for Ranger Museum VIP work schedules.

Name	Work Dates
Dale & Betty Smith	August 8 – 18
Bruce & Lee Miller	August 12 – 29
Bob Krumenaker/Ken Mabery	August 22 – September 1
Robert & Mary Davidson	September 2 – 12
Russ & Marian Case	September 5 – 15
Bob Grom	September 16 – 26
Riley & Pat McClelland	September 19 - 30

FOR SALE

Duplex with 3+ acres, 3 bedroom, bath, 2 1/2 car unattached garage/2 bedroom, bath, 2 car attached garage. Approximately 8 miles north of Gardiner. Call Mike Cretella @ 848-7263.

Hotpoint Electric Range, 4-burner, self-cleaning oven, \$50.00. Please call Carol Staton @ 344-2039 (Day) or after 5:00pm @ 848-7153.

Three (3), CLASSIC 6-way standing lamps with shades. Like new, \$25.00/apiece. CALL 344-7346.

One (1), Rear-Flare compound bow, 29-30 draw-length, 65-70 lb. Includes soft case and quiver w/15 arrows. Asking \$150.00 or best offer. Also, two (2), Side pockets, pick-up camper tie-downs, \$50.00. Call 242-7356.

1996 Ford Windstar GL minivan, 3.8L, V6, 68,000 miles. Minivan is a 7-passenger vehicle. Only one (1) owner. Excellent condition. Asking \$9500.00. Call 344-9231 (Chalfants).

Single jogger stroller for sale or will trade our double jogger. Please call Charissa Reid @ 344-6632.

FREE FOR TAKING... Panasonic KX-TC 900-with phone charger and 2 batteries (P-P592). Call Alice Siebecker @ Lake Ranger Station 242-7636 or leave a message @ 242-2403.

LABOR DAY CELEBRATION

Labor Day, legal holiday celebrated on the first Monday in September in the United States, Puerto Rico, the Canal Zone, and the Virgin Islands. The celebration of Labor Day, in honor of the working class, was initiated in the U.S. in 1882 by the Knights of Labor, who held a large parade in New York City. In 1884 the group held a parade on the first Monday of September and passed a resolution to hold all future parades on that day and to designate the day as Labor Day. Subsequently other worker organizations began to agitate for state legislatures to declare the day a legal holiday. In March 1887, the first law to that effect was passed in Colorado, followed by New York, Massachusetts, and New Jersey. In 1894 the U.S. Congress made the day a legal holiday. Parades, and speeches by labor leaders and political figures, mark Labor Day celebrations.

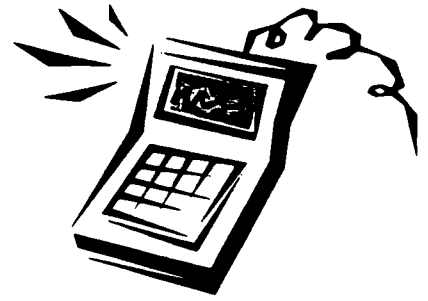
Labor Day is celebrated in Canada on the first Monday in September. The first parades and rallies to honor workers were held in 1872 in Ottawa and Toronto, and the September date was officially recognized by Parliament in 1894.

Labor Day, an Encarta Encyclopedia Article Titled "Labor Day"
"Labor Day," Microsoft ® Online Encyclopedia 2001
<http://encarta.msn.com> 1997-2001 Microsoft Corporation.

Something to ponder.....

I CHOSE TO LOOK THE OTHER WAY

I could have saved a life that day,
But I chose to look the other way.
It wasn't that I didn't care,
I had the time, and I was there.
But I didn't want to seem the fool,
Or argue over a safety rule.
I knew he had done the job before,
If I called it wrong, he might get sore.
The chances didn't seem that bad,
I've done the same, he knew I had.
So I shook my head and walked on by,
He knew the risks as well as I.
He took the chance; I closed an eye,
And with that act, I let him die.
I could have saved a life that day,
But I chose to look the other way.
Now every time I see his wife,
I'll know I should have saved his life.
That guilt is something I must bear,
But it isn't something you need to share.
If you see a risk that others take,
That puts their health or life at stake
The question asked, or things you say,
Could help them live another day.
If you see a risk and walk away,
Then hope you never have to say,
I could have saved a life that day,
But I chose to look the other way.
--Author Unknown-



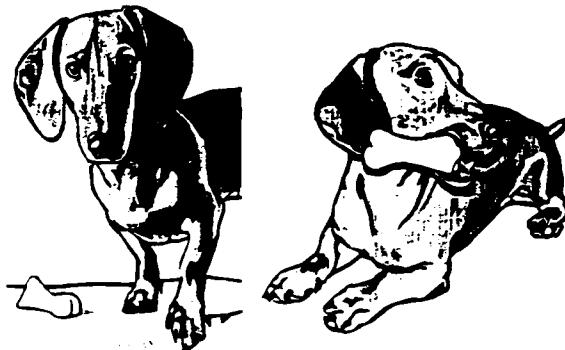
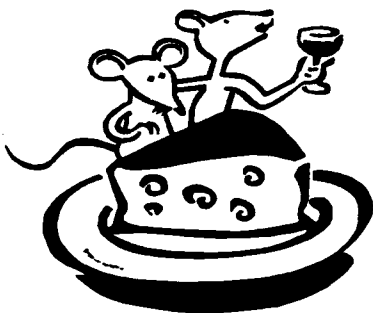
**MADELINE HALL
IS
RETIRING after 35 years**

**PLEASE JOIN US AT THE MAMMOTH
SUPPLY CENTER FOR A GOING AWAY PARTY**

**AUGUST 30, 2001
3:30 P.M.**

REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED

**BRING YOUR BEST WISHES
AND STORIES TO SHARE**



Gardiner/Mammoth Area Babysitters

Gardiner

Name	Telephone #	Age
Alexandra Chambers	848-2183	12
Brittany Chambers	848-2183	17
Ashlee Durfey	848-7179	12
Aubree Durfey	848-7179	14
Meagan Durfey	848-7179	18
Mindy Hamilton	848-7139	14
Paigen Jenkins	848-9823	13
Heather Laubach	848-7502	12
Lily McLaughlin	848-7171	12
Katie O'Dea	848-7429	13
Ester Otis	848-2335	14
Mariah Rees	848-7566	13
Sammy Saueressig	848-7679	12
Erin Tankersly	848-7209	12
Miranda Wiltse	848-7572	13

Mammoth

Sarah Bishoff	344-8919	12
Katie Mahony	344-7712	12
Katherine McCaleb	344-7772	12
Erica Perkins	344-7444	17
Erin Perkins	344-7444	19
Kelly Perkins	344-7444	14
Jennifer Sacklin	344-7455	13
Cassie Stuart	344-9098	12
Risa Stringfiled	344-7713	13