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# The Chamber Connection

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## June Message from the Chamber

Summer is here and people are on the move. I wanted to point out that the Visitor Center is now open so please feel free to stop in. Grace Sager and Breanna Roland are operating it this summer. If you have family coming to the area, stop and have them put together a packet to send out to your family. We have information from all over Western Montana. It may even help you decide where to travel and play this summer.

The big event for June is the bi-annual Crab Fest. It is on June 19th in Bockman Park. Bring your crab cracker, chair, drinks and big appetite. What a great way to celebrate Fathers Day. Tickets are on sale at Access MT, NAPA, Community Bank, Valley Bank, Ronan Flower Mill, First Interstate Bank, and Ronan Power Products. When you buy your tickets ahead of time, your name goes into a drawing for a 6 person Crab party kit. Tickets are \$30.00 for Adults and \$10.00 for 12 and under. If it rains the event will be moved to the Fair grounds.

There are a lot of fun runs on the calendar, where the money goes to a good cause. What a great way to work on getting in shape. I hope you will support your favorite charity.

Just a reminder that we are working on the new website and would love any history pictures or stores you may have to offer. Contact Roland Godan at LCCDC 676-5901 Ext. 116.

Don't forget to send me your events even through out the month. I send out weekly updates on events and would love to get the word out about yours.



## At a Glance

- >>General Chamber Meeting  
**June 4/12PM**  
Allentown Bar & Restaurant  
*Speaker: Travis Jordan*  
MT Solar LLC
- >>Ronan City Council Meeting  
**June 1/6pm**  
Ronan City Hall
- >>Peanut Butter Drive  
**Don Aadsen Ford**  
**June 5th to June 13th**  
Drop at Don Aadsen
- >>5th Annual Papa Bear Ride  
**June 6/ 10 am**  
S & S Sports, Hwy 93S
- >>2015 Shred Event  
**Whitefish Credit Union**  
**June 10/11 am-1 pm**  
110 3rd Ave, Polson
- >>Ninepipes Museum Shows  
**Olsen Artwork**  
**June 6/10 am-4 pm**  
Ninepipes Lodge
- >>Style 4 Miles 5K Run  
**Joe McDonald Fitness Ctr**  
**June 13/Start 9 am**  
Salish Kootenai College
- >>Crab Fest  
**Ronan Chamber**  
**June 16/5 pm**  
Ronan City Park
- >>Anderson Radio 40th Anniversary  
**Anderson Radio**  
**June 18th**  
36581 N. Reservoir Rd, Polson
- >>Chamber Board of Directors Meeting  
**June 17/2-5 PM**  
Ronan Chamber Office
- >>4-H Fun Run  
**Lake County 4-H**  
**June 17/2-5 PM**  
Behind Community Bank
- >>Beer & Brats Fathers Day Sale  
**Westland Seed**  
**June 20**  
Round Butte RD, Ronan
- >>Circus & Carnival  
**Safe Harbor**  
**June 27/12-6 pm**  
Lake County Fair Grounds

## 2015

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# Style 4 Miles



# Run 4 It

# June 13<sup>th</sup>

# 5K & 1 Mile Run/Walk

## W/ "Fun Challenge Stops" Start Time 9 am

### Salish Kootenai College Joe McDonald Fitness Center

## Costumes Encouraged

### Prizes for...

Best in Show Adult    Best in Show Youth

Best Duo or Group    Most Creative

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## Early Bird Registration

### Payment must be received by May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2015 to guarantee Runners Pack

*\*Late registration has additional fees.*

## REGISTER

Online: [prevention.skc.edu](http://prevention.skc.edu)

Pick up Entry Forms:

Tribal Health Fitness Centers

Valley Banks

SKC Center for Prevention & Wellness

### Fees:

Run Only: \$10

Run & Runners Pack: \$24

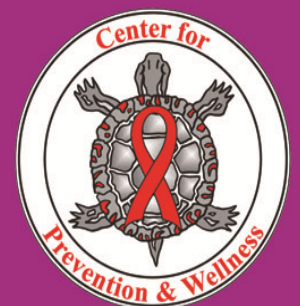
SKC Student w/ ID (includes Runners Pack): \$14

Family of 3 (includes Runners Packs): \$60

\*Each additional family member (includes Runners Pack) \$14

For More Information

Call 275.4926



**Friday, June 19th**  
**5pm at Bockman Park**  
Ronan City Park

# Crab Fest 2015

Bring your  
favorite beverage,  
chair & crab pliers!

Rainy weather  
Crab Fest will  
be moved to  
Ronan  
Fairgrounds  
Horticulture Barn



Don't miss out  
on the Duck  
Races!

## It's Good Eats!

**Ticket Pricing - \$30/person | \$10/under 10 yrs**

Ticket purchase gets  
you entered to win a  
6 person Crab Party Kit!

**RONAN AREA  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
EVENT**

More info contact  
676-8300

**Tickets available at:**

Access Montana, NAPA, Community Bank, Valley Bank,  
Ronan Flower Mill, Polson First Interstate Bank, & Power Products

Good Afternoon Fellow Ronan Chamber members,

After a very successful Flathead River Rodeo in 2014, we are excited to celebrate Native American Rodeo at its best once again this August. We strive to deliver family friendly entertainment that our community can enjoy. Flathead River rodeo gives our partners the opportunity to connect with the community through brand awareness. We want our spectators be your best customers.

We are working hard to make the 2015 Flathead River Rodeo a Success! This success is built with your support and enthusiasm for the sport of rodeo and our Community. We are embarking on our fourth year as a sanctioned Indian National Finals Rodeo Tour Stop. This brings in many people the area to enjoy our beautiful scenery and relax on the shores of Flathead Lake. We have also brought Flathead River Rodeo to the masses through syndicated television on DISH Networks HRTV. We also host the Flathead River Rodeo Viewing party in January at KwaTaqNuk Resort & Casino. This is added exposure for the area, event, & your business.

Hosting a Rodeo of this size is a great task that reaps great benefits. We see this as an opportunity for you to benefit. S&K Gaming is asking for your support through a financial contribution to the Flathead River Rodeo. We look forward to hearing your response if you have any questions please feel free to contact me at your convenience. Thank you for your time and hope to hear from you soon, my e-mail is [pwhite@cstkgaming.com](mailto:pwhite@cstkgaming.com), Phone 406-883-8368.

The link at the top is our partnership proposal with different levels of participation. As you read through the partnership proposal, we are confident you will find a program that will fit your particular needs. If you do not find a program that fits your needs, Please contact us and see how you can help— No sponsorship is too small or too large.

