

If you haven't been to the Ravalli County Fair in a while, we invite you back to experience a WOW moment!!

⇒ Lunch At Fair Wednesday—Friday : Exchange \$9 cash for a special admission ticket at the south main gate ticket booth **only** and enjoy your fair-tastic lunchtime between 11am and 2pm. Then get your \$9 back when you return your admission ticket to the same ticket booth by 2 pm. Set your watch and don't be late. If you arrive at the gate after 2 pm, you will be charged regular admission. No checks, debit cards or credit cards accepted for this promotion. Cash only! Be sure and tour the entire facility while you are here!

⇒ Grizzly Broadband is happy to announce they will be returning to the Ravalli County Fairgrounds and doing what they do best: providing free WIFI to all our amazing vendors and to our guests . We hope that you enjoy the service as well as everything that the Fair has to offer!

⇒ If you are looking to earn a gate ticket to fair, stop by the office anytime Monday—Friday, 9-4 and volunteer for one of our projects. 4 hours of volunteer service will get you a one day gate pass to fair and we have lots of projects that we could use the help to accomplish!

⇒ Thank you to all our amazing Non Profit food vendors for participating at fair! We also want to thank our Commercial food vendors for returning and partnering with a local non profit. The Fair Staff work hard to invite back popular food booths and keep on the look out for new fresh food to offer every year!

⇒ Special Shout Out to Clearwater Systems of Hamilton for providing a water wagon on the grounds. If you are looking for a refreshing sip of water, their wagon will be located on the north end of the event center, and is available at no charge to fill up your personal water bottles. Contact them directly for a free in-home water analysis and they can offer a wide range of solutions to fit your home's needs.

⇒ The Free Stage has moved to the lawn nearest the Goat Barn. The big tent gives fairgoers a place to take a break from the weather {sun or rain} and enjoy that famous fair—food, while being entertained by local musicians, dancers and more. We are extremely proud to announce the event is emceed again by News Radio KLYQ . If you have a talent you would like to share with our family-friendly fair, contact Steve Fullerton at 363-3010 to book time on the stage.

⇒ **We will be hosting our 2d annual bike giveaway for kids under 12 this year. Ravalli County Public Health will be providing free helmets to all the winners. Thank you to the following businesses for sponsoring bikes : All Valley Flooring; Bitterroot Health; Carey Kanavel, Live Love Montana Real Estate; Catherine Lindbeck, Berkshire Hathaway HomeServices; Double J Fencing; Julie Fillingham, RE/MAX Advantage; McDonald's Hamilton; Merchants Moving and Storage; Moose Creek BBQ; Peterson Glass, Polar Bear Treats, Portable Pizza Palace; Rainbow Bar; Ravalli Electric; Ravalli Republic; Rocky Mountain Bank Stevensville; Schrock Construction; Sharing Tree; Taco Del Sol Hamilton; Taylor King, State Farm Insurance; The Place Church; Up N Smokin' BBQ House; Vern's Landscape; Wimp's Body Works and Zacha Construction.**

⇒ Did you know entries are not only open to Ravalli County residents but also to residents of Missoula County, Granite County, Deer Lodge County and Beaverhead County.

⇒ This year the Ravalli County Fair is teaming up with North Star Amusements to offer a special time for sensory affected children on Thursday September 1st from 10am to noon. We will have 150 custom armbands available starting 45 days from Fair, first come first get. North Star Amusements will be making certain rides available with no lights or music. We ask that sufficient chaperones participate with the children to facilitate lines and support on & off the rides. The Ravalli County Fairgrounds will be offering free gate to those sensory affected children and a companion.

