

Spring 2010

Electronic Newsletter

Welcome to the spring 2010 newsletter!

The new season at Polson Motorcoach Resort starts next month in April; we look forward to welcoming back owners, returning guests and new visitors to this most beautiful resort in The Flathead Valley region of Montana.



"A beautiful spring day from one of our magnificent view lots"

New view lots.

We have been busy during the winter months preparing the resort to ensure that everything is all set for the new season. New phenomenal view lots are being completed along the entire front row. Each lot combines a level of privacy with wonderful views of the surrounding vista. We are certain these lots will become some of our most desirable lots in the resort.



Working during the winter months to ensure completion by spring 2010



A new sales office.

A new sales office has been built to welcome guests and owners to the resort. Our on-site contractors will be showcasing different finishes in the landscape amenities to give new lot owners some inspiration in selecting the finishing touches to their property.

Paul London will be manning the sales office, assisted by Jan Myers, our new associate employee (more about the wonderful Jan later in the newsletter).







2010 Trade Shows

We have already shown at The FMCA Rally, Indio California and again in Florida in 2010. If you missed either of these shows, we will be at the FMCA Rally in Albuquerque, March 22–25th and in Redmond Oregon August 11–14th. For more information please click the links below

FMCA Rally Albuquerque March 22-25th

FMCA Rally Redmond Oregon August 11-14th

Once again we will be partnering with our friends at *Big Rigs Best Bets*, we love their book and feel certain you will want their latest addition - come by to see us and kill two birds with one stone.

We will be delighted to tell you more about the resort and provide you with additional information about lot purchase and rentals for the upcoming season.



The Resort - Spring 2010













Casey's Corner

Welcome to Casey's corner. As you all know I am your one stop read for an update or two on what is going on in the Northwest. In the past, I wrote about a few of the many fun things to do away from Polson. Now I am going to bring it down a notch and mention some great things to do here in Polson. Polson has two great museums that are fun for all ages. The Flathead Historical Museum covers local history of the Flathead Reservations. The life in 1910 exhibits at the Homesteaders' Kitchen, Bedroom and Schoolroom are very impressive. The Historical Museum features a great hands-on Kids' corner with activities, books and a dress-up to the period area. The Historical Museum also has the largest Model Railroad in NW Montana, and it also features the Lewis and Clark Expedition Marionettes made by Blanche Harding. Blanche was a long time Polson resident with an extraordinary talent. Her marionettes were not only fine pieces of working art they were researched representations of Montana and American history. Polson also has the Miracle of America Museum on HWY 93 heading south about 3 miles from downtown Polson. The Miracle of America Museum has over 12,000 artifacts to reflecting America's progress since 1776. You will need to take a day or two to view all of the amazing buildings, boats, vintage cars, trappers' cabin, logging displays, and much more. The Miracle of America Museum is for all ages, so gather up the clan and head on down to relive some great history. If shopping is your heart's desire, head to Polson's downtown. You will find clothing stores, shoe stores, antique shops and souvenir shops If you guilt, knit, or crochet, visit the All in Stitches store in the downtown area. There are lots of great projects there. If you need a Latte' or a bite to eat, Quinn's Wrap Shack is the place for you. So get up off your couch, slip on some walking shoes and head on out for some adventure on a historical trip or a little shopping in Polson's downtown area.

Casey Dahl









SPECIAL OFFER

Pay for one night and get one night FREE under the big skies of Montana!

Stay any two nights during the 2010 season subject to availability.

Reservations are required, based on availability. Please mention this Coupon when calling to make your reservation.

(888) 883-2151

Must present coupon at check-in.

coupon code N1



Our newest employee - Jan Myers

We are extremely happy to introduce to you our newest associate employee, Jan Myers. We must first acknowledge that all of the spring photos shown in the newsletter were taken by Jan – so right away you will know she is a talented photographer!

Jan is originally from Seattle and has lived mostly in Polson since 1985. Her grandfather homesteaded here from Sweden and brought his Russian bride to live and raise their family in 1922. Marie Johnson was a well known Polson figure and her life story is remembered in a book. There's a copy in the lending library in the laundry room if anyone is interested in reading up on some local history! Prior to coming to Montana, Jan lived in Anchorage, Alaska, for two years which she enjoyed very much. She has worked most of her life as a secretary in many fields including, aviation, oil, law, accounting, real estate, marketing, human resources, stock photography and the federal government. Jan is an avid photographer and especially loves capturing the local beauty of Montana and the abundant wildlife. Her dream is to travel the world capturing it all on camera. Jan lives in a small log cabin tucked in the hills on the west side of Flathead Lake with her four dogs. Last summer Jan hosted a traveling teddy bear from England who gets passed from photographer to photographer and has been all over the world. If you'd like to see their Montana adventured together click here: http://www.pbase.com/frimpong

You can see some of Jan's other photos of Montana here: http://www.pbase.com/janmyers/montana_living

Here is Jan in front of her grandparents farm house with Frimpong the Travelling Bear.





Featured Lot

Developers Model Lot for sale: purchase this fully landscaped lot for only \$139,000.00

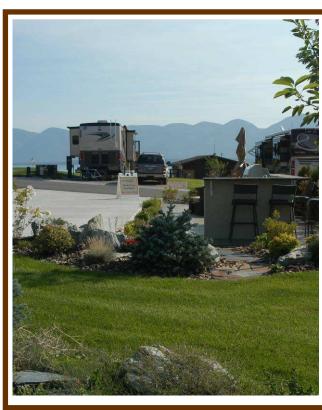




- Move-in ready
- Large Concrete RV Pad
- Stamped Concrete Patio
- Barbeque Island with built in Grill, Sink, Fridge & Storage
- Commercial Grade stainless steel appliances
- Hand crafted granite counter top
- Fully landscaped
- In ground water feature

Interested parties, please contact Paul London (406) 250-9100







A line up of what's happening in Polson June & July.....

• June 14-19, 2010, PLAYERS KIDS CAMP "100 CANDLES"

The Port Polson Players present their summer Kids Camp "100 Candles" to commemorate Polson's 100th birthday. The camp runs from June 14 - 19. For more information, contact the Box Office at 883 - 9212. Contact The Box Office at 406-883-9212 for more information.

• June 19 & 20, 2010, RELAY FOR LIFE

Lake County Relay for Life will be held June 19th and 20th at the Polson High School Sports Complex. It is an all night event to celebrate those who have won the battle against cancer, remember those who have lost their battle and to fight back against the disease so that people cannot be hurt by cancer in the future. There are activities through the night, plenty of food, lots of laughs and many tears. It is truly an amazing experience that everyone is invited to participate in and help us toward one common goal...to find a cure for cancer! All Survivors and their caregivers are invited to the Survivor Reception at 4:30 PM to celebrate life the best way we know how. Opening Ceremony begins at 6 PM with the Luminaria Ceremony at dusk and the Closing Ceremony at 7 AM. Contact Karen Dellwo at 406-261-1001 for more information.

June 25-26, 2010, MISSION MOUNTAIN PRCA RODEO

Polson Mission Mountain PRCA Rodeo at the Polson Fairgrounds- Starts at 8PM on both days. This event is a two night action packed Pro Rodeo in a beautiful setting at the Polson Fairgrounds arena. The Fairgrounds are located across the bridge on Hwy 93 North and bordered by the Flathead River with spectacular views of the Mission Mountains and Flathead Lake. Youth Events: Mutton Bustin/Miniature Bull Riding start at 7PM. Contact Una Rose Graham at 406-883-1100 for more information.

June 30 - July 18, 2010, LOVERS' LEAP

The Port Polson Players present the comedy "Lovers' Leap" June 30 - July 18. More information coming . . . Contact The Box Office at 883-9212 for more information

• June 30-July 4, 2010, ARLEE POW-WOW

Open to the public and free admission. Please check out their website for the events schedule at www.arleepowwow.com. Arts, Crafts, Stick Games, Dance Competitions, Indian and other various ethnic foods. Sponsored by the Confederated Salish & Kootenai Tribal Nation and Yamncut (Drum Groups). Absolutely no alcohol, fiearms, unleashed dogs or motorcycles in the camp area. Powwow Grounds on Powwow Road, Arlee July 4, 2010, 1776 FIRECRACKER RUN

July 4, 2010 at 12:00 Noon, 4th OF JULY PARADE/CELEBRATIONS

Show some patriotism and community spirit by entering the Polson Fourth of July parade.

July 16-18, 2010, STANDING ARROW POW-WOW

Standing Arrow Powwow at Elmo Powwow Grounds. Grand Entry at 1PM and 7PM. Contact Gina Big Beaver at (406)849-5659 for more information

July 17-18, 2010, LIVE HISTORY DAYS

You'll want to be at the Miracle of America Museum's annual Live History Days celebration July 17th and 18th. There you can watch and often try your hand at numerous crafts. There will be duck decoy carving, spinners, weavers of both wool and wheat straw, lace makers, embroidery and leather workers, quilters, and Native Americans doing bead work, basket making, and soap making. There will be a buck-skinner with a black powder gun, axe throwers, a fly tier, blacksmiths and operators of engines, antique vehicles and tractors. There will be three trains, a tank, army rigs and other vehicle rides, even a pump railroad velocipede, an operating sawmill, and schoolhouse activities. Munch a lunch in the afternoon while you relax and enjoy Montana old time fiddlers, accordionists, banjo pickers and more. Additional artists and craftspeople are welcome to join in for any of the two day event. This is held rain or shine and the main building is air conditioned. Admission is \$5.00 for all over age three, and all rides are included as often as desired. The food is extra. On Sunday at 2 PM, there will be a big screen showing of "Smoke on the Waters" a documentary of steamboats of Flathead Lake, followed by "Timberjack" a 1950's movie partially filmed here. To find us, take either Memory Lane (frontage road) exit off Highway 93 just south of Polson.

Contact Miracle of America Museum at (406) 883-6804 or (406) 883-6264. for more information

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July 17-18, 2010, POLSON MAIN STREET FLATHEAD CHERRY FESTIVAL

Please click on this link for <u>Flathead Cherry Festival schedule of events</u>. This Family event will be held on the main streets of Polson with over 150 vendors. There will be everything from arts and crafts, food, live entertainment, children's activities, cherry spitting contest, homemade cherry pies, jewelry, woodworking to log furniture and more. Our local businesses will have lots of specials going on in their stores.

• July 21 - August 8, 2010, THAT'S THE POOP

The Port Polson Players present the musical comedy "That's the Poop" July 21 - August 8. More information coming . . .

Contact The Box Office at 406-883-9212 for more information

July 19 - 22, 2010, WHAT A RELIEF! PRINTMAKING

Jenny Tiskus presents a 5 day printmaking workshop July 26 - 30 from 1:00 - 4:00 pm. Contact The Sandpiper Art Gallery at 406-883-5956 for more information

• July 23-25, 2010, 3-ON-3 HOOP SHOOT

Flathead Lake 3-on-3 on Main Street in Polson. 3 on 3 basketball tournament with 300 teams.

• July 29, 2010, PLEIN AIRE WATERCOLOR

Patrick Berry presents the workshop Plein Aire Watercolor on July 29 from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm. Contact The Sandpiper Art Gallery at 406-883-5956 for more information

• July 31, 2010, CHUCKWAGON BBQ

The annual Chuckwagon BBQ for St Joseph Medical Center will be held July 31, 2010 beginning at 5:30 PM at McCrumb's Barn on Finley Point.

We hope you have enjoyed this Spring Newsletter, please feel free to contact us anytime for more information. We look forward to seeing you soon.

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