

Dina - please send this out to the membership... Thanks.

BECON, July 17, 2020

This morning there were around 30 members in attendance, which isn't bad considering the times we're experiencing.

Announcements:

Brews & BBQ is tomorrow. Bruce still needs 4 or 5 members to fill each of the last 2 shifts, starting at 3:30 and 6:30. If you and/or your spouse/SO are Rserveing certified, please help fill these shifts. Members will be REQUIRED to wear masks and gloves when pouring.

SAVE THE DATE - BEC is partnering with Liberty and Vine for litter pickup on Sunday, August 9, 8-10 a.m. Meet at Liberty and Vine parking lot by 8 a.m., 2019 Montana Ave. Volunteers will spread out and cover the area from Montana Ave to METRA and up Airport Road to the rims. Treats will be enjoyed by all after the litter pickup.

Friday, July 24 will be the Book of Golden Deeds award presentation/celebration. Please attend if at all possible.

Bob Bushing's memorial will be on Wednesday, July 22 at 10:30 in the small chapel at Faith E, located at 32nd and Central.

Bill Du cher and Ray Massey were in attendance for a short time to give us a rundown of the fair changes for this year. Many fairs around the state have been canceled due to Ovid-19, but since MET RA has instituted a new ticketing system, Montana fair will go on. The new ticketing system will help keep track of the number of fair attendees - 3000 MAX will be allowed onto the grounds at one time. It will be like a full restaurant - when people leave, the same number of people will be allowed onto the grounds. The carnival will have a much different feel this year as there will be quite a distance between rides. Montana Fair will be extended to 17 days instead of the normal 11. Beginning next week, July 24-26 and continuing the following weekend July 30-31, August 1-2 open 2-11 p. m. these days. Then Montana Fair will be going August 6-15, daily 4-11 p.m.

The only people that will be allowed into the animal barn will be those involved with 4H. There will be no spectators allowed in to see the animals. The sale will be held in the MET RA.

There won't be night-time entertainment in the MET RA - however, the entertainment on the grounds will continue... with beer sales.

Luke Combs has rescheduled for 2021, as has Cher. Toby Keith tickets are still selling for his July show, but will likely also be rescheduled for a 2021 date. BR is coming September 11-13 with 4400 attendees slated for each show.

Any questions, contact Dina. She will answer your question later in the week , as she will be on a hiking trip with no cell service and no access to email.

Until next week... Rocket