BECON 11-24-2023

Twas the morning after Thanksgiving and not a breakfast to be found but I am sure there were shoppers all around. Since there was no breakfast on Thursday morning, I thought I would send out a short BECON to give everyone the down low on what is coming in December.

As per my email a week ago, the House committee and board were looking for sponsors for the year end breakfast. Huge thanks go out to Ben Keysor and Bryce Glen for stepping up and donating the money needed for our year end breakfast. After checking with the board, we will plan on having the breakfast on December 15th. Just like last year, since this is a special breakfast, we will need to know ahead of time if you plan on attending. A sign up sheet will start going around at breakfast, you can also email Tony and let him know you are coming. If you would like to donate a give away for the breakfast let him know as well.

Through December 1st, all of the Exchange Clubs in Billings will be collecting hats, gloves and socks for Tumbleweed. Make sure that you have your items at the next breakfast. If you can't make it to breakfast, please let the club know, someone can pick it up from you. We don't know if this is a competition, BUT our club should still win!

Festival of Trees is fast approaching. The gala and auction are on November 30th. The Family Tree is still looking for volunteers to help out over the weekend. If you would like to volunteer you can reach out to Kelli at 406.252.9799. The club members that will be representing us at the gala are Steph and Rob Romsa, Darryl Weber, Tim and Ashley Harada and Kim and Pat Lewis.

The BEC Holiday party will be hosted by the social committee on January 13th, stay tuned for more details!

Bill Kennedy said they still need donations for Wreaths at the National Cemetery. Donations can be sent to Friends of the National Cemetery, PO Box 23004, Billings MT 59104.

The Grants committee along with the FTB committee granted \$4,000 for the Grateful Givings that the Legion puts on. The money goes for turkeys and was much needed.

Steph mentioned that we are trying to get the Senior Lights Tour back up and running again. Stay tuned for more details, but we are planning to get two Jefferson Lines Motor Coaches to pickup Seniors at either the Adult Resource Alliance or the Senior Center and take them out to see the lights. It will be Monday, December 4th or Tuesday, December 5th.

Gobble Gobble!!

<u>Upcoming Volunteer</u> <u>Opportunities</u>	
MSU-B 4:30	11-30
MMA Fights 6:00	12-2
Bush & Bad W 5:15	Volves 12-3
MSU-B 6:15	12-6
MSU-B 5:15	12-8
MSU-B 4:45	12-9
Chase Hawks 5:15	1 2-2 3

