Grizzly bear in Helmville area Salmon Prairie appears to be an early riser

Students on 9-11



in top 10 r State Bee Geograph

Jacob Wood

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"Voices from the Valley

Thursday, April 11, 200:

lee begins

A couple of loons (center and upper center left) enjoy the inlet to Salmon Lake Tuesday as the ice begins its annual retreat. Salmon Lake will be one of the first lakes

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Evening classes are Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 5:15 to 6:15 p.m. in the new gym at Seeley Lake Elementary School. Monday-Cardio toning, Wednesday-Step, and Thursday class alternates a rope/step program and a kick-box program. A monthly calendar is posted at Seeley Lake Elementary School.

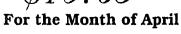
Registration fee is \$15.00 per month for Walk-Fit and \$25.00 a month for Step, Kick and Cardio toning.

Please call the Seeley Swan YMCA Outreach for more information at 677-3330.

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PUBLIC MEETINGS

S.L. Chamber, 2nd Thur, 7am, Filling Station S.L. ORU, 2nd Thur. 7pm, fire hall

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Editorial Comment

Chips ... bits & pieces

The remainder of Salmon Prairie student essays on the September 11, 2001 World Trade Center tragedy are printed in this issue. One of the essays last week was by Jacob Wood, a seventh grader at Salmon Prairie's one-room school taught by Chantel

Jacob Wood made more news later last week when he finished in the top 10 in the State at the geography bee in Billings, which was won by a Helena eighth grader, Matthew Downhour. Wood competed against 92 students from Montana schools. Salmon Prairie school may seem quite isolated, but there are some world-savvy kids there. Good going, Jacob.

-Gary Noland



Jacob Wood Top 10 in State

Charlo and Cascade finish at top in SSHS Invitational

Charlo took the girls team title and Cascade the boys' division at the Seeley Invitational

For SSHS boys, who finished in ninth place, Zach Nelson earned the only first place when he took the 800 in 2:13.69. Cody Hard finished third in the 200 (24.41), third in the long jump (19-0), and fifth in the triple jump (38-8). The relay team was fifth in the 1,600

Abbie Christianson earned a first for SSHS girls, who finished in fifth place, with a javelin toss of 117-5. Beth Copenhaver finished fourth in the 300 hurdles (52:15), and fifth in the 200 (29:04). Christie Sullivan was sixth in the 1.600 in 6:51.37. Jesse Diamond was third in the high jump at 4-8, and the girls' relay team took third in the 400 (56.94) and fourth in the

Lincoln's Iditarod Day Set for April 13

'The Magnificent Seven," the seven mushers who participated in the 2002 1,100 mile Alaska Iditarod Sled Dog Race, will be in Lincoln for the 2nd Annual Iditarod Day on April 13, at the Historic Community Hall. The celebration starts at 2:00 p.m., after a 1:30 press

The seven area mushers who participated in this year's race are Doug Swingley, Daniel Vetsch, Harmony Kanayle and Jason Barron of Lincoln; Jim Gallea of Seeley Lake; John Barron of Helmville, and Karen Land from Sand Coulee.

Several hundred people from around the state came to Lincoln for last year's Iditarod Day, which honored four-time winner Doug Swingley. Swingley will be on hand this year and will have last year's poster available for his autograph.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Missoula High School District No. 1, Missoula County, Montana, will hold an election on May 7, 2002, at Missoula County. The polls will be open between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. The election is for the purpose of voting on the following:

BOARD OF TRUSTEES* One High School Trustee for Three Years (District D) [Seeley Lake, Swan Valley, Sunset, Potomac and Clinton Districts] GENERAL FUND LEVY ELECTION

Missoula High School District No. 1 Shall the district be authorized to impose an increase in local property taxes to support the general fund in the amount of One Hundred Forty Thousand Four Hundred Seventy Eight Dollars (\$140,478), which is approximately 1.08 mills for the purpose of general maintenance and operation of Missoula High School District No. 1? Passage of this proposal will increase the taxes on a home with a market value of \$100,000 by approximately \$2.57 and on a home with a market value of \$200,000 by approximately \$5.15.

TECHNOLOGY SPECIAL LEVY ELECTION

Missoula High School District No. 1

Shall the trustees be authorized to impose a levy in the amount of Four Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$450,000), which is approximately 3.45 mills, for the purchase, rental, repair, maintenance and depreciation of technological equipment, including computers and computer network access, as well as associated technology training for personnel for Missoula High School District No. 1? Passage of this levy will increase the taxes on a home with a market value of \$100,000 by approximately \$8.23 and on a home with a market value of \$200,000 by approximately \$16.46.

Dated: April 9, 2002

All regular school polling places will be used.

ABSENTEE BALLOTS MAY BE OBTAINED BY APPLYING IN WRITING OR IN PER-SON TO THE ELECTIONS ADMINISTRATOR, MISSOULA COUNTY COURTHOUSE, BEFORE NOON ON MONDAY, MAY 5, 2002.

*When the trustees...call a school election, they shall give notice of the election not less than 20 days nor more than 30 days before the day of the election by posting notices in 3 public places in the district. (MCA Section 20-20-204)

Chappel chosen Small Water System Operator of the Year

Vince Chappell, General Manager of the Missoula County/Seeley Lake Water District, was chosen by the Montana Section of the American Water Works Association (MSAWWA) as its Small Water System Operator of the Year. He will receive the award at MSAWWA's annual conference on April 11 in Great Falls.

Vince is a graduate of the MSU-Northern Water Quality Technology Program. Following graduation, Vince became an operator at the Chinook Water Treatment Plant. After two years as an operator, Vince took over full operation of the plant until September 2000.

In September, 2000 Vince moved to Seeley Lake to run the water treatment plant. At Seeley Lake, Vince has done an outstanding job understanding and improving the plant and treating cold, low turbidity lake water - a difficult treatment situation. Vince continues to provide excellent quality, safe drinking water to the citizens of Seeley Lake.

Vince is married and has three children.

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The following special districts will hold Trustee/Commissioner elections with the School Election in Missoula County on Tuesday, May 7, 2002.

DISTRICT **PRECINCTS POLLING PLACE** Greenough Potomac Fire Service Area Potomac Community Ctr. Greenough Potomac Fire Service Area Sunset School 26.1, 26.2 Seeley Lake Hospital District 26.1 Sunset School Seeley Lake Hospital District 27.2, 27.3 Seeley Lake Elementary School Seeley Lake Hospital District 28 1. Swan Valley School/Condon

Absentee ballots may be requested in writing from the County Election Administrator during a period beginning 75 days before the day of the election, and ending at noon on the day before the election. A ballot shall be sent to electors submitting valid requests after the official ballot is printed.

Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. in all precincts. For further information, call the Missoula County Elections office at 406-523-4751. Dated this 2nd day of April, 2002

Missoula County Election Administrator

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Family Nurse Practitioner, and Brett Hollis, Family Nurse Practi-

tioner who will be seeing patients during the transition period. They are supported by the Family Practice Missoula physicians.

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MEDICAL

A Grizzly along the Blackfoot Already

by Mike Thompson

It's tempting to think of the large male grizzly bear that appeared on a Helmville-area ranch last week as an early riser, especially with the slow spring we've experienced. Actually, he's right on schedule.

he average alarm clock goes off on April 11 in grizzly bear dens along the Swan Range. That's according to a study of 30 radio-collared bears on the northern edge of the Bob Marshall Wilderness Area by Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks researchers Rick Mace and John Waller from 1987

And, it's no coincidence that this first grizzly to make its presence known this spring in a rancher's bone yard along the Blackfoot River, not far downstream from Aunt Molly Wildlife Management Area, is an adult male. Mace and Waller also reported that the average adult male denned for a shorter period each winter (148 days), while adult females with cubs denned the longest on the average (177 days). So, it's not surprising to find that adult males emerged from their dens earliest on the average (April 2), and females with cubs emerged latest (April

We have no way of knowing how long our local bruin has been suffering with his insomnia, but he would have had to get up pretty early this spring to set any records. The earliest emergence of a grizzly from its den in Mace and Waller's seven-year study was March 13. And, it was an adult male, of course.

There is one thing, however, that might set the Helmville grizzly apart from your average bear. You see, even though adult males emerge from their dens earlier in the spring than

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adult females, they don't really go anywhere or do anything for quite awhile. Men, I'm sorry for the strife that this statement might cause in your household, but Mace and Waller were compelled to report the truth. In fact, adult male grizzlies remained in the vicinity of their dens for an average of 17 days after first emergence. longer than any other sex and age class.

This only makes the Helmville grizzly unusually ambitious if it has already traveled quite a ways from its den site to reach its current feeding area. The law of averages tells us that this bear probably did not den in the low country along the Blackfoot River. Bears in the Swan Range denned at an average of 6,100 feet in elevation, usually on very steep slopes not far from the nearest ridgetop. Grizzlies tend to seek out deep snow zones for insulation and, probably, security for

You might be right if you suggested that the northern Swan Range is a poor model for predicting den sites that bears in the Blackfoot Valley might use. Maybe grizzlies that forage on the expansive flatlands along the Blackfoot River den in habitats that differ markedly from those of bears that never poke their noses out of the Swan Range. Maybe our Blackfoot bears den in places more like those selected by grizzlies that roam the plains along the Rocky Mountain Front, near

Fortunately, FWP researchers Keith Aune and Wayne Kasworm studied grizzly bears along the Rocky Mountain Front from 1981-1989, and located 70 dens. The lowest elevation at which a den was located was 5,100 feet, and the average was 7,055 feet. They reported that 95% of the dens were above 6,200 feet, and all

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Game Range Ramblings

by Mike Thompson, Wildlife Biologist Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks

others were located in remote country

west of the Continental Divide, far from

the plains where many grizzlies for-

Helmville is indeed a hear of consid-

erable interest to FWP managers and

the local community. Because if it

climbed out of a distant, snow-covered

winter bed as early as it must have to

shake off its lingering stupor and al-

ready make the trip to the Blackfoot, it

probably had something on its mind.

Possibly, something like the past ex-

road-killed deer. There is probably no

more effective way for a grizzly to be-

gin recovering condition in the early

the reason why FWP has assigned

Jamie Jonkel to perform the duties of

"Bear Management Specialist" in the

Blackfoot watershed, including the

Clearwater, and why the Forest Ser-

vice and other organizations are con-

tributing funding toward his efforts.

These are some of the bears that scav-

enge on roadsides and ranches, and

may come into conflict with people.

around the block with a bear of this ilk.

When he worked with grizzlies in

This is not Jamie's first time

Bears with this idea are much of

ng than to feed on carrion.

perience of dead cows, horses and

Odds are that this bear near

aged at other times of the year.





Yellowstone National Park years ago. Jamie says he knew of a big male that would emerge in February and plow through the 8-foot snowpack to prey on elk that were doing the same. If was Yellowstone's version of a Blackfoot bonevard.

Now, just because our bear was in the Helmville area last week, that doesn't mean it won't be near Ovando or Seeley Lake this week or next. We iust don't know. And, it's Jecause we don't know enough that Jamie is working with local landowners to capture and radio-collar this bear.

The idea is not to move it. In fact. if the bear is caught, it will be released at the capture site, beside the bone yard that it already discovered for itself. At this writing, FWP has no information to suggest that the bear has killed livestock or poses an unusual threat to people.

Instead, FWP's purpose is to teach this bear a lesson and monitor its response. If Jamie is successful in catching this bear, he will first radiocollar it, and then perform what is known as a "hard release." The idea, as practiced with promising results by FWP on nuisance bears in the Kalispell region, is to pepper the bear's butt with rubber bullets and the like to teach

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them that they never want to come back to this place again. With the radio collar in place. Jamie will be able to find the bear periodically thereafter, and learn how it responds. Hopefully this information will allow FWP to prevent conflicts in the future, by providing FWP with opportunities to continue the bear's "hard" education, if necessary, and to identify garbage and other situations that attract bears to humans.

Jamie's work on reducing attractants is expanding. For the third successive year, he is collecting livestock carcasses from cooperating ranchers to retire boneyards in areas of potential conflict. It is not at all clear how the bears will respond as these traditional sources of early spring food are removed. Which is all the more reason to have a few of them radio-col-

Maybe this Helmville-area bear was the first grizzly in the Blackfoot Valley this year, or maybe it was just the first one that showed itself to us Regardless, we will soon be aware of several others. Now is the time to reinstate your good habits of keeping a clean yard, a clean camp, and a can of pepper spray on your hip while hik-

Author here Saturday for Library opening

Celebrate the New Library

Visit the new Seeley Lake Li-2002 from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. to celand National Library Week. Missoula author Dorothy Hinshaw and she will read some of her Earth, Baby Horses, and How Incopies will be available for purchase.

Senior Nutrition Program Menu

The following meals will be served next week promptly at noon at the Seeley Lake Senior Citizens Center, Reservations please - 677-2008. Call before 10:00 a.m.

Monday, April 15 **Beef Pasties** Tuesday, April 16 Baked Ham Wednesday, April 17 Swedish Meatballs Thursday, April 18 Turkey Supreme Friday, April 19 Spaghetti with Meat Sauce

Condon Area Senior Lunch

The Hungry Bear Steak House is serving lunch to Condon area seniors (60 and older) on Mondays and Thursdays at 1::00 p.m. Please call the Hungry Bear at 754-2240 for reservations prior to 5:00 p.m. the day before. This program is sponsored by Swan Valley Senior Services.

Thursday, April 11 Grapefruit juice, Ham Slice,

Baked Potato, Green Salad, Peaches, Cookie Monday, April 15.

Grapefruit Juice, Stroganoff. Thursday, April 18

Orange Juice, Swiss Steak, cuit, Jello/Fruit

brary, located at Seeley-Swan High School, on Saturday, April 13, ebrate the opening of the library Patent will be visiting the library, books to the audience. Ms. Patent has written over 100 non-fiction books for children and young adults. Titles include Shaping the sects Communicate. Autographed

Carrots, Roll, Cole Slaw, Pudding

Baked Potato, Green Beans, Bis-

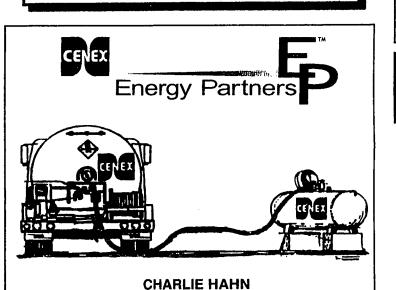
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Nemmers receives Lions Club scholarship

As part of ongoing contributions in support of the community, beginning this year the Seeley Lake Lions Club is offering a \$500 scholarship to a graduating student at Seeley-Swan High School. This scholarship will be available annually to a senior student.

This year, the committee has selected Desiree Nemmers to be the recipient. Desiree has chosen to attend the University of Montana and will receive her scholarship on May 20, 2002 at the high school awards ceremony.





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Tuesday, April 16

Thursday, April 18

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152 SOS Road
Ph: 677-2688 or 258-6815 Pastor~Father Ray Gilmore

Mountain Lakes Presbyterian Church Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) Worship~10:00 a.m. 3292 Hwy 83 North Phone~677-3575 Pastor~Scott Anthony

Spirit of Christ Episcopal Fellowship Worship~2nd Saturday of each month at the Senior Center~5:00 p.m.

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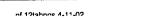
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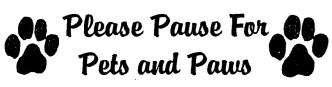
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SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE

The Seeley Lake Rural Fire District is holding a special meeting on April 16, 2002, at 6 p.m. to amend the 2001-2002 budget. This meeting is open to the public. The Department is receiving grant money from the Department of Natural Resources and Conservation to conduct wildland home inspections with that grant money. This will not affect the amount of taxes paid by the taxpayers in any



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Paws Up

to Werner and Mika Probst, who saved a little dog's life when they found it out by their home and took it in and warmed it up. The little guy is at Paws Up Safe Home, and we have had no calls. How did this little guy get out so far? Would a human dump this little innocent? Thankfully we have caring people like the Probsts, who love animals and care!

Paws Up

to the several calls made by concerned people about a Springer Spaniel running on the highway north of Seeley Lake. We believe we contacted the right owner. Thank you all for your concern!

Paws Up

to Mrs. S. who called in about getting a county license. We had a nice visit and she is going to contact Renee about getting a form so she can license her 6 pound attack dog

Along this line, I had another call from a party who had no idea dogs were to have a county license. Seems Animal Control had contacted this party about running dogs and not being licensed. Once again, be a responsible pet owner. License your dogs, keep ID on them, keep their shots current and keep your pets on your property. People do not have to put up with your dogs! Spay and neuter your dogs and cats unless you are a licensed breeder! We now have puppies in this community which no one wants because of the breed and because people did not spay and neuter, although advised to and invited to take advantage of our spay and neuter program. So when these little puppies end up on the street. abused or at Animal Control, the people who let their dogs run unneutered and unspayed should be the ones to watch these little animals' fate. Then we see the overbreeding of little dogs and puppies sold for \$10-\$20 or given away and with every litter putting the little mother dog in danger of dying. Where is the compassion we humans are supposed to have? In my opinion, one needs to get their dog spayed.

Deep Sadness

Paws Up to the two ladies who called and brought a tiny dog to Dr. Leslie Strope. The little dog had been run over. The lady who ran it over is devastated. Dr. Leslie called me to help. The little dog was in deep shock, cold and had a broken leg with possible internal injuries. As the little dog had no ID, it took us time to locate the owner. We put it in warm water and Dr. Strope did everything possible. We worked hard with the little dog for 2 hours. The owner arrived and took the little doo to a clinic in Missoula. We did ask for an update as to the little dog, but so far we have not received a call. While holding the little dog in the bathtub, Dr. Leslie managed to turn the wrong knob and I got half a bath, which was OK, as it covered up the tears. Please people, don't let your dogs run, and please keep ID on them. Although we have not heard from the owners, Dr. Leslie and I agree we would do it all over again. We both canceled appointments to try and save a little dog we did not know to let it know that, in possibly its last hours of life, it was held, soothed, cared for and loved.

Paws Up

to Mr. and Mrs. Walt Smith of PA and Seeley Lake for the nice donation and

Paws Up also for a very nice letter and donation from a gracious lady who wishes to remain anonymous, which she sent as a memorial to their beloved Boo Boo who went to The Rainbow Bridge in February.

Thank you B's for the letter and donation. I won't thank you in the column. but we do in our hearts. Your thanks are so important and please remember, we could not do what we do without all of you out there.

Elinor Williamson,	Paws Up Safe Home
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BEFORE THE DEPART-MENT OF REVENUE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA REGISTRATION & LICENS-ING

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A CORPORATE STOCK OWNERSHIP CHANGE FOR MONTANA ALL-ALCO-HOLIC BEVERAGE LI-CENSE NO. 04-000-5296-001

On February 6, 2002, Holland application for the Corporate Stock Ownership change of a license to be used at HOLLAND LAKE LODGE, 1947 Holland Lake Rd., Condon, Missoula County, Mon-

Protests against an application must be (1) made in writing, (2) out in section 16-4-405, MCA, for termine public convenience and mailed to the Department of Rev- a denial of a license, and public necessity, a hearing will be held in enue, Liquor Licensing, PO Box convenience and necessity as set the county in which the proposed 1712, Helena Montana 59624- out in section 16-4-203, MCA. If premises is located. All qualified 1712, and (3) received and date the protested application is for a protesters will be notified of the

2002. Protests will be accepted and of adjoining counties only.

letter must be signed by the pronames and signatures of more than one protester will not be consid-

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stamped by the Department no transfer of ownership not involvlater than the 28th day of April, ing a transfer of location, the grounds for protest are limited to from creditors of the transferor or those set out in section 16-4-405, from residents of the county from MCA. Protest letters that do not which the application originates provide the information described in this paragraph will not be con-Each protester is required to mail sidered valid protest letters. Only a separate letter of protest. Each those grounds for protest raised in valid protest letters will be considtester. Protest petitions bearing the ered at hearing. An individual's testimony will be limited to the grounds for protest raised in that

ered. Protest letters must provide individual's valid protest letter. Lake Lodge, Inc. - Christian the license number, trade name, or If the Department receives a suf-Wolfeil, sole shareholder, filed an applicant name associated with the ficient number of protests to triglicense being protested for identi- ger a hearing pursuant to section fication purposes. Protest letters 16-4-207(4)(a), MCA, a hearing must contain a clear statement of will be scheduled in Helena, Monthe writer's intent to protest the tana. If the Department receives a application. The grounds for pro-sufficient number of protests to test of an application for a transfer trigger a hearing pursuant to secof location are limited to those set tion 16-4-207(4)(b), MCA, to detime, date and location of the hearing. Hearings are typically scheduled within 90 days following the protest deadline.

> If a sufficient number of protests to trigger a hearing are not received and all licensing criteria have been satisfied, the Department may issue the license without holding a hearing.

DATED: April 2, 2002 BY: Todd Olson. Compliance Specialist

NOTICE OF CLOSE OF REGISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that registration for the Primary Election to be held on June 4, 2002 will close at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, May 6, 2002.

All qualified registered electors of the County of Missoula, Missoula, MT are entitled to vote at said elec-

Persons who wish to register and who are not presently registered may do so by requesting a form for registration by mail or by appearing before the Election Adminis-

If moving has made a change of precinct, it is necessary to have your registration transferred to your new address.

Dated this 2nd day of April, 2002.

Vickie Zeier **Election Administrator** Missoula County

Students recall Sept. 11th memories



I was just sitting at the table looking out the window when my mom sat down and told me about the bad news. I was at home eating scrumptious cereal, and the news made me lose my appetite. All I could think of was the poor

This is what I felt on September 11th. One thing I felt is deeply sad. I also felt like weeping. One more thing I felt is sorrow for the poor kids. So that's about what I felt on September 11th.

Even though I didn't watch it on TV, I could imagine what it looked like. One thing I imagined it looked like was the ruined ancient Greek castle. Another thing I imagined it looked like was a dark cave with scatters of litter. One more thing I imagined it looked like was a stove that was getting ready to burst into

Even though I wasn't there when it happened, these are the things I imagined it sounded like. I imagined it sounded like a furious lightning bolt hitting a gigantic tree. Another thing I imagined it sounded like was a towering asteroid hitting earth. I also imagined it sounded like a huge bomb hitting the ground. These are some of the many sounds I imagined

September 11th changed my life. Though I didn't lose anybody, it made me think about many things. It made me think about the poor kids who lost their parents. I will never forget when kids lost their parents. Another thing that made my life different is that I'm always glad I have my parents and people to love. September 11th made me glad I'm not an orphan. That's what made my life dif-

This is about my thoughts. One of my thoughts is I'm relieved that my parents are still alive. I am glad that my friends have their parents. That's about all my thoughts on September 11th.

It has been six months since September 11th. I'm glad my mom and dad are still alive. Another thing I think about after the six months is that my parents were not in the building when it happened. One more thing about September 11th is that none of my friends are orphans. That's about everything after Sentember 11th

Lily Clarke Grade 3 Age 8



September 11, 2001

I was at my warm cozy home. I was sleeping in my own comfortable bed. My wonderful loving Mommy got me out from my relaxing beautiful bed. thought it would be a good, wonderful day with the sun out. I was slowly eating my delicious breakfast and staring at a wonderful picture. I got everything done that I had to do in my cozy

I went to the big white school and heard some terrible news. A big, bad, horrible plane hit the World trade tower. The dark smoke hit the beautiful blue sky. The big orange flames became a bia blazina fire.

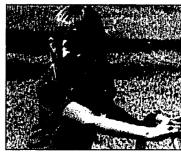
Everything was burning, crumbling, and falling from the smokey sky. People were screaming as load as opera singers. People were yelling as load as a lion roaring. People were crying like the world was ending.

It smelled as smoky as a forest fire. It felt sad because kids' parents died in the blazing fire. It was like fighting a bloody war. It was always in my thoughts, it never went away, I was as mad as a herd of elephants.

Everyone was jumping out of windows and people were burning up. It made me sad as a dog wanting its bone. I wish the plane hadn't run into the buildina.

I didn't want people to die. It was always in my mind. It was like the war would never end. It was sad that people lost their dad or mom. They lost friends and family. It was an awful day. It will always be in people's minds. feel happy that my whole family didn't die. The other people whose mom, dad, or friend died are really sad because they will not have their mom, dad or friend. People will never forget what happened that day.

> Anna Wood 4th Grade 9 Years Old



was bending over my side of the bed. "Did you hear the bad news?" stretched my arms weakly.

said tiredly.

"No!" said my mom. "The other

bad news! The two twin towers were knocked down. Two planes hit each tower. One hit the south and one hit the north!!!

Then that really woke me up. I quickly got up and zoomed downstairs to turn on the TV. Too bad for me. because Florian was watching the weather. Then he guickly turned it to the news for no reason at all. I couldn't believe what I saw. The pictures they showed were just so horrible. I felt like a bomb had come down from the sky and landed right on me. I felt big glops of tears coming to my eyes. I felt so sorry for the ones who lost their loved

I tried to imagine what it smelled like with all those dead bodies around you. It probably was one of the worst times in your life. It probably smelled nasty. It probably smelled sad. It probably sounded horrible, very bad. Sometimes I imagine what it would be like to be there right now or on September 11. That really had a grip on my life. Before that happened I thought that New York would be cool to visit, but after that happened I didn't (at all). I don't know specifically how it sounded. Probably very horrible. I sounded like a bomb just exploded.

I felt terrible inside. I didn't eat breakfast, not even a little bit. I just pushed my oatmeal to the side and tried to imagine what it would be like to lose a loved one. Even the thought of that wanted to make me cry. Finding out this right when you get up isn't a good time, (really). When I got to school, I felt even sadder. September 11, a day I'd never forget. Who knows what will happen next! Maybe something worse. I am preparing for something worse to happen soon.

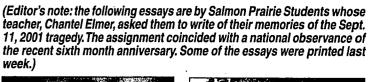


Attack of Terrorism

"Wake up!" yelled my mom. She

"Yeah, that I have to get up," I

Victoria Zard





One sunny day, September 11,

It was a terrorist attack. I was

2001 the world trade centers blew up

when two planes purposefully crashed

home eating breakfast and getting

ready for school. I did not know it hap-

pened until I got to school. Logan got

to school and said two planes hit the

died, because they did not even ex-

pect it, and they did not do anything to-

thing, because killing people is not

It was like a water balloon pop-

ping and water going everywhere. With

the fire and the smoke, people were

umping out of the windows, the build-

ing was crumbling, and people were

smokey grave. With all the people

burning, and the smoke, it must have

smelled awful. I wouldn't have wanted

and a very loud explosion sound. It

pens again where will it happen? It

could happen at the White House next.

again. We might have had to fight

against some people who are not even

nvolved, some people might get hurt

and they did not know what the war

must have made you shiver.

It is scary to think about.

It had a death screaming sound,

I thought about safety. If this hap-

I thought we might go to war

imagine it smelled like a very

racing in and out of the building.

to work there.

I felt very sorry for the people who

World Trade Centers.

into them.

By. William

On a cold fall morning I woke up to go to school. It was September eleventh 2001. I came out of my room to get ready for school. I had just eaten preakfast, when our nice neighbor came over and said that we should come and watch the news. My dad asked why. The neighbor said one plane had just hit the south twin tower. We raced over, and, sure enough the tower was billowing smoke.

My sister was impatient and wanted to go to school but my dad had my sister and I stay home.

the terrorists. I was extremely mad that My dad said, "This is history in those terrorists thought it was the right the making.'

I felt amazed after the second tower was hit and they had both fallen. All those people had died. The thought that it was a dream kept running through my head. That stuff only hap-

pened in other countries, not America. The next day when I saw the horrible wreckage, I was amazed. The only thing left of the magnificent trade towers was a tangled mass of iron and steel. There were dead bodies and cars covered in debris. All of it was

It probably smelled horrible people burned, burning plastic and wood, rotting flesh, and briny stinky stuff. The air was so full of stenches and thick with all the dust. It was so sick to smell that you would have vom-

It definitely sounded so bad that you would be deaf from listening to it. People screaming. Firemen yelling. People wailing because they had los loved ones. Then there was a tremendous noise when the towers went down. It was horrible to listen to.

It has been 6months since this tragedy happened. I still feel very sorry I thought it was scary and that the for people who lost family and friends. terrorists might attack again, and kill a Those people will never forget and I ton more people. I was scared that my won't either. Will you forget? I hope not. family might get hurt. I wished it had

never happened. It had a dramatic impact on my life. It made me love my family more and appreciate all the little things that the people do for me. It was good in the way happy that no one in my family was hurt. I always took my family for granted, but now I know they could

Six months later, I still can't believe it happened. But the shock has worn off. Why they did it, I don't know yet, and I still can't find out why someone could want to kill-so many innocent people. I may never know, but I will never forget 9/11.

William Joubert 4th grade 9 years old



Rovd Hansen

September 11, 2001. A day that will go down in history..

I woke up, got dressed and ate. Everything seemed normal, until Dad turned on the TV.

That's when I saw the airplanes crash into the Twin Towers.

I felt sorry for all the people in the buildings and all their families and

I felt scared it might happen

There were lots of flames and smoke, people were running, screaming , and crying. There were even people jumping out of the windows of the Trade Towers

If I was there, I think that it would smell like a paper mill and gasoline.

I think it probably sounded . like a comet hitting the earth, like it did to the dinosaurs. The comet killed the

dinosaurs just like the planes killed all them people in the Twin Towers.

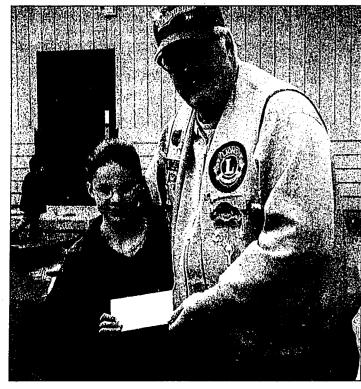
Name: Nathan Wood

Grade: 5th

I felt really angry thinking about the people who were involved in killing all the innocent people working in the Twin Towers. I felt sorry for all the kids who's parents were killed . The event made me feel different about how people act.

Today, I still feel sorry for all the people. I feel bad for all the solgiers who died fighting for our freedom. feel proud to live here in the USA.

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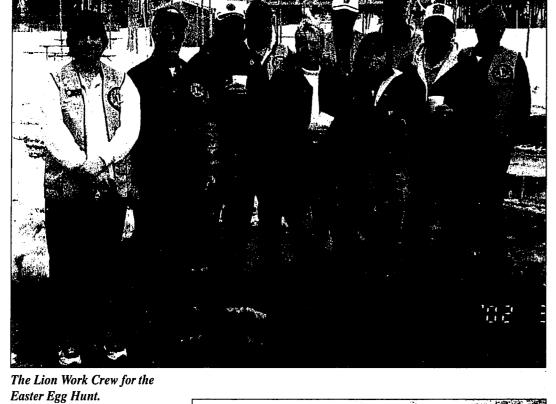
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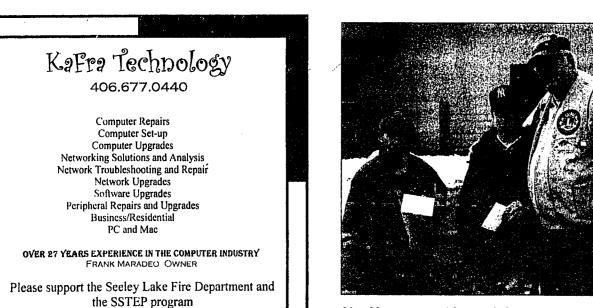
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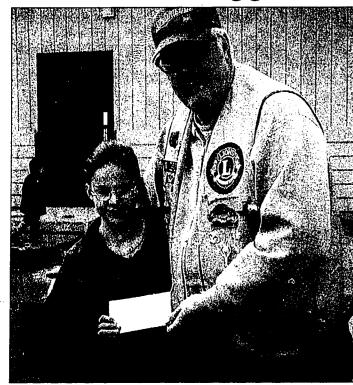
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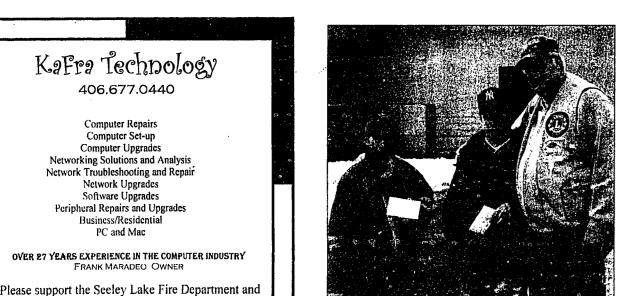
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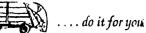


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YMCA News Update on Activities

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Evening classes are Monday, Wednesday and Thursday from 5:15' to 6:15 p.m. in the new gym at Seeley Lake Elementary School. Monday-Cardio toning, Wednesday-Step, and Thursday class alternates a rope/step program and a kick-box program. A monthly calendar is posted at Seeley Lake Elementary School.

Registration fee is \$15.00 per month for Walk-Fit and \$25.00 a month for Step, Kick and Cardio toning.

Please call the Seeley Swan YMCA Outreach for more information at 677-3330,

Please watch for the Fitness Center Survey/Questionnaire flyer in this week's Pathfinder. Community response is a big factor in moving forward with this project. The questionnaire can be returned to the outreach office at the Lazy Pine Mall or mailed to Seeley-Swan YMCA Outreach, PO Box 38, Seeley Lake MT 59868. Thank you for your response.

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