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Next Board Meeting

2nd Thursday of each
month: 12:30 PM at the
Community Center

HOW TO DONATE

Website:

mccinhope.com

Mail a check payable to:

MCC
PO Box 405
Hope, ID 83836

Physical Address

415 Wellington Place,
Hope, ID 83836

OFFICE HOURS & TEL

New Hours

T, W, TH 9 am-1:45 pm
208-264-5481



Dear MCC Community

2024 was an amazing year. A year of surprises and unexpected gifts. The MCC Board is profoundly grateful for the continued support of the community through your gifts of time, goods and money. Your support is key to the success of the Memorial Community Center and Preschool. We appreciate your persistent loyalty, and we love seeing you at our events and spending time with us.

We look forward to seeing you in 2025 with all the great things we have planned.



Looking for something to do in 2025!

Become a Friend of MCC

Each year we reach out asking for your support by becoming a Friend of MCC. We believe the Community is as strong as we are many. Your input, support and participation is what we depend on survive and grow. To become a Friend of MCC by donating \$75.00 dollars. With your donation you will receive 2 drink tickets to be used at any MCC event. In addition, Friends of MCC are entitled to facility and rental discounts. Go to our website and become a **FRIEND of MCC**. www.mccinhope.com

Christmas Giving 2024



Our Christmas Giving Program was yet another huge success.

Thanks to you and your continued support of this meaningful program, MCC assisted 22 families, including 66 children, with gifts. MCC also donated \$3000 dollars to the Clark Fork/Hope Food Bank, so each family received food for a holiday meal.

It was a joy to meet the families when they came to get their family gifts and hear and see their excitement and appreciation. It was wonderful seeing the difference the MCC makes.

Some pix from our Christmas Giving Program.



Clark Fork Hope Food Bank Donation.
Ley Anne Merica (MCC Board Chair) and
Dawn Madsen (Food Bank Director).



"Christmas Giving"
distribution day.



Some of the Clark Fork High School Basketball team
who were our cheerful wrapping volunteers.



Some pix from MCC's
"Christmas Giving" distribution
day.



Knotty Knitters once again donated
knitted hats to give out to families.
L to R: Diane Olp, Kay Pihl, and
Candace Carriere.

Become a Volunteer or Board Member

We would love to have you join our amazing community of friends, volunteers, and board members. If interested, please reach out to any of our board members (see page 1), or Sherry in the MCC office, for information and opportunities.

Images from our Christmas Concert with Bridges Home

The MCC Christmas Music Event was a wonderful evening of music by Dave and Tami Gunter. There was dancing, fun and fellowship with friends and neighbors.



Ley Anne Merica (MCC Board Chair), center, with Bridges Home Dave Gunter (left) and Tami Gunter (right).



Guests enjoyed a mix of Christmas music and old and new songs from Dave and Tami Gunter.



Thank you to...

The Star Peak Foundation!
Exciting News. On December 24th the MCC was notified that we were selected to be a recipient of a \$10,000 grant given by the Star Peak Foundation out of Heron, MT. The Star Peak Foundation reached out to the MCC in October asking for us to consider applying for this grant, which is funded anonymously. As communicated in the application, the grant money will be used for building improvements, modifications and appliance replacements. Thank you, Star Peak Foundation!

Open 7 days a week, year round!
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The logo for 'THE OLD ICE HOUSE PIZZERIA' is a red hexagon with a white outline. Inside the hexagon, the words 'THE OLD ICE HOUSE' are written in a stylized font, with 'PIZZERIA' in a smaller font below. The logo is superimposed over a scenic view of a lake and mountains under a blue sky with white clouds.

MCC Preschool

JANUARY 2025

The MCC Preschool has immediate opening for the second half of the school year. If you or someone you know is interested in enrolling a child, please contact the MCC office at 208.264.5481. Info on website under "Preschool"



FOCUS ON TALKSOUP

Join us for our new "TalkSoup" Series for 2025

Interesting topics and speakers. Let's talk about it with old friends and new. Upcoming dates will be forthcoming in a separate email. We hope you will join us and bring your friends and neighbors!

Group Calendar

SCHEDULE

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS:
Mondays 7 - 8 pm

HOPE SENIOR FITNESS:
Tuesday & Friday 10 - 11 am

WOTR (WAY OF THE ROSE)
Tuesdays 11:15-12:15

ART CLASSES & OPEN STUDIO:
Tuesdays 1 - 3 pm

YOGA:
Information to come

CLARK FORK VALLEY QUILTERS:
1st and 3rd Thursdays
9 am to 2 pm

THE GARDENERS GATHERING:
Returns spring 2025.

If you have an ongoing group who would like to meet at MCC weekly or monthly let us know. We charge a nominal \$10 hourly rental fee. It's a great way to help MCC and also to share and enjoy a common interest.

Contact MCC if you would like to start a group: 208-264-5481

Office hours: T, W, TH – 9 to 1:45

	M	T	W	Th	F	Sat	Sun
Week 1	Private Group 1:30-3:00 AA 7-8	SENIOR FITNESS 10-11 WOTR 11:15-12:15 ART STUDIO 1-3		QUILTERS 9-2	SENIOR FITNESS 10-11		Private Group 9-11
Week 2	Private Group 1:30-3:00 AA 7-8	SENIOR FITNESS 10-11 ART STUDIO 1-3		MCC BOARD 12:30-2:30	SENIOR FITNESS 10-11 Private Group 4-6		Private Group 9-11
Week 3	Private Group 1:30-3:00 AA 7-8	SENIOR FITNESS 10-11 WOTR 11:15-12:15 ART STUDIO 1-3		QUILTERS 9-2	SENIOR FITNESS 10-11		Private Group 9-11
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