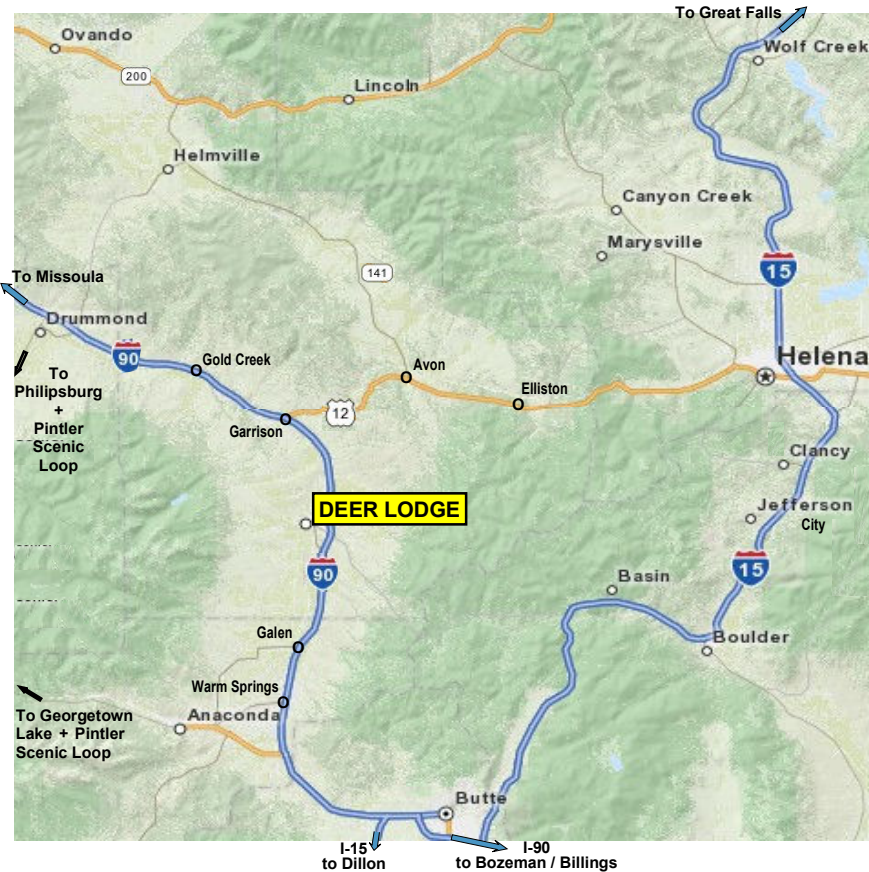


DEER LODGE, POWELL COUNTY, MONTANA



POWELL COUNTY COMMUNITIES

Zip Codes:

Avon - 59713	Deer Lodge - 59722
Elliston - 59728	Galen - 59722
Garrison - 59731	Gold Creek - 59733
Helmville - 59843	Ovando - 59854

Powell County Chamber of Commerce

1109 Main Street, Deer Lodge, Montana 59722

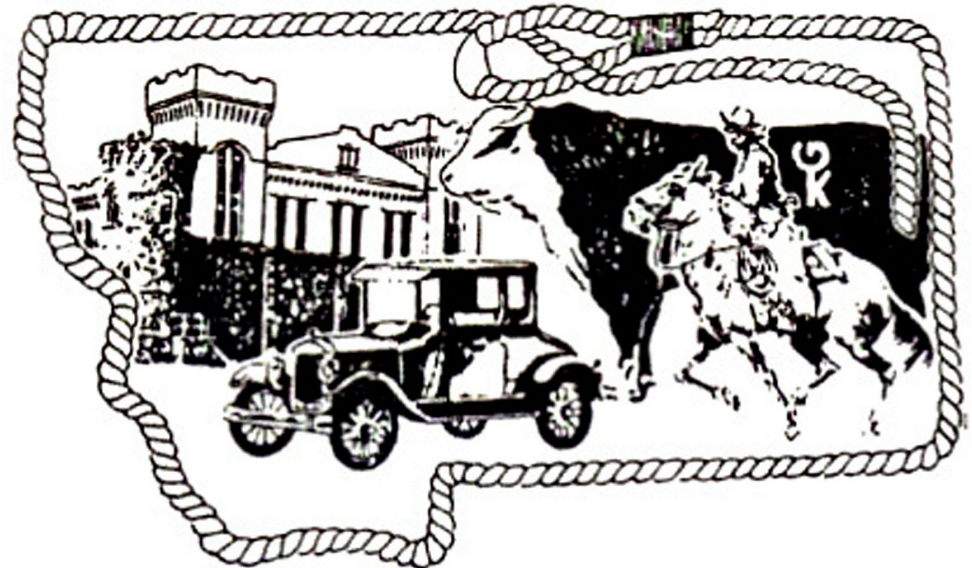
Phone: (406) 846-2094 Fax: (406) 846-2094

Email: chamber@powellcountymontana.com

Website: www.powellcountymontana.com

POWELL COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

DEER LODGE POWELL COUNTY MONTANA



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POWELL COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Dear Visitors:

The Powell County Chamber of Commerce, the City of Deer Lodge and Powell County extend a hearty welcome to you. Your interest in our community is greatly appreciated.

Our office is located at 1109 Main Street, opposite the Old Prison. Please feel free to drop in and visit with us, we are here to help you.

Our Chamber office is open Monday through Fridays from 10 am till noon, and 1 pm till 3 pm year round. The Visitors Center has longer operating hours during the Summer. If you have any questions or wish to obtain written information, we are available for these services through our office and information center.

Please contact us at:

Powell County Chamber of Commerce,
1109 Main Street, Deer Lodge, MT 59722.
Telephone: (406) 846-2094,
E-mail: chamber@powellcountymontana.com
Website: www.powellcountymontana.com

We hope you and your family have a wonderful time while in the "Gateway to SouthWest Montana". For general travel information from the State of Montana, please call 1-800-541-1447 or if you want information about Southwest Montana, the tourism area which includes Powell County, please call 406-846-1943 or 1-800-879-1159.

Sincerely, David Williams (*Executive Director*)



VISITOR ATTRACTIONS

Powell County Museum Complex: 846-3111 (Open Daily)

Old Montana Prison (early Jan - mid Dec)
Montana Auto Museum (Over 160 vehicles) (early Jan - mid Dec)
Frontier Montana (Western & Gun collection) (Mid May - late Oct)
Yesterday's Playthings (Toy, Doll & Model RR) (Mid May - late Oct)
Milwaukee Railroad Exhibits (E70, E9 and Caboose)
Cottonwood City (Pioneer Town) (Mid May - late Sept)
Powell County Museum (Local History & Mining) (June - early Sept)

Grant-Kohrs Ranch Historic Site: 846-2070

Working Cattle Ranch - open year round
Ranch House
Covered Wagon Tours (Summer Only)

Arrow Stone Park: 846-2238

Parking Lot (Handicap Access), Picnic Areas, Benches, Walking trails
Restrooms, Boat Ramp, Fishing Access to Clark Fork River

Tours:

Scenic Auto Tour in the Deer Lodge Valley
Mountain Biking Into Deer Lodge National Forest
Explore Old Mining Camp Hike a Natural Trail
Self Guided Tour of Historic Buildings in Deer Lodge

EVENTS

- June** Territorial Days - Classic Car Show & Parade, Food, Art & Crafts, Live Band, Dancing
- July** Summer Theater, Gun Show
Grant-Kohrs Ranch Days
Bull-A-Rama
Big Sky Draft Horse Expo
Pigglee Wigglee BBQ Festival
- Aug.** Tri-County Fair & Rodeo, Demolition Derby
Montana Academy of Living History,
- Sept.** Labor Day Rodeo in Helmville
- Oct.** Old Prison Haunted House
Pumpkin Sunday at Grant-Kohrs Ranch
- Dec.** Christmas Festival
Christmas Stroll & Parade of Lights
Grant-Kohrs Victorian Holiday Open House.
Holiday Home Tour

Please check our website for more events and dates:
www.powellcountymontana.com/events.html

RESTAURANTS

406 Bistro & Coffee Cabin, 901 Main St. - 846-9453
Broken Arrow Steak House, 317 Main St. - 846-3400
McDonalds, 133 N. Interchange - 846-3775
River Rock Cafe at DL Medical Center - 1100 Hollenback Ln. - 846-7705

SERVICES

Cottonwood Commons Transition Home, PO Box 447 - 846-4122
Deer Lodge Elks #1737, 230 Main St. - 846-1737
Deer Lodge Hotel, Inc. PO Box 136 - 846-1521
Harrington Pepsi Cola, 1740 Holmes Ave, Butte MT 59701 - 494-3200
Klapan's Home Solutions, 804 Bielenberg St. - 498-5724
Lickety Print, 600 Main St. Ste C - 846-3455
Lynn's Hairstyles & Creative Nails, 124 Milwaukee - 846-3702
M&P Excavating, 608 Oregon - 491-1839 or 490-3371
Neil Owens Carpentry, 511 Pickle Dog Lane - 846-3385
R & R Landscaping, 636 Conestoga Ln. - 475-4009
Teresa's Mane Attraction, 515 Main St. - 846-2862
Xtreme Weed & Pest Solutions, 43439 Canal Rd., Ronan, MT 59864
261-8865

STORES

ACE Hardware, 506 2nd Street - 846-2461
Deer Lodge Liquor, 303 Main Street - 846-3718
Elk Tips Outdoor Gear, 329 Main St. - 431-0876
Hogans Rancher AG, 100 West Milwaukee - 846-1442
I-90 Auto Truck Plaza, 1220 N. Main St. - 846-3969
Keystone Drug, Gifts & fLORAL, 407 Main Street - 846-2120
Mountain Man Trading Post, 403 Main Street - 846-2700
Mount Powell Tire Center, 217 Main St. - 846-2205
New To You, 501 Main Street - 846-2176
Old Prison Museum Gift Shop, 1106 Main St. - 846-3111
Quilter's Corner, Etc., 401 Main St - 846-3096 or 877 646 3096
R&C Home Improvement, 100 Milwaukee Ave - 846-2858
Steele's Furniture & Appliances, 417 Main St. - 846-3311
Territorial Antiques & Uniques, 300 Maryland - 846-1400
Town Pump Food Store, 203 Main St. - 846-3710
Valley Foods, 711 Main Street - 846-2684

TRANSPORT

Deer Lodge - Powell County Airport

Located 4 miles west of City Center, 182 W. Peterson Ave. - 846-1836

Bert Mooney Airport, Butte

101 Airport Rd., Butte MT 59701 - 494-3771

Bus

Powell County Transportation - 846-1888

HISTORY OF DEER LODGE

Deer Lodge is the second oldest town in Montana. It has had several names over the years, such as: LaBarge City, Spanish Fork, Cottonwood, Deer Lodge City and now Deer Lodge.

Float gold was discovered in 1852 on what is now Gold Creek. The location of this first discovery of gold, in Montana, is about twenty miles north of the city. Pan and sluice mining of gold by James and Granville Stuart, in 1860, attracted other prospectors and the district was established.

Today, beautiful homes and tree-shaded lawns reflect a home life enviable in this day of big city stress and strife. Many churches, an excellent elementary and high school system, a progressive business community and with the downtown beautification project finished it enhances the balanced and healthy lifestyle enjoyed by our citizens and visitors.

The pure enjoyment you can have in Deer Lodge and Powell County is limitless: Hiking, horseback riding, snowmobiling, cross-country skiing, fishing, hunting, mountain biking, back packing and photography at their very best. Ours is a magical land. A part of the "BIG SKY COUNTRY" otherwise known as the "THE LAST BEST PLACE!" with primeval forests, glistening mountaintops, gleaming lakes, and abundant wildlife.

Powell County has diverse industries, farming, ranching, mining, timber harvest, lumber & wood product production and tourism.

The tourism industry has been carefully developed so as not to cause an atmosphere of being a tourist trap. We welcome our visitors and want you to enjoy the historic attractions that are presented. We want your stay in our community to be an educational, entertaining and pleasant experience.

Please exit 1-90 and stop to rest for a while. Our motels are clean and comfortable, our restaurants serve good food and our other businesses invite you to come in and browse around.

We thank you for considering a visit or relocation to our friendly and proud community.

**POWELL COUNTY AND
CITY OF DEER LODGE COMMUNITY PROFILE**

No Sales Tax Time Zone: Mountain Area Code: 406
Square miles: 2326 Population: 7027 Population per square mile: 3.02
Major ancestry groups: German - 27%, Irish - 21%, English - 15%
 Norwegian - 9%, American Indian Tribes - 4%, Swedish - 4%
 Scottish - 3%, French - 3%, Italian - 3%, Scotch-Irish - 2%
County Seat of Powell County: City of Deer Lodge
Population: 3,111 Elevation: 4,567ft

Per Cap. Income -----\$18,039
Mil Value – County -----13,354.94
Mil Value – City -----2,764.09
Type of Government: County - Partisan City - Non-Partisan
Source: U.S. Census Bureau, 2005-2010 American Community Survey

EMPLOYMENT (Nov 2012)

Powell County Labor Force: 2,897
Employed: 2,685 Unemployed: 212 Rate: 7.3%
Dept. of Labor & Industry (Job Service):
Anaconda Office, 307 E. Park, Anaconda, MT 59711 - 563-3444

Largest Employers:

Montana Correctional Enterprises, 350 Conley Lake Rd - 846-1320 x2270
Montana State Prison, 600 Conley Lake Rd - 846-1320
Sun Mountain Lumber, P.O. Box 389 - 846-1600
Sun Mountain Logging, P.O. Box 287 - 846-3799

Government:

Montana Registrar of Motor Vehicles, 1032 Buckskin Drive - 444-3661
National Park Service (Grant-Kohrs Ranch) - 846-2070

County:

Hospital / Medical Center - 846-2212 / 846-1722
Law Enforcement (County), 313 4th Street - 846-2711
Powell County Courthouse - 846-9786
Roads Dept. 410 Fairgrounds Rd. - 846-2153

Deer Lodge City:

City Hall, 300 Main St. - 846-2238
Law Enforcement (City), 300 Main Street - 846-9585
Post Office, 510 Main Street - 846-1882
William K. Kohrs Library, 501 Missouri - 846-2622

INSURANCE AGENTS

Clawson Insurance, 412 Railroad St. - 846-1411
Mountain West Farm Bureau, 310 Milwaukee Ave - 846-4047
PayneWest Insurance, 3475 Monroe Ave, Butte, MT 59701 - 494-8000

LEISURE

Cutler Brothers Productions, 301 Main St. - 846-3543
Deer Lodge Art Club, Gallery at the Pen, 927 Main Street
Deer Lodge Athletic Association, PO Box 850
Deer Park Golf Course, 285 Golf Course Rd. - 846-1625
Elk Tips Outdoor Gear, 329 Main St. - 431-0876
Indoor Swimming Pool at CPC, 444 Montana Ave. - 846-1553 for times.
Mountain View Arena, 255 Boulder Rd - 846-3686
Old Prison Museums Complex, 1106 Main Street - 846-3111
Rialto Community Theater, 418 Main Street - 846-7900
Sun-Up Fitness, 1010 Carter - 846-7575
William K. Kohrs Library, 501 Missouri - 846-2622

MEDIA

Radio

river radio ranch, 302 Missouri Ave. - 846-1100

Newspaper

Silver State Post, 312 Missouri Ave. - 846-2424

MEDICAL SERVICES / CARE HOMES

American Eyecare, 513 Main St. - 846-2854
Cottonwood Clinic, 310 Main St. - 846-4275
Deer Lodge Family Dental, 712 4th St. - 846-1216
Deer Lodge Medical Center, 1100 Hollenbeck Ln - 846-2212
Deer Lodge Valley Therapy, 307½ Missouri Ave. - 846-3448
Keystone Drug & Gifts, 407 Main Street - 846-2120
Montana Telepsych Solutions Inc., 308 Milwaukee Ave. - 442-2032
Powell County Physical Therapy, 1100 Hollenbeck Ln - 846-1991
Premier Family Practice, 600 Main St. - 846-7770
Premier Physical Therapy, 600 Main St. - 846-7770
Renaissance Elder Care, 702 Tumbleweed Lane - 846-3342
Starr Family Dental, 1101 Maryland - 846-3532

REALTORS

Cappa Real Estate, 500 Main St. - 846-1030 or 846-0000
Clearwater Montana Properties, 509 Main St. - 846-2100
Lloyd's of Deer Lodge, 412 Railroad St. - 846-1995
Realty West/Lane & Assoc., 210 Milwaukee Ave. - 846-1000
Sun-Up Ventures, PO Box 311 - 846-2353

EDUCATION

Deer Lodge Schools

444 Montana Ave
School District #1 - 846-1553
E.F. Duvall Junior High School - 846-1685
Granville Stuart Elementary - 846-1622
O.J. Speer Elementary School - 846-2268
Powell County High School, 709 Missouri Ave. - 846-2757

Rural Schools

Avon School, Avon, MT 59713 - 492-6191 - K through 8th
Elliston School, Elliston, MT 59728 - 494-7676 - K through 8th
Garrison School, Garrison, MT 59731 - 846-1043 - K through 6th
Gold Creek School, Gold Creek, MT 59733 - 288-3560 - K through 6th
Helmville School, Helmville, MT 59843 - 793-5656 - K through 8th
Ovando School, Ovando, MT 59854 - 793-5722 - K through 8th

Other Educational Services

Head Start, St. Mary's Center, 607 Clark St. - 846-3044
Great Divide Education Services, 511 Main St. - 846-2147
Literacy Program, 501 Missouri Ave - 846-2242

FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Accountants / Investments / Title

Newland & Company, 212 Missouri - 846-3733
Michael J. Blakeley, CPA, 539 Main St. - 846-4660
O'Hara Investments, 610 4th Street - 846-1457
Powell County Title Company, 313 Missouri - 846-1270

Banks

First Security Bank, 311 Milwaukee - 846-2300
Peoples Bank of Deer Lodge, 430 Main St. - 846-2400
Pioneer Federal Savings & Loan, 401 Milwaukee - 846-2202

FOOD PANTRY

Deer Lodge Food Pantry, 101 Milwaukee Ave.

FUNERAL HOME

Jewell Funeral Home, 601 Missouri Ave. - 846-1777

GREENHOUSES / LANDSCAPING / WEED CONTROL

Circle H Growers, 604 Mitchell Street - 846-2304
Eastside Greenhouse, 650 Eastside Rd - 846-1928
King Mountain Forestry, 1863 Dempsey Lake Rd. - 544-7213
R & R Landscaping, 636 Conestoga Ln. - 475-4009
Xtreme Weed & Pest Solutions - 261-8865

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Powell County:

Courthouse, 409 Missouri Ave. - 846-9786
Appraiser, Assessor, Clerk & Recorder, Clerk of Court, Council on Aging, County Attorney, County Commissioners, County Nurse, County Shops, District Judge, Extension Agent, Human Services/Welfare (State), Justice of the Peace, Juvenile Probation, Maintenance, Planner, Sanitarian, Social Services, Superintendent of Schools, Treasurer, Victim Services, Weed Control.

City of Deer Lodge:

City Hall, 300 Main Street - 846-2238
Water & Sewer, Streets, Garbage Collection, Parks & Recreation
Animal Control: 846-2711
Building Inspector: 846-3925
City Clerk: 846-3649
Mayor: 846-1226
Shops: 846-1394
Water Department: 846-2238
Police Dept. - 846-9585 (Dispatch - 846-2711)

STATE GOVERNMENT

Department of Transportation: 846-1204
Dept. of Labor & Industry (Job Service):
Main Anaconda Office, 307 E. Park, Anaconda, MT 59711 - 563-3444
Montana Registrar of Motor Vehicles, 1032 Buckskin Drive - 444-3661

EMERGENCY SERVICES - CALL 911

Montana Highway Patrol
Emergency Reporting: 1 800 525-5555
Powell County Sheriff, 313 4th Street
Emergency Calls: 911
Dispatcher: 846-2711
Other Calls: 846-1650
City Police, 300 Main Street - 846-9585

Non-emergency

Powell County Ambulance (Deer Lodge), 1120 Maryland Ave - 846-9625
Powell County Fire Department, Deer Lodge - 846-2711
Racetrack Valley Fire District, 871 S. Frontage Rd - 846-2852
Galen Fire Dept. - 681-3199
Helmville Fire Dept. - 793-5500 or 793-5746 or 793-5659
Volunteer Dept. - 793-5507
Ovando Fire Dept. - 793-5520

LIVING COSTS

Please contact realtors for house prices.

Basic Utilities:

Water \
Sewer = \$79.58
Garbage /

Phone (Basic): \$32.99 plus taxes
CenturyLink: 1-866-642-0444
Cable: Charter: 1-866-573-9917
Internet: Cable/DSL/Broadband
(Prices - Feb 2016)

Gas & Electric: NorthWestern Energy -1-888-467-2669

TV Satellite: Dish and Direct TV with local channels

Cable: Charter with local channels

WEATHER

Range of temperatures:

Spring: +30 to +50 **Summer:** +50 to +90 (with +90 being rare)

Fall: +30 to +70 **Winter:** -30 to +50

(with temps below 0 lasting only 1 to 2 weeks)

It is said in Montana, "If you don't like the weather, wait twenty minutes and see if you like the change."

LOCAL SERVICES

All businesses are located in Deer Lodge unless stated otherwise.

For updates and business website links, check our website at;

www.powellcountymontana.com/services.html

ACCOMMODATION

Motels / Inns / Retreats

Budget Inn, 809 Main St. - 846-2810

Mountain View Retreat, 1525 Valley View Dr. - 846-1521

Travelodge, 1150 N. Main St. - 846-2370

Western Big Sky Inn, 210 N. Main St. - 846-2590

RV Parks & Campgrounds

KOA Campground, 413 Park St. - 846-1629

Indian Creek Campground, 745 Maverick Lane - 846-3848

ANIMAL / LIVESTOCK / VETERINARY SERVICES

Clark Fork Veterinary Clinic, 3707 North Frontage Road - 846-1925

Hogans Rancher AG, 100 West Milwaukee - 846-1442

ANTIQUA STORES / ART GALLERIES

Deer Lodge Art Club, Gallery at the Pen, 925 Main Street

Love & Logic Antiques, 503 Main Street - 846-9432

Territorial Antiques & Uniques, 300 Maryland - 846-1400

APPRAISER

Bandy Appraisals, 710 Eastside Rd. - 846-2823

BARS & CASINOS

Broken Arrow Casino, 317 Main St. - 846-3400

Corner Bar, 402 main St. - 846-1332

Montana Bar, 412 Main Street - 846-2895

BOOKSHOPS

Browsing Bison Books, 515 Main Street - 846-3288

Wild Horse Books, 255 Boulder Rd. - 846-3686

Old Prison Museum Gift Shop, 1106 Main St. - 846-3111

CHURCHES

Deer Lodge Churches

Christ Fellowship Church, 4th & Montana - 846-1086

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 761 Sagebrush Ln. - 846-2410

Community of Christ, 200 Fifth Street - 846-1125

Deer Lodge Assembly, 5th & Montana - 846-1056

Depot Church (Evangelical Free), 400 Railroad - 846-2410

Deer Lodge Vineyard Church, 709 Mill St. - 846-2578

First Baptist Church, 140 Sam Beck Road - 846-2623

First Christian Church, 306 Montana Ave. - 846-1806

First Presbyterian Church, Milwaukee & Fifth - 846-2121

Grace Baptist Church, 425 Main Street - 846-3979

Immaculate Conception (RC), 605 Clark Street - 846-1444

Jehovah's Witnesses, 302 Prairie Lane - 846-2321

Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints -
5th St. and California - 846-1101

Seventh Day Adventist, 509 Washington - 846-2326

St. James Episcopal Church, 307 Cottonwood Ave. - 563-3625

St. John's Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod), 410 Missouri Ave - 846-1755

Rural Churches

Avon Community Church, PO Box 224 - 492-7077

St. Theodore Catholic Church, PO Box 326, Avon - 492-6336

Elliston Community Church, PO Box 39 - 492-7077

The Chapel at Riverfront Park, 115 Riverfront Lane, Garrison - 846-2158

Frontier Bible Fellowship, Gold Creek Community Center - 288-3396

Helmville Community Fellowship Church - 793-5700

Blackfoot Valley Community Church, Ovando - 793-5049

CONVENTION / FUNCTION ROOMS

Broken Arrow Pioneer Room, 317 Main St. - 846-3400

Central Park Center (CPC), 444 Montana - 846-1553

Community Center, Cottonwood - 846-9786

Deer Lodge Elks 1737, 230 Main Street - 846-1737

Pen Convention Center - 925 Main St. - 846-3111

St. Mary Center, 607 Clark St. - 846-3044