



*A non-profit community newsletter offered by the Community Council of Colter Pass, Cooke City & Silver Gate  
In memory of Steve Liebl*

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**In case of an accident, illness or lost person, go to the closest phone & dial 911 to page Cooke City Medical Responders. There is a 911 phone located in front of the Cooke City/Silver Gate Emergency Building on Main Street. If there is a phone outage and you need Cooke City/Silver Gate Emergency Services please contact any Fire or EMS person and they will use the radio to contact 911**

### **AREA INFORMATION & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**The Forest Service plans to remove the Kersey Lake cabin.** The log cabin, located on the west shore of Kersey Lake, east of Cooke City, has deteriorated to where it is past repair. Forest Service employees will be burning the cabin while the area is under snow. If there are questions or comments, please call the Gardiner Ranger District at 406-848-7375

**Cooke City Water District** is accepting applications for the position of Water Operator. Successful applicants will have a desire to serve the community, be willing to learn the operation system from a certified operator and must be willing to become certified within 2 years. The job, on average, only requires 8-15 hours of work per month. For a copy of the official job description, please contact Deb Purvis at: 406-855-9901 or debmyers54@gmail.com You may also contact Marilyn Hartley at clerk@cookecitywater.org or 406-224-3891. Please submit a resume with references and letter of interest (electronic copies are preferred) to either of the above contacts. The board is eager to receive applications from any interested party and will gladly aid with training and education, if required. **Please send in your application TODAY!**

**Road Updates** - Beartooth Hwy was closed for the season on October 13th. The section of road between Cooke City and Pilot Creek is longer maintained. All roads in the park are closed except the road between the Gardiner and Cooke City/Silver Gate. Call 307-344-2117 for up to date road conditions in the Park.

**Mount Republic Chapel of Peace:** Come to our interdenominational church services on Sunday mornings at 9:30am. We're located between Cooke City and Silver Gate. **All are welcome.** Contact Pastor Don Taylor at 838-2397 for more info.

**Cooke City Food Bank:** The food pantry has limited supplies, if you or someone you know is in need of food. Please call Pastor Don at 838-2397 to schedule a time to pick up items, if you need them. We also have a limited selection of clothing for anyone in need.

**Garbage Compactor:** OPEN Thursday - Sunday and Tuesdays 12 p.m. - 5 p.m. CLOSED Mondays, Wednesdays and Holidays. **PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE ITEMS OUTSIDE THE COMPACTOR AFTER HOURS** Call if you have questions 838.2003.

**Water Operator:** Please call Rob at 838.2450 before doing any grading or digging.

## **LOCAL BUSINESS SERVICES & PRODUCTS**

**Rent one of the most beautiful cabins in the Cooke City Area** for your family and friends! Sleeps up to 12 people. Rates, description and availability found here: <https://www.airbnb.com/rooms/43422321> or call Jason at 754-224-8702 for information

**Suzy Hahn Montana Mountain Real Estate:** We have had a successful year of sales in the area and have ended the season with VERY LOW INVENTORY. If you are thinking of selling next season, now is the time to touch base and discuss the current market value of your property.

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## **LOCAL EVENTS & MEETINGS**

To schedule a meeting in the Community Conference room – call 838-2203 to reserve.

**Cooke City School Board:** Next regular meeting is TONIGHT, November 18th at 6:30pm, to be held at the school house. The board will be adopting a new operating policy.

**Colter Pass, Cooke City, Silver Gate Chamber Board Meeting:** TOMORROW November 19th at 1:30 pm to be held at the Community conference room.

**Cooke City Emergency Services Board:** The November meeting for the Cooke City Emergency Services Board has been cancelled due to lack of quorum.

**Colter Pass, Cooke City, Silver Gate Community Council Board Meeting:** is December 8th at 5:00 pm to be held in the Community Conference room.

**Cooke City Water Board:** The next regular meeting of the Cooke City Water Board will be held December 17th at 6:00pm in the Community Center Meeting Room. Call-in information is as follows: PH: 319-527-3511; Access code: 1086894# Board will be discussing edits to by-laws.

**Cooke City Fire and EMS training:** Every first and last Tuesday of the month. Any questions contact Fire Chief, Troy Wilson at 406-838-2234. (During this time of year this may not be accurate- please contact Troy)

**Weekly AA Meetings:** Cooke City/Silver Gate AA meetings are held every Wednesday at 7 p.m. at Mount Republic Chapel of Peace (1/2 way between Cooke City and Silver Gate). These are open meetings. For more information, you can call Don at 838-2397.

**Cooke City Sewer Board:** TBD.

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