

# Sun River Electric Cooperative

## Ripples



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Be sure to check your breakers before reporting outages.

SEPTEMBER 2016

## 18th Annual Golf Tournament



Harvest Hills Golf Course in Fairfield played host to the 2016 Sun River Electric Golf Tournament on July 30 and raised \$3,000. This year's recipient is Fairfield's Harvest Hills Golf Course for the addition of kitchen cabinets and countertops. In the past, Sun River Electric has donated AEDs to local golf courses, and money to the Fairfield Community Hall, Choteau Park Restrooms, Conrad Orphium Theater, Fairfield Swimming Pool Concession Stand, Choteau Walking Path, Conrad Baseball Fence, Fairfield Welcome Sign, Bright Eyes Animal Care and Rehab Center, Choteau Weatherbeater and Conrad Historic Clock. Sun River Electric would like to thank all of the hole sponsors and door prize contributors.

In all, 56 golfers showed up to play the four-person scramble. Golfers were treated to lunch, hole prizes, door prizes, drawings and a BBQ. Winners received SREC's Golf Tournament coats. Tournament winners were Greg McNerney, Mark McNerney, Ryan McNerney and Robert Anderson, shooting a 57. Other flight champions were: Ray Schmidt, Annie Olson, Katie Meyer and Ken Meyer in the Mixed

Division and Jack Anderson, Jerry Anderson, Dean Anderson and Pete Balzarini in the first flight.

The 2017 Tournament will be July 29 in Fairfield.

### 2016 Golf Tournament Hole Sponsors

DJ's Pizza  
Treasure State Seed, Inc.  
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Fairfield Servicemen's Club  
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### Mac & Ernie's, LLC

Retail/Barbeque Sauce  
10-percent discount on orders placed via the internet for barbeque sauce.  
[www.macanderniesbbqsauce.com](http://www.macanderniesbbqsauce.com)

### Pamella Bogunovich LCPC LAC Counseling

Mental Health Therapist/  
Addiction Counseling  
Offering mental health and addiction counseling to individuals, families, children and couples. First two visits for \$35 each. Home visits to Sun River Valley and Teton County are available.

406-781-7782

### Fairfield True Value

Hardware/Variety Retail Store  
Buy one replacement key and get the second free of charge.

Store Hours:

8 a.m. - 5 p.m. - Mon.-Fri., 8-12 - Sat.  
601 Central Ave.

Fairfield, MT 59436

406-467-2509

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# Operation Round-up

Operation Round-up is a charitable fund program designed to financially help community groups in need within the Sun River Electric Cooperative (SREC) service area. The fund is made of change from SREC members who have rounded up their monthly billing to the nearest dollar. Example: If you sign up for Operation Round-up and your monthly bill is \$64.35, it would be rounded up to \$65. The extra 65 cents goes into the fund.

At this time there are 220

members participating in the program. SREC's Operation Round-up has donated to the Teton County Ambulance for new CPR training equipment, Conrad's City Hall for handicap-accessible entrance doors, Pondera Medical Center for the purchase of a newer handicap-accessible van and to the Greenfield School for an automated external defibrillator (AED). If you are interested in signing up to donate or have a request for a donation, give SREC a call at 406-467-2527.

## We Have Rebates!

Don't forget that Sun River Electric Cooperative (SREC) has rebates for household appliances. SREC offers \$25 rebates on clothes washers, dishwashers, refrigerators and freezers that are Energy Star compliant. Just download the rebate form from SREC's website, [www.sunriverelectric.coop](http://www.sunriverelectric.coop), fill it out, attach a copy of the receipt and send it to SREC. SREC will then review the rebate form and credit your account \$25 per compliant appliance. Energy Star rated appliances can be found at [www.energy.gov](http://www.energy.gov).

Also remember that SREC offers a \$100 rebate on electric water heaters. To be eligible, the water heater has to be at least 90-percent efficient. The water heater rebate form is also on SREC's website, download it and fill it out, send it in with a copy of the receipt and get the \$100 credit. The water heater must be at least 40-gallon capacity.

All rebates must be submitted within 90 days of purchase. 361413

If you have any questions about rebates, call Sun River Electric at 467-2526 or 1-800-452-7516.

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**Reminder:** Bills not paid by the 10th of the month will be charged a \$10 late fee.

## Swap Column

**FOR SALE:** Tall wooden gun case; elliptical exercise machine; four saddles; horse tack; oak entertainment center; bumper-pool table; small end table; sun lamp for vitamin D; 2002 Volkswagon Beetle, good shape, runs great. Call for price OBO. Syd Lothspeich, 733-4771 or 799-1539.

**FOR SALE:** Hardly used 2-yr-old electric-lift chair, paid \$1,500, asking \$900, like new, light brown. Donna Mantha, 431-9782.

**FOR SALE:** Drop-leaf table, 24"x42" with oak legs, \$80; contractors portable kerosene space heater, \$100; security yard light, \$50; double stainless steel kitchen sink, \$60; new clothesline poles, \$130; Go-Phone \$25 refill card for \$15. John Bushilla, 264-5990.

**FREE:** 3' square swamp cooler; 1979 250 Yamaha snowmobile, runs. Jim Forseth, 467-3168.

**FOR SALE:** 1976 2-ton GMC truck, steel floor, hoist, tandem axle, \$6,500; Owatanna swather, \$1,500. Cliff Davis, 264-5772.

**FOR SALE:** 3-point broadcaster, maximum load of 800 lbs, maximum spread of 40', excellent condition, \$300; 1971 Ford 500 tractor, 540 PTO, 3-point, front-end loader with forks, new front tires, 4 additional rear tires, good condition, low

hours, \$6,500. Dave Paquette, 231-4787.

**FOR SALE:** Several "Hurd" windows, ideal for garage, cabin, etc., \$50 each: Site-Boss II surveying unit, complete-new condition, \$250/offer. Don Becker, 590-3557.

**FOR SALE:** Pickup trucks, '68 Ford 3/4 ton, '79 1/2 ton, '69 1/2 ton, '81 1/2 ton & 5 others, no title; '78 Monte Carlo, 4 door; 3 Thunderbirds, '72, '77 & ?; AC crawler, approximately 20 years old, for parts/ Bearhammer '69 Ranchero, no title. Norman Banta, 264-5453.

**FOR SALE:** Seamax infra-red sauna with radio, used very little, \$1,000 OBO; Bullfrog spa, 2 person, used very little, \$3,500 OBO. Selling because of health reason. Hay for sale, small, square grass bales; big, round grass bales. Dick Preputin, 788-1986.

**FOR SALE:** 2 lots (50'x140' each), 2 car garage (30'x24') with wood stove, 1 shed (8'x10'), fenced backyard, dug out for footings for a house, utilities ready to go, great school & small-town living, 265 Harris Ave, Highwood MT. Bonnie Russell, 733-2115.

If you would like to place an advertisement in the Ripples Swap column, please contact Sun River Electric at 1-800-452-7516 or 467-2527, or email Kathy at [kscott@sunriverelectric.coop](mailto:kscott@sunriverelectric.coop) by the first of the month.

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