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The following pages provide recommendations for lodging, restaurants, and places to visit across Montana. As you travel around the "Big Sky" state, we hope you enjoy the many wonderful offerings each town has to offer along your journey. This Guidebook offers many recommendations, discounts, coupons, and more!

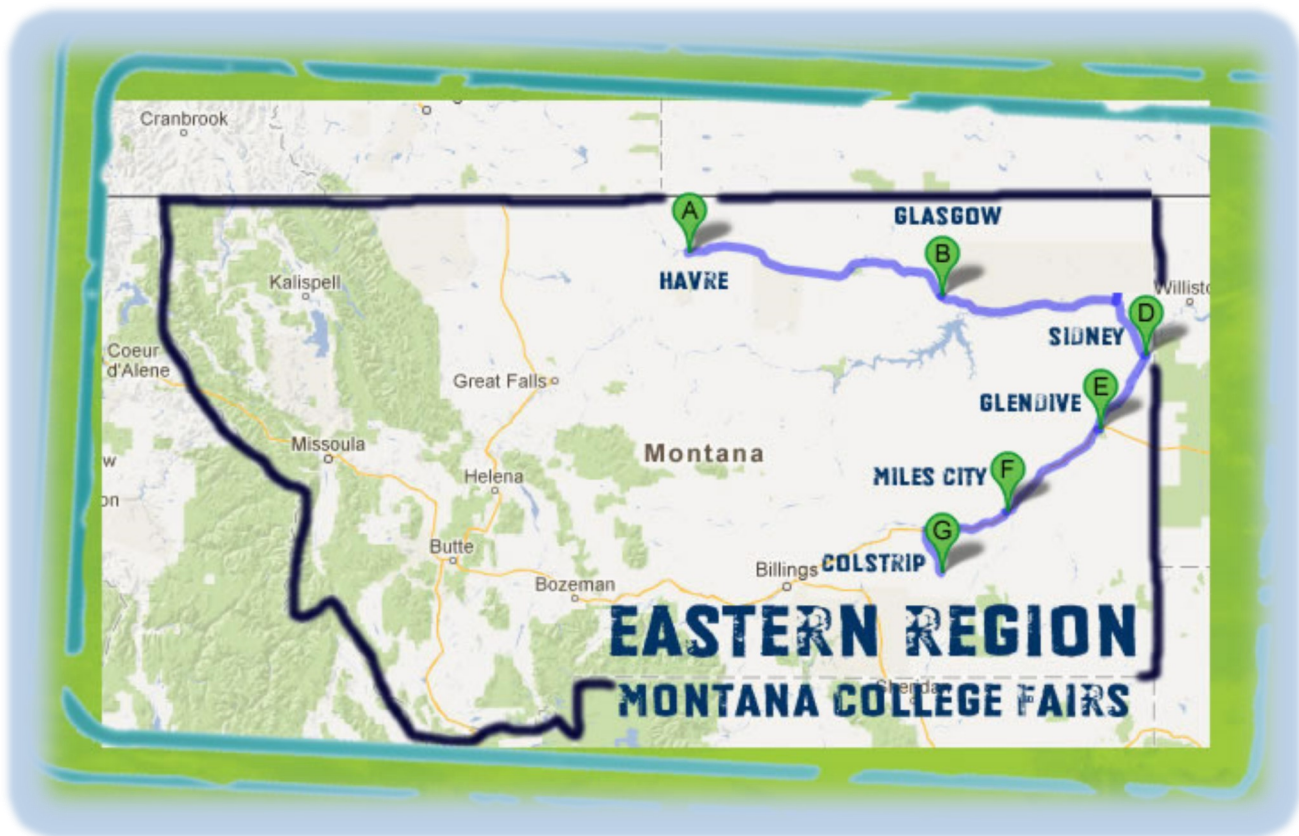
Safe and wonderful Montana travels!

If you have questions at any point, please contact the MPSEOC office.
Thank you for your participation, and we look forward to hosting you in
Montana!

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HAVRE	September 11	12:30PM–2:30PM
GLASGOW	September 12	9:00AM–10:30AM
SIDNEY	September 13	9:00AM–10:30AM
GLENDIVE	September 13	1:00PM–2:30PM
MILES CITY	September 14	8:00AM–9:30AM
COLSTRIP	September 14	1:00PM–2:30PM



HAVRE MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 11, 2017 | Region Eastern | Next Stop Glasgow (158 miles)

Havre (/ˈhævər/ HAV-ər) (Assiniboine: Bahásaba) is a city in, and the county seat of, Hill County, Montana, United States. It is said to be named after the city of Le Havre in France. The population was 9,310 at the 2010 census.

Located in north-central Montana, Havre was incorporated in 1893. It was founded primarily to serve as a major railroad service center for the Great Northern Railway (built by James J. Hill) with its location midway between Seattle and Minneapolis-St. Paul. A statue of Hill stands near the Havre Amtrak station to commemorate the key contributions his railroad has made to Havre's and Montana's history.

Originally named Bullhook Bottoms, the town met in a series of meetings to determine a new name. The original settlers were given the final decision, and due to a strong French influence, the town was renamed Havre.

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ **Wolfers** (3rd Ave)
- ◆ **Lunch Box** (3rd Ave)
- ◆ **The Grind**
(End of 5th Ave S)
- ◆ **Rod's Drive-In**
(End of 5th Ave S)

LODGING

Great Northern Inn

1345 1st Street
(406) 265-4200

Town House Inn

601 West 1st Street
(406) 265-6711

Super 8

1901 US Hwy 2 West
(406) 265-1411

AmericInn Lodge & Suites

2520 US Hwy 2 West
(406) 395-5000

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

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VISIT

- Saturday Market | 8am-Noon |
Town Square Park

HIKE

- Bear Paw Nature Trail

FISH

- Bearpaw Lake or Fresno
Tailwater (Easy access)

GLASGOW MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 12, 2017 | Region Eastern | Next Stop Sidney (140 miles)

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ **Durum Restaurant**
- ◆ **Elks 1922**
- ◆ **Willow's Restaurant**
(Adjacent Cottonwood Inn)
- ◆ **Eugene's Pizza**
- ◆ **Bergie's** (Homemade Ice Cream)

LODGING

Cottonwood Inn

45 1st Ave NE (406) 228-8213

Rundle Suites

208 5th Street S (406) 228-2800

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American Indians inhabited the region for centuries, and extensive buffalo and pronghorn antelope herds provided ample food for the nomadic tribes. The Nakoda, Lakota and Dakota peoples alternately inhabited and claimed the region from the 16th to the late 19th centuries.

In 1804 the Lewis and Clark expedition came within 15 miles of the future site of the city of Glasgow and noted the extensive herds of buffalo and various game. In 1851 the US government formed the first treaty with the Native American tribes, in 1885 the tribes engaged in the last known buffalo hunt in the region, and in 1887 a treaty was signed where the tribes surrendered 17.5 million acres, which led from 1888 to the formation of the Fort Peck Indian Reservation and the removal of the tribes from the Glasgow area.

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VISIT

- The Pioneer Museum of Valley
County
www.glasgowmontana.com

SIDNEY MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 13, 2017 | Region Eastern | Next Stop Glendive (53 miles)

Sidney is a city in and the county seat of Richland County, Montana, United States, less than 10 mi (16 km) away from the North Dakota border. The population was 5,191 at the 2010 census. The city lies along the Yellowstone River and is in proximity to the badlands of the Dakotas. Sidney is approximately midway between Glendive, Montana and Williston, North Dakota.

Settlers began arriving in the area in the 1870s, and a post office was established in 1888. Six-year-old Sidney Walters and his parents were staying with Hiram Otis, the local justice of the peace, and Otis decided that Sidney was a good name for the town. The following year, Montana became a state and Sidney was incorporated in 1911.



VISIT

- Fairview Bridge & Cartwright Tunnel Trail (1 mile walking trail)

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ Fireside Café
- ◆ South40
- ◆ La Fiesta
- ◆ Sadies
- ◆ Footers
- ◆ M&M Café
- ◆ Pizza House
- ◆ Chicken Bean Bag

LODGING

Best Western Golden Prairie Inn & Suites

820 South Central
(406) 433-4560

Holiday Inn

251 W. Holly (406) 433-3200

Mainstay Suites

1000 3rd Street NW
(406) 488-1000

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

GLENDIVE MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 13, 2017 | Region Eastern | Next Stop Miles City (76 miles)

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ CC's Family Café
- ◆ Dairy Queen
- ◆ Maddhatters
- ◆ Coffee Den
- ◆ Gust Haus
- ◆ Pizza Hut, Subway, Taco John's

LODGING

La Quinta Inn & Suites

1717 N. Merrill Ave
(406) 948-2390

Holiday Inn Express

1919 N. Merrill Ave
(406) 377-3300

Astoria Hotel & Suites

201 California Street
(406) 377-6000

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

Glendive is a city in and the county seat of Dawson County, Montana, United States. The population was 4,935 at the 2010 census.

The town of Glendive is located in Eastern Montana and is considered by many as an agricultural hub of Eastern Montana. The town itself is tucked between the Yellowstone River and the Badlands, named for the rugged terrain and jagged rock formations that are known to exist in the area.

Sir George Gore, a wealthy Irish sportsman, named his favorite hunting area "Glendive" in 1855, from the Irish gleann 'valley' and dubh 'black'.



VISIT

- Makoshika State Park |
*See Dinosaur Fossils!
<http://stateparks.mt.gov/makoshika>

MILES CITY MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 14, 2017 | Region Eastern | Next Stop Colstrip (80 miles)

After the Battle of the Little Bighorn in 1876, the U.S. Army created forts in eastern Montana, including one where the north-flowing Tongue River flowed into the east-flowing Yellowstone River. The first fort was known as the Tongue River Cantonment or the Tongue River Barracks and was founded on August 27, 1876. A second, permanent fort was constructed on higher ground two miles to the west of the mouth of the Tongue and this became Fort Keogh. For more information: www.milescity.com.

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ Riband Chop House
- ◆ Mexico Lindo
- ◆ Back Iron Grill
- ◆ Main Street Grind
- ◆ Hole in the Wall
- ◆ Fast Food Options (Subway, McDonald's, Wendy's, Pizza Hut)

LODGING

- Miles City Hotel & Suites**
1720 South Haynes
(406) 234-1000
- Sleep Inn & Suites**
1006 South Haynes
(406) 232-3000
- Best Western War Bonnet Inn**
1015 South Haynes
(406) 234-4560
- Horton House B&B**
1918 Main St.
(406) 234-4442

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

VISIT

- The Waterworks Art Museum
- The Range Riders Museum
("A Celebration of Eastern Montana History")



COLSTRIP MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 14, 2017 | Region Eastern | Next Stop Bozeman (264 mi)

LAST EASTERN REGION FAIR

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ Mulligans
- ◆ Subway
- ◆ Coal Bowl

LODGING

Colstrip Inn & Suites
6227 Main St.
(406) 748-3400

Castle Rock Bed & Breakfast
7412 Castle Rock Lake Dr.
(406) 748-3653

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

Colstrip is a city in Rosebud County, Montana, United States. The population was 2,214 at the 2010 census. Established in 1924 and incorporated as a city in 1998. Colstrip is the largest city in Rosebud County with 24% of the total population.

Colstrip's primary industries are coal mining and electricity production. For the Sports Illustrated Magazine's 50th anniversary, it named Colstrip the top sports town in Montana. The entire community celebrates Colstrip Days annually on the weekend prior to the 4th of July.

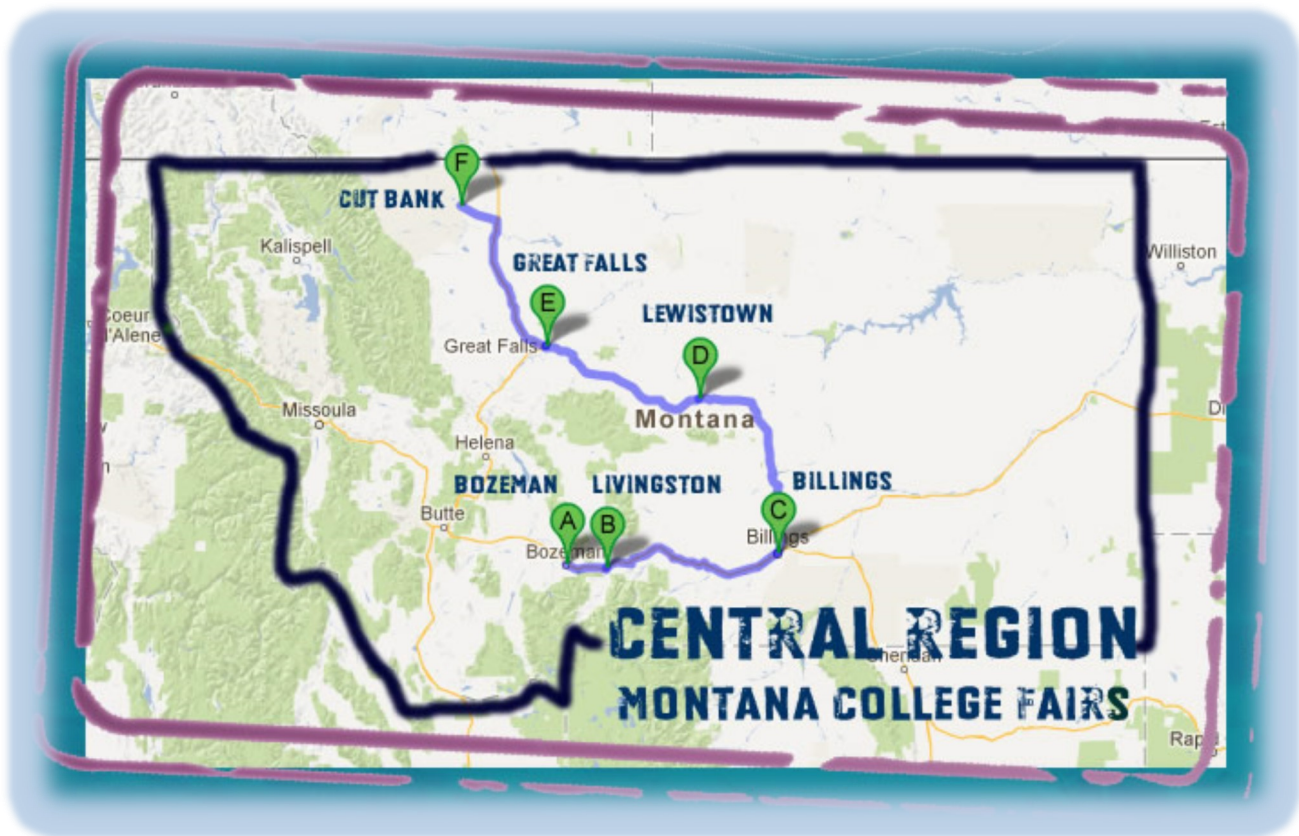
Colstrip was established by the Northern Pacific Railway in 1924 as a company town to provide coal for their steam locomotives. The mining is open pit strip mining, where draglines remove soil above the layer of bituminous coal from the Fort Union Formation.

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VISIT

- The Schoolhouse History & Art Center



BOZEMAN	September 18	9:15AM—10:45AM
LIVINGSTON	September 18	1:30PM—3:00PM
BILLINGS	September 19	8:30AM—11:30AM
LEWISTOWN	September 20	9:00AM—10:30AM
GREAT FALLS	September 20	1:30PM—3:00PM
CUT BANK	September 21	9:00AM—10:30AM



BOZEMAN MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 18, 2017 | Region Central | Next Stop Livingston (26 mi)

Bozeman is a city in and the county seat of Gallatin County, Montana, United States, in the southwestern part of the state. The 2010 census put Bozeman's population at 37,280 and the 2012 census estimate put the population at 38,695 making it the fourth largest city in the state. It is the principal city of the Bozeman, MT Micropolitan Statistical Area, consisting of all of Gallatin County with a population of 92,614. It is the largest Micropolitan Statistical Area in Montana and is the third largest of all of Montana's statistical areas.

The city is named after John M. Bozeman, who established the Bozeman Trail and was a key founder of the town in August 1864.

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ MacKenzie River Pizza
- ◆ Aleworks
- ◆ Santa Fe Reds
- ◆ Café Zydeco
- ◆ Olive Garden

LODGING

- Hilton Garden Inn**
2023 Commerce Way
(406) 582-9900
- MountainView Lodge & Suites**
1121 Reeves Rd. W
(406) 522-8686
- The LARK Bozeman**
122 W. Main St
(866) 464-1000
- Gallatin River Lodge**
9105 Thorpe Rd.
(406) 388-0148
- Ramada Bozeman**
2020 Wheat Drive
(406) 414-6170
- Comfort Inn** 1370 N. 7th Ave
(406) 587-2322

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

VISIT

- The Gallatin National Forest
- Hyalite Canyon
- Bridger Bowl
- Museum of the Rockies



LIVINGSTON MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 18, 2017 | Region Central | Next Stop Billings (115 miles)

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ Pickle Barrel
- ◆ Montana's Rib & Chop House
- ◆ Pinky's Café

LODGING

- The Murray Hotel**
201 W. Park St.
(406) 222-1350
- Livingston Inn Motel**
5 Rogers Ln. (406) 222-3600
- Yellowstone Valley Lodge**
3840 US Hwy 89 South
(406) 333-4787
- Quality Inn Livingston**
111 Rogers Ln.
(406) 222-0555

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

Livingston is a city in and the county seat of Park County, Montana, United States. Livingston is located in southwestern Montana, on the Yellowstone River, north of Yellowstone National Park. The population was 7,044 at the 2010 census.

Livingston evolved from a trading post on the Yellowstone River called Benson's Landing which was approximately 3 miles (4.8 km) downstream from present day Livingston. In July 1882 when Northern Pacific Railway contractors arrived the trading post was renamed "Clark City" for contractor Heman Clark. The railroad officially reached Clark City on November 22, 1882. The community moved to its present location upstream from the trading post and was renamed Livingston in honor of a Northern Pacific Railway stockholder and director, Johnston Livingston.

Livingston became the original gateway to Yellowstone National Park, which the Northern Pacific Railroad (NPR) began promoting heavily to visitors from the East, by way of a branch running some sixty miles south to first the Cinnabar station and later Gardiner. Livingston was also headquarters for the NPR's Central Division and a good location for railroad shops to service NPR steam trains before their ascent over the Bozeman Pass, the highest point on the line at 5,702 feet (1,738 m).

VISIT (Plenty of hiking trails!)

- Pine Creek Lake
- Fly Fishing Shops & Access Sites
- Yellowstone Gallery & Framework



BILLINGS MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 19, 2017 | Region Central | Next Stop Lewistown (125 mi)

Billings is the largest city in Montana, and is the principal city of the Billings Metropolitan Area with a population of 162,848.

Billings was nicknamed the Magic City because of its rapid growth from its founding as a railroad town in March 1882. The city is named for Frederick H. Billings, a former president of the Northern Pacific Railroad. Billings is the trade and distribution center for most of Montana, Northern Wyoming and western portions of North Dakota and South Dakota. It is also the retail destination for much of the same area. With more hotel accommodations than any area within a five-state region, the city hosts a variety of conventions, concerts, sporting events and other rallies.

Area attractions include Pompey's Pillar, Pictograph Cave, Chief Plenty Coups State Park, Zoo Montana, and the Yellowstone Art Museum. Within 100 miles are Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument, Bighorn Canyon National Recreation Area, Red Lodge Mountain Resort and the Beartooth Highway which links Red Lodge to Yellowstone National Park.

RESTAURANTS

(**Reservations Recommended)

- ◆ The Granary**
- ◆ The Rex**
- ◆ Jakes**
- ◆ Ciao Mambo
- ◆ Walker's Grill**
- ◆ Montana Brewing Company
- ◆ Pug Mahon's
- ◆ Thai Orchid

LODGING

Baymont Inn & Suites

2030 Overland Ave.
(406) 248-9800

Boothill Inn & Suites

242 E. Airport Ave.
(406) 299-9475

DoubleTree By Hilton

27 N. 27th St. (406) 252-7400

Country Inn & Suites

231 Main St. (406) 245-9995

Ledgestone Hotel Billings

4863 King Ave. E (406) 259-9454

Northern Hotel 19 N. 28th St.

(406) 867-6767

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

VISIT

- The Rimrocks
(Geological Formations)
- Pictograph Cave State Park
- ZooMontana
- DanWalt Gardens



LEWISTOWN MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 20, 2017 | Region Central | Next Stop Great Falls (140 mi)

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ China Garden
- ◆ The Onyx
- ◆ Southside Fish Market
- ◆ Bar 19
- ◆ Dash Inn
- ◆ Poorman's
- ◆ Southwestern Café
- ◆ The Mint Café
- ◆ Yogo Inn

LODGING

B & B Motel 520 E. Main St.
(406) 535-5496

Yogo Inn 211 E. Main St.
(406) 538-8721

Super 8 102 Wendell Ave.
(406) 538-2581

Pheasant Tales Bed-And-Bistro
(Located 4 miles from town)
1511 Timberline Rd.
(406) 538-2124

**See back of this book for a more detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

Lewistown (Assiniboine: Wá skąšj dī'óda) is a city in and the county seat of Fergus County, Montana, United States. The population was 5,901 at the 2010 census. Lewistown is located in central Montana, the geographic center of the state, southeast of Great Falls. First planned in 1882, it was the site of an 1880s gold rush.

The area that is now Lewistown was once the territory of the Blackfoot Native Americans. In 1874, Fort Lewis was established there by the Company "F" of the 7th U.S. Infantry to provide military protection for people traveling on the Carroll Trail, the then-shortest route between Carroll, Montana and Helena. Lewistown is named after this fort.

VISIT

- Lewistown Art Center
- Sluice Boxes State Park
(*I-89, en route to Great Falls)



GREAT FALLS MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 20, 2017 | Region Central | Next Stop Cut Bank (109 mi)

Great Falls is a city in and the county seat of Cascade County, Montana, United States. The 2011 census estimate put the population at 58,950. It is the principal city of the Great Falls, Montana Metropolitan Statistical Area, which encompasses all of Cascade County and has a population of 81,723.

Great Falls takes its name from the series of five waterfalls in close proximity along the upper Missouri River basin that the Lewis and Clark Expedition had to portage around over a ten mile stretch; the effort required 31 days of arduous labor during the westward leg of their 1805-06 expedition.

Each falls sports a hydroelectric dam today, hence Great Falls is nicknamed the Electric City. Currently two undeveloped parts of their portage route are included within the Great Falls Portage, a National Historic Landmark.

The city is home to the C. M. Russell Museum Complex, the University of Great Falls, Montana State University Great Falls - COT, Giant Springs, and the Roe River (claimed to be the world's shortest river).

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ MacKenzie River Pizza Co.
- ◆ Jakers
- ◆ Dantes
- ◆ Applebee's
- ◆ Tony Roma's
- ◆ Many fast food options

LODGING

- Comfort Inn** 1120 9th Street South
(406) 454-2727
- Days Inn** 101 14th Ave. NW
(406) 727-6565
- Hotel Arvon** 118 1st Ave. South
(406) 952-1101
- Great Falls Inn by Riversage** 1400
28th St. South
(406) 453-6000
- La Quinta Inn & Suites**
600 River Dr. South
(406) 761-2600

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

VISIT

- Sip & Dip Lounge (they have mermaids!)
- Charlie Russell Museum
- Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center
- Walk along River's Edge Trail



CUT BANK MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 11, 2017 | Region Central | Next Stop Butte (258 mi)

LAST CENTRAL REGION FAIR

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ C&L Café
- ◆ Smokehouse Deli
- ◆ Pizza Hut

LODGING

Glacier Gateway Inn & Plaza

1130 E. Main St.
(406) 873-2566

Super 8

609 W. Main St.
(406) 873-5662

Best Western Inn & Suites

(22 miles from Cut Bank)
1948 West Roosevelt Hwy, Shelby
406) 424-4560

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

Cut Bank is a city in and the county seat of Glacier County, Montana, United States located just east-south-east of the "cut bank" (gorge) geographical feature which formed, canyon-like, along the Cut Bank Creek river.

The city is located 30 miles south of the Canadian border. The name of the city comes from the Cut Bank gorge—a geologic feature and a scenic hazard to navigation. The Cut Bank Creek river is spanned cliffs-to-cliffs by a scenic elevated railway bridge high above the canyon floor, less than a mile from the edge of the town.

VISIT

- Museum of the Plains Indian (Browning)
- Glacier National Park
- Lewis & Clark-related historical sites





BUTTE	September 25	9:00AM—11:00AM
HELENA	September 25	1:30PM—3:00PM
MISSOULA	September 26	8:45AM—11:15AM
HAMILTON	September 26	1:30PM—3:00PM
POLSON	September 27	10:00AM—11:30AM
KALISPELL	September 28	8:15AM—11:30AM



BUTTE MONTANA

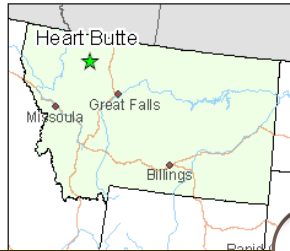
Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 25, 2017 | Region Western | Next Stop Helena

Butte /'bjʊ:t/ is the county seat of Silver Bow County, United States. In 1977, the city and county governments consolidated to form the sole entity of Butte-Silver Bow. As of the 2010 census, Butte's population was 34,200. Butte is currently Montana's fifth largest city.

In the 19th and 20th centuries, Butte experienced every stage of development of a mining town, from camp to boomtown to mature city, to center for historic preservation and environmental cleanup. Unlike most such towns, Butte's urban landscape includes mining operations set within residential areas, making the environmental consequences of the extraction economy all the more apparent. In the 21st century, efforts at interpreting and preserving Butte's heritage are addressing both the town's historical significance and the continuing importance of mining to its economy and culture.

Butte was one of the largest cities west of the Mississippi for generations. Silver Bow County (Butte and suburbs) had 24,000 people in 1890, and peaked at 60,000 in 1920. Then the population steadily declined to 34,000 in 1990 and stabilized. In its heyday between the late 19th century and about 1920, it was one of the largest and most notorious copper boomtowns in the American West, home to hundreds of saloons and a famous red-light district. The documentary *Butte, America* depicts its history as a copper producer and the issues of labor unionism, economic rise and decline, and environmental degradation that resulted from the activity.

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VISIT

- The Copper King Mansion
- Uptown Historic Butte
- World Museum of Mining
- Lady of the Rockies

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ Montana Club
- ◆ MacKenzie River Pizza
- ◆ Broadway Café
- ◆ Fred's Mesquite Grill
- ◆ Christina's Cocina
- ◆ Metals Bank
- ◆ Sparky's

LODGING

La Quinta Inn & Suites

1 Holiday Park (406) 494-6999

Best Western

2900 Harrison Ave.

(406) 494-3500

Hampton Inn

3499 Harrison Ave.

(406) 494-2250

Holiday Inn Express & Suites

2609 Harrison Ave.

(406) 782-2000

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

HELENA MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 25, 2017 | Region Western | Next Stop Missoula

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ Windbag
- ◆ Mediterranean Grill
- ◆ Silver Star
- ◆ Brew House
- ◆ Staggering Ox
- ◆ Several Fast Food Options

LODGING

Best Western Great Northern

835 Great Northern Blvd.

(406) 457-5500

Hampton Inn 725 Carter Dr.

(406) 443-5800

Baymont Inn & Suites

750 Fee St. (406) 443-1000

Comfort Suites (Airport)

3180 North Washington St.

(406) 495-0505

Residence Inn Helena

2500 East Custer Ave.

(406) 443-8010

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Helena is the capital city of Montana and the county seat of Lewis and Clark County. The 2010 census put the population at 28,190, and the Lewis and Clark County population at 63,395. Helena is the principal city of the Helena Micropolitan Statistical Area, which includes all of Lewis and Clark and Jefferson counties; its population is 76,277 according to the 2012 U.S. Census.

Helena was founded with the July 14, 1864 discovery of gold in a gulch off the Prickly Pear valley by the "Four Georgians". The city's main street is named Last Chance Gulch and lies close to the winding path of the original gulch through the historic downtown district.

The original camp was named "Last Chance" by the Four Georgians. By fall, the population had grown to over 200 and the name "Last Chance" was viewed as too crass. On October 30, 1864, a group of at least seven men met to name the town, authorize the layout of the streets, and elect commissioners. The first suggestion was "Tomah," a word the committee thought had connections to the local Indian people of the area. Other nominations included Pumpkinville and Squashtown (as the meeting was held the day before Halloween). Other suggestions were to name the community after various Minnesota towns, such as Winona and Rochester. Finally, a Scotsman named John Summerville proposed Helena, which he pronounced /hə'li:nə/ hə-LEE-nə in honor of Helena Township, Scott County, Minnesota.

VISIT

- Cathedral of St. Helena
- Montana State Capitol Building
- Gates of the Mountains
(trails, boat tours, wildlife)

Montana



MISSOULA MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 26, 2017 | Region Western | Next Stop Hamilton

Missoula is the county seat of Missoula County and the home of the University of Montana. It is located along the Clark Fork River near its confluence with the Bitterroot River in western Montana and at the convergence of five mountain ranges, thus is often described as the "Hub of Five Valleys".

In the last Ice Age, Glacial Lake Missoula covered the Five Valleys, occasionally releasing giant floods that carved the "scablands" of eastern Washington: <http://www.glaciallakemissoula.org/> Missoula was founded in 1860 as Hellgate Trading Post while still part of Washington Territory. By 1866, the settlement had moved five miles upstream and renamed Missoula Mills, later shortened to Missoula.

The 2010 Census put the population of Missoula at 66,788 and the Missoula Metropolitan Area at 109,299. As of July 1, 2012 estimated population had grown to 68,394. As of July 1, 2012, the Missoula metropolitan area's population was estimated to be 110,977. Since 2000, Missoula has been the second most populous city in Montana.

In and around Missoula are 400 acres of parkland, 22 miles of trails, and nearly 5,000 acres of open-space conservation land. Nearby Mount Jumbo is home to grazing elk and mule deer during the winter months. Notable past residents include the first woman in Congress, Jeannette Rankin.

Montana



VISIT

- Home to Montana's oldest, largest & active breweries
- Downtown Missoula
- Rockin' Rudy's Gift Store
- Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation

HIKE

- "M" & "L" Trails
- Rattlesnake Wilderness Area

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ El Cazador
- ◆ The Depot
- ◆ Bridge Pizza
- ◆ Hoagieville
- ◆ Montana Club
- ◆ Mustard Seed Asian Café
- ◆ Good Food Store
- ◆ Liquid Planet

LODGING

Comfort Inn University

1021 East Broadway
(406) 549-7600

My Place Hotel

2951 Expo Pkwy
(406) 578-0271

Wingate by Wyndham,

Missoula Airport

5252 Airway Blvd.
(406) 541-8000

Holiday Inn Downtown

200 South Pattee St.
(406) 721-8550

DoubleTree By Hilton

100 Madison St.
(406) 728-3100

Staybridge Suites

120 Expressway (406) 830-3900

**See back of book for a detailed listing of hotels in this area.*

HAMILTON MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 26, 2017 | Region Western | Next Stop Polson

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ Bitterroot Brewing Co.
- ◆ The Loft
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Hamilton (Salish: ɬtɬlé) is a city in and the county seat of Ravalli County, Montana, United States. The population was 4,348 at the 2010 census. Significant outlying population growth is shown in the area; the ZIP Code Tabulation Area for Hamilton's ZIP Code, 59840, had a population of 15,393 at the United States Census Bureau 2009 estimate.

Hamilton was founded by copper king Marcus Daly in the late 19th century. It was named for J.W. Hamilton, who provided the right-of-way to the railroad. Daly is said to have wanted to begin business in the then-county seat of Grantsdale, but was denied the opportunity. He supposedly founded Hamilton out of his own pocket as a reaction to being rebuffed at Grantsdale.

Montana



VISIT

- Marcus Daly Mansion

HIKE

- Bitterroot Valley | "Fly Fishing Mecca!"

POLSON MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 27, 2017 | Region Western | Next Stop Kalispell

Polson (Salish: n̓m̓qnetk̓, Ktunaxa: kwatáq̓nuk) is a city in Lake County, Montana, on the southern shore of Flathead Lake. It is also on the Flathead Indian Reservation. The population was 4,488 at the 2010 census. It is the county seat of Lake County. The city was named after pioneer rancher David Polson.

Polson is located on the Flathead Indian Reservation in a natural amphitheater at the south end of Flathead Lake. This charming lakeside community is the trading center for one of Montana's most fertile farming areas. In a prime cherry growing region and home to numerous cherry orchards, Polson celebrates with an annual Cherry Festival.

Montana



VISIT

- Mission Valley & Mission Mountains
- Flathead River
- White Water Rafting & Kerr Dam
- National Bison Range at Moiese (Bird Watching & Wildlife)

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ Hot Spot Thai Café
- ◆ Old World Deli
- ◆ The Cove

LODGING

KwaTaqNuk Resort

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Polson Inn

49825 US Hwy 93
(406) 883-5385

Red Lion Inn & Suites

Ridgewater

209 Ridgewater Dr.
(406) 872-2200

Swan Hill Bed & Breakfast

(5 miles from Polson)
39407 Kings Point Rd.
(406) 883-1450

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KALISPELL MONTANA

Montana College Fair Tour | Date September 28, 2017 | Region Western | LAST COLLEGE FAIR OF 2017

RESTAURANTS

- ◆ Hops Downtown Grill
- ◆ Bonnell's Bistro
- ◆ Montana Coffee Trader Café
- ◆ MacKenzie River Pizza
- ◆ Moose's Saloon
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LODGING

Hampton Inn 1140 US Hwy 2 W
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Homewood Suites by Hilton
195 Hutton Ranch Rd.
(406) 755-8080

Best Western Plus – Flathead Lake Inn & Suites

4824 US Hwy 93 South
(406) 857-2400

The Kalispell Grand Hotel
100 Main St. (406) 755-8100

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Kalispell (Ktunaxa: kqayaqawak̓ʷnam, Salish: qlispél) is a city in, and the county seat of, Flathead County, Montana. The Kalispell Micropolitan Statistical Area has a population of 91,633 and it is the largest city and commercial center of northwest Montana. As of July 1, 2012 the estimated population had grown to 20,487.

The name Kalispell is a Salish word meaning "flat land above the lake". Kalispell is also the gateway to Glacier National Park.

Charles Edward Conrad, a businessman and banker from Fort Benton, Montana, formed the Kalispell Townsite Company with three other men. The townsite was quickly platted and lots began selling by the spring of 1891. It was officially incorporated as a city the following year.

Since that time, the city of Kalispell has continued to grow in population reaching 19,927 in 2010. As the largest city in Northwest Montana, Kalispell serves as the county seat and commercial center of Flathead County. The city is considered a secondary trade center with a trade area of approximately 130,000. The city also is home to Kalispell Regional Medical Center, which boasts a 150-bed facility.

Montana



VISIT

- Glacier National Park (31mi)
- Hungry Horse Dam (22mi)
- Whitefish Resort, Big Mountain (17 mi)
- Blacktail Ski Area (17mi)
- Conrad Mansion
- Downtown Whitefish

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	<i>Town House Inn</i>	601 W. 1st St.	406-265-6711
	<i>AmericInn Lodge and Suites</i>	2520 U.S. Hwy 2 W	406-395-5000
Malta	<i>Great Northern Hotel</i>	2 South 1st St. E	406-654-2100
	<i>Maltana Motel</i>	138 1st Ave. W	406-654-2610
	<i>Riverside Motel</i>	8 N. Central	406-654-2311
	<i>Royals Inn</i>	117 N. 1st St. E	406-654-1150
	<i>Sportsman Motel</i>	231 N. 1st St. E	406-654-2300
Glasgow	<i>Cottonwood Inn</i>	45 1st Ave. NE	406-228-8213
	<i>Campbell Lodge</i>	534 3rd Avenue S	406-228-9328
	<i>Star Lodge Motel</i>	1023 US Hwy 2 W	406-228-2494
	<i>Rundle Suites</i>	208 5th St. S	406-228-2800
Sidney	<i>Microtel Inn and Suites</i>	1500 S. Central	406-482-9011
	<i>Best Western</i>	820 S. Central	406-433-4560
	<i>Holiday Inn</i>	251 W. Holly	406-433-3200
	<i>Candlewood Suites</i>	201 6th St. W	406-482-9692
	<i>Mainstay Suites</i>	1000 3rd St NW	406-488-1000
Glendive	<i>Comfort Inn</i>	1918 N. Merrill	406-365-6000
	<i>Days Inn</i>	2000 N. Merrill	406-365-6011
	<i>Super 8</i>	1904 N. Merrill	406-365-5671
	<i>Holiday Inn Express</i>	1919 N Merrill Ave.	406-377-3300
	<i>Astoria Hotel & Suites</i>	201 California St.	406-377-6000
	<i>La Quinta</i>	1717 N. Merrill Ave	406-948-2390
Miles City	<i>Best Western</i>	1015 S. Haynes	406-234-4560
	<i>Comfort Inn</i>	1615 S. Haynes	406-234-3141

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<i>Horton House Bed & Breakfast</i>	1918 Main St.	406-234-4422
<i>Yellowstone Bluffs Bed & Breakfast</i>	27 Buena Vista Dr.	406-234-8012
<i>Guesthouse Inn and Suites</i>	3111 Steel St.	406-232-3661
<i>Holiday Inn Express</i>	1720 S. Haynes	406-234-1000
<i>Motel 6</i>	1314 S. Haynes	406-232-7040
<i>Super 8</i>	Hwy 59 South	406-234-5261

Colstrip

<i>Colstrip Inn and Suites</i>	6227 Main St.	406-748-3400
<i>Castle Rock Bed & Breakfast</i>	7412 Castle Rock Lake Dr.	406-748-3653

Bozeman

<i>Comfort Inn</i>	1370 N. 7th Ave.	406-587-2322
<i>Hilton Garden Inn</i>	2023 Commerce Way	406-582-9900
<i>Fairfield Inn</i>	828 Wheat Dr.	406-587-2222
<i>Hampton Inn</i>	75 E. Baxter Ln.	406-522-8000
<i>Holiday Inn</i>	5 E. Baxter Ln.	406-587-4561
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<i>Holiday Inn Express</i>	2305 Catron	406-582-4995
<i>MountainView Lodge & Suites</i>	1121 Reeves Rd. W	406-522-8686
<i>The LARK Bozeman</i>	122 W. Main St.	866-464-1000
<i>Country Inn & Suites by Carlson</i>	5997 E. Valley Center Rd	406-586-2230
<i>Homewood Suites by Hilton</i>	1023 Baxter Ln	406-587-8180
<i>Comfort Suites</i>	2515 Catamount St.	406-587-0800
<i>Element Bozeman</i>	25 E Mendenhall St.	406-582-4972
<i>Gallatin River Lodge</i>	9105 Thorpe Rd.	406-388-0148
<i>C'Mon Inn</i>	6139 E. Valley Center Road	406-587-3555
<i>My Place Hotel</i>	5889 E. Valley Center Road	406-586-8228
<i>Days Inn & Suites</i>	1321 N 7th Ave	406-587-5251
<i>Ramada Bozeman</i>	2020 Wheat Dr.	406-414-6170

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<i>Comfort Inn</i>	114 Loves Ln.	406-222-4400
<i>The Murray Hotel</i>	201 W. Park St.	406-222-1350
<i>Super 8</i>	105 Centennial Dr.	406-222-7711
<i>Livingston Inn Motel</i>	5 Rogers Ln.	406-222-3600
<i>Rodeway Inn</i>	102 Rogers Ln.	406-222-6320
<i>Yellowstone Valley Lodge</i>	3840 US Hwy 89 S	406-333-4787
<i>Quality Inn Livingston</i>	111 Rogers Ln	406-222-0555
<i>Yellowstone Pioneer Lodge</i>	1515 W Park St	406-235-1589
<i>A Stone's Throw B&B</i>	105 S 5th St.	406-222-5221

Billings

<i>Best Western Plus Kelly Inn and Suites</i>	5610 I-90 Frontage Rd.	406-248-9800
<i>C'Mon Inn</i>	2020 Overland Ave.	406-655-1100
<i>Comfort Inn</i>	2030 Overland Ave.	406-652-5200
<i>Fairfield Inn</i>	2026 Overland Ave.	406-652-5330
<i>Holiday Inn Grand</i>	5500 Midland Rd.	406-248-7701
<i>Sheraton</i>	27 N. 27th St.	406-252-7400
<i>Super 8</i>	5400 Southgate Dr.	406-248-8842
<i>My Place Hotel - Billings</i>	4770 King Ave E	406-259-9970
<i>Boothill Inn & Suites</i>	242 E Airport Rd.	406-299-9475
<i>Ledgestone Hotel Billings</i>	4863 King Ave E	406-259-9454
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<i>Best Western Plus Clocktower Inn</i>	2511 1st Ave N.	406-259-5511
<i>Lexington Inn & Suites</i>	3040 King Ave W.	406-204-2490
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	<i>Days Inn</i>	101 14th Ave. NW	406-727-6565
	<i>Fairfield Inn</i>	1000 9th Ave. S	406-454-3000
	<i>Comfort Inn and Suites</i>	1801 Market Place Dr.	406-455-1000
	<i>Holiday Inn</i>	400 10th Ave. S	406-727-7200
	<i>Hampton Inn</i>	2301 14th St. SW	406-453-2675
	<i>Hotel Arvon</i>	118 1st Ave S	406-952-1101
	<i>Great Falls Inn by Riversage</i>	1400 28th Street South	406-453-6000
	<i>Hilton Garden Inn</i>	2520 14th St. SW	406-452-1000
	<i>Holiday Inn Expresss & Suites</i>	1625 Market Place Dr.	406-453-4000
	<i>Crystal Inn Hotel & Suites</i>	3701 31st St. SW	406-727-7788
	<i>La Quinta Inn & Suites</i>	600 River Dr. S	406-761-2600
	<i>Staybridge Suites</i>	201 3rd St. NW	406-761-4903
Cut Bank	<i>Glacier Gateway Inn</i>	1121 Railroad St.	406-873-2566
	<i>Glacier Gateway Plaza</i>	1130 E. Main	406-873-2566
	<i>Super 8</i>	609 W. Main	406-873-5662
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<i>Comfort Inn</i>	2777 Harrison Ave.	406-494-8850
<i>Hampton Inn</i>	3499 Harrison Ave	406-494-2250
<i>Holiday Inn Express</i>	2609 Harrison Ave.	406-782-2000
<i>Quality Inn and Suites</i>	2100 Cornell Ave.	406-494-7800
<i>Super 8</i>	2929 Harrison Ave.	406-494-6000
<i>Finlen Hotel and Motor Inn</i>	100 E. Broadway	406-723-5461
<i>La Quinta Inn & Suites</i>	1 Holiday Park	406-494-6999

Helena

<i>Best Western Great Northern</i>	835 Great Northern Blvd.	406-457-5500
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<i>Hampton Inn</i>	4805 N. Reserve St.	406-549-1800
<i>Comfort Inn</i>	150 Expressway	406-549-7600
<i>Hilton Garden Inn</i>	3720 North Reserve Street	406-532 5300
<i>Wingate by Wyndham Missoula Airport</i>	5252 Airway Blvd	406-541-8000
<i>La Quinta Inn Missoula</i>	5059 N Reserve St	406-549-9000
<i>Staybridge Suites</i>	120 Expressway	406-830-3900
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<i>Deer Crossing Bed & Breakfast</i>	396 Hayes Creek Road	406-363-2232

Polson

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<i>Flathead Lake Inn</i>	125 Anchor Way	406-883-6266
<i>Bayview Inn</i>	50149 US Hwy 93	406-883-3120
<i>Red Lion Inn & Suites Ridgewater</i>	209 Ridgewater Dr	406-872-2200
<i>Swan Hill Bed & Breakfast</i>	39407 Kings Point Rd.	406-883-1450

Kalispell

<i>Americas Best Value Inn</i>	1550 Sunset Blvd.	406-756-3222
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<i>Homewood Suites by Hilton</i>	195 Hutton Ranch Rd	406-755-8080
<i>Best Western Plus - Flathead Lake Inn and Suites</i>	4824 US Hwy 93 S	406-857-2400
<i>The Kalispell Grand Hotel</i>	100 Main St.	406-755-8100
<i>Hilton Garden Inn Kalispell</i>	1840 US Hwy 93 S	406-756-4500
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