



## **Advisory Board Minutes**

**February 25 at 9:30 in the MetraPark Boardroom**

**Stoney Field welcomed all newly appointed board members. Brief introductions were made by new Board members, County Commissioners, and MetraPark Department heads.**

**Attendees Include: Brian Brown, Jennifer Sayler, Stoney Field, Mike Groscop, Cody Reitz, Tim Goodridge, Darcie Tempel, Billie Chase, Tim Wombolt, Darren Bayliss, Craig Peterson, Nick Steen, George Warmer, Mike Waters, Chris White, Dana Bishop, David Roth, Michael Woempner, Callie Clark.**

**Board Members were asked what days of the week and time frames worked best for everyone's schedules. The consensus was Wednesday and Friday late morning. It was decided to set the first 3 months meetings for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday at 11am.**

**March 11<sup>th</sup>, April 8<sup>th</sup>, & May 13<sup>th</sup>.**

**This board will be asked to elect officers at the next meeting. The three positions will be President, Vice President, & Secretary. Bylaws have been restructured from the past Advisory Board.**

**Stoney F. led the conversation for duties of the board. Please advocate for MP. How can we improve MP? What can we do to better our facility? Help dispel rumors or false information. We are striving to be the best facility in Montana.**

**Darcie T. shared Little Fairgoers Fund Sponsor campaign. Goal is to get 2000 tickets sold to generate foot traffic at MontanaFair. This helps subsidize cost of ground acts during Fair.**

**Cody R. shared at meetings he would provide a recap of last month's activities and a calendar of upcoming events.**

**Badges will be issued for members to attend meetings here at MP. This is a new safety protocol we have here at MP. Gave verbal introduction to BEST our new crowd management service. They provide training and higher wages than previous service used.**

**Cleaning Service has been brought inside MP to provide us with being able to train and keep temp staff up on our facility needs.**

**We had a market analysis done to provide more reasonable market rates for shows. With our Sky Boxes here at MP. Currently they are getting up grades of paint, flooring and safety measures. We have sublet options and non-sublet options. Goal was to get more people to experience our boxes during live shows. It is working well for MP they are being sold out for many events currently on sale.**

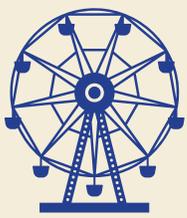
**Mike W. & Chris W. Thanked everyone for applying and committing to serving on the new Advisory Board for MP.**

**Stoney F. advised everyone to open lines of communication, offer support to our community needs, and gain information to advocate better for MP. Help us to know more to help more. We look forward to building stronger relations for our community needs.**

**Minutes Respectfully submitted by:**

**Callie Clark**

**Administrative Coordinator at MetraPark**



# Little Fairgoers Fund



Sponsor a child's day of fun at MontanaFair

## Overview

The Little Fairgoers Fund is a community-driven initiative that provides free MontanaFair admission to children ages 6–12 who might not otherwise have the opportunity to experience the joy and excitement of the fair. *(Children ages 5 and under are already admitted free.)*

By becoming a sponsor, your business directly helps make the fair accessible to kids in our community—creating unforgettable memories and strengthening our shared sense of connection and belonging.

Sponsor contributions cover the cost of children’s admission tickets, ensuring kids ages 6–12 can enjoy all that MontanaFair has to offer, from rides and exhibits to live entertainment and hands-on experiences.

## Sponsorship Tiers

### Bronze Sponsor - \$500

- Sponsors 50 Children
- Logo with hyperlink on montanafair.com
- Social Media Recognition
- Recognition in our impact recap

### Silver Sponsor - \$1,000

- Sponsors 100 Children
- Logo with hyperlink on montanafair.com
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### Gold Sponsor - \$2,000

- Sponsors 300 Children
- Logo with hyperlink on montanafair.com
- Social Media Recognition
- Logo MontanaFair TV
- Recognition in our impact recap

### Platinum Sponsor - \$3,000

- Sponsors 500 Children
- Logo with hyperlink on montanafair.com
- Social Media Recognition
- Logo on MontanaFair TV
- Recognition in our impact recap

# Sponsor Recognition

We deeply value the support of our sponsors and are committed to providing meaningful recognition for your generosity. As a sponsor, you will receive:

- **Website Recognition:** Your logo will be displayed on our website, with a link to your company's website.
- **Social Media Recognition:** Inclusion in a group sponsor thank-you post
- **Impact Recap:** At the conclusion of MontanaFair, we will share an impact recap, highlighting the success of the program and acknowledging your contribution.
- **MontanaFair TV:** Your Logo on MontanaFair TV.

## Join Us!

To support MontanaFair's Little Fairgoers Fund, please contact:

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Thank you for considering this opportunity to support our community's children and celebrate the spirit of MontanaFair! We look forward to partnering with you.

