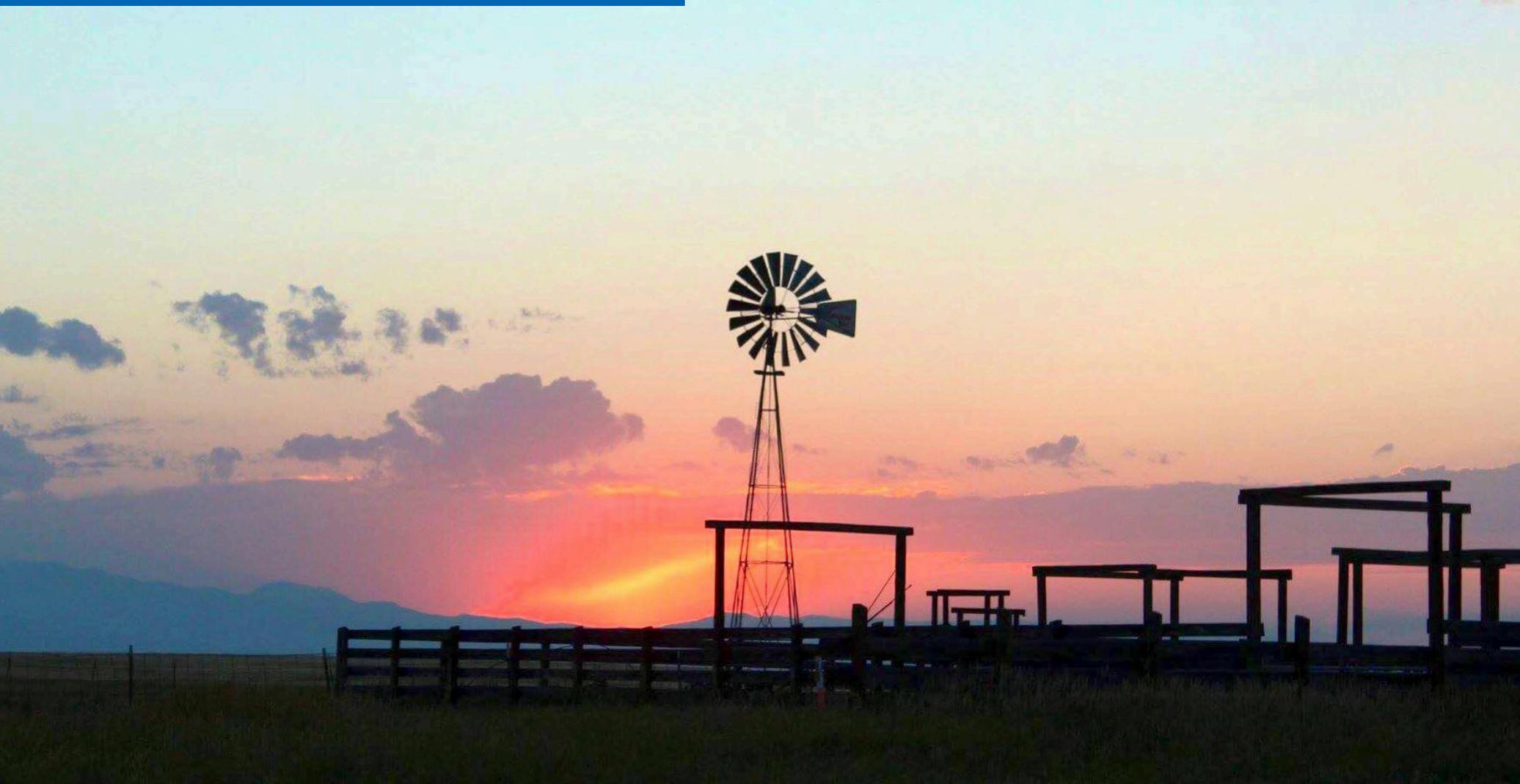


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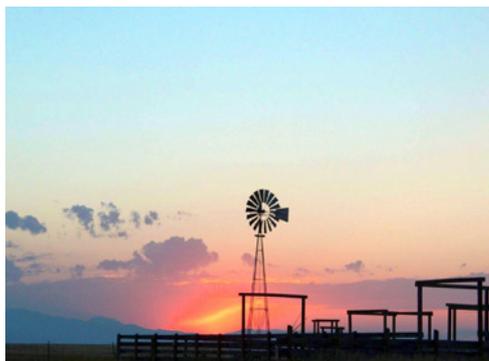
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Congratulations to Grand Prize winner Whitney Bare of Reed Point! Whitney's photo of an amazing sunset behind a windmill north of Reed Point received the most votes in Triangle's 2018 Photo Contest.

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Triangle will be closed in observance of the following holidays:

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# COMMUNITY CROSSWORD

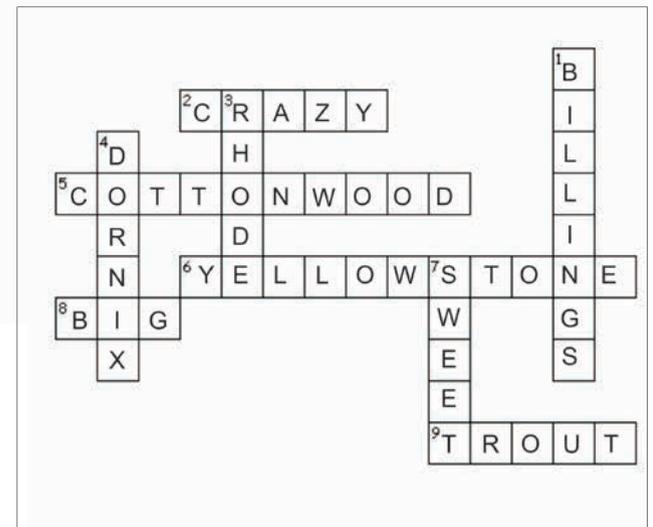
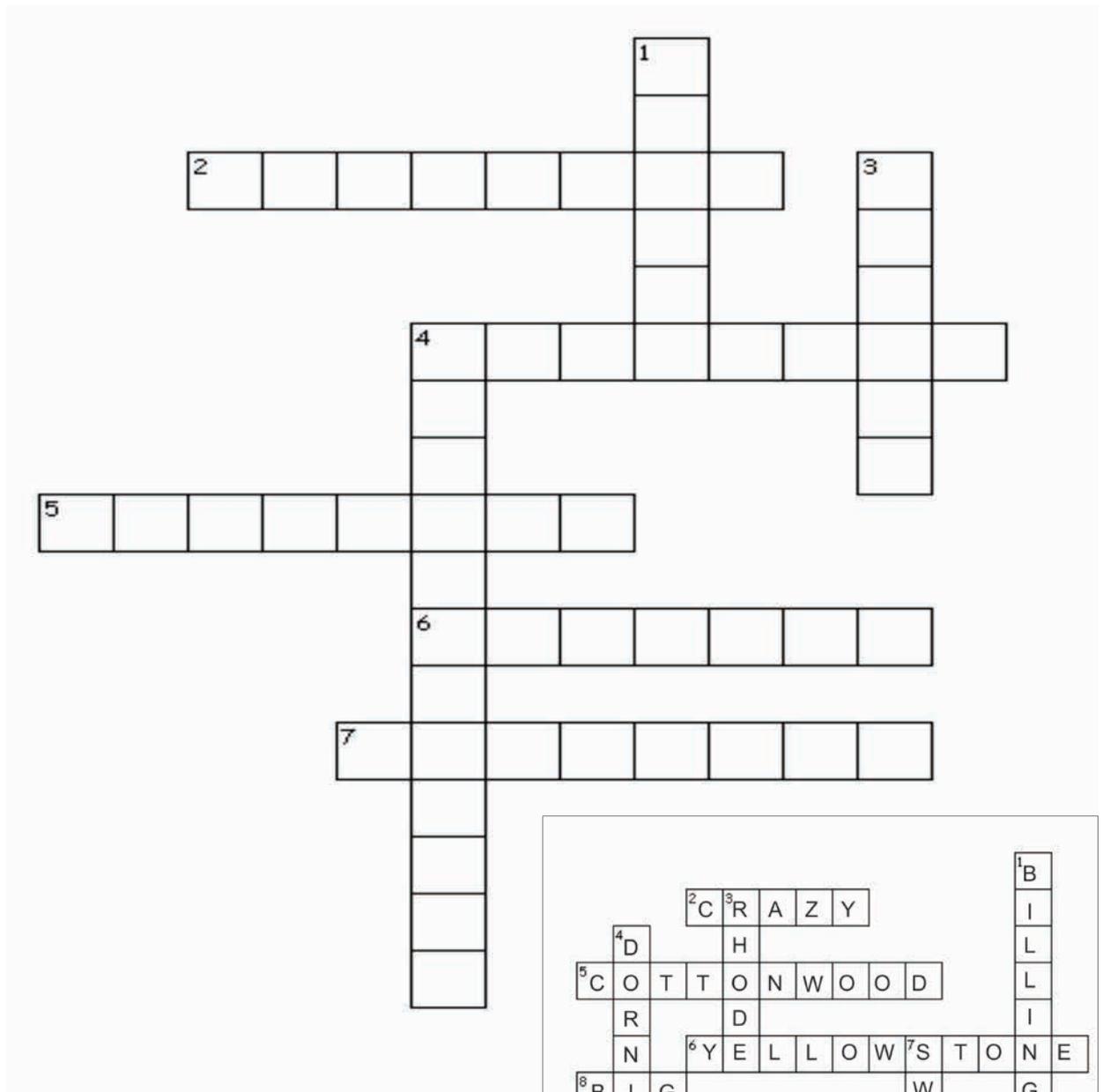
Featuring Turner/Hogeland

## Across

2. Turner packed up and moved the town two miles to its current location along the \_\_\_\_ tracks.
4. A. H. \_\_\_\_, who was chief engineer for the Great Northern Railroad for many years, is the name sake for this town.
5. The Great \_\_\_\_ Railway missed Turner when it built its route between Saco and Hogeland.
6. The school mascot for Turner is a \_\_\_\_.
7. Turner is located just south of the \_\_\_\_ border.

## Down

1. Turner and Hogeland are both located in \_\_\_\_ County.
3. Henry \_\_\_\_ built a store and post office along Buckley Coulee and this town was born.
4. The boom of \_\_\_\_ in the Turner and Hogeland area came with the railroad being built in the area around 1928.



## ANSWERS

For the Nov/Dec Community Crossword,  
Featuring Big Timber, MT

## COOKS CONNECTION

*Dishing Up Montana's Best Recipes*

**Thank you to everyone who has shared their recipes, keep them coming!**

If you have a favorite recipe of any kind that you would like to share, we would love to have it.



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## RECIPE

### Baked Oatmeal

Submitted by Erin Ramberg of Chinook

#### INGREDIENTS

1/2 cup oil	6 cups oatmeal
1 cup sugar	1 tsp. salt
1 cup brown sugar	2 tsp. baking soda
4 eggs	2 cups chocolate chips
2 cups milk	1 cup raisins, optional

#### DIRECTIONS

Combine ingredients in mixing bowl until well mixed. Spread mixture into a greased 9x13" cake pan. Bake in 350° oven for 30-35 min. Serve with warm with cream or milk over the top.

## RECIPE

### Trail Bologna

Submitted by Cherly Sinz of Molt

#### INGREDIENTS

2 lbs. ground beef  
1 Tbsp Morton Tenderquick Salt  
1 1/2 Tbsp liquid smoke  
1 tsp. garlic powder  
1 tsp. cracked black peppercorns (plus a Tbsp of whole peppercorns for kick!)  
1/4 cup water

#### DIRECTIONS

Mix all ingredients thoroughly and shape into three five-inch logs. Wrap each roll tightly in plastic wrap. Refrigerate 24 hours. Remove the wrap and bake 45 minutes at 300°. Put in a deep enough pan so the water and grease can bake out. Cool thoroughly in refrigerator for 24 hours and slice thinly

## RECIPE

### Brown Sugar Cake

Submitted by Rhoda Miller of Moore, MT

#### INGREDIENTS

Cake:	Topping:
1/2 cup margarine or butter	6 Tbsp butter
2 cups brown sugar	4 Tbsp milk
2 cups buttermilk or sour milk	2 cups coconut
3 cups flour	1 cup chopped nuts
2 tsp. soda	
1 tsp. vanilla	

#### DIRECTIONS

For cake:  
Cream together sugar and margarine. Add buttermilk and soda, then flour and vanilla. Pour into greased cake pan and bake in a 350° oven until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.

For topping:  
Combine all ingredients and spread over cake. Bake an additional 10 minutes.



Above: Rapelje scenery, Stockman Café manager and cook, Lila White  
Right: Pot Roast Supper and Stockman Café exterior

# FEATURED BUSINESSES

by Anne Boothe, Economic Development Specialist

## Rapelje, Montana – community is at the Heart of this Small Town.

To get here, take a two-lane highway directly north of Columbus, MT for 25 miles. You will travel this high prairie landscape spanning endless acres of wheat fields and range land reaching your destination of Rapelje, Montana at the end of the paved road. Within a backdrop of historic grain elevators, you will find the Stockman Café and its longtime manager and cook, Lila White.

It was 20 years ago that area rancher Wayne “Cork” Erfle led others in the community to invest, purchase property and open a café – what he called a “gathering place, a center, a core, a heart” for Rapelje. Governed by a local Board of Directors the Café doubles as the Senior Center, working with the regional Council on Aging to provide discounted meals to eligible residents. Manager Lila stated they have 5-6 employees and many volunteers (including Lila’s husband) who “fill in as needed” during special events such as weddings, anniversaries and offsite catering. With the exception of Saturday (the one day the Cafe is closed), they are open all other days 11:00 am to 2:00 pm with extended

hours to 8:00 pm on Wednesday. Wednesday and Sunday are their busiest days and for those few hours on Sunday, Rapelje is a magnet for locals and guests from throughout central Montana and the Yellowstone Valley. Chatting with customers the day of my visit I heard, “we’re out for a drive” and “we’re hunters and know where the good food is.”

Following their recent 20th Anniversary Celebration they received a friendly note stating, “The Café is a special gathering place for many people, serving up super homemade food and friendship. We wish your continuing success.” Lila closed my interview by saying, “We struggle to make the Café an overall financial success, but our customers and ongoing support of the community give us the balance we need.” Their Facebook page for the last week of October listed their Sunday special as “Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes with special steak gravy, glazed carrots, fresh baked dinner rolls, fruit salad cup and for dessert, ice cream and cookies.” Plus, a special invite to “Come sit a spell and have lunch with us.”





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*Craig Gates, CEO*

## LOOKING FORWARD TO 2019

Happy New Year! While we look forward to another great year in 2019, I am very proud of the accomplishments our team completed in 2018. We delivered on four new exchanges being built out to Fiber to the Home in 2018, Box Elder, Harlowton, Melville, and Simpson! We listened to our members and have some exciting new offerings.

Introduced in 2018, Advanced Wi-Fi is one of our great new services. If you sign up for Triangle's Advanced Wi-Fi, we install a state-of-the-art router, assess the signal in your home, check for interference to make sure you have coverage throughout your entire home. Not to mention 24/7 support and advanced security measures. Save yourself the headache of your family complaining about not having a Wi-Fi signal and give us a call.

Our Customer Experience Representatives have been hearing it for years, "Why can't I have just Internet?" We understood your frustration. With federal regulations changing and our expanding fiber network, Triangle jumped at the chance to offer an Internet Only service to our members. There are two options, measured and unlimited. On the measured side you select the speed from one of our three speed tiers and you are billed on what you use. The other option is unlimited, you do receive more speed and have an unlimited amount of usage. If you are interested, give our Customer Experience Team a call and they can help you figure out if this service is right for you.

Fiber, we talk about the importance of it all the time. Getting fiber across our entire network is important so that you have the best experience possible with services like Internet Only. As of the end of 2018, we have completed fiber upgrades in 24 of our 39 exchanges. We have started the 2019 upgrade process in four more areas including Hobson, Turner, Rapelje and a portion of Big Timber. As I talked about at the annual meeting in October, the cost to bring fiber to all our members is high. This is especially true in areas where there is a lower population with miles between residences and businesses. This has altered how we choose what areas to upgrade. To keep expenses down and meet the federal requirements, we are matching areas that will cost more with areas that will cost less, more populated areas, to stay within our federal guidelines as outlined by the FCC.

In case you missed it, there is an article about your 65th Annual Meeting in this magazine that happened back in October. Thank you to everyone who joined us and hopefully even more of you will join us next year. We are thankful for all of you and our wonderful team here at Triangle will continue to deliver the highest quality of service on your behalf in 2019.

# TAKING CARE OF BUSINESS TRIANGLE'S 65TH ANNUAL MEETING OF MEMBERS

Triangle Telephone Cooperative Association, Inc., doing business as Triangle Communications (Triangle), held its 65th Annual Meeting of Members on Saturday, October 13, 2018. Voting members plus numerous guests totaling close to 300 attended the meeting held in the Student Union Building on the campus of Montana State University-Northern in Havre.

Attending members voted to approve the suggested By-Law changes. A complete listing of these changes appeared in the notice mailed to all members before the meeting. The adopted Bylaws are also available on our website ([https://www.itstriangle.com/images/terms/2018-10-13\\_Adopted\\_Bylaws.pdf](https://www.itstriangle.com/images/terms/2018-10-13_Adopted_Bylaws.pdf)).

Prize drawings for members and non-members were held including two Grand Prize drawings. One lucky member won a Red Ants Pants getaway complete with tickets and a camping pass and another won a 55" Samsung Smart TV. The member attendance gifts and table centerpieces were all Montana Made products.

Trustees for two districts were re-elected by members at the meeting. Richard Pokorny was re-elected to represent District 4 which covers Hingham, Gildford, Kremlin, Big Sandy, Loma, Hopp-Iliad, Winifred, Denton, Stanford, Hobson and Moore. Rich Stuker was re-elected to represent District 5 which covers Chinook, Turner, Whitewater, South Malta and Malta. Richard Stuker remains Board President, Tom Bangs, Vice President and Rick Pokorny, Secretary/Treasurer.

Members at the meeting voted for the winners of Triangle's Annual Photo Contest. Whitney Bare of Reed Point won the grand prize of \$200 with her photo "Sunset behind Windmill" taken north of Reed Point. The winning photos can be viewed on Triangle's Facebook page, [www.Facebook.com/](http://www.Facebook.com/)

TriangleCommunications and will be featured on the covers of the 2019 Keeping You Connected magazines. Other winners included:

2nd place- Bobbi Carriker of Big Timber

3rd place- Carmen Salvesson of Malta

4th place- Lom Nemec of Coffee Creek

5th place- Laci Keller Christenson of Big Sandy

6th place- Abby Schladweiler of Rapelje

Thank you for being a part of your cooperative!



Left: Re-elected trustees Richard Pokorny and Rich Stuker, the gathered attendees for the meeting  
Right: Youth Prize winners, prize drawing winner, nominating committee report

# BACKUP POWER CUSTOMER NOTICE

**Backup Power for Residential Voice Telephone Services during Power Outages:** For many years, your home telephone would allow you to stay connected to emergency voice services during a power outage. However, if your residential voice telephone service is provided using fiber optics rather than the traditional copper based line, then your residential voice telephone service requires backup battery power to continue functioning during an outage. To avoid a disruption of home voice service during an outage - and to maintain the ability to connect to 911 emergency services - Triangle Communications provides you with a battery for backup power for your residential voice telephone service at the time of the initial installation at no additional cost.

**What Your Battery Can - and Can't - Do for You:** The backup battery provided by Triangle Communications for powering the fiber optic or fixed wireless network terminal allows you to continue to use your home voice services during a power outage. Without a backup battery or alternate backup source such as a generator, customers with fiber or fixed wireless based residential telephone service will not be able to make any calls, including emergency calls to 911. The only way to maintain the ability to use your telephone is by using some form of backup power.

Our backup battery does not provide power to any services other than voice. All Internet services are turned off in the network terminal after 5 minutes of power outage to better conserve battery power for voice service. Home security systems, cordless phones, medical monitoring devices and other equipment will not run on a residential voice telephone backup battery.

**Replacement Options:** As previously noted, a backup battery has been provided by Triangle Communications during the initial installation. However, the battery provided by our company may need to be replaced every two or three years or when the battery is no longer functioning.

- Triangle Communications provided replacement backup batteries - Triangle Communications will provide and install at no cost to you, a replacement backup battery, upon appointment, when we receive notification of battery failure and that the battery needs to be replaced. If you have any questions, please call 1-800-332-1201, or email techsupport@itstriangle.net. Additional spare backup batteries to be stored in your home may be purchased from our company. Our 8 hour backup batteries cost approximately \$30 each and can be purchased through our warehouse.
- Third Party provided spare backup batteries - You can also purchase additional spare backup batteries to keep on hand in your home through many of your local retailers such as Best Buy or on-line. Please contact our company and we will gladly provide you with the information you need to ensure that you purchase a quality battery model that meets the requirements for powering your network terminal.

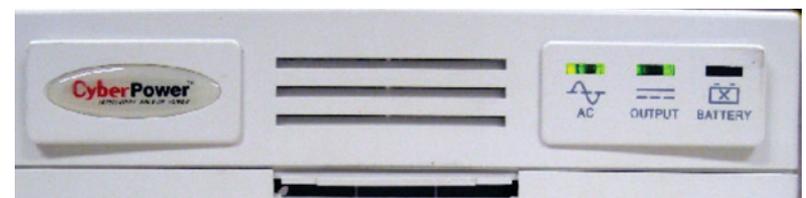
**Expected Backup Power Duration:** Backup batteries are expected to provide up to 8 hours of standby power. The backup battery should give you at least 2 hours of talk time. If you feel that is not enough time, you may extend your

standby power by purchasing from our company or a third party additional spare 8 hour batteries.

**Instructions for Proper Care and Use of Your Battery:** Please follow the more detailed instructions included with your battery for proper use, storage and care of your battery to ensure that it will function as needed during a power outage. If you do not store your battery correctly, it may shorten its useful life. Environmental factors such as temperature can shorten your battery's useful life. We recommend that you store your battery above 41°F and below 104°F. These batteries are rechargeable. They will not last forever and should be replaced every 2 to 3 years, or when your device starts to make a loud beeping sound. That sound means that the battery is depleted, and must be replaced. You should also periodically, as described in the instructions included with your battery, remove and test your battery to verify both the operation of the backup battery and its condition.

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See the pictures below to see which power supply box you have. This applies only to our members who are connected to the fiber optic cable.



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## SWAP AND SHOP

*Welcome to our Swap and Shop!  
Feel free to post and find classifieds from other members!*

### 900 Polaris Ranger For Sale

900 Polaris Ranger, like new. Includes: front angle blade, overhead amber light, turn lights, wipers, washer, heater, A/C, all new tires and hydraulic dump. Call Stuart at 406.265.7952 for pricing.

### Pressure Washer For Sale

Large hot water pressure washer. Tuff brand, 3,000-4,000 psi. Asking \$1,500, call Stuart at 406.265.7952.

### Cold Water Pressure Washer For Sale

Sears brand 2700 psi cold water pressure washer. Only used two times, asking \$350. Call Stuart at 406.265.7952.

### Farm Equipment For Sale

2012 Brandt 5200EZ grain vac, 28 hrs. 2010 McDon M150 swather with 427 hrs and 2012 McDon D60-D header, 299 hrs. 2005 51-foot Flexicoil 5000 12-inch spacing air drill with Flexicoil 2340 cart. Two (2) MMG gas tractors, S#02002620 and S#02002256. MMGB diesel tractor. For more information and price quotes, call 406.739.4450. Leave a message if no answer.

### Airstream For Sale

1973 29 foot long Airstream trailer. Asking \$7,500 or best offer. Call 406.355.4591.

### KitchenAid Mixer For Sale

KitchenAid Professional 600, like new with cover. Asking \$250, call 406.567.2573.

### Mikasa Heritage Capistrano Dinnerware For Sale

Twelve place setting includes butter dish, gravy bowl, platter, serving bowls, salt and pepper shakers plus sugar and creamer. Flatware sold separately. Asking \$500, call 406.567.2573.

### Two Chevy Trucks For Sale

2005 Chevy 1/2 ton, 4x4, 4-door. 2004 Chevy 3/4 ton, 4x4, 4-door, 4-door flatbed. Call 406.326.2287 for more information and prices.

### Sears 3 Bin Grass Bagger For Sale

Sears grass bagger for AVP 54-inch mowers. Fits Husqvarna, Poulsen, Craftsman and others. New in box, never used. Will not fit 42-inch mower. Paid over \$400, asking \$245 (firm on price). Call 406.378.3226.

### Riding Lawnmower For Sale

John Deere L111 automatic riding lawnmower. Mower has 20 horse power with a 42-inch cut and 140 hours. Asking \$1,250. Call 406.357.4282.

### Wanting to Buy

Toy swather, at least 10 inches long. New or used in good shape preferred. Call 406.292.3548.

### In Need of Stuffed Animal Donations

In need of stuffed animals to give away at the 2019 Special Olympics games in Great Falls. Call 406.622.2811.

### Husqvarna Rider Lawn Mower For Sale

Kawasaki v-twin power engine, 42 inch cut with bagger and hydrostatic transmission. Asking \$500, call 406.739.4476.

### Wood Stove For Sale

Vermont casting Aspen wood stove, like new. Includes insulated and single wall stove pipes, ceiling jack, two wall heat shields and tile hearth pad. Heats up to 600 square feet. Valued over \$1,800, asking \$1,400. Call 406.932.6771.

### Home For Sale in Inverness, MT

Home is located on 3 city blocks on Main St. in Inverness, MT. Has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, fenced yard, detached one stall garage with 220 wiring. Comes with everything currently in the home, all you need to bring is your clothes. Asking \$60,000. Call 406.292.3257 and leave a message if no answer.

### 1980 Ford 9000 For Sale

1980 Ford 9000, 13 speed. Asking \$19,000. Call 406.262.3169 or 406.397.3204 (ask for Eddie).

### Mazda Miata For Sale

1992 Mazda Miata MX5 convertible. Rare automatic transmission, asking \$3,800 or best offer. Call 406.355.4591.

### 1939 Chevy Coup For Sale

1939 Chevy Coup, 350 4-speed. A show car, asking \$22,500. Call 406.326.2287.

### Used "T" Posts For Sale

Call Good Deal Doc at 406.654.7313 (Malta).

### Firewood For Sale

\$100 per pickup load, you load. Call Good Deal Doc at 406.654.7313 (Malta).

### Misc. Items For Sale

Holcam frosted shower doors, 24 inch x 71 inch. New, still in box. National Geographic magazine collection, 1952-2003. Call 406.292.3548.

### Wheels and Tires For Sale

Cruiser 20-inch chrome wheels and Cooper AT3 XL 275/55R20 tires. Includes covers, lugnuts and lugnut socket. Tires have 19,800 miles on them and are in good condition. Can be universal for 6 lug and does fit a Ford F150. No TPM sensors but compatible with them. Worth \$1,100, asking \$650 or best offer. Need them gone. Serious inquiries only, please call 406.200.0173 and ask for Carrie. Cash only and local pickup only.

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## WHO'S WHO AT YOUR COOPERATIVE *Featuring Amber Milam*



Amber Milam joined the Triangle Communications (Triangle) family 11 years ago. In those 11 years, Amber has learned a lot in the different positions she has held at the cooperative. She started out as a receptionist, moved to cashier and is now one of Triangle's Customer Experience Representatives.

As a Customer Experience Representative, Amber is responsible for taking care of our members and their landline, mobile and Internet needs. Amber is definitely a team player, she's always willing to help out her co-workers when they need it.

Amber says what she likes best about her job, besides her coworkers, is making our members happy. "Knowing that I helped them make the best choice for their needs is a great feeling," she commented. As Triangle adapts our services to our members' needs, Amber and her co-workers work hard to keep up-to-date on what offerings will work best for each member.

Amber is all about her family and friends. When she is not at work, she is spending time with family and

friends whether it be camping, hunting or just hanging out. Amber enjoys baking and gets compliments on her basement brownies and devil food cookies (Amber and her cousins call them grandma cookies). Her guilty pleasure is watching "drama" shows. I don't know how she finds the time for all of this!

Honeymooning in Costa Rica is Amber's favorite vacation she has taken so far. Amber and her husband leave soon on a trip to Maui with two of their best friends. She thinks the Maui trip will probably be a close second.

Thanks Amber for taking the time to answer my questions and enjoy your time in Maui!

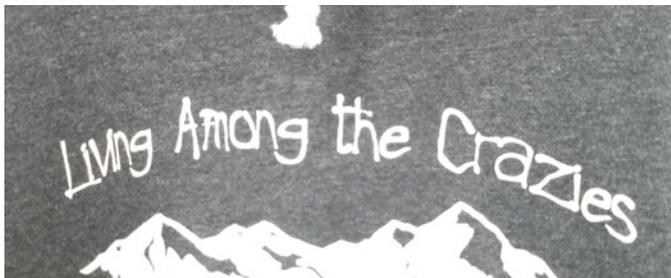
## MYSTERY PHOTO AND TELCO QUIZ

*Two Lucky Subscribers Per Issue Will Win \$25!*

We received 87 entries that identified our last issue's mystery photo as the best selling sweatshirt at the Fort in the Featured Business article on page 8 and the deadline to apply for the Youth Tour was December 1, 2018.

Congratulations to John Sorenson and Jay K. Brown who were drawn randomly to receive a \$25 credit on their Triangle bill.

Try your luck with this issue's quiz and mystery photo shown on the right.



### Two Chances to Win!

#1. What is the deadline to submit videos for the Best of the West contest?

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#2. Mystery Photo (right):

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My name is:

\_\_\_\_\_

My Triangle phone number is \_\_\_\_\_

Yes! I want to receive e-mail notifications about special events or deals in my area. My e-mail address is: \_\_\_\_\_

Entries must be received by February 4, 2019 to be eligible for the drawing. Please return this slip with your payment or mail to: Newsletter, Triangle Communications, PO Box 1220, Havre MT 59501. You can also submit your answers at [www.itstriangle.com/telco-quiz](http://www.itstriangle.com/telco-quiz).



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