



The Enterprise

Mission Mountain Enterprises, Inc.

Empowering people to help them succeed. Providing an unmatched reputation for professional care. Ensuring the rights and dignity of people with disabilities. Developing communities where all people are fully included as members. Creating a workplace that recognizes performance, participation and personal initiative.

MME Joins Psychiatry Network

Mission Mountain Enterprises, Inc., has established a partnership to provide psychiatry services in Ronan.

Our community-based program provides a variety of supports to people with developmental disabilities in Lake County. Some of these people also have mental illnesses. Our new partner also provides services for people with developmental disabilities and operates a mental health center that employs a dozen psychiatrists.

Providing mental health care in rural Montana presents many barriers—some based on tradition, some on geography and some on culture. MME has teamed up with a partner that has recruited doctors who understand and respect the nuances of Montana's population.

Mission Mountain has contracted with a partner to bring psychiatric care to its clients in Polson and Ronan. Psychiatric services will include face-to-face, on-site assessments as well as continuing care on-site and through the use of a tele-psychiatry network. Psychiatrists will also provide ongoing education, consultation and support to Mission Mountain staff as part of its partnership with the network of psychiatric services.

Our new partner has been working under contract with the Montana Department of Public Health and

to develop Tele-psychiatry and help to bring psychiatry into communities across the state where there is a need. With the support of the state, they have been able to expand its video-conferencing capacity, including Ronan, and expand its staff of psychiatrists.

After the initial assessments, which occur on site in Polson and Ronan, people will receive follow-up and ongoing psychiatric services via teleconference with a psychiatrist. These appointments, set up at fixed intervals or as needed, are easy to coordinate even on short notice.

The Polson Community Foundation gave Mission Mountain Enterprises a \$1,500 grant to assist with start-up expenses of partnering with the network.

For more information about the Mission Mountain's partnership for psychiatric services, please contact Graydon Moll, Director, Mission Mountain Enterprises, 406.676.2563; or by e-mail at mmentbro@ronan.net.

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but the parent of all the others.**

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MME Goes Green

In our ongoing effort to support recycling throughout the organization MME launched a company wide recycling program at each of our 9 locations in Ronan and Polson this summer.

Everything from cardboard to aluminum is included in the recycling effort which not only helps us to reduce the costs associated with waste disposal services but also provides work activities for our able bodied young men.

Adding this level of internal recycling to the already robust recycling program at our thrift stores in Ronan and Polson makes for a comprehensive recycling effort throughout the organization.

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The Summer of 2010 - Are we having fun yet?

As we move into Fall and look back at the summer months we can't help but smile as we think of all the fun we had.

Our annual MME Olympics brought contestants from Ronan and Polson together to compete in relays, weight lifting, ball toss and various other events. Everybody participated in the awards ceremony, received medals and went home winners!

Fishing Without Barriers, always a much anticipated event, was eagerly attended and enjoyed by a large number of consumers. The fishing was great and everybody joined together after the fishing fun to enjoy a fish fry.

MME took it's annual participation in Relay For Life to a new level this year. Staff and consumers raised money by throwing a car wash and bake sale followed up by a big MME turnout at the relay. Thanks to Wendy Holzinger, CSP Ronan for leading the effort this year

We had big fun at the Oak Ridge Boys concert and attended an Osprey game in Missoula. We also took several trips to swim at Currents and had a blast at the Plains fair.

As the summer wound down we topped off the season with a fun-filled camping trip to the Flathead Lutheran Bible Camp where we met up with friends from Flathead Industries and other programs from around the area. Between the cookouts, outside activities and sitting around the campfire there was dancing and crafting along with lots of other fun and interesting things to do.

As we now prepare for winter and get ready for movies and our annual bowling season we know we will look back at the summer of 2010 with many great memories.



Greater Polson Community Foundation Awards Grant

MME is the proud recipient of a fifteen hundred dollar grant from the Greater Polson Community Foundation for the 2010 grant year.

MME sought support from the Greater Polson Community Foundation to assist in start up costs associated with the launch of our new Telepsychiatry program.

Lesa Sackett, Director of Consumer Services attended the Foundations annual awards ceremony where she accepted the funds on behalf of MME.



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Jim B. helps tend MME flower pots
at the Ronan Activity Center.

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