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Explore Bigger in Central Montana

We are so excited you are interested in learning more about Central Montana. Consider this guide your official invitation to make Central Montana your next destination.

Use this map as a reference guide as you dig into this region we call home.



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= This icon means there is more to see on YouTube @centralmontana

Travel to Central Montana

Next stop? Central Montana!

Central Montana is, as the name suggests, centrally located. That means getting here is pretty easy. Here we have tried to outline the main forms of transportation visitors use from planes, to trains, buses, and automobiles.

Air Travel

Central Montana has 2 commercial airports:

- **Great Falls International Airport (GTF)**
This airport is the main airline hub in Central Montana with direct flights to and from Denver, Las Vegas, Salt Lake City, Seattle, and Phoenix/Mesa. Some seasonal flights are available, like Chicago.
- **Havre City County Airport (KHVR)**
Serviced by Cape Air which flies between Billings, Glasgow, Glendive, Havre, Sidney, and Wolf Point.

Lewistown is home to a municipal airport.

There are also several air strips scattered across the region for private air travel. In Great Falls, both Holman Aviation and Great Falls Jet Center serve as a fixed base operators (FBOs), providing services, such as fuel and other amenities, for private aircraft.

Train

Amtrak's Empire Builder runs through Central Montana with just one train per day in each direction. Below are stations located in Central Montana at this time:

- **Havre**
- **Shelby**

**Additional Amtrak stops are located throughout Montana.*



Visit 511MT.net for current road conditions.



Automobile

Central Montana encompasses 32,000 square miles (about the size of South Carolina) which means countless opportunities for road trips. Traveling by automobile is easy as you can reach the area using major thoroughfares such as Interstate 15 and the State Highway system. Central Montana does include many backroads with gravel, dirt, and perhaps even some mud or snow depending on the season. So, come prepared for any and all weather types.

Several rental car companies service the area including:

- **Alamo**
- **Avis**
- **Budget**
- **Enterprise**
- **Havre Auto Rental**
- **Hertz**

We recommend doing your research ahead of time and making reservations to ensure vehicles are available at the time, size, and rate you want. Other options like Turo are more limited, but can be an option.



Bus

Greyhound picks up and drops travelers off at the Great Falls Transit Center conveniently located in downtown Great Falls. Greyhound has scheduled stops in the following nearby communities in Central Montana, plus connects to other Montana cities including Helena, Butte, Billings, and Missoula.

- **Cascade**
- **Craig**

The Salt Lake Express also serves Great Falls. Northern Transit Interlocal is another great option for visitors looking to travel between towns in the northern part of Central Montana.

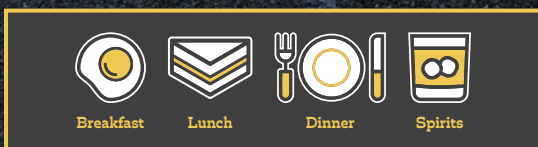
The city of Great Falls offers bus service which is a great option if you are looking to get out and about while in town.

Food Finds in Central Montana

Traveling through Central Montana can leave one hungry for more! Make sure you fuel up between a cozy night's slumber at a unique lodging property, driving the backroads, exploring local attractions, and a hike to see the epic views. As you weave through all the small towns that dot Central Montana, you will have the opportunity to try dining of all types. Here, we've highlighted just a few of the local favorites that offer unique atmospheres, cuisine and drinks!



The icon key shown below is a quick guide to what offerings you will find at each eatery. We always recommend doing your research before embarking on an adventure, but... sometimes you just have to go where the wind takes you.





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Great Falls

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Lincoln

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Lewistown

Helena

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The Jawbone

White Sulphur Springs
406-547-2485
TheJawboneMT.com



Wagon Wheel Bar and Grill

Choteau
406-466-2901
WagonWheelBarGrill.com





Les' Bar

Power

406-463-2424



Borrie's

Black Eagle

406-761-0300

BorriesSupperClub.com





The Dixie Inn

Shelby

406-424-8888



The Mint Bar

Sunburst

406-937-5555





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Musselshell Steakhouse

Harlowton

406-632-5729

MusselshellSteakhouse.com



Union Grille

Fort Benton

406-622-1882

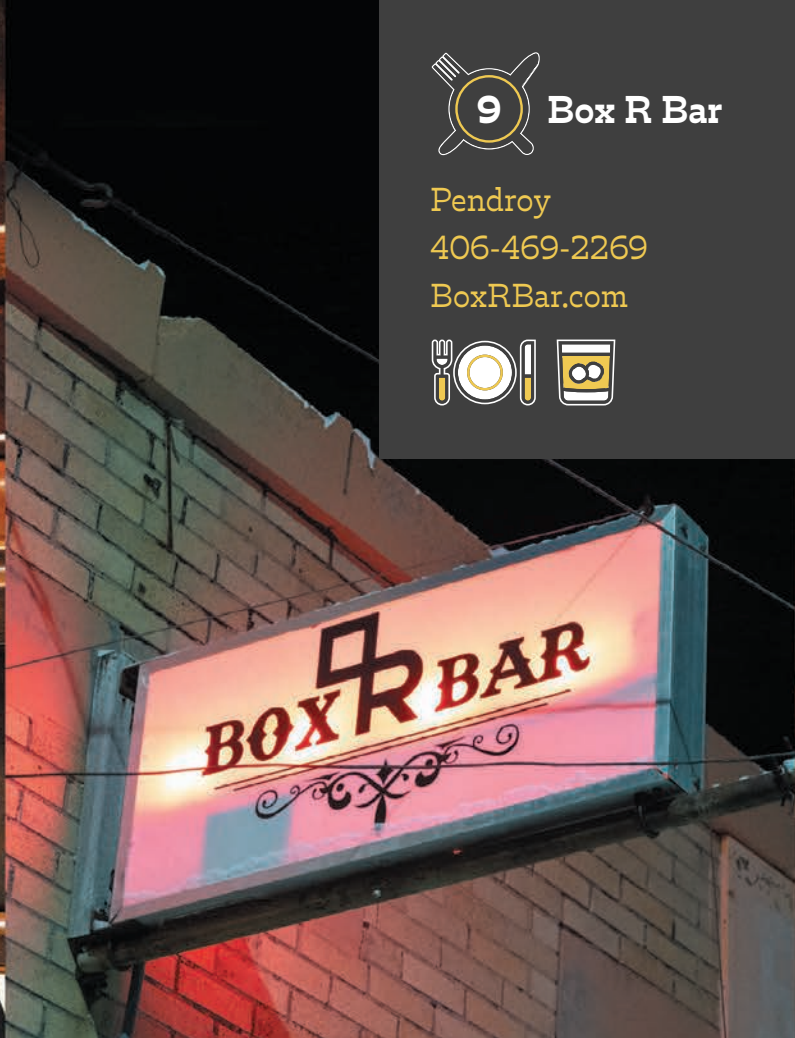
GrandUnionHotel.com





9 Box R Bar

Pendroy
406-469-2269
BoxRBar.com



10 The Oxen Yoke

Utica
406-423-5560
OxenYokeInn.com





Trick Pony Saloon and Smokehouse

Winifred

406-462-5323

TrickPonySaloon.com



Bow & Marrow

Havre

406-265-9963

BowMarrow.com





Buffalo Joe's Eatery & Saloon

Dupuyer

406-472-3399



Sip 'n Dip

Great Falls

406-454-2141

MontanaMermaids.com



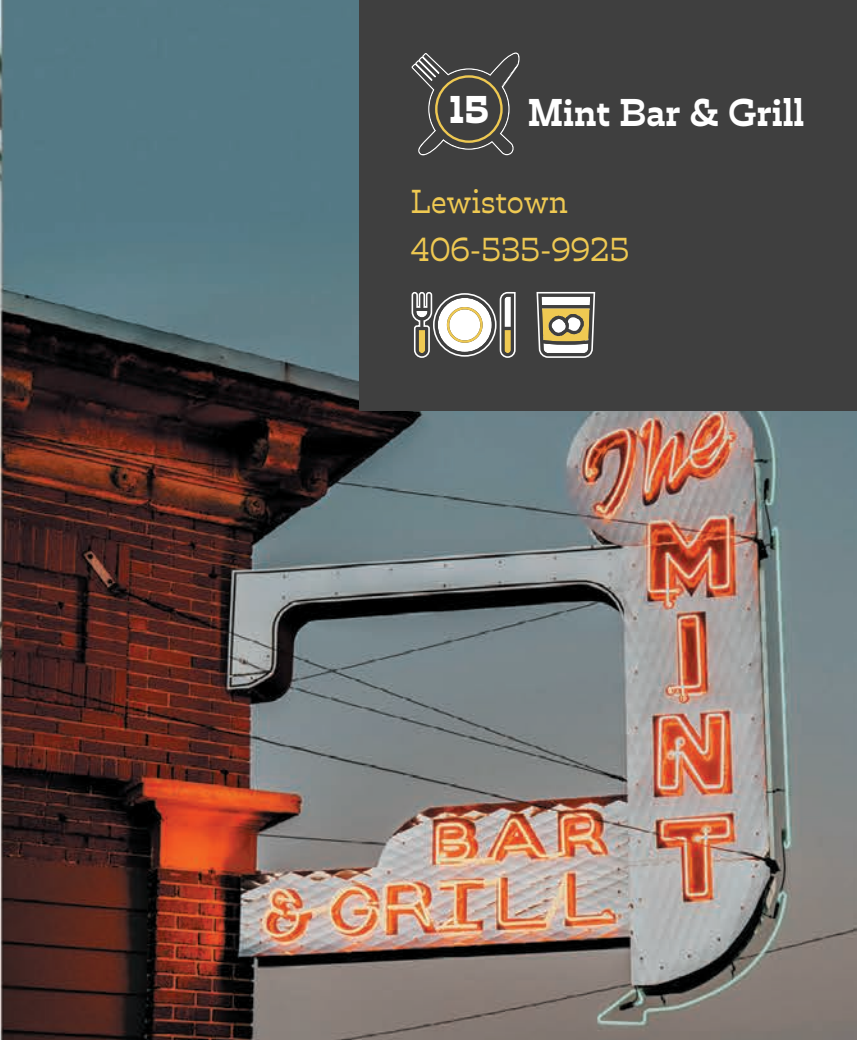
#SIPNDIP



Mint Bar & Grill

Lewistown

406-535-9925



Tall Boys Tavern

Hobson

406-423-5444

TallBoysTavern.com





Grown & Brewed in Central Montana

All that travel is hard work! Central Montana is home to some of the best breweries in Montana. Whether you're looking to try a new IPA or a porter, you're bound to find a new favorite here. The best part? Many local breweries use barley harvested from the acres of malting barley you'll see as you traverse Central Montana. Be sure to ask about options to take some home with you. Cheers!





 **1** Great Falls



 **2** Great Falls




 **3** Belt




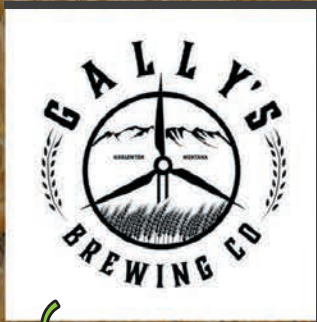
 **4** Havre



 **5** White Sulphur Springs



 **6** Lewistown




 **7** Harlowton

Photo Courtesy of Montana Wheat and Barley Committee @ Stanford

Wild Finds

in Central Montana

Watching wildlife in their natural habitat simply can't be beat. It is the truest representation of the wild things that call Central Montana home. Central Montana offers great opportunities for viewing wildlife including our 4-legged and winged friends. There is also no shortage of opportunities to see things that hop, slither, burrow and swim! Rugged wilderness area, plains, abundant wildlife, scenic trails, and all the breathtaking scenery you can squeeze in make Central Montana a mecca for those seeking to find the wild.



Sun River Wildlife Management Area

Closest Town: Simms



Open from May 15th at noon until December 1st. Good for viewing elk in the winter months.

Event: Check out the Shed Hunt on May 15th starting at noon. Join others in searching the area for antlers that have been shed by deer, elk and occasionally moose!

Tip: Bring trekking poles and your sense of adventure for antler hunting. When the gate opens at noon, the search begins!



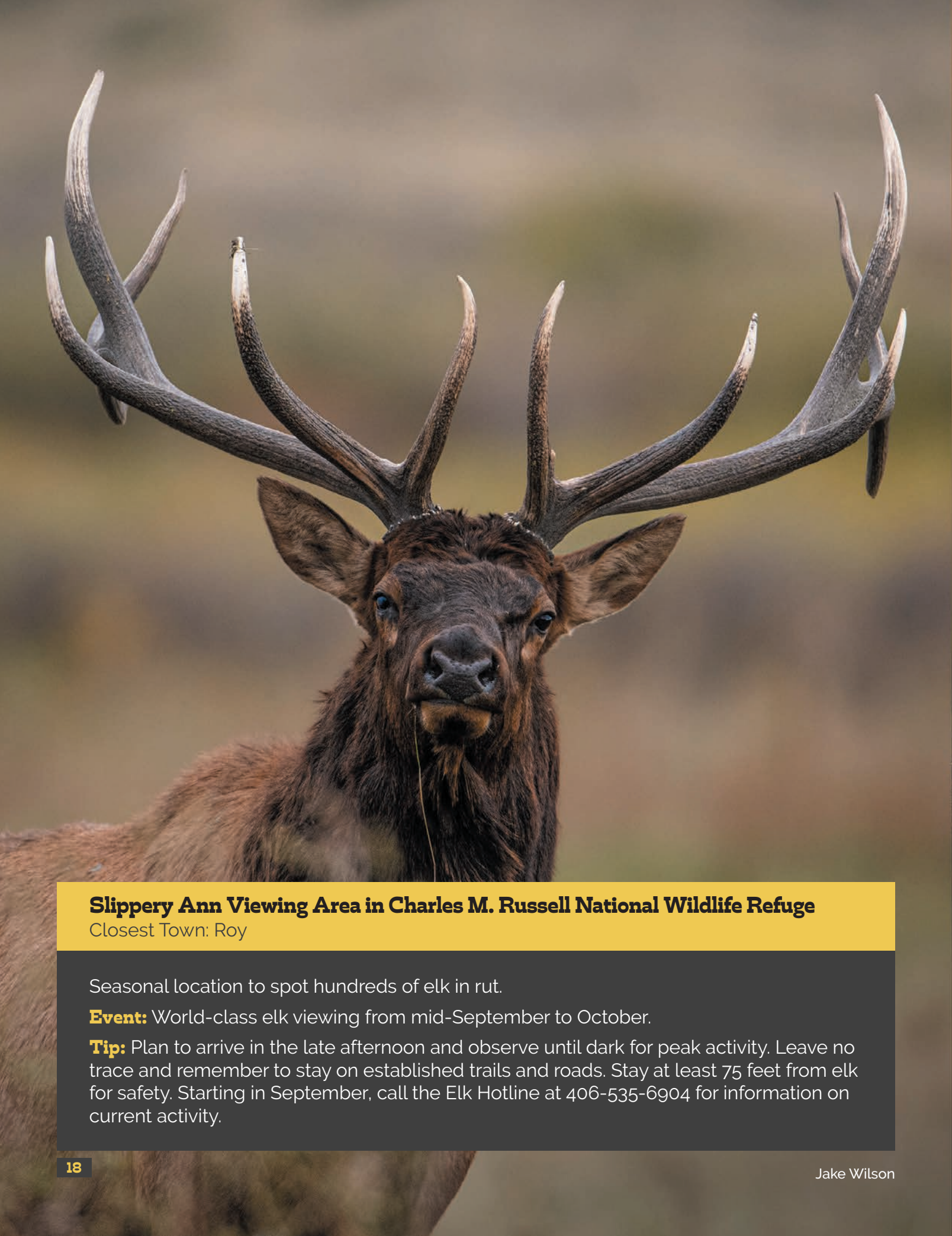
Freezeout Lake Wildlife Management Area

Closest Town: Fairfield

Year-round bird viewing with a large migration in March and early April. During the migration, you can see over 50,000 snow geese and 2,000 swans!

Event: Participate in the Wild Wings Festival in Choteau that usually takes place in March. Be sure to take advantage of the free birding tours provided.

Tip: Bring binoculars or a viewing scope!



Slippery Ann Viewing Area in Charles M. Russell National Wildlife Refuge

Closest Town: Roy

Seasonal location to spot hundreds of elk in rut.

Event: World-class elk viewing from mid-September to October.

Tip: Plan to arrive in the late afternoon and observe until dark for peak activity. Leave no trace and remember to stay on established trails and roads. Stay at least 75 feet from elk for safety. Starting in September, call the Elk Hotline at 406-535-6904 for information on current activity.



Want more information on the best birding areas in the region? Check out our Birding Trails in Central Montana's brochure at centralmontana.com/birding or call 406-761-5036 to request a free copy. This resource includes detailed species lists, directions and access information.

Benton Lake National Wildlife Refuge

Closest Town: Black Eagle

200 birds call the refuge home throughout the year which means this spot offers year-round viewing.

Event: Apply for the Sharp-tailed Grouse blind lottery before the end of March. April and May are prime time to view this species.

Tip: The trails that run throughout the refuge offer outdoor enthusiasts opportunities to hike, bike, or cross-country ski. Make sure to pack your camera!



Native Culture in Central Montana

The prairies were once home to roaming bison and Native American tribes, several of which still call the region home. Take time to learn more about the history and heritage of the First Peoples. Experience a local pow wow if you are in the region come summer—it's one of those experiences you don't want to miss.

Central Montana is also home to two historical buffalo jumps. Tribal members would disguise themselves as bison to lead the herd to the high hills. Once in position, they would reveal themselves causing the bison to stampede over the cliffs and fall to their death. Visit these jumps to learn about these meaningful landmarks.



Neal Mishler

Old North Trail

Choteau

The trail is one of the oldest trails known—originally extending across the ice bridge from Siberia south into Mexico 25,000 years ago. The Blackfeet used it to travel along the east side of the Rocky Mountains from their northern hunting grounds to their winter encampments. Stop by the Old Trail Museum in Choteau to learn more or take a tour along the ancient path.

Bear Paw Battlefield

16 miles south of Chinook

A tribute to the Nez Perce people and the battle ending the War of 1877, the battlefield is the final stop on the 1300-mile Nez Perce National Historic Trail. Visitors can walk the area where the fight took place. Each October an annual commemoration honors those who fought.



Kevin Eveland

The Sweet Grass Hills

Chester

Rising abruptly from the plains, the Sweet Grass Hills stand as an island mountain range shaped by story and time. The hills have long served as a navigation point for travelers and ceremonial sites for area tribal nations as many tribes believe it is where the physical and spiritual worlds meet. Today, recreation abounds for visitors wanting to explore the hills.

Wahkpa Chu'gn Buffalo Jump

Havre

Wahkpa Chu'gn, pronounced walk-paw-chew-gun, is the Assiniboine term for Milk River—a fitting name for this historical buffalo jump located above the Milk River. The site, discovered in the 1950s, is believed to be used by three or more tribes for at least 2,000 years. Preservation of the site's faunal layers provide a unique perspective for visitors today, showing the chronology of use over time as shown in this image. This site is the first buffalo jump to be interpreted for the public and is operated by the H. Earl Clack Memorial Museum.





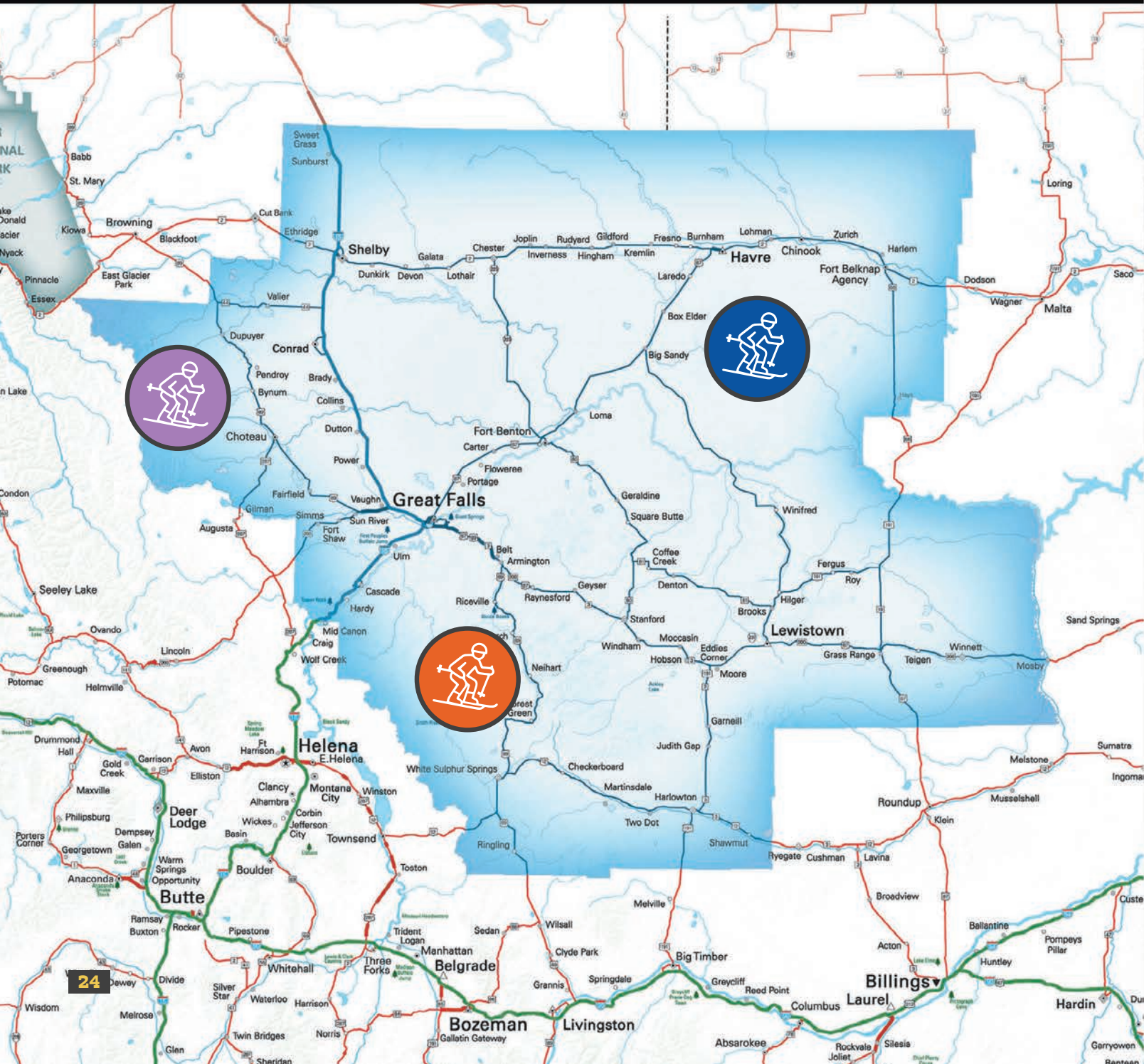
First Peoples Buffalo Jump State Park

Ulm

First People's Buffalo Jump State Park is where you will find Ulm Pishkun—a historic buffalo jump used by Native American tribes. It is one of three protected buffalo jump sites in the state of Montana and designated as a National Historic Landmark. This location is believed to be the largest and most utilized jump in the world. Interpretive hiking trails lead to the top of the jump with access to panoramic views of the area. The jump is a mile-long sandstone cliff that rises to 50 feet, with remnants of drive lines and up to 18 feet of compacted bison remains below. Be sure to stop at the visitor center to learn more through exhibits and archaeological displays.

Take A Snow Day in Central Montana

Some say Montana doesn't have 4 seasons, but rather only 2—summer and winter. Although we tend to disagree, we must admit winter is one of our favorites! Yes, temperatures can drop below zero and roads can be icy, but if you are prepared winter in Central Montana can be FIRE. So, layer up and head out to enjoy the winter wonderland!





Showdown Montana



406-236-5522

Showdown Montana offers a wide range of skiing and snowboarding opportunities. Full-service day lodge includes a grill, saloon, daycare, pro-shop and coffee bar.



Total Runs: 34



Top Elevation: 8,200 Feet



Vertical Drop: 1,400 Feet



Difficulty:

● 29%, ■ 37%, ◆ 34%



Rentals: Ski, Snowboard, Snow Bikes



Food Available



Bear Paw Ski Bowl

📞 406-395-4040

Dubbed "Steep-n-Deep" by the locals, Bear Paw Ski Bowl is a non-profit, volunteer-run ski area located on Tribal land that is proudly cash only. Grab your rentals in Havre, then head 29 miles south to get your turns in at this one-of-a-kind ski area.



Total Runs: 24



Difficulty:

● 34%, ■ 38%, ◆ 28%



Top Elevation: 5,280 Feet



Rentals: Ski




Vertical Drop: 900 Feet



No Food Available



Teton Pass Ski Area

 406-236-5522

Located at the edge of the Rocky Mountain Front west of Choteau, Teton Pass boasts diverse terrain and unbeatable views. They offer a day lodge, restaurant, ski school, and rental shop.



Total Runs: 46



Difficulty:

 13%,  38%,  49%



Top Elevation: 7,200 Feet



Rentals: Ski, Snowboard



Vertical Drop: 1,000 Feet



Food Available



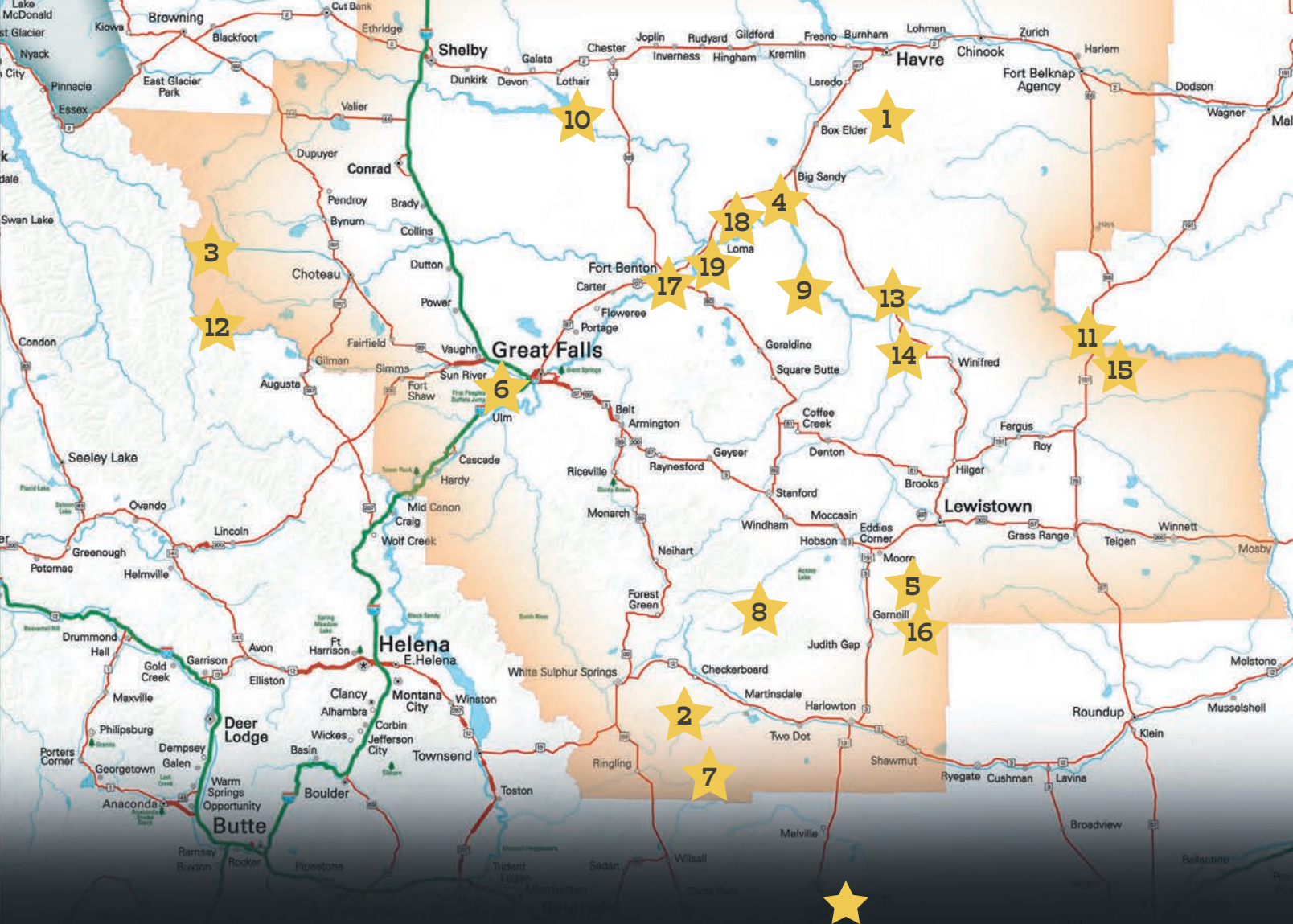
Under The Big Sky

in Central Montana

Montana is referred to as "Big Sky Country," and for good reason. Central Montana happens to boast some of the biggest skies around. The rural nature of the region means low light pollution and a horizon free of obstructions—all perks when you're seeking views of the dark sky. From our peaks to the open plains, the area offers endless opportunities to see stars, planets, meteors, constellations, and oftentimes the Milky Way. And when conditions are right you may catch the northern lights.

Whether you are just a visitor looking to see the stars or an astronomy expert, Central Montana is calling your name.






- 1** Beaver Creek County Park: Open year-round
- 2** Bonanza Creek Country Guest Ranch: Open June - November (weather permitting)
- 3** Cave Mountain: Open Summer
- 4** Coal Banks Landing: Open April - November
- 5** Crystal Lake: Open June - October
- 6** First Peoples Buffalo Jump State Park: Open year-round
- 7** Forest Lake: Open Summer
- 8** Hay Canyon Campground: Open Memorial Day - Labor Day
- 9** Hole in the Wall Campground: Open April - November
- 10** Island Area at Tiber Dam: Open year-round
- 11** James Kipp Recreation Area: Open April - November
- 12** JJJ Wilderness Ranch: Open year-round
- 13** Judith Landing: Open May 15 - October 15
- 14** Myers Family Huts: Open May - November
- 15** Slippery Ann Wildlife Viewing Area: Open Spring - Fall
- 16** Timber Creek Dispersed Campground: Open year-round
- 17** Upper Missouri River Breaks: Open year-round
- 18** Virgelle Mercantile, B&B and Cabins: Open year-round
- 19** Wood Bottom Recreation Area: Open April - November

Travel to the Past in Central Montana

What inspires you during your travels? Is it the arts? Or are you more of a history buff? Either way, Central Montana is for you! With over 40 museums in Central Montana you are sure to find something across the region that piques your interest! On the next few pages we have picked just a few museums to put on display. Note that many local museums are only open seasonally and may also have varying hours as they are often manned by volunteers, so calling ahead is always recommended to ensure your trip is worth the drive!



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 = This museum is part of the Montana Dinosaur Trail.





Lewis & Clark National Historic Trail Interpretive Center



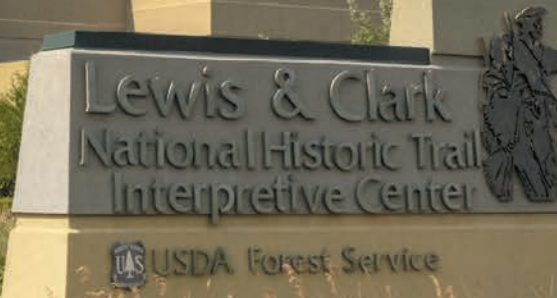
Great Falls

406-727-8733

Year-Round, Hours Vary

Walk through time in this 25,000 square foot space to retrace the Lewis and Clark Expedition. Check out the exhibits and interactive displays that help visitors understand the perils the group endured.

Elizabeth Moore



The Montana Dinosaur Center



Bynum

406-469-2211

Year-Round, Hours Vary



Part of the Montana Dinosaur Trail, this museum is a must-see as it houses a skeletal model of the world's longest dinosaur, a Diplodocus. You'll also find dino displays, fossils, replicas, and can even sign up for a real dino dig.



Havre Beneath the Streets Ⓢ

Havre

406-265-8888

Tours By Reservation Only

Beneath the streets lies a hidden district built after a devastating fire in 1904. There, daily life carried on while the town rebuilt above. Take a guided tour today to see the saloons, shops, and even a funeral parlor.



Lisa Ballard



Judith Basin County Museum FREE

Stanford

406-566-2281

Seasonal

Photos, books, artifacts, and 2000+ salt and pepper shakers showcase the colorful and rich history of Judith Basin County.



Castle Museum and Carnegie House Ⓢ

White Sulphur Springs

406-547-2324

Seasonal

Built in 1892 of stones from the nearby Castle Mountains, the castle remains a prominent landmark in White Sulphur Springs. It is filled with the finest furnishings, exotic oriental rugs, and artwork collected from entrepreneur Byron Sherman.



Carol Polich



Craig & Liz Larcom



Upper Musselshell Museum Ⓢ

Harlowton

406-632-5519


Seasonal



Part of the Montana Dinosaur Trail, this stop tells the story of the Upper Musselshell River and the people who shaped it. A locally found Avaceratops fossil is the signature exhibit.



 **H. Earl Clack Memorial Museum** 

Havre
406-265-4000 
Seasonal

Take a journey through prehistoric times with displays of locally discovered dinosaur fossils. Visitors can also learn about the history of the area through exhibits on Native Americans, pioneers, and the Great Northern Railway.

 **Winifred Museum** **FREE**

Winifred
406-462-5425
Seasonal

Built to showcase the rich history of the town and region, this stop is worth your time. The museum houses artifacts, photographs, exhibits and the world's largest Tonka truck collection.



 **Fort Benton Museums
& Heritage Complex** 

Fort Benton

406-622-4000

Each museum in the complex operates on its own schedule and hours.

The Heritage Complex, located in the "Birthplace of Montana," is home to more museums than you can count! The complex includes Old Fort Benton, the Museum of the Upper Missouri, the Museum of the Northern Great Plains, Homestead Village, the Hornaday Smithsonian Buffalo Gallery & Strand Western Art Gallery, the Starr Gallery of Western Art, the Upper Missouri River Breaks National Monument Interpretive Center, the Overholser Research Center, the Schwinden Library, and the Montana Agricultural Center. Take some time to walk along the steamboat levee and explore the historic district—the whole town is a National Historic Landmark!



Elizabeth Moore

Historic Old Fort Benton

The Hornaday Smithsonian Buffalo and Dean & Donna Strand Western Art Gallery






Upper Missouri River Breaks National Monument Interpretive Center



Homestead Village

 **Bair Museum** 

Martinsdale
406-572-3314
Seasonal

Explore an extensive collection of Western art, Native American artifacts, and global pieces. This stop includes original works by Charles M. Russell and offers tours of the Sheep Baron's distinctive family mansion.





Lisa Ballard



Lisa Ballard



 **Old Trail Museum Inc.** 

Choteau
406-466-5332
Seasonal



Seasonal tours are offered to explore the 'Backbone of the World'—the Rocky Mountain Front. Exhibits include fossils from Egg Mountain, the story of a mysterious Roman coin, and the history of the 25,000-year old trail.





Blaine County Museum **FREE**

Chinook

406-357-2590

Year-Round, Hours Vary



Preserving the history of the region, from Indigenous heritage and military service to its rich prehistoric past. Give yourself time to learn about the legacy of an Assiniboine code talker who was instrumental in World War II and the nearby Bear Paw Battlefield.



Rudyard Depot Museum **FREE**

Rudyard

406-355-4356

Seasonal



Housed in a restored railway depot, this location blends local history with paleontology including a Gryposaurus discovery. It has provided dino specimens to world-class institutions.



Central Montana Historical Museum **FREE**

Lewistown

406-535-3642

Seasonal

This stop captures the history of those who called Central Montana home through photographs, memorabilia, rocks, and fossils. Learn about Native Americans, miners, stone masons, and even dinos that once roamed the area.



Marias Museum of History & Art **FREE**

Shelby

406-424-2551

Year-Round, Hours Vary

This unique community-run museum offers travelers a look into the region's past with curated exhibits highlighting history, Native American heritage, pioneer life, and agriculture.

16 Conrad Transportation & Historical Museum **\$**

Conrad
406-278-0178
Seasonal

Housed in a former car dealership, this museum traces the evolution of transportation—from traveling on foot to bicycles, from trains to the introduction of motor vehicles.



17 Wildlife Museum **\$**

Chinook
406-357-3102
Year-Round, Hours Vary

Offers a one-of-a-kind opportunity to see displays of 200+ animals across 7 different ecosystems. The gem of it all? A life-sized bison jump.





C.M. Russell Museum

Great Falls

406-727-8787

Year-Round, Hours Vary

Find more than 3,000 pieces of western art at this complex that covers an entire city block. Nearly 1,000 creations by renowned artist Charles M. Russell are available along with pieces from Russell contemporaries.



GLACIER COUNTRY

CENTRAL MONTANA



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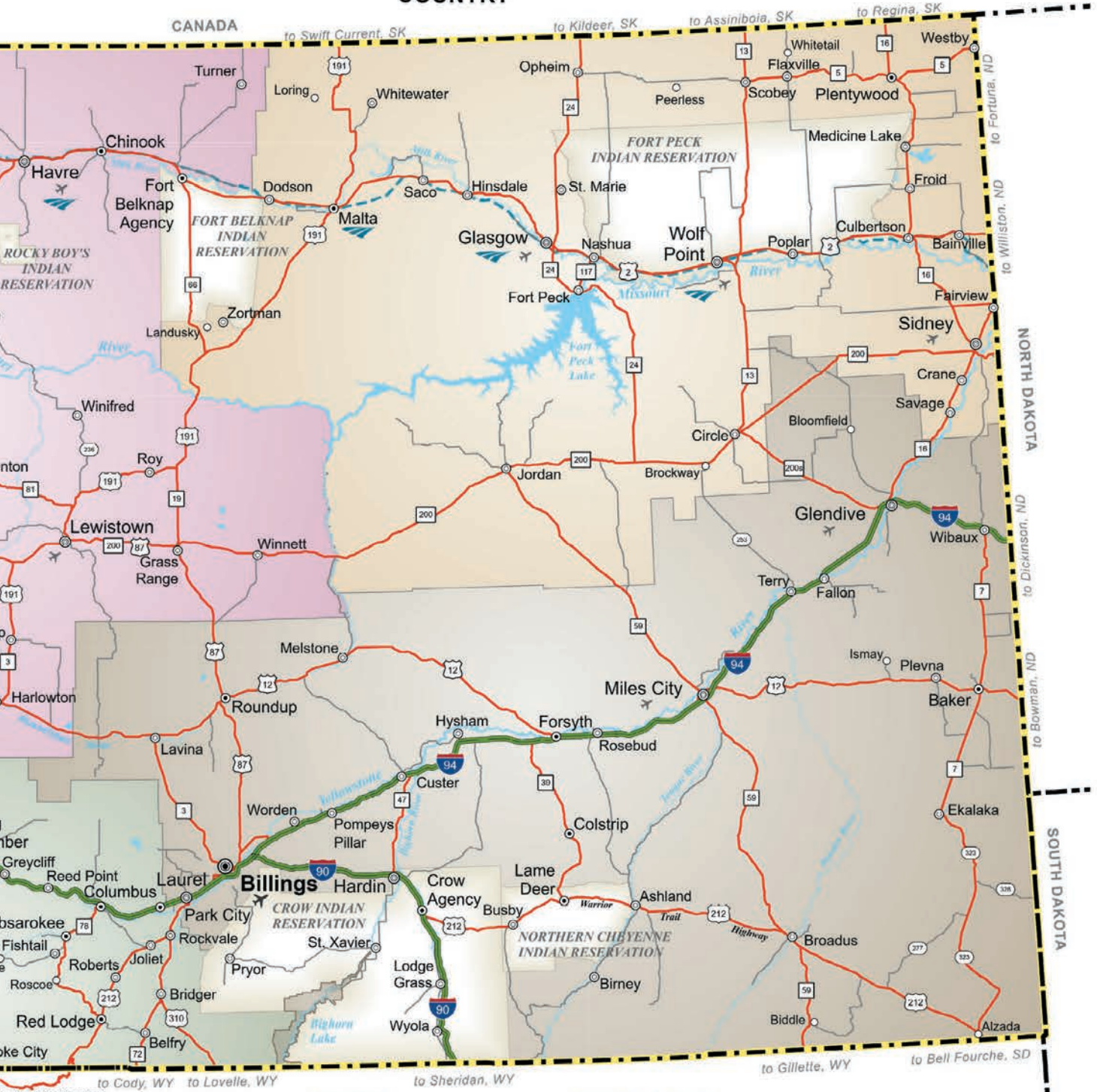


State Capitol: Helena
 Montana Population: 1,132,812
 2023 U.S. Census Bureau

Land Area: 145,550 sq. miles
 Water Area: 1,493 sq. miles
 Total Area: 147,043 sq. miles



MISSOURI RIVER COUNTRY



YELLOWSTONE COUNTRY

SOUTHEAST MONTANA

- City Population**
- ◊ Under 50
 - 50-1,000
 - 1,000-2,500
 - ⊙ 2,500-10,000
 - ⊚ 10,000-25,000
 - ⊛ Over 25,000
 - ⊜ State Capital

- Highways**
- Interstate Route
 - Principal Highways
 - Other Highways

- Route Markers**
- Interstate
 - U.S. Route
 - State Route
 - Other Route

- Map Symbols and Other Features**
- State Boundary
 - Major Airport
 - Secondary Airport
 - Amtrak Line
 - Amtrak Station

Explore Like Lewis & Clark in Central Montana

Central Montana is a popular destination for those interested in Lewis & Clark. It was here in Central Montana that the Corps of Discovery noted some of the most significant moments of their journey as they traveled along the Missouri River in 1805. Once they reached the Great Falls of the Missouri they were forced to make a difficult portage around 5 waterfalls—marked as the Great Falls Portage which is now a National Historic Landmark. It was here in Central Montana that the Corps interacted with Native Americans that were key to the Expedition's understanding of the region.



Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center

Great Falls

A must see for Lewis & Clark enthusiasts. The center houses North America's most extensive collection of the entire Corps of Discovery expedition. Its location in Great Falls is no coincidence—it is, in fact, where the group spent the most time in any one location outside of their winter camp. It took the group 32 days to portage all 5 falls here. The 25,000 square foot building is built into a scenic bluff offering unmatched views of the Missouri River below.



Roland Taylor

White Cliffs

Fort Benton

Lewis & Clark traversed this section of the Missouri River in 1805 and again in 1806. Now it is your turn to float the historic White Cliffs—named for the sandstone rock that lines this section of the National Wild and Scenic Missouri River.

Tower Rock State Park

Cascade

Tower Rock, rising 400 feet high, has served as a landmark along the Missouri River for native tribes, the Corps of Discovery and pioneers. Visitors can explore its cultural significant and hike the trail with views of the prairie, river, and mountains.



Kim Ibes

Scenic Drives in Central Montana

Scenic drives through Central Montana are simply hard to beat! Whether you're looking to take an afternoon drive or an extended adventure, we've got plenty of options.

Scan the QR code shown here for more detailed information and directions before heading out to enjoy any of these scenic drives.



Ghost Towns

Central Montana has a history of gold, silver, and other mining operations. Although those mining sites are now ghost towns, these historic locations are worth exploring.



- 1 Central Montana Historical Museum
- 2 Gilt Edge Mining Camp
- 3 Maiden Townsite
- 4 Hilger Hideaway
- 5 Kendall Mining Camp
- 6 End back in Lewistown

 66 miles

 1 hr 48 mins

Historic Crossings

Did you know Montana has three river ferries? Well, now you do! And all three are located on the Upper Missouri River. This adventure will take you to two of the three.

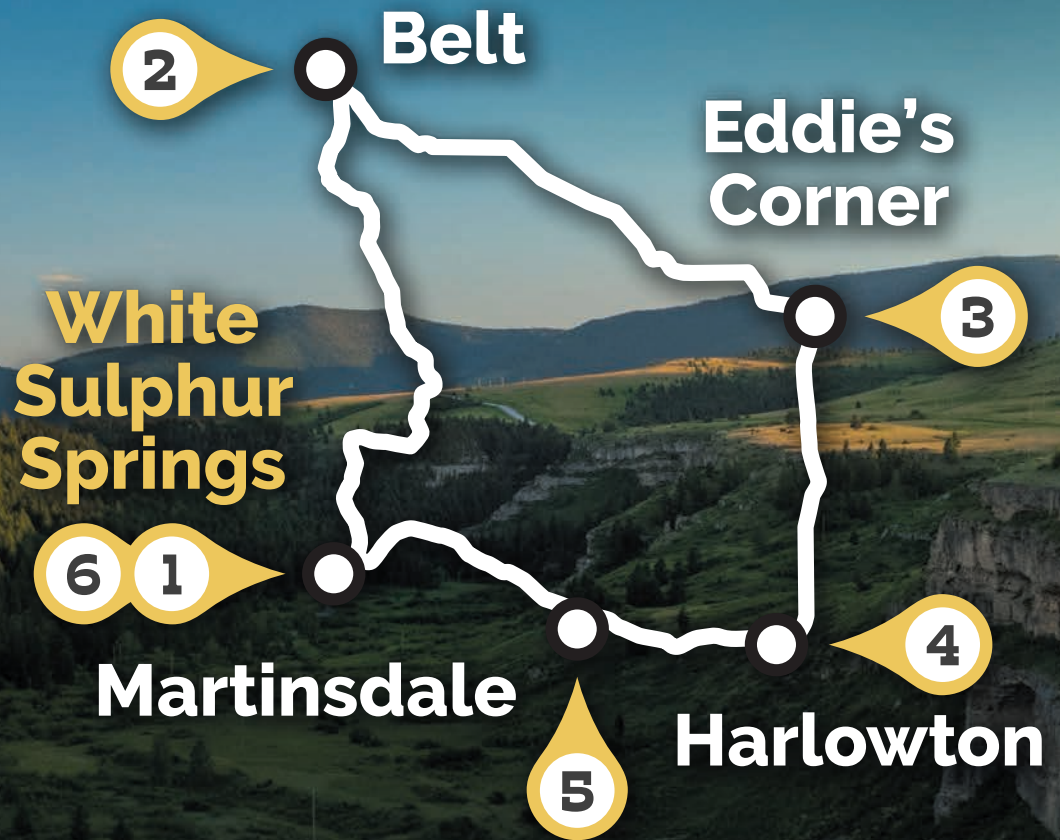


 124 miles

 1 hr 34 mins

Kings Hill

Passing through the Lewis and Clark National Forest and Little Belt Mountains, this drive allows travelers to leisurely savor the rugged beauty of Central Montana. You are sure to see a variety of wildlife.



- 1 Bar 47
- 2 Harvest Moon Saloon
- 3 Big Sky Grocery
- 4 Upper Musselshell Museum
- 5 Bair Museum
- 6 Finish in White Sulphur Springs



224 miles



3 hrs 55 mins

Upper Breaks Byway

If you're looking to explore the unique small towns that make Central Montana a true gem, look no further. This route takes you along the backroads with museums, open plains, good food and cold brews. Ensure your vehicle is ready for a portion of this route that is rugged and unmaintained.




 250 miles

 5 hrs 7 mins

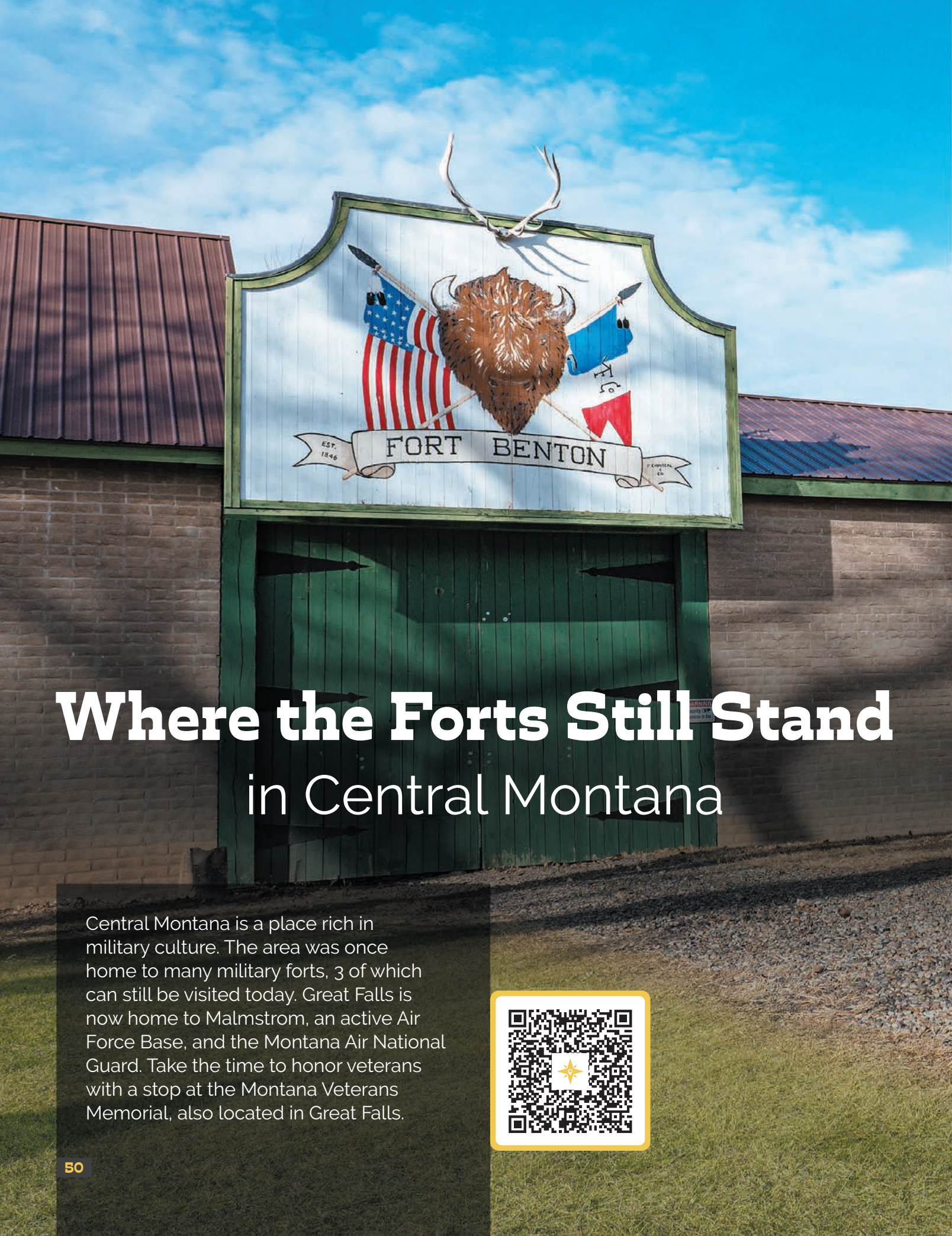
Fossils To Falls

Looking for a WILD ride through Central Montana? Central Montana is actually one of the richest areas in the world for dinosaur fossils. Follow this trail through many of the areas where dinosaur fossils have been found.



 274 miles

 4 hrs 23 mins



Where the Forts Still Stand in Central Montana

Central Montana is a place rich in military culture. The area was once home to many military forts, 3 of which can still be visited today. Great Falls is now home to Malmstrom, an active Air Force Base, and the Montana Air National Guard. Take the time to honor veterans with a stop at the Montana Veterans Memorial, also located in Great Falls.



Fort Benton

Fort Benton

Fort Benton opened as a fur trading fort in 1847. The American Fur Company sold it in 1865; from 1869 to 1891 it housed military. The River and Plains Society brought the fort back to its former glory and now offers summer tours.



Georgia Miller

Fort Shaw

Fort Shaw

Built in 1867 and originally named Camp Reynold, this Army Fort was built near the confluence of the Sun and Missouri Rivers. The camp included barracks, commissary, chapel, school, hospital, jail, library, weapons room, and telegraph office. Abandoned in 1891, it later served as a Native American boarding school. In 1904, the girls basketball team won the World Championship at the St. Louis World's Fair.

Fort Assiniboine

Havre

Constructed in 1879, it was the largest and most active military fort in the U.S. stretching over 700,000 acres. Its mission was to prevent attacks from Sitting Bull and 5,000 Lakota Sioux. This fort is easy to pass by, but the guided tour makes this worth the stop. Tours available June-August.



Outdoor Recreation in Central Montana

The great outdoors are calling you to Central Montana! The region is an adventurer's playground with mountain ranges in every direction and plains in between. We've outlined some of the activities the area is known for alongside some of our favorite places to do each. We included the nearest community so you can check out lodging, food, and more as you plan your trip.

Sun River Wildlife Area

Closest Town: Simms

- ✓ Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Rock Climbing
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- ✓ Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Blackleaf Wildlife Mgmt. Area

Closest Town: Bynum

- ✓ Hiking
- ✓ Biking
- ✓ Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- ✓ Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Ear Mountain Wildlife Mgmt. Area

Closest Town: Choteau

- ✓ Hiking
- Biking
- ✓ Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Scapegoat Wilderness

Closest Town: Augusta

- ✓ Hiking
- Biking
- ✓ Camping
- ✓ Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Bob Marshall Wilderness

Closest Town: Dupuyer

- ✓ Hiking
- Biking
- ✓ Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Freezeout Lake

Closest Town: Fairfield

- ✓ Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- ✓ Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Rocky Mountain Front

Closest Town: Choteau

- ✓ Hiking
- ✓ Biking
- ✓ Camping
- ✓ Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- ✓ Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- ✓ Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Arod Lake

Closest Town: Brady

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Lake Elwell/Tiber Reservoir

Closest Town: Chester

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Bynum Reservoir

Closest Town: Bynum

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Lake Francis

Closest Town: Valier

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

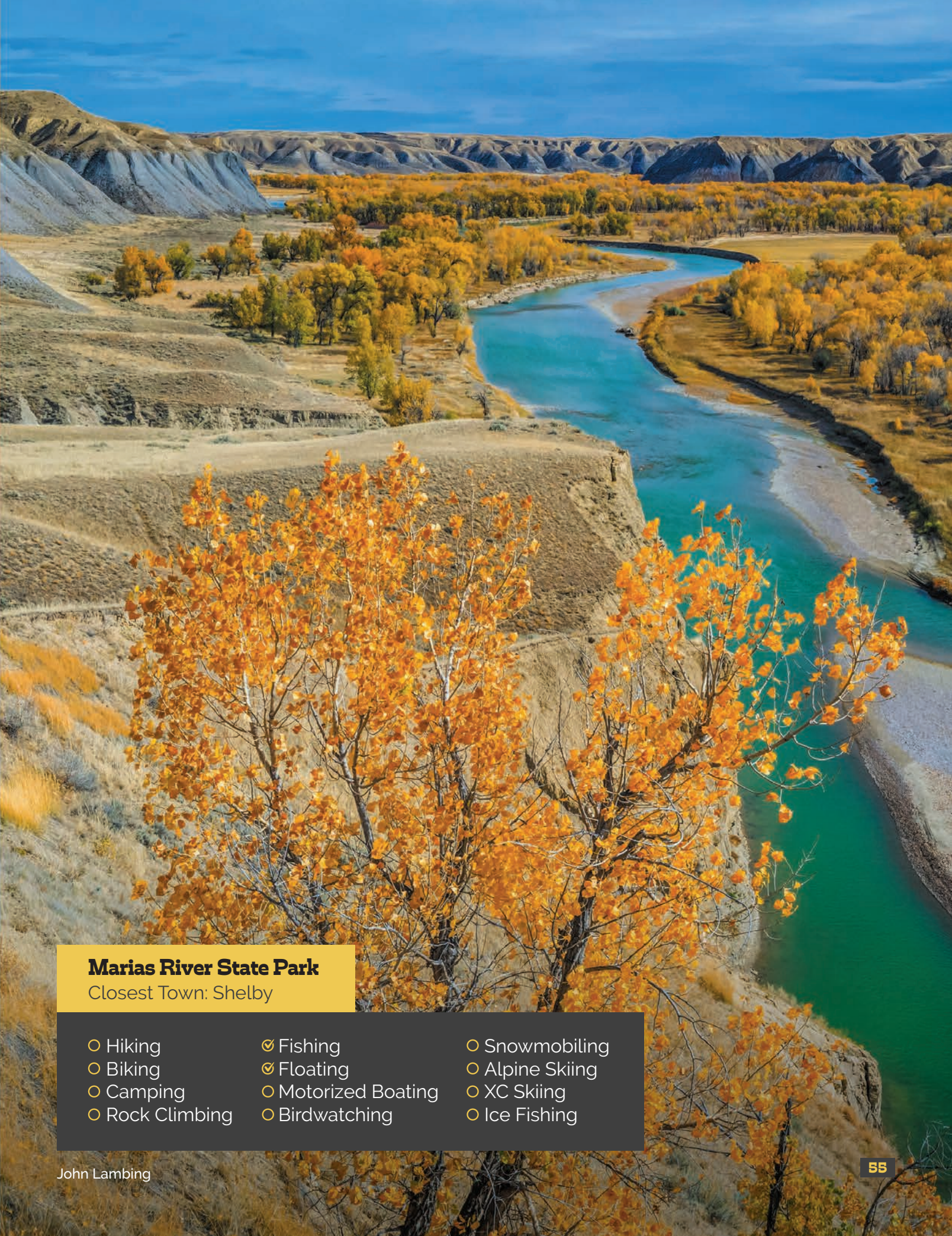


Sweet Grass Hills

Closest Town: Chester

Kevin Eveland

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Rock Climbing
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing



Marias River State Park

Closest Town: Shelby

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Rock Climbing
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing



Bears Paw Mountains

Closest Towns: Big Sandy, Havre, Chinook

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Rock Climbing
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing



Little Rocky Mountains

Closest Town: Hays

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Rock Climbing
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Beaver Creek County Park

Closest Town: Havre

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Highwood Mountains

Closest Towns: Highwood, Belt

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Fresno Reservoir

Closest Town: Havre

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Upper Missouri Wild + Scenic

Closest Town: Fort Benton

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Slippery Ann Wildlife Viewing Area

Closest Town: Lewistown

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Yellowwater

Closest Town: Winnett

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

War Horse National Wildlife Refuge

Closest Town: Winnett

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Petrolia Lake

Closest Town: Winnett

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Payola Reservoir

Closest Town: Winnett

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Judith Landing State Park

Closest Town: Winifred

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing



Upper Missouri River Breaks

Closest Town: Winifred

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Rock Climbing
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing



Big Snowy Mountains

Closest Town: Moore

- ✔ Hiking
- ✔ Biking
- ✔ Camping
- Rock Climbing
- ✔ Fishing
- ✔ Floating
- ✔ Motorized Boating
- ✔ Birdwatching
- ✔ Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Ackley Lake State Park

Closest Town: Hobson

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Charles M. Russell National Wildlife Refuge

Closest Town: Lewistown

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Judith Mountains

Closest Town: Hilger

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Judith River Wildlife Area

Closest Town: Utica

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Little Snowy Mountains

Closest Town: Grass Range

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Moccasin Mountains

Closest Town: Lewistown

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing



Castle Mountains

Closest Town: White Sulphur Springs

John Lambing

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Rock Climbing
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Big Belt Mountains

Closest Town: White Sulphur Springs

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Crazy Mountains

Closest Town: Ringling

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Haymaker Wildlife Mgmt. Area

Closest Towns: Harlowtown, Judith Gap

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Little Belts

Closest Towns: Monarch, Neihart, Utica, Sapphire Village

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing



Smith River State Park

Closest Towns: Ulm, White Sulphur Springs

- Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Rock Climbing
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing



Sluice Boxes State Park

Closest Town: Belt

- ✓ Hiking
- Biking
- ✓ Camping
- Rock Climbing
- ✓ Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- ✓ Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Benton Lake National Wildlife Refuge

Closest Town: Black Eagle

- ✓ Hiking
- ✓ Biking
- Camping
- ✓ Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- ✓ Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- ✓ XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

First People Buffalo Jump State Park

Closest Town: Ulm

- ✓ Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- ✓ Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Crown Butte Preserve

Closest Town: Simms

- ✓ Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- ✓ Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing

Tower Rock State Park

Closest Town: Cascade

- ✓ Hiking
- Biking
- Camping
- Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- Rock Climbing
- Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing



Giant Springs State Park

Closest Town: Great Falls

Georgia Miller

- ✓ Hiking
- ✓ Biking
- Camping
- Rock Climbing
- ✓ Fishing
- Floating
- Motorized Boating
- ✓ Birdwatching
- Snowmobiling
- Alpine Skiing
- XC Skiing
- Ice Fishing



Hit the Links

in Central Montana

Whether you are looking to stretch your legs playing 9 holes on foot, or grab a cart for a full 18, Central Montana is the place! The region is home to 16 golf courses of varying sizes and difficulties. Grab your clubs and hit the course.



Course	Location	Phone	Holes
Anaconda Hills Golf Course	Black Eagle	406-761-8459	18
Arrowhead Meadows Golf Course	White Sulphur Springs	406-547-3993	9
Beaver Creek Golf Course	Havre	406-265-4201	9
Chinook Golf Club	Chinook	406-357-2244	9
Choteau Country Club	Choteau	406-466-2020	18
Eagle Falls Golf Club	Great Falls	406-761-1078	18
Harlem Golf Course	Harlem	406-353-2213	9
Harvest Hills Golf Course	Fairfield	406-467-2052	18
Hickory Swing Golf Course	Great Falls	406-452-9400	18
Jawbone Creek Golf Course	Harlowton	406-632-4206	9
Judith Shadows Golf Course	Lewistown	406-538-6062	18
Marias Valley Golf Course	Shelby	406-434-5940	18
Pine Meadows Golf Course	Lewistown	406-538-7075	9
Pondera Golf and Country Club	Conrad	406-278-3402	9
Prairie Farms Golf Course	Havre	406-265-4790	18
Signal Point Golf Club	Fort Benton	406-622-3666	9



Unique Lodging in Central Montana

Traveling can be exhausting, especially when you're surrounded by rugged beauty, art, history, wildlife and friendly local finds as you tour through Central Montana! Rest up because tomorrow is likely packed full of more exploring. Lodging properties across Central Montana offer comfy accommodations—here are just a few of the most unique places.



Photo Courtesy of
Ringling Church

Ringling Church
Ringling
RinglingChurch.com

Bet you haven't stayed the night in a rural Montana historic church have ya'? Well, here is your chance! This renovated space offers a one bedroom, one bathroom apartment. This unique property also houses an event space. The church sits on top of a hill overlooking this small Central Montana town.

Cabins at Virgelle Merc

Loma

406-378-3110

VirgelleMontana.com

The remote area of the Upper Missouri River Breaks offers spectacular views and wild adventures that will have you wanting to rest before exploring another day. That's where the Virgelle Mercantile awaits with 6 homestead cabins and 4 bed and breakfast rooms. Be sure to pencil in time to check out the antique store while you're there.



Greg Vaughn



Stumble Inn

Hobson

StumbleInnMT.com

Nestled along the main street of Hobson, you will find the cozy Stumble Inn. With just 5 rooms, each offering a private bathroom, you'll find a quiet retreat. Each room has been decorated from top to bottom with a theme that plays off drinks you might find at the local bar.



Riverside Historic Train Car

Cascade
Vacation Rental

Looking for a one-of-a-kind stay along the scenic Missouri River during your stay? This is it! The historic post office railcar has been restored to offer luxurious amenities including a hot tub overlooking the river.

Photos Courtesy of
Riverside Historic Train Car



Hotel Winifred

Winifred
406-462-5323
TheHotelWinifred.com

Where can you find 8 uniquely themed rooms, an event space, and a renowned steakhouse all in one property? Winifred, Montana! While traveling through this area of Central Montana make sure you plan to arrive early for your overnight stay to enjoy all the amenities and a great meal.

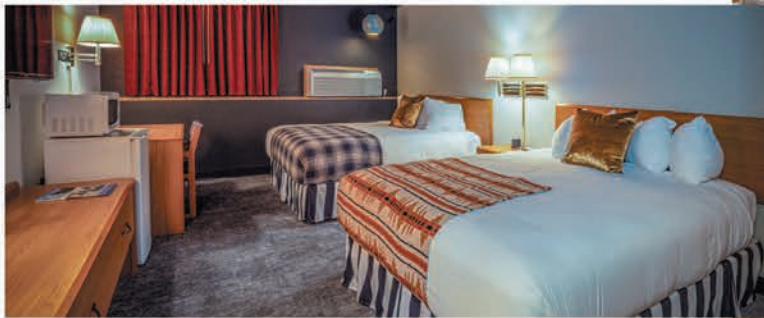
The Edith

White Sulphur Springs

406-547-8888

ShowdownMontana.com

Looking for a place to rest your head after a day of exploring the small town of White Sulphur Springs or skiing the slopes of Showdown Montana? The Edith welcomes you! This newly renovated hotel is anything but your standard lodging property with its uniquely decorated rooms and suites.



American Prairie

Near Lewistown

406-585-4600

AmericanPrairie.org

How about spending the night on the open prairies of Montana? If it's a yes, the American Prairie offers various accommodations including yurts. These yurts aren't roughing it by any means with bathrooms and views like you've never seen.

Photos Courtesy of
American Prairie





Grand Union Hotel

Fort Benton

406-622-1882

GrandUnionHotel.com

Built in 1882 during the peak of the steamboat era, the Grand Union was the “finest hotel between St. Louis and Seattle.” Restored to its original splendor, the Grand Union Hotel is Montana's oldest operating hotel and a national landmark with 26 guest rooms.

Cache Cabin

Dupuyer

Vacation Rental

Quiet, serene settings surround you at this renovated homestead cabin just a mile from Dupuyer. This property gives you a glimpse into rural living on the Rocky Mountain Front.



Photos Courtesy of
Cache Cabin

The Little Belt Inn at Bob's Bar

Neihart

406-236-5955

Neihart-Montana.com

Relax and rejuvenate in the heart of the Little Belt Mountains after a tasty dinner and refreshing drink at Bob's Bar—a Neihart landmark. The rooms have recently been remodeled to offer travelers comfortable accommodations after a day of driving, hiking or skiing. A soak in the hot tub is a must!



Charley & Allyson Willett





Get Out & About in Central Montana

Around here, we live for a good party!! Fortunately, there is no shortage of events in Central Montana. We embrace opportunities to honor our history, culture, and local landscapes. While you're here, check out area events, festivals, pow wows, county fairs, parades, holiday happenings, and more. Join us for some fun in Central Montana!



Save The Date

Montana Pro Rodeo Circuit Finals

Great Falls
Mid January

Montana Winter Fair

Lewistown
Late January

Western Art Week

Great Falls
Mid March

Hi-Line Brewfest

Havre
Late March

Bentonfest

Fort Benton
Late May

Rodeos

Throughout
Central Montana
June - September

Charlie Russell Chew-Choo Train Rides

Lewistown
May - October

History Day

Havre
Late May

Whoop Up Days

Conrad
Early June

Kite Festival

Shelby
Mid June

Homesteader Days

Valier
Late June

Ivan Doig Day

Dupuyer
Late June

Lewis & Clark Festival

Great Falls
Late June

Summer Celebration

Fort Benton
Late June

Buffalo Kite Festival

Ulm
Mid July

Red Ants Pants Music Festival

White Sulphur Springs
Late July

CenterFest Music Festival

Lewistown
Early August

Rocky Boy Powwow

Rocky Boy's
Reservation
Early August

ArtsFest Montana

Great Falls
Mid August

Harlo Music Project

Harlowton
Mid August

Montana Cowboy Poetry Gathering

Lewistown
Mid August

Havre Trails Brewfest

Havre
Late August

Chokecherry Festival

Lewistown
Early September

Havre Festival Days

Havre
Mid September

Sugarbeet Festival

Chinook
Late September

HarvestFest Art Auction

Lewistown
Early October

Christmas Strolls & Light Displays

Throughout
Central Montana
December

North Pole Adventure Train

Lewistown
December

SPRING

SUMMER

FALL

WINTER

Weather in Montana is always changing so event dates are subject to change.



Eric Heidle - Red Ants Pants Music Festival @ White Sulphur Springs

Directory of Communities in Central Montana

Population

📍 Under 100

📍 101 - 2,199

📍 2,200 - 60,500

	Fuel	Food/Drink	Lodging	Entertainment	Attraction	Population
Augusta	☑	☑	☑	○	○	📍 215
Belt	☑	☑	☑	○	○	📍 526
Big Sandy	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 582
Black Eagle	☑	☑	○	○	☑	📍 633
Box Elder	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 79
Brady	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 90
Buffalo	○	○	○	○	○	📍 5
Bynum	○	☑	○	○	☑	📍 19
Carter	○	○	○	○	☑	📍 110
Cascade	☑	☑	☑	○	☑	📍 584
Cat Creek	○	○	○	○	○	📍 4
Centerville	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 10
Chester	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 856
Chinook	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 1,154
Choteau	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 1,805
Cleveland	○	○	○	○	○	📍 12
Coffee Creek	○	○	○	○	○	📍 44
Conrad	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 2,433
Denton	☑	☑	☑	○	○	📍 213
Dunkirk	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 10

	Fuel	Food/Drink	Lodging	Entertainment	Attraction	Population
Dupuyer	○	☑	☑	○	○	📍 135
Dutton	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 316
Ethridge	○	○	○	○	○	📍 20
Fairfield	☑	☑	☑	○	○	📍 791
Floweree	○	○	○	○	○	📍 26
Forest Grove	○	○	○	○	○	📍 8
Fort Belknap	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 1,503
Fort Benton	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 1,413
Fort Shaw	○	○	○	○	☑	📍 144
Fresno	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 4
Galata	○	○	☑	○	○	📍 15
Garneill	○	○	○	○	○	📍 8
Geraldine	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 201
Geyser	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 86
Gildford	☑	○	○	○	○	📍 164
Grass Range	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 116
Great Falls	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 60,414
Hardy	○	☑	☑	○	○	📍 79
Harlem	☑	☑	☑	○	○	📍 751
Harlowton	☑	☑	☑	○	☑	📍 945
Havre	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 9,328
Hays	☑	○	○	○	○	📍 1,095
Heart Butte	☑	○	○	○	○	📍 549
Highwood	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 180

Population

📍 Under 100

📍 101 - 2,199

📍 2,200 - 60,500

	Fuel	Food/Drink	Lodging	Entertainment	Attraction	Population
Hilger	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 24
Hingham	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 130
Hobson	○	☑	☑	○	○	📍 186
Hogeland	○	○	○	○	○	📍 26
Inverness	☑	○	○	○	○	📍 27
Joplin	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 278
Judith Gap	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 105
Kevin	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 163
Kremlin	○	○	○	○	○	📍 51
Ledger	○	○	○	○	○	📍 10
Lewistown	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 6,208
Lloyd	○	○	○	○	○	📍 10
Loma	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 94
Lothair	○	○	○	○	○	📍 30
Martinsdale	○	☑	☑	○	☑	📍 43
Moccasin	○	○	○	○	○	📍 34
Monarch	○	☑	☑	○	○	📍 44
Moore	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 204
Neihart	☑	☑	☑	○	○	📍 39
Oilmont	○	○	○	○	○	📍 63
Pendroy	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 19
Power	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 197
Raynesford	☑	○	○	○	○	📍 60
Ringling	○	☑	☑	○	○	📍 37
Rocky Boy	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 945
Roy	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 172

	Fuel	Food/Drink	Lodging	Entertainment	Attraction	Population
Rudyard	☑	☑	○	○	☑	📍 392
Sand Coulee	○	○	○	○	○	📍 225
Sapphire Village	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 26
Shawmut	○	○	○	○	○	📍 43
Shelby	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 3,303
Simms	☑	○	○	○	○	📍 325
Square Butte	○	○	○	○	○	📍 24
Stanford	☑	☑	☑	○	☑	📍 414
Stockett	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 147
Sun River	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 47
Sunburst	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 355
Sweet Grass	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 82
Teigen	○	○	○	○	○	📍 5
Tracy	○	○	○	○	○	📍 86
Turner	☑	☑	○	○	☑	📍 69
Two Dot	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 19
Ulm	☑	☑	○	○	☑	📍 949
Utica	○	☑	○	○	☑	📍 22
Valier	☑	☑	☑	○	○	📍 559
Vaughn	☑	☑	○	○	○	📍 1,028
Virgelle	○	○	☑	○	☑	📍 3
White Sulphur Springs	☑	☑	☑	☑	☑	📍 1,046
Whitlash	○	○	○	○	○	📍 5
Windham	○	☑	○	○	○	📍 26
Winifred	☑	☑	☑	☑	○	📍 175
Winnett	☑	☑	☑	○	○	📍 216
Zurich	○	○	○	○	○	📍 47

Outfitters & Guides in Central Montana



Business	Location	Phone
Triple J Wilderness Ranch	Augusta	406-562-3653
Chase Hill Outfitters	Big Sandy	406-386-2447
Timber Mountain Outfitters LLC	Buffalo	406-374-2515
Montana Safaris	Bynum	406-466-2004
DL Elk Outfitters Inc.	Cascade	406-468-2642
Bloom Outfitting	Cascade	406-868-7794
Prairie Mountain Adventures	Cascade	334-300-6168
Trout Montana	Cascade	406-468-9330
Clear Creek Hunting, LLC	Chinook	406-395-5018
Dropstone Outfitting	Choteau	406-403-1902
Homestead Ranch Outfitters LLC	Choteau	406-466-5775
A Lazy H	Choteau	800-893-1155
7 Lazy P	Choteau	406-466-2245
Missouri River Outfitters	Fort Benton	406-622-3295
Upper Missouri River Guides	Fort Benton	406-616-2001
Dave Hettinger Outfitting	Fort Shaw	307-709-0153
Central Montana Outfitters	Great Falls	406-781-9061
Scheerer Enterprises Inc.	Great Falls	406-799-7984
Blackfeet Outfitters	Great Falls	406-450-8420
Montana River Outfitters	Great Falls	406-369-3151
Bear Paw Mountain Outfitters	Havre	406-945-0206
Montana Outfitting Company	Havre	406-945-2050
Beaver Creek Outfitting	Lewistown	406-535-3582
Pigeye Basin Outfitters	Moccasin	406-423-5332
Crazy Creek Outfitters	Oilmont	406-369-3151
Armells Creek Outfitters	Roy	406-464-2281
Montana Outfitters	Sand Coulee	406-799-1004
Cayuse Hills Outfitters	Shawmut	406-930-0918
McFarland White Ranch	Two Dot	406-632-4121
Anchor P Outfitters	White Sulphur Springs	406-547-2419
Tri Mountain Outfitters	White Sulphur Springs	406-547-2177
Avalanche Basin Outfitters	White Sulphur Springs	406-547-3962
Rawhide Guide Service, LLC	White Sulphur Springs	717-629-0050
Birch Creek Outfitters	White Sulphur Springs	406-547-2107
Flatwillow Creek Outfitters, LLC	Winnett	406-429-5601

Useful Resources

Well, you have reached the end of our Travel Guide. We packed in as much info as we could, but there is so much more. Scan the QR code below to check out our website:



We hope you are already planning your trip to see Central Montana for yourself! Below we have compiled a list of websites that may serve useful.

**Montana Department of
Fish, Wildlife and Parks**
www.fwp.mt.gov

Visit Montana
www.visitmt.com

**Bureau of Land
Management**
www.blm.gov

**Nez Perce National
Historic Trail**
www.fs.usda.gov/npnht

National Park Service
www.nps.gov

**Lewis & Clark National
Historic Trail**
www.nps.gov/lecl

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