



Welcome to the Rathdrum Wednesday Newsletter!

*Greetings from your editor:* As I have been walking around the great City of Rathdrum and talking with people about our new newsletter, the response has been overwhelmingly positive.

Since coming to Rathdrum just over 10 years ago, we have had two local papers and an insert. The first was Tom Burnett and The Rathdrum Star. There was a local news void left when he retired. During Tom's run, the Spokesman-Review had a section in their paper called the Prairie Voice where they attempted to bring us our local news. The last local newspaper in Rathdrum was the Panhandle Sun. It filled the local news void, albeit for a short time. It too was missed when they closed.

Being an active member in the Chamber, and working in the community, one of the complaints I kept hearing was how nobody knows what is going on in Rathdrum anymore.

So, having an idea and an ability, I stepped up to the plate and have started publishing the newsletter you are currently reading.

Because of the space limitations inherent in a standard piece of paper, some issues may approach double digits. Some issues may struggle to fill the front and back of one piece of paper.

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### Up Coming Calendar Events

Sat May 24	Rathdrum Farmers Market at Rathdrum City Park 9:00am - 2:00pm
	North Idaho Linux Users Group Meeting at F1 for HELP 1:00pm - 4:00pm <a href="http://www.nilug.org">www.nilug.org</a>
Mon May 26	Memorial Day 1pm - Memorial Day Ceremony to honor those that have given their lives in service to their country at Pine Grove Cemetery (More info on page 4)
	2:30pm - Dedication for the new Kitchen and Restroom facilities and the opening of the dog park at Majestic Park
Tue May 27	Rathdrum Area Chamber Business After Hours at Twin Lakes Villiage Golf Club 4:00pm to 7:00pm (More info on page 3)
Sat June 14	Idaho Free Fishing Day and Fishing Derby at Rathdrum City Park 9:00am to 1:00pm
	Rathdrum Farmers Market at Rathdrum City Park 9:00am - 2:00pm Flag Day
Sun June 15	Father's Day (It's about time!)

Thu June 19	Rathdrum Area Chamber of Commerce Monthly Luncheon at Shepard of the Hills Lutheran www.rathdrumchamberofcommerce.com		Crock-Pot Cook-Off at the Lightning Bar Starting at 11am
Sat June 21	Summer Solstice	Thu July 17	Rathdrum Area Chamber of Commerce Monthly Luncheon at Shepard of the Hills Lutheran www.rathdrumchamberofcommerce.com
Sat June 28	Rathdrum Farmers Market at Rathdrum City Park 9:00am - 2:00pm	Fri - Sun July 18, 19, 20	Rathdrum Days www.rathdrumdays.org
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Fri July 4	Independence Day	<h1 style="text-align: center;">Advertising Space Available</h1> <p style="text-align: center;">advertising@rathdrumweeklynews.com</p>	
Sat July 12	Rathdrum Farmers Market at Rathdrum City Park 9:00am - 2:00pm		
	Relay for Life of Rathdrum Horseshoe Tournament and		

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articles are gladly accepted and published as submitted so long as the content is within community standards and addresses a subject generally recognized to be of community interest.

Any Letter to the Editor or submitted article may be rejected outright because of possible libelous content or reduced in length due to space constraints. Some minor editing may occur. All items submitted must be signed and a working telephone number included. The author's name will be withheld if requested.

Advertising submissions also are accepted at the discretion of the publisher and may be rejected without cause.

The Rathdrum Weekly News assumes no obligation for accidental errors in any advertisement, but will gladly republish that portion in which an error has occurred.

The Rathdrum Weekly News expects its advertisers to respect community decency in its messages and that merchandise and/or services being offered are, indeed, available to the general public at the stated price or cost.

Any advertising, political or otherwise, are accepted on a "cash-with-copy" basis. The publisher has the right to deny the sale of advertising space to a delinquent account.

From Kevin Sharrai at Twin Lakes Village Golf:

Business (and FUN) after hours...

Give Golf a Try!



Whether you are a golfer, or you have never hit a golf ball before.... Join us at Twin Lakes Village to experience golf.

You can hit some practice range balls....try chipping a few....or discover you are an awesome putter during our

Chamber After Hours.... We will supply the balls and clubs

May 27th 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

You receive a free drink ticket (beer, wine, well drink, soft drink) and chips and salsa will be served.

The Turn Restaurant will have some great specials if you would like to plan to stay for dinner.

For more information, please call 687.1312 or send an email to [kevin@golftwinlakes.com](mailto:kevin@golftwinlakes.com)

(From Page 1 *Greetings from your editor*)

We welcome any feedback on this newsletter, if you see something you like, something you don't, please let us know.

If you have a story, an event upcoming that is not on the calendar, an announcement, send it in. You can call our office at the number below and leave a message, or send an email to [editor@rathdrumweeklynews.com](mailto:editor@rathdrumweeklynews.com).

From our current website, you can sign up for the email blast, manage your subscription if you have previously subscribed, or you can unsubscribe from the newsletter. You are always welcome to download the current issue, as well as any back issue.

Over the next couple of weeks we are hoping to put up a new website. One of the goals for our website is to put up a public calendar actually that looks like a calendar,

with click-able events that you can import into your own calendar. In the weekly newsletter, it is our goal to have between two and three months (space depending) of up coming events to give people the opportunity to plan for an event.

Next week, we will be putting out another practice newsletter that hopefully has as much or more content as this one in preparation for our first 'official' publication currently scheduled for Wednesday June 4<sup>th</sup>.

If you know someone who may be interested in the news around Rathdrum, please share this newsletter with them, or better yet, send them to the website so they can get their own copy.







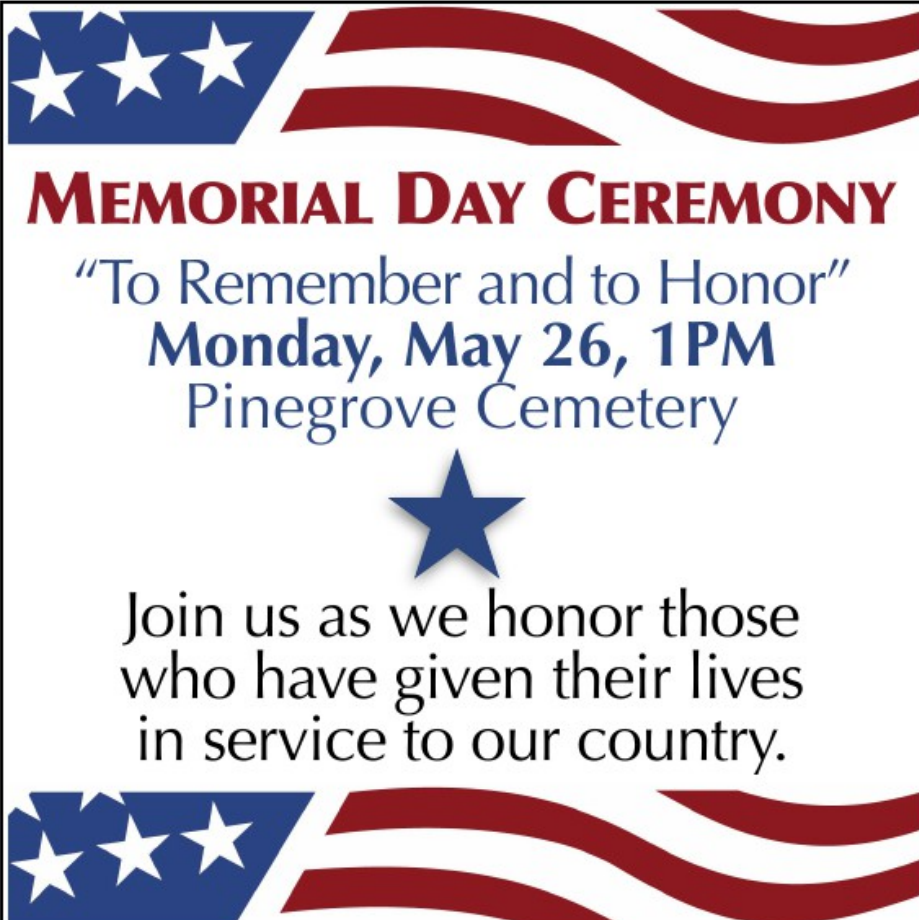
**Press Release**

**Tuesday, May 13, 2014**

The city of Rathdrum is pleased to announce our annual **Memorial Day Ceremony:**  
"To Remember and to Honor."

The Mayor and City Council of Rathdrum invite you to join us on Monday, May 26 at 1PM at Pinegrove Cemetery as we pause to remember the reason for the Memorial Day Holiday. This patriotic and thankful remembrance will stir your heart with thankfulness for those who paid the ultimate price for our freedom.

Pinegrove Cemetery is located at 6693 West Highway 53 in Rathdrum.  
For more information, please call the Rathdrum Parks Department at 208-687-2399.



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**Monday, May 26, 1PM**  
Pinegrove Cemetery



Join us as we honor those  
who have given their lives  
in service to our country.