



TREASURES ON THE PRAIRIE

AUGUST 9-11, 2024

Eastern Montana's 150 Mile Garage Sale

Welcome to the planning phases of Eastern Montana's first 150 Mile Garage Sale! We are excited you are joining us and love the idea of developing an ongoing annual event that

brings excited treasure lovers to our beautiful Eastern Montana while providing a big BOOM to our small-town economies.

Let's be honest, we know how beautiful the prairies of Eastern Montana are, but many wrinkle their noses at the idea of visiting EASTERN Montana. What better way to put our small towns on the map than to bring people into our communities so they can see it for themselves?

Never been to a miles long garage sale before? Well, here is what you can expect. Buyers come in from not just the local area but also from the surrounding states. Professional buyers such as antique dealers, collectors and flea market vendors bring trailers and shop from morning until night.

What to Expect

But it isn't just your neighbors having the garage sales that see the sales. Although some folks will shop in just one town, many will shop the days leading up to the sale as well. They will come and stay in local hotels, eat at local restaurants, they will purposely look for businesses that have been advertised in the Treasures On The Prairie (TOTP) Guidebook, (*Guidebook advertising deadline July 1, 2024*) and they will shop the sales advertised by the local businesses. With large sales in other states, we have seen that it becomes a GREAT time for civic organizations and student organizations, churches, and nonprofits to hold food fundraisers, sale fundraisers, and other events that coincide with the garage sale weekend. It isn't just the local retail, hotel, and service businesses that benefit on sale weekends.

Guidebook Advertising

For the first year, we will be focusing on the interstate towns of Hysham, Forsyth, Rosebud, Miles City, Terry, Fallon, and Glendive. The Treasures on the Prairie Guidebook will individually list each of these towns with town maps showing garage sales, businesses, vendors, and restrooms. Participating businesses who register for a nominal fee will receive a colored flyer indicating their participation, will have a listing in the Guidebook, and can also purchase an advertisement in the Guidebook at affordable rates.

This year's event will be held the weekend of August 9-11, 2024 with deadline to be listed in the Treasures on the Prairie Guidebook being July 1, 2024.

Guidebooks will be available for download and purchase through our Treasures on the Prairie website and Facebook page. Businesses that purchase advertising in the Guidebook will also be featured on the Website and Facebook page leading up to the weekend of the event.

Special sales, sidewalk sales, food specials, and special room rates are encouraged by businesses and can be included in your advertisement design in the Guidebook. **Businesses located in multiple cities will need to specify which city they wish to have their advertisement listed in the Guidebook.**

Thank you so much for participating in our inaugural event. We hope this venture will bring lots of visitors to our small towns and businesses and will continue to grow in size and enjoyment each year.

Forsyth (Exit 93 & 95)

1. Joe Schmoe

325 N 9th Ave (near the high school)

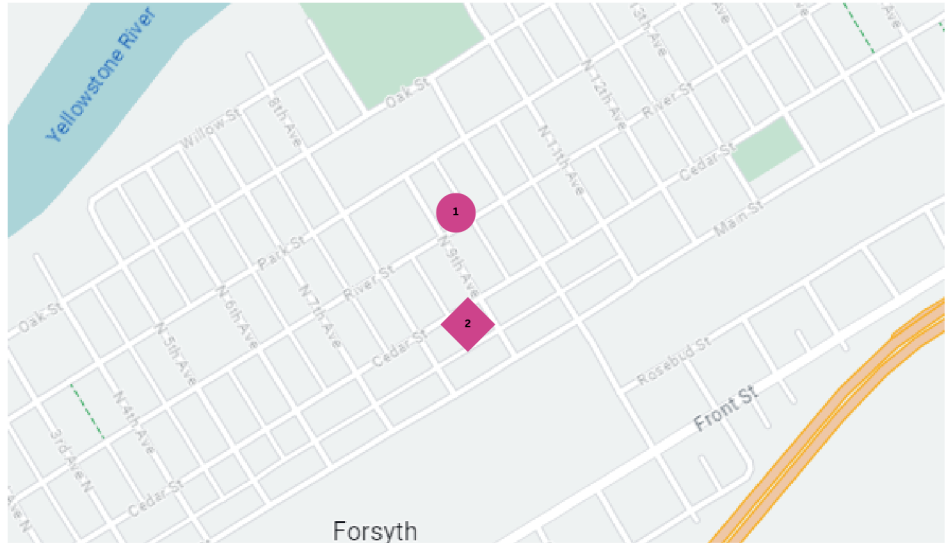
Friday: 8:00 am-6:00 pm;

Saturday: 8:00 am-1:00 pm

Multi-family garage sale - vintage, collectibles, tools, hunting, man stuff

2. Rusty Dog Antiques

188 N 9th Ave – see our ad



4 x 5.25

PRINT READY* - \$50
DESIGN NEEDED** - \$75

3.5 x 2

PRINT READY* - \$25
DESIGN NEEDED** - \$50

*PRINT READY - a digital file that is ready for high-resolution printing without any changes or enhancements
**DESIGN NEEDED - simple ad designed for you, based on content provided on registration form, business contact person will approve final design (1 revision allowed)

Town Where Your Ad Will Be Listed in the Guidebook *(must indicate which town page for ad placement):*

Hysham

Rosebud

Terry

Glendive

Forsyth

Miles City

Fallon

AD SIZES AVAILABLE

Business Placement on Town Map, NO AD - \$5

PRINT READY*, Business Card Ad (3.5x2) - \$25

DESIGN** + Business Card Ad (3.5x2) - \$50

PRINT READY*, 1/4 Page Ad (4"x5.25") - \$50

DESIGN** + 1/4 Page Ad (4"x5.25") - \$75

PRINT READY*, 1/2 Page Ad (8.25"x5.25") - \$100

DESIGN** + 1/2 Page Ad (8.25"x5.25") - \$125

Business/Organization Name: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____

Physical Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Website (if applicable): _____

Credit card payments are only available through online registration at treasuresontheprairiemt.com.

Cash Check

Please don't mail cash, email for available drop off locations!

Checks can be made payable to the Forsyth Chamber of Commerce.

Please return this form to treasuresontheprairiemt@gmail.com or Forsyth Chamber of Commerce, ATTN: Treasures on the Prairie, PO Box 448, Forsyth, MT 59327.

Please consider your bank cleared check or online payment receipt as initial confirmation.



Ads need to be received no later than 5:00 pm, July 1, 2024. Please email your ad to treasuresontheprairiemt@gmail.com.

- Ads should be in print-ready PDF with all fonts embedded. JPG files will also be accepted. Any other file types will not be accepted.
- 300 DPI highly recommended

Advertisers will also receive one official vendor sign for the window, a one-line listing in the Guidebook with business name and a notation "See Our Ad", a number and star on your town's map at your business location.

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