

Northwest Montana Arms Collectors Association

P.O. Box 653
Kalispell, MT 59901

Spring Gun Show 2020
March 27, 28, 29

Greetings,

We are shooting for the best gun show ever, and it is going to come with a really big change. We have decided to move the venue from the fairgrounds north to the Majestic Valley Arena. It is no secret that this venue has failed for a previous gun show, but we feel we have overcome the problems of the past and opened the door to host a bigger, better show. After reviewing the following points we would welcome your questions or concerns so that we can be ready for the show in March.

- We have locked horns with the fairgrounds management over a few issues and come away feeling like we could take it or leave it. The management at Majestic Valley Arena, MVA, are extremely gun friendly. The new general manager, Tim Harmon, left the fairgrounds to work at MVA. Tim is a member of our Association and shoots at our range. The owners, Bob and Jan Parker are forming a corporate membership with the Association and are both conceal carry gun owners. They are all committed to making this change a success.
- Like most cities, the government and people choosing to live there are very liberal. The issue of the fire inspector restricting sale of gun powder at the show is just a taste of the pressure we will be getting in the future. Moving out of the city limits and onto private property will protect us from the left wing rabble and zealous fire inspectors. Everyone can now sell powder again.
- Dirty environment was a huge problem at previous shows. The floor will be graded and rolled to form as flat a surface as possible. Then it will be covered with heavy gauge vinyl rolls over the entire floor of the show. This will eliminate the dirt being kicked up under foot. No events will be allowed in the unused space such as roping like happened in the past.
- The building smells better than the fairgrounds. The owners do not allow animals to corral in the building. They are given access for the competition and then removed. No hay and no poop piles keeps the place smelling much better than the fairgrounds after the fair.
- Condensation dripping on the tables is controllable by keeping the building heated appropriately. Management has agreed to keep the building heated during the show. They also have excellent ventilation if air needs to be changed.
- Access for vendors is available from three sides of the building. There will be a large area where you can drive into the building as well as doors in other locations to access the show floor. Trailers can be left in the building during the show. Parking for vendors available on the north and south sides of the building.
- There is room to expand the show to sizes that far exceeds the fairgrounds.
- The parking lot for the folks coming to the show is much bigger than the fairgrounds and you won't be competing for parking spaces.
- Since you are on private property you are able to carry a firearm. During the show all open carry firearms must be rendered inoperable and tagged by the security guys at the front door.

We hope that you will embrace the change of venue to the Majestic Valley Arena and join us for the show in March.

In your service,

David Mosby, show chairman

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SPRING KALISPELL GUN SHOW

MARCH 27, 28, 29

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TABLE APPLICATION

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

- 2 ½' x 8' tables only
- There are a limited number of wall tables available. If you will not accept an aisle table please indicate in the comments below.
- Aisle tables can be grouped with your friends. Please indicate if you prefer a particular grouping and give name & telephone number of those in your group.

Pricing: Wall – 1 table \$55 2 or more tables \$50 each

Aisle – 1 table \$50 2 or more tables \$45 each

Collector's display – No charge (Aisle tables only)

... Read show policy before making application ...

Early set up for vendors starts
at 3:00 p.m. till 9:00 Thursday.
Security begins 9:00 Thursday.

of tables

Wall _____ \$ _____

Aisle _____ \$ _____

Collector _____ \$ - 0 -

*Insurance surcharge \$ 5.00

Total vendor amount due \$ _____

*Insurance surcharge is being assessed to cover increased costs of insurance caused by the accidental discharge at the Billings Gun Show in 2017. **No more...now outside city limits**
~~Powder & Primer sales restricted to one vendor. See show policy for explanation.~~

Comments:

Notice to table holders: Northwest Montana Arms Collectors Association and Kalispell Gun Show are not responsible for any theft(s) from your tables. Table holders are solely responsible for their own property. **Knowledge of and adherence to all applicable laws is the responsibility of the table holder.**

Check No. _____

Date Paid _____

Amount _____

Balance Due _____

Refund overpaid _____

Name _____

Last

First

Tables

(FOR GUN SHOW USE ONLY, PLEASE DO NOT FILL IN)

SHOW POLICY

Sponsored by the Northwest Montana Arms Collectors Association
Committed to Safety, Quality, Integrity

- ★ **You are expected to stay for the entire show.** Any vendor packing to leave or leaving before 2:00 pm on Sunday or 6:00 pm Friday/Saturday will not be allowed to have a table in the next show.
- ★ You can camp or park your RV behind the Arena (120v plugins) Rough camping \$10/day (no electric). Tent, RV or camper w/electric \$20/day. Shower house for all. Arrangements with Majestic Valley Arena: 406-755-5366
- ★ Since we are not located on city property you may carry a firearm. During the show you must carry concealed. All open carry firearms must be rendered inoperable and tagged by Security at the door. Please do not remove the gun from your holster unless there are lives threatened. Do not use to stop a thief.
- ★ All vendors and their helpers must wear name badges when packing in or packing out and during the show.
- ★ Fill out application completely and return with payment.
- ★ If you desire a confirmation, fill out your name and address on the confirmation form enclosed and return with your table application. Confirmations are mailed as soon as final location has been determined.
- ★ Table assignments subject to change at the show chairman's discretion. We will contact you regarding changes.
- ★ Vendors can set up between 3:00 & 9:00 on Thursday and 8:00 & 12:00 on Friday. Armed Security will begin Thursday at 9:00 p.m. **Tables unoccupied by noon Friday may be reassigned** if not called at 406-471-0972.
- ★ Absolutely no loaded firearms displayed at the show!
- ★ Table contents should be primarily (75%) weapons and weapons related items, such as parts, ammunition, reloading equipment, firearm accessories/supplies, and books related to weapons and hunting. There are exceptions to this policy, so if in doubt, please call for clarification. Weapons = guns, knives, bows etc.
- ★ Powder and Primers are **no longer restricted** at the show since we are outside the city limits.
- ★ No loose ammo! All ammo must be in closed boxes or in covered containers.
- ★ No black powder may be displayed at the show. Storage must be outside the building.
- ★ All federal, state and local laws must be observed. It is the responsibility of the table holder to be familiar with all applicable laws.
- ★ Display or sale of illegal firearms, ammunition or accessories is prohibited.
- ★ No gunsmithing or reloading activities allowed during the show.
- ★ All walk in guns will be checked through the admission gate and tagged with a color coded zip tie. All guns sold should also be tagged with a differently colored zip tie to be provided by the show chairman.
- ★ All firearms will have actions secured with cable ties except when presenting the firearm to customer for inspection. **Magazines should be left out of the firearm.** Vendor to provide their own cable ties.
- ★ 24 hour security provided by NWMACA beginning at 9:00 pm Thursday until end of show Sunday.
- ★ Table holders are responsible for their own property.

SHOW HOURS

	<u>EXIBITORS</u>	<u>PUBLIC</u>	<u>CLOSE</u>
Thursday	3:00 to 9:00 p.m.		
Friday	8:00 a.m.	Noon	6:00 p.m.
Saturday	8:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
Sunday	8:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.	2:00 p.m.



ALL GUNS EMPTY!!! ONE SHOT - NO MORE SHOWS!!!



CONFIRMATION

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Your table assignment(s) are: _____

If you desire a mailed confirmation of your table assignment(s) fill out your full mailing address below and return this form with your application.

or if you want your confirmation by email enter your address _____

Always check at Show Chairman's desk before setting up to verify table assignment.

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P.O. BOX 653
KALISPELL, MT 59903

NWMACA WILL PROVIDE STAMP

↓↓ New Location ↓↓
Majestic Valley Arena



Buy Sell Trade

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**KALISPELL
GUN SHOW**

March 27, 28, 29

\$5 per day

\$10 three days

kids w/adult free

Fri 12 - 6

Sat 9 - 6

Sun 9 - 2

Door prizes each day

**IPSC Laser Shooting competition.
Win Cash!**

**400+
vendor tables**

Hosted by NW MT Arms Collectors Association, a non-profit organization. All proceeds support the Les Bauska Underground Target Range. 2therange.com

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