



Bridge to Our Future

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Building a Bridge to Our Future

By: Kevin Sylvester, Executive Director

Today, because of people you, Eagle Mount is building a bridge to our future! We hope you enjoy this *Special Edition: Campaign Newsletter* as we highlight and share all that has been happening at Eagle Mount over this past year. Grateful, humbled, and inspired are just a few of the many feelings that come to mind as we launch the public phase of our **Bridge to our Future** capital campaign and ask for your financial support. We are grateful for the opportunity that the campaign's projects present for our programming, humbled by the initial extraordinary generosity of some of Eagle Mount's longest supporters, and inspired by all that is possible as we head toward Eagle Mount's 50th Anniversary and celebrate our soaring mission.

If you are learning about Eagle Mount's *Bridge to Our Future* initiative for the first time, you might ask, **How did we get here?** It has been about 5 years in the making!

In November 2021, Glenna deRham passed away. I hope you'll take the time to read more about the deRham Family on page 4 of this newsletter. The deRham family helped Eagle Mount soar for nearly 40 years. After Glenna's passing, we started working with other members of the family as they were making plans for their landholdings that surrounded Eagle Mount's campus. Conversations, due diligence, and planning was methodical and took several years.

During that same timeframe, we also noticed deterioration of the roof over the Tim and Mary Barnard Aquatics Center at Eagle Mount. One windy spring day in 2022, shingles started blowing off the crown of the roof. After hiring someone to patch the missing shingles, the contractor shared that the roof was too spongy for nails to hold. We learned we had some bigger issues going on. We hired a structural engineer to do annual safety inspections while meeting with contractors, engineers of all types, product manufacturers, architects, specialists, and more to figure out what was happening and how to properly repair the pool roof.

It turns out, indoor pools are particularly challenging buildings, especially in harsh climates like Montana. Thinking about those cold winter days when it was -20 degrees outside and 90 degrees inside, I can see why. Our building's problem was warm, moisture-laden air inside driving into the roof panels and causing the

entire assembly to rot out. Thankfully, building design and building materials have come a long way in 20 years. We are grateful to take a "belt and suspenders" approach with this new roof assembly, ensuring we won't have to go through a complete roof assembly for a very long time.



Board Members Cynthia Prince-Fox and Sandee Mills sign land purchase documents with Executive Director, Kevin Sylvester on July 11, 2025.

After several years of planning, anticipating, learning, uncovering, and you name it, the stars, in their own unique way, aligned at the beginning of 2025. By January 2025, the pool was officially closed due to the complete deterioration of the roof. We had hired a team of specialists to re-design and build a new roof assembly. And by March 2025, we were under contract with the deRham family to purchase an additional 19.05 acres of adjacent property. While we were undertaking these two projects, we also wanted to make sure that Eagle Mount's campus was fully accessible to our participants with complex and diverse disabilities - after all, accessibility is the heart of Eagle Mount's mission.

We are humbled by and grateful for the support we received during 2025 for these projects. I hope you read more about our campaign leadership on pages 8-9 of this newsletter. These individuals and foundations, along with many others, contributed \$7.5M towards Eagle Mount's \$8M *Bridge to Our Future* initiative. With construction timelines and closing deadlines throughout last summer, simply put, these projects would not have been possible without generous support from people like you.

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Special Thanks to Montana Build Group



Eagle Mount is proud to partner with the Montana Build Group (MBG) as the General Contractor for the Tim & Mary Barnard Aquatics Center renovation project. Proud Montanans, MBG was formed by Shane Collins and Josh Konkol, and their sons Grant Collins and Brayden Konkol. Montana Build Group, whose motto is “Powered by Athletes and Engineers,” has storied success both on the gridiron and managing cast iron!

Shane, a Bozeman High School alum, was the first Montana Gatorade Player of the Year in multiple sports and played football at Arizona State before a successful career in the NFL. Josh, a Helena High School alum, came to MSU to play football for Cliff Hysell in the early '90s. Similarly, both Brayden and Grant also played football at Montana State. Every year, nearly 30% of Eagle Mount’s volunteers are Montana State students, so it’s fitting to partner with MSU alumni!

Montana Build Group also was the contractor for the Storey Mills Horsemanship Education Center, completed in 2024. That project was completed on time and under budget. Our successful working relationship continues today with the Barnard Pool renovation project. “We value Eagle Mount’s mission and their long history of impact in the Gallatin Valley,” said project manager Brayden Konkol. “We are honored to play a role in helping Eagle Mount build a bridge to the future!”

Thank you, Montana Build Group, for helping Eagle Mount soar! 



Construction begins September 2025



Construction update April 2026

Open House of the Barnard Pool

May 28 • 3:30-6:30pm

Visit for tours, meet & greet with Aquatics staff, learn about upcoming aquatics programming, and enjoy light refreshments

Campus Evolution

Eagle Mount is established

1982

1984

Opens first leased office space (West Main & College)

Community need recognized to develop a indoor heated therapy pool

1984

1987

10 acres donated by the deRham family

Plans hatched to build a campus for adaptive recreation; 300 trees planted

1988

1989

Construction begins on Main Office of new campus



Thank you to the Springs



The Springs has graciously opened its doors to Eagle Mount's aquatics programs while our pool has been under construction this past year. Participants have consistently praised the facility's cleanliness and beauty, as well as the warm, welcoming, and kind staff. We are deeply grateful to The Springs and appreciate the generous support and hospitality they have extended to Eagle Mount throughout this transition.

“ I owe a huge thank you to The Springs in Bozeman! As a water aerobics participant at Eagle Mount, I was saddened that our pool would be out of commission for renovations. Then The Springs stepped up and gave us a temporary home! Welcoming us to use their clean and safe facilities was the life raft we needed and allowed us to continue to gather and benefit from the healing waters of their pool. They have been supportive in every way possible. ”

- Kristy Michael



Meet Kristy!

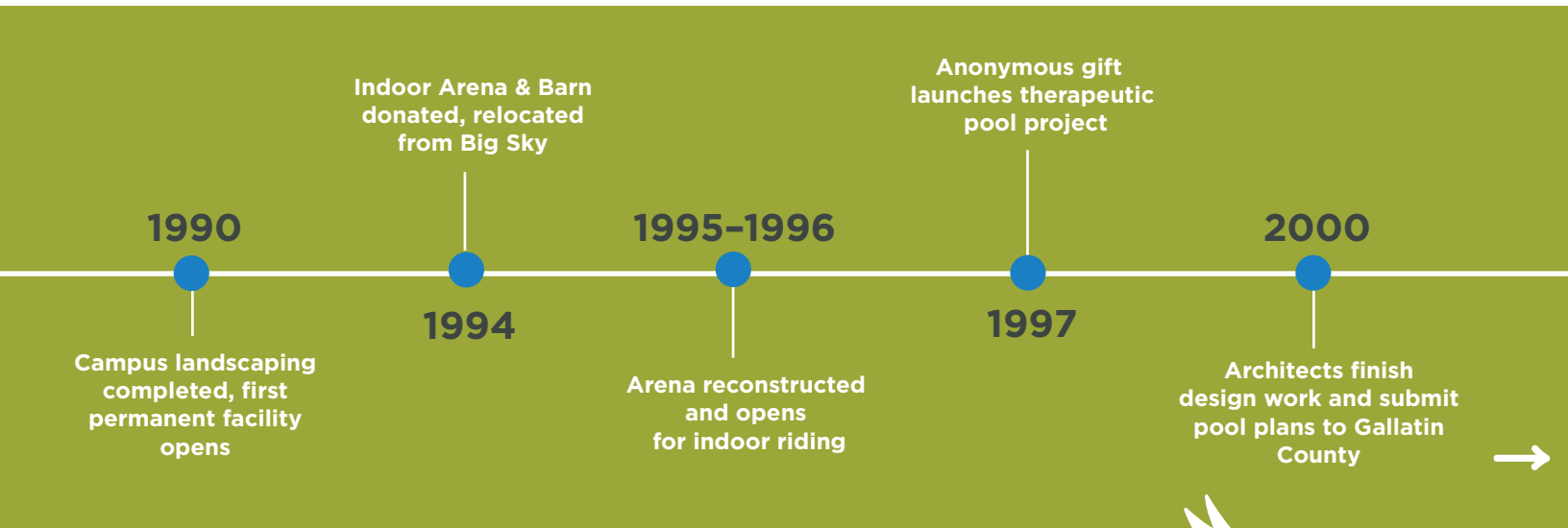


Kristy Michael has been connected to Eagle Mount for more than 30 years. As a longtime volunteer, participant, and current second-term board member, her journey began when she worked in the school system. There, she watched students form a “tunnel” with their hands to cheer on special-needs classmates heading to and from Eagle Mount programs. Ten years ago, Kristy began volunteering by teaching water aerobics, and she quickly became both a dedicated volunteer and an active participant. To her, Eagle Mount is far more than a program, it's a safe, comforting place that fosters a true sense of belonging. One of her favorite aspects of the aquatics program is the opportunity to connect with people she would never otherwise meet. “Exercise is important,” Kristy says, “but community is just as important.” She is grateful for Eagle Mount's strong emphasis on prioritizing participants' joy in every activity.

Introducing the New Aquatics Director



Rooted in years of competitive swimming and lifeguarding, Maggie Lowry brings a lifelong passion for aquatics to her new role as Adaptive Aquatics Director. After more than 12 years with Eagle Mount, she is excited to lead the program and is dedicated to creating high-quality, organized, and truly inclusive aquatic experiences for every participant. Maggie is eager to revitalize the Aquatics program and bring it to its fullest potential.



Celebrating the deRham Family Legacy

Eagle Mount’s mission would not be possible without a 44-year history of incredible supporters. Our campus for adaptive recreation would not be what (or where!) it is today without the involvement of the late Bill and Glenna deRham. And our relationship with the deRham Family continues today as Eagle Mount was able to purchase an additional 19 acres last summer from Bill and Glenna’s children.

Glenna was born on Halloween Day in 1936 in New York City to her parents, Brim and Lillian Maduro. A lifelong equestrian, Glenna fell in love with horses at a young age and in 1953, won the Junior National Horsemanship Championship in Madison Square Garden. Her involvement with equestrian sports facilitated lifelong friendships with legendary American equestrians, including Geroge H. Morris and Buck Brannaman.

In 1962, Glenna married Bill deRham, and they soon started a family. They embarked on a wonderful 36-year marriage that led them from Long Island, NY to Gallatin Gateway, MT. After spending two summers visiting the Elkhorn Ranch, Bill and Glenna bought a cattle ranch in Gallatin Gateway in 1974. Ranch life under the big sky was underway!



Glenna deRham with Big Sky Kids campers Casey and Morgan and their mothers.



Glenna, with Michelle and Carol O’Neill, during 1989 Big Sky Kids Adventure Camp.

In just a short decade after arriving in the Gallatin Valley, friends introduced Bill and Glenna to Gen. Robert and Mrs. Greta Mathis. “Nothing ventured, nothing gained” had always been Glenna’s motto, and Glenna and Bill were quickly captivated by Eagle Mount’s equestrian activities and Big Sky Kids oncology camps.

As Gen. Robert and Mrs. Greta Mathis were searching for a permanent “nest” for Eagle Mount, Bill and Glenna helped in a transformational way. On October 11, 1987, Bill and Glenna donated ten acres of land on the corner of Goldenstein Lane, previously owned by Glenna’s mother. Plans quickly kicked off to build a permanent campus for adaptive recreation.

“Bill and Glenna were always looking for opportunities to help the community,” said her son, Stephen deRham. Today, we are grateful for the continued involvement of Bill and Glenna’s children: Stephen, Lee, and Mike. Whether it’s through our horsemanship activities or our oncology camps, both of which the family have been lifelong supporters of, we honor Glenna and Bill’s impact on Eagle Mount’s mission.



Board approves Freedom to Fly campaign to build aquatic therapy center

2001

2004

Fencing in horsemanship facility updated; riding complex dedicated to Cyndi Fonda

June 8, 2007 - Groundbreaking ceremony for aquatic therapy center construction

2007

2008

May 3, 2008 - Grand opening and dedication of the Tim & Mary Barnard Aquatics Center

Additional 10 acres acquired; Echo Program Barn built

2010

2012

Murdoch’s Indoor Riding Arena insulated to provide year-round riding opportunities



Campus of the Future at the Heart of Bozeman


The deRham's generous gift of land in 1986 established 6901 Goldenstein as the permanent base of operation and home to Eagle Mount. Over time, with the guiding leadership of the founders and the wisdom and foresight of the board of directors, the vision for the campus has come to life. First an administrative building, a repurposed riding arena and then a purpose-built therapeutic aquatics center.



Founders Robert and Greta Mathis ground breaking on the original Eagle Mount campus.

Over the past 40 years, Eagle Mount has grown with the community and comprises much of the heart of what makes Bozeman an exceptionally special community. Today, with the addition of 19 acres, the future has been secured, allowing for a new vision for community adaptive recreation.

The entire community will be invited to engage in the process of determining how Eagle Mount's campus will be developed - the opportunity to inform and share in the shaping of the land to meet the needs of the community. Some needs have been identified and will be incorporated: an indoor gym space for programs, expanded art and garden facilities, and an extension of the Gallagator trail system.

Much is underway, the Gallatin Valley Land Trust has been in close conversations regarding the connection between the city and the campus via an extension of the community trail system, focus groups are being planned and community forums discussed. Join us later this year to be a part of the discussion. The Bridge is being built. 

Join us to:

ENGAGE our participants, their families, and the greater community in thoughtful dialogue to inform & envision the campus of the future

BUILD thoughtful spaces to address operational constraints

CONNECT and invite the community to Eagle Mount's campus via an extension of the Gallagator Trail and shared accessible amenities

A Future Without Limits campaign launched for facility improvements and endowment support

2014

2017-2019

EveryBody's playground, new trails, sound garden and amphitheater open

Office building fire results in Main Office closure and remodel

2020

2024

Pool closed due to structural roof issues

Bridge to Our Future campaign launched; pool roof project begins, covered round pen built, and 19 acres acquired

2025

Summer 2026

Tim & Mary Barnard Aquatics Center re-opens



Improving Campus Infrastructure

Eagle Mount is committed to providing a safe, inclusive space where participants can thrive and fully access the campus. As part of the Bridge to Our Future campaign, we're making exciting and important investments to enhance accessibility and functionality to our current campus.

As a leader in accessibility, Eagle Mount strives to reflect higher than ADA standards. As we make notable improvements to the aquatics center, we are also taking this time to ensure our current facilities are fully accessible and welcoming to people with all abilities.

Thanks to initial support, we have made significant progress toward many of the Bridge to Our Future goals.

Projects Remaining:

- Complete campus sitework including paving trails, parking areas, and the west access road (Spring/summer 2026)
- Create shade on the primary west patio to enhance comfort and increase functional program delivery space (summer 2026)
- Add landscaping and accessible outdoor picnic seating to the horsemanship round pen area (summer 2026)

Completed Projects:

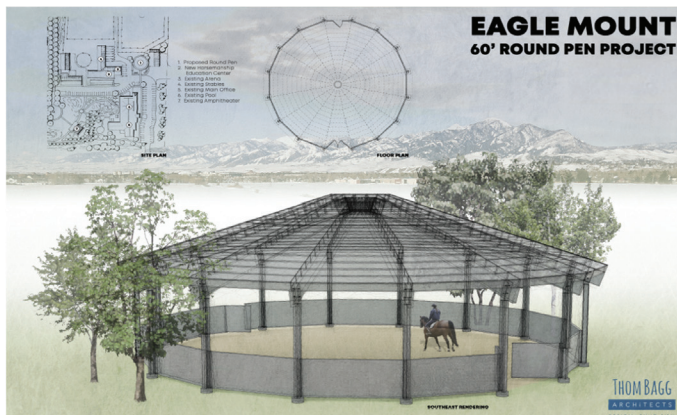
- Constructed a round pen on the horsemanship facility grounds, providing additional space for lessons and horse exercise
- Installed a 35 kWh unit solar array (installed November 2025). This doubled our solar power infrastructure and will provide much of the power required to operate the aquatics center
- Completed site work surrounding the round pen including a paved trail and new accessible picnic area

Other accessibility improvements we are addressing include paving the trails and access roads on campus, installing a wheelchair-accessible picnic area, improving shade on our primary outdoor patio, and investing in new adaptive equipment to increase the opportunities for people to participate in our programming.

As we look even farther down the road, we can't wait to make the most of this beautiful campus we call our home base. We will soon begin gathering community feedback, especially from our participants and their families, on our next chapter. Deep and meaningful collaboration is our goal as we plan for future use of the amazing resources our campus currently offers, and any new areas or amenities we may build. We can't wait to welcome you and many more members of our community to campus in the years to come.



Bird's eye view of new acreage.



Rendering of the Round Pen Project.



Rendering of possible renovations with new acreage.



Get to Know Board Member Neal Baggett

Neal Baggett has been a part of the Eagle Mount family since 2009. He first came to Eagle Mount shortly after being diagnosed with spastic paraplegia, looking for a way to keep skiing. As a skier, mountain biker, and all-around active person, Neal tried sit-skiing and spent a season on the slopes at Bridger Bowl as a participant. The following year, he trained as a volunteer and quickly became part of the ski teaching team, spending four seasons helping make Eagle Mount programming possible at Bridger Bowl.

Through the Eagle Mount ski teaching team, Neal met Jamie Lennon, an architect and the original architect for the Eagle Mount pool. That connection helped shape Neal's professional path. Neal went on to work at Jamie's firm for several years before eventually co-founding THOMBAGG Architects with a business partner. He also served as a founding member of Eagle Mount's facilities committee in 2015, helping shape the vision and plan for the back patio, gardens, playground, and amphitheater that were installed in 2017 as part of the Future Without Limits campaign.

Today, Neal uses a manual wheelchair and sometimes his new favorite tool, a power attachment that helps him cruise around town with his service dog, Otto, and cover more ground on and off pavement. He's also a mountain biker, riding an adaptive bike with an articulating front end. He enjoys paragliding and recently took an adventure trip to Colombia (pictured). And these many years later, Neal continues to play an important role at Eagle Mount.




Neal Baggett paragliding in Colombia.



Neal has served as the project architect for Eagle Mount's two recent capital projects, the Storey Mills Horsemanship Education Center and the Tim & Mary Barnard Aquatics Center. His personal experience has informed his work, bringing lived perspective to the nuances of the designs so that they meet the needs of the people who use these spaces.



Neal Baggett mono skiing at Big Sky Resort.

In the HEC, Neal helped create accessible indoor and outdoor spaces that feel at once welcoming and functional. Neal is especially excited about the addition of the family changing room to the Barnard pool area, a space that wasn't part of the original design but that will make the aquatics center a more welcoming place for the participants who need more support. And on campus, Neal looks forward to hard-surface trails and additional gathering spaces that help make more of Eagle Mount available to everyone. 

Join the Facilities Committee

Eagle Mount now operates a 40-acre campus with numerous amenities. Facilities include a 5-acre horsemanship property that features the Storey Mills Horsemanship Education Center, indoor and outdoor arenas, round pen, four pastures, paddocks, and barns. The amphitheater serves as home to summer theater performances as well as community events like Western Rendezvous. The gardens and greenhouse welcome participants year-round for horticulture programming. The playground, lawns, trails and gardens, are open to the community. To keep all of this thriving, the Facilities Committee welcomes community members, board members, and staff to help plan for big projects, prioritize maintenance, and manage utilization. Would you like to join the Facilities Committee? Contact us today at eaglemount@eaglemount.org.



Honoring Campaign Leadership

Recognizing Visionary Leadership and Philanthropy

Looking back over the past 12 months, it's been an extraordinary year for Eagle Mount. In spring/summer 2025, when the Bridge to Our Future initiative was just getting off the ground, several individuals and foundations created the momentum which enabled Eagle Mount to launch this transformative project. We are grateful and honored to recognize the inspiring commitments to Eagle Mount and our mission from Tim and Mary Barnard, Sue Pederson, Suzanne Wilson & Cheryl Christman, the Otto Bremer Trust, the Harnish Foundation, and the Dennis & Phyllis Washington Foundation. These individuals, trusts, and foundations each contributed \$500,000 or more toward Eagle Mount's Bridge to Our Future campaign, forming the leadership circle of the campaign. Collectively, this generous group contributed more than \$6,000,000, allowing Eagle Mount to close on adjacent property to expand our campus and start major construction on the Barnard Aquatics Center. A very sincere and heartfelt thank you to each member of this group for giving Eagle Mount its wings this past year.

Tim & Mary Barnard

Tim and Mary Barnard are known for their generous philanthropy throughout the Gallatin Valley community. Tim Barnard is the founder and chairman of Bozeman-based Barnard Companies, Inc., one of the country's largest heavy civil contracting firms. Tim served on the Eagle Mount Board of Directors from 1993 to 1999. The Tim & Mary Barnard Aquatics Center was named in 2008 in appreciation of Tim and Mary's generosity towards the initial construction of the pool at Eagle Mount. Tim and Mary's support during the Bridge to Our Future campaign allowed Eagle Mount to start reconstruction of the Barnard Pool roof in September 2025.

Sue Pederson

Sue Pederson has been a cornerstone of Eagle Mount since its founding in 1982. Always passionate about helping others, especially those with disabilities, Sue was a foster mother of a 13-year-old with Down syndrome and taught special education for 18 years, mostly in the Bozeman School District. Those experiences shaped her philanthropic interests throughout her life. Sue served on Eagle Mount's Board of Directors from 1991 to 1996 and 2008 to 2014, including a term as Board President from 2011 to 2012. Sue Pederson has been personally and financially supportive of every major project Eagle Mount has undertaken throughout its 44-year history and was the catalyst for purchasing additional property as part of the Bridge to Our Future campaign.

Suzanne Wilson & Cheryl Christman

Suzanne Wilson has raised red angus on Big Timber's SK Ranch for 50 years, and she is an active conservationist dedicated to preserving the way of life in Montana. She was introduced to Eagle Mount by her daughter-in-law, Cheryl Christman. Cheryl led the Adaptive Horsemanship and Bridger Ski programs at Eagle Mount for many years, including leading the Adaptive Horsemanship to Premier Accredited Center status in 2003. Cheryl always found ways to say "yes" to provide equine experiences for all, and her deep support includes serving two terms on the board of directors. Suzanne and Cheryl have helped advance Eagle Mount's mission in a multitude of ways for the last 25 years.





Otto Bremer Trust

The Otto Bremer Trust is a private charitable trust based in Saint Paul, MN. Created in 1944 by business and community leader, Otto Bremer, the Trust is committed to supporting an enhanced quality of life for residents of Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, and Wisconsin. Since its founding, OBT has invested more than \$1 billion in its region's people, places, and opportunities. OBT has continuously supported Eagle Mount since 2023 through generous investments in capacity building and capital improvements.



Harnish Foundation

The Harnish Foundation, based in Tukwila, WA, has been a partner with Eagle Mount since 2011. The Harnish Foundation was founded by the Harnish Family, which operates the Harnish Group, Inc., the authorized Caterpillar dealer in central and western Washington, central and eastern Montana, northwestern Wyoming, northwestern North Dakota, and Alaska. The Harnish Foundation has sponsored Eagle Mount's summer Digger Days event, invested in our programming for veterans with disabilities, provided operational support for our Big Sky Kids oncology camps, and made generous contributions towards capital projects.

DENNIS & PHYLLIS WASHINGTON FOUNDATION

Dennis & Phyllis Washington Foundation

The Dennis & Phyllis Washington Foundation is the major philanthropic organization for The Washington Companies and the Washington family. The Foundation, founded in 1988 and based in Missoula, strives to better the human condition by supporting programs and services that give people the tools to enhance the quality of their lives and to benefit society as a whole. The Foundation has generously supported Eagle Mount since 1989, including annual support for our Big Sky Kids oncology camps, premier sponsorships of Digger Days, and capital support, including helping Eagle Mount bring the first Racewood horse simulator to Montana.

Thank you to these generous donors for their steadfast belief in Eagle Mount's mission and for their visionary leadership. With their philanthropic support, they truly are building a bridge for Eagle Mount's future!



Message from the board chair:

Dear Eagle Mount Community,

As our Gallatin Valley community grows, so does the need to ensure everyone can access the experiences that make this place extraordinary. For decades, Eagle Mount has opened the door to Montana's incredible recreational opportunities for individuals with physical and cognitive disabilities and for young people facing cancer and their families. Today, we are nearing the close of our \$8 million Bridge to the Future capital campaign, which will expand our campus and complete critical facility improvements. With your support, we can continue building a community where everyone belongs, participates, and thrives.

Last week, I rode the lift with Kenny, a longtime Eagle Mount volunteer, who shared a story that captures the heart of our mission. Years ago, he skied with a young participant battling cancer. She had been given only a 10% chance of survival, yet on the mountain she shared her dream of one day joining her younger sisters in gymnastics. As they skied together, Kenny watched her confidence grow — not just in her skiing, but in herself. He left that day inspired, even as he carried the weight of knowing her odds were slim.

Earlier this season, while Kenny was wearing his Eagle Mount vest, he heard a voice call out, "Are you Kenny? My daughter would love to say hi." Standing before him was the same young woman — now five years cancer-free. She credits the confidence she gained through her Eagle Mount skiing experience as a vital part of her strength to fight, heal, and build the life she once dreamed of.

Stories like hers remind us what confidence, compassion, and community can do. Your support — as a volunteer or donor — will help ensure Eagle Mount can keep changing lives for generations to come.

With gratitude,



Christine Baker
**President,
Eagle Mount
Board of Directors**



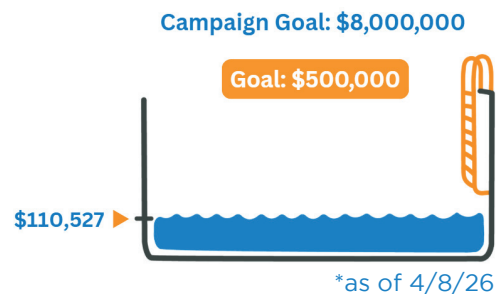
March board meeting at Big Sky Resort.

Help Us Fill the Pool!

Your support today is vital.

With an initial \$8M campaign goal, your support now will help with the final push to raise the remaining \$389,473 (as of the print of this newsletter) to complete all of the goals within the *Bridge to Our Future* initiative.

Eagle Mount is made possible because of **YOU!** Please join us!



Building a Bridge to Our Future (Continued from Page 1)

Eagle Mount is only made possible through your involvement, advocacy, intentions, well wishes, volunteerism, and your financial support. For 44 years (the countdown to 50 has begun!) this community has wrapped its arms around Eagle Mount and created an awesome place and space for our participants and their families. Please enjoy this special edition newsletter as it sets the stage for all to come in the following years! We hope you will consider supporting the Bridge to Our Future initiative or through a gift that supports Eagle Mount's annual programming with the enclosed envelope. And please plan to join us to celebrate all that has transpired on campus on June 13th at the Western Rendezvous. Thank you for your involvement and here's to Eagle Mount's mission for many years to come!



Support Eagle Mount and the Bridge to Our Future Campaign

Give by Check:

Thank you for contributing towards Eagle Mount's mission. Checks should be addressed to:

Eagle Mount
6901 Goldenstein Lane
Bozeman, MT 59715

Memo Line: Bridge to Our Future

Give Online:

Visit our website at www.eaglemount.org/bridge to make an online donation.

Scan the QR code:



Other Ways to Give

Give Appreciated Assets:

If you have stock, bonds, or mutual funds that you have owned for at least a year and they have appreciated in value, these might be better assets to donate than cash. If you donate the appreciated asset as a gift to Eagle Mount, you will avoid paying capital gains tax while getting a tax deduction of the full market value. All gifts of stock and marketable securities should be coordinated with:

D.A. Davidson - Alex Dabney
(406) 587-5461 - adabney@dadco.com

Account#: 22620276
DTC: 0361

Eagle Mount Tax ID: 84-1383214

Consider a Qualified Charitable Distribution (QCD) from an IRA:

If you are at least 70 ½ or older and have an Individual Retirement Account (IRA), you can donate up to \$110,000 each year as a QCD to charity. A QCD may satisfy all or part of your Required Minimum Distribution (RMD), allowing you to avoid paying income taxes on the transfer. To take advantage of this giving option, ensure the QCD is a direct transfer to Eagle Mount (Tax ID: 84-1383214) at 6901 Goldenstein Lane Bozeman, MT 59715. After initiating a QCD, please notify us to ensure your distribution is directed according to your wishes.

Give Through a Donor Advised Fund:

When making a contribution through your Donor Advised Fund, please request that your name and address be included in the correspondence. Please use the following information:

Eagle Mount (Tax ID: 84-1383214)

Eagle Mount
6901 Goldenstein Lane
Bozeman, MT 59715

Employer Matching Gifts:

Many companies offer a matching gift program to encourage philanthropy among their employees. You may be able to double, or even triple, the impact of your gift! Check with your HR department to see if your employer has a matching gift program.

Long-term Opportunities

Start an Endowed Fund:

Leave a legacy for your family, a loved one, or someone near and dear to you and support, in perpetuity, what you love at Eagle Mount. For an initial gift of \$100,000 or more, you can establish a named endowed fund to support the program area or operation of your choice.

Beneficiary Designations:

Consider naming Eagle Mount as the beneficiary of a checking or savings account, a life insurance policy, or retirement plan account. These vehicles typically allow you to pick multiple beneficiaries, and you can often specify what percentage of the death benefit should go to each beneficiary. Will you consider naming Eagle Mount a beneficiary at 5%?

A Gift in Your Will:

As you plan for loved ones, you may want to include a gift to Eagle Mount in your will. You can leave a specific dollar amount or specific property, a percentage of your estate, or the remainder of your estate after other bequests, taxes and settlement costs are satisfied.

Did you know?

A gift to Eagle Mount's endowment is a gift that helps carry out our mission in perpetuity. Eagle Mount's endowment is a qualified fund under the Montana Charitable Tax Credit, which offers 40% of a qualifying planned gift as a charitable deduction, up to \$15,000 annually from an individual.



Save the Date



Give Big Gallatin Valley - April 30-May 1

Give Big Gallatin Valley is a 24-hour giving day that invites neighbors to support the nonprofits that keep our community strong. Eagle Mount appreciates the generous support of our community that has helped us fulfill our mission for 44 years. Visit www.givebiggv.org to learn more.



Western Rendezvous - June 13

Join us at the Western Rendezvous this year to celebrate the Bridge to Our Future Campaign. This family-friendly event on Eagle Mount's now 40 acre campus offers a BBQ style dinner and kid's carnival. After dinner, raise your paddles to support our mission in the live auction and then kick up your boots to music from Western Skies.



Digger Days - August 22

Join us for Digger Days! You'll be able to climb up, sit in, operate, and explore the biggest, baddest construction equipment around. Kids of all ages are welcome to join in the fun! Tickets available on August 1st at www.eaglemount.org.

Visit www.eaglemount.org for all upcoming event info and more.