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Ride the Wall Returns for its 28th Year

Saturday, June 21, 2025 – 6 PM • Starts and ends at Timbers Roadhouse, Cataldo

Celebrate the summer solstice with a scenic 13-mile evening ride through some of the most beautiful terrain in the Silver Valley. Now in its 28th year, Ride the Wall is a non-competitive event open to riders of all skill levels.

The route crosses the Cd'A River at Cataldo and climbs the historic CCC-Wall Ridge, offering sweeping views before descending to Enaville. Riders return via the Trail of the Coeur d'Alenes, finishing back at Timbers Roadhouse for a post-ride BBQ, raffle, and more.

Riders who do not choose to attempt the gravel road can get on the paved trail at Cataldo, ride as far as they wish, then return back to Timber's Roadhouse. Their registration entitles them to a shirt and the BBQ meal.



Registration is \$50 if postmarked by June 7 (\$55 day of or online after June 7, no shirt guarantee). Helmets are required; mountain or hybrid bikes are recommended. Check-in is from 4–6 PM at Timbers Roadhouse. The ride begins at 6:05 PM with staggered starts for different experience levels.

Commemorative shirts are included, and refreshments will be provided at the top of the wall. The event wraps up with food, drinks, and prizes—free for registered riders, \$15.50 for guests.

To register online, visit:
<https://tinyurl.com/83k62hh2>
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Greater Blessings Program Overview

By John Bourque

The greater blessings program is for projects which cost up to \$5,000, but most projects that we help with cost substantially less. An example might be a broken water line that needs to be replaced, some fencing installed, or a chimney repair. I would like to highlight a volunteer that has done a number of projects for the greater blessings program. Josh Winters, husband, father of three, contractor and volunteer has stepped up to the plate and has the "Get'er done" attitude doing high quality work. Without Josh's help I would have had to hire contractors to do the job, in turn, the home owner would have to pay this additional cost. Volunteers like Josh are pivotal to the greater Blessings program in greatly reducing the cost of a project as it's difficult to find contractors for small projects. I really value and appreciate Josh, his commitment to helping others is second to none.

If have a skill you would like to share and are interested in helping with the Greater Blessings projects, please contact volunteer coordinator Tahnee with your skillset. Even if you don't have specific skillset but are interested in helping, give us a call, and we can find ways for you to help the Fuller Center!

*Be not slothful, but followers of them who through
faith and patience inherit the promises*

Hebrews 6:12

Lion's Club Breakfast Fundraiser



Rev. Ken and Cherri Bartle enjoy an early breakfast at the Kingston-Pinehurst Lions Club with their daughter and son-in-law, Bradi and Doug Zeigler



Fuller Center Construction Chair, Frank Culhno, visits with Josephine Davis and daughter, Anne Duncan.



Left to right: Frank Culhno, Casey Duncan, Bob Whitman, Lions Club members (in yellow), Gerri Cochrane, John Bourque, Josh & Tahnee Winters,

Ray Guthrie Over 90 breakfasts were served, raising funds for the Fuller Center. We're grateful to everyone who joined us for the Lion's Club breakfast, to the Lion's Club for providing and preparing the meal, and to the volunteers who helped serve.

Upcoming Golf Tournament

Have a great day on the green and help raise funds for the Silver Valley Fuller Center for Housing! All proceeds support our mission to provide housing

This year's tournament features cash prizes of \$400, \$300, and \$200 for top teams—don't miss your shot at winning big!

- Shotgun-style, 18-hole tournament
- \$50 per person if registered by July 1st – \$55 after
- Entry includes golf, range balls, and a taco bar lunch
- Golf cart rentals available
- 50/50 raffle and basket raffle add to the excitement

The Pinehurst Lions Club will provide ice. Register now using the form included in this newsletter! Spots fill quickly—get yours in early!



Questions? Contact Bob Whitman at 208-819-7237.

Special thanks to our generous sponsor, Dave Smith Motors, for supporting this event again!

Golf Tournament Registration

Player #1 Name _____ Player #2 Name _____

Player #3 Name _____ Player #4 Name _____

Team Contact Phone _____ Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Please include payment with you registration. **Make checks payable to Silver Valley Fuller Center for Housing**

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Thank You Certificates



Art Krulitz accepts a thank you certificate from Ray Guthmiller for Our Savior Lutheran Church. Art is the Church Council President and Ray is on the Silver Valley Fuller Center Board and a member of this church. Our Savior has helped us since 1993.



Rachael Young holds the Timbers Roadhouse certificate while posing with her servers, Rose, Mina, and Stephanie. Timbers is hosting Our Ride The Wall bike event again this year on June 21st.



SVFCH President Bob Whitman presents a certificate honoring The Bear Ridge Trail Builders to the company's owner Board Member and Construction Chair Frank Culhno. We appreciate their help.

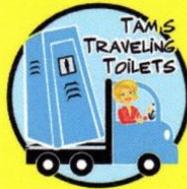


Shirley McClain stands near her wall of beautiful stitchery as she accepts a certificate for the Silver Valley Stitchers. They created the personalized wall hanging sampler for Brian's home. Shirley will be working on the next one for Josh and Tahnee Winters.

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Judy Blalack, Josephine Davis, Katherine Fugate, Nancy Hanks

Help Needed: We are looking for a **volunteer to adapt our website to a Wordpress site** for easier access - please contact Tahnee at 208-512-9869 if you can assist!

Here's Help for SVFCH...

I'd like to join the "300 Club" and pledge at least \$10 per month for one year. Please note 300 on your check.

- Here is my pledge for \$ _____ per month for one year.
- Here is my gift of \$ _____.
- I have a house and/or land to donate.
- I can make a no-interest loan for \$ _____. Please call about working out the details.
- I can provide construction materials either discounted or at no cost.
- I would like to help with construction and/or committee work. Please call me to help or send a volunteer form.

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Upcoming Events

June 10th — Board and Committee meetings,
5:30 PM, Pinehurst Lions Hall, Pinehurst

June 15th — Father's Day

June 21st — Ride the Wall @ Timber's Roadhouse,
Cataldo Idaho

July 3rd — Newsletter mailing workshop at St. Rita's
in Kellogg 9:00 AM.

July 12th — Fuller Center Golf Tournament,
Pinehurst Golf Course 9:00 AM.

Wish List

Specific Needs:

- Construction Supervisors – need not do the labor.
- Construction volunteers to work with the Supervisor.
- PR Chair
- Ad payment bookkeeper
- And others –

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