

Mission Statement

The Family Tree Center is committed to the prevention of child abuse and neglect in all its forms in Yellowstone County and the surrounding areas..

Our Vision

To support, strengthen, and educate children and families in ways that enhance their growth and well-being: *"to stop the hurt before it happens"*.

Our Values

We believe every child deserves the best possible start in life.

We believe in addressing problems early on before they require costly intervention.

We believe every family needs support, and that support is most effective early on in a child's life.

We believe that violence needs to be addressed at every level of society.

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Billings Exchange Clubs' Child Abuse
Prevention Center

Presents the

32nd Annual FESTIVAL OF TREES

A Benefit for Children & Families

Healthy child development is the foundation for community and economic development as healthy, capable children become the leaders of tomorrow. Montana's future depends upon their healthy growth and development.

The Family Tree Center, Billings Exchange Clubs' Child Abuse Prevention Center, has been building strong families in the Billings community for the past 32 years. The Family Tree Center is the only agency in the Billings community whose **SOLE** mission is the **PREVENTION** of child abuse and neglect. The center is supported in their work by the National Exchange Club and the three local Exchange clubs, all of whom have been committed to the prevention of child abuse for over 32 years. The center touched the lives of hundreds of people last year with their parenting education and support programs and the annual Festival of Trees has supported those efforts annually for over a quarter of a century. Please help us make this celebration a grand one by joining us in supporting healthy families—and enjoy a holiday themed weekend that will start your holiday season joyously in the spirit of giving.

Every year, community supporters donate gloriously decorated Christmas trees which are displayed for public enjoyment and auctioned to community members as décor for their own homes or businesses or who give them to friends, family, or those in need of some Christmas cheer. We invite you to join us. Bid on a tree, gift basket, or silent auction item while enjoying a marvelous meal and the spirit of the season in an enchanting wintery wonderland.

FESTIVAL OF TREES BILLINGS, MONTANA

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO THE

32nd Annual FESTIVAL OF TREES

Gala & Live Auction

Thursday, November 30th, 2017
MetraPark Expo Center

6:00 pm

Champagne Reception ~ Hors d'oeuvres
No-host Bar
Silent Auction
Holiday Dinner

7:30 pm

Live Tree Auction begins

R.S.V.P.

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