



## Join us for a Non-Partisan Educational Forum

### Public Education: The Heart and Hub of Our Communities

Free and open to the public.

**Saturday, April 13th, 2024**

**2:00 - 4:00 p.m.**

**at the Paradise Center, Paradise, MT**

Learn about the funding process for, legislation of, and need to support our public schools which serve and unite our rural communities.

#### Presenters and Topics:



#### **Jenny Murnane Butcher**

Jenny is the Deputy Director for Montanans Organized for Education (MOFE), a non-partisan nonprofit that advocates for public education on behalf of families and community members throughout the state. She is a Master's candidate at John Hopkins focusing on school funding.



#### **Shannon O'Brien**

Shannon's experiences in public education span from K-12 to college to state-level policy making. She has been a classroom teacher, school administrator, Governor Bullock's education policy advisor, the Dean of Missoula College, and is now a state legislative leader in education committees. Shannon is currently running for State Superintendent of Schools.



#### **Thom Chisholm**

Thom was born in Sanders County, spent 3 decades in various capacities in Plains School District, including his last 13 years as School Superintendent. Recently retired, Thom has dedicated his career to community service and public education.

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