

GET READY FOR GRAD DAY ON MAY 19

Annual fundraising event preparation is in full swing!

The annual fundraiser for Billings and Laurel High Schools' all-night, non-alcohol graduation celebrations is just around the corner on May 19th! Students and their parents are busy preparing the BBQ, car washes and coordinating volunteers.

It's estimated that each school has about 100 students volunteer to help with the event.

This year's Grad Day will be from 7am - 6 pm at all MasterLube locations. Each school adopts a MasterLube for this event.

Volunteers will help MasterLube staff with washing windows and vacuuming cars. They also hold car washes and BBQs in the parking lots.

The graduation parties are held to encourage graduates to celebrate their achievement without drugs or alcohol. Over the years, the parties have had huge success; it is estimated that over 95% of graduating seniors attend. The parties are supervised and generally run from 10pm to 4am on the night of each school's graduation.



One of the most attractive elements to these celebrations are the massive amounts of prizes awarded to the students. Past prizes have been TVs, cash, video game systems, mini-fridges, etc. Commonly, each student goes home with at least one prize.

This year marks the 28th year that MasterLube has been helping to raise funds for these celebrations. We do this by donating one day of business to the schools, with proceeds to be used for these parties. Many of our suppliers help by donating some oil, filters, and even plates

and napkins to use during the fundraiser. Several area businesses donate items to the schools for the BBQs and car washes.

Watch our website and Facebook page for more information about Grad Day 2018!

Grad Day corresponds with the annual War of the Walls mural competition. Voting will begin in early May - vote for your favorite mural at facebook.com/masterlube



FAIRWELL TO A FINE FRIEND



The world lost a great soul this weekend in Leon Odegaard. He was deservedly featured as one of our Iconic People on MasterLube.com and was well known for his care for people and love for the great outdoors. Leon you will be missed!



"A smile is a facelift that's in everyone's price range!"
- Tom Wilson

Anniversaries

April



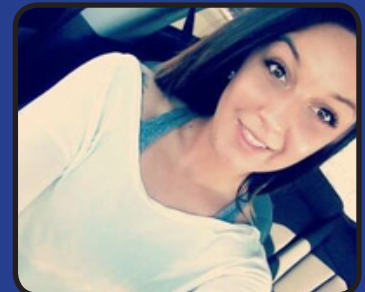
Bill Simmons - 37 Years



Craig Godfrey - 34 years



Travis Berg - 22 Years



Tayler Wyman - 1 Year

TRAVEL THROUGH CENTRAL EUROPE

With Rocky Mountain College and MasterLube

History proves deep roots and strong wings make a superpower. Deep Graves and strong walls do not.

The purpose of the History Studies Program is to enable US students and participants of the project to:

- Learn and understand the collision of the democratic and totalitarian ideologies in the political situation of Europe from 1939- 1998
- Unique opportunity to meet people who were active participants in the history of the region.
- Visit and see 1st hand where history was happening

The project will focus on three shifts divided into six periods:

- From democratic Czechoslovakia to fascist Bohemia Protectorate and puppet Slovak republic
 - 1) Holocaust and WWII
 - 2) Slovak National Uprising.
- From fascism straight to communism
 - 1) Suppressing democracy in 1950s and 60s, thaw in 1968
 - 2) The era of "normalization" from 1968 to 1989.
- From communism to democracy and market economy
 - 1) 1989 as a turning point back to political democracy, free market economy
 - 2) 1993-1998 and the dark beginnings of the Slovak state as the hard beginnings of a separate Slovak Republic)

Meet and hear 1st hand experience from: Milan Karvas - Son of Imrich Karvas, president of Central Bank of Slovakia (1939-1944) who provided resources to the Slovak National Uprising against the Nazi regime.

Egon Gal - Holocaust and WWII survivor, cognitive science and science methodology professor

Frantisek Miklosko - Former dissident, after 1989 became president of the first democratic parliament.

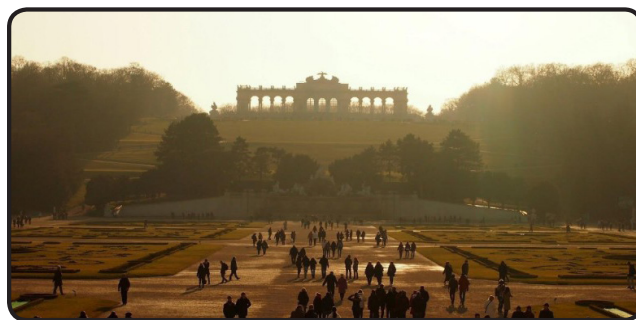
Slovak member of parliament for many years

Daniel Butora - 1989 young leader among revolting students. Educator, trainer and coach.

This is the pilot trip for RMC's new course and will serve as a trial run of the student History Study program, allowing community members to study and experience first hand Central Europe history and culture through visiting historically significant places such as: Prague, Krakow, Vojna Communist labor camp, Theresienstadt concentration camp, etc. There will also be scheduled outings, concerts and movie screenings. The goal is to open the world view of participants and garner feedback from their experience which will be assessed and implemented for the students' study program moving forward.

There will be a few weeks of preparatory learning led by Jennifer Parks, Associate Professor of History at Rocky Mountain College, before departure for Europe. While in Europe, along with traveling to historical sites, you will have the unique opportunity to learn more about Central European history through our partnership with C.S. Lewis Bilingual High School, as well as meet unique individuals who have lived through and actively participated in changes of the region over the last century.

We would love to discuss this opportunity with you further. For more information please RSPV or contact Zane Luhman at MasterLube. 406-657-8871 or zanel@masterlube.com.



DeVoy Martinez - 1 Year



Human Moments Customers and Staff Share Their Thoughts

From Heights Four Seasons:

- "I had my oil changed yesterday at the Height's MasterLube. Oil change was quick, done well and staff was super. Today I had a windshield replaced at the Glass Doctor. What a great experience. Staff was once again super. Excellent hospitality. This is the second car that I have had a windshield replaced in. I wouldn't go anywhere else. Say Hi to Bill. Thanks" - Lorin O.

"My fun moment was watching them put my new windshield in my car - and oh yea - eating ice cream." - Kyla M.

"Thank you. All of you were friendly, fast, efficient. I really appreciate this. Also glad you have give jobs to younger personnel. That is great. They did a great job. Also thanks for cleaning my car and the coffee and ice cream. It hit the spot cause I missed lunch. God bless you all - Judy D. PS - Nice Service, I'll be back next time I need this."

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