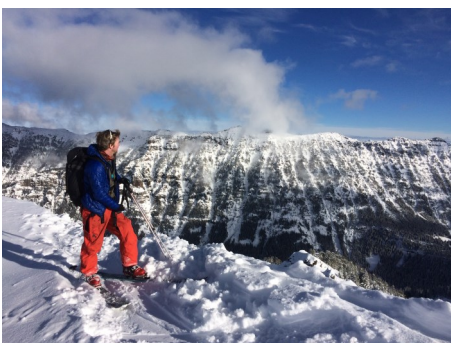




Friends of
HYALITE

Dedicated to stewardship of,
access to, and support for year round
recreation in Hyalite Canyon.

Annual Report
April 1, 2021- March 31, 2022



April 22 2022

Dear Friends,

This past year has seen some changes with the board of Friends of Hyalite. The term of our former President, Hilary Eisen, has expired and I have taken over the role of President. I would like to thank Hilary for all of her work to build the organization to the level that she did. Making connections in the community, expanding the stewardship efforts of Friends of Hyalite and increasing our fundraising to new heights.

In the last year we have added two new board members, Nan Brandenbergerpayne and Bob Detrick to replace Hilary and Suzette Castillo, who also served on the board for several years. Kyle Marvinney has volunteered to be the Vice President, and he has already taken the initiative to lead a couple of projects for Friends of Hyalite. Adam Johnson is our Treasurer and Mira Brody is our Secretary. Many thanks to all the board members.

Friends of Hyalite continues to sponsor cleanup days, and our stewardship evenings are becoming more popular. One of our missions is to educate the public about what is happening in Hyalite and raising awareness about how to recreate responsibly. Friends of Hyalite is a member of Outside Kind and we have appeared at numerous community events to promote proper outdoors etiquette. We also produced video about how to poop in the woods.

Due to the generous support of the community, Friends of Hyalite has been successful at raising money for stewardship efforts in Hyalite. We are at the point where we are looking at some new projects to use the funds we have available. We have been in discussion with Gallatin County about increasing our percentage of funding for plowing the road. This is still in the works, and we probably won't see any change until the winter of 2023-2024. We have also been discussing other projects with Wendi Urie at the Bozeman Ranger District and we are going to take on dealing with the graffiti on the spillways at the reservoir dam. Another project for funding is replacing the roof on the Edsall cabin, The Edsall cabin is used by seasonal Forest Service employees who stay in Hyalite to help keep the campgrounds in good condition and pick up trash in the area. The Edsall cabin is older and in need of some repairs.

Another new addition to our stewardship efforts is our weekly road condition reports in the winter. As a way of enhancing our service to the community, we go up the canyon every Friday morning to check on the road conditions and take a picture. The reports are published on Facebook and Instagram so that people interested in recreating in the canyon over the weekend have a current idea of what it is like to drive up the road. This stewardship activity was suggested by board member Bob Detrick.

The board members of Friends of Hyalite are grateful for the support we receive from everyone in the community.

Thank you,

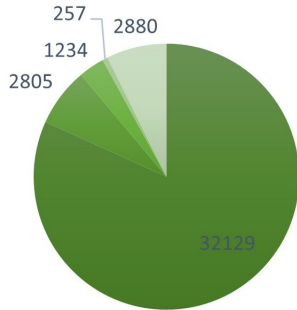


Peter Bennett and the Board of Directors



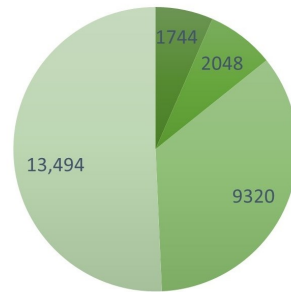
Board of Directors replacing trailhead signs

Revenue \$39,305



■ General Fund donations
 ■ Road Plowing donations
 ■ Business contributions
■ Grants
 ■ Merchandise sales

Expenditures \$26,606

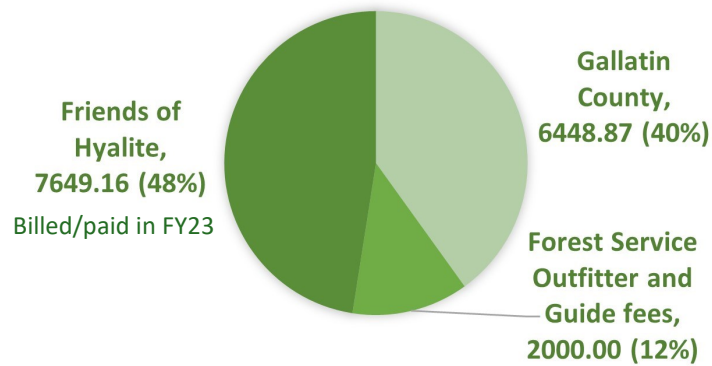


■ Administration
 ■ Fundraising
 ■ Road Plowing
 ■ Stewardship

2021 - 2022 ROAD PLOWING

\$16,098.03

117 HOURS OF PLOWING



In addition to road plowing Friends of Hyalite paid for the Hyalite Steward position and pumping outhouses in Hyalite

Friends of Hyalite volunteers contributed 976 hours of stewardship to Hyalite in 2021



Thank you to our FY22 Donors

Grotto Falls (up to \$25)

Justin Barham, Mary Bentley, Mira Brody, Annabelle Brown, Esther Campbell, Mindy DeCosse, Chloe Georgetown, Kelley Jazdzewski, Janet and Jonathan Kempff, Olivia Moenon, Heather Mooney, Liam Nevin, Chelsee Pummel, Vasu Sojitra, Lauren Summers, Rosanna Vallor, Ben Wickham, Tyler Wilkinson

Palisade Falls (\$25 – \$49)

Mackenzie Affrunti, Susie Boyer, Rebecca Brooker, Jose Castro, Mark Corner, Katie Daughenbaugh, Kevin Dice, Annette Dickerson, Cathy Fisher, Vanessa Foerster, Anne Goertzen, Jeanette Hall, Mike & Cindy Harrelson, Tim Hoffer, Amber Jean, Keri Jenkin, Elizabeth Johnston, Ian Jones, Vicki Juhl, Ronald June, Matthew Kelly, Caroline Krause, Kirstin Labudda, Steven Lieberman, Stephen Lowry, Teri Lumsden, Alex Lussier, Jeffrey Marker, John Martin, Kyle Marvinney, Martin Matsen, Scott McCall, Serena Mercer, Katie Moyer, Sean Murray, Alec Nisbet, Norman Page, Becky Parker, Christopher Peck, James Pendleton, Leslie Peterson, Louis Rassaby, Aubree Roth, Rachel Ruff, Steve Scherbak, Jill Serocki, Theresa Seth, Barbara Sirovatka, Patrick Smoral, Benjamin Solomon, Heather Stewart, Andre Taegder, Kati Tyra, Carol Weaver, Evan Weiss, Ellen Whalen, Jennifer White

Arch Falls (\$50 – \$99)

Conrad Anker, Mike Ballow, Leslie Bartle, Sherry Biggerstaff, Leila Bost, Pam Brown, Heather Budd, Mac Burgess, Paul Butler, Ross Carlson, Douglas Chabot, Cindy Christin, Mike Clow, Bruce Combs, David Crawford, Mallor Dabney, Caroline Devinck, Alexander Egan, Paulette Epple, Chris Ferrante, Barbara Gaffney, Marcie Hahn-Knoff, Henry Happel, Seth Helfgott, Elizabeth A Hietala, Jennifer Higgins, Margaret Hillhouse, James J Hyem, Adam Johnson, William Jones, Kenneth Ketchum, Sharon Lind, Alex Marienthal, Brannin McBee, Jono McKinney, Judith Melzer, Mark Monn, Ursula Neese, Susan Nickelson, Catherine Ann Nolan, Diane O'Connor, Michael Palmer, Maria Patch, Marsha Polansky, Ben Polk, Vincent G Poore, Elizabeth Porth, John Preston, Kristen Rainey, James Robbins, Ian Roderer, Roderick Flores, Kimberly Schlenker, V. Hugo and Shirley A. Schmidt, Daniel Singer, Marjorie Smith, Matthew Stark, Padraic Stoy, Kari Swenson, Heidi Switzer, Barbara Turner-Lantz, Roxanne Waldner, Dana Weller, Jarrett Widman, Kristin Wimberg, Benjamin Wolfram, Seth Zimmerman, David Zinn

Champagne Falls (\$100 – \$249)

Joyce Adams, Kathy Allen, Teri Ball, Douglas Bartholomew, Robert Bauer, Roger & Noreen Breeding, Thomas Bukowski, James Childre, Deidre Combs, Patrick Cross, Kara Damon, Robert Detrick, Sharon Ditterline, Bobbie DuBose, Robert DuBose, Ross Dyer, Ryan Eddingfield, Emily Edwards, Hilary Eisen, Paul Elder, Nick English, Stephanie Ewing, Cheryl Fimbel, Kelsye Gould, Gary Hellenga, Debi Herren, Josh Horstmann, Demri Horton, Jeff Hough, Dana Huschle, Angela Jamison, Stuart Jennings, Melissa Joecks, Gordon Johnson, Rosemary Johnson, Kendra Kallevig-Childers, Barbara Keith, Philip King, Jeff's Jackrabbit Christmas Trees, Nick Lee, Jason Lipsey, Stephen Macevicz and Cynthia Phillips, Mike Mansfield, Jennifer Mason, Lynette Mason, Elizabeth McGoff, Kenna McKenna, Bob and Kerry McKenzie/Reif, Curt and Rolane Meyer, Jen O'Brien, Ronald Odom, Peggy Olliff, David Cole and Peggy Osbourn, Sue Perin, Cara Priem, Christopher Rich, R N Rockafellow, June Safford, William Schell, Stephen Shick, Geoff Stevens, Lisa Stoeffler, Gwendy Stuart, Carolyn Swingle, Seth Timpano, Lindsey Tollefson, Tracie Vanderpan, Alexander Vasarab, Aaron Wernham, William Wilson, Catherine Zimmer

Thank you to our FY22 Donors

Silken Skein Falls (\$250 – \$499)

Peter Bennett, Bozeman Women's Activity Groups (BWAGs), Alice Bremner, William Calliott, Tracy Ellig, Ross Franklin, Andrew Gentry, Sue Hjalmarsson, Meyerson Family Foundation, OnX Maps, Mark Pratt, Mark Rhoads, John Robbins, Dave Roe, Joshua Tripp, Wendi Urie, Rebecca Valone, Rhiannon Wells

S'il Vous Plais Falls (\$500 – \$999)

Nan Brandenbergerpayne, Jeff and Misty Higgins, Alex Lloyd, Timothy Mayeda

Alpine Falls (\$1,000 – \$5,000)

Bozeman Ice Festival, Bozeman REI, Peter Carse, Carter Kohlmeyer, William and Megyn Lansing, Robert Tucker

Additional thanks to the many anonymous donors who contributed via the Friends of Hyalite "tip jar" at various events in Bozeman and in Hyalite Canyon and through other fundraisers!



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