



MADC Annual Calendar Guide

Jan. 1, 2023 – Dec. 31, 2023 (updated 5-16-23)

Please visit www.meridianmadc.org/calendar for the most up to date information or email madc@meridiancity.org with questions. Events are added and updated throughout the year.

JANUARY

- 9th National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day- recognize LE partners (SRO Team) | Legislative Session begins- track drug related legislation and provide education
- 19th MADC General Meeting- Guest Speaker (Community Development Block Grants), plan annual Cannabis Compliance Checks, activities for National Drug and Alcohol Facts Week, confirm dates for City summer events, request sponsorship for movie night, start planning Rx Takeback, theatre PSA ideas
- 26th Family Dinner Night, Boys & Girls Club- activity TBD | Connecting Together, Kuna High- prevention booth
- 27th Boise Blast Softball, Northwest Nazarene University Fentanyl Presentation- prevention booth
- 30th – Feb. 2nd CADCA's Annual National Leadership Forum Conference- staff training

FEBRUARY

- 16th MADC General Meeting- Guest Speaker (MPD Crisis Intervention Team), secure Speedway race dates, spring alcohol CC&ST decoys, photography class teacher, updates from national conference (strategic planning), brainstorm candidates for sector rep. positions, guest speaker suggestions
 - Quarterly Coalition Executive Committee (CEC) Meeting- anniversary planning

MARCH

- 2nd Meridian Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Meridian- MADC presentation
- 6th & 7th CCI Training- staff training
- 16th MADC General Meeting- administer MADC satisfaction surveys (online), volunteer of the year nominations (online), prep Rx resource bags, review and update MADC website and brochure, plan Spring Safety Flings, brainstorm ideas for Alcohol & Cannabis Awareness media posts
- 20th – 26th National Drug and Alcohol Facts Week – prevention media posts
- 31st Takedown Tobacco Day – prevention media posts

APRIL: Alcohol & Cannabis Awareness & National Volunteer Appreciation Month

- Alcohol Compliance Check & Shoulder Tap Operation
- 14th Medicine Chest Challenge- prevention media posts
- 20th 4/20 "Weed Day"- prevention media posts | Public Safety Academy- prevention presentation
- 20th MADC General Meeting- announce volunteer of the year and vote on sector representatives, prep for next school year collaboration with WASD (IHYS -every other yr.), mental health media posts
- 22nd Rx Take-Back at Blue Cross of Idaho

MAY: Mental Health Awareness Month

- 4th & 5th Idaho Prevention & Support Conference- staff training
- 8th Connection is the Cure (booth, presentation, Q&A panel)
- 11th Lion's Club (presentation)
- 13th- Unplug & Be Outside- Kick-off & Natural High Photography Class
- 15th – 19th National Prevention Awareness Week & Middle School Spring Safety Flings- prevention booth
- 18th MADC General Meeting- Guest Speaker (Idaho Anti-Trafficking Coalition), sign Coalition Involvement Agreements (for Sector Representatives), review satisfaction survey results, start securing dates for fall events, (ODP SPF PFS Grant app. open)
 - Quarterly Coalition Executive Committee (CEC) Meeting- welcome new CEC members, review/update bylaws and strategies
- 31st World No Tobacco Day- prevention media posts

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JUNE

- 1st Summer Reading Kick-off- MADC prevention and Natural High booths
- 7th Meridian Public Works Week Expo (safe Rx disposal info, TimerCaps)
- 15th MADC General Meeting- fall event planning
- 16th Meridian Speedway Diamond Cup Race- MADC prevention and Natural High booth
- 20th, 27th CATCH My Breath Class @ Boys & Girls Club
- 24th Meridian Main Street Market (prevention booth)

JULY

- 5th, 11th CATCH My Breath Class @ Boys & Girls Club
- 10th 7/10 National Dab Day- educational prevention media posts
- 14th Sparklight Movie Night- prevention & Natural High booth
- 20th MADC General Meeting- education and prevention annual report, plan overdose awareness media posts, secure Recovery Breakfast speaker
- 24th & 25th Northwest Alcohol Conference- staff training
- 29th Meridian Speedway Eve of Destruction Race- MADC Breathalyzer Booth

AUGUST

- 1st National Night Out- present Safe Rx Disposal Info. & Prevention Packets
- 17th MADC General Meeting- (Guest Speaker TBD), resume school year collaboration with WASD, plan winter theatre PSA, Recovery Breakfast, Red Ribbon Week, (ISLD Mini Grant app. open)
 - Quarterly Coalition Executive Committee (CEC) Meeting- action and evaluation plan for selected strategies
- 31st International Overdose Awareness Day- prevention media posts

SEPTEMBER: National Recovery Month

- **Date TBD-** West Ada Mental Health Fair
- 21st MADC General Meeting- multiple volunteer opportunities for busiest month of the year, plan substance/medicine abuse prevention and Red Ribbon Week media posts, Sticker Shock campaign participation
- 26th Treasure Valley Youth Safety Summit- guest speaker, prevention booth
- 28th Recovery Day Breakfast- Mayor and guest speaker (continental breakfast)

OCTOBER: National Substance Abuse Prevention/Medicine Abuse Awareness Month

- **Date TBD-** Rx Take-Back Day
- 7th Public Safety Day- prevention and Natural High booth
- 18th National Above the Influence Day- social media posts (*check date*)
- 19th MADC General Meeting- TBD
- 22nd – 29th Red Ribbon Week- provide West Ada School District with bookmarks, posters, wristbands, speaker presentations and K9 demos
- 26th Trunk or Treat – prevention booth/decorated trunk

NOVEMBER

- **Date TBD-** Sticker Shock Campaign | Medicine Chest Challenge- social media posts
- 16th Great American Smoke Out- social media posts
- 16th MADC General Meeting- (Guest Speaker, TBD), plan National Impaired Driving Prevention posts
 - Quarterly Coalition Executive Committee (CEC) Meeting- data and gap analysis

DECEMBER: National Impaired Driving Prevention Month

- 21st MADC General Meeting (Holiday Meeting at Coffee Shop)- TBD, plan Drug & Alcohol Fact Week media posts, prep for legislative session, (OHS Mini Grant app. open)

*Save the date... January 25th, 2024 MADC 20 Yr. Anniversary Celebration (More to come.)

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