



MADC Annual Calendar Guide

Jan. 1, 2025 – Dec. 31, 2025 (updated 2-11-25)

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

- 6th Legislative Session begins- track drug related legislation and provide education
- 9th National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day- celebrate MPD LE
- 16th MADC General Meeting- plan Cannabis Compliance Checks, activities for National Drug and Alcohol Facts Week, confirm city summer event dates, request sponsorship for movie night, start planning Rx Takeback, theatre PSA ideas
- 18th Centennial High School- MADC Natural High booth at basketball games
- 29th Connection is the Cure- prevention booth

FEBRUARY

- 3rd – 6th CADCA's Annual National Leadership Forum (national prevention conference)
- 6th & 27th West Ada School District CTE class presentations
- 10th Natalie Marti Presents to Mayor's Youth Advisory Council
- 15th National School Resource Officer Appreciation
- 20th - MADC General Meeting- secure speedway race dates, spring alcohol CC&ST decoys, brainstorm candidates for sector rep. positions, guest speaker suggestions (ODP Grants)
 - Quarterly Coalition Executive Committee (CEC) Meeting

MARCH

- 17th – 23rd National Drug and Alcohol Facts Week- collaborate with partners, media posts
- 20st MADC General Meeting- administer MADC satisfaction surveys, volunteer of the year nominations, prep Rx resource bags, review and update MADC website and brochure, brainstorm ideas for Alcohol & Cannabis Awareness media posts
- 29th ICOM Health Fair

APRIL: Alcohol & Cannabis Awareness & National Volunteer Appreciation Month

- TBD: Alcohol Compliance Check & Shoulder Tap Operation
- 10th Do the Right Community Collaborative Fair- Hidden in Plain Sight Trailer
- 16th - 18th Idaho Prevention & Support Conference- staff training
- 17th MADC General Meeting- announce volunteer of the year and vote on sector representatives, prep for next school year collaboration with WASD, mental health media posts
- 20th 4/20 "Weed Day"- prevention media posts
- 26th Rx Take-Back at Blue Cross of Idaho
- 30th Public Safety Academy- prevention presentation

MAY: Mental Health Awareness & Suicide Prevention Month

- TBD- Unplug & Be Outside, Summer Reading Kick-off- prevention booths
- 10th Unplug & Be Outside Photography Class with Monte Stiles
- 11th - 17th National Prevention Awareness Week- collaborate with partners
- 15th MADC General Meeting- Guest Speaker, sign Coalition Involvement Agreements (for Sector Representatives), review satisfaction survey results, start securing dates for fall events
 - Quarterly Coalition Executive Committee (CEC) Meeting- welcome new CEC members, review/update bylaws and strategies
- 20th – 21st Idaho Conference on Alcohol and Drug Dependency (state prevention conference)
- 22nd Public Works Week Expo- prevention and Rx safe disposal booth
- 31st World No Tobacco Day

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JUNE

- **TBD:** Meridian Speedway Diamond Cup Race, CATCH My Breath Class @ Boys & Girls Club, MPD Youth Academy
- **19th MADC General Meeting**— fall event planning, brainstorm possible Recovery Breakfast speakers
Holiday, meeting canceled.

JULY

- **TBD:** Sparklight Movie Night, Meridian Speedway Eve of Destruction Race
- **10th 7/10 National Dab Day**- educational prevention media posts
- **14th & 15th Northwest Alcohol Conference** (regional prevention conference)
- **17th MADC General Meeting**- education and prevention annual report, plan overdose awareness media posts, secure Recovery Breakfast speaker
- **21st – 25th Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America conference** (national prevention conference)

AUGUST (Back-to-School)

- **5th 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

- **TBD**- West Ada Mental Health Fair, Treasure Valley Youth Safety Summit
- **18th 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
- **25th Recovery Day Breakfast**- Mayor and guest speaker (continental breakfast)
- **27th Public Safety Day**- prevention and Natural High booth

OCTOBER: National Substance Abuse Prevention/Medicine Abuse Awareness Month

- **TBD**- Sticker Shock Campaign, Trunk-or-Treat
- **4th**- Oktoberfest- breathalyzer and prevention booth
- **18th National Above the Influence Day**- social media posts (*check date*)
- **16th MADC General Meeting**- TBD
- **25th Rx Take-Back Day**
- **23rd – 31st Red Ribbon Week**- provide West Ada School District with bookmarks, posters, wristbands, speaker presentations, and K9 demos

NOVEMBER

- **TBD**- Medicine Chest Challenge- social media posts
- **16th Great American Smoke Out**- social media posts
- **20st 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

- **18th MADC General Meeting (Holiday Meeting at Coffee Shop)**- update annual calendar, prep for legislative session, plan Drug & Alcohol Fact Week media posts

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