



MADC Annual Calendar Guide

Jan. 1, 2024 – Dec. 31, 2024 (updated 2-6-24)

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

- 8th Legislative Session begins- track drug related legislation and provide education
- 9th National Law Enforcement Appreciation Day- recognize LE partners (SRO Team)
- 18th MADC General Meeting-Cancelled. 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
- 25th MADC 20th Anniversary Celebration Lunch
- 29th - Feb. 1st CADCA's Annual National Leadership Forum, national prevention conference

FEBRUARY

- 15th National School Resource Officer Appreciation | 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
- 26th Save My Family- prevention booth

MARCH

- 7th Meridian Chamber of Commerce, Leadership Meridian- MADC presentation
- 21st 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
- 22nd - 28th National Drug and Alcohol Facts Week – collaborate with MYAC, prevention media posts

APRIL: Alcohol & Cannabis Awareness & National Volunteer Appreciation Month

- **Date TBD:** Alcohol Compliance Check & Shoulder Tap Operation
- 4th Do the Right Community Collaborative Fair- prevention booths
- 13th Meridian Mainstreet Market- prevention booth
- 18th 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
- 20th 4/20 "Weed Day"- prevention media posts
- 25th Public Safety Academy- prevention presentation
- 27th Rx Take-Back at Blue Cross of Idaho

MAY: Mental Health Awareness Month

- **Date TBD:** Summer Reading Kick-off (prevention booth)
- 11th - 18th Unplug & Be Outside: Kick-off (11th) & Natural High Photography Class (TBD)
- 13th - 15th Idaho Prevention & Support Conference- staff training
- 12th - 18th National Prevention Awareness Week & Middle School Spring Safety Flings- prevention booth
- 16th 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
- 31st World No Tobacco Day

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JUNE

- **Date TBD:** Meridian Public Works Week Expo (safe Rx disposal info, TimerCaps) | Meridian Speedway Diamond Cup Race- MADC prevention and Natural High booth | CATCH My Breath Class @ Boys & Girls Club
- **20th** Possible Cancellation (check website): MADC General Meeting- fall event planning, brainstorm possible Recovery Breakfast speakers
- **27th** MPD Youth Academy- prevention presentation

JULY

- **Date TBD:** Sparklight Movie Night- prevention & Natural High booth | Meridian Speedway Eve of Destruction Race- MADC Breathalyzer Booth
- **10th** 7/10 National Dab Day- educational prevention media posts
- **18th** MADC General Meeting- education and prevention annual report, plan overdose awareness media posts, secure Recovery Breakfast speaker

AUGUST (Back-to-School)

- **6th** National Night Out- present Safe Rx Disposal Info. & Prevention Packets
- **15th** 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 | Treasure Valley Youth Safety Summit- guest speaker, prevention booth
- **19th** 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** Recovery Day Breakfast- Mayor and guest speaker (continental breakfast)
- **28th** Public Safety Day- prevention and Natural High booth

OCTOBER: National Substance Abuse Prevention/Medicine Abuse Awareness Month

- **Date TBD-** Rx Take-Back Day | Trunk or Treat – prevention booth/decorated trunk | Sticker Shock Campaign
- **5th**- Octoberfest- prevention booth
- **18th** National Above the Influence Day- social media posts (*check date*)
- **17th** MADC General Meeting- TBD
- **23rd – 31st** Red Ribbon Week- provide West Ada School District with bookmarks, posters, wristbands, speaker presentations, and K9 demos

NOVEMBER

- **Date TBD-** Medicine Chest Challenge- social media posts
- **16th** Great American Smoke Out- social media posts
- **21st** 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

- **19th** MADC General Meeting (Holiday Meeting at Coffee Shop)- TBD, plan Drug & Alcohol Fact Week media posts, prep for legislative session

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