

### Wild Joe\*s

<https://wildjoescoffee.com/>

Wild Joe\*s is an “old school coffee house” and is a staple to downtown Bozeman. Wild Joe\*s works to ensure that social and environmentally responsible practices are used to promote a healthy local & global community.

- For Earth Day, there will be a wooden quarter donation station. When you bring your own mug, you'll get a wooden nickel to donate to either an environmental or social local non profit.
- Awarded Montana Eco Star for sustainable business practices
- Compost 100% of their coffee grounds and food scraps
- Recycle glass, plastic, aluminum and paper
- Disposable cups and straws are made out of corn bi-products
- Customers can save .25 cents on their drink if they bring their own cup!

### Lockhorn Cider

<https://www.lockhornhardcider.com/>

Lockhorn is a small, family-owned cidery in Bozeman. They specialize in crafting all natural hard ciders of the highest quality.

- Partnered up with GWC to host a watershed-themed pint night in 2021
- Donated a percentage of their 2021 Backyard Bozeman Blend to GWC
- Help promote a zero waste, closed loop economy via their Backyard Bozeman Blend and local orchard
- Planted a beautiful native plant garden in the boulevard space in front of the Cider House
- Use hot water to sterilize their tanks instead of harsh chemicals that can harm our waterways

### Altitude Real Estate

<https://altitudemt.com/>

Altitude Real Estate is a boutique brokerage providing residential, commercial and recreational real estate services to buyers, sellers and investors throughout Bozeman and its surrounding areas.

- Helping connect new residents to watershed resources and talk with homeowners about conservation efforts at home
- Employees volunteer with stream crossing structure assessments and staff host river cleanups

### Bozone Brewing Company

<https://bozemanbrewing.com/>

The soul of the Bozone has always been about sustainable, responsible practices.

- Donates a portion of proceeds from Gallatin Pale Ale to Gallatin Watershed Council every year
- Bozeman Brewing was recognized in 2019 & 2020 for sustainability efforts in their everyday brewing practices through an EcoStar Award from MSU Extension Services.
- Bozone brewery averages 4bbls. of water to produce 1 bbl. (31 gallons) of beer, much less than the industry average of 7 to 1.
- They recycle their cardboard, aluminum, and plastic.
- To divert compostable trash from the landfill waste stream, they utilize a local composter, reducing waste in their tasting room by up to 95%.
- 182 solar panels offset approximately 30% of their annual electrical usage
- Spent grain is donated to Camp Creek Land & Cattle Company in Manhattan, MT
- Sponsoring a Watershed-wide cleanup in May 2022

Highline Adventures, Bozeman Trail Campground and the Baymont by Wyndham

<https://highline-adventures.com/>

Highline Adventures is a sustainable travel company founded by a local Montana family in Bozeman. Highline Adventures is committed to sustainable travel practices and actively seeks out ways for the company and its guests to reduce impact on the environment. They own and operate the Bozeman Trail Campground and Baymont by Wyndham in Bozeman.

- Working with GWC to create self-guided river cleanup and weed pull kits to distribute to their guests in summer 2022
- Hosted an employee lunch & learn in 2021 where GWC came and talked to Highline Adventure staff about the watershed and the challenges it faces
- Doing their part to reduce plastic by providing water bottle refill stations for guests
- No in-room garbage can liners to reduce plastic waste
- Installation of renewable solar panels at some of their hotels and RV parks
- Supporting local– Highline Adventures sells artwork and other goods from local artists and vendors, and encourages all travelers to shop local, eat local, and seek out tours and experiences created by locals.

Bridger Bowl

- Bridger has installed a 50kW solar array, composts and recycles to the maximum extent possible, utilizes commercially compostable serving ware, serves locally grown beef, reseeds any disturbed ground to native grass, provides free shuttle bus service to and from the ski area, converted to LED lighting, use low flow fixtures, support regenerative grazing practices in Montanawith Native, moved most admin processes including AP to digital to reduce/ eliminate paper, use plant based wax on ski equipment, among over 100 other initiatives.

- Bridger Bowl also works with Sacajawea Audubon to host the annual RaptorFest - educating over 5000 people on the importance of the Bridger Range during raptor migration.
- They partner with Montana Renewable Energy Association, Montana Environmental Information Center, Protect Our Winters. Forest maintenance including tree planting and disease, insect and weed mitigation is conducted in collaboration with USFS.
- In collaboration with MSU and DEQ, Bridger Bowl developed a Vertical Flow Water Treatment Wetlands to treat our wastewater, proving its use in treating wastewater to a high level so that other businesses in Montana can now utilize that technology.

#### Steep Mountain Tea House

- Sustainable activities: Composting tea leaves and food waste with Happy Trash Can, provide eco to go cups and containers, recycling plastic bottles, aluminum cans, paper and cardboard, recycling glass with Gone Green recycling service, use of organic, non-toxic dish soaps and cleaning products such as Field Day and Mrs. Meyers brands
- Sustainable products offered: Thermoses for tea and coffee; Discounts offered for use of reusable thermoses instead of getting to-go cups; Reusable tea tins for storing loose leaf tea instead of disposable packages; Discounts offered for refilling reusable tea storage tins; Discounts offered for refilling kombucha containers and growlers instead of buying one brand new; Drinks and food offered served with glass and kitchen ware "for here" as an alternative to takeaway to-go cups; Reusable Steel Straws
- Host a company parking lot and sidewalk cleanup each spring

#### Alara Jewelry

- Sustainable practices: Use of recycled precious metals and diamonds in the jewelry we create (mining minimization); carbon offsets for all employee travel for business and commuting; recycling program; non-toxic jewelry cleaning products as well as cleaners used in establishment; recycled and recyclable packing materials for shipments; early adopter and donator to the Mercury-Free Mining Project to protect the earth while protecting the livelihood of artisanal miners.
- Earth day promotions: 10% off all upcycled loose diamonds and nature-themed jewelry on Earth Day!

#### Treeline Coffee

- Composting, using as little plastic and single serve as possible, using reusable jars and materials when possible
- Selling reusable bags, mugs, jars

#### Root Cellar Foods

- Highly value local and sustainable practices
- Sustainable practices: Compostable containers, compost food scraps via local farm, compost program with Happy Trash Can, Use non-toxic cleaning products, decrease usage of plastic
- Sell Local, Organic Food; Reusable Bags
- Will be offering an Earth Day Giveaway/Discount

#### Feed Cafe

- Sustainable practices followed: Kitchen waste reuse, composting for kitchen waste and customer, high efficiency appliances, recycling, all compostable to go wares
- Products sold: reusable wax paper covers, books, reusable bags, local organic food

#### Daily Coffee & Eatery

- Sustainable practices: composting, all compostable to go wares - even branded cups, recycling
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