



FRIENDS OF NRA

You are invited to the 2009 Billings Friends of NRA Banquet.
Thursday March 5th 2009 starting at 5:30pm at the Holiday Inn Grand Montana.

We are so thrilled that you were able to support the Friends of NRA last year and would be privileged to see you again this year!!

Friends of NRA is a key event that supports thousands of community service related to firearm education, hunter safety, wildlife conservation, range improvements, youth marksmanship, and law enforcement among others. Working with NRA field representatives, the members and volunteers organize banquets in their communities, complete with auctions, special drawings, and fellowship. Much of the merchandise at the banquets is donated or provided at reduced cost by hundreds of participating vendors.

The *Friends of NRA* is the face of the NRA, run at the grassroots level by people from all walks of life. At a *Friends of NRA* banquet, you'll meet fire chiefs, engineers, shopkeepers, police officers, and teachers: all mainstream citizens working together to support an important cause in preserving our rights and heritage. Half of the profits raised by the Billings *Friends of NRA* banquet will be spent right here in the great state of Montana! The other half supports qualifying national-level programs like the Eddie Eagle Gun Safe® Program, Women On Target®, and other educational and safety services. State Fund Committees made up of volunteers review grant applications from local organizations and make recommendations to The NRA Foundation on how the money might best be used in their areas. For more information about *Friends of NRA*, visit www.friendsofnra.org.

EARLY BIRD DRAWING FOR SPONSORS AND CORPORATE SPONSORS!!

*Pay for your Sponsor or Corporate Sponsor Package by Jan 31st, 2009 and be entered to win a firearm!!

EARLY BIRD DRAWING FOR DINNER TICKETS!!

*Pay for your Dinner Tickets before Jan 31st, 2009 and be entered to win \$160 worth of bucket raffle tickets!!

If you do plan attending, please fill out the attached form and mail back in the enclosed envelope. If you are unable to attend please pass along to a friend who would go in your place.

Again thank you for your generous support,

Billings Friends of NRA