

ROCK CITY CLEANUP DAY



The DNRC in partnership with the Pondera County Weed District, MSU Extension, and the Valier Area Development Corporation is hosting their annual Rock City Clean-Up Day on **July 7th from 8:00 am to 1:00 pm.**

Rock City is a local hot spot known for its unique rock formations known as hoodoo towers and beautiful views of the merging Birch Creek and Two Medicine River. Over the past years, there has been an increase in recreational activity at the site and it is now featured on tourism pages and the series “1923”. Rock City is located on DNRC Trust Lands, but access is provided by multiple private landowners, creating a need for protection and preservation.

The event focuses on the removal of litter, graffiti, and noxious weeds through a weed pull. The goal is to increase public awareness of the degradation of the site by recreational activities and promote land stewardship principles to its visitors, so the unique quality of Rock City is preserved and remains open to the public.

The event will start with guest speakers that educate attendees about the geology of the site, weed identification and management, and land stewardship principles while recreating. A **free BBQ lunch is provided** by the Pondera County Weed District at noon. Volunteer hours are offered to all FFA/4H students who attend.

For directions to Rock City from Valier scan the QR code to the right. For more information and to **RSVP** please contact Michaela Hanson at 406-505-6002 or michaela.hanson@mt.gov.



Hope to see you there!