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Corbett Fire District Announces the Heini Ziegler Award for Community Service

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The Heini Ziegler award was established to honor the service of Heini Ziegler who was one of the founding fathers of the Corbett Fire District as well as serving as Chief of the department.

 Each year members of the community nominate individuals who have contributed time and effort volunteering in the Corbett community. A committee from the fire department then selects the people to receive the award. In 2020 no one was selected because of Covid-19, so this year two people were recognized. The winners will receive a gift certificate for dinner out with their family, as well as their name on a plaque that will hang on the wall of the Corbett Fire Hall.

The first person selected is Jill Carlson. She is on the Grange Board of Directors, volunteering as the Treasurer. As a Grange Board member, she helped to organize many new events, speakers, classes, and lectures. She has been involved in the Helping Hands Food distribution program. In addition, she has donated time to the Sound Equine Horse Rescue program and assisted the Crown Point Historical Society in their 2021 fund raising.

Sandy Cartisser has been involved in the Corbett Garden Club and the Crown Point Historical Society. She serves as Treasurer of the Crown Point Historical Society and has put on several teas to raise money for the building fund. She has been involved in several grant writing projects for the society, and her record keeping skills allow the organization to maintain their non-profit status. She is the “go to person” if you need answers about the Crown Point Historical Society.

Both of these individuals contribute to the well-being of the Corbett Community and the Corbett Fire District is proud to recognize their efforts.

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