

EGGAN YOUTH CENTER

1515 East D Street
4,800 Square Feet

Description:

The Eggan Youth Center was specifically designed for the youth of Moscow. The facility is a great place for children to go after school, during vacations, and throughout the summer. Play equipment can be checked out through the front office. Also, one of the City of Moscow's Parks and Recreation Supervisor's office is housed in this building.



Amenities:

- Outdoor Basketball Court
- Pool Tables- 3
- Ping Pong Table
- Popcorn Machine
- Drinking Fountain
- Kitchen
- Public Restrooms
- Telephone
- Air Hockey Machine
- Foosball Tables- 2
- Craft Tables- 10
- Lounge
- Big Screen TV
- Wii Game Console
- 5 Couches
- 6 Bean Bags

History:

1895:

- January 25 – Mr. Carter Paul (C.P.) Eggan is born.

1901:

- Mr. C.P. Eggan moved to Moscow at the age of six. He was of Norwegian descent and was one of Moscow's original pioneers.

1962:

- Mr. C.P. Eggan passed away. He willed \$50,000 to construct the Eggan Youth Center, and he suggested that the building be furnished by various service groups through donations.

1963:

- Discussion of a youth center began about what would eventually become the Eggan Youth Center we have today.

1964:

- November – During a Parks & Recreation Commission meeting, a possible sight for the proposed youth center was found. The property, located at the corner of D Street and the County Road (now Mountain View Road), had dimensions of 120' x 296'. This was part of the Junior High School area at the time. The Parks & Recreation Commission unanimously agreed on the property providing an agreement could be reached with the Moscow School Board.

1965:

- January - The City of Moscow approved the purchase of the D Street and County Road property owned by Mr. Oylear for a youth center site.
- Construction on the Eggan Youth Center began, but the Eggan estate funds ran out before the completion of the center. The remainder of the cost was covered by the city.



1966:

- March 17 - The Eggan Youth Center celebrated its grand opening with 300 people in attendance.

1975:

- Renovations were completed to the inside of Eggan Youth Center. These renovations included wall murals, three new foosball tables, and an enclosed TV room that included a fireplace, a new TV, and reupholstered furniture.

1986:

- Summer - Roof was replaced for \$12,487.

1991:

- December - The fireplace was removed from the Eggan Youth Center due to roof regulations.

2004:

- A divider wall was built in the Eggan Youth Center to create separation for the office space and the youth area.



2008:

- Recreation Supervisor Eric Newell approached University of Idaho faculty for student designs. The class toured the facility and created concepts. The design concept was created by Roxanne Holden, a 2009 University of Idaho architecture and interior design graduate. Holden favored moveable chairs and bright colors.

2010:

- September 1 – The Eggan Youth Center held a grand reopening ceremony after spending \$35,000 and 150 volunteer hours on remodeling. Most of the funding came from a donation of 40,000 from the late Dorothy Scholl Ross, who died in 2007. The paint came from the city, and the painting was completed in fall of 2009. Deranleau's Appliance Audio Video & Mattress in Moscow donated a new flat-screen television.

2015:

- January - The floors at the Eggan were replaced for approx. \$39,000

2016:

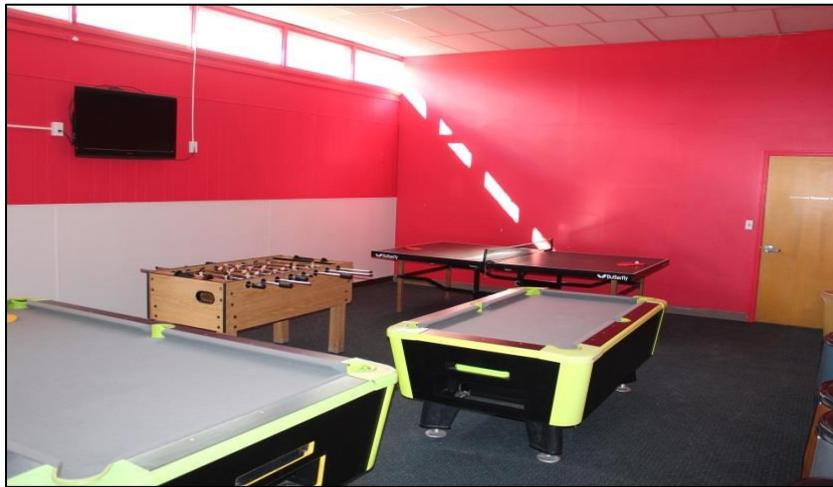
- Summer – The Eggan underwent a new paint job.



Various:



EGGAN MEMORIAL YOUTH CENTER
BENEFACTOR — CARTER P. EGGAN
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Located at front entrance