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COMMUNICATION WORKSHOP SET FOR TWIN BRIDGES, SHERIDAN SCHOOL PERSONNEL, PARENTS OCT. 11

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Third in a series of workshops designed by University of Montana faculty members to improve communication processes in several school districts is scheduled for <u>Twin Bridges</u> Oct. 11.

The one-day program begins at 8 a.m. with registration and ends following a 4:15 p.m. business session. School teachers, administrative and staff personnel, and parents from Twin Bridges and Sheridan have been invited to participate. The workshop will be at Twin Bridges High School.

Dr. R. Wayne Pace, chairman of speech communication at the University of Montana, worked with his staff in designing the series. He listed the basic objectives of the programs—improvement of classroom and interpersonal communication, discussion of methods of improving communication behavior and relating communication research to communication problems within organizations.

Local coordinator for the combined program for <u>Twin Bridges</u> and <u>Sheridan school</u> personnel and parents is Mrs. Lynn Giles, who is a speech and social studies instructor at <u>Twin Bridges</u> High. She is in charge of handling preregistration requests for the program.

Other UM faculty joining Dr. Pace in conducting the combined <u>Twin Bridges</u> and <u>Sheridan</u> program Oct. 11 will be Dr. Robert R. Boren, director of speech activities and communication services; Dr. Eldon E. Baker, director of the Communication Research Center; Dr. Duane D. Pettersen, associate director of the Communication Research Center, and James H. Polsin, director of speech education and service courses.

Faculty members from Montana State University, <u>Bozeman</u>, assisting in the program will include Dr. William R. Lassey, a consultant and group leader in the program, who is director for the Center for Planning and Development in the MSU Department of Sociology, and Lawrence Silvey, also a consultant and group leader, who is an assistant professor in the MSU Department of English, Speech and Theater Arts.