Friday Facts



Week of April 6th, 2018

Contact the Chamber with questions, comments, ideas or information, call **589-1242**, e-mail us at morrismnchamber@gmail.com, go to our webpage at www.morrismnchamber.org, "Like" us on Facebook (Morris Area Chamber of Commerce).

Friday Facts is also located on the front page of our website – Friday Facts

Call 320-589-1242 or e-mail morrismnchamber@gmail.com to have your event listed in Friday Facts. Deadline for submission to the current week's Friday Facts is Wednesday at NOON Planning an event? Check out morrismnchamber.org events calendar before you schedule.



Announcements & Events:

- **Donnelly community club** meeting has been rescheduled for **April 16th** at **7 pm** in the **Community Hall in Donnelly** as we continue to make plans for this year's bee and other events. anyone with suggestion and/or ideas is encouraged to attend. more info 795-2437, or 246-3337, e-mail donnellythreshingbee@runestone.net
- The Center for Small Towns warmly invites the greater Morris community to a talk on the UMM campus titled "Greater Minnesota's Demographic Future: Trends Among Rural Youth & Young Adults," featuring Susan Brower, Minnesota State Demographer, our state's renowned expert on population trends. Day & Time: Tuesday, April 17, from 6:00-7:15pm, in Imholte Hall 109. The Focus: Susan Brower will offer a lively talk on major changes over the next two decades that will impact the youth and young adults across Greater Minnesota. She will focus on the changing demographic patterns among youth and young adults and describe how demographic shifts and growing diversity are likely to play out in the years ahead, with a special focus on implications for K-12 and higher education. CST looks forward to community members being part of this conversation on what these changes will mean to current and future of towns like Morris and for universities like UMM. Appetizers & Beverages will be provided.
- The Sons of Norway Lodge 1-590 will meet Tuesday, April 17 at 6:30pm. At First Lutheran Church, 200 E 5th St. Morris. Sue Roisen, Dawson will present a program on the Sami culture and making Sami bracelets. Public is welcome.
- Pay It Forward Stevens County is a non-profit group that recognizes individuals who have, through their volunteerism, made a positive impact on the lives of others in the community. Nominations can come from anyone, and the Pay It Forward group reviews the nominations on a monthly basis to pick one person who best exemplifies paying it forward. Pay It Forward Stevens County is sponsored by Morris Pizza Ranch, Morris Sun Tribune, Bank of the West, West Central Screen and Print, the Regional Fitness Center, Superior Industries and Hancock Concrete, Stevens Community Medical Center, KMRS/KKOK Radio Stations and Shear Designs.
 Nominations can be dropped off at any of the participating businesses.



PREVIEW 4/7-4/14

34TH ANNUAL CNIA POWWOW

The Circle of Nations Indigenous Association (CNIA) will host its 34th annual Powwow on Saturday, April 7, in the P.E. Center Gymnasium (626 East Second Street, Morris, MN 56267). Doors open at 9 a.m. Grand Entry at 12 and 6:30 p.m. The CNIA Powwow introduces the Morris campus and community to a contest-style powwow and celebrates the social and cultural ties American Indian students have with Native communities across the United States and Canada. Free parking is available in the South Parking Lot. To learn more contact Mesa LaRoque '21, CNIA Public Relations, at laroq016@umn.edu, or the Office of Equity, Diversity, and Intercultural Programs at 320-589-6095.

LATINO FILM FESTIVAL

Un gallo con muchos huevos (Little Rooster's Egg-cellent Adventure) and La región salvaje (The Untamed) will be shown free of charge on Saturday, April 7, at the Morris Movie Theatre (12 East 6th Street, Morris, MN 56267), at 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., respectively. The films will be shown in Spanish with English subtitles. Sponsored by the Latin American Area Studies Discipline.

AQUIM SACRAMENTO: AFRO-BRAZILIAN RHYTHM AND PERCUSSION WORKSHOP AND CONCERT

The Music Discipline will host an Afro-Brazilian rhythm and percussion workshop and concert on Monday, April 9, in Humanities Fine Arts, Recital Hall. Workshop at 6 p.m.; concert at 7:30.

GUEST ARTIST LECTURE/RECITAL: LILLIE GARDNER

Lillie Gardner will present a lecture on the life and piano music of American composer Amy Beach on Tuesday, April 10, at 7:30 p.m. in Humanities Fine Arts, Recital Hall.

BOOK READING AND RECEPTION/FILM SCREENING

Meet Jennifer Fish, author of Domestic Workers of the World Unite!, and Sonu Danuwar Chaudhary, one of the domestic workers profiled in the book, on Thursday, April 12, at 7 p.m. in Rodney A. Briggs Library, McGinnis Room. The reception will be followed by a showing of the documentary In Safe Hands at 7:30 p.m. in Humanities Fine Arts 6. Through Chaudhary's rare, poignant, and sometimes painful journey, the film portrays the millions of workers around the world who pick up the care deficit to ensure more privileged portions of the global population remain. A panel discussion will follow.

42ND ANNUAL MIDWEST PHILOSOPHY COLLOQUIUM: HOW TO THINK ABOUT HAPPY LIVES, WITH MICHAEL BISHOP Michael Bishop (Florida State University) will present "How to Think About Happy Lives" on Thursday, April 12, at 7 p.m. in Imholte Hall 109 as part of the 2018 Midwest Philosophy Colloquium. Every year the Philosophy Discipline hosts this lecture series, in which distinguished speakers come to campus and give talks on topics of general interest.

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH SYMPOSIUM

UMM students will present their research, creative work, and art performances at the Undergraduate Research Symposium (URS) on Saturday, April 14. This is the 17th URS event, which celebrates student scholarly achievement and informs the community about the variety and quality of original student research, creative, and scholarly work from across campus. Oral and poster presentations and artistic performances will be given. Refreshments will be served.

SIGN LANGUAGE CONCERT

The annual Sign Language Concert will be performed on Saturday, April 14, at 1:30 p.m. in the Student Center, Edson Auditorium.

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AT STEVENS COUNTY MEDICAL CENTER
400 East First Street | Morris | Multipurpose Room
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm | No RSVP necessary. No cost.
Snacks & beverages provided.

Thursday, March 29 When is the Right Time to Call Hospice?

Dr. Hughes, Stevens County Medical Center

Thursday, April 19 Advance Care Planning & the Hospice Philosophy

Vivian Heltemes, Registered Nurse

Knute Nelson Hospice

Tuesday, May 15 Honoring Life Through Love & Kindness

Mark Deterding, President/CEO Triune Leadership Services, LLC

MAKE THE CHOICE TO LIVE EVERY MOMENT

Life forces us to make many difficult choices through out our journey. One of these choices is how we choose to spend our remaining days when we are faced with a life limiting illness.

Join us for this special educational series to learn about the hospice philosophy, and when the right time may be to call a hospice agency for managing pain and other troubling symptoms.

Attendees will also learn about how to prepare an advance care plan to communicate your wishes for end-of-life so that decisions made are based on your personal values and preferences.





University of Minnesota Morris

42ND ANNUAL MIDWEST PHILOSOPHY COLLOQUIUM



Anger: The Most Destructive Emotion

Owen Flanagan (Duke University)
Thursday, March 29, 2018
Imholte Hall 109 | 7 p.m.

Happiness and the Capabilities Approach

Dan Haybron (St. Louis University)
Thursday, April 5, 2018
Imholte Hall 109 | 7 p.m.

Fulfillment and Failure

Valerie Tiberius (University of Minnesota, Twin Cities)
Friday, April 6, 2018
Imholte Hall 109 | 3 p.m.

How to Think about Happy Lives

Michael Bishop (Florida State University)
Thursday, April 12, 2018
Imholte Hall 109 | 7 p.m.

These lectures are free and open to the public and are supported by the UMM Dean's Office, the UMM Philosophy Discipline, and the UMTC Office of the Executive Vice President and Provost.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL ENRICHMENT PROGRAM



REGISTRATION OPEN TO ALL AREA STUDENTS IN GRADES 3-6

CLASSES RUN 3:30-4:30PM ON APRIL 5, 12, 19, 26 MAY 2, 3, 9, 10 PERFORMANCE MAY 10 @ 6:30PM

All classes meet at St. Mary's School on the days and times indicated.

Registration includes a \$10 fee per family. *Students registered in the St. Mary's After-School program will have their registration fee waived.

Based on the original Broadway production that ran for over thirteen years and was nominated for nine Tony Awards, and the Academy Award-winning motion picture, Disney's Beauty and the Beast JR. is a fantastic adaptation of the story of transformation and tolerance. Disney's Beauty and the Beast JR. features some of the most popular songs ever written by Alan Menken and the late Howard Ashman, along with new songs by Mr. Menken and Tim Rice.

The classic story tells of Belle, a young woman in a provincial town, and the Beast, who is really a young prince trapped under the spell of an enchantress. If the Beast can learn to love and be loved, the curse will end and he will be transformed to his former self. But time is running out. If the Beast does not learn his lesson soon, he and his household will be doomed for all eternity.

With many fun supporting roles allowing students to play objects inside the castle, this "tale as old as time" is filled with spectacular costume and set opportunities.

\$50.00 PER STUDENT REGISTER ONLINE stmarysmorris.com

or visit the or visit the 311 Colorado Ave Morris, MN 56267 320-589-1704

Hands On Animation Workshop for Kids!



Film and Video Director Cable Hardin will be teaching a workshop on simple animation at the Morris Public Library! Mr. Hardin will teach students the principals of movement and introduce basic techniques of stop motion animation.

Students can try their hand at making their own animation!

When: Thursday, April 5th 6:30-7:30 PM

Where: Morris Public Library

Cost: FREE!

When: Friday, April 6th 4:00-5:00 PM

Where: Morris Public Library

Cost: FREE!

Ages 9-17. Spaces are limited. Please sign up with contact information.

Cable Hardin has been making films and animation for tv, film, and web for decades. He also teaches film and animation at South Dakota State University as well as organizing animation and film exhibition (SoDak Motion/SoDak Animation Festival, 2008-present). Cable has also specialized in makeup special effects for film and tv.

This project was funded in part or in whole with monies from Minnesota's Arts and Cultural Heritage fund.

This program is sponsored by Perham Area Public Library and Viking Library System.



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SATURDAY, APRIL 7TH

MORRIS AMERICAN LEGION

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Mission Fundraiser Concert April 8th Marian Grossman VBS in Poland Trip Pot Luck at 11:30am Concert at 1:00pm Zion Lutheran Church



Free will offering at lunch and concert to help defray cost.



If someone tells you they were the victim of rape or sexual assault, will you join the Stevens County Attorney's Office and Someplace Safe and decide to Start by Believing them?

Find us on Facebook and Instagram: Start by Believing Stevens County

Join us by making a personal pledge to Start by Believing during National Crime Victim Rights Week next week.

Pledge sheets available:

Monday, Apr 9 – Saturday, Apr 14 at

Morris Public Library and Regional Fitness Center

Also
Monday, Apr 9 – Friday, Apr 13
1:00-3:00 PM
UMM Student Center





Gatherings for Widows and Widowers

If you have experienced the loss of a spouse, we would like you to join us for Sunday Luncheons. This is a wonderful time of fellowship and good food (ordered from the menu at your own cost). We look forward to this special time together each month.

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- Nov. 11th
- June 10th
- Dec. 9th
- July 8th



THE FUTURE OF HEALTHCARE



Community Health Presentation

YOU'RE INVITED to a presentation on the "Future of Healthcare" as it pertains to our rural communities. It will be presented by Jason Breuer, President/ CEO of Stevens Community Medical Center on Thursday April 12 from 5:30-6:30 pm in the Morris Area High School Concert Hall.

Our hope is that this will be a unique opportunity for our community to learn about our work, the future of the healthcare industry, and for SCMC to initiate conversation about healthcare in our community. There will be a brief presentation followed by discussion.



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THURSDAY, APRIL 12

5:30-6:30 PM MORRIS AREA HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT HALL

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Life is Good - Enjoy the Day

If free coffee, a free treat and a fantastic free movie sounds good to you, this is the event for you. On the third Tuesday of each month, join us in the Morris Area Elementary School for free coffee, a free treat and a fantastic free movie

The coffee will be ready at 9:30am. The movie will be beginning at 10am in the Morris Area Concert Hall. Grab a friend and join us!

Tuesday, April 17 - A DOG'S PURPOSE - Dennis Quaid, Peggy Lipton, Josh Gad



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Mark Neuzil is a professor of communication and journalism at the University of St. Thomas and a frequent writer and speaker on environmental issues. His book Canoes: A Natural History in North America, co-authored with Norman Sims, is available in bookstores everywhere.

The University of Minnesota, Morris Distinguished Visiting Professorship in the Liberal Arts was established through the generous support of a private donor.

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2018 HORTICULTURE DISPLAY GARDEN EVENT

Pruning Apple Trees



Perhaps you've got one apple tree or an orchard full of them, or are considering planting apple trees in your yard. This hands-on pruning class will cover the basics of why we need to prune our fruit trees, the best tools for pruning, proper pruning techniques, and the best time of year to tackle the task!

Participants are encouraged to bring their pruners, a pair of work gloves, and their pruning questions. Class will be held at a nearby apple orchard, approximately 3 miles east of the WCROC; meet

us at the WCROC, and we'll depart promptly at 5 pm to caravan over to the orchard.

Presented by Joel Kangas, owner of Good to Grow Trees in Brandon, MN, a U of MN Extension Master Gardener, and MN Tree Advocate.

Wed, April 18 5 - 7 pm

Held at nearby apple orchard (21474 430th Ave., Morris). Plan to meet us at the WCROC and we'll depart promptly at 5 pm. Visit our website for directions.

In the event of inclement weather, class will be held in AgCountry Auditorium West Central Research and Outreach Center (46352 State Hwy 329, Morris)

Admission is free; donations accepted

FOR MORE INFORMATION, visit wcroc.cfans.umn.edu or call 320-589-1711.



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Driven to Discover



ANDREW WALESCH: Kicks off concert series #16 at Central Square in Glenwood MN on Saturday April 21st 2018 at 7:30pm. The Andrew Walesch Big Band will pay tribute to the man still called The Voice and Chairman of the Board with a series of concerts this year called "100 Years of Sinatra."

An emerging artist on the Minnesota music scene, Andrew Walesch maintains a very active performance schedule. Whether recording jingles, producing shows, composing and arranging, or singing as a solo artist and with big bands all over the Midwest, Andrew is known for his unique approach to *The Great American Songbook*. Andrew has recorded two albums and has sung and played on the stage of The Bluebird Cafe in Nashville, The Chicago Theater and dozens of venues all over the Midwest. He also has appeared on the nationally syndicated broadcast *Mountain Stage* on National Public Radio. In May of 2010, he graduated with a music degree from St. John's University, Collegeville, MN.

Singer/pianist Andrew Walesch wasn't even in junior high when Frank Sinatra died in 1998. Still, the iconic crooner was one of Walesch's biggest influences. "I listened to him constantly and tried to emulate his singing and his phrasing," Walesch said. "I had everything he recorded by the time I was out of high school."

Why such a fan? That's simple — "he really set the standard for singing," said Walesch, 26, a graduate of Cathedral High School and St. John's University. "He chose the best songs, and delivered them with grace and art and sophistication. Any good singer should have a serious respect for what he did for music."

You will hear dozens of your favorites including, "That's Life," Nice 'n' Easy," "You Make Me Feel So Young," "Fly Me To The Moon," "New York, New York," "My Way" and many, many others. Join Andrew Walesch and his big band, filled with many Twin Cities' big band and jazz legends, as they take you through this journey in time. Join us as we celebrate Frank Sinatra's legendary career and 100th birthday!

City of Morris Job Posting

MORRIS PUBLIC LIBRARY

Library Clerk: 30 hours a week.

The Morris Public Library is a member of the Viking Library System and is open 6 days a week, including evenings. This position is an entry level, part-time clerk position that includes working evenings until 8 p.m. and Saturdays. Job responsibilities include working with the public at the circulation desk to check materials out and check them back in; shelving materials and assisting staff to keep the library open and functioning. This position includes strong customer service skills with great attention to detail and excellent computer skills. A basic understanding of library operations and experience with children/youth services are preferred. Pick up an application at the City of Morris or the Library. Applications will be accepted until position is filled.

Submit application to:

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Horizontal Grandeur

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Exhibit opens June 21, 2018

Call to Artists

Open to ALL artists residing in the United States or Canadian provinces with a prairie.

All pieces must have a prairie related theme and be original to the artist.

Pieces deemed not original to the artist will be removed. There is no time requirement as to when a piece was created.

Email grandeur@stevenshistorymuseum.com or call 320-589-1719 for questions or clarification.

MEDIA & GENRE

All genres, including paintings, drawings, photographs, fiber, hand-pulled prints, fired clay, mixed media, sculpture, etc., will be considered and non-landscape work is encouraged.

CONDITION AND SEEE

Oil paintings must be fully dry and framed. Drawings, prints, photography and watercolors must be framed and under glass. (Canvases exempt) 2-D pieces must be ready to hang, including wires. ID labels must be attacked to the back upper laft hand corner of each work or wherever feasible on sculptures. 2-D pieces must not exceed 240 inches (overall perimeter measurement), frame included. Sculptures must not weigh more than 100 pounds or exceed 4 feet in either direction.

(If your piece exceeds these guidelines, please contact us to discuss.)

CALENDAR

Image submission deadline: May 4, 2018
Selection Notification: by May 18, 2018
Artwork Delivery Deadline: No later than June 8, 2018
Opening Reception: June 21, 2018
Exhibition Dates: June 21, 2018 - October 26, 2018
Pick-up week: October 29 - November 2, 2018 - 9 AM-4 PM

ENTRY FEES & SALES

The entry fee is \$5.00 for each piece to be juried, with a maximum of six entries per artist.

Sales will be handled through the SCHS gift shop and a 30% commission collected for all pieces sold as a result of the exhibition. All scheduling, freight costs and pick-up charges will be the responsibility of the artist.

LIABILITY AND INSURANCE

Artists must make their own arrangements for insuring their pieces if they wish. Return freight costs and scheduling of delivery and pickups according to the exhibit calendar is the responsibility of the artist.

Stevens County Historical Society & Museum 116 W 6th St Morris, MN 56267

visit www.stevenshistorymuseum.com

E-mail grandeur@stevenshistorymuseum.com call 589,1719 for details

Continuing from March 29th at the Morris Theatre:



Ready Player One

Monday - Thursday 7PM
Friday & Saturday 7PM & 9:30PM
Sunday 2PM & 7PM

In the year 2045, the real world is a harsh place. The only time Wade Watts truly feels alive is when he escapes to the OASIS, an immersive virtual universe where most of humanity spends their days. In the OASIS, you can go anywhere, do anything, be anyone—the only limits are your own imagination. The OASIS was created by the brilliant and eccentric James Halliday, who left his immense fortune and total controlled of the OASIS to the winner of a three-part contest he designed to find a worthy heir. When Wade conquers the first challenge of the reality-bending treasure hunt, he and his friends, known as the High Five, are hurled into a fantastical universe of discovery and danger to save the OASIS—and themselves. Rated PG-13, 140 minutes.

See you at the movies!

The Latin American Film Festival will be held on Saturday, April 7th at Morris Movie Theater.