

Friday Facts

Presented by:



Week of November 17, 2017

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).

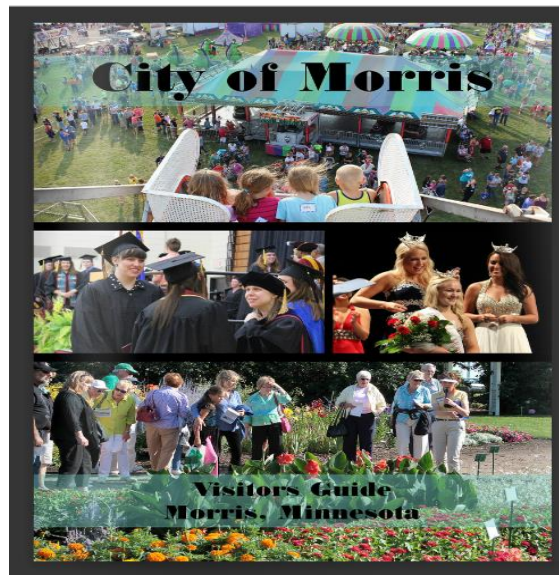
Friday Facts is also located on the front page of our website – Friday Facts

Call 320-589-1242 or e-mail morrismnchamber@gmail.com to have your event listed in Friday Facts. Deadline for the following week's Friday Facts is **Tuesday at NOON** (Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday) Planning an event?

Check out morrismnchamber.org events calendar before you schedule.

Chamber of Commerce Events:

If you would like to get involved with any of the Chamber Committees, please contact the Chamber Office today at 320-589-1242.



Morris Visitors Guide - Click on this link for the online version of the Visitors Guide.

<http://issuu.com/morrissuntribune/docs/morrisvistorsguide>

Announcements:

- **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.
- We are excited to have a large **Community Tree** donated from [Wayne-n-Jean's Evergreens](#) this year!!!! But we need your help! We are seeking a **tree stand, lights and decor donations** from local residents for this beautiful 12 foot tree. If you have anything that you would like to donate for this community tree, please contact the Chamber at **589-1242** or email morrismnchamber@gmail.com



Upcoming Events:

- This year's **Parade of Lights** will take place on **Thursday, November 16th at 6 p.m.** in downtown Morris. Please register for a float if you have not done so already! You can also catch this year's Parade of Lights on **Monday, November 20th at 11 a.m.** and **Tuesday, November 21st at 3 p.m.** on **Public Access Station 6 or 8 (depending on your cable provider)**
- The **Sons of Norway Norskfodt Lodge 1-590** will meet **Monday, November 20th** at the **Morris American Legion** at **6:30 p.m.** Andrew Sheets will present the program on his recent trip to Norway.

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PREVIEW
11/18-11/25

Presents from Pounce

The Office of Community Engagement (OCE) is tabling for Presents from Pounce now through Friday, December 15, from 10 a.m.—3:30 p.m. in the Student Center. During this annual toy drive students collect toys, books, and games for families in need. Gift donations should not be wrapped. They will be delivered to the Salvation Army for their countywide toy drive. OCE also can accept cash donations, which will be used to purchase some of the most-needed items, when student volunteers are present at the table. For more information, contact Sarah Eckel from OCE at [320-589-6457](tel:320-589-6457) or engagmnt@morris.umn.edu.

Native American Dance Troupe

There will be a Native American dance performance on Tuesday, November 21, at 6 p.m. in Edson Auditorium, Student Center. Professionals from the across the Midwest, who are well known throughout Indian Country, will share Native American storytelling traditions through song and dance. This event is free and open to the public.

Thanksgiving Holiday

There will be no classes Thursday and Friday, November 23–24. Administrative offices will be closed.

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Stroll through Morris for your Holiday Shopping

**Sign up Here for Weekly \$25 Gifts from Participating
Business & Grand Prize Drawing on December 22nd
for \$500 in Chamber Cash!**


Promotion Sponsors:

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Morris Co-op	
Ottertail Power Company	
Riverwood Bank	
SCMC	
Superior Industries	

Visit the Morris Area Chamber of Commerce Office for your Chamber Cash Holiday Gifts!



Coupons for Thursday, Nov. 16th-Saturday, Nov. 18th



**Town & Country
Supply
FREE
Scoop of Ice Cream**

Valid Only
Friday, Nov. 17th &
Saturday, Nov. 18th
2017



**\$10 Any Large
Pizza
Code: 9043**

Offer Good
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Morris Food Shop

**FREE
Cookie**

Offer Good
Thursday, November
16th 2017



**50% off Holiday
Décor
*Regular, not sale or
clearance priced**

Offer Good
Nov. 16th-18th 2017



Heating & Cooling

**\$50 Off
Regular Priced
Item \$499 &
Over plus
discount if you
pay cash and
carry**

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Nov. 16th-18th 2017

**John's Total
Entertainment**

**15% Off
Purchase of \$10
or more**

Offer Valid
Nov. 16th-18th, 2017



**\$1 Off Each Bottle
of Kristian Regale
Sparkling Juices**

Offer Valid
Nov. 16th-18th, 2017



**OPI Nail Polish—
Buy One get One
Half Off**

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Nov. 16th-18th, 2017

Happy Holidays



& Flooring Direct

**\$50 OFF ANY
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RECLINER**

Offer Valid:
Nov. 16th-18th, 2017



**25% Off
any Toy or
Christmas item!**

Visit Toyland!

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November 16th-18th, 2017

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**25% one
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priced item**

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Subscription**

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2017



Holiday Open House

Thursday, November 16

2:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Before the Parade of Lights

Sign up for door prizes

AAA Membership, Boy's Bike Helmet, Girl's Bike Helmet

***Warm up with
Cider, Coffee & Cookies***



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Arts, Crafts & Etc. Day

When: Saturday, November 18, 201

from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m.

Where: Morris Area High School Cafeteria

Who: Youth in Preschool and Elementary

Looking for a fun & exciting family event? Join us for a morning of arts, crafts & etc. for youth of all ages & abilities! Such as:

Rustic Snow Globe

Candy Sleigh

Holiday Ornaments

Wooden Turkey

Fabric Pumpkin

Homemade Holiday Gifts

Cookie Decorating

And Much More!!

All crafts may be done for a small fee while supplies last!

(Crafts range in cost from \$0.50-\$3.50 each)

Contact Stevens County 4-H at kochx040@umn.edu for more information.



Hosted by the Stevens County 4-H.



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Please mark your calendars for our BeMobile Friends and Family event! (Pre-Black Friday Sale!)

We would love to have you attend our 2nd Annual Friends and Family event, we look forward to seeing you!

You are invited to BeMobile's exclusive

Friends Family Night

6pm to 9pm | 11/18/2017

Download the BeMobile app to learn more and get a sneak peak of our offers | Offers valid one night only

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ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL

Sunday, November 19, 2017
11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Kongsvínger Lutheran Church
(3 Miles North of Donnelly on County Road 9)



Adults \$10.00 and Children (10 and under) \$5.00

MENU: Grilled Pork Chop, Baked Potato,
Candied Carrots, Salads, Desserts,
plus rolls, pickles, coffee and milk

BAKE SALE: *Featuring*
Kongsvínger's Homemade Lefse,
Holiday Items, and
Scandinavian Goodies

RAFFLE: *Many Chances to win!*
Cash Prizes of \$150, \$100, & \$50
PLUS handiwork by Kongsvínger
members, gift cards, gift baskets, and
MUCH MORE!

ALL ARE WELCOME!
COME AND ENJOY!



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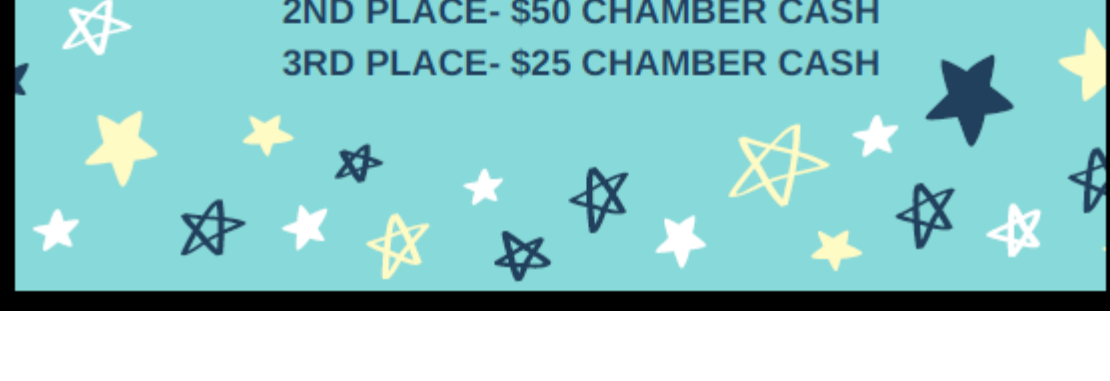
LIGHTING CONTEST

WHO: RESIDENTS WITHIN THE MORRIS
CITY LIMITS

WHAT: LIGHTING CONTEST

WHEN: REGISTER YOUR NAME AND
ADDRESS TO THE MORRIS CHAMBER BY
NOON ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5TH
BY CALLING 589-1242 OR EMAIL:
MORRISMNCHAMBER@GMAIL.COM

1ST PLACE- \$75 CHAMBER CASH
2ND PLACE- \$50 CHAMBER CASH
3RD PLACE- \$25 CHAMBER CASH

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Life is Good – Enjoy the Day

If free coffee, a free movie, and better health sound 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 “Hallway Walking”, free coffee, and a free movie in the Concert Hall.

The school hallways are a great place to walk because they provide a sheltered indoor space from bad weather. The movies are shown in the beautiful Concert Hall. The coffee is provided as a gift from Morris Area Community Education.

The hallways will be open for walking from 9am-10am. The coffee will be ready at 9am as well. The movie will be begin at 10am. Grab a friend and join us!

Tuesday, November 21 – THE HOLLARS – [AARP's Winner for Best Grownup Love Story in February 2017](#)





Men's Event

November 21st @ 7PM

Superior Industries Training Center | 315 Hwy 28 E in Morris



Bennett Zierke and Matt Steen

are sharing their life stories of finding transformative hope in the midst of difficult struggles and loss.

Snacks start at 6:30 PM, Speaking at 7PM.

Call Ryan at (320) 289-6203 or visit <http://menof.life> for more details.

7th Annual —
COURAGE COTTAGE
TURKEY TROT



THANKSGIVING
NOVEMBER 23

Race starts
at 8:00 am

The race begins and ends at SCMC Courage Cottage on First Street.

TO REGISTER GO TO
signmeup.com/122857

You can also sign-up the day of the race!

- 2K or 5K is \$30
- Family 2K or 5K is \$65
- Additional T-shirts \$12/each

 **STEVENS COMMUNITY**
MEDICAL CENTER
COURAGE COTTAGE

Registration/check in starts at 7:30 am at Courage Cottage. Registrations also available at Courage Cottage or by downloading form at scmcinc.org. Forms can be mailed to 409 E. First Street, Morris, MN 56267. Payment can also be made online when registering at signmeup.com/122857.

For questions contact Nikki at 320-585-5133. All proceeds go to benefit the Courage Cottage.



FIRETRUCK RIDES & MOVIE

FRI, NOV 24TH 12-4PM

WHAT: *Free Fire Truck Rides & Movie*

WHERE: *Morris Theatre*

WHEN: *Friday, November 24th*

12-2pm Fire Truck Rides with Santa

2pm Free Movie "Rock Dog"

Free and open to the public!

***Don't forget to shop Morris for all
your Black Friday Holiday Specials!***

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PRESS RELEASE

For immediate release

Contact information:

Lori Kurpiers

Office and Program Coordinator

lorik@stevenshistorymuseum.com

320-589-1719

Subject: Morris Theatre exhibit at museum

Title: New Morris Theatre exhibit at Stevens County Historical Museum

The Stevens County Historical Museum in Morris is pleased to announce an upcoming exhibit on the Morris Theatre, opening mid-November. A reception will be held on Tuesday, November 28th, 2017 from 6:00-8:00 pm. The exhibit includes historic photos and artifacts from the theatre including film reels, production equipment and old seats that visitors can sit in! Students from the University of Minnesota, Morris have also produced a short video about the "Past, Present, and Future" of the Morris Theatre which will be available for viewing in the exhibit. We are very excited to have this display at the museum and are grateful to UMM and the Morris Theatre Co-op for making it possible.

The Stevens County Historical Society and Museum "Makes History Come Alive" in western Minnesota through collection, preservation, and interpretation of history. The museum is located at 116 West Sixth Street in Morris and is open Monday-Friday, 9 am – 4 pm. Special weekend hours are available by appointment. As always, admission to the museum is free!

For more information, call the museum at 320-589-1719, or visit www.stevenshistorymuseum.com or the museum's Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/schsm/>.

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2017 HOLIDAY SOIRÉE

SOUNDS of the SEASON

Saturday, December 2

meal at 6 p.m. in Oyate Hall, Student Center
concert at 7:30 p.m. in the Recital Hall, Humanities Fine Arts

&

Sunday, December 3

meal at 12:30 p.m. in Oyate Hall, Student Center
concert at 2 p.m. in the Recital Hall, Humanities Fine Arts

Delight in festive music and fare
at this year's Holiday Soirée: *Sounds
of the Season!* The Morris choirs and
chamber ensembles provide an exciting
program of seasonal repertoire.
A delicious meal, complete with
dinner entertainment, precedes
the formal concert.

Tickets available beginning Wednesday, November 1, 2017,
at tickets.umn.edu/UMM/Online or 320-589-6077.

TICKET PRICES

Meal: \$15

Concert: Adults \$5, Seniors \$4, 12 and under and UMM students \$3



BREASTFEEDING ESSENTIALS



SCMC offers a Breastfeeding Essentials class for expectant parents. This comprehensive 2-3 hour class is instructed by Lactation Educator and Dietitian Alyssa Thooft.

TOPICS INCLUDE:

- The importance of breastfeeding
- How breastfeeding works
- Proper latch and positioning
- Ways to improve success & reach your personal breastfeeding goals
- Common concerns
- How to incorporate breastfeeding into your work & social life
- Breast pump basics

You can register in advance by calling Alyssa Thooft at 320-589-7623 or simply come to one of the scheduled classes.



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Partners are encouraged to attend without additional cost.

UPCOMING CLASSES

DECEMBER 4, 2017

FEBRUARY 15, 2018

MAY 3, 2018

AUGUST 23, 2018

NOVEMBER 29, 2018

All classes located in the SCMC
Lower Level from 6-8:30 pm



Our Energy Future: Stevens County

A community discussion held as part of the:



Spend the evening with your neighbors learning about and discussing the future of Stevens County's energy system!

When: December 6th from 5:30pm-8:30pm

Where: West Central Research and Outreach Center,
located at 46352 State Hwy 329, Morris, MN

RSVP and learn more: www.bit.ly/sc-energy

Dinner will be provided.

Can't make it? Share your thoughts before!



Text "ENERGY" to 63735



Chat with us on Facebook at:
www.bit.ly/rcd-energy



University of Minnesota, Morris Symphonic Winds
presents

The Snowman

family concert

Howard Blake's 1982 seasonal award-winning animated film
is accompanied live by wind ensemble and soprano.

Friday, December 8
4 p.m. | 7 p.m.

(Program runs for approximately 50 minutes)

Humanities Fine Arts Recital Hall

Tickets: Adults \$5, Seniors/Students \$1, Children (0-12) Free

Tickets available at the door.

Symphonic Winds
Simon Tillier, conductor
Ana Miller, soprano

Free parking available in the
North Parking Lot. Enter
Humanities Fine Arts (HFA)
through the east-facing doors at
the top of the steps. Recital Hall
will be on your right.

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SANTA DAY IN MORRIS!

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9TH

Pictures with Santa 12-2PM

FREE Movie 2 PM "The Polar Express"

**All events are located at the Morris Theatre:
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Friday, December 15th

UGLY HOLIDAY SWEATER DAY!

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prize or discount!**



**Now Playing at the
Morris Theatre:**



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

Imprisoned, the mighty Thor finds himself in a lethal gladiatorial contest against the Hulk, his former ally. Thor must fight for survival and race against time to prevent the all-powerful Hela from destroying his home and the Asgardian civilization. Rated PG-13, 130 minutes.

**Mark your calendars for the SPECIAL
FREE 2:00PM movie matinees coming soon:**

Black Friday 11/24 **ROCK DOG** – Fire Truck Rides 12-2PM –
Sponsored by the Morris Fire Department & the Morris Theatre
Saturday 12/9 **POLAR EXPRESS** – Pictures with Santa 12-2PM,
Movie at 2PM- Sponsored by Mohr Plumbing & Federated Telephone

See you at the movies!