Friday Facts

Presented by:



Week of November 11, 2016

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).

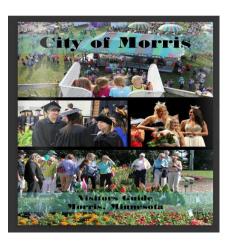
Friday Facts is also located on our webpage under Calendars & Events – Friday Facts

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 Wednesday at NOON. 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

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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.
- Calling All Crafters! October was Domestic Violence Awareness Month and Someplace Safe needs your help to raise awareness and funds for next year's Day of Purple Campaign. The Day of Purple is a day to stand in solidarity with victims of domestic violence by wearing purple. We need your help to knit, crochet, sew, or craft purple scarves for local businesses to sell in advance of next year's Day of Purple. If local crafters donate the scarves, and local businesses sell them, you will be supporting our local Someplace Safe office, which serves local victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, and other crimes. Scarves can be dropped off at the Someplace Safe Advocacy Office (206 Atlantic Ave) or the Someplace Safe Thrift Store (708 Atlantic Ave) throughout the year. Contact Lisa at lisa.t@someplacesafe.info or 320-589-3208 with questions. Thank you for your support!
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Upcoming Events:

Join **Pomme de Terre Foods** for our monthly *Second Thursdays Potluck* on **November 10**. Pomme de Terre Foods hosts a potluck and speaker from the local foods community the **second Thursday of every month** at **6 p.m.** in the **southside section of the store** at **511 Oregon Avenue** in Morris. This month's speaker is Alise Sjostrom, CEO of Redhead Creamery in Brooten. Bring a dish to share or just bring your curiosity about the local foods movement and a friend or two.



Founders Scholar Forum on the Liberal Arts

The fourth annual Founders Scholar Forum on the Liberal Arts will take place on Tuesday, November 15, at 7:30 p.m.in the Humanities Fine Arts Recital Hall. Panelists will address a particular audience (e.g., parents, friends, citizens, etc.) about the topic "Making the Case for the Liberal Arts: So You Want to Change the World?" Faculty and student presentations will be followed by a dialogue with the audience. The Founders Fund was established with gifts from a private donor in honor of the founding faculty of the University of Minnesota, Morris on the occasion of UMM's 40th birthday.

International Fashion Show

As part of the International Education Week, United Students for Africa will host UMM's annual International Fashion Show on Thursday, November 17, at 6 p.m. in the Student Center's Oyate Hall. This event raises awareness about the diversity of people present at UMM through clothing, music, and performances.

Mixed Student Recital

There will be a Mixed Student Recital on Thursday, November 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the Humanities Fine Arts Recital Hall. This regular concert series features UMM instrumental and vocal students performing varied repertoire.

Jazz Ensemble Concert

There will be a UMM Jazz Concert featuring Jazz Ensemble 1, the Blue Note Combo, the Prestige Combo, and the Verve Combo on Friday, November 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the Humanities Fine Arts Recital Hall. This concert is free and open to the public.

Advertisements:



Free Morning Movie

Save yourself the price of nearly eight cups of coffee and enjoy a morning out with friends. Morris Area Community Education is offering a free Morning Movie. On October 18, we will be showing *The Intern*. "70-year-old widower Ben Whittaker has discovered that retirement isn't all it's cracked up to be. Seizing an opportunity to get back in the game, he becomes a senior intern at an online fashion site." Join us in the Morris Area Concert Hall, located in the Morris Area Elementary School. Coffee and a snack will be served after the movie.

10:00 a.m. Start Time

Tuesday, November 15 - Bridge of Spies (Tom Hanks)



3rd ANNUAL HOLIDAY BAKE SALE Wednesday, Nov. 16

MORRIS AMERICAN LEGION 11 AM - 2 PM

LEFSA BREADS/ROLLS COOKIES
ASSORTED PIES SANDBAKELS
VARIETY XMAS GOODIES KRUMKAE
MISC. CANNED GOODS/PICKLES

COFFEE & HOT CIDER/COOKIES WILL
BE SERVED (Part of the proceeds will go towards gifts and food to families in need for the Holidays)

Prepared and served by THE WIDOWS ON WEDNESDAY

Thank Your

Come Grow with Us!

2016 HORTICULTURE DISPLAY GARDEN EVENT

Overwintering Plants

Some varieties of plants are able to make the transition from growing outdoors to coming inside only to thrive again the following growing season. Find out which plants can be brought indoors, and how to properly care for them. We'll also cover how to mitigate insects, and the best way to prepare dormant plants for spending the winter months indoors.



Wed, Nov 16 12:15 - 1 pm

Held in AgCountry Auditorium at the West Central Research and Outreach Center 46352 State Hwy 329, Morris, MN

Feel free to enjoy your lunch with us — Admission is free; donations accepted



West Central Research and Outreach Center

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FOR MORE INFORMATION,

visit wcroc.cfans.umn.edu or call 320-589-1711.



2016 Parade of Lights

Join the festivities and fun as we start the Holiday Season in Morris on Thursday, November 17, 2016 with the 16th Annual Grand Parade of Lights

The Chamber of Commerce's Events & Retail Committee invites all businesses and community members to enter a float, vehicle, or characters in our Grand Parade of Lights. We have invited Santa to join us for the parade. Please do not include a Santa with your parade unit.

We encourage you to get together with co-workers, family, and friends to put together your parade entry. Because it is a "Parade of Lights," we ask that you decorate and dazzle the crowd with lots of lights on your entry and also include some holiday music. Prizes will be awarded for the best overall entry and the best show of lights. Please return this form to the Chamber Office. Lineup will be in the order registration forms are received. You will receive an e-mail confirmation of your registration.

Deadline to register is November 10th

Grand Parade of Lights Registration Thursday, November 17, 2016 6:00 p.m.

Business/Organization:		
Contact Person:		
E-Mail:		
Address, City, Zip:		
Phone:		
Entry Description: Please in	dicate the length of unit and if you	will have music.
Length of unit	Music	
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and/or property dan		ts that they alone are responsible, for any personal injury the Parade of Lights. I specifically release and discharge in any and all liability.
Applicants Signa	ture	

Please return form to:
Morris Area Chamber of Commerce, 215 Atlantic Avenue, Morris MN 56267
Or Email to morrismnchamber@gmail.com



Candy Cane Dash or Walk Thursday, November 17, 2016 @ 5:45 PM Support the Morris Parade of Lights!!

5:30 PM registration

5:45 PM Candy Cane Walk and Candy Cane Dash all start at Cenex North, 1000 Atlantic Avenue, Morris MN This is a fun run that will head south on Atlantic Ave to South Street and head back on Atlantic Avenue to finish at 6" Street South. All participants will receive some goodies! All proceeds will go to Toys for Tots!

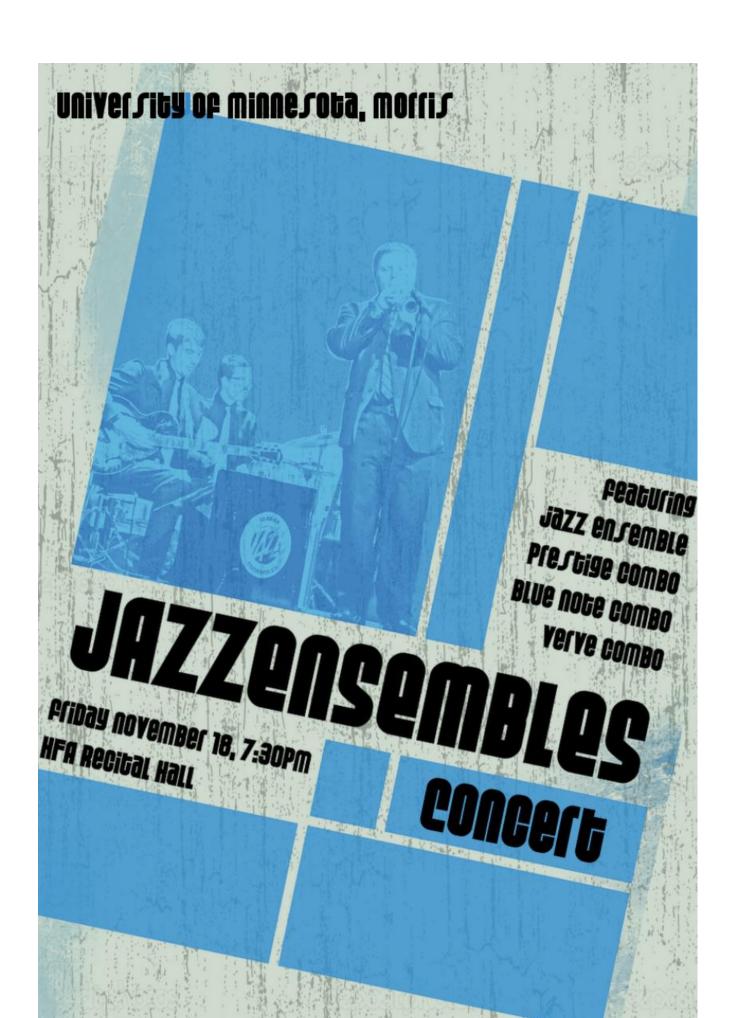
Official Registration Form T-Shirt & Registration is \$15

Make checks payable to: MACC

Mail or drop off at: Morris Area Chamber of Commerce, 215 Atlantic, Morris MN 56267or drop off at Visible Changes, 615 Atlantic Avenue, Morris.

Chamber Cash Prize for "Best Holiday Running Outfit" T-Shirt Size (circle one): Adults: S M L XL XXL Kids: S M L XL

Last Name	First Name	
Age		
Street Address		
City		
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ANNUAL FALL FESTIVAL

Sunday, November 20, 2016 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. at Kongsvinger Lutheran Church

(3 Miles North of Donnelly on County Road 9)

Adults \$10.00; 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 Kongsvinger's Homemade Lefse, Holiday Items, and Scandinavian Goodies

RAFFLE: Many Chances to win!

Grand Prize: \$150 cash, \$100 cash, \$50 cash
PLUS handiwork items by Kongsvinger
members, gift cards, gift baskets,
and MUCH MORE!

ALL ARE WELCOME! COME AND ENJOY!





HOLIDAY SOIRÉE

Delight in the tastes and sounds of the season with the University of Minnesota, Morris Music Discipline at this year's Holiday Soirée!

New this season: two festive programs!

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2

7:30 p.m. Concert in HFA Recital Hall

The University Choir, Chamber Singers, Brass and Wind Ensembles, and Blue Note Combo present a varied program of festive music.

No pre-sale tickets. All tickets available at the door. Adults \$5, Seniors/Children \$3, UMM Students \$1

J.S. BACH MAGNIFICAT

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3 AND 4

SATURDAY 6:30 p.m. Festive meal in Oyate 8 p.m. Concert in HFA Recital <u>Hall</u> SUNDAY 12:30 p.m. Festive meal in Oyate 2 p.m. Concert in HFA Recital Hall

This outstanding event will feature a festive meal, complete with dinner entertainment by the Blue Note Combo. Following the meal, the Concert Choir will present J.S. Bach's beloved *Magnificat in D* with professional orchestra and vocal soloists. The program also includes two movements from the Rachmaninoff *Vespers* and the Chamber Singers presenting several seasonal selections.

Tickets available beginning Tuesday, November 1, 2016 at tickets.umn.edu/Online or 320-589-6077.

Meal: \$12 Concert: Adult \$15, Seniors \$13, Student \$10

Note: Tickets may be purchased for the full evening (meal and concert performance) or for the performance only.

Please join us for our 31st Annual Holiday Sale & Open House

Dancing Through the Holidays

Saturday December 3rd 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

- Unique Shopping
- Wonderful Refreshments
 - Baked Goods
 - View current Exhibits
- View our Quilt of Memories

Stevens County Historical Society & Museum

116 West Sixth Street Morris, MN 56267 320.589.1719

www.stevenshistorymuseum.com info@stevenshistorymuseum.com

Starting on Friday, November 11th at the Morris Theatre:



Inferno

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 7PM
FLIP DAY- Tuesday 9:15PM
Friday & Saturday 7PM
Sunday 2PM & 7PM

Academy Award Winner Ron Howard returns to direct the latest bestseller in Dan Brown's (Da Vinci Code) billion-dollar Robert Langdon series, Inferno, which finds the famous symbologist (again played by Tom Hanks) on a trial to clues tied to the great Dante himself. When Langdon wakes up in an Italian hospital with amnesia, he teams up with Sienna Brooks, (Felicity Jones) a doctor he hopes will help him recover his memories. Together, they race across Europe and against the clock to stop a madman from unleashing a global virus that would wipe out half of the world's population. Rated PG-13, 121 minutes.

Jack Reacher: Never Go Back

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:15PM

FLIP DAY- Tuesday 7PM

Friday & Saturday 9:15PM

Sunday 4:30PM & 9:15PM

Jack Reacher must uncover the truth behind a major government conspiracy in order to clear his name. On the run as a fugitive from the law, Reacher uncovers a potential secret from his past that could change his life forever. Rated PG-13, 118 minutes.

See you at the movies!