Friday Facts



Week of September 14, 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,
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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:

- Please be aware that \$100 fake bills are being used at Morris businesses. These bills have pink writing on them. It is advised to use the pen test on all \$100 bills. Please contact the Morris Police Department with any questions.
- Friendship Sunday will be September 16th at Zion Lutheran Church. Friendship Sunday will begin with services at 9:00 am followed by Bible class and the kickoff for Sunday school. After this, there will be a potluck dinner with hamburgers provided. Everyone is welcome for all activities.
- It's time to talk **Homecoming!** The **parade** will be **Friday, Sept 28th**. Please contact **Jodi Arndt @ 585-2201** or **jarndt@morris.k12.mn.us** to register your entry. Thank you! Go Tigers!
- The Sons of Norway Norskfodt Lodge 1-590 will present a program by Ole-Bjorn Tobiassen on "The Vikings Settling in Norway, Iceland, Greenland & America" on Sunday, September 30 at 2 p.m. at First Lutheran Church, 200 E 1st St, Morris. Refreshments following program, free will donation. All are welcome.
- The **Parade of Lights** will be held on **Thursday, November 15**th at **6 p.m.** in **downtown Morris**. Save the date!



All events are free and open to the public unless otherwise noted

PRESIDENTIAL SEARCH ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Alumni and community members are invited to meet with the UMN Presidential Search Advisory Committee on Tuesday, September 18, 2–2:45 p.m., Student Center, Oyate Hall, Alumni Room. This is a great opportunity to provide the committee with input on the qualities you want our next president to possess. If you can't attend one of the listening sessions, you can provide input online at president-search.umn.edu.

UMM JAZZ - JAM SESSION

Join UMM Jazz for an informal jam session on Tuesday, September 18, at 7:30 p.m. at Old No. 1, Southside (412 Atlantic Avenue, Morris, MN 56267).

HOMECOMING 2018

The University of Minnesota Morris invites alumni, students, faculty, staff, and community members to join in this year's Homecoming celebration, September 21–23. Homecoming events include Cougar athletics, alumni reunions, music performances, and more. Visit morris.umn.edu/homecoming for the full schedule of events.

HONORING SCULPTURE DEDICATION

A new sculpture by Duane "Dewey" Goodwin will be dedicated on Saturday, September 22, at 10 a.m. on the campus mall. Made possible by Puncky '73 and Mary Soehren Heppner '76, the sculpture will become a defining element of the Morris campus, adding to its sense of place and celebrating the "strength, resilience, compassion, and heart of the indigenous peoples" here. A traditional feast will follow the ceremony.

SEPTEMBER COMMUNITY MEAL

The next Morris Community Meal is set for Monday, September 24, at 5:30 p.m. at Faith Lutheran Church (108 West 8th Street, Morris, MN 56267) Morris Community Meal is a free, healthy, locally sourced meal served six times a year. Anyone can help cook or come to enjoy the meal and community.

A CONVERSATION WITH TRACY CHOU

Entrepreneur, software engineer, and diversity advocate Tracy Chou will discuss the value of the humanities in the tech field on Wednesday, September 26, at 7 p.m. in the Student Center, Edson Auditorium. The conversation will be hosted by Nic McPhee and Janet Schrunk Ericksen. This event is funded by the University of Minnesota Morris's Mellon Foundation planning grant focused on Engaged and Engaging Humanities.

FOUNDERS SCHOLAR CONVOCATION — "WHAT IS WRITING FOR?" WITH TISHA TURK

Tisha Turk, Writing Center director at Grinnell College, will answer the question "What is writing for?" on Thursday, September 27, at 7 p.m. in Imholte Hall 109. Refreshments will be served at 6:30 p.m. The presentation will begin at 7 p.m. Sponsored by the Office of the Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs and Dean and the University of Minnesota Morris Founders Fund, established with gifts from a private donor in honor of UMN Morris's founding faculty members, staff, students, and citizens of the region.

CAC CONVOCATIONS PRESENTS LEIGH ANNE TUOHY

UMN Morris will host Leigh Anne Tuohy in a convocation on Friday, September 28, at 7 p.m. in the Student Center, Edson Auditorium. Dubbed a "warrior princess" by author Michael Lewis in his best-selling book *The Blind Side*, Leigh Anne is the inspirational matriarch of the Tuohy family. She inspires audiences to recognize the full potential of individuals in their community. She shares her personal "Blind Side" observations, from seeing Michael Oher for the first time to how the experience changed her as a person—and the Tuohys as a family. One of the country's most sought after motivational speakers, Leigh Anne has given lectures to a broad spectrum of audiences from religious groups and town halls to some of the country's largest corporations.

Times and locations are subject to change. For the most current event information, visit events.morris.umn.edu

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Chuck Suchy CONCERT

Sep 15, 2018 | 7:30 p.m. Roosevelt Hall

\$15/Ticket available at the door or online at prairiewindplayers.org

Chuck Suchy is a folk musician, songwriter, and working farmer from Mandan, North Dakota. Among his albums are Much to Share (1986), Dancing Dakota (1989), Dakota Breezes (1993), Same Road Home (1996), Different Line of Time (1999), Evening in Paris (2004), and Unraveling Heart (2008).



Chuck Suchy is North Dakota's Official State Troubadour. One of his folk ballads, featured on his Much to Share, Dancing Dakota, and Dakota Breezes CDs, is The Story of Hazel Miner. The folk ballad tells the story of Hazel Miner, a 15-year-old girl who died saving her brother and sister during a March 1920 blizzard in Center, North Dakota.



David Stoddard

Noted lyricist and composer David Stoddard is a songwriter and teacher living in Western Minnesota. He tours throughout the US and Canada, where he plays mostly concert venues, living rooms, and other dedicated listening environments. His music is unique—no one performing today can take an audience on such a rollercoaster of emotion. That's a guarantee. David has won the Kerrville New Folk award, as well as songwriting awards at the South Florida Folk Festival, the Tucson Folk Festival, the Minnesota Folk Festival, and others.

Prairie Wind Players is supported by a grant from the Lake Region Arts Council through a Minnesota State Legislative Appropriation.

Additional financial support comes from our members, corporate sponsors, and the Clarence and Rose Ray Memorial Fund.

IN THE LIBERAL ARTS



A Politics of Knowledge

an introduction to the debates on the meaning of 'mystical' experiences near death near-death experiences, deathbed visions, or visions of the bereaved

Allan Kellehear, PhD, FAcSS

50th Anniversary Professor (End of Life Care) at the University of Bradford in England

Monday, September 17, 2018
7 p.m. | Humanities Fine Arts Recital Hall reception follows

Mystical experiences reported by dying people and the bereaved have been known from time immemorial and across all cultures. However, in the last half century contemporary neuros cience writers have identified these as evidence of organic abnormalities near death. On the other hand, New Age movements have embraced these experiences as "widence' of personal survival over death. What do we really know about these experiences, and how good is the academic research in this field? A box behind the debates and the critical dialogue reveals a politics of knowledge slive and well. This is not distintian to other topic areas in death and dying.

Alan Kalahaer is 30th Anniversary Professor (End of Life Care) at the University of Bradford in England. His research work investigates human dying conduct and experiences. He is also the founder of the main practice model for community and civic engagement within the hospice movement.

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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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- Mentoring Program between UMM college students and Morris area youth (grades K-6)
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As parents, you have prepared your children for strangers knocking at the door or approaching them on the street. What about the internet? Join Pope County Deputy Bryan Klassen on September 18, 2018 to learn more about how you can protect your children when the strangers come knocking on the electronic door.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

6:30pm - 8:00 p.m. Morris Area Elementary School Concert Hall FREE

TIGER MOVIE CLUB

If free coffee, a free treat, and a free movie sound good to you, this is the club for you. On the third Tuesday of each month, join us in the Morris Area Elementary School. The movies are shown in the beautiful Concert Hall. The coffee and treats are provided as a gift from Morris Area Community Education. The coffee will be ready at 9:45 a.m. and the movie will be begin at 10:00 a.m. Grab a friend and join us!

Tuesday 9/18

Tuesday 10/16

Tuesday 11/20

Tuesday 12/18

Darkest Hour

Won't You Be My Neighbor?

The Finest Hours

TBD

Come grow with us!

2018 HORTICULTURE DISPLAY GARDEN EVENT

Summer Bulbs



Spring planted bulbs are a great way to add something unusual yet welcoming to your flower garden or containers.

We'll discuss proper planting, growing requirements, fall digging and proper winter storage. Class will be held near the bulb demonstration garden in the Horticulture Display Garden.

Presented by Bernie Angus, Master Gardener and Landscape Gardener.

Wed, September 19 5:15 - 6 pm

Held in the Horticulture Display Garden at the West Central Research and Outreach Center 46352 State Hwy 329, Morris, MN

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In the event of inclement weather, class will be held in AgCountry Auditorium at the WCROC



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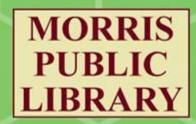
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Fall/Winter 2018 dates and locations







Morris Public Library

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September 20 - Career Planning

October 18 - Time Management

November 15 - Portfolio Kit

December 20 - Marketing

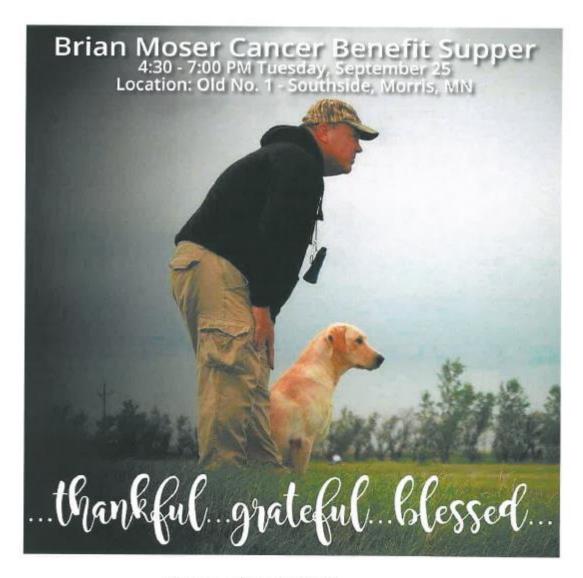
3rd Thursday of the month

Workshop times are 5:30pm - 8pm

Register for workshops at: http://tiny.cc/sb-woa-2018

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This activity is made possible by the voters of Minnesota through grants from the Lake Region Arts Council, thanks to a legislative appropriation from the Arts and Cultural Heritage fund.



- Spaghetti Supper - Free Will Offering & Silent Auction

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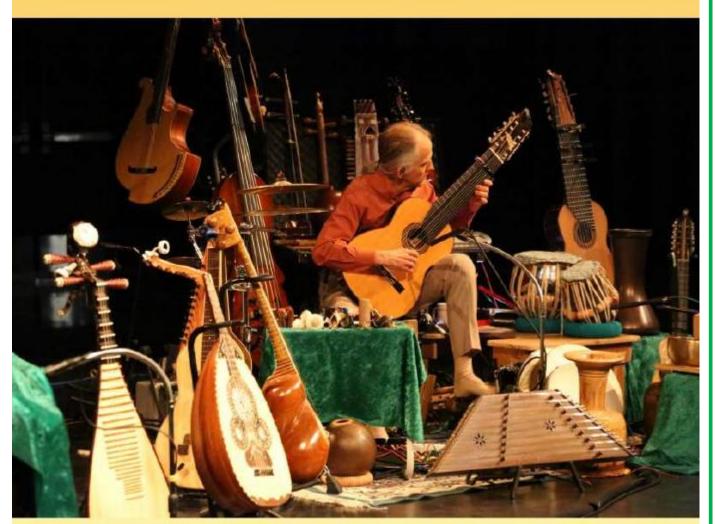
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Todd Green Concert

Thursday, October 4, 2018

Concert begins at 7:00 pm ~ Live Prelude begins at 6:30 pm

Morris Area Elementary School Concert Hall

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This concert was made possible through a generous donation from the Morris Area Arts Boosters and a grant from the Lakes Region Arts Council.



PRAIRIE PIONEER DAYS



Starting on Friday, September 14th at the Morris Theatre:



The Meg

Friday & Saturday 7:00PM Sunday 2:00PM & 7:00PM FLIP Tuesday 9:00PM Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 7:00PM

Five years ago, expert sea diver and Naval Captain Jonas Taylor encountered an unknown danger in the unexplored recesses of the Mariana Trench that forced him to abort his mission and abandon half his crew. Though the tragic incident earned him a dishonorable discharge, what ultimately cost him his career, his marriage and any semblance of honor was his unsupported and incredulous claims of what caused it - an attack on his vessel by a mammoth, 70-foot sea creature, believed to be extinct for more than a million years. But when a submersible lies sunk and disabled at the bottom of the ocean - carrying his ex-wife among the team onboard - he is the one who gets the call. Whether a shot at redemption or a suicide mission, Jonas must confront his fears and risk his own life and the lives of everyone trapped below on a single question: Could the Carcharodon Megalodon - the largest marine predator that ever existed - still be alive ... and on the hunt? Rated PG-13, 113 minutes. From Warner Brothers.

Alpha

Friday & Saturday 9:10PM Sunday 4:30PM & 9:10PM FLIP Tuesday 7:00PM Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 9:10PM

An epic adventure set in the last Ice Age, ALPHA tells a fascinating, visually stunning story that shines a light on the origins of man's best friend. While on his first hunt with his tribe's most elite group, a young man is injured and must learn to survive alone in the wilderness. Reluctantly taming a lone wolf abandoned by its pack, the pair learn to rely on each other and become unlikely allies, enduring countless dangers and overwhelming odds in order to find their way home before winter arrives. Rated PG-13, 96 Minutes. From Studio 8.

Searching

Friday & Saturday 7:10PM & 9:00PM Sunday 2:15PM & 7:10PM & 9:00PM Monday - Thursday 7:10PM & 9:00 PM

After David Kim (John Cho)'s 16-year-old daughter goes missing, a local investigation is opened and a detective is assigned to the case. But 37 hours later and without a single lead, David decides to search the one place no one has looked yet, where all secrets are kept today: his daughter's laptop. In a hyper-modern thriller told via the technology devices we use every day to communicate, David must trace his daughter's digital footprints before she disappears forever. Rated PG-13, 102 minutes. From Screen Gems.