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Charles Sorenson and his son, Nevada, catch one of the famous walleyes on Lake Sakakawea. The breathtaking view is in the Indian Hills region. Take the plunge this summer by visiting the many great places in west-central North Dakota. Enjoy all the area has to offer and please support the many advertisers who made this section possible.

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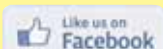
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Beulah Area

1 Heritage Park Market May 31 – Aug. 30

Every Tuesday night starting May 31 from 5 – 8 p.m. enjoy an evening of food, music, and vendors, watching the sunset behind Heritage Park's dragline. Vendors from near and far come to this venue to sell everything from home-baked goodies to Scentsy to purses, Tupperware, do-it-yourself crafts, and a variety of other goods. Alongside the vendors will be delicious dinner and snack options at the concession stand, as well as live music playing throughout the evening. This event is free to attend.

2 Relay for Life June 10

Summer events will kick off in the Beulah area with the annual Relay for Life fundraising event. Survivors and their supporters will lace up their walking shoes once again to bring the fight against cancer during the Coal County Relay for Life. The event gives participants a chance to share their stories and perspectives while raising funds to battle cancer.

3 Roughrider MC Summer Bash June 18

The roar of engines will make its way back into Beulah this event day when the Roughrider Motorcycle Club holds its annual summer bash. Folks come from all around to have a great day and night down at Riverside Park, where there will be plenty of fun and games including a dunk tank and live band.

4 Black Sand Golf Course April – September (701) 873-2929

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Mercer County Fair

July 7-10

Come on back to Beulah this July when the local county fair gets up and running. Crowds can expect a lively environment at the Mercer County Fair due to the number of events and activities taking place there. From the annual carnival to the Ranch Rodeo, Bull-a-Rama, and plenty of food and music for the whole family, this is one event that can't be missed.

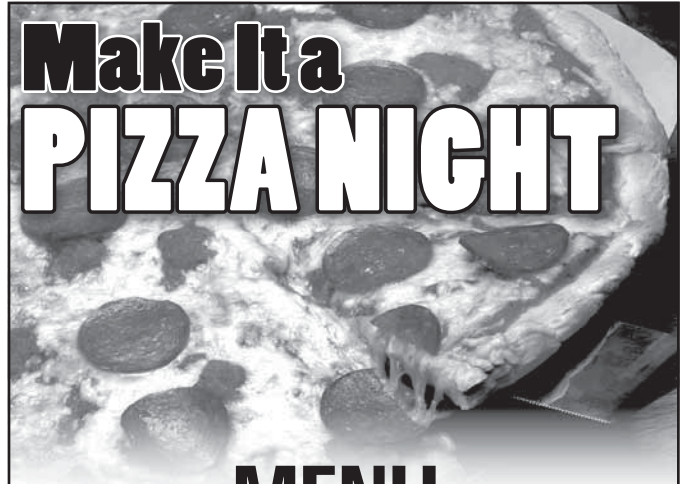
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76 Dakota Walleye Classic

July 22-23
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Fill your boat's gas tank and stock up on bait, one of the biggest finishing tournaments around happens again this July out of Beulah Bay. Both the number of teams and number of fish caught has been on the rise in recent years, as are the size of the walleye being reeled in. Register for the tournament early by calling the Chamber of Commerce, (701) 873-4585, for a chance to win big.

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Chamber Steak Fry

Aug. 18

The Beulah Chamber of Commerce will host its annual Steak Fry for a night of good food and great socializing. Get out to Riverside Park early to pick your favorite cut of steak and cook it the way you like before sitting down with a cold drink and warm conversation.



Camping Spring to Fall

The south side of Lake Sakakawea has plenty of camping options open for the outdoors-oriented adventurers out there. From Lake Sakakawea State Park near Pick City in the eastern portion of the county through Hazen Bay, Beulah Bay, and Beaver Bay going west, visitors will have a plethora of choices when picking their perfect camping spot. Call ahead for RV reservations or stop through for primitive camping. You won't regret great times at the lake!



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9 Industry Tours Anytime

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10 Mercer County Historical Museum Anytime

(800) 441-4649

The museum is open for tours Sundays from 1 – 4 p.m. Memorial Day through Labor Day, or by appointment any time throughout the year by calling toll free, (800) 441-4649. Founded in 1977, the museum will take visitors on a tour through time. With an early-day dental office, a one-room school house, displays of early rodeo days, wedding apparel, and military items, as well as the new one-of-a-kind toy collection and many more pieces, the museum will take you on a trip through time. Admission is free; however, donations are accepted.

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Chamber Fish Fry

Sept. 23 (date tentative)

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The Beulah Chamber of Commerce will get back into cooking mode this September to fry up all the fish caught during the Dakota Walleye Classic. This fun family event is a good time to catch up with friends over a meal at the Beulah Black Sands Golf Course. Don't be afraid to get a round of golf in to build up your appetite for the yearly event. For more information, call the Chamber of Commerce, (701) 873-4585.



Beulah Fly-In

Sept. 10

This family event is a great time to visit the Beulah Municipal Airport for big helpings of breakfast and high-flying fun with local pilots. During the Chamber of Commerce-sponsored event kids can take their first ride in an airplane – FREE – either before or after having their big breakfast served by local friendly faces at the Beulah airport hanger.

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The Antelope Valley Station, north of Beulah, and the Leland Olds Station, near Stanton, are coal-based power plants operated by **Basin Electric Power Cooperative**, Bismarck. These plants are part of a network that meets the electricity needs of Basin Electric's **138 member systems** that serve more than **2.9 million consumers in nine states.**

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Open year-round; state park visitor center hours vary by season. The state park charges a \$5/vehicle daily entry fee; an annual pass is available for \$25. Cross Ranch Preserve is free and open to the public from dawn to dusk daily

Cross Ranch State Park offers a variety of events and interpretive activities throughout the year as well as camping, hiking, fishing and geocaching. Facilities include picnic shelters, a playground and a boat ramp, as well as log cabins, yurts and RV camping (under 35 feet, with showers and flush toilets nearby). Canoes are available for rent; in the winter, visitors can rent snowshoes or cross-country ski equipment.

The Cross Ranch Preserve, adjacent to Cross Ranch State Park, is free of charge and open to the public for hiking, wildlife and bird watching, photography and, in the winter, cross-country skiing. It is also a historic and archeological site, with the remnants of a pioneer homestead and cemetery visible from the trail.

14 Old Settlers Days June 10-12

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Activities from “a” almost to “z” make Old Settlers Days a three-day weekend full of fun for all ages and interests. The 110th Annual Oliver County Old Settlers celebration offers activities and entertainment that kick off Friday, June 10, with a wagon train, tractor trek, craft fair, and a crowd favorite, the kiddie parade.

Saturday morning's main parade features the year's honorary Old Settlers - residents whose forebears helped to settle the county, along with floats and other entries. After the parade, head to the courthouse courtyard for inflatable and carnival games, or gather on Main Street to enter or watch the street games – traditional picnic-style games like sack races, tugs-of-war, egg toss, and more. Or browse the booths at the crafts fair, and grab a bite to eat – there's always plenty of good food to choose from.

Sports fans can enter or watch the softball tournament or the golf scramble, then come into town for live music at the street dance.

The softball tournament wraps up Sunday, with games starting after the community church service in the courtyard.



OLD SETTLERS DAY 3-LEGGED RACE

T5 Oliver County Fair

August 11-14
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OliverCountyFairND

Enjoy good old-fashioned fun at the Oliver County Fair! Come out to Center for a fun-filled weekend for all ages, complete with petting zoo, chili cook-off, kiddie pedal pull, inflatable games, mud volleyball, mutton bustin', Western Edge Bull Riding, and Saturday night dance, all without ever having to leave the fairgrounds.

The four-day event gets off to a traditional county fair start Thursday, August 11, with 4-H achievement day, static exhibits, flower show, and pet and small animal judging. The 4-H events continue Friday with livestock judging, the horse show, premium and pie sales, and supper at the civic center (free with fair admission wristband), with a draft horse and pony pull capping off the evening.

The fun ramps up Saturday with inflatable games, kiddie calf show, chili cook-off, mud volleyball tournament, petting zoo, a youth BB gun shoot, chicken bingo and more, plus plenty of fair food to tempt taste buds and satisfy tummies. Later in the evening, the focus turns to the arena for mutton bustin' and bull riding, with the dance capping off the evening.

The weekend ends with a roar Sunday when drivers fire up their engines for the annual truck and tractor pull, featuring pick-up trucks and modified pick-ups and tractors.



T6 Square Butte Creek Golf Course

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Gas and electric carts are available; players may also choose to walk the course. Clubs are available for rent. There is no dress code, but metal spikes are not allowed.

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Dunn County

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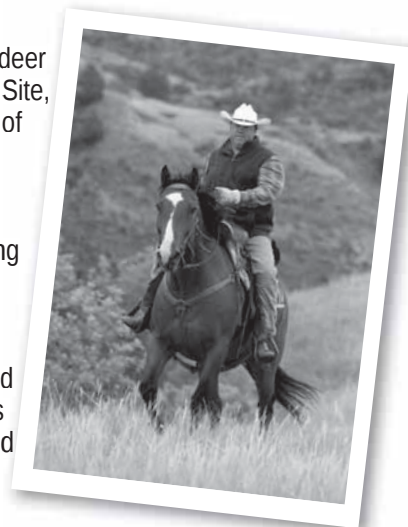
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19 Killdeer Mountain Battlefield Site Anytime

Killdeer is home to the Killdeer Mountain Battlefield Historic Site, which remembers the Battle of the Killdeer Mountains when General Alfred Sully's troops fought against the Sioux in 1864. The troops were seeking revenge for the Minnesota Massacre two years earlier. Outside Killdeer, visitors will find Bandlands Tail Rides and Campgrounds. The business features horseback riding and cabins for lodging.



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Garrison Area

20 Sky Fest over Fort Stevenson

May 28-30

Sky Fest over Fort Stevenson is a kite flying festival for all ages. Fly your own kite or build your own. See kites of all shapes and sizes being flown, including stunt kites. The festival is May 28-30 and runs from 10 a.m., to 4 p.m., each day. Military Service Personnel Day is May 30, with free military personnel admission into the park.

22 Fort Stevenson Frontier Military Days

June 25-26

On June 25-26, history comes alive during Fort Stevenson State Park Frontier Military Days. The event showcases living history demonstrations that includes a military encampment and maneuvers. The event is from 1-4 p.m. each day. Skills and crafts of the Indian Wars period are also displayed. Visit the Fort Stevenson Guardhouse Interpretive Center. Visitor Appreciation Day is June 26, with free admission into the park.

21 Camp of the Cross Summer Auction

June 18

The Camp of the Cross Summer Auction is Saturday, June 18 beginning at 10:30 a.m., with viewing from 8-10 a.m. The auction features a cornucopia of beautifully hand-crafted quilts from churches in north central North Dakota and beyond. The event raises funds to offset the cost of those who attend the camp. Also part of the event are activities for youth and adults. The event is at Garrison High School.

23 Fourth of July Celebration

July 4

The Fourth of July features a popular Pet and Doll Parade that begins under Wally Walleye at the top of Main Street.



FORT STEVENSON STATE PARK

24 N.D. Governor's Cup July 15-16

The 41st Annual N.D. Governor's Cup Fishing Derby is Friday and Saturday, July 15-16. The tournament boasts 252 teams who compete for the Governor's Cup championship. Flights launch between 7 and 8:30 a.m. from Fort Stevenson State Park. Weigh-ins begin at 3 p.m. at the Garrison City Park. The N.D. Junior Governor's Cup Fishing Derby is Saturday, July 16 and begins at 10 a.m. Open to ages up to 17. Prizes awarded.

25 Club de Skinautique July 30

Water ski show featuring trick skiing, pyramids and jumps. The show is Saturday, July 30, at Fort Stevenson State Park, three miles south of Garrison.

26 CANDISC Aug. 6-13

www.candisc.net

CANDISC Bicycle Tour is a 400-mile loop tour originating and ending at Garrison. This year's ride is Aug. 6-13. This year's ride will tour the North Dakota Badlands.

27 Beach Party Aug. 27

Everyone heads to the beach for the annual Garrison Chamber of Commerce sponsored Beach Party Aug. 27. The event, from 6 p.m., to midnight. The event features live bands and 50's, 60's, and 70's music with carnival style entertainment. It's fun and food for all ages. The event is at Fort Stevenson State Park.



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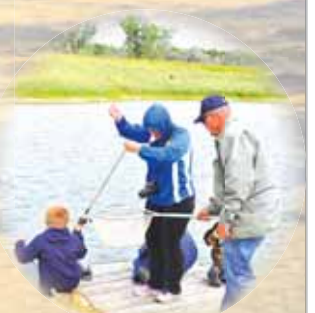
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28 Corn, Wheels, 'N Grill Fest

Sept. 10

Garrison Chamber of Commerce committees sponsor the 5th Annual Aw Shucks! Corn Fest, Garrison Cool and Classic Car and Tractor Show. The fun is at Garrison City Park Saturday, Sept. 10. The event features a free corn feed, corn shucking contest, vintage car and tractor show and games. There is also a scarecrow contest between the local businesses and community members where attendees can vote to decide the winners.

29 Fort Stevenson State Park

Three miles south of Garrison is Fort Stevenson State Park. The park features a 138-site-modern campground that features showers, playground and picnic areas. The campground area features a pull-through camper area with electricity and sewer hookups. A concession stand and marina add to a great lake experience. Three camping cabins and two full service cabins with electricity and refrigerators, are also available.

30 Sportsmen's Centennial Park

Sportsmen's Centennial Park, five miles east and two miles south of Garrison, or one mile west and two miles south of U.S. Highway 83, features more than 120 RV sites – 54 offer electrical service. There are 24 long-term camping sites with electricity. Thirty-one long-term sites are primitive. Both high and low water boat ramps are available. Concession store open Memorial Day through Labor Day. A fish cleaning station and multipurpose meeting room are available as is a shower and toilets.

31 Indian Hills Resort

Thirty-one miles west of Garrison on Hwy. 37/1804, Indian Hills Resort features a full facility campground and lodging resort. Open May 15-Oct. 31, Indian Hills features 50 RV sites equipped with electricity, rural water, and ample primitive sites, 4 log camping cabins, 4 condos and the Arrowhead Lodge, boat ramp, convenience store, bait shop, gas on the water, boat docks up to 36-ft. New showers, laundry, RV and large boat sewer dump and fish cleaning station. Check out Indian Hills at fishindianhills.com.

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Max

32 Max Roughrider Rodeo Aug. 5-6

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33 Makoti Threshing Show

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Coleharbor

34 Audubon Refuge

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Audubon National Wildlife Refuge, north of Coleharbor and just off U.S. Highway 83, offers adventure, serenity and natural experiences for visitor's who have a passion for wildlife, prairie grasslands and wetland habitats. It's a place for people to relax and enjoy some of the magnificent pleasures of nature, such as the spring and fall migrations of thousands of ducks, geese, shorebirds and songbirds. The visitor center features exhibits about wildlife, habitat, and a history of the area.

White Shield

35 White Shield Powwow

Music and traditional Native American dancing and foods are featured at the Powwow Grounds just south of White Shield. The event is in early July. Nearby, just west of White Shield, is the historic Old Scout Cemetery.



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5. Oktoberfest – Sept. 29-Oct. 1

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Hazen Area

36 Pitchfork Fondue

Aug. 23

On Aug. 23, Hazen will hold its annual "Pitchfork Fondue" at the Hazen Golf Club. The event features a large steak and potato dinner, allowing Hazen residents and visitors alike to gather around for great food and conversation.

37 Hazen Oktoberfest

Sept. 29 - Oct. 1

Based on the traditional German beer festival, Hazen annually holds its own "Oktoberfest". Don't let the name deceive you: the celebration runs from Sept. 25 through Oct. 1. This year's festival includes beer tasting, a fleischkuechle feed, and a concert by Bismarck/Mandan rock group Dirty Blonde at the Heritage Park.

38 Trail of Treats

October 31

Halloween is a fun time in Hazen, with trick-or-treat options not only at homes, but businesses as well. Hazen's "Trail of Treats" on Halloween day is an excellent way to find candy for the kids on Main Street during the day as well as at homes during the evening. Pumpkin carving and kids' storytime events are further Halloween activities the community offers.

39 Music in the Park

During the summer months, "Music in the Park" draws many visitors to the pocket park along Main Street to listen to local musical talent in a relaxed outdoor setting. Performances are every Wednesday from June 15 through August 17. Local organizations also serve a meal before the entertainment. Meals are served at 5 p.m., with performances beginning at 6 p.m. The park also provides a peaceful getaway for people at all times of the day.

40 Walk Around

Dec. 1

Hazen's "Walk Around" event on Dec. 1 gives you the opportunity to check out the community's local businesses and their Christmas deals. Decked-up outfits by employees, visits from Santa, and a competition to visit all the participating businesses (with prizes for doing so), are among the many attractions this event offers.

41 Hazen Golf Course

Located a half-mile east of Hazen on U.S. Highway 200, the 9-hole Hazen Golf Course boasts about 2,800 yards with a par of 35. Don't underestimate the challenge it brings. It features a No. 1 handicap par 3 known as "The shortest Par 5 in North Dakota."



42 Hazen Bay Recreation Area

If you want to enjoy the outdoors, the Hazen Bay Recreation Area, located 15 miles due north of Hazen on County Road 27, is the ideal place for you. The campground includes 97 full-site hook-ups, 25 sites with water and electric service, seven sites with simple electric service, and six primitive campgrounds for diehard campers. Playgrounds and picnic shelters also offer locations to relax. Boat ramps and a fishing cleaning station are also available for use by boaters and fishers.



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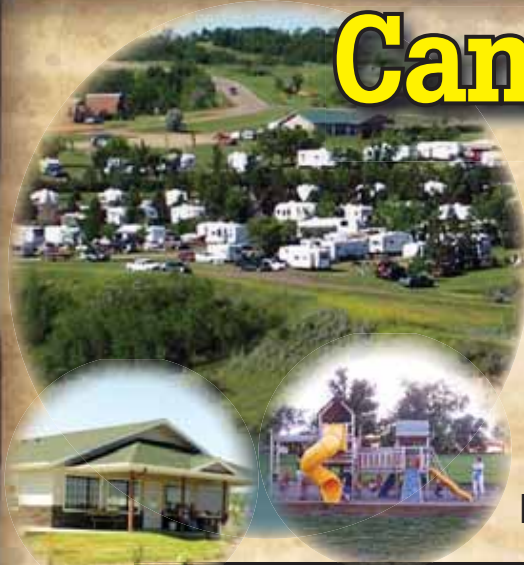
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Each year, bikers gather to explore the Lake Sakakawea area on a week-long bike ride hitting interesting locations along the way. These bikers will be in Hazen on Aug. 7, the same day Hazen hosts a turkey BBQ meal. If you enjoy biking, this is a prime opportunity to experience the beauty of the Hazen and larger Lake Sakakawea country.

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Hazen Parks

Lewis and Clark RV Park

On West Main Street you can find a campground that also fills all your RV needs. The Lewis and Clark RV Park holds 28 full service hooked-up sites, relaxing camping and playground locations, and close proximity to Krause's Market, the local grocery store.

Antelope Creek RV Park

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46 McClusky Midsummer Fest

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47 Goodrich Historical

701-363-2348 or 701-884-2624

The main museum site is on the north side of Goodrich City Park, just off Highway 200.

The Goodrich-based Sheridan County Historical Society Museum holds artifacts of the past including old machinery and farm equipment, church and school relics, and home living exhibits. Jerry Reiswig, McClusky, 701-363-2348, is the president of the Society.

Shirley Barreth, 701-884-2624, is the contact person to view the premises, as there are no regular hours the museum is open. The public is welcome to contact Barreth or Reiswig for further information.

There is an old school and museum, with an old church (now temporarily closed) and contents being moved and repaired for future use. Several pieces of machinery and other equipment are displayed outside.

48 McClusky Hoffer

South Hoffer Lake, just two miles north and west of McClusky, offers quality boating and fishing experiences as well as old and new camping sites. The boat dock is well kept and the area is part of the McClusky Canal and offers good fishing both from boat or dock.



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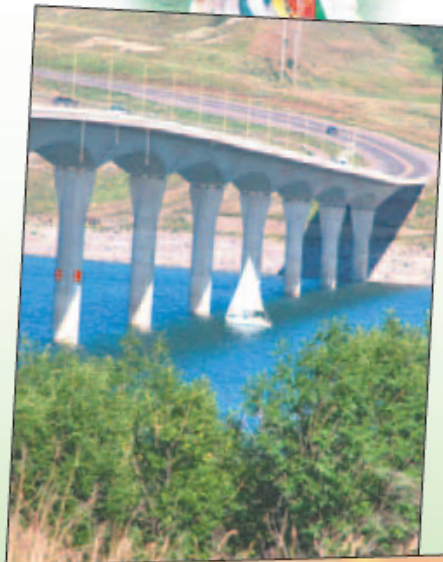
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The Lodge added 120 new rooms including two Executive Suites for a total of 205 rooms. The hotel has a heated indoor swimming pool plus a sauna and jacuzzi. The Bison Room fine dining restaurant was renovated this winter and features North Dakota Prime Beef, fresh seafood, and classic desserts. The Cache buffet restaurant offer breakfast, lunch and dinner.

The resort has a marina and a C-Store with a large selection of bait and tackle, hunting supplies, groceries and camping supplies. Boat and Jet Ski rentals are available. The RV Park boasts 115 full service hookups.

The casino is home to more than 600 slot machines. Card players can choose between poker and blackjack tables. Player can also try their luck at roulette or craps. The Casino puts on Texas Hold'em Tournaments every Wednesday and Thursday at 7 p.m. and cash games Friday and Saturday at 6 p.m. The high stakes area at 4 Bears Casino & Lodge features \$25 to \$250 limit black jack. So if you're a high roller, 4 Bears is the place for you.

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Three Affiliated Tribes Museum

The Three Affiliated Tribes Museum is located on one of the most picturesque sites of North Dakota. Framed by the legendary Missouri River (now Lake Sakakawea) to the east and north and by historic buttes to the south and west, it is in a timeless corridor of history. More than 12,000 years ago, early man found this area to be a good camping site, a place to hunt the ancient bison needed for survival. Today, modern man stills enjoys camping out and tossing a line or two in the Missouri in hopes of catching his evening meal of mouth-watering walleye.

Exhibits of both traditional and contemporary subjects range from 19th century apparel to modern-day graphic arts. Several monuments are housed outdoors on the lawn of the Museum. These include the Fort Laramie Monument, the Veterans Monument, the Fallen Soldier Monument and the Lewis and Clark Peace and Friendship Monument erected by the ND Surveyors Association. A new, attractive fence will be installed this spring around the Veterans Monument with the help of a grant from the Marathon Oil Company.

The museum will be open by Memorial Day. The hours of operation are from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Monday through Friday, and 1-4 p.m., Saturday and Sunday. Admission is \$3 for adults and \$2 for teens 13 to 18 and seniors over 60. For further information, you can contact the Museum at 701-627-4477 or by e-mail at tatmuseum@restel.net. The mailing address is PO Box 147, New Town ND 58763.



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Some of the most picturesque Badlands scenery can be found at Little Missouri State Park. Most of this primitive park is accessible only on foot or horseback. Wind, water and sand... these components sculpted North Dakota's wildly rugged Little Missouri Breaks Country. Called "Mako Shika" or "where the land breaks" by the Sioux, these unusual land formations offer the state's most awe-inspiring scenery. The parks is located 15 miles south of Mandaree.

Just north of the park, the byway winds north through rugged badlands crossing the Little Missouri River at Lost Bridge. The Lost Bridge was built in the early 1930s. A road to the bridge was not built until twenty years later, hence the name. The Lost Bridge was dismantled in 1994. A plaque and a piece of the old bridge have been installed on Highway 22 near the new ridge as a memorial.

Mandaree is the hub of the West Segment of the Mandan, Hidatsa and Arikara Nation. There are many cultural events throughout the summer, starting with a Memorial Day Powwow honoring Vietnam and other veterans at the Water Chief Hall on May 25. The community holds a festive Fourth of July celebration every year. The Mandaree Powwow grounds is the home of the Mandaree Celebration held on July 24-26 this summer.

The trip concludes at Four Bears, on the shores of Lake Sakakawea. Stops at the end of the road include the Three Affiliated Tribes Museum, the Four Bears Casino and Lodge, the spectacular Four Bears Bridge and the Crow Flies High Butte Scenic Overlook.

Check www.dot.nd.gov/travel-info-v2/travel-info.htm for road conditions before starting your trip.



Area Powwows

The rhythm of drums calls to the soul as singers raise their voices with words that are as ancient as the hills or young as a new child. From the muted tones of the traditional dancers to the kaleidoscope that makes up the costumes of the fancy dancers, Powwows are a feast for the senses.

The Mandan, Hidatsa and Arikara people have lived in the Missouri River Valley for centuries. The powwows are a connection to that past when peoples from hundreds of miles around came to the river to trade and celebrate the prairie's abundance. Powwows are also a time for special ceremonies to welcome new members into families and clans and remember those who have passed away.

Every reservation community on Fort Berthold holds at least one powwow during the summer. Powwows generally start Thursday evenings and go all day Friday and Saturday. The largest powwows on the Fort Berthold Reservation are:

Four Bears Annual Powwow

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White Shield Celebration

July 7, 8, 9, 10

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July 14, 15, 16

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Little Shell Celebration

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The village hosts the Warrior of the Plains races during the Little Shell Powwow on August 6 and 7. The event celebrates the traditional skills of the Three Affiliated Tribes warriors in a triathlon style run, canoe race and horse race. There are events for both adult men and women, youth and elders.

Visitors can also drop in for a cultural tour, hiking, kayaking or horseback riding. The Earth Lodge Village is also the host of the exciting Warrior of the Plains race every summer. Visitors can also learn from the village's traditional garden, which grows ancient varieties of beans, corn, sunflowers and other traditional foods.

For more information or to rent one of the earth lodges, contact MHA Tourism at 627-2243 or email info@mhatourism.com.

54 Experience History

Two great rivers meet at the confluence of the Yellowstone and Missouri Rivers 22 miles southwest of Williston. Several trading and military forts were built in the area, and steamboats carried furs and gold, soldiers and settlers, and whiskey and weapons in the days of the Wild West.

The Missouri-Yellowstone Confluence Interpretive Center tells the story of the confluence of these two mighty rivers, as well as provides the same magnificent view that Lewis and Clark Expedition members enjoyed when they visited in 1805 and 1806. The rotunda area includes three large murals featuring quotes from the Lewis and Clark Journals, and paintings of the Missouri River landscape by Colonel Philippe Régis de Trobriand, commanding officer of Fort Stevenson near present-day Garrison, N.D. in the late 1860s.

The Missouri-Yellowstone Confluence Interpretive Center (MYCIC) held its grand opening in August 2003. The \$2.2 million center tells the history and prehistory of the area near the confluence of the Missouri and Yellowstone Rivers and includes a 2,000-square-foot permanent exhibit, Trails, Tracks,

Rivers, and Roads. The 8,600-square-foot facility was built with local, state, and federal funding. It attracted more than 24,000 visitors from all 50 states and 20 countries its first year.

This summer, on the 20th of every month, Vic Smith "Champion Buffalo Hunter" portrayed by Arch Ellwein, will give thrilling accounts of his life as a scout, guide and hunter. On July 17-20, reenactors portraying the 6th Infantry will be occupying the barracks and have numerous activities throughout the weekend.

Hours are from 9 a.m. - 7 p.m. daily from May 16 to September 15. Admission is \$5 per adult and \$2.50 per child. School groups: \$1 per /student, adults with students get free admission. Tour buses: \$2 per person for groups of 20 or more. North Dakota Heritage Foundation members and children five and under are admitted free. Admission fee includes admission to Fort Buford State Historic Site.

For more information, phone 701-572-9034 or email: shsbuford@nd.gov.

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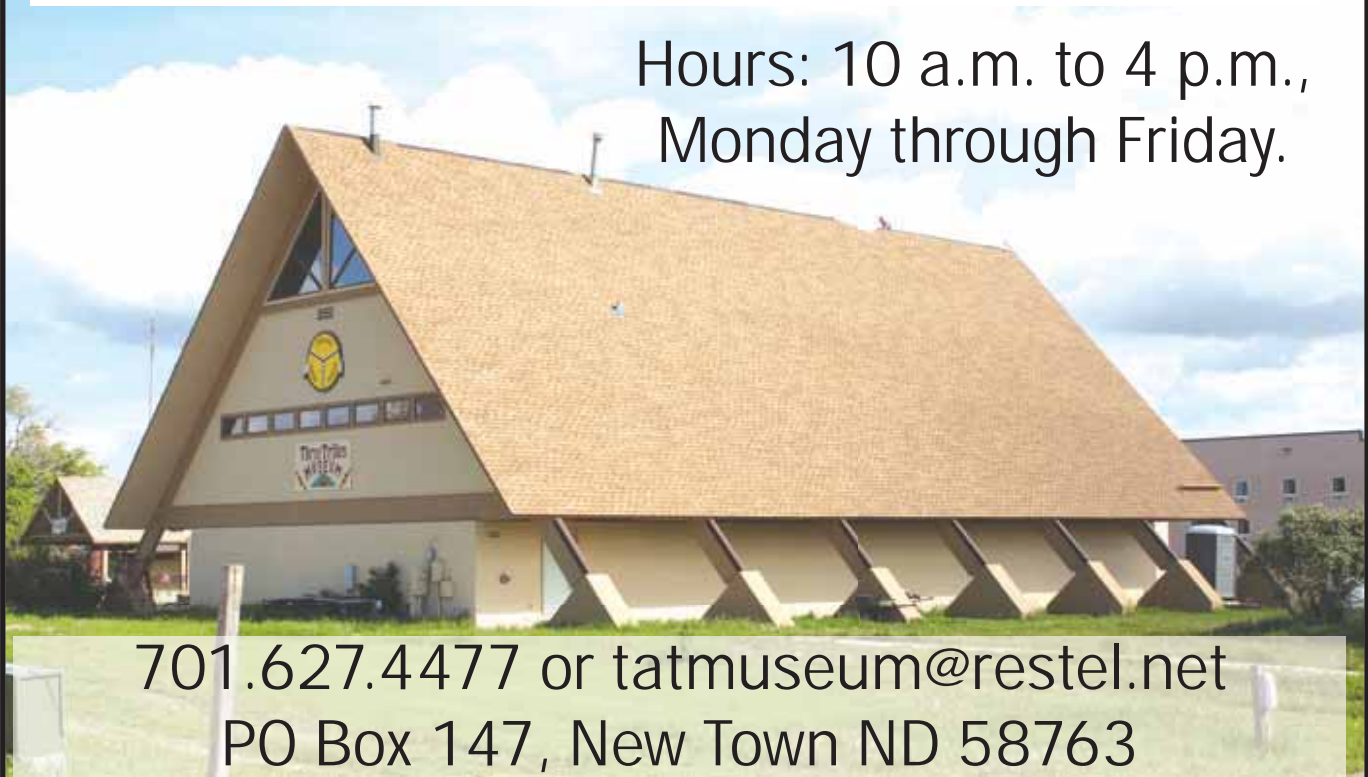
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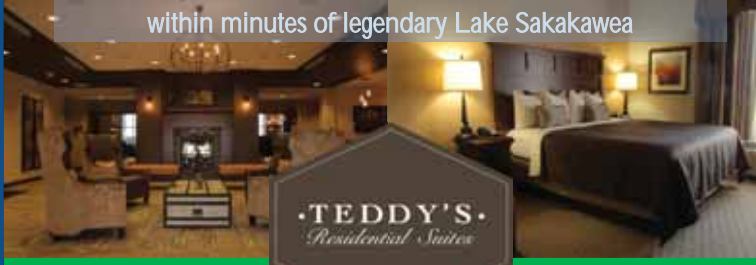


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Parshall

56 Broste Rock Museum May 1 - Labor Day

The museum is open May 1 through Labor Day and Tuesdays and Sundays by appointment.

Like a rock, the Paul Broste Rock Museum has anchored the northwest region of North Dakota, drawing visitors to the Parshall community from all over the United States, Canada and around the world. The museum was the brainchild of Paul Broste, a local farmer, artist and collector. He began his rock collection at an early age and did much of it during the 1920s and 1930s, though interest in purchasing rocks was dim.

Built of natural granite quarried from the area, construction of the rock museum began in 1964. The entire structure was done with volunteer labor and on June 3, 1966, the museum opened its doors for the first time. As the story goes, Broste acquired only the finest rocks from all over the world. They were cut, ground and polished into spheres and slabs and eventually put on display.

Paul saw his museum as a way of displaying his paintings, conceptual sculptures, pen-and-ink illustrations, poems and philosophies, as well as his rocks. He called it his "Acropolis on a Hill."

The grandest of his conceptual sculptures is seated in the Infinity Room. Over a period of two years, he formed the tall structure with steel from his farm, bending the material with no

heat to form the balance tree. The tree is home to a number of valuable formations and according to Doris Jacobson, if anyone were to start taking the spheres off, Broste's "universe" would topple.

While a flawless rose quartz, a waterfall of Arizona petrified wood and even a meteorite from the world above are housed in Paul's collection, the single most valuable piece is his crystal ball. Broste traveled to Brazil to purchase it and Jacobson said a number of collectors would love to have it. With a worth that has been said to be up to \$1 million, it is known as the star of the collection.

Second most valuable are the gypsum curls from Big Bend, Texas. The large slab is one of two pieces brought out of a cave. The men who transported it had to break the piece into two. One piece rests in the Smithsonian Museum of Natural History in Washington, D.C., and one piece calls Parshall its home.

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Van Hook is a recreational campground that is perfect for weekend getaways with family and friends. Amazing fishing draws guests from around the state, and great amenities will ensure a memorable vacation.

Van Hook offers the following amenities: swimming beach, basketball & volleyball courts, horse shoe pits, picnic pavilion, multiple boat launches, plenty of boater parking, a huge playground, fish cleaning stations, ADA boat loading ramp, courtesy docks, bathrooms with hot showers, bait and tackle shop, gas station, grocery store fishing boat rentals, stand up paddle board rentals & more!

Fishing, of course, is the lure to Parshall Bay. However, there

is so much more to do at this great hideaway, consider it for an extended weekend.

Camping and other water-related activities is what Parshall Bay is all about. In addition, for a change of pace from the water-related activities, there's a nine-hole golf course 10 miles away in Parshall to challenge you and don't forget to drop by the world-renowned Paul Broste Rock Museum while you are in town.

To get to Parshall Bay from U.S. Highway 83, go west on N.D. Highway 23, turn south on N.D. Highway 37, go two miles and turn right on 37th Street Northwest. Follow that road 10 miles and the bay is on the north side of the highway.

Parshall Bay Campground has a Pavilion which is located in the main park. It is great to use for large family reunions, parties, etc. There is a small charge for the use of it so it can be reserved. The park also has an RV dump station that is available to campers of Parshall Bay Rec Area, as well as seven camp sites with water hookups and electricity.

There are also 50 electrical camp sites available in the park along with lots of primitive camping available for those who want to rough it.

Parshall Bay Rec Area has some long-term seasonal camping spots available for rent and they can be reserved by contacting the park manager at 701-862-3362 or by emailing (parshallcmpgrnd@restel.com).

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<http://www.willistonparks.com/WMGC.html>

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For more information, see Ray Golf Course on FaceBook

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Area campgrounds

ndtourism.com

For those with adventurous spirits who like to get into nature, lounge quietly near it, or jump in and recreate in your own fashion, there are many camping opportunities to do just that near Lake Sakakawea and the surrounding area. Don't forget that North Dakota Tourism also has a listing of places and things to do.

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North City Park

701-862-3459 | North City Park Located near the Broste Rock Museum in Parshall. Overnight tenting only, parking spaces, 2 picnic shelters, playground and walking path.

Parshall RV Park

701-862-2868

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Parshall Bay Recreation Area

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Birding around Lake Sakakawea

North Dakota is a must see destination for birdwatchers from around the world. More than 300 species of birds have been identified in North Dakota, including one of the United States largest and most diverse populations of shore birds and waterfowl, drawn not just by lakes and rivers but by the innumerable potholes that dot the countryside.

Many of the birds of the region are unusual. The sand bars of the Missouri River are home to two endangered species, the least tern and piping plover. The upland prairies have their own treasures including the rare sage grouse, Sprague's pipit and Baird's, LeConte's, and Nelson's sparrows. Hawks, falcons and bald eagles are common sights circling overhead across the prairie. During the spring and fall a rainbow of warblers pass through as are whooping cranes and massive flocks of snow and Canada geese.

Bird checklists for area parks and wildlife refuges can be found at <http://www.parkrec.nd.gov/nature/checklists.html#birdchecklists>. One resort that caters to birders is Lunds Landing near Ray. The resort offers birding trails and tours, for more information check out <http://www.lundslanding.com/birding.htm>. Some of the birds that can be seen at Lunds Landing include Mountain & Eastern Bluebirds, Baird's Sparrow, Least Tern, Piping Plover, Lazuli Bunting, Sprague's Pipit, Rock Wren, Ferruginous Hawk, Common Flicker, Long billed Curlew, and Kingfishers.

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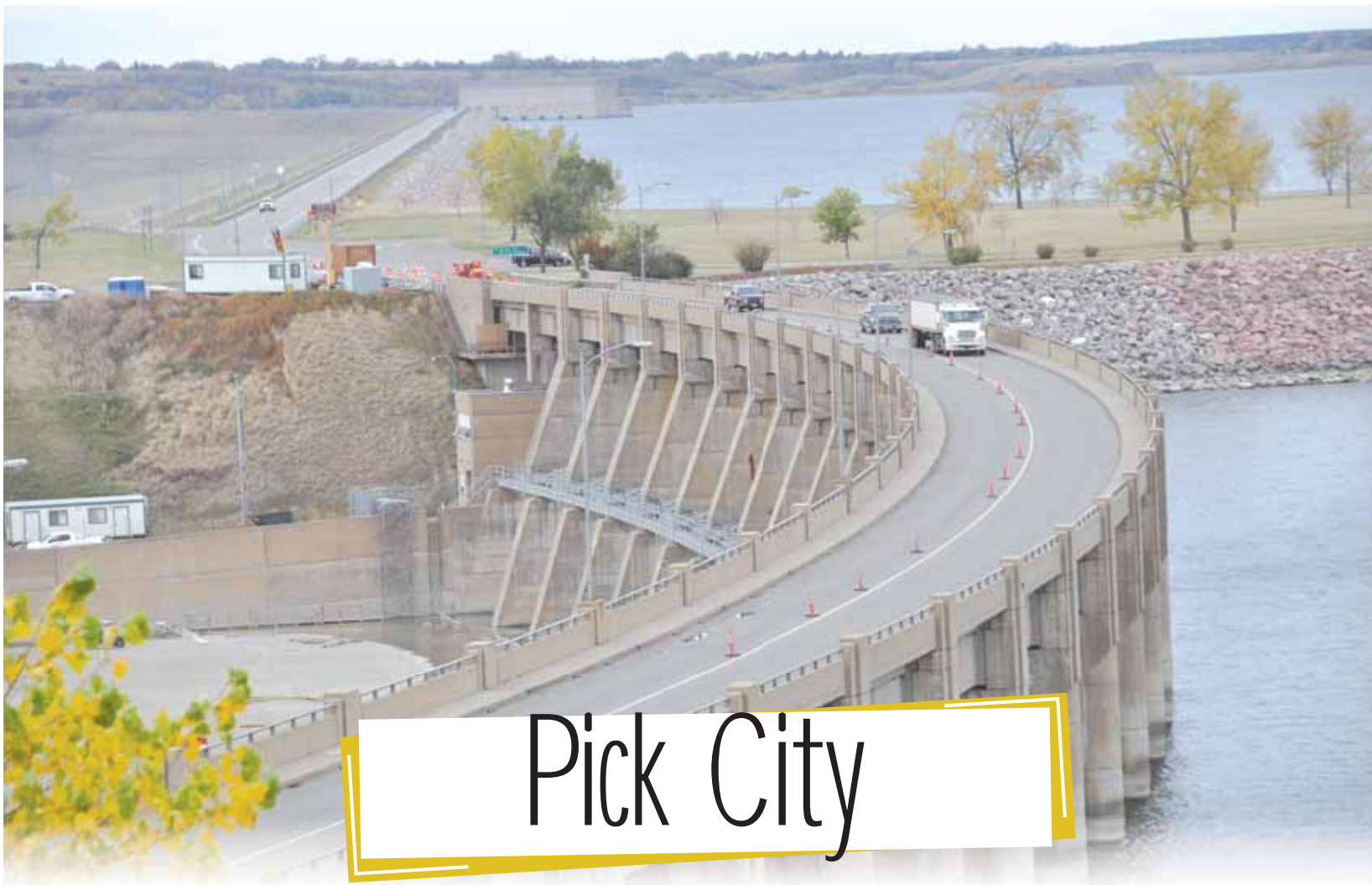
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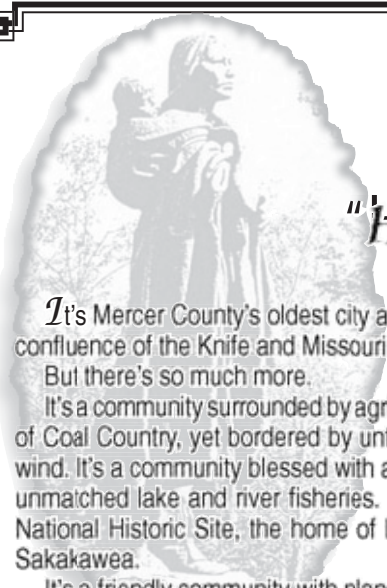
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Knife River Days August 6 & 7

Saturday, August 6

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Sunday, August 7

10 a.m.

11 a.m.

11:30 a.m. - Noon

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Stanton

63 Knife River Days Aug. 6-7

Located along the meeting of the Missouri and Knife Rivers, Stanton has a rich history which the community celebrates at the beginning of each August. Knife River Days, running on Aug. 6 and 7, provides every variety of entertainment. The Old Man and Kid Fishing Derby provides a friendly fishing competition during the celebration as well.

64 Sakakawea Park

Not to be confused with Lake Sakakawea State Park to the north of Pick City, Sakakawea Park is snugly located between Stanton and the Missouri River. The trees surrounding you will make you forget you're close to the town, as will the bubbling rush of the river nearby.

65 Knife River Indian Villages

Home of Sacagawea, the famous Shoshone woman who accompanied Lewis and Clark on their expedition, Knife River Indian Villages is a historic location featuring both the sites and artifacts of the Native American tribes that had lived there. The park is open year round, but features specific attractions and events in the summer.



Stanley



The Sibyl Center

The Sibyl Center is located in downtown Stanley, one block west of Main Street (Hwy 8) at the corner of 3rd Avenue SW and 1st Street SW, across from elementary school. For more information and to find the Center's complete 2016 schedule, go to www.sibylcenter.org.

A community-oriented center for the arts and learning in downtown Stanley, North Dakota. Now beginning its 13th season, the center hosts a full schedule of entertainment, arts, musical performances and social events from April through November.

The center is operated by the Foundation for Life Enrichment, Inc., a local non-profit organization that owns the historic First Presbyterian Church in Stanley, North Dakota, Completed in 1928, Tudor-style building stands as testimony to the quality craftsmanship of the time, a one-of-a-kind example of prairie church architecture.

It honors the memory of Sibyl MacDonald who brought the joys of music to hundreds of Stanley's young people during her long piano-teaching career. The center hosts concerts and educational events for the community and visitors including classical music, bluegrass and folk music, jazz, documentaries, dinner theater and more. Its main hall with its new kitchen and dining facilities, is an ideal venue for meetings, family gatherings, reunions, weddings and receptions.

A \$5 donation for events is appreciated. Some of the summer events scheduled for the Sibyl Center this summer are:

June 5: 3 p.m. - Dakota Drifters, Dick and Brenda Johnson, Carl Kannianan and Toby Nelson. Country and rock & roll.

June 7: 7 p.m. - "Travel Adventures" with Travel World of Crosby

June 12: 3 p.m. - The Jore Family, Williston

June 15: 7 p.m. - LINK UNION, Classical Country, Blue Grass vocal and instrumental

June 21: 7 p.m. - "Travel Adventures" with Dianna Beehler & Gem's Travels

July 1: 7 p.m. - The RADIO STARS with Merrill Piepkorn

July 3: 7 p.m. - Beatles Tribute Group, Hard Day's Night

July 4: 2 p.m. - Beatles Tribute Group, Hard Day's Night

July 24: 3 p.m. - 'Marlene & Friends - Marlene Jensen Hoirup, piano, will be joined by her husband Don, a baritone for a wide variety of piano and vocal selections. 'A rags to riches' program.'

August 7: 3 p.m. Shelby Huston, violin. Winner of The International Peace Gardens Fiddling competition and 2015 Minnesota State Old Time Fiddle Championship, Shelby will perform classical, contemporary and Bluegrass fiddling. She a regular performer at the Norsk Hostfest.

August 14: 3 p.m. - Joann's Song, Joann Martinson, soprano, Marlene J. Hoirup, piano. As a native North Dakotan, Joann has been a top award winner in national competitions for her beautiful voice and vocal artistry.



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Turtle Lake

68 Turtle Days July 8-10

Turtle Days is July 8, 9 and 10 for 2016. Events during Friday and Saturday include Egg Toss, Digital Scavenger Hunt, Inflatable Games, Kiddie Parade, Turtle Trot, Parade, Kids Carnival, Soap Box Derby, Horseshoe Tournament, Ski Races, Dunk Tank, Turtle Races, Kids Tractor Pull, and Saturday Night Street Dance. Food sold at various locations and vendor booths throughout the weekend.

70 Brush Lake Rodeo 701-447-2242

The rodeo held at Brush Lake, north of Mercer, on Labor Day weekend, features bull riding for junior and senior divisions, and mutton busting for youth and lunch stand on site. The rodeo is held on the Saturday night prior to Labor Day (September 3). Contact persons are Randy and Karen Zinke: 701-447-2242.

69 Softball July 10 448-2596

Softball tournament at Lake Brekken on Sunday, July 10, contact Darwin Saari, 448-2596, to register and for information. Other softball competitions as scheduled during summer, also.



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Underwood

71 McLean County Fair June 17-19

The McLean County Fair continues to thrive and grow in Underwood, getting bigger and better entertainment, while keeping its traditional county fair charm, and more and more are people attending the fair each year. This year's fair is set for June 17-19 in Underwood, and will feature the country duo Tigirlily and a magic show. The Ranch Rodeo and Redneck Races for kids and adults will also be back this year – both of those events have been bringing in big crowds at the fair. Also back are the carnival rides for the kids, the kiddie tractor pull, racing for speed enthusiasts, a quilt show and plenty of other entertainment throughout the three-day event. The traditional exhibits presented by the 4-H, FFA and school children will also be on display, and the open class exhibits are expected to be well represented as well as the locals vie for top prizes. And if that's not enough, there will be plenty of fair food available to keep you coming back for more – including a free beef BBQ put on by the local co-ops, and the annual food booth presented by the Underwood Civic Club.

72 Midsummer Classic June 25

The Annual Midsummer Classic is set for Saturday, June 25. If you like hot rods and sweet rides,

Underwood is the place for you the last Saturday in June. The parade of classic cars and other vehicles starts at noon, and it's non-stop action the rest of the day, capped off by a street dance. Items on the agenda include kids' bounce houses, Whack-A-Car, a radio controlled car show, a burn out contest, and of course, a fabulous car show that runs from 1-5 pm. The car show is anticipated to be even bigger this year, as the Classic organizers added a new level of competition, for the lovers of the "fast and furious" models. For more information, or to register your car, truck or motorcycle in the show, contact Deb Hatzenbuhler at 442-3571.

73 Go Loco for Local Oct. 28

Underwood's Northern Expressions Arts Council and Civic Club have been teaming up for a howling good time the last Friday in October (Oct. 28 this year) the past couple years, as the NEAC presents its annual Haunted House, while the Civic Club presents a chili cook-off and walk-around to the local businesses. Businesses and those attending the event vie for top honors for best costume and best theme. It's an event you won't want to miss and Underwood Goes Loco for its Local businesses. The haunted house has gotten bigger and better since its inception, and it's guaranteed this year's Haunted House will be a screaming good time.



The Theatre's the Thing

Aug. 12-14

The Northern Expressions Arts Council will be presenting its second year of children's theatre in Underwood, as the arts group puts on another children's musical as part of the Underwood Harvest Fest.

Rehearsals will start in July, and three performances will be held over the weekend of Aug. 12, 13 and 14. The musical is not only for children, but it is put on by children, as well, giving young thespians an opportunity to stretch their acting muscles. You'll want to make sure you catch at least one of the performances, while not only shows off the children's theatrical chops, but will teach a lesson as well.



Harvest Fest

Aug. 13

The planners of this year's Harvest Fest, set for Saturday, Aug. 13, are hoping to cram as much entertainment as they possibly can into one big day this summer, as the Underwood Civic Club presents the annual Harvest Fest.

The Harvest Fest is all about family and friends, and they're all encouraged to participate in different selfie scavenger hunts – and that's just a little portion of the day's activities. A 5K walk/run will get the day started, and it will be nonstop action after that. There's an ice cream social, a horse shoe tournament, a "Quest," pitting teams of competitors against one another in physical and intellectual challenges – and don't forget the always popular tractor pull contests for kids and adults alike.

A kiddie parade gets the early evening's events going, and there's a community feed that you won't want to miss. For the older set, entertainment and a dessert making contest will also be on the schedule – so there's something for everyone at the Underwood Harvest Fest.



Check out the wildlife

Looking for a refuge from the hustle and bustle? Go 'hunting' for wildlife at the Audubon Wildlife Refuge near Underwood/Coleharbor. Whether

you're someone who likes to shoot with a camera or shoot with a shot gun, Audubon Wildlife Refuge could very well have what you're looking for.

Home to more than 200 species of birds, including piping plovers, a threatened species, Audubon is also the perfect place to capture the spring and fall migration of thousands of waterfowl. Sandhill cranes and shorebirds are also prevalent, as are various types of ducks and abundant types of waterfowl. Audubon is also habitat for wildlife year-round, including fox, coyote, deer, and the stunningly-colored ring-necked pheasant.

If you're up for a little hiking, there is a one-mile walking path just north of the visitors' center. Hunting for deer, grouse, partridge and grouse is allowed on the refuge. Please see the hunting and ice fishing brochure for more information on availability of hunting on the Audubon Wildlife Refuge. Whether you're hunting for that perfect wildlife photo op, or on the hunt to bag a big buck, Audubon Wildlife Refuge provides all the opportunities you could want.

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Go Camping

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Campgrounds are at every turn of the road in these parts. Load up the family and set up camp at one of the many sites along the shore. Leave your laptops and phones at home, and take the opportunity to reconnect with yourself, your friends and family, and with the beautiful serenity that North Dakota offers. There's nothing better than sitting around a campfire, roasting some marshmallows, and catching up with old friends. Local hot spots for camping include the Wolf Creek Campground, Sakakawea State Park or the Downstream Campground.



McLean County

Speedway

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The McLean County Speedway features some of the hottest racing the state has to offer, featuring INEX, stock, mods, sport, and endure racing throughout the speedway season. The season starts in late May and runs through September. The track was recently revamped for more speed for the racers and more safety for the crowd, which is bringing in even better racers and bigger crowds. For more information on the McLean County Speedway or to get involved with Speedway action, contact Dylan Barnhardt at 701-315-0628.



Check out the big 'cranes'

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Visit the Falkirk Mine near Underwood and take in a tour of the mining operation June-August. Walk-in tours for small groups are welcome, and large groups are encouraged to make an appointment for a tour. You can see some of the equipment from the highway as you drive by, but there's nothing like getting up close to some of the gargantuan equipment that is used in today's mining operation.

If you think the cranes you see working on high-rises are big, wait 'til you take a look at a drag line (nope, they're not called cranes), and check out the size of just the tires on the haul trucks. September-May, all tours are by appointment. Admission is free and open to the public. To guarantee a time, please call in advance.



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Velva

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Citywide Rummage Sale June 4

The Velva Citywide Rummage Sale will be on Saturday, June 4, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. Over 50 vendors are scheduled to participate. Maps will be available on the day of the sale. This event is brought to you by the Velva Association of Commerce.

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Travis Tritt Concert July 9

The organizers of Midsummer Night's Jam are excited to announce that they have signed award-winning country music star Travis Tritt for their concert July 9 at the Dakota Roughrider Saddle Club rodeo arena. Proceeds from the concert will go to support area people who are fighting cancer. Tickets are on sale until July 8 for \$40, and then on the day of show for \$45. Watch for updates at <http://midsummernightsjam.com> and [Facebook.com/MidsummerNightsJam](https://www.facebook.com/MidsummerNightsJam).



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Lil' Redneck Ribfest

The third annual ribfest is set to take place at the Velva Rodeo Grounds in late summer or early fall, to potentially line up with Velva Public School's first home football game. Smoke masters are invited to submit their best for a chance to win prizes. Come hungry and leave happy. See Velva Area Voice for more details as they emerge.





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Washburn

84 Riverboat days June 24-26

The annual Riverboat Days will again pack in family fun over a weekend-long event in Washburn. This year's celebration will include the Fireman's Water Rodeo, human hamster balls, various kids games, a tent dance at Captain's Cabin on Friday, a parade on Saturday and a street dance on Saturday night on Main Ave.

85 Missouri River Bluegrass Festival June 17-18

The 26th annual Missouri River Bluegrass festival will feature two days of music and family fun. The event will be held at Cross Ranch State Park, and will feature live music from bands including The High 48's, The Flea-Bitten Tramps and Cotton Wood. Admission is \$15 June 17, \$20 on June 18 or get a two-day pass for \$30. Those under the age of 16 are admitted free. Regular park admission is required and camping is available at the park.

86 Yoga Wednesday nights 701-471-9430

Strala Yoga will be offered throughout the summer, and is led by instructor Shana Peltz. Yoga will be held every Wednesday night at 8 p.m. at Washburn United Methodist Church, starting on June 6. To register for a four-week session, contact Peltz at 701-471-9430 or on her Facebook page, www.facebook.com/shana.peltz.

87 National Trails Day June 4

Cross Ranch State Park will be celebrating National Trails Day this summer, with two all-ages hiking events planned and door prizes up for grabs. The morning hike, focusing on the basics of birding, will begin at 9:00 am at the amphitheater. This basics of birding hike will last approximately 45 minutes. The evening hike will begin at 8:30 pm at the amphitheater. This interpreter's choice hike will be a mystery hike focusing on a topic of our naturalist's choice.





Fort Mandan

After taking a look at the historical items at the Interpretive Center, drive over to Fort Mandan and live it. The site is a recreation of what the real encampment would have looked like when constructed by the Lewis and Clark expedition in the 1800s. Guided tours of the facility are offered, with historians on site to educate visitors.



Bluegrass goes pink

July 30

For those who love music, the outdoors and supporting a good cause, mark Bluegrass Goes PINK on your calendar. The annual event features a 5K fun/walk/run, with supper served before live music is played by local Bluegrass band Cotton Wood. The event raises money for the Bismarck Cancer Center.



Lewis and Clark Center

Daily

The Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center is open all summer from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. every day. The center features interactive displays to help visitors of all ages get in touch with history.

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- Memorial Day - May
- Lewis & Clark Days - June
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91 Youth Camping

All summer

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92 Painted Woods Golf Course

Daily

Area golfers can enjoy teeing off at all times of the day, and then enjoying some food and fun inside at the Painted Woods Golf Course. The course is hosting weekly Women's and Men's Nights, and will offer a senior league for those 50 and older. There will also be a twilight rate this year for those who start playing after 3:30 p.m., and several golf scrambles for those looking for competition. For more details, contact the Painted Woods Golf Course or stop by the course 9 a.m. and 8 p.m.

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Wilton

93 Wild in Wilton June 11

Adults and children alike will have a blast at this year's Wild in Wilton event. Sponsored by the Wilton Park Board, Wild in Wilton includes food and games for all ages as a fundraiser for the city's parks. Visit the Wild in Wilton Facebook page for more information.

94 Park Daily

Speaking of parks, the Wilton City Park and pond are open to the public daily and feature a walking path and benches, along with access to the pond. Later this summer, the area will see some improvement after the pond is dredged to help keep it clean and create a better habitat for the fish inside.



95 Shooting range Daily - Open from sunrise to sunset daily

The Wilton Mine WMA Gun range is perfect for local sharpshooters. The outdoor range is available for pistol and rifle shooting all year long and located conveniently amongst several North Dakota cities. Those who are looking for guns, ammunition or other outdoors equipment can find some either at stores in Bismarck or the newly-opened M&M Sporting in Washburn.

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97 Remember the Pioneers

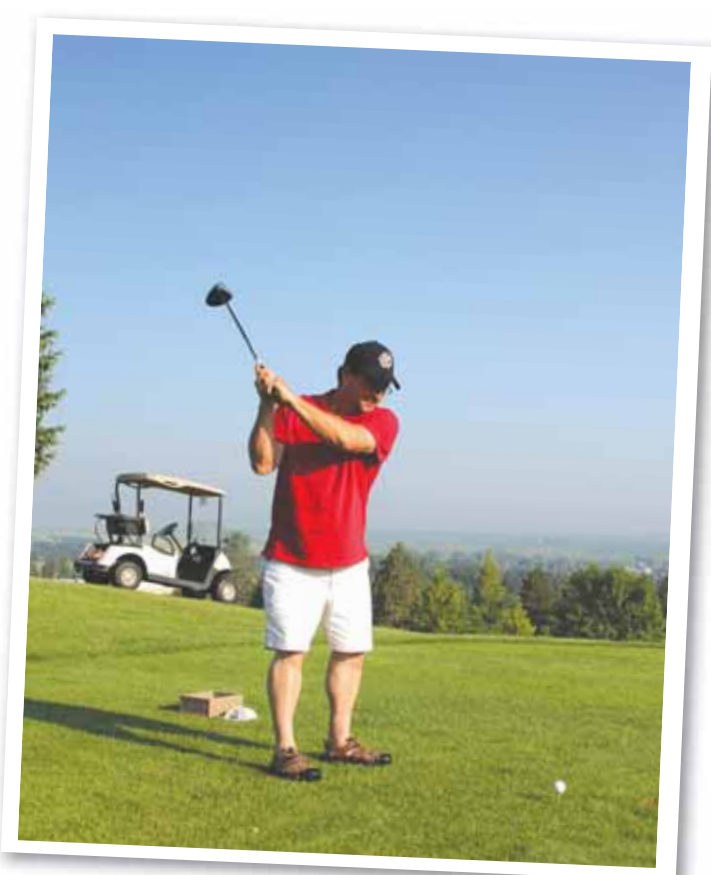
The Pioneer Museum of McKenzie County packs a whole lot of history into a small area. From the exhibit on the last lynching in North Dakota to the replica of a pioneer home, the museum accurately depicts a large part of Watford City's and McKenzie County's history.

Visitors can follow the lives of the pioneers through a series of 14 historical wall panels that chronicle the dreams and aspirations of the first farmers, ranchers and townspeople to come to the area. Learn why whole families chose to leave there homes and settle in a new, wild country.

The Parlor, on the upper level of the museum, has all the comforts of home. It includes an Honor Display dedicated to the Pioneer Women of McKenzie County. Some of the exhibits in the Parlor include Clothing Styles of Yesteryear, Prairie School, Sewing and Quilting, Homestead Living and an Old Time Photo Collection. On the lower lever there is a traveling exhibit room and displays on Early Farming and Ranching and Oil and Gas Exploration.

A special exhibit documents one of the darker moments in the county's history. Charles Bannon murdered the Albert Haven family in February 1930. He was taken from the local jail by a mob and hanged from the Schafer Bridge on January 29, 1931. This was the last recorded lynching in North Dakota.

The museum is located in the Long X Visitors Center, Corner of U.S. Highway. 85 South & West, Watford City. Stop by Grandma's Pantry & Book Corner on the main floor of the Visitor Center. Open 10 am-6 pm Monday thru Saturday. Admission is \$2 for adults and \$1 for children. Group rates and special passes are available. Call 701-444-2990.



Williston

98 Camp with Lewis and Clark

Lewis and Clark State Park is situated on one of the upper bays of Lake Sakakawea. The rugged buttes of the North Dakota Badlands display a towering backdrop to one of the state's best recreation areas.

The park, is named for the Corps of Discovery explorers, Meriwether Lewis and William Clark. The expedition camped nearby on April 17, 1805, and an interpretive trail marker has been placed within the park to commemorate their historic journey through North Dakota.

Lake Sakakawea offers excellent fishing for walleye, sauger, and northern pike and boating opportunities. The park also offers a swimming beach with washed sand. Two rare fish species, the pallid sturgeon and the prehistoric-looking paddlefish, can occasionally be found in the lake's western reaches.

The campground features electrical connections and wireless internet access. A comfort station has showers and bathroom facilities.

Lewis and Clark State Park has two cabins available for rent. These camping cabins each sleep 5, bunkbed-style. Each is equipped with air conditioner, lights, heat, fan, and a deck. No cooking is allowed inside, but a grill and picnic table is located

outside of each cabin. The cabins do not have showers, sinks or toilets, but most are within a short walk to a campground comfort station. Camping cabins are generally available from the weekend before Memorial Day weekend to the end of September.

The park also boast three picnic shelters, with room for 64, 96 or 128 guests.

The park also has a concession store for camping foods and necessities.

Lewis and Clark State Park is renting slips at its marina. For any questions about slip rentals please contact the park directly.

Lewis and Clark State Park is located 19 miles southeast of Williston on Highway 1804. Reservations can be made by calling 800.807.4723. For more information online at Parks and Recreation: <http://www.parkrec.nd.gov/parks/lcsp/lcsp.html>.

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Lewis and Clark State Park

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Located 19 miles southeast of Williston, is an official site of the Lewis and Clark expedition of 1805. Self guided nature trail, fishing, boat ramp, Cabins, meeting facilities and shelters for pricing please see the Brochure, Campsite and cabin reservations may be made online by going to our online reservation system or by phoning our Call Center at 800-807-4723. Call center hours are 7 am to 7 pm Central Time (effective 10/01/2013). Shelter and meeting facility reservations can be made by calling the park directly at 701.859.3071. Camping cabins: Lewis and Clark State Park has two cabins available for rent. These camping cabins each sleep 5, bunked-style. Each is equipped with air conditioner, lights, heat, fan, and a deck. No cooking is allowed inside, but grill and picnic table located outside of each cabin. The cabins do not have showers, sinks or toilets, but most are within a short walk to a campground comfort station. Camping cabins are generally available from the weekend before Memorial Day weekend to the end of September. Check with the park for possible off-season availability, Picnic Shelters, Small shelter capacity 64, Medium shelter Capacity 96, Large shelter Capacity 128

Three Forks RV Park

Alexander (36 mins outside from Williston)

701-214-6571

Safe, clean, environment for family, 4 sewer connections, full hookups 30 -50 amps, heated water riser.

101 Fort Union Rendezvous & Run June 16-19

To register please call sponsor American State Bank & Trust Company at (800) 486-8173.

19th Century Fur Trade Fair includes a variety of period arts, crafts and music. Come and participate in the upper Missouri's finest fur trade fair at one of the West's most imposing historic sites.

Thursday, June 16 is Kids Day! 10:00a - 2:00p central time kids can enjoy various stations of games and hands-on activities. Event and activities are free. Groups of 5 or more are encouraged to pre-register by calling 701-572-9083.

Saturday June 18 is the Rendezvous Run! Featuring a 1 mile kids and fur traders run, a 5k walk & run and an 11k run from Fort Union through Fort Buford and back.



We are here to assist people in McLean County confronted with domestic abuse or sexual assault.

Our confidential hotline is open 24/7 to answer your questions and assist however we can.

1-800-651-8643
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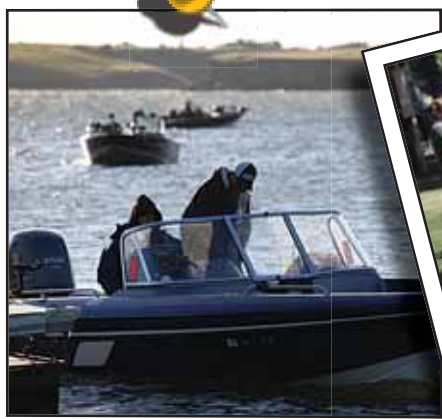
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A Trashy
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April 30



Heritage
Park Market
Tuesdays:
Memorial Day -
Labor Day

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Life
June 10



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July 7-10

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