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#### 2021 Blue Goose Days

Blue Goose Days is scheduled for June 4th, 5th and 6th. The excitement begins with Kinship's Amazing Race on Friday, June 4th at Hughes Shelter in Chahinkapa Park. There will also be a Texas Holdem Tournament at Terrace Lanes.

This year we are bringing back the Blue Goose Day parade. The parade will start at 10:00 am and the route will begin at Farm City Supply in Breckenridge and go to Family Dollar in Wahpeton. It's time to dust off your floats and shine up your vehicles. If you would like to participate in this year's parade simply line up at the bus barn in Breckenridge any time after 9:00 am.

Following the parade Just for Kix and KrAz Dance will have performances at Heritage Square. We will also be blocking of 4th St N in front of the City Brew Hall and Boiler Room for a Meet The Twin Town Hereos event. We will have emergency vehicles on site and the community will get a chance to interact with the heroes that serve our community every day.

The Blue Goose Days action will continue at Chahinkapa Zoo where there will be food trucks and craft vendors. There will also be activities in the zoo by US Fish and Wildlife Service.

Sunday, June 6th, head back down to Chahinkapa Park at 10:00 am and enjoy an outdoor worship service. The praise band, Souled Out, will perform and worship message will be provided by Pastor Tim of Inspiration Church at the band shelter. Don't forget your lawn chair!

Just for Kix will have a pancake feed at Hughes Shelter from 8:00 to noon and our Blue Goose Days celebration will end with a birthday celebration for Tal, our favorite orangutan, at Chahinkapa Zoon at 1:00.

Other events during the weekend will include the Dick Bell Catfish Tournament at Kidder Recreation Area and Evan's Support Glow Ball 9 Hole Golf Scramble at Bois De Sioux Golf Course. Both these events will be held on Saturday, June 5th.

#### Welcome To Our New Chamber Members



#### Groom & Go

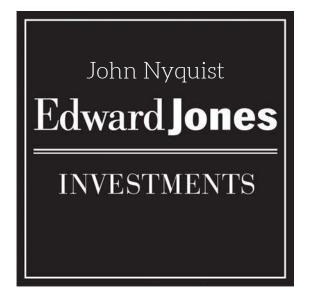
Groom & Go is a mobile dog grooming business that comes to your home. Using their fully equipped salon on wheels, they bathe and/or groom your dog! Serving Breckenridge, Wahpeton and surrounding areas. Book at www.mygroomandgo.com

#### Marco

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#### Edward Jones - John Nyquist

John Nyquist is an advisor with Edward Jones, a financial-services firm dedicated to serving the needs of individual investors. With nearly 13,000 financial advisors serving nearly 7 million investors, the firm has been built on the belief that the only way to do business is on a one-on-one, personal basis. They do that by getting to know you, understanding your goals, and developing individualized strategies to help you reach them. The branch office administrator, Kathy Smith and John work as a team to give you the personal service you deserve when it comes to planning for your financial future. Please call or stop by the office, or visit www.edwardjones.com/john-nyquist for more information.



## JOIN OUR TEAM

We are currently looking to add more ambassadors to our group. The Twin Town Ambassadors meet the 2nd Tuesday of each month at 8:30 am at the chamber office.

If you would like to join this fun, energetic group and would like to help us celebrate the milestones of the business community of please feel free to contact us and we'd be happy to give you more information.

OCTOBER 14, 2021 WAHPETON EVENT CENTER

## BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

Hosted By Twin Town Ambassadors

#### Twin Town Ambassadors

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#### Farmers Union Oil Southern Valley Travel Center

Have you checked out Wahpeton's newest one-stop shop yet? The Twin Town Ambassador's welcome the Southern Valley Travel Center. Inside you'll find a Caribou with a drive-thru, Hills 210 Cafe & Subs, 210 Wine & Spirits, and a convenience store with showers.

This locally-owned coop is filled with beautiful images by local photographers and was built by local companies. What a great addition to our community! Thank you for making it happen in the Twin Towns!





#### Groom and Go

The Ambassadors visited with Groom & Go, a mobile dog grooming business that comes to your home. Terry Welch, owner of Groom and Go, is a certified groomer dedicated to creating a comfortable, convenient and safe experience for you and your dog.

Service areas include Breckenridge, Wahpeton and surrounding communities! To book an appointment visit www.mygroomandgo.com. Make sure to follow their page if you like adorable dog photos!







#### Sara Thingvold Professional

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#### Burkett Family Custom Knives

Another fun spotlight featuring Burkett Family Custom Knives in Breckenridge. Retired K9 Officer, Dustin Hill, creates a wide variety of gun grips, knives and more out of rare material such as mammoth tooth, antler, and meteorite. Order from what they have in the shop or look at their gallery and request a custom one-of-a-kind.

It's a joy to get to know the unique businesses in our community. Thanks for making it happen in the Twin Towns, Burkett Family Custom Knives! www.burkettcustoms.com







Does your group, organization or team have an event scheduled that is bringing out of town guests to the area? We would love to hear about it. Did you know that we can possibly provide community welcome bags to your out of town guests? We also like to inform our restaurants and local retailers of large events so they can be prepared for the extra traffic. Let's Talk! Please contact Lisa at the information listed below.

Lisa Kunkel - lisa@wbchamber.net - 701-642-8744



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# BUSINESS: AFTER HOURS

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Watch your emails and our Facebook page for more information to come about this event.





We are looking for groups, businesses, organizations or anyone interested in helping plan this year's HeadWaters Day, a Breckenridge Community Event.

Some ideas include . . .

Antique Car Show
Cornhole, Basketball, Pickleball, Disc Golf Tournament
Talent/Fashion Show
5k Run/Walk
Street Dance
Food and Craft Vendors
Parade
Games and Face Painting
Scavenger Hunt

If you are interested in holding an event, volunteering or being a Committee Member please contact one of the below before March 31, 2021.

Lisa at Wahpeton Breckenridge Area Chamber of Commerce (701)642-8744 or lisa@wbchamber.net

Lori at Breckenridge City Hall/Active Living Committee (218)643-4681 or lgefre@breckenridgemn.net



# Mark Your Calendars 3rd Annual Borderline Chalkfest July 17th & 18th

We are currently looking for event sponsors, amateur artists, craft & food vendors. Please see applications below or contact Lisa at the Chamber for more information.

# **Borderline Chalkfest**Sponsor Levels

#### Event Sponsor - \$150.00

Business name and logo will be displayed in social media and other marketing material.

#### Amateur Artist Sponsor - \$250.00

Business name and logo will be displayed in social media and other marketing material and logo will be placed at the site of an amateur artist.

#### <u>Professional Artist Sponsor - \$350.00</u>

Business name and logo will be displayed in social media and other marketing material and logo will be placed at the site of a professional artist.

#### Corporate Sponsor - \$500.00

Business name and logo will be displayed in social media and other marketing material and logo will be placed at the site of a professional artist. Corporate sponsors will have their business name displayed on the back of the shirts worn by the professional artists and will receive extra recognition throughout the event.

My business would like to be a sponsor of the 2021 Borderline Chalkfest:				
Event Sponsor (\$150.00)	Professional Artist Sponsor (\$350.00)			
Amateur Artist Sponsor (\$250.00)	Corporate Sponsor (\$500.00)			
Business Name:				
Primary Contact:				
Email:				
Phone Number;				
Check Enclosed	Please bill my business.			

Additional Questions Contact: lisa@wbchamber.net or call 701-642-8744

Mail to: WB Chamber of Commerce - 1505 11th St N - Wahpeton, ND 58075

#### **BORDERLINE CHALKFEST**

## Craft & Food Vendor Application

The Wahpeton Breckenridge area Chamber of Commerce is accepting applications for craft and food vendors to participate in Borderline Chalkfest in Wahpeton, ND on July 17 & 18, 2021. Charge for booths will be \$50 and there is a limited number of spots available. All applications will be reviewed and approved by the Chalkfest Committee.

- If selected, vendors must sign an event agreement and have appropriate licenses as directed through the City of Wahpeton.
- Vendors are responsible for keeping the area around their truck/booth free of garbage and debris.
- This is an outdoor event which will take place rain or shine.
- Completed applications are not a guarantee of acceptance.
- This application is in no way binding to the Wahpeton Breckenridge Area Chamber of Commerce.
- Must be present both days of the event. No exceptions.

Product To Be Sold:			
Company Name:			
Primary Contact:			
Address:			
Phone Number:			
Email:			
Do You Need Electricity:	Yes	No	

Deadline for applications is Friday, June 4th. Please mail application to:

Wahpeton Breckenridge Area Chamber of Commerce 1505 11th Street N Wahpeton, ND 58075

or email to lisa@wbchamber.net



#### Wahpeton Motor Vehicle Department



Wahpeton Motor Vehicle Department is currently offering all motor vehicle services at our office. License plate tab renewals do not need an appointment and are done on a walk-in basis. All other services including title work is done by appointment only. Please call the number below to schedule an appointment.

Please call 701-642-2652 to make an appointment.

Please leave a message and your call will be returned.

Accepts Cash or Check Only. No Credit or Debit Cards

#### WAHPETON MOTOR VEHICLE DEPARTMENT

1505 11th Street North Wahpeton, ND 58075 NDDOT's new mobile application for motor vehicle and driver license services is intended for use by mobile devices to conduct many driver license and vehicle services.



Scan this qr code to go directly to the mobile app download page or go to https://www.dot.nd.gov/public/mobile-apps.htm.

#### The mobile application will allow users to:

#### **Motor Vehicle**

- Renew motor vehicle registration
- Update permanent address, temporary address, and email address
- Renew a Mobility Impaired Placard
- Apply for a 30-day temporary registration
- Non-resident temporary registration
- Truck or trailer demo permit
- Drive out permit
- Schedule an appointment for in-person service

#### **Driver License**

- · Renew driver license
- Request a replacement license or ID card
- · Request a driving record
- Schedule a driving test
- Pay reinstatement fees
- Update permanent address, temporary address, and email address
- Update donor status
- Check the current status of a license or medical certification
- Schedule an appointment for in-person service









#### **Calendar of Events**

For a complete list of community events please see our events calendar on our website at www.wbchamber.net Also "like" the Wahpeton Breckenridge Facebook page for the most complete list of updates and announcements.

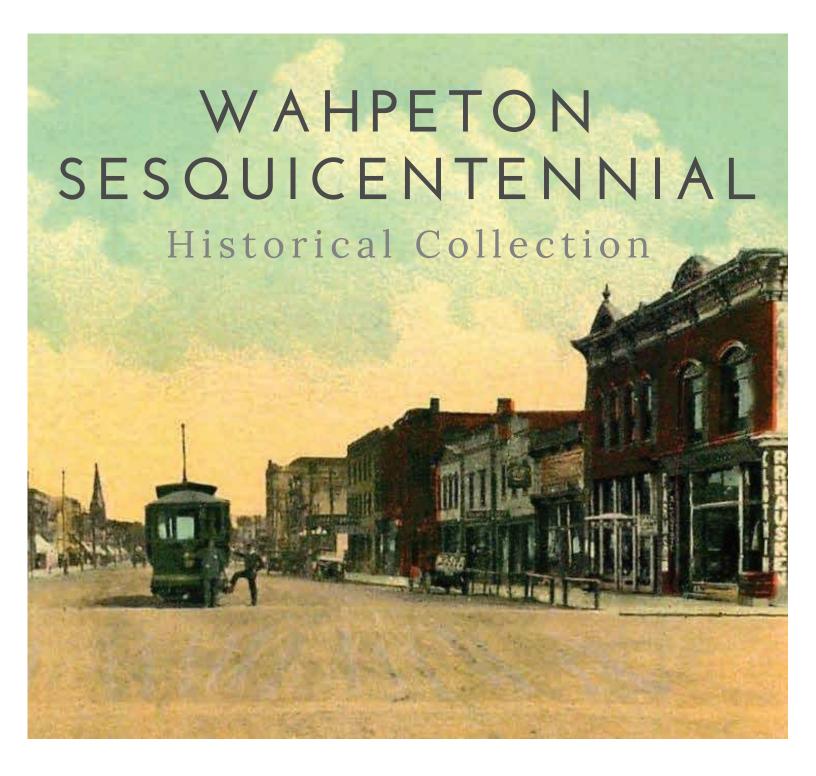
#### **CONTACT US**

Wahpeton Breckenridge Area Chamber of Commerce 1505 11th Street N Wahpeton, ND 58075

> Phone - 701-642-8744 Fax - 701-642-8734

Lisa Kunkel - Executive Director lisa@wbchamber.net

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Books are available at Bold Print, Wahpeton Daily News and the Wahpeton Breckenridge Area Chamber of Commerce.

Check or Cash Only

# What is MOMS of Wahpeton?

MOMs stands for Moms On a Mission. Whether you're a soon-to-be mom, a first-time mom, or a seventh-time mom, you are welcome here. Whether you're a teen mom, stepmom, seasoned mom, or any type of mom, you're welcome here.

At MOMs, women come together to be encouraged and supported by other moms who are in the same season of life. In an open, caring, and accepting atmosphere, MOMs exists to meet the needs of every mom who shares the desire to be the best mom they can be. MOMs is a place to meet, share, grow, and embrace the journey of motherhood in a faith-centered community.

A typical meeting includes brunch, a speaker, and a craft. Childcare is provided.

## 

WHAT. local & surrounding area moms

WHEN. 2nd & 4th Tuesdays • 9-11am (Sept.-May)

WHERE Faith Church • 1589 11th St. N Wahpeton, ND

Join our Facebook group:

MOMs of Wahpeton





# OPEN Monday thru Thursday from 2:30-5:00pm

\*Activities include: pool, cards, board games, air hockey, Foosball & much more! \*Tables & booths available for doing homework! Anyone under age 10 must be accompanied by an adult EVERYONE WELCOME!



Like Us On Facebook (Family Community Center- Breckenridge) for monthly activities!

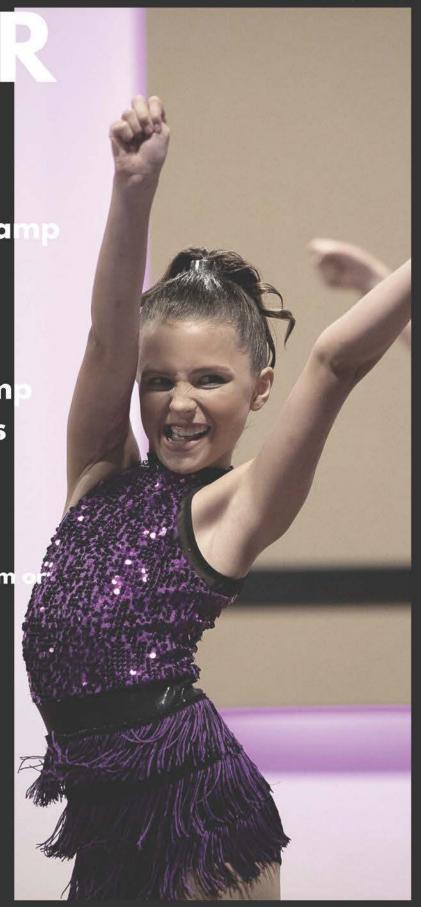
# **SUMMER 2021**

Unicorn & Rainbow Ca Trolls Dance Camp 6 Week Session KrAz Dance Intensive Competition Prep Cam Competition Auditions & More!

Contact krazdance@gmail.com 701.640.8234

FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK & INSTAGRAM







### **2021 BLUE GOOSE DAYS**

JUNE 4TH, 5TH & 6TH

#### FRIDAY, JUNE 4TH

Kinship Amazing Race - Hughes Shelter

Texas Hold 'em Tournament - Terrace Lanes

#### **SATURDAY, JUNE 5TH**

**Parade** - 10:00 am starting at Farm City Supply in Breckenridge & ending at Family Dollar in Wahpeton.

Just for Kix & KrAz Dance Party - Dancers will perform at Heritage Square following the parade.

Meet the Twin Town Heroes - 4th St N in front of City Brew and Boiler Room following parade
Check out a police car, ambulance and fire truck and meet the heroes who serve our community.

Vendor Show & Food Trucks - Chahinkapa Zoo 10:00 - 5:00

Zoo Activities - Chahinkapa Zoo 10:00 - 5:00

Twin Town Business Partners Retail Sales Event

Evan's Support Glow Ball 9 Hole Golf Scramble - Bois De Sioux Golf Course

Dick Bell Catfish Tournament - Kidder Dam

#### **SUNDAY, JUNE 6TH**

Outdoor Worship Service - 10:00 am Chahinkapa Park Band Shelter
Praise Band - Souled Out and message by Pastor Tim from Inspiration Church
Pancake Breakfast - Just for Kix - Hughes Shelter - 8:00 am - Noon
Tal's Birthday Party - Chahinkapa Zoo - 1:00 pm











June 1st - 30th

Millions of pounds of crayons are discarded every year, turning into a waxy sludge that clogs our landfills. With your help, we can recycle and re-manufacture them into new, free crayons for kids in children's hospitals across the U.S.

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#### KINSHIP'S 15TH AMAZING





#### **FRIDAY, June 4, 2021**

\*Team Entry **Deadline: May 19** 

Gather 4-6 family members or friends and create lasting memories all while supporting Kinship Youth Mentoring

Approximately 3.5 mile race course around Breckenridge-Wahpeton. First leg on foot, bike the rest of the course with 8 fun challenges along the way!

\*Competitive and family divisions available Picnic, medals for all and great prizes for the top teams in each division Registration 5-6 pm ~ Race starts/ends at the Hughes Shelter

Entry Fee: Minimum \$250.00 per team raised for Richland-Wilkin Kinship thru donations, sponsorship or pledges ~ due race day

For more information or to register: www.rwkinship.org/raceregistration call 701-672-0303, or email rwkinship@702com.net

All proceeds support local youth mentoring!















# WATERCOLOR BATIK WORKSHOP

Saturday, June 5, 2021 10:00 - 4:00 With Artist Ruth Hanson

This class is a step-by-step with one of my compositions provided. Students also receive extra rice paper to do one of their own compositions as well - so, they should bring reference material of landscape or floral.

Watercolor Batik is multi layering of melted wax and watercolor on rice paper alternating layers, working from light to dark, until the entire surface is covered with wax. Then crinkle your rice paper into a call to crack the wax and lay flat again for the final darkest layer of watercolor to seep through those cracks.

Then we iron the wax out in newsprint and see what we've created! It's always an adventure.

#### COST: \$60 MEMBERS \$70 NONMEMBERS

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Registration: Call 701-591-1010 or go online at http://www.reddoorgallerywahpeton.com/events-and-classes



## **Summer Art Camp**

### Two locations this year! Oxbow and Wahpeton only 10 spots available for each location! Book now©

Ages 8-12

(See bottom of flyer for Ages 5-7)

I am looking forward to another summer of art camp! I am filling spots at a first come first serve basis. To reserve a spot for your child please email me at <a href="Mate.podolak.3@gmail.com">Kate.podolak.3@gmail.com</a> with their name and emergency contact. Please put in the subject line either Summer art camp age 8-12 or Summer art camp age 5-7. I will post once the camps have been declared full. Please message me on Facebook or by email with any questions you may have.

Oxbow dates: Wednesdays July, 21st, 28th August 4th, 11th, &18th

**Location:** At my studio in Oxbow, ND **Time:** 10am-12:15pm

Wahpeton dates: Wednesdays June 16th, 23rd, 30th July 7th, & 14th Location: Red Door Art Gallery in Wahpeton. Please drop off and pick up here.

Time: 10am-12:15pm

**Cost:** \$375 per child this includes all supplies and a small snack/water. Check (made out to Kate Baldock), cash, PayPal, or Venmo (@kate-baldock) are all acceptable forms of payment. Non-refundable deposit of \$150 due upon registration!

#### Camp description

In the Oxbow camp we will be working on a couple of larger canvas projects!

Other projects will include resin pouring, watercolors, self-portrait work, wooden

bird house/jewelry box painting, Christmas ornaments, these are a few on the list. I want to focus on some larger paintings/completed artwork. This will include them learning how to wire and hang artwork! :)

The Wahpeton camp will include many of these same projects and some others!

\*Please note no cell phones. They can certainly have them with of course, but this camp is for art and connecting with each other. I really want the experience to encourage creativity, uniqueness, curiosity, and in person conversations! Cell phones may be used for inspiration upon my instruction. Art camp is one of the best places for new friendships to form.

Thank you for understanding!

#### Attention kids under 8! Only 10 spots available

Ages 5-7: I am hosting a **one-day** camp Saturday July 10<sup>th</sup>. 12pm-3pm! **Cost:** \$140

per child

Location: At my studio in Oxbow, ND

#### **Camp Description**

This special one-day camp will be a day of pure fun and creativity! We will be doing a couple of projects including stuffed hanging paper stars/fish (these were a hit last year!), and a canvas painting. I will provide a small snack/water or bring your own.



#### **Rural Art Call for Works**

### Red Door Art Gallery 418 Dakota Ave - Wahpeton, North Dakota

This is a juried call for all Rural Art artists who:

Currently reside in North Dakota, Minnesota, or South Dakota, or those who call Wahpeton ND or Breckenridge MN their home town or have a local connection.

Date of Exhibition: August 3 - October 2, 2021
Deadline for Submissions: July 22, 2021
Deadline for Arrival of Art: July 29, 2021

We are currently looking for art work that is any type of painting, photograph, mixed media, sculptural work, wood carving, pottery, or fiber art, either done by the artist or from a personal collection reflecting a rural or agricultural setting. This is including, but not limited to: farms, barns, tractors, grain handling facilities, rural landscapes, domesticated animals, persons engaged in an agricultural or rural pursuit or cultivated crops.

- Artists must submit an Artists Biography along with works if this is artist's first time exhibiting.
- All works must include the following information: Title, Medium, Year Completed, Brief Description, Dimensions, and Price.
- The maximum each artist can bring is 3-5 pieces of artwork or 10 feet of wall space worth of artwork.
- All works must be for sale, and priced with the understanding that the Red Door Art Gallery does take a 30% commission on all works. The commission must be included in your price. Include a detailed and clear inventory of all works for our records.
- The Gallery does reserve the right to exclude any artwork that does not meet the standards set by the Gallery's Collections and Exhibitions Committee.
- All works that go on a wall must have a hanger on the back. All photography must be framed, matted, or on canvas with a hanger. No loose photography is accepted.
- All artists exhibiting in this show must be members of the Red Door Art Gallery. Feel free to contact RDAG if you are unsure of your membership status.
- · Artwork must be picked up with 90 days of the end of the exhibit, unless other arrangements are made with
- RDAG requests all artwork be able to stay in gallery throughout the entirety of the exhibit, except for in the
  event of a sale.
- RDAG reserves the curatorial discretion for all placement, lighting, display, and all other aspects of the exhibition of works.
  - Artist consignment agreement must be signed and/or previously on file before art will be accepted or exhibited.

#### To Submit:

Please send images and descriptions of work to: <a href="mailto:rdag@midconetwork.com">rdag@midconetwork.com</a>

Artists are responsible for the delivery and/or shipping costs to and from the Red Door. If work is shipped, a reusable container must be used. RDAG is not responsible for damage during the shipment for any reason. Return shipment will be sent C.O.D. to the artist. No post office boxes will be accepted for return shipments.

For more information contact Gallery Director, Allison Karlgaard at 701-591-1010 or email at <a href="mailto:rdag@midconetwork.com">rdag@midconetwork.com</a>