

Community Showcase of Upcoming Events for the Lake Region

June 26 - 28: **Ramsey County 4-H Achievement Days & Lake Region Livestock Expo:** June 26 at 4-H Hall including static exhibits, Parade of Champions, Speech Spectacular, Project Expo and Consumer Decision Making; June 26 & 27 at Ramsey County Event Center Horse show events begin at 6 p.m. Thursday and 8 a.m. on Friday and on June 28 at Ramsey County Event Center show begins at 10 a.m. - Rabbit show, Dog & Pet show, Swine show, Sheep show, Goat show, Alpaca & Llama show, Dairy show and Beef show. All events are free & open to the public!

June 28 - 29: **Pekin Days!** More info ahead!

June 27: **Party in the Park - Roosevelt Park!**

Join us - Devils Lake Cars - for a night of music, including Auto Drive and the Downtown Horns, food, and community fun as we celebrate in style! Starting at 2 p.m. in Roosevelt Park.

July 1: **HIA Hospice - Devils Lake Office** in City Plaza - 3 - 4 p.m. with **Ribbon Cutting** event at 3:30 p.m. RSVP by June 30 if attending.

July 4: Celebrate Independence Day in Devils Lake with a parade in the morning down 4th Street NE to Roosevelt Park and the Community Picnic (free will offering) then at dusk for the community’s Fireworks Display! More details may be ahead, but put this special event on your calendar now!

July 8: **NOTICE:** There

will be **NO Devils Lake Journal** published on July 8 so our employees can enjoy Independence Day, July 4, 2025, with their families. There **WILL** be a newspaper on July 1, 3 and 10, and so on, however!

July 8: **Arts in the Park** presents the **Chautauqua Olde Tyme Family Picnic** 5:30 p.m. in Roosevelt Park with Elks Band concert at 7 p.m.* There is a fee for the picnic food if you are not one of the Unsung Heroes on the list. The outdoor concert in the park, however, is free and open to everyone.

July 8 & 10: **The City of Devils Lake** is holding **public open houses** to share information and answer questions about the **proposed city tax increase**. These will take

place on July 8 and 10, with sessions from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and again from 4:00 to 6:30 p.m. at the Devils Lake Fire Hall.

July 10: Upcoming **Ribbon Cutting Celebration for Devils Lake Collision & Glass** 4 - 7 p.m. with Open House from 5 - 7 p.m. at Devils Lake Collision & Glass. Join us as we celebrate the opening of Devils Lake Collision & Glass! Stop by to check out our state-of-the-art building and meet our team.

July 15: **Arts in the Park** presents **Herlof Huso** from Aneta, in concert! 60s rock, country and classical music 7 p.m. Roosevelt Park.*

July 22: **Special Election** for City of Devils Lake: Memorial Build-

ing has been reserved for the election with the Ramsey County Auditor. To answer questions and concerns from the voters, the City Manager will plan to host two open-houses in early July before the special election.

July 22: **Arts in the Park** presents **Rick Senger**, easy listening 7 p.m. in Roosevelt Park. Cruise the classic cars on display!*

July 29: **Arts in the Park** presents **Destiny 281**, country, oldies, rock-n-roll, gospel music 7 p.m. in Roosevelt Park.*

Aug. 2 - 3: The Museum in Burlington, ND features a **Car and Tractor Etc. Show** August 2-3.

*In case of inclement weather, Arts in the Park moves to KC Hall in downtown Devils Lake.

Question? Your event wasn’t in this listing? Maybe no one sent it in to us!

If your club, church or organization has an event you would like us to feature in this Community Showcase of events, please send it by e-mail to loleson@cmpapers.com or by US Mail to The Devils Lake Journal, 516 4th Street NE, Devils Lake, ND 58301.

Deadlines: For the Tuesday Devils Lake Journal, we need all information in no later than 10 a.m. the Friday before that issue comes out. For the Thursday Devils Lake Journal, we need all information in no later than 11 a.m. the Tuesday before that issue.

Godfread urges North Dakotans to check for storm damage and file insurance claims promptly

Following the recent severe storms that swept across parts of North Dakota, Insurance Commissioner Jon Godfread is urging residents to inspect their property for damage and begin the insurance claims process as soon as possible.

“While North Dakota is no stranger to summer weather, the scale and intensity of last night’s storm were especially significant. Our hearts also go out to those who lost their lives during this terrible storm,” said Godfread. “If your home, farm,

vehicle, or business sustained damage, the most important thing you can do right now is to act quickly, document everything, and protect your property from further harm.”

The North Dakota Insurance Department recommends the following steps for policyholders after a storm:

- Check roofs, siding, windows, vehicles, and other structures for signs of hail, wind, or water damage.
- Document the damage thoroughly before making any

temporary repairs. Photos and videos are essential when filing an insurance claim.

- Take reasonable steps to secure your property and prevent additional losses, such as tarping a damaged roof or boarding broken windows. Keep receipts for any materials or services used.
- If your home is uninhabitable due to storm damage, your homeowners or renters policy may cover temporary housing and other living expenses. Keep receipts

- File a claim as soon as possible. Have your policy number handy and be prepared to provide details about the damage.
- Make note of the time, date, and who you spoke with when filing your claim. Keep copies of all correspondence and estimates.

In the aftermath of major storms, dishonest contractors often show up from out of state, offering quick repairs for cash or demanding full payment up front. Be cautious of anyone using high-pressure

tactics or refusing to provide written estimates and proof of insurance. Before hiring a contractor, get at least three written estimates from separate contractors and work with your insurance company to hire a reputable contractor.

Residents with questions or concerns during the claims process are encouraged to contact the North Dakota Insurance Department at (701) 328-2440. Resources are also available by visiting insurance.nd.gov/storm.

4-H

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Enjoy Taco in a Bag from the Junior 4-H Achievement Day Committee during the show!

- All Day – Basket Fundraiser for the Sailors, a Ramsey County 4-H family who recently lost their barn and several 4-H animals in a fire.

“This is such a special event because it brings together our youth, families, and the greater community,” said Trisha Berg, Ramsey County 4-H Program Assistant. “We’re especially excited to introduce the Celebrity Round Robin this year — it’s a fun way to engage community leaders and highlight the skills our 4-H’ers are learning.”

For a full schedule or more information, contact the Ramsey County Extension Office at 701-662-7027 or follow NDSU Extension – Ramsey County on Facebook.

Wind

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an all-of-the-above energy approach. In fact, North Dakota is a producer state. Like our crops, we consume less energy than we produce, making homegrown energy an exported commodity in the state.

This abundance of energy is necessary for the extreme energy demand we are seeing from technological advancements nationwide. Without multiple forms of reliable energy being made in the U.S., we risk facing an energy shortage, creating uncertain conditions, and high energy prices for consumers.

The benefit to growing our clean energy workforce is also deeper than the ability to



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JOB OPENING

Dockside Entertainment Manager
Devils Lake Park District
Devils Lake, ND

The Devils Lake Park Board is accepting applications for the Dockside Entertainment Manager position. The position is for managing the operations of the Devils Lake Park District Dockside Entertainment Center. This position will work as a team with the Superintendent of Parks and Recreation and other Full-Time staff in the administration of the Devils Lake Parks and Recreation District and the Board of Park Commissioners. There may be extensive contact with community organizations, City of Devils Lake, Lake Region State College, and Devils Lake School District.

This position is responsible and accountable for directing the Park District's Dockside Entertainment Center through managing the day-to-day activities, operations, maintenance, and by providing leadership, instruction, and direction for staff. This position also helps plan, coordinate, and the marketing of the Park District. Marketing responsibilities could include public information communications, media relations, advertising, and customer service.

A complete job description and how to apply are available by contacting the Devils Lake Park Board by email to: dlparkboard@gondtc.com or calling 701-662-8243. **Deadline to apply: July 8, 2025.**

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