



# The Scoop

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## **City of Forman**

Now Hiring: City Auditor

The purpose of this position is to direct city operations and administer the functions of city government. The Auditor grants a variety of permits; sells licenses; manages requests to speak to the council; prepares council agenda; maintains city records; records and submits city council meeting minutes; prepares the city budget; oversees city personnel. A full job description can be found at: [www.formannd.com/city-auditor](http://www.formannd.com/city-auditor).

Employment application can be found at  
[www.formannd.com/forms-and-applications](http://www.formannd.com/forms-and-applications)

# SARGENT COUNTY

# FOOD PANTRY

## LOCATIONS

**Forman**  
347 Main St.  
Forman Library

**Mondays 4:00 - 6:00 pm**  
Use Back Entrance

**Gwinner**  
104 Main St.  
Community Center

**Tuesdays 1:00 - 4:00 pm**

Food assistance is available for any Sargent County resident who requests it. If your expenses are greater than your income due to a job loss, a medical crisis, etc., we are here to help you.



Contact:

Phone: 701-680-7049

[facebook.com/scfpnd](https://www.facebook.com/scfpnd)

[sargentcofoodpantry@gmail.com](mailto:sargentcofoodpantry@gmail.com)

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## Sargent County AA Meetings

Tuesdays at 7pm  
Methodist Church  
720 Main Street, Milnor ND

Thursdays at 8pm  
Gustaf Adolf Lutheran Church  
207 1<sup>st</sup> St SE, Gwinner ND

## Another Way to Help the Sargent County Museum Rebuild



### Grain for Goodness

Grain for Goodness is a program that Full Circle Ag has to help support their local communities. The Sargent County Museum in Forman, ND has applied for the program and is conditionally approved. They had a building that received too much snow on it with the last snowstorm in April and on April 6, 2023 their building number 3 which housed the story of farm equipment collapsed under the weight of the snow. They were under insured and insurance will only cover 48% of the cost to rebuild the building as it stood. They would like to rebuild next summer and need to raise the funds to do this. As a member owned cooperative Full Circle Ag has the ability to help out in these types of situations. Just as member - owners' partner with them for their crop inputs, they also believe in returning the loyalty by partnering to support their local communities. If you do business with Full Circle Ag ask them how you can help the Sargent County Museum. Full Circle Ag will match your contribution plus they will contact Land O Lakes for a match also which means your contribution as a farmer will be tripled! So, you give \$250 and the Museum will get \$750. Contact Kelli Erickson at 605-824-6949 to sign up and for more details. Just one more way you can help the Sargent County Museum rebuild!

The Museum is open Monday – Friday from 10-4 in the first two buildings facing the parking lot. Sunday when a volunteer is there, they are open 1-4.

SPONSORED BY *The Lariat Bar*

**SATURDAY  
AUGUST  
5TH  
2023**

JOIN US FOR OUR

**RIBS &  
MORE  
STARTING  
AT 5 PM**

# RIBFEST

**RUTLAND, ND**

Junk Fest from 1-5 pm

Auxiliary Pie & Ice Cream Social starting at 5 pm

Community Rummage Sale with  
Scalloped Potato Lunch @ The Hall  
10 am to 2 pm

*Proceeds go to Muscular Dystrophy Association*

Street Dance with RAW SUGAR  
8 pm to 12 am

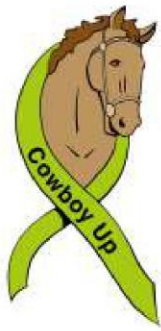
## RIB CONTEST DETAILS

\$25 entry fee with full cash payout for  
People's Choice and 1st, 2nd & 3rd place.

**SIGN UP FOR THE FOLLOWING EVENTS:**

Food Vendors contact Shawna 701-680-0780

Junk Fest Vendors contact Debbie 701-680-2458



# 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Cowboy Up Ride Against Cancer McLeod, ND

## Weekend Schedule of Events Friday - August 18th, 2023

9 am - Registration 9 am - 8 pm  
Silent Auction 9 am - 8 pm  
Kid's for Cowboy Up Bake Sale 9 am

10 am - Friday Trail Ride

11 am - Hamburger Stand 11 am - 8 pm

5 pm - Extreme Race at the Rodeo  
Ground



## Saturday - August 19th 2023

7 am - Registration 7 am - 10 am  
Silver Prairie will be open for Breakfast  
Coffee & Doughnuts - Free Will  
Offering  
Provided by AK Ranch YH Manske  
Family  
Kid's for Cowboy Up Bake Sale  
Silent Auction - 7 am - 7:30 pm

3 pm - **A Million Reasons why we  
Cowboy Up**  
Cancer Survivor Recognition

4 pm - Dinner (4 - 7:30 pm)

6 pm - Live Auction

8 pm - Silent Auction Ends at 7:30 pm  
Please pick up item(s) before 9 pm

10 am - Horses Leave McLeod

11 am - Hamburger Stand 11 am - 4 pm  
Kids Games 11am - 2 pm  
Corn Hole Tourney 11 am  
Horseshoe Tourney TBA

9 pm - Street Dance with Brother  
Juke Box

## Sunday - August 20th, 2023

8 am - Cowboy Up Breakfast at the School House - 8 am - 11 am



Find us on Facebook at Cowboy Up Ride Against Cancer  
All Proceeds Benefit the Roger Maris Cancer Center



*North Sargent Public School*

# BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16TH

9AM-6:30PM

We invite parents and guardians to meet teachers and learn about the curriculum and expectations for the upcoming school year.

## 2023 SCHEDULE

**9AM-3PM** Check-in at Main Office

**1PM-5PM** Community Booths  
Open in the gym

ARN, SRCTC, National Guard, County Health, Sheriff's Department, BARR, Family Engagement Night, Title

**3PM-6PM** Professional Pictures by  
Welcome Back Sign

Receive a **free** 8x10 family picture from Steen Photography

**5PM-6:30PM** **Free** Businessmen's  
Association Meal  
South side of Activity Center  
and Cafeteria



# FORMAN'S CARFEST 2023

Saturday, September 9th

city-wide rummage sales - starting at 8a

**Piece Corps breakfast - 9a-11a- Trinity Lutheran Church**

**Community Club 5k walk/run - 10a**

bouncy houses - 11a-1p - courthouse lawn

**Vendor Booths - 11a-4p - in City Hall & along Main Street**

Piece Corps lunch - 11a -2p - Trinity Lutheran Church

Community Club lunch - 11a - gone - next to Central Grocery

*Sargent County Museum open - 1p-5p*

## Parade - 1:30p

line up at St. Mary's Catholic Church starting at 1p

## Car Show - starts at 2p - Main Street

**\*\*Awards at 4:30p\*\***

Lego build contest - 2p-3:30p- Forman Library

**axe throwing -2:30-4:30p-by City Hall on Cedar Ave**

bouncy houses - 4p-6p- courthouse lawn

Forman Library Freewill SOUPer - 4p-6p @ City Hall

**\*\*Lego build winners announced at 6:15p\*\***

cornhole tournament - 6p-8p- Main Street

***The Diamond Hearts Band - 8p - Deuces Bar***

Forman Public Library

# CARFEST EVENT SCHEDULE

Saturday, September 9th

**Root Beer Floats - 12p - 4pm**

**Free Will SOUPer - 4p - 6pm  
@ City Hall**

serving soups, sandwiches  
and deserts

**LEGO  
BUILD  
CONTEST  
2PM**

**VOTE AT  
CITY  
HALL  
FROM  
4-6PM**

**YOUTH  
AND  
ADULT  
WINNERS  
AWARDED**

**CASH  
PRIZES**

# LEGO BUILD RULES

1. Competition will begin at 2pm at the Library.
2. Competitors will have 1 hour and 30 minutes to complete an original build.
3. Build **MUST** be an original. No kits allowed.
4. Completed build will need to be carried from the Library into City Hall to be displayed for public voting by 4pm.
5. Late entries will not be accepted.
6. Entries will be voted on from 4-6pm at City Hall. Winner to be announced at 6:15pm.



## Riding for Dreams 2023 Annual Gun Raffle

\$10 ticket

- \* Christensen Mesa 7mm mag.      \*Taurus G3 9mm
- \*Winchester Sx4 Field 12ga.      \*Winchester Wildcat 22LR
- \* Kimber Custom 1911 45 ACP
- \* Henry Big Boy Lever 357 Mag
- \* Ruger AR 556                      \* Remington 820 Compact 20 ga.
- \*Savage 555 16 ga.                      \*Savage Axis Compact 22-250

DRAWING SEPTEMBER 10, 2023. Need not be present to win.

Tickets available by:

Cash: Riding for Dreams, PO Box 911, Lisbon, ND 58054

Venmo: riding-for-dreams

Contact us at [Facebook.com/ridingfordreams](https://www.facebook.com/ridingfordreams) or from:

Roberta Forward-Oakes

Diane Wallin -Milnor

Brian Shelton-Lisbon

Sara Fridrych- Enderlin

Janice Bishop-Kathryn

Kristi Freeberg-Lisbon

Lonnie Rotenberger-Lisbon/Milnor

Kay Foss-Lisbon

Dana Erickson-Gwinner

Ione Pherson-Rutland

# THE SCENIC THEATER

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OUR 112<sup>th</sup> YEAR OF CONTINUOUS OPERATION

419 MAIN ST LISBON, ND 58054

PLEASE NOTE SHOW TIMES – DOORS OPEN 30 MINUTES PRIOR

**SUMMER SCHEDULE – VARYING WEEKDAYS**

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## SOUND OF FREEDOM

JULY 24, 25 & 26

7:30 PM MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

131 MINUTES LONG RATED PG-13

**COME EARLY, SEATS ARE LIMITED**



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## INDIANA JONES AND THE DIAL OF DESTINY

AUGUST 8, 9 & 10

7:30 PM TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

154 MINUTES LONG RATED PG-13



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## MISSION IMPOSSIBLE – DEAD RECKONING PART ONE

AUGUST 14, 15 & 16

7:30 PM MONDAY, TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY

163 MINUTES LONG RATED PG-13



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POPCORN



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CALL 701 683-3435 FOR WEEKLY SCHEDULE UPDATES**



**The Strand Theatre, Britton SD**

703 Main Street

[www.strand-theatre-brittonsd.com](http://www.strand-theatre-brittonsd.com)

*Ticket cost: \$6 adult*

*\$4 youth (12 years and under)*

*UNDER 4 years old is FREE.*

# Spider-Man: Across the Spider-Verse

July 28 - 30, 2023

7:30 p.m. Friday, Saturday, and Sunday



**Gustaf Adolf Lutheran Church**

701-678-2552  
 galutheranchurch@outlook.com  
 207 1st St. SE  
 Gwinner, ND  
[www.galutheranchurch.org](http://www.galutheranchurch.org)  
*Pastor Jaime Decker*



**This week's calendar 07/23/2023 thru 07/30/2023**

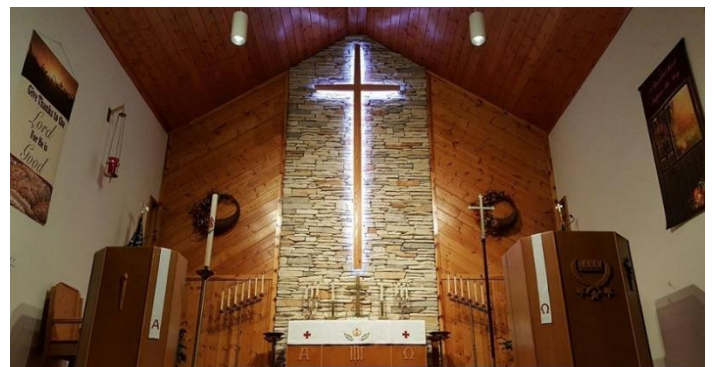
Sunday	9:30 AM	Christmas In July-Outdoor Worship Service w/ Communion-Pastor Decker
Monday	Noon	August Newsletter Deadline
Wednesday	5:30PM	Altar Guild Meeting
Thursday	9:00 AM	Bits N' Stitches Quilters
Sunday	9:30 AM	Outdoor Worship Service with Communion-Pastor Jaime Decker

**Next week's calendar 07/30/2023 thru 08/06/2023**

Sunday	9:30 AM	Outdoor Worship Service with Communion-Pastor Jaime Decker
Thursday	9:00 AM	Bits N' Stitches Quilters
Sunday	9:30 AM	Indoor Worship Service-LEADER NEEDED

**Zion Lutheran Church**

701-678-2401  
[zionwinner@gmail.com](mailto:zionwinner@gmail.com)  
 420 1st St. SE  
 Gwinner, ND  
[www.zionwinner.org](http://www.zionwinner.org)  
*Pastor Mike Grieve*



<b>Sunday</b>	9am Catechesis
	10am Divine Service with Holy Communion
<b>Wednesday</b>	9am Catechesis

**St. Vincent's Catholic Church**

302 ND Hwy 13  
Gwinner, ND  
Ph: 701-678-2239  
riley.durkin@fargodiocese.org  
Rev. Riley Durkin



**Mass times: 10 am Sunday**

On the last weekend of the month, evening Mass will also be held

**St. Arnold's Catholic Church**

107 3rd Street  
Milnor, ND  
Ph: 701-427-9288  
Email: starnolds@drtel.net

Pastor Fr. Troy Simonsen



Sunday Mass:

8:30 a.m. (Feb-Apr-Jun-Aug-Oct-Dec)  
10:30 a.m. (Jan-Mar-May-Jul-Sep-Nov)

Thursday Mass:

9:00 a.m.

**United Methodist Church**

720 Main St  
Milnor, ND  
Ph: 701-427-9401

Rev. Tiana Bohn



*June through August*

Summer services every Thursday at 6:00 pm; Fellowship to follow Worship

## **TNT Parish Churches**

*Trinity Lutheran Church* 410 Cedar Ave, Forman  
*Trinity Lutheran Church* 411 2nd St, Havana  
*Nordland Lutheran Church* 311 Cooper St, Rutland  
www.tntparish.org  
Pastor Julie Johnson

<u>WEDNESDAY, JULY 26</u>	<b>NO WORSHIP SERVICES</b>
<u>SUNDAY, JULY 30</u>	10:00 am - Joint TNT Worship Service at Silver Lake Pavilion Followed by potluck meal
<u>WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2</u>	7:00 pm - Havana Trinity Worship
<u>SUNDAY, AUGUST 6</u>	9:00 am - Nordland Worship - lay led 10:30 am - Trinity/Forman Worship - lay led
<u>WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9</u>	5:30 pm - Nordland Council meets 7:00 pm - Nordland Worship - lay led
<u>SUNDAY, AUGUST 13</u>	8:00 am - Havana Trinity Worship with Holy Communion 10:30 am - Trinity/Forman Worship



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## **St. Mary's Catholic Church**

484 4<sup>th</sup> St SW  
Forman, ND  
Ph: 701-724-3319  
www.stmarysforman.org  
Email: 4steeples@drtel.net  
Rev. Timothy Schroeder



## Summer Schedule

~1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of month – Mass @7:30pm Saturday~  
~2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays - Mass @8am~

## **Nazareth Lutheran Church**

524 5th Street  
Cogswell, ND  
Ph: (714) 782-4646  
Pastor Louis Moehlman

\*Church Services - Sundays 8:30am\*

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**Deadline for submissions is Tuesday at 6pm.**

**Troy “Tony” Diegel**

Troy “Tony” Diegel, 61, of Fargo, ND formerly of Forman, ND passed away on July 16, 2023 at Sanford Health in Fargo due to complications from Pneumonia.

Troy was born on June 20, 1962 to Dede (Meier) Cookson. He grew up and attended school in Aberdeen, SD. In February 1993, he graduated from Dakota Aero Tech and over the years worked as a painter and sand blaster. He eventually became the owner of Porta-Blast. On September 17, 1993 he was united in marriage to DeAnn Hallett. Despite life’s challenges they loved each other deeply. His hobbies included racing, skydiving, camping, canoeing and playing poker with his friends. Troy valued helping others any chance he could.

Tony leaves behind his children, Curtis (Sylvia) Savey, Stephanie (Drew) Welton, Toni (Levi) Jablonsky, Traci Diegel and Denton Diegel; his mother, DeDe Cookson; brothers, Jay Diegel and Tate (Teresa) Diegel and six grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his step-father, Robert Cookson.

There will be a private family graveside service held on Friday, August 4, 2023 at Forman Cemetery near Forman. Memories may be shared and viewed on the Dahlstrom Funeral Home website [www.dahlstromfuneralhome.com](http://www.dahlstromfuneralhome.com) on his obituary page.