

*"Where I Meet My Friends!"*

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# Newsletter

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*Sponsor of the Month*

**Minot City Employees**

## 2nd Story turns 50!

Join us on **Friday, April 18, from 4-6 p.m.** as we mark a significant milestone-the 50th anniversary of the 2nd Story! For half a century, the club has been an integral part of the community, fostering a sense of belonging, support, and inclusivity while touching countless lives.

This 50th milestone is a testament to the unwavering commitment of everyone involved, especially our Community Supporters, Volunteers, past Directors, dedicated Team Members, and the Board of Directors who have paved the way. Your dedication has been instrumental in shaping the club into what it is today, and we are proud to have you as part of our history.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to all who have contributed to this incredible journey and continue to support our mission. We are truly grateful for your unwavering support. Let's celebrate **YOU** for helping us in doing what we do!



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Mission Statement

*The mission of the 2nd Story is to enhance the quality of life for adults with developmental disabilities through social, educational and recreational activities.*



*Thank You*

**Mardi Gras**  
**Saturday, March 8th 2025**

**2nd story**

**For more information:**  
 ☎ (701)-838-0912

**Location:**  
 THE MOOSE LODGE  
 400 9TH ST. SW  
 MINOT, NORTH DAKOTA

Valentines Day Dance

The members enjoyed a delicious meal donated by Hess which was followed by a fun night of dancing and prizes!

**St. Patrick's Day Word Search**

Words to Find:  
 rainbow luck green pot  
 shamrock jig gold Irish  
 leprechan lucky

www.thechirpingmoms.com (art from http://TeacherKarma.com)

**Contributions—Monetary**

- |                          |                                   |
|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Marjorie & James Merck   | Judy Brooks                       |
| Jeanette Mapes           | John Zakian                       |
| Larry & Deborah Baklenko | Minot City Employee Donations     |
| Colleen Houmann          | American Online Giving Foundation |
| James & Ellen Jundt      | Anna Mae Hunsaid                  |
| Dylan Sweem              | Jenna Travels for Awareness Event |

**Contributions—Prizes, Activities & Gifts**

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|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| Brent & Stacy Askvig | Karli Degenstein       | Hess Corp           |
| Aaron Nelson         | Wes & Connie Hagen     | Lori Fjeldahl       |
| Mark & Diana Turner  | Terri Johnson          | Lori & Jimmie Jones |
| Lindsay Eskelson     | Christ Lutheran Church | Alayne Okland       |
|                      | David & Lynda Pinkey   |                     |

*Thank You*

*In Loving Memory of*

**Memorials**

*From*

*James Krumwiede*

*Janice Talley*

*Donna Gordon Baker*

*Betty Cameron*

*Carla & Dela Swartout*

*Donna Gordon Baker*

*James Velo*



*Jean Krumwiede*

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*Dorothy Kruse*

*Janice Dill*

*Hazel Forsberg*

*Hazel Forsberg*

*Marty & Mary Shaw*



If you would like to buy a brick in honor of a loved one,  
business or just someone  
you'd like to recognize,  
please contact Greg or Samara at 701-838-0912!



*Yes! I want to  
help with  
a gift to the*



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Please detach and return with check payable to 2nd Story

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**GIFT CATEGORIES**

\$5    \$10    \$20    \$50    \$100   Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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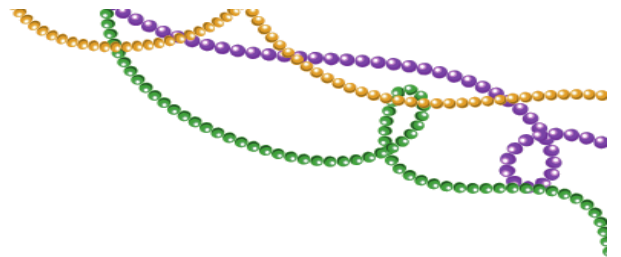


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