

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

(Check for articles in the newsletter for more details on events.)

July 10	Ferndale Farm Tour, 10 am – 4 pm, 31659 Willow Trail, Cannon Falls
July 10	Summer Concert Series, The Changeups, 1 pm – 2 pm, John Burch Park Bandshell
July 13	CHAMBER BREAKFAST , 7:30 am, Legislative Update by Rep Barb Haley, Cannon Golf Club
July 15	FREE Picnic Dinner, 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm, Cannon Rivers Senior Living, 900 Main St W – RSVP by Jul 9
July 16-18	From the Heart Gifts, Celebrating the USA, 100 S 4 th St @ Weichert Realty – Carnel & Co.
July 22	Bike Cannon Falls, 6 pm, Gazebo in City Parking Lot at Cannon Valley Trailhead
July 24	Madams, Matrons, & Madwomen Concert, 2 pm, The John Burch Park Bandshell
July 30	35 th Annual Cannon Falls Area Country Cruise, 5 pm Line-Up at Artisan Plaza, 1223 – 4 th St S
July 31	5K Run/Walk for Life and Silent Auction, 5K at 8 am, Kids Fun Run at 9 am, Bay Point Park, Red Wing

REP. BARB HALEY AT A BREAKFAST BUFFET

Tuesday, **July 13th**, from 7 am – 8:30 pm – **RSVP is necessary.**

Cannon Golf Club, 8606 – 295th St E, Cannon Falls

RSVP deadline has been extended to Monday, July 12th, at noon

If you are not able to come to the breakfast in person, you can join the presentation on Zoom. Contact the Chamber to receive an invitation with the Zoom Link.

Rep Barb Haley will be presenting a Legislative Update for 2021. By the time this breakfast is happening, the State Budget will be balanced, and decisions made for other policies and programs for this coming year. There will be plenty of time for questions and answers too.

This Chamber Breakfast will have a breakfast buffet including Scrambled Eggs, Bacon, Sausage, Tater Rounds, French Toast and Fruit.

This breakfast is sponsored by Cannon Valley Specialties, so it is FREE to all attendees. Please RSVP by Friday, **July 10th**. RSVP deadline has been extended to Monday, July 12th, at noon **RSVP's are necessary.**

Make sure to thank Audrey and Morris Mattson, Melanie Carlson and Missy Banks for this special support to you the Chamber Members.

35TH ANNUAL CANNON FALLS AREA COUNTRY CRUISE

Friday, **July 30th**, 5 pm Line-Up at Artisan Plaza, 1223 – 4th St S

Cruise Route:

- At 7pm leave Artisan Plaza lot, turn RIGHT on 4th Street north and follow north through town to junction of MN Highway 20 and Goodhue County 29. Take RIGHT fork, MN Highway 20 and follow north to MN Highway 50.
- At MN Highway 50 take a RIGHT turn and follow EAST through Miesville, follow Highway 50&61 to Goodhue County 7 (Welch Road).
- Take a RIGHT turn onto Goodhue County 7 and follow through Welch and continue south to Vasa at Junction Goodhue County 7 and Mn Highway 19.
- Cross MN Highway 19 and continue to follow Goodhue County 7 South to Goodhue County 1 junction. Turn RIGHT on Goodhue County 1 and follow WEST to Goodhue County 25.
- Turn RIGHT onto Goodhue County 25 and follow North to Junction of Goodhue County 25 and Goodhue County 24.
- Take LEFT turn onto Goodhue County 24 and follow to Round-About and take North exit off Round-About and follow down the hill to Artisan Plaza for Food, Refreshments, 50's& 60's music, car bench racing, and viewing and gearhead talk.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Dennis Sjoquist at 507-213-8091 or dsjoquist@frontiernet.net

2021 CURRENT MEMBERSHIPS – 179

BLOOD SHORTAGE – CONSIDER DONATING AT A BLOOD DRIVE NEAR YOU

Those who are eligible to donate blood are asked to roll up their sleeves and help in their local communities. There is no substitute for human blood. All transfusions use blood from a donor. Each whole blood donation can help as many as three people. Blood enables lifesaving surgery and cancer treatments and is important for supporting babies who are born prematurely. If demand continues to outstrip supply, then hospitals will be forced to ration the available inventory. In 2021, blood remains a critical community resource. Our community needs you. To donate blood, you must weigh at least 110 pounds and be at least 16 or 17, depending on the law in your state. Some states allow minors to donate with parental permission. Also, you must be in good health, and be able to pass the physical and confidential health history assessment to help make sure blood donation is safe for you and the recipient of your blood. Find a blood drive near you.

<https://www.redcrossblood.org/>

I LOVE CANNON FALLS MUGS AND T-SHIRTS

I Love Cannon Falls Mugs and T-Shirts are available at the Chamber Office. The mugs are \$10 each, the Red T-Shirts are \$15 each and the Black T-Shirts are \$17 each. Buy a mug or T-Shirt and get a FREE I Love Cannon Falls Window Cling.

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

EXPRESS EMPLOYMENT PROFESSIONAL

Customer Service Representative- Red Wing/Cannon Falls

7:30 am – 4 pm M-F

Provide personalized service to retailers contacting the company by phone, order entry, and maintaining data bases of information. Requires great 10 key skills. This is a great opportunity to start your career with a well-known manufacturer in Red Wing.

Inventory Control-part/time- Red Wing

Proactively check inventory, order product, and deliver product to appropriate location when it comes in. Requires some computer skills. Unique part-time opportunity for an individual looking to keep busy and add to their income.

- Flexible hours (Tuesday and Thursday) 2 days/week; total of 5 hours/week (guaranteed)
- \$20/hour

Light Machine Operation- Red Wing

3 pm - 11pm M-F; OT Required

We are looking for a skilled Assemblers & Machine Operators to connect parts into more complex components. You will ensure all parts fit correctly and are suitable for the final product. Must have proven experience as a machine operator/assembler. Work for a premier employer in Red Wing, learning and growing with the company.

- \$24/hour

Cart Repair and Assembly- Cannon Falls

1st shift – 7 am – 3 pm

In Cannon Falls, we are looking for someone who is mechanically inclined and is good using hand tools to be fixing and repairing industrial carts. Or an assembly person to hang and remove painted parts. Find a rewarding career and become part of an innovative and collaborative team.

- \$18-20/hr.

Bottling/General Labor- Cannon Falls

1st shift – 7 am - 3:30 pm

We are looking for 3 people to help with the bottling process at a honey manufacturer in Cannon Falls. Must have some production experience. Be a part of a company that is a backer of sustainable beekeeping, global sourcing of honey, and is customer and teamwork focused.

- \$15.00/hr

Roto Cast Machine Operator- Cannon Falls

2nd shift - 3pm-11:30pm

We are looking for someone who can prepare molds, read blueprints, cuts and sorts scrap material, and has a sense of awareness for the process of the equipment operation. Must be able to lift/carry 25-50lbs on a regular basis and work in environment of 90-95 degrees daily. Be on a team within a leading manufacturer of custom plastic parts and commercial cases, setting up and operating the Rotational Molding equipment.

- \$17.76-\$24.67/hr.

MEMBER-TO-MEMBER NEWS –

If you have an event, activity or announcement you want shared with all of the Chamber Members, please send your information to the Chamber Office at tourism@cannonfalls.org by Thursday of each week.

FERNDALE FARM TOUR

We're thrilled to be participating in the annual Eat Local Co-op Farm Tour <<https://ferndalemarketonline.us6.list-manage.com/track/click?u=b0f2e70f0d&id=bcf5126107&e=6cbc7dee27>> on **July 10th** from 10 am to 4 pm.

This is a fun family event and a great opportunity to see our farm and free-range turkeys in action. Enjoy hayride tours every 30 minutes, activities for kids, and food samples. Plus, browse our on-farm market to discover local foods from more than 100 farmers and producers.

Visit our event page <<https://ferndalemarketonline.us6.list-manage.com/track/click?u=b0f2e70f0d&id=c3e1f77480&e=6cbc7dee27>> for more details. We hope to see you on the farm!

LIBRARY PRESENTS CONCERTS IN THE PARK

Bandshell at John Burch Park

Saturday, **July 10th** at 1 pm – The Changeups

Saturday, **July 24th** at 2 pm – Elisa Korenne

Friday, **August 27th** at 1 pm – The Everett Smithson Band

More concerts are being scheduled in August. Check the concert schedule out at <https://cannonfalls.lib.mn.us/> and see these fun activities at <https://fb.watch/6qOMXdMTNu/>. Seeing these concerts will make you feel young at heart.

YOUTH CAMPFIRE AND S'MORE

Sunday, **July 11th**, 7 pm – 8 pm

First English Lutheran Church, 511 W Belle St

Come as you are, stay as you are able. There is no preregistration for this event.

Youth Campfire and S'more, Sunday, **July 11th**, 7 pm -8 pm Youth entering grades 6-12.

Gather and connect with each other with games, devotions, and more. Friends are always welcome. This will be held indoors or outdoors.

For more information, contact Kristine Hertsgaard Kincaid, Youth and Family Ministry at First English Lutheran Church. 507-263-3042, 507-330-1824 or felcyKris@gmail.com

FUN NIGHTS – GOD'S LOVE GROWS

Wednesday, **July 14th**, 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Wednesday, **August 18th**, 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

First English Lutheran Church, 511 W Belle St

For children and a caring adult, ages 2-grade 5

We will explore how God's love grows with chalk, bubbles, games, ice cream, and more. This event will be held outdoors or indoors, Friends are welcome!

For more information, contact Kristine Hertsgaard Kincaid, Youth and Family Ministry at First English Lutheran Church. 507-263-3042, 507-330-1824 or felcyKris@gmail.com

FREE PICNIC DINNER AND OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, **July 15th**, 4:30 pm – 6:30 pm – RSVP is Necessary.

Cannon Rivers Senior Living, 900 Main St W

Join Cannon Rivers Senior Living for an Old-Fashioned Picnic Dinner and Open House. We're serving some summer favorites including root beer floats. We'd love to see you and celebrate summer.

Tours will be available. Parking is available at the Park and Ride Lot across from Cannon Rivers.

RSVP to Ann Williams by **July 9th** by calling 507-263-3600 or ann.williams@fairview.org

FROM THE HEART GIFTS' CELEBRATING THE USA

Friday and Saturday, **July 16th and 17th**, from 11 am – 6 pm, Sunday, **July 18th**, from 11 am – 4 pm

Weichert Realty – Carnel & Co., 100 S 4th St

From the Heart Gifts will be open on **July 16th – 18th** Celebrating the USA!! There is a diverse group of talented artists and crafters who share their crafts, jewelry, wall hangings, refurbished items, and collectibles. Local businesses also have their products and services available for purchase. If you would be interested in having your gifts, be a part of this new boutique, please contact Cheryl Siebenaler on her cell at 507-951-0839 or email her at Cheryl.Siebenaler@gmail.com

FORGIVING WHAT YOU CAN'T FORGET with Lysa Terkeurst

Wednesdays from 9-11am

July 16th – July 28th

Co-led by Renee Ramler and Leah Hoskins at our homes Childcare provided upon request.

This study on forgiveness will help you:

- * Learn how to move on when the other person refuses to change and never says they're sorry.
- * Walk through a step-by-step process to free yourself from the hurt of your past and feel less offended today.
- * Discover what the Bible really says about forgiveness and the peace that comes from living it out right now.
- * Identify what's stealing trust and vulnerability from your relationships so you can believe there is still good ahead.
- * Disempower the triggers hijacking your emotions by embracing the two necessary parts of forgiveness.

Register Here <<https://riverwoodonline.us10.list-manage.com/track/click?u=943a580b910da5e19935fe005&id=f10b11bad8&e=9d59dcb389>>

LALO'S LUNCHBOX

Saturday, **July 17th**, at 10 am on ZOOM

Join Lalo and his friends as they handle unpredictable food erupting out of Lalo's Lunchbox! This family-friendly show has sketch comedy, sing-a-longs, and audience participation games that teach about healthy foods and how to be kind to others. This may sound cheesy, but this show's too "Gouda" to pass up!

Email aockocki@sleco.info for the Zoom Link. This program is made possible by a Library Legacy Grant. All programs are free.

RSM SUMMER SCHEDULE

Contact Marlo Pranke, interim director, with any questions (507) 301-7893

Date	Activity	Time
July 21	Bike ride Cannon Trail to Welch and back	6:00pm at pay station – 8:45pm
August 4	TBA	
August 18	TBA	

We are looking for volunteers to help with summer Kids LIVE for ages PreK-3rd and 4th/5th-grade classrooms. We are doing an exciting video-based summer series. We would need adult help in the room during the video and to dismiss kids out to the playground. There would be no lesson planning involved in this summer series. Contact Josie (651-253-7659 jhayes432@gmail.com <<mailto:jhayes432@gmail.com>>) or Jan (952-923-0746 janfennern@gmail.com <<mailto:janfennern@gmail.com>>). Please text, call or email to volunteer. Help us to get this summer program going for our kids!

MAYO CLINIC OFFERS COPING WITH CHRONIC PAIN

Coping with Chronic Pain: Chronic pain can be debilitating, but there are ways to help your mind and body manage pain. Matthew Schumann, Ph.D., a Mayo Clinic psychologist, will discuss factors that impact pain, and review evidence-based self-management strategies to reduce pain in a virtual webinar on **July 20th** from Noon to 1 p.m. Register today. https://mc-meet.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_AEu2uQRSRVWETbMwPSWq2A

BIKE CANNON FALLS SUMMER SCHEDULE

Join us at the Gazebo in the City Parking Lot at the Cannon Valley Trailhead Thursday, **July 22nd**, at 6 pm

MADAMS, MATRONS, & MADWOMEN: EXTRAORDINARY WOMEN IN AMERICAN HISTORY

Saturday, **July 24th**, 2 pm – 3 pm at the John Burch Park Bandshell

Master songwriter/storyteller, Elisa Korenne, presents a concert celebrating some of the most interesting women from American history! Featuring the stories of extraordinary women such as Victoria Woodhull, Maria “The Minnesota Blizzard” Blaisdell, the Hormel Girls musical group, and many others!

This event is FREE and open to the public. For more information, contact the Cannon Falls Library at 507-263-2804.

DISCOVERY DAY CAMPS

Monday – Friday, **July 26th – July 30th**, 9 am – 4 pm

Phillippo Scout Reservation will be holding Day Camps in June through September 2021. A few points about their Discovery Day Camps are they are a week-long day camp for all youth K- 8th grade. The participants will get to do fun activities including climbing, swimming, STEM, crafts, games, and more! There are three different weeks at Phillippo throughout the summer and all of that information, and to register, can be found at

<https://www.northernstar.org/News/eNavigator/2021-summer-camp-adventure-is-open#cubsummer> or <https://www.northernstar.org/News/eNavigator/2021-summer-camp-adventure-is-open#scoutsbsa>

COUNTRY CRUISE SET FOR CANNON FALLS

The Cannon Cruisers Car & Truck Club are inviting everyone to their 35th Annual Scenic Cannon Falls Area Country Cruise on Friday, **July 30th**. The Line up will be at Artisan Plaza at 5 pm, and the 25-mile Cruise will begin at 7 pm with a Cannon Falls Police Escort. There is a \$10 per car fee and everyone is asked to bring a canned good for the Cannon Falls Food Shelf.

This Cruise will be returning to Artisan Plaza at 8 pm. Food and beverages will be available for purchase, and the 50's and 60's Music will be playing from 8 pm to 10 pm. For more information, contact Dennis Sjoquist at 507-263-2775.

5K RUN/WALK FOR LIFE AND SILENT AUCTION

15th Annual First Choice Clinic 5K Run/Walk for Life & Silent Auction will be held on Saturday, **July 31st**, from 7:30 am - 11 am at Bay Point Park in Red Wing. There will be a Silent Auction and Kids Fun Run at 9 AM, as well as family-friendly games and activities. All proceeds benefit our clinics in Red Wing and Cannon Falls. Registration is open: www.firstchoiceclinic.org/events <<http://www.firstchoiceclinic.org/events>> or text WALK4LIFE to 651-615-4114. Rain or shine. Sorry, no refunds. If you have any questions, please call 651-267-4357 or email info@firstchoiceclinic.org <<mailto:info@firstchoiceclinic.org>> .

DUNGEON'S & DRAGONS (D&D)

Friday, **July 31st and August 14th** - 2 pm at CannonBelles Coffee & Ice Cream

A full game could run as late as 6 pm, but you can feel free to leave when you need to.

Come to CannonBelles for an introductory game of Dungeon's & Dragons! The D&D Essentials Kit is available to check out from the Cannon Falls Library between games. This event is intended for either new or more experienced adult & teen players (experiences younger players are OK too).

VOICES OF THE VALLEY

The Cannon Valley Trail Interpretive Program is planned to assist a visitor's understanding and exploration of the Cannon River Valley and also provides educational and entertaining programs for Trail users.

Programs take place on Saturdays during the months of May through September from 11 am – 2 pm at Cannon Valley Trail Welch Station Access, at 26674 – 144th Ave Way, Welch, MN. This location can be accessed by driving if you'd like to enjoy the events but aren't able to bike there. Feel free to bring lawn chairs and come to listen to the music.

August 7th – **Carolyn Priore**, a fiddler and singer/songwriter from the Sogn Valley in SE MN will perform. Her music is inspired by classic folk artists as well as traditional Irish Music. RW Naturalists will be at WSA with activity sheets, maps, information and more.

September 4th – **Flatt & Square** is a fun band from Red Wing, MN, who play a mix of Bluegrass, Old-Timey, Old Country, Folk and Celtic songs and fiddle tunes. They usually consist of Katryn Conlin, Ben Manning and David Vincent, plus the occasional MN celebrity like Bill Cagley, Mark Kreitzer or Mike Hildebrandt. They are associated with the stringed instrument repair programs at MSC Southeast in Red Wing and two of them are professional Luthiers. We sometimes use the moniker “musicians who build the instruments they play”.

RIVERWOOD COMMUNITY CHURCH'S FAMILY POOL AND PIZZA PARTY

Sunday, **August 15th**, from 4 pm – 6 pm

Cannon Falls Community Pool

People of all ages are invited to join together for food, fellowship, and fun at the Cannon Falls Community Pool. This is a fantastic outreach opportunity for your friends and neighbors! More details to come.

JULY IS OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SCHOOL SUPPLY COLLECTION MONTH

Riverwood Community Church, 5343 Hwy 19 Blvd

Crayons, markers, pencils, colored pencils, pencil sharpeners, steno note pads, color books or pads, pencil bags, reusable bags like you can buy for groceries and quality blunt-tipped scissors, small solar calculators are all ideas to pack in a shoe box. Most of these items will be on sale for a dollar or less. The kids will pack boxes the first week of November. Our goal is 100 boxes again this year!

GOODHUE COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

To find out what is happening at the Goodhue County Historical Society, check out their Summer 2021 Newsletter

<<https://goodhuecountyhistory.us7.list-manage.com/track/click?u=d9119de2e8429712c178ab3b6&id=f7b4dd442a&e=0008ebd3cc>>

2021 CHAMBER SPONSORSHIPS (as of 07092021)

2021 CHAMBER DIAMOND SPONSOR



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FLOWER BASKET SPONSORSHIPS FROM COMMUNITY

Annette and John Bing – *In Memory of Dona Mae Kimball*

Barb Kamholz - *Jack*

Beverly Lundell

Bill and Nancy Althoff

Carrie Johnson and Ryan Josephs – *In honor and loving memory of Patty Anderson*

Cliff and Karen Adel

Denell Johnson – *In Memory of Dylan Johnson*

Gary and Ann Thacher
Gwen Rose – *In Memory of David Delzer and Theresa Rose*
John Lindahl – Gemini Employee Contribution
Karen Carnel/Estate of Irene Carnel – *In Memory of Irene and Tom Carnel*
Karen Slininger
Larry and Kay Dammer
Liz O’Gorman – *In Memory of Bob, Laurie and Dan O’Gorman*
Louise Bowman
Marcella Knoblauch – *In Memory of Wilmer*
Mrs. Evelyn L Strack
Richard Miller – *In Memory of My Wife*
Rod Nelson – *In Memory of Mary Nelson and Pat Anderson*
Sue’s Garage Sales – *Gifts from Community at the Shop*

\$100 SPONSORSHIP LEVEL –

Children’s Easter Cruise, Flower Baskets, Halloween Trick or Treat Trot & Open-Air Fair

Bayer Crop Science
Courtesy Corporation - McDonalds
Cycle America
Dakota Electric Association
Family Salon
First Farmers & Merchants Bank
Mayo Clinic Health System
Merchants Bank
Peterson Turkey Hatchery – *In Memory of Pat Anderson*
Northside Storage
Sustane Natural Fertilizer

\$250 SPONSORSHIP LEVEL –

Golf Tournament Hole Sign & Deck the Falls Fireworks

Cycle America
Dakota Electric Association
First Farmers & Merchants Bank
Minnesota Energy Resources
Northside Storage
The Terrace of Cannon Falls
VASA Spring Garden Mutual
Xcel Energy

\$400 SPONSORSHIP LEVEL –

Golf Tournament Meal

Dakota Electric Association
Henkel
Lindell Heating and Air Conditioning, Inc.

\$500 SPONSORSHIP LEVEL –

Golf Tournament Team & Light Up Cannon Falls

Banks Outdoors/Hancock Concrete
Cannon Auto Repair
Cannon Falls Beacon owned by O’Rourke Media Group
Community Resource Bank
First Farmers & Merchants Bank
HBC, Inc.
Highview Woodworking, LLC
Interstate Building Supply
Luvy’s Barn Art
Mayo Clinic Health System
Merchants Bank
Merrimutts Inn
Nelson Insurance
ReMax Cannon Realty
Sustane Natural Fertilizer
Xcel Energy/Goodhue County Commissioners