

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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

- November 4 Jingle and Mingle, 1 pm – 8 pm, Cannon Valley Specialties, 114 – 4th St N
November 11 SAVE the DATE – Business After Hours, 5 pm – 7 pm, Merchants Bank, 300 W Main St, Cannon Falls
November 17 Garland and Light Wrapping, 1 pm, Cannon Falls Fire Department, 320 W Hoffman, Cannon Falls
November 15 Deadline to order Cannon Falls FFA Fruit, Cannon Falls Area Schools, 820 E Minnesota St
November 19 Pick up Your Pies, 4 pm – 6 pm, Community Parking Lot, 621 Main St W – place your orders with CRSL
November 27 Small Business Saturday
November 27 Deck the Falls Parade, 5 pm, Downtown Cannon Falls

BIG THANKS TO EVERYONE!!

Our Chamber Halloween Trick or Treat Trot hit new records this year! There were a record number of 49 Chamber Members and other vendors passing out candy and popcorn this past Friday. Nicole Miller, from the library, shared that she did a count at their location, and she came up with 1,214 trick or treaters (50 margin either way). In the past, we have been as high as 700. Others ran out of candy early, and they had given out 400, 700, 800 and up to 1,000 pieces.

This was a great event for our community! Thanks to all the volunteers and police who helped keep everyone safe too!

NEWS AND INFORMATION**COVID-19 BOOSTER CLINICS****November 17, 2021 – January 27, 2022**Cannon Falls Community Center – **November 19th and December 17th**Red Wing - Goodhue County Government Center - **December 2nd, 9th, 16th, 30th and January 6th, 13th, 20th, and 27th**Zumbrota VFW – **November 17th and December 15th**

Registration is now open for Goodhue County Health and Human Services Moderna booster shot appointments at upcoming COVID Vaccination Clinics (see attached flyers for dates and locations). Moderna Booster shots are available to individuals who previously received Moderna, Pfizer or Janssen (J&J). If you would like a poster to share with your employees/clients/etc, please contact the Chamber Office or gina.johnson@co.goodhue.mn.us

Eligibility:

Those who have completed their Pfizer or Moderna series at least 6 months ago and are:

- 65 years and older
- 18+ and live-in long-term care settings
- 18+ who have [underlying medical conditions](#)
- 18+ who [live or work in high-risk settings](#)

OR Those who have received their primary dose of J&J at least 2 months ago and are 18 years and older.

Anyone who receives their first or second dose of the COVID-19 vaccine at any of the upcoming clinics will receive a \$50 gift card! Individuals receiving booster shots are not eligible for the incentive program.

For more information and to register online, visit www.co.goodhue.mn.us/covid-19vaccines If you need assistance, transportation services, or do not have access to the internet, please call 651-385-2000 to register by phone. Walk-in appointments may be available. Pre-registration is preferred.

MN PLAN TO VACCINATE 5–11-YEAR-OLDS

On November 27, 2021, Governor Walz announced Minnesota's plan to administer the COVID-19 vaccine to children ages 5-11 after the U.S. Food and Drug Administration Advisory Committee voted to recommend the use of the Pfizer vaccine in children 5-11 years old.

To meet families where they are, the state has mobilized a strong network of more than 1,100 providers that can begin vaccinating eligible children quickly and equitably the moment final eligibility recommendations are issued by the federal government next week.

40% AMONG MINNESOTA 12-17-YEAR-OLDS FOLLOWING LAUNCH OF ‘KIDS DESERVE A SHOT’

This past Friday, Governor Walz announced that COVID-19 first dose vaccinations are up nearly 40% among Minnesotans 12-17 years old in just one week since the launch of the “Kids Deserve a Shot” campaign. The first week of the campaign, more than 2,200 Minnesotans 12-17 got their first COVID-19 vaccine dose, compared to just 1,600 the week before. Minnesotans can learn more and register online by clicking [here](#).

NEWEST CHAMBER MEMBER

Please welcome Krystal Wallerich, Director, Jen Borchers, Board President, and Tasha Vail, Treasurer, from Northfield Gymnastics for joining our Chamber.

Northfield Gymnastics Club provides a safe and exciting environment for your youth to learn gymnastics and ninja. Our very own Nicole Miller, Cannon Falls Library Director, is one of their Gymnastics Instructors.

EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

BUSINESS AFTER HOURS AT MERCHANTS BANK

Thursday, **November 11th**, 5:15 pm – 7 pm, Merchants Bank, 300 W Main St
Merchants Bank is sponsoring this Business After Hours. They are inviting everyone to join them for networking opportunities, hors d’oeuvres and refreshments. Come and vote on the photo for the cover of our 2022 Discover Guide.

WHO HAS GREAT PHOTOS?

It is time to get started on the Chamber’s 2022 Discover Guide. New photos are needed to give this year’s project a new look. Your photos can include any events/activities or scenery that is directly related to Cannon Falls and its surrounding area. A photo for the cover of our guide is needed too.

Photo credit will be given for the photos used in our guide. Please include your name and phone number when you send your photos to tourism@cannonfalls.org. The submission of your photo is giving the Chamber permission to use your photo in this publication.

The Chamber Members who attend the Business After Hours event on Thursday, **November 11th**, at Merchants Bank, will select the photo for the cover.

CALLING FOR PARADE UNITS

The 2021 Deck the Falls Parade Entry Form is attached with this E-Newsletter. The form asks what type and length your float, vehicle, or walking unit will be for the parade. Will you have music or make noise on your parade unit? There is also a place to write out the narrative that you would like the Parade MC to announce as go through the stop light intersection. The deadline to register for the parade is Friday, **November 19th**.

If we have more than usual parade units, we could adjust the parade route. Get your registrations in.

I LOVE CANNON FALLS MUGS AND T-SHIRTS

I Love Cannon Falls Mugs - \$10

Red I Love Cannon Falls T-Shirts -\$15 and Black I Love Cannon Falls T-Shirts- \$17

Buy a mug or T-Shirt and get a FREE I Love Cannon Falls Window Cling.

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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 TUESDAY of each week.

FFA FRUIT SALES ARE OPEN!

Deadline to place orders is **November 15th**

Mixed Boxes of Fruit; Citrus; Apples & Pears; and Cheese, Sausage & Nuts with prices ranging from \$12 - \$45.

Pick-up Date is during the 2nd week of December

Pay upon Pick with Cash or Checks - Make checks payable to Cannon Falls FFA

To see the order form or to place an order by November 15th, contact Mr. Duane Pliscott at Pliscott.duane@cf.k12.mn.us
The Chamber Office also has the order form if you would like to see it. Email tourism@cannonfalls.org

CANNON VALLEY SENIOR CENTER HOSTS...

All activities are held at the Cannon Falls Community Center, 120 W State St

Open to all ages all activities started at the beginning of November.

Fitness Classes with Tracy Spinks, YMCA Certified Silver Sneakers Instructor

Regular Classes on 2nd & 4th Tuesdays at 10:30 am

Balance & Strength Classes with Nicole Miller, Certified Instructor

1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 9 am Tuesday, starting on **November 16th and 30th**

Variety of Card Games – 1st and 3rd Thursdays at 10 am

Hallway Walking – Monday – Thursday, 9 am – 1 pm

Computers for Public Use – Monday – Thursday, 9 am – 1 pm

TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN OPEN HOUSE “AWAY FROM HOME”

Thursday, **November 4th**, from 10 am – Noon, Lundberg Funeral Home, 5839 Hwy 19 Blvd

One-Time Payment - Life-Time Coverage - World-Wide Protection

Just \$475 for Lifetime Coverage

If you are away from home for any travel, the “Away From Home Plan” can provide real value and tremendous peace of mind. When you are covered by the “Away From Home Plan”, you are protected for most costs associated with a death outside a 75-mile radius from your home, which can include: embalming or cremation costs, transportation to/from the airport, airfare or ground transport charges, completion of necessary documents.

*Covered persons are still responsible for other costs associated with the funeral home such as casket, vault, urn, 3rd Party expenses, etc.

THE CANCER JOURNEY: LEARN HOW DIET, LIFESTYLE & LAUGHTER CAN MAKE AN IMPACT

Thursday, **November 4th** from Noon to 1 pm

A cancer diagnosis is life-altering for patients, families and caregivers. Learn what changes you can make that can affect your journey at the upcoming Lloyd & Ardis Peterson Cancer Symposium with Mayo Clinic Health System. Joseph Gonzalez, a Mayo Clinic Health System dietitian, will discuss how diet and lifestyle can affect the risk of certain cancers. Brenda Eslagher, keynote speaker, author, certified humor professional and colorectal cancer survivor, will share tips for coping with laughter through stressful and challenging moments. [Learn more and register.](#)

JINGLE AND MINGLE

Thursday, **November 4th**, 1 pm – 8 pm, Cannon Valley Specialties, 114 – 4th St N

Start your Holiday Shopping! Join us November 4th, 1 pm – 8 pm for shopping, candy sampling, sales, giveaways and treats.

GRIEFSHARE – YOU ARE NOT ALONE

Tuesday, **November 9th – November 30th**, from 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm, Riverwood Community Church, 5343 Hwy 19 Blvd

If you’ve lost a spouse, child, family member, or friend, you’ve probably found there are not many people who understand the deep hurt you feel. This can be a confusing time when you feel isolated and have many questions about things you’ve never faced before. GriefShare groups meet weekly to help you face these challenges and move toward rebuilding your life. Each GriefShare session has three distinct elements: video input from experts, discussion group format, and personal reflection.

We meet 6:30 pm -8:30 pm. If you or someone you know has endured the loss of a loved one, we welcome you to join us.
[Register Here](#)

VETERAN'S DAY PROGRAM

November 10th, 9:30 Registration, St. Ansgar's Lutheran Church, 7459 Hwy 19 Blvd
Social time, coffee & baked goods

10:00 Program Guest Speaker is Joel Rustad, Goodhue County Assistant Service Officer
Honors Luncheon follows in the St. Ansgar's Fellowship Hall

ITS AS EASY AS PIE!

It's the aroma of a delicious apple or pumpkin pie. Cannon Rivers Senior Living is hosting a take-and-bake event just in time for Thanksgiving! Call or email today to place your order! Reserve your ready-to-bake pies at just \$5 apiece.

Join Cannon Rivers Senior Living is supporting our very own, Cannon Falls Fire Department! 100% of the proceeds will go to the Fire Department's Relief Association. \$5 per pie. No Limits.

Please place your order for Ready-to-Bake Pumpkin or Apple Pies by Friday, **Novembers 12th**, by contacting 507-263-6087 or Crislyn.walsh@fairview.org

Just in time for Thanksgiving, you can pick up your pies on Friday, **November 19th**, at the Cannon Falls Community Lot, 621 Main St W, from 4 pm – 6 pm.

FRESHLY PAINTED: CREATING BRIGHTER FUTURES

651-388-6309, 651-983-5543 or sarah.lindner@uw-gwp.org

United Way of Goodhue, Wabasha & Pierce Counties – along with Red Wing Arts – is pleased to present the Freshly Painted: Creating Brighter Futures art exhibition. We asked local artists, “What feeling does the word ‘home’ invoke? What colors, textures or images come to mind?” Several artists responded and submitted artwork to the show. All opted to donate 50 – 100% of the proceeds of the sale of their art to United Way's strategic homelessness initiative. The artwork is on display now through **November 15th** at the Sheldon Theatre and will be go to auction **November 19th**. Preview the artwork at uw-gwp.org/freshly-painted!

TAKE OUT COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER

Thursday, **November 25th**, 11 am – 1 pm Pick-up at St Pius V Catholic Church, 410 Colvill St W

Cannon Valley Senior Center is looking for volunteers for Monday – Thursday, **November 22nd – 25th** to help prepare the food. If you are interested in helping with preparation or delivering to curb side, call Lora Bremer at 507-263-2136. Free will donations to the Cannon Valley Senior Center will be appreciated.

2021 CHAMBER SPONSORSHIPS (as of 11032021)

2021 CHAMBER DIAMOND SPONSOR



2021 CHAMBER GOLD SPONSORS



FLOWER BASKET SPONSORSHIPS FROM COMMUNITY

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

Babe & Jim Nelson – *In Memory of Mary Ketchum*

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*

Mrs. Evelyn L Strack

Gary and Ann Thacher

Gwen Rose – *In Memory of David Delzer and Theresa Rose*

Mr. & Mrs. James Nelson – *In Memory of Larry Welt*

Jim Bassett – *In Memory of Mary Bassett*

John Anderson – *In Memory of Dawn Dettling*

John Lindahl – Gemini Employee Contribution

Karen Carnel/Estate of Irene Carnel – *In Memory of Irene and Tom Carnel*

Karen Slininger

Kathleen Dalton – *In Memory of Dawn Dettling*

Larry and Kay Dammer

Liz O’Gorman – *In Memory of Bob, Laurie and Dan O’Gorman*

Louise Bowman

Marcella Knoblauch – *In Memory of Wilmer*

Marilou Welt – *In Memory of Larry Welt*

Peterson Turkey Hatchery – *In Memory of Pat Anderson*

Richard Miller – *In Memory of My Wife*

Rod Nelson – *In Memory of Mary Nelson and Pat Anderson*

Sarah Richards – *In Memory of Dawn Dettling*

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

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

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