

Local Happenings



photo | Richard Mendoza
THE NEW SALEM ROOKIES baseball team practices ahead of their first game of the season, which was held yesterday in Center. A full schedule for the Rookies and Majors can be found on page 8.



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INSTALLATION of the new welcome sign and digital messaging center, which will be located on the grass in front of Security First Bank, has taken place. The project is a collaboration between Security First and the New Salem Betterment Committee.



photo | Ryan Johnson
ATTENDEES at the Mandan Library's Summer Reading Program Kick-off Event

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WEEKLY SPECIALS

MONDAY Lunch Chimichanga \$11. ⁹⁹ Fajita Quesadilla \$15. ⁹⁹	THURSDAY Lunch California Burrito \$12. ⁴⁹ Burrito Fajita \$16. ⁹⁹	SUNDAY Arroz Con Pollo \$15. ⁹⁹ Steak and Shrimp \$26. ⁹⁹
TUESDAY Street Taco \$2. ⁰⁰ Speedy Gonzalez \$10. ⁹⁹	FRIDAY Lunch Ranchero Cheese Steak \$12. ⁴⁹ Lindo Special \$19. ⁹⁹	
WEDNESDAY Lunch Burrito Croqueta \$11. ⁴⁹ Chicken Fajitas \$17. ⁹⁹	SATURDAY Tacos Al Carbon \$13. ⁹⁹ Mixed Fajitas \$22. ⁹⁹	MON. - SAT. 11am - 10pm SUNDAY 11am - 9pm

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE TO NEW SALEM RESIDENTS

The City of New Salem's 2025 Quality Water on Tap Report is now available at the City Auditor's Office, 400 Main Avenue, New Salem, ND. Individual Reports will not be mailed. Reports are also available online at www.newsalem-nd.com

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JUNE 12 - 14, 2026
Presented By **SCHWAN**

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COMMUNITY EVENTS

FRIDAY - JUNE 12 Food Truck Festival, Beer Garden & Music Mandan Dirt Series Hot Rodz & Hamburgers	SATURDAY - JUNE 13 Scotty's Show & Shine Dacotah Mandan Lions Kite Fly Food Truck Festival, Beer Garden & Music Mandan Cruise Night	SUNDAY - JUNE 14 Planes & Pancakes SUNDAY CLASSIC CAR SHOW CAR SHOW 11 AM - 4 PM MAIN STREET DAKOTA IRON TRACTOR DISPLAY East Bravera Bank Parking Lot FOOD, BEER & LIVE MUSIC Dykshoorn Park BUGGIES-N-BLUES CRAFT SHOW Heritage Park SWAP MEET West Bravera Bank Parking Lot
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MUSIC LINEUP

FRIDAY JUNE 12
Randy James Band [4 PM]
Shirts & Skins [6 PM]

SATURDAY JUNE 13
Avantide [1:30 PM]
Unleashed [4 PM]
The Dreamboats [6:30 PM]
The Pork Tornadoes [8:30 PM]

SUNDAY JUNE 14
Moments Notice [10:30 AM]
Stella [2 PM]

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