

**COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** (open) Every Tues @ 7pm. 1st Lutheran Church basement 326 Bluff St, Enderlin, ND 58027

**"COMFORT MESSAGE:** Visit the First Lutheran Church Facebook page (FirstLutheranEnderlin) to hear a positive message. A new message is posted weekly." We have decided to discontinue the phone line.

**ENDERLIN AREA FOOD PANTRY** - Open the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month. Hours 9am-6pm. Located in First Lutheran Church, Enderlin. Serving the Enderlin, Alice, Sheldon, and Nome area.

**RANSOM COUNTY FOOD PANTRY:** Call the Food Pantry at 701-308-0905 by Wednesdays at 5 p.m. to receive a food basket to be picked up on Thursdays between 1 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. at the Ransom County Food Pantry.

**ENDERLIN ALUMNI ASSOCIATION:** will hold their monthly meetings on the fourth Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. during the school year and 9:00 a.m. during the summer months at the Enderlin Insurance Agency.

**MONTHLY MEETING FOR THE VFW AUXILIARY:** The monthly meeting of the VFW Auxiliary will be held on the third Tuesday of the month at 5:30 p.m. at the Enderlin VFW clubrooms.

**ENDERLIN SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER BONE BUILDERS: TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS** at 10:00 am "Helping to Fight Osteoporosis" \*Improve Balance, Increase Energy, Bone Density, Mobility and Lower Blood Pressure FREE, Open to the Public of all ages. **Whist every Tuesday at 12:30 PM & Dominos last Thursday of every month at 12:30 PM.**

**VETERAN'S SERVICES** available every 3rd Tuesday of the month from 1pm - 3pm at the Enderlin VFW Club.

**ENDERLIN MUSEUM HOURS:** Museum is closed for the season, except by appointment. Will reopen Memorial Day weekend.

**ENDERLIN LIBRARY HOURS:** Winter Hours: Monday - Friday: 12 noon until 6 p.m.; Saturday & Sunday Closed

**IN MEMORY OR HONOR OF A LOVED ONE?**

*Enderlin Area Booster Club, 858 Center Street, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Enderlin Youth Baseball, 5991 133 1/2 Ave SE, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Veterans Monument, VFW, 225 3rd Avenue, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Enderlin Alumni Association, PO Box 81, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Enderlin Fine Arts Association, PO Box 32, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Enderlin Municipal Library, 303 Railway, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Enderlin/Sheldon Rural Fire District (Rescue Squad), PO Box 43, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Enderlin Sunflower Festival, 5010 133rd Ave SE, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*SMP Health - Maryhill Auxiliary, 110 Hillcrest Drive, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Enderlin Park Board, 411 Railway, Enderlin, ND 58027*

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*HEART (Helping Enderlin Area Residents Thrive) Program, 221 3rd Ave., Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Sheldon Public School District #2 Scholarship Fund Donations to: Enderlin Dollars for Scholars, Attn: Cindy Hansen, PO Box 102, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Enderlin Community Cemetery, PO Box 84, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Enderlin Historical Society and Museum, Attn: Secretary/Treasurer, Po Box 101 Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Maple River Senior Center, 221 3rd Avenue, Enderlin, ND 58027*

*Enderlin-Sheldon Wildlife Club, PO Box 121, Enderlin, ND 58027*



Enderlin Lions float in the All School parade

**Guests, Grub and Education! A Fine Lions Meeting.**

By Mike Martin, Secretary. The Enderlin Lions Club held a monthly membership meeting Tuesday, June 23 at the local golf course. 30 members and guests were there when Club President Karlton Stordalen called the meeting to order at 6 p.m. Guests Crystal Dueker, Jan Victor, Connie Radcliff, Will Brandt, Dwight Kruger and Greg Torbenson were introduced by President Stordalen. All stood for the Pledge Allegiance and Lion Grant Patterson followed with a meal prayer. The Nelson Golf Course crew served a supper of grilled customized hamburgers, 2 salads, baked beans, apple crisp and cake. It was summer fare at its best. Following supper was a highly anticipated program by Microsoft's Will Brandt on data centers. A companion Enderlin Independent story summarizes what was heard. Following the program, a written treasurer's report was highlighted by Club Treasurer Tom Farnham. A few questions were answered, and Lion Bob Gruman moved and Lion Grant Patterson seconded for approval. The treasurer's report was approved by voice vote. Guest Crystal Dueker shared several regional Lions' updates. She reported a corporate benefactor committed to the purchase of 100,000 special corrective Meta eye-glasses for Lions distributorship. She also wanted our Club to be aware of a tentative May 2027 regional Lions meeting at the Hankinson casino. The secretary's report was next and the June's board meeting minutes, and May's membership meeting minutes had been made available to all members. Lion Peterson moved and Lion Jerry Hanson seconded for approval. The minutes were also approved by voice vote. President Stordalen took the opportunity to identify Lion Gene Johnson's new downtown Enderlin Lions sign. On Gene's own dime and initia-

tive, he hired a custom sign maker to insert a Lions Logo and motto in an existing digital billboard at the corner of 4th Avenue and railway. "Kudos" for a good idea! Old business had Lion Dean Torbenson saying a Lions' 40X80 tent will go up 5 p.m. Thursday, June 25 between the Enderlin library and Baxter Park. The following Monday is planned for take-down. The Club was also reminded by President Stordalen of this Saturday's pancake benefit at the VFW. Help will be needed between 6-9:30 a.m. and proceeds will go to the Enderlin Cemetery. Lion Tom Nord, who is also on the Cemetery's management team, told of the cemetery's infrastructure needs. Lisbon Lion Connie Radcliff, on behalf of accompanying Lisbon Lion Jan Victor, thanked the Enderlin Lions for tonight's good meal, fine hospitality and a great program. Other old business was sharing our Club will field a Club float in Saturday's community parade. Founding Lions Hubert Bleece, Gary Daub, Karlton Stordalen and Andrew Peterson will ride the float in honor of our Club's 50th Charter Anniversary. Free ice cream tokens will be passed out for a treat at the Traxside that afternoon. For new business, the room thought our parade float should be in 6 more parades in 2026. Listed were Enderlin's All Class Reunion, 4th of July in Nome and Ft. Ransom, Ransom County Fair, Leonard and Enderlin's Sunfest. Lion Torbenson said there is a Nome, N.D. tent rental and the setup crew will leave Mike Lemna's shop at 5 p.m. Tuesday, July 2. Meals on Wheels signup went as such: June 30 Bob Gruman, July 7 Andrew Peterson, July 14 Jasmin Kasin, July 21 Grant Patterson, and July 28 Bob Gruman. Finishing business had Lion Gene Johnson winning the 50-50 pot of \$60 with President Stordalen the dime drawing winner. The meeting was declared adjourned at 7:47 p.m.



The music of Dave Herzog Island Drums was playing after the parade on Saturday to give some summer sounds to Enderlin

**Enderlin Senior Center Menu**

*Wed July 1- Garlic Steak Bites, Baked Potato, House Salad, Cranberry Velvet, Wheat Roll*

*Thursday July 2- Hamburger, Potato Salad, Green Bean Casserole, Fresh Berries w/Whip, Wheat Bun*

*Friday July 3- Closed*

*Monday July 6- Oven Fried Chicken, Chive Mashed Potatoes, Seasoned Green Peas, Peaches, Cornbread, Poultry Gravy*

*Tuesday July 7- Fish Fillet Sandwich on Bun, Sweet & Savory Veggie Blend, Watermelon-1 cup,*

*Wednesday July 8- Taco Stuffed Potato, Red Beans & Rice, Chilled Pineapple, Cake, Wheat Dinner Roll*



**SOUND  
of the  
TRUMPET**  
Joel Finnesgard

Come for a time of worship and reflection of our Lord and Savior in this unique setting of instrumental music. The music will include worship and inspirational songs in an easy listening style. God has given us many reasons to worship Him and many ways in which to do so. To lead in worship with the trumpet is truly an honor and a privilege. I take Psalm 150:3 personally and invite you to praise Him along with the sound of the trumpet. Joel

**Hope AFLC @  
Baxter Park  
Enderlin, ND  
Sunday  
July 12th @ 10 AM  
(Free-will offering will be received)**

PRaise Him With The Sound of The Trumpet  
Psalm 150:3a (KJV)  
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**2026 MOTORCOACH TOURS**

Medora & Black Hills	August 4-8
Folklorama & Winnipeg	August 12-15
Washington, D.C. 250th	September 2-11
Branson & Memphis	Sept. 29 - Oct. 8
Nashville	October 21-27
Branson Holiday Tour #1	November 5-11
Branson Holiday Tour #2	November 12-18

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*Happy  
11th  
Birthday  
Addy!*

We hope you have a fun birthday and a great year.

Love Mom & Dad

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**Enderlin Independent Office Hours:**

Thursday July 2, 9, & 16:  
1:00PM - 3:00PM

Deadline is noon Friday for following week

**20TH ANNUAL**  
**HEART**  
Helping Enderlin Area Residents Thrive  
**Golf Scramble**  
Helping Enderlin Area Residents Thrive

**SATURDAY JULY 11, 2026** REGISTRATION 9:30AM START 10:30AM

**Steak Dinner**  
New Games  
Prizes  
Raffles & Bids

**COST: \$75 PER GOLFER** **\$300 PER TEAM**

**TWO ROUNDS OF GOLF, MEAL & FLIGHTED PRIZES**

TO RESERVE A SPOT: CALL HEART AT (701) 437-2877 EMAIL: heartprogram@yahoo.com

**\$10,000 Hole In One Contest**

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