

October 2012 Edition

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The mission of the Moberidge Chamber of Commerce is to provide able community leadership that will encourage and work for economic growth in business, industry and tourism; thereby enhancing the quality of life in the area we serve. The Chamber will represent the interests and advancement of its members while promoting responsible principles in the conduct of business and government."

Moberidge Chamber News



Car & Motorcycle Show



Winners of the 2012 Wheels Unlimited Car & Motorcycle Show

Best Show & People's Choice:

Ron & Deb Droog, Aberdeen, SD /1956 Chevy Bel Air

Best Show Truck: Benny Stewart, Aberdeen, SD/1955 GMC 100

Best Motorcycle: Tom Hausman, Selby, SD/2007 Tundie Mountain Custom

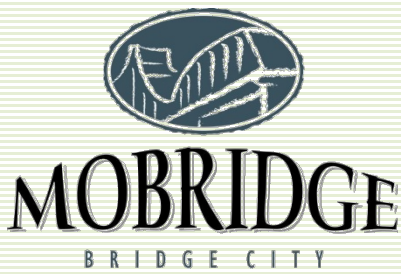
Longest Distance: Gene Tenold, Reva, SD/1969 Dodge Superb

Poker Walk

1st Place: Gina Saylor.....\$110.00

2nd Place: Greg Dockter.....\$75.00

3rd Place: Rick Schremp.....\$35.00



**2012 Wheels Unlimited Car
& Motorcycle Show Entrants**

**2012 Wheels Unlimited Car &
Motorcycle Show**



A. Antiques Cars & Trucks: 1900-1949

Dr. Robert Marciano, Mobridge, SD/1930 Ford Roadster

B. Convertibles: 1950-1965

1. Ron & Deb Droog, Aberdeen, SD/1956 Chevy Bel Air
2. Greg Schuchard, Mandan, ND/1958 Ford Skyliner

C. Convertibles: 1966 & up

1. Mr. & Mrs. Greg Dockter, Bismarck, ND/1966 Ford Thunderbird
2. Kyle Jensen, Mobridge, SD/1966 Chevy Impala

D. Corvettes: 1953-1980

1. Jim & Joel Lang, Eureka, SD/1974 Corvette Stingray
2. Tracy Plush, Mobridge, SD/1980 Corvette

E. Corvettes: 1981 & up

1. Linda Lutz, Mobridge, SD/1982 Chevy Corvette
2. Eldon & Linda Schlosser, Bismarck, ND/2004 Chevy Corvette

F. Stock Cars: 1950-1965

1. Jerry & Rolleen Hauck, Gettysburg, SD/1959 Chevy Impala
2. Delmar & Deb Markel, Mandan, ND/1963 Ford Fairlane

G. Stock Cars: 1966 & up

1. Harley & Barb Moser, Selby, SD/1969 Ford Mustang
2. Joyce Wager, Mobridge, SD/1969 Chevy Chevelle

H. Pickups: 1950-1960

1. Benny Stewart, Aberdeen, SD/1955 GMC 100
2. Glen & Rhonda Landis, Mobridge, SD/1958 GMC 100 4x4

I. Pickups: 1961 & up

1. Gordy & Rachel Hoisington, Mobridge, SD/1972 Chevy 4x4
2. Jody Sayler, Glenham, SD/1966 C-10

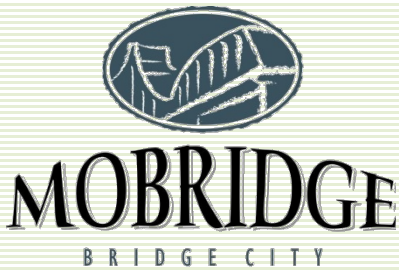
J. Camaro: All Years

1. Bob Yocom, Mandan, ND/1967 Chevy Camaro
2. Melissa Durbin, Mobridge, SD/1992 Chevy Camaro

L. Muscle Cars: All Years

1. Charles Rothberg, Bismarck, ND/1970 Ford Torino
2. Dennis Olheiser, Beulah, ND/1971 Buick GS





**2012 Wheels Unlimited Car
& Motorcycle Show Entrants**

(Cont.)



M. Custom: All Years

1. Dennis Markle, Mandan, ND/1961 GM Cadillac
2. Jim Volk, Moberidge, SD/1970 Volkswagen Bug

O. Mustang: All Years

1. Chester Saylor, Artis, SD/1965 Ford Mustang
2. Nancy & Rich Schrempp, Ridgeview, SD/1971 Ford Mustang

P. Mopar: All Years

1. Lowell Korbyn, Beulah, ND/1970 Dodge Challenger
2. Paul & Lavern Denke, Pierre, SD/2010 Dodge Challenger

Q. G to Firebird/Trans Am: All Years

1. David Weebe, Beulah, ND/1967 Pontiac G To
2. Gina Saylor, Moberidge, SD/1977 Pontiac Firebird

T. Best Host: GM

1. Kenton Jundt, Moberidge, SD/1962 Chevy Corvette
2. Will Hemrich, Belle Fourche, SD/1970 Oldsmobile SX

U. Best Host: Ford

1. Kenton Jundt, Moberidge, SD/1965 Mustang
2. Lou & Terry Novich, Moberidge, SD/1965 Ford Mustang

V. Best Host: Mopar

Joel Schaffer, Moberidge, SD/1967 Dodge Coronet

AA. Harley Dressers:

1. Jeff Jensen, Moberidge, SD/2009 Harley Davidson Electra Glide
2. Lou & Terry Novich, Moberidge, SD/2008 Harley Davidson Ultra Classic

BB. All Other Dressers:

1. Dan Racer/1998 Honda Goldwing
2. Merle Lutz, Moberidge, SD/1976 Harley Davidson

CC. Cruisers:

1. Tom Hausman, Selby, SD/2007 Tundie Mountain Macintosh Custom
2. Wyatt & Rich Schelle/1998 Harley Davidson Custom

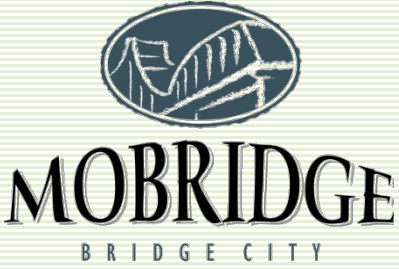
DD. Under 1200 CC:

1. Decklin Finkbeiner, Moberidge, SD/2008 Bashan Chopper
2. Kayla Schily, Moberidge, SD/2005 Rocket

Fire Department Received \$135.00

Lowell Korbyn won 50/50



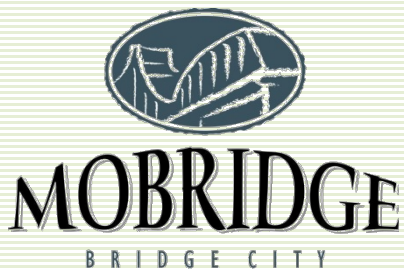


GUN SHOW



Gun Show





Chamber After Hours

Host:

Northwest Beverage

Sponsors:

Farm Credit Services of America

Montana Dakota Utilities

General Trading Company

Real Tuff, Inc.

Dakota Radio Group

Bridge City Publishing

Harrison Ag Technologies, Inc

(September) Chamber After Hours Northwest Beverage



Dean Tisdall - President of the Rodeo Association

Pat Morrison - 2012 Grand Marshall of the Sitting Bull Stampede

Michele Harrison - Director of the Chamber of Commerce



(Tuesday, October 23rd, 2012)

Chamber After Hours

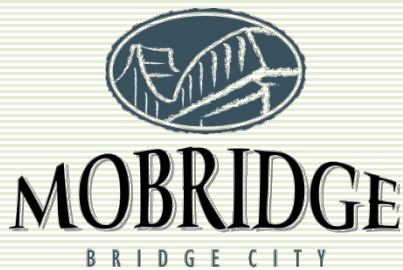
Host:

Moose Lodge #1685

Sponsors:

*Premier Equipment, West Side Meats Inc.,
Dady Drug/Family Pharmacy, Lakeside Cabins,
Pizza Ranch & Kountry Kamping & Kabins*





Director's Desk Editorial
Michele Harrison



GRAND OPENINGS AND RIBBON CUTTINGS

Harrison Appraisals Inc. - October 9th @ 4:30

415 14th Avenue East

NE Corner of the Moberidge Tribune Building

*****Everyone Invited*****

3B TAX COMMITTEE NEWS

The committee members of the Chamber 3B Tax Committee will be creating the budget for 2013 next month. If you have an event that brings non-residents into Moberidge and that has a need for advertising dollars please call the Chamber for a funding application.

Totaling the 3B taxes that have been paid through July this year, the revenue to Moberidge for the purpose of advertising our City has increased 1% over last year during this same time period and 12% over 2011 through July.

RETAIL COMMITTEE

The holidays are quickly descending upon us. The Chamber will be organizing a retail meeting but first we would like your opinions on when and where to hold the meetings. Please contact the Chamber with your vote of day, time and location of this very important meeting.

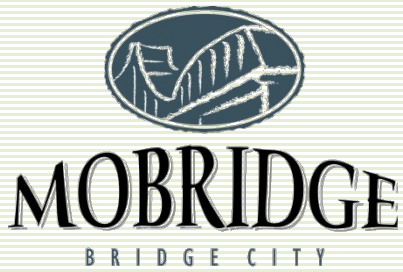
CONVENTIONS

The South Dakota Housing Development Authority's 22nd Annual Housing Conference is scheduled for November 13th and 14th in Pierre. If you are interested in attending this conference go to www.sdhda.org to register or call the Chamber for more details.

The South Dakota Chamber's Economic Outlook Seminar has been set for Tuesday, November 20, 2012, 8:30 am to 1:30 pm in Ballroom B of the Sioux Falls Convention Center, 1101 N. West Avenue.

For more information and to register for this event, go to <http://www.sdchamber.biz/chambernews/2012economicoutlookseminarregistration/>

Monday, October 15th is "Pink Day". The Tribune and the Radio Station is encouraging everyone to wear pink in observance of Breast Cancer Awareness Month and they will be out patrolling to make sure everyone is wearing pink. If you're not, you'll pay a fine that will go to the New Hope Foundation. Don't forget to wear pink!!!



Pets N Stuff

Pet Parade



Pets N Stuff Pet Parade



- Largest:** German Shepherd (Spur).....Owner: Julie Turner
Smallest: Chihuahua (Murphy).....Owner: Laken Hildebrant
Cutest: Maltese (Bruster).....Owner: Macy Masteller
Look Alike: Poodle (Tripod).....Owner: Dorothy McCurdy

Best Dressed: Sheltie (Peyton).....Owner: Madison Eiseman

People's Choice: Min-Pin (Reba).....Owner: Murial Hohle





Mobridge-Pollock Homecoming Parade



Homecoming King & Queen
Callie Slater & Cody Schaeftbauer



KLEIN MUSEUM HAS IT ALL!



Klein Museum Harvest Festival, Flea Market, & Fundraiser



Winners of the Veggie Contest:

1st Place: Lowell Looyenga, Mobridge, SD/Largest Sweet Potato

2nd Place: Tanner Masteller, Selby, SD/Largest Pumpkin

3rd Place: Bernice Zacher, Mobridge, SD/Largest Tomato

Beef n Fun

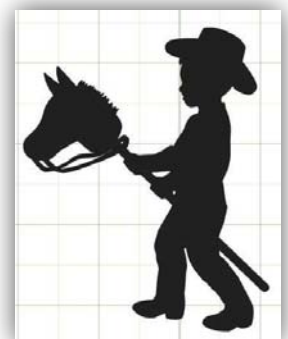
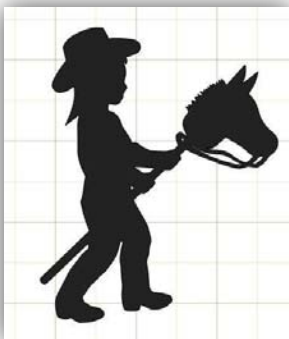
Beef BBQ



The Ambassadors Committee of the Chamber kicked off their year with Grand Openings & Ribbon Cuttings at Bridge City Marina and Central Diesel. They served BBQ meals for the "Campbell & Walworth County 4H Leaders Association, The Eureka Big Q and our own Beef n Fun Day." All told we served & prepared for 5400 people and had 150 to 175 volunteers. The rewards to our community are all the sincere "Thank You's" that we received, highlighted by 2 very nice Thank You letters. We must remember our customers, neighbors & friends, and appreciate those volunteer efforts very, very, very much.

Respectfully,
John P Badgley

KID'S STICK HORSE RACE



"We learned a lot from this event and will tweak it to make it more fun and easier on the kids.
We like having something for the kids to do at the Ranch Rodeo and will have more kid's events in the future."

-Katie Zerr-

Scarecrow Hollow The Year of the Clown

\$10 / person

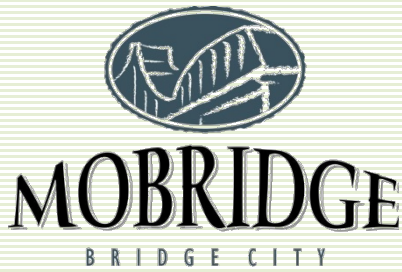
Get \$1 off one admission with
a can of non-perishable food!

Oct 19 & 20, Oct 26 & 27,
7 p.m. – 12 a.m.

Kid's Haunt : Without Cast
Oct 20 and 27
2 – 4 p.m.

221 2nd Ave E
Mobridge, South Dakota





**RANCH RODEO
&
TEAM ROPING**



**RANCH RODEO
TEAM ROPING**



BEEF n FUN / TEAM ROPING WINNERS

1st Place: Colton Musick & Rocky Tibbs.....Buckle

2nd Place: Tucker Dale & Carson Musick.....Jackets

3rd Place: Kevin Kosel & Drew Kalenz

4th Place: Kenny Gesinger & Don Belyan

5th Place: Colton Musick & Carson Musick

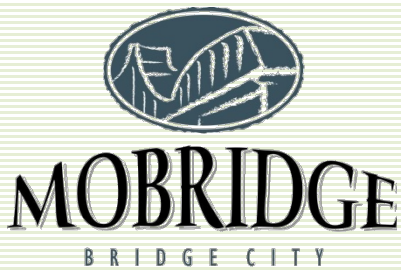
BEEF N FUN RANCH RODEO WINNERS

1st Place: Smokin' Guns.....Kevin Kosel, Tucker Dale & Jess Dale

2nd Place: Bickel Ranch.....Greg Loomis, Angela Harris & Bryan Bickel

3rd Place: Yeager Horse Shoeing..Kevin Yeager, Bruce Sabers & Wyatt Hatter





Guest Editorial

by

Robert & Cheryl Maisch



MEANDERING AROUND MOBRIDGE

DEATH & TAXES AND TAXES AND TAXES

(by Robert and Cheryl Maisch)



The political rhetoric as we near elections is nothing new. Life usually guarantees two things -- death and taxes and taxes and more taxes. Taxes are nothing new and have been around since the beginning of recorded history. Believe it or not there have been taxes for keeping your beard, taxes on the number of glass windows in your home and, of course, census taxes. But none of these taxes should seem strange or unusual as compared to the ridiculous listing of taxes and fees imposed on tax-paying citizens of the United States. What's even more ridiculous is that a few of the taxes and fees listed below existed 100 years ago in the United States. Below is a partial list the taxes and fees imposed upon us.

Income Tax
Cigarette & Tobacco Tax
Beer, Wine and Liquor License Tax
Deed Tax
Mineral Tax
Petroleum Tax
Social Security Tax
Federal Fuel Tax
State Fuel Tax
Dog License Tax
Water Tax
Tariffs
Hotel Room Occupancy Tax
Highway Patrol Fee
Wheel Tax
Watercraft County Fee
Customs Duties
Cable FCC Fee
Fishing License Fee
Fur Clothing Tax
Video Game Machine Tax
Federal Telephone Tax
City Telephone Tax
County 911 Surcharge
Bicycle License Fee
Drivers License Fee
Excise Tax on Over-the Road
Transportation Equipment

Sales Tax
Alcohol Beverage Tax
Real Property Transfer Tax
Commercial Vehicle Tax
Wind Energy Production Tax
Medicare Tax
Inheritance Tax
Luxury Tax
Sewer Tax
Toll Fee
Horse Race Admissions Tax
Federal Unemployment Tax
Non-Commercial Trailer Tax
Solid Waste Tax
Telephone Carrier Cost Recovery Fee
Video Cable Franchise Fee
Cable Local Broadcast Retransmission Fee
Hunting License Fee
Gift Tax
Juke Box Machine Tax
State Telephone Tax
SD Telephone Wire Maintenance Charge
Communications Impaired Fund Charge
Pittman-Robertson Act Excise Tax on
Firearms, Ammunition, and Archery Equip.

Needless to say, there must be many, many more fees, surcharges and taxes that we're paying and no matter what they are called, it's a "tax". But, it must also be remembered that not all taxes are "bad", although at times it seems that way. Most of the general public appears to advocate having a simplified tax code. But which ones --- that's the \$64,000 question. Does anyone believe in a single National Sales Tax?

What would happen to wildlife conservation if the Pittman-Robertson Act Excise Tax and its apportionment based on Hunting License Fees were cut? What would happen to all the earned benefits if Social Security were cut, a tax that is keeping 75% of people over the age of 65 out of the poverty level. Even with the sad state of affairs and government raiding of Medicare what would happen without this earned but severely abused benefit?

It is unfortunate, but with government programs the delivery agency frequently takes the lion's share of programs funds before it reaches the clients. Changes are forth coming -- they have to be, to curtail a runaway Federal Government.



THE TOURISM COMMITTEE IS BUSY GETTING READY FOR THE 2013 ICE TOURNEY. WE WILL DRAW THE TEAM NUMBERS AND THE REST OF THE ENTRIES FROM THE LOTTERY ON OCTOBER 5TH AT 10AM. YOU CAN WATCH THE DRAWINGS ON OUR WEBSITE AT MOBRIDGEOUTDOORS.COM. THIS YEARS TOURNAMENT IS GOING TO BE AGAIN BIGGER AND BETTER! NEW FOR THE ICE TOURNEY THIS YEAR IS THE "BEST SEAT IN THE HOUSE" BELOW. WE ARE EXCITED TO ADD THIS TO OUR ALREADY GREAT EVENT AND THANK SLUMBERLAND FOR THE CHANCE TO DO THIS. YOU CAN GET YOUR TICKETS AT THE CHAMBER. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER TO BE PART OF THIS TERRIFIC EVENT, PLEASE CONTACT THE CHAMBER. WATCH FOR OUR ANNOUNCEMENT ABOUT THE ICE FISHING EXPO IN FUTURE NEWS LETTERS. GEAR UP AND GET READY TO GO BECAUSE THE TOURNAMENT IS ONLY THREE MONTHS AWAY!!



"Best Seat in the House"



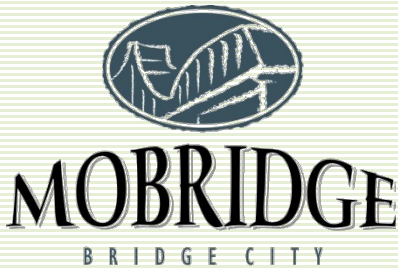
L A Z B O Y



If your name is drawn to be the winner, you will receive:

- Front row seating for two in La-Z-Boy recliners to keep sponsored by Vojta Slumberland, Furniture and Carpet.
 - A cooler filled with the beer of your choice.
- Five raffle tickets to win great items on each prize table.
 - Free meal for two from our food station.

Tickets are only
\$10.00



Mobridge Economic
Development Corporation

By **Christine Goldsmith**
Executive Director



Partners with a Plan.

If your free time revolves around kids, it's easy to consider September the new January. September is a time when we are used to the pattern of a new school year and seeing our kids tackle a higher set of challenges. Instead of waiting until the beginning of the year to make those resolutions for your business, start now.

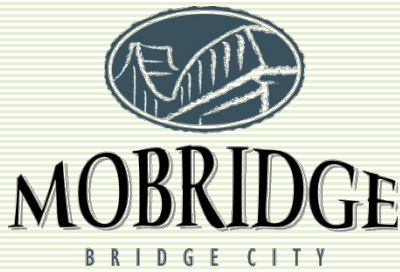
What do you want to see different in your business? Make a list of the changes that could really take your company and sales to the next level. They could be areas you have been neglecting or just haven't had time to work on yet.

One big area that can always be improved is customer service. What do your customers think about doing business with your company? How about those little 'extras' you can provide for them that makes your company more memorable than the next? Do all your employees share your vision for the reputation you want to have in the community?

Recordkeeping habits can be another area where small changes can result in huge improvements. Do you constantly wonder where all the money goes? Are you reconciling that bank statement that arrives each month? Are you paying more in financing and service charges than you should?

Is it time to freshen up your inventory and offer a new product line? What products and services really make you profits and which should be retired? Are there new vendors or new technologies to explore that would appeal to your customers?

As you look over your list, they will probably include tasks you don't enjoy very much. Maybe it's time to hire someone else to do them. If not, keep in mind that fifteen minutes of suffering each day with an unpleasant task can often result in great progress to reaching your business goals.



CHAMBER BOARD, STAFF, &
COMMITTEE INFORMATION



Board of Directors

B J Wiest, President Dacotah Bank	<u>845-3673</u>
Vice President, Nicole Schneider Moberidge Regional Hospital	<u>845-3692</u>
Treasurer, Cindi Volk Great Western Bank	<u>845-7233</u>
Director, Brent Kemnitz MoRest Motel	<u>845-3688</u>
Director, Lyle Lindeman Lucky's Gas n More	<u>845-3382</u>
Director, Delphine Steuck Pizza Ranch/Kountry Kamping & Kabins	<u>848-1000</u>
Director, Jeff Jensen Jerry's Pawn & Gun Shop	<u>845-3855</u>

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luann@moberidge.org
Fax: (605) 845-3223
8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Committees

North Central SD Economic Development
4th Monday of each Month - 4 pm
Christine Martin-Goldsmith, Executive Director 845-5202

3B Tax Committee
1st Friday of each Month - Noon @ Pizza Ranch
Michele Harrison, Executive Director 845-2387

Tourism Committee
3rd Thursday of the Month - 10 am @ Chamber
Rick Bolduan, Coca Cola, Co-Chair 845-2946
Dawn Konold, Dakota Radio Group, Co-Chair 845-3654
www.moberidgeoutdoors.com

Ambassadors/Ag Committee
John P. Badgley, Key Insurance, Chair 845-3664

Retail Committee
Haden Bowie, Moberidge Tribune, Chair 845-3646

October 2012



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<p>1</p> <p>City Council Meeting</p> <p>VB H McLaughlin</p> <p>State Golf Spearfish</p> <p>Mobridge Reg. Hospital Auxiliary Meeting</p>	<p>2</p> <p>State Golf Spearfish</p> <p>American Legion Auxiliary Monthly Meeting</p> <p>Moose Lodge Meeting</p> <p>Moose German Food Buffet</p> <p>Alzheimer's Support Group</p>	<p>3</p> <p>Dept. of Labor & Reg. (Job Service)New Location/205 2nd St. E. Every 1st & 3rd Wed. 10-3</p> <p>1st Baptist Church/Bible Study</p> <p>Lakeside Awana & Youth Group Every Wednesday</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Bridge City Coin & Stamp Club</p> <p>MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) Meeting</p>	<p>5</p> <p>3B Meeting/Pizza Ranch</p> <p>Men's Ecumenical Bible Study/1st Baptist Church</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Oahe Hills Golf Course/Iron Man</p> 
<p>7</p> <p>Moose Lodge Breakfast Buffet</p> <p>Klein Museum Presents: A Reading & Discussion/Series on America's Civil War Years</p> 	<p>8</p> <p>NBHA 05 Double Header (Barrel Racing) Mobridge Rodeo Grounds</p> <p>No School</p> 	<p>9</p> <p>Chamber Board Meeting</p> <p>2012 Park Board Meeting</p> <p>MSVB H Roncalli</p> <p>VB H Roncalli</p>	<p>10</p> <p>1st Baptist Church/Bible Study</p> <p>American Legion Meeting</p>	<p>11</p> <p>VB H Sully Buttes</p> <p>MSVB H Sully Buttes</p> 	<p>12</p> <p>Men's Ecumenical Bible Study/1st Baptist Church</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Craft Fair/Scherr-Howe Arena</p>  <p>MYO VB Tournament</p> <p>Mobridge Senior Center Bazaar</p>
<p>14</p> <p>Guys & Gals Dance/Moose Lodge</p> 	<p>15</p> <p>City Council Meeting</p> <p>VB H Gettysburg</p> <p>Mom's Group at Zion Lutheran Church 3rd Monday, until 5/20/2013</p> <p>Pink Day (Wear Pink Today)</p>	<p>16</p> <p>United State Air Force Heartland of America Band/"Brass in Blue"</p>	<p>17</p> <p>1st Baptist Church/Bible Study</p> <p>Dept. of Labor & Reg. (Job Service)New Location/205 2nd St. E. Every 1st & 3rd Wed. 10-3</p>	<p>18</p> <p>Tourism Meeting</p> <p>Senior Citizens Potluck/3rd Thurs.</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Scarecrow Hollow Haunted House</p>  <p>Men's Ecumenical Bible Study/1st Baptist Church</p>	<p>20</p> <p>Scarecrow Hollow Haunted House</p>  <p>Craft Fair/Selby's Opera House/Senior Center & American Legion Building</p>
<p>21</p> 	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p> <p>2012 Park Board Meeting</p> <p>1st Round FB Playoffs</p> <p>Chamber After Hours Moose Lodge #1685</p>	<p>24</p> <p>1st Baptist Church/Bible Study</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Men's Ecumenical Bible Study/1st Baptist Church</p> <p>Scarecrow Hollow Haunted House</p> 	<p>27</p> <p>Scarecrow Hollow Haunted House</p> 
<p>28</p> <p>Bridge City Coin & Stamp Club Show/Live Auction/Senior Center (9am - 5pm)</p>	<p>29</p> <p>2nd Round FB Playoffs</p> 	<p>30</p>	<p>31</p> <p>1st Baptist Church/Bible Study</p> <p>Happy Halloween</p> 			

Mobridge Chamber of Commerce

103 N Main Street

Mobridge, SD 57601

www.mobridge.org



Picture of Lake Oahe (1978)

Life isn't about waiting for the storm to pass. It's about learning to dance in the rain.