



The Dam News

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DECEMBER

[National Day Calendar](#)

December Holidays and History – December ushers in winter holidays such as Christmas, [Kwanza](#), and Chanukah. It is also a time when families gather in the warmth of their homes. Throughout the month, our thoughts and actions turn toward charity and peace. During the twelfth and final month of the year, December inspires a flurry of activity both in the business world and our personal lives. Sales, shopping, family gatherings, school holidays, baking, and seasonal changes remind us of the the past while we look to our futures.

But December is not so somber, peaceful, and busy as to have no fun at all. Holidays like Ugly Sweater Day, Answer the Phone Like Buddy the Elf Day, and [National Ding-A-Ling Day](#) add a bit of whimsy.

DECEMBER HISTORY OVERVIEW

The name December comes from the Latin word ‘*decem*’ meaning ten. On the Roman Calendar, December was the 10th month. However, Numa Pompilius adjusted the calendar when January and February were added. December became the twelfth month, and the calendar more accurately reflected the length of a year on Earth.

During December, the winter solstice tips the Northern hemisphere its furthest distance from the sun. Through most of the month, its inhabitants lose about 2 minutes of sunlight per day until the winter solstice. The winter solstice marks the start of winter and the shortest day on the calendar. However, from that day forward, the days will slowly lengthen. They may not be warmer, but the Earth is tilting on its axis back toward the sun.

December Holidays and Traditions Overview

December is a big baking month for many. In the United States, families, churches, schools, and organizations bake cookies to exchange. They are often part of the gift-giving and ugly sweater parties that occur right before or during Christmas, Kwanza, and Chanukah.

Winter sports are in high gear throughout December. Whether indoor or outdoor, fans tune in or fill arenas. While hockey, football, and basketball seasons bring thrills each year, skiing and snowmobiling keep the outdoors busy.

Beyond sports, the December holidays also offer lots of ways to celebrate our free time. National Crossword Puzzle Day is just one way to spend some quiet time. Plenty of baking and food days bring celebrations to the kitchen, too. In fact, there are 29 food-related days in December in addition to the popular beverage holidays. We can even celebrate our laundry with [National Sock Day](#).

Birth Stone and Flower

Those born in December claim three icy cool birthstones. Tanzanite, found only in Tanzania, is a deep glacial purple. Blue Zircon (not to be confused with cubic zirconia) is the oldest mineral on Earth and comes in a variety of colors. However, for those born in December, the icy blue zircon is beautiful. Finally, turquoise, with its distinct color and veins, comes in a variety of shades. Prevalent throughout the Southwestern United States, turquoise also added value and meaning to clothing, ceremonies, and more.

The fragrant narcissus usually blooms in spring. However, for December birthdays, some species bloom in winter. The paperwhite is one, making the narcissus the ideal birthday flower for December. Among its several meanings, narcissus also means hope. During winter, hope is a thing often looked for through the cold, ice, and snow.

In Greek mythology, Narcissus is well known as the attractive young hunter obsessed with his good looks. His obsession later got the best of him when he looked at his reflection in a pond, and upon closer inspection, fell and drown.

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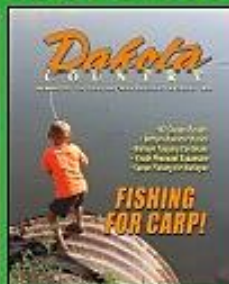
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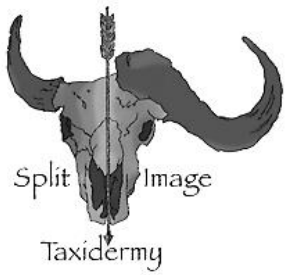
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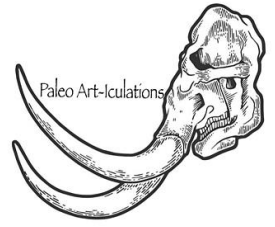
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DECEMBER 25 - DECEMBER 31

MONDAY 25TH

Christmas Day - **Closed**

TUESDAY 26TH

LUNCH

Italian Melt

STEAK NIGHT

Cowboy Dry Rub

SOUP

Cheesy Sausage & Potato

WEDNESDAY 27TH

Wurst Melt

THURSDAY 28TH

Blue Cheese Crispy Chicken Sandwich

FRIDAY 29TH

Gyro Pita

SATURDAY 30TH

No Lunch Special

New Years Dinner Special

4pm-9pm

SUNDAY 31ST

Tailgating Menu 11-9pm

Full Menu **NOT** Available

APP OF THE WEEK

Twice Baked Potato Bowls
Mini Masher Potatoes, Topped with
Bacon, Green Onions, Cheese &
Season Sour Cream

POW: Gyro

Tziki Sauce, Lamb Meat, Red Onion, Cheese, Topped w/ Tomatoes & Cucumber.



PLEASE JOIN US FOR A

Christmas

Pub Crawl

Registration at 5pm @ Jimmy's Lounge
You can travel to Boxs and Longshots at your own
leisure.

We will end at Bison Sportsbar for Prizes at 9PM!
Build a poker hand by receiving a playing card at each
participating pub.

All money from registration will be donated to
SMC Giving Tree Project.

Come dressed in your best Christmas attire!!

Goodies & Holiday Drink Specials at Every Stop

DEC

5-9pm

18

\$20/Person

2023



CHRISTMAS LIGHT

Scavenger Hunt



- Santa
- Candy Cane 
- Wreath on a Door 
- North Pole Sign
- Snowman
- Carolers 
- Elf
- Giant Present 
- Angel
- Peace Sign 
- Rudolph
- Spiral Tree
- Giant Ornaments 
- Joy Sign
- House with White Lights
- Polar Bear
- Teddy Bear 

- Toy Soldier 
- Snowflake
- Reindeer on Rooftop
- Poinsettia
- Tree in Window 
- Gingerbread Man 
- Dancing Lights
- Snowglobe
- Grinch
- House with Red Lights
- House with Blue Lights
- Christmas Train 
- Mrs. Claus
- Twinkling Wreath
- 3 Deer in Yard 
- Sleigh
- Stocking 

How Many can you Find?



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| Deep Fried Pickles | Cheddar Cheese Curds |
| Hot Wings | Mozzarella Sticks |
| Crispy Battered Mushrooms | Chicken Drumsticks |
| Calamari | Onion Rings |
| Chicken Nuggets | Chicken Gizzards |

HAND CUT STEAKS

- | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Filet Mignon 8 oz. | Ribeye 10 oz. |
| New York Strip 10 oz. | Beef Tenderloin 8 oz. |
| Bacon Wrapped Sirloin 8 oz. | Sirloin 8 oz. |

DINNERS

- | | |
|------------------------|--------------------------|
| Pork Chops 8 oz. | Walleye 10 oz. |
| Hamburger Steak 10 oz. | Jumbo Steamed Shrimp (4) |
| Chicken Strips | Shrimp Skewers (3) |
| Breaded Shrimp | |

BURGERS & SANDWICHES

Signature Burgers
Dam Burger
Dam Cheeseburger

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|--------------------|----------------------|
| Cheeseburger | BBQ Pork |
| Hamburger | Patty Melt |
| Bacon Cheeseburger | Fleishkueckle |
| BLT | Chicken Breast |
| Fish Burger | (grilled or breaded) |

GENEROUS SALADS

- Chuckie Salad**-grilled or breaded chicken with the works
House Salad-bacon, olives, tomatoes, onion, cheese

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Toppings include Canadian Bacon, Sausage, Pepperoni, Chicken, Green Peppers, Mushrooms, Olives, Onions, Sauerkraut

NCAA FCS Semifinal

SATURDAY DEC 16TH 3:30

Snack Table

Sloppy Joes & Chips,
Beer & Cheese Soup

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WEEKLY SPECIALS 12/11– 12/17

Monday 11th Queso Burger w/side \$10

Tuesday 12th – Indian taco or frybread & chili (cup add \$1 for bowl) \$10

Soups Chili and chicken tortilla

Wednesday 13th – Chicken snack wrap w/side \$10

Thursday 14th – Piggies w/mashed \$10

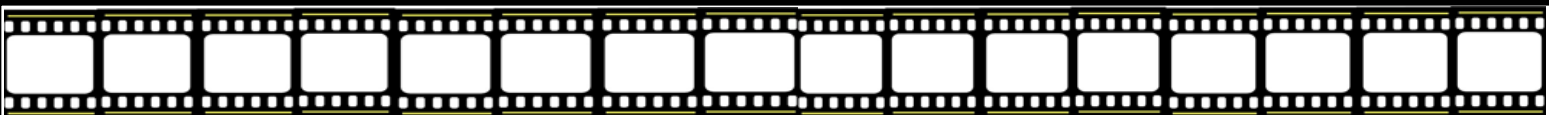
Soup Creamy sausage, kraut, & potato

Friday 15th – Brisket Philly on an onion hoagie w/side \$10

Saturday 16th – 2 Chocolate chip cakes w/side of meat \$10

Sunday 17th – Breakfast buffet (8am-1pm)

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Sunday: Family Night! 4 tickets, #1 Combo with the Extra Drink, 2 Kid Packs for \$50! Add Kid Pack & Ticket for \$10! (no substitutions)



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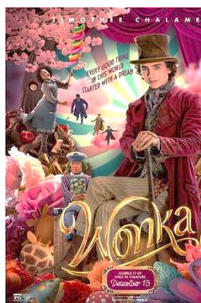
Disney's Wish

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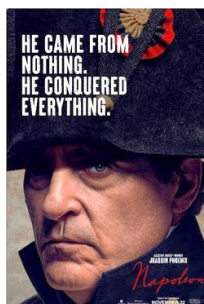
With dreams of opening a shop in a city renowned for its chocolate, a young and poor Willy Wonka discovers that the industry is run by a cartel of greedy chocolatiers.



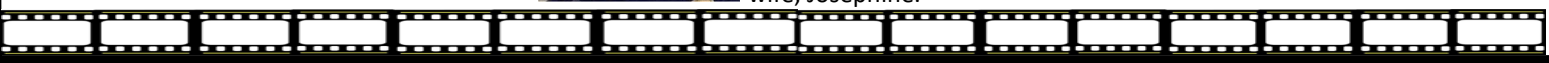
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Sun 17 th	: 4 pm
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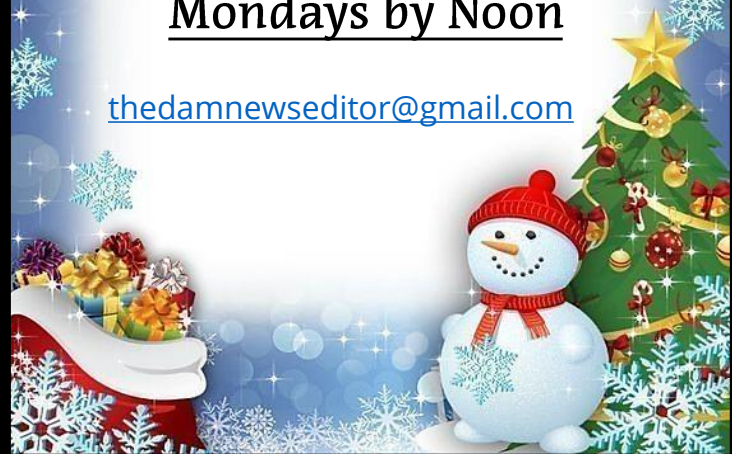
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- 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
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- 2 10-inch flour tortillas (any flavor)



Directions

Combine first 6 ingredients. Place the two tortillas on work surface, spread half of cheese over each, top each with half of the roast beef slices, leaving a 1/2-inch border around edges. Roll up, wrap tightly in plastic wrap. Refrigerate until firm, 30 minutes or up to 1 day ahead. cut diagonally into 1/2-inch slices and serve. Yields 36

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- 3 tablespoons agave syrup
- Garnish: fresh or frozen cranberries, lime slices and rosemary sprigs



Directions

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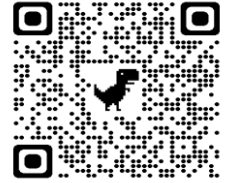
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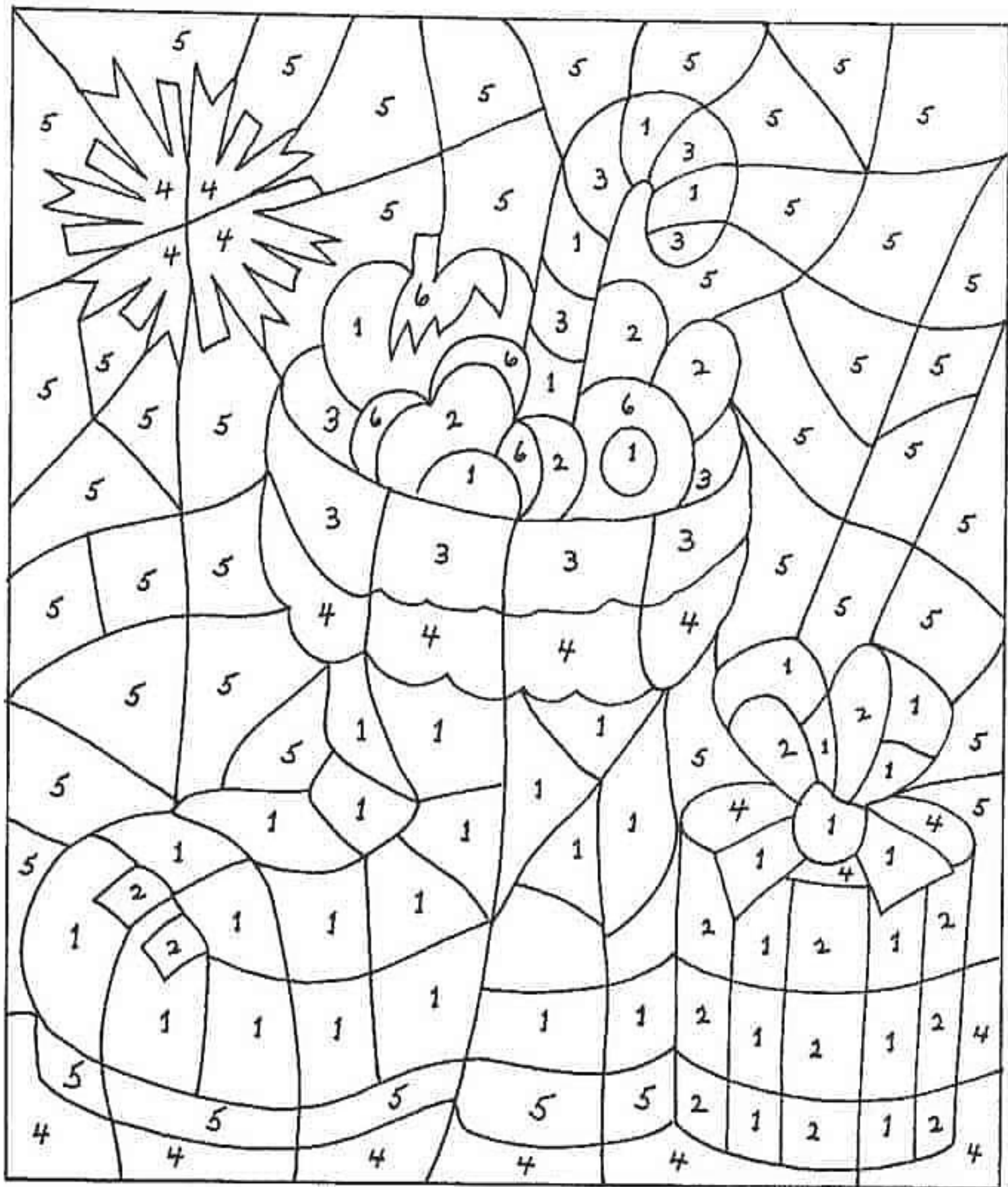
Beef Fajita Wrap-4	
Taco Soup-1	
Cheesy Chicken-3	
Prime Rib Sandwich-3	
Meatballs, Mashed, Gravy-1	
Chicken Cordon Bleu-1	
Turkey Meal-8	
Chili-6	
Chili Dog-2	
Sloppy Joe-11	

Bacon Gouda Grilled Cheese-1	
Hamburger Stroganoff-5	
Chicken Fajita Wrap-6	
Italian Peppers & Sausage Sub-2	
BBQ Meatballs-15	
Enchilada Meatballs-13	
Roast Beef, Mashed	
Chicken Carbonara-11	
Chicken & Dumpling Soup-3	
Cowboy Pasta-7	
Wings-7	
TatorTot Hotdish-6	
Chicken Wild Rice Soup-5	
Chicken Strips-5	
Taco Pasta-10	

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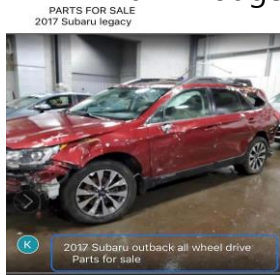
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BIRTHDAY MONTH:

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FEB: ROOM OF
MAR: BOX OF
APR: SMALL

MAY: BUNDLE OF
JUNE: CUP OF
JULY: PACKAGE OF
AUG: EXTRA LARGE

SEPT: CONTAINER OF
OCT: HOUSE OF
NOV: BASKET OF
DEC: STOCKING FULL OF

FIRST INITIAL OF YOUR FIRST NAME:

A: GOLD	G: COAL	M: CHOCOLATE	S: PIZZA	Y: CAKE
B: FLOWERS	H: GLITTER	N: DOLLS	T: COOKIES	Z: AIR
C: KITTENS	I: THIRTY-ONE	O: CANDY CANES	U: LOLLIPOPS	
D: SNOW	J: POLAROIDS	P: DIAMONDS	V: CONCERT TICKETS	
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A Big Job - Allis Chalmer film

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The history & construction of not only the Garrison Dam but the communities which evolved because of it, is a special part of this area's history.

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NORTH DAKOTA GAME & FISH

Tentative 2024 Season Opening Dates

The North Dakota Game and Fish Department annually provides its best estimate for opening dates to help hunters prepare for hunting seasons.

Dates become official when approved by governor's proclamation. Tentative opening dates for 2024 include:

Spring Turkey	April 13
Deer and Pronghorn Bow, Mountain Lion	Aug. 30
Dove	Sept. 1
Youth Deer	Sept. 13
Sharptail, Hun, Ruffed Grouse, Squirrel, Youth Waterfowl	Sept. 14
Early Resident Waterfowl	Sept. 21
Regular Waterfowl	Sept. 28
Pronghorn Gun	Oct. 4
Youth Pheasant	Oct. 5
Pheasant, Fall Turkey	Oct. 12
Mink, Muskrat, Weasel Trapping	Oct. 26
Deer Gun	Nov. 8
Deer Muzzleloader	Nov. 29

Early Ice Awareness

Outdoor enthusiasts need to be aware of early ice conditions before traveling onto and across North Dakota waters.

A few reminders include:

- Edges firm up faster than farther out from shore.
- Snow insulates ice, which in turn inhibits solid ice formation, hiding cracks, weak and open water areas.
- Ice can form overnight, causing unstable conditions. Ice thickness is not consistent, as it can vary significantly within a few inches.
- Avoid cracks, pressure ridges, slushy or darker areas that signal thinner ice. The same goes for ice that forms around partially submerged trees, brush, embankments or other structures.
- Anglers should drill test holes as they make their way out on the lake, and an ice chisel should be used to check ice thickness while moving around.
- Daily temperature changes cause ice to expand and contract, affecting its strength.
- The following minimums are recommended for travel on clear-blue lake ice formed under ideal conditions. However, early in winter it's a good idea to double these figures to be safe: 4 inches for a group walking single file; 6 inches for a snowmobile or all-terrain vehicle; 8-12 inches for an automobile; and 12-15 inches for a pickup/truck.

And some life-saving safety tips:

- Wear a personal flotation device and carry a cell phone.
- Carry ice picks or a set of screwdrivers to pull yourself back on the ice if you fall through.
- If someone breaks through the ice, call 911 immediately. Rescue attempts should employ a long pole, board, rope, blanket or snowmobile suit. If that's not possible, throw the victim a life jacket, empty water jug or other buoyant objects. Go to the victim as a last resort but do this by forming a human chain where rescuers lie on the ice with each person holding the feet of the person in front.
- To treat hypothermia, replace wet clothing with dry clothing and immediately transport the victim to a hospital.

North Dakota Outdoors Weekly Webcast

What to Expect This Ice Fishing Season

[Click the link below for information to watch the live broadcast](#)

[What To Expect This Ice Fishing Season - NDGF - 12-11-2023 \(youtube.com\)](#)

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Poinsettia, the plant of the holidays

There are a lot of holiday fanatics out there. How many of people have the tradition of setting up their tree the weekend after Thanksgiving? I know quite a few people. I have also noticed in recent years big box stores having the holiday décor on the shelves right after Halloween. That's a little too soon for me. Now please don't think of me as a grinch.

As a mom, I have a lot of holiday spirit, mainly because of the excitement it brings my children and nieces. As a gardener, I love early December as many big box stores and greenhouses are filled with the beauty of poinsettias. From the traditional red to variegated to glitter colored to white and other colors. Poinsettias bring out some extra spirit! Poinsettia plants are dubbed the plant of the holidays in my opinion. Poinsettias are a great gift to give family members and friends.

Poinsettias are woody shrubs native to Mexico and can get up to 10 feet tall. Can you imagine having a poinsettia shrub in your yard? That would be the ultimate "wow" factor in your landscape. Sometime go ahead and search online poinsettia shrubs in Mexico to see how amazing they look!

The poinsettias we see today, are the results of many years of breeding and selection. Today's poinsettias have larger bracts, bloom earlier and longer, and are available in many colors such as, but not limited to: cream, pink, purple, peach, and variegated.

If you are gifted a poinsettia or even purchase one for yourself, the care is very easy. Place the plant in indirect light where it will receive around 6 hours of light. Make sure to keep it away from cold or drafty windows and heating vents or doors. The ideal temperature for the plant to have the most vibrant colors is around 65 degrees Fahrenheit. If the plant has foil wrap around it make sure to discard any extra water after giving it a drink. Water when soil is dry.

Consider gifting a poinsettia or adding one to your holiday décor!

NDSU Extension

NDSU Morton County Extension, December 11th, 2023

Source: Kelsey Deckert, 701-667-3340, kelsey.j.deckert@ndsu.edu

Dates to Remember

December 12th: Nourish, 5:30pm, Glen Ullin ; December 18th: AIC Christmas Party, 2:30pm, Glen Ullin ; December 19th: Nourish, 5:30pm, Glen Ullin ; January 3rd- February 7th: Positive Discipline, 7:00-8:30pm, Morton Mandan Library (Growing Futures Approved and Teacher CEU available) ; January 9th-February 27: Circle of Security Parenting, 12:00-1:00pm, via Zoom ; January 13th: Parents Forever, 9am-1pm, Morton Mandan Library, cost of \$55 ; January 17th: Raising Good Humans Podcast, 12:00-1:00pm, NDSU Parent Family Education Webinar, via Zoom (Social work, counselor, and occupational therapist CEUs available) ; January 18- February 22: Thursdays Powerful Tools for Caregivers via Zoom 1:30pm-3:30pm ; January 18th, February 22nd, March 14th, April 11th: Parent/Grandparent Now You're Cookin'! Series, 9:30am-10:45am, West River Head Start

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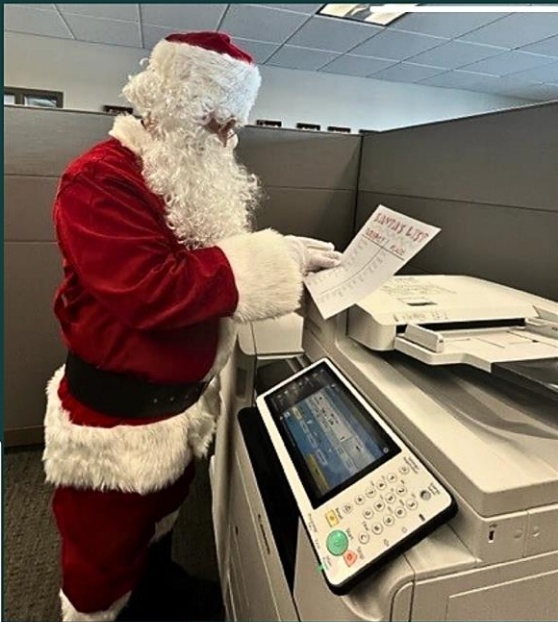
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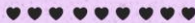
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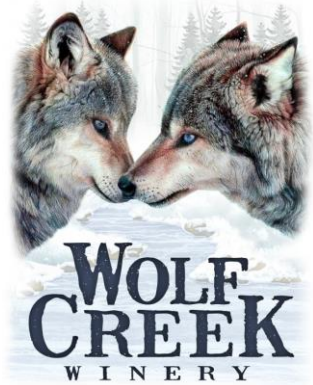
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