

SUDDEN LOVELYS

Chosen Bean Alternative Concert - (Independent of Fall Concert Series)

Legion Room—405 Main Street South, Chatfield, MN 55923

Saturday September 6th 2014

Tickets \$20 Available at the Door

730-930



Chatfield Public Library

Library Hours:

Sun & Mon—Closed
Tue—10:00 am—6:30 pm
Wed—10:00 am—6:30 pm
Thu—10:00 am—8:30 pm
Fri—9:00 am—5:00 pm
Sat—9:00 am—2:00 pm

Book Sale

Don't miss the used book sale at the Pavlish Building next to RRSB.
Thursday, August 7—5:00 pm—8:00 pm
Friday, August 8—5:00 pm—8:00 pm
Saturday, August 9—9:00 am—5:30 pm
(closed during the parade)
Sunday, August 10—1:00 pm—3:00 pm

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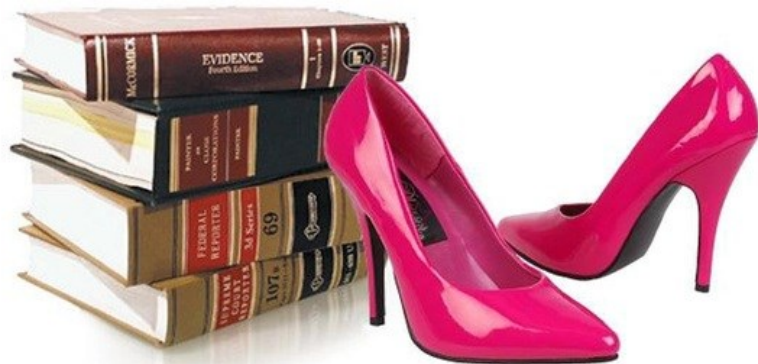
Mike Urban (507) 867-2990
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Friday, August 1st - 7:30 PM
Saturday, August 2nd - 7:30 PM
Thursday, August 7th - 7:30 PM
Friday, August 8th - 7:30 PM
Saturday, August 9th - 5:00 PM

LEGALLY BLONDE

The Musical

Tickets available on line at <http://www.witsendtheatre.org/>,
at the box office or by phone at 507-867-8780



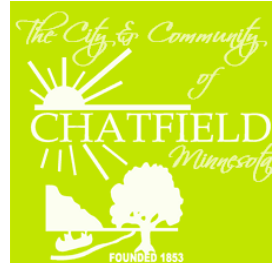
Historic Potter Auditorium,
405 Main Street S - Chatfield, MN 55923

AUGUST 2014

- Mon Aug 4th— Planning & Zoning @ 7:00 pm
- Mon Aug 11th— City Council @ 7:00 pm
- Mon Aug 25th- City Council @ 7:00 pm
- Thu Aug 28th- Economic Development Authority @ 5:30 pm

SEPTEMBER 2014

- Tue Sep 5th— Planning & Zoning @ 7:00 pm
- Mon Sep 8th— City Council @ 7:00 pm
- Mon Sep 22nd- City Council @ 7:00 pm
- Thu Sep 25th— Economic Development Authority @ 5:30 pm



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COMMUNITY LINK

21 SE SECOND STREET—CHATFIELD, MN 55923

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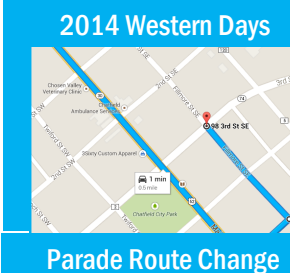
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If you have ever wanted to serve your community as an elected official, the time to file for office is from July 29th to August 12th.

On November 4th, the election will determine who will fill the Mayor's office for the next two years and who will fill two City Council seats for the next four years. Currently, Russell Smith serves as Mayor, while Paul Novotny and Mike Urban fill the City Council seats that will be up for election.



2014 Western Days Parade Route Change

Due to the street and utility improvements that are being made in Bench Street and Twiford Street areas, the Western Days parade route will change!!

This year, the parade route will begin at the corner of Main Street and Spring Street, travel south to Fifth Street, turn left to Fillmore Street, and then north on Fillmore, finishing at the corner of Fillmore and Highway 74/30.



The City regrets any inconvenience caused by the street and utility projects.

The improvements include:

Twiford Street: Street, water, sanitary sewer and storm sewer improvements.

Bench Street: Water and sanitary sewer upgrades, and street improvements.

St. Albans Place: Water & sewer extensions, street resurfacing.....and

West Chatfield: Blacktop.



EMT CLASS

Chatfield Ambulance / EMS Training will hold an EMT class beginning September 15th, 2014. Classes will be each Monday and Thursday from 6:00-10:00 PM through January 6th. Classes are held in the training room at City Hall. Please call 867-4446 or e-mail skester@ci.chatfield.mn.us for more information, or to register. The CPR prerequisite is the first evening on 09/15/2014. The required CPR class is American Heart Association Healthcare Provider CPR and is also open to others who are not interested in the EMT class.

CITY OF CHATFIELD

www.ci.chatfield.mn.us

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21 Second Street SE Chatfield, MN 55923

In Case of Emergency: 9-1-1

Ambulance (Non Emergency) 507-867-4446
Police (Non Emergency) 507-867-3331
Chatfield Public Library 507-867-3480



47th Annual

Chatfield Western Days

Aug. 7 - 10, 2014



Horse Pull, Carnival, Crafts, Wit's End Production: "Legally Blond" HUGE GRAND PARADE, FOOD, Men's & Women's Softball, Horse Trail Ride, KROC "Teen" Dance Contest, St. Mary's Church Raffle, HORSES, Volleyball, Road Race, ATV Trail Ride, Skeet Shooting, FOOD, "Booker & Friends" Performance, LIONS "Bigger & Better" HOG RAFFLE - More & Larger Prizes, Bean Bags, BINGO, HORSES, Saddle Club Royalty & Horse Show, FOOD, "LOST HIGHWAY BAND", Tractor & Implement Display, HORSES, Flea Market, "Brad Boice as ELVIS", Coin Find, FOOD, 6 1/2 Mile Scenic Walking Trail, Books, Bean Bags, HORSES, Pedal Pull, Car, Truck, & Antique Motorcycle Show, Rides, FOOD and HORSES, Beer, Sunday Morning Community Church Service, massive FIREWORKS Finale and SO, SO, MUCH MORE!

MUTTON BUSTIN' FOR KIDS, THURSDAY, AUG. 7, STARTS AT 7 PM

Mill Creek Park, Registration from 6:30 - 7 pm. At event gate, Age categories: 4, 5, 6 & 7 year olds (80 lb. weight limit), Free T-shirts for the first 50 entries. Concessions available.

"KIDDIE PARADE" FRIDAY EVENING AT 6:30 PM in the City Park

GREAT CARNIVAL FUN FOR EVERYONE! - CODY AMUSEMENTS "FOOD, FUN & FRIENDS" - CITY PARK - FRIDAY THRU SUNDAY

- Arm Band Day - Sunday, Aug. 10, 2-4 pm

GRAND PARADE: SATURDAY, AUG. 9, 1:00 PM

FREE BAND SHELL ENTERTAINMENT IN THE CITY PARK:

"Bandtown Friday Night Jam" CBB Jazz Combo with Steve Strange performing Friday, Aug. 8, 7-9 pm in the Bandshell inviting any vocalists and/or instrumentalists to sit in with them

Friday 5:30-6:30 pm "GOLDEN GIRLS" Aerobic Dance - Information: Jackie Hrstka 867-3744.

Saturday, Aug. 9, 11 am - 1 pm "Kent Larson" In the Bandshell

Immediately after Saturday's Parade "Chatfield Brass Band" followed by "Casey & the Good Timers" from 4-6 pm

Sunday Morning Non-Denominational "Community Church Service" - City Park - Sunday 9-10 am, SQUARE DANCING - Sunday, Noon - 1 pm

Brad Boice as "Elvis" FREE!! - Sunday, Aug. 10, City Park - 3-5 pm, "Polka Dots" - 7-9 pm

FANTASTIC "FIREWORKS" FINALE! ON SUNDAY, AUG. 10 AT DUSK

by Lew's Fireworks of Watertown, SD sponsored by Chatfield Athletic Club, Chatfield Fire Fighters Activity Association, Chatfield Booster Club and Chatfield EMS.

MUSIC!!!!

KROC's "MUSIC ON WHEELS" including special "ILLUMINATION LIGHTS" - Teen Dance

contest with PRIZES Friday Evening, Aug. 8, 7:30 - 11:30 pm - Bernard Bus Garage

- ONLY \$5 Admission Sponsored By: The Chatfield Booster Club, the Class of 2015,

NO Alcohol or Tobacco allowed! Rain or Shine

"Booker & Friends" followed by "LOST HIGHWAY"

- Saturday Night, Aug. 9 - 8:30 pm-1:00 am,

Bernard Bus Garage - Rain or Shine "Educational & Community Fundraiser"

Sponsored by the Chatfield Booster Club, KWWK 96.5 Quick Country Radio & Class of 2015

MUSICAL!!!!

11th Annual Wits' End Production of "Legally Blonde-the Musical"

Aug. 1 & 2 - 7:30 pm, Aug. 7 & 8 - 7:30 pm - Aug. 9 - 5:00 pm Matinee - TWO WEEKENDS

- Online ticket sales begin June 1 - WitsEndTheatre.org - (507) 867-8780 - Box office in-person sales begin July 5 or at the door one

hour before curtain. All major credit cards accepted. Presented in HISTORIC POTTER AUDITORIUM - Chatfield Center for the Arts.

JOIN THE FUN... HOW ABOUT A LITTLE, OR A LOT, OF WESTERN DAYS EXERCISE?

CHATFIELD ATV TRAIL RIDE - Friday, Aug. 8, at 5 pm - Meet at ATV Trail Head Lot-Hwy 74 East of Chatfield - Contact Bernie 259-7264 or Chuck 867-4320

"Trail Ride" on Saturday, Aug. 9 at 6:00 pm. Sponsored by Eastwood Bank

"Bluff Country Hiking Club" will sponsor a HIKE on the "Lost Creek Hiking Trail" beginning at 5 pm Sunday Aug. 10 at Groen Park. Bob Coe - (507) 421-2934 for more information or visit www.Bluffcountryhikingclub.org

20th Annual Western Days "STAMPEDE" - Saturday, Aug. 9, 7:00 am Registration - 8 am -10K, 9:15 am, 2 Mile - then 1 Mile "FUN" run - Chris Frye 867-3214

Western Days Men's "two division" ASA "SOFTBALL" Tournament - Mill Creek Park - Sat. & Sun. - Jerry Chase 867-3592

Western Days Women's "SOFTBALL" Tournament - High School Fields - Sat. & Sun. - teresameiners@gmail.com Teresa Marzolf 507-202-3137

Western Days "SAND VOLLEYBALL" Tournament - Mill Creek Park - Sat., Aug. 9 - (Parking in North Mill Creek Parking Lot) - Contact: Aric Swancutt (507) 696-4042 or swancut@uwec.edu

Western Days "BEAN BAG" Tournament - Fire Hall - Sunday, Aug. 10 - NOON - Sign Up begins Sat. at Fire Hall - Sponsored by the Chatfield Fire Department

SADDLE CLUB ACTIVITIES Sponsored by EASTWOOD BANK: At Mill Creek Park, ROYALTY CONTEST, Sat. 10:00 am, HORSE SHOW, Sun. 8:00 am, - Contact Holly Eisenman at

507-951-2567, "State of MN requires negative coggins test"

16th ANNUAL CLASSIC CAR, TRUCK & ANTIQUE MOTORCYCLE SHOW - Sunday, Aug. 10, 9 am - 3 pm - Fillmore St. between 3rd & 4th St. Contact Gary (507) 533-8983 or 213-2187

BOOK SALE - USED BOOK SALE TO BENEFIT THE CHATFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY hosted by the Friends of the Library. Used Book Barn behind Library and next to Root River

Slate Bank. Sale Hours: Thursday 5 pm to 8 pm, Friday 5 pm to 8 pm, Saturday 9 am to 5 pm (closed during the parade unless it rains), and Sunday 1 pm to 3 pm.

Open "Trap Shooting" - Wobbie & Regular Chatfield Fish & Game Club - Thursday, Aug. 7 at 7:30 pm - Alan Amundson, 867-3615

CRAFTER'S / FLEA MARKET: CITY PARK - Sat., Aug. 9, 9 am - 5 pm, Sun. 11 am - 4 pm - Information: Pam 867-3870 or Paula Bessingpas 867-3076

TRACTOR & IMPLEMENT DISPLAY - All Day Sat. & Sun. - Olmsted Medical Parking Lot, Sponsored by the FFA and Alumni - Info: Heidi Hanson 867-3159 or 421-0499

"STAND STILL" Tractor Parade - Chosen Valley Care Center - Saturday, Aug. 9, 6:00 pm - Info: Heidi Hanson 867-3159 or 421-0499

PLAN TO PARTICIPATE IN THESE ADDITIONAL WEEKEND ACTIVITIES:

First Aid & Blood Pressure Checks - City Park, Sat. 9 am - 4 pm, Sun., 11 am - 3 pm - Sponsored By Chatfield E M S

BEER GARDEN - Fire Hall Sat. & Sun. - Sponsored by the Chatfield Fire Department

Chatfield Fish & Game Club "BINGO", City Park - Fri., Sat. & Sun.

ALSO DON'T MISS - MN HORSE AND PONY PULLERS - Friday, Aug. 8 - 6:00 pm - Mill Creek Park - "Free Will" Donation Appreciated! - Bill Hanson @ 867-3527

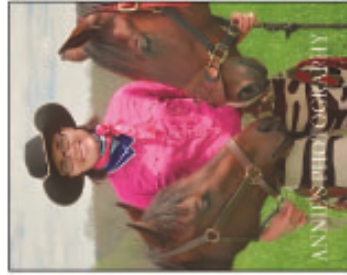
HUNGRY? WE HAVE A PLETHORA OF "WESTERN DAYS SPONSORED FOOD VENDORS":

Pony Express (Root River Rabbits), R-4 Meats - (Special Olympics), Chatfield Ambulance E M S, Methodist Church, "Old Tyme Cafe and Catering" (St. Jude's), St. Mary's Catholic Church, Hanson Girls' Concessions (Girl Scouts), St. Paul Lutheran Church, Bob's Smoke Stack Ribs (Saddle Club), CODY Amusements, Gleason's Concessions in Mill Creek Park (Chatfield Softball), VFW Chicken BBQ (Veterans), Sat. 11 am -Gone Club Room on 2nd St., BMJ D-Lites Ice Cream (Pioneer Presbyterian Church) "Squeeze Shack" Lemonade Stand (Boy Scouts) & the Commercial Club Pancake Breakfast, Fire Hall, Sun. 7:30-11:00 am

PLEASE Support ONLY Western Days authorized food stands Sponsored by LOCAL Non-Profit Organizations



Like us on Facebook Questions? Contact "Pam Bluhm" <chatwesterndays@gmail.com> Western Days Secretary, (507) 867-3870



Grand Marshal:
Rose McClimon-Hamlin



Honorary Grand Marshal:
Mike Tuohy

CHILDREN'S EVENTS:

"COIN FIND" - Sun., Aug. 10,

11 am, City Park

"PEDAL PULL" Sun., Aug. 10,

Noon, City Park - Co-Sponsored

by Hammell Equipment Co. and

Computer Dynamics

Both events will be held near the St.

Mary's Catholic Church "Corner"

MUST SEE "OPPORTUNITIES":

"CHATFIELD HISTORICAL MUSEUM/

PEASE MUSEUM" Sat., Aug. 9,

10 am - 4 pm, Sun., 1 pm to 4 pm

- Lower Level of the

THURBER Bldg., 21 - 2nd St. SE

VETERAN'S MEMORIAL MUSEUM -

Sat. 10 am - 4 pm, Sun. 1 pm - 4 pm,

Lower Level of the Public Library

Bldg., 314 Main St.

48' Mobile "RIVERINE FORCE"

Vietnam Military Mini-Museum

will be in Saturday's Parade and will

be parked in Front of VFW after the

parade for a few hours.

