



MSU NOTSTOCK reaches new heights in its third year

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"Art Chantry is a pillar in music poster art and graphic design," said Bill Harbort, professor of art and NOTSTOCK organizer. "His low-tech, irreverent, garage-gritty style pioneered alternative punk-grunge graphics by celebrating retro-images, typography and composition."

MSU NOTSTOCK is a third-year event held at Minot State University's Beaver Dam. Five popular artists and 20-plus local bands will converge to offer a unique live art and music experience.

Besides hosting Chantry for the three days, NOTSTOCK will feature Jeff Johnson, designer and owner of Spunk Design Machine in Minneapolis, Miss Amy Jo and Dale "TOOTH" Flattum of Who Made Who in Minneapolis and Minneapolis-based printmaker Bjorn Christianson.

"MSU NOTSTOCK highlights the diverse and growing poster-art scene that surrounds and brings visual beauty and interest to rock music across the globe," said Laurie Geller, chair of the Department of Mathematics and Computer Science and NOTSTOCK organizer. "The event showcases these creative connections and shares them with the community as talented guests make art and play music live for three days at Minot State."

Along with producing posters, screening on T-shirts and skateboard decks, the artists will be joined by live music — more than 20 of the hottest local rock, punk and folk bands, such as Diabolic Octopus, Merick, Carly Ann, The Morning Red, Jazmine Wolff, Father Son and Holy Smokes!!!, Potential Caskets, Black River, Echo's Answer, Rick Watson and more.

In addition, Johnson will give a presentation tonight (Oct. 21) at 7 p.m. Chantry's presentation, which will be followed by a reception for guests and artists, will be Thursday (Oct. 22) at 7 p.m. Both presentations and the reception will be in the Conference Center (Student Center, third floor).

All parts of MSU NOTSTOCK, held throughout the Student Center, are free and open to the public. The artists will have posters for sale and will be available to sign other collected works.

Visit www.msunotstock.org for an event schedule, as well as band and artist links.

Oct. 21, 2009

PIO update

It is no secret. MSU NOTSTOCK is quickly becoming the event to attend in the month of October. The three days of live art and music, geared towards artists of all skill levels and music lovers of all types, has attracted a big name to the Minot State Beaver Dam.

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Kudos go out to the many supporters and organizers of this event. Their ability to bring in an icon in music poster art speaks to their dedication and the quality of NOTSTOCK.

Besides attracting our own students, faculty and staff, the art and music event also allows high school students from hundreds of miles away and the general Minot community to participate.

Hopefully, this signature event will continue for years to come.

— *Mark Lyman, director
of public information*

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Mexico highlighted in Hispanic Awareness Month activity

On Thursday (Oct. 22), student presentations, which either outline heritage or personal-visit experiences, will highlight Mexico. This Hispanic Awareness Month activity, which includes food tasting, is in the Multicultural Center at noon. For additional information, contact Wylie Hammond, director of multicultural support services and the Native American Cultural Center, at 858-3365 or wylie.hammond@minotstateu.edu.

'Execution of Justice' opens main stage season

The Minot State University main stage play, "Execution of Justice," will run Thursday through Sunday (Oct 22-25) in the Aleshire Theater. Show times are 7:30 p.m. Thursday through Saturday (Oct. 22-24) with a 2 p.m. matinee on Sunday (Oct. 25).

"Execution of Justice," by Emily Mann, is based on the murder trial of Dan White, the 1978 killer of San Francisco Mayor George Mascone and City Supervisor Harvey Milk, the first openly gay city supervisor in the country. This trial is generally accepted as the trial that made the "Twinkie Defense" famous. This multimedia/live performance production is produced by 20 student and two staff actors.

All MSU faculty, staff and current students get in free with an MSU ID. Tickets at the door are \$6 for adults and \$5 for senior citizens and children. Reservations are recommended and can be made by calling 858-3172.

MSU celebrates Dia de los Muertos (Day of the Dead) Nov. 2

Minot State University Spanish students and the Spanish Club cordially invite all MSU students, faculty and staff to celebrate Dia de los Muertos (Day of the Dead) in the Multicultural Center on Nov. 2, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. The Multicultural Center is on the lower level of the Student Center.

The Day of the Dead is a unique celebration from Mexico and other Latin American countries. The ancient Aztecs and other Mexican pre-Colombian civilizations believed that the dead come every year to see their families. The priests that came to Mexico with the Spanish Conquerors changed the Day of the Dead to Nov. 1 and 2, which corresponds to the Catholic celebrations of All Saints' Day and also All Souls' Day. It is also celebrated in the southwest of the United States, California and wherever there is a high Mexican-American population.

Spanish instructor Kemerly Moorhouse, who is originally from Lima, Peru, will be playing guitar, charango and an Andean flute. Various foods will also be available for tasting.

The students have organized this event for the past five years.

For additional information about Dia de los Muertos (Day of the Dead), contact Kemerly at 858-3245 or kemerly.moorhouse@minotstateu.edu, John Morrow, associate professor of foreign

languages, at 858-4265 or john.morrow@minotstateu.edu or Sara Gietzen at sara.gietzen@my.minotstateu.edu.

MSU Peru study trip to be featured on lecture series

Kemerly Moorhouse, Spanish instructor, and student participants in a summer study trip to Peru will share their experiences Monday (Oct. 26) in a presentation at 7 p.m., in the Aleshire Theater.

Moorhouse and six Minot State University students spent four weeks in Peru during May and June. Students lived with host families, took intensive Spanish classes and took part in cultural activities such as festivals, history classes, salsa lessons and visits to museums and historical sites.

"Studying abroad has been more than just learning Spanish. Being immersed in the culture has provided me with a new understanding of people, of myself and of the world," wrote student traveler Whitney Loftesnes in her travel blog. "We see only a tiny piece of the world in North Dakota!"

In addition to three weeks of study in Moorhouse's native city of Lima, the group visited Ica, Ballestas Island, Cusco, the Oasis of Huacachina, Machu Picchu — the lost city of the Incas, Nazca and Lake Titicaca.

Moorhouse holds a bachelor's degree in Spanish language and literature education. She first came to the United States in 2005 to work as a language assistant in a cultural exchange program at the University of Mary. She has taught Spanish at MSU since 2008.

"I love teaching a lot. I love sharing my language and culture," Moorhouse said. "Having my students in my home country was a great experience for me."

A question-and-answer period and informal reception will follow the presentation. The program is free and open to the public.

For more information about Northwest Art Center activities, call 858-3264 or visit its Web site, www.minotstateu.edu/nac.



NDCPD receives autism grant

Minot State University's North Dakota Center for Persons with Disabilities recently received a \$761,000 grant from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families to fund the Great Plains Autism Project. The funds are available to NDCPD from September 2009 through February 2011 through congressionally directed funding, which



will enable GPAST to address important issues in autism for North Dakota.

“We are very excited about continuing our work on autism in North Dakota through the GPAST grant. The support of Senator Byron Dorgan, Senator Kent Conrad and Congressman Earl Pomeroy was crucial in obtaining this funding,” said Brent Askvig, executive director of NDCPD and the principal investigator of the project.

GPAST will focus on innovation, capacity building and infrastructure development for the state. The innovation focus will be on using distance telehealth systems in child assessments, follow-up and intervention implementation. Capacity building will address technical assistance, family supports, information and resource dissemination. The infrastructure development piece will also include policy and practice discussions with families, legislators, state-agency staff, universities and other programs to effect change.

For additional information about GPAST, contact Askvig at 858-3052 or brent.askvig@minotstateu.edu or Wendy Thomas, GPAST project director, at 858-4367 or wendy.thomas@minotstateu.edu.

Russians examine American social service programs

The Minot Area Council for International Visitors is hosting five Russian social services professionals and one facilitator,

Svetlana Karpova, Irina Plakhova, Oleg Romenskiy, Yuliya Silantyeva, Yelena Sunyukova and Liliya Tomofeyeva, through Sunday (Oct. 25). The international visitors are interested in American social



service programs for vulnerable populations. On Oct. 20, they met with Minot State University representatives.

The delegation discussed developing possible international exchanges and collaborations with David Fuller, president of Minot State, Gary Rabe, vice president of academic affairs, and Libby Claerbout, director of international programs. They also engaged in dialogue with university representatives from colleges, departments or centers that educate or assist people who work with vulnerable populations.

The visitors met with Neil Nordquist, dean of the College of Education; Don Burke, chair of the Department of Addiction Studies, Psychology and Social Work; Kelly Buettner-Schmidt, chair of the Department of Nursing; Brent Askvig, executive director of the North Dakota Center for

Persons with Disabilities and personnel from the various areas. Accompanied by Thomas Linares, chair of the Department of Communication Disorders, they observed communication disorder clinics for adults and youth.

While in Minot, the Russians social service professionals will also visit the Quentin Burdick Job Corps Center, the Dakota Boys and Girls Ranch, Head Start of Minot, the North Central Service Center, First Presbyterian Church’s soup kitchen, the Center for Family Medicine, First District Health Unit and the Minot Area Homeless Coalition. Within northwest North Dakota, they are touring the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation. They will meet with health and social service program officials on the reservation, as well as the tribal council for the Three Affiliated Tribes.

MACIV is hosting this delegation for Open World Program. The Open World Program is a unique, nonpartisan initiative of the U.S. Congress designed to build mutual understanding between the United States and Eurasia. All 50 U.S. states have hosted over 12,000 Open World participants since the program’s inception in 1999. Delegates range from members of parliament to mayors, from innovative nonprofit directors to experienced journalists and from political party activists to regional administrators.

A non-profit, community-and university-based organization, MACIV has been headquartered at Minot State University since 1992. MACIV designs and implements professional programs and provides cultural activities and home-hospitality opportunities for foreign leaders, specialists and international scholars. Individuals from the local council include Minot State University students, faculty and staff, as well as members from Minot and the surrounding community. MACIV works with the National Council for International Visitors and the International Visitor Leadership Program of the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the U.S. Department of State.

For questions about MACIV or the Russian social service professionals’ visit, contact co-facilitators Joseph Jastrzembski at 858-3322 or Ruth Kihm at 858-3142.

Faiths Explored series continues

The Lutheran Campus Ministry and the Multicultural Center are hosting the popular Faiths Explored series in the Multicultural Center (Student Center, first floor) at 12:30 p.m.:

- Oct. 29 — Pastor Michael Johnson from Christ Lutheran Church, Lutheran.
- Nov. 10 — Major Pastor Donald Kincaid, Salvation Army

The Faiths Explored series, which is for educational purposes, is open for students, faculty, staff and members of the community to participate. For questions, please contact Pastor Kari Williamson, Lutheran Campus Ministry, at 839-3949 or campusministry@srt.com.

Optimist Club and SCEC unite for Community Halloween Party

The 27th annual Community Halloween Party will kick off on Oct. 31 at 5 p.m. in the Dome. The Optimist Club along with Minot State University's Student Council for Exceptional Children have teamed up to host the event once again. The Optimist Club's motto is "friend of youth," and they make this event safe and spooktacular! Entertainment will be provided and mascots from around the city are to show up, including Buckle Bear and McGruff.

Businesses, service clubs, civic organizations, MSU student organizations, friends and neighbors are welcome to sponsor a booth and will be able to decorate them as much as they would like. Participants may decorate their booth from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Oct. 31. Candy for all children will be handed out throughout the evening. There will also be some judging going on, when the Optimist Club picks winners in categories involving best booth, best costume and for best mascot.

Participants are encouraged to promote their business or organization as they like and to get their scare on! If an individual, organization or business is unable to sponsor a booth in the traditional sense, but they would still like to contribute to this community youth event, they may also become a monetary sponsor. Donations are welcome.

For more information, contact Patty Pretzer, event organizer, at 852-2018 or ppretzer@townandcountry.org.

Fuller spoke at NDPEA Delegate Assembly

David Fuller, president of Minot State University, spoke to the 45th annual North Dakota Public Employees Association Delegate Assembly on Oct. 16 in Minot. He discussed the concept of shared governance.



Left to right: David Fuller, MSU president, Gary Feist, NDPEA president, and Henry Reigler, NDPEA secretary.

NDDDN hosted Transportation and Disability Summit

The North Dakota Developmental Disabilities Network hosted a Transportation and Disability Summit in Williston on Oct. 20. NDDDN is a collaboration between the North Dakota Center for Persons with Disabilities on Minot State University's campus, the North Dakota State Council on Developmental Disabilities and the North Dakota Protection and Advocacy Project.



"The Transportation and Disability Summit provided an avenue for persons with disabilities who utilize transportation systems in the state to make their voices heard in order to provide input, feedback and direction for future projects in this high need area throughout the state," said Andrea Pena, N.D. State Council on Developmental Disabilities executive director.

A.J. Mock, project director for the Williston Council for the Aging/Northwest Dakota Public Transit, provided the keynote speech. Mock described his quest to make affordable public transit available in his community and how Williston was able to provide this service.

The afternoon session included a panel discussion on the issues of transportation and disability from the agencies in attendance. The panel members were Janelle Olson, Protection and Advocacy Project; Penny Pozgay, Independence, Inc.; Charles Robinson, Opportunity Foundation; and Dawn Olson, NDCPD.

The Transportation and Disability Summit is the seventh in a series of monthly, multifaceted summits designed to:

- provide a venue where persons with transportation and disability issues can come together to discuss those issues and provide valued input on the challenges surrounding them.
- create a list of actionable tasks to provide direction to future projects for the NDDDN.
- gather insight on how members of NDDDN can feasibly address these issues.

For more information about NDDDN summits, contact Chad DeCoteau, summit organizer, at 1-800-233-1737, 858-3405 or chad.decoteau@minotstateu.edu.

Minot State University offers sympathy to Elgie family



Minot State University has been greatly saddened by the death of Vence Elgie, professor emeritus, on Oct. 14. We extend our condolences to his family and friends.

"We are extremely sad to hear of the passing of Coach Elgie. Vence touched so many people and so many areas of our

campus. In his more than 33 years of service to MSU, he served as football coach, athletic director and physical education department chair. He's been a lifelong supporter of the Beavers, and he's a person you just can't replace," said Rick Hedberg, athletic director. "He has had a lasting impact on a lot of individuals that attended MSU and competed for the Beavers. He will be greatly missed."

Elgie, an alumnus, served Minot State for 33 years before his retirement in 1985. He began his tenure at MSU in 1956 as an assistant football coach and freshmen basketball coach. In 1967, he became the athletic director and chair of the Department of Physical Education. He resigned as athletic director in 1975 but remained chair of the Division of Health, Physical Education and Recreation until his retirement. In 1988, he was inducted into the MSU Athletic Hall of Fame. On Sept. 24, he received the MSU Alumni Association's Golden Award.

The memorial service for Elgie was Oct. 17.

Memorials are preferred to the Vence Elgie Athletic Scholarship Endowment Fund at Minot State University.

Funds given to the Gary Stenehjem Organ Scholarship Endowment

On Oct. 9, organizers of the Brass and Organ Høstfest Festival Concert presented a \$3,700 check to David Fuller, president of Minot State University. The concert proceeds were donated to the Gary Stenehjem Organ Scholarship Endowment Fund at the university.

Stenehjem, an alumnus and retired music teacher, died May 2, but he left a legacy of music excellence in Minot and the surrounding region. To honor Stenehjem, three of his former students were featured performers in the concert. The Brass Band of Minot and the American Guild of Organists organized the scholarship fundraising concert.



From left to right: Kari Files of the American Guild of Organists, MSU president David Fuller, Brass Band of Minot president Al Schon and concert organizer Rod Wilson.

Wellness works

Tips on staying healthy

Influenza is thought to spread mainly person to person through coughing or sneezing of infected people. Take some everyday actions to stay healthy.

- Always cover your nose and mouth when you cough or sneeze and throw the tissue in the trash.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water, especially after you cough or sneeze.

- Use alcohol-based hand sanitizers.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth. Germs spread that way.
- Try to avoid close contact with sick people.
- If you are sick, stay home until at least 24 hours after you no longer have a fever or signs of a fever without the use of fever reducing medicine.

The flu season is here! Let's work together to stop the germs. For questions, contact 858-3371 or caren.barnett@minotstateu.edu.

'MSU Volleyball Gives a Dam' about breast cancer

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month, and the Minot State University volleyball team kicked off the month with a "MSU Volleyball Gives a Dam" night at the Dome on Oct. 3. The Beavers took on Valley City State University.

Spectators were invited to come to the game decked out in pink. Pink megaphones filled with popcorn and pink inspirational bracelets were sold with the proceeds going to breast cancer research. The pink balloons and streamers decorating the facility combined with the two teams warming up in pink shirts was a united effort to promote awareness. After warm ups the teams took to the floor for a close and exciting match with Valley City coming out on top.

The Beavers would like to thank the crowd for their support and everyone who provided donations to make this night a success.



Student thanks Weber

Laurie Weber, assistant financial director, received flowers on Sept. 23. The card read "Thank you for all your help, from some VA students." Weber, who is the certifying official for Veterans Affairs educational benefits at Minot State University, feels all MSU faculty and staff put students first and strive to help them whenever possible.



SSWO participated in walk-a-thon

The Student Social Work Organization participated in the Out of the Darkness Suicide Prevention Walk on Sept. 19, bringing in more than \$400 in donations. Minot State University personnel Vicki Michels, Rita Meyer and Deb Townsend served on the event's planning committee. The Psychology and Addiction Studies Club and nursing students assisted with the walk.



Announcements

Celebrate National Chemistry Week

The chemistry program would like to invite the campus to celebrate National Chemistry Week (Oct.18-24) with us. We will be having cake and beverages at 3 p.m. on Friday (Oct. 23) on the third floor of Moore Hall in the southeast atrium (by the elevator). We hope to see you there! For more information, contact 858-3084 or ryan.winburn@minotstateu.edu.

— *Ryan Winburn, chair of the Division of Science and associate professor of chemistry*

Nursing honor society and MSU nursing students undertake medical supply drive

The Omicron Tau Chapter of the Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing and nursing students at Minot State University will be conducting a medical supplies and monetary donation drive for the Foundation for Hospices in Sub-Saharan Africa through Friday (Oct. 23) For additional information, contact 858-4453 or laurel.dimler@minotstateu.edu.

— *Laurie Dimler, nursing instructor*

Overload policy outlined

Effective spring 2010, students who wish to attempt more than 18 credits a term must have at least a 3.0 cumulative grade point average at the time of registration. Students may not register for more than 22 credits per term. The overload approval form must be signed by the advisor and department/division chair and must also contain the division/department stamp. Return the completed form to the Registrar's Office for processing. (FS - 4.16.09)

The new form is located at the Registrar's Office Web site under the forms link, www.minotstateu.edu/records/forms/overload_approval.pdf. For questions, call 858-3345.

— *Jennifer Sick, registrar*

'Shop for the Cure' at MSU Bookstore

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month at the MSU Bookstore. "Shop for the Cure" by purchasing exclusive T-shirts for a limited time only. All proceeds benefit the National Breast Cancer Coalition Fund. For questions, call 858-3390.

— *Sandy Foley, MSU Bookstore manager*

AFLAC appointments needed

It is time to make decisions about FlexComp participation for 2010. Representatives from AFLAC will be available on campus starting Thursday (Oct. 22) for enrollment purposes. Please make an appointment with an AFLAC representative to set up your FlexComp participation. AFLAC also carries insurance products that may be of interest to you, so you can use the appointment to visit with them about those products as well. To schedule an appointment, go to www.minotstateu.edu/rsvp/index.php?event=88.

Other useful information:

- You must sign up specifically for the 2010 calendar year. Your participation in 2009 does not continue into 2010 unless you sign up.
- You should make an appointment with AFLAC representative even if only to learn about FlexComp so you can make an informed decision. You are under no obligation to sign up by setting up the appointment.

The Office of Payroll and Benefits has packets available that introduce AFLAC products. Stop by and pick one up anytime.

The appointments are for the Missouri, Fisher or Westlie rooms. Please take note of the location for your particular appointment. For help with scheduling an appointment, contact 858-3352 or wes.matthews@minotstateu.edu.

— *Wes Matthews, director of human resources*

Changes to Lot K and unreserved-permit holders

Due to construction needs related to Swain Hall, Lot K was moved from the east side of the library to the west side of the library and is now located on the north end of the unreserved lot. The parking office has been lenient in recent weeks regarding parking tickets related to this change. The official policy of ticketing individuals for parking in a lot without a properly displayed permit will resume Monday (Oct. 26). Please take appropriate note of which lot you are parking in and be aware that only those with permits for that lot are legally allowed to park there. Thank you for your patience and understanding in this matter. For questions, contact 858-3318.

— *Roger Kluck, director of facilities*

NDPERS annual enrollment season for 2010 plan year begins

The North Dakota Public Employees Retirement System annual enrollment season will run through Nov. 6. Employees will receive an annual-enrollment-season postcard after the week of Oct. 12. The NDPERS annual enrollment season gives employees the opportunity to:

- enroll for coverage in the insurance plans they are not currently enrolled in.
- add dependents.
- increase coverage levels.

The postcard will direct the employee to the NDPERS Web site to obtain enrollment information regarding the NDPERS health, life, dental, vision and long-term-care insurance plans. Enrollment forms can be accessed from the NDPERS Web site or the Office of Payroll and Benefits. All forms must be turned in the payroll and benefits office by Nov. 6. For questions, contact 858-3352 or wes.matthews@minotstateu.edu.

— *Wes Matthews, director of human resources*

Advanced Study Grant Program applications due Oct. 30

Minot State University's support for advanced study is available through the Advanced Study Grant Program. This program provides financial assistance to full-time faculty or staff pursuing course work for degree programs or in skill areas deemed critical to the university. Funding can assist with book expenses, travel expenses or tuition. The deadline for applications is Oct. 30. To learn more, go to www.minotstateu.edu/instplan/res03.shtml. Direct questions to 858-3323 or cari.olson@minotstateu.edu.

— *Cari Olson, academic and institutional projects coordinator*

Campus under 'Dam Lock-Down' Friday and Saturday

On Friday and Saturday (Oct. 23-24), high school students will be visiting Minot State University's campus for "Dam Lock-Down." This event, which is sponsored by the Office of Enrollment Services, starts Friday evening at 5 p.m. and runs until 8 a.m. the next morning.

At the Dam Lock-Down, the high school students will meet MSU faculty members, learn about scholarship opportunities and experience true college life. To learn more, visit www.minotstateu.edu/enroll/event_001.shtml. For questions, contact 858-3351 or askmsu@minotstateu.edu.

— *Jason Trainer, admissions counselor*

In the galleries

Oct. 21-29 — "Faces," oil paintings by Gretchen Bederman, Glendive, Mont., Hartnett Hall Gallery.

Oct. 21-Nov. 10 — Works by Art Chantry, Library Gallery.

Nov. 5-Dec. 3 — "Absolute Dots," paintings and prints by Ewa Tarsia, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Hartnett Hall Gallery.

Calendar

Oct. 21-Nov. 7, 2009

Oct.

- 21-23 NOTSTOCK, three-day live art and music event, Beaver Dam, 11 a.m. – 6 p.m.
- 21 NOTSTOCK artist lecture by Jeff Johnson, Conference Center, 7 p.m.
- 22 Hispanic Awareness Month: student presentations about Mexico, Multicultural Center, noon.
- 22 Faculty Senate, Westlie Room, 3:30 p.m.
- 22 NOTSTOCK artist lecture by Art Chantry, Conference Center, 7 p.m.
- 22-25 Theatre: "Execution of Justice," Aleshire Theater, Thursday–Saturday 7:30 p.m., Sunday 2 p.m.
- 23 MHS Hometown Heroes scholarship awards social, Conference Center, 11 a.m.
- 23 Dam Lock-Down, for prospective students, Beaver Dam, 5 p.m. – 8 a.m., Oct. 24.
- 23 Volleyball vs. Dakota State University, Dome, 7 p.m.
- 24 Volleyball vs. Mayville State University, Dome, 3 p.m.
- 24 Cross Country at Mount Marty Invitational, Yankton, S.D.
- 24 Football at Mayville State University.
- 26 Weight Management Club, Jones Room, 8:30 a.m.
- 26 Blood pressure and health information, Beaver Dam entrance, 9 a.m.
- 26 Student Government Association meeting, Westlie Room, 7 p.m.
- 26 NAC lecture: "Horizons Unlimited: Peru Study Trip," Kemerly Moorhouse, Aleshire Theater, 7 p.m.
- 26 Small Ensembles concert, Nelson Hall, 7:30 p.m.
- 27 NAC: All Hallows Evening, showing of "The Bride of Frankenstein" and "Cornerboys," Aleshire Theater, 7 p.m.
- 28 SAC: movie, Beaver Dam 3 p.m., Aleshire Theater 9 p.m.
- 28 NAC prescreening of PBS television series "Art in the 21st Century," episode 4, "Systems," Aleshire Theater, 7 p.m.
- 29 Last day to add a second 8-week class.
- 29 SAC: Halloween dance, Grand International, 10 p.m.
- 30 Spring 2010 undergrad graduation applications due to Registrar's Office.
- 30 Beaver Booster luncheon, Sevens Restaurant, noon.
- 30 Women's Basketball vs. Morningside College, Dome, 5:30 p.m.
- 30 Men's Basketball vs. University of Regina, Dome, 7:30 p.m.
- 30 Volleyball at Valley City State University.

- 31 Volleyball at Jamestown College.
- 31 Football at Dickinson State University.
- 31 Women's Club Hockey vs. North Dakota State University, MAYSA, 7:30 p.m.

November 2009

- 1 Women's Club Hockey vs. North Dakota State University, MAYSA, 11:30 a.m.
- 1 Men's Basketball vs. Briar Cliff University at Mayville State Classic, Mayville.
- 2 "Pride of MSU" fall band concert, Nelson Hall, 7:30 p.m.
- 2 Men's Basketball at University of Minnesota-Crookston.
- 3 MSU Choir and Women's Chorus concert, Nelson Hall, 7:30 p.m.
- 4 SAC: karaoke, Beaver Dam, 11 a.m.–2 p.m.
- 4 Volleyball at Dickinson State University.
- 5 Center for Extended Learning open house, Admin. 161, 9–11 a.m.

- 5 Wellness Fair, Student Center Atrium, 9:30 a.m.–2 p.m.
- 5 SAC: Hana Pestle, musician, Beaver Dam, noon.
- 5 Faculty Senate, Westlie Room, 3:30 p.m.
- 5-Dec. 3 NAC exhibit: "Absolute Dots," paintings and prints by Ewa Tarsia, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Hartnett Hall Gallery.
- 6 Graduate School: last day to file permit to take written comprehensive exams.
- 6 Beaver Booster luncheon, Sevens Restaurant, noon.
- 6 MSU Showcase Concert, Nelson Hall, 3 p.m.
- 6 Women's and Men's Basketball vs. University of Great Falls, Dome, 6 and 8 p.m.
- 6 Men's Club Hockey vs. Crookston, MAYSA Arena, 7:30 p.m.
- 7 Women's Club Hockey at South Dakota State University.
- 7 Northwest International Festival of Music concert, Nelson Hall, 5 p.m.
- 7 Women's and Men's Basketball vs. Montana State University-Northern, Dome, 5 and 7 p.m.

Minot State University Mission

Minot State University is first and foremost dedicated to the success of all students: their growth and development as educated citizens, their confidence, and their life-long devotion to the common good and the welfare of others.

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