

Church Schedules

Catholic

Lismore— Sat. 5 p.m.

*OLGC-Wilmont—
Sun. 8:30 a.m.*

St. Adrian-Sun. 10:30 a.m.

St. Gabriel-Fulda— 8 am

St. Ann 10 am

Immanuel Lutheran *Pfingsten-rural Fulda*

(Livestream Sunday worship
available on Immanuel's
Facebook page)

Coffee & fellowship before
worship at 9:15

Worship 10 am

Presbyterian

*Lismore -
Sunday Service—8:45 a.m.*

*Reading—
Sunday School-9 am*

Service-10:00 a.m

*Iona—
Sunday Service 9 a.m.
2nd & 4th Sunday-Adult
Bible Study & Sunday School
Following Service*

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American Legion Auxiliary – Lismore, MN
October 28, 2025
1:00 p.m – 5:45 p.m.
Local contacts : Deb Lutmer
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For an appointment, please visit redcrossblood.org
Or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767).

Adrian Public School Game schedules and times can be found on redrockconference.org.

Darla Parsley will be collecting coats and any winter items for the Justice for All in Rock Rapids. You can drop it off at 517 Maine Ave in Adrian the walk in door will be unlocked. It will be for the month of October.

Adrian Branch Library has story time every Tuesday at 10:15 am.

Pillow Cleaning
October 24th
7:30 am– 3 pm
American Reformed Church
North Hwy 75
Luverne, MN
Sponsored by the Luverne Lions Club

Welcome Zach & Danyel Suppe to Wilmont—the new owners of Wilmont Saloon No 7!

Wilmont VFW Invites everyone to the
Veterans Day Potluck

Sunday November 9

12 noon

Come enjoy a great meal and
great company!



Check out the Lismore Fire & Rescue Facebook page for their reel with what their fire department members do when not on a call—it's had A LOT of views on a cool video! Good job!

**Please join us for an Open House celebrating
the 50th Wedding Anniversary of Vernon and Carol Bell**

Wilmont Community Center

October 18, 2025

2:00pm - 5:00pm

Please let your presence be your gift



What is Socktober?? In October 2011, creator Brad Montague realized there was a large homeless population in his hometown and he wanted to do something about it. He became aware that socks were the items least donated to homeless shelters. Brad took action, wishing people "Happy Socktober!" as he gave out socks on the streets. Word got around and people wanted to know how they could help. Since then, Socktober has exploded! Organizations and individuals around the world have started sock drives to benefit their local shelters and people in need. All seven continents have been involved in donating. Catholic Daughters of the Americas Ct. St. Bernard #886 is once again ready to help fulfill a need in our area. By enlisting the help of the parish cluster, they will be donating new socks for those in need through the Manna Food pantry. A bin will be set up in the foyer of St. Anthony's Catholic Church and St. Adrian Catholic Church for any new men's, women's, & children's socks. Please consider buying a package of socks for those who are in need. Thank you, in advance, for your generosity!!

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Thank you everyone for all the prayers, visits, texts, phone calls, cards, flowers, meals and gifts during my hospital stay and home recovering. It is so thoughtful and greatly appreciated! I have a long road ahead for recovery but your support has been amazing. Thank you again ~

Kevin and Teri Spartz

Adrian High School Veteran's Day Breakfast

Date: Monday, November 11

Breakfast: 7:30 – 8:45 a.m.

Program: 9:30 a.m.

Location: Adrian High School Gym

You are invited to attend the Veterans Day Breakfast as we honor and thank our Vets for their service to our country!

Egg bake • Rolls • Fruit • Juice • Milk • Coffee will be provided by the Adrian National Honor Society.

Please RSVP by Wednesday, November 6

Let us know how many will be attending:

Call the Adrian High School Office at 507-483-2232

Or email Robert Remme at r.remme@isd511.net

The Veterans Day Program will be in the HS Gym at 9:30 a.m. Music will be by the Elementary Students, and MS/HS band and choir. Guest Speaker is Becky Jonas Langloss -retired from the Air Force National Guard. There will be participation from the Adrian and Lismore Legions.



Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Wilmont hosted another successful Fall Festival. The roast beef dinner with all the fixings was delicious—the beef was cut with a plastic fork tender. There were many donated silent auction items, quilts and big ticket raffle items. Thanks to all who came to eat, the donors, the organizers, and the youth who helped in the dining room and all the volunteers!

Wilmont Fire & Rescue are collecting toys for the Toys for Tots campaign in Nobles County. Toys can be brought to the Wilmont Hardware Store!

MARY CAROL LURSEN, age 89, of Adrian, died Thursday, October 2, 2025, at Sunrise View Assisted Living in Adrian. She was born February 21, 1936, in Adrian, to Louis J. and Vivian (Owens) Metz. She graduated from St. Adrian High School.

Mary married Donald Lursen on November 21, 1957, at the St. Adrian Rectory. The couple made their home in Adrian and were blessed with four children. Mary worked as secretary for her husband at Don's Radio & TV in Adrian. She also worked at the Adrian Co-op.

She was a member of St. Adrian Catholic Church, where she served as Eucharistic Minister; the WCCW; the Christian Mothers; the Adrian Chamber of Commerce where Mary & Don were head of the parade for many years; Grey Ladies and several card clubs. She enjoyed playing bridge, bowling and ceramics.

Mary is survived by her four children, Sandy (John) Klinkenborg, Anoka; Sharon (Larry) Balster, Adrian; Kevin Lursen, Adrian; and Lori (Gregg) Bosse, Jefferson, SD; grandchildren, Casey (Liz) Klinkenborg, Lindsay Gornick, Kelly (Matt) Olson, Jeremy (Kelly) Balster, Tara (Corey) Luettel, Jordan (Brandi) Balster, Jana (Kenny) Willers, Jaden (Molly) Balster, Stephaine (Jake) Leighty, Tyler (Tiffany) Lursen, Heidi (Josh) Baker, Heather (Ethan) Heideman, Alicia Bosse, Haley (Garrett) Kohler, & Brady Bosse; great-grandchildren, Sawyer, Elsie, Raelee, Rylan, Brooklyn, Kenna, Teegan, Avery (Jaydn), Cadence, Ava, Ella, Bennett, Phillip, Ainsley, Oliver, Leo, Tenley, Amara, Briella, Kysten, Brecklyn, Brooks, Karsen, Paytin, Allison, Loretta, Kentin, Kason, Rylee, Ari & Marlee; siblings, Jo Willemstein, Tusla, OK; Donna Bartholomaeus, Clarion, IA; Patricia (Hubert) Pass, Worthington; Kay Jean (Larry) Dammer, Cannon Falls; Michael (Beverly) Metz, Adrian; Patrick (Coletta) Metz, Adrian; and Gayle Buss, Adrian; and a sister-in-law, Elsie Metz, Sioux Falls, SD.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Don on January 9, 2015; daughter-in-law, Amy Lursen; brother, Mylo Metz; sister, Dolores (Duane) Ruser; father and mother-in-law, John and Laura Lursen; sister-in-law, Alice (Wayne) Pieper; and brothers-in-law, Robert Bartholomaeus, Gary Hokeness, Dale Buss and Clarence (Martha) Lursen.

Funeral Mass was at St. Adrian Catholic Church, in Adrian, officiated by Monsignor Richard Colletti. Burial was at the St. Adrian Cemetery.

Richard "Dick" Probst of Burnsville, MN died September 14, 2025. He was born June 25, 1942, the son of Joe and Marcella (Hebig) Probst. Dick attended school at OLGC in Wilmont and graduated in 1960. He and his wife, Mary, lived in Burnsville, MN. Dick is preceded in death by his parents and 3



brothers - Joseph, Jr. (Butch), Bob, and Mike and is survived by his wife and 2 sister-in-laws, Connie Probst and Wanda Probst. His Celebration of Life will be on Sunday, October 26, 2025 from 12:30 - 3 p.m. at Presbyterian Homes, 1921 W. Burnsville Parkway, Burnsville, MN 55337.

Allen Lee Kruger, age 84, passed away peacefully on Tuesday, October 14, 2025, at his residence in Worthington, MN. He was born on February 10, 1941, in George, IA, the son of Lubertus and Verna (Gruis) Kruger. He was the oldest of eight children.

On November 8, 1961, he married Janet Timmer, and to this union he was blessed with three daughters. On August 9, 1989, he married LaVonne Dobson.

Allen began working at a very young age beginning with setting pins at the Sibley bowling alley. He drove bulk milk truck, farmed, was a mechanic at Good Year Tire Company, and eventually retired from Schaap Sanitation after 34 years. He also owned rental properties and had a snow blowing/lawn mowing business.

He enjoyed bowling and helping farmers at harvest time. He especially liked having nice vehicles, keeping them washed and waxed.

Allen is survived by his wife, LaVonne Kruger of 36 years; daughters, Janine (Brian) Ford of Oakdale, MN, Vickie (David) Eckerson of Rochester, MN, and Darla (Marc) Janssen of Rushmore, MN; grandchildren, Amy (Paul) Evans, Katie (Ryan) Ackman, Joel Eckerson (Christina Rowland), Melissa (Tim) Mueller, Chad (Jamie) Janssen, and Craig Janssen; great grandchildren, Nathan & Owen Evans, Minnie & Jans Mueller, and Karsin & Kollin Janssen; bonus grandchild, Luke & Tabettha, Marshall, Maddux, and Mikko Anderson, and stepson, Scott and Michelle Dobson.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, October 18, 2025, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., followed by memorial services at 11:00 a.m., at the Benson Funeral Home Chapel in Worthington, MN, with Sanford Hospice Chaplain Dan Hormig officiating.

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Friday, October 24th

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\$50 per packet (10 BINGO games)
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\$2000 Jackpot for Game #10
(depending on the # of tickets sold)

Wilmont community center

Pool every Monday, Wednesday & Friday.

Cards every Monday. They will teach you if you don't know how! Quarterly Meetings to discuss local goings on.

New members always welcome.

**CHRISTMAS
PUZZLE
TOURNAMENT
AND BAKE SALE**

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6th

Bake Sale Noon-3:30
Puzzle Tournament 1:00 pm
Sunset Hospice Cottage
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Worthington

2-person teams, max of 18 teams
\$30/team
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Contact Susanne Murphy
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We always welcome new ladies to the Wilmont Quilting group to sew squares, tie quilts, pattern out quilts, donate thread, baby flannel or material, sheets for backs and middles, offers of cake for coffee after a day of quilting. So you are welcome to join in on the creativity, conversation and fun. We tie at school in Wilmont at 1:00 on most Wednesdays. When in doubt call and check with Carolyn 370-3594. Thank you in advance for any donations and volunteering.

Wilmont Area Quilters

Are you looking for a place for an event in Wilmont? Call the city clerk for reservations for the Wilmont Community Center, Hilltop Park or the ballfield Please call Amber Bertrand at 507-926-5235 for your reservation date and location Leave a message if she's not in the office.

Giveaway—Farm kittens near Wilmont—Call 507-360-8798

Chili Fundraiser
Deputy Logan Waldner
October 19th, 2025 11-2PM
Trails Edge, Currie




Thirty-year-old Deputy Waldner, a marine and a sheriff's deputy with Nobles County Minnesota, was critically injured while assisting on an accident scene on 190 on April 13th, 2025. Deputy Waldner is married to Amber and they have two small children at home. For the past six months, Deputy Waldner has been in the hospital and a rehabilitation hospital in Omaha, NE. Deputy Logan suffered a traumatic brain injury as a result of the accident.

Deputy Waldner chose to fight for his country as a Marine and then chose to fight for his community as a deputy. Now it's time for us to fight for him with prayers and monies to help his family while Deputy Waldner receives the medical help he needs.

As part of the chili feed, which will be held at Trails Edge on October 19th, 2025, we will also be selling raffle tickets for coolers full of meat. Raffle tickets will be available prior to the chili feed. Need not be present to win.

Adrian Branch Library Hours

Monday	10am – 6pm
Tuesday	10am – 6pm
Wednesday	closed
Thursday	10am – 6pm
Friday	10am – 5pm
Saturday	10am – 1pm (Labor Day to Memorial Day)
Sunday	closed

ADRIAN COMMUNITY UNITED

OCTOBER 18TH

Fall Festival

4-6 PM	TRUNK-OR-TREAT
4-6 PM	CARNIVAL GAMES
4-8 PM	FOOD TRUCKS
5-7 PM	HAY RIDES
8-10 PM	HALLOWEEN HIDE & SEEK

@ THE ADRIAN CAMPGROUND

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YEARS AGO—written by Audrey Brake— Thanks Audrey for all these memories!

Taken from the May 9 & 16, 1946 Wilmont Tribune

Wilmont

S. 1c. Alvin Probst arrived home Monday from San Francisco to spend his leave at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Probst. Alvin will report back to the Great Lakes Naval Station after which he will receive his discharge.

May 2 - The opening game for the Wilmont baseball club will be played at the local ball park in Wilmont on Sunday, May 12th when the fast Iona club will be here. Manager Kuhl of the local team will have a good team in the field this year and promises the baseball fans some real fast baseball. Duane Gibson of Havelock, Iowa will be on the mound for Wilmont in the opening game with Manager Kuhl at the receiving end. Mr. Gibson come here all recommended for the mound work. Considerable work has been done at the ball park the past month and it will be in tip-top shape for the opening game.

May 9 - The local team won the initial game here Sunday from Iona by a score of 14 to 12. Several hundred fans turned out for the game. Wilmont started out with a bang in the first inning when two runs crossed home plate on hits by Scholtes, Cosgriff, and Kuhl. The locals scored 10 runs in the fourth and two in the eighth. Gibson, on the mound for Wilmont, was relieved by B. Kuhl in the fourth inning and went the route for the remainder of the game. Wilmont had 14 hits, 14 runs, and 5 errors. Iona had 12 runs, 10 hits and two errors. On Sunday Heron Lake will be at the local diamond. Players for Wilmont are O. Kuhl ss. C. Scholtes cf, L. Baker 3b, Cosgriff rf, E. Kuhl c, C. Springman lf, Schlichte 2b, Probst 1b, Gibson p, B. Kuhl p, B. Sievers rf, and C. Majeres 2b.

Esther Slater became the wife of Alfred Becker on Tuesday morning, May 14th, 1946 at 9 o'clock at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church with the Rev. Urban Buchheit officiating. Mrs. Leo Spartz played the organ and was assisted by the choir. Maid of Honor was Arlene Slater of Worthington, sister of the bride. Charles Lenz, uncle of the groom, was best man. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slater of Wilmont and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Becker, also of Wilmont. The reception for 140 guests was held at the home of the bride's parents. The newlyweds left for northern Minnesota on a 2-week trip and will be home on a farm south of Wilmont after June 1st. Best wishes are extended them by a host of friends here.

A deal was completed the first of the week when Joe F. Balster bought the Matt Michels building, formerly occupied by the Municipal Liquor Store. Mr. Balster plans to operate a new Electric Appliance store, and he will open as soon as appliances are available in any quantity. Mr. Balster will handle the Kelvinstar Line of which he has had the dealership for the past 8 years, in that time selling a large number of stoves and refrigerators. At the present Joe is running a wiring crew.

At the regular meeting of the Village of Wilmont, Joe Probst was granted a permit to build a house and garage in the Village of Wilmont on Outlet S.

A deal was made on Monday of this week whereby Pete Heinrichs bought the Frank Balster Sr. house in the south part of town. The Heinrichs family has lived there for the past six years.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carey received word Friday that Mr. Carey's uncle, Frank Morgan, had passed away. The Carey's left on Sunday for Storm Lake, Iowa where the funeral was held on Monday. The Morgans are former Wilmont residents, having lived here years ago. Mr. Morgan was in the restaurant business and later operated a General Store. He built the store where the Liquor Store is now located. He was 76 years old at the time of his death.

The VFW Boat drawing, which was supposed to be held on Wednesday, May 15th, will be delayed until Sunday afternoon, May 19th. The drawing will take place at the Wilmont ball park during the ball game here. The veterans were notified the first of the week that the boat would not arrive until the latter part of this week, and they decided to have the drawing Sunday afternoon. Be at the ball park and see for yourself who gets the boat.

The East Siders kittenball team defeated the West Siders by a score of 12 to 4. On May 15 Bloom Twp. will play Larkin Twp. On May 17 Summit Lake Twp. will play Wilmont Twp. On May 21 Wilmont Twp. will play Bloom Twp.

George Boomgardner and his band will play for the opening dance at the Wilmont Pavilion on Thursday evening, May 9th. This dance is being sponsored for the Wilmont baseball team.

Mrs. Marvin Schlichte was taken to the Sanitorium at Worthington Monday where she will be a patient the next several months.

Allen Hoffman, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hoffman, returned home from the Worthington Clinic where he was a patient since Wednesday, suffering from a bad case of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fritz are happy over the arrival of a daughter born on Wednesday, May 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hurlbut arrived here Sunday from Sacramento, California for a visit with him other, Mrs. Alice Hurlbut and other relatives. They will go to Wheaton to make their home, where Clarence was employed before entering the Army.

Those on the honor roll this week, having paid their subscription were: Al Winter, Jake Remakel, Ed Balster, Chas. Eisele, Art Slouch, M. T. Killed, and Peter Spartz of Wilmont, Paul Popkin of Fulda, Ray Madison of Lismore, Eugene Feit of Rushmore, and M. A. Henrichs of LaMars, Iowa.

Lismore

Brian Lacore arrived home this past week from Minneapolis where he received a discharge from the Navy.

Jerry Jansen left Monday morning for Minneapolis for his physical examination before entering the service.

Twelve little boys and girls received their First Holy Communion Sunday morning in St. Anthony's Church. The class included Gary Krogman, Bobby McCann, Dale Kemper, Virgil Stoffel, Terry Hebig, Dale Bach, Jerome and Janet Fath, Norma Bach, Janette Tennesen, Diane Didier and LaVina Reiners.

The fire department was called to the Frank Loonan home Monday afternoon due to fire in their corncrib. The fire was put out before much damage was caused.

The Lismore Western 4-H Club held their monthly meeting in the home of Pete Tout. The girls decided to have a project meeting. All girls in the Bread and Clothing project are supposed to be represented. Lambert Diekmann, captain of the kitten ball team decided to have the first practice on Saturday, May 11th at the town's big diamond. Earl Diekmann and Lyle Lacore had a card trick that he showed the group. Patricia Lacore play Doctor, Lawyer, India Chief. The next meeting will be held at the Leland Madison home.

Continued...

The Lismore baseball team lost to Ellsworth Sunday in a 13-inning game by a score of 6 to 5.

St. Kilian

St. Kilian and Round Lake opened the Nobles County Baseball season at the St. Kilian grounds Sunday. When the dust settled St. Killian had come out the winner by a score of 8 to 3. The game was well-played and witnessed by a nice crowd. Hebig on the mound for the Saints pitched a good game, allowing 8 scattered hits, two free passes and sending 12 hitter back to the bench via the strike-out route. Round Lake tallied twice in the first inland and once in the eighth, this one being a home run by Bloom, Round Lake catcher. Round Lake pitchers allowed 9 hits, 9 free passes, while four Saints went down swinging. St. Kilian tallied once in the fist inning, twice in the second and fifth, and 3 in the eighth. Both teams made 2 errors. Sunday, May 12th, the Saints will be at Lismore.

Sister M. Hermolaus and Sister M. Aquitaine, OSF, left last Tuesday for Milwaukee, Wisconsin after visiting a week with their mother, Mrs. Anna Diekmann and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Hartman and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Harken and daughters left Tuesday for their home in Sublimity, Oregon, after visiting the past 3 weeks at the home of Mrs. Hartman's mother, Mrs. Anna Diekmann and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schmit of Lismore are happy over the arrival of a son, Virgil Henry, born on May 3rd. Sponsors at baptism were Henry Schmit and Mrs. Alfred Voss.



Photo From the Past

Correction - In the last issue of the Shopper in the St. Kilian section there was a paragraph on a wedding. Autocorrect took over and the name of the bride was 'Arena Fuerstenberg'. I did not see this when I scanned for mistakes. It should have been 'Arnetta Fuerstenberg'.

The photo this week is of Balster Electric, which is mentioned in the Years Ago column where Joe Balster bought the former Wilmont Municipal Liquor Store, and plans were made to operate it as a new Electric Appliance Store. L-R = Frank Krell, Larry Balster, Joe Balster, and Virgil Balster. Frank Krell worked for Balster Electric and did wiring and put in rural electric (REA). Larry worked for Joe until he bought the farm from Joe around 1952. Virgil worked for his father, Joe, and later owned and operated the business until he retired.

The Lismore Legion Hall is available for rental to the area for graduations, showers, anniversaries etc. Please call the Lismore Bank (First Western) for rental information and to set up a date.

Nobles 2 Wind Community fund would like to thank all who filed an application for the community grants for 2025.

Congratulations to the following organizations who were awarded grants -

Wilmont Fire Department \$6000 for fire equipment, scoop stretcher and firefighter boots

Lismore Fire Department \$5000 for rescue equipment

Wilmont Area Heritage Center \$1000 for supplies to maintain and improve the center

St. Kilian Community Center—\$3000 for lighting in the hall

We are looking to replace one of the board members who is leaving the area. Please contact us at

nobles2communityfund@gmail.com or contact one of the board members to let us know you are interested. We vote on the grant applications each year.

Adrian Public School is the site of an American Red Cross Blood drive at the Middle School Gym 1-6 pm on Wednesday October 22nd.

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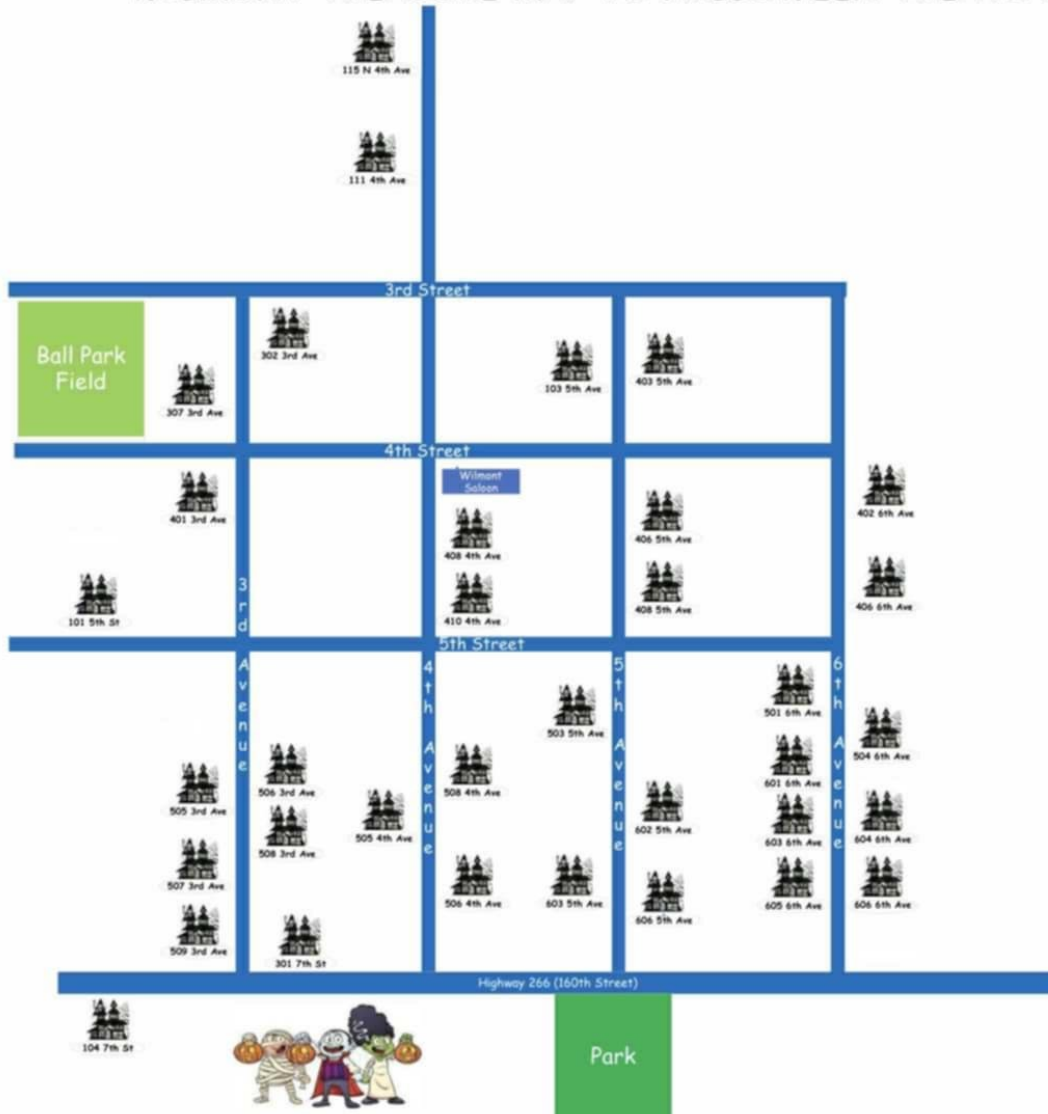


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WILMONT TREASURE MAP TO HALLOWEEN TREATS 2025



*Houses with lights on are handing out candy. Map may not include all houses giving out candy

Join us on Sunday, October 26th
from 5-6 PM at the
Rushmore School Gym!



-  Wear your costume!
-  Bring your treat bag!
-  Photo Booth!

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Community members are encouraged to join us and set up a decorated
"Treat Table" and hand out treats too! Tables provided!

(Please let Charlotte know if you want us to reserve a table for you!)

Watch our FB page for changes due to the weather.

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A/E Dragons Run Exceptionally Well At Home Invite

The Dragons compete in their home meet last week. Nearly 250 runners and 11 teams competed in the meet. This proved to be one of the larger meets of the season which is a good test for A/E before their conference meet.

Beginning with the junior high girls, Rosy Farias was 5th in 7:05 for the 1600 race. Charlotte Lichter was 7th in 7:14 and Maggie Gutierrez was 10th in 7:23. Madison Johnson was the 4th scorer for A/E in 16th place at 8:08. Alex Hoffman was the final scorer in 8:14. The girl's team ended their season by taking first place over MCC/F by a score of 25 to 30.

The junior high boys were also ready to run. Mason Bullerman was 9th in 6:19. Ezra Onken was 13th and Parker Halbur was 14th with the same time of 8:26. Raylan Eidhammer was 18th in 6:49 and Mason DeBeer was 19th in 7:02. Jonas Ortman was able to run 8:31 and Lawson Cuperus completed the race in 8:51. The junior high boys placed 2nd out of 4 complete teams in their last team score of the season.

The varsity teams both faced a tall task as Sioux Falls Lincoln was at the meet again this year. The bigger school brings bigger numbers but also gives our local athletes new runners to run against. Olivia Bullerman was 18th of the 90 runners in a time of 21:51. Lucy Thier was 20th in 22:16. Keyona Klingenberg was 25th in 22:42. Peyton Bohlke was a good run in 23:19 and Jozie Cuperus rounded out the scoring in 23:29. Abby Bertrand was 25:05 and Kataniya Hernandez completed the run in 28:38. The Dragons placed 3rd of 7 complete teams.

On the boy's side, Darwin Demarrias-Jansma was 11th in the 91 runner field in a time of 18:05. Cody Weidert broke 20 minutes and ran 19:50 to place 28th. Aiden Lichter was right at 20:00 for 30th. Ben Brinkhous ran his last meet in Adrian in 20:22 and fellow senior Riley Spies ran 21:09. Kevin Rivera and Angel Farias were 22:04 and 22:10 respectively. Micah Bullerman ran a personal best time of 27:17. The Dragons placed 4th of 8 teams.



A-E Cross Country Girls are Runner Up at Red Rock Conference; Boys Take Third

The running Dragons traveled to Fulda for their Red Rock Conference cross country championships earlier this week. The weather was pleasant and the course was hilly. The Dragons came in physically and mentally prepared. Top ten is considered All Conference in each race.

Beginning with the junior high girls, Rosy Farias took 3rd in 11:21 over the 2500 meter course. Charlotte Lichter was 4th in 11:35. Maggie Gutierrez was 11th in 12:33. Alex Hoffman had big improvements as she placed 16th in 13:32. The girls did not have enough runners to fill a complete team. On the boy's junior high side, Parker Halbur earned 9th in 10:26. Ezra Onken was next in 11th place running 10:35. Jonas Ortman was 23rd in 15:59. The JH boys also did not have a complete team.

The varsity girls started the race with a bang. Olivia Bullerman ended the 5,000 meter run to place 7th in 22:20. Lucy Thier was 9th in 22:44. Keyona Klingenberg and Jozie Cuperus were 14th and 15th respectively running 23:22 and 23:33 respectively as well. Peyton Bohkle placed 21st in 24:13. Abby Bertrand had a personal best time of 24:39 to place 24th. Kataniya Hernandez also had a personal best time of 27:34. The girls placed 2nd as a team, beating MCC/F by a mere point.

The varsity boys had Darwin Demarrias-Jansma placing 7th in 18:26. Aiden Lichter was 14th in 20:04. Cody Weidert was 19th in 20:58. Senior Riley Spies ran 21:44 for 23rd and Kevin Rivera was 24th in a personal best of 24:56. Angel Farias was 37th in 23:52 while Micah Bullerman was 27:43. The boys team was 3rd.



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Remember to take advantage of the Lending Library located in the Lismore City Hall. There have been donations to the lending library where you can stop and take a look and borrow a book. The library is available for all ages. Come take a look!

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If you submit something, please look to make sure I
have it included. (or if something goes missing, let me
know Judy Christians

I am switching to a new computer in the next few
weeks so there may be a delay in getting the edition
out. Crossing my fingers!

Families in Nobles County can register to receive toys starting September 15 — either online or in person. Registration for families to receive toys will close on November 24, and Distribution Day is Saturday, December 13. There are no conditions to receive toys. Families simply need to show proof of residency in Nobles County, and the person registering must pick up the toys in person on distribution day. A confirmation letter with full instructions will be sent approximately 10 days before distribution. Find additional information at Nobles County Toys for Tots on Facebook.

<https://adrian-mn.toysfortots.org/local-coordinator-sites/lco-sites/local-toy-request-single-form.aspx?nPreviewInd=0&redirectInd=11>

Wilmont Exercise Group
Mondays & Wednesdays—9 am
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Welcome to join in!

Coffee in Lismore
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Sunday starting at 6 am

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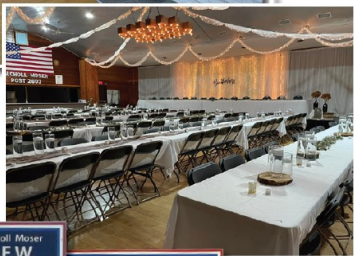
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