



December 2021 Newsletter



Our monthly newsletter includes updates from the Board, recognizes renewing and new members, shares upcoming events, photo gallery and more.

Business Over Breakfast

Guest Speakers: Mark Roisen & Kelly Van Klompenburg

When: Tuesday, December 14, 2021

Gathering Time: 7:30 a.m. Program at 8 a.m.

Where: Pioneer PBS conference room

RSVPs appreciated. 320-321-3202 Walk-ins Welcome
granitefallschamberofcommerce@gmail.com



GRANITE FALLS
LIVING AT HOME
BLOCK NURSE PROGRAM

Mid-Winter Celebration



Tim Harmston started doing comedy in 2002 at the Mall of America, easily one of the most impressive malls in the Upper Midwest. In 2003, Tim won Acme Comedy Company's Funniest Person in the Twin Cities competition, something he will be sure to tell people when he's an old man in a bar. Tim has worked in some of the best

clubs and theaters from Los Angeles to New York City. He has made TV appearances on Late Show with David Letterman, Comedy Central, and NBC's Last Comic Standing. Tim's comedy has been described as "absurd," "sharp," "hilarious," and "other."

Saturday, January 29, 2022

Ole & Lena Hot Havana Nights!

Mid-Winter Celebration presents a night of fun!

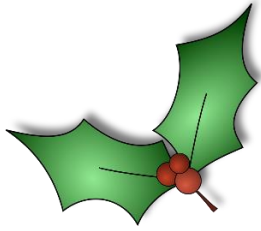
Featuring stand-up comedian Tim Harmston!!

Silent Auction and Dinner

The Rock: Dining & Event- 1940 11th Avenue,
Granite Falls



Limited Tickets on sale! Call 320-321-3202
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Ole and Lena Days

Celebrate the region's Norwegian heritage and shake off the winter blues with a fun-filled, week-long celebration featuring some favorite annual events. The week kicks off with the Chamber's Midwinter Celebration and hunt for the Ole and Lena medallions. Learn to make lefse, join the local Kiwanis Club for a pancake breakfast and check out the craft and vendor show. Finish the week off by finding a partner to compete in the Buck Euchre tournament put on by the Granite Falls Lions and the culminating event, the Fireman's Dance which always proves to be a great time. It is a time-honored tradition and fun for all ages. Look for flyers with more information in January. You can also contact the YME Community Ed. Office at 320-564-4081, ext. 111 for more information.

If you would like to volunteer with planning, entertainment, silent auction, and/or decorating for the Chamber's Mid-Winter Celebration on Saturday, January 29, 2022. Contact 320-321-3202, or granitefallschamberofcommerce@gmail.com

Upcoming Member Events:

December

- 4th- **Homemade Christmas Craft Sale**- American Legion 8 am-2pm.
4th- **Cowboy Christmas**- Lee Mar Ranch 1-5 pm.
5th- **Dad's Belgium Waffle Feed**- YME Cafeteria- 9 am-1pm.
11th- **Christmas Family Event**- "The Grinch"- Granite Falls Library 1 pm.
14th-**Business Over Breakfast**- Living at Home: Block Nurse program
17th- **Hometown Christmas**- American Legion- starts at 4 pm- 1 am.
17,18 & 19-**Shop with the Elves**- Taste in Time- by appointment
19th- **Santa & his Reindeer**- Volstead House- 1- 3:30pm.
21st- **Winter Solace Celebration**-4-8pm.
24th- **Christmas Eve**
25th- **Christmas Day**



January

- 3rd- **Community Health Challenge begins**- Kilowatt Community Center
11th- **Business Over Breakfast**- Local iQ
17th- **Birthday of Martin Luther King Jr.**
29th- **Ole & Lena Hot Havanna Nights**- Chamber Annual Mid-Winter Celebration



February

- First week- **Ole & Lena Days Event**- more information next month
5th- **Firemen's Dance**- Prairie's Edge Casino
8th- **Business Over Breakfast**- MVTV Wireless Broadband Internet
10th- **Business After Hours**- The Rock: Dining & Event

't'is the season

LIGHT UP GRANITE FALLS!



**ANNUAL CONTEST FOR
BUSINESSES:
TWO TRAVELING TROPHIES
WILL BE AWARDED.
JUDGING BEGINS
DECEMBER 13
VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE
DISPLAY**

**Be part of the Contest! Vote for your favorite on
facebook.com/granitefallsareachamberofcommerce**

Winners announced on December 23



Celebrate Community!

All day. From 4-8 pm. there will be bonfires, store specials, and treats.



Find it here.

Buy it here.

Keep us here.

Thank you to each and every one who supports Granite Falls businesses. Your choices make a real difference for your neighbors, communities, and local economy.



*Granite
Falls
Dining*

Treat yourself this holiday season !
Gift certificates from our local restaurants make great
stocking stuffers.

Bluenose Gopher Public House

Carl's Bakery

Dairy Queen

Falls Cafe

Granite Bowl

Granite Falls American Legion

Granite Grinder and Gfits

Granite Run Golf Course

Hardees

Prairies Edge Casino Resort

Subway

Taste in Time

The Rock

Tolley's Bar and Grill

visit our website www.visitgranitefalls.com

Granite Falls Convention and Visitor's Bureau

**MORE THAN
YOU IMAGINE**

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**Granite Falls T-shirts for sale
at the Chamber office Mon-Fri
10 am- 2pm.**

Or at Thrifty White Drug

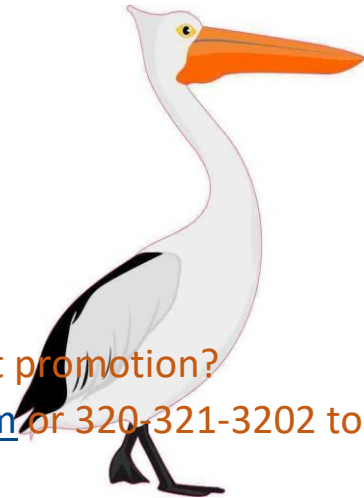
**They make great Christmas
gifts!**



Coming This Spring!

Pelican Feet Promotion

Interested in advertising for our Pelican Feet promotion?
granitefallschamberofcommerce@gmail.com or 320-321-3202 to
reserve your spot.



SAVE THE DATE



Great White

MOLLY HATCHET

Granite Falls Firemen's Dance
Sponsored by Prairie's Edge Casino Resort
February 5, 2022
Doors: 7:00 pm
Molly Hatchet: 8:00 pm | Great White: 10:00 pm



Granite Falls Chamber of
Commerce is looking for Board members for 2022!



A Big Thank You

Thank you for your support over the past 12 months. We value your annual membership to the Granite Falls Area Chamber of Commerce.

Your involvement is extremely important to us and very much appreciated!

Photo Gallery



Kevin TeBeest (Owner), Carmen Haugen, Nancy Beasley (Chamber Treasurer), and Jennifer Gray.

Congratulations!

Flowers From The Heart
Granite Falls location
First Dollar Award

NOVEMBER BUSINESS OVER



BREAKFAST

Carmen Haugen, our guest speaker, informed us of all the new and exciting things happening at the new floral & gift store, *Flowers From the Heart*, Granite Falls location.

Thank you, Carmen, Jennifer, Judy & Kevin TeBeest.



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