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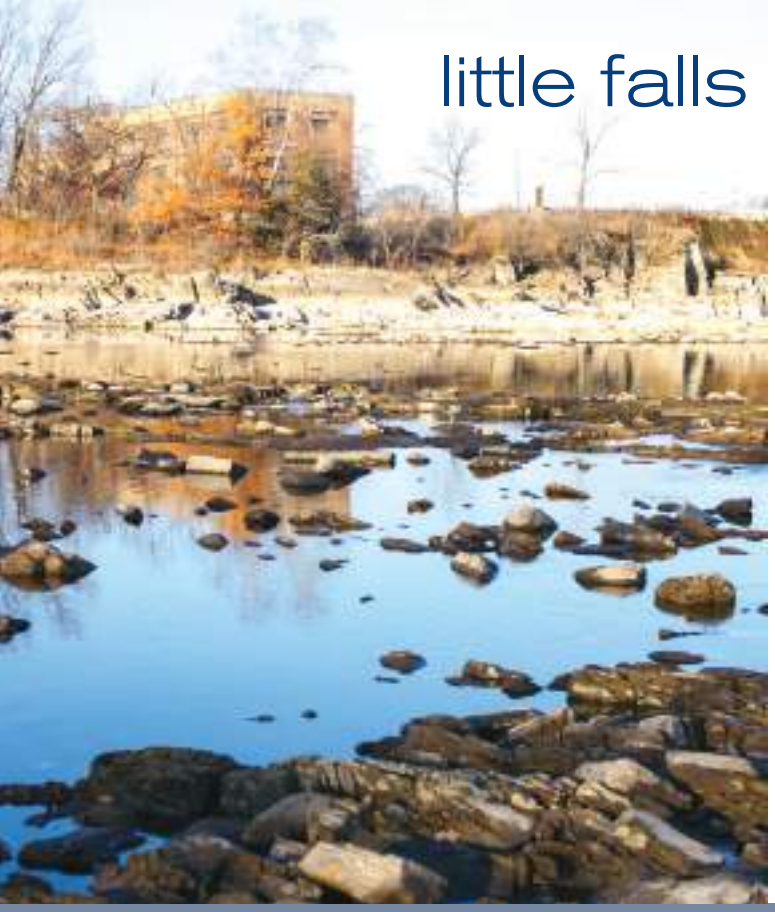

little falls **WELCOMES YOU**

Little Falls is in Morrison County, Minnesota, United States, near the geographic center of the state. Established in 1848, Little Falls is one of the oldest cities in Minnesota and is the childhood home of Charles A. Lindbergh. The town was named after falls that were located on the Mississippi River, which travels through town. Little Falls provides many great opportunities to get outside, such as camping, riding, hiking, paddling, hunting, fishing, and viewing nature and wildlife.

Government Offices

CITY OF LITTLE FALLS:
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MORRISON COUNTY GOVERNMENT CENTER:
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Emergency

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mansions, **MUSEUMS & MORE**

Mississippi River Dam (Downtown Little Falls) ▪ **Senator Gordon Rosenmeier Home Tour** ▪ **Linden Hill Historic Homes Tour** (Weyerhaeuser & Musser Homes) ▪ **Charles A. Lindbergh Historic Site** with Tour of Boyhood Home ▪ **Great River Arts Center** ▪ **Minnesota Military Museum** (at Camp Ripley) **Pine Grove Zoo & Pine Grove Park** ▪ **Charles A. Weyerhaeuser Museum** ▪ **Charles A. Lindbergh State Park** ▪ **Little Falls Historic Downtown District Tour** ▪ **MN Fishing Museum & Hall of Fame**

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a word from THE DIRECTOR

Little Falls was established on the Mississippi River in 1848. The dam was built in 1890 and provided a source of power for several lumber, flour and paper mills along the river.

Retail merchants sold everything, including axes, zippers, bicycles and other household goods. The largest retail establishment in the late 19th century was Burton's Clothing and Shoe, founded by Barney Burton who arrived in Little Falls in 1886.

If you visit modern Little Falls, the historical walking and driving tours and Hidden Historic Downtown Basement Tours are fabulous ways to "step back in time." Historic videos can be viewed at www.littlefallsmn.com under the "videos and podcasts" section.

The town has been home to many powerful and important people, such as aviator Charles A. Lindbergh, lumbermen Charles A. Weyerhaeuser and Drew Musser, actress Jessica Lange, 2012 Nobel Prize winner in Chemistry Brian Kobilka, former Minnesota Senator Gordon Rosenmeier, professional football player Gale Gillingham, and other sports legends.

Historical sites to visit are the Linden Hill Mansions (1898), the Burton-Rosenmeier Home (1903), the Cass Gilbert Train Depot (1899), and the St. Francis Convent (1892). A visit to each of these sites gives the expression 'step back in time' new meaning!

The town has many modern luxuries such as a beautiful Bed and Breakfast, retro dining at A.T. The Black & White restaurant, or the local bakery Pete and Joy's, which has authentic Polish pottery.

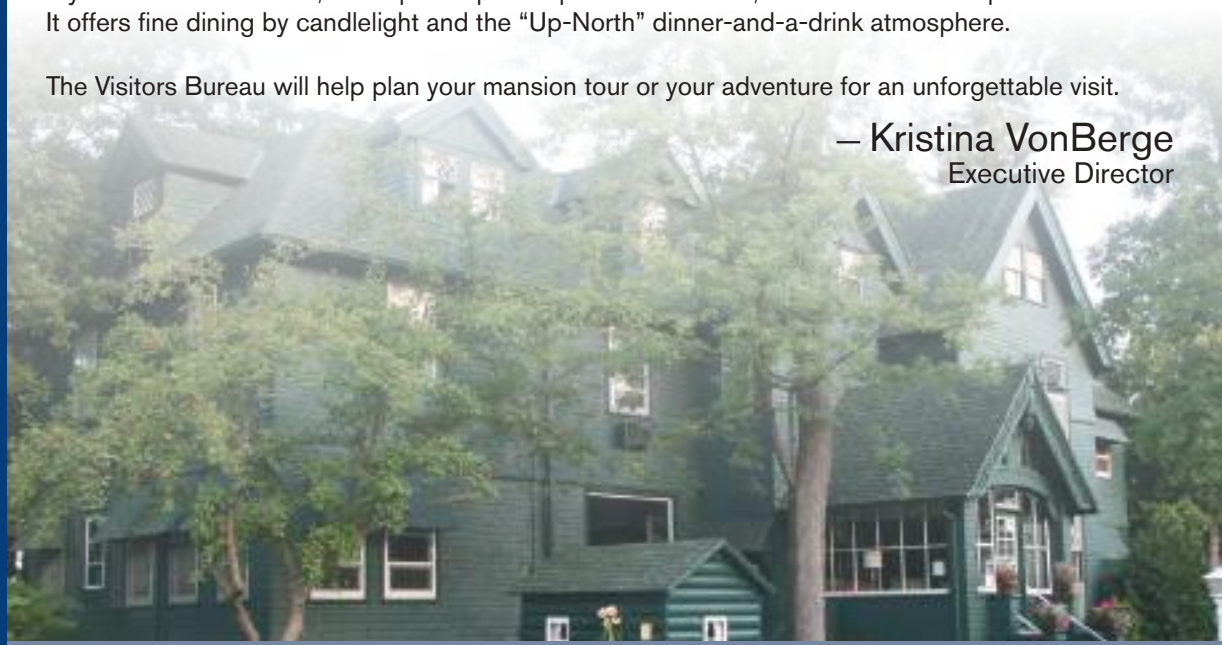
Little Falls is home to the Charles A. Lindbergh Interactive Museum and childhood home alongside the State Park located on the Mississippi River, and just down the road is Charles A. Weyerhaeuser Museum, which is also home to the Morrison County Historical Society. Also located in Little Falls are the Minnesota Fishing Museum and Hall of Fame and the Pine Grove Zoo, which has been in existence for more than 100 years!

Just five miles north is Camp Ripley, the second largest Army National Guard post in the United States and home to the Minnesota Military Museum. Artifacts dating back to the Civil War can be found here, along with many indoor and outdoor exhibits.

If you are headed north, don't pass up a stop at Cabin Fever, our recommended place for dinner. It offers fine dining by candlelight and the "Up-North" dinner-and-a-drink atmosphere.

The Visitors Bureau will help plan your mansion tour or your adventure for an unforgettable visit.

– Kristina VonBerge
Executive Director



FACTS: Little Falls, MN, is located in Morrison County, approximately 100 miles northwest of Minneapolis/St. Paul, in central Minnesota, at the junctions of Highways 10, 27 and 371.
MORRISON COUNTY: POPULATION: approx. 16,000 • **LITTLE FALLS:** POPULATION approx. 8,500

what's **INSIDE**

FOOD
& DINING

LODGING

CRAFT
BREWERY

things to **SEE & DO**

PINE GROVE
ZOO

HISTORICAL
PLACES

MUSEUMS

SPORTS &
RECREATION

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FOOD/DINING

Locally owned and operated, **A.T. The Black & White** opened for business over 88 years ago. Of course, the former burger shop and converted hardware store has changed its face significantly over the years. In historic downtown Little Falls the owners Tomas and Amanda Zimmerman created an excellent dining experience.

The Zimmerman's have shared, for over 13 years, a unique dining atmosphere for casual dining and an elegant formal setting to the locals and to visitors.

A.T. The Black & White was built in 1931 and called, "The Black and White Hamburger Shop," as a White Castle style diner.

The knowledgeable and friendly serving staff are here to assist and offer you wine suggestions with your menu choice.

"We are a family-owned restaurant that serves families the freshest food available in the area with great service. We change our menu seasonally to serve the freshest produce."

Tomas met his wife Amanda, who is a Little Falls High School graduate; while attending Le Cordon Bleu in Minneapolis. They graduated Le Cordon Bleu in 2002, married in 2004, and purchased the restaurant in 2006.

Tourists can't talk enough about the great experience: retro and fantastic food. You want to take a picture of your food and share on social media.

Tomas and Amanda also have a young son who, Tomas joked, isn't quite ready to be put on the payroll in the family business.

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320.632.2991

Taco John's
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We are excited to debut our new premier North American River Otter Exhibit in 2019! With this unique glass tunnel for kids and adults alike to crawl through, each guest will have an opportunity to get an up-close-and-personal experience with these busy, rambunctious River Otters. The large glass windows provide a perfect view for everyone to take time to enjoy these fun, lively mammals. This one-of-a-kind exhibit is unique to the Midwest and United States.

We invite you to stroll along our paved paths to encounter a variety of exotic as well as native wildlife at home in the spacious, natural habitats. Our Zebras and Emus enjoy watching visitors as they arrive at the Zoo and our Red Kangaroos enjoy their vast surroundings in their Australian Exhibit. Our Bobcats love basking in the sun and our Siberian Tigers enjoy entertaining visitors as they walk past. Our Cougar, our rock star of operant training, is truly a beauty with her mesmerizing stare.

Our wolves both Arctic and Gray, continue to fascinate and captivate everyone who passes by. Visitors are always amazed at the beauty of our North American Exhibit as they observe the immense size of the Bison and the gracefulness of our Elk. Our Prairie Dogs are always a favorite for young and old to watch as they are active in the warmth of the day. To enhance your Zoo visit, our interactive petting stable inspires visitors to recapture the simple wonders of these gentle animals. We encourage our visitors to Explore, Encounter and Rediscover the Wonders of the Wild at Pine Grove Zoo.

2019 HOURS

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Friday, March 8, 2019: 7:00 – 10:30pm
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Spring Clean-up at Pine Grove Zoo
Saturday, April 13th: 9:00am – 12:00pm
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Memorial Day – Labor Day: 11:30am
Daily Keeper demonstrations or presentations.

Junior Zoo Keeper Camp (For ages 8-11)
Saturday, June 22, 2019: 9:00am – 2:00pm
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Adult Zoo Keeper Experience (Ages 18+)
Saturday, July 20, 2019: 7:30am - 1:00pm
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Zoo Keeper Apprentice Camp (For Ages 12-16)
Saturday, August 17, 2019: 9:00 – 2:00pm
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Breakfast with the Animals
Saturday, September 14, 2019: 8:00 – 11:00am
For Members, Volunteers and Adopt an Animal Parents ONLY.

6th Annual ZooFest
Saturday, October 5, 2019: 11:00am – 3:00pm
Family fun day at Pine Grove Zoo!

Fall Clean-up at Pine Grove Zoo
Saturday, October 19, 2019 9:00am – 12:00pm
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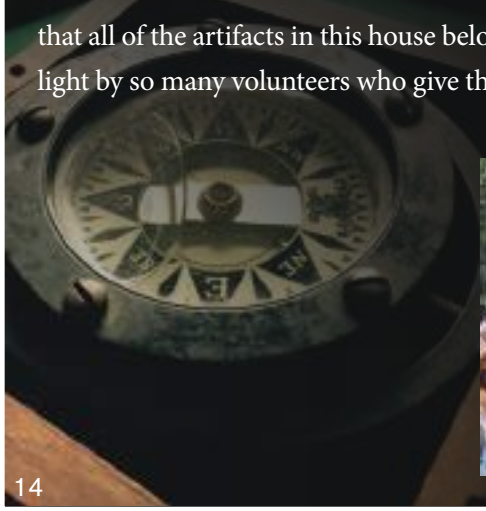
Linden Hill Historic Estate, the Weyerhaeuser and Musser homes, are often called the 'Mansions of Morrison County'. Charles A. Weyerhaeuser and Richard "Drew" Musser, the 'Pine Tree Bachelors', came to Little Falls in 1891 to manage the Pine Tree Lumber Company created by their fathers Frederick Weyerhaeuser and Peter Musser. Linden Hill Historic Estate is situated on nine acres of lawn and gardens overlooking the Mississippi River, and is filled with native trees that played such an important part of the local area and Minnesota's history. The homes were designed by Minnesota architect Clarence H. Johnston (the same person who designed the Glensheen mansion up in Duluth) and were built in 1898. The permanent collection of Musser artifacts is showcased in the Linden Hill Museum. One of the things that makes Linden Hill such a unique house museum is that all of the artifacts in this house belonged to the family between 1890-1989. Linden Hill has a rich and vivid past, brought to light by so many volunteers who give their time and talent to research and preserve its history. Come, take a step back in time.



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First Baptist Church 400 E. Broadway | 320.632.9523

Faith Lutheran Church 303 18th Street S.E. | 320.414.0533

First Lutheran Church (ELCA) 2100 Riverview Drive | 320.632.6667

First United Church UCC/UMC 1000 SE 1st Street | 320.632.5468

Grace Covenant Church 17117 Riverwood Drive | 320.632.3629

Jehovah's Witnesses Kingdom Hall 14827 Prairie Drive | 320.632.3579

Little Falls Alliance Church 903 13th Ave NE | 320.632.3047

Living Hope Assembly of God 17389 Haven Road | 320.632.4365

Riverside Bible Church 609 13th Ave SE | 320.414.0323

Rock Family Worship Center 11881 Edgar Drive | 320.632.2100

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cross **ROCKS**

The legend of "fairy crosses" has come down through history from the first meeting of John Smith and Pocahontas, and it states that the Indian Princess gave John Smith a good luck charm necklace made out of a "fairy cross". It's also known that President Theodore Roosevelt carried an amulet made from a "fairy cross". The Staurolites, better known as "fairy stones" are found at Blanchard Dam. Take Hilton Road (approximately 8.6 miles) to 68th Street (take path at the dead end road). These "Fairy" or "Lucky" stones are twinned staurolite crystals simulating the Roman, Maltese and St. Andrew's crosses. They are as much as an inch in length and are of dark brown color.

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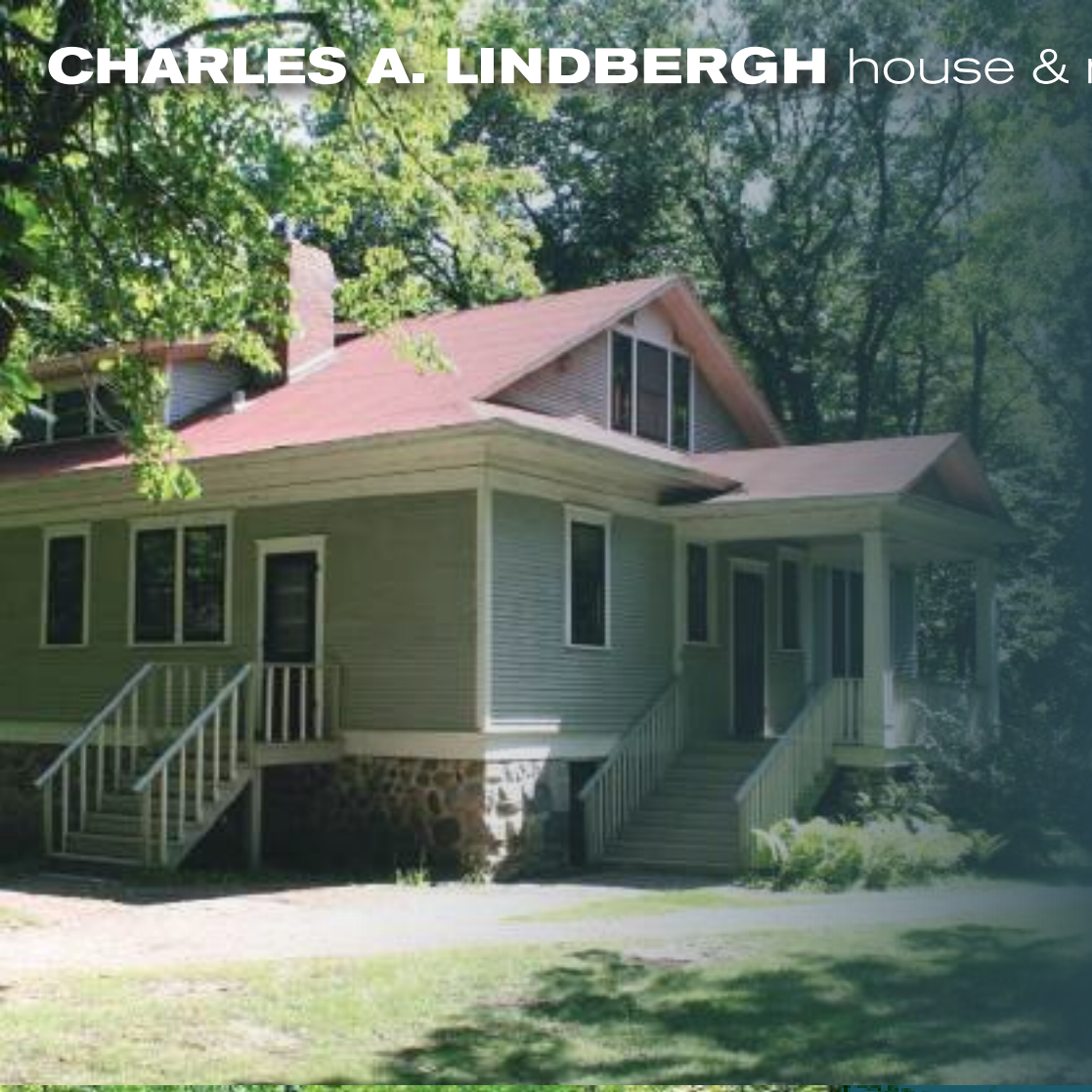
CHARLES A. LINDBERGH house & museum



Take a guided tour of the childhood home of Charles A. Lindbergh—the aviation pioneer, environmental activist, and inventor who changed history with his nonstop transatlantic flight in 1927.

Explore how ambition, fame, and life on the Mississippi River shaped Lindbergh's complex character and legacy.

Museum exhibits, historic flight footage, and a documentary film provide an in-depth look at a true Minnesota original. Special events throughout the year bring alive Lindbergh's life and times.

Visit mnhs.org for site hours and a calendar of events.

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LIBRARY HOURS

The Carnegie Library opened to the Public in February 1905. In 1986 it became a part of the Great River Regional Library system and was renovated in 1999 with a new addition, but the original design of this building is still intact. View the Musser family artifacts. Open year around, hours may vary.

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National Register of Historic Places

Waller House
“Century Home”

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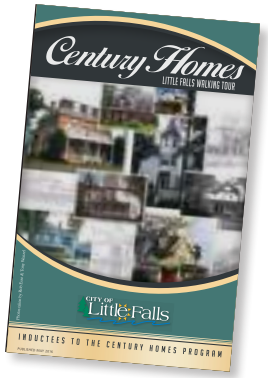

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history of MORRISON COUNTY

The entire area of Morrison County was included in the 1803 Louisiana Purchase from the French Government.

The County is named after William & Allen Morrison, fur traders. Allen was born in Montreal, June 3, 1803, and served as a representative to the territorial government in 1850.

Morrison County was organized in 1856. It originally included the area east of the Mississippi; the area west of the river was added to the County in stages between 1864 & 1867.

The first courthouse was approved for construction in 1856 at a cost of $8,000 and was not finished for 13 years. What is now called the historic courthouse was built in 1891, at a cost of between $55,000-$65,000. Wiring the building for electricity cost an extra $300.

The Franciscan Sisters opened their first convent & school in Morrison County in Belle Prairie in the early 1870's under the leadership of Mother Mary Ignatius of Jesus. After the convent burned down in 1889, the Franciscan Sisters moved to Little Falls and opened a convent there in 1891; 1892 saw the opening of St. Gabriel's Hospital with 2 doctors.

MORRISON COUNTY COURTHOUSE

In 1856, when Morrison County was established and organized, the county issued $8,000 in bonds to build a courthouse. By 1860, only one room could be used. Not until 1869, when bonds were called back and reissued, was the frame building completed. Open year round, regular business hours.

1978, National Register of Historic Places

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An esker is a landform made of sand and gravel deposited by a meltwater stream that flowed beneath a glacier.

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The Ripley esker was formed beneath a tongue-shaped lobe of ice called the Superior lobe, which flowed into this area from the northeast about 20,000 to 15,000 years ago.

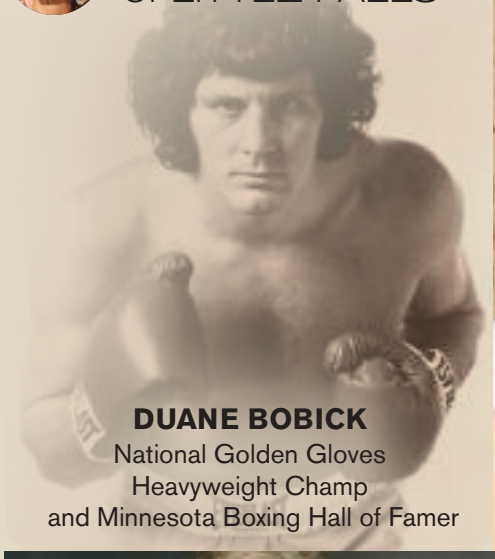
MORRISON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

1 mile north of Hwy. 27 on County Road 43

In 1913 the Morrison County Agricultural Society at Little Falls bought 14 acres in SE Little Falls (what is now known as the Courtyard Apartments) and started building a fairgrounds. The fairgrounds were located there for the next seventy-eight years. 1991 was the last year a fair was held on those grounds.

In 1992, the Morrison County Agricultural Society purchased the land NE of Little Falls on County Road #43 or what is now called Hawthorn Road. The new fairgrounds was very sandy with no buildings, paved roads or grass. In 1993, the process of slowly building the fairgrounds with grass, paved walkways, a grandstand and various buildings began. This building process is still going on today.

FAMOUS FACES of LITTLE FALLS



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Heavyweight Champ
and Minnesota Boxing Hall of Famer

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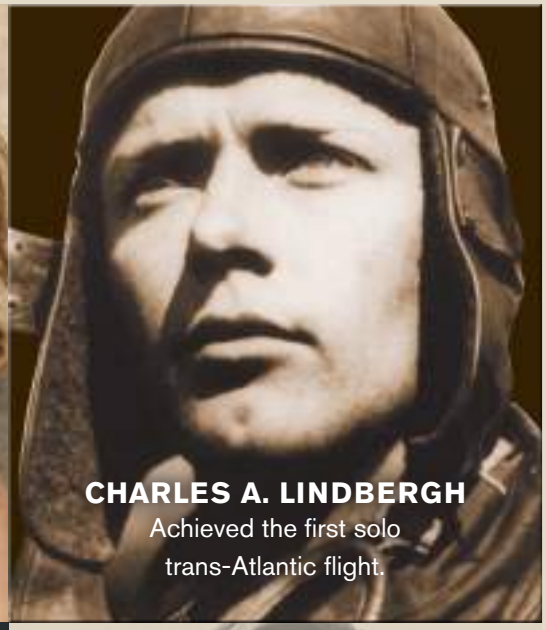
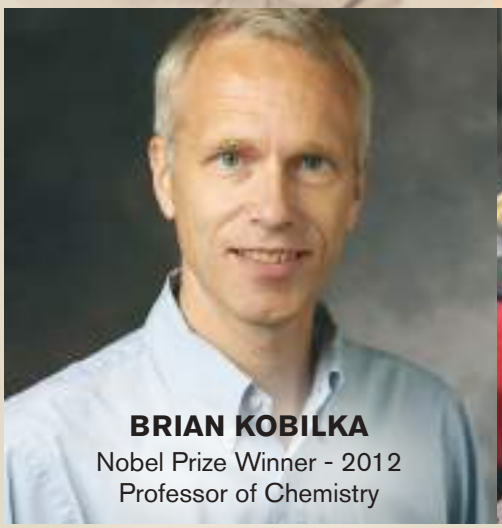
1960s resident.

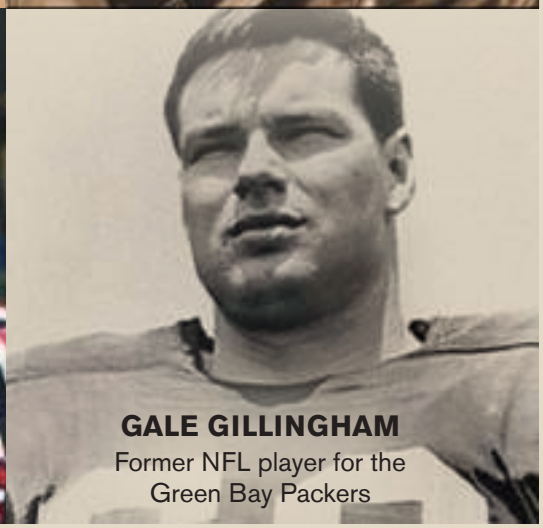


CHARLES A. LINDBERGH
Achieved the first solo
trans-Atlantic flight.



BRIAN KOBILKA
Nobel Prize Winner - 2012
Professor of Chemistry

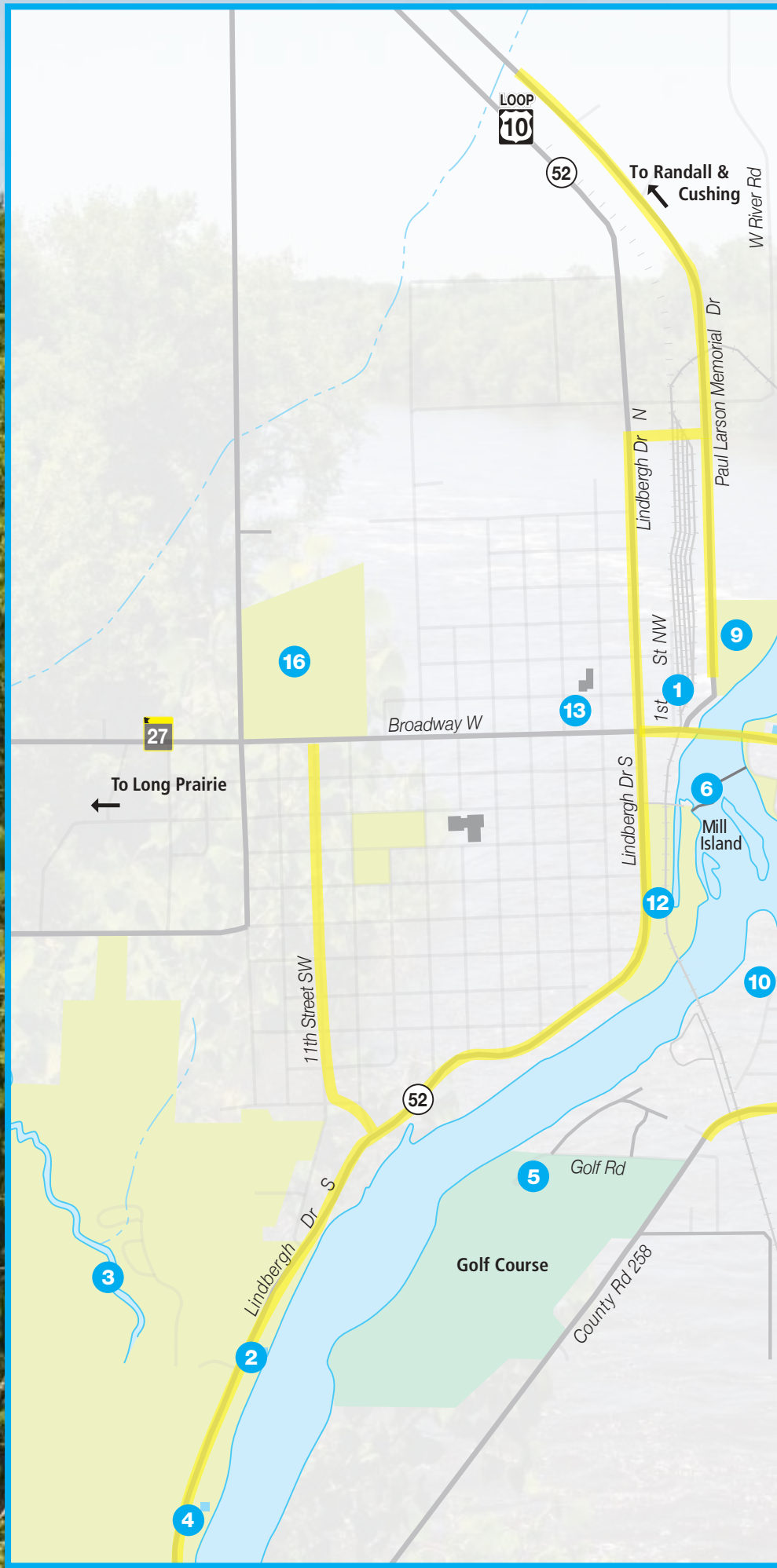
BEN HANOWSKI
Right Wing - 2013 Calgary Flames



GALE GILLINGHAM
Former NFL player for the
Green Bay Packers

MAP

1. Cass Gilbert Train Depot
2. Charles Lindbergh House & Museum
3. Charles Lindbergh State Park
4. Charles Weyerhaeuser Museum
5. City of Little Falls Country Club
6. Dam
7. Great River Arts
8. Historic Courthouse
9. LeBourget Park
10. Linden Hill Historic Mansions
11. Maple Island Park
12. Mill Park
13. Minnesota Fishing Museum & Hall of Fame
14. Minnesota Military Museum
15. Morrison County Fairgrounds
16. Pine Grove Zoo & Park
17. Rosenmeier House & Visitor Center
18. St. Francis Convent & Campus
19. St. Gabriel's Hospital



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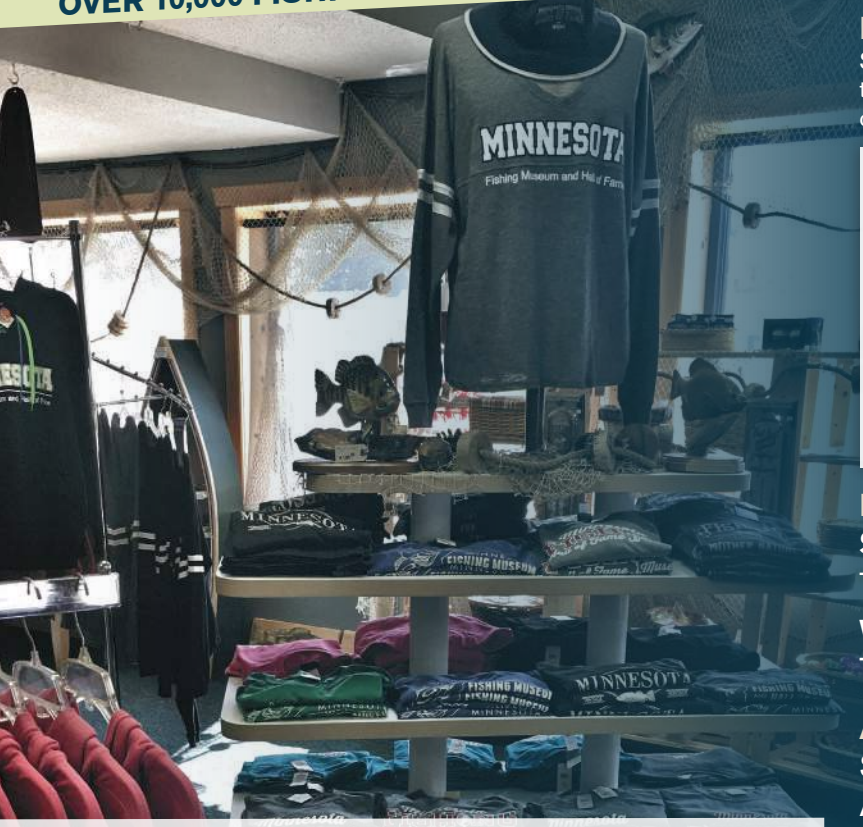

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WINTER: October 16 through May 14
Tuesday – Saturday: 10am to 5pm

ADMISSION:

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MUSEUM MEMBERSHIPS:

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EVENTS:

March 2, 2019: Little Falls Decoy Show ▪ Falls Ballroom
March 22, 2019: MInnesota Fishing Hall of Fame Induction ▪ Millennium Hotel, Mpls
April 6, 2019: Antique Outboard Motor Club Swap Meet ▪ MN Fishing Museum & Hall of Fame
April 12, 2019: Night with the Fishing Pros Fundraiser ▪ Falls Ballroom
May 11, 2019: Governor's Fishing Opener
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SEE BACK COVER FOR MORE INFORMATION

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FEATURES:

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Charles A. Lindbergh State Park* Lindbergh Dr S			•	•	•		•	•		•	•	•	•	•			
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Lindbergh Lions Rec Area 9th Street SW & 2nd Avenue SW	•				•						•	•		•	•	•	
Lions Park* 4th St SE & 9th Ave SE							•	•	•		•	•	•	•			
Little Falls Area Recreation Complex 14873 Prarie Dr, Little Falls MN 56345												•	•				
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Memorial Park E Broadway & Front St						•											
Mill Park Lindbergh Drive & 5th Avenue SW					•					•							
North Pine Grove Park West Broadway and 13th Street NW	•	•								•	•		•	•			
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Pine Tree Park 4th St NE & 7th Ave NE	•	•									•	•			•		
Riverside Park 1st St NE & 8th Ave NE											•						
Veterans Memorial Park East Broadway and Mississippi River						•											
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* These parks offer shelter buildings available to rent for reunions & parties. For information on Pine Grove & Maple Island Park call (320) 616-5500. For information on Charles A. Lindbergh State Park's shelter call (320) 616-2525. For information on the Lions Park call (320) 632-3330.

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2nd - 3rd
Figure Skating Show
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7th
Open Mic Night
6pm-9pm ▪ Great River Arts ▪ greatart.org

8th
Pine Grove Zoo Gone Wild Fundraiser
Dueling Pianos ▪ www.pinegrovezoo.com

Mardi Gras Fundraiser
5:30pm-11pm at the Falls Ballroom
507-230-1718 ▪ sacreddovehaven@gmail.com

9th-10th
Girls Night at the Mansion
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608 Highland Ave.
www.linden-hill.org ▪ info@linden-hill.org

23rd
Sprout Growers & Makers Marketplace
10am - 3pm ▪ 609 13th Ave NE Door 8

Painting with Wine with Anita Hendrickx
9am-12pm ▪ Great River Arts ▪ greatart.org

26th
Kinship's Annual Fundraiser
"The Soup & Chili Cook-off"
Falls Ballroom 5-7pm ▪ www.kinshipofmc.org

30th
Seeds of Kindness Luncheon
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13th
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18th
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20th
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27th
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MAY

2nd
Open Mic Night
6pm-9pm ▪ Great River Arts ▪ greatart.org

4th
Military Museum: Curator's Corner
Learn about the museum's most unique acquisitions
11am-12noon ▪ Camp Ripley

4th - 5th
27th Annual Field Days ▪ Swap Meet & Auction
by the Greater Minnesota Two-Cylinder Club
Gates open at 7am ▪ Morrison County Fairgrounds
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10th
14 Fridays Concert
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11th
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$30, 3pm

12th
Mother's Day Brunch
Falls Ballroom ▪ Fallsballroom.com

18th
Rock 'n Run
Belle Prairie ▪ 8am-noon

21st
Plant Sale: Linden Hill
8am - Noon ▪ 608 Highland Avenue
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25th
Military Museum: Tanks Up-close (outdoors)
Hear of their importance & about first-hand heroics
1pm - 3pm ▪ Camp Ripley

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JUNE

1st
Families on the WW1 Home Front
10am-5pm ▪ Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

Military Museum: Curator's Corner
Learn about the museum's most unique acquisitions
11am-12noon ▪ Camp Ripley

2nd
Dollar Day at Charles Lindbergh House & Museum
Noon-5pm ▪ $1/free MNHA members and ages under 4

6th
Cone Zone Thursday
www.littlefallsmn.com ▪ 320-616-4959

Pierz Rock, Roll & Stroll
Car Show and much more
5pm-8pm ▪ Pierz, MN

Open Mic Night
6pm-9pm ▪ Great River Arts ▪ greatart.org

8th
Military Museum: Remembering D-day
Hear Minnesota accounts, used book sale
11am-3pm ▪ Camp Ripley

9th
Lindbergh's Complex Legacy
Presentation & Discussion
1:30pm-2:30pm ▪ Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

13th
Cone Zone Thursday
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14th - 15th
Little Falls Dam Festival
11:00 Parade Downtown Little Falls
12:00 Inflatables and Kids games at Maple Island Park
Shows, Caricatures, bingo, Beer garden
Live band (evening) ▪ 10:00 PM Fireworks

15th
Families on the WW1 Home Front
10am-5pm ▪ Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

THERE'S MORE! →

JUNE

20th
Cone Zone Thursdays
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An Evening in Black & White
Beer & Wine tasting dinner event
Linden Hill Historical Event Center
608 Highland Ave. ▪ www.linden-hill.org

21st
Drive "fore" Cancer
Eagles Landing ▪ (320) 632-1018

22nd
Military Museum: Helicopters Up-close (outdoors)
Learn of their importance & hear of first-hand heroics
1pm-3pm ▪ Camp Ripley

Pine Grove Zoo: Junior Zoo Keeper Camp
For ages 8-11 ▪ www.pinegrovezoo.com

23rd
Lindbergh's Complex Legacy
Presentation & Discussion
1:30pm-2:30pm
Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

27th
Chalk the Walk
Great River Arts ▪ greatart.org

Rock the Park 10
Great River Arts ▪ greatart.org

29th
Military Museum:
General Vessey Day in MN
View Vessey items from the museum's collection
11am-3pm ▪ Camp Ripley

JULY

1st - 3rd
Military Museum: Gettysburg Revisited
Interactive opportunities ▪ Books, movies & art
11am-3pm

4th
Pine Grove Zoo - 4th of July Enrichment Event
1:30 - 3:00 pm ▪ 1200 W Broadway

Randall Parade and Fireworks
Randall, MN

Open Mic Night
6pm-9pm ▪ Great River Arts ▪ greatart.org

6th
Families on the WW1 Home Front
10am-5pm ▪ Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

Military Museum: Curator's Corner
Learn about the museum's most unique acquisitions
11am-12noon ▪ Camp Ripley

7th
Bowlus Fun Days
Parade, music, food, and fireworks ▪ 320-292-7004

9th
Garden Tour: Linden Hill
3pm—8pm ▪ 608 Highland Ave. ▪ www.linden-hill.org

11th
Cone Zone Thursday
www.littlefallsmn.com ▪ 320-616-4959

13th
Pierz Freedom Fest
Headliner: Nitty Gritty Dirt Band
pierzfreedomfest.com ▪ 12879 Highway 25 Pierz, MN

14th
Lindbergh's Complex Legacy: Presentation & Discussion
1:30pm-2:30pm ▪ Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

16th
LogJam3
Free ▪ 6pm-8pm ▪ Linden Hill Historical Event Center
608 Highland Ave. ▪ www.linden-hill.org ▪ info@linden-hill.org

18th
Cone Zone Thursdays
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20th
Military Museum: Tanks Up-close (outdoors)
Learn of their importance & hear of first-hand heroics
1pm-3pm ▪ Camp Ripley

Pine Grove Zoo: Adult Zoo Keeper Experience
For ages 18+ ▪ www.pinegrovezoo.com

Families on the WW1 Home Front
10am-5pm ▪ Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

24th
National Art Group: Relay of Voices
320-267-7636

25th
Cone Zone Thursday
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26th
Summer Harvest Dinner
A multi-course meal featuring local growers
Sprout: 609 13th Ave NE Door 8 ▪ SproutMN.com

28th
Lindbergh's Complex Legacy: Presentation & Discussion
1:30pm-2:30pm ▪ Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

AUGUST

1st
Cone Zone Thursdays
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Raise the Roof Pig Roast and Dance
5:30pm—9pm
Linden Hill Historic Event Center ▪ 608 Highland Ave.
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Pierz Rock, Roll & Stroll
5pm-8pm ▪ Car Show and much more ▪ Pierz, MN

Open Mic Night
6pm-9pm ▪ Great River Arts ▪ greatart.org

3rd
Families on the WW1 Home Front
10am-5pm ▪ Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

Military Museum: Curator's Corner
Learn about the museum's most unique acquisitions
11am-12noon ▪ Camp Ripley

7th
The Green Fair Folk Festival
4-8 p.m. ▪ West lawn at St. Francis Convent
Franciscan Sisters of Little Falls

8th
Cone Zone Thursdays
www.littlefallsmn.com ▪ 320-616-4959

8th - 10th
Morrison County Fair
morrisonfair.com

11th
Lindbergh's Complex Legacy
Presentation & Discussion
1:30pm-2:30pm ▪ Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

15th
Cone Zone Thursdays
www.littlefallsmn.com ▪ 320-616-4959

17th
Pine Grove Zoo:
Zoo Keeper Apprentice Camp
For ages 12-16 ▪ www.pinegrovezoo.com

Families on the WW1 Home Front
10am-5pm
Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

Military Museum:
Helicopters Up-close (outdoors)
Learn of their importance & hear of first-hand heroics
1pm-3pm ▪ Camp Ripley

21st
Cooking Class
5:30pm-8:30pm ▪ Sprout: 609 13th Ave NE Door 8
SproutMN.com

22nd
Cone Zone Thursdays
www.littlefallsmn.com ▪ 320-616-4959

23rd
Wacky Hacker
Golf Tournament
Horizon Health ▪ 320-468-6451

24th
5k Run for Hospice
Horizon Health ▪ 320-468-6451

Pierz Oktoberfest Weekend
603 Park Ave SE ▪ Pierz, MN

25th
Lindbergh's Complex Legacy
Presentation & Discussion
1:30pm-2:30pm
Charles Lindbergh House & Museum

29th
Cone Zone Thursdays
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SEPTEMBER

5th
Cone Zone Thursday
www.littlefallsmn.com ▪ 320-616-4959

Open Mic Night
6pm-9pm ▪ Great River Arts
greatart.org

7th
Military Museum: Curator's Corner
Learn about the museum's most unique acquisitions
11am-12noon ▪ Camp Ripley

7th & 8th
Little Falls Arts & Craft Fair
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15th
Camp Ripley Open House
10am-2pm ▪ 320-616-2714

28th
Cheers to Morrison County
The hanger at Camp Ripley
3pm-6pm ▪ cheerstomc.com

OCTOBER

3rd
Open Mic Night
6pm-9pm ▪ Great River Arts ▪ greatart.org

Kiwanis Trivia Night
7pm-9pm ▪ 320-616-4959

5th
6th Annual Zoo Fest ▪ Family Fun Day
Pine Grove Zoo ▪ pinegrovezoo.com

10th
Harvest Ball
Horizon Health ▪ 320-468-6451

17th
Retirement Breakfast
9:00-11:30am ▪ Camp Ripley: 15000 MN Hwy 115
Benefit presentation & Networking opportunities

25th
EEI's Annual Fun Night Out
www.eeimn.org

26th
Sprout Growers & Makers Marketplace
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NOVEMBER

7th
Open Mic Night
6pm-9pm ▪ Great River Arts ▪ greatart.org

16th
Sprout Growers & Makers Marketplace
10am-3pm
609 13th Ave NE Door 8, Little Falls

22nd & 23rd
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29th
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DECEMBER

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7th
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9am-3pm
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14th
Sprout Growers & Makers Marketplace
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city of **PIERZ**

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3. Read a book at the Pierz Library
4. Attend one of our many community events
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PIERZ FREEDOMFEST - SATURDAY, JULY 13TH
CRAZY DAY - AUGUST 10TH
OKTOBERFEST - SUNDAY, AUGUST 25TH

city of **RANDALL**

HIGHLIGHTS

- City established 1890's
- In the Great Flood of 1972, the Little Elk poured over the river banks. (July 21-22, 1972)
- Dr. S.G. Knight Elementary School K-5 District 482

city of **ROYALTON**

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HIGHLIGHTS

- Established in 1887 by pioneers of Scottish Descent
- Located on the Platte River
- New City Center including museum of local history
- McGonagle Nature Park
- Royalton Skateboard Park
- Memorial Park
- Soo Line ATV Trail
- School District #485
- Royalton Splash Park

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