

Buffalo Area Chamber of Commerce

BACC PAGES

Buffalo Days - June 12-19

Fireworks June 17 at Dusk - Parade June 18 at 6 pm



Hurrah, it took awhile but summer is nearly upon us! And Buffalo's biggest summer celebration "BUFFALO DAYS" will soon be underway with festivities and activities for everyone. A Calendar of Events is attached to this newsletter (page 11) and will be available soon on the Chamber website at buffalochamber.org.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED! Many subcommittees make up the Buffalo Days committee such as the 5K run, beer garden in Sturges Park, marching bands, parade, royalty, Saturday in the Park and operations. Please consider volunteering to assist where needed. Email jill@buffalochamber.org or phone the Chamber at 763-682-4902.

YOU CAN HELP support Buffalo Days by buying a 2011 Buffalo Days button for only \$3. It helps offset the cost of the Buffalo Days events. Buttons are available at several local businesses and at the Chamber office. Buy a button and you could be a winner of a cash prize in the amount of \$500, \$100 or \$50!

Check out the full-color *Buffalo Days Calendar of Events* insert in the *Drummer* to be published the week before Buffalo Days begins!

27th Annual Nick Miller Presidential Awards May 17



The second annual Chamber event of the spring season is the Nick Miller Presidential Awards Luncheon to be held May 17 at the Buffalo Evangelical Free Church. An invitation to sponsor a Buffalo High School student or students who will be recognized at the luncheon for their scholastic achievements was mailed to Chamber members on April 28.

There is a record number of 105 students who will be honored at the luncheon, see student list on page 4. Please consider sponsoring one or more students - this is an opportunity for you to acknowledge students who are deserving of special recognition for their success. Please RSVP promptly upon receiving your invitation as students are designated on a first-come, first-served basis.

WILD SCRAMBLE GOLF OUTING — MAY 26

See article on page 3 — Registration form on page 10

Many thanks to the Golf Outing Sponsors!

**Corporate Sponsors: Veolia ES Rolling Hills Landfill, Inc., Buffalo Hospital,
and Verizon Wireless Zone-Premium Retailer**

Golf Cart Sponsor: Johnson & Mattson, P.A. CPA's and Advisors

2011 CHAMBER MEETING CALENDAR

GOOD MORNING BUFFALO

Third Friday of each month - 7:30 am

Jan 21	Adjust to Health Chiropractic 109 2nd St. S.
Feb 18	Wright County Historical Society 2001 Hwy 25 N, P.O. Box 304
Mar 18	University of MN Extension - WC 10 2nd Street NW, Rm C107
Apr 15	Excel Physical Therapy 300 Catlin Street, Suite 100
May 20	Veolia ES Rolling Hills Landfill, Inc Location TBA
June 17	Something Savvy - 605 Hwy. 55 E. #109
July 15	Buffalo Rock Winery & Lakeside Consulting 4527 23rd Street SE
Aug 19	Cornerstone Wealth Management & Sportsmen Dream Wealth Management 107 Center Drive
Sept 16	Functional Industries, Inc. 1801 Hwy 25 N
Oct 21	Edward Jones - Mark Rethman 215 E Hwy 55, Suite 302
Nov 18	
Dec 16	

QUARTERLY BUSINESS LUNCHEONS
Noon - Tuesday
Dates to be announced

2011 CHAMBER EVENTS

- **Community Expo**
March 19, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm
Buffalo Community Middle School
- **Nick Miller Academic Luncheon**
May 17, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm
Buffalo Evangelical Free Church
- **Wild Scramble Golf Outing**
May 26 - Noon
Wild Marsh Golf Club
- **Buffalo Days**
June 12 - June 19
Fireworks - June 17
Parade - June 18, 6:00 pm
- **Buffalo Rodeo**
June 23-25
- **Chamber Appreciation Picnic**
July 21, 11:00 am - 1:30 pm
Sturges Park
- **Crazy Days Sidewalk Sales**
July 15 & 16
- **Arts & Craft Festival - Downtown**
August 20, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm
- **Taste of Buffalo**
September 22, 5:30-8:00 pm
Buffalo Civic Center
- **Membership Banquet**
October 13, 5:30 pm
Huikko's Bowling & Entertainment Center
- **Trick or Treat the Merchants**
October 29, 2:00 - 4:00 pm
- **Deck the Halls**
December 1-3
- **Christmas In The Park**
Sturges Park

Good Morning Buffalo

Join us for a cup of coffee and meet member businesses at the *Good Morning Buffalo (GMB)* gatherings on the third Friday of each month at 7:30 am.



The next GMB will be hosted by Classic Hall Event Center and Veolia ES Rolling Hills Landfill, Inc. at Country Inn, located at 1002 Hwy. 25 on **May 20**.

Chamber's Facebook Page

Have you checked out the Chamber's Facebook page? Search for "Buffalo Area Chamber of Commerce, MN" - and check the "like" icon! We also have a link on our website homepage at www.buffalochamber.org.



BACC Pages and Member Inserts

PLEASE NOTE: Promotional, event registration forms and other inserts are emailed to all members with each issue of BACC Pages. Please check out all the BACC pages, including Persian Business Machines on **page 6** and SM Website Solutions on **page 7**.

Buffalo Days Parade



Space is filling rapidly, so apply now by phoning or emailing the Chamber if you wish to be in the Buffalo Days Parade — the cost for entry is \$250. Buffalo Days runs June 12-19, with the parade on Saturday, June 18, at 6 p.m. Applications are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Registration

will end when we reach 100 applications, so please don't delay!

Please consider being a sponsor for the parade. A parade sponsorship form can be found on page 9 of this issue of BACC Pages. We appreciate your support!

Farmer's Market

Visit the Farmer's Market in downtown Buffalo, across from the Buffalo Theater - open Saturday mornings throughout the summer months.

Concerts in the Park

Concerts in the Park are presented every Thursday night at Sturges Park beginning June 30 and running through August 25. FREE admission - bring the family and friends. See page 8.

MISSION STATEMENT

The Buffalo Area Chamber of Commerce is a business organization incorporated to promote the free enterprise system, work with other organizations to develop programs in response to community issues and provide leadership for improvement of the economy, environment and quality

Wild Scramble Golf Outing May 26

It's time to get your foursome together and register for the Chamber's 12th Annual Wild Scramble Golf Outing on May 26 at Wild Marsh. A registration form is attached to this newsletter (page 10).



Please consider sponsoring a hole or donating a door prize! If you cannot participate in the golf event, please join us for dinner at the clubhouse. It's only days away, so dust off the clubs and get ready for a great time at the Wild Scramble! A portion of the proceeds from this event goes to the BHS scholarship fund.

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**Buffalo Area Chamber of Commerce
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President

sally@buffalochamber.org

www.buffalochamber.org

Buffalo Tourism Bureau Website

www.buffalo-mn.org

Buffalo Rodeo - June 23-25, 2011

All Performances Go On - Rain or Shine
No Refunds on Tickets

Wednesday - June 22 - 5:00-7:30 PM

Pork Chop Feed at the Rodeo Grounds
Mutton Bustin Trials after the Pork Chop Feed

Thursday - June 23

Gates Open at 5:30 p.m. - Performance at 7:30 p.m.
"TOUGH ENOUGH TO WEAR PINK NIGHT"

Friday & Saturday - June 24-25

7:30-11:00 a.m. - Chuckwagon Breakfast at the Buffalo Civic Center

Gates open at 5:30 p.m. for 7:30 p.m. Performances
Rodeo Dance Under the Big Top Following Performances
Music by "Roy Dawson & the Bootleggers "



TICKETS

RESERVED SEATING tickets purchased before June 20, 2011 - \$14

After June 20 - \$18.

GENERAL ADMISSION tickets purchased before June 20, 2011

Adults/\$10 and Children/\$5.

After June 20 - Adults/\$15 and Children/\$9.

GENERAL ADMISSION SEASON PASS tickets purchased before June 20, 2011

Adults \$24 and Children \$12

Order tickets online at www.buffalorodeo.com or by phone at 763-682-7032

Tickets available also at Buffalo Cub Food and Buffalo Country Store

Mark Your Calendars!

- **Crazy Days Sidewalk Sales** held at shops and businesses throughout Buffalo! The event takes place **Friday/Saturday, July 15-16.**
- Invite your employees to attend the **Chamber Appreciation Picnic** to be held on Thursday, **July 21 at Sturges Park from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.**
- The streets and sidewalks of downtown Buffalo are transformed into a sea of white canvas when artists and crafters set up shops for the **7th Annual Arts & Craft Festival.** The event will be held on **Saturday, August 20, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.** Shop 'til you drop, then refuel at one of the many food tents.
- One of the biggest social events of 2011 in Buffalo is the Chamber-sponsored **3rd Annual Taste of Buffalo!** The "Taste" will be held **Thursday, September 22, from 5:30-8:00 p.m.** at the Buffalo Civic Center. Enjoy generous samples of food, desserts, beverages all presented by local food and beverage vendors. There is plenty of seating for relaxing while enjoying great food and entertainment.. Ticket information is forthcoming.

2011 BHS HONOR STUDENTS

To Be Honored at Nick Miller Presidential Awards Luncheon on May 17

Nicholas Allen	Alexander Gatzke	Maxwell Lundeen	Michael Porttiin
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Malia Foster	Rebecca Lee	Tyler Peterson	
Delaney Freer	Elisabeth Leipholtz	Dylan Polivany	
Brooke Gagnon	Carolynn Lindborg	Margaret Polzine	

Community Expo

The 5th Annual Community Expo was held at the Buffalo Community Middle School on Saturday, March 19. The event attracted hundreds of people from Buffalo and surrounding communities. Drawings for prizes were held at several exhibitor booths along with a Chamber door prize, a Kindle, won by Jeanette Woolstencroft of Buffalo.

Always popular with the crowd are the demos that take place throughout the day including karate, dancing, gardening techniques and planting, and everything about fishing. New this year was a fashion show presented by Lillians. Chamber members modeled the latest trends in accessorizing spring and summer wardrobes. And everyone loved the samplings of food provided by local vendors.

Thank you to the exhibitors, the demo presenters and to the general public for the great turnout at this year's Expo.



Jeanette Woolstencroft, Kindle Winner



Consumer Survey Sponsored by Chamber & City

The Buffalo Area Chamber of Commerce and the City of Buffalo sponsored a consumer spending survey which was inserted in the March utilities bills and mailed to 6,400 residences and businesses. We received 660 responses — a 10% response, that is great!

The survey asked consumers what products and percentage of products do they buy in town, online, outside of town, and what time of day they prefer to shop. Survey results:

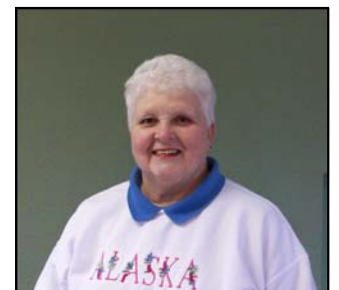
Of goods and services purchased in Buffalo, the following received the highest ratings: Groceries, gas, financial services, hardware, health services, dining, garden, auto, and gifts. Rating lower on goods and services were recreation & entertainment, clothing and home goods.

Best reasons to shop in Buffalo were in this order: Location, parking, customer services, hours, competitive prices, specialty stores, product availability, quality and variety. Reasons consumers shop outside of Buffalo were in this order: Product availability, variety, competitive prices and hours. The majority of survey results say they purchase 0-25% online.

Survey comments provided a variety of opinions on Buffalo's strengths and weaknesses. While many commented that they love what Buffalo has to offer, many suggested specific retail and chain restaurants that they would like to see locate in Buffalo.

As an incentive to fill out the survey, we offered participants a chance to win \$100 in Buffalo Bucks. The winner is Adele Tonsager of Buffalo, congratulations Adele!

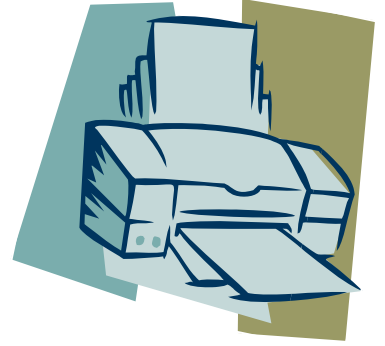
The City of Buffalo and the Buffalo Chamber of Commerce thank everyone who took the time to complete the survey. A complete copy of the survey is available on the Chamber and City's websites at www.buffalochamber.org and www.ci.buffalo.mn.us.



Adele Tonsager, Buffalo Winner of \$100

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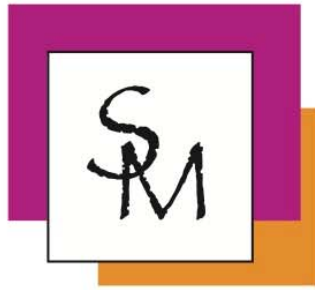
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CONCERTS IN THE PARK

7:00 PM ■ Thursday Nights
Sturges Park



JUNE 30

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JULY 7

JERRY O'HAGAN ORCHESTRA

JULY 14

EVERETT SMITHSON BAND

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JULY 21

BIG TOE AND THE JAM

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JULY 28

RIVERSIDE SWING BAND

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AUG 4

THE ELVIS EXPERIENCE

AUG 11

ROCKIE LYNNE

SPONSOR: BUFFALO AMERICAN LEGION

AUG 18

***ROBBY VEE AND HIS ROCK & ROLL
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AUG 25

THE UNDERACHIEVERS

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To Whom it May Concern:

Buffalo Days is an eight day community event that brings thousands of residents and visitors to town for concerts, fireworks, parade, carnival, entertainment, cheese curds, mini donuts and more! Planning has begun for this year's Buffalo Days, June 12-19, 2011, and we are once again excited for this fun community event.

In the past, many of you have graciously given funds enabling us to host Buffalo Days. We understand the economy is still sluggish, so any amount you can donate would be greatly appreciated. The committee has been diligently finding ways to cut costs, however there still are fixed costs, such as the fireworks (\$6,000), marching bands (\$8,000), pony rides (\$750), just to name a few. The following list shows the various sponsor levels:

Gold Sponsor • \$1,000 or More

- Parade Unit
- Parade position choice after #15
- Company listed in the newspaper ad
- Signage at band shell
- Business listing in parade program
- Chamber website flyer
- Chamber newsletter
- Chamber Facebook page

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- Parade Unit
- Company listed in the newspaper ad
- Signage at band shell
- Business listing in parade program
- Chamber website flyer
- Chamber newsletter
- Chamber Facebook page

Bronze Sponsor • \$250 - \$499

- Parade Unit
- Business listing in parade program
- Chamber website flyer
- Chamber newsletter

Honorary Sponsor • \$50 - \$249

- Business listing in parade program
- Chamber website flyer
- Chamber newsletter

Sponsor Amount: \$_____ (Check enclosed _____, or Invoice _____) Payable to: Buffalo Days

Parade Units - If you donate more than \$250 you may enter a parade unit in the parade, but the unit must be approved by the Buffalo Days committee. Please put an X on the appropriate line:

- _____ Please send me the parade rules and regulations for our own entry.
- _____ We would like our donation to go towards the overall cost of the event.

Button Boards:

_____ I am interested in selling buttons at my business. A Buffalo Days committee representative will contact you.

Name _____ Company _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Thank you for supporting Buffalo Days!
Jill Steinmetz
Events Coordinator

Return to BACC at 205 Central Avenue, Buffalo, MN 55313 or fax to 763-682-5677.



12th Annual Wild Scramble Golf Tournament

Thursday, May 26, 2011

Registration - 11 a.m.

Shotgun Start - 12 p.m.

Dinner and Awards at approximately 5 p.m.

A portion of the proceeds go towards the Buffalo Area Chamber of Commerce BHS Senior Schol-

REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ Golf, Dinner & Awards Program
#___ x \$ 90 = _____

Phone: _____ Hole Sponsorship & Foursome
(Hole sponsorship, golf, dinner & awards) \$495
= _____

Company: _____ Hole Sponsor Only
\$200 = _____

Players Names:
1. _____ Beverage & Golf Cart Sponsor Only
2. _____ \$500 = _____
3. _____ Corporate Sponsor Only
4. _____ \$ 750 = _____

I will donate a door prize: Dinner & Awards Only #___ x
\$ 20 = _____

Total = _____

(Please list prize)

Method of payment:

Invoice Me
 Check Enclosed
 Charge - Visa or MasterCard
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Exp. Date _____

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Name on Card: _____

Registration Information:

Fax — 763-682-5677
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If you have questions?

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Event Sponsorship Options:

Corporate Sponsor - \$750
3 Sponsorships available
Sign at the event and hole
Display table
Registration for a foursome
Recognition at the ceremony
Listing in program & newsletter

Beverage & Cart Sponsor - \$500
2 Sponsorships available
Sign in beverage & golf cart
Registration for 2 golfers
Recognition at the ceremony
Listing in program & newsletter

Hole Sponsor - \$200
Sign at hole
Recognition at the ceremony
Listing in program & newsletter
Promote business at hole

Hole-in-One Sponsor
Vehicle at the hole
Sign at the hole





Buffalo Days 2011 Calendar of Events

June 12-19, 2011

Check out www.buffalochamber.org

Buttons on sale at participating businesses \$3. Chance to win CASH Prizes: 1- \$500, 1- \$100, 4 - \$50.

June 5 – Sunday

Buffalo Triathlon – At Sturges Park, check out their website at www.tribuff.com, race starts at 9 a.m. Swimming, biking and running.

June 11 – Saturday

Evergreen Grill & Spirits Golf Tournament – At Buffalo Heights Golf Course; 4 person scramble; 18 holes with cart; BBQ lunch; great prizes; 9 a.m. shotgun start; open to the public; \$60 per person. Call 763-682-4914 to sign up.

Buffalo Art Guild Display at MidCountry Bank – Month of June during bank hours, original artwork by local artists on display, for sale & artist demonstrations.

Buffalo Days 2011 Jr. Tennis Tournament (Level 7) – Saturday and Sunday tournament. Entry to this tournament is open to specified residents only. Entries must be submitted by Monday, June 6, 2011 9:59 p.m. CST. Register online at www.buffalochamber.org homepage or call 763-682-7766.

June 12 – Sunday

Buffalo Car Show/Wright County Car Club – Buffalo Municipal Airport. Breakfast served until 11 a.m. Bondo Bob spinning the “Oldies” 9-2 p.m. \$5 donation to enter your car. Call John 763-684-1617 or Bob 763-682-3772.

Craft & Vendor Show – Buffalo Civic Center from 9-3 p.m. Free admission. Sponsored by the Buffalo Jaycees. Call 763-682-0402.

Buffalo Community Orchestra Summer Pop – Free concert at Sturges Park at 7 p.m. Bring your lawn chairs or blanket.

Buffalo Days 2011 Jr. Tennis Tournament (Level 7) – Saturday and Sunday tournament. See Saturday listing above.

June 13 – Monday

Pool Tournament – Community Center. Double elimination pool tournament. Registration 9 a.m.; starts at 9:30 a.m. \$1 donation requested. Trophies for top winners. All ages welcome. Register 763-682-6036. Coffee, rolls, juice provided.

Buffalo Library Used Book Sale and Summer Reading Program – Book sale Monday to Saturday - call 763-682-2753. Hundreds of books at bargain prices. Kick-off of the summer reading program for all ages – “One World, Many Stories”. Family Fun Day, 2-4 p.m.. Root beer floats served by the Buffalo Royalty and candidates. Petting Zoo, face painting by the WC 4H Clowns and sign up for our reading program. Sponsored by The Friends of the Buffalo Library.

Royalty Banquet – Bison Entertainment Ctr (Huikko's) at 5:30 p.m., cost \$15 each.

Euchre Tournament – Community Center at 6:30 p.m. Cost to play is \$2. Must register by Friday, June 10 at 5 p.m. Call 763-682-6036. Prize money.

June 14 – Tuesday

Family Toy Workshop – Community Center at 9 a.m. Children invited to assemble and decorate one of several toy selections. Tools and glue included. Free admission. Children must be accompanied by adult.

500 Tournament – Community Center at 1 p.m. Cost to play is \$2. Must register by Monday, June 13 at 5 p.m. Call 763-682-6036. Prize money to top players.

KRWC's Medallion Hunt – Begins and continues until found, listen to KRWC/1360AM for clues or check www.krwc1360.com.

ECFE Children's Event – Sturges Park, 10:30 a.m. Mr. Jim, children's concert. All ages. Event will be held at Park View Care Center if inclement weather.

Buffalo Royalty Car Wash – 4 - 6 p.m. at First Minnesota Bank.

Cribbage Tournament – Community Center, starts at 6:30 p.m. Asking for a \$1 donation. Ken Weese 763-682-3616.

County Line Square Dancers Demo – Sturges Park Band Shell, 7-8 p.m., the caller is Abe Maier. A family event.

June 15 – Wednesday

Texas Hold'em Tournament – Community Center at 1 p.m. Must pre-register by 10 a.m. Players must be at least 18 years or older. Call 763-682-6036.

Carnival – 5 p.m. St. Francis lot downtown. \$20 armband for all rides, 5-9 p.m.

June 16 – Thursday

Carnival – Opens at noon. \$20 armband for all rides, 12-5 p.m.

Buffalo Days Bingo – From 12:30 - 1:30 p.m. at the Buffalo Community Center. Great prizes! Free and open to the public.

The Crow's Poet – A five to eight piece band playing roots rock and roll, blues and jazz. Sturges Park Band Shell, 7-8:30 p.m.

Movie in the Park – Enjoy a big screen movie, Megamind, in Sturges Park. Approximate showing time is 9 p.m.

June 17 – Friday

ECFE Children's Event – Rachel Kroog, children's concert, Kid Power, Sturges Park Band Shell at 10:30 a.m. All ages. Event will be held at Park View Care Center if inclement weather.

Lake Sylvia Suzuki Flute Institute – Flutists performing at Sturges Park Band Shell, 11:30 a.m. Sue Davies 612-501-4434.

Buffalo Library – Stop in and make your own craft to take home, 11-5 p.m., ages 2-11. All supplies provided. Sponsored by The Friends of the Buffalo Library.

Carnival – Opens at noon. \$20 armband night, 12-5 p.m.

Beer Garden – Sturges Park; opens at 6 p.m.

KRWC Road Show – Sturges Park, music, games, prizes and fun! 7- 9 p.m.

Live Band – Shaw Brothers Band (80's style music) at Sturges Park Band Shell from 7:30-11:30 p.m.

FIREWORKS – Buffalo Lake, starts at dusk. Sponsors: Buffalo American Legion, Buffalo Lions and Lioness, Little Dave's Electric, Buff 'N' Glow Car Wash and Walmart.

June 18 – Saturday

SATURDAY IN STURGES PARK EVENTS -

14th Annual Buffalo Days Fishing Clinic – Free event to the public, Sturges Park, 9:30-1:30 p.m. 1,000+ back packs, plus tons of fishing tackle and more. Fishing pros, live band, Raptor Center, seminars, emergency vehicles on display, 35+ organizations on land or water. Fish off the pier; win prizes. DNR certified mentors on site. Sponsored by national, state, city and local sponsors.

Kiddie Parade – Line up at the Buffalo Library at 9 a.m.; ends at Sturges Park. Buffalo Royalty will lead the parade.

Balloonist – Get your balloon animal at Saturday in the Park 10-2 p.m.

Buffalo Youth Hockey Assn. Demo – Children participation 9-2 p.m.

Kiddie Roping – Buffalo Championship Rodeo lasso lessons 9-12 noon.

Agility Dog Show – Water's Edge Dog Training will be putting on a dog agility demonstration (tunnels, jumps, teeter totters and more) from 9-12 noon.

Animal Humane Society – Volunteers with alumni dogs, prize drawing for a cool gift package, kids prizes, tattoos and information.

Inflatable Obstacle Course – 9:30 a.m.- 1:30 p.m.

Face Painting – Kim Wahl and Wright County 4-H Clowns 9:30-12:30 p.m.

Pony Rides – 10 a.m.- 2 p.m.

DOJO Karate – Demonstrations from 10 - 10:30 a.m. and 12 - 12:30 p.m.

Band Shell Events—Magician at 10 a.m.; On Stage School of Dance at 10:30 a.m.; Magician – Jeff Stimler at 11 a.m.; Moonstruck School of Dance at 11:30 a.m.; Gym-Nation at 12:30 p.m.

Men's Softball Tournament – Buffalo softball fields, call Brian - 612-685-2428.

Cubmobile Races/Cub Scout Pack #358 – 1st Avenue by Buffalo Cinema. Registration 8:30 a.m.; starts at 9 a.m.

Carnival – 12 noon. \$20 armband, 12-4 p.m.

PARADE – 6:00 p.m. There will be approximately 100 units including 11 marching bands.

Beer Garden – Sturges Park; opens at 6:00 p.m.

DJ the DJ – Will be playing in Sturges Park Band Shell following the parade from 8-12 midnight. After the parade bring the kids down to dance to the DJ and burn off some energy!

June 19 – Sunday

Buffalo Run 5k and Kids Fun Run – Sturges Park. Registration at 7:30 a.m.; race starts at 8:30 a.m. Call Mark Lindquist at 612-245-9725 or email Mark at lindyski@yahoo.com or go to www.buffalochamber.org.

Fly-In Pancake Breakfast – Buffalo Municipal Airport. Sponsored by the BHS Swim Team. Cost is \$6 for adults, \$4 children, and free under 5 years old. 8-12:00 noon.

Continental Breakfast – Sturges Park, 10:00 a.m. Donation requested.

Community Worship Service – Buffalo Covenant Church provides worship service at Sturges Park Band Shell, 10:30 a.m.

Carnival – Opens at noon.

Royalty Coronation – At the Buffalo High School PAC at 6:00 p.m. Admission is \$5 unless you have a Buffalo Days button then it is \$2.