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**Mission
Statement**

*The mission of
the 2nd Story is
to enhance the
quality of life
for adults with
developmental
disabilities
through social,
educational and
recreational
activities.*



Newsletter

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Meat & Greet Fundraiser

The Meat & Greet Fundraiser is nearly here, and we are looking forward to welcoming our friends, supporters, and community partners on October 2, 2026, at The Spot in Minot. It has now become a favorite event for many people, as it combines excellent food, great company, and the shared goal of supporting the members of 2nd Story.

The Silent Auction and the Mystery Safe Raffle include a wide range of items and packages donated by local businesses and individuals. Each donation supports our programs and ensures that 2nd Story stays a safe, friendly and supportive place for adults with developmental disabilities.

We are looking forward to welcoming you to The Spot for an evening centered on community, connection, and support, and we know that your involvement makes a real difference to our members; we are thankful to all those who contribute to the fundraiser's success.

What: Meet & Greet Fundraiser

When: October 2, 2026 6pm

Where: The Spot 6 2nd St NE, Minot, ND 58703



Remembering our Members

We recently lost two members of the 2nd Story, Lynda Pinkey and Colleen Hanson. Both were longtime members. Lynda and her husband, David, supported the club and its members in many ways, including generous contributions that strengthened our mission.

Colleen will be remembered for her cheerful smile, the friendly greetings she used to give, and the joy she always brought to each bingo night.

We will miss both of them very much; their presence made our 2nd Story community stronger, and their memory will continue to inspire us.

Minot VFW & 2nd Story

Celebrating a Partnership

For more than 40 years, Minot VFW Post 753 has partnered with 2nd Story to sponsor our softball teams every season. At the end of each season, the VFW hosts a picnic to celebrate. This event brings together veterans, players, and their families to share food, have fun, and honor a partnership that has made our community stronger. This year's picnic will be at the **VFW, 1100 31st St SE, Minot**, on **September 19**, starting at **noon**. Thank you, Minot VFW, for so many years of fun.

Grab Bag Palooza

We are looking forward to inviting you to our annual **Grab Bag Palooza**

Fundraiser on **September 12, 2026**, in conjunction with the Downtown Festival on Main. From 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., you are welcome to come to the club and enjoy free goodies, coffee, door prizes, and buy \$5 Grab Bags as you enjoy the festival. Be sure to enter in order to have a go at winning a special **Mystery Basket!**

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David Pinkey

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Alayne Okland

The Family of Mary Lindbo

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In Loving Memory of

Colleen Hanson

Colleen Hanson

Colleen Hanson

Lynda Pinkey

Lynda Pinkey

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Lynda Pinkey (Wall of Honor)

Lynda Pinkey

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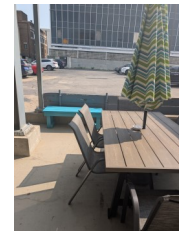
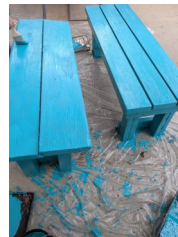
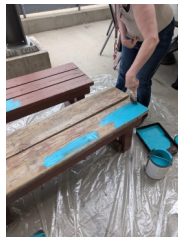
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