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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.*



*Thank You*

*"Where I Meet My Friends!"*

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# Newsletter

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## *Sponsor of the Month*



## 2nd Story 50th Open House!

Due to a scheduling conflict, our 50th-anniversary celebration has been rescheduled. Please join us on May 23rd, 2025, from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM. We look forward to celebrating with you!

## Mardi Gras

We want to thank everyone who supported our Annual Mardi Gras Fundraiser! To all of our volunteers, we honestly couldn't have done it without you, and an extra special thank you to the Moose Lodge for providing us with a fantastic meal and showing us such kindness for letting us utilize the space! Thank you all for continuing to support 2nd story!



### Service Project

Last month, our members came together to create a tie blanket for a member facing a challenging time. We're sad to say he recently passed away. We hope this gift wraps his family in warmth and comfort, reminding them that the entire 2nd Story community is sending positive thoughts and heartfelt support their way.

### Public Board

We want to thank Eric at The Public Board for thinking of us when he launched his community initiative for his new billboard on Highway 2! He provided us with a spot on his billboard for the entire month of March, rotating with several other fantastic businesses in the community.

*Thank You*

### Need donation ideas? Here are a few ideas that the members would enjoy!

- ◆ Goodies
- ◆ Home décor
- ◆ Crafting supplies
- ◆ Coloring materials

### Contributions—Monetary

Orlan & Laurie Honadel	Hope Lutheran Church Women
DeVonne Hoffert	First Lutheran Church Women
Joyce Solberg	Alayne & Ron Okland

### Contributions—Prizes, Activities & Gifts

Alayne Okland	David & Lynda Pinkey	Sue Jaicks
Donald & Paula Pruitt	Lori Fjeldahl	Casey Okland
Lori & Jimmie Jones	Scott & Lynda Randolph	Moose Lodge

*Thank You*

### In Loving Memory of

Vern Moldenhauer  
 Karen Moldenhauer  
 Chris Molina  
 Chris Molina

Bob Ringsaker (Wall of Honor)  
 Scott Clouse  
 Scott Clouse

### Memorials



### From

Lona Thiesen  
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 Lori, Jimmie, Cindy, Vikki, Tony & Kenny  
 Felix & Anita Molina  
 Krista Logelin  
 Alayne & Ron Okland  
 Michelle & Greg Gordon



If you would like to buy a brick in honor of a loved one,  
 business or just someone  
 you'd like to recognize,  
 please contact Greg or Samara at 701-838-0912!



*Yes! I want to  
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\$5    \$10    \$20    \$50    \$100   Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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