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MINOT AREA CHAMBER EDC TO HOST MAY BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

The Minot Area Chamber EDC invites Minot to join us May 20 from 5-7 pm for the Business After Hours. Stop by for delicious food provided by some of our restaurant member investors, great networking, a cash bar, and prizes! Learn more about how the newly merged Chamber EDC will work for you and your business.



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BUSINESS AFTER HOURS

in our backyard!

1020 20th Ave. SW

Thursday, May 20, 2021

5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Cash Bar | \$5 Admittance

One chance to win \$500 in Chamber EDC Bucks and more!

Food provided by several Chamber EDC member eating establishments.

Thank you to our neighbors for allowing additional parking: MDU, iHeart Media, Iver Eliason, CPA

PROSTATE CANCER TREATMENT REDUCES SIDE EFFECTS

A pre-treatment procedure designed to reduce complications after radiation therapy for prostate cancer is being offered by Trinity Health.

SpaceOAR™ Hydrogel is the first and only FDA-cleared spacer to help reduce the radiation dose delivered to the rectum of men undergoing prostate radiation treatments. The benefit to patients is fewer side effects and a better quality of life. "This is an important advancement for men facing difficult decisions about treating their prostate cancer," said Trinity Health urologist Diance Bigham, DO, FACOS. "Knowing that an option

like SpaceOAR can help limit the risk of damage to other organs during radiation treatment makes these decisions easier, especially for men with early- to mid-state prostate cancer."



PROJECT FIND SAFE LAUNCHES AT MINOT STATE UNIVERSITY

Project Find Safe, a grant funded by the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Bureau of Justice Assistance to assist with the Reducing Injury and Death of Missing Individuals with Dementia and Developmental Disabilities Program, is helping to keep families safe.

"This program has the potential to save so many lives here in North Dakota," said Vanessa Rovig, research associate for North Dakota Center for Persons with Disabilities (NDCPD), a Minot State University Center of Excellence and project director.



The goal of Find Safe is to collaborate with and support law enforcement and public safety agencies in their efforts to reduce and prevent injuries and deaths of missing individuals with dementia or developmental disabilities in North Dakota. The program works in tandem with Project Lifesaver, where individuals enrolled wear a small transmitter on their wrist or ankle that emits an individualized frequency signal. If the individual goes missing, their caregiver notifies their local emergency responder so the transmitter's frequency can be used to locate their position.

"I've learned how important the collaboration between law enforcement and the disability professionals can be so that law enforcement know how to approach individuals in a way that calms the situation down," Rovig said. "The North Dakota

Highway Patrol calls this program a no-brainer. Just one successful search that eliminates the requirements to launch a full search and rescue effort would save so much time, money, and other resources that the project would pay for itself.”

NEW INSTALLATION ADDS COLOR TO DOWNTOWN MINOT

Main Street has gained a little more magic this week.

A ten-foot sculpture of the new Minot logo was installed at the corner of Main and Central. Stop by and snap a photo!



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