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APRIL 2025 NEWSLETTER

Crissy Torres, GNC Director

**UPCOMING GNC ADVENTURES**

**SHOOTING STAR CASINO - \*WAITLIST\***

April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Join us for a day trip to the Shooting Star Casino in Mahanomen, Minn. Try your luck at over 170 slot games, poker, blackjack and more! Or feel free to stop for a bite in the restaurants or deli. Plus, Tuesday is Senior Star Day!

Minimum of 40. Price is \$47 pp. To join the waitlist, Call Crissy at (701) 952-5799.

**PARK RAPIDS / JASPERS - \*WAITLIST\***  
**CROONERS, BIG BANDS & COOL CATS**

June 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Summer means one of our favorite trips! Come along as we swing into an unforgettable afternoon featuring timeless hits from legends like Sinatra, Bennett, Martin and Ellington. Enjoy a bit of afternoon shopping in the beautiful, downtown Park Rapids and dinner at the West Forty. Then, we'll head to Jaspers for a swingin' and singin' good time!

Minimum of 40. Price is \$103 pp. To register, Call Crissy at (701) 952-5799.

**MYSTERY TRIP**

May 30<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Take a chance and sign up for the 2025 mystery trip! We will leave Jamestown and head off to a destination unknown! All we can tell you is that there will be fun and some casual walking.

Minimum of 40. Price is \$70 pp. To register, call Crissy at (701) 952-5799.

**DPRCA - THE ARK & BBQ DINNER**

July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025

Join the GNC for a delicious BBQ dinner at the 281 Gettin' Sauced before we head to New Rockford and enjoy a theater presentation of The Ark. It's a tale of one man's vision, his family's struggle for faith and the singular voyage they all share.

Minimum of 40. Price is \$103 pp. To register, call Crissy at (701) 952-5799.

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**Spring Showers - Word Search**

- Aries
- Baseball
- Butterfly
- Easter Eggs
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- Rain
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- Unison



## GNC MORNING AT THE MOVIES

April 16<sup>th</sup>

Bison 6 Cinema, Buffalo Mall

We welcome all GNC members to a Morning at the Movies. Please bring a prospective member/guest and have them experience the fun of being a GNC member.

9:20 am - doors open, complimentary snacks & refreshments

9:50 am - drawings

10:00 am - show-time



Please call Crissy before 4/16/25 or visit [unisonbank.com/gnc](http://unisonbank.com/gnc) for the available movies.

*NOTE: The presentation of all movies may change due to availability to the theatre. The Good Neighbors Club nor Bison 6 Cinema have any control over such changes. Thank you for understanding.*

## MONEY BAG & DOOR PRIZES

Our GNC member number was #1209, Jeanne Rosemore. Jeanne didn't attend last month's movie day, so the money bag will be \$75 for April. Good luck to you all!

This year, we are giving away \$10 gift certificates to Jamestown Area Chamber of Commerce member businesses. Our drawing winners were Susan Bond, Karen Hess and Dorothy Mack. Congratulations!

## WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

On behalf of Unison Bank, I'd like to welcome our newest club members:

- ❖ Ronald & Sandra Bendewald
- ❖ Lori Eberhardt
- ❖ Jane Diede
- ❖ June Krapp-Detmer

If you refer someone to our Good Neighbors Club like Ruth Diede did, you will receive a \$5 referral award. Just a little "thank you" from Unison Bank and GNC.

## OUR DEEPEST SYMPATHIES

To the family and friends of GNC members who have passed, Kevin Fuoss, Laura Eberhardt, Alice Larson and Robina Exner. Our sincere sympathy for your loss. We know how much family means to you, so our Unison family extends our sympathies.

## NEW GREATS & GRANDS

If you have the wonderful joy of being new Grandparents, let us know and we would love to announce the "Grand" news to all our GNC members. We are giving Grandparents a complimentary bank as a benefit for being a GNC member.

Kristi and Davin Wirrenga celebrated the birth of a grandson. Amias Jei Reimers was born on February 27<sup>th</sup> to parents, Malitta and Andy Reimers. Congratulations to you all!

## 3 SCAM TACTICS TO LOOK OUT FOR

Scammers are getting more creative, but their tricks often follow similar patterns. Knowing what to watch for can help you protect yourself and your money. Here are three major red flags to keep in mind.



- ❖ They tell you to keep it a secret.
- ❖ They demand payment in unusual methods.
- ❖ They use scary pop-ups to pressure you.

When in doubt, pause and verify. Call your financial institution to verify before making any payments or sharing personal information. Read the full article at [unisonbank.com/security-tips](http://unisonbank.com/security-tips).

## TELL ME YOUR FAVORITE RECIPE

*This month's recipe is from the GNC Trip to NOLA.*

### CREAM OF CORN SOUP

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- 2 c. chicken broth
  - 2 c. creamed corn
  - 1/2 c. celery w/ leaves, chopped
  - 1/2 c. parsley, chopped
  - 1 tbsp. onion, chopped
  - 2 tbsp. butter
  - 1 tbsp. flour
  - 2 c. milk, scalded
  - 1 tsp. salt
  - 1/8 tsp. paprika
  - 1 clove garlic, chopped
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Melt butter and stir in flour. Cook over medium heat for 5 mins., stir frequently. Add onion, garlic and celery. Saute until clear. Add broth and corn, simmer 20 mins. Remove from heat and put mixture through blender. Return to pan, add milk and heat to serving temp. Serves approx. 10 in small espresso-sized cups..

Want to see your favorite recipe in this newsletter? Email or send Crissy your favorite recipe. The newsletter will feature one recipe each month.

## STAY IN THE KNOW

Stay current with what's going on in the community:

- ❖ **AARP FraudFest Lunch & Learn - May 21st**  
11:30 am - 1:00 pm | Farmers Union Insurance Headquarters - Jamestown, ND

Hear about the latest scams and fraud tactics from Parrell Grossman, retired director of the ND Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division. There is no cost to attend the event. Lunch will be provided. For registration or questions, contact [ndaarp@aarp.org](mailto:ndaarp@aarp.org).

- ❖ **Veteran Banner Project**  
The Auxiliary Unit 14 will honor active duty or missing in action military personnel, as well as any veterans, active duty or retired personnel with banners displayed in Jamestown, N.D., on 1st Ave N from Memorial Day to Patriotic Day each year. Banners are 23.5" x 41" and the same image will be displayed on both sides. If interested in purchasing/sponsoring a banner for \$100, please contact Shirly Krapp at (701) 320-2244 or [cslauditor2004@gmail.com](mailto:cslauditor2004@gmail.com).



## 2025 PROOF SETS & SILVER EAGLE COINS

The following are now available for purchase at Unison Bank. Please stop into the branch or contact Crissy for more information.

- ❖ 2025 Proof Sets - \$45
- ❖ 2025 Silver Eagles - \$55



## TRAVEL UPDATE

Are you REAL ID ready? On **May 7th, 2025**, U.S. travelers must be REAL ID compliant to board domestic flights and access certain federal facilities.

If you are planning to join the Good Neighbors Club for the Cape Cod trip in 2025, please be certain you have your REAL ID prior to travel.

## 2025 GNC ADVENTURES

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### CAPE COD & THE ISLANDS

August 9<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025

There is no place like Cape Cod in the summer! The beauty, food, history and beaches make Cape Cod a premier summer destination. Enjoy seven days exploring Cape Cod, Nantucket, Martha's Vineyard, Newport and Provincetown. Call Crissy for details and a brochure.



Includes roundtrip airfare, 6 breakfasts & 3 dinners, hotel transfers, baggage handling and travel protection plan.

\$4,000.00 pp/double. Add \$875.00 for single occupancy. Deposit of \$775.00 pp due February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025. Final payment due May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

### SWITZERLAND & CHRISTMAS MARKETS OF THE RHINE

December 3<sup>rd</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup>, 2025

*\*Very limited cabin availability.*

A magical journey through the stunning landscapes of Switzerland, Germany and the festive charm of the Christmas markets along the Rhine River.

Starting in Switzerland, you'll explore the beautiful cities of Zurich and Lucerne before boarding the cruise ship. From there, embark on your Rhine River cruise stopping at Strasbourg, Speyer and Cologne. Along the way you will have the chance to explore the famous Christmas markets that line the river. Contact Crissy for a brochure detailing the trip.

Rates range from \$4,794.00 pp to \$6,594.00 pp depending on cabin selection and payment method.

Deposit of \$1,099.00 pp due June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025 (or until ship is full). Final payment due September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

*\*There will not be a bank representative on this trip.*

