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Second Greater Mankato Songs on the Lawn of the Season a Hit

Next week's Songs features Dazy Had Mazy Acoustic DUO

Mankato, MINN (June 9, 2011) – Greater Mankato Songs on the Lawn today featured music by The Ride. It was a great turn out today, with crowds of people gathered together enjoying the food, music and activities.

“Greater Mankato Songs on the Lawn has been attracting more people each year,” said Liz Sharp, Greater Mankato Growth Special Events Director. “Greater Mankato Growth hopes that this trend continues and next year we have even higher numbers.”

Next week's entertainment on June 16 will be Dazy Head Mazy Acoustic DUO. At Noon, a group of young people will be honored for their achievements during Lemonade Day- Greater Mankato, which took place June 5.

Food vendors include: Angie's Kettle Corn, Buffalo Wild Wings, Culver's Frozen Custard, Dino's Gourmet Pizzeria, Hy-Vee, Number 4 American Bar & Kitchen, Olives, Pub 500, Sodexo, Tavern on the Avenue and The Loose Moose Saloon.

Greater Mankato Songs on the Lawn has been an annual summer tradition for eight years. The event is put on by Greater Mankato Growth every Thursday in June from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Civic Center Plaza (in front of the Intergovernmental Center) with food, music and fun activities. Admission and parking is free in the Cherry Street and Civic Center ramps

The 2011 Greater Mankato Songs on the Lawn presented by Xcel Energy is sponsored by Charter, Waste Management and Hot 96.7 and Minnesota 93, members of Radio Mankato. Additional support provided by Verizon Wireless Center, City of Mankato, City of North Mankato, Mankato Family YMCA and Red Door Creative.

Visit greatermankato.com/gmg-SongsontheLawn.php for more information on Greater Mankato Songs on the Lawn presented by Xcel Energy.

About Greater Mankato Growth

Greater Mankato Growth (GMG) is committed to advancing business for a stronger community. As the Chamber of Commerce and Economic Development organization serving the regional marketplace, GMG advances business through: existing business support, new business growth, business promotion, talent development, public affairs, community marketing, visitor attraction and servicing and civic engagement.

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