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Diversity Holidays

Nov 1: All Saints Day

Nov 11: Veterans Day

Nov 11: The beginning of Diwali (Festival of Lights)

Nov 12: The Birth of Baha'u'llah

Nov 20: Transgender Day of

Remembrance

Nov 22: Feast of Christ the King

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Native Youth Club

Join Us



Did you know that the Office of Indian Education of the Sioux Falls School District reports over 50 different Native American tribes were represented among the students registered with the district? Our mission is to provide experiences and services for all people to learn, celebrate, and share through our community's cultural diversity. The Multi-Cultural Center acts as a bridge between people, services, and has programs designed to assist all people in our community. The Native Youth Club (NYC) is a cultural enhancement program designed specifically for Native American students in grades K-5. All lessons are designed specifically to increase awareness of cultural traditions, history, symbolism, and language of all Native Americans.

MCC instructor Lyla Moore says "Learning about your culture is essential to life." Additionally, homework assistance is provided for children who need it.

The NYC meets every Friday from 3pm-5pm during the school year. The Multi-Cultural Center provides snacks and transportation for students attending Hawthorne, Longfellow, Lowell, and Terry Redlin Elementary schools. Enrollment is open to all students that attend school in Sioux Falls and the surrounding area, but we provide busing from the schools listed above.

Rent the Coliseum

Unique Historic Event Venue

Rent the Coliseum for:

- ✓ Weddings
- Seminars & Luncheons
- Fundraising Events
- ✓ Reunions & Anniversaries
- Plays or Musicals
- ✓ Corporate Retreats & Events
- ✓ Graduations
- ✓ Dances
 - + More

The Coliseum is more popular than ever before. The commercial kitchen is a big draw for many events and is included in the rental price. The Coliseum is larger than most banquet facilities in the area boasting 9,400 sq. ft. of space on the main floor: enough for 1000+ theater seating and 400+ banquet seating!

Contact <u>rentals@sfmcc.org</u> for pricing & availability

(605) 367-7401





Job Opportunities

Join our Hard-Working Team

Bus Driver - Part Time

Make an impact with the children in our community! The bus driver would provide bus transportation to students from assigned schools to MCC and then home. Other responsibilities include: document bus attendance, perform daily bus inspection, provide appropriate supervision to students utilizing MCC transportation, and more. Hours: M-F 1:30pm -6pm. Learn

Interpreter or Translator – Part-time, On Call Assignments

We are currently looking for interpreters and translators for the following languages; Kunama, Bosnian, Amharic, Somali (female), Nepali (male & female), and Lao, although, all languages are encouraged to apply. Learn more.

No phone calls. Please email resume and cover letter to Christy Nicolaisen at Christy@sfmcc.org

Martial Arts/Judo

Meet Sensei Brad Walker

We welcome Sensei Brad Walker as our new Judo instructor at MCC. He is the owner and head instructor of the Dakota Budokan in Sioux Falls, S.D. Sensei Walker started training in Jujitsu and Judo in 1998. Since that time he has sought out the best instruction available and maintains outstanding relationships with many martial arts instructors across the US including the United States Military Academy at West Point where his instructors teach to this day. Sensei Walker currently holds Black Belt ranks in Jujitsu and Judo.

Judo and Jujitsu will be the primary arts taught. Jujitsu is geared toward self defense while its brother Judo is focused on competition using carefully selected techniques from Jujitsu that were considered safe for sport. Judo is an

Olympic sport and one of the most widely practiced sports/martial art in the world. Judo and Jujitsu are known as "the gentle art" or "the gentle way". The techniques are based upon timing, leverage and knowledge and thus enable a smaller person to defend themselves against a larger attacker.

Brad has trained at West Point Military Academy and is a direct student of the Army Judo coach. He is also trained in Karate & Kickboxing. His teaching career has spanned over 10 years.

For more information on Judo go to www.sfmcc.org or 605-367-7401.

Job Skills Program

Training & Work Connections

- ✓ Training in Basic Job Skills
- ✓ Get Help Searching For Jobs
- ✓ Learn How to Fill Out a Job Application
- ✓ Practice Interview Techniques
- Understand U.S. Work Rules & Culture

Schedule Your Appointment to Register

Call (605) 367-7401



Career Closet

Dress to Impress

The Career Closet at the Multi-Cultural Center offers career and work wear free-ofcharge to anyone in need.

Hours

Mon, Wed, Fri: 9:00am - 1:00pm Tue, Thur: 9:00am - 12:00pm

*The Career Closet relies on the community for donations of clothing. Please consider donating clean, gently-worn mens' and womens' clothing and accessories.



Shopko Rocks!

We appreciate you!

It is because of generous donors such as Shopko that MCC is able to continue to provide the absolute best after-school youth program we can.

The goal of our after school programs is to provide a free, safe, culturally sensitive environment where students can grow academically. The objectives of this goal are safety, respect of the different ethnic cultures represented in the classes, and academic improvement.

Our mission is to provide experiences and services for all people to learn, celebrate, and share through our community's cultural diversity. We offer programming to meet the needs of the community through Froggy Reads, Natives Count, Native Youth Club, and Self-Defense/Judo.

All of our afterschool programs are free of charge to our students, as well as transportation and an after-school snack. This would not be possible if it weren't for such a great community of individuals and business such as Shopko. Thank you to store manager Kevin Haney and the Shopko team for your donation of \$250.00.

If you would like more information about our after-school programs you can go to our web site at www.sfmcc.org, or call at (605)-367-7401.

Happenings

MCC Events Calendar



Nov. 11th - Nov. 17th

MCC will participate in HyVee's helpful smile program!

What does that mean? There will be a donation box at each of the check stands in all of the Sioux Falls locations. For every dollar that is donated by customers, HyVee will match it, up to \$1000. That's \$2000 for our after-school programs and our job services program! So when you stop in to HyVee keep us in mind and all the assistance we provide to the Sioux Falls community. Thank you in advance for your support.

Learn Arabic

Practice these Greetings & Phrases

Welcome > Ahlan wa Sahlan

Hello > Marhaba

Thank you > Shukran

How are you? > Kaifa Haluka

Good Morning > Sabahu al Khair

Have a nice day > Yauman Saeedan

Translated by Tamera Thiab, interpreter and translator at MCC. If you are in need of our interpreter services, contact us at 605-367-7401

You won't want to miss this!



Contact Michelle Marino with any questions at 367-7401 or michelle@sfmcc.org