

FEBRUARY 2015

# 82nd Annual BARBER CONVENTION

Saturday & Sunday, April 18 & 19, 2015 @ Spirit Lake Casino in Devils Lake, ND

## Barber Association Meeting Agenda

The Devils Lake Barbers are planning for a great 2015 convention and would like to send out an invitation for all barbers to attend. Jeremy Skaley has lined up Jay McFly out of Indiana, as our guest artist for the day. The Devils Lake Barbers have also hinted that "ELVIS" will be in the building!!! Come and see for yourself.

If you would like to discuss a topic at our annual meeting, please contact Jeremy Mehlhoff, Association President, at 701-652-2040 or dakotarazor150@yahoo.com to have it placed on the agenda. If you have any questions or suggestions, just contact any of the Barber Association officers or visit with us before the meeting. Hope to see you at the convention! Thank You.



## 4th Annual Food Drive

A huge THANK YOU to all the barbers for making our third annual food drive so successful! We donated 161 lbs. of food to a local Dickinson food pantry. We could not have done this without your generosity. The Barber Association would like to keep supporting the local food pantries at the site of the convention each year. This year, the Hope Center Food Pantry in Devils Lake will benefit from our



fund-raiser. Lance contacted them and they are in need of the following items: noodles, spaghetti sauce, pancake mix, fruit, tomato sauce, boxes of potato mix, canned tuna or chicken, and peanut butter. Whatever you decide to donate to the will be greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance for your support of this annual food drive.

## BLONDIE



North Dakota Barbers Association will be having the 2015 Convention at the Spirit Lake Casino in Devils Lake, ND. Devils Lake is known for the Fort Totten State Historic Site, Lake Region Pioneer Daughters' Museum, Lake Region Heritage Center, Sulley's Hill National Game Preserve, Graham's Island, Speedway, and Spirit Lake Casino. Come to the Devils Lake area and hope to see everyone at the convention this year!



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## From the 2014 Convention



- 1.) Guest artist, Christina Goree from Wahl Razor, explaining her first haircut she will do on model Mike Klostreich.
- 2.) Tyler Frank of Wyoming Casing, with his presentation on the oil industry in Western North Dakota.
- 3, 4, & 5.) Christina Goree with her model from the start to the finished haircut.
- 6.) Travis Zenker presenting outgoing Association President, Mike Klostreich with a plaque for his years of service.
- 7.) Our evening entertainment after the banquet, Gordy Pratt.

## MOLER BARBER COLLEGE

Hello fellow barbers! The school had two students graduate in January. One has landed an apprentice barber position in Grand Forks, the other returned to Riverton, Wyoming. There are currently 9 students enrolled, with more starting soon. There seems to be a lot of interest in barbering lately. I think the general public is acknowledging and respecting our profession so much more now than in the past several years! That's great for us barbers!



Many of the students plan to attend the convention, so please talk to them if you might be interested in hiring a barber!  
I am looking forward to seeing all of you in Devils Lake.  
Remember, you are all like "family" to me!

-Mary Cannon

## SEEKING CANDIDATES

The Barber Association is seeking candidates that would be interested in serving on the association. The involvement is minimal and the association meets just three times per year and that includes the convention. Please give it some thought.

## CONTINUING EDUCATION

State Barber Examiners would like to remind barbers that they need six hours of continuing education every two years. The cost of the convention video is the same as if you were attending the annual convention. Why not attend in person and socialize with your fellow barbers?



Children with Hair Loss — Lance Ekern reported that \$508.00 was collected from the convention last year and sent to Children with Hair Loss. Thank you so much for your generosity to this wonderful organization.

## Code of Ethics

It shall be My Responsibility and My Duty as a Barber of North Dakota:

► TO PROMOTE in every possible way, in collaboration with my association, good grooming for my patrons.

► TO PERFORM diligently, whether the patron wishes one or all of the services available.

► TO GIVE the patron every possible protection against infectious and contagious disease.

► TO EXPLAIN professional barber services that patrons may need and to advise when other professional care seems advisable.

► TO ADHERE conscientiously to sanitary precautions as they pertain to the shop patron and self.

► TO RESPECT my patrons confidence and hold in trust personal information.

► TO PROMOTE a better profession through continual education and improvement of technique.

► TO CONDUCT myself as an exemplary citizen and display a professional attitude in my relationship with other barbers.

► TO DEDICATE myself toward fulfilling the challenges and obligations set forth in this code.

Barber Association Mission Statement:  
"Purpose of the Corporation, to maintain and promote high standards of barbering."

