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10:00-4:00 Civil War Camp with history of the area
10:00-4:00 Kids' Activities- Kiddle Train Rides, Bounce House, Petting Zoo,
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10:00-4:00 Craft Show / Flea Market
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10:30-3:00 Lion's Food Concessions Open
11:00-11:45 Kids' Entertainment Mr. Steve - Pavilion
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10:00-2:00 Cow Pie & Chicken Poo Bingo at the Petting Zoo
12:00 Tractor & Truck Parade of Power
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1:00 Live Music- Jazz In Progress
1:30 PEDAL PULL (sign up at 1:00) for Kids
3:00-11:30 Beer Garden by Pub West
3:00-4:00 Garden Tractor Skills Competition
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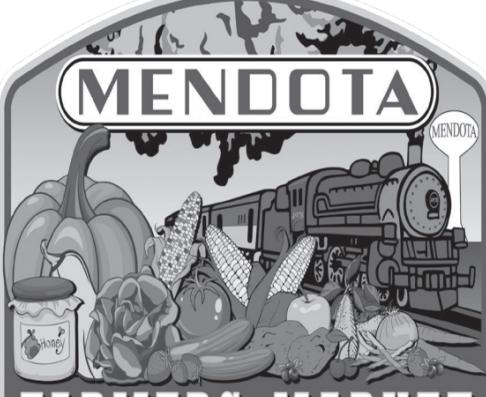
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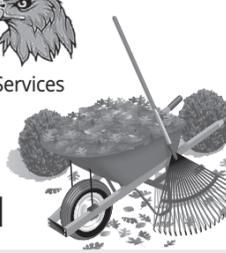
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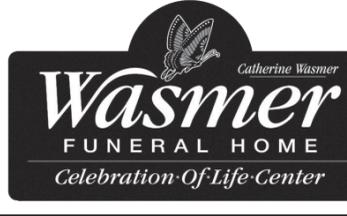
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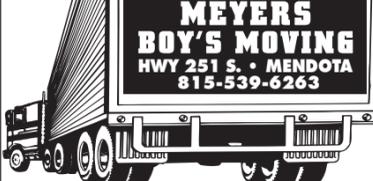
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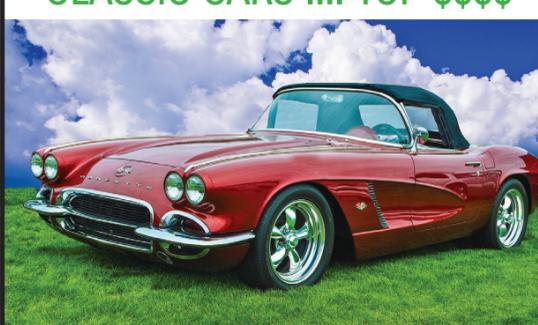
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