

Hello you from all of us at Greater Midwest Realty!

On Sunday, July 31 at the Kanabec County Fair, we'll be hosting the Second Annual county-wide Cornhole Benefit Tournament to raise funds for the Alternative Learning Center here in Mora. We're planning for a great event – even better than last year! Cornhole Tournaments are wildly popular events around the country, especially as fund-raisers; last year we drew participants from all over and outside of Kanabec County. We hope again to raise a solid scholarship fund.

The Mora Alternative Learning Center offers a flexible and personalized learning environment for at-risk and non-traditional students. Housed in the Mora high school, the ALC offers a variety of programs including independent study, seat-based middle school programming, night school and summer credit recovery. Each year hundreds of students grades 7-12 take part in some form of ALC education.

We'll be promoting the event with businesses in Mora, Ogilvie, Cambridge and Braham and with Cornhole Associations in the north metro area. All of the money raised will go directly to the ALC after we've found our two Diamond Sponsors.

Our goal for this second event is to raise a minimum of \$3,000 for the ALC; last year we raised a little more than \$2,500. Money will be raised with entry fees, donations and our prize wheel. Sponsors will be recognized at three levels:

Two Diamond Sponsors: Cash or prizes with a value of \$150 or more

Ten Gold Sponsors: Cash or prizes with a value of \$50.00 or more

Unlimited Silver Sponsors: Cash or prizes with a value of \$10.00 or more

We decided to let you know about this event by email rather than with a personal visit, because we know that our local businesses, especially the banks, are so frequently asked to contribute to various causes and events and we didn't want you to feel that pressure with this one. If you have an interest in becoming a sponsor at any level, please contact one of us at the numbers below so that we can begin to promote your participation. We're hoping to find our two Diamond Sponsors right away so that those can be shared on all of our promotional materials.

In keeping with our no-pressure philosophy, we won't be following up this note with a call or visit. We will, however, let you know via email when the two Diamond sponsorships are no longer available and when the ten Gold sponsorships have been claimed. Call us right away to claim a sponsorship and to become a participant in a really exciting and beneficial event for so many of our disadvantaged kids in the County. See you at the Fair!

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2016 Greater Midwest Realty/Alternative Learning Center

SECOND ANNUAL BENEFIT CORNHOLE TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

July 31st at the Kanabec County Fairgrounds

The Alternative Learning Center, housed in the Mora high school, offers a personalized environment for at-risk and non-traditional students. Each year hundreds of students benefit from ALC education efforts with independent study, night school and summer credit recovery.

Team name (optional) _____

Player 1: _____

Address and email: _____

Phone: _____

Player 2: _____

Address and email: _____

Phone: _____

Entry fee: \$40.00 per team early registration. Same day registration will be \$45.00 per team. Registration fee is non-refundable. Registration will end at 11:15 on game day. Practice rounds will be held from 10:00-11:30. The Tournament will begin at noon.

The Tournament format is Round Robin – each team will get to play a minimum of 4 games. The top eight teams will advance to a Championship single elimination round.

FIRST AND SECOND PLACE WINNERS WILL RECEIVE CASH PRIZES: First Place - \$150.00 Second Place - \$100.00

To register, complete this form and mail it to (or drop it off at) Greater Midwest Realty, 36 Union St. N. Mora, MN 55051 Attention: ALC Scholarship. Checks should be made out to: ALC Scholarship Fund.

Waiver: On behalf of myself and any and all of those who may have right to seek recourse on my behalf, I hereby waive, release and forever discharge all sponsors, representatives, agents, participants, officials, the Kanabec County Fair and all others connected with the Tournament from any and all claims that may accrue for any injuries or damages incurred by me in connection with my association with, during or after the Tournament. I fully understand that I possess the proper physical and mental capabilities to participate. My signature below indicates my review and agreement to these terms and all the rules, regulations and decisions of the Tournament Committee.

Player 1: _____ Player 2: _____