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Corry Shevlin Named New CEO of JSDC



We are pleased to announce that the Board of Directors has approved Corry Shevlin as our new chief executive officer!

Corry has been with the JSDC for almost nine years and will formally begin his time as CEO on March 1st.

In addition to serving the JSDC from intern to Business Development Manager in the past nine years, he also currently serves on the Board of

Directors for both the Economic Development Association of North Dakota and the MidAmerica Economic Development Council.

Outgoing CEO Connie Ova will begin working three days a week as Corry steps into his new role. She looks forward to begin her transition to retirement, while still being about to help with JSDC's major projects. She has stated that she feels very comfortable turning over the role to Corry.

We look forward to seeing what the future will bring with these exciting new changes!

Internship Reimbursement Program Guidelines Changed

The JSDC Board of Directors voted to approve guideline changes to the current Internship Reimbursement Program, as suggested



by the Existing Business Committee.

Employers that wish to take advantage of this program, please note that the JSDC is now asking that student interns be within two years of graduation/completing their program and can only

qualify for funding for one semester.

Daycare Expansion Applications Now Available

The application for our new daycare expansion assistance program is now available!

Please contact the JSDC at info@growingjamestown.com for an application or more information.



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Looking to grow your business? Unsure where to start? Learn from experts about important business practices and how to navigate the industry. The <u>JREC's 2023 Virtual Women's Business Conference</u> is scheduled for March 6th thru 10th. All virtual seminars are free.

For more information and to register, $\underline{\text{click here}}$ or contact

Katherine Roth.

Jamestown Tourism Unveils New Vlog Series

In a new vlog series, Warren and his sister Tamela experience the many unique ways to discover Jamestown, North Dakota!

Check out <u>Jamestown Tourism</u> on YouTube for weekly uploads. There's always something to do in Jamestown!



Medina Economic Development to Host Informational Pancake Brunch



The Medina Economic Development (MED) is working towards building a multi-faceted business space for their community. Potential uses for this space include a clinic, laundromat, meeting space, business center with rental offices, and more.

The informational brunch on this topic will take place at the Medina City Hall on March 25th at 10 a.m.

<u>Follow them on Facebook</u> to stay up-to-date on this, and other events!

Jamestown Chamber to Host Lunch & Learn and More

Join the Jamestown Chamber of Commerce for their <u>Workforce Lunch & Learn</u> on March 30th as they discuss foreign worker programs.

The Chamber will also be hosting a<u>Ladies AG</u>
<u>Night</u> on the topic of rain barrels. These will take place on March 23rd and 30th. The first session will be informational and the second will involve actually making a rain barrel for your home!





On the Search for More Local Events?

Jamestown Tourism hosts a **local events calendar** to help visitors and community members plan the month ahead. This calendar also serves local businesses as a talent recruitment tool to showcase the community, so please **register your events!** Whether your business hosts a trivia night, your restaurant brings in local music, or you lead a group yoga class, Jamestown wants to know about it! Would you like to add your event to the calendar? Just **click on the link** and create an account to get started.

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