

## News Release

# Ox Cart Days Ice Cream Social on Wednesday, August 12, 2015, on the Campus Mall

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The 2015 Ox Cart Days festival will kick off with the annual Ice Cream Social on Wednesday, August 12, 2015, at the University of Minnesota Crookston from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. on the Campus Mall. **At 5 p.m., the first clue for the 2015 Ox Cart Days Medallion Hunt will be announced.** Free ice cream will be provided, along with a musical entertainment by the Woodpicks, a regional acoustic band that plays gospel, bluegrass, country, and Americana music. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend this free event.

The UMC Bookstore will be open from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. that day and will offer a \$6.99 t-shirt sale. Minnesota State Fair tickets also will be available at a reduced price. The theme for Ox Cart Days, which runs August 12-16, is "On the Trail to the Future." It features the newest carnival in town, a classic car show, bed races, 5k & 10k races, airboat rides and more. To learn more, visit [www.oxcartdaysfestival.com](http://www.oxcartdaysfestival.com).

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