Devils Lake's Dockside Entertainment Center is now open after years of hard work – Grand Forks Herald

Description

A new family entertainment center called Dockside has opened in Devils Lake, thanks to a sales tax initiative passed in 2022. The center, which used to be a grocery store, offers various attractions such as bowling lanes, sports simulators, an indoor playground, multi-sport courts, and more. It has been a hit since opening day, with local students visiting on field trips. The park district, which funded the project with the sales tax increase, also added a turf baseball field and a fishing pond. The goal is for Dockside to be self-sustaining so that the district can focus on future projects based on community feedback. Residents are thrilled with the new center, and the district is excited about the positive response. The project manager, Christy Remmick, is proud to see the community enjoying the facility that took years of effort to bring to life.

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Vocabulary List:

1. **Initiative** // (noun): A new plan or process to achieve something.

2. **Attractions** // (noun): Features or activities that draw people to a place.
3. **Self-sustaining** // (adjective): Able to continue by itself without external support.
4. **Feedback** // (noun): Comments or opinions about something.
5. **Excited** // (adjective): Feeling great enthusiasm or eagerness.
6. **Facility** // (noun): A place or building providing a particular service or activity.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. Which event typically involves music food and various activities for people to enjoy?

   Option: Election
   Option: Festival
   Option: Protest
   Option: Conference

2. Which term is commonly used to describe someone being in the right mood or rhythm?

   Option: Groove
   Option: Stumble
   Option: Pause
   Option: Stuck

3. Which word describes something that is highly regarded and respected?

   Option: Ordinary
   Option: Prestigious
   Option: Humble
   Option: Insignificant

4. What term is commonly used to refer to a building or place providing a particular service?

   Option: Field
   Option: Facility
   Option: Wilderness
   Option: Jungle

5. Which word best describes an experience that is full of excitement and intense emotions?

   Option: Boring
   Option: Thrilling
   Option: Dull
   Option: Routine

6. Which word is a synonym for "electrifying"?

Option: Tiring
Option: Exhausting
Option: Exhilarating
Option: Soothing

7. Which term means a feeling of strong dislike or disapproval?

Option: Admiration
Option: Respect
Option: Disdain
Option: Appreciation

8. Which word best describes a topic that causes disagreement or argument among people?

Option: Agreeable
Option: Accepted
Option: Controversial
Option: Harmonious

9. What term is used to describe comments or suggestions about a product or service provided?

Option: Output
Option: Input
Option: Feedback
Option: Response

10. Which term is used to refer to a range of different things?

Option: Uniformity
Option: Monotony
Option: Similarity
Option: Variety

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. Success is often the result of hard work and _____ .

12. The _____ view from the mountaintop took our breath away.

13. I am so _____ for the upcoming concert!

14. Our trip to Paris was truly _____; we will cherish those memories forever.

15. Mutual respect is essential in any relationship for it to thrive.

16. She was _____ with the surprise birthday party her friends threw for her.

17. The city has many tourist _____ that draw visitors from around the world.

18. The event will _____ the latest advancements in technology.

19. The company promotes _____ by welcoming employees from diverse backgrounds.

20. She took the _____ to organize a charity event for the local community.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. The romantic movie was a favorite for anyone who considered themselves a true romantic.
22. The red carpet event was with celebrities and famous personalities.
23. The tension in the room was palpable creating an atmosphere of discomfort and .
24. The project aimed to create a ecosystem that would thrive independently.
25. His remarks were criticized as being and offensive towards women.
26. She wore a gown to the gala event turning heads as she entered the room.
27. During the contentious meeting there were several as a form of protest.
28. The announcement of the new product launch generated a lot of among customers.
29. After years of being apart the long-lost siblings were finally .
30. Their collective to improve the community led to significant positive changes.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Festival 2. Groove 3. Prestigious 4. Facility 5. Thrilling 6. Exhilarating 7. Disdain 8. Controversial 9. Feedback 10. Variety

Gap-Fill: 11. Efforts 12. Scenic 13. Excited 14. Unforgettable 15. Mutual 16. Delighted 17. Attractions 18. Showcase 19. Inclusivity 20. Initiative

Matching sentence: 1. Lover 2. Studded 3. Unease 4. Self-sustaining 5. Misogynistic 6. Fancy 7. Walkouts 8. Excitement 9. Reunited 10. Efforts

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