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HIGHLIGHTS OF THE American Mensa Ltd. 41st Annual Gathering ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA, RADISSON RIVERFRONT HOTEL

Wednesday, July 2

- 3:00 p.m. – Chess Tournament
- 4:00 p.m. - Myers-Briggs Testing
- 7:00 p.m. – Joke-Off

Thursday, July 3

- 9:30 a.m. – *Generational Trends in Mensa*
- 10:00 a.m. – **The Bureaucratic Maze** : Members find their way through an actual maze by carrying forms from one desk to another.
- 10:00 a.m. – Blood Drive
- 10:30 a.m. – *Baby Signing: Two-Way Communication Before Baby Speaks*
- 10:30 a.m. – *Dumb Things Smart People Do*
- 10:30 a.m. – Teen/Adult Mensa Squares: A take-off on the popular TV show
- 2:00 p.m. - Tango Lessons
- 6:00 p.m. – Spelling Bee
- 9:00 p.m. – **Looney Tooney Ball**: Costume ball with prizes for best female and male cartoon character costume, best animal costume, and most unusual costume.

Friday, July 4

- 10:30 a.m. - *Introduction to Belly Dancing*
- 11:30 a.m. – Mensa Awards Luncheon
- 2:00 p.m. – Trivia Challenge Tournament
- 3:00 p.m. – **MR. AG2003 Pageant**: Members compete for the title of “Mr. AG.” Judges will consider the bathing suit, eveningwear, talent, and interview competitions when crowning Mr. AG. Finalists will be auctioned off for a Saturday night dinner date to raise funds for Mensa’s scholarship programs.
- 6:45 p.m. - Mississippi Meander: Mensans celebrate Independence Day with fireworks and a river boat ride.

Saturday, July 5

- 9:00 a.m. – **Mensa Admission Test at the Radisson City Center**: The public is invited to take the Mensa Admission Test. The cost is \$30. Candidates must be age 14 or older and present a picture ID.
- 10:30 a.m. – *EQ and the IQ Connection*
- 2:30 p.m. - *Optimization of Intellectual Capacities*
- 4:30 p.m. - *Homeschooling: Education Outside the Box*
- 9:30 p.m. – Northern Lights Ball

Throughout the event, a *Kids Trek* will take children through a figurative tour of Minnesota. From the hotel, children will learn about the SPAM museum, the Minnesota Twins, Paul Bunyan, Fort Snelling, and the state’s wildlife. Children’s activities will take place from 8:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. on Thursday, July 3; Friday, July 4; and Saturday, July 5.

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The High IQ Society
