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## Business as usual

### Chamber hosts ninth annual expo

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**FOLEY** – Roughly 350 people attended the 2019 Foley Area Business Expo Feb. 2. The Foley Area Chamber of Commerce has organized the event for nine years. Falcon National Bank was the sponsor this year. The event hosted nearly 40 vendor booths at the Foley High School gymnasium. A free-will donation breakfast was served by C.R.O.S.S. Center. Just for Kix dancers and the University of Minnesota Raptor Center served as entertainment.



PHOTOS BY ELIZABETH HOAG  
Paula Capes (from left), Jamie Thielman, Sue Stowe, Linda King and Merle Stowe play jeopardy at the Falcon National Bank booth Feb. 2 in Foley. The 2019 Foley Area Business Expo brought in around 350 people.

Sarah Ploeger (left) mans the Life Choice's booth as Allison Graham spins the wheel to win a prize in Foley Feb. 2. Thirty-seven businesses had booths set up for the 2019 Foley Area Business Expo



Marcy Johnston fills bags of popcorn at the State Farm Insurance booth in Foley Feb. 2. The 2019 Foley Area Business Expo took place at the Foley High School.



Nora Keating (from left), Caitlyn Moulzolf, Summer Pietrzak, Sadie Rudh and Rihanna Hansmeier dance during the 2019 Foley Area Business Expo Feb. 2 in Foley. The girls are part of Just for Kix.



A red tail hawk stands on Kelly Scott's arm Feb. 2 in the Foley High School gymnasium in Foley. Scott attended the 2019 Foley Area Business Expo on behalf of the University of Minnesota Raptor Center.



Zoey Hamilton throws a bean bag while playing the bean bag toss at the First National Bank of Milaca booth Feb. 2 at the 2019 Foley Area Business Expo in Foley. Roughly 350 people attended the event.