

100th Black Hills Roundup 22 DAYS to July 4th, 2019

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Final Parade Route **Approved**

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BELLE FOURCHE - The Belle Fourche City Council gave unanimous approval to the final 2019 July 4th Roundup parade route during it's regular meeting June 3rd.

By a vote of 6-0 with two absent, the council approved the modified parade route due to the delayed completion of the Hay Creek Bridge on 8th Avenue.

"We'll still have a 2-mile parade route," said Steve Nafus, Interim City Engineer. "It's a case of Mother Nature just wasn't with us."

Heavy rains and flooding pushed by completion of the new Hay Creek Bridge from mid-June to the end of July or first part of August. The goal now, Nafus said, is to get it done before the school buses start running in late August.

The parade will begin at the intersection of Elkhorn Street and National, proceeding through downtown, turning a block south on Hwy 85, then angling onto Railroad Street to 8th Avenue, south to Jackson Street where the parade will end in front of the police station.

According to Mark Leverington, Black Hills Rounzdup Parade Chairman, the festivities will begin on July 4th with a B-1 Bomber flyover at 10:30am sharp. Parade watchers are encouraged to get to a viewing location early due to the large crowds expected for the 100th anniversary of the Roundup.

The Black Hills Roundup July 4th Grand Parade is the largest holiday parade in this region. The theme for this year's parade is "Celebrating our Roots in Boots." Grand Marshalls are all the past Roundup Committee Chairmen and Chairwomen. Leverington expects at least 15 of them to be in attendance in the parade.

Deadline for parade entries is June 15th For more parade information visit the website BlackHillsRoundup.com.

Hometown Thursdays Begins June with October Road



OCTOBER ROAD TAKES TO THE STREET - A great crowd was on hand in downtown Belle Fourche for the Hometown Thursdays kick-off event. Perfect weather greeted citizens as they strolled the downtown area visiting vendors and shops while dancing and listening to the music of the North Dakota band October Road. - Beacon Photo

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Hometown Thursdays kicked off last week with an appearance by the band October Road. A beautiful early summer evening of near perfect weather, the Fargo/ Morehead-based four-member band filled downtown with a blend of rock and roll and pop-infused country that had a good-sized crowd moving to the music.

Several vendors lined the streets and the event provided an opportunity for event goers to browse downtown shops as well. Thursday's concert wqas sponsored by Ring Container and Tri-State Construction.

This was the first of seven scheduled bands to perform during the series. This week, on June 13th, the ever-popular Dustin Evans & The Good Times band will take the stage. They are sponsored by First Interstate Bank of Belle Fourche and Thiel & Associates.

The series is free and open

HOMETOWN THURSDAYS SCHEDULE

Concerts Begin at 6:30pm | Downtown Belle Fourche on State Street

June 13

Dustin Evans & The Good Times Sponsored by: First Interstate Bank of Belle Fourche / Thiel & Associates

June 20

Judd Hoos Sponsored by: Ring Container / Bunney's Body & Collision / Pioneer Bank

June 27

encouraged to attend. There

are kid-friendly activities as

well as food and the various

vendors. Concerts are held on

State Street downtown near 7th

During the week of July 4th

Hometown Thursdays will give

way to festivities associated

Roundup. The Roundup will

host a street dance Thursday,

with the 100th Black Hills

Sondogs

Sponsored by: Tri-State Chiropractic / Waddell 7 Reed - Cindy Goeringer

July 11

Common Law Sponsored by: Ring Container / Morris Law Firm

July 18

Brandon Jones Sponsored by: David Pummel & Associates / Eaton Construction

July 25

Church of Cash Music Sponsored by: Dakota Lumber / F.L. Clarkson Family Foundation

July 4th beginning at 6:00pm. to the public and families are **Pine Slope Personalities**

Johnny Spaulding Questers will present the 2019 Pine Slope Personalities, reenactment of the lives of area personalities buried in Belle Fourche's Pine Slope Cemetery June 15, 1pm. The event features presentations to an outdoor audience with chairs provided by the city's cemetery crew. If the weather is inclement the event will be held at the new Pine Slope Cemetery

Jim Newland will be portrayed by his son Wilber Newland. The Newland family had been in the area for several generations when the first Black Hills Round-up was held on July 4th, 1918. Jim was born

in Belle Fourche in 1911 to Wilbur and Lucilla Newland, area ranchers. Jim never missed a Round-up performance during his lifetime until his death in

Other lives to be presented are Faye Kennedy by Lucy Cole, area promotor and newspaper reporter; Dan McCutchen reenacted by Jim Doolittle; a local lawyer who was active in the conception of the Tri-State Round-up, a fund raiser for the Red Cross during WWI; Peggy Davis, portrayed by her granddaughter Chandy Davis Olson; wool dealer Bill Schuft (actor Vern Bills) who was active on the Round-up Committee

for 40 years and was on the National Rodeo Management Association representing 104 rodeos; Oval Brownfield was a rancher who retired to Belle with his horse Candy used to entertain local children, portrayed by Stan Hefner. The final two Pine Slope personalities are Jane Countryman and Jean Craig Evans, reenacted by Jane's daughter Kay Heck and Jean Claire Hamblin; these ladies were part of the famous Bit and Spur Club, a horse and rider quadrille act, which was a square dance on horseback act which was first organized in 1938. (See photo below)



FOUR-LEGGED SQUARE DANCE - Shown here is the Bit and Spur Club Quadrille performed in the Roundup Arena in the 1950's. In essence it was a horse and rider square dance act. -Photo Courtesy of the Jim Ross Family

Payson Birkeland Wins 2nd Straight Class A State Title



Payson Birkeland during Class A State Tourney at Lee Park Golf Course Aberdeen Photo Courtesy SDPB

ABERDEEN: SDPB: Aberdeen played host to the Girls Class A tournament, which witnessed a familiar individual standing atop the podium at the end of the event - Payson Birkeland of Belle Fourche. Birkeland technically placed second last year, but was bumped up to the first place spot when Kate Wynja of Sioux Falls Christian was disqualified for signing an incorrect score-

The mistake by Wynja not only cost her the individual title, but it also dropped her team out of first in the standings. Birkeland had just won a state championship, but nobody was talking about her, they were only talking about Wynja. If there was ever better fuel for motivation going into the 2019 season for Birkeland, this was it - her chance to prove that even though a rule technicality awarded her with a state title, she herself, was not a fluke.

Birkeland finished the 2019 state tournament in Aberdeen on Tuesday at nine-over-par, a three stroke advantage over Lauren Tims of Sioux Falls

Christian, and a four stroke lead over Kelsey Heath of Sisseton and Mya Maxwell of Madison.

The Belle Fourche senior said she came into the state tournament this year wanting to make a statement, and now that's it over, she's overcome with joy.

"It's incredible for me, because I'm not only playing for myself, I'm representing Belle Fourche, I'm representing west river even. I've got my brothers back home cheering, they're out working today and my mom is working right now. I'm playing for all of them, it's not just me,' explained Birkeland. "To be able to come out and do this, it means the world to me, because it proves that I deserve to be here, and all the work I've put in has really paid off. Everyone kept saying 'make west river proud,' so that is what I was trying to do."

Next year, Birkeland will evolve from a Bronc to a Cowboy when she attends the University of Wyoming - a school she is committed to playing women's golf for. On top of that, she wants to study to become a nurse.



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money for our fire department. We serve in other ways too, because we want to give back to this great community. You can trust us, because we really do care about you. We serve the Western SD region and we'd be honored to help you.

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Obituaries

Ryan Ribordy 20

Ryan Ribordy, age 20 of Belle Fourche, died Sunday, June 2nd, 2019 at Rapid City.

The funeral service was held 10 am Saturday, June 8th, 2019 at the United Methodist Church in Belle Fourche. A visitation was held Friday, June 7th at Leverington Funeral Home of the Northern Hills in Belle Fourche. Interment took place in Pine Slope Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials are preferred.

Friends may leave written condolences and view his video tribute at: www.funeralhomeofthenorthernhills.com

Ryan William Ribordy was born June 10, 1998 in Spearfish. He was the son of Ronald and Sonia (Ugland) Ribordy. Ryan grew up in Belle Fourche where as a young boy you would see him playing soccer and baseball and he belonged to the cub scouts for a time. He graduated from Belle Fourche high school in 2016. He worked at Lynn's Dakotamart for almost 5 years and during part of this time he was proud to be the youngest manager to have worked there. For the past several months, Ryan has lived in Rapid City where he was a student at Western Dakota Tech. There he enjoyed being part of the I.T. program and he liked to help others in the program.

Ryan was a unique young man who walked to the beat of his own drum. He had his own style and never worried about fitting in with the crowd.

He was witty and kind and he enjoyed learning different things like speaking German or playing



guitar. He read literature that was deep and complicated. He was a great writer; he enjoyed World War II history and collecting unique knives. Ryan served on the Belle Fourche Volunteer Fire Department for a short time, and he enjoyed hunting and camping. He liked music, but it had to be rock and roll and heavy metal He loved his family very much, and he was a great "big brother" and a wonderful son and grandson

He suffered from depression for several years, and he always called

home when he was down and needed help. But this time he didn't and it's so hard to understand why. He will be missed forever. He was a great young

Ryan is survived by his parents, Ron and Sonia Ribordy of Belle Fourche; brother, Reese of Belle Fourche; paternal grandfather, Bill Ribordy (fiancé' Bonnie Hespe) of Belle Fourche; maternal grandparents, Howard and Connie Ugland of Spearfish; paternal great grandmother, Gussie Ribordy of Spearfish; aunts and uncles, Renee' and Colin Thompson of Whitewood, Edward (fiancé' Kristin) Ugland of Rapid City, Tracey Ugland of Casa Grande AZ, Travis and Melinda Ugland of Spearfish; and several cousins and friends.

He was preceded in death by his paternal grandmother, Sharon "Joy" Ribordy.

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James Barry Ross 89

James Barry Ross passed away June 6, 2019 at Ft. Meade Hospice in Sturgis, SD two hours shy of his 90th birthday. Jim was born June 7, 1929 to George and Katie (Heinbaugh) Ross.

Jim was a 1947 graduate of Belle Fourche High School. He spent his teen years working various jobs at local businesses. After graduation he worked as a photographer and reporter for the Belle Fourche Daily Post. In 1951 he was drafted into

the US Army, where he served two years during the Korean Conflict as a photographer. His military service also included 4 years in the inactive Naval Reserve. Upon his discharge from the army, he returned to work at the Daily Post.

In 1955 he married Dorothy Ann Yaeger and they had five children. Jim became office manager for the Belle Fourche Livestock Exchange in 1960. He then went to work in shipping and accounting at the International Mineral and Chemical Corporation bentonite plant at Colony, Wyoming. In 1987 he joined the newly-formed Manufacturing Systems, Inc. (Tru-Catch Traps) as office manager and served on the Board of Directors as secretary treasurer. He retired from MSI in 1999, but continued to serve on the board until 2018. As owner of Jim Ross Photography, he did commercial, wedding, and baby photography.



Jim was a Boy Scout, achieving Life Rank. He loved Belle Fourche and was proud to be a native. He was involved with many community organizations and served on the board of several; the Jaycees, the youth softball association, the Chamber of Commerce, the Economic Development Corp, and the Western South Dakota Traffic Bureau. He served three terms on the Belle Fourche City Council.

Jim was preceded in death by his parents, his brother Larry; brother-in-law William (Bud) Yaeger and sister-in-law Donna Yaeger. He is survived by his wife of 64 years, Dorothy, his children, Alan (Mary) Ross of Sioux Falls, SD; Barry (Sapna) Ross of Santa Barbara, CA; Paula (John) Alden of Tucson, AZ; Wade Ross of Yankton, SD and Dana (Bonnie) Ross of Spearfish, SD; 12 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren. He is also survived by his sisters-in-law, Donabel Ross and Barbara Franzen, as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Services will be held at Black Hills National Cemetery at a later date. In lieu of flowers, gifts may be made to the VA Hospice or VA Hospice Auxiliary. An online guest book is available at klinefuneral-chapel.com

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Marilyn Yvonne Liming 91

Marilyn "Shorty" Liming passed away peacefully on Thursday, June 6, 2019

She was born December 19, 1927 on the family farm in Sherman, SD to Magnus Elias and Effie (Bakke) Monger. She loved being raised on the farm and had so many wonderful memories. This was where her optimistic characteristics began—her faith in the Lord, love of life and family, respect for others and work ethics.

She attended school in Jasper, MN. She commented that the war started when she entered High School and

ended when she graduated. Upon graduation, she made a trip to New York with a cousin under the provisions from her mother that when she returned, she would start Nurse's training in the fall. She entered the Cadet Nursing program at Augustana College in Sioux Falls, SD, which was a 3-year school and graduated in 1948.

Following graduation, she and friends/fellow nurses, Wanda Kling, Lonita Zorn, Ruth Lancaster and Audrey Anderson were recruited and came to Belle Fourche to work at John Burns Memorial Hospital. She worked there and then at Belle Fourche Health Care Center until her retirement. Nursing was truly her passion and she helped train many people in the medical profession. Her nurturing qualities and pride in her profession made her a very respected nurse.

Shorty met Lyle Liming after she moved to Belle Fourche. They were married on August 1, 1950 at the family farm in Sherman, SD. They raised their three children, Patti, Ron and Dawn in Belle Fourche.

One of her most distinctive attributes was her joyful and infectious laugh. It could be heard loud and often. Our "little Mary Sunshine" always tried to find the positive in everything...there was always a rainbow or silver lining.

Volunteering was a stance Shorty believed in. She was quick to jump in and help with church functions, community, family and friends. Some things might be out of her "comfort zone" but she found a way.

Friends were plentiful with Shorty. Anyone that met her felt welcome and comfortable. She loved to host family get-togethers. Providing a meal and 'place to land' was her gift to many—and all who accepted were appreciative. And good luck getting away without taking some food with you!

Shorty was raised to have a strong faith in the Lord. She was active in church council, choir, ladies Circle and Altar Guild. She encouraged the same for her children,



and the faith continues for other gen-

erations.
She was known for her delicious, made-with-love meals and caramel rolls. When Christmas time rolled around, she would be busy preparing

her yummy chocolate caramels, divin-

ity and fudge. She would individually

wrap each piece of candy to keep them fresh and deliver these treats to family, friends and functions. She mailed many "Care Packages" to military members and college students.

Shorty had a love for music—listen-

ing, singing or dancing to it. She and

Lyle danced beautifully together and often. If you were one of the fortunate ones, you got involved in a card game, which could get rather rambunctious from Pinochle to SPOONS with Zorn's to 5-handed Solitaire until the wee hours of the morning—snacks were included.

Some of the highlights in her life were: numerous trips to AORN conventions with her "girls" from Rapid City; golfing with Wanda and Lonita; a trip to Hawaii; numerous trips to visit family on the East and West Coasts, Las Vegas, Minnesota and eastern SD.

Her eyes really sparkled when she was around her grandchildren and great-grandchildren---"they are just darlings".

Shorty had resided at Tender Care Assisted Living for two years and Garden Hills Hospice care until her passing, where she was lovingly attended to by family and friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Lyle (June 14, 2017); her parents, Magnus and Effie; four sisters, an infant sister, Joyce Profilet, and Verna Mae Gilbertson and a brother, Ardean Monger.

She is survived by her children: Patti (Tom) Joehnck of Snohomish, WA; Ron Liming of Belle Fourche, SD; Dawn (Larry) Draine of Boyes, MT; her sister Bette Bauman of Jasper, MN; seven grandchildren, Jamie (Robert) Crane, Trent (Jessi) Joehnck, Nick (Jill) Liming, David Liming, Tim (Joni) Draine, Stacie (Kelly Ostendorf), James (Dani) Draine and twelve great-grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews.

Visitation will be one hour before services at the church. Funeral services will be held Wednesday, June 12 at 11:00 AM at St. James Lutheran Church in Belle Fourche. Interment will follow at 2:30 PM at Black Hills National Cemetery near Sturgis.

Memorials may be made to the charity of one's

hoice.

An online guest book is available at klinefuneralchapel.com

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Pastor's Perspective

This week's Pastor's Perspective is provided by Pastor Andy Anderson of Emmanuel Baptist Church.

Saying Goodbye

This past week has been a particularly hard week. A friend of mine suddenly and unexpectedly passed away. It has been a time of sorrow but also a time of deep reflection on the beliefs,

faith and hope that I have in my Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. My friend shared the same beliefs, faith and hope in the Lord. It hurts to say goodbye, but I know I will see him again sometime in the future. Being a minister, I've been to and have conducted many funerals. I've read many obituaries. I can see the hope of some and the hopelessness of others. Jesus Christ came to give us hope, a hope that surpasses all human understanding. A hope that extends well beyond the grave.

1Pe 3:15 But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asks you a reason of the hope that is in you

with meekness and fear: Prior to 1986, I was without hope and purpose. I lived for myself and no other. I was miserable. It was in March of 1986 that the Lord Jesus Christ radically

changed my life forever. It was in a little country church in England that God convicted me of my sin and revealed my need for His Son Jesus Christ in my life. I gave my heart and my life totally to Jesus and my life has never been the same. I'm not saying that I don't have any problems or that my life is perfect, but I now know who holds the future and that He is able to carry me through the troubles of today and tomorrow. I'm no longer a man without hope and purpose. I have sanctified the Lord God in my heart. My heart and life are set apart for

Because of what the Lord has done in my life, how He has

taken me from being broken, fearful, lonely, having an aimless life without hope to a person who sees a bright future ahead despite the troubles of the world. I desire to tell others. I know that God is in control and will see me through the deepest waters and the darkest times. I say goodbye to my friend, my brother in Christ, as sad and hard as it is, I know that our separation is but temporary. One day we will be walking the streets of gold together with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and all who have placed their faith in Him. It will be a time of great rejoicing. I pray that everyone reading this has this hope. If not, you can have it if you will place your faith in Jesus Christ. To know more visit us on the web at ebcbf.org or truelife.org or come visit us. God loves you and He wants you to know of that love and the hope He has to offer.

-Blessings, Pastor Andy.

Obituaries contd.



Houghton "H.B." Burch 99

Houghton "H.B." Burch, 99, of Belle Fourche passed away June 8, 2019 at the Ft. Meade VA Hospice in Sturgis, SD.

H.B. was born September 3, 1919 in Ridgeway, MT to Robert and Aleta (McDaniel) Burch. He completed 8th grade at a country school in Ridgeway. He served in the United States Army during

H.B. married Edna "Eddie" Jackson February 3, 1945 at Yuba City, CA. He brought Eddie back

to the Tri-State area where he ranched until 1980. They retired to Safford, AZ where he silversmith and goldsmith making jewelry. They returned to Spearfish in 1999 due to Eddie's failing health. During her final years H.B. dedicated himself to her care until she passed away in 2004.

After Eddies passing, he took up his old hobby of tooling leather. He was a people person and an animal lover. He loved music, played the guitar and harmonica and would hum while he worked on leather.

He is survived by his children, Tim (Linda) Burch of Colony, WY, LaRita (Dick) Cheatham of Rustburg, VA and Darrel Burch of Belle



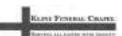
Fourche; grandchildren, Jodi Burch, Jaycie Burch, Callie Burch (Jesse Clement) all of Gillette, WY, Kelly (Danny) Tweedy and Crystal (Jeremy) Glass all of Virginia, Caleb (Mindy) Burch of Sinai, SD and Whitney Burch of Juneau, AK; great grandchildren, Taylor Burch, Nevada Donahey, Jackson Clement, Raine Tweedy, Blaize Tweedy, and Cora Burch, Cadence Burch; daughter-in-law, Lois Burch and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Eddie; son, Gary Burch; siblings, Gladys, Ellis, RO, Harold and Lahoma.

Visitation will be held one hour before services at the church. Funeral services will be held Thursday, June 13 at 10:30 AM at the First Congregational United Church of Christ in Belle Fourche. Interment will follow at Black Hills National Cemetery near Sturgis.

The family suggests memorials to the Shriners

Hospital for Children. An online guest book is available at klinefuneralchapel.com



Katherine M. Schlosser

Katherine M. (Kari) Schlosser died Wednesday, June 5, 2019 at her home.

A rosary service was held Monday, June 10, at 7 pm at St. Paul Catholic Church in Belle Fourche. Mass of Christian Burial was at 3 pm on Tuesday, June 11 at St. Paul Catholic Church, with burial following at Pine Slope Cemetery in Belle Fourche.

An online guest book and video tribute is available at klinefuneralchapel.com



Homer Faeller 82

Homer Faeller, age 82 of Belle Fourche, died Thursday, May 30, 2019 at the Rolling Hills Healthcare Center in Belle Fourche.

A memorial service will be held 10 am Wednesday, June 19th, 2019 at Leverington Funeral Home of the Northern Hills in Belle Fourche.

Homer is survived by several friends, including Keith Franke of Belle Fourche; and his niece Renita



(Larry) Gonzales.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Henry and Ruth (Bingman) Faeller; his sister, Rosie Ruple; and brother, Sam Faeller.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY, FRANCIS VEAL!

The family of Francis Veal would like to invite you to come celebrate his 90th birthday on Saturday, June 29, 2019. The celebration will be at the Branding Iron in Belle Fourche, SD from 2:00-4:00 pm. Cards are welcome but please let your presence be your gift. Please come and enjoy cake and coffee with us!

Chamber Report

From Chamber Director Gary Wood

News Around Town

As I started to write this article I thought, "Hey, they need to know some of the news around town that I'm hearing as I go from business to business." Many of the RV's you are

seeing in the RV parks are pipeline workers that are here building various pipelines in our area. The ones I've talked to are going to be here till late

October or

possibly even until Thanksgiving. Be sure and welcome the new people you see in the grocery line or on the street.

The Chamber has a few new neighbors! New Heart Fitness has moved to the second floor of the Roosevelt. Nails by Brandie in the HREC has expanded and American Discount & Surplus has also set up shop on the second floor. The building New Heart

Fitness formerly occupied at 319 Summit Street has been purchased, and Prairie Hills Pharmacy will be opening at that location later this year.

No news yet on an occupant for the Shopko building, but we are all hoping for another business to take advantage of that great space on the north side of town.

Highway 85 near Frontier Glass and the Sunset Motel is also seeing activity. One remodeled pole barn is owned by Mike Dirks

of Pines Edge Mini Barns. He'll be producing small barns and sheds CHAMBER OF COMMERCE for Old Hickory

Shed Co. They are located at 19060 Highway 85. There are other things that you'll be seeing happening around town this summer. I'm very encouraged by what I see in the business community. I was talking to someone new to our community and they feel equally encouraged by the business climate. Let's support our local economy which supports our tax base.

news around town is good. Have a great week and enjoy the sunshine!

From my perspective, the



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Work to Be Done, FFA Does It



Serena Davis FFA Reporter Special to the Beacon

Belle Fourche FFA Chapter has wasted no time getting started with the incoming year. On the 6th and 7th of June members took to the Butte Lawrence County Fair Grounds. Weed eaters and lawn mowers were hauled down and they spent both days mowing and cleaning up the grounds. Chad Mackaben

said the area had flooded due to heavy rain making the grass tall and a task to mow. Six members worked hard to get the fair grounds looking nice and ready for the next group that goes down. Members were Laney Mackaben, Morgan Mackaben, Serena Davis, Nicole Kraft, Guy Davis and Mathew Goodwin.

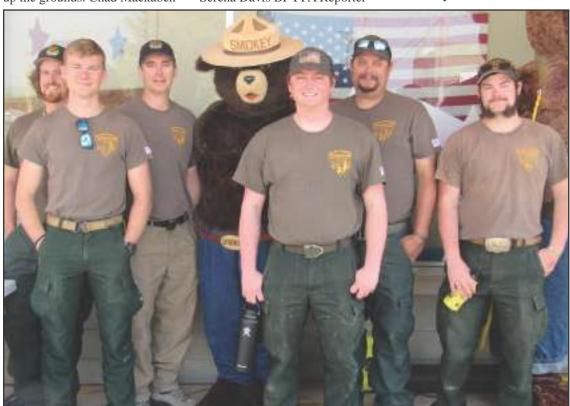
Respectively Submitted: Serena Davis BF FFA Reporter



Bronc Girls State A Golf Team



The Girl's Golf Team finished 9th at the Class A tournament in Aberdeen. From left with Tournament scoring: Rylee Young 111-103 214; Avery Middleton 95-101 196; Payson Birkeland (State Champion Medalist) 77-76 153; Caitlin Ringling 113-112 225; Juliann Lange 106-115 221 Courtesy Photo



Bureau of Land Management, South Dakota Field Office, Belle Fourche, Fire Management team from Left: Todd Blaser, Jerrod Deaver, Travis Lipp, Smokey, Jacob Groombridge, Nate Wiedow, and Colton Hines at the June 1 Ambulance, Police, & Fire Open House event.



Friday June 7th Chamber of Commerce ribbon cutting was the start of the a "Night To Remeber". It marked the Grand Reopening of the Belle Fourche Senior Citizens Center, 828 Kingsbury, as Belle Silver Lining. The opening ceremony was followed by music, dancing, door prizes, etc. at the center's First Annual Senior Prom.



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Birkeland Key in SDHS-RA Finals Staying in Belle Fourche for Many Years

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BELLE FOURCHE - The South Dakota State High School Rodeo Association finals are underway in Belle Fourche at the Roundup grounds this week.

Belle Fourche has hosted the Finals for the past 13 years. They first came to Belle Fourche thanks to volunteers who were willing to put the time and effort into hosting an event of this magnitude. One of those volunteers is, to this day, still part of the host committee. Clay Birkeland has been instrumental in hosting a successful state finals for over 300 contestants and their families each year for the past 14 years. Clay possesses several qualities that are important in his work as a volunteer member of the host committee. He's selfless, generous with his time, and has extensive rodeo and ranching experiences that lend to the production of an excellent rodeo. Most importantly though, Clay has always emphasized that any decision made about the high school rodeo finals should be arrived at by considering what is best for the students competing in the rodeo. Clay has maintained this kid-centered approach for years and that has led to one outstanding state



Clay Birkeland

finals after another for the past 14 years. Although this is the last year that Belle Fourche will host the finals for a while, the community can thank Clay Birkeland for his key role in keeping this event here for many years. This year, Clay joins Chad and Faye Pelster and Scott and Angela Reder to produce the 2019 finals. This year's host committee promises another excellent event.

Be sure to stop down at the Roundup Grounds June 11-15 to take in the South Dakota High School Rodeo Finals action. A complete schedule of events can be found on page B2 and at the SDHSRA Finals facebook page or at www.sdhsra. com.



Chantel Kolb, Buffalo Region champion Barrel Racer won the first go in barrels with a 17.701 (and also won the second go Sun. with a 17.449) *John Skogberg photo*



Whitley Reder, Fruitdale, with her First Go Round 1st Place Breakaway Roping buckle at Buffalo Regional. *Courtesy Photo*







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Lan Fuhrer winning the Buffalo Regional First Go Round in tie down roping with a 10.50



Morgen Garrett working his hand out of his Bareback Rigging at Buffalo Regionals Courtesy Photo



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Nancy Henderson news@bellefourchebeacon.com

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in this case, the business is Turbiville Industrial Electric Works and the washers, dryers and ovens

Because

are nothing like your everyday household appliances. These are mammoth machines utilized in the business, a business that has dramatically evolved since Albert and Alice Turbiville first opened it as a motor repair shop in 1952.

Today the business is owned by Paul Turbiville who took over from his parents in 1981. But it wasn't necessarily Paul's plan to follow in his father's footsteps although, when a youngster, he did have a miniature work bench in his father's shop and admits, "I was pretty much raised in the shop.'

"My dad grew up on a ranch in

Harding County," Paul relates. "He attended the Dunwoody Institute in Minneapolis where he met my mother." The couple married and moved to Minot, North Dakota, where Albert worked on a variety of motor

The move to Belle Fourche in 1952 was into the 5th Avenue location Turbiville Industrial Electric Works still occupies although it has greatly expanded its floor space over the years.

Although born and raised in Belle Fourche, Paul wasn't certain he wanted to stay here nor did he necessarily want to go into the family business. He attended what was then Augustana College in Sioux Falls where he met his future wife, Ann.

In a reverse of Horace Greeley's famous quote, "Go West, young man," Paul headed east to Bangor, Maine, to work at

a large electric motor repair shop. It wasn't long before he realized, in his own words, "Maybe being in the family business wasn't so bad." With a plan to expand the business, Paul returned to school, this time the University of Wyoming, graduating with a degree in mechanical engineering. One



Industrial motor receiving new windings at Turbiville Industrial Electric Works, 511 5th Ave, Belle Fourche, SD Courtesy

week later, at the age of 24, he was signing ownership papers. Since 1981, Turbiville Industrial Electric Works has expanded in size, sales lines and repair capabilities, serving industrial, commercial and agricultural customers in western South Dakota, Montana, Wyoming and portions of Nebraska. All work is done in-house with three employees, two of whom have a combined service of over

Turbiville's website showcases the business as "industrial distributor and repair specialists; variable frequency drive expert; and custom control panel builder." Industrial customers make

up about 50% of the business and include sawmills, mines, cement plants and construction companies with the remaining 50% split among ag, commercial and individuals.

And as for one of the ovens – 12 hours at 700°F would impress even Betty Crocker. Seriously, that's the process used to burn off all the old wiring in a motor before installing new insulation, i.e. rewinding electric motors. On-the-shelf inventory includes motors, gear reducers, control components, pulleys, sprockets, and, as Paul says, "Lots of things that I only remember when people need them."

Paul and Ann have three grown children, Adam Turbiville, who lives in Sioux Falls, Allison Turbiville, an attorney in Washington, DC, and Audrey Duwe, who resides in Decatur, Texas, with husband Dave and one-year-old son, Ford. Paul's sister, Susan Bassett, a retired Air Force colonel and also a nurse, ranches with her son in New Mexico while also teaching nursing.

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Belle Senior Center Grand Re-Opening with New Name

BELLE FOURCHE - The Belle Fourche Senior Citizens Center is now the Belle Silver Lining, Center for Experienced Youth. A ribbon cutting on Friday along with a "senior" prom ushered in the new era for the center. A contest was held to name the center this past winter and Scott Drabek's entry the Belle Silver Lining was chosen.

'Some will just call it Silver Lining, some will call it the Center," said Laura Bennett, Center Director.

"I can see myself saying 'I'm heading over to the Silver Lining to spend time with my fellow experienced youth!""

Bennett said their outlook is "It's not the age, it's the attitude." And prom goers were quick to put that into action. DJ's from Dogghouse Productions played everything from

Chubby Checker to Bluegrass with a little "Chicken Dance" thrown in for those who hit the dance floor.

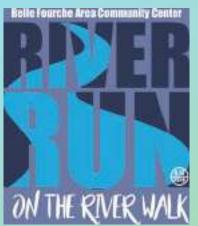
Joe and Naomi Allender of Belle Fourche were chosen as 2019 Senior Prom King and Queen. In the royal court were Dan and Cindy Stover. Chaperones were John and Laura Bennett, "Seniors were still misbehavin'!" Bennett quipped.

Sponsors for the evening that provided door prizes and use of decorations included The Olive Branch, Dairy Queen, Runnings, Dakota Lumber, Subway, Taco John's, Grap's Burgers and Brews, Branding Iron, West Tire & Alignment, Cory's Tire Factory, Randy's. Discount Tires, Big D's, Belle Fourche Chamber of Commerce and James Pietila.



Silver Linings Center Director, Laura Bennett and spouse, John served as chaperons for the First Annual Senior Prom.

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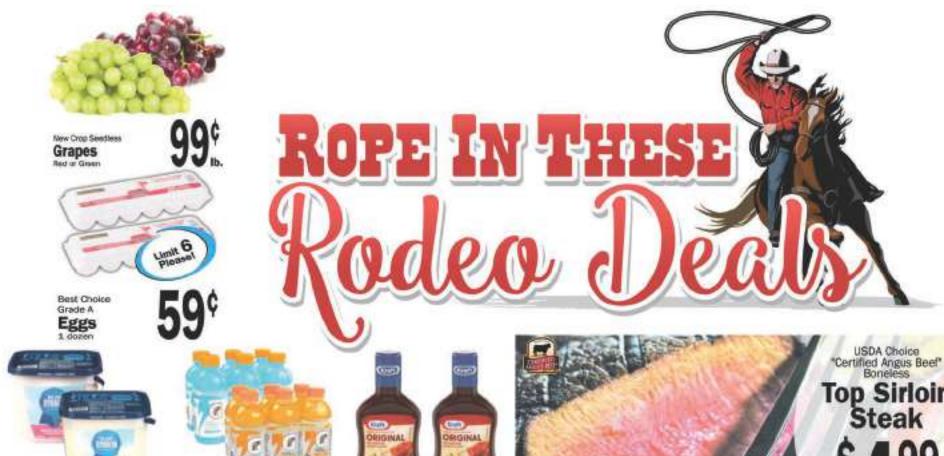
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We published an article about the life and work of Jim Ross and how his photography was part of Belle Fourche and Black Hills Roundup history. Jim passed away, surrounded by his family, June 6, 2019 just a couple hours short of his 90th birthday.

It was first mentioned to me a couple months ago that I should talk to Jim Ross; "that he used to take pictures" for the Belle Fourche Post. The opportunity to find out about his background and work, to get a glimpse of the world through the eyes of his camera has truly been a great pleasure. He wasn't just "a photographer" for the Post. He was a talented, highly creative "photo journalist" who had the eye for perfection. Picture perfect!

June 16th is Father's Day. A day to honor the man or the memory of the man.

A few years back ago when I traveled for work, I was passing through my old home town and

By: Doug Cole ran into a friend of mine and he asked me if I had come home to see "the folks?" I replied, "Yes, I always stop and spend the night with them when passing through." "That's good," he said. "Stop and see them while you can. You know those people won't be

with you forever. Take advantage of the time you have left with them."

Good advice on Father's Day, or on any

day for that matter. Thanks Shag.

My Dad was a lovable, Midwestern version of the television character "Archie Bunker." He laid claim to his own set of Midwestern prejudices that were seared into him as a young child during the Great Depression. I thought he believed that God

went to all the work of creating the heavens and earth for the sole purpose of devising a system that in some how would figure out how to swindle my Dad out of a nickel. He may not have coined the phrase, but he recited it often enough you would've thought it was his. Mention anything that had a cost associated with it

and you would hear: "Money doesn't grow on trees!"

He growled about money so much that when I was little I used to think that people had to go down to the bank and get permission before they could write a check!

School science teacher: When is the boiling point reached? Answer: When one of us kids ask my Dad for money.

Mark Twain said it this way: "When I was a boy of 14, my father was so ignorant, I could hardly stand to have the old man around. But when I got to be 21, I was astonished at how much the old man had learned in seven years."

The family was viewing old slides and one flashed on the screen that caught everyone's attention. The father, wearing his favorite golf shirt, was holding his son at the tender age of three weeks. The look on his face told all. "There's my prize possession," the father said. Touched, the son smiled at him as the father continued, "I wonder whatever happened to that golf shirt?"

Dad is old-school: he keeps all his money in the underwear drawer. One day I bought him a personal safe in the shape of a paint can with a false bottom, so he could keep his money in the workshop instead. Later I asked Mom if he was using it. "Oh yes—he put his money in it the same day," she said. "No burglar would think to look on the work shelf!" I gloated. "They won't have to," mom replied. "He keeps the paint can in his underwear drawer."

His father was completely lost in the kitchen and never ate unless someone prepared a meal for him. When his Mother was ill, however, he did go to the supermarket for her. She sent him off with a carefully numbered list of seven items. The Father returned shortly, very proud of himself, and proceeded to unpack the grocery bags. He had one bag of sugar, two dozen eggs, three gallon of milk, four box of Raisin Bran, five box of crackers, six can of mushroom soup, and seven bananas.

The story is told of a father of five children who came home with a toy. He summoned his children and asked which of them should be given the present. "Who is the most obedient one here? Who never talks back to Mom and does everything that Mom says to do?" He inquired. There were a few seconds of silence, and then all of the children said in one accord: "You play with it Daddy!"

Where ever you are; however you can: honor your Father.

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<u>Butcher</u>				
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Meike Ranch Inc Kaycee WY	6	Ewe	174	47.00
L & L Ranch Inc Hammond MT				
Gosney Ranch Kaycee WY	9	Ewe	159	47.00
Wilkinson, Jim Reva SD	11	Ewe	204	42.00
Sussex Ranch Llc Kaycee WY	5	Ewe	141	38.00
Mill Iron Triangle Miles City MT	5	Ewe	135	38.00
Meike Ranch Inc Kaycee WY	9	Ewe	133	38.00
Lamb				
Mathern, Cheryl Newell SD	33	83		167.00
Mathern, Cheryl Newell SD	24	66		167.00
Potter, Laurie Nisland SD	27	124		154.00

NEWELL SHEEP YARDS

June 13, 2019 1:00 PM

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June 13th - Regular Sale - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats June 20th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats June 27th - Regular Sale - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats July 4th - No Sale - Happy 4th Of July! July 11th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats July 18th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats July 25th - Regular Sale - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats August 8th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats August 15th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats August 22nd - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats August 29th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats September 5th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats September 12th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats

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State HS Rodeo Finals Schedule

10:00am - 8:00pm 8:00am

Following RCH

Director's Meeting 12:00pm-6:00pm 4:00pm

5:00pm - 7:30pm

8:00pm Following Cutting

8:00pm 8:15am

8:30am 8:30am-8:00pm 9:00am 1:00pm

8:30am-8:00pm

5:00pm

9:00am 10:30am

1:00pm 5:00 pm

8:00am-12:00pm 9:00am 10:00am

12:00pm

2:00pm

3:00pm

8:30am

Wednesday, June 12 Rodeo Contestant Registration/Check-in

Second go-round Reined Cow Horse (RCH) Boys Arena

Second go-round Boys Cutting to be followed by Second go-round Girls **Cutting**

Immediately following the Cutting (Roundup Grounds) Vendor Spaces Open

Short Round of Boys Cutting followed by Short Round of Girls Cutting (Cutting Arena)

Free Supper Sponsored by SD Farmers Union at the Lions Shelter

(Roundup Grounds) Contestant Registration/Check-in Closes

Short round of Reined Cow Horse (Boys Arena)

Preparation/Tying of Goats

Thursday, June 13

Mandatory Contestants Meeting (West Grandstands) Mandatory Rough Stock Equipment Check (behind the bucking chutes)

Vendor Spaces Open (Roundup Grounds) Rodeo Performance #1 Performance Sponsor Ring Container

Dummy Roping for Contestant's Only (East of Girls Arena)

Rodeo Performance #2 Performance Sponsor Runnings Jr. Boot Scramble

Friday, June 14

Vendor Spaces Open Rodeo Performance #3 Tough Enough to Wear Pink Performance Sponsor Scott Peterson Motors - Sr. Boot Scramble

Queen Contest Written Test (meet by Rodeo Office) Volleyball tournament for Contestants only

Crowning of the Queen, followed by Rodeo Performance #4 Performance Sponsor Eaton Construction

Saturday, June 15

Scholarship Interviews (Camper North of Rodeo Office)

NRA Qualifying Shoot sponsored by Center of the Nation Sportsmen's Club Black Hills Roundup Special Rodeo (By Lions Shelter) Lunch – sponsored by the Beef Check Off and St. Onge Livestock

(Roundup Grounds) Awards Ceremony; award presentations for Calendar, Scholarships, New Student Officers, Memorials and Shooting Sports, directly followed by the introduction of the Past Champions.

Final Rodeo Performance - Short Go - Performance Sponsor DeTye

Vet Supply

Sunday, June 16 Awards and breakfast for All State Award Winners and their Families (BF Community Hall) Breakfast sponsored by Farm Bureau Financial Services -Phil Kissack Agency. Mandatory Meeting for all National Qualifiers and Parents/Guardians. Note: Signatures from both parents/guardians will be needed for NHSRA Finals paperwork. (BF Community Hall, 511 6th Street)

The Good Stuff

_by Jim Thompson



Jim Thompson takes motivational stories that listeners and readers send him and incorporates them into the program. It has been on the air for more than 10 years.

For those of you who've followed my radio commercials over the years, you may recall the ads for DeSmet Farm Mutual Insurance. The original ads

started "You know my dad was really quite a guy"... I established those ads in 1976 and they still run on radio in eastern South Dakota. A few years ago my son sent me a poem for Fathers Day; you'll understand the tears it caused.

For Dad from Kyle For Fathers Day

It was playing nerf basketball before supper was served and letting me win just a few. It was when you read us Narnia before going to bed That my imagination grew..

It was waking up getting ready for school hearing your show at the start of the day it was being at a rodeo, football or other events with your voice booming through the PA.

It was driving long distances to Lord knows where But enjoying the sounds of AM It was traveling from this side of the state to the next to find everyone was your friend.

It was when strangers said, "oh, you're Jims son" "I always listen to his show" It was hearing Paul Harvey saying your name

and quoting your words on the radio. It so much more than all of these things I could go on if I tried.

But its best described by your own word; "My Dad is really quite a guy" I love you Dad...Happy Fathers Day

from Kyle...

And to close: a classic that I first heard Bill Gaither recite on an LP. Not sure who the author is.

A Little Fellows Dad

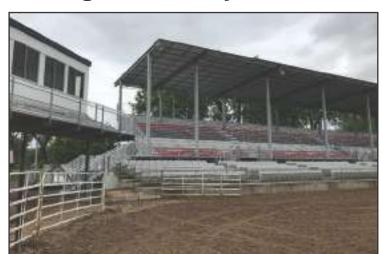
There are certain dreams I'd cherish that I'd like to see come

There are things I would accomplish ere my working time is through.

But the task my heart is set on is to guide a little lad--To make myself successful as that little fellow's dad. It's the one job that I dream of; it's the task I think of most. For if I fail that little fellow, I have nothing else to boast. For the wealth and fame I'd gather, all my fortune would be

If I fail to be successful as that little fellow's dad. I may never be as clever as my neighbor down the street. I may never be as wealthy as some other men I meet. But if he who follows after is a Christian, I'll be glad, For I'll know I've been successful as that little fellow's dad. -Have a Wonderful Summer!

Roundup Grandstands Ribbon Cutting Set for July 2nd



READY FOR ACTION - The new grandstands at the Roundup Grounds will see their first patrons this week with the State High School Rodeo Finals. -Beacon Photo

BEACON STAFF

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BELLE FOURCHE - A ribbon-cutting ceremony to celebrate the new grandstands at the Roundup Grounds will be held during intermission of the Ranch Rodeo on the evening of Tuesday, July 2nd. The public is invited.

The new seating will be put to use sooner than that as the grounds are hosting the State High School Rodeo Finals this week.

The new grandstands replace the nearly century old structure that was demolished last summer following the 99th Roundup.

The project was financed with a combination of city funds and the issuance of sales tax revenue bonds. The bonds were not to exceed \$1 million in total while the city of Belle Fourche agreed to kick in \$400,000. The prime contractor on the project was Seating and Athletic Facility Enterprises of Ellendale,

The number of seats will be roughly the same as there were available last year. The arrangement, however has changed. There is now an angled seating section off the southwest corner of the arena, and elevated and enclosed VIP seating off the southeast corner of the arena.

Also included in the project was the paving of a new entrance road and walking paths.

Additionally there is a new merchandise building that is being completed. It will also house a Black Hills Roundup museum that will display a collection of memorabilia and artifacts from the event's first century.



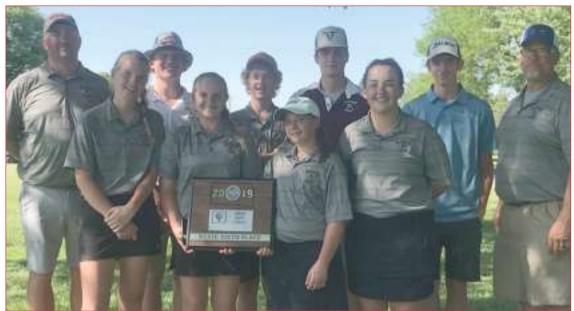
M & M BUILDING

The new merchandise and museum building is nearly complete at the Roundup Grounds. Crews were working through the weekend to get things ready for this year's rodeo season.

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State Golfers Bring Home Hardware



TOP TEN - The NHS girls team placed 6th at the state tournament this past week. The boys snagged 10th place. Back row from left: Coach Mike Phelps, Huttson Weeldreyer, Chase VanDer-Boom, John Jackson, Huttson Weeldreyer, Coach Scott Wince. Front row from left: Kassidy Weeldreyer, Katie McTaggart, Kelsi Clements and Abbie Nelson. -Courtesy Photo

COLLEEN BRUNNER

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WATERTOWN - The Newell High School golfers headed to the state meet in Watertown June, 3-4, and came away with some new hardware for the trophy case. Going into the meet both the boys' and girls' teams were riding high, having won several tournaments, as well as a 1st place finish for the girls at regionals, and a 2nd place finish for boys at regionals.

After the first day at the state meet, the girls were sitting in 4th place. Abbie Nelson finished the day at 22nd place with a score of 100. Kassidy Weeldreyer tied her at 22nd

spot. Katie McTaggart snagged 37th place with a 106 and Kelsi Clements came in at 69th place with a 120. They had a team score of 306 for the 4th place

Day one for the boys saw them standing at 13th place with a score of 293. Chase VanDer-Boom had a score of 94 for 45th place, and Huttson Weeldreyer was in 54th with a score of 95. John Jackson scored 104 for 83rd place and Hunter Wetz scored 106 for 88th.

Final Results from the state golf tournament. The girls twoday score was 621 for a final 6th place finish with Nelson scoring 194 and grabbing 17th place. Weeldreyer had a 210 for 41st, while McTaggart score 217 for 52nd, and Kelsi Clements scored 239 for 68th.

The boys finished up in 10th place for the tournament with a team score of 562. H. Weeldryer scored 180 for 31st place, VanDerBoom came in with 183 for 39th place, Jackson had 200 for 77th place and Wetz had a 207 for 85th place.

"It was a great season looking forward to next year," said Head Coach Mike Phelps, who along with Scott Wince traveled with the kids to Watertown.

The girls will be bringing home a plaque designating their 6th place finish to set in the trophy case.

NVN Roundup

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NEWELL - The St. Onge Livestock salebarn in Newell was a busy place on Thursday with around 700 sheep to be sold. Barney Barnes and Casey Humble were excited to see the numbers.

The Newell Library is a busy place. On Friday, May 31, at 10:30 a.m., Librarian Lisa Wonderly began her summer reading program. This is an effort to keep kids reading during the summer months so they don't lose the reading skills they've worked so hard on

during the year. On Monday, June 3, she started her regular Monday story time at 11 a.m. Both events will run through the summer months.

And speaking of our librarian, Wonderly is taking reservations to be on the city-wide Yard Sale, which will be held this year on Saturday, June 22 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. For a minimal \$10 fee, you can put your location on a map that people can pick up for free. You can add a brief description of items you might want to list to pull people to your site. Contact Wonderly at the library at 456-2179 for further information, or check out the Newell Public Library Facebook page.

Courtney Barerra, who with husband Tommy and a brood of kiddos has moved back to the area and would like to start a youth softball team. She asks that people who are interested, contact her to get this going. The Newell Lion's field next to the rodeo grounds has been maintained, so all they have to do is gather the players, and of course, volunteer parents. You can call Courtney at 605-391-

Many people are looking forward to the annual Vale Community club gathering Sunday, June 9. This year, they are celebrating 140 years in existence with a parade beginning at 11:30. The theme of the parade is "Memories". A potluck dinner and games will follow at the ValeCommunity Center. They are hoping for lots of entries for the parade. You can check out further details at the Vale SD Community Club

Facebook page. Frank and Jo Musemici have been a welcome part of the Newell community since they moved here several years ago. This year, they are giving back to the community in the form of the First Annual Youth Fishing Derby at the Musemici Pond. This event is free to all youth and will be held June 8 from 8 to 11:30 a.m. Registration begins at 7:30. The location is a half mile north of Newell on Highway 79, then a half mile east on County Road 184. You will see the entrance to the pond area. This event is sanctioned by the South Dakota Game Fish and Parks. You can contact the Musemici's for more informa-

> Speaking of fun, you will want to either participate, volunteer or just watch the fun at the weekly Family Playday events at the rodeo grounds which start

on June 24 and run through July 22. They will not have a playday on July 1 due to the holiday weekend. Divisions include: 0-4 years, 4-6 years, 7-10, 11-14, and 15 and up. Events include barrels, flag race, poles, dummy roping, goat un-tying, and for the older kids, breakaway

The cost is \$5 per event for non-members and extra for breakaway, with \$2 per event for members. \$20 secures an individual membership and \$30 per family membership. Series membership is required to be eligible for the end of year awards and participants must attend three play days to be eligible.

Shannon Dirk, organizer of the event can be contacted at 605-380-6023, and warns participants to "call before they haul," if questioning the weather.

Several Newell area young people have been participating in an impromptu range judging practice, traveling to different areas to inspect the grass and landscape. This past Thursday the group was at the farm of Dave and Holly Ollila, checking things out under the tutelage of Dave Ollila former Ag Instructor and now SDSU Sheep Specialist. This outing was sponsored by the Prairie Pals 4-H club.

And yes, Third Street in Newell is still closed to through traffic. (Photo below)

Not Enough **BETTY BRUNER** that is enjoyed by all Amerinews@bellefourchebeacon.com The day was overcast and NEWELL/VALE - "Think

how much we owe them," said Greg Todd, speaker at this year's Memorial Day ceremonies in the NVN area. He went on to challenge the crowd to

show honor to those that have

chilly, but area residents were there to esteem those who had sacrificed their lives for freedom. Larry Knutson, a member of the Honor Guard, had replied to someone who had inquired about canceling the event, by

saying "we can spend one day in the rain for them dying for us." That sums up the thoughts of many of those gathered at the Vale and Hope Cemeteries.

Todd pointed out that the men and women who have gone to war went to places they couldn't pronounce but went

MEMORIAL DAY B4



MEMORIAL DAY IN VALE - Greg Todd delivered an inspiring speech during ceremonies at the Vale Cemetery on Memorial Day, Monday, May 27th. Raymond Garness is holding the Newell Post 5807 flag, while Dave Baumiller presents the American flag. Nila Charles, Quartermaster, stands by



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MEMORIAL DAY From B3

willingly for our freedom. One day a year is not enough to show them our appreciation, he

One day a year is not enough to say thank you and to show them the honor they deserve, he added. Think how much we owe them, he challenged.

Our flag gets its strength from the blood given by the few that gave their lives for our freedom, Todd pointed out. This flag brings hope to a troubled world and strength to our country, he added.

"One day a year to say thank you, to show them the honor they deserve, is not enough," Todd concluded.

Greg Todd is an Air Force veteran who served around the world, including 17 years in Asia. He has retired and now makes the Nisland area his

Vale's 140th Birthday



"Beet Diggers" from the 1950's graduating classes. Mildred Adams, Carolyn Ruff and Robert Ruff were part of the Vale High School graduates that were in the Vale Parade on Sunday. Vale was celebrating with a parade and potluck.



Kids and candy! That's all part of a parade. The entrants formed a line nearly a mile outside of Vale to make one of the best parades in the area. *Betty Bruner parade photos*



Two generations of the Crockford family, Rilee Crockford and Carol Crockford, joined the long list of parade entrants at the Vale celebration. *Bruner photo*



HONORABLE DUTY - (Above) The Honor Guard presented arms at the Vale Cemetery and Hope Cemetery during Memorial Day services May 27th in the NVN area. Pictured from the left are: Casey Brown, Joe Crockford, Kyle Cox, Fred Wells, Jake Dell, and Larry Knutson. Larry Schumacher (far right) gave the Call of Command. (Photo to the left) Nila Charles, Quartermaster of Newell Post 5807 raised the American flag during Memorial Day ceremonies at the Hope Cemetery in Newell. -Bruner photos

SDHP Works to Reduce Crashes

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NEWELL – Western South Dakota Highway Patrol squads are working several areas to try to reduce crashes and make an impact on public safety.

"Each squad in the highway patrol creates their own squad enforcement plan," said Trooper Trey Bedford, of District 3-Northern Plains Squad. "The plans are typically geared toward reducing crashes."

Bedford said that in 2018, they noticed an increase in commercial motor vehicle crashes on SD Highway 79 in Butte and Harding Counties. They are calling this push the SD 79 Northern Plains Squad Enforcement Plan. By increasing patrols and enforcement on SD 79, during the months of May, June and July, they hope to lower the number of crashes.

In 2018 there were 43 crashes on SD 79, nine of which were commercial motor vehicle (CMV), with one fatality.

"We have been successful with previous plans by reducing crashes and making an impact to public safety," said Bedford. Bedford said speed on SD 79 isn't more prevalent than other roadways in the Northern Plains Squad or in comparison to US Highway 85. But the 2018 stats indicate a high number of crashes being related to failing to maintain lane position.

"This can be due to a multi-



NON-CRASH COURSE - Western South Dakota Highway Patrol squads are working several areas to try to reduce crashes and make an impact on public safety. This 99-mile stretch of highway in Butte and Harding Counties recorded 43 crashes in 2018. - *Brunner photo*

tude of things such as fatigue, texting, distractions, speeding around curves, etc." said Bedford. He said 79 has quite a few curved and the butte area in Harding County in particular can catch people off guard. The highway also has some steep ditches and the overall topography can be unforgiving if a vehicle leaves the roadway.

"We have a fair amount of crashes on US 212 and US 85," Bedford qualified. "However,

"Looking Forward to our Past" by Linda Velder

SD 79 jumped out at us in 2018 with numerous CMV crashes. US 85 had road construction in 2018. It's possible the construction is driving more traffic onto SD 79."

"I'd like to remind the public to watch their speed, the road, and not their phones," the patrolman requested. "And please, please wear your seatbelt. Ask any Trooper, each one of us can give numerous examples where it has saved a life."

Then and Now in Newell

June 17, 1909

The Alfalfa Lodge IOOF will hold a memorial service at their lodge room in the M.W.A. building. Rev Carroll D. Erskine of Sturgis will deliver the address. Everyone is invited to

attend the 2:00 service.

There will be preaching at the Vale Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. On account of the memorial services at Vale in the afternoon the above hour has been selected instead of the usual

afternoon.
H.D. Comstock, USRS engineer in charge of the Tunnel Camp, was in Vale the first of the week. He estimates that something like 16,000 feet of dirt was washed out by the recent high water in his division. Four good teams are wanted at once to work on dump wagons at Orman. For information write to Leal Lamoreaux, Orman, So. Dak.

June 12, 1919

N.M. Bratton Mercantile Co., Newell, cordially invites ladies to attend a Kabo Demonstration given by Winifred Delaney expert Corsetiere from the Kabo School of Corsetry. Even though you are not in the need for a corset now, they urge you to consult this lady about the model best suited for your individual figure. Her advice will enable you to choose wisely and satisfactorily when you are ready to buy. She will be in their corset department on June 14.

June 13, 1929

Cashier D.J. Hull of the Reclamation State Bank spent several days in Rapid City last week attending the state banker's association convention. W.B. Penfold and James T. Craig of the Butte County Bank,

Belle Fourche, were in Newell Wednesday evening to attend the monthly director's meeting of the Reclamation State Bank.

On Saturday evening a pipe and thread cutter, a gallon of paint and some groceries were placed by mistake in a Ford Coupe parked in front of the Anderson Lumber Co. building. Please return articles to the Brattons Store.

June 15, 1939

Twin boys, weighing 4 and 5 pounds were born Friday to Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Mitchell at their home in Belle Fourche. This makes the fifth set of twins born in Butte County thus far this year. It must be the weather or something.

All livestock owners are hereby notified by order of the Butte County Commission, to keep their livestock off the highways of the county to prevent loss of livestock from grasshopper poison. The County will not be responsible for loss of livestock through grasshopper poison which is being spread on all highways in the County under direction of County Agent Floyd Collins.

June 16, 1949

Chris Arpan spent overnight in the Belle Fourche hospital Saturday night receiving care for an injured leg received in the Donkey Baseball game Friday evening. Mr. & Mrs. Mack Doody and Mrs. Arpan and daughter went to Belle Fourche Sunday to get him and bring him home.

South Dakota anglers can now keep bass caught in SD since fishing season started May 1. After the15th of this month anglers won't have to throw their fish back into the stream, that's the day bass fishing opens and it means that the season is now open for every type of fish in the state. Since bass spawn later than other fish, they can't be caught legally until 6 weeks later according to the Game, Fish & Parks Department out of Pierre.

June 11, 1959

The new Post Office dedication and open house is set here on June 20. In the afternoon from 2:00 to 4:00 will be Open Houses at the office to afford

the visitors and patrons the opportunity to inspect the new quarters. Coffee and donuts will be served, the public is cordially invited and clerks A.E. Post, Daniel Wiest and Mark Maguire will conduct tours. A flag which previously flown over the Post Office Department in Washington DC has been received by Postmaster Paul A. Wiest and will be raised over the new building for the first time on the day of dedication. J.C. Brodsky owner of the new building was constructed as a part of the Post Office Department's commercial leasing program, which uses private facilities to obtain needed facilities.

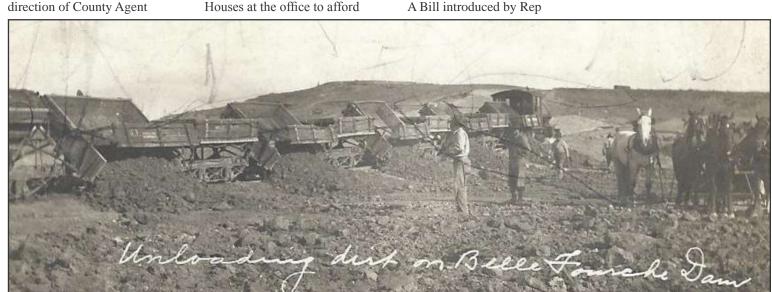
There was only one nominating petition filed for board member of Nisland Independent School District, that of Jack Dick. He is automatically elected and succeeds Lawrence Smith whose 5-year term expires July 4. Other board members are Virgil Terrill, Manuel Ruff, Fred Homan and Albert Sorenson.

June 13, 1979

James Abdor, to permit small rural hospital to "swing" beds for acute and long term care needs has drawn new support. SD hospitals now participating in an experimental program involving swing beds report good success and would like to see the programs become permanent. Swing beds will help people needing long term care to obtain that care at home even though no nursing home bed may be available locally.

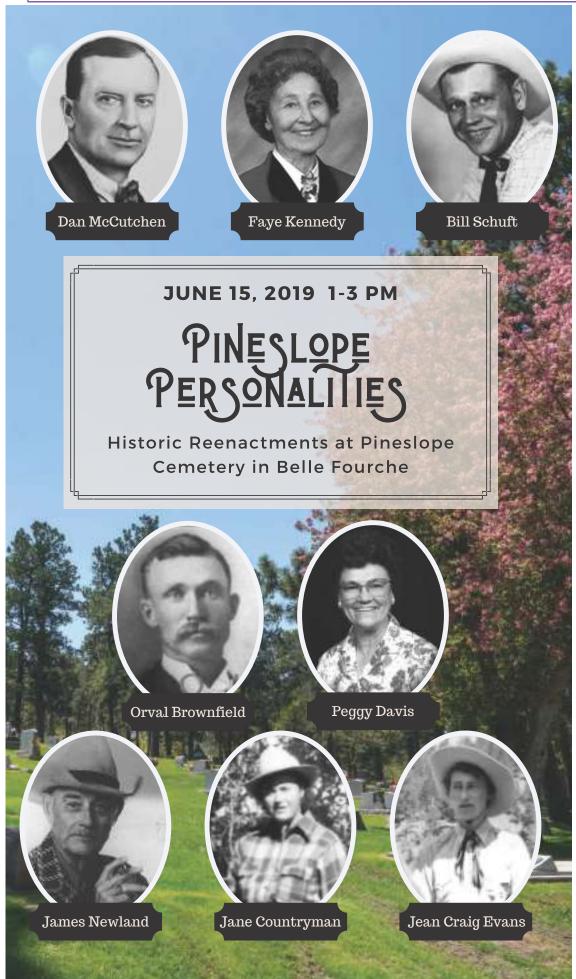
from the Newell Museum

The effects of the independent truckers shut down should be felt soon by area consumers at the grocery store, according to the president of the Western SD Chapter of the Independent Truckers Association, Dan Arnio. It may take up to 2 months for consumers to notice and shortage of canned goods, but fresh produce and meat might start disappearing soon. The truckers were supposed to be off the road by midnight June 8. Belle Fourche Port-of-Entry had only 20 trucks go through, down from 100-150 in the time frame.



Side Dump Dirt Cars that horse teams were called for to help replace the face of Orman Dam that was washed away during heavy rains.





Looking Back in Belle

These articles come from newspaper microfilm from the Belle Fourche Public library, using a new microfilm reader and printer. The photographs are from the Tri-State Museum.

by Mary Buchholz





D.C. Booth Fish Hatchery in 1899. Photo Courtesy D.C. Booth

123 years ago **Belle Fourche Times** June 20, 1896 Area News

Spearfish is to be congratulated on her success in getting the government fish hatchery. President Cleveland signed the bill which appropriates \$10,000 for that purpose. Deadwood is also fortunate in securing the government assay office.

Business News:

W. J. Chiesman will made an experimental shipment of 2,000 pounds of wool to the Aurora, Ill. Scouring works, instead of consigning to a commission house. The Aurora company will also sell the wool, and the result of Mr. Chiesman's shipment will be noted with interest by wool growers.

J. L. Hibbard, of Alzada, shipped two cars of wool this

week. Solon Monk and George Ayers did the hauling and loading. Mr. Ayers tells us that the Hibbard flocks have been augmented by the arrival of over 2,500 lambs this season, and that the outlook for the sheep business is exceedingly gratifying to all flockmasters. W.J. Chiesman, one of the first sheep men in the area, later was on the board of Bank of Belle and State Bank in Buffalo

100 years ago The Northwest Post June 19, 1919 Best Fishing in South Dakota

A little the best fishing resort in the state of South Dakota, is right under the very noses of the citizens of the Black Hills, viz: "The Orman Lake," located five or six miles directly east of this city. The lake is absolutely alive with lake and steel head trout,

catfish, carp, suckers, bullheads, and better than all, the well known ring perch, thousands of which have already this season been grabbed, with minnows for bait. Last year the first of this species were caught, and now there are plenty, and those who have tasted them pronounce them ahead of the festive trout for flavor and quantity of meat in proportion to the size of the fish. As an evidence that they are good nibblers might be cited the fact that five men between the hours of eight and twelve o'clock noon one day last week caught 175 from a shore line of not to exceed a quarter of a

Sign Treaty Or War By June 21 Time Limit for Germany's Decision on Peace Treaty Cut to Two Days Fock Sends An Ultimatum Allies' Commander in

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Leonard Stroud, 1918 World Champion Bronco Buster, attempting to ride Tipperary. Tri-State Museum photo

Chief Acts When Trains Laden With Polish Troops Are Held Up - Yield Little to the Foe Paris, France, June 16 – The council of five continued the work of editing the revised Hoopeace treaty at the same enabling Baron Makino, the Japanese representative, to acquaint himself with the document. The is nearly completed and it is believed the treaty will go to the

revision committee late tonight. Hook "Em Cowboy 2nd Annual Tri-State Round-Up July 3,4,and 5, 1919 Watch that Powder River guy for his bronc jump! At Belle Fourche, S.D. on July 3rd, 4th and 5th. Lovers of western sport will have the opportunity of seeing the most stupendous Round-Up ever staged in the United States. Other shows are tame when compared with the Tri-State Round-Up and this is your only big opportunity to see the real cowboy in action before the wild is taken out of the wild west. The world's champion in practically every line of frontier endeavor will be on head to participate in the numerous events. Leonard Stroud, the 1918 world's champion bronco

buster will match his skill again with well known Charles Wilson's never been ridden horse, Tipperary. Sam Brownell. the 1917 undefeat-

Sam Brownell, 1917 World Champion ed world's **Bronco Buster**

champion bronco buster will be here on July 1st to assist the committee in perfecting arrangements. The Tri-State Round-Up is particularly fortunate this year in having guests of honor the following well known men: Hon. Franklin K. Lane, Secretary of the Interior Department, Hon. Peter Norbeck, Governor of the State of South Dakota, Hon. Thomas Sterling, United States Senate.

75 years ago Belle Fourche Daily Post June 14, 1944

Kindsfaters To Try It Again Since last fall, the weather has been squelching attempts by the Kindsfater brothers to stage a rodeo. Two weeks ago they planned to hold a Red Cross benefit affair and were rained out, but Sunday they will try it again. The rodeo, strictly a home talent affair, will be held at the Kindsfater place about a half-mile west of the U & I sugar factory starting at 2 p.m., June 18. There's an admission charge of 25 cents for adults and 10 cents for children. All

receipts go to the Red Cross. 50 years ago The Belle Fourche Daily Post June 18, 1969 Editorial by Marian Lucas: How Long?

When did you last visit the Tri-State Museum in Belle Fourche? Have you ever taken the children to see the museum? If you are an average Tri-State area resident you've never been inside the museum. If you're an average Tri-State area resident there are people from Minnesota or Saskachewan, Canada, who can tell you more about the history of your community than you know. There must have been 15 or 20 people milling around the museum all of them bearing the trademark of the tourist, all fascinated by the things they saw.

Sky Ranch Auxiliary Is Formed at Belle

Organization of a Sky Ranch Women's Auxiliary was completed here Friday with the election of Mrs. Larry Hamblin as chairman and the designation of projects-of-the-month for the balance of 1969. Rev. Don Murray, founder-director of the youth rehabilitation program,

addressed the group, declaring the auxiliary could be of invaluable assistance in providing the boys at Sky

Ranch and Wingspread with the security they need to readjust their

Rosanna's Style Shoppe to Close

Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Lind announced Monday that they are closing Rosanna's Style Shoppe and Sportwear because of failing health. The Linds have been in the lady's readyto-wear business for 11 years, five of those years in their new building. The operation has been a successful one, they reported, and they expressed regret that they could not find a buyer to take over the business. All merchandise is being sold, as well as all of the fixtures in the business.

Army Discharge

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nelsen are here to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Horman. Richard was discharged from the U.S. Army the last of May and had been stationed at MacDill Air Force Base in Tampa, Fla. The Nelsens will go to Logan, Utah this



Charlie Wilson, owner of the bronc Tipperary. Yakima Canutt, rode Tipperary at 1920 Tri-State Round-Up, Belle Fourche (he visited the Round-Up again in 1986).







Area Church Schedules

BEREAN BIBLE CHURCH 1407 5th Ave. Belle Fourche 605-569-8380 Sunday Worship: 10:30 AM

Bob Davis, Pastor ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL 6th and Roundup \cdot 892-2446 The Rev. Evelyn Weaver

The Rev. Sandy Williams, Priests Deacon Rev. Mike Weaver Sunday: 10 a.m. Holy Eucharist Monday-Friday: 7:45 a.m. Prayer **CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTER**

2020 Vista St · 892-4767 Paul Howard, Pastor Sunday Schedule Long Term Care Service 8:45 a.m. Sunday School: All ages 9:30 a.m. Fellowship Hour: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service: 10:45 a.m. Evening Service: 6 p.m.

1105 Todd St. Brad Buchholz, Bishop Sunday: 10 a.m. Sacrament Meeting Sunday School: 1st & 3rd Sundays, 11 a.m. Priesthood Meeting, Relief Society, Young Men and Young Women: 11 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays

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EMMANUEL BAPTIST (SBC) 902 Lawrence St. · 723-6899 Andy Anderson, Pastor Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Sunday Worship Wednesday: 6 p.m. Prayer Service

CONNECTION CHURCH (SBC) 613 Sixth ave., Belle Fourche (605)-210-2150 Pastor Stephen Carson Worship Pastor Ashton Rone Sunday: 9:00 and 10:30 a.m. worship

FIRST BAPTIST

807 8th Ave. 892-4178 Pastor Tim Smith Sunday: 9:15 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Worship Service Wednesday: 6:00 p.m. Bible Study **FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH** 1120 North Fifth Street, Spearfish 605-645-3513 • Find us on Facebook Pastor Bruce K. Oyen Sunday: Bible Class - 10:00 a.m.

Church Service - 10:45 a.m. We sing traditional hymns & choruses. FIRST CONGREGATIONAL UCC 717 Jackson St. · 892-3402 Pastor Del Neumeister Sunday: 9:35 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship

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605-456-2767 Worship: 9 a.m. Wednesday afternoon children's time during the school year, 3:45-5:15 FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

901 Laurel St. Whitewood (605)-920-1959 Reverand Jill Jennewein Sunday: 9 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m. Adult & Teen Bible Study

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COMMUNITY CHURCH On Hwy 212 in Nisland (605) 257-2356 Pastor Doug Clark Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Worship: 10:45 a.m.

PRAIRIE HOME CHURCH 1701 Hwy 212, Newell Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. **RANGELAND MINISTRIES**

CHURCH Alzada, MT Sunday: Worship: 10:00am Mark Leverington, Lay Pastor

BLACK HILLS GOSPEL ASSEMBLY 1/2 Mile east on hwy 34 · 210-1374 Kenny Riley, pastor Sunday: 1 p.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday: 7:30 p.m. Friday: 7:30 p.m.

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Saturday: 5 p.m. Worship SUMMIT OPEN BIBLE **FELLOWSHIP** Seventh and Summit 892-4630 or 892-4389

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Grand River Roundup

BETTY OLSON

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Jace Jenson came down to help Taz AI the cows. Lanie and her kids came down from Dickinson so they could go to the Hackamore branding the next day. Amanda fed the whole crew at her house at noon. We missed the Hotchkiss branding because of all the work here, but mostly I missed June's doughnuts!

Tuesday was Doug and Clint Doll's branding at the Hackamore ranch. The big boss man, Doug Doll, won the fashion contest this year wearing a shiny, bright red tuxedo that his sister Blink Byers had bought for him to wear to the branding. Most all of the guys sported colorful neckties with very colorful shirts and jackets, except for Neil Whitmer. This was Neil's first branding at the Hackamore and he hadn't gotten the message about the dress code. Connie and Lynn Weishaar weren't there because they were down south visiting their daughter Jodi and her family. The school board election was also on Tuesday. Our community suffered a heartbreaking tragedy this Wednesday when 17 year old Jaxon Klempel was killed in a vehicle rollover on his way home from a branding. Jaxon is the son of Erin and Josh Klempel from Reva and was an absolutely wonderful

families. We just recently heard that

kid. Our hearts are broken for

the Klempel and Lermeny

Muriel (Madsen) Sabo, 88, had passed away May 6 in Olympia, Washington. She was the wife of Clair Sabo who grew up south of Reva. Clair met her when Muriel, who was born in Timber Lake, was teaching the Jefferson School near Reva. Our state trapper Bruce Bethea and the predator plane killed two coyotes and the guys moved the sheep home on Wednesday after they helped Bill Holt work his cows that morning. Reub was planting alfalfa and millet at Glendo earlier this week and had me

help him move to the fields near the highway on Friday to plant alfalfa and millet there. Trig Clark came Friday morning to shoe horses for Taz to get them ready for the big Matched Bull

Dogging rodeo in Killdeer over the weekend. Missy and Amanda went up to watch Taz at Killdeer and Grandma Starla kept the little people. Sterling Lee, Trig and Casey went to rodeos in Elgin and Wing, ND this weekend. The Pioneer Trails Museum

in Bowman hosted an Open House and History Day on Saturday. The afternoon speakers were Clay Landry, an avid researcher of the Rocky Mountain Fur Trade history, who designed the costumes for the actors in the Hugh Glass movie "Revenant".

Francie Berg from Hettinger gave a very interesting presentation about her book "Buffalo Trails in the Dakota Buttes" that provides a self-guided tour of 10 historic and contemporary buffalo sites in western North

of the North Dakota Archaeological Association and he spoke on the "Galvanized Yankees at Fort Rice, Dakota Territory".

The last speaker was Dean Pearson, who spoke on the Historic Area Trails 1743 – 1891, is an amateur historian and paleontologist who has spent the last 36 years researching local history, 28 of them with the Pioneer Trails Regional Museum. He has published many scientific papers on paleontology and has written a book about Fort Dilts.

I brought maps of the cattle trails from Mexico to Canada that went through this area to give to the museum. Ron Palczewski is working on the cattle trails through the area and he

Jim Petik gave tremendous Gideon address at Slim Buttes Lutheran this Sunday about his trip to the country of Malawi in southern Africa. The Gideons pay for their own trips and share thousands of Gideon Bibles with school kids

Thursday June 6th was the dying in the battle. Bev Heier's father, Tony Kooiman, was one that vicious battle, but so many

and South Dakota.

took pictures of the maps to use.

75th anniversary of D-Day when the Americans landed on Normandy to liberate France with over 9,000 of our soldiers of the soldiers who survived did not. Buck Olson's best friend, Reuben Negaard died in France in July and is buried

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which I found fascinating. Dean

over there. My father, Bryce White, who had spent three months "vacationing on the sunny beaches of Anzio" as he called it, was busy helping to liberate Rome in June with the 3rd Division. The 3rd Division was ordered to execute an amphibious landing in southern France in August of 1944 where they liberated Paris. Dad was one a small group of 3rd Division soldiers to be awarded the French Croix de Guerre medal for the liberation of Paris.

I'll leave you with this: Robert Whiting, an elderly gentleman of 97, arrived in Paris by plane. At French Customs, he took a few minutes to locate his passport in his carry on.

'You have been to France before, monsieur?" the customs officer asked sarcastically. Mr. Whiting admitted that he had been to France previously.

"Then you should know enough to have your passport ready."

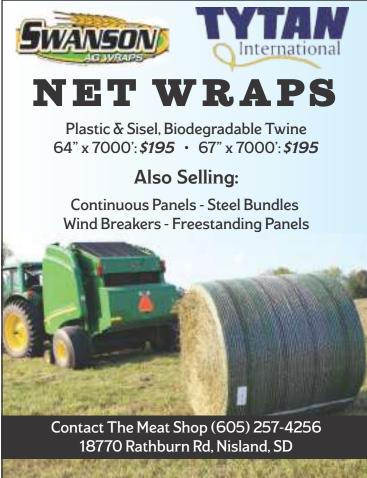
The American said, "The last time I was here, I didn't have to show it.'

"Impossible. Americans always have to show their passports on arrival in France!'

The American senior gave

the Frenchman a long hard look. Then he quietly explained, "Well, when I came ashore at Omaha Beach on D-Day in 1944 to help liberate this country, I couldn't find a single Frenchmen to show a passport to.'

You could have heard a pin drop.







Highway 85 Asphalt Resurfacing and Culvert Repair Work to Resume BELLE FOURCHE – Road During the resurfacing oper-

ews will resume asphalt resurfacing on Highway 85 from the junction of Kinghorn Road in Butte County north to the junction of Old Highway 85 and on Highway 85 through the town of Buffalo the week of June 10.

In addition to asphalt resurfacing, crews will complete culvert repairs and install rumble strips and new pavement markings. Belttower

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tions traffic will be reduced to one lane and directed through the work zone with the use of flaggers and a pilot car. Motorists can expect up to 15-minute delays. An 18-foot width restriction will also be in place. The prime contractor on this

\$8.6 million project is Border States Paving, Inc. from Fargo, North Dakota. The overall completion date

for the project is July 19, 2019.

Expect 15

minute delays

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Chantel Kolb and Lan Fuhrer from the BFHS Rodeo team brought home the All Around awards from the Regional Rodeo at Dupree June 8 & 9



Capitol News

KAREN ODELL news@bellefourchebeacon.com

We are still getting rain at Capitol and on Tie Creek. The weather has warmed, and the grass is green and growing fast.

Alvin Cordell went to Spearfish on Monday for a dentist's appointment. He had thought

that Lowell Cordell and Maurice Davis were born on D-Day, but they had already been born four days earlier. On Wednesday, Denin Cheguis took a couple of horses to the vet in Belle Fourche. Then on Friday, Alvin and Mar-

lee met Ashley, Reece and Cade Pearson in Alzada, and they all went to Big Timber that day. They went on to Ringling, MT on Saturday for the memorial service for Tawni's dad. Alvin talked to Bobby Cordell who had had four-tenths of an inch. Marlee went to church in Camp Crook on Sunday

Dick and Erma Albert got to use their camper this week. On Wednesday, Erma went to the chiropractor, and to the massage therapist on Thursday. Then she and Dick went to Orman Dam to camp and fish. A buddy of Dick's and his grandson joined them one day, and they caught some Walleye. Erma decided to leave the camping to them and she went to visit Alfreda Davis. She stayed at Alfreda's again on Saturday, because Dick called to tell her to stay in town to avoid the hail and storms. They both went to church on Sunday and then joined the Helms's and Father Ed for lunch at Saloon Number Three.

Pete Anderson went to Camp Crook for church on Sunday. He will be having surgery in Sioux Falls next week, so hope you will keep him in your prayers. Justin Kerr had a branding on Monday, and lots of people came to help out. Some of the

wrestlers were kids from Buffa-

lo, and good workers. Justin had

taken the girls back to town on Friday, and was coming back to the ranch when he ran in to the hail storms. The hail was small, so it didn't do much damage. He had three-quarters of an inch of rain in the gauge at home. Donna Lewis has been doing

lots of mowing. She sometimes has to shut things

down if the clouds come in, because you can't hear the thunder while on a riding mower, and the lightening might get mighty close. She went to Baker to Pam's on Friday, where her sister,

Jan, and Ree Hammrich were visiting from Mobridge. They all went to the Bump and Run that was held in Ekalaka on Saturday and then the other two came out to the ranch to spend Saturday night with Donna,

before heading for home. Dorothy Padden didn't get the hail, but she got a half-inch of rain. On Thursday evening, Dorothy went in to Camp Crook to have supper with Bob and Lorraine Chin at the Over The Edge. Bob and Lorraine left on Sunday for Houston. On Saturday, Bryce and Dawn finished up some Aling. Bryce asked Dawn if she could give him a little help on Sunday, which turned out to be from six in the morning to five at night. I'm not sure what 'a lot of help' would be. They had a good rain and

the alfalfa is looking good. Karen Odell took Charlie to his doctor's appointment in Rapid City on Tuesday. It was a nice day, and they dared to take the Albion Road across from the Norwegian Cut Off to the Little Missouri. It was quite an adventure following a ridge mile after mile. It would not be the best way to town in a storm. She took him to inspect cows at Capitol LLC and Ian Flatgaard returned some cat carriers they had borrowed. They also went to Ivan Teigen's on Wednesday to inspect cows, and Ivan has a story or two about his adventures on the Albion Road. Charlie is hoping to get rid of the arm sling in the next week, but we will wait and see what the surgeon says. Then he can start driving for himself again. On Sunday, Karen and Charlie went to church in Camp Crook. Karen played piano for the service and they had lunch at the Over The Edge. They got to visit with Diane Wear, Janet Odell, Till's, Longs, Routiers and Tarters.

Diane Wear went to Ronda

Cordell's on Monday evening, so she could do chores on Tuesday morning. Ronda went to Belle Fourche that evening because she had an early morning physical therapy appointment the next day. Then she went on to Rapid City for a dentist's appointment that afternoon. She spent the day driving in pouring down rain. Cristen and Jayda Westling joined her for lunch at the Longhorn in Rapid City. On Thursday, when Ronda headed into Camp Crook to mail letters, she had a flat tire. She was three miles from town. After getting out the manual to see where the jack was stored and getting it out, she was lucky that Chancey Odell and Megan Reedy were headed out of town. Chancey quickly had the problem solved, and Ronda didn't have to do a thing. She had supper at the Over The Edge. Diane came out to help Ronda get a lame bull to the doctor on Friday. Clint Zolnoski came, and the three brought in some pairs to haul to pasture. Ronda had to make an unexpected trip to the vet in Belle Fourche with one of her Jack Russell dogs. Diane's St Bernard thought the little dog was a varmint. One tooth missed going into the peritoneum when it hit the hip bone and another went next to the spine. He was mighty stiff and sore, but is recovering well. Ronda had been to the 75th

birthday potluck in Belle

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Fourche for her brother, Lowell and Maurice Davis. They had both been born the same day in Buffalo, SD. That year there had been torrential rains. Ronda's dad, Bob, had gotten over to Buffalo to see Lowell one day, but after Bob left to go back to Camp Crook, her mom, Betty, heard that the bridge in Camp Crook had washed out. She was afraid that Bob had not made it across. He had made it, though and got across just before the bridge went out in 1944. Everyone had a great visit. It would be nice to get together more often.

Saturday was cool again, and the night temperatures reached down to the upper 30's. The warm days, this week, have helped things grow. The lilacs are blooming very late this year, but they smell wonderful. The bees are around helping keep the plants going, too. Thank you



to David and Teresa Urlacher for the 'get-well' card and letter for Charlie. It is great to hear from those who enjoy the Capitol News, and to meet the friends, near and far, that we have made through writing it.

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Phil Verwolf, Broadus, MT	9Black-Cow	1,299	\$58.00
Jesse C Labree, Ekalaka, MT	2Black-Cow	1,388	\$65.00
Scott Besler, Reva, SD	3Black-Cow	1,305	\$58.50
John Tronstad, Baker, MT	6Black-Cow	1,518	\$69.00
Gregor Mcfarland, Sturgis, SD	3Black-Bull	2,132	\$80.50
Harold J Burch Jr, Oshoto, WY	12Black-Cow	1,465	\$70.00
Clark Blake, Belle Fourche, SD	1Black-Bull	2,235	\$81.00
Jim Mccoy, Belle Fourche, SD	1Black-Bull Df	2,020	\$83.00
Norma Malli, Arvada, WY	1Herf-Cow	1,695	\$60.00
Ivan or Mary Teigen, Capitol, MT	4Black-Cow	1,510	\$69.00
Ivan or Mary Teigen, Capitol, MT	2Bwf-Cowette	1,283	\$75.00
Kenneth Talcott Inc, Broadus, MT	2Black-Bull	2,070	\$81.50
Cliff or Cheyenne Conry, Belle Fourche, SD			
Consignment From, WY			
C&R Land & Livestock Llp, Volborg, MT	1Black-Cow	1,505	\$71.50

News From The Block

We had a good sale on the 6th of June with a lot of buyer participation. Weigh up cows sold on a steady to stronger market pairs sold well and higher on some classes. We also had an offering of feeder cattle that I thought sold very well for the way the markets have been. Next week we have a regular cattle sale and we are changing the start time to 9 AM next week on the 13th. If you have cows or bulls that would qualify as drug free please stop by the office when you unload and sign the drug free affidavit. Give any one of us a call anytime for all of your marketing needs.

UPCOMING SALE SCHEDULE

Thursday June 13th - Selling All Classes Of Cattle Thursday June 20th - Selling All Classes Of Cattle Thursday June 27th - Selling All Classes Of Cattle

Thursday July 4th - No Sale Thursday July 11th - Selling All Classes Of Cattle

Thursday July 18th - Selling All Classes Of Cattle Thursday July 25th - Feeder Cattle & Weighup Cattle Special

Selling All Classes Of Cattle

Thursday August 1st - Selling All Classes Of Cattle Thursday August 8th - Selling All Classes Of Cattle

Thursday August 15th - Feeder Cattle & Weighup Cattle Special

Selling All Classes Of Cattle Thursday August 22nd - Selling All Classes Of Cattle

Thursday August 29th - Feeder Cattle & Weighup Cattle Special

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Thursday June 13th, 2019

9 am Weighups

SUPERIOR LIVESTOCK AUCTION

Corn Belt Classic - June 12th & 13th, 2019 Consignment deadline: May 29th

Tallgrass Auction - June 20th, 2019

Consignment deadline: June 17th Big Sky Round Up - June 26th & 27th, 2019 Consignment deadline: June 14th

Week In The Rockies - July 8-12, 2019

Consignment deadline: June 15th Video Royale - July 29-August 2, 2019

Consignment deadline: July 13th

Big Horn Classic - August 19-23, 2019 Consignment deadline: August 3

BROADUS, MT RECEIVING STATION

County Stock Yards every Wednesday from 1 pm - 3 pm (for special arrangements, give Rod a call) For more information contact Rod Schaffer – 406-436-2235 (home) 406-672-5546 (cell)

We now have our Miles City Receiving Station open! Located at 1132 HWY 12 Wednesday from noon – 4 pm Please call Jason Twitchell 406-480-2345 for arrangements

CONSIGNORS:

Belle Fourche Livestock Market, LLC is qualified to handle NHTC (Non-Hormonal Treated Cattle) & 3rd Party Verified Natural Cattle. For more information – give us a call (605) 892-2655

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Belle Fourche Community Calendar

June 12: Fitness Made Fun, 11am, Senior Center Chamber Luncheon, 12pm, American West Bar & Grill **June 13:**

Community Pie Social, 3pm, Rail Park

Downtown Revitalization Meeting, 5:30, City Hall Hometown Thursdays: Dustin Evans & the Good Times,

6-9pm, State St. June 14: Caramel Rolls and Coffee 8:30am, Senior Center Saturday on State Market

Noon-7pm, 1401 5th Ave. **June 15:** Pineslope Personalities Cemetery Walk, 10am Center of the Nation All Car Rally, 10am-4pm, Herrmann

Nite Golf, Belle Fourche Country Club, 8pm

June 16: Father's Day Brunch 9am-Noon, DC Booth Fish Hatchery

Family Fun Day, Tri-State Museum, 2pm

June 17: City Council Meeting, 6pm, City Hall June 18: Chamber Early Bird Networking & Coffee, 7:30am,

Chamber of Commerce Bingo, 6:30pm, BFUMC June 19: Economic Development Corp Meeting, 7am, 5th &

Grant Plaza Fitness Made Fun, 11am, Senior

June 20: New Garden Club, 10am, Senior Center

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