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## Butte County Election Results

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Despite the rain, or maybe in celebration of the rain, 39.14% of registered Butte County voters turned out to cast ballots during the primary election on June 7. That's 2,512 voters out of 6,417 according to the Butte County auditor's office and higher than the state average, 32.09 % as reported by the South Dakota secretary of state's office.

Here's the local breakdown: Register of Deeds: Cynthia Lewis 564; **Julie Brunner** 1173.

County Commissioner, District 1: Steven Clooten 168, **James Ager** 266, Les Hermann 59.

County Commissioner, District 5, Troy M. Shockey 95, **Frank Walton** 150.

In other races, voters in District 28B supported Neal Pinnow (949 votes) to represent them in the state legislature, in a tight race with Thomas Brunner (888 votes).

Kristi Noem remains a favorite candidate for governor over Republican Steve Haugaard in western South Dakota. Taffy Howard, was the preferred candidate in Butte County for South Dakota's only congressional seat. However, statewide voters chose to retain Dusty Johnson as our lone representative. John Thune, who won by a wide margin in Butte County and statewide, will also remain in his senate seat.

The June 7 primary election consisted of races between, or among Republican candidates. Amendment C was the only item on which registered Democrats or Independents could express a preference. Apparently, quite a few of these voters in Butte County (2,484) turned out to defeat this controversial amendment that many critics argued would limit the voice of the majority.

I brought my mother to the Belle Fourche City Hall during a downpour to cast her vote. She's 87, walks with a cane and is from a generation that votes, in every election. Always. An election official met her at the



Election Day officials **Sheila Frost**, **Laura Driskall Bennett**

## City Sales Tax Receipts Remain Strong

BELLE FOURCHE – Sales tax collections within the city of Belle Fourche have remained strong through the first five months of 2022. According to data released by the City's Finance Office each month of 2022, January through May, has established the highest total for that month for the last five years. This comes on the heels of 2021's record collection of more than \$3.7 million in total revenue. Thus far 2022 is 8% ahead of last year, which tracks with the overall increase in South Dakota sales tax revenue for this year.

The city set a record with more than \$323,000 collected in April, including gross receipts. It remains the high-water mark for this year. In past years June through September usually see the highest revenue with increased activity from summer events, tourism and back to school spending.

Retail sales remain strong for the city with sales tax receipts in this sector accounting for

## Perfect Evening Kicks Off 2022 Hometown Thursdays



A large crowd took advantage of the windless evening and early summer temps to come out for music, food & fun at the 2022 season debut of Hometown Thursdays. **Mark Thiel & Assoc., the Outlaw Bar, Carr Coatings, & Pain & Movement Solutions** were co-sponsors of the Dakota Country Bands opening night performance. More photos C2. *Facebook Courtesy Photo*

door, took her arm and guided her into the building. Voting may be primarily a civic duty, but in Belle Fourche it is also a pleasant social event where friends and neighbors greet one another and take a few minutes to visit. Election officials are friendly, knowledgeable, and accommodating. Voters present would probably agree that voting is a right, a responsibility and a privilege.

Although turnout for voting was "good" it would be nice if more eligible citizens found the desire, initiative, or sense of civic duty to participate in elections. After all, elections are an important exercise in upholding American democracy. Participating as a candidate and serving as an elected official represent an elevated level of courage and commitment. On that positive note, there was certainly plenty of enthusiasm from the voters, and others present at the June 7 primary election in Belle Fourche.

## Sunday Night Storm Wreaks Havoc on City

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BELLE FOURCHE – Hail up to 4" in diameter combined with 70-mph winds roared through Belle Fourche on Sunday night, June 12th and areas east through the evening. Damage estimates were still being assessed at press time but numerous windows were

blown out, roofs were damaged, siding on homes and buildings was stripped bare, tree limbs downed and numerous cars and property at area car lots suffered extensive damage. Cleanup was underway as of Monday morning.

The supercell formed quickly around 4:00pm near Alzada and began its march eastward

following a path roughly along and to the south of Highway 212. Two hours earlier the Severe Storms Forecast Center in Norman, Oklahoma, had issued a tornado watch for much of western South Dakota. At around 4:30pm doppler radar at the National Weather Service Office in Rapid City indicated

Storm B7



(Left) Cars were damaged or totaled by destructive hail last Sunday night along with extensive property damage. Even this windsheild, protected by a heavy blanket, was not immune. -Jodie Baxendale Photo (Right) The storm blew in from the northwest and left behind a trail of destruction. - Jordan Hall Photo

## Dan Carlson: New Pastor at the Christian Life Center

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The Christian Life Center (CLC) in Belle Fourche has a new pastor. Dan Carlson will step as senior pastor in coming weeks. Paul Howard, the veteran senior pastor for 37 years will become the associate pastor.

Dan Carlson appears to be quite at home in his new office at CLC. Next to a display of ministerial licenses and certificates, a floor to ceiling bookcase houses a collection of personal artifacts. Beside an impressive number of Biblical reference books is a photograph

of the 1990s Star Trek Next Generation cast and a small model replica of the Starship Enterprise. Dan likes science fiction.

In fact, he wrote and published two science fiction novels. Species Unknown was one of the science fiction novels that climbed to No. 1 on Amazon's Christian Fantasy list.

Drawn by his eclectic interests, Dan has always worn many different hats during his career, often at the same time. Perhaps Dan Carlson could best be described as a 21st century renaissance man. The label goes back to the Italian renaissance

period when Leonardo Davinci, (the original renaissance man) astounded the world as an artist, philosopher, engineer and scientist. Now, the label refers to a person whose career and identity is shaped by his or her pursuit of eclectic passions and achievements, just like Dan.

Dan began his career when he was hired as a meteorologist for WCCO in Minneapolis, Minnesota in 1979. He was the youngest major market weather presenter in the world. He had just turned 19 and was not yet a meteorologist. Dan quickly became well known as a regional celebrity. His moniker, Dan, Dan the Weatherman caught on quickly and brought him lasting recognition.

During the eight years he filled the role of weatherman in the Twin Cities for WCCO his reputation grew. Dan was in a position to scale up into even larger and more prestigious broadcasting positions. What happened next is a little incongruous.

Dan made annual trips to the Black Hills as a young adult, and his love of meteorology may have stemmed from deep



Dan Carlson, New Christian Life Center Pastor. *Beacon Photo*

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## James Tatge 68

James Richard (Jim) Tatge of Nemo, SD, passed away unexpectedly on March 2, 2022. Jim was born on June 27, 1953 to Alvin and Mavis (McAmis) Tatge of Alzada, Montana. He came home from the hospital in the family airplane and was enamored with flying from that day on.

Jim was in a car accident on February 1, 2022 and suffered a severely broken neck. He survived against great odds and was home after eight days with a metal halo. He was recovering well and grateful to his doctors for their expertise and the huge support from his many friends.

On February 28, Jim suffered a heart attack. He was treated at Monument Health and seemed to be recovering well. On March 2, his heart went into A-Fib and was not able to recover. He died a few hours later with Barb, the love of his life, holding his hand.

Jim attended high school in Belle Fourche, SD and graduated in 1971. He worked many jobs during his life including designing and selling ultralite aircraft. He had the first ultralite dealership in the Midwest in the 70's when the planes were still foot launched. He worked for several years as a motorcycle mechanic and raced motocross. During his lifetime he owned 150+ motorcycles and at times lamented some of the ones he sold. Jim worked several years commercial salmon fishing in Bristol Bay, Alaska and said he never got tired of eating fresh salmon every day. Jim was an excellent mechanic and was always ready to help diagnose engine problems whenever he was asked.



He was very curious about the world around him and had an interest in vast areas. He researched world religions and spirituality. He practiced transcendental meditation; studied and practiced sound nutrition; and studied a lengthy list of topics from airfoils to quantum physics and mechanics. Jim remembered details about everything he studied, could build or fix almost anything. He could carry on an intelligent conversation with anyone of any age on almost any topic that came up.

Jim's friends and family meant the world to him and those feelings were mutual. He is missed by everyone who knew him. He was preceded in death by his parents, grandparents, and many aunts, uncles, and cousins. He is survived by his sister, Pamela Tatge of Boise, ID and his partner of 38 years, Barb Hallberg of Nemo, SD. Although Jim never had children, he took great joy in being "dad" to Barb's sons, Erin Sharp of Sioux Falls, SD and Ben Sharp of Hot Springs, SD and New Zealand. He took great pride in his "grandkids" Alex Sharp (McKenna) of California; Wesley Sharp of Arizona; Conrad Sharp of Hot Springs, SD and New Zealand. Jim and Barb also had two great grandsons. He is also survived by dear relatives and friends.

A memorial celebration will be held on June 25th at 21862 Big Elk Place near Nemo, SD. The celebration will begin around 3:00 pm. Memorials for Jim will be used to establish a scholarship for a deserving student pursuing a vocational degree.



*This week's Pastor's Perspective is provided by Tim Smith of First Baptist Church Belle Fourche*

## Pastor's Perspective

### "Politics and the Christian"



Do you follow politics? Are you a conservative or a liberal? It's been said that there are two topics that you shouldn't talk about in social situations, politics and religion. As a Pastor, I've had many opportunities to talk about religion, and hopefully discussions

about religion are expected, to be coming from a Pastor. And, being as the Bible deals with moral issues, it also colors my view of politics.

However, not everyone agrees that Biblical teaching agrees on a political party, or issues. The truth is that there are biblical issues represented in both parties, not just one.

In the church, there are often people with differing political persuasions. And, there is a well voiced opinion that politics and religion don't mix. But, the truth of the matter is, Scripture does address issues that are represented in politics. And yet, we find great division within the church when it comes to the subject of politics. And, that division in our day has led to heated disagreements both in the church and in the culture.

It shouldn't be this way. Politics shouldn't divide us in the church or in the home. It's reported by some that Augustine stated, "In essentials, unity; in non-essentials, liberty; in all things, charity." The point of that quote could be applied to politics in that regardless of how a person votes, we should still care about who they are as a person and their relationship with God.

How did we end up being in a situation where opposing political philosophies see the others as their enemies? One answer is that we choose to watch our preferred/slanted news outlets that reflect our political perspectives, and often we find ourselves simply discounting the opposing viewpoint. And, if we're attentive, we can clearly discern that news inflames

and divides because of its perspective, whether one side or the other.

When we go into the voting booth, we often vote on the basis of party affiliation, and we go into the voting booth with a great deal of faith. We hope that our votes are informed ones. We trust that the candidate that we are voting for will carry out what they have promised, and we trust that our vote will be accurately counted. We also trust that the ideals that we hold to will continue in the future.

We live in a country with a great deal of history, both good and bad, and it is still a country that many will sacrifice life and limb to gain access to. We're truly a blessed people.

Regardless of who is elected, the Scripture encourages us to pray for our elected leaders. We're to make requests on their behalf, intercede for them, and give thanks for them. And, that goes even if we didn't vote for them!

Just read what the Apostle Paul wrote to his protégé Timothy:

1 Timothy 2:1-7 I urge, then, first of all, that requests, prayers, intercession and thanksgiving be made for everyone—for kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all godliness and holiness. This is good, and pleases God our Savior, who wants all men to be saved and to come to a knowledge of the truth. For there is one God and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who gave himself as a ransom for all men—the testimony given in its proper time. (NIV)

Prayer: Heavenly Father, we thank you for the freedoms that we have in this country. We are grateful that we can participate in the electoral process. We pray that you would guide those who are elected that they might further be used of You to enable us to live peaceful and quiet lives. Lord, may we live in a manner that would bring great glory to You, as we walk in godliness and holiness. In Jesus name, Amen

### 2 Corinthians 13:11

*Finally, brothers and sisters, rejoice! Strive for full restoration, encourage one another, be of one mind, live in peace. And the God of love and peace will be with you.*

### Philippians 4:6-7

*Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.*

### Prayer for the Day

*Lord our God, we wait for you night and day. We believe in you and we long for your righteousness. You will answer our prayer. Bless us, we pray. May your name be kept holy and your kingdom come. O Lord our God, may your will be done among the nations. May your will be done in each of us and be plainly seen, as it is in heaven. Look upon the nations. Watch over all humankind. Let a new path be broken so that a peace that passes all understanding may come, a peace from you, the Lord our God. Amen.*

### 1 Thessalonians 5:15

*Make sure that nobody pays back wrong for wrong, but always strive to do what is good for each other and for everyone else.*





*A little bit early, A little bit late.  
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*Sincerely,  
Tom Brunner*

**JULIE  
BRUNNER**



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serve as your next Register  
of Deeds.*



### Notes From the Chamber

Chamber Director Miranda Gallagher

membership benefits. Please see the enclosed form fill out and return to me at your earliest convenience. We really want to offer this benefit to all our members.

2) Center of the Nation Trademark- We have been asked by several businesses if they can use the Center of the Nation Trademark for their business. We are excited to announce that we have made an agreement for our local businesses to review and sign if they would like to use the trademark. Please email me at [director@bellefourchechamber.org](mailto:director@bellefourchechamber.org) for more information.

3) Center of the Nation Foundation- The Chamber of Commerce is working on getting a foundation created under the Chamber so we can apply for grant money. This grant money will be used to help lower the membership fees, event expenses, tourism,

and education opportunities for our community.

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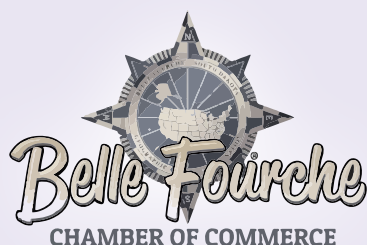
Our 2022 2nd Annual River Festival was a huge success. We thank everyone who came out and had a great time.

Band was 2 Country 4 Nashville. They had some friends fly in from Dallas to attend our festival and hear them play.

Contest between the local law enforcement was a close call. \$5 different. The winner was the Belle Fourche Police Department.

BBQ Contest Winners: Best Spirit Award and 1st Place winners Smo-King Butt Rubbers; 2nd Place: Mountain Man BBQ; 3rd Place: Fire Res-Que Aaron Thrasher and Mike Johnson.

It was a very close call as all the BBQ Contestants did an awesome job. We had over 100 public judges that all had amazing things to say about each of the Contestants.



## Carnival tickets Are Now On Sale!



Tickets to the carnival, held in downtown Belle Fourche during the Black Hills Roundup 4th of July festivities, are now on sale.

Tickets are \$25 apiece and pay for a wristband, which you receive once you are at the carnival site. Each ticket is good for the day of use only.

Ticket outlets include the Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center, First Interstate Bank, Pioneer Bank, Highmark Federal Credit Union, Northern Hills Federal Credit Union, and the Spearfish

Chamber of Commerce. Tickets at the Tri-State may be purchased with check, cash or credit card. Tickets at other sites are available for cash or check.

Sales of tickets will go on until 5 p.m. on June 29th at the Tri-State and noon on the 29th at all other ticket sites. The carnival opens at 6 p.m. on Thursday, July 29.

For additional information about carnival tickets, please call 605-723-2010 or 605-723-1200.

**June 29- July 4th, 2022**

## Marci VanderWerff Employee of the Year



## Ann-Marie Hostetter Teacher of the Year



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## Teacher and Employee of the Year

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BELLE FOURCHE – The Belle Fourche School District has named its teacher of the year and employee of the year. The proclamations came during a recognition ceremony held at the Belle Fourche Rec Center auditorium in late May.

Teacher of the year for 2021-22 is Ann-Marie Hostetter. Hostetter is a 4th grade teacher at South Park Elementary school. She was selected from a field of 19 other nominees. For teacher of the year nominees a vote is taken in each candidate's administrative area to determine the three administrative area finalist. The Community Council for Education selection commit-

tee then determines the winner out of the finalist.

The district employee of the year is Marci VanDerWerff. Marci works as a paraprofessional for the district. She was selected from a field of 13 other candidates who were nominated.

Also recognized at the event was Dr. Steve Willard as South Dakota Superintendent of the year and Dr. Julie Hatling, South Park Elementary Principal, for earning her Doctor of Education (EdD) from the University of South Dakota.

Also noted for their service were retirees Kayleen Plunkett who has been with the district for 27 years and Louise Reade who retires after 12 years of service.







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## Old Glory, Eternal Glory

By Gov. Kristi Noem

On June 14th each year, we celebrate the American Flag as an enduring symbol of freedom, equality, justice, and hope. Our flag is more than a symbol of our country's core values — it also represents the toil and sacrifice of so many who have worked to lift America to the top of the world stage.

Flag Day officially commemorates the Continental Congress' approval of the design on June 14, 1777. Some scholars believe the tradition of Flag Day began around 1889, the same year South Dakota became a state. In 1927, President Calvin Coolidge signed a proclamation honoring Flag Day. He noted, "when we look at our flag and behold it emblazoned with all our rights, we must remember that it is equally a symbol of our duties."

Every glory that we associate with it is the result of duty done."

Those American duties — the personal responsibility of our people — are wonderfully depicted in the colors of our flag. Red stands for hardiness and valor — the American people tamed a continent and have fought and died for generations to defend the freedoms that make

our nation great. White stands for purity and innocence — our nation was the first in history to be founded on an ideal, "that all men are created equal," and

we must remain pure to that ideal in everything that we do. And Blue symbolizes justice for all — our nation stands for equal rights, equal treatment under the law, and limited government that doesn't pick winners and losers.

We recently honored Memorial Day, and it was a tremendous reminder of the values depicted by our flag. Standing with rain-soaked patriots at the Black Hills National Cemetery,

I watched as veteran after veteran, family after family, presented wreaths in honor of the more than 3,000 South Dakotans who made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedoms.

As I watched a wheelchair-bound veteran endure the rain to participate in a flag presentation to a World War II veteran, the symbol of the red, white, and blue became more powerful. They call the flag "Old Glory." She's 245 years old, but her glory is eternal — the result of generations continuing to fulfill their duty to serve.

We must keep America strong so the flag can remain a sym-

bol of hope for those yearning for freedom. President George Washington once said, "We take the stars from heaven, the red from our mother country (Great Britain), separating it by white stripes, thus showing that we have separated from her, and the white stripes shall go down to posterity representing Liberty." That Liberty has remained a beacon for so many around the world, and we must keep it that way.

For too long, there has been a radical push to redefine what the American Flag represents. We must reject that movement, but we must also recognize that our nation is always

finding ways to improve and learn from mistakes. When our nation mourns, we lower the flag; we do not tear it down completely. It's our history. It's our heroes. It's our legacy as the first nation to break through tyranny to self-govern under the rights given

to us by our Creator.

Our Founding Fathers took 13 colonies and built One Nation Under God. It is our responsibility to continue that legacy and protect the flag as a symbol of freedom and democracy around the world.

## SD CEO Welcomes Bailey Sadowsky as Marketing Specialist and Announces the Promotion of Carissa Hauck to Program Coordinator

SD CEO West Women's Business Center, an organization that provides training, counseling, and technical assistance to aspiring entrepreneurs, business owners and all working women in the state of South Dakota, announces the promotion of Carissa Hauck to Program Coordinator and welcomes Bailey Sadowsky as its new Marketing Specialist.

"Carissa Hauck has expertly served as SD CEO West's Marketing Specialist since August 2021 and brings a solid understanding of both the programmatic and grant financial requirements to the Program Coordinator position," said Michelle Kane, SD CEO West Women's Business Center, Director, "As our Marketing Specialist, Carissa has enhanced SD CEO West's social media presence and was instrumental in helping to create a new website for the organization. I am thrilled to work alongside her in the new role of Program Coordinator."

As the new Program Coordinator, Carissa brings her experience from her previous role as the Marketing Specialist of SD CEO West along with her three years of entrepreneurial experience as co-founder of Scobi Kombucha, which she sold less than a year ago.

While at Scobi Kombucha, Carissa created a successful company from the ground up. She accomplished everything from developing a product that is the talk of the town, to forming a team that is motivated and engaged with company goals, to a community and clients that are happy and proud to support a genuine local business.

"The opportunity to continue to work with the amazing women at SD CEO West is a chance to help others in their entrepreneurial dreams. It brings me a lot of joy to help others find success," said Hauck.

Carissa received her Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration & Human Resources from Black Hills State University in 2018. An active student on campus, Carissa was the Adminis-



Bailey Sadowsky

trative Assistant for the International Student Organization, Secretary & Treasurer for the Honors Club, Business Honor Society Member of Beta Gamma Sigma, and participant in the Cultural Ambassador Program. Upon graduation, she did so with Honors and as an International Regent Scholar. Carissa is also a high school graduate of Belle Fourche Public School. In her free time, Carissa strives to live an active and adventurous lifestyle by training jiu jitsu, backpacking throughout the US, and traveling abroad.

SD CEO West welcomes another BHSU graduate and entrepreneur, Bailey Sadowsky, owner of Shadow Sky Creative Co., to the team.

"As a current business owner, Bailey understands the opportunities and challenges entrepreneurs face when it comes to executing smart marketing strategies," said Kane, "She is also a talented graphic designer, artist and photographer, and this experience will not only elevate SD CEO's presence in the marketplace."

Bailey will be managing the marketing strategy, print materials, market research, social media, website, and other marketing projects for SD CEO in Spearfish and will assist with the continued growth of the new Women's Business Center in Sioux Falls. Graduating in 2017, Bailey

Carissa Hauck

holds two Bachelor's Degrees from Black Hills State University in Corporate Communications and Graphic Design with dual minors in Entrepreneurial Studies and Communication Arts and a Certificate in Management. She is the founder of Shadow Sky Creative Co., a creative services company creating marketing and graphic design solutions for data driven brands. Bailey also served as the Sales and Communication Coordinator with the Spearfish Area Chamber of Commerce where she designed and launched the organization's rebrand, built relationships with business partners and led the Young Professionals organization. You can find Bailey enjoying the outdoors, leading painting and design classes and volunteering for many Spearfish and Northern Hills organizations.

"Being familiar with SD CEO as a long-time event attendee, Women In Leadership graduate and working with SD CEO team on graphic design projects helped me to know that it was the kind of organization I wanted to be a part of," said Sadowsky, "Along with marketing and design projects, I look forward to bringing my own experiences as a business owner to the table to help other women find their own success."

Bailey was the Graphic Design lead on the new Belle Fourche Gateway Tourism magazine.

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The first annual “Cowboys & Ice Cream was a hit! The Cowboys, the iconic John Wayne movie was released 50 years ago! We celebrated by enjoying ice cream, history lessons, wagon rides, and look-a-like contests. Everything started off Friday with Angel’s Eats ‘Cowboy Lunch’, inside the Circle Lounge, which sold out Friday and Saturday. In the afternoon a crowd gathered at Rail Park (State Street and 7th Ave). The crowd enjoyed SME’s Treats, Torch Creamery, Fancy Coffee, a delicious picnic by the Belle Fourche Chamber of Commerce, a petting farm by Whitestar Automotive Repair & Services & the Center of the Nation 4-H Club. Wagon rides by Circle Lounge/Angel’s Eats with drivers John Hughes & Dick Hermann (\*the wagons downtown were provided by Dennis and Margaret Lindskov of BUTTE COUNTY EQUIPMENT), Belle Fourche Rec Center River Run, and “Belle Fourche Walking History”! Dawn Newland, Bill Hennessey, and special guest, Wilbur Newland talked and shared so many stories and ‘Did you know this about Belle Fourche’ for close to an hour. These three historians have researched, read, and drove thousands of miles to keep the history alive. Belle Fourche Walking History will continue to go on throughout the summer and fall with videos found on COWBOYS TOO! Facebook page and hopefully a few more live events.

Rail Park and State Street were adorned by beautiful and authentic wagons. Relic Diggers and the Hitching Post visitors were able to see an original Civil War Ambulance. Saturday afternoon while enjoying their ‘Cowboy Lunch’ Angel’s Eats patrons got to sit by a chuck wagon and wonder what it must have been like to have a chuckwagon meal. A personal favorite was the SME’s treats spot on Friday evening. A wagon was built specifically for catering. The center of it all was an original John Deere wagon that was made as a stage/backdrop for Belle Fourche Walking History. During Friday and Saturday, you may have seen the fifth wagon being pulled by

a pair of horses with very happy city folk. All of the wagons were generously brought to Belle Fourche, and it needs to be said again, by Dennis and Margaret Lindskov of BUTTE COUNTY EQUIPMENT. It means so much to the businesses of State Street that these wagons were a part of Cowboys & Ice Cream!

The businesses of State Street and Belle Fourche were generous with their donations and time. Thank you to the following businesses who donated, participated, and enjoyed the event: Scott Peterson Motors, Beards & Shears, Lynn’s Dakotamart, Sand Creek Printing, Angel’s Eats, Circle Lounge, Leaky Pot, Pioneer Bank, Office Emporium, Black Hills Diner, Black Hills Laundry & Dry Cleaning, COWBOYS TOO!, Capp’s Cornerstone Refinishing, Belle Fourche Beacon, and Butte County Equipment.

A special shoutout to Belle Flowers Design and Decor. They sponsored the children’s Ice Cream Eating Contest. They served 47 hungry and eager kids. The eating contests started at 3 PM in Rail Park, Saturday. There were 3 heats, 0-5 years, 6-10 years, and 11-17 years old. The handicap was they could not use their hands! It was a sight to see! After the kid’s contest came to the adult contest! The business “Banana Split Eating Contest” (Dairy Queen) had 12 contenders. The first heat was a handicap that the bowl had to stay on the table, and you had to eat it with that very small Dairy Queen spoon. The top 3 went on to the second heat. The top three were Scott Peterson Motors - Tucker Chytka, Black Hills Diner, Rebecca Lee, and Black Hills Laundry & Dry Cleaning - Izabelle. This heat the rules were... there were no rules. Tucker Chytka slammed it down and came out as the winner of the \$125.00 ad in the Belle Fourche Beacon.

The last part of the Cowboys & Ice Cream was the look-a-like contest. Our three judges were Mayor Randy Schmidt, Shelisa Davis, and Miss Black Hills Rodeo Princess, Katelyn Kammerer had their work cut out for them. We had some super cute cowboys for the look-a-like contest!

Thanks to Wyatt, Micah, Bo, Judah, Ezra, Wyatt #2, and Hon-

ey for participating.

The following names are the participants of the ice cream eating contests: 0-5-year-olds: Brett 5 (Nisland), Wyatt Epple 5 (Nisland), Savanna Epple 3 (Nisland), Aleksander Moselle 3 (spearfish) Talia Thompson 4 (Belle Fourche), Addie Jeitz 5 (Belle Fourche), Ezra Donnell 6 (Belle Fourche), Waytt Herman 6, (Belle Fourche), Alora Thompson 4 (Belle Fourche).

6-10 yrs old: Anna 8 (Nisland), LilyAnne Epple 9 (Nisland) Annabella Epple 10 (Nisland), Talia Thompson 8 (Belle Fourche) Titus Thompson 10 (Belle Fourche), Sylas Brirue 9 (Fruitdale), William Collins 9 (Belle Fourche), Layla Stiekeliggett 9 (Belle Fourche), Audrey Jeitz (Belle Fourche), Owen Jeitz (Belle Fourche), Braxaton 10 (Belle Fourche), Simon McKenney 7, (Belle Fourche), Franklin Martinez 9, (Belle Fourche), Lauralee Draiske 10, (Belle Fourche), Faith Lee Miles 7, (Spearfish), Honey Donnell 10, (Belle Fourche), Ben Hearman 4, (Spearfish), Wyatt Herman 6, (Spearfish), Micah Dennell 4 (Belle Fourche), Judah Dennell 4, (Belle Fourche), Ezra Dennell 6, (Belle Fourche), Mason Bloomberg 6, (Belle Fourche).

11-17 yrs old: Kierra Bloomberg 15, (Belle Fourche), Brahnsen Brink 12, (Fruitdale), Kalli Thompson 12, (Belle Fourche), Ezra Avalos 11, (Belle Fourche), Max Sirignano 12, (Belle Fourche), Max Sirignano 12, (Belle Fourche), Isabella Evans 11, (Belle Fourche), Walker 13, (Buffalo), Weston Dingfelder 13, (Buffalo), Kyra 11, (Belle Fourche), Lucila 13, (Belle Fourche), Thad McKenney 12, (Belle Fourche), Bradly Dreiske 11, (Belle Fourche),

Belle Fourche Business Banana Split Eating Contest: Scott Peterson Motors - Tucker Chytka, Beards & Shears - Mikayla, Lynn’s Dakotamart - Todd Odson, Sand Creek Printing - Nika Avalos, Angel’s Eats - Brandon Bennett, Leaky Pot - Gino Pesicka, Pioneer Bank - Ezra Avalos, Office Emporium - Nate Kari, Black Hills Diner, Rebecca Lee, Black Hills Laundry & Dry Cleaning - Izabelle, COWBOYS TOO! - Esten Biedert, Capp’s Cornerstone Refinishing - Lee Capp. More pictures on page A6





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**Anything Left in the Barrel?** ————— By: Doug Cole

Yesterday, June 14th, was Flag Day. \* \* \*

Flag Day, also called National Flag Day, in the United States, a day honouring the national flag, observed on June 14. The holiday commemorates the date in 1777 when the United States approved the design for its first national flag. Flag Day is celebrated on Tuesday, June 14, 2022 in the United States. \* \* \*

The idea to set aside a day to honour the national flag came from several sources. Bernard J. Cigrand, a Wisconsin schoolteacher, in 1885 urged his students to observe June 14 as "Flag Birthday." He later wrote an essay published in a Chicago newspaper that urged Americans to proclaim this date as the day to celebrate the flag. In 1888 William T. Kerr of Pennsylvania founded the American Flag Day Association of Western Pennsylvania, an organization to which he dedicated his life. A lesser-known claim is that of George Morris of Connecticut, who is said to have organized the first formal celebration of the day in Hartford in 1861. \* \* \*

In 1916 Pres. Woodrow Wilson proclaimed June 14 as the official date for Flag Day, and in 1949 the U.S. Congress permanently established the date as National Flag Day. Although Flag Day is not an official federal holiday, Pennsylvania celebrates the day as a state holiday. Each year the U.S. president delivers an address that proclaims the week of June 14 as National Flag Week, and all Americans are encouraged to fly U.S. flags during that week. \* \* \*

**Facts to Ponder**  
During a 1910 meat shortage, the U.S. Congress considered a bill for the importation of hippos for farming. \* \* \*

Despite its size, China has only one time zone—Beijing time. \* \* \*

Did you know? More words in the English language begin with s than any other letter. \* \* \*

In Japan, stores that are about to close for the day play the tune of "Auld Lang Syne" to let patrons know it's time to leave. \* \*

John F. Kennedy carved a rescue message in a coconut after his PT boat sank during World War II; it worked, and he kept the coconut on his desk during his time in the White House. \* \* \*

Cherry growers use hovering helicopters to dry the fruit before harvesting it. \* \*

The world's oldest still-operating business is the Japanese construction company Kongo Gumi, founded in 578 BC \* \* \*

Bluetooth tech is named for the 10th-century Danish king Harald Bluetooth because it unites devices like he united Denmark and Norway. \* \* \*

Nachos are named for Ignacio ("Nacho") Anaya García, who invented the dish in a Mexican border town in the 1940s. \* \* \*

Now commonly used as body armor, Kevlar fabric was invented in an attempt to make lightweight tires to increase car gas mileage. \* \* \*

Because it gets so little precipitation, Antarctica is technically the world's largest desert. \* \* \*

Father's Day is always celebrated on the third Sunday in June. In 2022, it's Sunday, June 19th. \* \* \*

**The Origin Of Father's Day**  
Many people assume Father's Day (and Mother's Day for that matter) is a holiday designed by greeting card makers to turn a profit. But that couldn't be farther from the truth. The story behind how this day became a holiday is actually a tale of determination by one woman and a decades-long fight to get fathers the recognition they deserve. \* \* \*

Some attribute the first Father's Day observance to the 1907 Monongah, West Virginia mining disaster that killed 361 men—250 of them fathers—and which left more than a thousand children without a dad. Grace Golden Clayton, whose father was killed in the tragedy, suggested a service of commemoration to the pastor of her local Methodist chapel. But it never really caught on as an annual observance. \* \* \*

Two years later, in May of 1909, a woman named Sonora Louise Smart Dodd of Spokane, Washington, heard a Mother's Day sermon by Reverend Dr. Henry Rasmussen in her hometown church and thought a similar day should be set aside to honor fathers. Her own father, William Jackson Smart, a Civil War veteran, raised six children as a single parent. \* \* \*

On June 6, 1910, Dodd approached the Spokane Ministerial Association and the local Young Men's Christian Association (YMCA) with her petition outlining the idea for an annual observance, and she received overwhelming support. Spokane's held its first Father's Day celebration on Sunday, June 19, 1910, with moving speeches by her own pastor and those from other area churches. \* \* \*

The first U.S. President to celebrate it was Woodrow Wilson in June of 1916, who opened the church services by telephone to Spokane from the Oval Office. Wilson liked the idea so much of a day of observation for fathers that he pushed to make it a national holiday (he had just made Mother's Day official in 1915), but members of Congress resisted, fearing that such a day would take away support from the Mother's Day holiday, and commercialize the day for fathers, causing more harm than good. \* \* \*

Undeterred, Dodd took her mission on the road and spoke publicly to fathers to gain their support. But she was met with hard criticism. According to The Spokesman-Review, they laughed at her and said they didn't want a Father's Day. "A national fishing day would be better," they told her. \* \* \*

Whether your fishing or not, have a **Happy Father's Day!**



## PERSONAL PROPERTY AUCTION June 25th, 2022 – 10:00 A.M.

**AUCTION LOCATION:** 1004 Garfield St. Whitewood SD, Corner of Laurel St. and Garfield St. Whitewood SD Watch for signs.

**TOOLS & SHOP EQUIPMENT:** 2 mitre saws; bench grinder; scroll saw; Craftsman router; Craftsman belt sander; orbital sander; Craftsman table saw; lumber roller; 6' plainer; cordless tools; small air compressor; cordless drill; chain saw; Makita mitre saw; router bits; assorted small tool boxes; carpet stretcher; Reddy heat; weed eaters; bow saws; portable air tank; bar clamps; assorted pipe wrenches; staplers; floor jack; pick axes; shovels; sanding disc; extension & step ladders; leg vise; 16" Dove tailor; Workmate bench; levels; parts washer; engine stand; 5 hp. 2250 Watt generator; Powr Guip 7200 Watt generator; 2 hp. motor.

**HOUSEHOLD:** 3 person hot tub; new kitchen gas range; Whirlpool washing machine; washing machine & refrigerator for camper; 2 dresser; couch and matching chair; corner cabinet; kitchen counter top cabinet; Island cabinet; 5 bar stools; 2 church pews; doors & frames 44"(3) 28"; (2) 24"; pallet of hardwood flooring; kids electric John Deere tractor; kids dozer; gas range, double oven; wicker bassinet; fans; piano key board, golf clubs; coffee table; sleeping bags; weight set, with punching bag; entertainment center; file cabinet; several boxes of household items; bicycles; lots of new trim boards; new cutters; swamp cooler.

**TRAILER & MOTORCYCLE:** 1983 Honda CB550 Night Hawk dirt bike; motorcycle Aluma pull behind trailer; 2007 Carry On 5'x 8' trailer, drop down ramp

**GUN:** Remington Model 870 pump, 12 gauge; BB gun

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**SHEDS TO BE MOVED:** 12'x 12' storage shed to be moved; plastic yard shed to be moved; 8'x 24' enclosed van box, side rear door, fiberglass roof.

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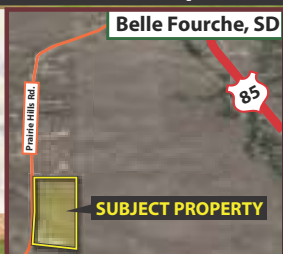
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Next Sale - June 17th - Selling All Classes - 9 AM  
Thank You For Marketing With St Onge Livestock!**Pairs**Black, Dennis, Riverton WY .....12.....Bldd..Heifer..... 947... \$1,625.00  
Ellsbury Livestock LLC, Sundance WY .....5.....Blk....Broken..... 1476 \$1,450.00**Weigh Up Cows**3 Fingers Ranch Inc, Newcastle WY .....2.....Red..Hfrt..... 975... \$119.00  
Basel, Dallas, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1160..... \$88.00  
Basel, Dallas, Union Center SD .....1.....Rbld..Cow..... 1080..... \$85.00  
Boardman, Jeffery, Gillette WY .....2.....Red..Hfrt..... 1080..... \$109.00  
Branscom Ranch LLC, Osage WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1800..... \$74.00  
Branscom Ranch LLC, Osage WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1210..... \$80.00  
Brassfield, Steven, Caputa SD .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1535..... \$77.00  
Brassfield, Steven, Caputa SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1110..... \$73.50  
Brassfield, Steven, Caputa SD .....2.....Blk....Hfrt..... 1002..... \$109.00  
Bull Ranch, Ashland MT .....3.....Bldd..Hfrt..... 853..... \$129.00  
Bull Ranch, Ashland MT .....2.....Blk....Hfrt..... 957..... \$113.50  
Cahoon, Jeanette Or Dan, Sonnette MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1295..... \$84.50  
Cahoon, Jeanette Or Dan, Sonnette MT .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1272..... \$84.00  
Cheser, Dan & Jody, Arvada WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1135..... \$84.00  
Cheser, Dan & Jody, Arvada WY .....1.....Bld....Cow..... 1085..... \$81.50  
Cheser, Dan & Jody, Arvada WY .....1.....Rbld..Cow..... 1010..... \$81.50  
Cranston Family Rev Trust, Moorcroft WY .....1.....Herf..Cow..... 1530..... \$74.00  
Cross W Livestock, Ekalaka MT .....2.....Bldd..Cow..... 1077..... \$75.00  
Cross W Livestock, Ekalaka MT .....6.....Blk....Cow..... 1254..... \$81.50  
Cross W Livestock, Ekalaka MT .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1247..... \$77.00  
Cross W Livestock, Ekalaka MT .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1217..... \$75.00  
Cross W Livestock, Ekalaka MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1205..... \$74.00  
Cross W Livestock, Ekalaka MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1180..... \$87.50  
Dennis, Robert, Red Owl SD .....1.....Rbld..Cwette..... 985..... \$115.00  
Dennis, Robert, Red Owl SD .....1.....Xbrd..Cow..... 1085..... \$83.00  
Denzin, Mick, Buffalo SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1160..... \$76.00  
Denzin, Mick, Buffalo SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 995..... \$84.50  
Dinosaur Cattle LLC, Missoula MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1320..... \$81.50  
Dinosaur Cattle LLC, Missoula MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1250..... \$81.50  
Dinosaur Cattle LLC, Missoula MT .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1175..... \$87.50  
Dinosaur Cattle LLC, Missoula MT .....1.....Blk....Hfrt..... 850..... \$123.00  
Dinosaur Cattle LLC, Missoula MT .....22.....B/Ch..Cow..... 1283..... \$87.50  
Dinosaur Cattle LLC, Missoula MT .....17.....B/R....Cow..... 1236..... \$85.00  
Edwards, Craig, Gillette WY .....3.....Blk....Cow..... 1323..... \$77.50  
Edwards, Orin, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1445..... \$84.50  
Edwards, Orin, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1210..... \$73.50  
Ellsbury Livestock LLC, Sundance WY .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1352..... \$80.50  
Ellsbury Livestock LLC, Sundance WY .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1187..... \$79.50  
Ellsbury Livestock LLC, Sundance WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1155..... \$74.50  
Ellsbury Livestock LLC, Sundance WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1120..... \$80.00  
Franzen, Josey, Sundance WY .....1.....Blk....Hfrt..... 1195..... \$96.00  
Gaskill, Dan, Volborg MT .....17.....B/R....Cow..... 1427..... \$81.00  
Gaskill, Dan, Volborg MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1420..... \$79.00  
Gaskill, Dan, Volborg MT .....4.....Blk....Cow..... 1376..... \$82.50  
Gaskill, Dan, Volborg MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1325..... \$82.50  
Gaskill, Dan, Volborg MT .....4.....Blk....Cow..... 1261..... \$86.00  
Gaskill, Kenneth, Volborg MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1075..... \$76.50  
Goehring, Terry & Laurie, Buffalo SD .....5.....Blk....Cow..... 1539..... \$79.00  
Goehring, Terry & Laurie, Buffalo SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1255..... \$76.50  
Goehring, Terry & Laurie, Buffalo SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1220..... \$72.50  
Goehring, Terry & Laurie, Buffalo SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1465..... \$80.00  
Graham Mt Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1310..... \$75.00  
Graham Mt Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....6.....Blk....Cow..... 1082..... \$83.00  
Graham Mt Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1080..... \$79.00  
Graham Mt Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....1.....Bld....Cow..... 965..... \$77.00  
Graham Mt Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....17.....B/R....Cow..... 1203..... \$86.50  
Habeck Rev Trust, Lee, Sundance WY .....4.....Herf..Cow..... 1533..... \$75.00  
Habeck Rev Trust, Lee, Sundance WY .....1.....Herf..Cow..... 1170..... \$76.50  
Habeck, Philip W, Moorcroft WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1315..... \$83.00  
Habeck, Philip W, Moorcroft WY .....29.....Blk....Cow..... 1262..... \$88.00  
Habeck, Philip W, Moorcroft WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1225..... \$83.50  
Habeck, Philip W, Moorcroft WY .....10.....Blk....Cow..... 1175..... \$85.00  
Habeck, Philip W, Moorcroft WY .....3.....Blk....Cow..... 1118..... \$87.00  
Hansen, Ken Or Pam, Fruitdale SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1205..... \$70.50  
Hanson, Marian, Ashland MT .....4.....Bldd..Cow..... 1386..... \$80.50  
Hanson, Marian, Ashland MT .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1745..... \$80.50  
Hanson, Marian, Ashland MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1505..... \$79.00  
Harper, Jeremy, Powderville MT .....2.....Bldd..Cow..... 1432..... \$80.00  
Harper, Jeremy, Powderville MT .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1197..... \$81.00  
Harper, Jeremy, Powderville MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1185..... \$82.50  
Hayden, Ryan Or Constance, Gillette WY .....3.....Bld....Cow..... 1156..... \$86.00  
Hayden, Ryan Or Constance, Gillette WY .....2.....Herf..Cow..... 1257..... \$80.50  
Hayden, Ryan Or Constance, Gillette WY .....1.....Herf..Cow..... 1120..... \$68.00  
Home Creek Cattle Co, Ashland MT .....1.....Blk....Hfrt..... 985..... \$116.00  
Home Creek Cattle Co, Ashland MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 835..... \$72.00  
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT .....16.....Bldd..Cow..... 1488..... \$82.00  
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT .....23.....Bldd..Cow..... 1442..... \$80.50  
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT .....3.....Bldd..Cow..... 1038..... \$110.00  
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1285..... \$80.00  
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1280..... \$84.00  
Horseshoe I Ranch, Broadus MT .....1.....Bld....Cow..... 1195..... \$83.00  
Humbracht Bros, Camp Crook SD .....8.....Bldd..Cow..... 1257..... \$80.50  
Humbracht Bros, Camp Crook SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1245..... \$85.50  
Humbracht Bros, Camp Crook SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1170..... \$76.50  
Humbracht Bros, Camp Crook SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 940..... \$73.50  
Humbracht Bros, Camp Crook SD .....2.....Char..Cow..... 1427..... \$79.50  
Humbracht Bros, Camp Crook SD .....3.....Mix....Cow..... 1178..... \$73.00  
Iron Mountain Cattle Co, Waynesboro PA .....3.....Bldd..Cow..... 1123..... \$80.00  
Iron Mountain Cattle Co, Waynesboro PA .....3.....Blk....Cow..... 1411..... \$84.50  
Iron Mountain Cattle Co, Waynesboro PA .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1262..... \$76.50  
Iron Mountain Cattle Co, Waynesboro PA .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1170..... \$76.50  
Iron Mountain Cattle Co, Waynesboro PA .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1090..... \$79.00  
Jaeger, Ashley, Newell SD .....1.....Char..Cow..... 1160..... \$83.50  
Johnson, Lonnie, Belvidere SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1360..... \$76.50  
Knodel, Ty, Buffalo SD .....1.....B/Hf..Cwette..... 1005..... \$95.00  
Komes, Josh, Vale SD .....1.....Herf..Cow..... 1265..... \$81.00  
Komes, Timothy J, Sturgis SD .....1.....Herf..Cow..... 1285..... \$77.50  
Komes, Timothy J, Sturgis SD .....1.....Herf..Cow..... 1125..... \$75.00  
Kuhbacher, Travis, Alzada MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1515..... \$78.00  
Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....7.....Red..Cow..... 1408..... \$80.50  
Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1410..... \$80.50  
Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1330..... \$82.50  
Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1230..... \$76.50  
Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1205..... \$84.50  
Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1180..... \$85.50  
Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1110..... \$82.00  
Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1030..... \$82.00  
Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Hfrt..... 955..... \$106.00Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 945..... \$79.00  
Lamont, Ryan, Union Center SD .....1.....Red..Hfrt..... 930..... \$115.00  
Larson, Tom, Belle Fourche SD .....1.....Bld....Cow..... 1385..... \$78.00  
Lee, Shasta, Reva SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1040..... \$87.00  
Lee, Shasta, Reva SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1305..... \$75.00  
Lee, Wayne Or Virginia, Reva SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1620..... \$77.00  
Lee, Wayne Or Virginia, Reva SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1220..... \$81.50  
Lee, Wayne Or Virginia, Reva SD .....1.....Blk....Hfrt..... 1100..... \$99.00  
Lee, Wayne Or Virginia, Reva SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1155..... \$76.00  
Lehrkamp, Michael C Or Jodie/Carl, Caputa SD1.....Blk....Cow..... 980..... \$72.50  
Lightning Ridge Inc, Olive MT .....13.....Blk....Cow..... 1376..... \$83.50  
Lightning Ridge Inc, Olive MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1295..... \$82.00  
Lightning Ridge Inc, Olive MT .....5.....Blk....Cow..... 1236..... \$87.50  
Loobey, Jessica, Whitewood SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1145..... \$81.50  
Mangen Angus Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1405..... \$77.50  
Mangen Angus Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1387..... \$79.00  
Mangen Angus Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1312..... \$73.00  
Mangen Angus Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1115..... \$74.50  
Maycock Rev Trust, Mitchel/Dixie, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1260..... \$80.50  
Moulet, Mike, Volborg MT .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1447..... \$82.00  
Moulet, Mike, Volborg MT .....1.....Blk....Cwette..... 1135..... \$96.00  
Moulet, Mike, Volborg MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1045..... \$75.50  
Negaard Cattle Co, Sundance WY .....3.....Blk....Hfrt..... 1150..... \$96.00  
Negaard Cattle Co, Sundance WY .....8.....Blk....Hfrt..... 1070..... \$110.00  
Olson, Bob, Hulett WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1240..... \$84.50  
Olson, Bob, Hulett WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1210..... \$76.50  
Paulsen, Mitch Or Mitchell, Custer SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1480..... \$79.00  
Paulsen, Mitch Or Mitchell, Custer SD .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1440..... \$75.50  
Paulsen, Mitch Or Mitchell, Custer SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1190..... \$83.00  
Paulsen, Mitch Or Mitchell, Custer SD .....1.....Bld....Cow..... 1360..... \$79.50  
Paulsen, Mitch Or Mitchell, Custer SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1645..... \$77.00  
Persson, Benjamin Earl, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1430..... \$80.50  
Persson, Benjamin Earl, Gillette WY .....3.....Blk....Hfrt..... 1263..... \$78.00  
Persson, Benjamin Earl, Gillette WY .....3.....Blk....Hfrt..... 1035..... \$108.00  
Persson, Terrance, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1360..... \$80.00  
Persson, Terrance, Gillette WY .....3.....Blk....Cow..... 1175..... \$89.00  
Philippi, Lester & Renetta, Hammond MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1285..... \$75.50  
Pitts, Jim Or Charel, Newcastle WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1615..... \$78.50  
Rourke, Beau Or Megan, Gillette WY .....3.....Blk....Cow..... 1461..... \$81.50  
Rourke, Beau Or Megan, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1285..... \$86.50  
Rourke, Beau Or Megan, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Hfrt..... 1065..... \$115.00  
Roush, Darell R, Recluse WY .....17.....Bldd..Cow..... 1325..... \$84.00  
Roush, Darell R, Recluse WY .....7.....Bldd..Cow..... 1233..... \$83.00  
Roush, Darell R, Recluse WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1675..... \$78.50  
Roush, Darell R, Recluse WY .....10.....Blk....Cow..... 1338..... \$86.00  
Scott, Edward S & Linda F, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1345..... \$81.00  
Scott, Edward S & Linda F, Gillette WY .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1350..... \$81.50  
Scott, Edward S & Linda F, Gillette WY .....2.....Red..Hfrt..... 1082..... \$109.50  
Smith Cattle Co, Olive MT .....24.....Blk....Cow..... 1537..... \$86.50  
Smith Cattle Co, Olive MT .....14.....Blk....Cow..... 1393..... \$84.50  
Smith Cattle Co, Olive MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1385..... \$78.00  
Smith Cattle Co, Olive MT .....3.....Blk....Cow..... 1346..... \$83.50  
Smith Cattle Co, Olive MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1105..... \$82.00  
Smith Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....4.....Blk....Cow..... 1428..... \$80.50  
Smith Ranch Inc, Broadus MT .....5.....Blk....Cow..... 1259..... \$85.50  
Sprague, Lyle, Nisland SD .....2.....Bldd..Cow..... 1590..... \$78.00  
Sprague, Lyle, Nisland SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1455..... \$77.00  
Sprague, Lyle, Nisland SD .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1312..... \$84.50  
Stanley, Richard, Volborg MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1720..... \$77.50  
Swaney, Jeff Or Michelle, Rozet WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1140..... \$77.50  
Swaney, Jeff Or Michelle, Rozet WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 940..... \$73.00  
Swartz Ranch LLC, Gillette WY .....12.....Blk....Cow..... 1352..... \$83.00  
Swartz Ranch LLC, Gillette WY .....3.....Blk....Cow..... 1301..... \$85.00  
Swartz Ranch LLC, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1295..... \$80.00  
Swartz Ranch LLC, Gillette WY .....3.....Blk....Cow..... 1185..... \$82.00  
Swartz Ranch LLC, Gillette WY .....7.....Blk....Cwette..... 1120..... \$96.00  
Todd Family Lp, Upton WY .....2.....Blk....Cow..... 1162..... \$86.00  
Todd, Nathan Or Chelsie, Upton WY .....1.....Bld....Cow..... 1295..... \$77.00  
Tope Livestock LLC, Hulett WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1540..... \$77.50  
Tope Livestock LLC, Hulett WY .....1.....Bld....Cow..... 1635..... \$79.50  
Uhliar, Bart, Hermosa SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1450..... \$80.50  
Uhliar, Bart, Hermosa SD .....1.....Red..Cow..... 1310..... \$83.00  
Uhliar, Gage, Hermosa SD .....1.....Rbld..Cow..... 1195..... \$82.00  
Van Damme, Jerry & Or Jennifer, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1285..... \$72.50  
Van Damme, Jerry & Or Jennifer, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1240..... \$65.50  
Van Damme, Jerry & Or Jennifer, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1110..... \$70.50  
Vandervort, Reed, Piedmont SD .....1.....Blk....Cwette..... 1185..... \$87.00  
Wahle, Tim Or Jacki, Custer SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1500..... \$77.50  
Williamson, Todd Or Melanie, Newell SD .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1165..... \$82.50  
Williamson, Todd Or Melanie, Newell SD .....1.....Bld....Cow..... 1065..... \$73.50  
Wilson, Jim, Alzada MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1750..... \$82.00  
Wilson, Jim, Alzada MT .....3.....Blk....Cow..... 1586..... \$82.00  
Wilson, Louise, Alzada MT .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1515..... \$81.00  
Wolff, James H Or Martha, Gillette WY .....10.....Blk....Cow..... 1462..... \$81.00  
Wolff, James H Or Martha, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Cow..... 1195..... \$78.00  
Youngberg, Dana, Nisland SD .....1.....Bld....Hfrt..... 855..... \$115.00**Weigh Up Bulls**Baker, Mike J, St Onge SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1540..... \$100.50  
Broken Bridge Livestock, Sturgis SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 2080..... \$96.00  
Bs Ranch Lp, Ekalaka MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1670..... \$96.00  
Bs Ranch Lp, Ekalaka MT .....2.....Blk....Bull..... 1590..... \$101.00  
Bs Ranch Lp, Ekalaka MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1550..... \$102.50  
Davis, Lloyd Or Kathryn, Osage WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1520..... \$106.00  
Elgin, Theodore Or Catherine, Biddle MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1480..... \$107.00  
Ellsbury Livestock LLC, Sundance WY .....2.....Blk....Bull..... 1957..... \$111.00  
Ellsbury Livestock LLC, Sundance WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1560..... \$103.50  
Ellsbury Livestock LLC, Sundance WY .....1.....Dair..Bull..... 1045..... \$75.00  
Gaskill Jr, Andrew, Volborg MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1740..... \$100.50  
Gaskill Jr, Andrew, Volborg MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1210..... \$113.00  
Gaskill, Dan, Volborg MT .....2.....Blk....Bull..... 1100..... \$125.00  
Gaskill, Kenneth, Volborg MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1230..... \$115.00  
Habeck, Philip W, Moorcroft WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 970..... \$129.00  
Hansen, Ken Or Pam, Fruitdale SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1840..... \$97.50  
J3 Enterprises LLC, Belle Fourche SD .....2.....B/R....Bull..... 895..... \$127.00  
Johnson Sheep & Cattle, Belle Fourche SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1585..... \$95.00  
Johnson, Troy, St Onge SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 2085..... \$108.50  
Kopp, William, Box Elder SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 2270..... \$108.50  
Kopp, William, Box Elder SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 970..... \$125.00  
Lambert, Bill & Or Marcia, Osage WY .....1.....Red..Bull..... 1700..... \$106.50  
Lambert, Bill & Or Marcia, Osage WY .....1.....Red..Bull..... 1190..... \$109.00  
Lehrkamp, Michael C Or Jodie, Caputa SD .....3.....Blk....Bull..... 916..... \$139.00  
Mannetter, John A Or Debra K, Sundance WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1625..... \$101.50  
Mannetter, John A Or Debra K, Sundance WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1475..... \$108.00  
Masteller, Terrance & Craig, Rozet WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1905..... \$111.00  
Masteller, Terrance & Craig, Rozet WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1710..... \$103.50  
Masteller, Terrance & Craig, Rozet WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1600..... \$99.00  
Mayflower Cattle Co, Sheridan WY .....7.....Blk....Bull..... 2059..... \$103.50**NEWELL SHEEP YARDS**1-800-409-4149 • 605-456-2348  
FAX: 605-456-2436Barney Barnes Sheep Yards Mgr. - 605-641-2333  
Auctioneer: Cody Tupper 605-569-3589  
Fieldman : Gilbert Wood 605-456-2400 605-641-7100  
Fieldman : Dustin Vining 605-354-9966**NEWELL SHEEP YARDS**

Thursday, June 16, 2022

Feeder Lamb Special 1 PM

150 Pairs

600 Feeder Lambs

Plus More By Sale Time!

**2022 SHEEP SALES**

June 23rd - Regular Sale - Selling All Classes Of Sheep &amp; Goats

June 30th - No Sale - Happy 4th Of July!

July 7th - Regular Sale - Selling All Classes Of Sheep &amp; Goats

July 14th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep &amp; Goats

July 21st - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep &amp; Goats

July 28th - Regular Sale - Selling All Classes Of Sheep &amp; Goats

**THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR BUSINESS!**

Attention to all Sheep &amp; Goat Producers, it is required that every Male &amp; Female animal over the age of 12 months have a scrapies tag in place to sell. These tags can be obtained by the producer for FREE by calling 1-866-873-2824. If they come to the sale barn without being tagged, you will be charged \$2hd for our vet to do them. Please call us if you have any questions.

Friday, June 17, 2022

Weigh Up Sale

9:00 AM - Weigh Up Cattle - 12 Noon - Feeder Cattle And

Bred Cattle

BT-Branding Time Shots PC-PreCondition Shots DF-Drug Free  
BV-Bangs Vaccinated NI-No Implants**2022 CATTLE SALES**

June 24th - Weigh Up Special - Selling All Classes

July 1st - No Sale - Happy 4th Of July!

July 8th - Early Yearling Special - Selling All Classes

July 15th - Weigh Up Special - Selling All Classes

July 22nd - Yearling Special - Selling All Classes

July 29th - Weigh Up Special - Selling All Classes

**THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR BUSINESS!**

St Onge Livestock has a receiving station for the Gillette Area. It is on Northern Drive in Gillette. Call Doug Miller at 307-660-0960 to let him know what is coming. You can unload all day every Thursday until 4 pm. You can also call Justin Tupper at 605-680-0259 &amp; he can let them know your cattle are coming also.

We also have a receiving station at the Broadus Yards, Broadus, MT. You can drop your cattle off every Thursday from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. For more information, call Brandy Escott at 406-951-1666, Tyler at 406-853-5690 or Justin Tupper at 605-680-0259.

St. Onge Livestock  
We are reps for  
**SUPERIOR LIVESTOCK AUCTION**  
Video Auction Time is Coming up very, quickly -  
If you are considering filming your Calves or Yearlings for Fall Delivery  
Contact Us For Your Video Marketing Needs

Mayflower Cattle Co, Sheridan WY .....2.....Blk....Bull..... 2020..... \$102.50  
Mayflower Cattle Co, Sheridan WY .....5.....Blk....Bull..... 1801..... \$97.50  
Mayflower Cattle Co, Sheridan WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1725..... \$96.00  
Nixon, Josh, Alzada MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1595..... \$101.00  
Perli, Keith, Piedmont SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 960..... \$129.00  
Perli, Raina Kay, Caputa SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1035..... \$120.00  
Philippi, Lester & Renetta, Hammond MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1975..... \$102.50  
Philippi, Lester & Renetta, Hammond MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1595..... \$108.00  
Philippi, Lester & Renetta, Hammond MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1515..... \$101.50  
Robinson, Scot, Powderville MT .....2.....Blk....Bull..... 1910..... \$103.50  
Sanders, Clayton Or Rhonda, Custer SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1720..... \$100.00  
Sleep Ranch LLC, Spearfish SD .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 2180..... \$97.00  
Stevens, William Or Janice, Ashland MT .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1840..... \$103.00  
Stevens, William Or Janice, Ashland MT .....3.....Blk....Bull..... 1821..... \$102.50  
Stevens, William Or Janice, Ashland MT .....3.....Blk....Bull..... 765..... \$143.00  
Swartz Ranch LLC, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 2235..... \$107.50  
Swartz Ranch LLC, Gillette WY .....1.....Blk....Bull..... 1870..... \$103.00  
Teichert, Ronald H, Cokeville WY .....1.....Red..Bull..... 1300..... \$96.00  
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## The Good Stuff

by Jim Thompson



Radio host Jim Thompson takes motivational stories that listeners and readers send him and incorporates them into the a daily program he calls "The Good Stuff." It has been on the air for more than 10 years. The Beacon is honored to host the written version of some of Jim's classic episodes and we proudly present them here.

Over nearly 30 years of doing radio and/or newspaper please don't blame me if i often have favorites. I've often said that I have many poems or stories that are tied for 2nd in my "favorite list". I suppose that I will stop collecting them when I find the very favorite. The author of this one has several folks claiming authorship. I honor the name sritten with this one because George Moriarty is the first one I found.



## The Road Ahead or the Road Behind

by George J. Moriarty

As heard on the "Good Stuff" with Jim Thompson

Sometimes I think the fates must grin as  
we denounce them and insist,  
The only reason we can't win is the fates  
themselves have missed.

Yet, there lives on the ancient claim – we  
win or lose within ourselves,  
The shining trophies on our shelves can  
never win tomorrow's game.

So you and I know deeper down there is a  
chance to win the crown,  
But when we fail to give our best, we  
simply haven't met the test,

Of giving all and saving none until the  
game is really won.  
Of showing what is meant by grit, of fight-  
ing on when others quit,

Of playing through not letting up, it's  
bearing down that wins the cup.  
Of taking it and taking more until we gain  
the winning score,

Of dreaming there's a goal ahead, of hop-  
ing when our dreams are dead,  
Of praying when our hopes have fled. Yet,  
losing, not afraid to fall,

If bravely we have given all, for who can  
ask more of a man  
than giving all within his span, it seems to  
me, is not so far from – Victory.

And so the fates are seldom wrong, no  
matter how they twist and wind,  
It's you and I who make our fates, we open  
up or close the gates,  
On the Road Ahead or the Road Behind.

## News & Notes From The Rodeo Trail

The Professional Rodeo Cow-boys Association and Women's Professional Rodeo Association announced in a press release June 2 that the Wrangler National Finals Breakaway Roping will take place at the South Point Arena & Equestrian Center in Las Vegas, Nov. 29-30. The Top 15 breakaway ropers will compete for prize money of \$250,000 during the two-day, 10-round performance.

"I'm pleased to see the continued success and growth of breakaway roping since the inaugural National Finals Breakaway Roping in 2020," PRCA CEO Tom Glause said. "Breakaway roping has experienced rapid growth and it is now featured at over 300 PRCA rodeos annually. This success has resulted in an increase of prize money at the NFBR to reach \$250,000."

The 2022 Wrangler National

Finals Rodeo is Dec. 1-10 at the Thomas &amp; Mack Center in Las Vegas.

Jimmie Munroe, WPRA president, also is excited for the 2022 NFBR.

"The WPRA is looking forward to the National Finals in the Women's Breakaway Roping being held at the South Point Hotel and Casino during the the PRCA Convention," Munroe said. "So many committees are having breakaway roping at their rodeos and now they along with fans will have the opportunity to see the best women breakaway ropers in the world compete at the South Point."

The South Point Hotel, which is a hotspot for contestants and visitors during the Wrangler NFR, is glad to be the event venue for the 2022 Wrangler NFBR.

"We are thrilled to host the

National Finals Breakaway Roping at the South Point Arena & Equestrian Center," said Ryan Growney, General Manager of the South Point Hotel, Casino & Spa. "When Paula and Michael Gaughan built the South Point, they created a place that Cowboys and Cowgirls could call their home away from home – we call it Vegas Cowboy Central. With the addition of the Breakaway Finals, we'll call it Vegas Cowgirl Central, and it will be an amazing addition to all of the other events and activities held at the South Point during those first two weeks in December."

The 2020 National Finals Breakaway Roping took place at Globe Life Field in Arlington, Texas, in conjunction with the NFR and Jackie Crawford captured the inaugural world championship. Last year the NFBR took place in Las Vegas at the Orleans Hotel and Casino and was won by Sawyer Gilbert.

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## Bareback Rider Rocker Steiner Wins in Darby With World Record 95-point Ride

It's only taken a few months for rookie Rocker Steiner to etch his name into the record books.

Steiner turned 18 in December 2021 and now, just five months into his professional career, he has claimed his first title at a Riggins' Rally stop and he did so in world record fashion with a 95-point ride aboard renowned bucking horse Virgil from C5 Rodeo.

"I'm so mind blown right now," Steiner said. "That was one of the most special moments of my life. I've been dreaming of getting that horse for about four years now, ever since I started riding."

The Riggins' Rally features a unique format. The 30 contestants, comprised of the top 24 in the PRCA | RAM World standings alongside six riders who advanced from a qualifier held the day prior to the Riggins' Rally, were drawn into three sections. The top three from each section move on to the nine-man finals.

On Sunday night, the competitors were able to draft their livestock for the long round. With the fourth pick in his section, Steiner chose Brookman Rodeo's Boozy Beaver. Three-time PRCA World Champ Tim O'Connell set the bar at 88 points for the section win, while Steiner tied for second with Canadian cowboy Ty Fast Tappotat, who advanced to compete through Saturday's qualifier. The matching 83-point rides squeaked into the sudden-death finals.

Then came the finals, a sudden death competition known to produce marquee matchups and high scores.

"We were sitting behind the chutes and Will O'Connell was calling out who's matched up against what horse and he said, 'Rocker Steiner, Virgil,'" Steiner recalled. "Right there, my stomach dropped, I was scared. I was so ready. I knew something great was going to happen, and it did."

When the gates blew open, Steiner matched moves with the two-time PRCA and two-time Canadian champion horse and hit the ground to a huge celebration.

"It was everything I dreamed of," he said. "I just kept telling myself to set the brakes because he was going to want me out the front."

"I couldn't believe that I made the whistle, and I knew I was going to make the whistle," he joked.

Steiner's 95-point ride broke up a logjam of six 94-point rides that formerly held the world record, originally set in 2002.

Steiner earned \$10,000 for the win. He came to Montana 15th in the PRCA | RAM World Standings and will move up the ladder as he aims to make his Wrangler National Finals Rodeo debut in 2022.

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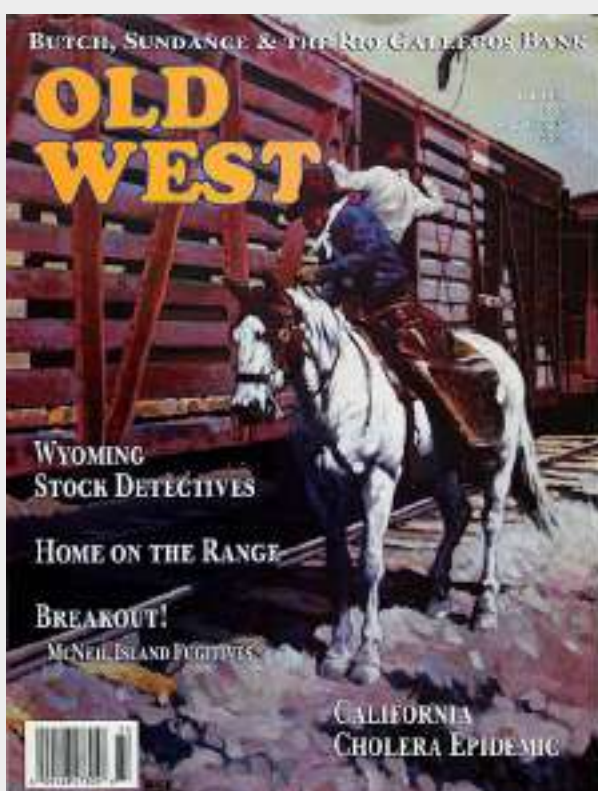


**Railroad Agents Oil Cover of 1993 Old West magazine**

An artist friend and I did our own posing for this oil painting at the 1880 Trail Town near Murdo, SD. Clarence Hullinger was still in the process of “building” his town at the time but already had many of the buildings in place, including this railroad car. A note of interest: In the 1930s my grandparents lived on the property with the round-barn, now used as an entry and gift shop for the 1880 town.

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**Capitol News**



**KAREN ODELL**

Cristen Westling and Jon Hamilton had visited Ronda Cordell last weekend. For a few days, they helped cut broken limbs and cleaned the yard. The place is beginning to look better. They left for home on Monday afternoon. Oren and Arlie Basler came to spend the day, on Tuesday. They went with Ronda to Ekalaka for an oil change in her ‘go-to-town’ car. Ronda asked Oren if he thought the weather would do the same thing as last summer when they had gone for an oil change. Last year they had gone to the play ground while they waited on the car. Suddenly, they were hit by a down pour of rain. They ran to the Wagon Wheel for cover, and ice cream. This year the three went to the Wagon Wheel for lunch, before taking the car to Fruit’s, when a down pour hit again. They got wet just running to the car. Water was running along the curbs and flooding in various streets. After this happened a second time, Ronda told the kids they needed to come more often. Clint Zolnoski went to Bowman to pick up the repaired Can-Am, on Wednesday. That afternoon, Denise, Darby and Abby came up to Ronda’s. The girls, of course, always head to the chicken coupe. Abby came out with three eggs, that she wanted to take home to eat. They had to go catch the silver chick; then the red one and the a blackish one. They wanted their mom to come in to catch one, but she declined. On Thursday, Clint and Ronda sorted groups of pairs to haul to the North Belltower pasture the next day. Chad Zolnoski came on Friday morning, to help haul. Chad, Clint and Denise were the drivers. They ate a picnic lunch in the whispering pines. The hydro-bed was their table. Due to the rain on Thursday, they changed plans, but finally got 100 pairs to summer pasture. Ronda wasn’t sure if she was more happy, or the mama cows. Chad headed home as soon as they finished, and Denise and

the girls headed to Spearfish, to prepare for Denise’s Grandparent’s 65th Anniversary, and her Grandpa’s 87th Birthday on Saturday. Ronda and Clint moved the last group of cattle to the Brewer Allotment in the Long Pines, on Saturday, before they got a couple down pours of rain. That gave them another 45 hundredths of an inch. Jake Reynolds, Oren and Arlie came to Ronda’s on Sunday, to help her get a cow loaded and hauled home from over west. Then Ronda headed to Rapid City, to stay over night at Cristen and Jayda Westling’s, and then go to a dental appointment on Monday.

The Paddens have been busy with fencing chores, and regular cattle work. On Friday, they did branding in two bunches. Friends from Wisconsin had come on Wednesday. They enjoyed some sight seeing in the Long Pines, some prairie dog hunting, and just relaxing on their vacation. One of the men stayed to help with branding. He is a veterinarian, and enjoyed working with cattle. On Sunday, Dawn and Bryce trailed cattle to the Long Pines for summer pasture. Dawn took her camera along, and got some good pictures of Capitol Rock.

Julia Davis went to her physical therapy appointment in Buffalo. They were excited to get to see their grandsons play in two baseball games in Belle Fourche. Next week, they hope to have their Alabama kids home for a visit.

Donna Lewis has been busy with mowing this week. She went to Ekalaka on Friday, for the Southeast Electric Meeting and barbecue, and got to visit with friends there. She had gotten over an inch of rain this week.

Junior and Shirley Melum are keeping busy at home, this week.

Bruce and Lynn Gustafson got over an inch of rain this week, too. Lynn and Linda Matthews went to Bowman on Thursday, to do some shopping, and get

their hair done. Bruce and Lynn went to church at Little Missouuri on Sunday.

Erma Albert had a massage on Tuesday, that made her feel much better. She and Dick went to the Hills for some shopping, on Thursday. They enjoyed the Senior Citizen dinner in Buffalo, on Friday, and Erma stayed to play cards in the afternoon. On Sunday, they went to mass at the Catholic Church, and then had lunch at Saloon Number Three with the Helmses. Erma had gotten some plants, but with the wild weather has not put them out, yet.

Karen Odell finished the walkway to the loft in their big cabin, this week. She wrote some music, and worked each day on sizing the pictures in one of her history books to be ready to publish the book in eBook form. Hywel, her collie found some things for her, and did a good job of showing her where they were. She keeps her cattle tanks full, and practices her violin and piano. Charlie inspected cattle for Ryan Cordell, and for Murray Rolph. He met the man who hauls trash on Thursday. Then on Friday, Charlie and Karen went to Ekalaka for the Southeast Electric Meeting and Barbecue. It was a nice day, and even got very hot sitting in the sun, but they enjoyed seeing many friends. On Sunday, they went to church at the Methodist Church in Camp Crook. Karen’s bright pink toenails were even admired by the usher, who joined her as Karen went up to play the piano. It’s nice to be complimented, even on toenails. After church Charlie and Karen went to the Corner Bar for lunch, but the rest of the town was having a very calm and quiet Sunday.

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Additional Child Care Funding  
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PIERRE – Governor Kristi Noem is making available additional grants to assist child care providers licensed and registered with the South Dakota Department of Social Services (DSS).

This is a second round of funding from the \$60 million stabilization grants through the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) of 2021 to help support child care providers and families impacted by COVID-19. Initial funding was provided to 676 child care providers in the amount of \$35.4 million this spring.

“Helping stabilize South Dakota child care providers strengthens our communities,” said DSS Cabinet Secretary Laurie Gill. “Child care is a vital part of keeping our economy strong, but more importantly access to quality providers is crucial for families.”

Grant awards are based on the provider’s average monthly expenses. The funding is being made available to child care providers who previously received grants as well as open to new providers registered and licensed by DSS at the time of application. Applications are being accepted until June 15.

Providers who received

previous grants will receive an additional two months of operating expenses up to a cap. Providers who haven’t received a grant will receive five months of operating expenses up to a cap. As with the first round of ARPA Child Care Stabilization Grants, funds must be expended on operating expenses.

Additional information on the ARPA Child Care Stabilization Grants is available at [dss.sd.gov](https://dss.sd.gov).

DSS provides assistance to low-income families who need help with child care costs while parents work or attend school. Additional information including an online application is available at [dss.sd.gov/childcare/childcareassistance/](https://dss.sd.gov/childcare/childcareassistance/) apply or by calling Child Care Services at 1.800.227.3020.

DSS also provides oversight, technical assistance, and support in promoting safe, healthy, and caring environments for children through licensing, registration, and quality improvement activities. Information on state child care registration or licensing is available at [dss.sd.gov/childcare/licensing/](https://dss.sd.gov/childcare/licensing/) or by calling a licensing representative from the Office of Licensing and Accreditation at 1.800.227.3020.

Central Meade County  
News

By Sandy Rhoden

It was a week of weather events, which seemed a bit odd for the first part of June. Between winds, hail and rain we had quite a variety last week. As of this Sunday night there were many vehicles who had windshields shattered, vehicle damage, tree damage and more. A weather pattern of rain, wind and hail started out around Belle Fourche and made it’s way through Union Center on to Philip. Tristen Rhoden, Kalen Lemmel and another couple got caught in a terrible hail storm with their windows shattered. The got pelted all over their bodies as they protected their heads. A semi trailer blew over only to land on Rory Lemmel’s horse trailer on Saturday night. Larry and Sandy Rhoden had 3 vehicles with heavy body and windshield damage as they were away on Sunday. They went to the popular move, Top Gun Maverick, with Lorie and Gary Hausmann and Leo and Debbie Schnell. They returned home to the damage and 1 ½ inches of rain, totaling 3 inches over the weekend. While they have many repairs and clean up, they are still thankful for the moisture. Tennis ball sized hail was reported in Union Center. Saturday night was a great night for an outdoor wedding for Paige Brink and Nick Fees at Woodland Receptions near

Piedmont. The bride’s dress was a spaghetti strapped gown adorned with lace and sequence all the way to the long, beautiful train. Their main color of burn orange with real cream colored roses along with eucalyptus made for a beautiful wedding bouquet and other décor. Francie Brink, mother of the bride, wore a lovely, floor length midnight blue dress with an attached sequined shawl. Included in the 200+ guests, friends and neighbors from Central Meade County attended and enjoyed the beautiful evening, great food and lovely décor in the reception hall. It was such a beautiful evening with no wind or bugs, most adults made their way outside to visit and relax while the little people danced their hearts away to the DJ music. Paige and Nick’s final send off was walking through a tunnel of sparklers. It was a great day of celebration for Casey and Francie Brink’s youngest daughter and last wedding. Congratulations go out to Dean Wink who will serve in the SD Senate as well as Gary Cammack and Kirk Chaffee who will serve in the SD House in 2023-24 term. They were all re-elected as the Dist. 29 Legislative Delegation. Those who were newly elected were Meade County Sheriff Pat West, County Treasurer Robin Shrake, and Meade County Commissioner Gary Deering. Vacation Bible School was Monday through Wednesday in Union Center from 9:00 – 12:00. The Down Under theme will be what the children will be experiencing. Thank you to all who helped with this year’s VBS.

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Cindy and I recently ran out to Wyoming, south of Mule creek Junction to a rancher’s place. He and his wife had built the place up in the last decade or so. The buildings sat on a flat spot with no wind protection. Off not too far away was a ridge with some trees on it. I thought, that would be where I would have set up, hoping for a windbreak. I asked why they hadn’t. He told me that there were three or four rattlesnake dens real close in that hill. As he put it, “I didn’t want to be kicking rattle snakes out of my way all the time!”

That reminded me of this one.

Glen, an elderly neighbor was telling me a story of when he was young. He was riding with an older man named Pete Lemley. Depending on who you ask, Pete was quite a guy or quite the rascal. I mentioned that I had heard that he was kind of a rascal. Glen told me he grew up around him and thought he was a nice old man. Then he told me this story.

As he and Pete were riding horseback on day,

Pete started telling him a story. He had just started as they were riding along and they came on to a rattlesnake. Pete quit talking, got off his horse and stepped on the rattle snakes head. Pulled out his jackknife and cut the snakes head off. Put the knife away. Got back on his horse and started riding away and resumed the tale.

They hadn’t gone very far and they found another rattlesnake. Pete did exactly the same thing. No talking. Stepped on the snake’s head and got out his knife, dispatched the snake, got back on his horse and as he started to ride away again, resumed the story.

Again, they had only gone a little ways when they found another snake. Pete repeated everything just the same. This time when he got back on his horse and rode away he told Glen, “If we don’t quit finding snakes, I ain’t ever going to get this story told!”

Here’s hoping none of us find more snakes than we can handle!

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## Dupree High School Rodeo Results

This past weekend was the SDHSRA Dupree Northwest Regional Rodeo.

Aspen Vining was Rookie Cowgirl and Jet Jensen was named Rookie Cowboy. Brylee Grubb was All Around Cowgirl, with Cassidy Schuelke Reserve.

All Around Cowboy was Dawson Kautzman and Grey Golbert Reserve.

Harding County won the team championship.

Denton Good and Cassidy Schuelke were named recipients of the Vicky Young Scholarship.

1st Go

### BAREBACK RIDING:

1. CAYDEN WOLFE BELLE FOURCHE, SD 72.0 ; 2. REECE REDER FRUITDALE, SD 69.0

### BARREL RACING:

1. KELSI COSTELLO NEWELL, SD 18.136 ; 2. CLAIRE VERHULST REVA, SD 18.147 ; 3. REATA HAYS NEWELL, SD 18.162 ; 4. ASPEN VINING BUFFALO, SD 18.347 ; 5. HADLEY PIHL BUFFALO, SD 18.565 ; 6. KASHLIN BETTELYOUN EAGLE BUTTE, SD 18.574 ; 7. KENNEDY MCLELLAN DUPREE, SD 18.579 ; 8. CASSIDY SCHUELKE OPAL, SD 18.612 ; 9. TAYLOR GAER NEWELL, SD 18.736 ; 10. ACACIA ANDERBERG MOBRIDGE, SD 18.786

### BREAKAWAY ROPING:

1. CHARLIE HENWOOD BELLE FOURCHE, SD 2.090 ; 2. HADLEY PIHL BUFFALO, SD 3.000 ; 3. KASHLIN BETTELYOUN EAGLE BUTTE, SD 3.090 ; 4. BRYLEE GRUBB SPEARFISH, SD 3.100 ; 5. SHAINÉ WEISHAAR BELLE FOURCHE, SD 3.800 ; 6. CASSIDY SCHUELKE OPAL, SD 3.900 ; 7. ANIKA MAIN BELLE FOURCHE, SD 5.070 ; 8. TANDEE NELSON FAITH, SD 13.240 ; 9. JAYSEE JONES HOWES, SD 14.350

### Boy's Cutting:

1. TREY FULLER FAITH, SD 67.0 ; 2. JAKOB LONG ENNING, SD 65.0 ; 3. BRADEN ROUTIER BUFFALO, SD 62.0

**GOAT TYING:** 1. CLAIRE VERHULST REVA, SD 7.690 ; 2. JAYSEE JONES HOWES, SD 8.270 ; 3. BRYLEE GRUBB SPEARFISH, SD 8.330 ; 4. SKYLAR VIG FAITH, SD

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### Girl's Cutting:

1. MACY SCHILEY MEADOW, SD 72.0 ; 2. CHLOE CRAGO BELLE FOURCHE, SD 71.5 ; 3. KIMBERLY JOHNSON MUD BUTTE, SD 71.0 ; 4. MATAYA WARD FRUITDALE, SD 69.0 ; 5. SHAINÉ WEISHAAR BELLE FOURCHE, SD 68.0 ; 6. CHARLY ETZKORN EAGLE BUTTE, SD 66.0

### POLE BENDING:

1. BRYLEE GRUBB SPEARFISH, SD 21.967 ; 2. ASPEN VINING BUFFALO, SD 22.003 ; 3. KATIE SHERIDAN FAITH, SD 22.344 ; 4. CHLOE CRAGO BELLE FOURCHE, SD 22.624 ; 5. SHADA SELBY RIDGEVIEW, SD 22.999 ; 6. CLAIRE VERHULST REVA, SD 23.053 ; 7. ACACIA ANDERBERG MOBRIDGE, SD 23.055 ; 8. REATA HAYS NEWELL, SD 23.459 ; 9. RAE-LYNN VINES EAGLE BUTTE, SD 23.602 ; 10. MACY SCHILEY MEADOW, SD 23.944

### Reined Cow Horse:

1. DAWSON KAUTZMAN CAMP CROOK, SD 144.0 ; 2. DALLIE LAWRENCE ALBERDA, MT 141.0 ; 3. KIMBERLY JOHNSON MUD BUTTE, SD 140.5 ; 4. MATAYA WARD FRUITDALE, SD 134.0 ; 5. JAKOB LONG ENNING, SD 132.0 ; 6. SKYLER NATION BUFFALO, SD 128.0

### SADDLE BRONC:

1. CADE COSTELLO NEWELL, SD 73.0 ; 2. ROPE ROGHAIER ISABEL, SD 67.0 ; 3. TAYSON JONES HOWES, SD 58.0

### STEER WRESTLING:

1. DENTON GOOD LONG VALLEY, SD 6.890 ; 2. TAYSON JONES HOWES, SD 9.680 ; 3. BOBBY BREWER DUPREE, SD 9.740 ; 4. GREY GILBERT BUFFALO, SD 10.170 ; 5. CAYDEN FLOYD BUFFALO, SD 14.290 ; 6. GAGE GILBERT

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### TEAM ROPING:

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### TIEDOWN:

1. JOSH WOMACK NEWCASTLE, WY 11.240 ; 2. TREG THORSTENSON LANTRY, SD 11.300 ; 3. GREY GILBERT BUFFALO, SD 11.820 ; 4. DENTON GOOD LONG VALLEY, SD 13.070 ; 5. BRADEN ROUTIER BUFFALO, SD 13.650 ; 6. BRIGG PRICE RED OWL, SD 13.930 ; 7. SAGE BURRESS ISABEL, SD 14.230 ; 8. ROPER EATON DUPREE, SD 15.430 ; 9. TYON ARNESON ENNING, SD 15.560 ; 10. JET JENSEN BELLE FOURCHE, SD 16.950

### 2nd Go

### BAREBACK RIDING:

1. REECE REDER FRUITDALE, SD 65.0

### BARREL RACING:

1. ASPEN VINING BUFFALO, SD 18.115 ; 2. REATA HAYS NEWELL, SD 18.205 ; 3. PRESLEY FISCHER PARADE, SD 18.208 ; 4. BRYLEE GRUBB SPEARFISH, SD 18.350 ; 5. SHAINÉ WEISHAAR BELLE FOURCHE, SD 18.449 ; 6. KAYCLYNN YOUNG DUPREE, SD 18.524 ; 7. KASHLIN BETTELYOUN EAGLE BUTTE, SD 18.534 ; 8. CASSIDY SCHUELKE OPAL, SD 18.592 ; 9. MACKENZIE LONGBRAKE DUPREE, SD 18.638 ; 10. BAILEY VERHULST REVA, SD 18.667

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This image of Sunday night’s storm was caputred near Nisland with Bear Butte visible in the background. A well-defined shelf cloud can be seen as well as the turquoise blue that is often associated with storms containing hail. -Courtesy photo



Even with the sign blown out by hail the ice cream kept on serving. The drive-through at Dairy Queen on the city’s south side line was backed up to the highway and the parking lot was full of people coming in for ice cream after the storm. Employees had to break out the snow shovel to remove two feet of hail that had piled up at the back door. All of the employees’ vehicles were exposed in the parking lot and all of them sustained significant damage. Even so, they took things in stride, scooping up Mother Nature’s ice as well as their own. -Photo by Jodie Baxendale



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## Department of Tourism Partners With More Than Just Parks on New Badlands National Park Short Film

PIERRE, S.D. – In partnership with the South Dakota Department of Tourism, Badlands National Park will be showcased in a new short film released by More Than Just Parks.

“We are incredibly excited about this short film highlighting Badlands National Park. This park has long captivated visitors with its otherworldly landscape including jagged spires, unique colors, dynamic vistas, and wildlife viewing opportunities,” said James Hagen, Secretary of the South Dakota Department of Tourism. “Through the power of visual storytelling, this film will bring a glimpse of one of South Dakota’s finest treasures

to millions of households and potential visitors.”

This latest installment in the More Than Just Parks award-winning series was done to not only showcase the amazing recreational opportunities that exist in the park, but also to underscore the importance of protecting South Dakota’s wild places. The Badlands National Park film is the first in a three-part summer release schedule of films showcasing icons of South Dakota’s natural beauty.

“The phenomenal footage, including impressive time-lapse segments, allows us to showcase the beautiful public lands that South Dakotans are incredibly proud to have in our state,” said Hagen. “Badlands National



Park is 244,000 acres of pure beauty and wonder. Both the north and south units of the park are stunning homes of treasured history and the largest undisturbed mixed grass prairie in the United States. Best of all, both are available for the public to enjoy daily.”

The partnership with More

Than Just Parks was established to highlight South Dakota’s public lands and provide visitors with new ways to explore these landscapes responsibly. The goal of the More Than Just Parks films is to share the beauty of America’s national parks and public lands, encourage people to enjoy these resources responsibly and influence the importance of land conservation.

“There are few corners of the world where immense natural beauty combines with a rugged solitude to create something really special,” said Jim Pattiz, co-founder of More Than Just Parks. “Badlands National Park is one of those amazing places, and we couldn’t be more ex-

cited to share its splendor with audiences around the globe.”

Later this summer, viewers can expect to see films focused on Wind Cave National Park and the Buffalo Gap National Grasslands. In 2019, the South Dakota Department of Tourism partnered with More Than Just Parks on a film dedicated to the Black Hills National Forest.

The video can be found online at [MoreThanJustParks.com](http://MoreThanJustParks.com) or [YouTube.com/SouthDakota-Tourism](https://www.youtube.com/SouthDakota-Tourism).

The South Dakota Department of Tourism is comprised of Tourism and the South Dakota Arts Council. The Department is led by Secretary James D. Hagen.

- From B5 Dupree Results**
- BREAKAWAY ROPING:**
1. TRISTAN KENNEDY FAITH, SD 2.990 ; 2. CASSIDY SCHUELKE OPAL, SD 3.000 ; 3. KASHLIN BETTELYOUN EAGLE BUTTE, SD 3.120 ; 4. BRYLEE GRUBB SPEARFISH, SD 3.150 ; 5. HADLEY PIHL BUFFALO, SD 3.470 ; 6. JAYSEE JONES HOWES, SD 3.760 ; 7. KAYLOR KUDLOCK BELLE FOURCHE, SD 3.870 ; 8. REAGAN GRUEB DUPREE, SD 4.380 ; 9. ACACIA ANDERBERG MOBRIDGE, SD 4.590 ; 10. CHARLIE HENWOOD BELLE FOURCHE, SD 12.020
- BULL RIDING:**
1. D ANGELO GARDUNA BELLE FOURCHE, SD 68.0 ; 2. JACKSON SPENCER FAITH, SD 62.0
- Boy’s Cutting:**
1. TREY FULLER FAITH, SD 72.0 ; 2. JAKOB LONG ENNING, SD 69.0 ; 3. BRADEN

- ROUTIER BUFFALO, SD 66.0
  - GOAT TYING: 1. BRYLEE GRUBB SPEARFISH, SD 6.710 ; 2. BAILEY VERHULST REVA, SD 7.640 ; 3. JAYSEE JONES HOWES, SD 7.810 ; 4. MATAYA WARD FRUITDALE, SD 8.040 ; 5. ANIKA MAIN BELLE FOURCHE, SD 9.310 ; 6. REAGAN GRUEB DUPREE, SD 9.970 ; 7. CLAIRE VERHULST REVA, SD 10.020 ; 8. TANDEE NELSON FAITH, SD 10.160 ; 9. KENNEDY MCLELLAN DUPREE, SD 10.350 ; 10. KAYLEE MOORE PRESNO, SD 10.460
- Girl’s Cutting:**
1. CHLOE CRAGO BELLE FOURCHE, SD 73.0 ; 2. KIMBERLY JOHNSON MUD BUTTE, SD 72.5 ; 3. MACY SCHILEY MEADOW, SD 71.5 ; 4. DALLIE LAWRENCE ALZADA, MT 71.0 ; 5. SHAINA WEISHAAR BELLE FOURCHE, SD 68.0 ; 6. MATAYA WARD FRUITDALE, SD 67.0 ; 7. CHARLY ETZKORN

- EAGLE BUTTE, SD 65.0
  - POLE BENDING:
  1. ASPEN VINING BUFFALO, SD 21.167 ; 2. JAYSEE JONES HOWES, SD 21.367 ; 3. REATA HAYS NEWELL, SD 21.507 ; 4. CHLOE CRAGO BELLE FOURCHE, SD 21.684 ; 5. BRYLEE GRUBB SPEARFISH, SD 21.967 ; 6. CLAIRE VERHULST REVA, SD 22.307 ; 7. KELS COSTELLO NEWELL, SD 22.679 ; 8. KAYCLYNN YOUNG DUPREE, SD 22.951 ; 9. LYDIA MAIN BELLE FOURCHE, SD 23.892 ; 10. PRESLEY FISCHER PARADE, SD 24.378
- Reined Cow Horse:**
1. DAWSON KAUTZMAN CAMP CROOK, SD 145.0 ; 2. DALLIE LAWRENCE ALZADA, MT 141.0 ; 3. JAKOB LONG ENNING, SD 140.0 ; 4. MATAYA WARD FRUITDALE, SD 136.0 ; 5. KIMBERLY JOHNSON MUD BUTTE, SD 135.0
- SADDLE BRONC:**

1. CADE COSTELLO NEWELL, SD 73.0 ; 2. TAYSON JONES HOWES, SD 67.0 ; 3. ROPE ROGHAIR ISABEL, SD 65.0 ; 4. HAYDON STARR DUPREE, SD 59.0 ; 5. HUDSON FISCHBACH FAITH, SD 55.0
- STEER WRESTLING:**
1. CAYDEN FLOYD BUFFALO, SD 5.350 ; 2. BOBBY BREWER DUPREE, SD 10.400 ; 3. DENTON GOOD LONG VALLEY, SD 11.100 ; 4. DAWSON KAUTZMAN CAMP CROOK, SD 14.200 ; 5. GREY GILBERT BUFFALO, SD 14.270 ; 6. CODY BARNETT BUFFALO, SD 18.730
- TEAM ROPING:**
1. BRADEN ROUTIER/DAWSON KAUTZMAN BUFFALO, SD 8.760 2. BRYLEE GRUBB/JOSH WOMACK SPEARFISH, SD 11.070 3. TEGAN FITE/TREG THORSTENSON HERMOSA, SD 11.680 4. JET JENSEN/JADON JENSEN BELLE FOURCHE, SD 15.590

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- TIEDOWN:**
1. TEGAN FITE HERMOSA, SD 10.190 ; 2. JOSH WOMACK NEWCASTLE, WY 11.890 ; 3. BRIGG PRICE RED OWL, SD 12.880 ; 4. JET JENSEN BELLE FOURCHE, SD 12.990 ; 5. GREY GILBERT BUFFALO, SD 14.130 ; 6. TREY FULLER FAITH, SD 14.410 ; 7. ROPE ROGHAIR ISABEL, SD 22.460 ; 8. LANNY BROOKS FAITH, SD 22.740 ; 9. COLBY OLSON MUD BUTTE, SD 28.840



From A1  
**Storm**

rotation within the storm as it neared the area around Colony, Wyoming. A tornado warning was issued which included the city of Belle Fourche.

Residents west of town reported seeing rotation in the clouds but there were no verified reports of a funnel touching down. However, due to the large instability in the atmosphere updrafts created the perfect atmosphere for large hail which was widely observed. Storm spotters two miles northwest of Belle Fourche reported 4-inch diameter hail (roughly baseball sized) and there were reports of 2.75 inch diameter hail 2 miles north of St. Onge. Reports of 4.5” hail came in from 23 miles north of Wall.

A peak wind gust of 91 MPH was recorded one mile north of St. Onge with winds in excess of 80 MPH near Redig and 70 MPH reported in locations near Faith, Buffalo, Castle Rock and

Reva.

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) scrambled one of its fleet of Hurricane Hunter Orion P-3 Turboprops from Forbes Field in Topeka to the Belle Fourche area to conduct research measurements and overflights of the storm. The plane, nicknamed Kermit, which routinely flies into hurricanes in Caribbean, made numerous zig-zagged passes at about 14,000 feet along the south edge of the storm as it tracked across western South Dakota before returning to Topeka at around 9:30pm, according to FlightAware.

Rainfall totals from the storm ranged from three-quarters to an inch-and-a-half. Nearly 2.5” of rain was recorded 1 mile southwest of Midland. Northeast of Whitewood were reports of about 1.6 inches of precipitation.

As of press time there were no injuries reported from the storm.



Much of the inventory at Scott Peterson Motors was damaged or totaled by the wind-driven hail. -Courtesy photo



Two-inch plus hailstones rained down on the city Sunday, June 12th. This hailstone was pictured on the south side of town. The hail stripped leaves and bark off several trees and caused extensive crop damage. -Beacon Photo



Five hailstones are pictured here with a root beer can to provide perspective. Hail of 4” in diameter (softball size) was recorded north of the city. -Jodie Baxendale photo



A tree was blown down onto a house on National Street during Sunday night’s storm. Winds gusted to as high as 70MPH driving the heavy rain and hail into a destructive force. - Jordan Hall photo



(Left) Hail shredded the siding off this home south of the city Sunday Night. - Courtesy photo (Right) The storm lasted about 40 minutes with high wind, heavy rain and destructive hail. -Beacon photo (Below) The storm rolling several miles west of Belle Fourche. - Shutt photo



Many residents and businesses lost windows including the United Methodist Church in Belle Fourche.

### Hurricane Hunters Visit Belle



The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) hurricane hunter team visited the skies above Belle Fourche on Sunday to investigate and do research on the storm. The Orion P3 turboprop (see on top) departed Topeka, Kansas, and flew to the Belle Fourche region where it made several passes to the south of the storm.

The plane, nicknamed “Kermit” is one of two four-engine turboprops NOAA uses to routinely fly into hurricanes in the Gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic Ocean.

“Kermit” left Topeka at about 2pm and spent four hours in the skies over western South Dakota, as seen on the flight trace provided by FlightAware. The crew returned to base at Forbes Field in Topkea at about 9:30pm MDT.





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	11	Black-Cow	1212	80.50	975.95 \$
Jason Bollinger, Jordan MT	5	Black-Cow	1348	83.00	1,119.17 \$
Doug Johnson, Sentinel Butte Nd	8	Blk/BwF-Cow	1287	83.00	1,068.10 \$
	3	Black-Cow	1123	85.50	960.45 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1430	82.00	1,172.60 \$
Gail Ranch Inc, Broadus MT	2	Black-Cow	1220	80.50	982.10 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	985	95.00	935.75 \$
Travis Loehding, Ekalaka MT	21	Black-Cow	1377	83.00	1,143.02 \$
	18	Black-Cowette	1073	95.00	1,019.40 \$
	11	Black-Cow	1228	84.00	1,031.29 \$
	9	Black-Cow	1298	80.00	1,038.22 \$
Fiddleback Llc, Newcastle WY	13	Black-Cow	1326	82.00	1,087.13 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	1250	84.00	1,050.00 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	1210	89.00	1,076.90 \$
	2	Black-Cow	1463	82.00	1,199.25 \$
WY Consignment	15	Black-Cow	1563	83.00	1,297.56 \$
	1	Black-Hfrt	1360	89.00	1,210.40 \$
Christian Harvey, Otter MT	3	Rd/Blk-Cowette	1185	84.00	995.40 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	1080	96.00	1,036.80 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	995	105.00	1,044.75 \$
	1	Red-Cowette	825	92.00	759.00 \$
Consignment From MT	5	Black-Cow	1357	80.00	1,085.60 \$
Sean D Paden, Moorcroft WY	4	Black-Cow	1544	82.00	1,265.87 \$
WY Consignment	3	Blk/BwF-Cow	1618	80.50	1,302.75 \$
Kelly Ostendorf, Boyes MT	1	Black-Cowette	1105	92.00	1,016.60 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1380	80.00	1,104.00 \$
Lacy Williams, Broadus MT	16	Black-Cow	1411	81.00	1,143.11 \$
	3	Black-Cow	1383	80.00	1,106.66 \$
Dustin Thomas, Moorcroft WY	1	Black-Cow	1165	83.00	966.95 \$
Consignment From MT	1	Black-Cow	1280	80.00	1,024.00 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1295	84.00	1,087.80 \$
Tooke Ranch, Ekalaka MT	5	Black-Cow	1456	80.50	1,172.08 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1185	83.00	983.55 \$
Travis Or Julie Hurst, Buffalo SD	2	Black-Cowette	1020	99.00	1,009.80 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	1070	100.00	1,070.00 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	945	105.00	982.25 \$
Gilbert Cattle Co, Ludlow SD	3	Black-Cow	1512	80.00	1,209.33 \$
Enos & Company, Baker MT	2	Red-Cow	1338	81.00	1,083.37 \$
6 Creeks Farm, Ekalaka MT	22	Black-Cow	1357	81.50	1,106.17 \$
Steve Nash, Prairie City SD	1	Black-Cowette	1085	89.00	965.65 \$
Brian W Birkley, Osage WY	4	Black-Cow	1578	80.50	1,269.88 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1390	80.00	1,112.00 \$
Robert Budmayr, Belle Fourche SD	1	Black-Cowette	1140	91.00	1,037.40 \$
Dean Diede, Ekalaka MT	1	BwF-Cowette	1075	99.00	1,064.25 \$
Tom Larson, Belle Fourche SD	1	Black-Cow	1450	80.00	1,160.00 \$
Jae & Suzanne Notti, Otter MT	26	Blk/BwF-Cow	1314	83.50	1,096.90 \$
	7	Blk/BwF-Cow	1461	80.50	1,176.45 \$
	7	Black-Cowette	1154	94.50	1,090.12 \$
Keeline Ranch , Newcastle WY	17	Black-Cow	1404	82.50	1,158.39 \$
	11	Black-Cowette	1134	96.00	1,088.72 \$
	4	Black-Cow	1134	87.00	986.36 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1345	83.00	1,116.35 \$
William Sparks, Plevna MT	2	Hfrt-Hfrt	1045	102.00	1,065.90 \$
Harmon Creek , Ekalaka MT	10	Black-Hfrt	1055	114.00	1,202.13 \$
Clabaugh Cattle Co, Gillette WY	5	Red-Cow	1598	81.00	1,294.38 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1520	81.50	1,238.80 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1385	81.00	1,121.85 \$
Capp Bros Ranch Llc, Nisland SD	1	Black-Cowette	1125	97.00	1,091.25 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1270	81.00	1,028.70 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1215	81.00	984.15 \$
Kolka Livestock, Olive MT	8	Red-Cow	1363	81.00	1,104.13 \$
	3	Red-Cow	1227	82.00	1,005.86 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1295	80.00	1,036.00 \$
Ben Garman, Belle Fourche SD	3	Black-Cow	1513	81.00	1,225.80 \$

Clint Hammerstrom, New Underwood	5	Black-Cow	1515	80.50	1,219.57 \$
	4	Black-Cow	1460	80.50	1,175.30 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	1125	90.50	1,018.12 \$
Hannah Clemetson, Weston WY	2	Black-Cow	1413	80.00	1,130.00 \$
Ben Garman, Belle Fourche SD	1	Black-Cow	1510	80.50	1,215.55 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1510	81.00	1,223.10 \$
Joseph Farella, Newcastle WY	1	Black-Cowette	1110	94.00	1,043.40 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	1110	93.00	1,032.30 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1415	81.00	1,146.15 \$
Paxton Mackey, Gillette WY	1	Black-Cow	1230	80.00	984.00 \$
Justin Holcomb, Gillette WY	3	Black-Cow	1303	81.00	1,055.70 \$
Bonnie Cooley, Jordan MT	7	Blk/BwF-Cow	1216	83.50	1,015.71 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1260	80.00	1,008.00 \$
Dane Clemetson, Weston WY	6	Black-Cow	1292	83.00	1,072.08 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1200	82.00	984.00 \$
	2	Black-Cowette	1153	91.50	1,054.53 \$
Roger Gunderson, Buffalo SD	6	Blk/BwF-Cow	1307	80.50	1,051.86 \$
John Melgaard, Gillette WY	14	Black-Cow	1235	84.00	1,037.10 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1460	80.50	1,175.30 \$
Sorenson Farms, Forsyth MT	2	Rd/Blk-Cow	1341	81.50	1,092.77 \$
	6	Black-Hfrt	780	120.00	936.00 \$
Markuson Ranch, Ekalaka MT	1	Black-Hfrt	940	112.00	1,052.80 \$
	4	Blk/BwF-Hfrt	1016	114.00	1,158.52 \$
	1	BwF-Hfrt	960	113.00	1,084.80 \$
Teegan Trusler, Ashland MT	4	Black-Cow	1100	83.00	913.00 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1495	81.50	1,218.42 \$
Box L Cattle Co, Hammond MT	16	Black-Cow	1308	81.50	1,066.37 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1490	80.00	1,192.00 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1320	80.00	1,056.00 \$
L & L Ranch Inc, Hammond MT	5	Blk/BwF-Cow	1232	82.50	1,016.40 \$
	1	BwF-Cow	1340	80.00	1,072.00 \$
	3	Black-Hfrt	1010	110.00	1,111.00 \$
WY Consignment	6	Black-Cow	1323	84.00	1,111.60 \$
	3	Black-Cowette	1082	94.50	1,022.17 \$
	2	Black-Cow	1080	85.00	918.00 \$
	7	Black-Cow	1171	83.50	978.14 \$
Clark Rhinehardt, Bighorn MT	13	Black-Cowette	1033	94.00	970.73 \$
	10	Black-Cow	1218	83.50	1,016.61 \$
WY Consignment	15	Blk/BwF-Cow	1280	82.25	1,053.01 \$
Richard & Ken Jesse, Broadus MT	3	Black-Cow	1366	81.50	1,113.56 \$
Bill Masterson, Grove OK	8	Black-Cow	1538	82.00	1,260.75 \$
	4	Black-Cow	1745	83.00	1,448.35 \$
WY Consignment	1	Black-Cow	1100	82.00	902.00 \$
	1	Black-Hfrt	830	105.00	871.50 \$
WY Consignment	6	RwF/BwF-Cow	1247	80.50	1,003.56 \$
	1	BwF-Cowette	1135	95.00	1,078.25 \$
	1	Black-Cowette	1175	92.00	1,081.00 \$
	1	RwF-Cow	1070	82.00	877.40 \$
John Beardsley, Miles City MT	1	Black-Cow	1430	80.50	1,151.15 \$
Thomas Ranch Inc, Alzada MT	1	Blk/BwF-Cow	1153	82.00	945.46 \$
McGill Land, Powderville MT	4	Black-Cow	1216	80.50	978.67 \$
WY Consignment	4	Blk/BwF-Cow	1280	82.25	1,053.00 \$
Jae & Suzanne Notti, Otter MT	1	Black-Cow	1280	84.00	1,075.20 \$
Jason Bollinger, Jordan MT	1	Black-Cow	1348	83.00	1,118.84 \$
Dan Marrs, Whitewood SD	14	Black-Cow	1592	76.00	1,209.75 \$
Baxter Anders, Rapid City SD	1	Black-Hfrt	1045	109.00	1,139.05 \$
Swenson Op, Sundance WY	1	Red-Cow	1255	80.50	1,010.27 \$
	1	Red-Cow	1100	84.00	924.00 \$
Jw & Joey Moore, Sundance WY	1	Black-Cow	1105	80.00	884.00 \$
Thomas Ranch Inc, Alzada MT	1	BwF-Cow	1235	83.00	1,025.05 \$
	2	Blk/BwF-Cow	1154	82.00	945.87 \$
	3	Black-Cow	1197	81.50	975.28 \$
Zachary Steele, Sundance WY	1	Red-Cow	1790	81.00	1,449.90 \$
Larry Draine, Boyes MT	1	Black-Hfrt	1015	110.00	1,116.50 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1365	80.00	1,092.00 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1145	80.00	916.00 \$
William Frye, Ekalaka MT	4	Black-Cow	1293	80.00	1,034.00 \$
	1	Black-Hfrt	845	123.00	1,039.35 \$
	1	Black-Hfrt	805	125.00	1,006.25 \$
Baxter Anders, Rapid City SD	1	Black-Cow	1170	83.00	971.10 \$
	1	Black-Hfrt	1240	98.00	1,215.20 \$
	1	BwF-Hfrt	1065	110.00	1,171.50 \$
Ted Kautzman, Capitol MT	2	Black-Hfrt	1105	107.00	1,182.35 \$
Frank J Nies, Ekalaka MT	1	Black-Cow	1605	81.50	1,308.07 \$
	1	Black-Cow	1240	81.00	1,004.40 \$

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Frank J Nies, Ekalaka MT	1	Black-Bull	1825	101.00	1,843.25 \$
Dennis Denson, Ashland MT	3	Black-Bull	1802	99.00	1,783.65 \$
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July 28, 2022	REGULAR CATTLE SALE SELLING ALL CLASSES
August 4, 2022	YEARLING SPECIAL – SELLING ALL CLASSES
August 11, 2022	NO SALE – STURGIS RALLY
August 18, 2022	YEARLING SPECIAL & LOOSE HORSE SALE SELLING ALL CLASSES
August 25, 2022	REGULAR CATTLE SALE SELLING ALL CLASSES
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# River Fest BBQ Contest a Delicious Affair

Six teams started cooking at 6:00 am Saturday to show their culinary skills at barbecue in the Battle of the Bones BBQ contest held on the grounds of the Tri-State Museum and Visitor’s Center. Smo-King Butt Rubbers were the top scoring team, as

participants paid \$10 for a wrist band that provided access to sample the wares of the cookers, and then score the production on taste, appearance, and creativity. Each BBQ contestant cooked beef brisket, pork butt, and a vegetable.

The vegetables include baked bean recipes, sweet corn, and even a cooked version of a German Potato hash (the kilted entrant’s Grandma’s recipe.) The Kilt wearing Irishman took second place followed closely by Belle Fourche’s own Fire Res-Que who finished third

in the voting. Also entered: Smoe’s BBQ, Smoke Wagon BBQ, and Smokin’ “Jones” BBQ. In charge of the Fire Res-Que was BFVFD Chief Aaron Thramer. It appeared that he relied heavily on the assistance and guidance of Charles Mix

County native Mike Johnson (Auto Pros). Mike was thought to be overheard as saying Aaron keeps wanting to put the fire out. BBQ sponsors were Pioneer Bank & Trust, Capps Cornerstone Refinishing, SD Pork Council, and Jackson Dental.



Grand Champion BBQ team Smo-King Butt Rubbers. *Hunter Anderson Photo*



2nd place Mountain Man BBQ, the Kilt wearing Irishman. *Hunter Anderson Photo*



3rd place BBQ Fire Res-Que. *Hunter Anderson Photo*



Best team Spirit Award went to Smo-King Butt Rubbers. *Hunter Anderson Photo*



The grassy area east of the Center of the Nation Monument, in addition to the museum parking lot was the a host of vendor booths and food purveyors. *Hunter Anderson Photo*



There was no shortage of people wanting to taste the wares and offer “a judge’s opinion” for the BBQ contestants. *Hunter Anderson Photo*



Along with the vendors were kids games and a bouncy house sponsored by Dakota Lumber. *Hunter Anderson Photo*



**2 Country for Nashville** capped off the two days of River Fest activities with musical entertainment and inspiration for dancing. The start time was moved up to accommodate the anticipation of foul weather. *Hunter Anderson Photo*



# Hometown Thursday

Week number two of Hometown Thursdays, June 16th will feature Chelsey Dee & Company and will be brought to you by Dakota Lumber, Hersruds of Belle, Scott Peterson Motors, and Carl's Trailer Sales.



Country western music inspires dance at Hometown Thursdays (left). An evening to relax (Right). Hunter Anderson Photos



Kid's Bounce House- Hunter Anderson Photo



Chip Conner on stage with Dakota Country. Courtesy Photo



Chelsey Dee & Company on stage earlier this year at Deadwood's Outlaw Square. Thursday, June 16th the popular group will be in Belle at Hometown Thursdays. Courtesy Photo



Johnny Spaulding Cabin is a popular Museum spot to listen to the music. Hunter Anderson Photo

# HOME TOWN


## Thursday Nights

# KID ZONE


Time  
6:00pm-9:00pm

PLACE  
River Walk Area @  
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June 9th—Dakota Country  
June 16th—Chelsea Dee  
June 23rd—South Highway 85  
June 30th—Common Law  
July 7th—Badger Horse  
July 14th—He Said She Said  
July 21st—Border Line  
July 28th—Weston Frank Live



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June 25, 2022

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## Looking Back in Belle

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125 years ago  
BELLE TIMES  
June 17, 1897

*Damage to Hides by Branding*

It would seem as if range cattle might devise some way to distinguishing their cattle which would save to themselves the immense aggregate loss suffered by the depreciation in value of the hides through the branding-irons, says the Breeders Gazette. This is a subject that has been agitated for many years, but still the disfigured hides are everywhere in evidence. The money lost from this source alone has been estimated as high as \$2,000,000 per annum. There is absolutely no excuse for a brand to exceed four inches square. Range men using larger ones are simply burning their money. A free-of-brand side of Texas slaughter leather for instance, is quoted at 21 cents today. Brands reduce their figure, according to size and number to 19 cents.

*REUNION NOTES Belle Fourche and the Reunion Say!* You haven't forgotten the G.A. R. reunion to be held in this city June 23, 24 and 25 have you? The committee having in charge the matter of preparation and general arrangement, are wide awake, enterprising men, and are doing everything possible to acquit themselves well. Work on the Gunboat is progressing under the direction of Commodore Spaulding and promises to be a formidable antagonist in the siege of the Fort which is to be a feature of the reunion. A band concert every morning and a good sprinkling of that charm which "soothes the savage breast" during day. The 8th Cavalry band of Fort Meade, the Sundance band, and possibly others will enliven the hours with lively strains. The approaching G.A.R. Reunion will bring to our young city a large number of visitors from all parts of the Black Hills and other localities.

100 years ago  
Northwest Post  
June 8, 1922

*Homestead in Project Not Subject to Taxation*

Newell Irrigator: Homesteads in the government irrigation project are not taxable until final reclamation proof has been made. Tat is the substance of a recent decision of the United States supreme court, written by Chief Taft, in the case of William Irvin vs. Samuel F. Webb, County Treasurer. The supreme court, in the above case, holds that a reclamation homestead entry upon which proof under the ordinary provision of the homestead law has been made, in not subject to taxation prior to the making of the final reclamation proof. The same question was tried in the circuit court of Butte County several years ago, and the decision of the state court was

the other way. The decision of the United Sate supreme court on this question will settle a question which has heretofore been undecided by a court of last resort, and will make a substantial difference in the amount of taxes that can be collected under a government project, especially where new units are opened up. This raises the question fo whether or not taxes heretofore collected on lands of this character should be refunded. This point apparently is not touched upon the the decision but it seem to provide a basis for such refunds.

*S. D. NATIONAL GUARDS COMING The 147th Field Artillery to Attend Tri-Sate Round-Up in This City Next Month*

The Tri-State Round-Up management is elated over landing another extra big attraction for one day of the show, probably July 4. The 147th Field Artillery of the South Dakota National Guards, which will be in camp at Fort Meade on the dates of the Round-Up, will come to Belle Fourche to spend an entire day, making the trip on a special train, which has been secured for the occasion. There will be in the neighborhood of 300 officers and men under command of Lieutenant Colonel E. A Beckwith of Pierre, which will be camp commander. The National Guards will give a number of field drills during the day and will participate in the big military parade on the morning of the Fourth.

75 years ago  
Belle Fourche Daily Post  
June 5, 1947

*Schuffs Back in Full Scale Operation Two Months After Fire*

Less than two months after fire burned their wool warehouse to the ground April 13, Max Schuft and Son now are back in full-scale operation. Only the finishing touches remain to be placed on the 100X200 foot all-metal building which has replace the former warehouse. The new building, erectly in 11 days, actually will house more wool than the former structure. In addition to the warehouse, a small Quonset, erected and finished, is serving as an office for Schuft and Son. The building has been completed on the eve of the Tri-State area's wool shearing season. Already hundreds of pounds of wool are stacked in the four-section Quonset building. So complete has been reconstruction at the site that a small lawn has been planted and is growing around the office of the firm.

*Improved Facilities, Incentive Plan To Boost Brick Production*

Improvements in production facilities and a new workers' incentive plan have brought about a 10 per cent roll back in wholesale prices at the Black Hills Clay Products Company plant here, it was disclose



by Mary Buchholz

this week by E. J. Coughlin, manager. The price cut, which is expected to amount to about eight or nine per cent on the retail market, became effective June 1. Remodeling activities have been under way at the plant for several months. The work now has been completed. The plant has seven kilns, each of which will accommodate 95,000 bricks. Two large drying rooms will handle 40,000 bricks or two car loads per day. Important factor in the city in prices for clay products is the new incentive plan, under which Coughlin expects a sharp increase in efficiency and production. One improvement in production involves re-use of heat in the drying rooms. Heretofore, the smoke heat from the intense kiln fires has been allowed to escape. "Now," Coughlin explains, "the kilns are all connected by underground tunnels equipped with a large suction fan. By this arrangement smoke for kiln fires is drawn thru the tunnel, then thru steel pipe into drying rooms where it radiates heat for drying rooms where it radiates heat for drying purposes." As a result Coughlin expects to save ten per cent on fuel. Most of the brick and tile produced in Belle Fourche is used within a radius of 300 miles. Now with the workers' incentive program, modernized production methods, and a protected stock pile which will provide raw clay thru poor hauling weather, steady output is assured. Raw materials for the plant are secured from a pit about three miles south of Belle Fourche, where a 14-foot strata of red clay overlays a three-foot strata of buff clay. The red clay is burned into products of various shades. Yellow brick is made from buff clay. The company, which provides employment for 25 families, has been operating her for 20 years, since 1927.

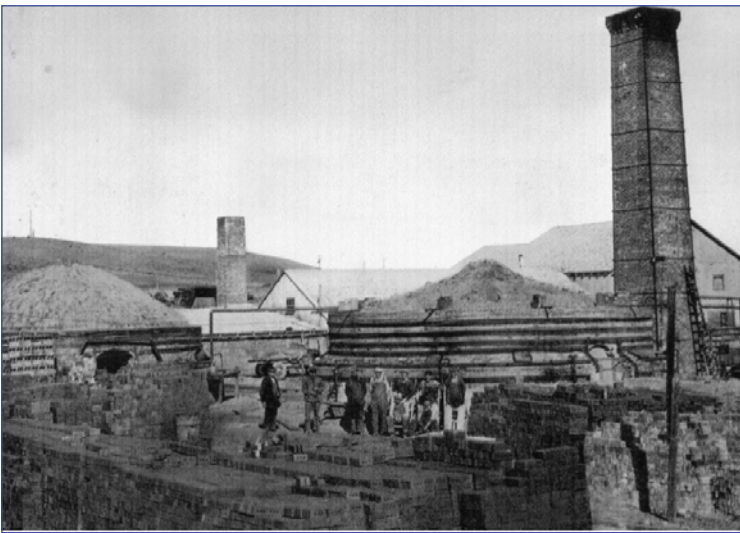
50 years ago  
Belle Fourche Daily Post  
June 16, 1972

*Rail Damage Curbs Bentonite Production*

Economic effects of the Rapid City area flood were being felt in Belle Fourche's bentonite industry this week. Because most of the bentonite is shipped by rail, the four plants in the area have been forced to cut back production or shut down. C. & NW officials report it will be anywhere from 10 days to three week before the rail lines in the Rapid City area will be restored sufficiently to permit resumption of freight traffic. Meanwhile, local C&NW crews and the local office force are idle. One local bentonite plant reported its production has been cut about one-half. They are shipping by truck to Deadwood where the bentonite is loaded on the Burlington-Northern, but that too, has its complications, because trucks have been diverted to Rapid City disaster area and are difficult to secure. The plant has laid off about 10 men. Another of the plants shut down immediately after the flood. Some of its orders have been diverted to Upton and a truck is loaded now and then, but the plant is idle.

*Three Ozuna Children*

The tragic impact of the Rapid City flood was felt in Belle Fourche this week with the announcement that three members of a Belle Fourche family died in the weekend disaster. The victims were Ronald Ozuma, eight years old; Arnold Ozuma seven years old; and Stanley Ozuma, five years old. They were the sons of Mrs. Virginia Ozuma. Funeral services for the three boys were held in Belle Fourche Wednesday.



(Top) Schuft Wool Warehouse before the 1947 fire. (Bottom) Black Hills Clay Products Company exists since 1927.





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The Rev. Sandy Williams, Priests  
Deacon Rev. Mike Weaver  
Sunday: 10 a.m. Holy Eucharist

**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.

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
1105 Todd St.  
John Allred, 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

**Emmanuel Baptist**  
902 Lawrence St. • 723-6899  
Andy Anderson, Pastor  
Sunday: 9 a.m. Sunday School  
10 a.m. Sunday Worship  
Men's Bible Study  
10am every Wednesday  
Services Streamed Facebook Live  
website: ebcbf.org

**CONNECTION CHURCH (SBC)**  
613 Sixth ave., Belle Fourche  
(605)-210-2150  
Pastor Stephen Carson  
Associate Pastor Chad McCord  
Worship Pastor Ashton Rone  
Sunday Worship: 8, 9:15, or 10:30am

**FIRST BAPTIST**  
807 8th Ave. 892-4178  
Pastor Tim Smith  
Sunday: Sunday School - 9:15am  
Morning Worship - 10:30am  
Tuesday: 10:00am Ladies Bible Study  
Wednesday: Salt and Light Youth -  
Kindergarten -12th grade  
5:00pm Soup & Sandwich  
5:30pm - Salt and Light

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
1120 North Fifth Street, Spearfish  
605-645-3513 •  
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**  
892-3402 • www.bfsoucc.org -  
717 Jackson St. Sunday:  
9:35 a.m. Sunday School  
10 a.m. Worship

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
901 Laurel St. Whitewood  
(605)-920-1959  
Reverend Jill Jennewein  
Sunday: 9 a.m. Worship  
10:30 a.m. Adult & Teen Bible Study  
10:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School

**LANDMARK MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
(ABA) • 2.2 miles east on Hwy 34  
723-1092  
Sunday: 10 a.m. worship service

**NEW COVENANT PCA**  
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642-1122 - Luke Bluhm, Pastor  
Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship Service

**NEWELL CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CHURCH**  
308 4th Street, Newell SD, 57760  
605-456-2544  
Sunday Worship Service: 10:30am  
Sunday School: 9am  
Youth Group (Age 13-18):  
Wednesdays 6pm

**NORTHERN HILLS CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
5 miles south of Belle Fourche on  
Hwy 85 • 642-7167  
Calvin Chapman - Int. Minister  
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Bible Class  
10:30 a.m. Praise & Worship  
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Bible Class

**NORTH POINT CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
10959 Kellem Lane, Spearfish  
Sunday Services: 9AM and 10:30AM

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

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

**BLACK HILLS GOSPEL ASSEMBLY**  
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Kenny Riley, pastor  
Sunday: 1 p.m.  
Friday: 7:30 p.m.

**SALVATION ARMY OF THE NORTHERN HILLS**  
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605-642-0924  
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Sunday: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School: 11 a.m.  
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Wednesday: 6:30 p.m., Learning and  
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Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.

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Msgr Michael Woster, Pastor  
Fr. Zane Pekron Assoc. Pastor  
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Monday 5:15 p.m. followed by ador-  
ation, Benediction at 7:00  
Wednesday 12:15 p.m.  
First Friday Mass 8:00 a.m.  
Confessions Sunday 8:15 a.m.

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Pastor Rick and Diane Brennan  
Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship  
Kidz Church Immediately Following  
Wednesday: September - May  
6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study  
Kidz Alive (Kindergarten - 6th Grade)

**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
1403 5th Ave, Belle Plaza  
(605) 723-1651  
Pastor McKillop (605) 840-0554  
Sunday: 9am Sunday School  
and Bible Class, 10am Worship

**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Pastor Sheri Fadley  
1804 7th Ave. Belle Fourche  
605-892-2405  
Worship: Sunday 10:30 am  
Sunday School 9:30 am  
VBS, Small Groups & Studies  
schedule online at  
www.bellefourcheumc.com

**VALE COMMUNITY COUNTRY CHURCH**  
Pastor Darla Dunn  
402 Rosander St. Vale SD 57788  
Service Sunday: 10 a.m.  
605-210-0512

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Worship Service: 10:45am  
Bible Study-Tuesday: 6:00pm

**Red Water Church of Christ**  
Belle Fourche Rec Center  
Sun: 9:30-12:30.  
Contact: Nathan Thompson  
605 569-3057  
Sermons: fightintheshade

## Sudoku

Fill in the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains the numbers 1 through 9.

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## ENIGMA CRYPTOGRAM

Letters opposite each other are related from quotations and passages from around the world. Each clue stands for a letter. (A-Z)

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PREVIOUS SOLUTION: The earlier word can be placed in the 500  
letter word. — Author Unknown

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

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## "Building Main Street, not Wall Street" Local Content That Enhances a Community

Adam Gardner once said, "I never really thought of community service as a movement, but it is". With this quote in mind, I recently had the opportunity to discuss with a veteran media executive the types of local content their media company provided to their local community. He mentioned the typical, yet important content offerings such as the city government happenings, school board meetings, local high school sports, the crime report, marriages, divorces, obituaries, news business openings, civic club news and a few stories about the good things going on around town.

I want to stress these are important elements to include as a part of the local coverage. That said, I also want to stress these items are the minimum point of entry for a truly-local news-media company. The community expects and needs this type of local coverage each and every week. In most cases, when your media provides that coverage, they are simply hurdling the lowest bar in the quest for community greatness. To truly win over a community and convince the community how much they need their media, the product needs to not only clear the lowest bar, they need to shoot for and clear bars much higher.

In order to work effectively with a community, the news-media company must be a community leader. Your local media is



one of the few businesses within a community having the unique ability simply by their position in the community, to lead change as well as being at the forefront of transformation. Simply put, they can help drive the community by their actions and understanding. In their position, they are an important ingredient in the community's quest to thrive, and not just survive in these difficult economic times.

How might your local news-media company accomplish this and how can the community assist? While the answer will vary by community, here are a few common traits.

The media can educate the community on the value of your locally-owned businesses. They can teach the community that a dollar spent at a locally-owned business has 3-7X the local economic impact than spending that dollar at Walmart or online. With your help, they can be a leader in educating your entire community on this one simple element. The business community will embrace this critical message.

Does your community understand that spending a dollar on your downtown district versus other areas of the community on average will return 40% more for their investment dollar? The downtown is the heart and soul of a community. By working with community leaders voicing this information, both the city

and the media company are much more effective in advocating and voicing this critical information. Working together, the media and the community can conquer mountains that otherwise would be difficult at best to conquer.

In essence, by working together, the community and media company are much greater than the sum of each of their individual parts. By working together with the community, business owners, chambers, civic clubs and others, they can harness an army of volunteers to drive change through the semination of information that goes far beyond that which was mentioned at the outset of this column. Together they can be the start of a community movement that can't be stopped. Together they can create the environment of positive change and effective as well as productive disruption. You can do this together, or risk being the disrupted in lieu of the disrupter. Your community will see the value of the media, especially when coupled with fellow community organizations engaged in moving forward. You will have started a movement that will only build steam as it grows!

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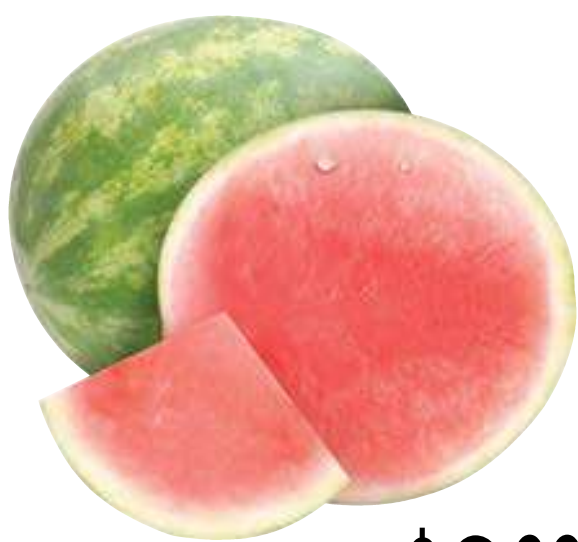
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<b>1</b> Beef Barley Soup Biscuit Veggie Medley Apricots	<b>2</b> Spaghetti & Meatballs Baked Zucchini Garlic Cheese Roll Cherry Chunk Pudding	<b>3</b> Baked Chicken Roasted Potatoes Green Beans Roll Fruit	<b>4</b> Beef & Broccoli Steamed Rice Asian Blend Veg. Mini Egg Roll Almond Cookie Pineapple	<b>5</b> Creamy Tuscan Pork Pasta French Bread Veggie Medley Garden Salad Choc. Chip Cookie	<b>6</b> Tuna or Chicken Salad Sandwich Potato Chips Marinated Veggie Salad Pudding	<b>7</b> Pot Roast Potatoes & Veggies Roll Fruit Krispie Bar
<b>8</b> Taco Salad Corn Chips Black Beans Red Pepper & Corn Mix Fruit	<b>9</b> BBQ Pork Ribslets Coleslaw Potato Wedges Mixed Veggies Fruit Blondie	<b>10</b> Turkey Noodle Bake Roll Green Beans Fruit Frosted Yellow Cake	<b>11</b> Philly Cheese Steak Sweet Potato Wedges Cauliflower Fruit	<b>12</b> Beef Stroganoff Egg Noodles Green Beans Roll Fruit	<b>13</b> Roast Pork Loin Baked Sweet Potatoes Broccoli Roll Fruit	<b>14</b> Shrimp or Chicken Salad Croissant Pickled Beets Potato Salad Peanut Butter Cookie
<b>15</b> Cordon Bleu Creamy Risoto Green Beans Fruit	<b>16</b> Chicken Fried Steak Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Peas & Carrots Lemon Snowballs	<b>17</b> Baked Ham Cheesy Broccoli Rice Veggie Medley Fruit Crisp	<b>18</b> Chicken Fajitas Refried Beans Roasted Caulifl. Roll Angel Food Cake & Berries	<b>19</b> Stoppio Joes Or Brats Potato Wedges Carrots Garden Salad Brownies	<b>20</b> Deluxe Burger or Beef Liver & Onions Hashbrown Potatoes 3-Bean Salad Melon	<b>21</b> Pork Roast Mashed Potatoes & Gravy Green Beans Fruit Choc. Chip Cookie
<b>22</b> Paprika Baked Cod Rice Pilaf Veggie Medley Fruit Frosted White Cake	<b>23</b> Meatloaf Baked Potato Stewed Tomatoes Spinach Fruit	<b>24</b> Chicken Tarragon Sand. Potato Chips Peas & Cheese Salad Fruit Sugar Cookie	<b>25</b> Sausage Gravy & Biscuit Scrambled Eggs Roasted Zucchini Fruit Blueberry Muffin	<b>26</b> Chicken Lo Mein Asian Blend Veggies Mini Egg Roll Fruit Almond Cookie	<b>27</b> Shredded BBQ Beef Baked Beans Broccoli Corn Bread Fruit	<b>28</b> Pork Chops Roasted Reds Veggie Medley Fruit
<b>29</b> Roasted Turkey Brussels Sprouts in Baked Sweet Potatoes Pickled Beets Banana Cake	<b>30</b> Salmon Patties Wild Rice Asparagus Roll Fruit Carrot Cake					



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High Plains  
Opens Drive  
Through

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NEWELL – It seems new things are happening all the time in the NVN community. Land and business sales, new business opening and even changes in current businesses. That happened recently as Shelby Stiles too the High Plains Restaurant and Bar took new step with an innovative idea that hasn’t been seen in Newell before; a drive through window at the bar and restaurant.

“We do takeout and ice cream and shakes,” said Stiles. “We have eight flavors of dipped ice cream now, and various toppings for sundaes.”

Stiles said people can pick up their to-go orders that are called in. She hopes to be able to provide coffee drinks in the next week or so.

The window is open during normal hours of operation, from 7:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday through Saturday and 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Sunday.

The business cooks food to order so the call-in orders are preferred as there would be a short wait for orders taken at the window.

Stiles feels it’s important to offer things that can be found in larger towns to keep people shopping local.

Call in an order today at 605-456-3333. You can find the menu on their Facebook page at [https://www.facebook.com/stories/2147556335397787/?source=story\\_tray](https://www.facebook.com/stories/2147556335397787/?source=story_tray).

The restaurant will have another concert in the 2022 Summer series, this time Heath Johnson will share in music on

High Plains D2



Heath Johnson of Spearfish will provide music during the second Summer Concert Series at High Plains Restaurant and Bar on June 24.

Newell Splashpad Progress



The Newell Splashpad sponsored by the Newell Improvement Corporation is making progress. Some of the features have been installed. There’s still some underground work to be done but things are moving forward. - Brunner photo

Storm Rips Through Butte County

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NVN area – An early summer storm whipped through the NVN area late on Saturday night leaving devastation in its path in many areas. A shop roof south of Newell, a barn in the Arpan, damage to the roof of the High Plains Restaurant, and numerous trees either uprooted or broken branches that fell and did damage.

Power was off until 3 a.m. in some areas as people struggled in the late evening to take a quick assessment of damage to their property.

Barbara worked to try to remove a large tree branch from the east side of her home on Girard Avenue and decided she needed to wait for help.

Many others were picking up branches and rescuing personal property on Sunday morning. One young couple that moved to the local area north of Newell

and just finished putting up a large barn, found that barn completely demolished and their home with roof damage and

moved on the foundation. The home is currently unlivable and may not be able to be repaired. The family was gone when the

storm came through.

Others in the local area were only just checking things out and reaching out to help others.



This almost-new barn just north of Newell met its demise during the strong wind, hail and rain-storm on Saturday evening, June 11. - Brunner photo.

Thank you ! Thank you !

Thank you to all who attended my 90th Birthday party. Just seeing so many new and old friends certainly made the day extra special.

Thanks to my family for making it happen.

Mildred Brunner

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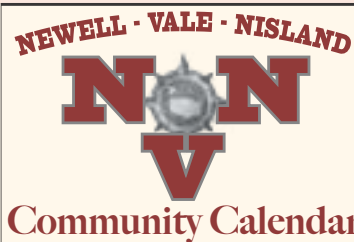
Newell Community Club Presents

Chase The Ace



Purchase your ticket for  from any Community Club Member or at Newell Area Businesses. Proceeds go to the **Newell Rodeo Arena Grandstand Fund.**

Tuesday night: 7:00 pm Drawing at the Newell Bar.  
One name from the tickets sold each week will be drawn.  
That person will win 10% of the week's ticket sales and draw 1 card from the deck.  
If they find the **Ace of Hearts**  they will split the jackpot 50/50 with the Newell Community Club.  
If they find another card, the game continues next week as the Jackpot grows with ticket sales.  
**Other Aces will pay \$100 and Jokers are \$25.**  
The Deck is reduced by 1 card increasing your chance to find the **Ace of Hearts.**  
Tickets can be purchased on line @ [newellcommunityclub.com](http://newellcommunityclub.com)  
**Must be 18 years or older to participate. Must be a South Dakota resident.**



- June 13: School board meeting in high school building (Enter south doors and go up the first flight to classroom), 6 p.m. This is a change from normal location due to ongoing summer work in elementary/middle school. Town of Newell Commissioner meeting, 6 p.m. in Admin offices.
- June 14: Flag Day. Show the colors!
- June 14: NAVFR monthly meeting at Nisland fire hall. 7 p.m.
- June 18: Memorial service for Audrey Friedel, long-time Fruitdale resident. 10:30 a.m. at Nisland Independent Community Church, 402 Olin, Nisland.
- June 19: Father's Day. Celebrate your fathers! Father's Day celebration at Nisland Church. All the fathers will receive a gift.
- June 20: Rodeo Play Day begins at the Newell arena at 5 p.m. For ages 1-15 and up. Includes stick horse races, barrels, poles, goat untying, flag race, breakaway roping, dummy roping, dummy team roping. Call Denna Lindsey @ 432.208.4261. Following dates: June 27th, July 11th, July 18th. Awards July 24.
- June 21-NH Connection for all the women of the local area-12 noon, 1319 Junction Ave. Sturgis. RSVP by 6/17 to 605-645-7601 or 605-722-5307 or E: maridel.sprenger@yahoo.com
- June 24: Memorial Service at Nisland Independent Community Church for Al Karlson, long time resident and teacher in the Newell district. Service at 11 with lunch to follow. 402 Olin Street, Nisland on Highway 212.
- June 24: Father's Night Out movie at Nisland Independent Community Church. 6 p.m. supper with movie to follow. Mom's will babysit the kiddos in the basement. Enjoy your night out guys!
- June 24: Heath Johnson Acoustic music at High Plains Restaurant and Bar, 8 p.m. Prime rib dinner. Check it out.
- June 25: Newell city-wide yard sale. Some businesses are allowing people from outside city limits to display their sale items. Please contact Teresa at VIP Insurance. 605-456-1321.

**NEWELL CITYWIDE YARD SALE**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 25TH 7:00 A.M.**

**Many multi family locations!**  
**Check out Newell businesses having "crazy" deals!**

**Pick up list of addresses at VIP Agency office 106 8th St. Newell AFTER 6:30am on Saturday, June 25th, the day of the event.**  
**Call VIP Agency office to get YOUR yard sale on the list 605-456-1321.**  
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NEWELL - Get ready for an awesome time at the Newell Christian Fellowship Church June 20-24! It will be a trip of a lifetime as kids take off for an adventure down under in the land of Australia. The jaw-dropping beauty of the Great Barrier Reef or the arid temperature of the outback will take everyone through the marvels of the land of Australia. Explore the unforgettable wildlife and culture and learn about the wonder and value of life, from the lives of preborn babies to eternal life in the kingdom of God. You will be able to explore the Genesis account describing Adam and Eve. See through the book of Matthew the miracle of Jesus' birth. Check out the words of King David, who expressed the wonder of being formed by God even before he was born. Everyday will be an adventure! Animal pals will share Bible stories and lead us through the Bible in amazing ways! Are you ready for an adventure? See some aus-some people at the Newell Christian Fellowship Church at 308 Fourth Street. As they say down under, "Have a g'day mate!"

**From D1 High Plains**

June 24 starting at 8 a.m. "Join us for the second concert of the Summer Concert Series," said Stiles. "Heath Johnson is an Americana Country songwriter from Spearfish." Johnson organized the South Dakota Songwriters group and activities around the Black Hills area, and put together songwriter rounds for other local artists. His musical influences range from classic country to modern Americana, alternative rock, and red dirt music. "We will be serving up our prime rib dinner, so stop by for a great dinner and a night of music," shared Stiles.



High Plains Restaurant and Bar recently opened a drive-through window for call-in orders, shakes and ice cream and the soon-coming coffee drinks. - Brunner photo

Fickbohm Celebrates 90th

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NISLAND – Robert Fickbohm of Newell, celebrated his 90th birthday surrounded by family and friends. The celebration was held as an open house at his home church, Nisland Independent Community Church on Saturday, June 11 from 2-4 p.m. Fickbohm has three children, Rhonda, Calvin and Sandra. He has many grandchildren who helped him celebrate the day.

Fickbohm and his wife Elaine were instrumental in helping bring the first Village Missions pastor to the church where the party was hosted. After prayerfully looking for someone to serve as pastor and having little success, a special meeting was held by the remaining congregation in September 1973 with Ray Cheyney, District Representative of Village Missions. Village Missions is a rural, home mission organization which places and helps to support pastors in rural communities. It was then decided to formally apply to Village Missions for assistance. Friends continued to move in and out throughout the afternoon, enjoying special cupcakes, cookies and other treats while visiting together in the fellowship room. Fickbohm's grandson Ronald, his wife Collette and children Claire, Wyatt and Lane were not able to attend the open house.



Robert Fickbohm is surrounded by his children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren during his open house 90th birthday celebration on Saturday, June 11 at the Nisland Church. In the photo are Lee and Rhonda Hecker, Sandra Fickbohm, Calvin and Pam Fickbohm, grand/great-grandchildren: Ashley, Amy, Donald, Elaina, Isaac, Caleb, Jesse, Joey, Ayden and Sage. Not pictured: Ronald, Colette, Claire, Wyatt and Lane Fickbohm. - Brunner photo



Bob Fickbohm enjoyed his 90th birthday celebration at Nisland Independent Community Church at Nisland surrounded by family and friends. - Brunner photo



Grand River Roundup

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The Slim Buttes Lutheran choir sang at the Hymn Sing at the Holland Center church last Sunday evening with a lot of good music and a good crowd.

Monday, June 6 was D-Day, remembering the Allied Invasion of Europe in 1944. We thank God for the sacrifices those soldiers made. It was also Evelyn Brown's funeral in Reeder. Reub and I joined a lot of other friends and relatives to bid her goodbye. The guys AI'd the cows at Glendo in the rain that day while we were gone.

Doug and Clint Doll had their branding on Tuesday at the Hackamore. That kicks off the social season around here and lots of people showed up to help with almost all of them wearing neckties and dressed in some really fancy outfits. Colt Floyd won the fashion contest with his colorful jacket!

Tuesday was also the day for the primary election and I voted in Ralph before heading down to the branding. As a recovering politician, I'm glad it's over so we don't have to watch all those campaign commercials any-

more, at least not until before the general election this fall.

Reub and I went down to Hoover Wednesday afternoon for the burial service of our old friend Dan Olson. Dan was to be buried in the Hoover Cemetery, but it was too wet to dig his grave. We didn't hear anyone complain about the moisture but there were sure a lot of friends and family at the Hoover Store that came anyway. Reub found some old pictures from his Aunt Mary Parks of the Bell place west of Ralph where Dan's wife Francis Bell was raised and he gave them to Dan's daughter Joan.

Wayne Besler, age 90, of Bison, passed away on Tuesday, June 7, at the Sturgis Hospital Hospice Suite in Sturgis. His funeral service was Saturday, June 11, at the Rabbit Butte Church southwest of Bison on the Bixby road and he was buried in the Rabbit Butte Cemetery.

I have another scam to warn you about. I got a call this week from Robert Freeman, supposedly the Prize Director for PCH, telling me that I had just won \$8.5 million dollars and a brand new Mercedes Benz car

from the Publishing Clearing House! It sounded exciting, but what clued me that this was a scam was when he said that I had to buy a \$1,000 Secure Spend debit card for them to put all those millions on it before they came to deliver my new car and all the dollars, that and the call was from a cell phone in Jamaica. The phone number was 876-553-9375, so if you get a call from that number, don't answer it. I called the consumer protection agency in Pierre to report it, but since these criminals aren't from the USA there is nothing they can do about it.

Thursday was the 50th anniversary of the Rapid City flood in 1972 that left over 200 people dead and many houses destroyed. We were living in the old trailer house then and Reub had gone out to milk the cow early that morning while the kids were just waking up. I remember turning the radio on while cooking breakfast and hearing the terrible news of the destruction in Rapid City.

Taz and Amanda, and Cameron and Teddi Morman left here Thursday afternoon to go to Scottsbluff, Nebraska for the

wedding of Jake Kraupie and Chelsey Salyards on Friday. Jake is a rodeo buddy of Taz and Cameron's and is Stacy Doll's husband. Del Ray Kraupie's brother. Missy kept the kids until Taz and Amanda got home on Saturday.

Trig went up to help work cows with Raymond and Sterling Lee on Friday and then Sierra Lee and Trig went to rodeos in Montana on Saturday. Casey got the millet planted that day and Reub got everything mowed again.

Reub and I went down to Wayne Besler's funeral at the Rabbit Butte Church down the Bixby Road on Saturday. Wayne's wife, Barbara (Smith) Besler is my mother's cousin and we were still living in Prairie City when Wayne and Barbara got married in the Homme Lutheran Church in Prairie City just south of our house. I knew most of the Beslers after we moved to Bison and Wayne's brother Raymond was in my sister Judy's class.

Pastor Henry and Linda Mohagen left for the Annual Church Conference near Osceola, Wisconsin this week so David Johnston from the Triple R Ranch gave the sermon this Sunday. Sunday evening the Coffee House hosted the North Dakota singer/songwriter/en-

tertainer Greg Hager' concert of Western and Gospel music at the Reva Hall. With the tornado watch and so many sick kids, it was not a big crowd but Greg was very entertaining! No tornado here, but we got over an inch of rain Saturday night and Sunday night.

With the Primary election this week, I'll leave you with this: GREAT TRUTHS

1. In my many years I have come to a conclusion that one useless man is a shame, two is a law firm, and three or more is a congress. - John Adams
2. If you don't read the newspaper you are uninformed, if you do read the newspaper you are misinformed. - Mark Twain
3. Suppose you were an idiot. And suppose you were a member of Congress. But then I repeat myself. - Mark Twain
4. I contend that for a nation to try to tax itself into prosperity is like a man standing in a bucket and trying to lift himself up by the handle. - Winston Churchill
5. A government which robs Peter to pay Paul can always depend on the support of Paul. - George Bernard Shaw
6. A liberal is someone who feels a great debt to his fellow man, which debt he proposes to pay off with your money. - G. Gordon Liddy



Grand River - C. Begeman photo

Then and Now in Newell

“Looking Forward to our Past”

by Linda Velder

June 13, 1912

After June 15, Brattons' Mercantile Co will not buy any more dairy butter as the supply's greater than the local demand and they are unable to find a foreign market in which they can dispose of the product at a price equal to that paid by the Creameries for the butterfat. They have made arrangements with the creamery to "cash for your cream". They will also sell you a Standard Cream Separator at a very close price.

Sealed proposal will be received by the Board of County Commission of Butte County, South Dakota, until the 20th day of June, 1912, for the painting and decorating to the specifications prepared by C.A. Randell, architect, a copy of which may be obtained from the architect. Bids will be opened at 2 o'clock in the afternoon on 20th day of June 1912. A bid must be accompanied by a certified check of 15% of the amount of the bid as a guarantee that said bidder will sign a contract according to his bid. The Board of County Commission reserves the right to reject any or all proposals submitted to D.C. Barr, County Auditor.

June 8, 1922

Superintendent Westre is rapidly getting his forces organized for beginning of actual construction work on Newell's new high school building. A large number of men are now engaged in hauling gravel, cement and lumber and the school grounds will soon and present be a busy scene of operations. Contractor John Holt this week finished excavation work and has done a splendid job, considering the unfavorable weather conditions with which he had to contend. All the cement has arrived also a car of lumber and

3 carloads of brick are expected in a few days.

Albert Fredlund came down from Perkins County last week to visit relatives here. Miss Caroline, who has been nursing in Deadwood hospital, met her father and returned with him to Lodge Pole. Miss Ruth Fredlund, who has been teacher at the Milberg School for the past year, left Monday for Spearfish to take a course at the State Normal School.

A crew of sheep shearers from Wyoming passed through here this week enroute to the Wm Marty ranch near the Slim Buttes. They have contracted a number of jobs in that territory. George W. Shipley, the Moreau River sheepman, was in from the ranch Tuesday for supplies. He expects to entertain the shearers at his place next week.

June 9, 1932

Fire starting from a kerosene stove destroyed the home of Dave Baird, south of Vale at 4 o'clock last Sunday morning. All the household furnishings were saved except those in the kitchen.

Mr. & Mrs. R. B. Sorbel, accompanied by Principal Ray Johnson of Newell High School and Miss Ruby Jackson, also an instructor in the Newell Schools departed Wednesday for Los Angeles, Calif, where Messers Sorbel and Johnson will pursue summer studies at the University of Southern California.

June 11, 1942

A general meeting of the citizens of Newell is called for next Monday evening June 15, for the purpose of organizing a Black Out program for the city. Especially wanted in attendance are members of the Commercial

Club, Jaycees, the Fire Department, American Legion and Boy Scouts. The meeting will be held in the City Auditorium and starts at 7:30 PM. This meeting is initiated by Butte County Defense Committee.

About 50 friends and neighbors gathered at the Wm Schmele home last Sunday evening to honor Mr. & Mrs. Henry Noziska with a shower. Everyone brought defense stamps for the newly wedded couple. Cake and ice cream was served at a late hour. Mrs. Noziska is the former, Miss Laverne Schmele of the Horse Creek Community.

June 12, 1952

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The first of special outings for the Cub Scouts of Newell was held Tuesday afternoon when the pack went fishing at Leonard Wilson's pond. 12 boys rode out with Bob Lyons and Horace Parsons as while many dads came out after work. While success was spotty, 1 boy went home with a dozen blue gills and most everyone caught something. The next scheduled event will be in 2 weeks with a hike up Bear Butte followed by the next trip through the Homestake Sawmill at Spearfish.

Those attending the Grand Council meeting of Job's Daughters at Lead Friday were Mrs. Elizabeth O'Brien, Mrs. Clarence Milberg, Barbara



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A picture of the Baird family home north of Sturgis before the fire of 1932

Milberg, Shirley and Janice Boe, Anne Milberg and Pat Heston. Clarence Milberg, Mr. & Mrs. Cecil Chamberlain and Larry drove to Lead, where they attended the Job's Daughters dinner and dance.

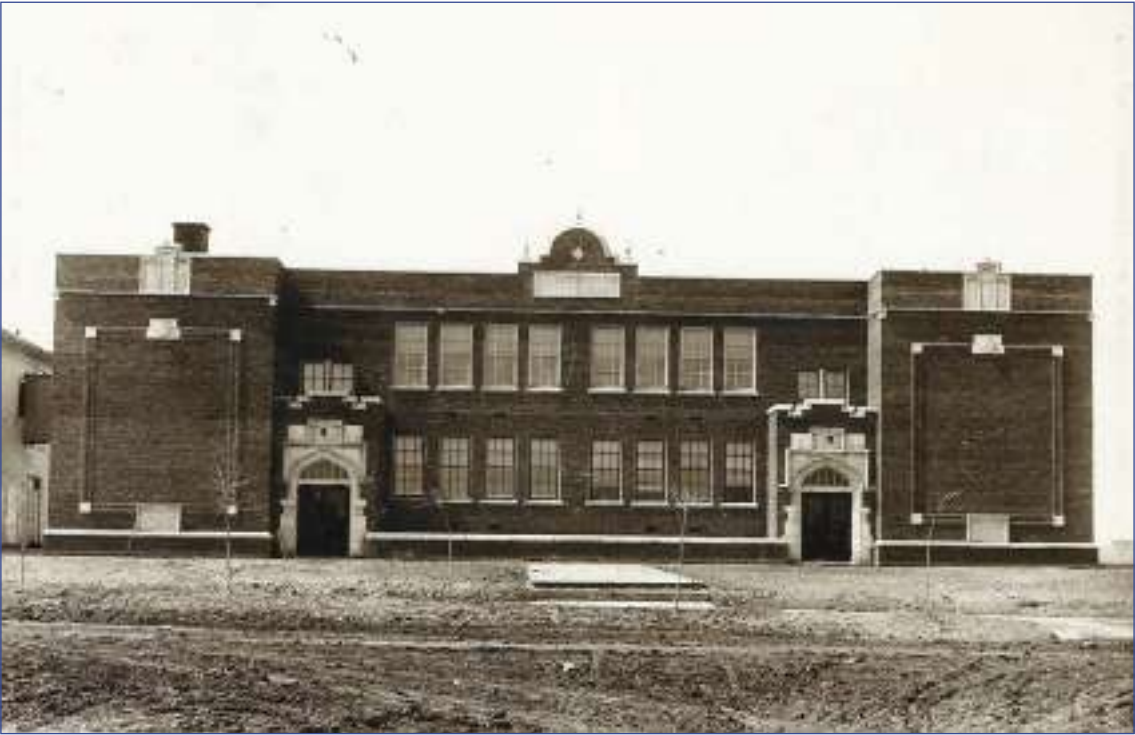
June 7, 1962

David, Steven and Terry Vasknetz won first, second and third prizes respectively in the annual Memorial Poppy Sales sponsored May 26 in Newell by the American Legion Auxiliary, according to Mrs. Margaret Eckelman poppy sales chairman. Other children assisting were Joan Orwick, Steven Fenner, Gale Fergert and Marjo Bunney. Other members of the committee Mrs. Ted Renelt and Mrs. Henry Anderson extend their thanks to all those who assisted in sale and to those who purchased poppies to aid in the rehabilitation program of the unit.

Plans for a 5-week summer swimming program beginning June 9 at Newell Lake were reviewed at the regular dinner meeting of the Newell Community Club at the Fellowship Room of the Congregational

Church Tuesday evening. N.M. Holmes reported on the start of construction of South Dakota Highway 79 north from Newell for about 12 miles to Newell Lake. Also game fish are going over the spillway at the lake. Some had been seined for re-planting in that and other area lakes. In addition, an access to the south side of the lake is now needed.

No school elections will be necessary either at Vale or Newell, it was revealed the past week as single petitions had been filed for 1 vacancy on the Board of Education in each district. Only petition filed in Newell Independent District was that of Bernard Laumer to succeed himself as a member of the board for a term of 3 years, it was reported by Mrs. Pauline Malcolm Clerk. At Vale, the only petition filed, was Ruth Dutton for a similar term to the Board of Education of Vale Independent District it was revealed by Mrs. Alice Hoffmeyer, Clerk. Mrs. Dutton will succeed Ezra Pauley, whose term expires and who declined not to seek re-election.



This photo shows the newly constructed high school building at Newell. Work began in 1922 and completed in time for classes 1923.



Getting Together in Vale 2022

**Betty Bruner**  
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VALE - Saturday, June 11, was a wonderful day for a parade and that's what many folks thought as they gathered to join the parade and watch alongside the main street of the little town of Vale. There were 29 entries that included old cars, newer cars, tractors, and horses, with a couple of bright shiny trucks and the Vale Fire Department Brush truck. Kim Wetz Ford

was the main organizer of the parade.

There was more than a parade, though, as approximately 150 people brought special dish to the community potluck. Caroline Ruff and Mary Nedella were the main instruments behind the Vale Get Together. Between the two of them, a pleasant day was enjoyed by everyone. "It was a good crowd," said Mary, "with an abundance of food."

Mary continued by saying that organizers appreciate having a building like the Vale Community Hall to use and appreciates the Vale Community Club for helping.

"We heard several people say they would like to see the get together continue," she said. But, she continued, there is a need for someone to "pop up" and go with it. The old Vale School buildings were also open during the event.



Bright, shiny, old, and newer cars lined up for the parade at Vale for the Vale Get Together. - Betty Bruner Photo



(Left) Horses are always a great part of a parade. Here are Kila Crockford and Matthias Johnson. (Right) Rilee Crockford was the proud driver of his great grandfather's 1947 Farmall tractor. His great grandfather was Joseph James Crockford. - Betty Bruner Photos



Mac and Mason, registered Shorthorn steers, pulled a wagon belonging to Calvin and Pam Fickbohm. Fickbohms have been raising purebred registered Shorthorn cattle for 25+ years. - Betty Bruner Photo



(Left) Larry Schumacher began the Vale Get Together parade with flags flying. (Right) Cory Cady followed with a second American flag to begin the Vale Get Together parade held on Saturday. - Betty Bruner Photos



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7	4	9	1	8	2	6	3	5
2	3	1	5	6	9	4	8	7
4	5	3	2	9	6	1	7	8
1	7	6	4	5	8	9	2	3
8	9	2	7	1	3	5	6	4
3	1	7	6	2	4	8	5	9
9	2	4	8	3	5	7	1	6
6	8	5	9	7	1	3	4	2

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(Top) Steve Tucker with his 1931 Ford Model A. (Middle) The great-granddaughter of Vale's founder Andrew Rosander was part of the Vale parade. She is being driven by her husband, Les, and is accompanied by a long-time Vale resident Karen Schwartz. (Bottom) The Wild Child, driven by Ford Lungren, is a 1969 Ford Torino. The junkyard find is a "burnout/street racer". -Betty Bruner Photos



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