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Good News for County Bridges

Butte County receives \$700k Federal grant to repair Orman Road bridge.

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BELLE FOURCHE - The U.S. Department of Transportation has awarded Butte County \$700,000 to go toward replacement of the Horse Creek bridge on Orman Road west of Newell. The money was part of a \$2.24 million award that came from a joint application by Butte, Lawrence and Meade Counties that will replace a total of four bridges. The bridges are on county highways, serving as important connectors for local communities and vital to local and regional economies.

Along with the Orman Road bridge the funds will replace Opal Road over Beaver Dam Creek in Meade County and St. Onge Road over False Bottom Creek in Lawrence county. The funds are part of the government's Competitive Highway Bridge Program that gave out \$225 million for 20 projects in 18 states.

In addition Butte County has been awarded two PE (Preliminary Engineering) grants from the state's Bridge Improvement Grant (BIG) program for work to be done on two bridges. The Four Mile Creek bridge along Old Highway 85, 30 miles northeast of Belle Fourche was given \$51,500 for engineering work and the bridge over Horse Creek on Orman Road west of Newell was given \$51,500 as well.

The county will need to match 20% of the total for each of the three grants. It's not known exactly what that figure will be yet but Jason Hanson with Brosz Engineering said it could be around \$175,000.

The Orman Road bridge was number one on Butte County's priority replacement list and already has a 4-ton weight limit. The funds will finally set in motion a plan to replace the bridge and have the new one ready by the end of 2021, at the earliest, according to Hanson.

"It's a huge day for us," Kim Richards, County Commission Chairman told the Beacon. "We've been applying for these grants every year and haven't received one until now."

During the last application grant cycle Butte County decided to go in with Lawrence and Meade County to add clout to their request. The state of South Dakota also put in 2 bid requests for the funds. The

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A Flight to Remember



A BIRDSEYE VIEW OF HISTORY - (Above) George Wilson, owner of Cowboy's Too! in Belle Fourche is on the tarmac ready to move into the bombardier's seat of 'FiFi', a B-29 Superfortress (inset upper right). The airplane was in Rapid City during a Labor Day weekend stop as part of the Commemorative Air Force's nationwide tour. Out of 3,970 built, this aircraft is one of only two that are airworthy today.

(At right) The crew took George for a ride while he enjoyed the view from what is known by Air Force Veterans as "the best seat in the house," the nose of the plane.

George's father, who spent a career in the Air Force, retiring as a Colonel, flew 30 plus combat missions in the Pacific Theater in a B-29 during World War II, including one where the pilot and crew got back safely, but the plane exploded mid air. His father, also named George, lied about his age, and entered WWII at age 17, continued his service after the war, took two years off, and then re-entered at the start of the Korean Conflict and was, coincidentally, after rejoining the Air Force, stationed at Ellsworth Air Base in Rapid City. At that time the planes he piloted were the B-36's. -*Courtesy Photos*



"Best Seat in the House"

Plans Move Ahead for Combined 911 Call Center

Sturgis-based Butte-Meade County call center could be ready by early 2020.

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BELLE FOURCHE - Under a proposed plan by area law enforcement agencies, Butte and Meade Counties would combine their 911 call centers into one location in Sturgis. The move is seen as a cost saving measure and a way for the agencies to receive additional state fund-

ing. At the same time it will mean the elimination of some dispatcher positions.

Currently the Meade County center operates with eight dispatchers, as does the Butte County center. With the merger, set to take effect by early next year, four positions from the Butte County call center would be eliminated.

The combined 911 call center in Sturgis would serve these agencies from Butte County: Belle Fourche Police Department, Belle Fourche Volunteer Fire Department, Butte

County Sheriff, Butte County Ambulance Service, Newell Ambulance Service, Newell Fire Department, Nisland Fire Department, Vale Fire Department. The combined facility would continue to serve these Meade County agencies: Meade County Sheriff, Sturgis Police, Faith Police, Summerset Police, Sturgis Volunteer Fire Department, Sturgis Ambulance Service, Vale Fire Department, Union Center and Enning Fire and Ambulance, and Hereford Volunteer Fire Department.

The call centers are known as

Public Safety Answering Points or PSAP centers. When residents within the city or county call with a 911 emergency the calls are answered by a dispatcher in the PSAP. Currently there are 28 PSAPs in the state with four tribal PSAPs. The state would eventually like to see that number reduced much further.

The PSAPs are funded by surcharges added to your monthly phone bill. In 2012 the state legislature set that rate at \$1.25 per cell phone or landline and a 2 percent surcharge on all prepaid wireless services. That money is then given back to PSAPs based on population. By combining Butte and Meade Counties the new 911 call center would serve more than 30,000 people allowing it to also qualify for funding from the state's 911 Emergency Fund.

Last month the State was awarded a \$1.5 million grant from the Federal 911 Grant Program to be distributed among the state's PSAPs to make digital upgrades to their systems. NG911, or "Next Generation 911" will make better use of current technology, including taking full advantage of digital cell phones, and Internet-based broadband-enabled technology to coordinate emergency response. Tony Mangan, DPS spokesman says NG911 will also improve service during heavy call load times and makes transferring 911 calls within a system easier and more efficient.

The merger has the support of both County Commissions and each county's Sheriff's Department. Butte County Commission Chairman Kim Richards says the two counties already have a good track record of working together as they have an ongoing agreement for jail services.

After Nearly 30 Years, the Horses are Back



A FULL HOUSE OF HORSE "CENTS" - Baxter Anders, Belle Fourche Livestock Market, far left in the auction block, surveys the audience, as one of the first horses to sell in Belle Fourche in many years struts and parades at last Friday's Horse Sale at the Market. The first open consignment horse sale in Belle Fourche for the better part of three decades brought together a standing room only crowd of consignors and buyers. Anders commented to the Beacon, "It was a great day." -*Beacon Photo*

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Pastor's Perspective

This week's Pastor's Perspective is provided by Pastor Paul Howard of the Christian Life Center.

A New and Improved You

I have always described myself as professional student when it comes to ministry and to life in general. I love to read, digest and learn something new each and every day. One of the great things about being a Christian (one with relationship with Jesus Christ) is the fact that through the reading and study of God's Word we are always learning and growing and God is in the process of creating a new and improved you. We read in II Corinthians 5:17 that every believer is "a new Creation in Jesus Christ; the old you is passed away, and in all things you are becoming new". This is an invitation from God to start each day with a new and fresh beginning. I can remember the first time that I read this verse and realized that the "old me" could be left behind with all the old habits, failures and fears and that I could face each new day with this incredible thought... God is doing His work in my life (making me a New Creation) and it is new and fresh and that God will continue this work in me until He has completed His design for my life. This new and improved person that we are in Jesus



Christ will find great joy in the changes that God will make in our lives. We are freed from the old habits, forgiven for the failures of the past, and set free from the fear that once gripped our daily lives. This new creation "us" that God is working in will also develop in us a new perspective. We will view the world around us differently and recognize that God is at work in this world and ultimately all things will work together for our good and the good of those around us (Romans 8:28). This new and improved view of the world will change my attitude and improve my outlook. We will also view those people around us differently, recognizing that God loves each and every one and He desires the best for each one. I was taught in my early days of ministry that there are two kinds of people in the world... there are those that believe in Jesus Christ (Believers) and there are those who are potential Believers. This new and improved view of those around us will bring about a much different attitude in our relationships as we realize that we can make a difference in the lives of others. This new and improved

person that we are will also give us new sense of purpose in our lives. We live each day recognizing that God has a specific plan for each day and we have the privilege of participating in His plan. He can direct our path, offer opportunity to share our Christian experience with potential believers, enable us to be productive in our daily activities, and be a blessing to those around us. What I have discovered is that God is not only working on me each day but God also is working in me creating a new and improved me. How often have I failed in my desire to change a habit, improve my conduct, adjust my thinking, be more productive, and be more pleasant to be around? My failure lies in the fact that I was trying to make these changes in and of myself. I have since learned that I cannot improve me! What a joy it was to discover that God had made a provision for the life change that I desired. He has afforded us an opportunity to become a new creation in Jesus Christ by simply surrendering our lives to Him and trusting Him to make the necessary changes in our hearts and lives. You can become a new creation, you can put the past behind you and trust Jesus to create a new and improved you!

Consecration Services Held March 1964

PAT ENGBRETSON
Special to the Beacon

After 70 years in their church building at 7th and State, consecration services were held March 22, 1964 for the new church at Stanley and 7th. Featured speakers were District Superintendent Harvey Sander at the morning service and Bishop Edwin Garrison at the afternoon services. Assisting in the services were the choir and other groups. Honored guests were former pastors and friends from far and near. Many blessings and good wishes were received in letters and telegrams.

The new church building featured a combination of brick, concrete block and natural stone. Class room wings extend



west and north from the main building. These rooms are still used today for youth classes with a fireside room for small meetings, adult classes and Bible studies, and a choir room.

Please join the celebration

of 125 years of Methodism in Belle Fourche on Sept. 8, 2019. Worship will be at 10:30 with a potluck block party starting at 12:00. There will be food, games, stagecoach rides and other fun happenings. We hope to see you there.

Area Church Schedules

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1407 5th Ave. Belle Fourche
605-569-8380
Sunday Worship: 10:30 AM
Bob Davis, Pastor

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL

6th and Roundup - 892-2446
The Rev. Evelyn Weaver
The Rev. Sandy Williams, Priests
Deacon Rev. Mike Weaver
Sunday: 10 a.m. Holy Eucharist
Monday-Friday: 7:45 a.m. Prayer

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

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS

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

EMMANUEL BAPTIST (SBC)

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

CONNECTION CHURCH (SBC)

613 Sixth ave., Belle Fourche
(605)-210-2160
Pastor Stephen Carson
Worship Pastor Ashton Rone
Sunday Worship: 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST

807 8th Ave. 892-4178
Pastor Tim Smith
Sunday:
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service
Wednesday:
6:00 p.m. Bible Study

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Pastor Bruce K. Oyen
Sunday:
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Church Service - 10:45 a.m. We sing traditional hymns & choruses.

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Pastor Del Neumeister
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10 a.m. Worship
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Newell 605-456-2767
Worship: 9 a.m.
Wednesday afternoon children's time during the school year, 3:45-5:15

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

901 Laurel St. Whitewood
(605)-920-1959
Reverend Jill Jennwein
Sunday: 9 a.m. Worship

10:30 a.m. Adult & Teen Bible Study
10:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School

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Worship: 10:45 a.m.

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Wednesday: 7:30 am.

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Pastor McKillop (605) 840-0554
Sunday: 9am Sunday School
10am Worship

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Sunday School 9:30 am King's Kids
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Museum Seeks Loan of Mid-Century Dolls for Temporary Exhibit

The Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center will open a new temporary exhibit on September 28th entitled "A World of Dolls" and is seeking some dolls to be loaned for display in the exhibit.

"This exhibit is an expansion on a mini-exhibit we did three years ago, which was a huge success with visitors," said Tri-State Director Kristi Thielen. "We know there are many doll collectors and enthusiasts throughout the Hills area and we wanted to do a more expansive exhibit that would appeal to them."

The museum archives include a large number of dolls from the first part of the 20th century, including classics like Shirley Temple dolls. "What we lack

is dolls that became popular during the 50s, 60s and 70s," said Thielen. "A Chatty Cathy, Betsey Wetsey or Mrs. Beasley doll would be terrific to add to the exhibit."

The museum already possess-



es some dolls from the 1980s onward, including a Cabbage Patch doll, Barbie, GI Joe, Bratz doll, American Girl and Rainbow Brite.

Unlike items which are given to the museum's permanent collections, artifacts provided for temporary exhibits are considered loans which are returned to the owner when the temporary exhibit closes. "A World of Dolls" would run September through January and then be replaced by another exhibit in February 2020.

For more information or to discuss the loan of a doll or dolls to this exhibit, please call 605-723-1200. The Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center is located at 415 Fifth Avenue in Belle Fourche.

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From Chamber Director Gary Wood

What's Happening

It's a new month and I wanted to give you the Chamber events that are coming up so you can mark your calendar.

The month of September is so busy that we had to push some of our Fall Flavors events into October. But that is a good thing! We love to see Belle Fourche bustling with activities.

It's Fall Flavors time and we have several things on the schedule. Be sure and pick up the September Happenings from some of our downtown members. This monthly flyer will give you most of the events for the month, and there are many of them. You can also go to the Community Calendar of Events at www.BelleFourcheChamber.org to see a complete listing.

I also want to highlight some of the Chamber sponsored events coming up:

Small Business Planning & Management Course:

Free & open to all. Brought to you by Black Hills Community Loan Fund and sponsored by the Chamber.

3 Classes: September 9, 16 and 23, 9am-3:00pm
Historic Roosevelt Events Center Band Room, 1010 State St.

This course is a great opportunity for those who are interested in starting a small business, entrepreneurs, or those who already have a small business but could benefit from a clear business and management plan.

In this course you will learn how to:

- Build or update an effective business plan

- Complete a market-based analysis of your business
- Identify business planning resources in your community

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Chamber Luncheon September 11 Noon @ Graps Burgers & Brews:

This luncheon will feature Director of Equalization Lisa Nelson and Butte County Auditor Elaine Jensen. Their emphasis will be tax incentives for business and

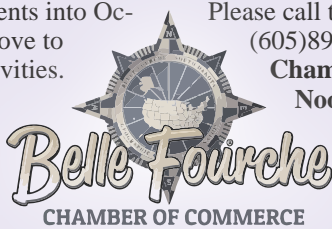
agriculture.

Pie Socials: Every Thursday 3 p.m. at Rail Park: The Pie Socials will continue every Thursday as part of Fall Flavors through the month of September.

Farmer's Markets every Thursday 4-6 p.m. at The Historic Roosevelt Events Center Grounds:

We are expecting the melon mogul Scott McCart with his Forestburg and Woonsocket melons, along with other vendors with seasonal vegetables and baked goods to be at this week's market. We will continue having the market as long as there is produce to sell and the weather allows. We're expecting to stop the last Pie Socials and Farmers Market will be around mid-October.

As always you can call the Chamber for more information or listen to the Country Twins Radio on Tuesday and Thursdays at 9 a.m. for the Belle Fourche Community report.



Correction

On page A6 of the August 21st edition, within the Suicide Prevention and Mental Health Awareness Program invitation, Dominique Charlson is listed beside "Peer Damaged, LLC" in error. Charlson is The owner of **Peer Advantage, LLC**.

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Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,

Empower Belle Fourche brought citizens together last October under the guiding hand of Joe Bartmann (Dakota Resources) and the Belle Fourche Development Corporation. Action groups were formed to address many topics such as homelessness and hunger, fitness and health, downtown improvement and signage. Citizens gathered and volunteered their time and skills with the desire to improve the city of Belle Fourche.

The Promote the Center of the Nation group has created a plan to enhance the monument area on the museum grounds by placing engraved granite plaques next to each state's flagpole. The plaques contain historical state information and will be level with the ground for easy mowing and maintenance. The stylish black granite squares are designed to dress up the monument and will last many years. One of the benefits of the proposed plaques is that they would NOT cost the city any money. The group has acquired donations to create and install the plaques, and also plans to sell or auction off sponsorships of the plaques as company donations or personal memorials. The money raised from the plaques will be used to promote Belle Fourche through way finder signs, banners,

billboards, and/or ads.

Have you ever asked visitors to Belle Fourche if they came to see the geographical center of the nation monument? From our experience, many visitors are unaware that Belle Fourche is the geographic center of the nation. Having traveled often, we realize that many tourists like to stop and see landmarks. Belle Fourche was lucky to have become the geographic center of our great nation in 1959 when Alaska and Hawaii became states. The Center of the Nation monument area needs continued care and improvement for citizens and tourists to enjoy.

Unfortunately, the Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center Board quickly voted down this granite plaque improvement project in favor of a more temporary solution using Plexiglas signage attached to the flagpole that will cost the city approximately \$2500. Shouldn't the city be more supportive of a volunteer group that wants to give their time to enhance the Center of the Nation while increasing sales tax revenues?

From: Center of the Nation promotion group members: Sandy Kringen, Dale Kringen, and Greg Mandillo.
email: karenmondillo@gmail.com

Belle Fourche Girls Soccer Drop Two Draw One

James Trimble
Special to the Beacon

The Belle Fourche girls soccer team had a busy week as they played three games in five days. The Lady Broncs dropped tough games against Sturgis 2-1 and perennial power West Central 3-0 before earning a hard fought draw nil-nil against Dakota Valley.

The girls squared off against the Scoopers Tuesday night in Sturgis. The Lady Scoopers would get on the board first as forward Breezy Paul would hit the shot with 14 minutes gone in the first half. They would follow up with a second goal three minutes later by sophomore Jessica Matthew. The Broncs defense would tighten and they went to the sidelines with the Scoopers in control 2-0.

Belle would come out in the second half and play much better ball. They would hit pay dirt when Jayme Peterson would skip a nice through ball to fellow senior Savannah Rosales and she would tingle the net making it 2-1. Both teams would have advances into their opponent's territory the rest of the game. The Broncs would have a flurry of passes and a couple of shots with about seven minutes left but Sturgis would hold Belle out and come away with the 2-1 victory.



Bree Pierce puts a stop on West Central forward.
-Trimble Photo

"I thought we came out flat during that first half, but we settled down and became more competitive during the second half and got some scoring opportunities", said head coach Rob Creed of the Broncs game. The Lady Broncs will face West Central Friday followed by Dakota Valley on Saturday in Belle Fourche.

On Friday evening the Lady Broncs took on the always tough and physical Trojans from West Central at the Roundup soccer complex.

The first half was a defensive battle as the game went all the way to the two minute mark

before Trojans midfielder Rylee Haldeman found the back of the net and West Central went to the lockers with the 1-0 advantage.

Belle defenders Dru Keegan, Adde Shockey, Bree Pierce, and Jazmyn Hunt all worked hard to keep the Trojans penned in. Lily Sidel hit a shot for the Trojans with two minutes gone in the second half making it 2-0. Nearly 20 minutes of back and forth play would go by until West Central's Ellie Anderson found the cords making it 3-0 Trojans.

"I think this is the best we have played all season", said Coach Rob Creed despite the loss. "We had great ball movement and I am extremely proud of the way our girls played."

The Broncs took on Dakota Valley on Saturday as the Panthers made the long trip from the Dakota Dunes area near Sioux City to take on the Lady Broncs. Even though the final score was 0-0. This game was packed with lots of shots and back and forth action but neither team able to score and take advantage.

Belle goal keeper Sydney Bridge made a number of great saves during the game and would earn her second shutout of the season. The Broncs are now 2-4-1 as they have reached the midpoint of the season. The Lady Broncs will face off with St. Thomas More on Tuesday.



Adde Shockey gets take away from West Central player.
-Trimble Photo

Geis Memorial Donates to New Golf Bags



Boys golf team with the new golf bags that the Geis Memorial helped purchase. From left to right Ethan Tyrell, Albert Key, Lance Sutter, Alex Voyles, Aden Beisel and not pictured is Daryn French. *Courtesy photo*



The 2019 Hunt Safe Class had 29 graduates from the surrounding area and it was held at the Center of the Nation Sportsmans Club Clubhouse/Range. The efforts of volunteer Hunt Safe Instructors Chuck Berdan, Rick Walton, Kevin Burke and Rick McCartney along with range safety officer Ed Dibble are greatly appreciated for their dedication to teaching this class. Not in order: Sydney Baker, Jaxon Cano, Riley Dighton, Ryan Evans, Spencer Foley, Brenna Haivala, Michaela Hallam, Luke Harris, Kyle Hendrickson, Tucker Hughes, Garett Huston, Eva Jensen, Christian Johnston, Aiden Kracht, Marissa Kracht, Wyatt Lesmeister, Isabelle May, Michelle May, Ryker McGrath, Brayden Meemken, Paige Mertens, Cruz Mollman, Jonah Musilek, Trigg Olson, Gavin Pearson, Cora Pierson, Elijah Pomrenke, Radley Wendt, and Jayden Werlinger
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Belle Boys Soccer Drop Tight Game with Sturgis



John Baxendale passes downfield to Barak Minor as Anthony Staley looks on. -Trimble Photo

James Trimble
Special to the Beacon

The Belle Fourche boys soccer team was looking to get back in the win column this past Tuesday evening when they traveled to Sturgis to take on the Scoopers. These games are usually physical and close and this was one was no exception. After a very hard fought game the Scoopers came out on top by a final score of 4-3.

Early on it looked as though Sturgis was going to run away with the game as junior forward Pepe Abascal got a goal with just six minutes gone making it 1-0 Scoopers. About 10 minutes later, junior midfielder Kale Dennis streaked down the left sidelines and ripped the net making it 2-0 Sturgis. Belle however had other plans. The Broncs, who outshot the home team 19-9, would continue to put the pressure on the Scoopers defense. Then with 3:36 to play in the half junior forward Josiah

Trimble cut inside a Scooper defender on a ball bounding toward the goal and hit the shot making it 2-1 and the Broncs were back in the game. That score would remain until half time.

The Broncs came out aggressive and controlling the field play when Jaime Gonzalez would hit Ethan Jones who powered home the goal and the Broncs had it tied with 31 minutes left in the contest. Four minutes later Josiah Trimble would send a corner kick high toward the goal and with the swirling wind the ball curved back into the goal where the Scooper keeper misplayed the ball and the Broncs had the lead 3-2.

Sturgis fought back. They would get a goal from Travis Cassen off a ricocheted pass with 21 minutes left in the contest knotting the score back up at 3-3. The Scoopers would get the game winner with 10 minutes left in the game when Sturgis converted a corner kick with a header by Mason Neumiller. The Broncs would get a number of other scoring drives toward the end of the game but just couldn't come up with the tying score.

"We played some of the best ball that we have all season", said head Coach Anthony Bradley." I thought Ethan Jones played a spectacular game." He also cited Cruz Kellem and Josiah Trimble with great efforts for the Broncs. The Broncs are now 1-5 on the season and were scheduled to face the always tough St. Thomas More Cavaliers on Tuesday.



Jaime Gonzalez attempting a free kick against SF Christian.
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Broncs Football Opener Goes Into Overtime

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BELLE FOURCHE - In a thrilling season opener that saw big plays, three touchdowns in a 2:30 minute span (almost a fourth) and 83 combined points the Belle Fourche Broncos lost a heartbreaker in overtime 42-41 to the Vermillion Tanagers.

It was Bronc Coach Scott Slotten's first overtime game in his seven years coaching the Broncos.

"That was a scrappy bunch of kids from Vermillion," Slotten said. "They fought hard and so did we. Our kids had a good-mixture of the run and pass and we moved the ball around well. It just came down to making plays and they made one more than we did."

Football is a game of inches. And even after a half mile in combined total offense between the teams it came down to an overtime point after touchdown kick by Vermillion's Noah Gilbertson that went over the top of the left upright in south end zone. Neither team was sure the kick was good but the officials judged that just enough of the ball had nudged inside the upright to call it successful.

"Our mantra for the year is #finish. We lost three games in the fourth quarter last year and now we've lost one this year and that's gotta be my fault," Slotten said. "It might be play calling. It might be getting in better shape. But we're going to figure this out and make sure we finish games form here on out."

The Broncos exploded out of the blocks in the first quarter. On the third play of the game quarterback Colby Nowowiejski stepped up in the pocket and threw to his right, hitting Jackson Tyndall in stride along the sideline. Tyndall sprinted 80 yards to pay dirt giving the Broncos a 7-0 lead.

After the Tanagers turned the ball over on downs Bronc runningback Kelby Olson took the ball on first down, cut to the inside, then juke a defender, breaking three tackles and steam rolling 57 yards for a score. The PAT was no good and the Broncos had run 4 offensive plays in the 2019 season and led 13-nothing.

Vermillion countered with a big play of their own as senior Brock Voss powered 48 yards up the middle for a score. A two-point conversion made it 13-8. Then the Tanagers put together a 91-yard drive to take their only lead until the overtime at 14-13 with 11:08 left in the half.

Then with less than 3 minutes in the half the Broncos broke the game open. Nowowiejski scrambled out of the pocket and hit Olson on a go route for a 60-yard score. After a Bronc interception Olson powered his way up the middle for a 10-yard touchdown run. Then after another Bronc interception Nowowiejski hit Tyndall on a post route for their second scoring connection and the Broncos led 35-14 with :26 left in the half.

Vermillion nearly completed

YOU MAKE THE CALL - The winning extra point sales directly over the top of the left upright (yellow arrow) in overtime as Vermillion eeked out a 42-41 come-from-behind win over the Broncos Friday night. The official was standing right under the goal post and judged it good, even as Bronc players were leaning to the left to try to apply a little body English. - Beacon photo

a 57 yard drive in the final half minute of the half but a scrambling quarterback Charlie Ward was stopped on the 1-yard line before fumbling it to the Broncos to end the half.

In the second half the Tanagers took advantage of two Bronc fumbles and turned them into a pair of scores, the second coming on a 6-yard touchdown pass from Ward to Reece Proefrock to make it 35-28 with 8:51 left in the game. They added a third straight score on a one-yard John LaCognata run to tie the game at 35 with 4 minutes left, sending the game to overtime.

Vermillion won the toss in the overtime and elected to defend first. Each team would get four downs to score from the 10-yard line. On 2nd and goal from the 5, Nowowiejski, out of the shotgun found sophomore receiver Alden Giffin for the score. But the snap on the PAT was high and the kick was blocked, leaving it 41-35, Broncos.

"Colby basically called that touchdown in the overtime," Slotten said. "He told me what he thought was open, I changed it a little bit, but Colby called it, and he has really stepped up as a leader and matured a lot since last season."

The Belle Fourche defense stiffened as Vermillion had their chance to score, denying Voss on two run attempts and on third and nine, Ward's pass fell incomplete. The Broncos

could win the game with one more stop. But on fourth down, Ward found Jack Kratz on an out-route heading for the far corner of the end zone for the tying score. As mentioned, the PAT just barely made it inside the uprights for a final overtime score of 42-41.

"In the second half turnovers and false start penalties, one that killed a drive really hurt. But that's stuff with a young offensive line that we can easily shore up," Slotten said. "But we saw a lot of speed, we had a lot of confidence at times. But kudos to Vermillion, they didn't give up."

The Broncos hit the road for the next two games, at Douglas in Rapid City then Douglas, Wyoming, before returning home to face Custer September 20th in the Homecoming Game.

Four Bronc X-Country Runners Win at Newcastle

The Belle Fourche Cross Country team traveled to Mallo Camp near Four Corners, WY to open their 2019 season at the Newcastle Invite on Friday and collected four individual race wins along with a fantastic overall team showing.

Sawyer Clarkson (varsity boys), Ava Allen (JV girls), Zach Tonsager (7th grade boys), and Carsyn Hahne (6th grade boys) each won their respective races.

The varsity boys' 5,000 meter race saw a tight cluster of Broncos behind Clarkson, with Wyatt Keegan (11th), Cole Hockenbary (12th), Ethan Jones (13th), and Devin Nowowiejski (14th) finishing within seconds of each other. Junior Isaac McKenney came home in 21st place.

Eighth-grader Allison Hayes

just edged senior Harley Fischer for third overall in the varsity girls' 5,000 meter race. Fischer settled for fourth while junior Hayley Wilbur placed ninth.

The JV boys' race saw freshman Nic Lambert place fifth, just ahead of seventh-grade teammate Darian Pesicka. Jordan Sandoval (11th), Harley Rivera (12th), Dustin Kolb (14th), Aiden Voyles (15th), and Levi Melanson (17th) also competed in the 4,000 meter JV race.

All four Bronc runners in the girls' JV event placed in the top six. Freshman Ayseluna Hockenbary placed second (behind Ava Allen), senior Megan Keegan was fifth, and freshman Alanah Pomrenke placed sixth.

In addition to Tonsager and Hahne winning their middle school races, sixth-grader Oden Walding placed 19th overall in

the combined MS boys' results. Harvey Walding (24th), Andrew McKenney (31st), Alex Norlin (36th), Garett Huston (37th), and Riggin Lutter (39th) also ran in the 2,400-meter MS event.

Eighth-grader Addy Muhm paced the Broncos in the MS girls 2,400 meter race, placing sixth overall. Adeline Hayes (20th), Lorelei Seaman (21st), Adeline Thompson (23rd), Denali Larson (24th), and Reagan Hatling (27th) also competed, each of them placing in the top-10 of their respective grades.

A limited number of runners will travel to Sioux Falls on Friday for the Augie Twilight Meet, an extremely competitive event that draws over 1,000 runners from five states. The entire squad will be back in action on Thursday, Sept. 12th for the Belle Fourche Invite.

Senior **Harley Fischer** & eighth-grader **Allison Hayes** approach the finish line of the Newcastle Invite (Brittany Clarkson photo)

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Belle Fourche Community Calendar

Sept. 5: Community Pie Social, 3-4pm, Rail Park
Farmers Market, 4-6pm, Roosevelt Event Center
Sept. 6: Caramel Rolls & Coffee, 8:30am, Senior Center
BBQ at Highmark Credit Union, 11am-1:30pm
Sept. 7: First Saturday Brunch: Historic Cattle Trails, 10am, Tri-State Museum
Sept. 8: United Methodist Church Block Party, 12-2pm, BFUMC
Sept. 9: Fitness Made Fun, 11am, Senior Center
Creative Card Making Class, 10am, Office Emporium
Sept. 10: Early Bird Networking & Coffee, 7:30am, Chamber of Commerce
Soccer vs. Spearfish @ Home: JV Boys/Varsity Girls, 4pm, JV Girls/Varsity Boys, 6pm.
Sept. 11: Chamber Luncheon, 12pm, Graps Burgers and Brews
Sept. 12: Cross Country @ Home, 12pm
Community Pie Social, 3-4pm, Rail Park
Farmers Market, 4-6pm, Roosevelt Event Center
Volleyball vs. Lead Deadwood @ Home, 5pm
Downtown Revitalization Meeting, 5:30pm, City Hall
Chutes For Charity Progressive Bingo, 6pm, Branding Iron Steakhouse
Sept. 13: Caramel Rolls & Coffee, 8:30am, Senior Center
Healthy Habits made Easy, 10am, Senior Center
Saturday on State Market, 12-7pm, 1401 5th Ave
Sept. 14: 6th Annual Show Me Your Pink: Breast Cancer Poker Run, 9:30am, Moose Lodge
Belle Fourche Flea Market, 8am-2pm, Community Hall
Saturday on State Market, 9am-3pm, 1401 5th Ave
Le Belle Marché Indoor Market, 9am-4pm, Roosevelt Event Center
Sept. 15: Family Fun Day, 2pm, Tri-State Museum
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BRIDGE GRANTS

tri-county effort was the only money awarded from the federal program to the state of South Dakota this year.

This round of funding is only part of the overall picture, according to Richards. There is another bridge on Orman Road a half mile to the west over Indian Creek that also needs to be replaced. This project is estimated to cost in the neighborhood of \$1.4 million. The county hopes to receive funding for this project from BIG program. The BIG program was put in place four years ago by the state and is funded by license plate fees.

“We’ve also applied for that specific type of funding a few times and (other than the PE grants) have yet to be successful,” Richards said. “But this time around we’re taking a few extra steps.”

Richards says that the state looks at several criteria in awarding BIG funds using a “rather complicated” points system to award the grants. Among the criteria are the condition of the bridge, how much traffic is on the bridge, importance to the local economy and distance a detour would require. Should the Indian Creek bridge be closed Richards says a detour could be several miles. Orman Road is a major route connecting farmers and ranchers to nearby areas where livestock and crops are bought and sold so the bridge is an important link.

“It’s so crucial for those who live out there because right now we don’t have a way for them to get out of there with a loaded truck,” Richards said.

There are three other criteria that the county can control, according to Richards and those are what he says the county has been working on.

“Raising the wheel tax to \$5 (per wheel for vehicles over 6,000 pounds) gives us six more points,” he said. “Also having a shovel ready project with engineering done gets us another 10 points. The third is increasing our share of the 80-20 grant and that one we really don’t have the funds to do, so we haven’t pursued that option.”

The federal grant and the state grant each require the county to put in 20 percent of the funding. The total for both projects would exceed \$400,000 which the county does not have. However there is a silver lining here.

“The state had some extra money this year which they awarded to the counties specifically to help them with matching funds,” Richards said. “That total to Butte County was around \$300,000.”

Shortfalls in funding could be made up next year when the .35 increase in the mill levy and increased wheel tax kick in, creating a potential \$483,500 that could go toward bridge and road repair. With funding yet to be fully resolved and engineering and bid letting still to be completed it won’t be until 2021 before the new Orman Road bridges would be complete.

In the meantime if either bridge should be closed before that time, which is likely, a detour would require up to an extra half-hour of travel time, which would be critical in emergency situations.

As reported last week in the Beacon, to resolve that issue the county last month voted to begin work on placing a new bridge on Winkler Road over Horse Creek to the north. Currently that bridge is closed.

The county’s plan includes installation of a pre-cast concrete single span bridge to be placed over new bridge foundations. The county would hire a contractor to do the foundation work while the county highway

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TOP OF THE REPLACEMENT LIST - This bridge on Orman Road over Horse Creek is on the top of the county’s list for replacement. It’s currently reduced to one lane. Last week Butte County was notified that it will be awarded \$700,000 from a federal highway program to go towards building a new bridge. If all goes smoothly a new bridge should be in place by 2021. -Beacon Photo

department would secure a crane and put the span in place. Richards estimates the total cost would be around \$140,000.

“It would require only a 3 mile detour (if Orman Road is closed) as opposed to a 15 minute detour if you had to go

through Nisland,” Richards said.

Work on a new Winkler Road bridge at Horse Creek is expected to begin as soon as October with completion before the end of the year, if conditions permit.

BF City Council Set to Move on City Employee Residency Requirements

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Editor’s note: Results of Tuesday night’s council vote were not available by press time. We will have a follow up report in the next edition of the Beacon.

BELLE FOURCHE - The city’s Legal and Finance Committee has once again sent the same Policy 5.19 revisions of the city handbook back to the full city council for a vote on Tuesday, September 3rd. It’s the same change they recommended in late July, only to have the council send it back to the committee for additional public input and debate. Their second round of discussions did not change the first result.

The revised Policy 5.19 would allow any full-time city employee to live within 30-minutes of the city. The existing rule requires all city department heads to live within the city or no further than 3-miles from the city limits. All other full-time city employees are required to live close enough to the city to make it in to work within 25 minutes or less.

Currently all eight city department heads, and interim department heads, live within the city limit guidelines. City emergency departments can require stricter guidelines in consideration of public safety.

The change was proposed as a way to increase the talent pool when the city has job openings,

particularly for department heads or supervisory positions. Opponents of the change say it’s important for department heads to live in the community, paying property taxes, being part of the schools, and generally being more familiar with the issues facing citizens.

On July 22nd the Legal and Finance Committee’s recommendation for the change was sent to the full council as part of the consent agenda. The consent agenda is a commonly used board meeting practice that groups routine business and reports into one agenda item. The consent agenda can be approved with one vote, rather than filing motions and voting on each item separately, saving time.

However, consent agenda items may be moved to the regular agenda for full debate at the request of any council member. In the case of Policy 5.19 Monte Talkington, Council President, made such a request.

During more than half an hour of debate the council tabled the item and sent it back to the Legal and Finance Committee for further discussion at their Aug 26th meeting.

At that meetinglast week they voted unanimously to send their original recommendation, a motion to approve a 30-minute response time for all employees regardless of status, to the full council’s regular agenda at their Sept. 3rd council meeting.

The Legal and Finance Committee is made up of councilmembers Randy Schmidt, Annie Reich, Troy Shockey and Vern Hintz. Assuming each votes to the affirmative on Sept 3rd, they would need only one additional councilmember to vote in the affirmative for the revision to pass.

Belle Retains Butte County Ryder Cup

On August 25th 2019 Belle Fourche Country Club played host to the most important golf event in Butte County and POSSIBLY, the world. The Butte County Ryder Cup was played for the 21st time and as always, it didn’t disappoint. The



Traveling Butte Ryder Cup

matches were close, fun was had by all and everyone got an awesome steak dinner to boot.

A total of 44 players and 44 matches were played over three 9-Hole rounds. Teams get 1 point for winning the match and a half point for a tie. Tee off was set at 8:00am for the first round. Newell Golf Club entered the day as the challengers as they lost the Ryder Cup in 2018. Belle Fourche looked to retain the cup and needed 22 points to make it happen.

Round 1- Scramble Match Play.

Belle Fourche got off to a hot start in the first round, winning 6 of the 11 matches outright and tying 2 others. Newell won 3 of the 11 matches. After the first round, Belle Fourche leads 7 points to 4 Points.

Round 2- Chapman Scramble Match Play.

Newell fought back in round 2 winning matches early and often. 5 of the first 6 matches were won by Newell. Belle Fourche responded winning 3 of the last 5 and tying the other two. Newell won the round 6 points to 5 points. Point totals after 2 rounds, Belle Fourche-12 Newell-10.

Round 3- Singles Match Play.

22 matches were played in Round 3. Belle Fourche had a 2-point advantage heading into the Singles Matches. Belle Fourche let their home course advantage work in their favor as they won 13 of the 22 matches.

With a couple matches ending in a tie, round total was Belle Fourche 14.5, Newell 7.5.

Belle Fourche retained the cup with a winning score of 26.5 to 17.5.

Highlights for Newell- Troy Vanderboom won all three of his matches getting 3 points for the team. Kim Richards and Darron Trohkimoninen getting 2 points each for the team.

Highlights for Belle Fourche- Ron Cline and Justin Tupper won all 3 of their matches. Dahl McLean and John Beigl both gained 2.5 points each.

Players Representing Newell Golf Club- Tom Courtney, Mike Phelps, Adam Courtney, Kim Richards, Craig Douthit, Tim McCann, Scott Wince, Chris Heckenliable, Kelly Fox, Kevin Bossman, Dick Mettler, Neil Vollmer, Troy Vanderboom, Darron Trohkimonin, Doug Hanson, Amos Armijo, Gary Howard, Clay Anderson, Bruce Brunner, Dan Rhoden, Kurt Hocking, Dave Zwetzig.

Players Representing Belle Fourche Country Club- Nate Bowman, Clark Gusso, Cole Rehorst, Roger Bowman, Ron Cline, Jim Poitra, Alan Olson, Denny Rehorst, Lee Voyles, Justin Tupper, Rick Nelson, Dick Holdhusen, Leon Didrickson, Marshal Sudrala, Larry Eberhard, Charlie Johnson, Doug Lange, Brad Young, John Cooper, Doug Ruhnow, Roger Kimball, Ron Ribordy, Dahl McLean, John Beigl.



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We won’t comment on overall quality, but quantity is definitely on the up!

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Contest entries will be accepted through September 21st. **Cash Prizes to be Awarded!** 1st prize will receive **\$100**; 2ndPlace **\$75**; and 3 Honorable mention prizes of **\$50** each.

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A guy goes into a saloon early in the afternoon and is all alone at the bar, drinking a beer and having a few peanuts from a bowl. He hears little voices saying things like, “That’s a really nice suit,” and “Nice haircut, dude,” and “I really like your tie.” He finally calls the bartender over and says, “I keep hearing these little voices saying they like my tie, and my haircut, but I’m the only one in here.” The bartender says, “Oh, that’s the bowl of complimentary peanuts.”

“Ruth rode on my motorcycle. She sat in back of me. I hit a rut at 65, and rode on “Ruthlessly!”

The first French fries were not fried in France. Do you know where they were fried?

In “Grease”.

Question: Where does General Patton keep his armies?
Answer: In his sleeveies!

A man and a woman had identical twins, but could not afford the children, so they put them up for adoption. One went to a family in Egypt, and they called him Amal. The other twin went to a family in Spain and they called him Juan. Years later the woman decided she wanted to contact the twins. She was able to get in touch with Juan, and he sent her a picture of himself. She complained to her husband that she wished she could see a picture of Amal.

Her husband said “they are identical twins! Once you’ve see Juan, you’ve seen Amal.”

A couple that had been married several years began to quibble over things in life. The tension came to a boil when the husband totally forgot the couples wedding anniversary.

The husband was genuinely sorry he had forgotten such an important date and after apologizing profusely asked what he may do to make amends for such a serious mistake?

“Well, responded the despondent spouse, “it would be a start if when I come home tonight there is something in the garage that goes from 0 to 200 in less than 6 seconds .”

When she returned home that

By: Doug Cole
evening there was bathroom scale parked in the garage.

A gorilla walks into a bar and orders a martini. Amazed, the bartender thinks, What the heck, I guess I might as well make the drink. As he hands the martini over, the animal holds out a \$20 bill. The bartender accepts the cash and decides to test his unusual customer’s intellect. He only gives the ape a dollar in change. The gorilla silently begins to sip his drink. “You know,” the bartender says, “we don’t get too many gorillas in here.” The gorilla replies, “At \$19 a drink, I’m not surprised.”

A woman meant to call a record store but dialed the wrong number and got a private home instead. “Do you have “Eyes of Blue” and “A Love Supreme”?” she asked.

“Well, no,” answered the puzzled homeowner. “But I have a wife and 11 children.” “Is that a record?” she inquired. “I don’t think so,” he replied, “but it’s as close as I want to get.”

Q: What do you call a can opener that doesn’t work?
A: A can’t opener.

Q: Why did the Pastor fall into the well?
A: He couldn’t see that well.

Q: What do you call a snob-bish criminal walking downstairs?
A: A condescending con descending.

Spent all evening gluing watches together to make a belt. Complete waist of time.

I’ve never been especially cool. When I was a kid, I once shoplifted a thesaurus. But then I felt so guilty, so sorry, so remorseful, so shameful, so repentant—so I returned it.

A woman walks into a store and asks the clerk, “Can I try on the dress in the shop window, please?” “I’m sorry, but you can’t,” says the employee. “We have changing rooms for that.”



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Sources of Support (SOS) Serving the Northern Hills

Christine Pierson Special to the Beacon

Over the past several months, nearly 2,000 pounds of fresh, local beef have been delivered to area organizations, in an act of bountiful generosity from local ranchers. Through a collaboration with Love INC Sturgis and Northern Hills Sources of Support (SOS), five donated cows were processed by Integrity Meats in Belle Fourche and then distributed to the following organizations: Sturgis Golden K – Sturgis Kiwanis Food Pantry, Sturgis Senior Center, Meade County Jail kitchen, Compass Point In-patient Program, Whitewood Food Pantry, and the Spearfish Community Food Pantry. With the processing fees being taken care of by local church alliances, all donations were free of charge to each organization.

Simone Nabers, Director for Love INC Sturgis, had this to say about the collaboration efforts: “This was such a fantas-



Spearfish Community Food Pantry volunteer Marilyn Halse is pictured with the beef donated to their organization.

tic opportunity. I really enjoyed working on this project and seeing how much it helped support local organizations. When we are presented with this kind of resource I truly believe it is our duty to steward it well – what better way than to collaborate and share with programs in our community that exist with the purpose of providing meals to individuals and families. When we gather around a table to eat, relationships are built. Funny as

it may sound, the ranchers who provided the cows are truly a part of building bonds. That's vital. I'd love to see more donations like this and see how this idea could grow to benefit even more organizations and people in the Northern Hills.” To find out more information about these organizations visit: www.loveinonline.com/sturgis and www.northernhillsSOS.org.



The staff at the AmericInn by Wyndham Belle Fourche voted to use some Blue Jean Fund money to help the students with supplies. They chose backpacks for students in K-12 and filled them with supplies from the lists as well as sending extras. The owners matched dollar for dollar on the expenditure to help out. *Courtesy photo*

MLS#62405
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A complete remodel/renovation has been completed on this 5 BR, 2 BA home. All utilities have been buried underground and a new garage with garden shed has also been added. You won't find another beautiful brick home like this anywhere.





MLS#62408
\$192,500
718 Taylor Court,
Belle Fourche

This zero entry, one level, 2 BR, 2 BA ranch style home features an oversized garage, laundry room, a large open kitchen, master bedroom, patio with awning, and storage shed. This is a very nice home that has no exterior maintenance.



MLS#62364 • \$179,900
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This 4 BR, 2 BA home had a new basement installed and an extensive remodel. It now has beautiful hardwood floors, maple cabinets, 6 panel doors and a covered porch. There is a nice workshop building in the back yard. Ready to move in.

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ST. ONGE LIVESTOCK Now Broadcasts our Sales live on the internet at WWW.CATTLEUSA.COM

Cattle Report - Friday, August 30, 2019
1500 Yearlings Today
Market Was Fully Steady
Next Sale - September 6th - Yearling Special - 10 Am Start
Thank You For Marketing With St Onge Livestock!

Yearlings
Blair, Tom Ekalaka MT.....10... Blk Hfrs.....878.....\$130.75
Boardman, Jeff Weston WY.....36... B/R Hfrs.....887.....\$129.50
Brown, Kyle or Shannon Sturgis SD.....6... Bld Hfrs.....1022.....\$119.50
Brown, Steve or Kathy Sturgis SD.....24... B/R Strs.....916.....\$131.75
Brown, Steve or Kathy Sturgis SD.....37... B/R Strs.....783.....\$139.25
Brown, Steve or Kathy Sturgis SD.....11... Herf Strs.....909.....\$129.50
Courtney Herefords Belle Fourche SD.....19... Herf Hfrs.....895.....\$123.50
Emerson, Ronald or Janette Hermosa SD.....13... Blk Strs.....905.....\$134.00
Emerson, Ronald or Janette Hermosa SD.....15... Blk Hfrs.....828.....\$117.00
Enos Cattle CO Baker MT.....8... Blk Hfrs.....948.....\$126.50
Geer, Darel Lee Gillette WY.....39... B/R Strs.....932.....\$134.50
Geer, Darel Lee Gillette WY.....11... B/R Strs.....838.....\$138.50
Geer, Darel Lee Gillette WY.....22... B/R Hfrs.....900.....\$127.00
Geer, Darel Lee Gillette WY.....62... B/R Hfrs.....883.....\$129.75
Geer, Darel Lee Gillette WY.....9... B/R Hfrs.....757.....\$133.50
Gunderson, Roger or Penny Buffalo SD.....7... Blk Hfrs.....877.....\$131.50
Haback, Philip W & Jeanne M Moorcroft WY.....8... Bld Strs.....770.....\$144.25
Heart Tail Ranch LLP Belle Fourche SD.....54... Bld Strs.....992.....\$135.00
Heart Tail Ranch LLP Belle Fourche SD.....32... Bld Strs.....898.....\$139.00
Heart Tail Ranch LLP Belle Fourche SD.....53... Blk Strs.....997.....\$135.00
Hett, Donn & Tyler Buffalo SD.....25... Blk Hfrs.....826.....\$131.75
IPY Ranch Ltd Devils Tower WY.....181... Bld Strs.....895.....\$139.50
IPY Ranch Ltd Devils Tower WY.....68... Bld Strs.....838.....\$140.75
Ketchum, Bruce Plevna MT.....27... Red Hfrs.....891.....\$129.50
Lytile, Donald E Custer SD.....6... Bld Strs.....825.....\$139.00
Odegard, Duane D & Mary K Arvada WY.....4... Char Strs.....850.....\$136.50
Odegard, Duane D & Mary K Arvada WY.....5... Char Strs.....727.....\$147.00
Reed, Dave C or Kim D Hulet WY.....12... Blk Hfrs.....799.....\$132.00
Riley, John & Mike Volborg MT.....24... Blk Hfrs.....910.....\$129.25
Roush, Darel R Gillette WY.....6... Blk Hfrs.....987.....\$123.25
Ryan Xz Ranch LLC Aladdin WY.....16... Blk Hfrs.....915.....\$128.75
Smith & Maude Hermosa SD.....10... Bld Hfrs.....878.....\$128.00
Snyder Cattle CO Piedmont SD.....54... Bld Strs.....1100.....\$127.00
SD Consignment.....58... B/R Hfrs.....817.....\$129.00
Yy Cattle Inc Volberg MT.....12... Blk Hfrs.....1012.....\$123.75

Weigh Up Cows
Anderson, Dwayne K Gillette WY.....1... Red Cowette.....1235.....\$72.00
Boardman Ranch CO Weston WY.....1... Red Cow.....1610.....\$62.00
Dikoff, Roger or Elizabeth Hermosa SD.....2... B/R Cowette.....1297.....\$73.00
Dikoff, Roger or Elizabeth Hermosa SD.....1... Herf Cow.....1505.....\$65.00
Dikoff, Roger or Elizabeth Hermosa SD.....1... Red Cow.....1615.....\$64.50
Erdman, Fred Rapid City SD.....1... Blk Cow.....1590.....\$60.00
Erdman, Fred Rapid City SD.....1... Blk Cow.....1415.....\$66.50
Evans, Janet Weston WY.....1... Blk Cow.....1440.....\$64.50
Evans, Janet Weston WY.....6... Blk Cow.....1433.....\$70.00
Gerkin, John Nisland SD.....2... Red Cow.....1525.....\$61.50
Gerkin, John Nisland SD.....4... Red Cow.....1450.....\$63.50
Ketchum, Bruce Plevna MT.....1... Red Cow.....1740.....\$64.50
Ketchum, Bruce Plevna MT.....6... Red Cow.....1331.....\$68.00
Ketchum, Bruce Plevna MT.....11... Red Hfrt.....1156.....\$71.00
Ketchum, Bruce Plevna MT.....8... Red Hfrt.....1092.....\$77.00
Komes, Tim & Josh Vale SD.....2... Bld Cow.....1335.....\$66.50
Komes, Tim & Josh Vale SD.....3... B/Hf Cow.....1343.....\$62.50
Komes, Tim & Josh Vale SD.....1... Herf Cow.....1520.....\$62.00
Komes, Tim & Josh Vale SD.....5... Herf Cow.....1284.....\$65.00
Robertson, Tyler or Tiffany Hermosa SD.....1... Bld Cow.....1475.....\$67.50
Wolf, Thomas C & Donna L Hulet WY.....1... Herf Cow.....1635.....\$58.00
Wolf, Thomas C & Donna L Hulet WY.....1... Herf Cow.....1495.....\$57.00

Weigh Up Bulls
Anderson, Dwayne K Gillette WY.....1... Red Bull.....1765.....\$83.50
Boardman Ranch CO Weston WY.....1... Red Bull.....1640.....\$85.00
Brown, Kyle or Shannon Sturgis SD.....1... Blk Bull.....2100.....\$92.00
Dikoff, Roger or Elizabeth Hermosa SD.....1... Red Bull.....2230.....\$100.00
Foothills Ranch Inc St Onge SD.....1... Blk Bull.....2040.....\$84.50
Kammerer, Elliot Piedmont SD.....2... Herf Bull.....1992.....\$84.50
Larson, Quinn or Jennifer Gillette WY.....1... Blk Bull.....1945.....\$86.00
Meccage, Kenny Baker MT.....1... Blk Bull.....1745.....\$101.00
Meccage, Kenny Baker MT.....1... Blk Bull.....1685.....\$94.00
Odegard, Loren & Michael Arvada WY.....1... Char Bull.....1770.....\$85.00
Robertson, Tyler or Tiffany Hermosa SD.....2... Blk Bull.....1915.....\$85.50
Rourke, Beau Gillette WY.....1... Blk Bull.....1975.....\$83.00
Tavegia, Harry Osage WY.....1... Herf Bull.....2030.....\$85.00
Tavegia, Harry Osage WY.....1... Herf Bull.....1945.....\$83.50

St Onge Livestock continues to be qualified to handle Certified NHTC & 3rd Party Verified Natural Cattle. If you have any questions on those programs, do not hesitate to give us a call.

Friday - September 6, 2019
Yearling Special
10:00 am - Weigh Ups Noon - Yearlings
BT-Branding Time Shots PC-PreCondition Shots DF-Drug Free BV-Bangs Vaccinated NI-No Implants

Yearlings
Pending - 250 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 850-950#
Bill & Bert Reno - 108 Blk Strs - 900-1000#
Gottfredson Ranch - 70 Blk or Red Hfrs - 700-850# - Open, Home Raised
SD Consignment - 60 Blk Hfrs - 900-925# - Spayed
MT Consignment - 50 Blk Hfrs - 900-950# - Open
Dave Keester - 50 Blk Strs - 700-850#
Tavegie Ranch - 31 Blk Hfrs - 900-950#
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2019 CATTLE SALES
Friday, September 6th - Yearling Special - Selling All Classes Of Cattle
Friday, September 13th - Yearling & Fall Calf Special - Selling All Classes Of Cattle
Friday, September 20th - Yearling & Fall Calf Special - Selling All Classes Of Cattle
Friday, September 27th - Yearling & Fall Calf Special - Selling All Classes Of Cattle
Friday, October 4th - Yearling & Spring Calf Special - Selling All Classes Of Cattle
Friday, October 11th - Yearling & Spring Calf Special - Selling All Classes Of Cattle
Saturday, October 12th - 1st Saturday Weigh Up Special
Wednesday, October 16th - 1st Wednesday Spring Calf Special
Friday, October 18th - All Breeds Spring Calf Special
Saturday, October 19th - Weigh Up Special
Wednesday, October 23rd - Spring Calf Special
Friday, October 25th - All Breeds Spring Calf Special
Saturday, October 26th - Bred Cow & Weigh Up Special
Wednesday, October 30th - Spring Calf Special
Friday, November 1st - All Breeds Spring Calf Special Featuring Red Angus
Saturday, November 2nd - Bred Cow & Weigh Up Special
Wednesday, November 6th - Spring Calf Special
Friday, November 8th - All Breeds Spring Calf Special
Saturday, November 9th - Bred Cow & Weigh Up Special
Friday, November 15th - All Breeds Spring Calf Special
Saturday, November 16th - Weigh Up Special
Friday, November 22nd - All Breeds Spring Calf Special
Saturday, November 23rd - Bred Cow & Weigh Up Special
Saturday, November 30th - Annual Thanksgiving Bred Heifer & Stock Cow Special
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Fall Horse Sale
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2019
9:00 Am - Loose Horses
12:00 Noon - Ride In Horses
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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.

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Sheep Report - September 5, 2019
Feeder Lambs Sold \$3 To \$10 Higher
Slaughter Ewes Sold \$1 To \$3 Higher Also

Next Sale - September 5th - Feeder Lamb Special
Thank You For Your Business!

New Crop Feeder Lambs
Mader, Arnie Biddle MT.....13.....Lamb.....65.....\$172.00
Mader, Arnie Biddle MT.....150.....Lamb.....86.....\$171.00
Roghair, Lonnie Belvidere SD.....41.....Lamb.....91.....\$153.50
Milner, Vicki Crawford NE.....91.....Lamb.....74.....\$166.00
West, Logan Oshoto WY.....70.....Lamb.....108.....\$149.00
Harrison, Richard or Stacy Fruitdale SD.....70.....Lamb.....83.....\$170.00
Kammerer, Jessica & Jake Rapid City SD.....12.....Lamb.....74.....\$169.00
Kammerer, Jessica & Jake Rapid City SD.....64.....Lamb.....96.....\$156.00
Green Acre Ranch Inc Olive MT.....116.....Lamb.....118.....\$147.00
Moullett, Mike Volberg MT.....31.....Lamb.....108.....\$145.00
Yost, Chester Newell SD.....55.....Lamb.....92.....\$158.00
Sabo, Wyatt or Denise Reva SD.....35.....Lamb.....91.....\$156.00
Zimmerschied, Eric Carlile WY.....12.....Lamb.....63.....\$172.00
Zimmerschied, Eric Carlile WY.....69.....Lamb.....83.....\$168.00
Haskvitz, Don Edgemont SD.....14.....Lamb.....101.....\$156.00
Falzerano, Warren Belle Fourche SD.....23.....Lamb.....126.....\$141.00
Bilbrey, Latrisa Alzada MT.....35.....Lamb.....116.....\$139.00
Trussell, Ron & Norita Casper WY.....20.....Lamb.....59.....\$171.00
Trussell, Ron & Norita Casper WY.....56.....Lamb.....77.....\$169.00

Slaughter Ewes
Hanson, Mike Nisland SD.....13.....Ewe.....174.....\$52.00
Hanson, Mike Nisland SD.....6.....Ewe.....147.....\$52.00
Strohschein, Mick Newell SD.....8.....Ewe.....150.....\$52.00
Strohschein, Mick Newell SD.....9.....Ewe.....143.....\$47.00
Trussell, Ron & Norita Casper WY.....26.....Ewe.....139.....\$52.00
Trussell, Ron & Norita Casper WY.....34.....Ewe.....131.....\$47.00

Slaughter Bucks
Wilson, Jim Alzada MT.....14.....Buck.....266.....\$72.00

NEWELL SHEEP YARDS
SEPTEMBER 5, 2019
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Upcoming Sheep Sale 2019
September 5th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
September 12th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
September 19th - Annual Replacement Ewe, Ewe Lamb & Feeder Lamb Special & Customer Appreciation Blq - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
September 26th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
October 3rd - Replacement Ewe & Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
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October 10th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
October 17th - Replacement Ewe & Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
October 24th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
October 31st - Replacement Ewe & Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
November 7th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
November 14th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
November 21st - Replacement Ewe & Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
December 5th - Regular Sale - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
December 12th - Feeder Lamb Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats
December 19th - Replacement Ewe Special - Selling All Classes Of Sheep & Goats

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2019
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2:00 PM PERSONAL PROPERTY
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3:00 PM REAL ESTATE
Legal Description: Section/Township/Range 27-8-2
Lot EX Legal: Trs A, B, NE45W 4EX Lot #12H2 in TR A
Physical Address: 19153 Apple Tree Lane, Belle Fourche, SD, Butte County
Description: 1983 Medallion 16'x85' Mobile Home on 1.69 Acres. 3 bedroom, 2 bathroom, electric water hater, propane heating system, new A/C & furnace in 2012. Detached 2 car garage/shop is 32'x24'. Additional utility shed is 16'x10'. Many trees with South Willow Creek running through property.
Taxes: Based on 2018 Taxes - \$1,101.52 per year.
Closing Agent: Black Hills Title Company, 713 6th Avenue, PO Box 636, Belle Fourche, SD 57717 - 605-892-3949
Terms: Non-returnable earnest money of 20% down

day of sale and balance on closing in approximately 30 days. Possession will take place day of closing. All closing cost will be split 50/50 between buyer and seller. All Real Estate taxes will be prorated to date of closing. 2019 taxes due in 2020 will be paid by seller based on n 2019 taxes. Earnest money will be held in trust by Black Hills Title Company.
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CHUTES FOR CHARITY BINGO NIGHT

SEPTEMBER 12 6PM



The Good Stuff

— by Jim Thompson

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



Monday was Labor Day in America!

Isn't it funny that we celebrate our productivity and work ethic by NOT working. :) Here are a couple of thoughts on our value:

Twenty Dollars

Author Unknown

A well known speaker started off his seminar by holding up a \$20 bill. In the room of 200, he asked, "Who would like this \$20 bill?"

Hands started going up. He said, "I am going to give this \$20 to one of you - but first, let me do this."

He proceeded to crumple the 20 dollar note up. He then asked, "Who still wants it?" Still the hands were up in the air.

"Well," he replied, "what if I do this?" He dropped it on the ground and started to grind it into the floor with his shoe. He picked it up, now crumpled and

dirty. "Now, who still wants it?" Still the hands went into the air.

"My friends, you have all learned a very valuable lesson. No matter what I did to the money, you still wanted it because it did not decrease in value. It was still worth \$20."

Many times in our lives, we are dropped, crumpled, and ground into the dirt by the decisions we make and the circumstances that come our way. We feel as though we are worthless; but no matter what happened or what will happen, you will never lose your value.

Dirty or clean, crumpled or finely creased, you are still priceless to those who love you. The worth of our lives comes, not in what we do or who we know, but by ...WHO WE ARE.

You are special - don't ever forget it."

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The Good Stuff was developed for radio by Jim Thompson nearly 2 decades ago. The Beacon is the only newspaper that it appears in. You can hear The Good Stuff in the Northern Black Hills on KBHB Sturgis, 810AM each weekday morning at 9:30. Or go online to KNKL.org each Monday through Saturday morning at 9:00

And then there's this on raising our expectations:

"I bargained with Life for a penny,
And Life would pay no more,
However I begged at evening
When I counted my scanty store.

For Life is a just employer,
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But once you have set the wages,
Why, you must bear the task.

I worked for a menial's hire,
Only to learn, dismayed,
That any wage I had asked of Life,
Life would have willingly paid."

Have a productive September!



Dakota West Barrel Racing Results

1-D	1. Kari Cable	Enlightening Vision	14.039	\$ 344.88
	2. Chantel Kolb	Bullys Honor	14.076	\$ 287.40
	3. Jill Moody	Jesse	14.227	\$ 229.92
	4. Mary Mitzel	Flasy Bay Lena	14.247	\$ 172.44
	5. Jill Moody	Tanya	14.324	\$ 114.96
2-D	1. Lorita Crofford	Frank	14.557	\$ 287.40
	2. Kathleen Carlson	Salty Dog	14.571	\$ 239.50
	3. Jolin Mills	Beta Miracle	14.576	\$ 191.60
	4. Heather Bauman	Harvey P Wald	14.598	\$ 143.70
	5. Lindsey O'Keeffe	Horse	14.673	\$ 95.80
3-D	1. Kay Kornemann	Hot Roddin Cash	15.053	\$ 229.92
	2. Becky Barry	Sugar	15.055	\$ 191.60
	3. Vicki Fogerty	Ima Dashin Frnchgirl	15.057	\$ 153.28
	4. Brooklyn Beringer	San Lady Gunner	15.060	\$ 114.96
	5. Cassandra Bauske	Guys Dream Girl	15.066	\$ 76.64
4-D	1. Cindy Witt	Boon Lite Cricket	15.589	\$ 172.44
	2. Cayi Spencer	Captain	15.593	\$ 143.70
	3. Becky Barry	Honey	15.683	\$ 114.96
	4. Linzee Adamson	Princess Bate	15.712	\$ 86.22
	5. Hailey Crowe	FX Paint Me Famous	15.718	\$ 57.48
5-D	1. Jordyn Buettner	Stitch	16.047	\$ 114.96
	2. Bobbi J. Troutman	Fivestar Teddy	16.054	\$ 95.80
	3. Bobbi J. Troutman	Hesa Freckles Whisky	16.072	\$ 76.64
	4. Lorie Johnston	Chieffikas Sunfrost	16.207	\$ 57.48
	5. Rylee Crane	General	16.335	\$ 38.32

These are the Sunday competition results from the two-day Dakota West Barrel Racing and Futurity held at Gollither Arena south of Belle Fourche on August 17-18th. Results listed by division include competitor name, horse, time and money. Saturday results were in last week's Beacon.

YOUTH			
1-D	1. Chantel Kolb	Bullys Honor	14.076 \$ 50.00
	2/3 Jo Crain	Baby Girl	14.970 \$ 25.00
	2/3 Monet Drolc	Famous Magnum 44	14.970 \$ 25.00
2-D	1. Rozlyn Herren	Mouse	15.095 \$ 36.00
	2. Monet Drolc	Frenchmans Chica	15.162 \$ 24.00
3-D	1. Rylee Crain	General	16.335 \$ 24.00
	2. Kellie Phillips	Foo	16.340 \$ 16.00
FUTURITY			
	1. Lindsey O'Keeffe	Outstanding Pay	14.430 \$ 198.00
	2. Heather Bauman	Harvey P Wald	14.598 \$ 132.00
SENIORS			
	1. Jill Moody	Jesse	14.227 \$ 90.00
	2. Mary Mitzel	Flasy Bay Leno	14.247 \$ 54.00
	3. Jill Moody	Tanya	14.324 \$ 36.00



SUNDAY OPEN RACERS - These were the contestants in the Sunday open division during competition at the Dakota West Barrel Racing held August 17-18 at Gollither Arena south of Belle Fourche. -Courtesy Photo

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BFHS Junior Wins at State Timed Event Challenge



BREAKING AWAY - BFHS junior Lan Fuhrer was the overall breakaway winner at the 2019 South Dakota Timed Event Challenge held in at the SD State Fair in Huron Aug. 31 - Sept. 1st. Contestants participated in three timed events. Lan took part in breakaway roping, tie-down roping and team roping. Although he didn't have any luck in tie-down or team roping, he put together two beautiful runs against 65 other breakaway contestants. He split 4/5 with a 2.86 in the first round. He placed 2nd in round two with a 2.60. He was the overall winner, bringing home the event saddle. -Courtesy photo



FUTURITY AVG. CHAMPION - Heather Bauman poses with her horse Harvey P Wald the futurity average champion at the Dakota West Barrel Race. -Courtesy photo



COMPETITORS - (Top) Pee Wee racers during Sunday's competition. (Above) The youth barrel racers at the Dakota West event. -Courtesy photo

60 Years and Counting

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NEWELL – Four big days of rodeo, roping and tons of fun and activities for all began with the quilt show at the Newell City Hall, and an opportunity to visit the Newell Museum, followed by the bronc match futurity on Friday afternoon. That was the beginning of the 60th annual Newell Labor Day Celebration.

The Newell Community Club took it up a notch when they added events all through-out the weekend over the past several years, with numerous events for all ages.

Saturday started with the 5k Walk/Run/Roll where around 40 participants traveled to the Newell golf course and back, all for the sake of a banana. No entry fee and no winnings, just the satisfaction of having pushed through to the end.

That was followed at 9 a.m. at the rodeo grounds, for the beginning of the Labor Day Queen contest with the horsemanship event. This was followed by the modeling and interview portion which was held at the Butte Electric hospitality room. The girls participated in the parade on Monday morning and then the Princess, Little Miss, and Labor Day Queen were crowned on Monday at 12:30 at the arena, just prior to the Labor Day Rodeo.

Emma Rogers
Saturday afternoon was the annual Ranch Rodeo, where cowboys and cowgirls did it just

like they do everyday on the ranch. Results will be published in a separate article for all rodeo events. Courtney Fischbach, with her Sweetery treats, was set up to sell special cookies at the rodeo. That night everyone enjoyed the annual Newell Fireman’s barbecue and then everybody got happy at the street dance where the music went on till after midnight with music by the Whiskey Bent Band.

Sunday started with a bit of misty fog and some drizzle but that didn’t stop the car/tractor show enthusiasts from checking out all the sweet rides at Newell’s south park. From historical to current muscle cars, there was a long line of beauties. Voting was done by those attending and the winners were: 1st-Dennis Vik, Newcastle, Wyo., with a 1961 Ford Sunliner, 2nd-Jerry Armstrong, Rapid City with a 1933 Ford Sedan, 3rd-Bruce Peterson, Belle Fourche with a 1933 Chevy Eagle, 4th-Rich and Betty Kauk, Rapid City, 1969 Plymouth GTX. Best truck-Dennis Bruski, RC, 1956 Ford F100, Best tractor-Jens Hansen, Sturgis, 1956 Farmall C.

The Coy Price Memorial Roping, sponsored by the Newell High School Rodeo Club, started at 10 a.m. at the arena. It ran through the afternoon with many teams roping. Those results will be shared in the results article.

There was an opportunity to get down and dirty at the Mud Volleyball event held on the east side of the baseball field and then it was on to the corn hole



Rose Dragoo, daughter of Ashley Dragoo of Belle Fourche and granddaughter of Connie Maxwell of Newell, road her trusty horse all the way down the parade route, waving to the crowd. -Brunner Photo

tournament sponsored by the Newell Leo Club. The winners of the corn hole tourney were Lonnie Williams and Phillip Vollmer.

The Green Mountain Tractor Pullers event started a little late, but it was certainly popular, with vehicles and lawn chairs set up all along the track, which was located at the Newell campground. Those results will be shared at a later time.

A non-alcoholic, free youth street dance wrapped up Sunday, with enthusiasts dancing their heart out in front of city hall. Tyler Swan was the DJ.

Monday is the day when everyone comes to town. It started bright and early with a bake sale/breakfast at the Newell city administrative offices, and then, the streets packed with the annual Labor Day Parade. We’ve heard that this event is the biggest candy-throwing parade in western South Dakota. It was evident that no child, young or old, had to go away without a piece of candy. It’s hard to say what is the neatest thing about the parade, but the kids grabbing the candy have to be the best. However, the local fire departments, Newell Ambulance and many businesses and organizations turned out in numbers to share their information with the

town and the many visitors.

Children’s games in the park and Bingo under the picnic shelter held captive audiences, while those rodeo fans headed to their fourth day of rodeo by attending the annual Labor Day Rodeo event. Labor Day rodeo results will be included in a separate article.

Danelle Mutchler was awarded the annual Volunteer of the Year by the Newell Community Club for her hard work with all facets of the weekend.

NVN Roudup

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NEWELL – Newell was busy all this past week gearing up for the annual Labor Day celebration. This year was a bit different as the Newell Community Club, organizers of the four-day event, celebrated 60 years.

The community club recently kicked off its new website at newellcommunityclub.com, and all the events, dates, locations and times were listed, which was a huge help to those coming to town and locals as well.

Charlie Harrison, who lives on 5th and Dartmouth took advantage of the weekend’s influx of visitors to set up a garage sale. He had a lot of items that would be useful and was also trying to sell a used trailer house on a lot he had recently purchased.

“It would be good for storage or for additional sleeping area,” said Harrison.

In preparation for the arena events the community club, along with help from Butte Electric installed arena floodlights so nighttime events could be enjoyed. There are several poles surrounding the arena now to light up the night.

City offices were the site of the annual bake sale and breakfast feed during the Labor Day celebration. Sabrina Harmon, Pat Lee, Betty Baker-Cozer, and Darlene Stapp, helped sell the items and hand out free t-shirts to all.

The Newell Improvement Committee celebrated the grant award they just received from Wellmark Foundation by entering a float in the annual parade. Those riding shot water at the crowd and also threw out beach balls, swim goggles, and flower leis to help celebrate the parade theme of a Weekend in Paradise.

It was time to get down and dirty during the weekend, with a little mud volleyball. This event is held on Sunday afternoon and is organized by Jean Smeenck.



Miss Rodeo South Dakota, Jordan Tierney, carried the colors to the arena for the big Labor Day rodeo on Monday. -Brunner photo



The winners of the mud volleyball were: Kellsie Boylan, Taurie Collins, Megan Dix, Levi McTaggart, Caleb Weaver, Paul Austin, Hayes Bean and Tyrel Jacquot. -Collins photo

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**Community Calendar**

Sept. 5: HSVB @ Newell 5 p.m.
Sept. 6: HSFB @ Murdo 6 p.m.
Sept. 7: HSVB @ Newell/Lemmon & Tiospaye Topa, 2 p.m.
Sept. 9: MSFB @ Newell/Harding Co. 5 p.m.; MSVB @ Newell/Harding Co. 5 p.m. School board meeting 6 p.m.
Sept. 9: Newell city commission meeting 6 p.m.
Sept. 11: KIDS Jam at Nisland Independent Community Church. Ages Kindergarten-6th grade. 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study @ church 6:15 p.m.; Every Wednesday night: B.A.S.H. Christian Youth Group. 6-8 p.m. Ages 13-18 at Newell Christian Fellowship Church. A meal is provided. Call 605-456-2544 for more information.
Sept. 12: Cross Country Meet @ Belle Fourche 12 p.m.
Sept. 13: HSFB @ Newell/Timber Lake 7 p.m.
Sept. 14: 7th VB @ Newell Tourney. 9 a.m. MSFB @ Edgemont, 9 a.m.
Sept. 16: P/T Conferences, 4 p.m./ School Book Fair 4 p.m.
Sept. 17: HSVB @ Bison, 5 p.m.
Sept. 18: P/T Conferences, 4 p.m./School Book Fair 4 p.m.; KIDS Jam @ NICC at 6:30 p.m. Ages K-6th/Adult Bible Study @ 6:15; Every Wednesday night: B.A.S.H. Christian Youth Group. 6-8 p.m. Ages 13-18 at Newell Christian Fellowship Church. A meal is provided. Call 605-456-2544 for more information.
Sept. 19: MSVB @ New Underwood, 4 p.m.; Cross Country @ Custer 2 p.m.
Sept. 20: HSFB @ Dupree, 6 p.m. Cross Country @ Newell Invite, 2:30 p.m.

Irrigators Take Opener Loss

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NEWELL – With just 11 men on a 9-man football team, it makes it pretty tough to maintain a strong offense and defense, especially when the Faith Longhorns could replace their entire line all at one time. It just wasn’t meant to be as the game ended just after the half with the mercy rule enforced, as Faith went up 50-0.

Newell took the first possession with Huttson Weeldryer and Braiden Shaykett back to receive. Faith’s Harland Groves intercepted a pass on the second down and ran it in for a touchdown. That put the score at 6-0, Longhorns.

On Faith’s next possession they scored on a run in after moving the ball well up the field. That bumped the score to 14-0 with a good conversion play. Newell took the run back to the 40-yard line but then went backwards on each down until they turned the ball over.

Faith had a good runback but Newell’s Tucker Gaer sacked their quarterback for a loss, putting them at 2 and 16. This time Treyton Bushong took it in for the TC and bumped the score to 22-0 with a good conversion.

Once more Newell could not get the ball down the field, being pushed back on each down, till Braidon Shaykett took at all the way to the Faith 39-yard-line. A delay of game penalty set

Newell back to 3 and 10, then a loss on the next play to turn over on downs. Faith took over just before the quarter ended.

In the second quarter the Longhorns did not score on their next possession. The Irrigators had pass intercepted by Tyson Selby, who ran in for the TD. The point after no good, but the score stood at 28-0, Longhorns.

Quarterback John Jackson kept the ball on a QBK for a few yards, to bring Newell to a first down, but another penalty set them back and they again turned over on downs.

Again, Selby took the ball into endzone for Faith to make score 36-0, after a good 2-pt conversion.

On Newell’s next possession Groves snagged a pass out of the air to run in for TD. A penalty for delay of game on Faith set them back to the 8 yard line for their point after attempt, which was good bumping their lead to 44-0.

The same scenario of starting well, but falling further back in yardage on each down, combined with a reversal that didn’t work, saw Newell drop to 4 and 27 and a turnover. Faith worked the ball down the field, but was not able to score before the half time buzzer.

Within 15 seconds after the half, faith took their possession into the endzone on a run by Joel Gifford to end the game at 0-50, with the mercy rule coming into play.

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Newell Library Enjoys Aliens

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NEWELL – Friday, August 23, saw a whole horde of purple aliens invade the Newell public library, as the Build an Alien Critter event got underway at 10:30. Patrons had to run an obstacle course of road construction to get there, but 10 kids enjoyed the opportunity to stuff their own purple animal, make a wish on a star they placed inside and then create a birth certificate for the stuffed creature.

“I got word that they will start asphaltting Girard Ave, in front of the library, so I asked those coming for the Build-a-Critter workshop to park elsewhere and walk down the to the front door,” said Librarian Lisa Wonderly. “I look forward to seeing you all.”

This is the second year in a row that Wonderly has held the stuff-a-bear event at the library. Last year the kids stuffed Artic creatures. The promotion this year, worked well with the summer reading theme, “A Universe of Stories.” During the event New-

ell School Reading Intervention Teacher Laurie Parker, read the book “There is No Place Like Space,” by Dr. Seuss. The book talks about the planets and the kids learned that Pluto is no longer considered a planet, but a dwarf planet by scientists.

Noah’s Ark Animal Workshop is a mobile teddy bear workshop, where kids bring their “beary” own stuffed animal to life. During the stuffed animal workshop, kids’ hand-stuff their own plush pal, then make a wish on a rainbow star before tucking it safely inside their new friend. The workshop concludes with naming their animal, creating the birth certificate and taking it home in a special bag provided.

EllaFay Wonderly said she named her alien “Alex.” “He will have lots of friends (at home) ‘cause I have a lot of stuffed animals,” said Wonderly.

Iantha Ahart said she would have to put a ribbon on hers, because all of the creatures were identical and she had two siblings who stuffed a creature at the workshop as well.



Laurie Parker reads the book, “There is No Place Like Space,” by Dr. Seuss, to those who attended the Build an Alien Creature workshop Friday at the Newell Library. The event wrapped up the summer reading program, “A Universe of Stories.” -*Brunner photo*

Girls Golf Presented Banner

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NEWELL – At the first home football game, on Friday, August 23, another sport was recognized, the Newell girls’ varsity golf team.

The 2019 girls’ golf season was successful from the first tournament all the way through the state tournament. The season saw multiple individual placers at the tournaments they competed in, and team success as well. As a team they started off the year placing third at the class B Classic, which featured some of the top, class B teams from around the state. They then placed first as a team at the Philip Invite, the Newell Invite, the Lemmon/LMC Invite, the Marjean Huber Memorial Invite, and the Black Hills Classic pre-region invite.

At the region tournament they were region champs, which qualified the team for the state tournament that was held in Yankton. At the state tourna-



The 2019 girls’ golf team was presented a banner for the gym at Friday night’s football game at Newell. They took 6th place at the state tournament last spring. From left: Head coach Mike Phelps, Kassidy Weeldreyer, Abbie Nelson, Kelsi Clements, Katie McTaggart, and assistant coach Scott Wince. -*Brunner photo*

ment they finished off a great season by taking sixth place as a team, and achieving their goal of bringing home a state plaque and being able to hang a banner in the gym.

The nice thing about this team is they all will return this next year with even bigger goals in mind. Only four were able to compete at regions and state, but

all six girls on the team made this possible by pushing each other each day. The sixth-place team included: Abbie Nelson, who placed 17th, Kassidy Weeldreyer who placed 41st, Katie McTaggart who placed 52nd and Kelsi Clements who placed 68th.

The girls were coached by Mike Phelps and he was assisted by Scott Wince.

Then and Now *in Newell*

Sept. 9, 1909
S.G. Sheffield returned to his home Monday from 10 days with the round-up. His herd is on the road to Belle Fourche from where he expects to ship Thursday. Mr. Sheffield left for Belle Fourche this morning.

W.S. McLain of the US Land Office at Belle Fourche recently made the statement that his office would confirm to the letter of the law and would hold no special favors for anybody. Some of the worst trouble comes from the unmarried locators, who believe that because they are unmarried they are sort of an exemption to the law. Everyone filing on a claim must stay the required time and they not excused by sickness or anything else. If time is lost it must be made up.

Sept. 4, 1919
All the unsold Town Lots of the Townsite of Newell were withdrawn from sale about 2 weeks ago pending the government auction of these Lots on October 1. At this time the Lots will be auctioned off to the highest bidder for cash at the headquarters of the Reclamation Service in Newell.

A.E. Richards’s new player piano was put on working order the first pf the week and certainly is a fine instrument. It is one of the latest models with automatic roll changer, which plays 36 different selections without change. It is electrically

operated.

Sept. 5, 1929
The 2 race horses which strayed from the Faith Fair Grounds just before the fair opened were found near the Finger Ranch, miles east of Newell Saturday. These step-pers belonged to B.C. Douglas of Spearfish and were taken to Faith with other racers from his barns to take part in the racing program. But by some unexplainable reason they were released from the stables and their whereabouts could not be learned until the Fair closed. They were fast animals and it is supposed that the trick might have been turned to eliminate them from the races. Their sudden appearance after the Fair would further evidence that this might have been the case. Mr. Douglas went to Faith on Monday and took the horses back to Spearfish.

South Hilan had much live-stock at the County Fair. The Girls Club, The Jolly Cannery, was there and Miss Florence Rank in her elegant sugar sack gown was escorted in the parade Thursday by little Calvin Day who also wore a suit made of Black Hills Sugar sacks.

Sept. 7, 1939
Alleged melon thieves met with trouble in the Vale community this week on Monday evening, when a group of Sturgis youths were rounded up in the E.M. Holtry melon patch and

taken to Vale before Justice Of the Peace Earl Jalmer. After a good scolding, the lads were returned to their homes in Sturgis.

Major R.M. Graham of the US Army Remount Service will be in the Newell vicinity the last week of September to purchase sound horses for the Remount Service according to information received here this week.

This is a good time of the year to rid the henhouse of mites by whitewashing the interior. Whitewashing may be easily and inexpensively made at home. To make whitewash, slack 7½ lbs of quick lime by mixing it with approximately 3½ pints of water and 15 oz. of Creosol. Stir the mixture thoroughly and strain through a wire sieve. Add enough water to make 5 gallons of whitewash. This mixture can be sprayed and should be used while it is fresh.

Sept. 1, 1949
A big brook trout estimated at around 5 pounds, which had been defying anglers in a pool along Rapid Creek near Pactola for some time, met his equal Saturday. He was caught by N.M. Bratton, local merchant, who had tried to lure him out of the haunts several times. It was caught near their cabin, using a frog. Expert fisherman reports fishing has not been exactly good this year, but what you do catch takes a lot of patience.

Did you hear about our local

“Looking Forward to our Past” by Linda Velder from the Newell Museum

Scotchman Jock? The biggest thing in the world to Jock is his bag pipes and one day he was marching around the house screeching on his big bag of noise. His wife had all she could take and protested why he can’t make a little less noise. So in cooperating, Jock sat down and pulled off his boots. Then Mrs. went to the Drug Store and is now sporting ear plugs.

Sept. 3, 1959
The water level on Orman Dam is expected to reach dead storage or “zero out” the end of the irrigation season this week, Belle Fourche Irrigation District Manager Vic Norlin reports. The flow in the North Canal, was increased Monday when District employees dug down grades to increase flow to the main body of water, the flow in the South Canal is then expected to “zero” in about 3 days. It makes one of the earliest dates in history that the water supply has come to an end; it is not the only one. The dam “zeroed” in Oct. 1928; Oct. 1930; Sept. 1939; Aug 1931 and practically zeroed 1956.

A number of complaints have been received this fall of dead sheep being found in this territory with adequate evidence that some were killed and others molested by dogs. Since such acts occur primarily at night, farmers are requesting that dog owners keep all dogs penned or locked up at night. The price of

sheep might be cheap but for many farmers they represent a primary source of income, therefore any dog caught trespassing on farm property at night whether molesting sheep or not, is subject to being shot immediately.

Sept. 5, 1979
Newell High School boys and girls Cross Country began its season August 28 with 8 members signed up; participants include: Calvin Fickbohm; George Harr; Greg Martin, Rob Ruff; Jim Sheeler; Cindy Simmons and Nancy Simmons. The first meet was held Friday afternoon at Douglas.

Mr. & Mrs. Geigle, Sturgis were getting sweet corn from the Gary Phillipson’s corn patch south of Vale along with their Chihuahua pup Penny. The little dog was lost from his owners and they looked and looked for her with no success, so heart sick they returned home. The Heitz children found the frightened and weary dog, ¾ mile from the Phillipson’s corn field. Mrs. Heitz called the Valley Irrigator to place an ad in the Lost & Found and in the meantime the Geigles called the KBHB Radio Station to announce their lost dog. Mrs. Heitz happened to have the radio on and through the miracle of radio and telephone, Penny and her masters was reunited.



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SD State Horseshoe Pitchings

Several members of the Belle Fourche Horseshoe Club attended the State Tournament in Pierre, August 24-25. Jack Orwick and Galen Minske (Huron) place 2nd in Class C doubles and Aaron Sestak and Theba Thomas placed 3rd in Class B doubles.

On Sunday at the state singles competition Theba Thomas placed 2nd in Womens Class B; Aaron Sestak, 1st in Men's Class B; and Dan Cahill, 1st in Men's Class C.

Other pitchers competing were Jack Orwick, Sheldon Struble, and Don Harmon. Gene Ewing was the tournament statistician.

Saturday evening Shirley Blake was inducted into the

SD Horseshoe Pitchers Hall of Fame at the annual meeting.

Congratulations, Shirley Blake! Shirley Blake was born in Belle Fourche in November of 1933. She was raised on a ranch 50 miles north of Belle. She graduated from Belle Fourche HS in 1951 and then went to work at the local hospital as a CNA.

She married Don Blake in 1955. Three boys were born to this union. They moved to her parents ranch in Harding County. Don passed away in 1969 and she and the boys remained on the ranch until the boys started high school and Shirley returned to work at the hospital until it closed. She then worked

in home health care for several years before retirement.

She has two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. In 1999 a friend got her started pitching horseshoes which she enjoyed ery much and got to meet a lot of great people.

She joined the Belle Fourche league and played in many tournaments, winning several.

Shirley was elected to the position of League Secretary/Treasurer in 2000, a position she held for 18 years. Shirley won the SD Ladies state champion in 2004. Shirley entered, winning 1st in Pocatello, Idaho; 2nd in Bakersfield, California; and 6th in Gillette, Wyoming. Shirley has pitched several 50% games.

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Pitching into the Hall of Fame Shirley Blake was a 2019 inductee into the SD Horseshoe Pitchers Hall of Fame.

Chutes for Charity Bingo Begins



Out of work comedian, **Oz Hespe, Stereos N' Stuff**, did the honors of calling numbers for Chutes for Charity bingo night at the Branding Iron. *Courtesy Photo*



Chutes for Charity Bingo Volunteers: Bev Watson, Vicki Thiel, Barb Williamson, Dalerie Neff, and Denise Adams are all smiles at opening night of Chutes for Charity bingo- *Courtesy Photo*

First Saturday Brunch Goes on Historic Cattle Drive

The Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center's September 7th First Saturday Brunch will feature Richard Kaan presenting on historic cattle trails.

Kaan will speak about the political, environmental, and economic impacts and issues of the American westward expansion that affected the movement of millions of cattle from Texas to Eastern markets and Northern prairies. His appearance is sponsored by the SD Human-

ities Council.

The brunch at 10 a.m. is \$5 or free with museum membership. The presentation at 10:30 a.m. is free to all. For more information about this and other programs held at the Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center, please call 605-723-1200 or visit the website at www.thetri-statemuseum.com.

The Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center is located at 415 Fifth Avenue in Belle Fourche.

Looking Back in Belle

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

123 years ago
Belle Fourche Times
Sept 7, 1896

The riding of horses through our streets on a dead run is practiced by some of our boys and if continued is very liable to result in some small child being run over. There is always small children passing on our streets and the authorities should see to it that fast riding is stopped.

Talk Of The Town

A forest fire has been raging in the vicinity of Crow Peak for the past week and with high winds which have prevailed has done considerable damage to the timber. Although there were several ranches and saw mills in the vicinity of the fire they escaped the flames.

100 years ago
The Belle Fourche Bee
Sept 4, 1919

Labor Day was observed in Belle Fourche by a goodly number of our people going to surrounding town to attend the celebrations. Some went to Buffalo, some to Whitewood, some to Fruitdale, but a large part went to Newell to see the flying machine, and those were well repaid for their trouble, as the flights were good, and to many, a real treat as they had never seen anything of the sort before. In addition to making exhibition flights, passengers were carried, but this part of the program was abandoned, when attempting to make a flight in the evening the machine struck a bank of an irrigation ditch, breaking the wings of the machine so much that further flying was impossible. Clyde Giddings of Arpan was the passenger on this trip,

and beyond a slight shock to his nervous system was none the worse for the experience. In the evening Belle Fourche was well represented at the dances at Newell, Fruitdale and Whitewood. The ball game at Newell between Vale and Deadwood resulted in a victory for Vale, the score being 4 to 3.

75 years ago
The Belle Fourche Bee
Sept 7, 1944
Cheyenne Indians Make Pilgrimage To Bear Butte

A pilgrimage to Bear Butte, near Sturgis is being made this week by ten Cheyenne Indians from the Tongue River Agency, Lame Deer, Mont., for the purpose of offering prayer for victory and safe return of their sons from the war. An interpreter will travel with the Indians.

Bear Butte is a legendary shrine of the Cheyenne Indians and they wish to renew covenants, and feel that they will be given spiritual stimulus by a visit there. The last pilgrimage was made in 1939. At the time a movement to make the Butte a national monument was underway, but due to war conditions this was dropped for the time.

Names of the Indians making the pilgrimage are: John Stands In Timber, interpreter: Albert Tallbull, George Brady, Albert Magpie, Wilham Littlewolf, David Deafy, Martin Twobully, Nelson Medicinebird, Charles Whistling Elk and Daniel Oldbull.

50 years ago
The Belle Fourche Bee
Sept 5, 1969
High School Students Name Class Officers



by Hunter Anderson

Belle Fourche High School students selected their class officers Thursday morning.

Kim Kling was named President of the Senior Class with Charley Johnson as Vice President and Donna Stover as Secretary-Treasurer. Ann Logan and Jack Kindsfater were named Student Council Representatives.

Yvette Jones was named to head the Junior Class. Jerome Johner was voted Vice President; Mike McGinnis, Secretary-Treasurer; Shirley Bolte and Randy Drolc, Student Council Representatives.

Named as Sophomore Class-President was Cindy Ramser; Nancy Thomas, Vice President; Alvin Cordell, Secretary-Treasurer; Roxann Hitzel and Greg Comes Student Council Representatives.

Heading the Freshman Class will be Debbi Hejde, with Rex Vigoren as Vice President; Marilyn Zdenek as Secretary-Treasurer; Dan Cheever and Cheryl Shea, Student Council Representatives.

Sophomore and Freshmen cheerleaders were also elected Thursday.

Selected as Sophomore cheerleaders were: Nancy Thomas, Martha Day, Janie Carnahan, and Cindy Sloan.

Fresman cheerleaders elected include: Cheryl Shea, Barbara Wells, Debbi Hejde, Eylene Olsen, and Debbie Massie.

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Capitol News

KAREN ODELL

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Charlie and Karen Odell made an excursion to Minneapolis last week. They got to spend a few days with Mollie, JD and Kyia Smith in North Oaks, and they brought home a little collie puppy, that Mollie had gotten for them. He already made Kyia and their dog, Sam, love him before the three headed back to Montana on Monday. The new pup got to go to the really great concert at the Gospel Tabernacle Church in Buffalo on Saturday night. Karen had always wanted to see the Potter Family show, but had never had the chance before. She remembers hearing Clover Potter on the radio many years ago. Their voices are outstanding and their talent astounding. The pup is little, but Karen soon hopes to begin his Search and Rescue training. On Thursday, Charlie had gone to the Hills for parts. He visited Jenna, Gene's dog, a few times. On Sunday,



they did Bible reading and watched church on TV. Then they went to the Over The Edge for the great Sunday special, and visited with Neimi's, Cordell's, Pete Anderson and Dixie Garr.

'Pete' Gordon Anderson had guests for supper on Saturday night. Bruce and Lynn Gustafson came over, and his mother, Dixie Garr joined them, too. Dixie had just returned from a trip to Alaska. On Sunday,

Pete and Dixie went to church in Camp Crook, and then to the Over The Edge for lunch. They are still busy with haying.

Lynn Gustafson and Linda made a trip to Moorcroft and then shopping one day this week. Then she and Bruce enjoyed supper at Gordon Anderson's on Saturday and went to church at Little Missouri on Sunday.

Doug and Julia Davis went to Belle Fourche on Friday, to visit with his mother, Alfreda Davis. Alfreda was recovering from

knee surgery and her sister, Arlene, was staying with her for a while. Alfreda is doing well. Doug and Julia were also glad to visit with a cousin Jennifer and Greg from Denver. Doug and Julia had spent much time at Jennifer and Greg's during the time while Julia had her surgeries in Denver. Travis and Amanda came on Friday to stay with Jake and Callie. There was a class reunion in Buffalo for Travis's class. Donna Lewis spent a weekend in Baker at the Baker fair. She saw great-grandkids showing horses, chickens and heifers. Then two great-granddaughters were in the Demolition Derby. Jacey and Ryann were young enough to require an adult passenger. Since Darick was already riding with Ryann, they talked Mitch Overn into riding with Jacey. I'm sure his fingerprints are still in the dashboard, but one of the girls placed second in the competition, and it was sure fun to watch. Last week, Jim Hamaker and Buff Brown came up from Worland for a visit. They took out an engine, and did other chores for Donna while they

were there. This Friday, Buff and Wanda Hamaker came back to help Pam and Gary Gorder move cows, and work a couple of days. Donna was glad for the visitors and the help.

Bertha Molenda has been visiting with her parents, Junior and Shirley Melum, this week.

Clint Zolnoski has been finishing up the haying in between rains. On Monday, Diane Wear came to help Ronda Cordell move some horses. They continued looking for and chopping seeded burdock. Justin Kerr, Gene Secrest, Diane Wear, Clint Zolnoski, Denin Cheguis and Ronda worked with Doc Scoggins from Belle Fourche to ultrasound heifers on Tuesday. That afternoon, Ronda and Diane made a pass through the Long Pines checking cattle and picking choke cherries. There isn't much wild fruit this year. Possibly it was due to the late frost and snow. They did discover that the trees that had chokecherries on them were new trees; only a few feet tall. The taller trees had none. They decided that blossoms may not have frozen due to some heat

from the ground. The berries on them were the biggest they'd ever seen. That evening, Ronda joined Denise Zolnoski and girls for supper. Darby wanted Ronda to sit by her and to see Abby walking. Abby is not quite ten months old. On Wednesday, Ronda and went to Clint and Denise's around noon to meet the gentleman who brought a bale hiker. Darby came to ask if Ronda would have a 'samwich' with her, which she did. Bob Anderson, of Belle Fourche Livestock, stopped in the afternoon. Chad, Debby and Roudy Zolnoski stopped by on Saturday to drop their dog, Razzle, off for an overnight stay, while they were went to Buffalo Labor Day activities. Jon Hamilton and Cristen Westling came from Rapid City in the evening. They all drove into the Long Pines to see if they could see the Northern Lights. They didn't see them, but the Milky Way and every star were visible. The Zolnoskis came for Razzle on Sunday, and Jon and Cristen spent time cleaning chicken houses.

Grand River Roundup

BETTY OLSON

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We've had several days of heavy fog, so if that 90 days thing holds true we should get a lot of moisture in November.

Our granddaughter, Kanon Olson, and her family were in Ames, Iowa last Friday as Kanon received her white coat as she starts at Iowa State College of Veterinary Medicine. Kanon has been working for Dr. Warren Whalen at the vet clinic in Spearfish and he also came to her White Coat ceremony. Dr. Whalen's mother was a Maliski and he went to high school in Bowman with Randy Feist. Jennifer and Brad Burkhalter are the parents of a baby girl born in Rapid City on Monday, August 26. Mary Elizabeth weighed 7 lbs. 9 oz. and joins twelve other siblings. Her older sister Valerie posted on Facebook that they had gotten tired of the "Cheaper By The Dozen" jokes and added the 13th!

Clint and Kelli Doll also had a baby girl on Wednesday, August 28 in Spearfish. Hannah Jane weighed 8 lbs. 11 oz. and is 19 inches long.

Congratulations to the Burkhalter and Doll families! Reub and I went to Bowman

on Tuesday to get an oil line for his swather. West Plains ordered another oil line for us. We got home early so Reub was able to get back to baling at Glendo that afternoon. Everyone around here is having trouble with foot rot in their cows. Casey helped Bill Holt rope and load one of his cows that had it so he could haul her to the sale barn. After Casey helped Bill, he went up to the Hackamore to get one of our bulls out of Doll's pasture. It was trying to get back to our Horse Creek pasture west of the Hackamore. Casey spent three days hauling bales down from our Russian field to the hay corral here at the place. He had to quit a little early Wednesday evening to go to Buffalo to help get things ready for the rodeos over Labor Day weekend.

We're getting a lot of cucumbers and the tomatoes are coming on thick, but not ripening very fast. If you need some cucumbers or tomatoes, let me know.

Matt DeBow's niece was killed in a car wreck on Wednesday.

Racer and television personality Jessi Combs died at 39 while trying to break her own land-speed record in a jet-powered car in Oregon's Alvord Desert, attempting to break her own record of 398 miles per hour she set in 2013 that earned her the moniker of "fastest woman on four wheels." Jessi was the daughter of Matt's younger sister, Nina Darrington. Her family has our sympathy.

John Kanta called me this Thursday to discuss the coyote problems I had called GF&P Sec. Kelly Hepler about after we heard that folks around Faith were having trouble with the nasty predators. Kanta said they just got a new trapper down there a couple weeks ago, so hopefully things will get better soon. The new trapper's name is Mike DeNeui and his phone number is 605-390-2364. Kanta also said that they will probably be sending the state predator plane to help out.

RonE and Jace Jensen, and Casey helped Bill Holt preg test his cows on Friday while Reub and I went to Hettinger for his appointment with Mary Eggebo. I took the pickup to RZ Motors and had a really good visit with Dr. Tom Jacobsen. Jake's great aunt, Mary C.



Collins, was a Congregational missionary from Iowa who lived and worked among the Sioux at Running Antelope's, later called Little Eagle on the Grand River starting in 1884. She became known as "Winona", which means princess, and when the Sioux came to the mission she would give them ledger paper, pencils, and paint to express their culture. She kept many of the ledger drawings that were later passed down to her sister and Dr. Jacobsen's grandmother, Ethel Jacobsen, who taught school at Little Eagle, and then on to him. When I Googled Mary C. Collins I found a fascinating article from 2016 in the Bismarck Tribune that was written about Dr. Jacobsen and ledger art.

Sage and his family came down Saturday morning to get the welder to build metal handrails for their new house.

Casey and Missy went to Buffalo that afternoon to help with the Hackamore Ranch bull dogging and we went to town that evening to listen to Clover Potter and her daughters sing at the Gospel Tabernacle church. We went in to Buffalo to hear David Douglas preach at Cowboy Church Sunday morning and then made it back to Reva in time for the service at Slim Buttes Lutheran.

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SD 4-H State Rodeo Finals-Ft. Pierre

Holly Main

Special to the Beacon

Butte County Cowboys and Cowgirls gathered with youth from across the state for the 48th SD 4-H State Rodeo Finals Aug 16th-18th in Ft. Pierre. There were a total of 1173 youth ages 8-18 enrolled for the 2019 Rodeo season and 555 of those contestants qualified for the State Finals. Contestants compete at 35 regional rodeos, where the top 4 competitors in each event earn a coveted spot at the Finals Rodeo.

The annual event is one of the largest youth rodeos in the country. SD is one of only 2 states left in the country to have Rodeo as a 4-H project area. It originated in 1971 and many great cowboys and cowgirls who compete at the collegiate, national, and professional rodeo level were also South Dakota 4H Rodeo Champions and competitors. Belle Fourche has been the birthplace of many of them. The community is proud of our kids, but also of the parents and sponsors for keeping this great sport alive and well!

Butte Co. had 23 kids represent us at the 2019 SD 4-H Rodeo Finals - Sr.'s (age 14-18 as of Jan. 1, 2019) were Lan Fuhrer entered in Tie-down Roping taking 7th in the Avg. and Team Roped with his east-river partner Payton Pirrung. Jadon Jensen competed in Team-Roping with his partner Jess Harper. Shyanne Howell made it to the finals in Pole Bending where she ended up 6th in the Avg. and Team-Roping with Tee McAmis. Charlie Henwood was entered in the Girls Goat Tying and Girls Breakaway Roping. Chloe Crago was working hard for the All-Around as she made it to the finals in Barrel Racing, Poles, Breakaway Roping, Sr. Girls Ribbon Roping, which she ended up 4th in the Avg., and Team-Roping with her partner Sidney Peterson of Sturgis. Kylee Crago entered the finals in Barrel Racing and Pole Bending. Kayden Steel also competed in Barrel Racing and Goat Tying. The Sr. rough stock riders were D'Angela Garduna and Kane Grant both in Bull Riding. Kane had 2 successful rides, first place in the 1st round and won the Dallas Heninger Memorial High Point Ride buckle to finish 3rd in the Average.

Jr.'s (11-13 yrs. old) were: Rance Bowden in Breakaway Roping and Boys Goat Tying; Koby Bowden in Breakaway Roping, Boys Goat Tying and Flag Race. Lainey Crago made it to the finals in Breakaway Roping, Goat Tying and Pole Bending. Anika Main qualified in Breakaway Roping and Goat Tying, and Lydia Main also in Goat Tying. Jory Olson, even though by age is still a Jr. Jr. (8-10yrs. old), entered up an age division and qualified for State in both Breakaway and the Flag Race. Another great Pole Bender and Goat Tyer, Mataya Ward, took 5th in the 1st round and 10th in the 2nd round for 5th place in the Average. Shaine Weishaar entered Girls Goat Tying, Pole Bending and Breakaway Roping where she finished as Reserve State Champion in Jr. Girl's Breakaway. Sern Weishaar also had a great finals competing in the Flag Race, Boys Goat Tying and also ended Reserve State Champion in Jr. Boys Breakaway Roping. Younger brother Slone Weishaar, another younger member that chose to bump up with the older kids, took 4th place in the Average for the Jr. Boys Breakaway Roping. Jaelyn Wendt had an outstanding finals. Jaelyn competed in Barrel Racing where she was 9th in the Avg., Pole Bending 3rd in the Average, split 9th/10th in the Avg. for Girl's Goat Tying and had a little hard luck in the Breakaway Roping on the 1st round, but beat the arena Fast Time on the second round with 2.42, to earn enough points to be the 2019 Reserve Jr. Girl's All-Around State Champion. A big congratulations to all the competitors, parents and sponsors for their dedication to the sport of rodeo. The life lessons learned in rodeo help to develop character and good citizens of this great country.

A complete list of the scores in each round for all kids across the state at: sd4hrodeo.org.



Kylee Crago -Courtesy Photo



Jaden Jensen -Courtesy Photo



Jory Olson -Courtesy Photo



Anika Main Goat Tying - Courtesy Photo



Mataya Ward pole bending - Courtesy Photo



Chloe Crago



Jaelyn Wendt



LAN Fuhrer - Tie-down and team roping. - Courtesy Photo

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Kane Grant with his mother



Anika Main- Breakaway Roping



Lydia Main Goat Tying



Kayden Steele -Photo Courtesy Starography, Watertown



Rance & Koby Bowden



Shaine, Slone & Sern Weishaar (L to R)



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Geraldine Mirich Trust, Upton, WY.....	5... Blk/Bwf-Cow.....	1358.....	73.00
Merle J Clark, Hulett, WY.....	1... Black-Cow Drug Free.....	1245.....	73.00
Tucker or Sean Carroll, Rancho, WY.....	6... Black-Cow.....	1242.....	72.00
Tucker or Sean Carroll, Rancho, WY.....	22 Blk/Bwf-Cow.....	1436.....	70.00
Tim & Gayline Fortner, Broadus, MT.....	5... Black-Cow.....	1501.....	71.75
Patrick Emmons, Olive, MT.....	3... Black-Cow.....	1352.....	71.00
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Enos & Company, Baker, MT.....	20 Blk/Bwf-Cow.....	1401.....	65.00
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William Sparks, Plevna, MT.....	2... Herf-Cow.....	1355.....	63.00
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Hayden Livestock, Gillette, WY.....	1... Black-Bull.....	2020.....	82.00
Charles or Barb Verhulst, Reva, SD.....	1... Black-Bull.....	1900.....	82.00
Sunnyside Livestock Co LL, Gillette, WY.....	2... Black-Bull.....	2008.....	81.00
Zane & Les & Shirley Marly, Newcastle, WY.....	1... Black-Bull.....	2410.....	80.50
Lawrence or Mary Barbula, Sheridan, WY.....	1... Red-Bull.....	1905.....	80.50
Barry & Shirley Bauer, Clearmont, WY.....	1... Black-Bull.....	1905.....	80.00

BROADUS, MT RECEIVING STATIONCounty Stock Yards every
Wednesday from 1 pm - 3 pm
(for special arrangements, give Rod a call)For more information contact
Rod Schaffer - 406-436-2235 (home) 406-672-5546 (cell)**High Plains Commodities Offices**
Belle Fourche Livestock Market, LLC.
Stop in or Call 1-800-888-1432
Kim Kling - Kem Kjerstad**BELLE FOURCHE LIVESTOCK MARKET, LLC****Feeder Cattle Special- BBQ Special****Thursday September 5th, 2019****Sale Time 8:00 AM****Painter Ranch - SD**

800 blk hfrs 900-1000# u/s tested open

EB Ranch - MT

400 blk str 850-950 # HR, A/S, drug free

170 blk spayed hfrs, 800-850# HR, A/S, drug free

TC Outfit - SD390 blk str, 1/2 Bros Green Mtn Angus, 900-1000
#, HR, NI**K & K Cattle Co. - SD**

310 blk spayed hfrs, 750-825# HR

Billy & Diane Dietz - MT300 blk, bwf str 900-1025# real gentle, bunk
broke**Grubbing Hoe Ranch - SD**

175 blk bwf str 1000-1050# HR

110 blk str 1050#

Graham Livestock -WY

180 blk str 900-1000# HR, NI

105 blk hfrs 850-900# BV, guaranteed open

Harmon Creek Cattle Co. - MT

200 blk bwf str 850-1000# HR NI

75 blk bwf hfrs, tested open, 850-950#

George & Jean Etchemendy - WY

250 blk & red 950-1000#

150 blk & red spay hfrs 875-925# HR

Cross W Livestock - MT

160 blk mostly hfrs, 800-900# hfrs are open

Jay Hanift - WY

160 blk/bwf, spayed hfrs, 900#

Christen Ranch - WY

140 blk hfrs 900-950# test open. HR NI

Dan & Dee Zimmerschied - WY114 blk, some reds, rew reds 700-800#
(74 str 40 hfrs)**McDonald Ranch - WY**

65 blk spay hfrs, 900#

58 blk str 975#

Balo Ranch - SD

110 blk, bwf, few red str, 800-950# HR, NI

Schelldorf Ranch - WY

100 heref str 850-925# HR, NI, cake broke

Ben Garmen - WY

90 blk fall clvs, 750-850# weaned a long time

Glen Barlow Livestock - WY

77 red angus open hfrs, 850# NI, all natural

Leroy Schallenberger - MT

75 blk bwf hfrs, 800-850# tested open, HR NI

Dan Marshall - WY

75 blk str 900# HR drug free

Price Ranch - SD

75 blk hfrs 1000# HR, NI, tested open

Dave Frohmann - SD

75 mix color, mix yrlgs, 550-750# PC, NI,

poured

Justin Miller - WY

49 hfrs 800#

25 str 850#

Star X Ranch - MT

70 blk hfrs, guaranteed open 1025-1075 #

Kurt Kinghorn - WY

50 str 800#

20 hfrs 800#

Larry & Sandra Nelson - SD

50 red, few blk hfrs, 800-900# HR, NI, ultrasound

Trevor Hatch - SD

50 blk & red mostly str, 700-800#

Steve Tucker - SD50 blk/red/bwf hfrs, 1 str, 850-900#, PC, NI, drug
free, hfrs guaranteed open**Suzanne Hammers/Richter Ranch - SD**

43 blk str 900-950#

Keith Kempenich - ND

20 blk str, 800#, 7 way

20 blk hfrs, 700-800# 7 way

Casteel Ranch - SD

30 dairy cross 900#

Bob Ahrens - SD

30 blk str 700-800#

Jess Blankenship - MT

25 blk & heref str 900-950# HR

Travis Hurst - SD

25 blk hfrs, tested open, 800# HR, NI

Minnesela Cattle Co - SD

25 blk hfrs, 800#, tested open, NI, drug free

Scott Shoun - SD

25 blk hfrs, 850-900#, ultrasound tested open

Kenny & Dana Ingalls - WY

17 blk open hfrs, 700#

Jim Perino - WY

16 red angus certified str, 850#, NI, drug free

Joe Burke - SD

14 blk hfrs, 850#, ultrasound tested open, HR,

NI, BT

Seth Weishaar - SD

10 mixed str & hfrs 750-850#

Roy Dahl - SD

10 blk hfrs, tested open, 900-950#, HR, NI

Jeff & Diana Burman - WY

9 blk str, 700#, weaned fall clvs

Evan Rumph - MT

9 blk open hfrs, 1000# BV

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Please call Jason Twitchell 406-480-2345
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BELLE FOURCHE LIVESTOCK MARKET, LLC**Horse Sale****Friday August 30th, 2019**GOOD RIDING HORSES SOLD REALLY GOOD
STRONG LOOSE HORSE MARKET.

CATALOG HORSES	HD	BID
Tyler & Britta Thiel, Belle Fourche SD.....	1.....Lot 22.....	16,750
Paul & Jana Greimsman, Piedmont SD.....	1.....Lot 29.....	16,500
Levi & Lindsey O'keeffe, Belle Fourche SD.....	1.....Lot 31.....	15,750
Shayne & Heidi Porch, Wanblee SD.....	1.....Lot 21.....	12,250
Mike Grant, Whitewood SD.....	1.....Lot 30.....	11,250
Average On All Cataloged Horses.....		4,600
LOOSE HORSES		
Alan Lloyd, Otter MT.....	1.....	2900
Jim Hanson, Sturgis SD.....	1.....	1650
Alan Lloyd, Otter MT.....	1.....	1550
Adam Johnson, Cody NE.....	1.....	1500
Bill Sipe, Beulah WY.....	1.....	1350
Joe Or Jand Burke.....	2.....	1350

UPCOMING SALE SCHEDULE

Thursday September 5th	Feeder Cattle Special.....	8 AM Start Time
	<i>BBQ Special</i>	
Friday September 6th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	12 PM Start Time
Thursday September 12th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	10 AM Start Time
	Feeder Cattle Special.....	12 PM Start Time
Thursday September 19th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	10 AM Start Time
	Feeder Cattle Special.....	12 PM Start Time
Thursday September 26th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	10 AM Start Time
	Feeder Cattle Special.....	12 PM Start Time
Thursday October 3rd	Feeder Cattle Special.....	8 AM Start Time
Friday October 4th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
Thursday October 10th	Feeder Cattle Special.....	8 AM Start Time
Friday October 11th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Special....	12 PM Start Time

Thursday October 17th	Feeder Cattle Special.....	8 AM Start Time
Friday October 18th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Special....	12 PM Start Time
Thursday October 24th	Feeder Cattle Specil.....	8 AM StartTim
Friday October 25th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
Thursday October 31st	Feeder Cattle Special.....	8 AM Start Time
Friday November 1st	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Special....	12 PM Start Time
Thursday November 7th	Feeder Cattle Special.....	8 AM Start Time
Friday November 8th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
Thursday November 14th	Feeder Cattle Special.....	8 AM Start Time

Friday November 15th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Special....	12 PM Start Time
Thursday November 21st	Feeder Cattle Special.....	8 AM Start Time
Friday November 22nd	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
Monday November 25th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Special....	12 PM Start Time
Thursday December 5th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
	Feeder Cattle Special.....	12 PM Start Time
Thursday December 12th	Feeder Cattle Special.....	11 AM Start Time
Friday December 13th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
Christmas Classic	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Special....	12 PM Start Time
Thursday December 19th	Weighup Cattle Sale.....	9 AM Start Time
	Feeder Cattle Special.....	12 PM Start Time
	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Special....	To Follow

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