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#### **Council Finally Sets New City Employee Residency Rules**

**BEACON STAFF** 

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(BELLE FOURCHE) - After more than two months of discussion and debate the Belle Fourche City Council, by a vote of 5-to-2 modified the residency requirement for city employees.

The major change in the policy relates to city department heads. Gone is the 3-mile radius residency map and in its place is a provision that allows department heads to reside anywhere within Butte County, as long as they can report to work in 25 minutes.

The new requirements also state that regular full-time employees who are not department heads may live anywhere within an area that allows them to report to work in 25 minutes. The new policy, under section 5.19, does not apply to seasonal or part-time employees, however if an employee is promoted to full-time status they would have 21-days to comply with applicable residency requirement.

A new section was added for public health and safety employees, such as police officers or first responders. This section was added after City Attorney Dwight Gubbrud reviewed the revised policy and felt there needed to be clarification. He said that just because an employee might need to respond to a temporary emergency situation doesn't mean it should affect their residency require-

"That type of situation, as it was addressed in the language we had, seemed to be a temporary request of a department head because it was an emergency," Gubbrud said. "And it shouldn't, in fact, require a change in residency.'

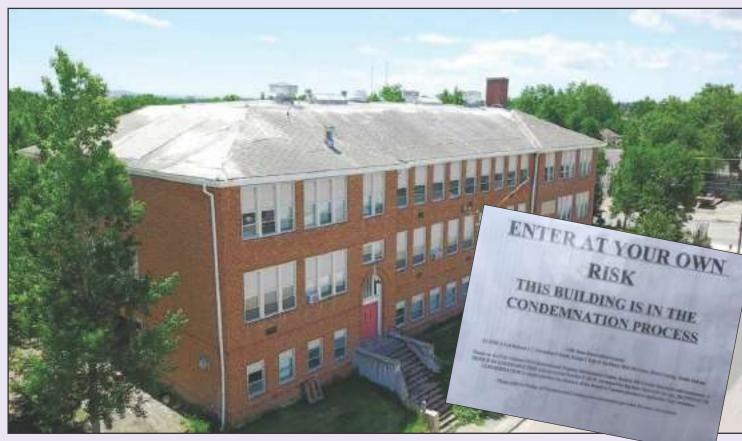
However, language was added that provides flexibility for city departments to set their own guidelines for public health and safety employee's residency requirements on an as needed basis.

"If there are employees or positions that the council believes needs to be closer to the city or within the city, they can consider them a public health and safety employee, and it should be stated so in their job description," he said. "And then within those specific job descriptions

**RESIDENCY** A6

# What's Next for the Roosevelt **Events Center?**

Century Old Building Receives Condemnation Notice



FUTURE UNCERTAIN - The Roosevelt Events Center at 1010 State Street had this Condemnation Notice posted on its doors on October 9th. An engineering firm's report cites several code violations. One of the building's tenants, the Belle Fourche Chamber of Commerce, has filed an appeal to the notice which will go before the Board of Appeals in a meeting tentatively scheduled for 12:30pm on October 22nd. - File photo

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(BELLE FOURCHE) - After the condemnation notice was given to the owners of the Roosevelt Events Center from the City of Belle Fourche last week many have wondered what's next for the 100-year old structure that was earlier this year listed on the National Register

As it stands right now an engineering report of the property indicated that where the inspections occurred the building was deemed to be structurally sound. One of the Roosevelt's tenants, the Belle Fourche Chamber of Commerce, has appealed the Condemnation and Notice of Violation (NOV) issued by the city and they will have a hearing, tentatively scheduled for October 22nd at 12:30pm, in the council chambers at City Hall. As of press time the building's owners have yet to file an appeal.

The hearing will come before a standing Board of Appeals that the city maintains for these purposes. The board includes a licensed contractor, electrician, and plumber along with two lay people who are appointed as needed. For 2019 the licensed board members include Ted Corean, Merlin Porterfield and John Thomas. The mayor's office is tasked with resolving any conflicts of interest issues before presenting the list of board members to the City Council for ratification. That move is scheduled for the next regular council meeting October 21st.

In the meantime, according to city attorney Kellen Willert, the appeal has stayed the NOV per the rules set forth by the International Property Maintenance Code (IPMC). This means that people may continue to enter the building, pending the outcome of the appeal.

Pietila Property and Repair, LLC was in the process of purchasing the building, formerly known as the Roosevelt School, from Wendell and Mary Ann Johnson with a contract for deed dating back to November of 2017. The LLC's owners, James and Provatia Pietila had

been in the process of funding and restoring the property. A handful of businesses have operated in the building during the past two years, including the Belle Fourche Chamber of Commerce. As recently as last Saturday the venue hosted its monthly regional indoor market, La Belle Marche, in the events center's gymnasium. A Halloween "haunted house" has also been planned for the building later this

But the future of those events may be doubt in light of a series of events that unfolded over the past 18 months.

In March of 2018 the city met with the Pietilas to discuss plans for usage of the building. The following month, due to what the city describes as changes in use, the Pietilas were notified of nine issues that needed to be addressed including evaluating fire hazards, roof repairs, ADA compliance, and structural integrity of the gymnasium ceiling.

In June of that year city officials again met with the Pietilas to discuss updates on many of the same issues, progress being made a time extensions to accommodate compliance.

In January 2019 the City says it asked for an update on the previously raised issues and on May 6th of this year another progress meeting was held. The city says only one of the previously discussed items was provided to the city and outstanding issues were discussed.

On July 2nd, Chase Williamson, Belle Fourche Building Inspector, served a Notice of Violation to the building's owners listing 17 code violations relating to structural, safety, egress, accessibility and other issues within the structure. Among those issues were a dilapidated roof, no fire extinguishing system, lack of ADA accessibility, and absence of conditional use and signage permits.

Pietila Property and Repair responded to each of the 17 items in a letter dated on or about July 22nd. Pietela agreed to work on several of the items while other requirements, he maintained, were

**ROOSEVELT** A6



**PAVING THE WAY -** One day before our October snowstorm, crews were out paving the street over the new Hay Creek crossing. The work signals a significant step toward completion of the project. This week, sunny, dry and warmer weather is forecast so crews should be able to make headway on the bridge rails. If the weather holds traffic may once again be able to flow freely down 8th Avenue. - Beacon Photo

#### Early Season Snow Blankets the Region

Here are a few snow totals from our Oct. 9-10 snowstorm as recorded by National Weather Service observers. Dupree recorded the highest total.

- 12.90 14 SSE DUPREE
- 11.70 LEAD
- 10.00 2 NNW SAINT ONGE
- 3 NE WHITEWOOD 6.50 2 WNW DWTN SPEARFISH
- 6.00 1 SSW BELLE FOURCHE 6.00 2 SW DWTN RAPID CITY
- 6.00 8 NNW NEWCASTLE
- 5.80 3 SE SAINT ONGE 5.80 4 NNW WHITEWOOD
- 5.00 RED OWL
- 5.00 8 SE MUD BUTTE
- 4.90 6 NNW DWTN SPEARFISH

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# **Estrada Chutes for Charity Progressive Bingo Winner**



**BINGO!** With only one number left to be called, every bingo player at the Black Hills Roundup Chutes for Charity (hosted by The Branding Iron) thought the \$1,568.00 progressive pot would be carried over to the next bingo, Tuesday, October 22nd. 52 numbers called and the very last number was exactly what Dora Estrada needed. The room was silent, in disbelief, and then erupted in cheers and clapping. Dora's card was checked, and sure enough she had won the progressive pot of \$1,568.00! After hugs and a few happy tears, Dora explained she is going on a trip next week to see her daughter in Missouri. She had to borrow money from her daughter to make the trip. Her winnings from Chutes for Charity progressive bingo will allow her to make the trip without borrowing money. Chutes for Charity would like to thank everyone that has supported the Progressive Bingo nights.







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#### **Obituaries**

#### William Vroman 93

William H. Vroman, 93, of Buffalo, SD passed peacefully in his sleep Saturday, October 5, 2019 at Belle Estate in Belle Fourche, SD.

Bill's life celebration will be held Friday October 18th at 2pm at the Harding County High School in Buffalo and officiated by Pastor Henry Mohagen. Visitation will take place between 5 and 7pm Thursday October 17th at Leverington Funeral Home of the Northern Hills in Belle Fourche.

William H. was born September 20,1926 in Deadwood, SD to Lena (Mitchell) and Colonel James Vroman. He was raised on the Meathook ranch, 20 miles SE of Buffalo with an older brother, Colonel James Jr. (CJ) and older half-sister, Willo. He grew up doing much loved ranch work including breaking horses and tending to cattle.

One cold, winter day, Bill rode over the buttes to have dinner with neighbors, Buzz and Esther Wammen. It was there that he met and fell in love with Esther's visiting younger sister, Verona Heck. The two married on November 7, 1947 at the Wesleyan church in Mitchell, SD and began their life together on the XX Ranch outside of Buffalo. Bill and his brother, CJ, continued ranching with their parents until 1952 when their father died and they purchased the ranch from their mother.

Larry Bill was Bill and Verona's first son, born May 12, 1949. Daughter, Linda Kay, was born January 21, 1951. Ross Gene was born September 15, 1952 with Cerebral Palsy. At age 2 Ross was moved to the Children's hospital in Redfield, SD where he lived until his passing at age 13 in March of 1966. Their youngest son, Mark James, was born September 1, 1956.

Bill and Verona spend the majority of their years on the ranch with their 3 kids raising beef cattle, ponies, and horses. In true cowboy fashion, Bill taught all the kids ranch work including how to break horses, to rope, and to ride. The kids spent a lot of time competing and placing in rodeos.

A love of flying allowed Bill the opportunity to fly the ranch's Super Cub to check cows and water on the XX and neighboring ranches daily. He also took longer trips from time to time. In 1960 Bill flew the family's Cessna 172 to San Antonio to visit his sister, Willo,



stopping in Missouri to visit Verona's father on the way home. The family also traveled to Seattle for the World's Fair in 1962 and many other states for rodeos throughout the years.

Always active in his community, Bill served as a member of the Masonic Lodge, Harding County Weed Board, Stockgrowers Association and Harding County Commissioners. He was an enthusiastic supporter of the Beef industry

and donated meat to the Labor Day BBQs in Buffalo along with many other community events.

Bill and Verona enjoyed taking trips with the Elite Club, travelling to Branson, Nashville, Alaska and Washington DC. Every winter, for 40 years, they drove to Arizona to visit their daughter, Linda and her family and other friends. They were gracious hosts for family reunions some summers, a living nativity scene in the barn every Christmas, and they never turned away a coffee guest.

In 2000, Bill and Verona moved into Buffalo as sons Mark and Larry took over the ranch. For Bill, retirement meant less time being a cowboy and more time being "Gramps." He loved watching his grandkids and great-grandkids grow up and they all agree he made the best pancakes you'd ever taste. His latest years were spent at Peaceful Prairie Estates in Buffalo, Judy's Assisted Living in Belle Fourche, and finally, Belle Estate in Belle Fourche.

As a thoughtful storyteller, Bill (Gramps) always had a tale to tell worth listening to. His stories of "the old days," hard work ethic, and his love for a juicy steak will surely live on through his family.

Bill is survived by his wife, Verona, of Belle Fourche, SD; daughter Linda (Bill) Otis of Buckeye, AZ; son, Mark (Jo) of St. Onge, SD; 7 grandchildren: Taylor Vroman, Ryan (Kelcee) Vroman, Seth (Jen) Otis, Trent (Kim) Otis, Nikki Vroman, Lisa (Chance) Kvistad, Lona (Jake) Downs; 9 great-grandchildren: Jace, Mollee, Tyson, Reese, James, Kayden, Mylee, Harlan, Alexa. He is also survived by his daughter-in-law, Claudia Vroman of Buffalo.

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

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#### Carla LaRue Virtue 71

Carla LaRue Virtue drew her last breath on October 11, 2019 surrounded by family in her home in Custer after losing her second battle with cancer. Carla was born on August 3, 1948 to Ralph and Alice (Wyman) Middlemas in Spearfish, South Dakota, the youngest of four children. Her family moved around quite a bit as Carla was growing up landing wherever her dad's work took them. She attended many schools before graduating from Belle Fourche High School.

While in high school she began working as a nurse's aide at a nursing home. Her job duties looked different when she moved to a different nursing home where she worked in the business office. She moved to Custer to work at the Custer Hospital in 1968. She began working at the VA Medical Center in Hot Springs in February 1991 as a ward clerk. She later moved to the admissions office before retiring from the VA as a coder in January 2013.

Shortly after moving to Custer, friends introduced Carla to Jack Virtue. They were married on April 17, 1971. They had two sons, Jason and Corey. Carla loved her boys and enjoyed watching them participate in football, basketball, track and baseball. As the boys grew, got married and had children of their own, Carla proudly and lovingly cheered on her grandchildren at their many sporting events as well as music concerts.



Carla also spent many hours volunteering at the Custer school, Storehouse and playing bingo with the residents at the nursing home. Carla was a lifetime member of the Custer VFW Post 3442 Auxiliary. She enjoyed reading, traveling, camping, bowling with Jack and collecting tea pots.

Carla is survived by Jack, Jason (Conni) and Corey (Jana) Virtue all of Custer; grandchildren Kyle & Brady Virtue (Custer), Treyton (Michelle Harstad) Virtue (Sioux Falls, SD), Americus Virtue (Little Rock, IA) and Torri, Hayden & Rylie

Virtue (Custer); brother Kenny (Bessie) Middlemas (Idaho Falls) and sister Marlene (Tom) Davis (Belle Fourche, SD) and many nieces and nephews. She is proceeded in death by her parents and sister Dorothy Demianiw.

Services will be held on Friday, October 18 at 10:00 am at Custer Lutheran Fellowship with Pastor Deb Grismer officiating. Burial and a luncheon will follow. Visitation will be held from on Thursday, October 17 from 5:00 - 7:00 pm with a prayer service at 7:00 pm at Chamberlain McColley's Funeral Home in Custer.

Arrangements have been placed in the care of Chamberlain McColley's Funeral Home in Custer, SD.



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### Area Church Schedules

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Sunday: 10 a.m. Holy Eucharist Monday-Friday: 7:45 a.m. Prayer **CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTER** 2020 Vista St · 892-4767 Paul Howard, Pastor

Sunday Schedule: Long Term Care Service 8:45 a.m. Sunday School: All ages 9:30 a.m. Fellowship Hour: 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship Service: 10:45 a.m. Evening Service: 6 p.m.

**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)-210-2150 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 FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 1120 North Fifth Street, Spearfish

605-645-3513 • Find us on Facebook Pastor Bruce K. Oyen Sunday: Bible Class - 10:00 a.m. Church Service - 10:45 a.m. We sing

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9:35 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Worship FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH Worship: 9 a.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 901 Laurel St. Whitewood (605)-920-1959 Reverand Jill Jennewein Sunday: 9 a.m. Worship

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10:30 a.m. Praise & Worship Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Bible Class NORTH POINT CHRISTIAN

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Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. RANGELAND MINISTRIES **CHURCH** 

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# Belle Fourthe Beaton COMMUNITY Belle Area Business Bits

New Businesses at 518 State

Raelyn Bowman's *Denim* & Opal and Jennifer Long's Bella Grace Boutique had their grand opening this past Saturday! In the Hair Gallery Salon & Spa at 518 State Street you may have missed the grand opening's coffee, cider, and cookies, but you're not to late to stop by and get in on their collection of great items.

Contemporary, fashion forward clothing, along with seasonal tops and denim you will also find jewelry and other accessories to complete your new clothing. Including unique boutique items, hair accessories, and much more!



Jennifer Long (left) and Raelyn Bowman hold the "sign of the times" and invite all to come see their collection of wonderful and unique items at 518 State Street

## Belle Fourche Sale Barn Cafe is Cooking

The cafe in the Belle Fourche Livestock Market has been under new management since the Barn's customer appreciation in early September. Karen Anderberg and her capable assistant Boyd Bender have brightened the place up considerably with their smiles as well a new menu and great food. The Kala Cafe is open Wednesdays 7:00 am to 2-2:30; and Thursdays and Fridays 6:00 am till end of the sales.

The name Anderberg might sound familiar as Karen, no stranger to sale barns, grew up doing whatever work needed to be done when her father, Jay Anderberg, owned and operated the Miller Livestock Auction in Miller, SD for over 30 years.

Boyd and Karen moved to this area in 2015 and prior to that Karen had owned and operated the Hideout Steakhouse and Lounge in Wessington Springs, SD. The business, along with the rest of the town, was destroyed when the June



Boyd Bender and Karen Anderberg behind the counter at the Kala Cafe in the Belle Fourche Livestock Market

18, 2014 tornado wiped the town off of the map. Much of the town has rebuilt, but the decision was made not to rebuild the Hideout.

Karen was doing a food trailer at an auction sale late this summer when Seth Weishaar told here that BF Livestock Market was looking for someone to operate a restaurant. She answered the call in time to be on hand for the barn's Barbecue Special Customer Appreciation Sale on September 5th.

In addition to the warm smiles is the experience and knowledge of preparing great food that everyone will enjoy.

# In Loving Memory

Carrie Orcutt Virgil 7-19-67 to 9-19-19

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## **Business Buzz**



The Black Hills State University School of Business continues its Business Buzz speaker series this month with Jeremy Hoven, Spearfish Market President for Black Hills Community Bank. Hoven, a BHSU alum, will share his business journey with students Thursday, Oct. 17 from 12:30-1:30 p.m. in Jonas Hall, Room 306. The event is free and open to the public.

Hoven, who graduated from Belle Fourche high school was also a 'fast-of-foot' high school football running back who can share the credit for getting the Broncs to Vermillion to the Dakota Dome in 1996.

#### Chamber Lunch



Michelle May, Butte/Lawrence 4-H Youth Program Advisor and President/CEO of G.A.T.E. Consulting was the guest speaker at the October Chamber of Commerce luncheon held at the Branding Iron last Wednesday, October 9.

She outlined in detail the 4-H activities of the Butte/Lawrence Extension office (see a related story on Page 4), as well as an overview of G.A.T.E. (going after the essence) Consulting. She may be reached at: Michelle.may@sdstate.edu at the Butte/Lawrence Extension Office, or gate.consultingllc@ gmail.com



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#### Pastor's Perspective Serving a God of Hope

The Bible states in 1Peter 3:15 (KJV), "But sanctify the Lord God in your hearts: and be ready always to give an answer to every man that asketh you a reason of the hope that is in you with meekness and fear." I remember where I came from and I pray I never forget. Why? So that I might help someone who needs hope, direction, and purpose. I remember quite well what it was like to be a lost soul, to believe a lie that my life had no meaning, no purpose and there was no hope. One day I met Hope, His Name

nity to hear. Jeremiah 29:11 states: "For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end. (an expected end or as other translations put it, a hope and future.)

is Jesus. In Him I found and

continue to find hope, direction

and purpose. A message that I

hope everyone has an opportu-

In the Lord no matter where we are or what we are going through there are brighter days ahead. We live in a fallen messed up world. Everywhere we turn the world seems to be coming apart, but it's all a matter

a person is filtering world events through the eyes of man, the future looks dreary. But if you are filtering world events through the Bible, you'll see that things are falling into place. Worldly events are going to get worse before they get better. God has told us in His Word that there would be tribulation, wars and rumors of war, famine, pestilence, earthquakes, nations rising against nations, even family members against family members, there will be a one world religion and government, before the Lord Jesus returns. Israel is the key. The Bible states that the generation that saw the rebirth of Israel

of perspective. If

I love to share the hope that I have found in my Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. I work with individuals who are

would see all these things come

to pass. Israel was reborn in

1948.

This week's Pastor's Perspective is provided by Pastor Andy Anderson, Emmanuel Baptist Church, Belle Fourche broken, many who are without

hope and have nothing or very little to look forward to. Beaten down by the world, by poor choices that they have made, or others have made. People who have suffer from loss, perhaps the loss of someone very dear. I know that although the storm they are in seems to be going on and on, with no end in sight, there is One who can and will guide you through it, His Name is Jesus, He is the Hope of the world. He is our Strength and Comforter, the Rock upon which we need to build our

Jeremiah 29:12-13 states: "Then shall ye call upon me, and ye shall go and pray unto me, and I will hearken unto you. And ye shall seek me, and find me, when ye shall search for me with all your heart." Pour out your heart to the Lord, admit your faults, your sins, your shortcomings, and your hurts to Him and humbly ask Him to reveal Himself to you and come into your life. You won't regret it and guaranteed your life will never be the same.

Blessings, Pastor Andy ebcbf.org

### **Legislators Representing Butte County Here Oct. 22**

State Representatives Tom Brunner, Sam Marty, and Kirk Chaffe, as well as State Senators Ryan Maher and Gary Cammack will be in Belle Fourche October 22 at Michelle Watson's new Venue 519 in the former Hoseth Auto Parts building on 5th Avenue.

These five make up the state legislators that represent Butte County.

The legislator's will be available for a casual "meet and greet" from 5:30 to 6:30, followed by a time of discussion of topics likely to be at issue in the 95th Legislative session in Pierre. It opens with Governor Noem's State of the State address on Tuesday January 14th.

The fast pace of the legislative session and tight schedule during the session does not give our legislators a great amount of extra time to communicate with the people back home.

This event time is being planned to allow those working; and in business ample time at the end of the work day to attend and meet and visit with the legislators on an informal basis.

The arrival time will be followed by a short (outline from) exchange of questions and information on possible topics we may see in the upcoming legislative session that are of interest or that may impact Belle Fourche and Butte County.

A time will be provided for the legislators to present what they know may be in the works

It will be a great opportunity to meet our local delegation on an informal basis and develop lines of communication as may be necessary as this years legislative sessions takes place.

The event organized by the Belle Fourche Beacon with cooperation from the City of Belle; Belle Public Schools; Butte County; Belle Chamber of Commerce; Butte County Sheriff's office and CONBA.

What happens with our state government laws is important to all of us. We hope you can attend. The public is welcome.



Pioneer Bank is hosting a Grand Re-Opening Open House, 9am-4pm, Thursday October 17. The remodel inside the bank and building construction outside wrapped up, the public is invited to come view the work completed. The newly remodeled/ refurbished bank will also host the Belle Fourche Chamber Mixer, 5pm-7pm that afternoon.

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### 4-H Teaches Character at South Park

Michelle May Special to the Beacon

In October our local CAS (Character All Stars) from Butte & Lawrence will be entering into local schools to deliver a powerful message on character education! These individuals were chosen by their school personnel, trained by SDSU Extension YPA Michelle May and will be ready to implement a variety of character assemblies in the year ahead! Michelle May, local YPA will then follow up the assemblies with Character Education on curriculum that was developed by SDSU Extension (Michelle May and 4 other Youth Program Advisors) and has been implemented successfully for many years now. Belle Fourche, South Park Elementary and the after school Jam program will be focusing on Character Links 5 – a program that highlights the following 5 character traits: Honesty, Respect, Responsibility, Kindness & Citizenship.

Last year, the SDSU Extension Character All Stars Program reached over 740 local students and together logged



Tate Larson and Jayme Peterson, 4-H Character All-Stars, answer South Park Elementary student questions regarding the five character traits: Honesty, Respect, Responsibility, Kindness, & Character. *Courtesy photo* 

nearly 200 hours in the schools and class-rooms.

The impact that these fine CAS have with our local youth and schools is impactful for sure and we are so excited to get started once again! Jayme defines character as – "Character is being kind to all, in every

situation. No matter the time or the place, be kind and always do your best to help others. "

Tate describes his character as "funny, adventurous, and hard working. Hard work is the most important character trait because in life hard work leads to success."

## **FFA Competes at Range Regionals**



Rance Bowden (in baseball cap left) and Carter McKenna (vest to the right) working on Site evaluation. *Courtesy photo* 

#### Serena Davis

Special to the Beacon
The Belle Fourche FFA range
team competed at Regionals on
Wednesday September 25th in
Wall, South Dakota. The team
members are Senior Guy Davis,
Junior Laney Mackaben, Freshmand Morgan Mackaben, and
Eighth Graders Rance Bowden,
Cody Foos and Carter McKenna. The team did very well plac-

ing 4th overall and had Laney place 6th and Morgan 14th as individuals. The next CDE (Career Development Event) contest will be Rushmore Leadership Retreat on October 9th in Rapid City. Events members have been preparing for include Parliamentary Procedure, Employment Skills, Agricultural Communications, Agricultural Sales and many other individual

speaking events, such as Creed and Extemporaneous speaking. Look for results in the coming week!

The Belle Fourche FFA Chapter is also selling FFA t-shirts for 10 dollars, talk to Bishop or one of the officers to get one. Respectfully Submitted

Serena Davis 19-20 BF FFA Reporter

## BFACC Youth Girls BB is Underway!



BFHS Varsity Girls Basketball Coach Bill Burr ran ball handling skill drills at the Mini-Camp -Courtesy photo BFACC



Vollunteer assistants **Bella Jensen** and **Chloe Crago** conduct passing drill with the girls -Courtesy photo BFACC

It's time for youth girls basketball at the BFACC!

1st-6th grade girls had their mini camps last week and have

started team practices.
BFHS Varsity Girls Basketball
Coach Bill Burr ran the 3rd-6th
grade minicamp with the help

of Jade Burr, Bella Jensen, and Chloe Crago.

The BFACC girls basketball league began playing games Oc-



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Broncs, 8-15 on the year, bested Douglas 3 straight (25-23) (25-8) (25-19) Friday night. Taryn Stedillie (2) one of the best setters, as well as a top server in the conference sets for Tia Williamson 10 as Kaylin Garza (18) looks on in this Oct 03 match against undefeated on the year Hill City. Belle Fourche fell to HC (10-25) (19-25) (16-25) -Courtesy Photo John Skogberg

tober 12th. League runs through November 23rd and will include games against Newell, Harding County and Sundance.

November 16 the BFACC and BFHS are teaming up to host a basketball tournament for rec

If you want to see these girls learn and grow in the game of basketball, games are every Saturday @ the BFACC from 9:00am-3:00 pm.

Contact Program Coordinator, Tessa Anderson-Voyles for more details



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## **Broncs Fly Past Spartans 48-7**

**BEACON STAFF** 

news@bellefourchebeacon.com (SPEARFISH) - After a

slow start at chilly Lyle Hare Stadium in Spearfish, the Belle Fourche Broncs scored 21 points in the final five minutes of the first half on their way to defeating the Spearfish Spartans 48-7. The win moves the Broncs to 4-and-3 on the season and 4-and-1 against Black Hills Conference foes.

The Broncs relied heavily on the passing arm of quarterback Colby Nowowiejski who had his best night of the season, throwing for 321 yards and 4 touchdowns and running for a fifth. Jackson Tyndall also had a big night collecting three TD tosses and rolling up 140 yards in receptions. Keaton Benson gathered one scoring strike and hauled in 109 receiving yards.

The passing game was vital on a night where the Spartans were able to limit the normally reliable Bronc ground game. Kelby Olson led the way with 20 yards rushing on 11 carries including a 5-yard TD run in the 4th. Olson's other big highlight of the night was a 50-yard punt return in the 4th quarter that capped the scoring at 48-to-7.

At the beginning the Bronc offense sputtered and seemed



Kelby Olson scampers for a 5 yd touchdown run in the 4th Quarter against Spearfish - Darla Olson Photo

a bit out of sync. In fact the game was scoreless until the final 4:40 of the half when Belle Fourche's offense exploded for 21 points aided by exceptional field position. After an initial 33-yard Nowowiejski to Benson touchdown pass, Len Fuhrer

intercepted a Hunter Millis pass to set up the Bronc's second touchdown. Then Nowoiejski scrambled for a 7-yard scoring run with :02 left in the half to make it 21-0 at the break. In fact on six straight possessions over the 2nd and 3rd quarters





the Broncs started drives in Spartan territory.

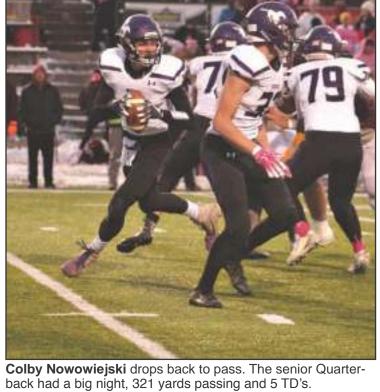
Spearfish came back with a flourish to open the third quarter driving 65 yards capped by a 20-yard run by senior Jacob Johnson to make it 21-7. Johnson led all rushers with an impressive 107 yards on 22 carries.

Nowoiejski and Tyndall connected on a pair of TD passes in the third quarter, the second one was for 79-yards as the Broncs scored on two drives of 1 play each. It was 34-7 after three.

Olson's two 4th quarter scores made the final 48-7.

Olson and Brextin Garza led the team in tackles with 10 and seven respectively. The Broncs finished the night with -2 yards rushing as Nowowiejski was sacked by the Spartan defense for 30 yards in losses.

The Broncs have now won 3 of their last 4 games, their best stretch of the season. Next up is a road trip to Sturgis Friday night before closing out at home with Todd County on Thursday night October 24th.



Kelby Olson "spreads out" to make a hole for ball carrier Jackson Tyndall-Darla Olson Photo

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## **Belle Hosts Wet and Windy Conference Meet**

**Chris Riley** Special to the Beacon

A winter weather advisory forced a last-minute date change for the Black Hills Conference Cross Country Championships last week and Belle Fourche responded with a pair of fourthplace team finishes and an individual champion.

The Broncs hosted the meet at a wet & windy Belle Fourche Country Club on Wednesday, instead of the original date of Thursday. Snow fell intermittently throughout the meet, but it was a picturesque day for running up and down the fairways for the 10 schools who make up the Black Hills Conference.

The varsity girls were up first, and Bronc eighth-grader Allison Hayes earned All-Conference honors by placing 14th overall with a 5,000-meter clocking of 22:09, over a full minute quicker than she ran at the BF Invite a month prior. Ava Allen (17th), Harley Fischer (21st), Ayseluna Hockenbary (28th), and Anika Main (42nd) rounded out Belle Fourche's varsity girls' squad as the Brones finished fourth out of nine schools that fielded complete teams.

Freshman Sawyer Clarkson led nearly wire to wire to claim the varsity boys' victory for the Broncs. Sophomore Cole Hockenbary placed 18th while teammates Wyatt Keegan (29th), Devin Nowowiejski (33rd), Ethan Jones (35th), and Nic Lambert (40th) followed behind. The Belle Fourche boys also finished fourth as a team, out of eight complete teams that earned a score.

Freshman Alanah Pomrenke continued her impressive fall, placing sixth in the JV girls' race. Junior Isaac McKenney placed 14th in the JV boys' division while teammate Levi Melanson finished 18th.

The middle school girls' race saw seventh-grader Adeline Thomsen run a 3,000-meter time of 15:31 to finish 36th out of 101 runners. Other Belle Fourche middle school girls' competitors were Lorelei Seaman (51st), Adeline Hayes (56th), Addison Draine (59th), Denali Larson (63rd), Lily Tippmann (77th), Reagan Hatling (81st), and Alexa Swaney (82nd).

Belle Fourche's middle school boys' squad put an impressive seven runners inside of the top 20 in the 111-runner field. Sixth-grader Sern Weishaar led the way in seventh. Eighth-graders Jordan Sandoval (9th), Harley Rivera (13th), and Aiden Voyles (16th) followed closely behind. Zach Tonsager (16th), Carsyn Hahne (17th), Darian Pesicka (19th), Harvey Walding (46th), Jordan DuBray (50th),



Belle Fourche sophomore Wyatt Keegan leads a pack of runners midway through Wednesday's BHC varsity boys' race Courtesy photo



Allison Hayes leads teammates Harley Fischer, Ava Allen, and Ayseluna Hockenbary amidst a pack of runners early in Wednesday's BHC girls' varsity race Courtesy photo

Oden Walding (54th), Garet Huston (71st), Riggin Lutter (73rd), Cortez Rodriguez (75th), Andrew McKenney (76th), Alex Norlin (94th), and Carter McKenna (98th) all competed for the Broncs.

The boys' and girls' varsity and JV teams travel to Pine Ridge on Thursday for the Region 5A

Meet, where the top three teams and top 20 individuals in each varsity race qualify for the Class A State Meet, held in Huron on October 26th.

The middle school runners will have one last chance to compete at the Belle Fourche Quad held on the BF Middle School grounds on Tue, Oct. 22nd.

#### **Belle Fourche** Community Calendar

Oct. 17: Pioneer Bank Grand Re-Opening Open House, 9am-

New Garden Club, 10am, Belle Silver Lining

Stonewear Pottery Demo by Cathy Severn, 2pm, Office Emporium & Gone-to-Pieces Quilt Shop

Chamber Member Mixer, 5pm-7pm, Pioneer Bank

Oct. 18: Caramel Rolls & Coffee, 8:30am, Belle Silver Lining

Oct. 19: Knitting 101 for Beginners, 1:30pm, Office Emporium & Gone-to-Pieces Quilt Shop

Museum Annual Tea, 1pm, Tri-State Museum

Oct. 20: Family Fun Day: A World of Masks, 2pm, Tri0State Museum

Oct. 21: Fitness Made Fun, 11am, Belle Silver Lining City Council Meeting, 6pm Oct. 22: Volleyball: C/JV/V

vs St. Thomas More @H, 5pm Oct. 24: Football: Varsity vs Todd County @H, 6pm

Oct. 25: Caramel Rolls & Coffee, 8:30am, Belle Silver Lining

Healthy Habits Made Easy, 10am, Belle Silver Lining Purple Pride Haunted House, 7-10pm, Roosevelt Event Center

Oct. 26: Wag N Walk 5K Fun Run Walk, 8am, Herrmann

Volleyball: JV Tournament @H, 9am

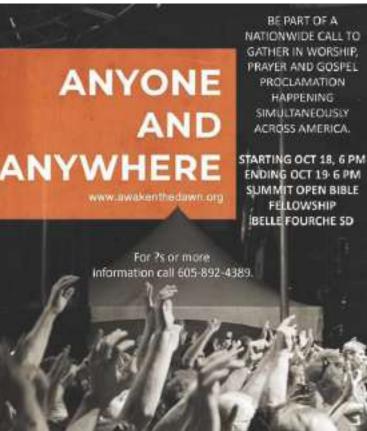
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## **October 19 Literary Tea**

The Tri-State's "Literary Tea" hostesses announce their chosen books

The Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center's October 19th autumn tea is themed "A Literary Tea," and hostesses have announced the titles of the books which will be at the center of their individual tables. These books will also

serve as inspiration for their

table settings. Hostesses and their books include the following: Laura Bennett, The Desert Rose by McMurtry; Becky Blomberg, Alice in Wonderland by Lewis Carroll; Mary Buchholz, Jewels by Danielle Steele; Wilma Dick, Cinderella by the Brothers Grimm; Judy Farris, A Cold Dish by Craig Johnson; Charlotte Fladmoe, Trustee from the Tool Room by Nevil Shute; Jean Helmer, Roots Grow Deep and Strong by Belle Fourche Writers; Judy Howard, The Bible; Connie Husband, The Help by Kathryn Stockett; Holly Moseley, Pasque Petals, by regional poets; Ree Reich,

Trumpet of the Swan by E. B.

White, and Kristi Thielen, The Little Mermaid by Hans Christian Anderson.

The annual autumn tea serves as a fundraiser for the museum and visitor center. This year's theme was chosen to highlight the institution's support for reading and literacy. "We also hope that those interested in attending will examine the books

to be highlighted and may choose to buy a ticket because a favorite book is one of those selected," said Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center Director Kristi Thielen.

Tickets to the tea are on sale now and are \$20. Pre-registration and purchase is strongly suggested; last year's tea sold out all of its 12 eight-person

Tickets may be purchased at the Tri-State Museum and Visitor Center at 415 Fifth Avenue in Belle Fourche. Although ticket sales cannot be done by credit card over the phone, it is possible to call and reserve a ticket or tickets. The phone number of the Tri-State Museum and Visi-



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#### From A1 ROOSEVELT

not applicable due to his reading of appropriate code rules. He did appeal the notice and instead of having a hearing before the city board of appeals the Pietilas and the city agreed to meet to attempt to resolve the issues.

That meeting took place on August 20th and according to the city attorney's notes memorializing the meeting, an agreement was reached that Pietela, among other things, would pay for a certified structural engineer's report on all portions of the building

that are currently being occupied. That report, done by Lance Redinger of Lance Engineering on September 5th, was given to the city on September 17th but the city says the report only covered water damage that had occurred to the building's theater and gym wing. The city maintains that Pietila Property and Repair failed to provide a report on all portions of the building that are currently occupied.

Pietela disagrees with that assessment saying that the report covers in detail the gymnasium and theater, which do indicate some ceiling and roof joists need shoring up, but he says the report also gives a general assessment of the rest of the structure saying "the overall integrity appears to be adequate with no concern of general structural or building failure."

Last week Redinger revised the report adding that on September 5th they had also walked around the building and above currently occupied second floor and attic space and "did not observe additional issues that caused concern" nor should the public or tenants be concerned with the structural integrity of the building. He also added, "we are also are not responsible for issues we did not observe. We simply did not see or note other significant issues."

If the appeal is denied tenants would need to vacate the premises. According to City Attorney Kellen Willert it is possible that the landowners could still live in the building "if applicable ordinances, including zoning and other habitability requirements, were followed."

Pietila has maintained that his business plan for the building relied on two major factors. The first is the ability to secure grants for renovation based on its listing with the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP). And

the second is creating a revenue stream with tenants in order to secure future loans to refurbish the building. The first was accomplished earlier this year, the second is now a big question

And as to the issue of demolishing a building listed on the NRHP, Willert says that in and of itself may not be an issue preventing the removal of the building, however receiving grant monies or other assistance based on the NRHP may put a restriction on that.

#### From A1 RESIDENCY

you can state what those residency requirements are."

Councilman Travis Martin asked if the new director of the Belle Fourche Area Community Center (BFACC) could be classified a public health and safety employee since the BFACC is sometimes used as a community shelter.

"This policy would allow you to do that," Gubbrud said.

Proponents of the new policy say opening up the residency requirement for department heads allows the city to draw from a wider pool of potential job applicants for future openings. Opponents of the change point to the importance of city department heads living within the city to maintain close contact with the residents they serve.

"With their responsibilities and what their jobs consist of, the well-being of the city and the people, I think (department heads) should reside within the city limits," said Council President Monte Talkington. "I just can't see how you're going to care so much about Belle Fourche if you live in Newell of Spearfish. The rest of it, the 25 minutes for employees, I have

no problem with." "I believe the reason we put Butte County in there was to still help our school district and we were thinking we could go a little further outside (for job applicants) into our ag community," said Councilman Randy Schmidt, who also serves Chairman of the Legal and Finance committee who spearheaded the policy change. "Some didn't like (department heads) living outside the city but putting Butte County in there was more or less the compromise."

Voting for the new policy were; Randy Schmidt, Ward 4, Council Vice President; Travis Martin, Ward 2; Troy Shockey Ward 1; Annie Reich Ward 2; and Bob Somervold, Ward 4. Voting against were Monte Talkington, Ward 1 and Council President and Vern Hintz, Ward 3. Councilman James Ager, Ward 2 was absent.

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## **Anything Left in the Barrel?**

I wish I could give credit for this quote, but it's source is unknown: All of us could take a lesson from the weather. It pays no attention to criticism.

This past weeks snow caught several of us off guard. The prediction of its arrival was certainly hyped, but we think many were wishing the weatherman, as has happened before were going to be wrong. One of those less prepared couldn't find the car window scraper the morning of the snow, so they used a plastic credit discount card to clean off their windows. It didn't work very well. I only got 20% off.

The snow had ended here, but got a call the next day from a friend living in eastern North Dakota where the storm was still underway.

Said that the snow has been falling since early that morning and was nearly waist high.

The temperature has dropped way below freezing, and the north wind was nearing gale

Said he has done nothing but look through the kitchen window and stare.

She said that if it gets much worse, she may have to let him

Cannot get confirmation if this a "true" story or not, but it seems there was a bright young man from rural Perkins County that took a shining to a certain young lass. Early on in the courting process he wagered her a kiss that the two of them could hold hands together without him ever touching her. He won the wager; collected his winnings; and the pair have been happily married for many years. To this day they still sit at the kitchen table and hold hands. When last reported he held two pair she held a straight.

To continue with the subject of relationships: A man and his wife walked past a swanky new restaurant last night.

"Did you smell that food?" the wife asked. "Incredible!" Being the nice guy he was the man thought, "What the heck, I'll treat her!" So they walked past it again.

Who do you think runs the

world? -Sir," said the timid employee to his boss, "my wife says I'm to ask you for a raise." "Fine," the boss replied. "I'll ask my wife if I can give you one."

The crocodile walked into a trendy menswear store, approached the assistant and asked, "Do you have any shirts with pictures of people on the pocket?"

One day, the school principal was talking to Johnny's teacher about his behavior when, all of a sudden, Johnny comes run ning down the hallway.

The principal stops Johnny and asks, "Why are you run-

"I'm keeping two kids from fighting, sir!" Johnny says.

Who?" asks the principal. "Me and the kid chasing me!"

A man awoke one evening to discover prowlers in his storage shed. He immediately called 911 and gave his address to report the prowlers.

"Are they in your house?" the operator asked.

He said they were not, only in his storage shed behind the house. The operator said there were no cars available. The homeowner thanked the operator, hung up, counted to 30 and called again.

"I just called you about prowlers in my storage shed. Well, you don't have to worry, I just shot them all dead!"

Within seconds there were three police cars, an ambulance and fire engine at the scene. After capturing the prowlers red-handed, the police officer said to the homeowner, "I thought you said you had shot them all!"

The man answered, "I thought you said there were no police available!"

The person who coined the phrase: "as easy as pie" must have been eating pie, not in the kitchen making them.

Boss to the new employee: "We are very keen on cleanliness. Did you wipe your feet on the mat as you came in?" New employee: "Yes, sir."

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By: Doug Cole

Boss: "We are also keen on truthfulness. There is no mat."

Pete was telling a friend that he had just lost his job. "Why did the foreman fire you?" the friend asked in surprise.

"Oh," Pete said, "you know how foremen are. They stand around with their hands in their pockets, watching everybody else work."

"We all know that," his friend agreed. "But why did they let

"Jealousy," answered Pete. "All the other workers thought I was the foreman."

The man was interviewing for a new job. Hoping for an insight into the applicant's personality, the interviewer asked: "If you could have a conversation with someone, living or dead, who would it be?"

Without hesitation the applicant responded, "The living one, of course!"

Reaching the end of a job interview, the human resources person asked a young engineer fresh out of college, "And what starting salary were you looking for?" The fledgling engineer said, "In the neighborhood of \$125,000 a year, depending on the benefits package.' The interviewer said, "Well, what would you say to a package of 5 weeks of vacation, 14 paid holidays, full medical and dental, company matching retirement fund to 50% of salary, and a company car leased every 2 years--say, a red Corvette?" The engineer sat up straight and said, "Wow! Are you kidding?" And the interviewer replied, "Yeah, but you started it."

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In addition to honoring the musicians, the use of some of the donations for the Hall of Fame is to help provide musical supplies for the beginners in the elementary school levels. It is our belief that kids need support and encouragement to become involved in the arts and music is an art. This is the organization's way of giving back to the community as well. Helping children get music supplies is very important so they can get an early start. Not all families can afford music equipment. We are the only statewide organization that puts musical supplies into the hands of elementary students in their formative years.













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Spring Calves			
Kuemmerle & Dysart, Upton WY	40	B/R Hfr	560 \$135.75
Kuemmerle & Dysart, Upton WY	11	Blk Hfr	476 \$148.00
Kuemmerle & Dysart, Upton WY			
Kuemmerle & Dysart, Upton WY			
Oedekoven, Cliff & Sharyl, Recluse WY	32	Bbld Hfr	546 \$135.75
Oedekoven, Cliff & Sharyl, Recluse WY			
Pownall, Marsha, Gillette WY	30	Bbld Str	497 \$169.00
Schuricht & Kinstetter, Moorcroft WY	64	Blk Str	520 \$159.00
Schuricht & Kinstetter, Moorcroft WY	30	Blk Str	423 \$170.50
Stalcup, Thomas & Cathleen, Gillette WY	25	B/R Str	513 \$157.00
Telsrow, Richard, Aladdin WY	21	Bbld Hfr	508 \$136.00
Telsrow, Richard, Aladdin WY	23	Bbld Str	544 \$152.50
Wagner, Jared, Hulett WY	8	R/Ch Str	616 \$140.50

#### Wednesday - October 16, 2019

**Spring Calf Special** 12:00 NOON -Spring Calves

BT-Branding Time Shots PC-PreCondition Shots DF-Drug Free BV-Bangs Vaccinated NI- No Implants <u>Calves</u>

Nick O'Connor - 200 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 650-675# - BT, PC MT Consignment - 200 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 550-600# - BT, NI Schurecht & Kinstetter - 170 Blk Strs - 500# - BT, NI Doug & Charlene Camblin – 170 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 525-585# - BT, PC, NI Don & Nancy Turbiville - 150 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 525-575# - BT, NI Moore Ranch – 135 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 500-575# - BT, NI Kirby Kluver - 100 Blk Strs - 500-540# - BT, NI, DF Mike Grant – 90 Blk& Red Strs & Hfrs – 625-675# - BT, PC, NI Myron Anderson - 75 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 550-600# - BT, PC, NI, DF Mike Fuller – 63 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 500-550# - BT, PC Riley & Mary Lou Malli – 46 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 525-575# - BT, PC Alan Mills – 35 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 500-550# - BT, PC David Holland – 35 Red Angus Strs – 550-650# - BT, PC, NI Jeff Swaney - 30 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 450-550#

Joni Spaulding – 23 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 500-550# - BT, PC Peltier Trust – 16 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 525-630# - BT, NI Ron Nenaber – 7 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 500-550# - BT, PC

Plus More By Sale Time!

St Onge Livestock would like to announce that Kelly Baker of Spearfish, SD has joined our team as a new field man. If you would like to visit with him about the marketing of your sheep or cattle, give him a call at 605-569-3007

#### **Brand Sale**

Left Rib Cattle Brand

Friday, October 18th at Noon Left Hip





#### 2019 CATTLE SALES

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 Featureing 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

THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR BUSINESS!

Friday - October 18, 2019 Yearling & Spring Calf Special 8:00 Am - Yearlings Followed By Calves

Bt-Branding Time Shots Pc-Precondition Shots Df-Drug Free Bv-Bangs Vaccinated Ni-No Implants

<u>Calves</u> Jerry & Darc Duprel - 240 Blk Strs - 600-725# - BT, PC

140 Blk Hfrs - 575-675# - BT, PC C & T Ranch - 250 Char & Blk Strs & Hfrs - 450-575# - BT, PC, Nhtc Neil Shuck – 230 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 525-575# - BT, PC, NI – No Hfrs Kept Keffeler Ranch – 200 Blk & Charx Strs & Hfrs – 575-625# - BT, PC John Swanson – 170 Blk Bldy & Herf Strs & Hfrs – 525-600# - BT, PC, NI Brett & Melanie Crowser – 170 Blk & F1 Mostly Strs – 525-650# - BT, PC

Ryan Xz Ranch – 150 Mostly Blk Strs – 500-550# - BT, PC Troy Johnson – 150 Blk Strs – 525-600# - BT, PC, NI, DF Randy Oliver - 120 Blk Mostly Strs - 600-650# - BT, PC, NI

Ron Soelzer - 120 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 575-625# - BT, PC, NI Randy Bulkley – 120 Blk & Red Strs & Hfrs – 550-575# - BT, PC Oedekoven Ranch – 100 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 550-610# - BT, PC

Garman Ranch - 95 Blk Hfrs - 580# - BT, PC, NI, DF Gerleman Family - 90 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-600# - BT, PC Reed & Jamie Vandervoort – 90 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 525-600# - BT, PC, NI, Poured

Steve Soelzer – 80 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 575-625 – BT, PC, NI Shannon Tibbetts – 80 Blk Strs – 550-625# - BT, PC Roger, Lorna & Brad Wood - 70 Blk & Bldy Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# BT, NI

Snook & Sourdough - 70 Blk Mostly Strs - 600-650# - BT, PC Jim Jandreau – 70 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 425-475# - BT, NI, All Natural Jerry Shepperson – 70 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 475-580# - BT Darrell & Penny Oedekoven - 60 Blk & Red Strs - 650-675# - BT, PC Elizabeth Kanode – 55 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 550-575# - BT, PC, NI

Betty Ott - 50 Blk Mostly Strs - 575-625# - BT, PC, NI, DF Mckee Properties - 50 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 625-675# - BT, PC, NI Brad Severson – 50 Blk & Red Strs – 550-625# - BT, PC, NI Ron Pitts - 50 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-650# - BT, PC Tate & Bobbi Wells – 45 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 575-625# - BT, PC, NI

Jay Mattson – 45 Mostly Blk Strs & Hfrs – 400-500# - BT, PC Rick Hayden – 45 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 550-600# - BT, PC, NI Roy Henderickson – 45 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 475-525# - BT, PC, NI Dean Montgomery – 40 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 500-550# - BT, PC, NI

Todd & Cori Enders – 40 Herf & Angus X Strs & Hfrs – 525-575# - BT, PC, NI Darin Schuelke - 40 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 450-600# - BT, PC Kelly Collins - 30 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 450-600# - BT, PC Bob Wicka - 30 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-600# - BT, PC, NI Zane Marty – 25 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 600# - BT, PC, NI Kolby Wickwire - 25 Red Strs - 500-575# - BT, PC, NI

Dana Schultz - 20 Blk Strs - 575-625# - BT, PC, NI Jim Konechne – 15 Blk Hfrs – 675-725# - BT, PC Leonard Haberstroh – 12 Blk Strs – 550-650# - DF

Peggy Sue Garman – 12 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 580-625# - BT, PC, NI, DF Stinson Livestock – 10 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 525-575# - BT, PC Jerry Weber - 10 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 550-600# - BT, PC, NI, DF

Crago Land & Livstock – 350 Blk Mostly Strs – 800-900# Pete Reno & Sons – 250 Herf & Bldy Mostly Strs – 950-1000# - DF, Home Raised

45 Herf & Bldv Strs & Hfrs – 750-775# - DF. Home Raised T Qtr Circle Ranch – 200 Blk & Red Hfrs – 800-900# - Spayed Redland Ranch – 60 Blk Hfrs – 750-800# - Open

80 Blk Fall Strs & Hfrs – 600-650# - BT, PC, Weaned Ipy Ranch - 135 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 800-900# Rory Coats - 68 Blk & Bldy Fall Strs & Hfrs - 525-600# - BT, PC Merle Clark - 25 Blk Hfrs - 800-850# - Open Hutchinson Ranch - 19 Red Hfrs - 800-900# Lindsey Ranch – 15 Blk Hfrs – 850-900# - Open

Plus More By Sale Time!

#### Saturday - October 19, 2019

Weigh-Up Special

10:00 AM - Weigh Ups Noon - Breds & Pairs

Bred Cows

Duane Rugg – 15 Blk Short Term Cows – Bred Blk – 3/20

Plus More By Sale Time!

#### Wednesday - October 23, 2019

**Spring Calf Special** 12:00 NOON -Spring Calves

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

Courtney Herefords – 500 Blk & Red Bldy Strs – 500-600# - BT, PC Richards Ranch – 220 Blk & Bldy Strs & Hfrs – 550-650# - BT, PC Chet & Cooper Crago – 150 Char Strs & Hfrs – 600-700# - BT, PC Jim & Tawny Tetrault – 120 Mostly Blk Hfrs – 525-575# - BT, PC

Klondike Ranch – 120 Red & Blk Strs & Hfrs – 600-650# - BT, PC Scott Joslyn – 100 Blk Strs – 550-600# - BT, PC, DF, Poured Lindsey Ranch – 80 Blk Strs & Hfrs – 550-575# - BT, PC Wayne & Ross Garman – 40 Blk Strs – 580-600# - BT, PC, NI, DF Dan Debuer - 23 Blk & Char Strs & Hfrs - 550-625# - BT, DF

Trevor Slayer - 30 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-600# - BT, PC

Plus More By Sale Time!

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. 144 ...... \$41.00

...... 141...... \$36.00

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Sheep Report - October 10, 2019

Feeder Lambs Sold Fully Steady Few Hd Of Slaughter Ewes But They Sold \$3 To \$5 Lower

Next Sale - October 17th - Replacement Ewe & Feeder Lamb Special Thank You For Your Business!

#### Feeder Lambs

Willow Creek Partners ...

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Boylan, Robert, Newell SD	.73	.Lambs	. 56	\$204.00
Boylan, Robert, Newell SD	.270	.Lambs	.75	\$182.00
Boylan/Mctaggart, Newell SD	.11	.Lambs	.77	\$182.00
Boylan/Mctaggart, Newell SD	.33	.Lambs	. 90	\$163.00
Cerullo, Gayle, Newell SD	.2	.Lambs	. 67	\$197.00
Cerullo, Gayle, Newell SD	.11	.Lambs	.92	\$156.00
Mickelson, Travis, Mud Butte SD	.34	.Lambs	. 63	\$197.00
Mickelson, Travis, Mud Butte SD	.156	.Lambs	.78	\$182.00
Slaughter Ewes				
Boylan, Robert, Newell SD	.6	.Ewe	. 161	. \$41.00
Boylan, Robert, Newell SD	.11	.Ewe	. 141	. \$36.00

#### Willow Creek Partners ... ..14.....Ewe ..... **NEWELL SHEEP YARDS**

Fwe

October 17, 2019 1:00 pm

Replacement Ewe & Feeder Lamb Special

Expecting 5000 To 6000 Lambs

#### Feeder Lambs

MT - 500 Lambs - 95#

SD - 800 Lambs - 90# SD - 750 Lambs - 80#

MT - 550 Lambs - 80-85# WY - 300 Lambs - 70#

SD - 250 Lambs - 100#

MT - 150 Lambs - 80# SD - 300 Lambs - 75-80#

MT - 400 Lambs - 85# WY - 200 Lambs - 60#

SD - 100 Lambs - 80# MT - 250 Lambs - 90#

MT - 400 Lambs - 70-80#

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Replacement Ewes WY - 75 Yrlg Ewes - 140# - Fine Wool

MT - 250 4 To 6 Yr Old Ewes - Fine Wool WY - 100 Short Term Ewes

SD - 33 Sams X Solid Mouth Ewes

Plus More By Sale Time!

#### **Upcoming Sheep Sale 2019**

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

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.

St Onge Livestock has a receiving station for the Gillette Area. It is on Northern Drive in Gillette. Call Doug Miller at 307-660-0960 to let him know what is coming. You can unload all day every Thursday until 4 pm. You can also call Justin Tupper at 605-680-0259 & he can let them know your cattle are coming also. We also have a receiving station at the Broadus Yards, Broadus, NT. You can drop your cattle for any Thomas of the Area of the Area of the Property of the Area of the Ar 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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#### 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.

I've been in sales for years. Sat through as a student and helped teach the Dale Carnegie Sales Course, hired and trained sales people and read all the books. Here is a concise list of terms that helps explain marketing:

#### Marketing Concepts Explained - Part 1

**#1.** You see a gorgeous girl at a party. You go up to her and say "I am very rich. Marry me".

That's Direct Marketing.

**#2.** You are at a party with a bunch of friends and see a gorgeous girl. One of your friends goes up to her and pointing at you says, "He is very rich. Marry him".

That's Advertising.

**#3.** You see a gorgeous girl at a party. You go up to her and get her telephone number. The next day you called her and say, "Hi, I am very rich. Marry me". That's Telemarketing.

**#4.** You are at a party and see a beautiful girl. You get up and straighten your tie, you walk up to her and pour her a drink. You open the door for her, pick up her bag after she drops it, offer her a ride, and then say, 'By the way, I'm very rich. Will you marry

That's Public Relations.

#5. You are at a party and see a gorgeous girl. She

walks up to you and says, "You are very rich". That's Brand Recognition.

**#6.** You see a gorgeous girl at a party. You go up to her and say, "I am very rich. Marry me".

She gives you a nice hard slap on your face.

That's Customer Feedback.

#7. You see a gorgeous girl at a party. You go up to her and say: "I am very rich. Marry me!" And she introduces you to her husband.

That's Demand and Supply Gap.

**#8.** You see a gorgeous girl at a party. You go up to her and before you say anything, another person comes and tell her: "I'm rich. Will you marry me?" And she goes with him.

That's Competition Eating into Your Market Share. #9. You see a gorgeous girl at a party. You go up to her and before you say: "I'm rich, Marry me!" Your wife arrives.

That's Restriction for Entering New Markets.

And there you have it! No extra charge thanks to the Beacon.

The Good Stuff was developed for radio by Jim Thompson. 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

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# Z-Productions / Roper Rally Barrel Racing Results MOREAU RIVER QUARTER HORSES BATTLE OF THE AGES RESULTS - GOLLIHER INDOOR ARENA

Battle of the Ages is where 10 youth, adult and seniors compete against each other adding their times together. The TEAM with the fastest time wins. This year the seniors had the fastest times. They are Linda Hunter, Shannon Olson, Kathleen Carlson, Lonnie Farella, Twyla K Chapman, Della Amdahl, Jacquet Hackett, Jodi Simons, Mary Mitzel and Denise Sabo. The total time of the 10 contestants was 150.568.

	OPEN 5-D				
NAME	HORSE	TIME	MONEY		
1-D					
<ol> <li>Ginger LaDuke</li> </ol>	Wicked Felina CL	13.802	\$ 567.60		
2. Amanda Harris	Frenchmans Fire Fly	13.897	\$ 464.40		
3. Tara Stimpson	SL Fire Up Cash	13.911	\$ 344.00		
4. Makenzee Wheelhouse	Los Lonely Boy	13.918	\$ 223.60		
5. Mary Mitzel	Flashy Bay Lena	13.978	\$ 120.40		
2-D					
1. Gale Beebe	JW Tri Me Peewee Jr	14.343	\$ 473.00		
2. Kelly Anders	Apolleo S Speed Rocket	14.344	\$ 387.00		
3. Lori King	TM Blue Duck	14.349	\$ 286.67		
4. Madison Smith	Coronas Best	14.374	\$ 186.34		
5. Chrissy Peterson	Red Pep Code	14.396	\$ 100.33		
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3-D					
<ol> <li>Shawna Letcher</li> </ol>	Doin What She Needs	14.805	\$ 378.40		
<ol><li>Shawna Letcher</li></ol>	One Smooth Savage	14.813	\$ 309.60		
3. Lorie Johnson	Leo Shanty King	14.900	\$ 229.36		
4. Janet Pauley	Nala	14.910	\$ 149.07		
5. Darcie Ridl	Eyes A Lily	14.913	\$ 80.26		
4-D					
1. Kyndra Elshere	Flit My Ways	15.322	\$ 283.80		
2. Tess Wyly	Poncho Streak	15.361	\$ 232.20		
3. Cassie Hayman	CRI Drifting Whiskey	15.363	\$ 172.00		
4. Mark Wade	Badger	15.370	\$ 111.80		
5. Claire Boyer	Felix	15.390	\$ 60.20		
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5-D					
Vicki Fogerty	Dis Kat Can Scat	15.843	\$ 189.20		
2. Taryn Eversvik	PR Candy Stripe	16.011	\$ 154.80		
3. Bobbi Jo Troutman	Fivestar Teddy	16.021	\$ 114.66		
4. Megan Pond	Rocky	16.118	\$ 74.58		
5. Megan Pond	Utah	16.476	\$ 40.16		

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	SIDE POTS				
YOUTH					
1. Makenzee Wheelhouse	Los Lonely Boy	13.918	\$ 105.00		
2. Monet Drolc	Famous Magnum 44	14.183	\$ 63.00		
3. Marlene Woodward	Woody Be Magic	14.195	\$ 42.00		
ADULT					
<ol> <li>Breanna Bull</li> </ol>	Montana Jo	14.472	\$ 87.50		
2. Becky Bishop	Sheza Redemption	14.582	\$ 52.50		
3. Darcie Ridl	Eyes A Lily	14.913	\$ 35.00		
SENIORS					
<ol> <li>Mary Mitzel</li> </ol>	Flashy Bay Lena	13.978	\$ 175.00		
<ol><li>Kathleen Carlson</li></ol>	Salty Dog	14.119			
<ol><li>Kathleen Carlson</li></ol>	Ima Folk Dancer	14.246	\$ 87.50		
4. Shelly Christensen	Heidi	14.260	\$ 43.75		
FUTURITY					
<ol> <li>Ginger LaDuke</li> </ol>	Ima Country Fire	14.027	\$ 73.50		
2. Shari Taggert	A Blue Flash	14.167	\$ 49.00		
DERBY					
1. Tara Stimpson	Painted Fling	14.135	\$ 63.00		
2. Lori King	TM Blue Duck	14.349	\$ 42.00		
WPRA					
<ol> <li>Amanda Harris</li> </ol>	Frenchmans Fire Fly	13.897	\$ 256.00		
2. Tara Stimpson	SL Fire Up Cash	13.911	\$ 192.00		
3. Summer Kosel	Docs Royal Win	14.033	\$ 128.00		
4. Ginger LaDuke	Henrys Easy French	14.090	\$ 64.00		



GOLLIHER'S INDOOR ARENA - 2019 FALL SERIES SCHEDULE OCT. 5, 19-20 and NOV. 2nd. FINALS - NOV. 9

**WINNERS -** (Above left) The Saturday open winners from the Z Productions event at Golliher Arena on Sept. 14th. (Above right) The PeeWee winners from the weekend's competition. -Courtesy photos

## Newell Ram Sale and Show Results

**COLLEEN BRUNNER** 

news@bellefourchebeacon.com NEWELL - The results are in and the ram show and sale are considered a success for another year by the ram sale board. Breeds, head sold and total sales amount are: Targhee rams, 32, \$31,025; Targhee ewes, 1, \$800; Rambouillet rams, 61, \$41,550; Rambouillet ewes, 22, \$8,650; Columbia rams, 5, \$4,700; Columbia ewes, 1, \$600; Corriedale rams, 1, \$400; Corriedale ewes, 2, \$750; Suffolk rams, 29, \$17,850; Suffolk ewes, 11, \$3,925; Hampshire rams, 11, \$7,300; Hampshire ewes, 7, \$2,850; Dorset ewes, 1, \$375, for a total of 184 sheep sold for \$120,775.

High selling ewe- Kopren Tarrghee of Bison, with yearling ewe for \$800; high selling ram-Kopren Targhee, yearling stud ram for \$3500; high selling pen of range rams, Lisa Surber, 2 yearling Targhee for \$2300; high volume buyers (in order)-Boller/Mills Ranch, Gillette, Wyo..., Jack Orwick, Newell, Little Ranch Co., Leitner, Wyo.

The 2019 ram show and sale committee are made up of dedicated people including: Levi McDonald, Chris Gotfredson, Christy Frerichs, Dr. Lisa Surber, Ray Garness, Lindsey Mangis, Cody Burke, Codi Mills, Dave Ollila, Paul Erk, Max Wetz, and Dr. Sandra Holcomb. They are supported by the Newell Lions Club.

"Special thanks go to our auctioneer, Collin Gibbs, office help, Vickie Sechser, Sandra Boggess, Julie Kluck, and Courtney Rans," said Frerichs. "We appreciate the help of Tysha Mcdonald, Dr. Sammi Hanson, ring men-Dale Wetz, Kevin Bossman, Neil Vollmer and Scott Dirk, and the Newell Christian Fellowship Church ladies for the delicious food served."

This year the committee recognized Robert Amundson of Larimore, N.D., as a faithful consignor of 40 years. They also recognized Dr. James Martin for his years of service to the ram show and sale on his retirement from the committee.

In other results: Supreme champion ewe-Amundson Suffolks ewe lamb for \$500; Reserve champion ewe-Steinmetz Columbia, ewe lamb-not sold; Supreme champion ram-Chapman Rambouillet, yearling stud ram, \$1000; Reserve champion ram, Jon Beastrom, for \$2100; Supreme champion pair of ewes, Burton Anderson-not sold; Reserve champion pair of ewes, Braasch Land & Livestock, \$600; Premier

#### RAM SALE B4



## Newell Girls Take Fifth Straight LMC Win

**COLLEEN BRUNNER** 

news@bellefourchebeacon.com NEWELL – The Newell girls' varsity cross country team brought home their fifth consecutive Little Moreau Conference title on Tuesday, October 8, from Lemmon. The boys' varsity team grabbed a third-place finish. Both teams were coming from wins at the Timber Lake invite the week before.

The girls finished with a perfect score of 6, according to Coach Kyle Samuelson. In class B schools, the scoring utilized the first three runners. The Newell girls placed Austin Alexander in 1st, Lexa Burtzlaff in 2nd and Rachel Erk in 3rd. Other Newell girls who placed were Stacy Mahaffy in 8th place, and Sarah Kirby at 17th.

"I always knew Austin was a leader on this team," said Samuelson. "And this season I saw her come in more motivated than ever. She is doing a great job of promoting a great team culture, and has some big goals for herself, as well as the team, this season."

Alexander is a senior and has been on the team since sixth grade. According to Samuelson she made a big leap this season in both leadership and personal performance. Two of her goals were winning the conference meet as both an individual and a team.

Nathaniel Kirby had one of his best races of the season, finishing in 5th place overall for the boys' team. Mick King, who is a junior and in his first season with the team had his best race of the season.

"He made great improvements all season, and finished 11th overall," said Samuelson. Other boys placing on Tuesday were: Garrett Winkler in 9th, Tayten Smeenk in 12th and Wyatt Winkler in 27th.

The middle school race showed Newell improving as well, with three top 10 places. Clint Winkler grabbed the first-place spot, while David Kirby placed 5th and Blaise McGregor placed 9th.

"Both the Newell boys' and girls' teams have been running

TI PURINCE.

The Newell Lady Irrigators Cross Country team brought home their 5th consecutive LMC title from the meet in Lemmon on Tuesday. Austin Alexander grabbed first place. From left back: Coach Kyle Samuelson, Stacy Mahaffy, Alexander, Lexa Burtzlaff. Front from left: Rachel Erk and Sarah Kirby.

-Courtesy photo

strong this season," said the coach." Both teams run so tight and close together that it could be a nice advantage as we head towards the State Meet. There

will be a lot of teams in the running for team champions on both sides and we want to be in that mix."

## Newell-Vale-Nisland Roundup

COLLEEN BRUNNER

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NEWELL – The Newell school district held a week-long educational opportunity with the local fire departments. This gave the kids a chance for hands-on sessions with local EMT's, Fire

Department personnel and even a visit with Newell speech therapist Hannah Masko's Dalmatian. The dog showed the kids how to stop, drop, and roll, should they ever have their clothes catch on fire.

The event was to celebrate Fire Prevention Week. A few of the topics covered at some point during the week were: escape routes, two ways out of every room, stop-drop-roll, smoke alarms, hot doors, stay low, never re-enter a burning building, when to call 911, staying calm

and making noise, firefighters are our friends.

NHS Class of 1969 met for a reunion on September 28 with a potluck at the Spearfish Creek Wine Bar, and the night before for dinner at the Lodge in Deadwood. There were 44 in

> the graduating class. Eleven members have passed away, but twenty members and their guests attended.

Those in attendance were: Aileen Salmo Brunner, Gail Smith Brunner, Charlean

Albertson Swanson, Connie Neelen Kimball, Elaine Ahonen Ainsworth, Carol Youngberg Shipley, LaVonne Wright, Jim Pelle, Bev Heidrich Watson, David Haas, Janet McKnight Barden, Marjoe Bunney, John Stambaugh, Michael Bunney, Mick McDermott, Doug Kimball, Mike Reeves, Bob Gerkin, Marty Vig, and Ron Swan.

The Newell Middle School girls rocked it this week and grabbed hold of the LMC conference volleyball title. The girls, pictured at left: Back row from left: Kim Johnson, Rachel Erk, Megan Jackson, Jaelyn Wendt, Rylee Nelson, Mary Mahaffy. Front row from left: Kianna Miller, Hailey McCann, Eirylyn Bender, Reese Freeman, Sydney Baker.

Many in the local area had several hailstorms, most all in one evening at the end of September. Many, including Stan Lewis of Nisland, had stones that were around a quarter diameter. Many farmers still have hay to put up.



Newell Fire Department member Don Tishmack, back left, shares about the fire truck to Valerie Samuelson and students during Fire Prevention Week at the Newell school. *-Courtesy photo* 

With the snow that came this past week, many are wondering when that will happen.

There are lots of fun events coming up in NVN-land. Here are just a few. The annual CFEL Christmas Fair will be held October 17 at Newell City Hall beginning at 10 a.m. There will be a lunch for purchase and many booths with all sorts of things to buy. The Vale Community will be holding their 2nd annual Carnival on Saturday, October 19, at the hall starting at 5:30. Lots of fun games.

A community social event will be held on Sunday, October 20 beginning at 7 p.m. at the Newell Christian Fellowship church. There will be food, fun, fellowship, music and some testimonies. Call pastor Derrek Anderson at 210-2072 for more

information. All are welcome.
Butte Electric's annual meeting will be held at the Belle Fourche Red Center on October 22.
Registration and dinner start at 5 with meeting to follow. If you are a BE Member customer, please attend. Many door prizes will be given.

The next home volleyball game will be on Friday, October 25 with Timber Lake. The Lady Gators have been doing and awesome job and are fun to watch. Come at 5 for the JV game and stay to watch varsity. On Saturday, October 26, the Vale Community Country Church will hold their annual fall craft fair. Come to the north door of the church. The event begins at 9 a.m. and lasts till 3 p.m.

If you missed the Prairie Pals 4-H club roller skating night on October 12, you can come and have some fun following the 4-H recognition at Newell City Hall on Sunday, October 27. Roller skating follows the recognition.

The NVN Ministerial Harvest
Fest will be at the Newell City
Hall on Thursday, October 31,
starting at 6 p.m. There will
be a free hot dog supper, cake
walk, games, balloons and old
fashioned, sit-by-your-neighbor
visiting. Costumes are encouraged, even for adults. We can't
wait to see how the Ollila family
dresses this year!

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**RAM SALE** From B3

pen of range rams, Rufus and Patty DeZeeuw Suffolk lamb range rams, \$2025.

Rambouillet Breed: breed champion ewe, Chapman Rambouillet, yearling ewe, \$500; reserve breed champion ewe, Crawford Rambouillet, fall ewe, \$450; breed champion ram, Chapman Rambouillet yearling stud ram, \$1000; reserve breed champion ram, Anderson Family yearling stud ram,

Corriedale Breed: champion ewe, Phillippi Correidales ewe lamb, \$450; reserve breed champion ewe, Cheryl Gehrig ewe lamb, \$300; breed champion ram, Renetta Phillippi yearling stud ram, \$400 Reserve breed champion ram, Cheryl Gehrig stud lamb-not sold. Columbia Breed: champion ewe, Steinmetz Columbia, ewe lambnot sold; champion ram, Steinmetz Columbia, yearling stud ram, \$1000; reserve breed champion ram, NDSU HREC, yearling stud ram, \$1100.

Suffolk Breed: champion ewe, Amundson Suffolk, ewe lamb, \$500; reserve breed champion ewe, Dave Pearson, fall ewe, \$400; champion ram, Staci Zehnder, yearling stud ram, \$1300; reserve champion ram, Randy Dombek Family, yearling stud ram, \$400.

Hampshire Breed: champion ewe, Rufus and Patty DeZeeuw, ewe lamb, \$500; reserve breed champion ewe, James Valley Stock Farm, ewe lamb, \$400; champion ram, Chapman Hampshire, stud lamb, \$800; reserve breed champion ram, Travis Bell, stud lamb, \$1250. Dorset Breed: champion ewe, Promise Kept Farms-Tim and Kathy Coss, ewe lamb, \$375.

Texel Breed: champion ram, Tristin Lind-Lind Lambs, stud lamb-not sold; reserve bred champion ram, Tristin Lind-Lind Lambs, yearling stud-not sold.

Targhee Breed: champion ewe, Kopren Targhee, yearling ewe, \$800; champion ram, Jon Beastrom, \$2100; reserve breed champion ram, Kopren Targhee, yearling stud ram, \$3500.

In the wool fleece competition winners were: supreme fleece, champion Targhee fleece-Lisa Surber, \$316; reserve supreme fleece, junior fleece, honorable mention-Lance Rabel, \$234. Gary Babb Mermorial Hand spinning-Cheryl Gehrig, \$83. Champion Corridale

fleece-Jake Phillipppi, \$16. Each year the Newell Ram Sale selects two youth to award a \$500 purchase credit, to be used at the Newell Ram Sale. This year's recipients were Jetta Hulm, Glad Valley,

and Caleb McGregor, Newell. Jetta is 11 and the daughter of Jason and Megan Hulm. They raise cattle and sheep; which Jetta shows at the county fair. She also helps with the shearing, docking, and feeding of the lambs.

Caleb is the 15-year-old son of Shane and Jessica McGregor. He first got his start in the sheep industry at a Catch-a-Sheep contest in 2015 where he won a ewe lamb. Since then he has tried to learn as much as he can about the sheep industry and continues to show sheep at the county fair.

An error was made in the earlier article about the Ram Show and Sale. There was only one dinner, for consignors and showers alike, as well as anyone involved with the event. It was held on Thursday evening at the city hall in Newell.

## **Auditor Submits County Budget**

news@bellefourchebeacon.comBELLE FOURCHE - "I just emailed it (the budget) to the Department of Revenue," said Elaine Jensen, on her submission of the Butte County Budget to the state. The total budget for 2020 is \$7,845,039.00, which is \$1,071,340.00 more than the previous year.

The commission spent Monday, September 23 in an afternoon-long session to hammer out the final details.

A big increase in the jail budget, court-appointed attorney fees, law enforcement and state's attorney's budgets are due to increased crimes, such as drugs and sex crimes, that are ramping up in the county.

"Those costs keep rising," said Jensen. "But it is imperative that we keep our citizens as safe as we possibly can."

The Commissioners did give the county employees a 3 percent wage increase, across the board. Jensen said the county did not have an increase in health insurance, which allowed the commissioners to give the increase.

The Highway Budget for 2020 is \$2,108,715.00. The Highway Budget is being financed by Intergovernmental Revenues which includes STIP money, MV Funds, MV Prorate, Secondary Road Prorate, Wheel Tax, and the Highway and Bridge Reserve Levy of .035/\$1000 of taxable valuation to be used only for maintenance, repair and construction of roads and bridges. STIP is an acronym for State Transportation Improvement Program.

The County Levy will generate \$310,407.00 in tax dollars to go into a reserve account specially for roads and bridges. Of those funds, the county has to allocate 25 percent back to cities and towns within the county, leaving an available amount of \$280,892.37. There is NO general fund allocation for the highway department.

Comparing tax rate sheets from 2010 forward, there is a noticeable decrease of the levy amount, even with the addition

of the new Highway and bridge Reserve Levy. Included in the 2020 Highway Budget is Butte County's portion (\$100,000.00) for the Bridge that is currently closed on Wood Road. Approximately \$150,000.00 has been designated for engineering costs for upcoming Bridge Projects. It also includes a projected amount for chip and seal of 4.35 miles in the county road system, in the amount of \$160,500. These funds are part of the operating budget.

The Highway Department currently had two employees terminate their employment with Butte County to go elsewhere because of higher wages.

"It is so important that people are fully aware that the Commissioners and employees are doing their very best with the situations we have at hand," said Jensen. "I emphasize that Butte County is 100 percent transparent. If anyone would like to come in and look at expenditures/revenues or visit with me they are most welcome to set up an appointment."

Some people were added in both the states' attorney office and in the treasurer's office, as well as an additional deputy, of which Butte County will pay 25 percent of wages and benefits. The other portion is paid by a

"It's important to note that the part-time position at the treasurer office is not a new position," said Commissioner James Ager. "It was a position that has been vacant for several years and never filled."

Comparing the Butte County Tax Rate figures of 2010, 2015 and 2018, the Total County Tax Rate in 2015 was \$4,669/\$1000 value. In 2015 it dropped to \$4,478/\$1000 and in 2018 it dropped even further, to \$4,069/\$1000.

Chairman Kim Richards reiterated what he had said at previous meetings, and even with the special meetings held in both Belle Fourche and Newell. "We are finally getting back to a normal rate," said Richards. "This will help us get our roads back on track."

# Can They Do It? Yes They Can

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BELLE FOURCHE - At each county commissioner meeting, County Highway Superintendent

Dwayne Heidrich comes before the board and give a report of the county crew's activities during the previous two weeks.

For the past month these are the reports he gave. 9/24/19 activities: Finished culvert on Erk Road, Graff Road culvert done, concrete barricades set up on Orman Road bridge, Olson road bladed, Wood Road cleaned the ditches, bladed the top, started to gravel. Put signs on the end of Wood Road, because Lawrence County closed the bridge. Took out signs on 3V Road where BPM is going to mine through. 10/01/19 activities: Started

work on Winkler Road bridge, removing first deck and starting on second deck, mowing, blading roads, pulling ditches, finishing DOT contract for weed and pest.

"We're very, very busy," said Heidrich. "We are down two hands." Two blade operators need to be hired to replace those employees who have quit.

At the September 24 meeting Heidrich gave a report of hours committed to certain activities over the past year. During the summer months they spent 446.5 hours working on blading roads, mowing and other activities. Putting in secondary road spot graveling amounted to 779.5 hours, minimum maintenance road work took an addition 1318 hours. Reshaping primary roads took 356 hours, secondary roads took 291.5 hours, mowing 139 hours on primary and 244 on secondary. Flood damage repairs took 156 hours on primary and

568 on secondary. Cleaning up weeks in the spring took 60 hours on primary and 168 on secondary. Spraying on secondary roads took 269.5 hours.

During the winter the crew committed 673 hours to snow removal on primary roads, 1040.5 on secondary roads. It took a total of 358 hours to replace the Erk Road culverts, and 230 hours to replace those on Graff Road. Thistle spraying and cutting took many hours, and they will need to check back again in the spring to make sure the thistles don't come back.

Recently the crew put reflective tape on the concrete barricades on Orman Road bridge.

"Did you get it pretty narrow?" asked Chairman Kim Richards. "I was stopped by two individuals asking us to widen it back out," responded Heidrich. "I told them it wasn't happening."

The commission approved the new 4-year road plan, extending out to 2024. In the absence of Brosz Engineering representative Jason Hanson, Richards shared the plan with the public.

"This started when the state started the BIG (Bridge Improvement Grant) fund," said Richards. "To qualify for the BIG program a county must have a 5-year plan and a wheel tax."

Richards shared a resource packet with the predicted revenue for each project. He said as the budget is being compressed by mandated costs, there is no choice but to not fund the highway department (from the general monies).

The only portion of the highway department funding comes from the \$.35 levy and the wheel

"What we've seen with the county levy is that it has been going down each year," said Richards. "Basically it's been going down every year. The tax freeze of the '0-'s caused Butte County to levy less every year. (We're) Bringing it back up to the average." Richards said they will be able to put those funds directly into the highway budget where no one can touch it.

"Basically (it was) our only choice if we wanted to continue to see improvements in our roads.

Two people attended the public hearing portion of the road plan comment time. Lynn Hammerstrom came with concerns about Gabert Road and the "mess" between the bridge on Redwater and on south. He said he had to make repairs to his vehicles because of the roughness of the road. He asked what could be done.

Jeff Cullum said his concerns were all answered in the packet that he started reading as soon as they were handed out by Lori Johnston of the Highway Depart-

"I would recommend that you put a 'bridge out' sign, rather than a 'road closed' sign at the bottom of the hill," he said. Many people still try to travel that way, even with the current signage.

The highway department is making available the current 5-year plan as well as a handout that identifies the 2019/2020 Highway Work Plan for the county. Those handouts identified a total of \$1,917,734 that was budgeted for the county roads.

## **Newell Elementary School** September Students of the Month



**Braxton McCanahan** 1st grade



**Brilee Heath** 4th grade

## Then and Now in Newell

#### "Looking Forward to our Past" by Linda Velder from the Newell Museum

Oct. 21, 1909

O.T. Reedy and E.A. Gielittle were down from Orman to attend the Belle Fourche Valley Water User's convention. Amendments and new By-Laws to be voted on should be read and studied by each and every shareholder.

At the session of Meade County Commission on Saturday, a delegation of citizens and Sturgis officials requested that the road over Sly Hill be repaired. The intension is to widen the road sufficiently to allow teams to pass safely. The commission ordered \$250 to repair said road-way, provided the city spend a like sum to reconstruct the grades so that the maximum raise will not exceed 6% and construction gutters on the side with railings to protect dangerous places. This is good news to all who are compelled to use this highway.

Oct. 23, 1919

Henry Roberts and Mrs. E. Huffman closed a deal this week, whereby the later becomes owner of the large feed barn on South Girard and First, until recently conducted by the former.

The storm of Saturday night last week was the first real snow of the season and it continued until Sunday with depth varying 6" to 18". The storm had some peculiar features, starting with a rain accompanied with thunder and lightning, the thunder continuing after the snow had fallen for sometime. A rainbow of unusual brilliance appeared in

the north and this was followed by a brilliant display of the aurora borealis. Old timers predict much snow and extreme cold.

Oct. 17, 1929

The US Civil Service Commission has announced that it will receive applications until November 2, 1929 for certain temporary positions in the Bureau of the Census in Washington, DC in connection with the 15th decennial census. The examinations are open to all citizens of the US, both men and women, who meet the requirements. The positions to be filled are: Jr Clerk, Jr Calculating Machine Operator and Punch Card Operator with entrance salary \$1,440 per year to \$1,260 per year.

Feeder lambs are coming into the Valley in droves now. Some of them had been on the road many days through storm and mud and showed it. But as soon as they get into our alfalfa, corn stocks and beet fields they began to gain. Before they know it they will turn into \$1.25 for a chop or two in Chicago or New York.

Oct. 19, 1939

George Sternhagen, 45 and Vernon Moorhead, 40 both of Lead and employees in the Homestake Mine plunged 300' to their death about 6 0'clock Tuesday evening in the new Yates Shaft of the mine. The men were working in the 1,700' level of the new all metal shaft apparently lost their balance and fell from planking laid across the shaft, both

killed instantly. No eye-witnesses to the tragedy and mine officials were undecided as to the exact cause of the mishap, although an investigation in progress.

Mrs. Bert Ellis of Govert won the bowl and spoon set for guessing the number of pounds of Folgers Coffee in the stack at the Corner Store in Newell. She guessed 165 pounds, only 1 pound short of the correct number of 166 pounds.

Oct. 18, 1949

A steadily improving Nisland football team splashed through rain and mud on their home field Friday afternoon to defeat the Vale Beetdiggers by a 30 – 0 count. George

Thomas counted the first Mustangs goal on a 35-yard end run, Tony Aberle broke loose for the Mustangs intercepted a Vale pass and ran 50 yards, Thomas again added another end run making 18 - 0 and final period Stelzig and Thomas each added 6 in the final runs. Sunday afternoon Rev. & Mrs.

Parsons held "open house" at the Congregational parsonage for all members and friends of the church. Of special interest was the new study which had been completed in the addition at the rear of the house. Of added interest to all who came were a group of pictures showing Newell when it was first founded. Not a few people recognized pictures of the town as it was 30 to 40 years ago.

Oct. 15, 1959 Rodney Winger received a cut on his hand Sunday while working on a pick-up at the Kosola farm. He was attended by Dr. Joseph Pokorny and the cut required several stitches. Shortly after that incident, Bradley, son of Mr. & Mrs. Vinton Riggs received a cut on his forehead while playing in the yard. Dr. Pokorny stitched up the gash and Bradley is getting along nicely.

Supt Wm. Derr of Vale Public Schools has made arrangements with all teachers in the Vale system to release all grades on Tuesday at 3 PM for religious education. The program is entirely voluntary, but all children are encouraged to go to one of the churches. State Law which provides that 1 hour per week of religious training may be given "off the school property". Pastor Hopp of the Newell Lutheran church, group will gather in the Vale Church and Fr. Jerome Major announced his students will gather at the old Catholic Church in Vale. Oct. 17, 1979

Newell Future Homemakers' of American Chapter is sponsoring in cooperation with Senior Citizens, the Vial of Life Week October 22-26. The Vial of Life Project consists of a plastic pill bottle which contains an individual's vital health statistics. The vial is to be placed on the 2nd shelf of the refrigerator in all homes, so they may be readily available for anyone administering medical assistance. Accepting the first vials from FHA

President Sandra Orwick was: local Senior Citizens' Group President Bill Karinen, Newell City Mayor Joe Valandra and City Finance Officer Dan Wiest.

Wayne Besler and sons Brad and Chris trailed 4,500 head of yearling steers ended the historic trail drive to Madden Livestock Market at St. Onge, October 9. It took 7 hours and 3 auctioneers to handle the sale. The trail drive was 65 miles at least but closer to 80 miles when counting all the crisscross riding the cowboys had to do in 10 days to round up the steers before the drive began. 9 to 11 cowboys including 1 woman and a 10 year-old boy, rounded up 1,248 steers north of Moreau River, 1,200 around Two-top Butte and the rest as they headed toward Max Smith ranch in Arpan north of Orman Dam. Fences and private ownership of land make long trail drives a monumental job, something cowboys of a century ago didn't have to contend with during round-up times.

**Butte County Historical Society** Directors were installed Sunday at the quarterly meeting held in the Vale Church. Officers for the 1979-1982 are Vern Palo Belle Fourche, Laverne Noziska Belle Fourche, Viola MacKrell Vale and Shirley Floden Zeona. All incumbents were elected to additional 3-year term at a candle light ceremony by outgoing Director and Secretary Ken Wetz, Newell.













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## **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 Oct 17, 1896

A Gettysburg Survivor Each day, each month, each year the Grand Army of the Republic is growing smaller. Almost each hour is some veteran soldier of the Rebellion responding to the call of the Great Commander and joining the army of the silent majority. James M. McKeivy Past G.A.R. of St Cloud, Minn., contains one such, Milton F. Sweet. No man stands higher in the community

Talk of the Town

There will be an entertainment basket supper at Butte Athletic Hall on Saturday eve. October 24th under the management of Miss Lucy Lytton, Miss Mabel Wood, and Miss Rosella Boe. Admission free. The ladies will bring baskets, which will be sold and proceeds go toward a fund to buy dictionaries for the three schools. Everyone turn out and help in this worthy project.

T. K. Slaughter was in town the forepart of the week. Mrs. Ostrander, of Harding, was at the county seat Thursday. Mrs. R. Mullenger and daughter returned from Sturgis on Thurs-

Yale's Disgrace Students of Yale college, numbering hundreds, created such an uproar during the time when Bryan was delivering an address at New Haven lately, that he was compelled to stop speaking. The case is without a parallel in our history. We are disgraced as a nation, abroad. The opinions of all men, until proven otherwise, are worthy of a respectful hearing.

#### 100 years ago **Belle Fourche Bee** Oct 16, 1919 Highest Priced Lands

Land values in the Belle Fourche valley continue to increase, a new top value being, placed last Thursday. When Wm. Delaney of Nisland paid \$200 per acre for the 400-acrea ranch of Dr. J. L. Townsend, one mile east of Nisland. Dr. Townsend has owned the place since the Belle Fourche project was first started, buying it at a time when lands in the part of the county were selling at around \$12.50 to \$15.00 per

May Avert Strike Effort Being Made to Prevent Nation-Wide Walkout of Coal Miners

Washington, Oct. 14 – In an effort to avert threatened nation-wide strike of bituminous coal miners. Secretary of Labor Wilson will invite John L. Lewis, acting president of the United Mine Workers of America and John L. Brewster, representing the operators

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Want Ad in Belle Fourche Bee, Oct 16, 1919

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to confer with him probably Thursday.

Two Deaths In Homestake Mike Ronchetto and James Winecotch, miners employed by the Homestake Mining Company at Lead, lost their lives Monday night of this week. when they were overcome with gas while assisting in subduing the fire that has been burning in the mine for the past few weeks.

75 years ago The Belle Fourche Bee Oct 19, 1944 The Tri-State Milling **Company** 

has won the War Food Administration's Achievement "A" award for outstanding accomplishment as a food processor in this state. This is the first award of its kind to be presented in South Dakota. To the management and employees we extend our congratulations.

> Inductees Called Up For Service, Tuesday

The following inductees have been called by the Butte County Selective Service Board to report for induction into the service Tuesday of next week, October 24: Clayton Clifford Coull, Richmond, California; Joe Domingo Belarde, Richmond, California; Edgar Donald Matthews, Van Port City, Oregon; Paul Reid, Venice, California; Calton Sevren Viker, transferred to Minneapolis, Minn,; Walter Frank Smith, Belle Fourche; David Howard Merrill, Belle Fourche; William Schaub, Belle Fourche; Vernon Hafner, Newell. Those leaving for the city will report at Fort Snelling, Minnesota.

German War Prisoner Writes Parents Here

Mr. and Mrs Philip Zorn, Nisland, haver received the following letter from their son, RE T/ Sgt. John, now a war prisoner in Germany "Dear Mom, Dad and all: Just a few lines to let you

this letter reaches you the same. This may be a shock, but please don't worry about me."

#### 50 years ago Belle Fourche Bee Oct. 19, 1969 Did You Know Christian

Ever heard of Christian A. Essinger? The Frost and Son Funeral Home of Belle Fourche received a call from a Hot Spring, Ark., funeral home Wednesday inquiring about Essinger's relatives. The man died Oct.3, 1969 at Hot Springs, Ark. He was nicknamed "Scotty" and was believed to have two sisters in the Belle Fourche area. He was born March 22, 1898 at Wishek, N.D. and was a veteran of World War I and II. Anyone who has any information is asked to contact the Frost

Direct from the Vantage Press, New York City, to The Daily Post came the past weekend a book written by one of our own, Myrtle Davidson Withrow (Mrs. Wesley). The jacket describes the book as a "colorful novel." We'll agree to the colorful part but now the novel. It is not fiction, and it is only 95 pages long. We defy any person - especially a resident

of the Tri-State area or one who has had pioneering parents or grandparents - to drop it before the last line. Everyone in this western country should read The Claim, especially those of us who know the names and places used in the book – Belle Fourche, Newell, Two-Top, Castle Rock, Haystack Buttes, Bear Butte. And even those of us who study writing styles will say: This is real writing, this writing which has no style. Myrtle Withrow has put three years on paper without battering it lifeless with pen and ink.

What Happens to City Hall? Would you believe city hall at one time this building about 10 feet wide and 16 feet long. Served as the Belle Fourche city hall and the city jail, which we have heard was in the basement. Building housed a shoe repair shop for many years, but has been empty for some time. The building is located on land which Mr. and Mrs. John Durr have donated to the city for a civic center. City officials have not yet announced their plans for disposing of the old city hall, but it probably will be removed and another piece of local history will be gone.



by Mary Buchholz know I am still well and hope

Essinger?

and Son Funeral Home.

More, More (Editorial)

# Team Chicken Legs Rides On!

#### NANCY HENDERSON

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Sandi Clooten and Jill Muth know all about teamwork. They both are certified nurse practitioners with Regional



Health in Spearfish but their teamwork goes well beyond that. They're the original members of Team Chicken Legs, a group of dedicated bicyclists riding to promote awareness of multiple sclerosis and help fund research to FIND a CURE.

Now in its 10th year, the team is affiliated with the Colorado-Wyoming Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society due to its proximity to riding venues in Wyoming. South Dakota is a part of the Upper Midwest Chapter which is headquartered in Minneapolis, Minnesota, and encompasses Iowa, North Dakota and several counties in western Wisconsin and Nebraska as well. But regardless of chapter affiliation, everyone involved in Bike MS® is working towards the same goal as stated in the society's website.

"...stopping MS in its tracks, restoring what's been lost and ending the disease forever."

MS is a disease of the central nervous system that affects individuals in differing ways. It can disrupt the flow of information within the brain as well as

#### **KAREN ODELL**

news@bellefourchebeacon.com Dick and Erma Albert spent their time at home this week. On Sunday, after church, they took Father Ed to lunch at Saloon Number Three.

Gordon 'Pete' Anderson and Dixie Garr went to the Methodist Church Bazaar and Dinner on Sunday. Last Sunday Terry

Goehring visited at Bruce and Lynn Gustafson's. Lynn wants to be sure that everyone knows that Bruce is an adamant Alabama fan. Don't accuse him of cheering for any opposing team. Lynn went to the Hills for appointments and shopping on Tuesday. On Sunday they headed to Camp Crook for the church dinner, and noticed that Cottonwood Creek was frozen completely ac That afternoon they went fishing at the dam, and found it open.

Doug and Julia Davis have been staying close to home. Julia had a dentist's appointment on Thursday, but heard that there was lots of snow in Belle Fourche, so she called to cancel. Doug got new doors on his shed, and did lots of trenching during the week.

Donna Lewis spent a few days, this week, at Pam Gorder's in Baker. Wanda and Buff Brown came for a visit and they all came out to the ranch on Sunday. Wanda did the cooking and tomorrow they will do some work getting the ranch ready for winter.

Ernie and Rachel Melum did their pre-conditioning of the cows and calves this week.

Olivia Furrow, Owen Schreder, Jim Grapentine, lisa grapentine, Zach Grapentine and Bridget Grapentine

between the brain and the body. Nothing 'chicken' about these Team Chicken Legs members whose annual August ride with other Bike MS® teams begins in Sheridan and covers 150 miles in two days. To participate, the rider must be able to guarantee a \$300 donation to MS by contributing the money themselves or soliciting donations/support elsewhere. This past August, Team Chicken Legs brought in nearly \$18,000 from their ride which also saw team member Jim Grapentine's 12-year-old grandson, Owen Schreder, cover 100 miles in a single day. Close to 300 people participated in that ride.

Sandi was diagnosed with the disease nearly 14 years ago. Jim, store manager of Lynn's DakotaMart, became involved via his late mother-in-law who also had MS.

"We ride while we still can," Sandi honestly explains. Her daughter Grace, brother Greg

#### Capitol News

Rachel's garden had been very productive. It had been hailed out twice, but even so, she got a

thousand more pounds of potatoes this year, than she had gotten last year. Her green beans produced seven pickings, and her corn made 41 quarts. She had only watered her garden once this year. The only

problem was that on Labor Day, everything was ready for picking at once, so the work went into the night. They went to church in Baker on Sunday, and came back by Ludlow for the Abby and Kelly Nible baby shower.

Dorothy Padden had quite a trip last week. She went to Billings where she met grandson, Kevin and Lisa Olmsted. The three of them flew to Syracuse, New York. They rented a car and drove to Cooperstown, NY for her granddaughter, Erica Chin's marriage to Gerry Frasco at Long View Farm. They spent three days in Cooperstown, enjoying the country in full color. Besides attending the wedding festivities, they visited the Farmer's Museum, Farmer's Market, Baseball Hall of Fame, and took a Scenic Historic Train Ride. Then they flew back to Billings, where Dorothy stayed with her son Brett and Stacie. The threat of show kept her there until Tuesday, when the weather cleared. On Sunday, Dorothy went in to Camp Crook for the Methodist Church Dinner and Bazaar at the Camp Crook Community Center. Diane Wear went early on

and nieces have also ridden with

Local fundraising/MS awareness activities also include participation in the city's annual Parade of Lights in December and the soup-off contest in February at Crow Peak Brewery in Spearfish, the group's main fundraiser. There's also charity bartending during Deadwood's Days of 76 celebration. Team member Angie Kent donated several thousand dollars to the cause from sales of her "Speargonia" hats and stickers. When not "in the saddle," team members hope to take on local volunteer activities which could include construction of handicap ramps at area homes.

Notes Jim, "Our effort is to educate people about MS. And what an inspiration Sandi is to the whole team."

To learn more about riding/ volunteering, contact Sandi at 605-210-3271 or Jim at 605-723-1610.

Monday to go with Ronda Cordell to Spearfish for Ronda's three appointments. They went to Spearfish Canyon first, to tour and take pictures. They stopped at Roughneck Falls, and went on to Cheyenne Crossing. It was a beautiful day with wonderful colors. Diane came again on Tuesday to help Ronda get ready for the predicted weather change. They picked Ronda's tomatoes, jalapenos and a couple of bushels of apples, leaving some 20 bushels on the tree for the deer. Clint Zolnoski has been frantically gathering bales between wet spells. Early on Wednesday, Clint and Ronda went to the Buck Ranch to bring in three pairs. They vaccinated the calves and moved them to the rest of the herd that had been moved earlier. They had to get in and out of there before the roads were too muddy to haul the Bobcat and corral panels. Clint went to winterize tanks, and Ronda went to the Long Pines to get some other pairs before the storm. On Thursday, Ronda braved the roads in the snow and wind to go to Spearfish for another appointment with Dr. Little for her knee. Travel was slow, but she had no trouble. On Friday, Ronda took mail to Camp Crook and ate at the Over The Edge. Clint and Denise took Abby to the doctor on Saturday to check a rash. Ronda went to the Jake and Cat Martinez wedding reception at the Over The Edge on Saturday evening. She went in to Camp Crook on Sunday for the church bazaar, and met with Cristen



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Westling and Jon Hamilton from Rapid City. The three stopped at Clint and Denise's on the way home. Clint and Andrew Sauser had been building on the shelter belt fence. Abby's rash was mostly gone on Sunday and she seemed to feel better.

Charlie and Karen Odell went to Buffalo on Monday for the junior high volleyball games against Ekalaka. It is quite interesting to watch those little girls. The playing goes from spectacular to astounding.

Karen remembers a story from when her girls played high school volleyball. Micki's Ekalaka team was in Buffalo playing against Tennille Teigen's Buffalo team. The teams were in the locker rooms getting ready for the varsity game, when Micki was called to the door. Tennille was there, and asked if Micki had an extra sports bra that Tennille could borrow for the game. Toni said that she couldn't borrow from her own team, because they were all too little. Micki did have

an extra bra, so she loaned it to the opposing player for the game. It's stories like this that make life interesting. I think that Micki's team won, but have always wondered if Micki hadn't shared her bra, would Buffalo have been able to claim a handicap? (Sorry girls I just had to share this story.)

On Tuesday, Charlie Odell went to Spearfish for parts and supplies. Billy Roadifer brought a load of hay on Wednesday. Then on Saturday. Charlie went to Buffalo for salt. On Sunday, he and Karen went to the Camp Crook Community Center for the Methodist Church Bazaar. Karen has been staining shelves and sorting books. She got a call from Kenna and talked to the kids on Saturday. On Sunday, Mollie's family were at the Vikings football game in Minneapolis, Micki's family were at the Pumpkin Patch in Tacoma getting pumpkins, and Jeff was meeting a movie star. Life is interesting.

#### **BETTY OLSON**

news@bellefourchebeacon.com Taz and Amanda came home from the circuit finals in Minot that night and brought me a very welcome bag of ice for the ice machine that keeps my knee cool. Casey and Missy stopped in Dickinson on the way home to visit Lanie and Matt and the grandkids.

Reub hauled me to Hettinger to start physical therapy on Monday and picked up some stuff at Runnings before we left town. Our son Guy called from Wyoming that evening to see how I was doing.

Sage came down from Hettinger Tuesday morning to help the guys work the sheep and get the lambs ready to sell. Casey and Taz each hauled a semi load of lambs up to sell to Missy's brother, Brian Dreiske. Kathy Archibald called me that evening to see how my knee was coming along. Kathy has also had knee surgery and knows exactly what I'm going through.

Dennis Nash came over Wednesday morning to bring me some Velcro bags to put the ice packs in to keep my knee cool before we left for another physical therapy session in Hettinger

that afternoon. Dennis has had both his knees replaced and is my chief advisor and supporter.

I was supposed to go to Hettinger for physical therapy again on Thursday but the nasty weather that rolled through here that day canceled that trip. It snowed hard and the wind blew all day, so Reub fired up the woodstove to keep us from freezing to death. Ken Amor called from Abilene, Texas that morning and he was suffering from the heat because it was 93 degrees down there. It's so hot he's having a second air conditioner installed in his mobile home. Ken's gotten used to South Dakota temperatures but this would have been pretty chilly for him too, because it was only 23 degrees here when he called!

There were lots of family birthdays this week. Sage and Alaina's son Dathan turned 3 this Thursday and Thad, Cade and Sandy Bill Matson all had birthdays on Friday. Cade celebrated his birthday by flying an airplane from Gillette to New-

#### **Grand River Roundup**

castle and back that morning. Happy birthday boys!

Besides Kathy Archibald's call, several other friends who have had knee replacement surgery called this week to see how I was doing. Dennis Hathaway recently had his knee replaced

and he called during that snowstorm Thursday afternoon to check on me. Kelly Britton had knee surgery last week and he called Friday to tell me that he is doing pretty well already. Dennis Nash calls me quite often to encourage me and share helpful advice. I'm so very fortunate to have friends like these.

RonE and Starla Jenson, Jace

and Kami Jenson, Casey, Missy and Amanda all went down to watch Jarett and Trig play in the football game in Spearfish Saturday afternoon while Taz stayed home with the little people. BHSU beat the School of Mines pretty easily this year, quite a contrast from the game last year when the Hard Rockers beat the Yellow Jackets really bad!

Bill Vroman's friends and family service will be at the Leverington Funeral home in Belle Fourche Thursday, October 17 starting at 5pm. and his funeral will be at 2:00 Friday, October 18 at the school in Buffalo. Slim Buttes Ladies Aid met after church this Sunday to plan on what to bring to furnish the lunch at our friend Bill's funeral

in Buffalo. He is really going to be missed in our community and his family has our sympathy.

I have some more questions: \*Why don't we ever see the headline "Psychic Wins Lottery"?

\*Why can't women put on mascara with their mouth

closed? \*Why "abbreviated" is such a

long word? \*Why lemon juice is made with artificial flavor, yet dish washing liquid is made with real lemons?

\*Why do they sterilize the needle for lethal injections?

\*Just what is Victoria's secret? \*Does the alphabet song and twinkle twinkle little star have

\*Why did you just try to sing those two previous songs?

the same tune?









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## **Belle Jackpot Rodeo Awards**

The 2019 Belle Jackpot Association had their annual awards night on October 6th. Youth ages 5-18 competed in rodeo competitions held at six jackpot events that took place throughout the summer of 2019. BJA President Faye Pelster and Vice President Stephanie Grubb awarded the winners beautiful prizes that were ordered by Rhonda Fuhrer. Event directors were also present to assist with the awards night. Those directors included: Lana Dacar – Barrel Racing; Chrissy Peterson – Pole Bending; KeAnna Ward - Goat Tying; Chad Pelster, Jason Grubb and Kevin

Jensen – Team Roping In 2020, Brylee Grubb will take over as the Goat Tying event director and Abby Olson will be in charge of the awards night.

Fuhrer- Breakaway and Calf

Roping; Seth Weishaar and Keith

The BJA would like to express a big thank you to ET Sports. For many years, ET Sports has paid the arena rental fees for the BJA and it is very appreciated. In addition, the BJA thanks the volunteers who step in to help when needed in order to keep the BJA alive and well for area youth rodeo contestants.

#### 2019 Belle Jackpot Association Prize Winners Prizes will be given for 1st - 4th place. If four places aren't listed, there were not 4 individuals in that event that won money.

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BOYS GOAT TYING	Cartier Hutchison     Josh Main     Koby Bowsten			
BARRIL RACING	Shingta Lesmeister     Syd Paleter     Sione Weidner     Mylee Crane			
POLE BENDING	Shippia Lemmister     Syl Peister     Store Woolneir			

11-14 Age Group

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POLE HENDING	There Weshar     Terpys Grubb     (3/4 place hs)     Surjey matrison     Monet Droc
0-14 Briskaway	Brylee Grupp     Sern Weishaar     Metays Word     Suby Foxyden
Youth Team Roping - Header	1. Judon lergen 2. Narce Bowden 3. Lan Fidner
Youth Team Roping - Heeler	J. Serri Welshaar 2. Jan Jernen 3. Carter Hutchison

15-18 Age Group

Event	Fylan Winner		
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POLE HONOUNG	3. Sharek Lambe 3. Sharek Housek 3. Sydney Egypt		



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DATE: October 2019

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This notification is to inform parents/guardians and former students of the Belle Fourche School District's intent to destroy the Special Education records of students who received Special Education services during the 2013-2014 school years. These records will be destroyed in accordance with state laws unless the parent/guardian or eligible (adult) student notifies the School District otherwise. After five (5) years, the records are no longer useful to the District, but they may be useful to the parent/guardian or former student in applying for Social Security benefits, rehabilitation services, college entrance, etc. The parent/guardian or eligible (adult) student may request a copy of Belle Fourche School District 9-1

Attn: Special Education Records

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Requests for copies must be received by October 31, 2019. These records will be destroyed after November 15, 2019. For more information, call 605-723-3356.





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#### Belle Fourche Livestock Market, LLC October 10th, 2019

We had a lighter run because of the weather. The market on the calves with fall shots was higher. We've got a big run of calves coming next week

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SPRING CALVES				
Fredrickson Ranch LLC, Broadus, MT				
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Keith or Jennifer Rohrer, Fort Shaw, MT	95	. Black-Str Pc	.574	.151.00
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Keith or Jennifer Rohrer, Fort Shaw, MT				
Keith or Jennifer Rohrer, Fort Shaw, MT	.22	. Black-Hfr Pc	.427	.155.50
Keith or Jennifer Rohrer, Fort Shaw, MT				
Johnson & West, Banner, WY	50	. Black-Str Pc	.559	.156.50
Johnson & West, Banner, WY				
Cory R Peterson, Upton, WY	00	. Black-Str Pc	.606	.145.75
Cory R Peterson, Upton, WY	17	. Black-Str Pc	.480	.165.00
Cory R Peterson, Upton, WY	58	. Black-Hfr Pc	.563	.140.00
Cory R Peterson, Upton, WY	.28	. Black-Hfr Pc	.467	.142.50
Kirk R or Denise Robinson, Ralph, SD	.24	. Black-Str Pc	.464	.166.00
Tom Andrews, Biddle, MT	56	.Blk/Bwf-Str Pc	.534	159.00
Tom Andrews, Biddle, MT				
Tom Andrews, Biddle, MT				
Tom Andrews, Biddle, MT				
Matt or Karen Disney, Sundance, WY	.38	. Red/Rwf-Str Pc	.534	156.50
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Hines Ranch LLC, Gillette, WY				
Victor Small Jr, Lame Deer, MT				
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Victor Small Jr, Lame Deer, MT				
Cold Creek Ranch Inc, Hulett, WY	12	DII/Dwf Qtr Dt	.552	150.00
Charles or Sallie Nicholas, Spearfish, SD.				
John M Koltiska Trust, Sheridan, WY				
Everett Zimmerschied, Carlile, WY				
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Jason King, Hammond, MT				
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Brownfield Ranch Inc, Hammond, MT		. Herf-Str	.1034	.130.25
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Tom Sparks, Plevna, MT				
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Nance Cattle Co, Birney, MT				
Charles Waldie, Miles City, MT				
Charles Waldie, Miles City, MT	23	. Blk/Bwf-Hfr Spayed	.731	.143.50
Lepisto Land & Cattle Co, Miles City, MT				
Lepisto Land & Cattle Co, Miles City, MT	33	. Blk/Bwf-Hfr Spayed	.862	.140.25
Kling Ranch, Belle Fourche, SD				
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Busenitz Land & Cattle, Hulett, WY	.26	. Black-Hfr Open	.953	.134.25
Lantis Ranch LLC, Nisland, SD				
Bar H Ranch, Reva, SD				
Jason & Karen Mclennan, Belle Fourche, SD.				
Darwin Or Kay Latham, Camp Crook, SD.				
K & D Livestock Inc, Volborg, MT				

#### Belle Fourche Livestock Market, LLC October 11th, 2019

We had a good run of cows with a strong market.

<u>WEIGHUPS</u>				
Ray Randall, Broadus, Mt				
GNA Ranch, Broadus, Mt	1	. Black-Cow	.1410	.72.00
GNA Ranch, Broadus, Mt	1	. Black-Cow	.1580	.71.00
GNA Ranch, Broadus, Mt	1	. Bwf-Cow	.1330	.69.50
Larry Vignaroli, Buffalo, Wy	1	Black-Cow Drug Free	.1220	.72.50
Larry Vignaroli, Buffalo, Wy	9	. Black-Cow Drug Free	.1379	.71.00
Larry Vignaroli, Buffalo, Wy	6	. Black-Cow Drug Free	.1345	.70.75
Larry Vignaroli, Buffalo, Wy	1	. Black-Cow Drug Free	.1335	.70.00
Larry Vignaroli, Buffalo, Wy				
Steven A & Gail L Silcox, Sheridan, Wy	7	. Black-Cow	.1579	.72.00
Steven A & Gail L Silcox, Sheridan, Wy	2	. Black-Cow	.1348	.68.50
David McMichael, Biddle, Mt	1	. Black-Cow	.1620	.69.00
Jason & Karen Mclennan, Belle Fourche, SD.	1	. Black-Cow	.1635	.69.50
Dennis Dunning, Otter, Mt	1	. Black-Cow	.1630	.68.50
K & D Livestock Inc, Volborg, Mt				
Cory R Peterson, Upton, Wy	6	. Blk/Bwf-Cow	.1341	.68.00
Cory R Peterson, Upton, Wy	4	. Black-Cow	.1350	.67.50
Cory R Peterson, Upton, Wy				
Cross Crown LLC, Buffalo, Wy	5	Black-Cow Drug Free	.1416	.68.00
Cross Crown LLC, Buffalo, Wy	1	. Black-Cow Drug Free	.1440	.66.00
Kirk R or Denise Robinson, Ralph, SD	.2	. Black-Cow Drug Free	.1468	.68.00
Kirk R or Denise Robinson, Ralph, SD	4	. Black-Cow Drug Free	.1419	.67.50
Kirk R or Denise Robinson, Ralph, SD				
Kirk R or Denise Robinson, Ralph, SD	8	. Blk/Bwf-Cow Drug Free	.1403	.67.50
Kirk R or Denise Robinson, Ralph, SD	5	. Black-Cow Drug Free	.1424	.66.25
Busenitz Ranch Inc, Hulett, Wy	1	. Black-Cow	.1230	.66.50
True Ranches LLC, Casper, Wy				
Michael or Trinity Rodriguez, Buffalo, Wy				
Joe or Jessica Painter, Buffalo, SD				
Gabe Carroll, Ekalaka, Mt	10	. Blk/Bwf-Cow	.1225	.59.00
Hines Ranch LLC, Gillette, Wy	4	. Black-Cow	.1318	.60.00
Hines Ranch LLC, Gillette, Wy	.2	. Black-Cow	.1318	.57.00
Hines Ranch LLC, Gillette, Wy				
Charles A & Or Kerry Heath, Clearmont, Wy.	1	. Hol-Cow	.1435	.58.00
King Bros, Aladdin, Wy	1	. Black-Cow	.1455	.55.00
Schelldorf Ranch Inc, Sundance, Wy	1	. Herf-Cow	.1225	.54.50
BULLS				
Stacy Moke, Belle Fourche, SD	1	. Black-Bull Drug Free	.2070	.79.50
Cathy Mcdowell, Powderville, Mt				
969 Ranch, Broadus, Mt				
Rod Schmiedt Oacoma, SD				
Shane Moke, Belle Fourche, SD				
Pat King, Aladdin, Wy				
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#### Thursday October 17th, 2019

#### **Feeder Cattle 8am** Six ESS Ranch - MT

**CALVES** Anders & Wilson - SD 550 char x clvs 550-650# PC, NI Kim Kling Ranch - SD 500 blk ang clvs 450-550# PC, DF, AN Michelle Simmons - WY 350 blk/bwf mixed clvs 500-600# PC, NI

<u> Lake Creek Ranch - MT</u> 300 blk/bwf/few red mixed clvs 500-525# PC, drug free Perino Ranch - WY 300 blk & char strs 500-550# PC, NI Bryan Stroh Inc - WY 300 blk/bwf strs 475-525# PC, NI Lynn & Connie Weishaar - SD 300 blk/bwf mixed clvs 550-625# PC, NI, poured, NHK

> **Ballou Angus - WY** 250 blk mixed clvs 500-550# PC, poured NI, sexed at home Neal & Jim McCoy - SD 250 blk mixed clvs 550-600# BT, NI <u>Sheridan Burgess - WY</u>

220 blk mostly strs 550# PC NI Joe & Jane Burke - SD 200 blk strs 550-600# PC, NI, Drug Free Moore & Moore L/S - WY 200 blk mixed clvs 500# PC NI **Bob & Monte Miller - WY** 185 blk mixed clvs 550-600# 60 hfrs 125 strs PC, poured

**DDRTV - MT** 184 blk mixed clvs 525-575# 94 strs 90 hfrs PC. AN. drug free Cammack Ranch - SD 180 blk strs 500-600# PC Bruce Blair - SD

**David & Lynette Donahey - MT** 130 blk mixed clvs 450# PC, NI, poured, DF, all hfrs in town Larry Ligocki - WY 125 blk mixed clvs 550-600# PC

180 blk mixed clvs 625-650# PC, NI, poured

Robert Ligocki - WY 125 blk mixed clvs 550-600# PC Farella & Rossman - WY 120 blk mixed clvs 500-600# PC, NI Kevi Morrison - WY 110 blk mixed clvs 550-650# 70 strs 40 hfrs blk angus, PC

Wade Dungey - WY 110 heref/bwf mixed clvs 550-600# BT, NI

100 blk/bwf mostly hfrs 525-600# PC, DF, poured Vincent Oedekoven - WY 100 blk/bwf mixed clvs 550-600# PC Keith Ranch - MT 100 mixed color mixed clvs 450-550# PC, DF, A/S Ron Graf - WY 95 mixed blk bwf 550-600# All Natural Art Cundy - WY 85 blk mixed clvs 450-550# 60 strs 25 hfrs BT OP Bar Ranch - SD 85 heref & a few 1st x bwf strs 600# PC, NI, wormed, poured **Darrel Hohn - SD** 80 blk mixed clvs 575-625# PC, NI, poured, cake broke, sired by Schaffs Valley angus bulls

**Betty Simonipsih - SD** 80 blk mixed clvs 500-575# PC Linda Lulias - WY 65 blk mixed clvs 525-550# BT John & Arlene Boetker - SD 60 blk mixed clvs 600-650# PC, NI, poured Sandy Hanson- HAE Ranch - SD 60 blk mixed clvs 600-650# PC, NI, poured **George Sparks - MT** 

60 red/blk baldy strs 575# PC NI Neal McCoy - SD 60 blk mixed clvs 450-525# BT Kirk Ericson - SD 60 heref mixed clvs 550# PC, NI, DF **Claude Voiles - WY** 55 blk mixed clvs 500# BT NI Ray Bogner - MT

55 blk & red mixed clvs 525-550# PC Farella & Merrill - WY 54 blk mixed clvs 575# PC, NI Jim McCoy - SD 50 blk mixed clvs 475-525# BT, NI Dan & Cindi Conner - SD 50 blk strs 600# PC, NI Jeff Schloredt - WY

50 blk mixed clvs 500 Ron Christensen - WY 50 blk/redx mixed clvs 450-525# 2/3 strs, BT, NI, 7-way, Pyramid 5 + Presponse **Dixon Ranch - WY** 

49 blk mixed clvs 400-600# BT, PC, hfrs are BV **Barney & Shelly Dean - MT** 40 blk mixed clvs 450-650# PC Tim Dix - SD 34 blk mixed clvs 550# PC, NI, no brands

Wayne & Kelli Jo Patterson - SD 28 blk mixed clvs 550-650# PC, NI, poured Patricia Morgan - WY 28 blk mixed clvs 500-600# PC, NI

Ed & Kathy Merrill - WY 26 blk mixed clvs 575# PC. NI Jeff Schuck - WY 25 blk mixed clvs 550-575# PC NI drug free **Terry Mines - WY** 25 blk & red mixed clvs 600-625# NI, BT **Dick Conzelman - WY** 

25 blk mixed clvs 600-625# BT Carl Mathison - SD 22 mixed clvs 500-575# BT Alan Morris - SD 15 blk & red mixed clvs 550# blk baldy & red baldy, PC, NI, poured, Drug Free

**Don & Betty Brown** Family Trust - WY 15 blk strs 600-900# BT J&P LLC - WY 15 blk mixed clvs 500# PC, NI

Rex & Morgan Wulf - SD 13 red strs 550-600# PC, NI, poured Dan Cooper - SD 12 blk/red clvs 500-550# **Darrell Biers - SD** 

12 blk mixed clvs 600# PC, DF, poured John Peterson - WY 11 red mixed clvs 525# red angus, PC, NI **YEARLINGS** 

John Johnson - SD

275 blk strs 850-1050# HR, DF

American Ranch LLC - WY 160 blk strs & hfrs 1000# 140 strs, 20 spayed hfrs (900#) Faddis Kennedy - WY 75 heref hfrs 750# tested open Dave Magnuson - WY 70 blk yrlng strs 900# drug free **Grubbing Hoe Ranch - SD** 

70 blk/bwf mixed yrlgs 750-900# hfrs are spayed or open Nance Cattle Co - MT 50 blk mostly strs 900# hfrs are exposed Matthew Hubbard - MT 25 blk hfrs 900# tested open Beer Mug Ranch

15 hfrs (blk, 700-750#) Peter & Mauri Sobotka - SD 10 blk/bwf strs 900# HR, NI, all shots **Chance Odell - SD** 10 heref, hfrs 800-850# spaved

20 mixed yrlgs 700-900# 5 strs (red/blk/char 900#)

#### BELLE FOURCHE LIVESTOCK MARKET, LLC

**Weighup Cattle Sale** 

#### Friday October 18th, 2019 Weighups @ 9am, Stock Cow & Bred Heifer Special @ NOON

Matt Hubbard - MT 20 May calving bred heifers Matt Hubbard - MT 12 April calving bred cows Charlie Williams - MT 30 April calving blk cows

**High Plains Commodities Offices** Belle Fourche Livestock Market, LLC Stop in or Call 1-800-888-1432 Kim Kling - Kem Kjerstad

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

#### **CONSIGNORS:**

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

Selling Friday, October 18, 2019



**Left Hip Cattle** & Horse

#### **BROADUS, MT RECEIVING STATION**

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

#### **UPCOMING SA**

Thursday October 17th	Feeder Cattle Special	8 AM Start Time
Friday October 18th	Weighup Cattle Sale	9 AM Start Time
	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Speci	al 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 Speci	al 12 PM Start Time
Thursday November 7th		
	Weighup Cattle Sale	
Thursday November 14th .	Feeder Cattle Special	8 AM Start Time
Friday November 15th	Weighup Cattle Sale	
	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Speci	al 12 PM Start Time

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Thursday November 21st	. Feeder Cattle Special8 AM Start Time
Friday November 22nd	.Weighup Cattle Sale9 AM Start Time
Monday November 25th	.Weighup Cattle Sale9 AM Start Time
	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Special 12 PM Start Time
Thursday December 5th	Weighup Cattle Sale9 AM Start Time
	Feeder Cattle Special12 PM Start Time
Thursday December 12th	.Feeder Cattle Special11 AM Start Time
Friday December 13th	.Weighup Cattle Sale9 AM Start Time
Christmas Classic	. Stock Cow/Bred Heifer Special 12 PM Start Time
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	Feeder Cattle Special12 PM Start Time
	Stock Cow/Bred Heifer SpecialTo Follow