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 2024 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT

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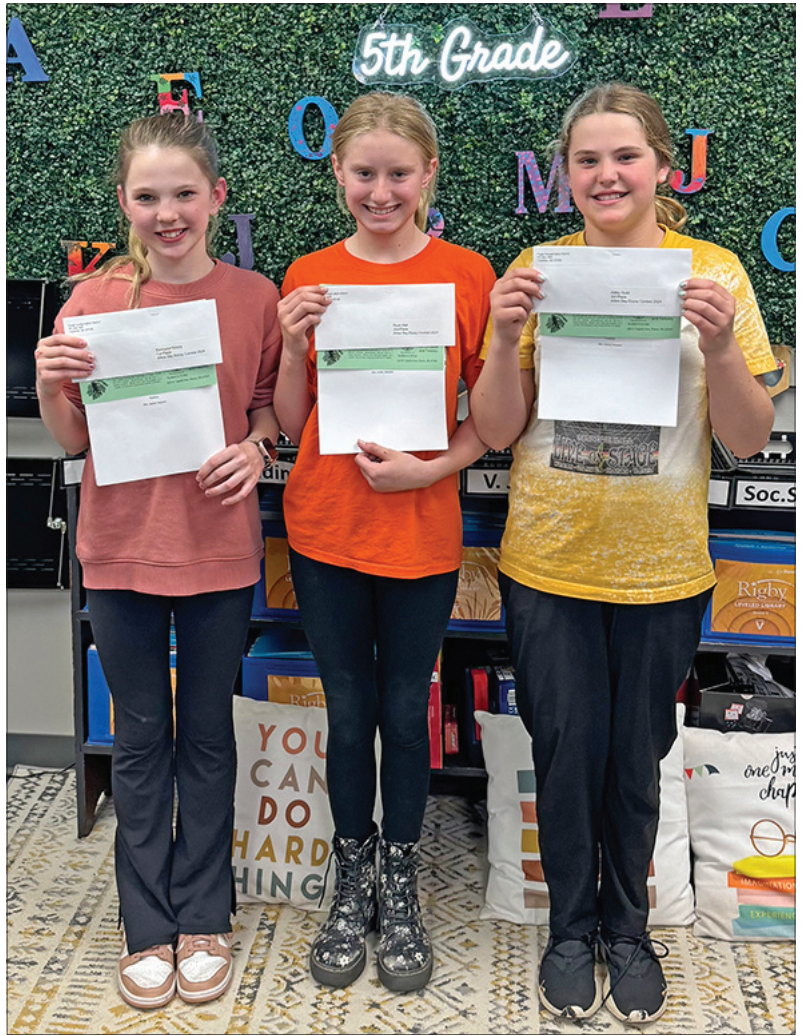
Simon Bowar is the college student recipient and Olivia Hadrick is High School recipient.

Agtegra Announces 2024-2025 Scholarship Recipients

Agtegra Cooperative has awarded scholarships to 10 high school seniors and one college student who are pursuing agricultural degree programs for the 2024-2025 school year. The purpose of the scholarship program is to further the advancement of the agricultural industry and the cooperative system through education while promoting academic excellence. High school senior recipients will each receive \$500 to be used toward a full-time undergraduate agricultural degree program at a 2- or 4-year postsecondary institution located in South Dakota or North Dakota. High school senior recipients include the following: Natalie Bieber: Bowdle High School; Garrett Crawford: Aberdeen Roncalli High School; Olivia Hadrick: Faulkton High School; Dakota Jensen: Bowdle High School; Connor Johnson: De Smet High School; Hailey Kizer: Howard High School; Kellen Kueter: Montrose High School; Cameron Noethlich: Doland High School; Kara Siemieniewski: Lidgerwood High School; Heidi Steffes: LaMoure High School.

The college student recipient, who will receive a \$1,000 scholarship, is Simon Bowar of Faulkton, South Dakota. Bowar is currently studying animal science at South Dakota State University.

Agtegra's scholarship program aims to reward passionate, driven and future-oriented leaders who are willing to meet the high demand of the agriculture industry. "As a farmer-owned cooperative, we are excited to invest in the next generation of agricultural leaders through our scholarship program," says Jason Klootwyk, Agtegra CEO. "These students have a strong passion for agriculture, and we wish them the best of luck with the rest of their education and future careers." Agtegra's 2025-2026 scholarship application will become available online at <https://www.agtegra.com/our-communities/scholarships> on October 1, 2024.



Olivia Hadrick Receives Blue & Gold Scholarship



Back Row: Speaker Nathan Kafer, Chase Hanson, Maddix Bray, Adley Huss, Emmalee Bossly, Blake Bowman, Bryant Cotton, Kaden Kaup, Waylon Adams, Eli Hogg, Ryan Holt, Tilden Edgar, Front Row: Steven Roseland, Joseph McCamly, Everett Miller, Kinze Breen, Olivia Kast, Kinley Mueller, Henry Homan, Joe Kravik, Quinn Ortmeier, Lola McCamly.

Faulkton 5th Grade students Celebrate Arbor Day

Arbor Day was celebrated by Faulkton's 5th grade elementary class along with students from the Blumengard, Brentwood, Evergreen and Thunderbird Colonies. This year's Arbor Day presentations were given by Nathan Kafer, State Forester, from Mitchell on April 17. Arbor Day is recognized state wide on the last Friday of April. All students were given a Black Hills Spruce tree from the Faulk Conservation District.

History of Arbor Day: As pioneers began moving into the Nebraska Territory, the lack of trees was felt deeply. Not only did the new residents miss the trees they left behind, they were also left without the trees they needed as windbreaks to keep soil in place, for fuel and building materials, and for shade from the hot sun. Nebraska newspaper editor — and resident of Nebraska City, NE — J. Sterling Morton had an enthusiasm for trees and advocated strongly for individuals and civic groups to plant them. Once he became secretary of the Nebraska Territory, he further spread his message of the value of trees. And on January 4, 1872, Morton first proposed a tree planting holiday to be called "Arbor Day" at a meeting of the State Board of Agriculture. The celebration date was set for April 10, 1872. Prizes were offered to counties and individuals for the largest number of properly planted trees on that day. It was estimated that more than 1 million trees were planted in Nebraska on the first Arbor Day. Arbor Day was officially proclaimed in 1874 by Nebraska's Governor, Robert W. Furnas, and the day was observed April 10 that year. In 1885, Arbor Day was named a legal state holiday in Nebraska, and April 22 was selected as the date for its permanent annual observance. Many other states also passed legislation to observe Arbor Day each year. By 1920, more than 45 states and territories were celebrating Arbor Day. And the tree planting tradition became prominent in schools across the nation in 1882, with schoolchildren learning about the importance of trees as well as receiving a tree to plant in their own yard. Today Arbor Day is celebrated in all 50 states. The most common date for the state observance is the last Friday in April — National Arbor Day — but a number of state Arbor Days are at other times to coincide with the best tree planting weather, from January and February in the south to May in the far north.



Letter to the editor

Dear Editor:

Vote Lapka: Steady Leadership, Strong Values

I'm a farmer and rancher from Mitchell, SD, and in the last couple of years, I've gotten to know Mark Lapka at landowner meetings in the battle over our private property rights.

We not only share a passion for cattle, but for family, community, the beautiful South Dakota prairie we call home, and our desire to ensure our children and grandchildren have a bright future in this state we love.

I've sat next to him in testimony meetings in Pierre during the legislative session. I've witnessed him lead rallies on issues important to him and his neighbors. I've heard him speak on stages, sharing his message for the future. And I've seen him do the quiet work that needs to be done behind the scenes to make a difference.

Mark is a man of exceptional character who exhibits steady leadership, strong values, and a commitment to doing what is right — no matter the cost. He's a fearless leader with a servant's heart, and I truly believe he exemplifies what makes our state great. He's the type of guy who would drop everything to help someone in need, and with his work ethic, he has no quit in his bones; he'll work until the job gets done.

A champion for private property rights, local control, limited government, fiscal responsibility, family values, and protecting and preserving the Constitution

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-- Mark is running for the South Dakota District 23 Senate seat. He not only has my complete and total endorsement, but I'm incredibly grateful to call Mark and his wife, Holly, dear and trusted friends.

Vote Mark Lapka for District 23 Senate and send a committed citizen leader to Pierre.

Paid for by Amanda Radke, Mitchell, South Dakota

Abundantly Blessed to be held Apr. 25-26-27

Abundantly Blessed will be held at the United Church of Faulkton on April 25, 26, 27.

Please bring and take articles on Thursday Apr. 25, 9 a.m. through Friday, Apr. 26 until 2 p.m.

Please bring items early, bring only good clean items and please do not bring any articles on Saturday, Apr. 27.

Thurs. and Friday from 9-5:30p.m. come browse and take items and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. but please do not bring items on Saturday.

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will offering would be greatly appreciated. All proceeds are used to help defray rental costs and supports the Ministerial Association.

Faulk County 4-H State Shoot April 26-28

Our regular shooting sports season has come to an end. We had 35 4-H members in the program this year with 30 qualifying for state shoot. They will compete at Pierre/Ft. Pierre the weekend of April 26-28.

*Indicates state qualifier

Aida Anderson - *BB Gun, *Air Pistol, *Air Pistol Silhouette, *Air Rifle, *Air Rifle Silhouette, *22 Pistol

August Anderson - BB Gun, *Air Pistol, *Air Pistol Silhouette, *Air Rifle, *22 Pistol

Lydia Blachford - *Air Pistol, *Air Pistol Silhouette, *Air Rifle, *22 Pistol, *22 Rifle Silhouette

Asher Bowman - *BB Gun
Boston Demery - BB Gun, Air Pistol

Breelyn Demery - *BB Gun, Air Pistol

Hesten Edgar - *Air Pistol, *Air Pistol Silhouette, *Archery

Tilden Edgar - *BB Gun, *Air Pistol, *Air Pistol Silhouette

Kyler Hammond - *BB Gun, *Air Rifle

Collin Hayes - *Archery
Savanna Hayes - *Archery

Cain Hogg - *Archery
Eli Hogg - *Archery

Aubrey Horning - *BB Gun, *Air Pistol

Brynlee Hyatt - *BB Gun, *Air Pistol

Adalynn Kalkman - BB Gun
Dezilyn Mestas - *Air Pistol, Archery

Hayli McGaugh - BB Gun, Air Pistol, Archery

Emrich Monroy - BB Gun
Lannie Oakley - *BB Gun, *Air Pistol

Brynlee Rasmussen - *BB Gun, Air Pistol, *Archery

Selleck Roseland - *Air Pistol
Seth Roseland - *Air Pistol, *Archery, *22 Pistol

Tate Roseland - *Air Pistol, *Archery

Reece Roseland - *Air Pistol, *Archery

Rhyann Roseland - *BB Gun
Emma Schilder - *BB Gun, *Air Pistol

Jacob Schilder - *BB Gun, *Air Pistol, Archery, *22 Pistol

Levi Schilder - BB Gun, *Air Pistol

Ruger Slunecka - BB Gun, *Air Pistol

Maverick Speck - BB Gun
Coy Stephenson - *BB Gun, Archery

Samuel Trefz - *Archery
John Kolbe Trefz - *Archery

Colt Vander Vorst - *Air Pistol, Archery

Thank you to all the parents and coaches who dedicate their time to this program. We couldn't do it without you!

Coaches: Jim Slunecka, JD Anderson, Cory Hayes, Doug Trefz, Justin Schilder, Sal Roseland, Chris Hammond, Matt Blachford, Cory Slunecka, Kyle Bowman, Brady Schilder, Grant Vander Vorst, Good luck to the state qualifiers and congrats to all on a great season! Be watching for pictures from our fun nights (April 8 & 10), the annual 4-H drawing (April 22), and the results from the state shoot (May).



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Each and every year, students accomplish some amazing feats in the classroom, on the athletic field, and in the community. This year is no exception with two teams qualifying for the state tournament, many individual awards in various sports, excellence in music, drama, FCCLA, and FFA. Each of these successes make this year one for the books.

One of our students, Carson Leonhardt, embarked on a journey of helping others to complete a requirement for a class. It all started while Carson was attending a football camp and met Coach Greg Roeszler. Coach Roz is the founder of the Playmakers Organization, which promotes social inclusion and kindness to kids with developmental differences and special needs. The more Coach Roz and Carson visited, the more interested Carson became in bringing an event to South Dakota to promote sports and inclusion to students who displayed special needs.

On April 20th, this event took place in Aberdeen at the dome. Students from around NE South Dakota were invited to participate and enjoy some togetherness that centered around a sports experience. Carson's event was a tremendous success and was well attended.

Dakota News Now, featured a story on Carson and his program on their nightly news broadcast. Carson has plans to continue this experience for youth in the future with hopes of expanding the opportunity to Mitchell, where Carson will be attending college at DWU and again in Aberdeen. To learn more about Playmakers, please visit their website at www.theplaymakers.org.

Faulkton Area Schools and our staff are proud of Carson and all the students who set a positive tone of leadership and an example of helping others. Students who are positive leaders, help to develop these qualities in others. Go Trojans!

Respectfully,
Grant Vander Vorst
Superintendent/Elementary Principal



Senior Spotlight

Mason Kaiser is the son of Eric and Stephanie Kaiser. Mason's favorite class in high school would have to be Accounting, as it is what he's going to Northern State University for next year. Mason also really enjoys math, as it is his best subject. Mason's favorite school memory would be freshman year in Nikki's room when he put in a whole pack of gum in his mouth.

Nikki's tolerance was already used up for the day, and she yelled at the top of her lungs at him to quit being dumb and to sit down. Mason has never been this scared in his life before, and he swears his face was illuminating the color red. Since then, Mason has never done something dumb in her class, and swears he learned his lesson. His advice to underclassmen would be to turn your homework and assignments in on time, and don't put a whole pack of gum in your mouth in Nikki's class.

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Senior Spotlight

Ashlyn Sorensen is the daughter of Mike and April Sorensen. She participates in Competition Cheer, Basketball, Golf, FCCLA, and Theater. She currently works part-time at the Faulkton Area Out of School Program and in the summer, she will work as a lifeguard and water safety instructor at the Faulkton City Pool.

Her favorite high school memory was when she found out she was selected to be the 2023 State FCCLA First Vice President. This office has kept her very busy throughout her senior year as she has held statewide workshops, attended a Capitol Experience to advocate for Career and Technical Student Organizations and in April she will help run the State FCCLA Leadership Conference. In the fall she plans to attend SDSU and major in Biology and Wildlife & Fisheries. After college graduation she aspires to become a Wildlife Biologist at a National Park or Wildlife Rescue Center.

Ashlyn's Senior Spotlight is sponsored by
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Senior Spotlight

My name is Layne Cotton. My parents are Cody and Leah Cotton and I have three siblings Carley, Claire, and Bryant. I enjoy outdoor activities as well as sporting activities. I play basketball, baseball, football, track and field, golf, and baseball. I also attend Our Savior Lutheran Church. My favorite class is English class. I plan on attending SDSU. In 10 years, I see myself living and working in the Faulkton area. I will miss all my friends back at FHS. My biggest pet peeve is when Garrett purposefully annoys me. One piece of advice I would give to underclassmen is just to have fun while you're here.

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Wed., Apr. 17 . . .	57	32	
Thurs., Apr. 18 . . .	47	26	
Fri., Apr. 19	40	26	
Sat., Apr. 20	50	28	
Sun., Apr. 21	61	34	
Mon., Apr. 22	67	39	

Scott Armstrong, Observer
The total amount of moisture in 2024 is 3.23. Total moisture in 2023 to date was 5.78.

Faulkton Area Coming Events

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- Apr. 25: Faulk County Community Transit will meet at Dot T's at 5:30p.m. All are welcome to come!
- Apr. 26: Arbor Day!
- Apr. 27: Track in Potter County starting at 10 a.m.
- Apr. 27: Golf in Eureka-Bowdle starting at 10 a.m.
- May 1: FFA Petting Zoo 9 am at the 4-H Barns.
- May 2: Golf at 10 a.m with Aberdeen Christian and multiple other schools.
- May 3 & 4: Track at 4 pm at Howard Wood.
- May 6: Faulkton High School Pops Concert at 6:30 p.m.
- May 16: Faulkton Area Arts Council meets at 6 pm at King Insurance.
- May 18: Faulkton High School Graduation! 2 p.m. Faulkton School Auditorium.
- May 20: Golf at 10 a.m. Pierre T.F. Riggs.
- May 23-25: State Track in Sioux Falls.
- June 3-4: State Golf in Mitchell.

Keep watching the Current Events column for up and coming start dates and game dates!!!

Oil up Buttercup has a **new phone number!** To Order your drink call **605-850-1763**. Buttercup is open Wed - Fri. 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. + Special sales Events.

Angel Among Us Daycare and FFA are collecting POP TOPS for the Ronald McDonald House to help families stay for free with loved ones while in the hospital.

Need a ride? Call Faulk County Community Transit 605-228-7938, Monday thru Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. (Call the day before). \$2 for first ride and \$1 after. Tokens can be purchased at the school, city office, or the driver.

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA/NA) is now back in session at Our Savior Lutheran Church, every Thursday at 8 p.m. If needed you may contact 605-216-5142.

Cresbard Cemetery Board is seeking donations to meet expenses. They can be sent to the board c/o Ashley Kretschmar, PO Box 42, Cresbard, SD 57435.

The Faulk County Cancer Support Group is available to provide information and assistance to those with cancer in Faulk Co. and surrounding area. For more information, or to find out meeting dates and times, please contact April Sorensen at 605-598-1147.

There is help: food pantry available at St. Thomas Catholic Church, 1013 Court Street, in Faulkton, sponsored by the Faulk Co. Ministerial Assoc. phone 605-598-6590, 8 a.m. to 12 noon Tues. thru Sat.

Wednesdays: WON meetings will not meet again until further notice. Call 598-6206 for further info.

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4 Faulk County Record S.D. high schools to vote on NIL amendment, two board members

by Dana Hess

There are nine people nominated for two positions on the South Dakota High School Activities Association board of directors. The nominations took place Wednesday, April 17, during the association's annual meeting.

Five superintendents were nominated to fill the West River at-large position on the board. They are Chris Long of Lyman, Kelly Daughters of Faith, Erik Person of Lead-Deadwood, Mark Naugle of Custer and Cory Strasser of Rapid City.

That board position is currently held by board chairman Kelly Messmer of Harding County.

Four athletic/activities directors have been nominated for the Native American school representative on the board. Candidates must be from a high school that has at least a 50% Native American student population. The candidates are Charles Wilson of Todd County, Rich Crow Eagle of Tiospa Zina, Francis Big Crow of Lakota Tech and Tre'Voun Buffalo of Wakpala.

That board position is currently held by Dani Walking Eagle of St. Francis Indian School.

To earn a place on the board, a candidate must receive a majority of the votes cast by member schools. If no candidate can hit that benchmark, the two candidates with the highest vote totals will compete in a run-off election. All member schools may vote on board members.

New board members will serve five-year terms that start on July 1.

All member schools will also vote on a constitutional amendment that delineates in detail the association's rules governing the use of name,

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image and likeness for students who have monetized their social media presence. Running afoul of the NIL rules can result in the loss of an athlete's amateur standing for a year.

The association's constitution currently says that students will be ineligible if they receive "remuneration for the use of their name, picture and/or personal appearance as an athlete in the promotion of a commercial or profit making event."

SDHSAA Executive Director Dan Swartos, who would have to rule on an athlete's eligibility, said "as an athlete" is "very broad."

"There's not a whole lot to go off of," Swartos said, as it pertains to determining if an athlete broke the rules.

While students earning money on their name, image or likeness on social media are most often found at the college level, Swartos said he has had some inquiries from the parents of high school athletes about the association's NIL rules.

The amendment serves to clarify the rules for high school athletes who seek to get paid for the use of their name, image and likeness. According to the amendment, the social media activity of the athlete must not:

- Interfere with academics.
- Be tied to athletic performance such as pay to play.
- Induce the athlete to attend a particular school.
- Receive payment from the school or agents of the school like booster clubs or foundations.
- Use SDHSAA or a member school's marks or logos.
- Use the school's name, mascot or uniforms.
- Promote or endorse activities associated with alcohol, tobacco, vaping, controlled substances, gambling, banned athletic substances or other illegal substances or activities.

The association also advises international students to consult U.S. visa and immigration rules.

Students and their families are advised to seek legal counsel and it is up to them to make sure that their NIL participation does not jeopardize the student's college athletic eligibility.

To be approved, the amendment will need a yes vote from 60% of the schools that vote.

SDHSAA move to sanction baseball worries Legion official

by Dana Hess

An American Legion official raised concerns after two high schools requested that the South Dakota High School Activities Association consider sanctioning baseball.

The association got the request from Superintendent Matt Alley of McCook Central High School and Superintendent Eric Denning of Mount Vernon High School. Denning also serves on the SDHSAA board of directors.

Dan Wyatt, a Legion member from Madison, spoke to the SDHSAA board via Zoom during its meeting Wednesday, April 17.

"I could see Legion baseball done in South Dakota in three or four years if this goes through," Wyatt told the board.

SDHSAA Executive Director Dan Swartos explained to Wyatt that after the board sanctioned softball, it approved a formal process for the sanctioning of new sports. That process would take at least a year, Swartos said, and if the sport is approved by the board, it would be another year before the first season started.

The first step is a written request from a school or SDHSAA staff. In the next year a proposal must be completed that includes a history of the sport, data on interest from member schools, recommendations on a season timeframe and projected start-up costs for schools.

A steering committee would then conduct a post-season finance and venue study as well as study the impact on the school calendar and its impact on

current programs. If approved by the board of directors, an advisory committee would be established and a handbook developed.

Swartos assured Wyatt that his organization as well as the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the South Dakota High School Baseball Association would be included in the planning process.

Some high schools offer baseball through the South Dakota High School Baseball Association. Wyatt said the Legion and the baseball association work well together in Madison.

Despite assurances from Swartos, Wyatt remained concerned. "Would I like to see it happen?" Wyatt asked. "No."

The board unanimously voted to start the process of sanctioning baseball. Denning abstained from the vote.

SDHSAA board hires former Freeman athletic director

by Dana Hess

At its meeting Wednesday, April 17, the board of directors of the South Dakota High School Activities Association hired Kristina Sage as an assistant executive director. Sage is currently the athletic director at Freeman High School.

Sage will replace Jo Auch who is retiring this summer, having served SDHSAA since 2008.

SDHSAA Executive Director Dan Swartos said the association is "incredibly thankful to have experienced Jo's expertise, kindness and humility for the past 16 years."

Sage's duties will include oversight of boys' and girls'

tennis, volleyball, competitive cheer, competitive dance, sideline cheer, boys' and girls' basketball, gymnastics and softball.

"Kristina's experience at Freeman High School and the Cornbelt Conference, as well as her established relationships with athletic directors across the state, will lend itself well to the position," Swartos said.

Broncs, Bull riding and More

Mark your calendars and plan to attend the annual Ipswich Trail Days on June 14-16th. The three-day event will include: a golf tournament, Amazing Race, Youth 3 on 3 Basketball tournament, a parade, free inflatables, 5 concerts and more.

The annual Saddle Bronc and Bull Riding will kick off at 4 p.m. on Saturday with a Calcutta of riders and stock. The event is free to all thanks to our sponsor CHS-River Plains. Horses will be provided by Spud Creek Rodeo and Bulls by Raise Em' Rank. \$3,000 payout in saddle broncs and \$3,000 in bull riding. Plus, Buckles to the Champions. Contestants will receive a concert ticket and supper between the rodeo and concert. Call or text Nate at 605-515-4313 beginning May 25th to enter.

Following the rodeo, enjoy the concert of South Dakota's own Rowan Grace and headliner Chancey Williams on the Agtegra Stage. For more detailed information visit our website at www.IpswichTrailDays.com or Facebook @ Ipswich Trail Days.

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Applications need to be submitted to Grant Vander Vorst by May 10th. Please direct questions to Mr. Vander Vorst at 598-6266 ext. 502 or grant.vandervorst@k12.sd.us




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Faulkton Senior Living News

by Joyce Kalkman

Monday morning means lets get some good music on the boom box and start limbering up our limbs. Eileen Valecruz put an Elvis CD on and Joyce got the residents set up with 2lb weights and doing all kinds of movements. Seems like it was an Elvis Gospel CD so we didn't have to move too fast! The afternoon was a good time with Ronalee Isack calling the bingo numbers and Jon Rhoden, Patty Hansen and Michele Latt assisting the residents. Peter Holsing sits by his favorite residents and plays bingo right along with them. We needed a couple free numbers to start the game so we picked 10 and 11 to remember Shirley Genzler's and Ladean Stoner's birthday. The Happy blackout winners were Leota Turner, Charlie Keller and Albert Cummins. The residents all enjoyed cheese, crackers and salami with their drinks after the game.

Janet has more ideas of what kind of movements the residents can do at exercise time. Tuesday morning they lifted 2 lb. weights from knee to shoulder and above the head several times. Then pretended they were stirring a pot of soup with them, drew circles clockwise and counter clockwise and after doing some deep breathing it was time to toss the ball to each other. Later in the day the residents could be seen making a craft project while enjoying popcorn. Thanks to Amie and Janet for making this a fun afternoon.

Exercise Wednesday morning was each resident given a Thera-Band to place around their waist and pulling it outward. This will make the arms stronger and strong arms mean strong hugs so be ready the next time you come to visit! Then the Thera-band was put around the foot and stretched upward with the hand several times. They did this with each foot before it was time to toss the ball to each other. Later in the morning it was time for the Catholics to be in the chapel with Deb Weinrich leading the rosary. Father John came soon after to give everyone Holy Communion. Father always likes to start a discussion that gets all of us thinking. Besides telling us we need to pray for more priests we also need to carry our own cross. Our residents, our priests, and many lay persons are carrying their cross to calvary today.

In the afternoon the Wecota crafty ladies arrived to help the residents finish the craft project they started on Tuesday. These projects are all looking like little

people or animals that will hold either candy or a plant of their choice. Thank you to Kelley Haselhorst, Vi Neiderbaumer, Sherrie Fix and Charlotte Barondeau who our residents love spending an afternoon with. Thanks to Charlotte for the raisin bars and some Chocolate Biscotti Bars for snack time, she sure knows how to turn us on!

Thursday morning each resident was given a medium size ball to squeeze with their hands, between the knees and under the armpits. They also hugged the ball, stretched their back muscles and tossed the ball. After this it was time for the Lutherans and Methodists to be in the chapel for communion service with Pastor Avery. She played the organ for everyone to sing "I Know My Redeemer Lives" and "The Day of Resurrection". Pastor talked about how God is love and all of us should love each other. She read from Gospel of John 15:1-10 The Vine and the Branches. We need to trust God, He is with us at all times. Do you listen to the Lord's voice when you pray? Closing hymn was "Rock of Ages Cleft For Me".

Our residents got to spend all the points they earned from bingo and from word search in the afternoon after Amie and Joyce set out every article you could imagine all over the dining room. Ronalee played the part of the banker and the residents had a good time searching and buying all the bargains.

Friday morning it was exercise with 2 lb. weights again. There's many things Janet can think of for them to do to come out with stronger backs, arms, wrists and ankles. Deep breathing is necessary too and she makes sure they do plenty

of that. The afternoon means its bingo time so Ann Beadle gets to pick out some free numbers and Joyce Arnold, Glenda Meister and Shirley Genzler get to be the first blackout bingo winners. After the game Janet whipped up the root beer floats for everyone because after all it was root beer Friday!!

Pastor Stoll held Worship Service Sunday afternoon in the chapel assisted by Marlene Hammond at the organ. Hymns sung were "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" and "My Jesus I Love Thee." Sunday's gospel was from John 10:11-18 I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for his sheep. Today, rejoice that your good shepherd is guarding and protecting you. Thank you Jesus for being my strong good shepherd.

Faulkton Meadows News

by Jody Moritz

On Tuesday some of the tenants watched "Sound of Freedom" on DVD provided by the Wecota LWML through Maxine White. Janet Bohn and Aime Frasier helped med-aide Ashley with making and serving popcorn for the tenants and also the nursing home residents. Char Melius provided candy treats to go with the popcorn at the Meadows.

Brandy Scheller of Seneca came back to work as a med-aide this week at the Meadows.

The postponed Meal of the Month was cooked by Deb Wilson on Wednesday at noon. It was orange chicken with fried rice and carrots. Angel food cake with strawberries was served for dessert.

Bingo was played on Wednesday afternoon. Root beer floats were served follow-

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ing play.

Tannia Miller of Fargo came to visit her parents, Eugene and Cherry Frasier and took them to a medical appointment in Mitchell on Wednesday.

Bunco was played on Thursday. MaryAnn Bent joined the group to play.

Jim and Jody Moritz drove to Aberdeen on Thursday for Jody's eye appointment.

J.D. Robinson of Sioux Falls came Thursday evening to visit her mother, Rhea Joyce Barondeau. She took her to a medical appointment Friday morning. She made brownies for the tenants' social hour on Friday. She returned home on Sunday.

Social hour was held in the apartment of Jim and Jody Moritz Friday afternoon. Word

of the day was pissedified, a slang word. It is used as a verb and means the state of being completely pissed off at someone, and yet also mystified at how that person can possibly be that excruciatingly upsetting or socially inappropriate and clueless to their affect. Example: The office manager was completely pissedified at her boss for asking her to bring him a cup of coffee.

Ruth Yada served muffins for social hour on Sunday afternoon after the services in the chapel.

Jim and Jody Moritz drove to Garretson on Sunday to go to several medical appointments in Sioux Falls on Monday.

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Senior Nutrition Program Menu
Faulkton

Wed., Apr. 24 thru Wed., May 1
Wednesday, Apr. 24

Turkey sub sandwich, lettuce/tomato, macaroni salad, tropical fruit.

Thursday, Apr. 25

Ham, sweet potatoes, vegetable blend provence, baked apples, dinner roll.

Friday, Apr. 26

Taco salad, Mexican rice with beans, breadstick, cherry fluff.

Monday, Apr. 29

Baked cod, macaroni and cheese, spinach salad with tomatoes, fruit cocktail, whole wheat bread.

Tuesday, Apr. 30

Cook's choice!

Wednesday, May 1

Meatloaf, baked potato with sour cream, creamed peas, frosted brownie, fruit, whole wheat bread. All meals include milk.



Faulkton School Lunch Menu

Wed., Apr. 24 thru Wed., May 1
Wednesday, Apr. 24

Tangerine chicken, brown rice, turkey wrap, MS/HS kung pao chicken bowl, fruit and veggie bar.

Thursday, Apr. 25

Beef hot dog on a bun, turkey deli sub sandwich, MS/HS chili dog, steamed green beans, fruit and veggie bar.

Friday, Apr. 26

Chicken alfredo with pasta, garlic toast, tucky pinwheels, MS/HS pepperoni pizza, roasted broccoli, fruit and veggie bar.

Monday, Apr. 29

Scalloped potatoes and ham, whole grain dinner roll, pizza munchable, MS/HS chicken parmesan sandwich, mkashed potatoes, fruit and veggie bar.

Tuesday, Apr. 30

Hamburger pizza, chef salad, MS/HS rib sandwiches, steamed peas, fruit and veggie bar.

Wednesday, May 1

Totchos, turkey wrap, MS/HS chicken tenders, spiced pinto beans, whole grain dinner roll, fruit and veggie bar.

All meals daily include a fruit and vegetable bar, 1% white, and fat free chocolate milk.

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South Dakota IS a Border State

by Rep. Dusty Johnson

Every state is a border state. South Dakota is no exception.

While on a drug trafficking trip, an illegal immigrant and his companion, both from Central America, carjacked and kidnapped an FBI employee outside of Red Shirt in West River. One of the men had re-entered our country after being deported. President Biden's open border policies have allowed illegal immigrants to enter and re-enter our country and commit heinous crimes. Unfortunately, this isn't the only time South Dakota has seen crime like this.

The effects of the border crisis are hitting way too close to home for many in South Dakota who are more than 1,000 miles from the southern border. We've seen increases in violent crimes, fentanyl overdoses, and illegal

immigrants flooding cities that don't have capacity to house them.

In the past three years, more than 7 million people have crossed the southern border illegally. The situation has worsened almost every month. This is the direct result of having open borders. This is a major problem, but we already know what some solutions are, like Trump's effective Remain in Mexico policy which I support. If President Biden put it in place today, illegal border crossings would decrease by 70-80 percent almost immediately.

I've voted over 70 times for stronger border policies since I came to Congress. I've worked on and helped draft legislation that includes some of the strongest border policies ever brought before the House. These policies would stop the flow of illegal immigrants, restart construction of the border wall,

hire more Border Patrol agents, and improve technology along the border. I voted in support of the Secure the Border Act, HALT Fentanyl Act, POLICE Act, Schools Not Shelters Act, and more.

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I've been to the border and know how disastrous the situation is. The Senate and President Biden need to enact these bills the House has passed - and they

need to do it soon. You can't have a safe and secure nation if you don't have safe and secure borders.



Darlene Keefe (Holmberg), and to her right is Marlene Hammond (Maurer) lifelong friend, and to the left is Donna Rae Ryan (Darlene's cousin).

Darlene and to her right is her sister Sharron Bramblee (Holmberg).

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April 24th

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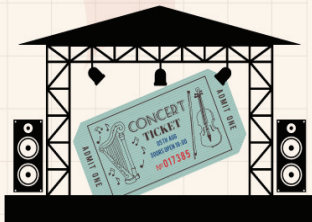
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Sully Buttes Invitational Meet
Date: April 15, 2024

Girls

800 Run Reese Hadrick 7th 2:54.08; Olivia Hadrick 8th 2:57.06; **100 Hurdles** Carley Cotton 1st 16.74; Presleigh Martinmaas 4th 17.75; **300 Hurdles** Presleigh Martinmaas 2nd 52.8; Carley Cotton 3rd 54.08; **Shot Put** Savanna Hayes 4th 32' 6.5"; **Discus** Savanna Hayes 2nd 106' 3"; **Triple Jump** Kelli Stoecker 3rd 30' 6.5"; **Long Jump** Kelli Stoecker 8th 13' 11"; **Javelin** Savanna Hayes 1st 105' 9"; Kelli Stoecker 2nd 94' 5"; **High Jump** Presleigh Martinmaas 7th 4' 6"; **800 Relay** 4th 2:06.87 (Presleigh Martinmaas, Carley Cotton, Maci Schulz, Amelia Currington); **1600 Relay** 5th 5:00.08 (Austina Sorensen, Claire Cotton, Reese Hadrick, Olivia Hadrick); **3200 Relay** 2nd 11:47.55 (Austina Sorensen, Claire Cotton, Olivia Hadrick, Reese Hadrick); **Medley Relay** 4th 5:26.81 (Maci Schulz, Amelia Currington, Austina Sorensen, Olivia Hadrick).

Boys

200 Dash Garrett Cramer 5th 24.38; **400 Dash** Garrett Cramer 5th 59.05; **800 Run** Mason Kaiser 3rd 2:19.54; **3200 Run** Korbin Stark 5th 12:18.4; **Discus** Tristen Baloun 8th 105' 0"; **Javelin** Layne Cotton 4th 119' 11"; **800 Relay** 3rd 1:51.45 (Garrett Cramer, Landon Coyle, Tristen Baloun, Colton Jungemann); **3200 Relay** 5th 9:58.11 (Mason Kaiser, Logan Niederbaumer, Korbin Stark, Cole Noon)

Comments by Coach Spicer:

One thing athletes need to get used to when competing in track is dealing with the wind and we had plenty of that on Monday. Despite all the wind, our boys and girls athletes competed hard, and we posted pretty good times and distances. Our kids did well in many events.

In the javelin, Savanna Hayes and Kelli Stoecker placed first and second, respectively. Both increased their distances and moved up in the top 24 state list with Savanna now ranked second. Our field events overall have been a really strong point on our boys' and girls' teams, whether it be the throws or the jumps. Our hurdlers also did very well in this meet. Both Carley Cotton and Presleigh Martinmaas decreased their times in both the 100 and 300 hurdles.

Overall, I am happy with the performances of our athletes. In South Dakota, weather is just something we have to get used to because you never know what type of weather you may face when going to a track meet. I want to thank all of you who come out and support our Faulkton Trojan Track team. It is good to hear those voices cheering on our athletes as

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they are participating in their events.

Chiling Competition: Trojan Golf Team Braves Cold Weather

by Aedyn Raethz

The Trojan golf team competed in Miller on Thursday, April 18th. It was a blustery day; the weather proved to be a challenge throughout the meet. "It was a tough day to score. The fierce winds and cold temperatures made it difficult," commented Coach Cunningham.

We brought four girls to the meet - Aedyn Raethz (senior), Grace Kopecky (junior), Brooklyn Kast (sophomore), and Anika Mueller (8th grader). Anika placed 5th scoring a 101, Grace placed 14th with a 111, and Aedyn and Brooklyn tied for 23rd both shooting 121. Even though the conditions were tough, we still can see areas to improve.

Three boys competed from FHS - Layne Cotton (senior), Trey Machtemes (junior), and Drake Mueller (sophomore). Layne tied for 17th scoring a 92, Drake tied for 23rd shooting a 97, and Trey placed 37th with a 109.

"All of our athletes deserve a lot of credit. To go out and play 18 holes over a 7-hour window demands a lot of mental toughness. There were over 80 kids that endured some ugly conditions," said Cunningham. The Trojan golf team looks forward to hosting a meet this week on Thursday, April 25th. We hope to see all our supporters out at the Lakeside Country Club for a fun day of golf!

Participant Placing Score
 Anika Mueller 5th - 101
 Grace Kopecky 14th - 111
 Aedyn Raethz 23rd - 121
 Brooking Kast 23rd - 121
 Layne Cotton 17th - 92
 Drake Mueller 23rd - 97
 Trey Machtemes 37th - 109

Ipswich Middle School Meet

Date: April 15, 2024

6th / 7th Girls

Long Jump Brooklyn Mueller 4th 12' 9"; **Triple Jump** Brooklyn Mueller 1st 27' 11.5"; **800 Relay** 6th 2:42.42 (Erin Dorris, Eleanor Hanson, Dezilyn Mestas, Naomi Epp); **1600 Relay** 3rd 5:39.11 (Hadley Edgar, Brooklyn Mueller, Lilliya Meek, Breelyn Demery)

8th Girls

200 Dash Hadley Edgar 5th 31.85; **800 Run** Natalie Hadrick 4th 3:22.04; **1600 Run** Natalie Hadrick 3rd 7:24.4; **400 Relay** 6th 1:11.47 (Hadley Edgar, Breelyn Demery, Naomi Epp, Tiah Baloun); **800 Relay** 4th 2:16.84 (Hadley Edgar,

Brooklyn Mueller, Tiah Baloun, Lilliya Meek); **1600 Relay** 3rd 5:35.05 (Hadley Edgar, Brooklyn Mueller, Breelyn Demery, Lilliya Meek); **1600 Relay** 4th 5:57.91 (Lucia Holsing, Natalie Hadrick, Chloe Sime, Anna Martinmaas); **800 Medley Relay** 2nd 2:52.66 (Erin Dorris, Ava Arbach, Eleanor Hanson, Chloe Sime).

6th / 7th Boys

Long Jump Jacob Schilder 5th 13' 4"; **Shot Put** Legend Geist 2nd 31' 1.5"; Kyler Hammond 6th 23' 8"; **Discus** Legend Geist 2nd 76' 5"; **800 Relay** 3rd 2:06.85 (Legend Geist, Jacob Schilder, Audi Hlavacek, Karson Stark).

8th Boys

100 Hurdles Spencer Schulte 3rd 20.82; **200 Hurdles** Spencer Schulte 6th 35.52; **Shot Put** Weston Senn 2nd 42' 7"; **Discus** Weston Senn 1st 132' 10"; **High Jump** Tate Bray 5th 4' 6"; **800 Relay** 5th 1:58.73 (Tate Bray,

Weston Senn, Max Martinmaas, Isaac Epp); **1600 Relay** 3rd 4:46.13 (Tate Bray, Max Martinmaas, Jacob Schilder, Karson Stark); **800 Medley Relay** 2nd 2:04.84 (Isaac Epp, Weston Senn, Legend Geist, Max Martinmaas).

Comments by Coach Spicer:

Despite the blustery conditions, the Faulkton Middle School track athletes had a good day. Our team competed well against some very good competition around our area. This is usually one of the bigger middle school meets, so it is nice to see how we are doing compared to the other schools.

We had two middle school records broken during this meet. Weston Senn broke the eighth grade discus record by throwing 132' 10". The previous record was held by Mark Melius and had been set in 1978. Brooklyn Mueller set a new sixth grade record in the triple jump by jumping a distance of 27'

11.5". We also had other season bests and personal bests set by our athletes during this meet.

We still have a way to go with many individuals still learning their events. In our field events, we need to work on our fundamentals so that we can get the best out of our throws and jumps. Handoffs in our relays are always a difficult thing to figure out, but we have improved on this since the last meet.

We will also continue to work to get in the best shape we can so that we can continue to compete well with the other schools we face. Overall, we had a good meet and we look forward to competing in our next meet.

Next meet Date Location Time

Cecil Johnson Invitational 4-25
 Lyman 12:00 PM
 Potter County Invitational 4-27
 Gettysburg 10:00 AM
 Miller Invitational 4-30 Miller
 10:00 AM



Mrs. Falyn Hempel with her Seniors and their FFA State Degree Certificates.



THANK YOU!!!

Carson Leonhardt along with The Playmakers hosted a one-day sports camp at the Aberdeen Dome on Saturday, April 20th for students with developmental differences. The camp provided an opportunity for inclusiveness and was free for the participants and their families to enjoy. Carson was the camp director as part of his Senior Capstone Experience class at Faulkton High School. The camp included sport stations, adaptive fitness equipment, Aberdeen Police Department and K9 unit, Aberdeen Fire Department, Aberdeen Wings Mascot "Winger", Yelduz Shriners and Spike the Clown, DJ music, sensory station and Pizza Ranch catered lunch. The Playmakers is a non-profit 501c3 organization that Carson collaborated with, along with many area volunteers and sponsors. Thank you to all who attended and assisted in any way to help make this event a huge success!!

Faulkton FFA Attends 96th Annual State FFA Convention

Faulkton FFA attended the 96th annual State FFA Convention held in Brookings, South Dakota on April 18th through April 20th, 2024. They had 12 students qualify to compete in the Career Development Events (CDEs). They also had 6 students earn their State FFA Degree. Convention started strong for the members of the Faulkton FFA Chapter, as many competed the first day as well as the State Degree Recipients attending a banquet in their honor. Day 2 continued with more CDE competition, State Degree Recipients walking across the stage to get their degrees, Olivia Hadrick and Simon Bowar being awarded scholarships, and concluding the day with a chapter supper to congratulate all on their successes of state convention. Day 3 wrapped up the convention with Reese Hadrick helping to introduce the 2023-2024 State FFA Vice President Dustin Kolb for his retiring address "Drop the Reins". Students also learned how they placed, and who their

new state officers will be.

Results were as follows:

Ag Business- Jessica Hadrick-22nd place out of 122 participants

Agronomy- Sean Roseland-70th place out of 129 participants

Livestock Evaluation- 15th place team out of 58 teams

Members were Lincoln Dikoff placing 38th, Charlier Deiter placing 56th, Kamryn Rhodes 62nd, and August Anderson. There were 158 contestants in the livestock contest.

Nursery Landscape- 25th place out of 32 teams

Members were: Carter Schulte, Landon Coyle, Spencer Melius, August Kopecky.

Vet Science- 30th place out of 56 teams

Members were: Aida Anderson placing 81st, Chloe Sime, Reese Hadrick, Shaye Senn. There were 154 participants in Vet Science

Receiving their State Degree were: Parker Bode, Leah Grabinski, Olivia Hadrick, August Kopecky, Carter Schulte, and Kelli Stoecker. There were 321 students across the state that met the requirements. The

requirements include:

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- Demonstrated leadership ability by performing ten procedures of Parliamentary

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Law, giving a six-minute speech on an agriculture or FFA-related topic, and serving as an officer, committee chairperson, or participating member of a chapter committee.

- Have completed at least 25 hours of community service.

We are proud of the skills that our members have obtained

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by participating in the various contests. Sometimes the places they receive do not reflect the knowledge and skills that they have acquired by being in that contest. We strive to help students be well rounded when they enter the work force by giving them the tools and resources to be successful.



FFA Chapter Qualifiers; back left, Landon Coyle, August Anderson, Lincoln Dikoff, Kamryn Rhodes, Parker Bode, Charlie Deiter, August Kopecky, Sean Roseland, Spencer Melius, and Carter Schulte; front left, Kelli Stoecker, Shaye Senn, Aidalisa Anderson, Olivia Hadrick, Reese Hadrick, Jessica Hadrick, Leah Grabinski, and Chloe Sime.



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April 27th

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April 28th

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April 29th

ER - 24/7
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April 30th

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Ultrasounds

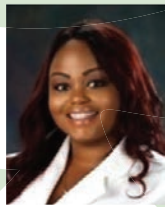
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Angela Braaten, LCSW

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Patricia Reed, CNP

Medical Minutes by Jean Mitchell, MPH, OTR/L Exercise for Weight Loss

If the benefits of exercise were available in pill form, drug manufacturers would not be able to keep it on the shelves. Regular exercise helps prevent or manage many health problems and concerns including stroke, metabolic syndrome, high blood pressure, type 2 diabetes, depression, anxiety, many types of cancer, arthritis, and falls. Exercise has been shown to improve mood, boost energy, promote better sleep and provide fun social interactions. Exercise can also help control weight by preventing excess weight gain and help maintain weight loss.

Most weight loss occurs from decreasing caloric intake. As noted in the last Medical Minute it is important to eat a high-quality diet with limited added sugars and processed food. All calories are not created equal so, it is important to choose your limited calories wisely. When eating a healthy diet, exercise can help with weight loss. Not only does it increase the number of calories burned, it also helps regulate blood sugars, helping to reduce food cravings.

Exercise takes all forms, and all are beneficial. The CDC recommends 150 minutes of aerobic exercise or activity each week and two days of strength training. Start with sitting less. Then add in a short walk after meals (great time to really affect blood sugar levels) – you get bonus points for being outside in the fresh air. You can start weight training by doing simple bodyweight exercises like squats or wall push-ups. If you are looking for more of a challenge, check out a local gym and get in touch with a personal trainer. If you have chronic diseases or joint issues talk to your primary care physician about physical therapy. They will be able to start you on an exercises program until you are ready to go on your own.

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I learned the sounds of alphabet...

...letters, then started to read words.

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Kids: color stuff in!

Ready to Read?

Thanks to the 'eagle-eyed' teacher who noticed my cousin squinting, he went to have his eyes examined. He needed glasses or contact lenses to help correct his vision. Now, he can read all of the books, screens and boards in his classroom. He is ready to read everything and loves it!

What other things or people help us get ready to learn how to read? Study the clues to fill in the crossword:

1. book of words and their meanings
2. the classics make for good _____
3. words of a language; a list of words
4. printed pages bound between two covers
5. 26 letters, A-Z
6. the order of letters that make up a word
7. a way to teach reading by learning the sounds of letters or groups of letters
8. person at home who reads with you
9. helps people find information and books
10. reading begins for most people when they use their _____ to see printed words
11. a person trained to help children learn how to read
12. what one needs to do every day to get better at something

How many words can you find that have 3 or more syllables? **Circle them.**

Lots of people are reading text messages on their cell phones.

Books are so tasty!

I love to read the newspaper.

Math and Science Fun

Pssst...not yet, Four!

Math comes alive in this book!

Fun at the Library!

Read the clues to fill in the crossword with library reading fun:

1. activities planned
2. pages of words bound
3. the main idea
4. enjoying written stories
5. rewards and treats
6. fun gathering of friends
7. tales being read aloud
8. series of pictures on screen
9. discussions of books
10. lists of books read

- magazine
- calendar
- recipe
- bulletin
- postcard
- rhymes
- computer
- newspaper
- instructions
- test
- GPS
- book
- comics
- letter
- poetry
- map
- report card
- lunch menu
- sports scores
- text messages
- musical notes

Ask a grownup if you can sign up at the library for the summer reading program and lots of other summer fun!

Find and circle our reading list above:

What Do You Read?

E	U	S	A	K	R	Z	R	A	X	I	H	X	F	Y	Y	R
F	B	I	T	W	X	I	M	P	A	N	R	A	N	C	D	S
O	W	T	E	N	X	N	L	O	D	S	I	A	P	P	M	I
M	J	C	S	B	Y	G	V	E	J	T	S	A	D	C	U	P
O	R	V	T	J	I	P	G	T	K	R	M	R	M	O	S	O
B	P	H	R	Q	I	S	R	R	K	U	A	R	A	M	I	S
C	A	T	Y	D	F	N	I	Y	V	C	A	J	G	I	C	T
O	H	S	O	M	S	C	E	M	T	T	R	O	A	C	A	C
M	M	P	A	I	E	Y	K	R	T	I	E	L	Z	S	L	A
P	Y	O	J	O	W	S	O	V	T	O	C	A	I	P	N	R
U	F	R	L	X	S	P	U	A	B	N	I	K	N	P	O	D
T	D	T	U	P	E	K	E	W	O	S	P	Q	E	S	T	A
E	Q	S	N	R	V	J	S	S	O	Q	E	F	T	V	E	K
R	E	S	C	W	R	L	Z	Z	K	H	A	L	X	J	S	U
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I know, I know...there are so many great things to read at the library - so Off to the Library We Go!

A science fiction book will dooooo! I like pecking through mysteries, too.

Can you help Pop Rooster guide his chicks to the library?

We love the library!

Yup!

Town Library



Master Beekeeper Visits Northwestern Hive

Northwestern School entertained guest speaker, Phil Breed, a master beekeeper, this past week. Breed informed students about bees before heading out to the hives that the science students have been keeping with Mrs. Denise Clemens.

From Dordt University, Breed explained the basics of bees, how their bodies are made up, what senses they have, etc. After talking to a few classes, he went out with a group of students to the bee hives located in Northville to show them the basics of bee keeping and how to do it and to analyze the data.

While in the classroom though, he played a little trial about the basics of the bee, saying to keep the kids active and not just sitting there, trying to listen.

When heading out there, all the bees had unfortunately been dead from the cold outside, but this was just a learning experience. Clemens said she would start again with the help from the students. They will have to rebuild the hives to bring the bees in; it'll be a lot of hard work, but Clemens is committed to restarting everything with the help from students.

2024 Northwestern FBLA Winners

Future Business Leaders of America

Dallas Stoltenberg is the State North Vice President for the 2024-2025 school year

Josh Thorson is the Treasurer for the 2024-2025 school year

Murphy Lewis is the Reporter for the 2024-2025 school year

Accounting I (written test): 1st Abby Holmberg 4th Patrick Olson 5th Ashley Haven

Computer Applications (written test/project): 2nd Natasha Kaderabek

Advertising (written test): 1st Josh Thorson

Computer Problem Solving (written test): 3rd Dylan Hahler

Digital Video Production (video project/presentation): 1st Teresa Melius, Layla Ortmeier, Rhianna Troske; 2nd Ty Boekelheide, Jack Hansen, Wyatt Rahm

Agribusiness (written test): 1st Dallas Stoltenberg; 4th Patrick Olson; 5th Dylan Hahler

Electronic Career Portfolio (project/presentation): 1st Natasha Kaderabek

Banking and Financial Systems (presentation and ritten test): 3rd Lincoln Woodring, Dallas Stoltenberg, Josh Thorson

Entrepreneurship (presentation and written test): 2nd Payton Grandpre, Ana Ratigan; 4th Dylan Hahler, Nathan Melius, Lincoln Woodring

Broadcast Journalism (presentation): 2nd Payton Grandpre, Murphy Lewis, Kyara

Ratigan; 4th Nathan Melius, Lincoln Woodring, Carson Ewalt

Future Business Leader (interview, letter/resume, and written test): 1st Lincoln Woodring

Business Ethics (presentation): 3rd Annie Dvorak, Natasha Kaderabek; 5th Payton Grandpre, Ana Ratigan

Future Business Educator (lesson plan/presentation): 1st Courtney Decker

Graphic Design (project/presentation): 5th Teresa Melius, Layla Ortmeier

Help Desk (written test): 5th Jessica Christ

Business Management (written test and presentation): 5th Courtney Decker, Tyanne Osterkamp

Business Plan: 2nd Rhianna Troske

Client Service (presentation): 3rd Ana Ratigan

Help Desk (written test): 5th Jessica Christ

Hospitality Management (presentation and written test): 4th Jessica Christ, Nikki Nickeson, Patrick Olson

Human Resource Management (written test): 3rd Lincoln Woodring

International Business (presentation and written test): 4th Dallas Stoltenberg, Josh Thorson, Wyatt Rahm

Intro to Business Concepts (written test): 2nd Kyara Ratigan; 3rd Ty Boekelheide

Intro to Business Procedures (written test): 2nd Ty Boekelheide; 5th Wyatt Rahm

Intro to Event Planning (presentation and written test): 1st Ella Boekelheide, Ashley

Haven, Murphy Lewis; 3rd Abby Schnell

Intro to FBLA: 3rd Kyara Ratigan

Intro to Financial Math (written test): 2nd Ty Boekelheide

Intro to Information Technology (written test): 2nd Brecken Halvorson; 4th Samantha Thelen

Intro to Marketing Concepts (written test): 4th Ella Boekelheide

Intro to Parliamentary Procedure (written test): 2nd Molly VanHatten; 3rd Taylor Vetter; 4th Josie Sparling

Intro to Social Media Strategy (presentation): 1st Abby Holmberg, Mareya Maas, Mikaela Schmitt; 3rd Alyssa Brick, Ashley Haven

Local Chapter Scrapbook (project): 2nd Nikki Nickeson

Organizational Leadership (written test): 1st Dallas Stoltenberg; 2nd Annie Dvorak

Parliamentary Procedure (presentation): 2nd Dallas Stoltenberg, Patrick Olson, Wyatt Rahm, Ashley Haven, Austin Nash

Public Policy & Advocacy (written test): 4th Lincon Woodring

Public Service Announcement (project/ presentation): 2nd Carson Ewalt, Wyatt Rahm; 3rd Murphy Lewis, Kyara Ratigan, Mikaela Schmitt

Sales Presentation (project/ presentation): 1st Payton

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Grandpre, Ana Ratigan, Rhianna Troske; 4th Annie Dvorak

Social Media Strategies (presentation): 5th Rhianna Troske, Teresa Melius, Nikki Nickeson

Sports and Entertainment Management (written test and presentation): 1st Nathan Melius, Carson Ewalt; 5th Teresa Melius, Breelyn Satter, Sophia Troske

Spreadsheet Applications (written test and project): 3rd Natasha Kaderabek

Supply Chain Management (written test): 1st Annie Dvorak

Visual Design (project-presentation): 2nd Savanna Schmitz, Abby Schnell; 3rd Tara Blachford, Chesnie Heim, Madison Hardin

Website Design (website project-presentation): 3rd Nicki Nickeson

Word Processing (written test and project): 3rd Rhianna Troske; 5th Nikki Nick.

No. 99, April 24, 2024

Chelsea Town Board Proceedings

Meeting called to order by Chairman Robert Carda; All members present. Minutes of previous meetings read and approved on motion Rasmus, Ortmeier second.

Old business: Discussion on water. New business: Motion to pay bills Ortmeier, Rasmus second: WEB Water - \$433.46 - Service & Usage; Northwestern - \$284.53 - Utilities; Faulk County Record - \$7.13 - Publishing; Robert

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Carda & Linda Rasmus \$110.82, Judy Ortmeier - \$83.11, Jo Mallet - \$346.32 - salaries.

Motion Rasmus, Ortmeier second to adjourn to Monday, March 18, for Equalization meeting and April 1 for monthly meeting. 3-8-2024

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No. 100, April 24, 2024

Chelsea Town Board Proceedings

Meeting called to order by Chairman Robert Carda for the purpose of Equalization. All members present. Books were opened, examined, and closed on motion Rasmus and Ortmeier second. All voted aye. No letters of complaint were received.

Motion for adjournment Ortmeier and Rasmus second.

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No. 101, April 24, 2024

Chelsea Town Board Proceedings

Meeting called to order by Chairman Robert Carda; All members present. Minutes of previous meetings read and corrected (Equalization meeting was held on March 19 instead of 18th) on motion Rasmus, Ortmeier second.

Old business: Discussion on Water Delinquencies. Late members will be contacted.

New business: Motion Ortmeier, Rasmus second to pay bills: WEB Water - \$515.27 - Service & Usage; Northwestern - \$258.89 - Utilities.

Motion to adjourn to Monday, May 6, 2024. Rasmus, Ortmeier second. 4-1-2024

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Class of 2024 Senior Spotlight

Name: Dawson Ward
Future Plans: Lake Area for auto body.
Favorite Memory at Northwestern: my favorite memory would have to be freshman year I tried to put Richard in the garbage can head first during health and wellness.
Greatest accomplishment: I'd have to say making it to state junior legion my sophomore year.
Advice to Younger Students: soak it all up; it goes by fast. In 20 years, I plan to have a family, a stable job in auto body, and a nice house.

Earth Day

Energy Today and Tomorrow!

Reduce or Reuse

Did you draw an arrow to the item that will help reduce use of energy?

- clothes dryer
- ride in the car
- regular light bulbs
- paper cups and plates
- air conditioner
- paper lunch bags
- spray paint
- leafblower
- paper napkins
- throw clothes away
- hot water to wash clothes

- walk or bike
- glasses and plastic plates
- rake
- LED lights
- clothesline
- cloth napkins
- donate them
- cold water to wash
- fans
- lunch box
- brush and paint

Recycle! Let's recycle as much as we can!

PLASTIC BOTTLES, RUBBER BATTERIES, GCV, NGD, DAOB, MAGAZINES, G, NEWS PAPERS, ATSERIES, (ALUMINUM CANS), FET, AV, APPLIANCE, SU, D, (TIRES), BO, RWOODA, TERI, (CARDBOARD), GA

Wind turbines are one way to generate power using a renewable resource. They help to cut pollution.

Chitter! Get out of my photo!

What bright idea do you have to help save energy?

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COUNTY OF HAND
THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
**NOTICE OF MORTGAGE
FORCLOSURE SALE**

29CIV23-000024
FARM CREDIT SERVICES OF
AMERICA, FLCA, PLAINTIFF,
vs
EDGAR FARM, INC.; THOMAS
GEORGE FORECLOSURE SALE
EDGAR; ELIZABETH JANE EDGAR;
THOMAS G. EDGAR, TRUSTEE FOR
THE THOMAS G. EDGAR LIVING
TRUST DATED JULY 20, 2015;
VIRCHOW INSURANCE AND SEED
LLC; PHI FINANCIAL SERVICES,
INC.; BOYD D. MILLS AND MERLIN
J. MILLS; BROOKINGS CREDIT
BUREAU & COLLECTIONS
AGENCY, INC.; DANIEL LEE COSS;
CREDIT COLLECTIONS BUREAU;
and STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,
acting through the DEPARTMENT
OF REVENUE, DEFENDANTS.

1. By virtue of an Execution issued out of and under the seal of the Clerk of Courts in and for Hand County, South Dakota, upon a Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure rendered on March 8, 2024, and docketed in said Court on March 8, 2024, in the above entitled action, said Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure being in favor of the Plaintiff, Farm Credit Services of America, FLCA, and against Defendants Edgar Farm, Inc., Thomas George Edgar, and Elizabeth Jane Edgar (the "Edgar Defendants"), for the sum of \$1,073,498.20, which Execution was directed and delivered to me as Sheriff in and for Hand County, South Dakota, I have by virtue of the Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure and Writ of Execution levied upon all of the right, title and interest of the Edgar Defendants, in and to the following described real estate:

Northeast Quarter (NE1/4) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117) North, Range Seventy (70) West of the 5th P.M.; and Southeast Quarter (SE1/4) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117) North, Range Seventy (70) West of the 5th P.M.

All of which is located in Faulk County, South Dakota

Edgar Lot 1 in the NE1/4 of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 68, West of the 5th P.M.

The S1/2NE1/4 and NW1/4 of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 68, West of the 5th P.M.

All in Hand County, South Dakota

South Half of Southwest Quarter of Section 4, Township 117 North, Range 70, Except Hwy ROW; Northeast Quarter of Section 26, Township 117 North, Range 70, and Southeast Quarter of Section 26, Township 117 North, Range 70, all West of the 5th P.M., Faulk County, South Dakota.

2. The mortgages being foreclosed are described as follows:

A. That certain Real Estate Mortgage, Assignment of Rents and Fixture Filing dated January 21, 2016, which was recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Faulk County, South Dakota, on January 28, 2016, at 9:55 o'clock A.M. in Book 128, Pages 655-663; and

B. That certain Real Estate Mortgage, Assignment of Rents and Fixture Filing dated July 21, 2017, which was recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Hand County, South Dakota, on July 24, 2017, at 9:00 o'clock A.M. in Book 265, Pages 496-505.

3. Notice is hereby given that I, the undersigned Sheriff, as aforesaid, will sell the above-described real property to the highest bidder for cash at public auction, on the First Floor in the Hand County Courthouse in Miller, South Dakota, on May 8, 2024, at 10:30 o'clock A.M., on that day to satisfy the said Execution and Judgment, together with interest and costs thereon.

4. The premises will be sold subject to redemption as provided by law in the State of South Dakota. The real property will be offered for sale in the following manner:

First, the Northeast Quarter (NE1/4) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117) North, Range Seventy (70) West of the 5th P.M.; and Southeast Quarter (SE1/4) of Section Twenty-six (26), Township One Hundred Seventeen (117) North, Range Seventy (70) West of the 5th P.M., Faulk County, South Dakota, containing 320 acres, more or less, together as one unit;

Second, South Half of Southwest Quarter of Section 4, Township 117 North, Range 70, Except Hwy ROW, Faulk County, South Dakota, containing 79 acres, more or less;

Third, the S1/2NE1/4 of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 68, West of the 5th P.M., Hand County, South Dakota, containing 80 acres, more or less;

Fourth, the NW1/4 of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 68, West of the 5th P.M., Hand County, South Dakota, containing 160 acres, more or less;

Fifth, Edgar Lot 1 in the NE1/4 of Section 5, Township 116 North, Range 68, West of the 5th P.M., Hand County, South Dakota, containing 2.08 acres, more or less; and

Finally, all of the real property subject to the mortgages as one unit.

5. So far as can be determined from the records of the Hand County Register of Deeds and the Faulk County Register of Deeds and the Hand County Clerk of Courts, there are no prior liens of record, except for real property taxes in the amount of \$10,804.84 due in the year 2024, and persons interested are referred to the records of the Registers of Deeds and Clerk of Courts for further details.

Dated this 26th day of March, 2024.

/s/Shane Croeni
Sheriff,

Hand County, South Dakota

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**NOTICE OF SURFACE
WATER DISCHARGE
APPLICATION AND
RECOMMENDATION**

The South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources (DANR) has received an application for a Surface Water Discharge (SWD) permit from the following applicant:

APPLICANT NAME:

City of Faulkton

PERMIT NUMBER: SD0021971

FACILITY LOCATION: Located approximately 1/2 mile northeast of the city in the Southeast 1/4 of Section 11 and the Northeast 1/4 of Section 14, Township 118 North, Range 69 West, in Faulk County, South Dakota (Latitude 45.041773°, Longitude -99.108538°).

MAILING ADDRESS: PO Box 21

Faulkton, SD 57438

The renewal of the SWD permit will allow the discharge of pollutants from the city of Faulkton's wastewater treatment facility. This facility's North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code is 221320 for sewage treatment facilities. Any discharge from this facility will enter South Fork Snake Creek. South Fork Snake Creek has

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been assigned the following beneficial uses:

(6) Warmwater marginal fish life propagation waters;
(8) Limited contact recreation waters;
(9) Fish and wildlife propagation, recreation, and stock watering waters; and
(10) Irrigation waters.

An antidegradation review was conducted in accordance with the Administrative Rules of South Dakota (ARSD) Chapter 74:51:01. Results show an insignificant change in water quality and no further review is required.

Water quality-based effluent limits for ammonia were developed for this discharge to ensure the protection of the beneficial uses of South Fork Snake Creek.

Tentative determinations regarding the water quality limits for any discharge and other conditions have been made by DANR. The SWD permit specifies the quality of water that can be discharged and still protect the uses of the receiving water. The draft discharge permit and supporting documents are available from DANR at the address listed below.

In accordance with the ARSD, Chapter 74:50:02, any person desiring to

comment on the Department's recommendation for the conditional issuance of this permit must submit written comments to the below address within the specified thirty (30) day comment period. Comments may be directed to the following address: South Dakota Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources, Water Quality Program, Joe Foss Building, 523 East Capitol, Pierre, SD 57501. Comments may also be provided within the specified thirty (30) day comment period using the online comment form, accessible via the "Comment Deadline" links provided at <http://danr.sd.gov/public>. Any person desiring a public hearing must file a petition which complies with the ARSD Chapter 74:50:02. If no objections are received within the specified 30-day period, the Secretary will issue final determinations within sixty days of the date of this notice.

Additional information may be obtained by calling Tom Anderson, with DANR, at (605) 773-3351, or by writing to the address listed above.

Hunter Roberts, Secretary
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Overall, congratulations to Mrs. Jennifer Schell's team consisting of sophomore Abigail Holmberg, senior Angelina Molina, senior Gregory Nelson, junior Jessica Christ, senior Natasha Kaderabek, and junior Rylee Martin for winning Best Team in Show.

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