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Pioneer Bank Remodel Will Produce Exciting Fresh Open Modern Look



7th & State Bank Project to be completed July 1

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BELLE FOURCHE - Pioneer Bank and Trust on the corner of State Street and 7th in Belle Fourche is in the middle of a major overhaul of its downtown bank location.

The project began before and continued on immediately after the completion of the State Street reconstruction. The first phase is now underway and includes a temporary remodel that will allow the bank to continue operations as seamlessly as possible until the overall work is completed. The front door and the drive up have moved to the side and the rear of the current building and major interior shuffling has made the premises functional for day-to-day operations.

Clay Birkeland, Senior Vice-President and Manager of the Belle Fourche Bank said they are on schedule to

BANK A5

FRESH LOOK - Built as the new "Bank of Belle" in 1970 Pioneer Bank's location at the corner of State and 7th is receiving a complete makeover. As can be seen in the architects rendition above, the new structure will feature a more windows and an updated look while preserving the heritage of the current structure. *Courtesy Jerud Pummel, Upper Deck Architects, Inc.*

State Street Reopens



RIBBON CUTTING - A hearty group of citizens made their way to the corner of 8th Avenue and State Street to participate in the CONBA ribbon cutting for the grand re-opening of State Street and parts of 8th Avenue.

Mayor Gloria Lamphere did the honors as the cool breezy afternoon took away some of the pleasure of the celebration, but the Center of the Nation Business Association volunteers still served 200+ very tasty grilled hamburgers and hotdogs to the appreciative crowd. The "Little Library" Park, 8th & State St. was the

STATE STREET A5

Lynn's Dakotamart Marks 50th Year

Lynn's Dakotamart is celebrating 50 years in business this month. Lynn's acquired the Belle Fourche store in 2006. Then Store Manager Jim Grapentine, as well as seven additional employees, continue on in the operation of the store. Grapentine commented, "Lynn's genuinely cares about the community and the employees who live and work here. They make you feel like part of

the family." The philosophy that Lynn Feist started in the grocery business in Faith fifty years ago continues on here today. (In addition to Grapentine, other Belle Fourche employees that have been at Lynn's since the start of Lynn's ownership are: Beth Reid, Carla McClain, Todd Odson, Judy Landphere, Doug Ruzicka, Cherylyne Kluck, and Taffy Anderson.

Editor's Note: The following article written by Alex Portal, is re-printed in the Beacon courtesy of the Black Hills Pioneer.

This year marks the 50th anniversary of operation for Lynn's Dakotamart, a network of grocery stores each as dedicated to the communities in which they're located, as the Feist family that still owns and operates the business.

When Lynn Feist was just a young boy, he was given a toy cash register, with which he would play "store." That register now sits in an exhibit dedicated to him in the Sturgis store; one of 10 grocery stores now under the Lynn's Dakotamart banner. In 1968, Lynn Feist was done playing store and ready to get down to business. One morning, after working the night shift at Red Owl Grocery in Rapid City, Feist loaded his young daughter Tammy into the car and took off to Faith where he had received a tip that the SuperValu Grocery store was for sale.

"What I remember is, it was late at night and it was (Faith) Stock Show Saturday," Tammy Sletten (formerly Feist) said. "Supposedly Bob Kelly (the former owner) didn't want anybody knowing he was selling the store, that's why he wanted to meet during the (Stock Show) parade."

There was a stipulation to the sale however.

"Bob Kelly said, 'I changed my mind, I'm not gonna sell you the store without selling you my house too,'" Sletten said.

So the Feist family moved from Rapid City to Faith, and Feist was finally in business for himself; however, that wasn't enough for him.

Two years after buying the store in Faith, Lemmon bought another store in Lemmon and the family was on the move again. The following year he bought a store in Eagle Butte, and the year after that, one in Sturgis. In 1975, just seven years after first striking out on his own Feist built a totally new store in Lemmon and opened his corporate

LYNN'S A5



A HALF CENTURY OF SERVICE - From left, Jim Feist, Tammy Feist Sletten, Don Feist, and Georgia Feist, seated. *Pioneer photo by Alex Portal*

Area Ranchers Line Up to 'Leave Their Mark' on History at Black Hills Roundup Grounds

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BELLE FOURCHE - The Tri-State area's history in brands became a part of the history of the Black Hills Roundup as a large contingent of brand holders made their way to town Saturday October 6th to put their mark on wood salvaged from the recently demolished Roundup grandstands.

The idea to bring those brands to town was a very popular one as the large turnout from surrounding ranch country proved. Over one hundred fifty brands made their way to the hall of fame group's "wall of fame".

The smell of burning wood is a bit different than the well known aroma of a ranch branding, but down wind is still not the side to observe from. Some irons grabbed their amber glow from the open fire at the event and the more modern were plugged into an outlet. The outcome at the Roundup grounds was the same as on the ranch. The mark of identification was put in its rightful place. Visitors to next year's 100th Black Hills Roundup and for many years after will be able to view the decorative marks.

The raffle ticket for the BH



BRANDING FOR HISTORY - (Above) The turnout was strong on Saturday, October 6th as area ranchers line up to leave their brands on preserved wood from the historic Roundup grounds grandstand. (Below right) Roundup Rodeo Committee Chairman Clay Crago presses a brand onto the historic wood at the Roundup grounds. *Photos courtesy John Maher*

Roundup Commemorative Rifle was won by Patty Moe, Belle Fourche, with her caramel apple pie entry.

Dallas Conner of Belle placed second with her sour cream and raisin and third place honors went to Cindi Conner of Belle with her Hi-Energy Pie.

The real winners were the long lines of people who got to partake of all the pies after the South Dakota Beef Industry Council sponsored late afternoon beef supper.

Unbiased observers reported that the pie contest judges seemed to be holding their own as well.



Pastor's Perspective

This week's Pastor's Perspective is provided by Pastor Paul Howard of The Christian Life Center, Belle Fourche.

The Compassion of the Christ

I have always been deeply moved as I read the Gospel of Mark and witness the ministry of Jesus Christ in His dealings with the everyday needs of the people that He encountered. Five times in the Gospel of Mark and twice in Luke's Gospel we read the words that "He, Jesus, moved with compassion on them and...". In Mark 1:41, Jesus encountered a man suffering with leprosy and was moved with compassion, reached out and touched him and healed him of his disease. In Mark 5, Jesus is confronted with Legion, a man who was possessed by demonic forces and deeply tormented. Jesus simply spoke to the demonic forces that plagued the man and they left him. The outcome is amazing... the people who knew this man found him sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right



mind. In Mark 6:34, Jesus saw a large group of people, He was moved with compassion on them because they were like sheep without a shepherd. Living life without direction, these people needed to have a gentle and caring Shepherd to lead them through the pitfalls of life. Jesus is our Good Shepherd offering us both guidance and provision. In Mark 8, Jesus had compassion on a large group of hungry people and was moved to feed them. The concluding verse tells us they all had eaten and were satisfied. (With Jesus providing for this crowd, there were even leftovers) In Mark 9, Jesus was moved with compassion to meet the needs of a man whose son was ill and Jesus restored the boy to health and in the process inspired and increased the faith of his father. Again in Luke 7, Jesus has compassion on a widow who had lost her son and Jesus feeling her pain restored the boy to life and health. In perhaps the more familiar story in Luke's Gospel (Luke 15) we read of the compassion of the father for his Prodigal Son who

left and home squandered his inheritance on sinful living. The scripture is very clear and very specific... this father was waiting and looking for the return of his wayward son. On the son's return, the father celebrated his homecoming. Jesus exercised a keen sense of "situational awareness" (to use a military term). He was aware of the situations and circumstances in the lives of the people around Him and was very quick to address those needs in meaningful ways. The important point that I am attempting to communicate to my readers today is the simple and profound message of the scriptures that I listed. Jesus, today, is fully aware of the circumstances of your life and mine and He is willing and able to address the needs in our lives. For the wayward sinner, He is able to completely forgive. For the broken hearted, He feels the pain and can mend that broken heart. For the one who is confused and troubled, He speaks peace and for the one who has lost their way, He, the Good Shepherd, can direct your steps and lead you back home.

Obituaries

Evelyn L. Shuffield 96



Evelyn L. Shuffield passed to her home in heaven on Wednesday, October 10, 2018.

Evelyn L. Foster was born on the ranch at Alzada, MT on June 30, 1922 to Merle and Alice (Morgan) Foster. She attended Five Mile

School her elementary school years and graduated from Belle Fourche High School in 1941. She furthered her education at Black Hills Normal and then went to work in a defense plant in California during the war years. She married Edward Shuffield on June 22, 1946 at Broadus, MT. For the first few years of their marriage, they made their home in the Capital, MT area until moving back to Alzada. It was there that she and Eddie raised three children and she served as Postmaster for 27 years. In 1983, they moved to Belle Fourche because of health concerns for Eddie.

After Eddie passed away in 1987, Evelyn moved to Spearfish, where she enjoyed being near family and friends and being able to volunteer at Fort Meade. In 1990, she was awarded the State Volunteer Award for the Women's VFW Auxiliary at Fort Meade for a 1,000 hours of volunteer service. Many days you could find her at auction sales

or visiting and helping friends before she moved back to Belle Fourche in 2012, she helped daily, assisting and giving care to the "elderly". Evelyn had many friends and family that loved her and she enjoyed spending time with them. If you wanted to see her smile, you just had to mention her grandchildren.

Evelyn is survived by her son, Gary (Viola) Shuffield of Belle Fourche and daughter Mary (Ed) Lawrence of Alzada; four grandchildren, Brad (Crystal) Shuffield of Rapid City, Sheri Wall of Belle Fourche, Nancy (Doug) Thorson of Quinn and Justin (Kelcie) Lawrence of Alzada; nine great-grandchildren; three great-great-grandchildren; her niece, Judee Wilson of Belle Fourche and nephew, Jack Foster of Florida.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Eddie; her son, Larry; her parents, Merle and Alice Foster; her two grandson-in-laws, Wade Schnabel and DeWayne Wall and her brother and sister-in-law, Merton and Joyce Foster.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the charity of your choice.

A Graveside Service will be held at 2:00pm on Thursday, October 25, 2018 at Black Hills National Cemetery near Sturgis.

Arrangements are under the care of Fidler-Isburg Funeral Chapels and Crematory Service of Spearfish. Online condolences may be written at www.fidler-isburgfuneral-chapels.com



Adam Dalke 34



Adam Paul Dalke was born June 9, 1984, to Ted Dalke and Donna Williams in Vancouver, WA. Adam moved from Washington to Georgia where he continued his education. After Georgia, he moved to South Dakota, where he lived until he passed away.

Adam met his loving wife in June of 2009 and she finally convinced him they should get married on January 11, 2014. Adam was known for his love of motorcycles and his "awesome" plumbing skills. He was the type of person to put his family before anything and always made sure they had what they needed.

Adam, 34, Belle Fourche, died Monday, October 1, 2018, at Spearfish Regional Hospital.

Adam is survived by his wife, Barbara Dalke, Belle Fourche, SD; daughter, Mackenzie Bentz, Belle Fourche, SD; 4 sons, Ayden, Tyler, and Dominic Dalke, all of Belle Fourche, SD, and Xander Raber of Catoosa, OK; sister, Sara Witcher, Hartwell, GA; father, Ted Dalke, Yacolt, WA; brother, Derrick Dalke, Walla Walla, WA; brother, Archie (Tara) Roberts, Sturgis, SD; many aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, and nephews; both maternal and paternal grandmas; and many friends he considered family.

Adam was preceded in death by his mother, Donna (Williams) Dalke; brother, Richard Sisson; and both maternal and paternal grandfathers.

A memorial service was held on Sunday, October 7, 2018, at the First Baptist Church in Belle Fourche with Pastor Tim Smith officiating.

A memorial has been established for his children at Wells Fargo under the Adam Dalke Memorial Fund.



Florene Reyman 100

Florene Reyman, age 100 of Spearfish, died Sunday, September 23, 2018 at the Spearfish Regional Hospital.

Services were held 10 am Saturday, September 29, 2018 at Leverington Funeral Home of the Northern Hills in Belle Fourche. Interment was in Pine Slope Cemetery.

Florene Elna Rosander was born December 10, 1917 in Isabel, SD. She was the daughter of Oscar and Florence (Lyke) Rosander. Florene attended grade school at various country schools and she graduated from the Isabel High School. On October 15, 1937, she was united in marriage to Harley Reyman. Harley was engaged in ranching and sheep herding, working for Oscar at the time. To this union was born two children: Leslie Dean and Norma Jean. Florene and Harley ranched in the Faith and Dupree area until 1956 when they moved to Belle Fourche. Florene worked at the Lariat Motel in Belle Fourche for many years. Harley died in 2004 and in 2007, Florene moved to Spearfish to the David M. Dorsett Health Care Center.

Florene was a wonderful mother and grandmother. Her favorite color was blue, and she always enjoyed greeting people with the tap of her forehead on theirs. She lived to be 100 years old, and was just a couple months short of 101. She will be greatly missed by her family.

Florene is survived by her daughter, Norma (Les) Bryan of Spearfish; son, Dean (Carol) Reyman of Farmers Ranch TX; 7 grandchildren; 17 great grandchildren; 7 great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Harley; 2 brothers; and 1 sister.



LEVERINGTON FUNERAL HOME OF THE NORTHERN HILLS

Cheryl Jo Oliver 75

Cheryl Jo Oliver, 75, of Belle Fourche passed away at her home October 14, 2018, with her loving family at her side. A Ceremonial Tribute will be held Saturday, October 20 at 10:00 AM at Kline Funeral Chapel in Belle Fourche.

Cheryl was born October 3, 1943 in Iowa City, Iowa to Merle and Jessie (Scott) Johnson.

She is survived by her children, Sheila (Tyon) Sears of Piedmont, SD, Derek (McKinzi) Oliver of Belle Fourche and Jason Oliver and friend, (Misty Kester) of Belle Fourche; 9 grandchildren, Nathan (Lindsey) Sears, Jessica (Michael) Mihok, Keenan McInerney, Zander Oliver, Ivory Oliver, Dustey Espy, Lane Kester, Stetson Kester and Stormee Kester; great grandchildren, Kaden Sears, Christopher Sears and Alexander Mihok; her sister, Veronica Johnson; 5 brothers, Richard (Mary) Johnson, Allen (Cathy) Johnson, Larry Johnson, Jack Johnson and Lloyd (Pearl) Johnson and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Merle and Jessie Johnson and a brother, Butch Johnson.

An online guest book is available at klinefuneralchapel.com



Belle Fourche Church Schedules

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

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

CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTER
2020 Vista St · 892-4767
Paul Howard, Pastor
Clay Conry, Associate Pastor
Sunday
Long Term Care Service
8:45 p.m.
Sunday School: All ages
9:30 a.m.
Fellowship Hour: 9:30 a.m.
Worship and Children's
Church 8 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday
call for summer youth activities

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS
1105 Todd St.
Brad Buchholz, Bishop
Sunday: 9 a.m. Sacrament Meeting
10 a.m. Sunday School
11 a.m. Priesthood meeting
Wednesday: young men, young women and girl scouts

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

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

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

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL UCC
717 Jackson St. · 892-3402
Pastor Del Neumeister
Sunday:
9:35 a.m. Adult Sunday School
10 a.m. Worship

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH
PO Box 46, 200 Dartmouth Ave.
605-456-2767
Worship: 9 a.m.
Wednesday afternoon children's time during the school year, 3:45-5:15

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

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

NEW COVENANT PCA
1140 Ames St. Spearfish
642-1122
Sunday:
10 a.m. Worship Service

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

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

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

RANGELAND MINISTRIES CHURCH
Alzada, MT
Sunday:
Worship: 10:00am

Mark Leverington, Lay Pastor

SALVATION ARMY OF THE NORTHERN HILLS
120 Ryan Rd., Spearfish
605-642-0924
Envoys: Tim and Peggy North
Sunday: 9:45 a.m.
Sunday School: 11 a.m.
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The Rev. Sandy Williams, Priests
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Monday-Friday: 7:45 a.m. Prayer
Wednesday: 6:30 p.m., Learning and Discovery Study

ST. ONGE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
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Sunday School and Worship at 8:30 a.m.

ST. PAUL CATHOLIC CHURCH
834 6th Ave., Belle Fourche
Msgr. Michael Woster, Pastor
Fr. John Paul Trask, As.Pastor
Mass Times
Sunday: 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday: 7:30 am.
Friday: 12:15 p.m. followed by Adoration with 2pm Benediction
4th Friday of the month @Belle Fourche
Nursing Home: 10:30 a.m.
Saturday confession 2-3 p.m.

ST. JAMES LUTHERAN
110 Stanley · 723-3923
Sunday: 9am Adult Sunday School
10:15 a.m. Worship
Wed: iPraise - after school
7th-8th grade confirmation 4 p.m.
Thurs. Pray Without Ceasing 10am
Friday: 7 a.m. Lutheran Men in Missions, Belle Inn
Saturday: 5 p.m. Worship

SUMMIT OPEN BIBLE FELLOWSHIP
Seventh and Summit
892-4630 or 892-4389
Pastor Rick and Diane Brennan
Sunday: 10 a.m. Worship
Kidz Church Immediately Following
Wednesday: September - May
6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study
Kidz Alive (Kindergarten - 6th Grade)

UNITED METHODIST
1804 Sventh Ave. · 892-2405
www.bellefourcheumc.com
Bob Duemig, Pastor
Sunday:
10:30 a.m. Worship Following
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
Wednesday:
10 a.m. & 7 p.m. - Bible Study

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402 Rosander St. Vale SD 57788
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JACKSON dental

Stop into our office on November 1st & 2nd to help your teeth and our troops.

CANDY BUY BACK

During our office hours on November 1st and 2nd we will be buying candy back for \$1.00 per pound.

All of the candy collected will be donated to deployed service members (along with toothbrushes) through a non-profit care package organization.

Call our office at
(605) 892-6347
 with any questions.

DOT Names New Area Engineer

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BELLE FOURCHE -The Belle Fourche Area of the South Dakota Department of Transportation, the largest district in the state in terms of square miles, has a new director of operations.



John Matthesen

John Matthesen of the Rapid City Region office has been named the new Area Engineer for the Belle Fourche district. The offices are headquartered on the south edge of Belle.

Matthesen assumes duties on October 24th. He takes over for Tammy Williams who has become the SD DOT Administration Program Manager in Pierre.

"I am very excited for this new challenge and I look forward to it," Matthesen said. He has been with the DOT for 28 years.

The engineering division administers construction and improvement projects on roads, bridges and infrastructure in the region. Duties include testing of soils and construction materials as well as inspections.

The SD School of Mines and Technology graduate took a short break from his post with the Rapid City DOT office in the early 2000's to oversee the reopening of the Yates and Ross Shafts for the Sanford Underground Research Facility.

Currently the Belle Fourche office is overseeing a 2-year project making improvements to Highway 12 and 73 in the Lemmon area and in June of this year completed supervision of a \$27 million project to rebuild I-90 Exit 14 in Spearfish. There are a total of 37 employees in the Belle Fourche Area.

His duties in the Belle Fourche office will include overseeing the engineering and maintenance activities. Maintenance

Local Dentist Offers Cash for Candy

Jackson Dental is taking a stand against the affects of candy in an effort to support our servicemen this Halloween.

wrong types of candy can also lead to broken and damaged braces.

BELLE FOURCHE - One area dentist is redefining the phrase "put your money where your mouth is." This Halloween, trick-or-treaters can bring their excess candy to Jackson Dental Clinic and receive \$1 per pound. Dr. Christopher Jackson, Dr. John Jackson, and Dr. Jonathan Krum have joined the movement to reduce gingivitis and decay by giving money in exchange for cavity-provoking candy.

Dentistry of Middleton, WI. "Kids can still have all of the fun of trick-or-treating, and now their piggy banks will benefit as well. The practices that chose to participate in the Halloween Candy Buy Back help parents that want to limit the amount of damage that can be done to their children's teeth. We want to encourage and teach preventative care to save your smile," says Hope Jackson.

"Ditch the candy, that's what we're saying. Visiting your dentist twice a year and brushing daily are great preventative measures, but doing away with excess sweets altogether would really give your teeth a healthy boost," says founder, Dr. Chris Kammer from Lifetime Family

Global sugar consumption for kids increases by about 2% annually and currently sits at 50 million tons per year, which means parents need to be sure their kids' teeth are being cared for more than ever. Candy, as well as hurting children's teeth, can lead to hyperactivity and weight gain. In some cases, the

Candy will be collected on November 1st and 2nd during regular business hours. The candy will then be shipped to troops overseas via Operation Shoebox. Each child is eligible to receive \$1 per pound up to five (5) pounds for all unopened, uneaten candy. Jackson Dental will also provide paper and pen for anyone that would like to create a letter for our service members.

The dentists at Jackson Dental are excited to try this program again after a successful buy back a few years ago. The doctors work hard to raise public awareness of the benefits of healthy eating and great dental hygiene and this program fits well with that vision. The Jackson Dental staff are available to provide more information at the office or their facebook page.

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ABC Holds Planning Meeting

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BELLE FOURCHE - The Action for the Betterment of the Community (ABC) coalition met mid day October 5th for a strategic planning meeting at the Belle Fourche Ambulance Building.

Action for the Betterment of the Community (ABC) coalition of Belle Fourche was one of 50 organizations selected nationwide to receive federal grant monies for its substance abuse prevention and treatment services in Butte County.

ABC of Belle Fourche was successful in its Drug Free Communities (DFC) application and was awarded a five year commitment in funding. The

Belle Fourche joins Worland, Wyoming; Wahpeton and Grand Forks, ND; and Dillon and Libby, Montana as regional recipients of the \$125,000 per year awards. The grant was written to serve all of Butte County.

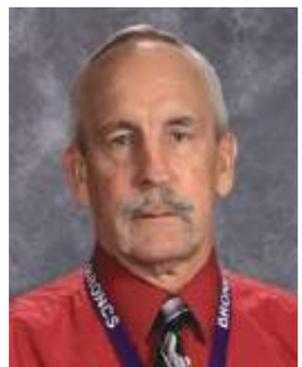
The kick-off meeting was to brainstorm ideas/solutions that Belle Fourche stakeholders see as the priorities in the community.

Kara Graveman, Sturgis, Action for the Betterment of our Community Executive Director moderated the discussion.

We asked Brian Aspen, the Belle Fourche School Districts School/Family Liaison officer to give our readers insight into the ABC coalition.

That interview is as follows:
What's your perspective on the opportunities the federal award presents our community?

"I think one of the most important opportunities this grant provides is the ability to educate our parents and community about what our children and students face these days in terms of drugs and alcohol. Some parents may be totally unaware that their student is



Brian Aspen is the BF School District's School and Family Liaison officer.

doing drugs or alcohol. Many parents miss the 'signs' of usage by their child until it is too late. This grant will allow for community meetings to educate the public on what to look for if they suspect their child is using drugs and what resources are available if they are needed.

The grant will also allow a certain number of dollars for law enforcement to be present and concentrate on certain school activities such as prom, football games, homecoming, dances, etc. It may also provide a little more police presence during the busiest times of the school day, such as right before and right after school dismissal times when traffic is heaviest.

FEARLESS 5K
SUNDAY - OCTOBER 21

The Belle Fourche Area Community Center is organizing this family event for all ages and fitness levels. Join us for our 6th Annual Fearless 5K (3.1 miles) that starts and finishes at Herrmann Park. Bring a friend; get out, walk, jog, or run-JUST MOVE!

Check In: 1:00 - 1:30
Start Time: 1:30 p.m. (Kids Races)
 5k Starts immediately following.
Kids Events:
 Begin first! Herrmann Park circle (Kids may walk/run their lap(s) with a parent)
 • 8 & Under One lap (1/4 mile)
 • 9 to 12 yrs. Two laps (1/2 mile)

Timing/Prizes
 The main objective is to be active; however, we will be timing the event for those who want to know their times. All prizes will be random as everyone will be entered to win regardless of their time/place.

Registration \$10.00 (no shirt), \$20.00 with t-shirt.
 Registration forms available at BFACC or www.bellefourche.org

Broncs Lose Lead to Fall by 1 in 4th Quarter

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The Belle Fourche Bronco football team had a huge win over Pine Ridge Friday, October 5, 68-14 before suffering a disappointing loss to St. Thomas More 21-20 last Friday night. The Cavaliers scored their third and final unanswered touchdown with 1:26 remaining, added the conversion and the took game long lead away from the Broncs to close the contest.

Belle opened the scoring with a 2 yard run by Kelby Olson, add an extra point by Jackson Tyndall and the Broncs entered halftime up 7-0.

Early in the third quarter Olson repeated, again from 2 yds and another Jackson extra point made it 14-0. More QB Ryder Kirsch got the home team on the board with 3:14 remaining in the 3rd with and 11 yard scoring strike to Andrew Smith. Morgan Garrett returned the ensuing kickoff 89 yards to put Belle up 20-7. That proved to be the end of Belle's second half offense, as the Bronc defense played most of the rest of the game backed into their own goal line. Kirsch had two more fourth quarter TD completions including the strike that led to the win.

It was the third time this season that opponents have overcome Bronc leads to claim victory. The Cavaliers defense limited the talented Olson to less than three yards a carry. Senior Tate Hostetter was 10-21 for 125 yards passing with Taten Fox pulling one in for 48 yards and Bryce Nicholas a pair for 31



Senior Fullback Taten Fox(44) follows blockers on solid gain against St. Thomas More. Courtesy photo Chris and Krinda Fox

yards. Brextin Garza had 2 carries for 35 yards and Fox touched the ball three times for 15 yards.

Hunter Mitchell led the team in tackles and had two of the four Belle QB sacks. The talented Kirsch (More QB) when not on the ground seemed to have the keys that opened up the Broncs defense as he dropped short passes to open receivers in front of the relaxed zone to gain the offensive initiative. The Broncs also had 11 penalties handing a total of 80 gift yards to More.

Look back one week to the Pine Ridge game and it seemed the perfect opportunity to exercise team depth and skills. Belle had 417 yards total offense in the game. Senior Morgen Garrett ended scoring with a 62 yard touchdown run. The Bronc scoring started early in the first with a 51 yard scoring pass play from Hostetter to Jackson Tyndall. Pine Ridge scored about a minute later and Kelby Olson returned the kick 85 yards for a score. Olson

also scored in the game on a 12 yard TD run; a 92 yard run; and ran a pass interception for a touchdown. Hostetter added touchdown passes of 62 yards to Tyndall; 17 yards to Jackson Mailloux; and 13 yards to Nicholas. Taten Fox added to the scoring with a six yard TD run. 18 players marked the tally sheet with tackle statistics. The Broncs host Douglas at 6:00 pm tonight in their final game of the year.

Coach Slotten commented after the More loss, "Boys fought hard. I feel for the Seniors, because they deserved this victory. They have put in so much work in their 4 years to not be a playoff team. We lost to a good team. We are going to go out and fight to end on a high note. Beat Douglas and have a ton of fun doing it."

SPEARFISH: The Belle JV defeated Spearfish Monday 12-7. Two Rushing TD's by Colby Nowowiejski. Austin Wood headlined the Bronc defense. The JV team ends the year 5-1.

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Clarkson Returns to State

HOT SPRINGS -Sawyer Clarkson placed third at the Region 5A Cross Country meet, October 11 and along with Allison Hayes will represent Belle at the State meet in Sioux Falls on October 20th. Clarkson covered the Southern Hills GC course in a time of 17 minutes 22.92 seconds. Clarkson placed 14th at state last year as a 7th grader.

Other Bronc competitors were Wyatt Keegan (39th place in 20:51:60); Nic Lambert (41st place in 21:10.30), Cole Hockenbary (47th place in 24:09.38), Devin Nowowiejski (48th place in 24:36.63)

Allison Hayes paced the Bronc girl's team with a time of 22 minutes 8.72 seconds. The 16th place qualified Hayes for a trip to state. Molly Ryan (22nd place in 22:55.90), Sarah Juelfs (30th place in 24:19.31), Anika Main (31st place in 24:27.72), and Alanah Pomrenke (34th place in 24:51.92) also competed for the Broncs.



LEADING THE WAY - Sawyer Clarkson (left) outpaces two Custer racers at the Region 5A meet in Hot Springs. The Belle Fourche 8th grader makes a return trip to state after finishing third overall in district competition. Photo by Brittany Clarkson

Volleyball Season Will Wrap at Home

BEACON STAFF

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BELLE FOURCHE - The Bronc Volleyball team hosted Spearfish on Oct 9th. The home crowd watched an exciting match up on the Ed Petranek Armory home court.

The visiting Spartans won the first two games 25-19 and 25-22 before the Broncs battled back 25-21 and 25-19 only to fall in the 5th set 15-13.

The Broncs traveled to Aberdeen Friday to take on the

Roncalli Lady Cavaliers.

The Lady Broncs won the first set 25-20, but Roncalli rebounded winning three straights to take the match 3-1.

Belle competed in Redfield-Doland VB Pheasant Fall Classic in Redfield Saturday Oct. 13. They lost to third ranked Class B powerhouse Northwestern Area (Mellette, SD) 2-0 in the opener of the nine-team Pool play Tourney. They came back and beat Webster two straight 25-20 and 25-22. They were then defeated twice in the

consolation pool by Waverly-South Shore and Beresford finishing 1-3 for the day.

Teams participating were: Pool A: Northwestern Area, Belle Fourche, & Webster Area. Pool B: Groton Area, Waverly-South Shore, & Wolsey Wessington. Pool C: Redfield-Doland, Florence-Henry, & Beresford.

The Lady Broncs are home for the final two games of the year with Lead-Deadwood Oct. 19 and Hill City Oct. 22. Game time both nights 7:00PM.



Payson Birkeland takes shot as Aspen Braning (11), Taryn Stedillie (9), and Avery Middleton (15) ready vs. Beresford at the Pheasant Fall Classic in Redfield. Photo Courtesy Laura Young

Bronc's Golf Future



(From left) Ryan Rhoads, Lance Sutter, Coach Bill Burr, Alex Voyles and Aden Beisel.

It was a good state tournament for Sophomore Lance Sutter. His second day score of 86 was his personal best for competition. In addition to that he eagled the 15th from 160 yards out on day two on his way to a 26th place finish. First-time qualifier Alex Voyles gained valuable experience at state with a 124-122.

"The boys worked hard and had great attitudes this season," said Coach Bill Burr. "As for the team and next season, we have set a goal to qualify for the state tournament as a team and we have some good potential.. Ryan Rhoads, Jayce Mitchell and Ashton Dean Hill 8th graders. Albert Keys a freshman and three sophomores, Lance Sutter, Aden Beisel and Alex Voyles. They know that if we are to obtain that goal we will have to put in lots of hard work this offseason."



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BANK

complete the project before July 1, 2019.

The construction of the new structure will be made possible in part with the guidance of at least two native citizens. Belle Fourche's Leigh Moser, Ainsworth-Benning Construction's Vice President of Operations, lends his experienced guidance as the company serves as General Contractor. Jerud Pummel, another Belle Fourche product, is Architect/ Project Manager for Upperdeck Architects, Rapid City, SD.

Since its beginning, this is only the second building Pioneer Bank, formerly the Bank of Belle Fourche, has ever occupied. The Daily Belle Fourche Post of December 4, 1937 had a full page advertisement offering "Congratulations" on the opening of Belle Fourche's New Financial Institution the "Bank of Belle Fourche". The bank held a 12 hour open house that Saturday (9am to 9pm) and were officially open for business on Monday December 6, 1937.



OUT WITH THE OLD - The old interior lobby isn't recognizable behind the temporary wall. Demolition inside and out continue as crews are looking forward to several days of warm October temperatures.

Thompson Brothers Construction Company, Spearfish serving as General Contractor led the list of those plying their trades to the project. That was the first remodeling in the Bank's history as December 3, 1937 Belle Fourche Bee spoke of the completed re-

modeling of the former Garage Block Building (formerly Buick auto dealership) and reported on "a mighty attractive appearance, as well as being conveniently arranged for customer and employees."

The Bank of Belle continued to operate in that location at the corner of 6th and State until they held their second open house Saturday, August 15, 1970 one block east at the present location on the corner of 7th and State. The Methodist church building that had stood on that corner was removed to make room for the new bank building and the second Bank of Belle open house was slated from 1pm to 5pm that year, as the Belle Fourche Daily Post advertisement of Wednesday August 12, 1970 welcomed the public saying, "We Hope You Will Visit Us In Our New Quarters. They Are Designed To Help Us Provide Greater Convenience



BEFORE THE BANK - Long-time residents may remember the Methodist Church that was moved in the late 1960's to make way for Pioneer Bank which now occupies this corner at 7th and State Streets.

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LYNN'S

offices there. The business was a family affair from day one.

"I was always on call," Georgia Feist, Lynn's wife said. "There'd be a big order and he'd call and say, 'I need your help, get down here.'"

"We used to get \$5 allowance until the eighth grade year and then that stopped," Jim Feist, Lynn's oldest son said. "His attitude was 'I'll give you a job, I don't care where you work, but you're gonna work.'"

As the three Feist kids grew up stocking shelves and taking inventory, the two boys found their calling, while Tammy went on to follow a teaching career.

The business continued to grow with stores being bought in Fort Thompson and Lead. In 1996 Lynn Feist passed away, allowing his two sons, Jim and Don, to step in and continue his legacy. Don Feist, who is the administrative head of Lynn's Dakotamart said whenever Feist bought a store, he would keep the original name and just add "Lynn's" in front of it. That



In 1968 Lynn Feist opened his first store in Faith, SD.



FAMILY PHOTO - One of the only pictures (circa early 1970s) of the entire family, from left, Lynn Feist, Don Feist, Tammy (Feist) Sletten, Georgia Feist, and Jim Feist. Also pictured, Snoopy the dog. Courtesy photo

all changed in 2000 when the company bought "Dakotamart" in Pierre.

"It was always 'Lynn's Super-Valu', 'Lynn's Family Foods', " Don said. "We combined the two, just took the 'Lynn's' and 'Dakotamart' and added it together."

In the early 2000s Lynn's Dakotamart started the "We Care" program which has donated more than \$830,000 to charities in the communities they serve through a receipt return program. Don said it was the example of their father's generosity and genuine love for all the communities he served that inspired the program.

"More cash gets handled by the banks and the grocery stores," Don said. "So he just kind of had a responsibility to give back to that community."

"He never liked to say the word, 'I', it was always, 'we'," Georgia said.

For all the work Lynn Feist poured into helping and growing communities throughout the state, he was posthumously inducted into the South Dakota

Hall of Fame in 2004.

"Back in the day most retailers had one store," Jim said. "They were content in what ever town they were in. People don't understand somebody like Lynn that would go to the bank, borrow everything to buy one store, finally scratch and claw, then mortgage that store to buy another one only to get more headaches, more stuff and more stuff. But that's the kind of guy he was. He was never content sitting still. He wanted to grow."

Growing the business and community commitment are still paramount in the minds of Jim and Don Feist as they look towards the future. The Sturgis store was the first grocery store in South Dakota to implement barcode scanning.

"At one time we were on the cutting edge of technology," Don said.

Moving forward Lynn's Dakotamart will be looking into growing trends of how people shop.

"I would see a lot more online shopping," Don said. "I would think that that's going to happen sooner than later."

Everyone in the Feist family feels the same immense connection to the communities that drove their father to build a grocery legacy, as well as an appreciation for the people who live and work in those communities.

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OPEN HOUSE - This notice was printed in August of 1970 in the Belle Fourche Daily Post regarding the bank's original open house event.

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The facility presented, at that time, a brand new feature to the public, "Drive-In Banking".

The Bank of Belle changed its name to Pioneer Bank & Trust January 1, 1986.

The current construction project is more than a major remodel it is the building of a new structure on site while maintaining operations.

The Board of Director's of

Pioneer Bank made the decision to rebuild on site and continue the long standing commitment to the community of maintaining banking operations on State Street in Belle Fourche.

The banking that started first in Buffalo in 1913 grew into Belle Fourche in the Depression era, and with the new structure, continues to build for the continued growth and success of both Pioneer Bank & Trust, Belle Fourche, and the Tri-State area.



TEMPORARY ENTRANCE - Pioneer Bank's temporary entrance is on the west side of the building. The bank will remain open on regular schedule during construction.

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STATE STREET

host site, and a couple guests tried to keep their fingers warm enough to entertain on the piano (a regular fixture of the park).

The "grand reopening" was highlighted by a renewed sense of excitement of just being able to drive to the Post Office again.

Heavy Constructors, the project contractor, had taken down barricades and opened the street past the post office to traffic the week prior.



MUSIC TO DRIVE BY - Lucy Cole entertains those present at the ribbon-cutting of State Street on October 4th.

said. "Even though I'm not active (in the business) it's still important to me to see how it's gone."

Lynn's Dakotamart operates grocery stores in Faith, Sturgis, Lead, Belle Fourche, Custer, Pierre, Ft. Pierre, Ft. Thompson, Hot Springs, and Martin. They plan to celebrate their 50-year

mark with customer appreciation lunches and giveaways starting Monday, Oct. 1. Look for inserts in your local papers or go to www.lynnsdakotamart.com for full details on what's happening at your local store.

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Can it be that time of year already? Well, yes and no. While we still have Pumpkinfest and other Fall Flavors activities to rock this month, we're looking ahead to Belle Fourche's second most famous and enjoyed 'holiday', Light Up the Night! Just six weeks away, we want you to have plenty of time to plan and decorate your awesome floats, so we are opening float registration for the Chamber's annual Parade of Lights early! This year there are prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place for best use of lights and theme, sponsored by the Black Hills Roundup Ag Committee. The chosen theme for this year: A Hometown Christmas.

We want to see your floats dripping with nostalgia (and sparkling lights)! As always, entry is free and open to all. Follow this link or download the entry form by clicking the button below. Deadline for parade entries is November 20th.



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ABC GRANT
The grant will provide the school with a "Prevention Specialist". They will provide in school education on a wide variety of topics that face our students: from drugs and alcohol to the growing problem of 'vaping.' What are the direct benefits you can see? "One of the major advantages is that it will provide a person in the school that focuses on these issues, thus allowing counselors

and other school staff to focus on other issues. It also provides one more person to support our students that need a trusted "go to" person." Needs were discussed at the planning session. Do you have what you see as top priorities in your position as school liaison? "It is extremely important for parents to be involved with their children and to know the issues faced by students these days. One way to do that is to educate the parents and encourage them to be active participants in their children's lives. I strive to make sure that everything I do is in the best interest of children/students regardless of what I have to do. I often have involvement with the families outside of the school setting which can be necessary to improve the students and family's lives in

general." Would you care to comment on the mission statement and vision for the coalition? "Suffice to say that I believe in our mission because our students and families face a wide variety of ever increasing issues these days. It is a totally different world than it was 20 or so years ago with social media and all of the other pressures faced everyday by our students." A five-year grant requires 5 year's worth of planning. How might that complicate the task? "Our mindset is to develop something that WORKS to help our students and families. Right now it is a work in progress, but we have some of the most knowledgeable and caring people on our team and I have no doubt that we will be successful."

Licorice 'n' Lollipops: The Story of Candy Family Fun Day
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The day will include a fun video about the history of candy-making; several candy-related crafts and a drawing for the book, "Sweet! The Delicious Story of Candy." Children and adults who attend are encouraged to wear costumes and will have the chance to trick or treat in the Haunted Spaulding Cabin. All kids receive a free take-home packet with games, puzzles and info about candy. Admission is \$2 per person or free with membership. Reservations are very helpful.

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Rural School Librarians Look to the Future

Karen Schlekeway from Belle Fourche School District began a three-year professional development cohort program, designed to enhance her skills in the digital world, on October 8-9 with a virtual conference. Thirteen rural school librarians drawn from each of three states—North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wyoming, participated in the cohort. Technology and Innovation in Education (TIE) of Rapid City coordinated the program, free to librarians, thanks in part to an Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) grant. The state libraries of North Dakota, South Dakota, and Wyoming are also partnering with TIE on this program, called "Reaching Out."

Through face-to-face and virtual learning, selected librarians will gain expertise in utilizing Open Educational Resources (OER) and will be prepared to serve as instructional leaders in their schools. The event this week provides a focus on teaching Digital Literacy and the new national standards, as well as Digital Citizenship. Project Director, Julie Erickson, explained that these digital skills and standards integrate with content area standards to support teachers and students who live in a digital world. More information is available from Julie Erickson at jerickson@tie.net. TIE, an extension of public schools, has worked for more than three decades to improve instruction throughout the region.



Karen Schlekeway, Belle Fourche District Librarian

This project was made possible in part by IMLS, grant RE-7018-0050-18. The IMLS is the primary source of federal support for the nation's approximately 120,000 libraries and 35,000 museums, with a mission to inspire libraries and museums to advance innovation, lifelong learning, and cultural and civic engagement."

OBITUARIES From Page A2

Clemens "Clemmy" Bossert 90

"Clemmy" was born in Strasburg, ND in 1928 to Adam and Rose (Schneider) Bossert. The family resettled in the Vale, SD area in 1941. He passed away under the loving care of the Ft. Meade VA Hospice of Lewy Bodies dementia. The Bossert family raised sugar beets and livestock. As a young man, he farmed for Buster Hill for many years. Clem was a part of the military motorcycle police in the US Army 1947-48. Along with many of his brothers, he worked underground at Homestake Gold Mine. Clem also worked construction in Marietta, GA from 1968-1978. He loved telling stories, fishing, playing cards, black coffee, reading the daily paper and books, and people! He was at Serenity Corner Assisted Living for several years where he thrived because of the wonderful care, friendships and sitting outside watching the farming and wildlife. Preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Ben, Edward, Peter, Adam, Jake, Elmer; sisters, Leona Cerney (Charlie), Viola Sullivan (Alvin). Survived by brothers, Bert and Anthony; sisters, Mary Stevens (Craig), Irene Meier (Adam), and Sylvia Bossert. A memorial service is planned for the Spring. Condolences may be sent to 730. N. 10th St., Spearfish, SD 57783 and www.blackhillsfuneralhome.com



Soccer Alumni Raise \$1800 for Trimble Family



HELPING LOCALLY - Anthony Bradley (boys soccer coach) presented Jim and Wanda Trimble with an \$1800 check during halftime of the game on 9-18. The money came from a fundraiser alumni game on July 4th to benefit Wanda, who has been diagnosed with non small cell lung cancer. -Photo courtesy of Allan Shreier

Local Teacher, Volunteers Build Education Infrastructure in Mexico



Cathie Wood, from Belle Fourche, spends winters in El Laurel, Veracruz, Mexico. As a retired classroom teacher, she taught Spanish and while in Mexico she volunteers to help Spanish speaking students speak English. In this poor community, Cathie realized the children needed a decent playground. With financial help from Christian Life Center in Belle Fourche materials to build a playground were provided. Members of the church, El Laurel community, and the children united in this project. Cathie's next project was the kindergarten building. The

county built the building but did not include plumbing and other necessities. Cathie used her money and wrote a grant to Delta Kappa Gamma, an international teacher organization. She also received money from a fund raiser by Spearfish Middle School Student Council, and local members of Delta Kappa Gamma. Now the young children in El Laurel have a beautiful place to begin their educational endeavors in a new facility which includes plumbing and a lunch area. Cathie is working to provide books and some technology for the classroom.



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From the Editor

Anything Left in the Barrel?

By: Doug Cole



As we amble along through this life on earth we have, on occasion, the good fortune to meet up with, or hear from one of the truly great ones that God puts on this earth awhile to make it a better place for the rest of us.

My late father-in-law was one such man.

He was pretty much fully retired when I met him, but was one of those community members who because of knowing people and having good old fashioned common sense had been for many years his local communities chief-of police. About a month after marrying his daughter I bumped into him one afternoon in the grocery store aisle.

He said, "I guess you and your wife are coming to our house for chili tomorrow evening?"

I replied, "I can't say for sure. I haven't been given my instructions for tomorrow yet."

He answered, "I suppose that's true. Any man that says he's in charge of his house will lie about other things too."

If in a society run by the Republicans man exploits man, with Democrats in charge would it be the other way around?

People would probably be more successful in politics when they've figured out a way to pick up fresh horse manure and throw it at the other person without getting it on their own hands too.

MIKE & VERN: (para mi cunado):

Vern: Morning Mike. How is your Grape jelly project going?

Mike: Not worth a gnat's nanny.

Vern: Why? What happened?

Mike: Well, first of all, other than you and the early morning coffee group, I tried to keep it a secret. Somehow word got out.

Vern: I never told a soul.

Mike: I didn't think you did, but you know how fast things spread in the jelly industry.

Vern: Somebody beat you to the idea?

Mike: Found out it's already under copyright.

Vern: Somebody's making it?

Mike: I guess so. The rights are owned by an East

Coast Company, in New Jersey I think. They only make it in Mexico. It's marketed under the "la sonrisa de satisfeca" label. Trump is getting most of it stopped at the border. Trouble is, it's still being sold on the black market in places like Ralph and Ludlow. So if you see anyone around there with a smirk on their face you'll know where it's coming from.

Vern: I'm sorry you lost out on that opportunity.

Mike: It's okay, got a new idea. I'm thinking about selling used mufflers.

Vern: Doing what? That could be your dumbest idea ever.

Mike: I don't know why you say that, it's a business with no competition.

Vern: I would guess not. Did you ever wonder why?

Mike: Not really. I did once hear a guy say that "the opinion of a former elected official has about as much value as a used muffler." Thought that must mean they're worth something? I always see those people on cable news running on about something.

Vern: That should have been your clue.

I've always been fascinated by puzzles. Tell me it can't be done and I'll try to figure out a way to do it. I once heard comedian Paul Lynde asked to solve a puzzle and thought he had the only correct answer.

Question? You are driving down a very narrow, windy, curvy mountain road. There is rock wall hundreds of feet tall on the inside (no shoulder) and a 1000 ft. drop off on the outside (again, no shoulder). You pull out and accelerate to pass a slow moving, long semi-truck and trailer. About 2/3 of the way around a blind spot ahead now becomes visible and you are about to meet two trucks side by side coming from the other direction. No time to go back or get out of the way. The head on is unavoidable. What do you do?

Answer: Comic Lynde shook his head side to side considering the sheer hopelessness of the situation and responded in his patented dry sardonic manner, "Honk if you love Jesus."

Family Dollar Grand Reopening

"Family Dollar is proud to be a part of the Belle Fourche community and we're excited to welcome existing and new customers to our newly renovated store," said Heather Briganti, Family Dollar spokesperson. "In addition to providing everyday low prices and a broad assortment of merchandise, we have expanded our selection of food, beauty and essentials, household products, and seasonal items. Our renovated store should provide even greater value and convenience to our shoppers."

The grand re-opening kicks

off on Thursday, October 18, followed by a celebration for the community at the store on Saturday, October 20, with the ribbon cutting at 10 a.m. The event will include giveaways and prizes, including reusable shopping bags, cookies and a gift basket raffle. In addition, on Saturday, the first 50 customers will receive a Family Dollar gift card.

Family Dollar stores are open seven days a week and offer everyday items for the entire family in an easy-to-shop neighborhood location. The store is located at 1820 5th Avenue.

Belle Fourche's Keegan Named BHSU Swarm Day King



Daxton Keegan, Belle Fourche, and Mikayla DeBolt, Sheridan, Wyoming were named 2018 Black Hills State University Swarm Day King and Queen at the September 27 coronation.

Daxton is a May 2015 Belle Fourche high school graduate and the son of Kevin and Kelly Keegan. He is currently studying K-12 Special Education. On campus, you can find him as the Activity Grants Director for BHSU Cab, a Student Senator for the College of Education & Behavioral Sciences, or volunteering for the Thompson-Diversion Program. He also has volunteered with Special Olympics, YJ Friends and is currently employed with the Network & Computer Services at BHSU.

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Pork Shoulder
 Whole In The Bag



WOW!
~~50¢ ea.~~ **10 for \$5**
 Quaker
Pasta or Rice-A-Roni
 4.2-7.2 oz.



\$188
lb.

Holiday Seedless Grapes



\$10
~~1.00 ea.~~ **10 for \$10**
Progresso Soups
 18-19 oz. Vegetable Classics



88¢
ea.

White or Wheat Bread
 24 oz. Lynn's Dakotamart or Best Choice



WOW!
~~2.00 ea.~~ **5 for \$10**
Tombstone Pizza
 Select 12"



\$4
~~1.34 ea.~~ **3 for \$4**
 Crystal Farms
Chunk or Shredded Cheese
 6-8 oz.

A Walk Back In Time... 1968 pricing!



29¢
ea.
Limit 2 Please

Ketchup
 Our Family 24 oz.



\$199
ea.
Aqua Vista Water
 .5 Liter 24 pk.

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Anniversary Prizes & Giveaways!

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Cattle Report - Friday, October 12, 2018

Just Under 3000 Hd Today
Shots Making A Big Difference!

Next Sale - Wed, October 17th - Spring Calf Special
- Fri, October 19th - Spring Calf Special
- Sat, October 20th - Weigh Up Special
Thank You For Marketing With St Onge Livestock!

Calves				
Johnson, Troy, St Onge Sd.....	10. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	438.....	\$207.00
Johnson, Troy, St Onge Sd.....	32. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	571.....	\$172.50
Johnson, Troy, St Onge Sd.....	102 Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	604.....	\$174.50
Mccooy, Neal, Belle Fourche Sd.....	13. Blk Hfr.....	Bt.....	412.....	\$187.00
Mccooy, Neal, Belle Fourche Sd.....	20. Blk Hfr.....	Bt.....	510.....	\$160.00
Mccooy, Neal, Belle Fourche Sd.....	10. Bldd Str.....	Bt.....	423.....	\$214.00
Mccooy, Neal, Belle Fourche Sd.....	14. Blk Str.....	Bt.....	521.....	\$186.00
Schuldies, Gerald, Spearfish Sd.....	11. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	585.....	\$150.00
Schuldies, Gerald, Spearfish Sd.....	16. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	595.....	\$160.50
Schuldies, Gerald, Spearfish Sd.....	15. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	702.....	\$154.50
Turbiville, Don, Buffalo Sd.....	10. Blk Hfr.....	Bt.....	445.....	\$173.00
Turbiville, Don, Buffalo Sd.....	63. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt.....	552.....	\$153.75
Turbiville, Don, Buffalo Sd.....	11. Bldd Str.....	Bt.....	478.....	\$203.00
Turbiville, Don, Buffalo Sd.....	62. Bldd Str.....	Bt.....	586.....	\$170.50
Kuemerle, Carl, Upton Wy.....	26. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	536.....	\$154.75
Kuemerle, Carl, Upton Wy.....	21. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	511.....	\$191.00
Kuemerle, Carl, Upton Wy.....	31. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	633.....	\$165.00
Kuemerle, Carl, Upton Wy.....	30. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	641.....	\$163.25
Anderson, Myron, Whitewood Sd.....	8. Blk Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	495.....	\$158.50
Anderson, Myron, Whitewood Sd.....	19. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	579.....	\$150.00
Anderson, Myron, Whitewood Sd.....	9. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	492.....	\$187.00
Anderson, Myron, Whitewood Sd.....	37. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	629.....	\$165.00
Biers, Jerry D, Sturgis Sd.....	26. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	634.....	\$147.00
Biers, Jerry D, Sturgis Sd.....	8. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	666.....	\$158.75
Biers, Jerry D, Sturgis Sd.....	15. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	702.....	\$158.75
Cow Creek Ranch, Gillette Wy.....	21. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	620.....	\$163.75
Ehrler, Daniel Ray & Janine Rae, Recluse Wy.....	30. Blk Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	517.....	\$157.00
Ehrler, Daniel Ray & Janine Rae, Recluse Wy.....	8. Blk Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	607.....	\$149.00
Ehrler, Daniel Ray & Janine Rae, Recluse Wy.....	30. Blk Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	521.....	\$188.00
Ehrler, Daniel Ray & Janine Rae, Recluse Wy.....	42. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	589.....	\$171.00
Fiedor, Jack M & Connie Kay, Rancheater Wy.....	10. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	625.....	\$165.25
Frausto, John, Gillette Wy.....	25. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	661.....	\$164.50
Gardner, Colt, Moorcroft Mt.....	13. Blk Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	514.....	\$163.00
Gardner, Colt, Moorcroft Mt.....	12. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	548.....	\$176.00
Hagen, Clair D Or Darlene, Piedmont Sd.....	11. Hfr Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	577.....	\$145.00
Hagen, Clair D Or Darlene, Piedmont Sd.....	40. B/R Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	622.....	\$163.25
Hughes, Jeff, Belle Fourche Sd.....	15. B/R Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	525.....	\$156.00
Hughes, Jeff, Belle Fourche Sd.....	10. B/R Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	581.....	\$163.50
Jones, Howard H & Kristin D, Rozet Wy.....	26. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	555.....	\$153.50
Jones, Howard H & Kristin D, Rozet Wy.....	14. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	509.....	\$186.00
Jones, Howard H & Kristin D, Rozet Wy.....	37. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	614.....	\$164.75
Mainkovich, Dan, Missoula Mt.....	14. B/R Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	581.....	\$149.00
Mainkovich, Dan, Missoula Mt.....	18. B/R Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	610.....	\$159.00
Mattson, Jay, Sturgis Sd.....	12. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	503.....	\$162.50
Mattson, Jay, Sturgis Sd.....	6. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	461.....	\$189.00
Mattson, Jay, Sturgis Sd.....	13. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	549.....	\$171.00
Oedekoven, Darrell Or Penny, Vale Sd.....	35. B/R Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	627.....	\$165.00
Oedekoven, Darrell Or Penny, Vale Sd.....	29. B/R Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	728.....	\$159.75
Pearce Ranch Llc, Rancheater Wy.....	10. Blk Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	537.....	\$152.00
Pearce Ranch Llc, Rancheater Wy.....	10. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	556.....	\$167.00
Pearce Ranch Llc, Rancheater Wy.....	19. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	632.....	\$162.75
Pratt, Ken, Forsyth Mt.....	22. Blk Bull.....		452.....	\$168.00
Schunicht & Kinstetter, Moorcroft Wy.....	5. B/R Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	351.....	\$215.00
Schunicht & Kinstetter, Moorcroft Wy.....	31. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	430.....	\$208.00
Schunicht & Kinstetter, Moorcroft Wy.....	48. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	542.....	\$176.00
Severson, Brad, Vale Sd.....	9. B/R Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	527.....	\$184.00
Severson, Brad, Vale Sd.....	42. B/R Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	619.....	\$165.75
Shepperson, Jerry & Anita, Upton Wy.....	44. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	525.....	\$187.50
Shull, Garold, Box Elder Sd.....	12. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	607.....	\$147.10
Shull, Garold, Box Elder Sd.....	12. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	649.....	\$160.25
Stalcup, Thomas & Cathleen, Gillette Wy.....	29. Red Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	538.....	\$180.00
Stromer, Merlin, Rapid City Sd.....	7. Blk Hfr.....		505.....	\$157.00
Stromer, Merlin, Rapid City Sd.....	11. Blk Hfr.....		570.....	\$150.00
Stromer, Merlin, Rapid City Sd.....	9. Blk Str.....		491.....	\$194.00
Stromer, Merlin, Rapid City Sd.....	13. Blk Str.....		642.....	\$160.00
Telsrow, Richard, Aladdin Wy.....	12. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt.....	483.....	\$157.00
Telsrow, Richard, Aladdin Wy.....	8. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt.....	570.....	\$148.50
Telsrow, Richard, Aladdin Wy.....	7. Bldd Str.....	Bt.....	504.....	\$172.50
Telsrow, Richard, Aladdin Wy.....	9. Bldd Str.....	Bt.....	555.....	\$170.00
Wells, Taten J Or Bobbi J, Piedmont Sd.....	22. Blk Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	642.....	\$160.75
Wicka, Bob, Whitewood Sd.....	16. Bldd Hfr.....	Bt, Pc.....	602.....	\$148.00
Wicka, Bob, Whitewood Sd.....	18. Bldd Str.....	Bt, Pc.....	638.....	\$165.00
Williams, Dennis L Or Grace E, Moorcroft Wy.....	8. Bldd Hfr.....		656.....	\$150.00
Wilson, Blaine, Gillette Wy.....	19. Blk Str.....		587.....	\$146.00
Wilson, Blaine, Gillette Wy.....	18. Blk Hfr.....		607.....	\$161.75
Yearlings				
Busenitz Ranch Inc, Hulett Wy.....	5. Blk Hfr.....		888.....	\$140.00
Busenitz Ranch Inc, Hulett Wy.....	21. Blk Hfr.....		965.....	\$136.50
Foos Angus, Nisland Sd.....	9. Blk Hfr.....		761.....	\$148.50
Foos Angus, Nisland Sd.....	17. Blk Hfr.....		862.....	\$144.00
Foos Angus, Nisland Sd.....	3. Blk Hfr.....		1028.....	\$133.00
Habeck Family Partnership, Sundance Wy.....	16. B/H Hfr.....		941.....	\$133.50
Janvrin Jr, Clair C, Ludlow Sd.....	2. Bldd Hfr.....		812.....	\$136.50
Janvrin Jr, Clair C, Ludlow Sd.....	9. Blk Hfr.....		904.....	\$137.00
O Connor, Dirk, Plevna Mt.....	5. Bldd Hfr.....		790.....	\$145.50
O Connor, Dirk, Plevna Mt.....	13. Hfr Hfr.....		799.....	\$140.50
Williams, Dennis L Or Grace E, Moorcroft Wy.....	23. Bldd Str.....		772.....	\$154.00
Williams, Dennis L Or Grace E, Moorcroft Wy.....	12. B/R Str.....		883.....	\$146.00
Williams, Dennis L Or Grace E, Moorcroft Wy.....	14. B/R Hfr.....		751.....	\$146.50

**Wednesday
October 17, 2018
Spring Calf Special**

1:00 PM - Calves

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

Calves
C & T Ranches - 300 Char & Few Blk Strs & Hfrs - 450-525# - Bt, Pc
Courtney Herefords - 250 Herf & Blk Strs - 525-650# - Bt, Pc
Mt Consignment - 200 Blk Strs - 600-650# - Bt, Df, Ni
Randy & Mary Ellen Cammack - 200 Blk & Herf X Strs & Hfrs - 575-625# - Bt, Pc, Hfrs Ni
Doug & Charlene Camblin - 180 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-600# - Bt, Pc
Schuricht & Kinstetter - 165 Blk Strs - 450-550# - Bt, Ni
Mike Moore - 125 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt
Jim Palo - 50 Char X Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Wende Gianino - 30 Blk & Red Strs & Hfrs - 525-575# - Bt, Ni
Dan Debar - 25 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-600# - Bt
Dennis Quaring - 20 Blk Hfrs - 550-600# - Bt, Pc
Leon Haberstroh - 15 Blk & Red Strs & Hfrs - 500-600# - Bt
Kelly Horton - 8 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt

Plus More By Sale Time!

**Friday
October 19, 2018
Spring Calf Special**

9:00 AM - Calves

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

Calves
Lake Creek Ranch - 550 Blk & Few Red Strs & Hfrs - 400-525# - Bt, Df, Ni
Jerry & Darc Duprel - 400 Blk Strs - 600-700# - Bt, Pc
- 280 Blk Hfrs - 575-650# - Bt, Pc
Larry Mcgill - 300 Blk & Few Red Strs & Hfrs - 450-550# - Bt
Neil Shuck - 225 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-600# - Bt, Pc, Ni - No Hfrs Kept
Brett Crowser - 250 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 550-650# - Bt, Pc
Jim & Neal Mccoy - 250 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 525-600# - Bt, Df
Andrews Ranch - 210 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt, Pc, All Nat
Tony Hayden - 205 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 525-575# - Bt, Pc
Peterson & Swan - 200 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 600-650# - Bt, Pc, Ni
John Swanson - 165 Blk Bldy & Herf Mostly Strs - 500-550# - Bt, Pc, Ni, Poured
Erk Ranch - 150 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 550-650# - Bt, Pc
Gary Bischoff - 150 Red & Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Scott & Tami Ryan - 130 Mostly Blk Strs - 525-550# - Bt, Pc
Norman Sams - 130 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-600# - Bt, Pc, Ni, Poured
Ron Soelzer - 124 Mostly Blk Strs & Hfrs - 600-650# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Brad Harris - 115 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 550-575# - Bt, Pc, Ni, Df
Randy Oliver - 115 Blk Mostly Strs - 600-650# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Stinson Livestock - 115 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-600# - Bt, Pc
Vandervoort Ranch - 115 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-600# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Saddle Butte Ranch - 100 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 550-625# - Bt, Pc
Mike Richter - 100 Blk & Red Strs & Hfrs - 575-600# = Bt, Ni
Ziemet Brothers - 95 Blk & Bldy Strs & Hfrs - 550-600# - Bt, Pc, Hfrs - Bv
Swartz Ranch - 90 Blk Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt, Pc
Les Jeffery - 90 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 600-650# - Bt, Pc, All Nat
Shannon Tibbetts - 90 Blk Strs - 575-625# - Bt, Pc
Jamie Gerbracht - 90 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt, Pc, Poured
Orin & Craig Edwards - 90 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-575# - Bt
Andy Gerleman - 85 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 550-650# - Bt, Pc
Larry Collins - 85 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt, Pc
Clint Jones - 80 Shorthorn Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt
Chip Neiman - 80 Red Angus Strs - 550-600# - Bt, Pc
Steve Soelzer - 75 Mostly Blk Strs & Hfrs - 560-625# - Bt, Pc
Mary Helen Alexander - 75 Blk Mostly Strs - 550-625# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Grubb Ranch - 75 Blk & Bldy Strs & Hfrs - 550-625# - Bt, Pc
Duane Adams - 75 Blk & Bldy Strs & Hfrs - 550-575# - Bt, Pc
Curt & Cheryl Westland - 70 Mostly Char X Strs & Hfrs - 590-640# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Travis Rogers - 60 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 500-575# - Bt, Pc
Mckee Properties - 50 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 650-675# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Dave Wagner - 50 Red Strs - 450-525# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Betty Ott - 45 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 600-650# - Bt, Pc
Swartz Ranch - 45 Blk Strs - 450-500# - Bt, Pc
Vernon Schlecht - 40 Blk & Red Strs & Hfrs - 500# - Bt, Pc
Brian Tope - 40 Blk & Herf Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt
Cori & Todd Enders - 40 Blk & Red Strs & Hfrs - 500-550# - Bt, Pc
Dana Schultz - 35 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 560-625# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Kelly Collins - 35 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 600-650# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Turbiville & Hanify - 35 Mostly Blk Strs & Hfrs - 450-525# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Darrin Schuelke - 30 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 575-625# - Bt, Pc
Huffman Land & Livestock - 27 Red Mostly Strs - 500-575# - Bt, Pc, Ni,
Weaned 45 Days, Cert Red Angus
J & J Smeenk Ranch - 25 Blk Strs - 450-500# - Bt, Pc
Dean Hackens - 20 Red Angus Strs & Hfrs - 500-575# - Bt
George Clinton - 17 Blk & Red Bldy Strs & Hfrs - 600-625# - Bt, Pc, Poured
Baker Livestock - 14 Blk Hfrs - 500-525# - Bt, Pc
5-8 Ranch - 10 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 450-525# - Bt, Pc, Ni
Dean Conzelman - 9 Blk Strs & Hfrs - 600-625# - Bt

Yearlings
Bob Spellman - 120 Blk Mostly Strs - 800-925#

Plus More By Sale Time!

**Saturday
October 20, 2018
Weigh Up Special
10:00 AM - Weigh Ups
12 Noon - Bred Cows**

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605-641-7100

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Tanner Hewitt
605-490-7952

Auctioneer:
Cody Tupper
605-569-3589

Sheep Report - October 11, 2018

Feeder Lambs Weighing 50# To 70# Sold \$2 To \$5 Higher
70# To 80# Lambs Sold Steady & 80# To 100# Lambs Sold \$6 To \$10 Higher
Lambs Over 100# Sold Steady To \$2 Higher
Fat Slaughter Ewes Sodl Steady, Medium Ewes Sold \$6 Higher
& Thin Ewes Sold Steady

Next Sale - October 18Th - Feeder Lamb Special - Expecting 3000-3500 HD

Thank You For Your Business!

Feeder Lambs

Orwick, Jack Or Cindy, Newell Sd.....	38.....	Lambs.....	59.....	\$209.00
Orwick, Jack Or Cindy, Newell Sd.....	282.....	Lambs.....	78.....	\$164.00
Orwick, Jack Or Cindy, Newell Sd.....	507.....	Lambs.....	95.....	\$151.50
Olson, Steve, Froid Mt.....	53.....	Lambs.....	91.....	\$148.00
Short Grass & Co, Belle Fourche Sd.....	17.....	Lambs.....	79.....	\$159.00
Short Grass & Co, Belle Fourche Sd.....	114.....	Lambs.....	100.....	\$139.00
Horvey, Roy, Ralph Sd.....	74.....	Lambs.....	108.....	\$129.00
Stiegelmeier, Matthew, Otter Mt.....	7.....	Lambs.....	70.....	\$159.00
Stiegelmeier, Matthew, Otter Mt.....	21.....	Lambs.....	92.....	\$146.00
Stenerson, Jerry, Buffalo Sd.....	25.....	Lambs.....	92.....	\$146.00
Stenerson, Jerry, Buffalo Sd.....	50.....	Lambs.....	111.....	\$128.00
Anderson, Zack, Nisland Sd.....	11.....	Lambs.....	83.....	\$151.00
Boller, John, Gillette Wy.....	9.....	Lambs.....	82.....	\$151.00

Slaughter Ewes

Atkinson, Jd, Mills Wy.....	6.....	Ewe.....	126.....	\$47.00
Atkinson, Jd, Mills Wy.....	4.....	Ewe.....	160.....	\$40.00
Atkinson, Jd, Mills Wy.....	9.....	Ewe.....	124.....	\$38.00
Boylan, Robert, Newell Sd.....	14.....	Ewe.....	160.....	\$47.00
Boylan, Robert, Newell Sd.....	11.....	Ewe.....	185.....	\$40.00
Conner, Dan, Belle Fourche Sd.....	13.....	Ewe.....	160.....	\$47.00
Conner, Dan, Belle Fourche Sd.....	17.....	Ewe.....	188.....	\$40.00
Crago, Ralph Or Becky, St Onge Sd.....	7.....	Ewe.....	170.....	\$47.00
Crago, Ralph Or Becky, St Onge Sd.....	19.....	Ewe.....	197.....	\$40.00

NEWELL SHEEP YARDS

**Thursday
October 18, 2018**

**Feeder Lamb Special
1:00pm**

Expexting 3000 To 3500 Feeder Lambs

Replacement EWES

SD - 200 6 Yr Old Ewes - Big & Fancy, 64 Wool
MT - 200 5 &

The Historic
ROOSEVELT EVENTS CENTER
presents
**Not So Scary Costume
Roller Skate Party**
Saturday, October 20th!
Halloween music, games, and concessions.
1pm Beginners, 4pm All Skate and Family,
7pm All Skate and Older Youth. \$5 per skater.

ALADDIN GENERAL STORE
Halloween Costume Contest!
Saturday, Oct. 27th at 2p.m.
Come join us at the Aladdin Store
for kids and adult drinks,
prizes, candy, snacks, and fun!
All ages welcome.
We will be handing out prizes for best dressed!
(Child and adult winner)

Beautiful Log Home on 8 Acres
Only 10 min to Belle, 20 min to Spearfish.
Panoramic mountain views facing south.



\$340,000. Will consider contract for deed OPEN DAYTIME FOR VIEWING From Belle: 8 miles W on Hwy 34 Lt on Upper Redwater Rd. 1 mile. Left on Buena Vista 1/2 mile to cabin.



The Meadows Of Higgins Gulch are located 1.5 miles up a scenic country road 5 min west of Spearfish.



Panoramic southern views. Pine and oak covered mountains offer protection from the wind. 13 lot development ranging 2-6 acres. Covenant protected. Hiking, biking, jogging. Near Forest Service. Come up and view our model spec home which is open during the day. Log accesnts/4-5 bedrooms/4 baths. 3 car split garage. **\$620,000** Take Hillsvie Rd. th Higgins Gulch Rd. Left 1.5 Miles.

Check out Twin Parks, Whitewood



We have 2 parks with scenic mountain views. Affordable homes typically priced \$50-\$60,000 less than Spearfish. 65 homes built to date with 20 new lots coming on board. 2 homes currently for sale, open during the day for viewing: \$200/\$205k 1 duplex town home for sale/\$205/\$235k. We build to suit. Rentals Available

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Purple Pride Presents
**The Roosevelt
Runs Red**
October 26 & 27
Students: \$5 with a can of food or \$7 without
Adults: \$7 with a can of food or \$9 without.
This will be Scary!
Parental discretion advised.

The Ghost of Redwater Hill

The Ghost of Redwater Hill, from "More Tales of the Old West" by Ena Lancaster. There is a small canyon a narrow box canyon, where the range of pine-topped hills running north and south breaks the high north wall of the Redwater valley. The highway is now graded and oiled and can notice the ascent.

In early days, the road was closer to the canyon edge and very steep in places, part black gumbo and part yellow soapy clay, terrible in wet weather. They have changed the highway at the foot of Redwater hill and the road speeds south toward the Black Hills. The turn west across a narrow bridge is still sharp.

One recent spring, the car of a young rancher, driving home about 2 o'clock of a Sunday morning, landed in the canal between the two bridges. A neighbor helped pull the car out and asked him which road he intended to take. "Straight south," he answered, "but I turned my head when I heard a woman scream, up the canyon." Several years ago, two boys, riding late after a dance, went through the guard rail near the top of the hill, down the slope until the car stopped against on the edge of the canyon. They said they heard a scream and had seen a white figure moving on the rimrock. Their story was not credited, as they had been drinking.

There are other reports of Haunted Canyon. I asked old timers about it, and this is what they told me: In Aprill of the year 1885 traffic moved between Deadwood and the big cattle ranch of the Marquis DeMores at Medora. A stage and freight route was established with barns at the ford of the Belle Fourche River. They called this little settlement Demores. Freight wagons loaded at Deadwood, stopped

aet Spearfish, then at DeMores, then went north.

Among the freighters was one woman. She was tall, statuesque, probably 40 years of age. Her heavy read hair was worn in braids around her head. She wore a light buckskin suit similar to her husbands. They had come to the Black Hills two years before with a good team and freight wagon. He seemed pale



and not strong for freighting. He was known as George King. But they received not mail and remained silent about their former residence. Anna drove part of the time and when George died of pneumonia at Crook City, continued freighting. She was quiet and reserved, rather a hard manner, as probably needed to be. The other teamsters nicknamed her "Queen Anne".

This spring there were three wagons Bob Johnson and Pete Scott, both good men, drove four horse teams and carried heavy freight. Queen Anne had a lighter load, pulled by her two gray horses. Among the express packages was the strong box containing the cattle company payroll. They made Spearfish the first day but were delayed until late

the next afternoon for repairs. As the left town, a hard rain pelted down. The pull up the red hill was a stiff one and the had mud from then on.

It was after midnight when they came to the foot of Redwater hill. Queen Anne, who was leading, stopped and motioned the others ahead as was their custom on the long grades. The heavy loads finally topped the main hill and went on another mile around the pine-tipped knolls. Halting, the men could not hear Anne's wagon. Waiting, they decided something was wrong. Pete took his trailing saddle horse and went back.

At the crest of the hill, there was no wagon to be seen. As he came to the head of the canyon, he heard a whinny of a horse and looking down, saw the wrecked wagon. Climbing down, he found one horse dead and the other with a broken leg.

Queen Anne, thrown clear had been shot in the head. He could read the story in the tracks in the muddy road. Two horsemen had lain in wait in the grassy draw above the road near the crest of the hill. One had shot the driver. One had held the team while the money was unloaded, then had forced the wagon over the edge of the slippery road so that it pulled the team down. Anne was buried beside her husband at Crook City. The robbers were never apprehended, although traced over the range of hills and the empty strong box was found. So they say of the quiet canyon-a scream-the whinny of a horse-the movement of a figure in light clothing along the rim rock about 2 o'clock of a spring morning.

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Anthony Smith (left) was recognized for his dedication and efforts to improve the highway department. Commissioner Kim Richards commented, “He has led the effort to get the highway office and shops cleaned and organized.” Richards also said that the county would be having a surplus auction at a later date due to Smith’s efforts.” Chairman Frank Walton presented the Certificate of Appreciation at the Oct. 2nd Butte County Commission meeting. *-Beacon Photo*

Commissioner’s Discussions

On Thursday, October 2, the Butte County Commissioners reviewed the 2019-2023 Five Year County Highway and Bridge Improvement Plan. The group listened to comments about both roads and bridges, primarily from residents living in eastern Butte County, where three bridges were just closed by the commission. Comments got a bit on the heated side. The commission eventually approved the process. Commissioner Stan Harms stated, “We need to do something with the highway superintendent position. Right now we’re micromanaging. Give Duane (Heidrich) the power of hiring and firing. Let’s give him the authority. The personnel manual needs to be updated.”

Belle Fourche resident, Terri Magliochetti, came to discuss her property taxes. With the new policy of offering tax certificates on properties that have fallen into delinquency, it has also changed how the payment process happens. The county will no longer accept credit card payments on delinquent accounts. This has caused some concerns but Magliochetti said she understood how and why the process worked that way. “I understand that you have to play by the rules, but the rules keep changing,” said Magliochetti. The board discussed several remodeling issues in different county buildings, including the courthouse, and the other building on the property which

National Walk to School Day



Newell DOT Shop’s Billy Heidrich acting as a cross guard for the school kids.



Newell Shop’s Jesse Komes, walking his son, Todd, to preschool.

formerly housed the old jail and most recently the emergency management center. The ceiling in the courtroom will be replaced at some point, but after a discussion period, the board decided to table the topic. “I personally feel like building repairs are done, for now,” said Auditor Elaine Jensen. Several presentations were made to the board. These included Connie Baier, the sole Butte County person remaining on the Western South Dakota Community Action team. “We are trying to resurrect the group,” said Baier. “In May of 2018 community action was 50 years old,” said

Baier. “We need to have more help.” Baier was encouraged to approach local ministerial associations in Belle Fourche and Newell, as well as contacting other county and city leaders. Butte/Lawrence 4-H Youth Program Director, Michelle May reported to the board. “The Butte/Lawrence County Fair does very well,” said May, enthusiastically. “Numbers continue to rise.” She brought a report on the state fair and noted that Butte and Lawrence County had several young people place at state. Roxie Tetrault, of Lawrence County, was named to the 4H Volunteer Leader Hall of Fame.

Discussion and an apology came during the Butte County Weed and Pest board topic. “I sincerely apologize if I offended Sandy (Hammil) or anyone,” said Weed Board Chairman Clint Pitts. Pitts was referring to a recent skirmish. “We need to figure out why things aren’t right, and what we need to do to make it right.” Pitts said that they had been pulling grant funding that Butte County had never seen and that he didn’t want to lose that momentum. Pitts said his main concern was putting people on the job without proper training, especially in the area of chemicals used in the spraying.

Commish Richards Comments on Roads and Bridges



The Palo Road Bridge remains closed. But Commissioner Kim Richards, head of roads and bridges for the county, said they are working on plans to try to get it open again.

NEWELL – Butte County Commissioner, Kim Richards, with the encouragement of his cohorts on the board, went public with a lot of good information for Butte County residents who have been concerned about the roads and bridges in the area. Richards, spoke briefly on the topic at a recent county commission meeting, when he talked about the 5-Year Road and Bridges plan. On Wednesday, October 10, he elaborated in an interview with Alexa Althoff on KBFS/KYDT radio. The plan was to further inform the public of both the plan and what is actually happening in the county, especially on some roads that have been in bad condition for a while, as well as bridges that have been closed. Only seven people attended the recent public hearing on the 5-year program, but they were vocal in their concerns. Many spoke of the condition of roads following a process called, “pulling the ditches.” Richards spoke about this on Wednesday stating, “We have

purchased a gravel disk, which the blade operators use to pull the ditches and that has saved some money. First we mow the ditches to get rid of excess weeds and grass. Then we use a special tool we purchased to pull up the gravel and dirt in the ditch back on the road. The road is crowned (a process of making the center higher to repel water) and then packed over time. It takes a while, and in the meantime it’s kind of a mess. “We are experimenting and trying to alleviate some problems. But if it gets muddy then it gets loose,” he said. “After working it and letting it dry, and then packing it, we are getting some very positive results. We are asking people to be patient. When we’re bringing mud up—what people don’t understand, is that mud is actually binding material. The combination of rock/gravel and mud, makes a good firm surface.” “So it kind of makes a mess, for a while,” he said. Richards is in his fourth year as a commissioner, and is the

roads and bridges head. He said that they have engineers and highway people who help them determine what to attack next, by determining the condition of roads and bridges in the county, prioritizing needs, and then utilizing the funds in the best way possible. “It’s a challenge,” said Richards. With over 800 miles of roads and nearly 100 bridges, as well as numerous rules and regulations from both the Department of Transportation, the State and FEMA, to name a few, he said it was difficult to get things accomplished with the budget of \$1.6 million of highway funds to utilize. Richards stated that for a bridge, they can sometimes repair with a low-water crossing, the estimated cost is around \$125,000. Replacing just one bridge could cost almost as much as the entire highway department budget. He did say there are grant opportunities, but the 66 counties in the state compete for the Bridge Improvement Grant program

(BIG), and that it is an 80/20 program. “With only \$8 million allotted for bridges in the state, the likelihood of getting a grant has been difficult so far,” said Richards. He said last year the county was one-third of a point off of receiving a grant for a bridge. He said the current wheel tax of \$5 per wheel up to two wheels, helps with funding, as those funds collected, approximately \$165,000 per year, goes directly into highway funds. But with just one low-water crossing repair much of those funds are used up quickly. With costs for re-graveling a mile of road running around \$10,000 (just gravel costs), Richards said they would never be able to afford to cover all the roads in Butte County. “We’re looking at getting more efficient,” said Richards. “As long as the guys are out there with a blade, we want to do it right.” He said the more experienced operators are training the new ones. He also said there will be a training session which is a combined effort of the DOT and SDSU called LTAP. Blade

operators take hands-on training, and then are assessed. “It really helps local counties with the roads; it helps us with training,” said Richards. With each operator having a certain territory, it gives each operator ownership of his area, and it helps them want to do the job correctly. “It makes them responsible.” Richards said he appreciates hearing from people. “With 800 miles of roads, we need to know if there’s a problem out there. We are trying to be reactive, and are still in the learning process. We are changing around our highway department and it is taking longer than I thought,” he shared. “Some things don’t come easy. Trying to make changes and improvements without a bunch of money is tough. We’re just there offering direction. We are elected officials and only have control over a certain amount of the county budget. Other elected people, like the sheriff, auditor, register of deeds, have to be responsible for doing the best they can with their funds.”



This is Eide road, north of Nisland and was flooded badly several times this spring. It is one of many roads that need to be re-worked to be better, a task that takes a long time and a lot of money.

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Routier and Kissack Will Head to Florida for National Circuit Finals



TURNING TOWARD NATIONALS - Jessica Routier of Buffalo makes the tight turn in the final round of the Badlands Circuit Finals in Minot, ND. Routier finishes first in the round with a time of 13.53 and will qualify for the RAM National Circuit Finals Rodeo in Kissimmee, Florida in January. She is one of nine South Dakota competitors to qualify for nationals, including Spearfish roper Dane Kissack. *Photo courtesy Cowboy Images/Peggy Gander*

BEACON STAFF

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MINOT, N.D. - When the dust settled in Minot after the 2018 RAM Badlands Circuit Finals Rodeo Oct 5-7 Dane Kissack of Spearfish accomplished his goal, but the road he travelled wasn't quite the one he expected.

When the season opened for the tie-down roper his goals were to compete in the exact number of rodeos he needed to qualify for the circuit finals and then qualify for the national circuit finals. The plan worked perfectly as he entered the competition in Minot ranked number one. And he did indeed qualify for nationals but not until after a slight tweak in his plan.

Kissack, who was in his 9th circuit finals, performed well in three of four rounds but broke the barrier in round two. That one slight error allowed Clint Kindred of Opal, SD, to take the overall season title and also allowed Kindred to win the average.

The rules state that nationals take two contestants from each of the seven events. Those two are the competitors who win the season standings and the average during the circuit finals. But since that turned out to be the same person, Clint Kindred, the rules also state that the other national qualifier would be the cowboy who finished second in the season standings. As it turned out, that was Kissack.

"I'm very appreciative of all the local support that helped me get to the Badlands Circuit Finals and now to qualify for the Ram National Circuit Finals," said Kissack who will now head to Kissimmee, Florida for the

RNCFR in January. "It takes a whole team to create the opportunity."

Kissack was the 2012 Badlands Circuit Finals Champion and finished in the top five at the National Circuit Finals in 2013. This will be his second trip to nationals and caps a bit of a comeback for Kissack who has had to overcome a back injury the past two seasons.

In barrel racing there was similar situation as Lisa Lockhart of Oelrichs won both the season title and average. The second national qualifier ended up being Jessica Routier of Buffalo, SD, who had an exceptional Badlands finals. She took the final round with a blistering time of 13.53 seconds, .06 of a second faster than Lockhart.

Lockhart rode her 8-year old mare Rosa to both the average and the season title. The 11-time WNFR qualifier notched her 10th title at the circuit finals as either the season champion or average winner. It's the first time in 12 trips to the Badlands Circuit Finals that she hasn't ridden her buckskin gelding

Louie. Elsewhere, for the fifth time Hereford's JJ Elshere took top honors in the saddle bronc competition. He was the winner in three of the four rounds of competition. He bucked off in round three. Because of that, fellow South Dakotan Jade Blackwell of Rapid City took the average title. Both will compete in Florida.

"I'm pretty fortunate just to come here and get on good horses," said the mild-mannered and soft-spoken Elshere. "I'm actually pretty blessed." Another Meade County competitor will be headed to the Sunshine State as Sturgis cowboy Levi Lord was the 2018 Badland's champion heeler. Lord also took home hardware from winning the All-Around title for the finals. Tyrell Moody of Letcher, SD took the heading title.

Other South Dakota Qualifiers include Jeff Bertus of Avon who took both the season and average title in bull riding for the second year.



RIDING HIGH - Jeff Bertus of Avon, SD once again dominated the bull riding competition at the Badlands Circuit Finals. Bertus was both season and average champion after winning at the circuit finals last year.

Local Firefighters Motorcycle Club Raises Over \$4,000

Fire & Iron Station 118, Firefighters Motorcycle Club, had a great turn out for our 5th annual Show Me Your Pink poker run for Breast Cancer August 25th. Through strong local support, including riders from our Station 49 (Mitchell) and 57 (Yankton), we were able to raise over \$4,000 for Belle Fourche resident, Tessa Boggs. She is going through breast cancer treatment. Tessa has given to our community, including teaching at the Belle Fourche Middle School & Camp Oasis and we're glad to give back to her!

Fire and Iron MC's membership is made up of Firefighters and others who are associated with the Fire Service who love to ride and are committed to the Brotherhood that being in a MC



and being a Firefighter means. Members of the Club not only share a passion for protecting the lives and property of the citizens of their communities, but also for each other and the

open road. The Club takes great pride in its efforts to support various charities and other rides. We appreciate and thank all who support our efforts.

The Northern Hills Church of Christ will be hosting "Trunk or Treat" in the church parking lot on Wed. evening, Oct. 31st, from 5:30pm - 7:00pm. All are invited to stop by. The church is located on the west side of Highway 85, 4 miles south of Belle Fourche just past the Redwater River bridge.

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Belle FFA Kicks off Fundraiser



(Below) A sample of the Earn to Learn Crystalx coupon for the Belle Fourche FFA chapter fundraiser.

Four Belle Fourche FFA members applied for the blue jacket program and received gift cards to purchase an FFA jacket. From left to right- Natalie McCoy, Reese McKenna, Laney Mackaben, Elijah Pomrenkez

The Belle Fourche FFA chapter held their monthly meeting October 8th, 2018 in the Belle Fourche Ag room. The FFA chapter is buying t-shirts open to the community for purchase please contact any FFA officer or Ag advisor Austin Bishop to place order. The FFA members have also decided to order western button up shirts for more formal activities. The Belle Fourche FFA chapter voted in Hannah Satterfield as the chapter historian.

The chapter started their first fundraiser of the year, Crysta-

lyx "Earn to Learn" program. Tickets cost \$20, and can be purchased from any FFA member, and provide savings to the producer \$40 dollars off any ton of Crystalx supplement. Coupon can be redeemed at your local Crystalx dealer, CBH Feed and Ag service. All proceeds raised stay directly with the local chapter. FFA members gearing up for our first LDE contest Nov. 2 in Brookings. Please if you have any expertise in any area of competition please reach out to Austin. bishop@k12.sd.us for info.

The Good Stuff

The Good Stuff is heard on a 6-state network of radio stations twice each day in our area. 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.

from Jim Thompson

Tasting What's Possible and "Are You a Builder or a Wrecker?"



One day I had a date for lunch with friends. Mae, a little old "blue hair" about 80 years old, came along with them--- All in all, a pleasant bunch. When the menus were presented, we ordered salads, sandwiches, and soups, except for Mae who said, "Ice Cream, please. Two scoops, chocolate."

I wasn't sure my ears heard right, and the others were aghast. "Along with heated apple pie," Mae added, completely unabashed. We tried to act quite nonchalant, as if people did this all the time. But when our orders were brought out, I didn't enjoy mine. I couldn't take my eyes off Mae as her pie a-la-mode went down. The other ladies showed dismay. They ate their lunches silently and frowned. The next time I went out to eat, I called and invited Mae. I lunched on white meat tuna. She ordered a parfait. I smiled. She asked if she amused me. I answered, "Yes, you do, but also you confuse me. How come you order rich desserts, while I feel I must be sensible? She laughed and said, with wanton mirth, "I'm tasting all that's possible.

I try to eat the food I need, and do the things I should. But life's so short, my friend, I hate missing out on something good. This year I realized how old I was. (She grinned) I haven't been this old before."

"So, before I die, I've got to try those things that for years I had ignored. I haven't smelled all the flowers yet. There are too many books I haven't read. There's more fudge sundaes to wolf down and kites to be flown overhead. There are many malls I haven't shopped. I've not laughed at all the jokes. I've missed a lot of Broadway hits and potato chips and cokes. I want to wade again in water and feel ocean spray on my face. I want to sit in a country church once more and thank God for His grace. I want pea-

nut butter every day spread on my morning toast. I want UN-timed long distance calls to the folks I love the most. I haven't cried at all the movies yet, or walked in the morning rain. I need to feel wind in my hair. I want to fall in love again. So, if I choose to have dessert, instead of having dinner, then should I die before night fall, I'd say I died a winner, because I missed out on nothing. I filled my

heart's desire. I had that final chocolate mousse before my life expired." With that, I called the waitress over. "I've changed my mind," I said. "I want what she is having, only add some more whipped cream!"

And this, from Edgar Guest, relates to what the nation faced during the recent partisan battle for a Supreme Court nominee:

*I watched them tearing a building down,
 A gang of men in a busy town.
 With a ho-heave-ho and a lusty yell,
 They swung a beam, and the side wall fell.
 I asked the foreman: "Are these skilled--
 And the men you'd hire if you had to build?"
 He gave me a laugh and said:
 "No, indeed!
 Just common labor is all I need.
 I can wreck in a day or two
 What builders have taken a year to do."
 And I thought to myself as I went my way,
 Which of these roles have I tried to play?
 Am I a builder who works with care
 Measuring life by a rule and square?
 Am I shaping my deeds to a well made Plan,
 Patiently doing the best I can?
 Or am I a wrecker, who walks the town
 Content with the labor of tearing down?"*

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Yes, They're Ringers!



Winning league team- (left to right) Rich Morgan, Cass Heimbaugh, Hersruds, and Lane Kester. Not pictured team member Tracey Heaton.

The Belle Fourche Horseshoe Club ended their year with a potluck supper/awards ceremony on Oct. 1st. The winning team was sponsored by HERSRUDS and members were Rich Morgan, Tracey Heaton, and Lane Kester with 53.5 wins. Placing second with 47.5 wins was the team of Don Harmon, George McIntyre, and Kenny Fink/Stormee Kester sponsored by BLAKE MACHINE. The WEST TIRE team placed third, a half a win behind. Team members were Thebea Thomas, Brendan Gallagher, and Tyson Tietjen. Other sponsors and teams were:

MASONS: Dustey Kester, Aaron Sestak, and Kody Cox
1st INTERSTATE BANK: Cliff Conry, Bob Haiwick, and Jack Orwick
RABER WELDING: Sheldon Struble, Kim Schulte, and Sharon Lee

Rovers filling in were Pete Tenold, and Bobby Wilcox
Aaron Sestak led the league with a total of 1656 points, followed by Don Harmon with 1580, and Rich Morgan with 1474.

Rich Morgan won the most games, winning 25.5 with Aaron Sestak winning 24, and Thebea Thomas with 22 wins.

Don Harmon threw the highest ringer percentage with 48% with Aaron Sestak throwing 38% and Rich Morgan and Tracey Heaton throwing 34%. Rookie patches went to George McIntyre, Tyson Tietjen, Stormee Kester, Kim Schulte, and Bobby Wilcox.

George McIntyre was awarded the most improved and Stormee Kester best sportsmanship. The Belle Fourche Horseshoe Club has a summer league that plays on Monday evenings June - August at the Moose Lodge. If anyone is interested in playing or sponsoring a team please contact a member.

First Interstate Bank Celebrates 50 Years



First Interstate Bank Belle Fourche celebrated the companies 50th year in banking with an open house last Friday. Shown is the Anniversary cake.

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Aladdin Area Correspondent Joins Beacon



The Belle Fourche Beacon would like to introduce the newest member of our team. Nancy Henderson, Aladdin, Wyoming resident will begin contributing to the Beacon as an area correspondent. Henderson originally from Omaha, NE, graduated from Creighton University in 1969 with a BA in English, minor in

journalism. Her 15 year writing career started as an assistant editor in the Corporate Publications Department of Mutual of Omaha and culminated as supervisor of the Public Relations Department at AT&T in Denver. In 1984 she married the love of her life, George Henderson, and they embarked on a fantastic journey to Asia where George was executive vice president of Goldstar Fiber Optics, a joint venture between AT&T and the Lucky Goldstar Company of Korea. They lived in Seoul, Korea, population 13 million.

During their 10-year stay Nancy wrote for a number of English-language publications and also wrote international correspondence for the 1988 Seoul Olympic Organizing Committee. George retired in 1994, and in 1996 they moved to a small ranch northwest of Aladdin where George had hunted in the 1970s and early 80s (formerly owned by Gary Steele). George passed away in 2015 and Nancy's home remains on the ranch where his ashes were scattered and the place she will always call home.

CON Concert Series Welcomes Jeff Dayton

The second of the five 2018-2019 Center of the Nation Concert Series performances will take place at 7:30 PM Saturday, October 27, at the Belle Fourche Area Community Center Theatre.

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Jeff is an active Nashville music producer, songwriter,



session guitarist, recording artist and educator and tours as a dynamic bandleader and solo artist. Tickets: 605-892-2370, or 605-892-3418.

Alzada Hosts Cowboy Poetry, Music and Art Show

Courtesy Chris Maupin The 29th Annual Alzada Cowboy Poetry, Music and Art Show saw a smaller crowd of about 125 people attend but the community spirit inside the old hall was as lively as ever.

Why we do this was very evident throughout the day which included a full program of poetry and music in the afternoon. Several performers were unable to come due to the heavy fog and snowy rainy weather.

The featured performers of Kevin Adams, Casper, WY; Karen Stockett, Fallon, MT; Pam Nisley, Broadus, MT and The Amigos group from Sundance, WY along with 15 other

performers had the audience laughing, crying, singing along and taping their toes to the music. Twenty artists displayed their many pieces of artwork including quilts and fence post vases as well as photographs and painting done in various mediums. Kathy Thompson, Whitewood, SD and Angeli Coover, Hulett, WY were the featured artists. Some of the artwork, photos and performers books and tapes were for sale.

The Alzada Community Club sponsor the event and sold lunch all day. Along with the smaller crowd, proceeds from the lunch were also less than in previous years. If you were

unable to attend but would like to send a donation to help with maintaining the hall, please send it to Gay Arpan, Box 38, Alzada, MT. 59311.

The community would like to thank all those who help with the annual event and suggest you mark your calendar for the 2019 event which is planned for October 6, 2019. The organizers are planning a "90th Birthday Party for the Hall and 30 years of Poetry, Music and Art Shows."

If anyone has a special memory of an event in the Alzada Hall, please send those memories to Chris Maupin, P.O. Box 252, Hulett, WY 82720.

Capitol News

KAREN ODELL

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Again, the Alzada Cowboy Poetry Gathering was a wonderful success. Thanks to Gay, Chris, and Terri for organizing the beautiful art, the poets, and the musicians again this year. Thanks again to Bob Petermann for coming to manage the sound equipment. There was a beautiful closing with Jack Owen leading and all those wonderful voices singing "God Bless America".

Dick and Erma Albert went north on Thursday to Minot. They joined in a surprise party for Erma's good friend.

Lynn Gustafson went to Miles City to do some errands on Thursday. They went to church at Little Missouri on Sunday.

Justin Kerr got to have his fun trip to the dentist on Tuesday. It was so much fun that he went back again on Thursday. On Saturday, he went to Ekalaka, to the ranch on Sunday. He had a quarter of an inch of moisture, but Tie Creek isn't running yet.

Buff and Wanda left from Donna Lewis's to head for home on Monday. Donna went bowling in Baker on Thursday. On Saturday, Gary Gorder came out to the ranch to move cattle. On Sunday, Donna went to Alzada for the Cowboy Poetry Gathering. Dorothy Padden had gone to Ekalaka on Tuesday for the Sausage Workshop that was put on by the County Extension Office at. On Friday, Brett and

Stacey Padden came for the weekend. They helped Dorothy freeze carrots and apple pies. Billy and Josie Roadifer had some snow up on the mountain on Sunday, but it soon melted. Bryce and Dawn Padden went to Buffalo on Friday to watch the junior high football game. Then they had supper with Spring, Kalynn, Kadi, Ashley, Brenton, Brylen, and Kanyon Padden. On Wednesday, Dawn and Nita Loken went to Lewistown to visit their Dad. While they were there they went to the Slippery Ann Elk Viewing Area at the elk refuge. There was a couple of inches of snow in Lewistown, but once out of the mountains, the drive home on Friday was an easy one. Brett and Stacey Padden came, that night, to spend the weekend. On Saturday, Dawn and Nita went to Ekalaka and spent the day at the Willa Nies Volleyball tournament. Ekalaka did well and won the tournament.

Three archery deer hunters from Virginia have been spending the week at Alvin and Marlee Cordell's. Terry Cordell and Denin Cheguis spent three days fencing at the Buck place. Marlee went to Belle Fourche on Saturday to watch grandson, Gavin Pearson play in a football game. Clint Zolnoski went to Baker for pipe to build wind-breaks on Monday. He took the Ranger to Bowman on Wednesday to get repairs that were not finished last time. Denise had doctors' appointments in Spear-

fish on Friday and Clint went on to Rapid City for supplies.

Ronda Cordell went to Spearfish on Wednesday for a vet call and a dental check. She made a quick trip to the Buffalo Civic Center for the Harvest Fest on Friday. The elk herd has nearly wiped out more than 80 acres of cover crop that was intended for cows. At first there was only a herd of about 15 head. Over a couple of weeks there has gotten to be nearly 75 head. The fences are taking a toll at night, when the herd begins to congregate or run from a vehicle on Tie Creek Road. They don't jump fence when they are scared. They run through it. Clint and Denise went to hang t-shirts on the fence around another cover crop field to see if human scent will keep them at bay. One morning, Ronda found an elk near the cake bin and three more by the calving lot. On Sunday Cristen and Jayda Westling, Jon Hamilton and Maliegh Martin came from Rapid City to spend through Monday. Clint, Denise and Darby came and joined them for supper that evening.

Each morning this week, Karen Odell found fog when she went outside to her exercising glider. Now we can count the days for predictions. She spent time practicing music and writing this week. She is still finishing a book for publication. Steve Hanson came over on Monday, and worked on the 504 tractor for many hours. Charlie went to Ft Meade on Friday to get shots in his shoulders and knees and to do physical therapy. The next day, he inspected some bulls for Ivan Teigen. Steve and Annette Ryerson stopped by to visit on Saturday afternoon, and it was great to see them. They stopped to say goodbye again on Sunday. On Sunday, Charlie rode with Karen to the Alzada Cowboy Poetry Gathering. They always have great food and pies of every description. Karen sang a couple of songs and played her violin. It was an especially great show of music, art and some really humorous poetry. Karen especially remembers one great poem about horse trading.



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"Ketchup Kyle" and "Anne Ma-wienie" pose in front of "Yummy," one of six full size Weinermobiles. Getting plenty of "smiles per gallon", the pair has spent the last four and a half months traversing the central United States bringing frankfurter fun to the masses as part of Oscar Mayer's "A Better Hotdog in Every Hand" campaign.

The Hotdoggers stopped at Lynn's Dakotamart in Belle Fourche to help celebrate the Lynn's 50th anniversary. They parked away from the cool damp water inside the BF Firehall. To follow the travels of "Yummy" visit www.oscarmayer.com/wienermobile.

Grand River Roundup

BETTY OLSON

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I spent Sunday through Wednesday in Buffalo, Minnesota taking care of our grandsons while Teri Dee attended a medical conference in Florida and Mike was on call at the hospital. Collin is a freshman in high school and Aidan is an eighth grader at the middle school. It rained every day in Minnesota. On my way home from Minnesota, I stopped at Clark, SD to see my friend Sen. Brock Greenfield. Home Wednesday, 1161 miles round trip on the car. October 4 was the 5th anniversary of the Atlas Blizzard that devastated this area with thousands of cattle, sheep and horses killed. On a much happier note, Lacy and Jeromy Schneider from Ludlow had a baby girl on the 4th! Little Hannah Jo was born in Hettinger weighing in at 6lbs. & 2oz. She joins an older brother Dawson.

I got back in the car and drove to Rapid City on Thursday for a doctor appointment. We went to Hettinger Friday afternoon for Reub's appointment with Mary Eggebo. Casey and Taz were also up there helping Sage run cement at their new house west of Hettinger.

Sen. Ryan Maher emailed me information sent out from Ellsworth Air Force Base to alert area pilots. Combat Raider, a military exercise involving various aircraft, is scheduled to begin Oct. 16 in parts of the Powder River Training Complex, and will conclude Oct. 18. A map of the airspace is available for reference on the Ellsworth AFB website at <http://>

www.ellsworth.af.mil/prtc.asp. As a reminder, non-military aircraft should thoroughly review the Federal Aviation Administration's Notices to Airmen, or NOTAMs, and review flight plans to avoid these areas and altitudes where aircraft will be participating. This can be done by calling 1-800-WXBRIEF, or visiting online at <https://sua.faa.gov/> and <http://www.1800wx-brief.com>.

The Great Western Cattle Trail meeting will be held at the High Plains Western Heritage Center in Spearfish on October 18 at 4:00 in the afternoon. The Bella pregnancy resource center's 17th annual Gala for Life banquet will be that evening at the Spearfish Holiday Inn Convention Center at 6:30 so it will be possible to attend both events. Tickets for the banquet are available by calling 605-642-4140.

Lacy Jenson and Jake Wolff were married at Pactola on Sat. afternoon. Casey and Missy went to Rapid City that afternoon to watch Jarett Jenson and Trig play football at the School of Mines. I'll leave you with this wedding advice I received several years ago:

A young bride and groom-to-be had just selected the wedding ring. As the girl admired the plain platinum and diamond band, she suddenly looked concerned. "Tell me," she asked the elderly salesman "is there anything special I'll have to do to take care of this ring?"

With a fatherly smile, the salesman said, "One of the best ways to protect a wedding ring is to dip it in dishwasher three times a day."



Anika and Lydia Main, Butte County Valley View 4-H show their Purple Ribbon work to end National 4-H week won during the 81st Western Junior. Scrapbooking both and Photo Contest Lydia (right)

BFHS Boy's Soccer Ends Season in Playoffs

JAMES TRIMBLE
Special to the Beacon

VERMILLION - The Belle Fourche Broncos Soccer season came to an end with a 3-1 first round playoff loss to the Vermillion Tanager in Vermillion on Tuesday, October 2nd.

The boys made the long trip leaving very early Tuesday morning. However, they played Vermillion tooth and nail in the first half with both teams battling hard to a scoreless tie at the break. Both teams were playing aggressive on both ends of the pitch and each had two yellow cards during the contest.

The second half started with the same aggressive play for nearly twenty minutes, yet Vermillion broke through with a goal by senior Andreas Lindstad with 22:14 left in the game. A minute later Broncos Josiah Trimble was shoved in the goal box on a corner kick for Belle. Junior Cruz Kellem calmly stepped up and knocked home the penalty kick tying the score 1-1.

The teams continued to battle with Vermillion starting to get more shots on goal and controlled the tempo at this point of the game. With just over 14 minutes left in the game the Broncos were called for a questionable foul in the box. Lindstad took the penalty kick and hit

a rocket toward Broncos senior goalkeeper Landon Thompson who made a fantastic lunging block of the shot, but the ball careened back toward the players where Lindstad was first to the ball and knocked it in giving the home team a 2-1 lead. Vermillion would get an insurance score that iced the game as senior Joel Druin found the net with 9:41 left. "I thought we battled them hard after a long drive down here," commented Broncos Coach Anthony Bradley.

Vermillion out-shot the Broncos 18-6 and Broncos goalie Thompson again had a great game with 18 saves. It was the final varsity action for Bronc seniors Thompson, Kendal Schreier, Dalton Mace, and Michael Leverington. "Our seniors gave us great leadership this year and we have a good core of players returning next year" said Bradley. Belle ends their season at 3-8-2. "We play a tough schedule, so our record doesn't necessarily show the whole picture of our season" reflected Bradley. The Tea Titans won their second consecutive State A title in a snow fest in Rapid City on Saturday, October 13th with a 4-0 win.

The Broncos will graduate four Seniors and the returning underclassmen show strong promise for next year.



STATE TOURNEY - Broncos Kendal Schreier points out directions vs. Vermillion with John Baxendale and Dalton Mace in background. *Courtesy Photos*



YOU'VE COME A LONG WAY BABY - The Bronc boy's soccer team seniors are shown each holding a photo of their younger years during recognition day. From left; Kendal Schreier, Michael Leverington, Landon Thompson, Dalton Mace.

Chilly Weather Helps Power Bronc Runners

Chris Riley
Special to the Beacon

Cold and rainy skies welcomed the Belle Fourche cross country team to the Fort Meade Recreation Area for the annual Sturgis Invitational on Thur. Sept. 27. It was a perfect day for running and the Broncos responded, with nearly 20 athletes running their fastest ever times.

Seventh-grader Allison Hayes' JV girls third-place finish highlighted the day for the Broncos. Hayes clocked a personal record of 22:18 for 5,000 meters, in a race that featured 48 competitors. Anika Main (17th, 23:59, Sarah Juelfs (19th, 24:00), and Molly Rhoads (20th, 24:13) also each clocked their best ever 5K times. Other Broncos in the JV girls race were Ally Drabek (24th), Lorelei Seaman (33rd), and Katie Kerr (39th).

Alanah Pomrenke was the lone Belle Fourche runner in the 8th grade girls' race, placing 22nd out of 48 runners with a 3,000-meter time of 14:35.

The 6th & 7th grade girls' division saw 154 runners with sixth-grader Lily Nore running her best ever 3,000-meter race, placing 25th overall in 14:05. Addy Muhm made her return from a stress fracture, placing 45th (14:33). Lainey Crago (54th), Adeline Thomsen (77th), Kaylor Kudlock (91st), Isabella Opbroek (94th), Alexa Swaney (121st), and Lydia Main (125th)



Picture: Sarah Juelfs (left) and Anika Main (right) charge up the big hill at the Sturgis Invite -*Photo bt Brittney Clarkson*

also represented the Broncos.

Eighth-grader Sawyer Clarkson led the way in the boys' varsity division, placing eighth out of 63 runners. His 5,000-meter time was 17:05. Freshman Cole Hockenbary placed 48th with a time of 19:31.

In the JV boys' race, Wyatt Keegan and Devin Nowowiejski placed back-to-back in 34th and 35th in the 84-runner field. Seventh-grader Jordan Sandoval came in 67th with a best-ever 5K time of 22:29.

Four boys ran the eighth grade division race and all placed in the top 24 (out of 77 runners). Lane Longbrake (11th), Nic Lambert (12th), Levi Melanson (22nd), and Dustin Kolb (24th)

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Belle Fourche's Burr Powers DWU to 3rd Place Finish



ON TARGET - Dakota Wesleyan University Freshman golfer Jade Burr of Belle Fourche tied for first place after day one of the Great Plains Athletic Conference Championship October 1-2 as she shot a blazing 76 at the Bluffs Golf Course in Vermillion. On day two she carded an even more impressive 74 for a 150, six-over par total. The Dakota Wesleyan University women's golf team finished in third.

Bronc Bird Busters Leave Their Mark

Jamie Hockenbary
Special to the Beacon

Although the wind was blowing and they were getting covered in snow, twenty athletes shot their way into history on a cold April day in 2018. This was the first round for the Belle Fourche Bronc Bird Busters. They are first Belle Fourche High School Trap club and only the second high school recognized trap club in Western South Dakota.

This journey into history actually began in the fall of 2017, when junior Katie Anderson decided that Belle Fourche needed a shotgun team. She enlisted the help of 4-H Shooting instructors and some gun enthusiasts who were also parents of potential shootists and the project snowballed. Lots of leg-work, organizational meetings, school board meetings, and volunteer hours later, the Bronc Bird Busters came to life. The trap club was open to students sixth grade through seniors who were willing to commit one day a week for eight weeks straight. Many came the two days a week that were offered and even shot on their own. All their hard work paid off, as at the end of the first week, the team average was 42% and by the time State rolled around two months later, the average had risen to 70%. That is a pretty



BFHS Bronc Bird Busters - From left rear: Katie Anderson, Aiken Crowley, Collin Hockenbary, Jake Konechne, Tanner Hostetter, Lance Sutter, and Chris Wahlfeldt. Front row left to right: Layla Hockenbary, Emma Singer, Reese McKenna, Kendal Scheier, Riley Newman, Brayden Carbajal, Hunter Quenzer. *Jamie Hockenbary Photo*

amazing feat in itself, considering that some of the students had never shot shotgun before and very few had actually done it regularly, but the story gets better! In their conference, the team placed 5th out of 8 with Aiken Crowley placing 2nd, Jake Konechne 21st and Lance Sutter 22nd in the Male Top 25. The ladies held their own with Emma Singer placing 2nd, Katie Anderson 7th, Layla Hockenbary 11th, Reese McKenna 14th, Sarah Millar 15th and Tory Boring 20th of 25.

Fourteen of the twenty members competed at the State competition in Aberdeen in June. The team placed 8th out of 30. On the Varsity side Aiken Crowley placed 3rd and Jake Konechne ended up 11th for the gentlemen and Emma Singer tied for 9th on the ladies' side. Junior Varsity Top 20 was Katie Anderson in at 2nd and Novice Varsity Top 20 State Honors went to Reese McKenna for tying for 13th. Aiken Crowley also received All State Honors.

Although many of the 20 athletes qualified for Nationals in Mason, Michigan in July, six were able to attend and they made quite a showing. The team placed 147th out of 175 the first day with the top 80 teams moving on to second day competition. As an individual, Aiken Crowley blasted his way to Day 2 competition and his final score for the competition was 198 clay pigeons shot out of 200, earning him a tie for 5th

place. The tie breaker scoring placed him in the 7th overall.

The year-end awards ceremony was held recently. Division awards were as follows: Novice Division-Tanner Hostetter (3rd), Shelton Boring (2nd), Layla Hockenbary (1st), Junior Varsity-Riley Newman (3rd), Katie Anderson (2nd), Chris Wahlfeldt (1st), and Varsity-Lance Sutter (3rd), Jake Konechne (2nd), and Aiken Crowley (1st). As this is endorsed by the Belle Fourche School system as a lettering event, the following earned the first history making letters for Trap Shooting: Katie Anderson, Brayden Carbajal, Aiken Crowley, Collin Hockenbary, Layla Hockenbary, Jake Konechne, Riley Newman, Emma Singer, Alex Voyles, and Chris Wahlfeldt.

With the support of the school, parents, and sponsors such as Buck Stop, First Interstate Bank, CON Sportsmen, Morris Law Firm, Phaze Electric, Dakota Territory Firearms, Crooked Oak Services, Wolff's Plumbing and Heating, Spearfish Rifle and Trap Club, BH Shootists, Carl's Trailer Sales, Runnings and Nieman's, the Belle Fourche Bronc Bird Busters will continue to shoot their way into the history books. Membership is now open for the 2019 trap season. If you have questions, please contact Stephanie Crowley at 381-0046 and Happy Shooting!

Belle vs Spearfish Volleyball



SETTING THINGS UP - Payson Birkeland sets as Tristan Garman readies for the "kill" against Spearfish. The Broncos rallied to win 2 straight games before dropping the match 3-2. Belle closes the season this weekend with Lead-Deadwood and Hill City. Both are home matches.

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Johnson Ranch, Reva SD.....	17	Black-Str	391	\$196.00
Bruce Blair, Piedmont SD.....	77	Blk/Bwf-Str	691	\$170.00
Bruce Blair, Piedmont SD.....	88	Blk/Bwf-Hfr	638	\$155.75
Kelly Britton, Buffalo SD.....	49	Black-Str	539	\$178.00
Kyar & Schilling, Upton WY.....	89	Black-Str	587	\$170.00
Kyar & Schilling, Upton WY.....	9	Black-Str	430	\$222.50
John & Arlene Boetker, Rapid City SD.....	20	Black-Str	623	\$169.25
John & Arlene Boetker, Rapid City SD.....	23	Black-Hfr	582	\$157.00
Doug Greenough & Peter Burgess, Sheridan WY.....	36	Black-Str	509	\$200.00
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Scott West & Stephanie Johnson, Banner WY.....	38	Black-Hfr	559	\$155.50
Richard W Jr & Janice Peterson, Upton WY.....	70	Black-Str	559	\$175.00
Richard W Jr & Janice Peterson, Upton WY.....	64	Black-Hfr	536	\$159.00
Arthur & Alice Cundy, Rozel WY.....	44	Black-Str	561	\$169.50
Arthur & Alice Cundy, Rozel WY.....	15	Black-Str	486	\$206.00
Arthur & Alice Cundy, Rozel WY.....	16	Black-Hfr	513	\$161.50
Sheridan & Belinda Burgess, Wynona WY.....	101	Black-Str	549	\$179.25
Sheridan & Belinda Burgess, Wynona WY.....	44	Black-Str	453	\$209.00
Matt & Karen Disney, Sundance WY.....	43	Red-Str	529	\$183.75
Matt & Karen Disney, Sundance WY.....	19	Red-Str	444	\$210.00
Matt & Karen Disney, Sundance WY.....	24	Red-Hfr	474	\$164.50
Karson Kluver, Forsyth MT.....	92	Rd/Blk-Str	503	\$189.00
Don & Betty Brown, Recluse WY.....	43	Black-Str	598	\$166.50
Don & Betty Brown, Recluse WY.....	25	Black-Hfr	552	\$153.50
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Danny Dixon Estate, Newcastle WY.....	29	Black-Hfr	549	\$156.50
Ernest Robinson, Ashland MT.....	70	Black-Str	525	\$184.50
Ernest Robinson, Ashland MT.....	47	Black-Hfr	480	\$168.00
William McKee & Gary Huttable, Kinneer WY.....	75	Black-Str	541	\$181.00
William McKee & Gary Huttable, Kinneer WY.....	10	Black-Str	440	\$214.00
Rick & Debra Richards, Newell SD.....	44	Bwf-Str	630	\$167.50
Rick & Debra Richards, Newell SD.....	30	Rwf/Bwf-Str	443	\$209.00
Rick & Debra Richards, Newell SD.....	33	Bwf-Hfr	568	\$155.00
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Jim & Fran Mcooy, Belle Fourche SD.....	27	Blk/Bwf-Str	559	\$171.00
Jim & Fran Mcooy, Belle Fourche SD.....	10	Rd/Blk-Str	477	\$213.00
Jim & Fran Mcooy, Belle Fourche SD.....	25	Black-Hfr	529	\$156.00
Victor Small Jr., Lame Deer MT.....	36	Black-Str	581	\$168.00
Victor Small Jr., Lame Deer MT.....	29	Black-Hfr	536	\$155.25
Edwin Blanchard, Biddle MT.....	43	Black-Str	528	\$186.50
Edwin Blanchard, Biddle MT.....	42	Black-Str	505	\$161.00
Steve & Pam Schilling, Upton WY.....	18	Black-Hfr	549	\$157.50
Shane & Pamela Bivens, Gillette WY.....	16	Black-Str	593	\$174.75
Shane & Pamela Bivens, Gillette WY.....	18	Black-Hfr	544	\$155.50
Brian Sarsland, Beach Nd.....	34	Red/Rwf-Str	526	\$179.50
Brian Sarsland, Beach Nd.....	20	Black-Hfr	511	\$165.00
Tom & Eileen Nistler, Upton WY.....	34	Black-Str	625	\$165.50
Tom & Eileen Nistler, Upton WY.....	25	Black-Hfr	592	\$151.50
Randy & Jan Farelita, Newcastle WY.....	18	Blk/Bwf-Str	637	\$170.25
Randy & Jan Farelita, Newcastle WY.....	20	Blk/Bwf-Hfr	581	\$155.50
Roger Young II, Biddle MT.....	29	Blk/Bwf-Str	533	\$183.00
Roger Young II, Biddle MT.....	25	Black-Hfr	521	\$161.00
Gleason Livestock Lc, Weston WY.....	20	Red-Str	624	\$164.75
Gleason Livestock Lc, Weston WY.....	16	Red-Hfr	548	\$156.00
Dale & Mary Jorensen, Sturgis SD.....	15	Char/Red-Str	548	\$170.50
Dale & Mary Jorensen, Sturgis SD.....	21	Char/Red-Hfr	547	\$155.50
Bill Mankin, Gillette WY.....	13	Black-Str	407	\$224.00
Carl Sr & Ann Marie Reiner, Buffalo WY.....	15	Black-Str	524	\$174.00
Carl Sr & Ann Marie Reiner, Buffalo WY.....	15	Black-Hfr	487	\$159.00
Wayne & Kelly Patterson, Whitewood SD.....	10	Black-Str	604	\$153.50
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Ed & Kathy Merrill, Newcastle WY.....	9	Black-Str	627	\$170.75
Ed & Kathy Merrill, Newcastle WY.....	11	Black-Hfr	562	\$155.50
Laird Ranch Lc, Ekalaka MT.....	28	Red-Str	497	\$186.00
Laird Ranch Lc, Ekalaka MT.....	27	Red-Hfr	476	\$158.00
John & Brenda Snyder, Weston WY.....	48	Herf-Str	505	\$171.00
John & Brenda Snyder, Weston WY.....	32	Herf-Hfr	456	\$155.00
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Mike Simonitsch, Ekalaka MT.....	9	Black-Cow	1,485	\$68.75
Consignment From WY.....	17	Black-Cow	1,461	\$68.75
Consignment From WY.....	17	Black-Cow	1,312	\$67.50
Consignment From WY.....	4	Black-Cowette	1,159	\$75.00
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Fiddleback Lc, Newcastle WY.....	5	Black-Cowette	1,106	\$76.50
Hines Ranch Lc, Gillette WY.....	3	Black-Cow	1,410	\$68.50
J&P Limited Liability Co, Casper WY.....	14	Black-Cow	1,362	\$68.25
J&P Limited Liability Co, Casper WY.....	11	Black-Hfr	1,170	\$68.00
Gleason Livestock Lc, Weston WY.....	6	Red-Cow	1,440	\$68.00

Innes Ranch Lc, Gillette WY.....	2	Black-Cow	1,368	\$68.00
Brenda Lou Foster, Clearmont WY.....	2	Black-Cow	1,245	\$67.50
Steve & Pam Schilling, Upton WY.....	5	Black-Cow	1,366	\$67.00
Monte Mallett, Powderville MT.....	7	Black-Cow	1,372	\$67.00
Bill Mankin, Gillette WY.....	4	Blk/Bwf-Cow	1,458	\$66.50
Clear Bent Bars Inc, Leiter WY.....	1	Red-Cow	1,340	\$66.50
Jim Kolka, Volborg MT.....	2	Black-Cow	1,273	\$65.50
Thomas & Esther Colgan, Hermosa SD.....	1	Black-Cow	1,350	\$65.50
Alvin & Cheryl Mathern, Newell SD.....	2	Red-Cow	1,345	\$65.00
True Ranches Lc, Newcastle WY.....	1	Bwf-Cow	1,230	\$64.50
Bar 69 Ranch Inc, Belle Fourche SD.....	4	Black-Hfr	1,196	\$64.50
Bar 69 Ranch Inc, Belle Fourche SD.....	3	Black-Cow	1,627	\$64.50
Kevin Hepp, Gillette WY.....	2	Black-Cow	1,260	\$64.50
Richard Peterson Jr, Upton WY.....	2	Black-Cow	1,513	\$64.50
Smith Family, Faith SD.....	3	Black-Cow	1,345	\$64.50
Hoagland Family, Banner WY.....	9	Black-Cow	1,312	\$63.50
Hoagland Family, Banner WY.....	9	Black-Hfr	1,093	\$94.00
Hayden Livestock, Gillette WY.....	2	Red-Cow	1,420	\$61.00
Bg Cattle Lc, Gillette WY.....	1	Red-Cow	1,250	\$60.00
Twenty One Ranch Inc, Sundance WY.....	1	Red-Cow	1,730	\$59.50
Kim & Asa Stafford, Deadwood SD.....	2	Bwf-Cow	1,185	\$58.00
Karlon Knudson, Arvada WY.....	3	Black-Cow	1,365	\$57.00
Bob & Sally Hagedorn, Volborg MT.....	1	Black-Bull	1,955	\$75.50
Collins Ranch Lc, Biddle MT.....	2	Black-Bull	2,228	\$75.00
Hammel Red Angus, Ekalaka MT.....	2	Red-Bull	2,048	\$74.50
Grubbing Hoe Ranch Inc, Buffalo SD.....	1	Herf-Bull	2,025	\$74.00
Dennis & Claudia Price, Buffalo SD.....	5	Black-Bull	2,075	\$73.50
Antlers Angus Ranch, Moorcroft WY.....	5	Black-Bull	2,041	\$73.00
Ty & Toni Moncur, Belle Fourche SD.....	1	Black-Bull	2,010	\$71.00

UPCOMING SALE SCHEDULE

Thursday October 18th - Special All Breed Calf Sale
Friday, October 19th - Stock Cow, Bred Heifer & Weigh Up Cattle Special
Thursday October 25th - Special All Breed Calf Sale
Friday, October 26th - Weigh Up Cattle Sale
Thursday November 1st - Special All Breed Calf Sale
Friday, November 2nd - Weigh Up Cattle Sale
Monday, November 5th - Stock Cow & Bred Heifer Special
Thursday, November 8th - Special All Breed Calf Sale
Friday, November 9th - Weigh Up Cattle Sale
Thursday, November 15th - Special All Breed Calf Sale
Friday, November 16th - Weigh Up Cattle Sale
Monday, Nov. 19th - ANNUAL THANKSGIVING STOCK COW & BRED HEIFER SALE
Thursday, November 22nd - No Sale - Happy Thanksgiving!
Thursday, November 29th - Weaned Calf Special
Friday, November 30th - Stock Cow, Bred Heifer & Weigh up Cow Special
Thursday, December 6th - Weaned Calf Special - Selling all Classes of Cattle
Thursday, December 13th - Weaned Calf Special - Heifer Special
Thursday, December 20th - Weaned Calf Special - Selling all Classes of Cattle
Thursday, December 27th - No Sale

STOCK COW, BRED HEIFER & WEIGH-UP COW SALE Friday - October 19, 2018 9:00 am - Sale Time

BRED HEIFERS:
James Renner - MT 24 Blk bred hfrs
DISPERSION
Ray Bogner - MT 18 Blk & bwf 10 & older - Bred Herf & Angus - cf 3/5 - 60 days
STOCK COWS:
Betty Brown - WY 75 Blk & bwf solid - broken mouth cows - Bred Angus - cf 3/25
Ida Tryon Estate - SD 56 Blk & bwf mix age - poured - bred blk cf 4/5
Jim Beardsley - SD 30 Blk - coming 3s - Bred Herf - cf 4/1 - 60 days
TJ Wesley - WY 20 Blk mix age - April/May calvers
Charles Hellickson - MT 5 Blk bred blk & red bred red - 3-8 yrs - cf 3/20 - 35 days

News From The Block

First good test of spring calves here Thursday. Lots of buyers on the seats and a real strong market on load lots and calves with shots. Great line up of yearlings for this time of year and they all sold higher!!
Baxter Anders

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

ALL BREED CALF SPECIAL Thursday - October 18, 2018 8:30 am - Sale Time

CALVES:			
Iron Mountain Cattle Co- SD	1100	Blk mx clvs - PC	450-600#
Lelis Ranch	1000	Blk & bwf mx clvs	400-500#
Lynn, Connie, Seth Weishaar - SD	300	Blk mx clvs - PC	550-600#
Greg Williams - MT	280	Mostly Blk str clvs	800-850#
Melum Ranch - MT	250	Red & ruf mx clvs - PC, NI	550-600#
Bailou Angus - WY	225	Blk mx clvs - PC, NI	500-550#
Sterling Moore - WY	220	Blk hfr clvs - PC	500#
Moncur Ranch - SD	210	Blk clvs - PC, NI, no hfrs kept	500-550#
Gary Cammack - SD	200	Blk str clvs - PC	535-600#
Monte Snook - WY	200	Red str clvs - PC	450-550#
Robert & Becky Boylan - SD	200	Blk hfr clvs - PC	450-500#
Tucker & Corinn Amiotte - SD	200	Red mx clvs - PC, NI	500-600#
Joe & Jane Burke - SD	200	Blk str clvs - PC, NI	600#
Price Ranch - SD	200	Blk hfr clvs - PC, NI	575-600#
Tom Andrews - MT	200	Blk, red & bldy clvs - PC, NI, poured	400-550#
Eliot & Cokie Kammerer - SD	190	Blk & bwf str clvs - PC, poured	450-500#
Bob & Monte Miller - WY	180	Blk (120 str/60 hfr) clvs - PC, poured	550-600#
Doolittle/Wagner - SD	165	1st x bwf hfr clvs - PC, AI sired	550-600#
Gary Loder - ND	150	Blk mx clvs - PC, NI, poured, weaned 1 mo	550-600#
Ondrizek/Figge - WY	150	Blk str clvs - PC, NI	525-600#
Rantapa & Soloman - SD	150	Blk mx clvs - PC, NI, poured	550-650#
Reeder Ranch - SD	150	Blk mx clvs - PC	450-550#
Bruce Jensen - SD	150	Blk str clvs - PC, NI, All Natural	600-650#
Jay Tope - SD	145	Mostly Blk mx clvs - PC, NI, poured	500-550#
Carl, Vickie & Jamie Black - WY	130	Blk, few red mx clvs - PC, NI, poured	575#
Richard Yates - MT	130	CharX mostly str clvs - PC, NI	525-575#
Jay McPhearson	130	Blk clvs - PC, NI, no hfrs kept	500-550#
Wayne & Ross Garman - WY	120	Blk (80 hfr/40str) clvs - PC, poured, Drug Free	580-600#
DDRTV/Hoenke - MT	110	Blk (80 str/30 hfr) clvs - PC, NI, Drug Free	525-550#
Willy Gergen - MT	100	Blk mostly str clvs - PC, NI, knife cut	550-600#
Scott Shoun - SD	100	Blk str clvs - PC, NI	575#
Will West - WY	100	Blk & bwf mostly str clvs - PC, NI, poured	500-550#
Powder River Livestock - WY	100	Blk hfr clvs - BT shots	450#
Billy Stuver - MT	98	Blk clvs - NI	550-600#
Kelly Spring - MT	90	Blk & bwf mx clvs - PC, NI, no hfrs kept	650#
Ivan & Mary Teigen - MT	90	Blk & 1st x bwf mx clvs - PC	550-625#
Jim & Jean Smeenk - SD	90	Blk hfr clvs - PC	500#
Holso Ranch - SD	90	Blk & bwf mx clvs - PC, NI, poured	650#
Steve Wanderaas - MT	90	Blk str clvs - PC	450-500#
Rich Edwards - WY	90	Blk & bwf clvs - PC, NI	450-500#
Rob Sprzakbin - MT	90	Blk mx clvs - PC	500-550#
Jason & Yvonne Wock - SD	90	Blk & bwf mx clvs - PC, NI, no hfrs kept	400-500#
Bud & Shawn Strangford - MT	83	Blk mx clvs - PC, NI, poured	530-560#
Melanie Acosta - SD	80	Blk & bwf mx clvs - PC, NI	550#
Darrell Hohn - SD	80	Blk mx clvs - PC, NI, poured	650#
OP Bar Ranch - SD	80	Hfrd str clvs - BT shots, PC, NI, poured	600#
Dan & Cindy Conner - SD	75	Blk str clvs - PC, NI	575-600#
Elgin Faber - WY	75	Blk str clvs - BT, NI	500#
Claude Voiles - WY	65	Blk mx clvs - BT shots	500-525#
Sandy Hanson/HAE Ranch - SD	60	Blk mx clvs - PC, NI, poured	600#
Tom Cooper - SD	60	Blk mx clvs - PC, NI	550-650#
Kirk Erickson - SD	60		