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Oil Isn't the Only Thing Booming in the Bakken Region

By Tie Shank

Mercy Medical Center (MMC) has seen a steady increase in the number of babies being born over the past few years: In 2012, 536 babies were delivered. Compare this to the 746 babies delivered in 2013 and you'll see the increase of 210 babies in only a year. 2014 looks to be another record breaking year as the MMC OB department is expecting at least 120 babies coming due over the next couple of months from Great Plains Women's Health Center alone, per their Business Manager, Leland Tong.

Five years ago, MMC would staff only 1 labor & delivery nurse per shift, 1 post-partum nurse per shift and 1 nursery nurse per shift. They've increased this to 3 labor & delivery nurses, 1 post-partum nurse, 1 tech and 1 nursery nurse per shift. The hospital currently utilizes traveling nurses and would like to add more experienced labor & delivery nurses to their staff.

The Obstetrics unit at MMC is a 10 bed unit that offers 24 hour analgesia, Wi-Fi (so you can bring your laptops), Jacuzzis in each of the labor & delivery rooms and a sleeping area for a family member.

Registered Nurse Walta Novak has worked in the OB department at MMC for several years and has seen many changes. One of the constants she's seen is the number of women breastfeeding. "I've been on the OB for 27 years and we've had a very good history of breastfeeding moms," states Novak. "We educate women on how to breastfeed. We also give them the names and contact information of two registered lactation consultants during their stay with us."

Novak states, "We encourage rooming in. It helps parents set up a family bonding time and allows the mother to watch for breastfeeding cues. However, in the event the mother needs a break: a shower, to go for a walk or to take an uninterrupted nap, we have a nursery for those times. We put baby bands on the newborn, the mother and the significant other or the person the mother designates and those two are the only ones allowed to sign the baby out of the nursery."

The OB staff will ask two questions to every new mom during registration: 1) How do you plan to feed your baby and 2) Who have you chosen to be your baby's doctor? "It's important to choose a doctor for your newborn prior to delivery," advises Novak. "Pediatricians can be found at Craven Hagen Clinic and Mercy Pediatric Clinic."

Novak also strongly encourages all new moms to purchase the book, *What to Expect The First Year*. You can usually pick it up at bookstores, Walmart or on Amazon for under \$10. She also encourages expecting parents to log in to the Mercy Medical Center website and register for educational classes. MMC sponsors classes in Childbirth, Breastfeeding, Car Seat Safety, Bringing Baby Home and Baby Basics. Most classes are free of charge or there is a very minimal charge and you can register on-line at www.mercy-williston.org/events.



Labor & Delivery room at Mercy Medical Center in Williston, ND. Inset: Walta Novak, has been an RN in the OB department for over 27 years.

Watford City Lady Wolves Region 8 Champs



Watford City Girls basketball team along with their happy fans celebrate after defeating Parshall in overtime in the championship game of the Region 8 tournament. The Lady Wolves will take on Central Cass at 8:30 in the first round of the NDHS State Class B Tournament in Fargo.

Spider Specialist to Discuss Arachnids as Ag Biocontrol Agents

Submitted by Beth Redlin

Along came a spider and sat down beside her...but it definitely did NOT scare her away! Instead, Entomologist Laurie Kerzicnik has made a career of studying all things creepy crawly, with spiders emerging as her favorite subjects.

Kerzicnik will share her enthusiasm for spiders with both students and local producers when she visits the USDA-Agricultural Research Service's Northern Plains Agricultural Research Laboratory in Sidney Friday, March 21st, as the next speaker in the lab's 2014 Winter BrownBagger Series.

Dr. Kerzicnik's presentation at Sidney ARS begins at noon Friday and is entitled "Spiders as biological control agents in agriculture." Her talk runs from noon to 1 pm and is open to the public. The lab is located at 1500 N. Central Avenue in Sidney, MT.

In addition, Dr. Kerzicnik (and a couple 8-legged guests) will be meeting with local students earlier Friday morning to discuss "Spiders as Beneficial Predators." Her first presentation is with the Sidney High School Advanced Biology Class, followed by a talk with Rau Elementary School 4th through 6th graders. To illustrate her talk, she will bring along a few hissing cockroaches, tarantulas, a centipede, a scorpion, and a black widow.

Dr. Kerzicnik is currently the Insect Diagnostician and Assistant Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Specialist in the Plant Sciences and Plant Pathology Department at Montana State University in Bozeman, focusing on urban insects and education. She has a Master's and PhD in Entomology from Colorado State University and has worked with spiders and biological control for over 15 years. Her background is with integrated pest management and spiders as pest control agents in agroecosystems.

In addition to her IPM work, Dr. Kerzicnik has done a lot of "entomology and arachnology outreach" to K-12 schools, the community, and to growers. "I've traveled around to schools with tarantulas, spiders, mantids, scorpions, and cockroaches for hands-on learning," she says. "I love extension and serving as a link between science education and the community."

She will once again be doing both when she visits Sidney ARS this Friday. Please bring your lunch and join us for this very interesting presentation. Treats are provided.

For more information, contact Beth Redlin at 406-433-9427.



Watford City players named to the Region 8 all tournament team are Ricky Lindley, Katie Mogen and Amanda Mogen. (Photos by Kathy Taylor)

African Children's Choir to Perform in Sidney

Submitted by Lydia Sherwood

The African Children's Choir melts the hearts of audiences with their charming smiles, beautiful voices and lively African songs and dances. The program features well-loved children's songs, traditional Spirituals and Gospel favorites. Concerts are free and open to all. A free-will offering is taken at the performance to support African Children's Choir programs, such as education, care and relief and development programs.

Music for Life (The parent organization for The African Children's Choir) works in seven African countries such as Uganda, Kenya, Rwanda, Sudan, Nigeria, Ghana and South Africa. MFL has educated over 52,000 children and impacted the lives of over 100,000 people through its relief and development programs during its history. MFL purpose is to help create new leadership for tomorrow's Africa, by focusing on education.

The African Children's Choir has had the privilege to perform before presidents, heads of state and most recently the Queen of England, Queen Elizabeth II, for her diamond jubilee. The Choir has also had the honor of singing alongside artists such as Paul McCartney, Annie Lennox, Keith Urban, Mariah Carey, Michael W. Smith, and other inspirational performers!

Most recently, the African Children's Choir accompanied South African opera singer, Pumeza Matshikiza, on some tracks for her debut album which was recorded at Abbey Road Studios in London.

Promotional support of this community concert is greatly appreciated.

The African Children's Choir is a nonprofit humanitarian and relief organization dedicated to helping Africa's most vulnerable children today so they can help Africa tomorrow. No tickets, donations welcome.

The performance will take place May 7, 2014, at the Lonsdale United Methodist Church in Sidney, MT.



Cuts for Cancer

Beth Groshart takes the first cut of Mayor Rick Norby's hair during a cancer benefit at the Sidney Elks Lodge Friday night. Several brave men had their heads, beards and eyebrows shaved with all the proceeds going to fight cancer in Richland County. Kountry Catering also donated baked goods to be sold. The event raised almost \$5000 for the fight against cancer. (Photo by Dianne Swanson)

Richland County Community Garden Organizational Meeting

On Monday, March 31, the Richland County Extension Office will host an organizational/planning meeting for the Richland County Community Garden. Anyone interested in learning more about the project, helping out with the gardens, or want to actually reserve a garden spot, is invited to attend.

The Richland County Community Garden will be an area set aside for those with little or no gardening space of their own to reserve a garden bed and be able to grow their own produce. The garden will consist of 24, 4ft by 8ft raised bed gardens that will be 15 inches high. Those interested in reserving a garden space will need to attend the meeting to learn more about the project and how to reserve a spot.

Any questions can be directed to Tim Fine at the Extension Office at 433-1206.



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We, the family of Joe Klasna, would like to express our sincere appreciation for the phone calls, the visits, the beautiful cards & words of condolence. Thank you to our wonderful neighbors who brought food to the house & to the funeral. Thanks to Al & the staff at Fulkersons for your help and direction. Thank you, Pastor George, for your spiritual guidance and for the lovely service for Joe.

– Tim & Kim Klasna & Family
– Jon & Jackie Klasna & Family



The Roundup

Do you have news or photos from McKenzie County you would like in The Roundup?

CONTACT:
Kathy Taylor in Watford City
701-842-6188

AREA RECOVERY GROUPS

MONDAYS:
Noon — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney.
1 - 3 p.m. — Grief Recovery Support Group in First Lutheran Church, Fellowship Room, Watford City.
6 - 8 p.m. — Grief Recovery Support Group in First Lutheran Church, Fellowship Room, Watford City.
6 p.m. — Al-Anon, Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney.
7 p.m. — Fairview Alive and Kicking at Fairview Alliance Church, 704 S. Western Ave.
8 p.m. — AA Group, Northern Pump & Compression, Watford City. Call 770-3603 or 770-2675 for directions or ride.

TUESDAYS:
7 p.m. — NA meeting, Fellowship Baptist Church 2181 W. Holly St. (across from the fairgrounds), Sidney.
7 p.m. — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney.

WEDNESDAYS:
5:00 p.m. — Sober Life Young People's NAAA 12- step recovery group, 25 yr. old & younger, Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney.
8 p.m. — Al-Anon, Sanford Room, McKenzie Co. Public Library, Watford City.

THURSDAYS:
7 p.m. — NA meeting, Millers' Corner, 2201 W. Holly St., Sidney.
8 p.m. — AA Group, Northern Pump & Compression, Watford City. Call 770-3603 or 770-2675 for directions or ride.

FRIDAYS:
6:30 - 7:30 p.m. - 5 Stones faith based recovery meeting, Sidney Nazarene, 606 9th St. SW, Back door is open
8 p.m. — AA meetings, Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. Bldg, Sidney.

SATURDAYS:
9 a.m. & 7 p.m. — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church Education bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney.
8 p.m. — NA meeting, Fellowship Baptist Church, 2181 W. Holly St. (across from the fairgrounds), Sidney.

SUNDAYS:
6:30 p.m. — "BUTT OUT" Support group, 309 S. Central Ave., Fairview
7 p.m. — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave, Sidney

STATISTICS

LAKE WATER LEVEL REPORT

	Sakakawea	Fort Peck
Current Elevation.....	1832.5	2223.0
Last Week's Elev.....	1831.4	2225.0
One Year Ago.....	1827.2	2222.3
Release For Day (C.F.S.).....	16,000	6,500

WATFORD CITY WEATHER DATA

Source: North Dakota Agricultural Weather Network

Date	High	Low	Precip.
March 8.....	63	39	0.00
March 9.....	65	34	0.00
March 10.....	59	27	0.00
March 11.....	49	28	0.00
March 12.....	55	34	0.00
March 13.....	55	24	0.00
March 14.....	44	24	0.03
YTD Rainfall.....			22.41

SIDNEY WEATHER DATA

Source: MSU Eastern Agricultural Research Center

Date	High	Low	Precip.
March 10.....	48	35	0.00
March 11.....	49	29	0.00
March 12.....	57	28	0.00
March 13.....	57	29	0.00
March 14.....	50	28	0.00
March 15.....	36	22	0.05
March 16.....	62	19	0.00
Average YTD Precipitation.....			0.18

OBITUARIES

Alletta (Buxbaum) Seibold, 61, Bismarck, ND

Funeral services for Alletta (Buxbaum) Seibold, 61, of New England, ND were at 2 pm, Monday, March 17, 2014, at the Assembly of God Church in Sidney with Pastor Les Anderson officiating. Interment took place in the Sidney Cemetery, Sidney, MT under the direction of Fulkerson Funeral Home of Sidney. Remembrances, condolences and pictures may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.com. Alletta died on Wednesday evening, March 12, 2014, at the Baptist Health Care Center, Bismarck, ND.

Irwin Noyes, 90, Billings, MT formerly of Fairview, MT

Memorial services for Irwin Noyes, 90, of Billings, MT, formerly of Fairview, MT were at 3 pm, Friday, March 14, 2014 at the Community Presbyterian Church in Fairview, MT with Pastor Bob Meehan officiating. Interment of cremains took place at the Fairview Cemetery. Remembrances, condolences and pictures may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.com. Irwin Noyes died on Tuesday, March 4, 2014 in Billings, MT.

Kesel to Speak at JSEC Meeting March 25

George Kesel from the Department of Labor & Industry's Apprenticeship & Training department will be speaking at the Sidney JSEC (Job Service Employers Committee) meeting about how apprenticeship can boost your bottom line. Apprenticeship helps with employee retention, while allowing a business to train employees to their specific needs, utilizing a graduated wage scale that saves payroll while training. Apprenticeship has been used for over 700 years because it is still the best way to train and retain skilled employees. Come and learn how this age old institution will grow your business in the 21st Century. If you are unable to attend the meeting but would like to find out about this training opportunity, give Sidney Job Service a call (433-1204) and we will be able to provide you with more information. Meeting Date: March 25th Time: Noon – 1 PM, bring your own lunch Place: Reynolds Market Conference Room RSVP: Call Cheryl at the Sidney Job Service 433-1204

NDSU Extension Service Offers Garden Forums

Submitted by Marcia Hellandsaas
The NDSU Extension Service in McKenzie County is one of several North Dakota counties offering a new series of garden workshops this spring. The Spring Fever Garden Forum will be held on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, March 25, 27, and April 1 and 3. A team of 12 university researchers will provide the latest information on caring for yards and gardens. Topics include selecting landscape trees, gardening in containers, selecting superior flower and vegetable varieties, improving soil, preventing diseases, growing hardy fruits and more. Specialists will give short presentations and then answer your questions. Live presentations from NDSU in Fargo will be broadcast over 30 Extension offices across the state. Gardeners may also attend these meetings via the internet on their home computers. All gardeners are welcome to participate and everything is free. Presentations go from 6:30 to 8:30 pm CT each night. If you plan to attend sessions at the McKenzie County Extension Office please pre-register your attendance by Friday, March 21 at the McKenzie County Extension office by calling 701-444-3451 or e-mail Marcia.hellandsaas@ndsu.edu. You may also go to www.ag.ndsu.edu/springfever to receive more information.

MonDak Writers Group March 25

Great stories can be told by anyone, anywhere, whether you're working hard in the oil fields, washing dishes at a restaurant, or scribbling away during your office job. The MonDak Writers group encourages people of all writing levels and genres to join. Bring a work in progress (memoir, short story, novel chapter, poem, anything) if you've got one, and if you don't, your brain and possibly a lucky pen will do! We aim to build a community within Richland County of people who want to express themselves on paper and to celebrate the craft of writing. Our monthly writing workshop will include peer-to-peer review and feedback, group writing exercises, an enthusiastic instructor, and food and drinks. Our first meeting is Tuesday, March 25 at 6 p.m. at the MonDak Heritage Center.

Job Readiness Classes Hosted at the Library

Submitted by Laura Kowatch
The Sidney-Richland County Library and the Sidney Job Services will be teaming up to teach a six week course on job readiness. Each class will be centered on a specific part of the job application process. The first class, which focuses on completing job applications, will be held on March 19th. In this class, participants will learn how to fill out job applications neatly and appropriately. Sidney Job Services will also be there to talk about all the services they have to offer. Learn all about writing the best and most effective cover letter on March 26th. This class will include what items to use in a cover letter and what mistakes to avoid. April 2nd, 16th, and 23rd will cover resume writing, with a specific focus for each class, including using templates, tips and tricks for resume writing, and how to turn out a finished product. April 30th will end the six week course with information discussing the interview process, as well as information on proper attire and preparation for interviewing for a job. All classes are free and open to anyone eighteen years and older. These classes are great for those who are seeking a new job or those who just need to update their resumes. Please stop in or call the library at 406-433-1917 to sign up.

EVENTS

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Richland County

Events in Sidney unless otherwise listed. MT Zone.

Weds., March 19
1 p.m. - Red Hatters, meet at Footers, 616 S Central Ave. RSVP by calling Peggy Hart 488-6159 or Margaret Bradley 488-4613.
12:45 - 2 p.m. — Sidney Middle School Science Fair, gymnasium, awards at 2 p.m.
5:30 - 7 p.m. — Richey Senior Citizens pancake supper, Richey Senior & Community Center. Bob Walker will be doing a presentation on the Walker Family history.

Thurs., March 20
5 p.m. — TOPS, Crestwood NW entrance, Weigh-ins 5-5:30 p.m. Meeting 5:30 - 6 p.m.
7 p.m. — Big Sky Concert Series Presents: Chinook Winds, MonDak Heritage Center.

Fri., March 21
11:30 a.m. — Sidney Senior Citizen Center will be hosting a meal. For more info call 406-433-8077.
6:30 - 7:30 a.m.— Men's Breakfast Fellowship, Sidney Lutheran Brethren Church.
5 - 7 p.m. — Sidney Knights of Columbus 3002 Annual Fish Fry Supper, St. Matthew's Parish Center, 310 7th St. SE. All are invited and welcome.

Sun., March 23
1 p.m. — Savage Senior Center cards & potluck .
2 p.m. — Sidney Moose Lodge Bingo, 2 pm, Thru the month of March.

Mon., March 24
11:30 a.m. — Sidney Senior Citizen Center will be hosting a meal. For more info call 406-433-8077.
6:30 p.m.— Sidney Moose Lodge Pinochle games.
1 p.m. and 7 p.m. — Savage School students & Missoula Children's Theatre will be performing "The Secret Garden", Savage Auditorium. Admission will be charged.
5 - 6:30 p.m. — Savage Juniors will be having a free will dinner, Savage High School Cafeteria.
2:30 - 7:30 p.m. — Child Find/Developmental Screening Central School (200 3rd Ave. SE), appointments are necessary & will be taken by calling the Administration Office at 433-4080 during school hours. You are encouraged to bring your child even if they attended last year. The screening is provided at no cost as a public service of the Sidney Public Schools. For further information, call Michelle Monsen at 433-4251.

Tues., March 25
1 – 6 p.m. — Blood drive, St. Matthew's Parish Center, 310 7th St. SE. For more info call 1-800-695-7258 or visit www.redcrossblood.org.
2:30 - 7:30 p.m. — Child Find/Developmental Screening Central School (200 3rd Ave. SE), appointments are necessary. Calling the Administration Office at 433-4080 during school hours.
6 - 8 p.m. — MonDak Writers group, first meeting, MonDak Heritage Center.

Fri., March 28
9 a.m. - 12 p.m. — Senior Commodity Distribution, Nutter building, 123 W. Main, back door. Message phone number is 433-4353.
5 - 7 p.m. — Sidney Knights of Columbus 3002 Annual Fish Fry Supper, St. Matthew's Parish Center, 310 7th St. SE. All are invited and welcome.

Sat., March 29
6:30 p.m. — Glendive Moose Club, Trivia Night fund raiser for Library Projects funded by the Glendive Friends of the Library. Go to the web site, <https://sites.google.com/site/glendivefriendsofthelibrary/home/trivia-night> and download and print a team roster. Only \$20 per team member!

Wed., April 2
1:30 - 3:30 p.m. — Savage School Kindergarten and pre school screening, ages 0-K, need to call for appointment at 776-2317. Please bring birth certificate and immunization card with you.

Fri., April 4
7 p.m. — Missoula Children's Theatre and Fairview students will be performing "The Secret Garden," East Fairview School gym.

McKENZIE COUNTY

Events in Watford City unless otherwise listed. CT Zone.

Thurs., March 20
9:30 a.m. - 3:40 p.m. — Motor Vehicle Dept. will be at the Sanford Room, McKenzie Co. Public Library, 112 2nd Ave. NE.
12 p.m. - 2 p.m. — McKenzie Co. Food Pantry, in the lower level of the First Lutheran Church, 212 2nd Ave. NW, Watford City, Cash Wise food giveaway, for more onfo or set up an appt. call 701-444-3451 or www.mcfoodpantry.com.
7 p.m.— Pinochle, Watford City Senior Center, 205 5th St. NW, for more info call 842-3760.

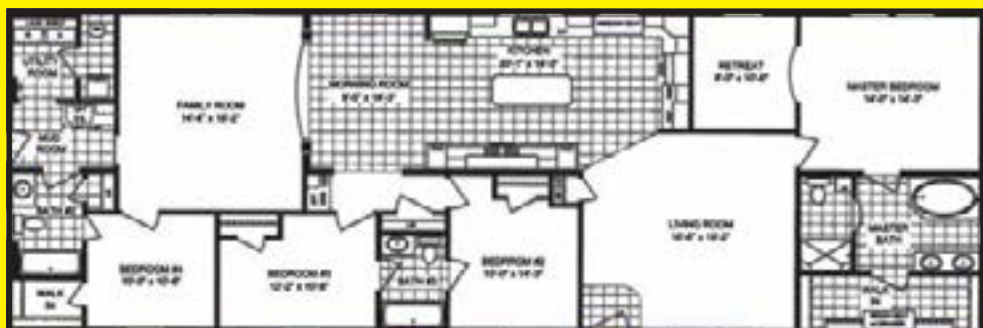
Mon., March 24
1 - 3 p.m. — Grief Recovery Support Group First Lutheran Church, Fellowship room, Watford City.
6 - 8 p.m. — Grief Recovery Support Group in First Lutheran Church, Fellowship room, Watford City.

Tues., March 25
11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. — Watford City Area Chamber of Commerce Lunch and Learn, Session One: General Sales and Use Tax Information, **2 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.** — Session Two: Lodging Sales and Use Tax Issues, Teddy's Residential Suites, 113 9th Ave SE, Watford City, ND .

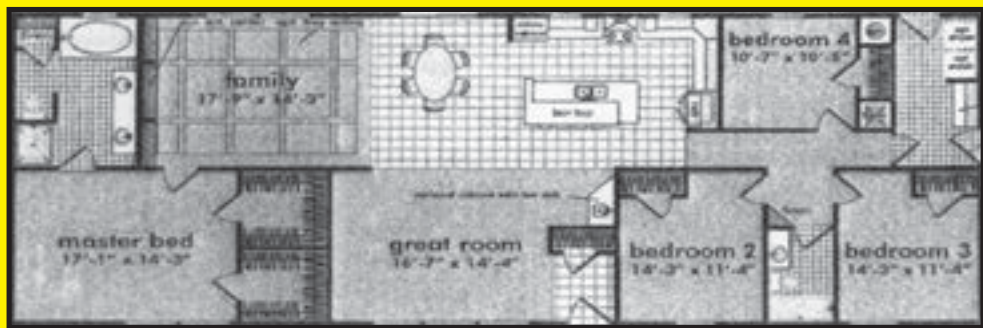
McKenzie Co. Public Library Bookmobile Schedule

Weds., March 19	Arnegard P.O.	9 - 9:30 am
	Horse Creek School	10:15 - 10:30 am
	Squaw Gap Hall	11 - 11:30 am
	Elizabeth Hatter	11:40am - 12:15 pm
Thurs., March 20	McKenzie Co. Courthouse temp office	8:25 - 8:35 am
	Johnson Corners Christian Academy	9:10 - 9:30 am
	Keene Dome	9:45 - 10:05 am
	Good Shepherd Home	10:40 - 11:20 am
	Hillside Court	11:25 am - 12:05 pm
Fri., March 21	Across from Lutheran Church, Grassy Butte	9 am - 12 pm
Tues., April 1	Alexander School	9 - 10:30 am
	East Fairview School	11 am - 12:45 pm
	Cartwright Hall	1 - 1:30 pm
Weds., April 2	Arnegard Post Office	9 - 9:30 am
	Horse Creek School	10:15 - 10:30 am
	Squaw Gap Hall	11 - 11:30 am
	Elizabeth Hatter	11:40am-12:15pm

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Opening of a Crow Nation Exhibit at the MonDak Heritage Center

The Western Heritage Center and American Indian Tribal Histories Project exhibit about Crow Indian history and culture, *Parading Through History: The Apsaalooke Nation*, will be featured at the MonDak Heritage Center now through May 31st.

This unique exhibit was developed, designed, and created by a team of Crow Indian scholars and artists with the intent of sharing the many traditions of the Crow Nation. The exhibit features an introductory kiosk, a Crow language touch screen, fifteen large banners with historical and contemporary comments about the Crow Nation, and several examples of beautiful beadwork from Crow artists. The exhibit was developed as part of the American Indian Tribal Histories Project, a Western Heritage Center program based in Billings, which recorded oral histories, developed a series of educational DVDs, and created exhibits, all from a Native American point of view.

In developing this exhibit, Mardell Plainfeather, a Crow oral historian, hoped visitors would, "gain an understanding for a people who have lived on this continent long before anyone 'discovered' us and our lands." Plainfeather states, "It is a peek into hundreds of years of history, where we've selected symbolic people and images to represent certain periods of time." The title, *Parading Through History*, was borrowed from Frederick Hoxie's book of the same name, which gives a Crow perspective based on continual movement and cultural pride, both being features of a parade, and adopted as a working theme for the exhibit by the Crow research team at the Western Heritage Center in Billings.

The MonDak Heritage Center is located at 120 3rd Ave. SE, in Sidney and has FREE admission. We hope to see you soon. We are open Tuesday – Friday 10am-4pm, and Saturdays 1pm-4pm.

For further information please call: 406-433-3500, or email mdhc@richland.org.



"May is Motorcycle Awareness Month" Poster Contest

Contest Rules

- Contest is open to all area students grades K-12.
- All entries should promote a message of awareness for motorcycle riders by other motorists.
- All entries should be submitted on the form provided, if a higher-quality of paper is desired it must be the same size as the official entry-form and be submitted with the form fastened to the back.
- All entries become the property of Lower Yellowstone Chapter of ABATE of Montana.
- A \$100 cash-prize will be awarded to the winning entry from each school.
- The top two entries from the pool of individual winners from each school will have their artwork published on a billboard promoting motorcycle awareness.
- Contest ends April 11th (4/11/2014).

Poster Title: _____ Grade: _____
Name: _____ School: _____

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4-H Jr. Leaders Dinner & Dance

Friday, April 11th

Dinner 6:30 - 8:30pm • Dance 8:30 - 10:00pm
At the Elks Lodge, 123 3rd St. SW • Sidney, MT



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Skating to Jolly Holiday from Mary Poppins are Olivia Ruggles, Anna Harris and Caleb Johansen. (Photos by Kathy Taylor)

Broadway Skating Showdown



The Watford City Figure Skating Club performed their annual Ice Show to a full house both Saturday evening and Sunday. Over 50 skaters of all ages performed to music from Broadway shows, entertaining friends and family. Above: Performing Under The Sea as Arielle from the Little Mermaid is Isabell Boekelman. Go to roundupweb.com for more pictures.

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Above: Beau Matson pins his opponent. Go to roundupweb.com for more photos. (Photos by Kathy Taylor)

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“2014 marks a historic year for MBCI. Throughout our 80 years in business, we have become the total building material supplier to the construction, remodeling and oilfield market in McKenzie County, and with our buying power, we offer the most competitive pricing and largest lines of credit to commercial customers in the industry,” said Charlie Rader, Chief Operating Officer.

“We will be celebrating our 80th anniversary with special buys, promotions and events throughout the year and we’ll be kicking off the spring 2014 season with our first annual Customer and Vendor Appreciation Event in April,” Rader added.

MBCI has been a fixture in McKenzie County starting in 1934 as Great Plains Supply and then changing its name in 1996 to better reflect its location in McKenzie County, in Watford City.

MBCI is a full line supplier of all types of building materials ranging from lumber, timbers, drywall/sheetrock, concrete products, doors, roofing, plumbing, electrical, rebar, steel beams, insulation, rig mats, hardware, windows, flooring, paint, cabinets and all types of metal buildings which can be custom made to the buyer’s specifications.

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“As a company we have thrived, and are actively seeking to expand MBCI through additional acquisitions. We are aggressively seeking to acquire other Lumber Yards and Building Material Suppliers, throughout North Dakota,” stated MBCI Chairman, Eric Sparrow.

Check out other products on MBCI’s website: www.mckenziebuildingcenter.com. MBCI is located on Highway 23 in Watford City, directly across from the airport, and is open 6 days a week or added hours by appointment. Regular Hours of Operation: Mon - Fri 7:00am to 6:00pm & Sat 8:00am to 4:00pm Call for information or directions 701-444-3665.



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Submitted by Nicole Hackley

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All scholarship applications must be sent to and approved by the county Farm Bureau and signed by the county Farm Bureau president, Don Steinbeisser Jr. If the applicant has any questions regarding the scholarship or scholarship application, call Alena Standley at 406-799-9955. Applications must be submitted to the county Farm Bureau no later than April 1, 2014, at 302 W. Main, Sidney, MT 59270. For a copy of the application, contact

Nicole Hackley at (406) 480-5385, or applications are available at the Farm Bureau office in Sidney or online at www.mfbf.org/member-services/scholarships/.

Sidney Wrestling Results

Nine wrestlers from the Sidney Wrestling Club traveled to Havre to participate in the 7th Annual Pre-Pony Rumble on Saturday March 15th. The tournament was run as a gold/silver tournament; results are as follows: Midget 63# Kevin Hutz-biler - 1 win/2 Loss, Midget 120# Cole Humphries - 0 win/3 loss, Novice 67# Kolby Hutz-biler - 3 win/0 loss, Novice 67# Jed Escobedo - 2 win/1 loss, Novice 74# Tucker Nevins - 0 win/3 loss, Novice 122# Cash Cundiff - 2 win/1 loss, Novice 142 # Trey Schepens - 1 win/2 loss, Schoolboy 83# Everett Jensen - 3 win/0 loss, Schoolboy 104# Jace Winter - 3 win/0 loss. Two wrestlers from the Sidney Wrestling Club traveled to Billings on Saturday to participate in the Heights Wrestling Club Invitational. Brodey Skogen took 1st place in the Novice 112 division, and Jordan Darby took 5th place in the Novice 80 division.

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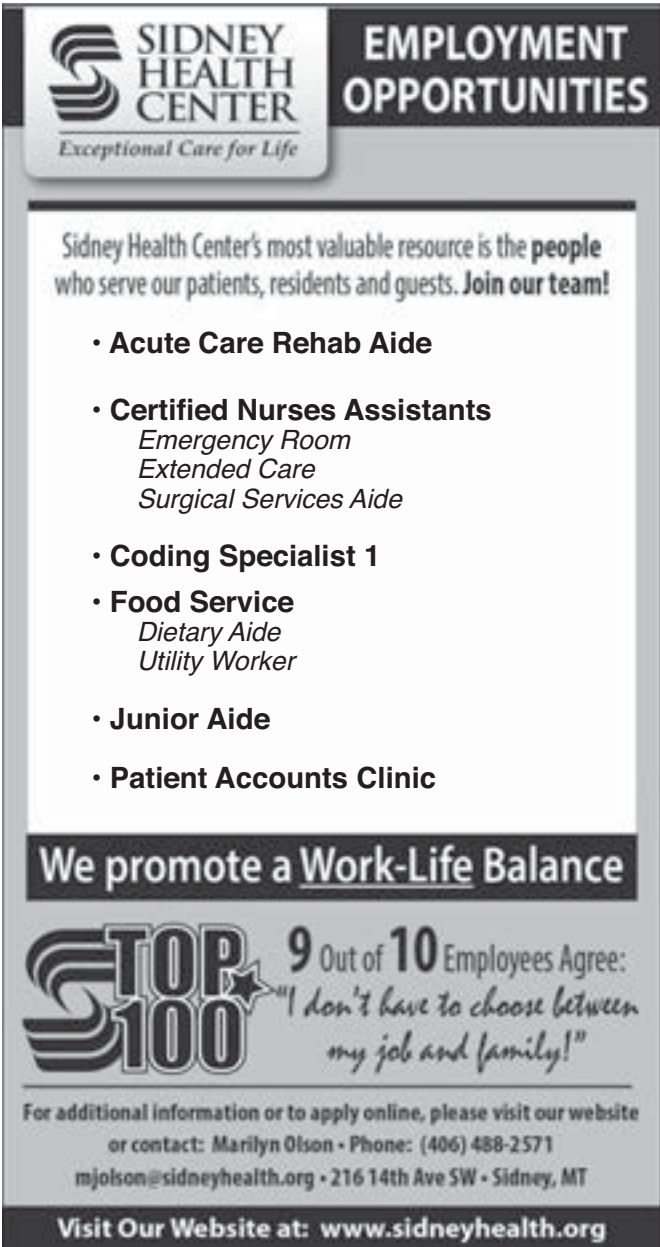
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Support Cancer - Participate in “Ribbon Walk”



By Tie Shank

“Ribbon Walk” is a local fundraising event in which 100% of the proceeds from the event will stay in the community and benefit local cancer patients through the Cancer Coalition Fund and the Sidney Health Center Cancer Care Fund. Both funds are managed by the Foundation for Community Care, a local non-profit organization. The event will promote support for anyone touched by cancer and spread awareness about cancer and early detection. This event is organized by community volunteers, members of the local Cancer Coalition and the Foundation for Community Care.

Toni Zieske, Marketing & Communications Assistant at Sidney Health Center, states, “Last year the Cancer Coalition created a fund that is managed by the Foundation for Community Care, which allows cancer patients to apply for funds to help pay for expenses while undergoing treatments. Members in the community saw the creation of this fund as an opportunity to have a Cancer Survivor event and keep the fundraising dollars local to benefit cancer patients. We wanted to have an event that would help raise funds for not only the Cancer Coalition fund, but for the Sidney Health Center Cancer Care. It is important that cancer patients have access to assistance and medical treatments close to home.”

Ribbon Walk Cancer Survivor and Team registration packets will be available at the Community Health Fair in the Foundation for Community Care, Sidney Health Center Cancer Care and Cancer Coalition booths.

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Diabetes. Who me?

By Susan Dahl, RN –
Diabetes Education
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Diabetes could happen to you! It could happen to someone in your family! It could happen to anybody! According to the American Diabetes Association 2011 statistics, diabetes has already been diagnosed in 25.8 million American adults and children. That is 8.3% of the population. Of that total number, 7.0 million are undiagnosed. There is also estimated to be another 79 million people with prediabetes. These are sobering statistics to be sure, but let's go beyond the numbers. What does a diagnosis of diabetes mean to the person?

There are basically 3 different types of diabetes: Type 1, usually diagnosed before 20, formerly called juvenile diabetes; Type 2, can be diagnosed at any age these days, formerly called adult-onset diabetes; and gestational diabetes, diagnosed during pregnancy. There are some differences between the types of treat-



ments and control strategies but their commonality is the lifestyle changes that need to happen to make the diabetes manageable. And that should always be the focus: diabetes is manageable. With the exception of gestational diabetes, which usually goes away after pregnancy, the diagnosis of diabetes is for life. Does that mean your life ends? Absolutely not! With a few healthy lifestyle changes, your life can go on bigger and better!

Our body needs sugar (glucose) to work all of the systems. Carbohydrates (carbs) are its preferred source of energy. Therefore, we need some carbohydrates to make our body's systems work. The trick is to eat smaller amounts throughout the day and choose healthier carbs (such as fruit) rather than "empty" carbs (such as soda). Portion control of our carbohydrates is a large part of diabetes management. It's usually not "what" we eat but "how much" we eat. Learn to read labels and observe the "Total Carbohydrates", not just the sugar. A diabetes educator or a dietitian can help set up a meal plan that is individual to you. No one wants to be told they can never eat their favorite food again. Truthfully, there are very few foods that can't

be eaten by someone with diabetes. However, they have to be eaten at the right time and in the right amount. Eating a diet rich in non-starchy vegetables, lean meats, whole grains and fruits, makes us healthier, whether we have diabetes or not.

Another important component of diabetes management is physical activity. We need to get our bodies moving! Expensive exercise equipment is nice but not necessary. Just simple walking for 30 minutes 5-6 days a week is the recommendation. If you want to do more, great! If you want to do less, that's acceptable if you have the goal to gradually increase to at least 30 minutes most days. Any type of movement of any part of our body will use up some of that extra sugar in the bloodstream. You can break that 30 minutes up to 15 in the morning and 15 in the evening. There are even DVDs that are just for walking! No need to go outside! Just walk in your own house. Sometimes finding a walking buddy is helpful. Or walking the neighbor's dog! Take dancing lessons! If you watch TV in the evening, get up and walk during the commercial. Be creative!

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Do you know some of these serious risks that can be related to Diabetes, PAD and Peripheral Neuropathy?



The future of weight loss: selective amputation

By Amanda Piatte, PT, DPT

Some major, common complications of Diabetes Mellitus (DM) include coronary artery disease, peripheral artery disease, stroke, nephropathy, neuropathy, and retinopathy. Tragically many with diabetes eventually require lower limb amputations. Those with DM should consider target goals that include HbA1c <7%, Systolic blood pressure ~135 and diastolic blood pressure ~80, blood glucose 70-130 before meals.

Diabetic neuropathy affects ~50% of people with Diabetes. Peripheral neuropathy is the damage to nerves that carry sensory and motor information to and from the brain to the arms and legs often referred to as “stocking-glove”). This can cause pain, loss of sensation and weakness. Furthermore, peripheral neuropathy commonly starts in the hands and toes and progresses to the arms and legs. Common causes of peripheral neuropathy include diabetes, excessive alcohol, cancer, lupus, exposure to poisons and trauma.

The American Diabetes Association now recommends people with DM be screened annually for Peripheral Artery Disease (PAD). Less than 20% of people with PAD are diagnosed (most missed by not removing shoes during an exam). PAD undiagnosed becomes critical limb ischemia- not enough blood is delivered to the tissue to keep issue alive. Within one year of onset of this critical limb ischemia 25% will die and 25% will require major amputation. It's best diagnosed using Doppler.

Other risk factors for lower limb amputation include:

- Absence of protective sensation due to peripheral neuropathy (Monofilament testing),
- Arterial insufficiency
- Foot deformity and callus formation resulting in local areas of high pressure
- Autonomic neuropathy causing decreased sweating and dry, fissured skin.
- Limited joint mobility
- Obesity
- Impaired vision
- Poor glucose control leading to impaired wound healing
- Poor footwear that causes skin breakdown or inadequately protects the skin from high pressure and shear forces
- History of foot ulcer or lower extremity amputation

Up to 30 % of individuals with amputations undergo contralateral limb amputation within 1-3 years. Education and taking preventative measures is imperative!

LEAP (frog???)

What is LEAP?

LEAP stands for Lower Extremity Amputation Prevention. It's a comprehensive program that can dramatically reduce the risk for lower extremity amputations for those with Diabetes. The 5-Step program consists of Annual Foot Screening, Patient Education, Daily Self-Inspection, Footwear Selection, and Management of Simple Foot Problems.

Do you know about Monofilament and Vibratory screening?

Examination is key! Annual foot screening as mentioned above is a prevention screening to identify those who have lost protective sensation. With loss of protective sensation normal walking can result in such injuries. One method for examination for peripheral neuropathy is checking vibratory sense and monofilament. Inability to perceive the 128-Hz tuning fork or to feel a 10-g (5.07) monofilament on the bottom of the foot identifies people who are at increased risk of developing a foot ulcer, which is the leading cause for non-traumatic amputations leading to a 40-60% risk for 5-year mortality. The 2 tests should be performed at least every year.

Are there others things to consider?

Foot Care! Have your feet checked EVERY TIME you see your doctor.

- Check your feet everyday, top and bottom (use a mirror), and you many need help- let someone else look. Look between your toes. Look for cuts, blisters, sores, swelling, dry skin, cracks. Call your doctor to report a problem.
- Corn and Callous care- rub gently with dry towel, NO corn plasters. If you have corn or callous buildup, go to the foot specialist to get them trimmed.
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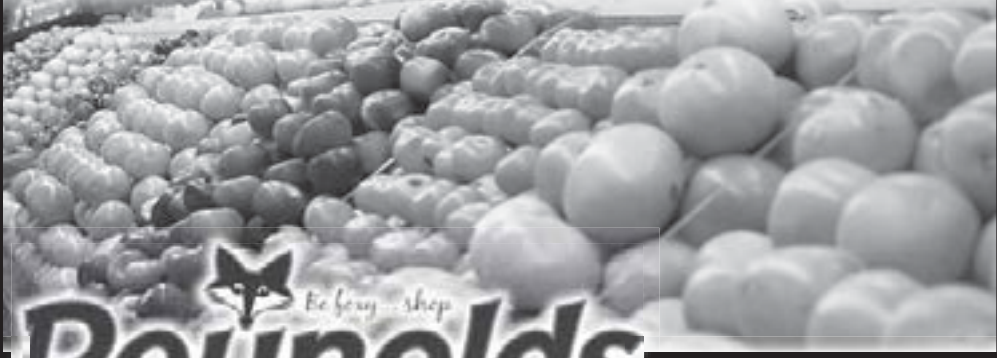
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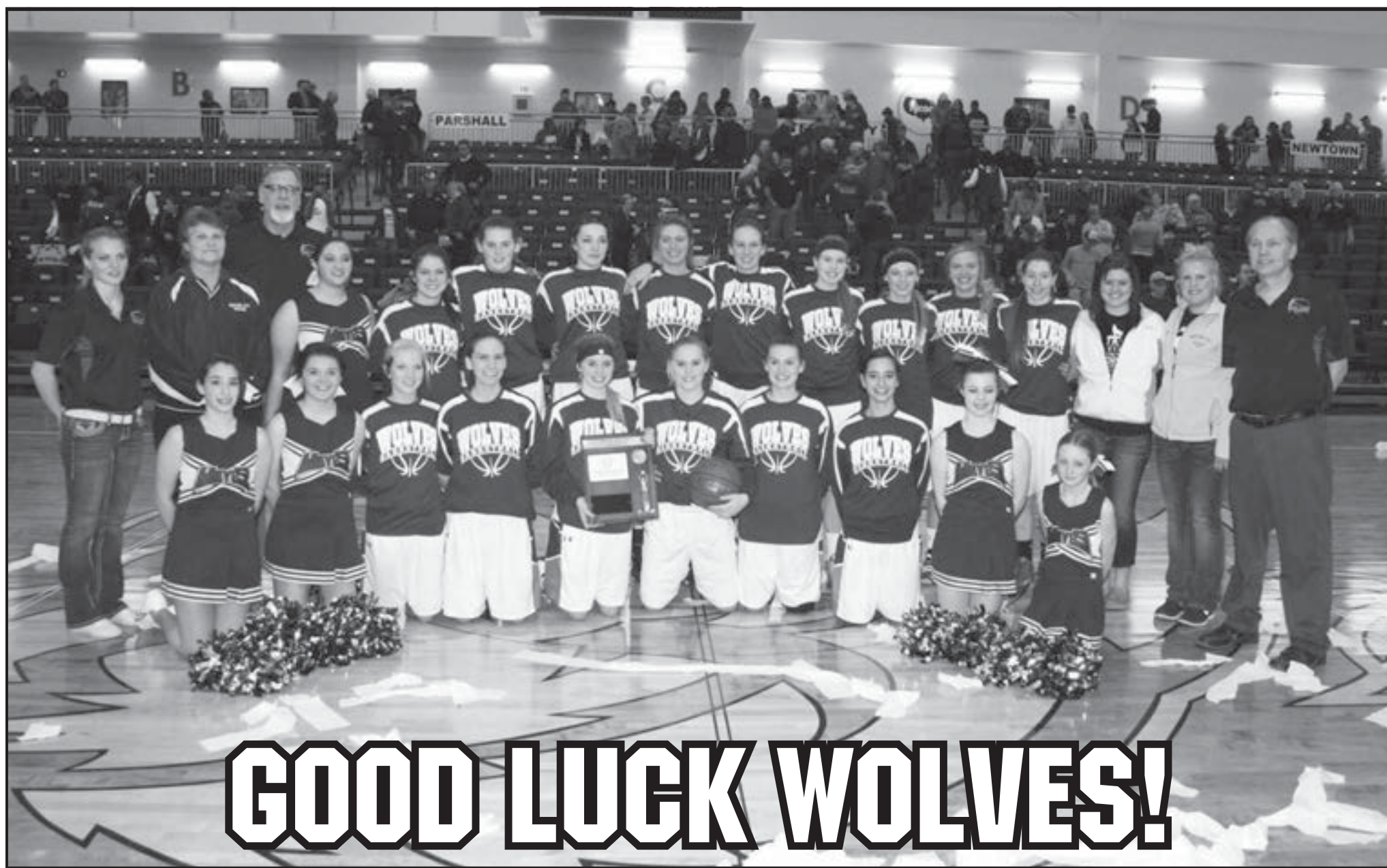
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Senior Division – 5th & 6th Grade
(L-R) Best of Show – Soak it Up – Beth McMillen (Brorson School), 1st Place – Chew on This! – Christine Turek, 2nd Place – Color Explosion – C.J. Nevins (Brorson) and 3rd Place – Suck it Up – Kaytlin Marker.

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National Ag Week March 24-28, 2014

National Ag Day 2014

The Agriculture Council of America (ACA) will host National Agriculture Day on March 25, 2014. This will mark the 41st anniversary of National Ag Day which is celebrated in classrooms and communities across the country. The theme for National Ag Day is "Agriculture: 365 Sunrises and 7 Billion Mouths to Feed."

On March 25, 2014. The ACA will host major events in the nation's capital including the Mix-and-Mingle Luncheon and the National Celebration of Agriculture Dinner. Additionally, the ACA will bring approximately 100 college students to Washington to deliver the message of Ag Day to the Hill.

These events honor National Agriculture Day and mark a nationwide effort to tell the true story of American agriculture and remind citizens that agriculture is a part of all of us. A number of producers, agricultural associations, corporations, students and government organizations involved in agriculture are expected to participate.

National Ag Day is organized by the Agriculture Council of America. ACA is a nonprofit organization composed of leaders in the agricultural, food and fiber community, dedicating its efforts to increasing the public's awareness of agriculture's role in modern society.

The National Ag Day program encourages every American to:

- Understand how food and fiber products are produced.
 - Appreciate the role agriculture plays in providing safe, abundant and affordable products.
 - Value the essential role of agriculture in maintaining a strong economy.
 - Acknowledge and consider career opportunities in the agriculture, food and fiber industry.
- In addition to the events in Washington, DC on March 25, the ACA will once again feature the Ag Day Essay Contest as well as the 2014 Ag Day Poster Art Contest.
- Keep checking www.agday.org for more information on National Ag Day in 2014.

Ag Day Written Essay Contest Winner

Agriculture: 365 Sunrises and 7 Billion Mouths To Feed

By Clara Knipp, Tipton, MO

In 1969, the United States accomplished a feat once thought impossible: sending a man to the moon. This accomplishment was not completed overnight; it was comprised of small steps that contributed to the overall success. In the end, one man represented the accomplishment for all of mankind. As Neil Armstrong illustrated in the quote, "One small step for man, one giant leap for mankind," it is small steps that lead to the overall success of a challenge. Farmers face the challenge of feeding seven billion people in 365 days. Although this task may seem daunting and near impossible, each individual involved in agriculture – whether they are a farmer, researcher, or educator – contributes one small step in meeting the challenge of feeding the world.

Farmers have been the basis of a stable food supply since humans strived to withdraw their nomadic traditions. Now, for the human race to survive, production agriculture must strive for sustainability. Farmers need to continue their reduction of environmental outputs in order to conserve abiotic elements in the environment, such as soil and water, and ensure their use for future generations. If sustainable practices are not utilized, each following generation of farmers will have to feed exponentially more people with fewer resources.

Researchers are the key to developing efficient animal production practices and biotechnology that can increase yields and reduce the effects of risks like drought and water shortages.

Technology developed by researchers can equip farmers with the most efficient production knowledge and assist them in maximizing production capabilities.

As the gap between urban and rural lifestyles widens, it is the responsibility of people involved in the agriculture industry to advocate about agriculture and all it encompasses. Since consumers are beginning to influence production practices, it is vital that consumers realize the connection between farm and food. If consumers understand the process of growing food and the regulations farmers face, they are given insight to how they affect agriculture through their voting rights. With this knowledge, consumers can make educated decisions about policies, and farmers can hope to avoid regulations that would be detrimental to their freedom to operate. It is the responsibility of everyone involved in the agriculture industry to employ the title of an educator.

Just like the mission to land on the moon was completed with small steps, agriculture must complete the challenge to feed the world day by day. Everyone involved in the agriculture industry has a role in feeding the world. When small steps by individuals involved in agriculture are combined, a giant leap is taken towards completing the mission of feeding 7 billion people in 365 days. With the cooperation of everyone, we can accomplish a feat once thought impossible.

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BEEF, Cattle and the Larson's - 'It's a lifestyle and a way of life'

By Tie Shank

Tim and Kristin Larson of Sidney, MT pride themselves on promoting the Beef and cattle industry. Both raised on cattle ranches in Montana, Tim in Forsyth and Kristin in Big Timber, the BEEF and cattle industry is their way of life. They currently reside on a small ranch just outside of Sidney, MT with their 4 children: Grady (10), Garrett (8), Landry (5) and Leddy (3) who love the cattle industry (and their horses) just as much as mom & dad.

Growing up, Tim was very active in 4-H and Rodeo and Kristin in 4-H and FFA. These organizations are what sparked their interest in the cattle industry. Both Tim and Kristin knew from a very young age they wanted to work in the cattle industry and they never wavered from it. Kristin attended Montana State University and graduated with a degree in Ag Business and a minor in Economics and went to work for Hawkeye West in Billings doing their marketing and advertising. Tim started off in Dillon, MT with a rodeo scholarship and finished at Western Iowa Tech. He then went to work for Rod Prewitt and worked in the feedlot. Tim began buying cattle right away and he's been at Prewitt & Company ever since. Tim handles most of the buying and selling of the cattle for the company while Kristin works in the office and videos cattle to put on the Superior Video sales.

Tim and Kristin met in Miles City, MT. Tim was there buying cattle and Kristin was there on the Montana Angus Tour. Kristin moved to Sidney in June of 2001 and the couple was married that December.

Advocating for BEEF and cattle is not only an important part of the Larson's lifestyle, but it is their way of life. Tim is a director for the Montana Pro Rodeo Hall of Fame, the Mondak Area Stockgrowers Association and the Montana Youth Rodeo Association. He is also Vice President of the Richland County Rodeo Club.

Kristin is past president of the Mondak Area Stockgrowers and director for the Montana Stockgrowers, currently Vice President of the Montana Beef Council and a Federation Director for the National Beef Check Off, President of the Sidney FFA Alumni and Director on the Eagle Foundation Board. The Larsons are also members of the NCBA, North Dakota Stockmen's Association, Montana Stockgrowers Association, Pella Lutheran Church and Farm Bureau.

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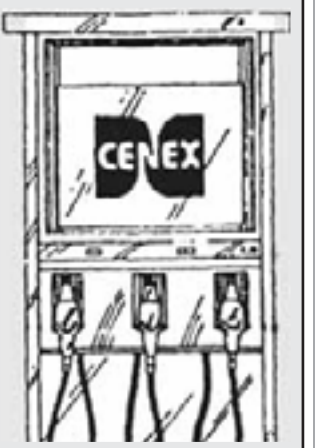


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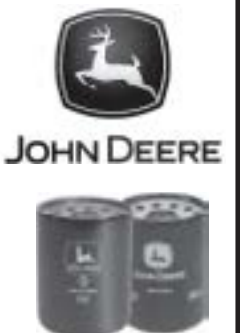
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Dr. Hans Schneider Researches Sugar Beets at EARC

By Tie Shank


Dr. Hans Schneider received his doctorate degree in plant pathology from Wageningen Agricultural University in the Netherlands, which is known world-wide for its agricultural educational and research programs.

After several years of working in multiple areas of

plant diseases and protection research, Dr. Schneider was offered a position at the Institute of Sugar Beet Research (IRS) in the Netherlands to develop an integrated control strategy to combat *Rhizoctonia solani*. During his thirteen years at IRS, Schneider set up plant disease diagnostics and a molecular laboratory

for identification of plant pathogens. He also worked on all diseases and pests of sugar beets grown in the Netherlands and as a field inspector for Monsanto Vegetable Seeds. After doing so, Schneider decided to return (in part) to where his expertise lies: diseases and pests of sugar beets.

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
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
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In July of 2013, Dr. Schneider accepted the position of both Associate Professor of Plant Pathology and Superintendent of EARC, in Sidney, Montana.

Schneider has recently set up a plant pathology laboratory and an integrated disease management program for diseases and pests in sugar beets, pulse crops, wheat and other crops important to the region. He has a particular interest in disease suppressive soils. His assignment is to develop integrated control strategies for pests and diseases important in N.E. Montana with a special emphasis on sugar beets.

Schneider states, "At the moment we are re-modeling lab space to create a plant pathology laboratory. Lab

equipment has been ordered and we expect to hire a research associate to work in the lab soon. We can study plant pathogens important in sugar beet cultivation in the lab and the greenhouse. The lab is also meant to support the sugar industry and sugar beet farmers for disease diagnostics. EARC will start up a survey with the AG staff to the occurrence of sugar beet diseases and pests occurring in Sidney Sugars' growing area. Diseases and pests are known to occur, but their abundance, severity and impact on sugar beet production is not well known. Problems which need to be addressed are soil born fungi such as Rhizoctonia root and crown rot, Aphanomyces and Fusarium yellows. Data from the Red

River Valley and Europe show that the foliar fungus Cercospora develops quick resistance to fungicides. The occurrence of fungicide resistance Cercospora isolates is unknown for the area. A schedule of alternating fungicides might have to be developed. Beet cyst nematodes are known to occur in the region, but their abundance and impact on sugar beet production is unclear. Another problem may be Rhizomania (AKA crazy root or root madness); a virus transmitted by a soil-born fungus. All sugar beet varieties grown in the area are resistant to the virus, but resistance breaking isolates have been reported from the RRV and the EU. Again, the situation is unclear for the region and needs to be addressed."

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A Steak in Ag

Thanks to everyone who made calls, neither COOL nor the enforcement of the Packers and Stockyards Act were weakened in the 2014 Farm Bill! These are both important victories for U.S. independent producers.

The COOL lawsuit in the D.C. Circuit Court of Appeals is ongoing. R-CALF USA will continue to defend COOL. We encourage everyone to buy Made in the U.S.A. products. As consumers, we're voting with every dollar we spend.

Checkoff

In response to R-CALF USA's request for an investigation, the USDA Office of Inspector General (OIG) issued an updated report that reverses its 2013 conclusions that the NCBA had properly expended all Beef Checkoff Program funds and that the relationship between the Beef Checkoff Program's Cattlemen's Beef Board (CBB) and the NCBA complied with U.S. law. This is the first time OIG has pulled a report and reissued a correction.

Additionally, R-CALF USA has requested an investigation to determine the legality of using cattle-producer contributions mandated by the U.S. beef checkoff program to help Wendy's advertise "North American beef."

The request states that the Montana Beef Council maintains an advertisement on its website for Wendy's and "100% pure North American beef." Also, the request cites a newspaper article that states that \$5,000 obtained from the "\$1-per-head beef check-off fee" will be used to pay for the "North American beef"

promotional campaign. Since R-CALF USA's letter was sent, the advertisement has been changed to read "100% pure beef."

R-CALF USA believes that if U.S. producers are prohibited from using checkoff funds to promote their beef (exclusively born, raised, and slaughtered in the U.S.) then it is patently unlawful for checkoff funds to be used to promote their competitors' beef – beef from cattle that were not born, raised and slaughtered in the U.S.

Brazil

USDA has issued a proposed rule to allow the importation of fresh and chilled beef from 14 states in Brazil, a country that had been plagued with the most contagious disease known to cattle - foot-and-mouth-disease (FMD). USDA admits that Brazilian imports would increase the risk of introducing FMD into the United States. Additionally, USDA admits that imports of cheap Brazilian beef will harm U.S. cattle producers. To prevent this rule, we need your help. Please send comments to USDA before April 22, 2014. Tell USDA that its proposal to import fresh and chilled beef from 14 states in Brazil is anti-American, irresponsible and dangerous. Tell them it will increase our risk of introducing FMD, destroy our cattle markets, and drive even more U.S. cattle producers out of business.

R-CALF USA is solely funding by donations and member dues. For more info or to join go to www.r-calfusa.com, 406-252-2516.

Stockgrowers Announces Beef Industry Internship

Submitted by Ryan J. Goodman

Montana Stockgrowers Association (MSGA) is seeking a student intern for the summer of 2014. The internship will focus on involvement in the beef cattle community of Montana and will include work with MSGA Policy, Communications, and Marketing and Membership staff members. Students should be at least college Juniors, majoring in a field related to agriculture, and preferably have a background in (or working knowledge of) the cattle or beef industry. A more detailed description of the internship, application forms and required materials are available online at bit.ly/MSGAGIntern2014 or by calling the MSGA office in Helena at (406) 442-3420. Application packets must be completed by April 1, 2014.

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Dairy Focus: Spring Thaw Can Contribute to Feed Waste

Spoilage will increase as temperatures rise.

By J.W. Schroeder, Dairy Specialist
NDSU Extension Service

Spring is approaching, and now is a good time to assess forage inventories and finalize plans for 2014 production. However, in addition to planning for growing-season forages, springtime thawing often contributes to additional waste in the feed yard.

Much has been printed about using good management practices during the feeding process to help minimize waste, including spoilage when wet forages are exposed to air. Forages such as corn silage are an important ingredient for lactating dairy cows.

Silages this time of the year have fermented for at least six months, contributing to the best feed value of the season. The longer fermentation window means more available starch, which can translate into some of the best milk yields with last year's crop. So wasting this valuable feed can be a significant loss in the form of spoiled feed and having to purchase additional feed to replace it.

As temperatures rise, so does the opportunity for wet feeds to spoil. In the case of corn silage, in the presence of oxygen, yeast metabolizes lactic acid, causing silage pH (acidity) to increase. When the pH increases, undesirable fungi and bacteria are able to grow and further spoil the silage.

This spoilage translates into dry-matter losses that can be as high as 10 percent in poorly managed silages, as well as reduction in forage quality and palatability. And while nature's freezer (our cold weather) has served to reduce spoilage of wet byproducts, as the temperatures rise, so will spoilage.

As for ensiled and fermented feeds such as haylage and corn silage, the silage's quality is set. Good feeding management practices can't improve silage quality, but they can help reduce further feed deterioration. Here are some reminders:

Remove enough forage from the face of the silage mass. Livestock feed experts recommend removing forage to a depth of 12 inches in the cooler months and 18 inches in warmer months.

Remove the forage carefully so the face is smooth and the surface exposed to oxygen is minimized.

Pull the plastic cover on the silage mass back two to three times per week. Check the integrity of the plastic cover throughout the year and patch any holes or tears so air cannot infiltrate the silage mass.

Remove silage as needed throughout the day so it is incorporated into the ration shortly after removal.

Push feed up frequently, especially during the warm months, to avoid heating of the total mixed ration in the feed bunk and to stimulate appetite.

Waste reduction has real value. It comes in many forms, visible and invisible. Periodically reviewing feed-handling protocols with your employees and adjusting inventories to meet changes in feed availability for the coming year will help keep your dairy profitable.

MT Revenue Dept. Encourages Owners of Property Damaged or Destroyed by Flooding to Apply for Tax Relief

Submitted by Mary Ann Dunwell

The Montana Department of Revenue encourages Montana property owners whose homes are damaged or destroyed by flooding to apply for natural disaster property tax relief.

A property owner whose home or outbuildings are partially or totally destroyed by natural disaster, rendering the property unsuitable for its previous use, may be eligible for property tax relief. Businesses who lose their equipment to flooding or other natural disaster may also qualify.

The tax relief is prorated based on the number of days in the tax year that the property is unusable. The relief is available for the current tax year. The department asks property owners to complete Form AB-25 to apply for the property tax relief. They'll need to complete the application by December 31, 2014. The form is available online at www.revenue.mt.gov or at all Revenue Department local offices.

"Flooding can be devastating and we are sorry for Montanans whose homes are damaged or destroyed by natural disaster and who suffer because of it," said Revenue Director Mike Kadas. "This tax relief can be significant and help provide some relief as property owners recover from this season's snow melt and dangerous flooding."

The state's natural disaster property tax relief also covers properties damaged by avalanche, wind or other natural event.

Montana property owners who experience a natural disaster-related loss of a dwelling also may be eligible for a federal income tax deduction. In addition, the department can issue replacement copies of property records, past-year tax returns or other revenue-related information that is lost in a flood or other natural disaster.

For more information, contact your local Revenue Department office. You can also visit the department's website at www.revenue.mt.gov and click on the natural disaster relief link.

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NCAT to Host Workshop for Farmers Selling to Institutions

Submitted by Rich Myers
The National Center for Appropriate Technology (NCAT) is hosting an interactive workshop, “Entering the Institutional Food Market,” on Friday April 25, 2014 from 10 a.m. until 4:30 p.m.
The Farm to Cafeteria Network event will provide information and technical as-

sistance to Montana farmers, ranchers, and food processors interested in selling to institutions. Participants will learn about supplier best practices, food safety regulations, and institutions’ considerations when sourcing from local producers.
A panel of farmers from the Western Montana Growers Co-op and Bozeman’s Gallatin

Grown will discuss successes and challenges related to selling to local institutions such as schools, hospitals, universities, and correctional facilities, while Jan Tusick of Mission Mountain Food Enterprise Center will discuss Good Agricultural Practices (GAP) certification, HAACP, and other food safety regulations.
In order to explain institutions’ food purchasing needs, the workshop will also include a presentation by Butte School District Foodservice Director Mark Harrison and Boulder School District’s Lisa Giulio. The presenters will share information about schools’ bid process, delivery and volume requirements, and why they want to work with Montana producers.
The cost is \$10 for participants and includes lunch. NCAT is located at 3040 Continental Drive in Butte. Those interested can register online at <http://www.ncat.org/events/>.
This workshop is supported by a USDA Farm to School grant and MSU Extension.

MFU Members Return from National Farmers Union Convention

Submitted by Sandy Courtnage, Communications Director
Montana Farmers Union (MFU) President Alan Merrill and 14 MFU members traveled to the National Farmers Union convention in Santa Fe, NM, which was held March 8-11, 2014.
In addition to Merrill, the group included six delegates who helped shape the direction of the organization’s national public policy. Delegates included Brett Dailey, Jordan, MFU board representative; Calvin Lane, Molt, MFU board representative; Jay Buckley, Great Falls; Jacob Cowgill, Power; Kristie Rutledge, Big Sandy; and Maggie Shane, Great Falls, youth delegate. William Downs, Molt, served as Montana’s representative on the NFU Policy Committee.
Other MFU members joining President Merrill at the convention include: Donna Dailey, Jordan; Katie and Jeff Bangs, Inverness, FUE Young Couple representatives; and Paul Kanning, Flaxville, NFU Beginning Farmer Institute participant. Attending from the MFU state office were Delisa Clappitt, MFU Education Director; and Chris Christiaens, MFU Legislative and Special Projects. Violet Green, Carter, also attended as a member of the National Youth Advisory Council.

“Every year we look forward to helping shape the policy discussion at the national organizational level,” said Merrill. “There were great presentations and workshops, including U.S. Department of Agriculture Secretary Tom Vilsack, who talked about the important aspects of the Farm Bill that are yet to be implemented.”
Special Orders of Business adopted at the convention included policy statements on the International Year of Family Farming, Implementation of the 2014 Farm Bill, Immigration Reform, Trade Policy, Animal Disease Protection and Research, Renewable Fuel Standard, Reform of the Beef Checkoff, and Sequestration. More detail on the Special Orders is available at <http://www.nfu.org/policy-nfu/special-orders-of-business>.

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USDA Enhances Farm Storage Facility Loan Program

Submitted by Isabel Benemelis

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) today announced the expansion of the Farm Storage and Facility Loan program, which provides low-interest financing to producers. The enhanced program includes 22 new cate-

gories of eligible equipment for fruit and vegetable producers, and makes it easier for farmers and ranchers around the country to finance the equipment they need to grow and expand.

This is part of a broader effort to help small and mid-sized farmers and ranchers, as announced today by Agri-

culture Secretary Tom Vilsack.

Producers with small and mid-sized operations, and specialty crop fruit and vegetable growers, now have access to needed capital for a variety of supplies including sorting bins, wash stations and other food safety-related equipment. A new more flexible

alternative is also provided for determining storage needs for fruit and vegetable producers, and waivers are available on a case-by-case basis for disaster assistance or insurance coverage if available products are not relevant or feasible for a particular producer.

Additionally, Farm Stor-

age and Facility Loans security requirements have been eased for loans between \$50,000 and \$100,000. Previously, all loans in excess of \$50,000 required a promissory note and additional security, such as a lien on real estate. Now loans up to \$100,000 can be secured by only a promissory note.

"The Farm Storage and Facility Loan program has helped American farmers and ranchers to finance on-farm storage for almost 13 years," said Farm Service Agency Administrator (FSA), Juan M. Garcia. "We anticipate these changes will increase the number of individuals who qualify for these loans and help them access new market opportunities."

The low-interest funds can be used to build or upgrade permanent facilities to store commodities. Eligible commodities include grains, oilseeds, peanuts, pulse crops, hay, honey, renewable biomass commodities, fruits and vegetables. Qualified facilities include grain bins, hay barns and cold storage facili-

ties for fruits and vegetables.

Other new changes to the Farm Storage and Facility Loan program will allow FSA State Committees to subordinate Commodity Credit Corporation's lien position.

These changes to the program were issued via an official notice to state and county Farm Service Agency offices and are effective immediately.

More than 33,000 loans have been issued for on-farm storage, increasing grain storage capacity by 900 million bushels since May 2000.

More information about tools and resources available to small and mid-sized farmers will be rolled out in the coming months, including information about access to capital, risk management, food safety, and locating market opportunities on USDA's Small and Mid-Sized Farmer Resources webpage.

Visit www.fsa.usda.gov or an FSA county office to learn more about FSA programs and loans, including the Farm Storage Facility Loan Program

MFBF, MGGA talk about 2014 Farm Bill at Hobson Event

Submitted by Rebecca Colnar

The Montana Farm Bureau (MFBF) and the Montana Grain Growers Association (MGGA) held an informational session on the Agricultural Act of 2014 March 4 at the Bos Terra Auditorium in Hobson. The session was designed to provide the most up-to-date knowledge about the changes in the five-year 2014 Farm Bill.

MFBF's John Youngberg discussed the latest assistance available to livestock producers should disaster strike.

"The Livestock Indemnity Program (LIP) has been approved and will be made retroactive to cover eligible losses back to Oct. 1, 2011," noted Youngberg. "It covers livestock deaths due to weather events such as wildfires, blizzards, floods, hurricanes, extreme heat and extreme cold."

He explained the Livestock Forage Disaster Program provides compensation to eligible livestock producers who have suffered grazing losses due to drought or fire. Details of the rules for the 2014 farm bill are still being hammered out, but to make a claim, grazing losses must have occurred on or after Oct. 1, 2011 for the producer to be eligible.

"Farmers and ranchers can sign up for the forage disaster program starting April 15," said Youngberg. "I know that some ranchers aren't used to going into the FSA office, but if you're going to apply for this insurance, it's important to do go in and meet with the people at FSA."

"I can't say enough how extremely important it is to keep good records on livestock numbers and livestock losses. You will need good beginning and ending inventory numbers for any retroactive claims. If you haven't kept meticulous records on livestock numbers and losses, it's very important to start now," said Youngberg.

"Programs that were eliminated in this farm bill in the Commodity Title included Direct Payments, Counter-Cyclical Program, Average Crop Revenue Election Program and the Supplemental Revenue Assistance Payment for Crops," noted Ryan McCormick, past president, MGGA. He explained some programs were extended, such as the Loan Program at current loan rates and the SURE for livestock, trees, bees and fish.

The new programs that were created, and the ones most farmers will need to sign up for are, Price Loss Coverage (PLC), which is a price loss safety net; or the Agricultural Risk Coverage (ARC), which is a revenue loss safety net.

"The ARC program is a one-time election on the individual level, with all crops on the farm included or you can sign up on the county level," noted McCormick. "You have a one-time choice for both PLC and ARC to retain your existing base acres or reallocate existing base acres. You can only reallocate your base, though, you can't increase it."

The grain farmer noted that the new Supplemental Coverage Option (SCO) is the option to purchase shallow loss county/area coverage on top of an individual insurance plan, and is available for the 2015 crop year.

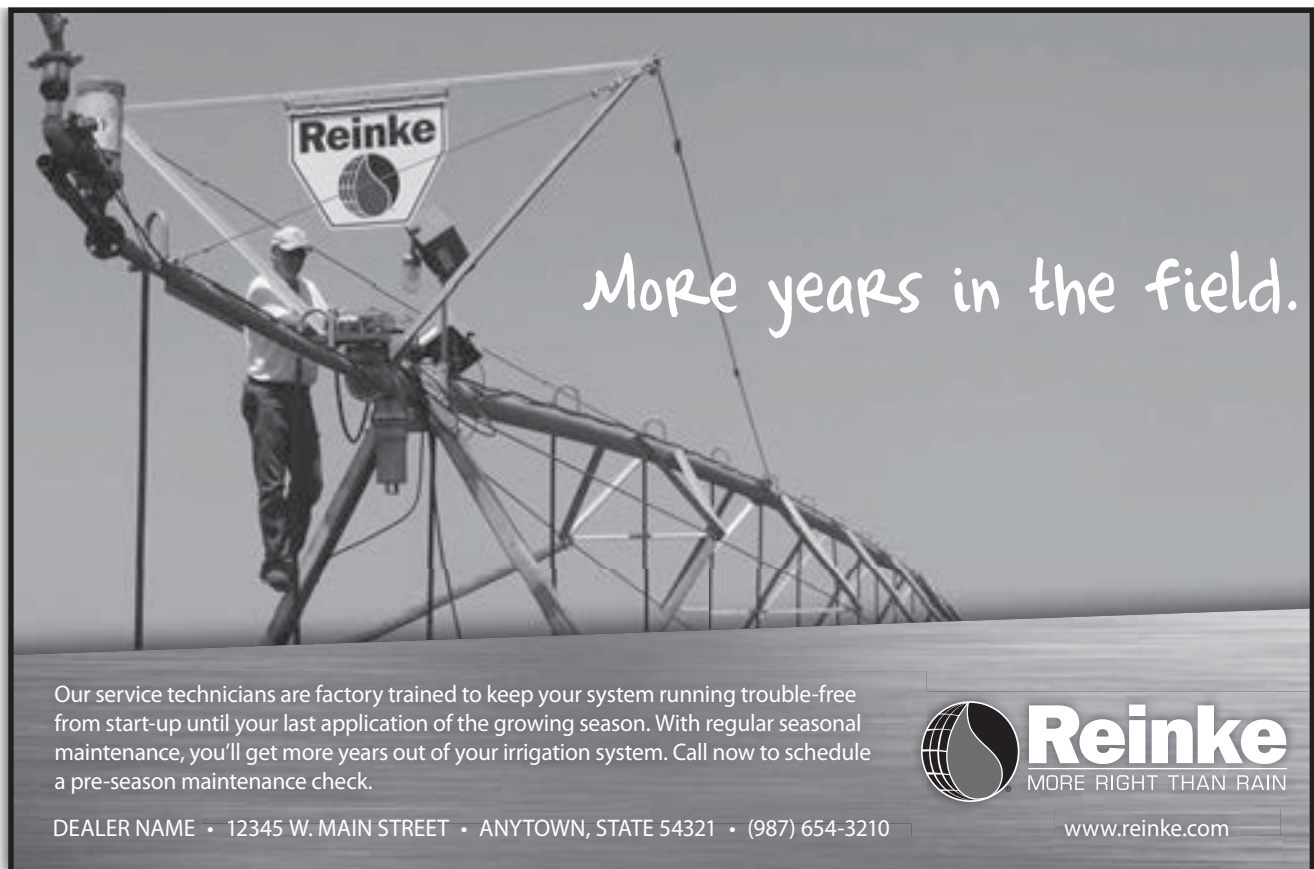
"One change to note is that there is conservation compliance tied to crop insurance which is for highly erodible conser-

vation and wetland compliance for federal crop eligibility," note McCormick. "If a farm is already in compliance for FSA program, however, they should be in compliance for crop insurance."

McCormick stressed that doing one's research is key to knowing which program—ARC or PLC—works best for you and your farm, and whether you want to select the individual or county levels of coverage.

"You want to get your research done and make your selection before planting season starts because it is going to take time. The MGGA has some worksheets available online to help farmers make some critical choices," he said.

The MGGA and MFBF plan to conduct other talks on the farm bill around the state, especially as the rules and details get worked out and put into practice.



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4-H Youth See Citizenship in Action

Youth learn about state government and how they can impact their community.



4-Hers (from left) Allegra Garcia, Burleigh County; Sandra Fearing, Williams County; Ashley Trudel, Trail County; Layne Entzi, Stutsman County; and Zoe Kritzberger, Trail County, participate in the Citizenship in Action program in Bismarck.



Fargo historian and illustrator Steve Stark describes North Dakota's development as a state and how the Extension Service was created at the Citizenship in Action program in Bismarck.

By NDSU Agriculture Communication

Several North Dakota 4-Hers have gained a lesson in citizenship.

The 41 4-H youth gathered in Bismarck on Feb. 16 and 17 for the North Dakota State University Extension Service Center for 4-H Youth Development's annual Citizenship in Action program. This event gives youth an opportunity to learn about the executive branch of state government, showcase citizenship and leadership exhibits, share ideas on impacting their community and learn how to become a change agent for the future.

Activities on Sunday, Feb. 16, included a presentation by Steve Stark, an illustrator and historian from Fargo, on the events that led to North Dakota becoming a state. The 4-Hers also attended a workshop on youth action in today's government, with presentations by the delegates, and a workshop on the Smith-Lever Act and history of the national Cooperative Extension Service.

The act, signed on May 8, 1914, created Extension to extend the practical knowledge of agriculture, home economics and rural energy from the universities to the people. In North Dakota, 4-H is the largest nonformal youth development program. It is a major part of the NDSU Extension Service.

On Monday, Feb. 17, youth learned who makes up the executive branch of the North Dakota state government. The youth also acted as a mock press corps and asked questions to a pretend governor, and played the role of the governor during a session titled A Day in the Life of the Governor.

In addition, the youth delegates displayed citizenship and leadership exhibits. Those were exhibits the youth prepared for 4-H projects that have been or will be shown at their local county achievement days and/or the North Dakota State Fair.

The Center for 4-H Youth Development and North Dakota 4-H Foundation sponsored the Citizenship in Action event.

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The Art of Farming, WIFE Calendar Art Contest

Submitted by Gladys Walling

In recognition of National Agriculture Week (National Agriculture Day, March 25, 2014), WIFE (Montana Women Involved in Farm Economics) invites Montana's school children to express their ideas on farm life by participating in WIFE's twenty-eighth statewide calendar art contest. Winning entries grades K through 8th will be awarded a cash prize at the 1st place (\$30), 2nd place (\$20), and 3rd place (\$10), levels in each grades division. Two Honorable Mention places in each grade will be awarded certificates. Only 25 pictures are used on the calendar. Those winners whose pictures are used will also receive a calendar.

All entries are to be done horizontally on 8 1/2 by 11 inch white paper with dark, black lead pencil or black pen (no markers please). Any aspect of agriculture that is of interest to the students may be drawn. Any depiction of alcohol or tobacco will not be accepted. Student's name, grade, school, address, town, zip, should be clearly printed in a corner on the back of their picture.

No entries can be returned, but WIFE may display or use student's artwork for various WIFE projects throughout the State. Entries must be postmarked on or before April 15, 2014.

Artwork will be judged on the basis of originality. Please send all art entries to: Gladys Walling, PO Box 55, Winifred, MT 59489. Phone 406-462-5330 for more information.

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