

Savage First Graders Earn Money to **Help Child** With Leukemia

First graders from Savage **Public School proudly** present \$251.60 that they raised to help Kyler Streib's family with medical expenses. Kyler is now in his second battle against childhood leukemia and undergoing chemo at the Children's Seattle Hospital. The first graders earned this money by taking AR tests, passing Math Fact levels, and getting 100s on spelling tests among many other things. There is an account at the Wells Bank Fargo for contributions for Kyler. Back Row (L-R) Connor Lyons, Olivia Dschaak, Will Sparks, Cade Tombre, Karley McPherson, Brooke Rueter, Mrs. Sunwall. Front Row (L-R) Jaiclyn Alvstad, Joey Wise, MaKayla Sparks, Zeda Sickafoose.



Fairview Memorial Day Events Planned

with coffee and goodies at 9:30 am. The program gets under- NC1. Four months later, she detached and reported to HSL way at 11:30 and includes a 21 gun salute by Legion Post 84 in San Diego CA. In June of 2001, HSL 84 decommis-#114, and singing by Alyson Cayko. This year's featured speaker is NCCM (AW) Michelle L. Brooks, granddaughter of Ethel and the late Harold Hawley of Fairview.

Memorial Day Services at the Fairview Cemetery start In December of 1998, she was advanced and converted to sioned and she reported to VR57 in July 2001. In July 2002, she was selected for NCC and remained at VR57 until April 2003 when she transferred to Commander, Helicopter Wing Reserve to be ISIC counselor for 5 squadrons. 2 years later, she was requested by name to represent the Navy Reserves at Task Force Warrior. She reported in May of 2005 and in March of 2006, she was selected for Senior Chief and received orders to Navy Expeditionary Combat Command (NECC) in Norfolk, VA. From August 2006 to April 2010, she was the Force Career Counselor for NECC. In May 2010, she took orders and deployed to Bahrain with Commander Task Force-IA as Force Career Counselor for 5th Fleet. In May of 2011, she was selected for Master Chief and in October 2011, she reported to Commander, Navy Reserve Forces Command as the Reserve Force Career Counselor. In February of 2012, she was selected for the Command Master Chief program and is currently in receipt of orders to HSC 26

Flag Etiquette And Information Regarding The Flags Of Honor Parade

By Violet Tharp

It has been observed that several flags are being flown that are tattered and in need of replacement. Such flags can be taken to the VFW and they, in turn, will have them properly

Michelle Brooks was born 15 May 1969 in Duluth MN and is a native of Viola, Wisconsin. After graduating from Kickapoo High School in 1987, she worked as a waitress until she enlisted in the Navy on July 10 1990. Upon completion of Recruit Basic Training in Orlando, FL she attended PN "A" school at Naval Training Center Meridian, MS. She graduated first in her class and was meritoriously advanced to

PN3.



NCCM (AW) **Michelle L. Brooks**

In November 1990, she accepted orders to Personnel Support Detachment, NAS Dallas TX where she worked as an admin clerk and advanced to PN2 in March 1992. In July 1994, she transferred to Naval Reserve Center Fort Carson. CO. In June 1997, her son Joshua was born and in September 1997, she transferred to Naval Reserve Center Quincy, MA.

NCCM Brooks is Aviation Warfare qualified. Her personal awards include a Meritorious Service Medal, 3 Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medals, 5 Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medals, along with various other personal and unit awards.

NCCM Brooks has 1 son, Joshua, age 15.

Anyone wishing to decorate graves at the Fairview Cemetery is asked to wait until Saturday, May 25 to do so, and to please have those decorations removed by Sunday, June 2.

disposed of by the Boy Scouts.

The Flags of Honor program consists of 618 donated casket flags. The majority of the flags are from veterans in this area, and others are from family members who donated them to be with fellow veterans. Approximately 130 flags are flown each year and the rest are available for viewing on Memorial Day and by special arrangements. Flags to be flown this year will begin with "Oliver Forsyth" and end in the middle of the "Ks". Volunteers can carry the displayed flags in the parade, but must return them to their respective position in the park. Flags which are not displayed can be checked out and carried in the parade, either folded or on a pole. Flag carriers are reminded that the flag route is 7 blocks long, and the wind can make the flown flag difficult to carry. Flags which are checked out must be returned prior to the start of the program at Veterans' Park.

According to Public Law 94-344 "it is acceptable to salute the lead flag and stand at attention as others pass." During the rendition of the national anthem, all present should render the heart salute or military salute. During the hoisting of the flag at the end of the ceremony, all non uniformed persons should render the heart salute. Military personnel should render the military salute. Men should remove their headdress

The flown flags are hoisted Monday morning at 6:00, taken down at approximately 4:00 and folded in the proper manner. Volunteers are always appreciated in this effort.



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Montana DPHHS Recognizes Dr. George Scordalakes' Practice

Submitted by Rita Steinbeisser

Dr. George Scordalakes, Sidney Health Center Pediatrician, and his staff were recently recognized for their efforts to ensure Montana's children are immunized by two years of age.

The Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services Immunization Program presented the AFIX Certificate of Achievement – Healthy People 2012 to Dr. Scordalakes at the Immunization Regional Workshop this spring.

Dr. Scordalakes' practice achieved an 82% coverage rate in 2012. "Although we are happy with this result, our goal is to achieve 100% immunization protection for our patients," stated Dr. Scordalakes. "With continued vigilance and wider acceptance of immunizations by our patients, we will be able to achieve total protection of our patient population

against those communicable diseases for which vaccines are currently available."

Over the years, concerns have been expressed by some patients concerning the safety of some vaccines in use. To date, no studies have substantiated a causal relationship between any of the approved vaccines and any significant adverse outcome. Rumors about the connection between MMR vaccine and autism have been proven to be totally unfounded.

One of the greatest achievements of modern medicine is the ability to produce immunity against a wide variety of devastating infectious diseases through the use of appropriate immunization. Statistics and key facts continue to support the use of immunizations.

Children and adults no longer die of diphtheria, tetanus and whooping cough. In addition, the disfiguring illness of smallpox has been eliminated from the face of the planet. Furthermore, people



Dr. George Scordalakes and his nurse Sarah Farrow, LPN

are no longer paralyzed by polio and cases of meningitis due to bacteria. Babies are no longer born with the devastating stigmata of congenital rubella. And caner, as a result of Hepatitis B infection, has dropped to almost undetectable levels.

It takes commitment and dedication to attain high immunization rates. Dr. Scordalakes and his staff are committed to achieving 100% immunization coverage for the pediatric patients they serve at Sidney Heath Center.



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Garth Kallevia. President of Stockman Bank, presents a "Gold" Sponsorship \$1000.00 check for the 2013 MONDAK "SUPERHEROS" RELAY FOR LIFE to Jessica Price, RFL Committee Member, Stockman Bank is proud to have been a sponsor of this event since its inception in Richland County. This year's Relay for Life event will be held July 26 & 27, 2013 at the Richland County Fairgrounds. Please contact a committee member for more information. (Photo submitted by Pam Burman)



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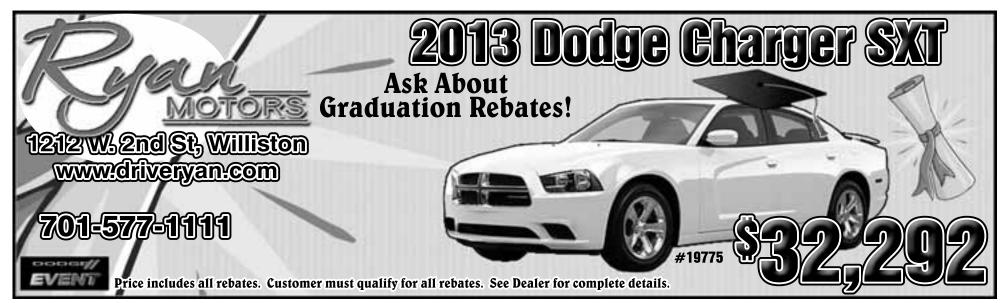
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Marine Veteran Honors Wounded With Walk Across America

Rocks pelt the side of Sgt Chuck Lewis' legs as he continues to put one foot in front of the other, determined to complete his mission. To his right, an 18-wheeler breezes by, giving him breathing room but still close enough to take your breath away. The gust dislodges his Veteran ball cap; Lewis stops to fetch it as an Amtrak rattles by on his left.

This is Big Sky Country, there's no doubt. The small blip on the online Spot satellite tracker gives no clue of the vast nothingness that makes up the Montana Hi-Line.

Yet it's out here that the heart and soul of America thrives as friendly residents stop to offer a Gatorade, or a night's rest in their family home, a far better offer than the hard ground beneath his sleeping bag.

Yet Lewis doesn't complain. The 62-yearold Marine Corps veteran is tough, both mentally and physically. He's also compassionate and driven to make this personal tribute on foot for those who can no longer walk, for those who gave their life for all Americans conservative, liberal and everyone in between.

Lewis' 3,300-mile trek, aptly called "Walking for the Fallen," is both fundraiser for wounded veterans and visual reminder to support our troops while remaining demonstrative about patriotism and love of country.

Lewis left Everett, Wash. on Easter Sunday, March 31, heading east along Highway 2 on his destination to the Vietnam Memorial in Washington, D.C.

As of May 13, Lewis has logged more than 800 miles and raised nearly \$10,000 for a variety of programs that offer services to wounded and

disabled veterans many who are a fraction of Lewis' age. In his hometown of Ronan, Mont., a young soldier re-

cently returned with a hero's welcome but no legs. The response was remarkable, and the community still supports this fine soldier as he finds his new purpose and direction in life

Yet another Marine, home on leave just 15 miles south, received no fanfare when he returned seemingly unscathed in June 2012. No one heard of his return until days later when the Honor Guard Lewis serves with was asked to perform full Military Honors at the young man's funeral.

Lewis is quick to point out that Department of Defense



Lewis on his first day of walking.

While serving, your "brothers" have your back. You have clear direction daily, your service is important, and you are risking your life to keep America free, explained Lewis.

"Then you come home to no job, no purpose, and, because culture wants to eliminate God from everything public, no hope," he said. "I don't have the skills or resources to directly help veterans who return with PTSD, but I can walk and raise funds for those who do."

Sgt. Lewis will be speaking at the Memorial Day event in Sidney on Monday, May 27.

For more information about Walking for the Fallen, to track Lewis' progress or to donate online, visit Transportation Commission Open House

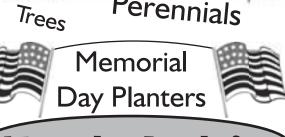
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> Public Open House Transportation Concerns 4-6 pm

The meeting is open to the public. MDT attempts to provide accommodations for any known disability that may interfere with a person's participation in any department service, program or activity. For reasonable accommodations to participate in this meeting, contact Lori Ryan at (406) 444-7200 or PO Box 201001, Helena, MT 59620 at least two days before the meeting. For the hearing impaired, the TTY number is (406) 444-7696 or (800) 335-7592, or Montana Relay at 711. Alternative accessible formats of pertinent information will be provided upon request.



Perennials



records indicate that America has lost more active-duty servicemen and women to suicide than to enemy fire. That is a statistic Lewis wants to change.

No one really knows why the suicide rate is so high, but Lewis has some theories:

www.walkingforthefallen.com

Story by Linda Sappington, Walking for the Fallen Public Relations

Questions? Please e-mail me at sappshots@gmail.com or call (406) 270-5733.









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Lake Water Level Report

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OBITUARIES Notice Of Public Meeting

Patrick "Buxy" Buxbaum, 30, Minneapolis, MN

formerly of Sidney, MT

Funeral services for Patrick "Buxy" Buxbaum, 30, of Minneapolis, MN, formerly of Sidney, MT are at 2:00 p.m. Mon-

day, May 27, 2013 at Pella Lutheran Church with Pastor Charlane Lines officiating. Interment will be in the Sidney Cemetery under the direction of Fulkerson Funeral Home of Sidney.

Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.com.

Patrick passed away Sunday, May 19 in Minneapolis.



Patrick Buxbaum

Douglas Allen Wacker, 64, Anderson, CA

Formerly Red Lodge, MT

Douglas Allen Wacker, age 64, left us to be with his creator on May 12, 2013. He was born on March 12, 1949 in Red Lodge, MT to parents Harold and Norma Wacker. Doug moved to Shasta County in 1959, where he grew up and attended Shasta High School, graduating in 1968. He then joined the military, serving in the United States Navy from 1969-1971. He returned to Shasta County after the Navy and worked as an appliance repair man for 40 years.

Doug had numerous friends throughout the community and enjoyed spending time on the lake fishing with his friends. He was a kind and loving father, grandfather, brother and friend and will be deeply missed by all.

Doug was preceded in death by his Parents and his brother, Rick Wacker of Anderson, CA.

Doug is survived by his son and daughter-in-law, Eric and Christine Wacker of Anderson, CA; two grandsons, Tyson and Ashtin Wacker, brothers Greg Wacker (Robin) of Sheridan, WY and Rodger Wacker of Shingletown, CA; sisters Barbra Streetman (Glen) of Anderson, CA and Lynn

Wacker of Anderson, CA, as well as many nieces and nephews.

Services will be conducted at the Northern California Veteran's Cemetery, May 24th, 2013 at 3:15 p.m. A reception at a family member's home will follow. In lieu of flowers, please donate in Doug's name to the Northern California Veteran's Cemetery.



Douglas Allen Wacker

Nicolette Mason-Wiggins, 22, Sidney, MT

Funeral services for Nicolette "Nicky" Mason-Wiggins, 22, of Sidney, MT are at 10:00 a.m. Friday, May 23, 2013 at The Church Of God, Sidney, MT with Pastor Jim Harmon officiating. Interment will be at Sidney Cemetery under the direction of Fulkerson Funeral Home. Remembrances and condolences may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.com.

Nicky passed away on Friday, May 17, 2013 at the ndive Medical Center

Richland County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Richland County Department of Emergency Services(DES) will hold a public input meeting on Wednesday, May 29, 2013, at 2:00 p.m. at the Nutter Building 123 W Main Street, Sidney, Montana. The meeting will discuss updates to the existing hazard mitigation plan including a project schedule, updates to potential hazards and identifying new critical facilities.

A brief overview of the existing plan will also be discussed as will relevant information to the successful completion of the project.

Contact Deb Gilbert, DES Coordinator, at 123 W Main Street, Sidney, MT 59270; (406) 433-2220; lepc@richland.orgfor further information or to request an accommodation for a disability.

Dated at Sidney, Montana this 14th day of May, 2013.



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Richland County

Events in Sidney unless otherwise listed. MT Zone. Thurs., May 23

12 p.m.— Savage Senior Center will host a meal. 12:45 - 1:45 p.m. — Sidney Senior Citizen Center will be having a potluck lunch and cards. For more info. call 406-433-8077.

2 p.m.— 4th Grade Spring Program, "Broadway

Beat" in the West Side School Gym.

5 p.m. — TOPS, Crestwood NW entrance, Weigh-ins 5-5:30 p.m., Meeting 5:30-6 p.m.

7 p.m. — Interfaith Community Outreach will host a

Coffee Hour at the LDS Church, 1215 5th St SW. 8 p.m. — NA meeting, Millers' Corner banquet room. Fri., May 24

11:30 a.m. — Sidney Senior Citizen Center will be hosting a meal. For more info call 406-433-8077.

Sat., May 25

9 a.m. & 7p.m. — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church Education bldg.

10 a.m. — Gamblers Anonymous at Millers' Corner. Sun., May 26

1 p.m. - Savage Senior Center will be hosting cards, coffee, and potluck at 1pm.

6:45 p.m.— Early Bird Bingo at the Moose Lodge regular bingo at 7 p.m.

7 p.m. — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church

Education bldg.

Mon., May 27

10 a.m. — Flags of Honor Parade, down Central Avenue, Sidney.

11:30 a.m. — Memorial Day Services at Fairview Cemeterv.

11:30 a.m. — Sidney Senior Citizen Center will be

hosting a meal. For more info call 406-433-8077.

12 p.m. — Memorial Dav Potluck, VFW Hall, Sidney, Noon — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church

Education bldg. 6:30p.m.— Sidney Moose Lodge Pinochle games.

Tues., May 28 9 a.m.-12 p.m. — Senior Commodities Distribution

will be at the back door of the Nutter Building, 123 W. Main St.

7 p.m. — AA Group Trinity Lutheran Church

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Watford City Weather Data

Source: North Dakota Agricultural Weather Network			
Date	High	Low	Precip.
May 13	80		0.00
May 14	89	57	T
May 15	74	52	0.00
May 16	76	53	0.00
May 17	69	50	0.00
-		52	
May 19	69	53	0.00

Sidney Weather Data

Source: MSU Eastern Agricultural Research Center			
Date	High	Low	Precip.
May 13		59	0.00
May 14	75	53	0.02
May 15		51	0.00
May 16	72	45	0.00
May 17	70	55	0.00
May 18	73	55	0.00
May 19		52	0.76
Average YTD	Precipitation		3.83



St. Matthew's Seniors

One week before graduation, St. Matthew's 19 graduating Seniors gathered one last time as a class for Mass on Pentecost. Pictured with Fr. Jim O'Neil are: Marcos Aguilar; Heidi Anderson; Abby Balcer; Amy Bieber; Molly Brodhead; Ryan Buckles; Abbe Byer; Maggie Carda; Colleen Crosby; Tori Getchell; Ruben Gomez Jr; Abby Haraldson; Amanda Herbst; Matthew Lang; Matthew LaPan; Whitney Leuenberger; Michaela Lofthus; Krista Steinbeisser; and Lane Lyseng. After Mass the Class of 2013 was honored at a reception which included a power point presentation of earlier years participation in church activities. (Picture submitted by Jan Martineau)

Education bldg. Wed., May 29

6 p.m. - 8p.m. — Interfaith Community Outreach will host a free meal and get acquainted at the Assembly of God Church, 414 E. Main St.

Thurs., May 30

11:30 a.m. - The Richland Red Hatters will meet for lunch at Millers Corner.

12 p.m. — Sidney Kiwanis Club will meet at the Elks Lodge.

5-5:30 p.m. - TOPS will meet at Crestwood Inn's northside entrance.

MCKENZIE COUNTY

Events in Watford City unless otherwise listed. CT Zone.

Wed., May 22

8 p.m.— Al-Anon, Sanford Room, McKenzie Co. Public Library.

5 p.m. - 7 p.m. — Wine tasting at The Watford, 810 3rd Ave. S.W., \$10/ticket.

Thurs., May 23

8 p.m.— AA Group, Northern Pump & Compression. Call 770-3603 or 770-2675 for directions or ride.

View all monthly events on our calendar at www.roundupweb.com.

Sidney Track Results at Divisionals in Laurel

Boys

Justin Brown 3rd, Triple Jump; Austin Papka 4th, High Jump; Kalen Hance 5th, 300 Hurdles; Caleb Benson 2nd, 300 Hurdles; Logan Thiel 4th, Pole Vault; Daulton King 2nd, Discus Boys 4x400 Relay - 5th

Justin Brown, Tel Hermanson, Logan Thiel, Austin Papka Girls (2nd Place as a team)

Aubrey Kessel 5th, Pole Vault; Jalyssa Gorder 1st, Pole Vault; Sheridan Sundheim 4th, High Jump & 5th, Triple Jump; Daryn Wolff 2nd, Discus & 5th, Shot Put; Lexi Prevost 2nd, 300 Hurdles, 3rd, 200 Meters, 4th, 100 Hurdles & 4th, Pole Vault; Erin Harris 3rd, Javelin & 2nd, Pole Vault; Whitney Leuenberger 1st, Shot put & 1st, Discus; Mikayla Minow 2nd, 100 Hurdles & 5th, 300 Hurdles; Harmonie Hampton 5th, 400 Meters

Girls 4x400 Relay - 5th

Jalyssa Gorder, Mikayla Minow, Harmonie Hampton, Ciara Sinks

These athletes will be headed to state in Laurel, MT, Friday & Saturday, May 24-25, starting at 9 a.m.



Sidney divisional polevault placer Jalyssa Gorder took 1st with a polevault of 9'9" in Laurel last Saturday.



Whitney Leuenberger threw a 41'4 1/2" in shot put for a new divisional record and took first in the discus for a throw of 136'6" in Laurel last Saturday.



Sidney Lions **Track** Meet

The Sidney Lions held their grade school track meet May 13. Above: Jett Jones took 1st place in the 6th grade high jump.

Left: Cooper **McGlothlin runs** in the 6th Grade 100 meter dash. (Photos by Kari Jones)





We will be CLOSED

Monday, May 27 to enjoy the holiday with our families.

Deadline for the Wednesday, May 29 issue is

Eastern Montana Bible Camp Summer Fun!
TEEN CAMP
Entering 9 th - 12 th GradesJune 3 rd - 8 th
JUNIOR HIGH CAMP
Entering 7 th & 8 th GradeJune 10 th - 15 th
UNIOR CAMP
Entering 5 th & 6 th GradeJune 17 th - 21 st
PIONEER CAMP
Entering 3 rd & 4 th GradeJune 24 th - 28 th
EMBC MOTORCYCLE RIDE
Destination BlackHillsJuly 12 th - 14 th
LITTLE BUGS DAY CAMP Entering 1 st & 2 nd GradeTuesday, July 16 th
FAMILY CAMP
All Ages, Tots - GrandparentsAugust 31^{st} - September 2^{nd}
Ladies Retreat
Women of all ages September 12^{th} - 14^{th}
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By Tie Shank

As the boom continues to grow and drivers continue to work long inconsistent hours, companies grapple with the flourishing concern of driver safety. Telogis, a California-based provider of cloud-based location intelligence software has a grasp on the issue. Founded in 2001, Telogis provided driver has monitoring services to companies worldwide and is now a major player in many of the largest U.S. shale plays including the Bakken and is used in over 100 countries.

Telogis is a fleet management toolbox dedicated to "enhancing the value of customer business through intelligent integration of location technology, information and services."

It monitors when drivers employ hard braking, speed, fail to wear seatbelts and accelerate sharply. It can help identify and reduce idling time-allowing a company to better manage their fuel bills. It can track your trucks, monitor

their fuel usage and health. It'll send alerts to management advising when there are safety issues with the driver or maintenance issues with the vehicle. It'll also send in-cab alerts to the driver alerting him/her to correct their behavior.

Fatalities

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (CDC/NIOSH), motor vehicle crashes are the leading cause of work-related deaths in the U.S. as well as in the oil and gas industry.

The combination of repeated travel between rig locations, traveling on the rough rural roads, long-irregular hours and low levels of seat belt usage, puts oil and gas workers at a higher risk for fatal crashes. According to study results from the CDC/NIOSH, over 60 percent of oil and gas workers killed in motor vehicle accidents were employed by well servicing companies and approximately forty percent were under the age of 35.



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A Little Bit Country **Corn Plant Populations**

Submitted by Warren Froelich, NDSU Extension Agent, Williams County

The optimum plant population for corn production has been increasing in recent years. Much of the gains in corn productivity have been attributed to higher populations and corn hybrids that are adapted to these higher populations. Also, in drought prone areas, high populations are needed to reach maximum yield.

Based on data from research conducted at NDSU and by other regional entities, plant population in drought prone areas with an expected yield of less than 100 bushels per acre, should be in the range of 15,000-19,000 per acre. For expected yields in the range of 100-130 bushels, the plant population should be 21,000-25,000.

On the other side of the pendulum, plant populations for expected irrigated yields greater than 190 bushels per acre, the recommended plant population is in the range of 32,000-36,000 per acre.

Find Planting Dates

For full crop insurance coverage, the USDA Risk Management Agency has established dates by which specific crops must be planted. These dates vary by state and often by county within the state. The dates by

crop for Williams County are as follows: May 20 - canola, chickpeas, May 25 - corn for grain, lentils, peas, canola; and June 5 - hard spring wheat, durum, barley and oats. To see the dates for other crops go to: http:// www.rma.usda.gov/fields/ mt rso/2013/final.

When to Prune Trees and Shrubs

Pruning trees and shrubs is done for several reasons. Like me, many people do not get into the mood of pruning until it is too late. Much of the pruning of home landscape plants should be done in late winter or early spring while the trees are still dormant. In North Dakota, March is generally the best time to undertake this work to minimize sap flow. Exceptions to this would be trees noted for having heavy sap flow such as maple and birches. The best time to prune these is after they have fully leafed out.

Some shrubs bloom only on the previous season's growth. An example of these is Forsythia, Syringea (lilac), Viberum and Spirea. If you want them to rebloom the following season, you should complete the pruning immediately after the blooming period is over. Pruning these shrubs while still dormant in the early spring removes potential flowering branches for that growing season.

9th Annual Children's Fishing Derby

The 9th Annual Children's Fishing Derby will be held Saturday, June 8, 2013, at the Watford City Fishing Pond and Nature Park; 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. All children ages 12 & under and their families are welcome to attend. The derby is free of charge and includes lunch to be served around 11 a.m. Each child will also receive a participation prize. For more information, call Sharon Prestangen at 701-842-2393.

Evergreens generally have a longer pruning season than deciduous plants. In addition to early spring and midsummer, pruning after new growth has hardened is acceptable for pines and spruce trees. Junipers and arborvitaes can be pruned up to mid-August.













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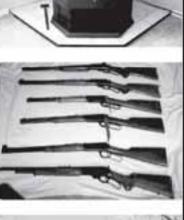
AUCTIONEER'S NOTE

Stevs and Dana sold their house & property and will be moving. There is going to be many more items comesale day. This is only a partial list. The Guns in this auction are in excellent condition! We hope to see you on June 1st?



Rick Knlepkamp (406) 485-2548 or cell (406) 939-1632

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Businesses Able to Obtain and Renew Licenses in One Convenient Place

Submitted by Cathy Fitzgerald

Going from one state agency to another to obtain and renew all the licenses that a business needs to operate in Montana can be a process for owners and managers, as can having to fill out separate forms for each of the licenses and cutting several checks for each of their fees. That's why Montana lawmakers enacted a bill in 1997 that launched the "one-stop business licensing" project. The project consolidated the application and renewal process of seven state licenses under one roof at the Montana Department of Revenue.

The product of that project, One-Stop Business Licensing, offers business owners the convenience of having:

One point of contact for obtaining and renewing certain licenses required for operating a business; one master form to apply for and renew licenses, eliminating the trouble of having to enter the same information again and again for

Guest Opinion: Where's My Ammo?

By Jacque Best

If you're a gun owner, whether it be rifle, pistol or shotgun you undoubtedly have one lingering question: "Where's my ammo."

Walk in to any spring goods or gun store in search of ammo for your guns and you're apt to come away empty handed. The problem is so acute that many large retailers (Cabelas, Scheels, etc.) have placed limits on the amount any customer can buy (assuming, of course, that the customer can find it).

So where have all the shells gone? Panic buying by those who fear more restrictions on guns and gun owners may be a factor. When Obama and the liberals in Congress set out to tighten gun what they call "gun control" many feared that folks like Rep.Nancy Pelosi and Sen. Barbara Boxer would attempt to confiscate many firearms (and they certainly would have done so if they could have.)

But panic buying cannot account for all of the shortage. Many blame the Obama Administration for "hoarding" ammo as a means to sidestep the Second Amendment. Before you blame the "hoarding" charges on those "crazy right wing dissidents" consider this two members of Congress have introduced bills to investigate this Administration's greed for ammo. Senator Jim Inhofe and Representative Frank Lucas have introduced bills in Congress to investigate these charges, and with good reason. This Administration has upped its order for ammunition for federal agencies by over 25%. That translates to 1.6 billion rounds of ammo more than enough for several wars. It is important to understand that this does not include military ammunition, only that used by Administrative Agencies such as F.B.I., Border Patrol, Federal Marshals, etc. all under the control of the Whitehouse.

So has Obama found what he thinks is a way to skirt the Second Amendment, not by limiting access to guns, but by making it impossible to obtain ammunition for them? Keep in mind that this is the President who has winked at the Constitution repeatedly, often making his own law via "Executive Orders" when he could not convince Congress to pass the laws he wanted.

Right now Obama is up to his neck in cover-ups

different forms; one payment covering all licenses rather than one for each of them.

Through One-Stop Business Licensing, businesses can often obtain seven different licenses administered by five different agencies. Currently, there are over 6,300 business locations in the state with one or more licenses issued through the project.

"This method of licensing has become incredibly convenient for hundreds of businesses, especially for grocery and convenience stores, which can get their food, tobacco and petroleum licenses all in one fell swoop," said Department of Revenue Director Mike Kadas.

Here's a breakdown of the types of licenses One-Stop Business Licensing offers, along with the total number of each license that is either active or pending: Food purveyor: 848; Tobacco retail and wholesale: 1,840; Off-premise beer and wine (liquor): 885; Nursery: 866; Petroleum dealers (meters): 1,488; Weighing device (scales): 3,999; Underground storage tank: 1,321.

The licensing process will soon become even more convenient. The Department of Revenue is currently developing software that will allow businesses to apply for, pay for and renew licenses online. The software should be ready to use by the end of the year.



For more information about One-Stop Licensing, please visit http:// r e v e n u e . m t . g o v / f o r b u s i n e s s e s / o n e s t o p_licensing/ default.mcpx.

Over-Ride Governor Bullock's Veto Sign and send this letter to your Montana Legislators. With a two-thirds majority, we can over-ride Governor Bullock's Veto of bill HB-218

May 20, 2013

Montana Legislators,

We are requesting that you, as a dedicated Montana Legislator, vote to over-ride Governor Bullock's veto of HB-218, the Eastern MT Impact Funding Bill (Ankney R-Colstrip). HB-218 would have provided much needed, critical assistance to those communities in Eastern MT most adversely impacted by the oil and gas development.

We applaud the strong legislative support of HB-218 during the session as indicated by the 93-6 House vote and the 48-2 Senate vote. You heard our message, and you supported our efforts to address the seriousness of our plight. The oil and gas development generates significant increases to revenues and economic opportunities for the entire State of Montana, but more must be done TODAY to support those cities, counties, and school districts adversely impacted to accommodate upgrades to the infrastructure.

We all want a better future for all Montanans. This is not a matter of balancing Montana's budget. This is not a matter of allocating more to replace revenues that were taken by previous sessions. This is a matter of making the infrastructure investments to the Montana communities adversely affected, and to keep the golden goose of development nurtured and supported. Why should our local governments continue to decrease THEIR reserves, raise taxes on their citizens, and create long term debt to finance these infrastructure impacts, while the State of Montana enjoys ever increasing revenues and reserves?

Benghazi, illegal "snooping" in to private affairs of over 100 Associated Press reporters by wire tapping their business, home and cell phones in violation of the First Amendment, and reports by his own Administration that the I.R.S. used its considerable power to stymie any conservative organization that was affiliated with "tea party", "patriot", "9-12" (a Glenn Beck backed movement) or the promotion of "Constitutional Government".

Of course Obama never lies about any of this just ask the liberal press or his Hollywood worshipers (or him). No, he's more cunning than that. He uses "designated liars" instead. For the Benghazi terrorists debacle it was U.N. Ambassador Susan Rice. For the I.R. S. scandal it was A. G. Eric Holder. And for the A.P. wiretaps it was a very nervous Press Secretary, Jay Carney. This insulates Obama and gives him deniability. A man who would manipulate these matters with lies, half-truths denying access to witnesses, reprisals against whistle-blowers, invoking "Executive Privilege" and stonewalling would have no trouble bypassing the Second Amendment and indirectly stripping citizens of their right to "keep and bear arms". If you don't believe that, Toto, you should know "you're not in Kansas anymore." Welcome to Obama's Fantasyland!

As to whether all or part of the 1.6 billion rounds of ammo are hidden beneath the White House, that's a subject for another day. Montana's energy future will continue to flourish, for all of Montana, but the State must be a responsible partner in addressing the infrastructure impacts to local governments. We must act now! These communities should not have to wait another two years for action. The impacts are taking place today.

Sitting in a front row seat to the ND oil and gas development, our office witnesses major developments passing over Montana, only to set up their businesses 20 miles across the state line where the infrastructure can support the growth. The 63rd Legislature of ND invested \$2.5 Billion dollars in infrastructure support to the oil and gas impacted communities in Western ND.

When you receive the electronic ballot, we strongly urge you to over ride the veto of HB-218. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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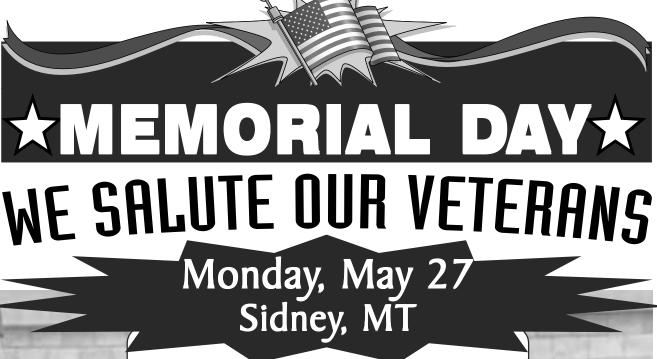








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MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES

(PROGRAM WILL FOLLOW PARADE) Commander VFW: Les Poland VFW Ladies Auxiliary President: Jacki Poland Taps Buglers: Don Netzer Parade Chairman: Gene Ronningen Invocation & Benediction: George Karres Music by Sidney Middle School & High School Bands Special Thanks to Violet Tharp for all her hard work!













MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

Assemble at Veterans Memorial Park • 9 a.m. Parade of Flags of Honor • 10 a.m. Starting at VFW Corner Potluck at VFW Hall • 12 noon public invited (Flag Carriers Needed)

USDA Announces Conservation Reserve Program Sign-Up

Landowners and Producers Can Now Enroll in Continuous CRP with General Sign-Up to Follow Submitted by Dan Janes

Secretary of Agriculture Tom Vilsack today reminded farmers and ranchers that the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) will conduct a four-week Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) general sign-up beginning May 20 and ending on June 14. Vilsack also announced the restart of sign-up for continuous CRP, including the Conservation Reserve Enhancement Program, State Acres for Wildlife Enhancement Initiative, the Highly Erodible Land Initiative, the Grassland Restoration Initiative, the Pollinator Habitat Initiative and other related initiatives. Sign-up for continuous CRP began on May 13 and will continue through Sept. 30, 2013.

"As always, we expect strong competition to enroll acres into CRP, and we urge interested producers to maximize their environmental benefits and to make cost-effective offers," said Vilsack. "CRP is an important program for protecting environmentally sensitive lands from erosion and sedimentation, and for ensuring the sustainability of our groundwater, lakes, rivers, ponds and streams. Through the voluntary participation of our farmers and ranchers, CRP helps us to protect our natural resources, preserve wildlife habitat and bring good paying jobs to rural America related to hunting, fishing, and outdoor recreation.

Vilsack encouraged producers to look into CRP's other enrollment opportunities offered on a continuous, non-competitive, sign-up basis.

CRP has a 27-year legacy of successfully protecting the nation's natural resources through voluntary participation, while providing significant economic and environmental benefits to rural communities across the United States. Producers enrolled in CRP plant long-term, resource-conserving covers to improve the quality of water, control soil erosion and develop wildlife habitat. In return, USDA provides participants with rental payments and cost-share assistance. Contract duration is between 10 and 15 years. Currently, 27 million acres are enrolled in CRP through 700,000 contracts on 390,000 farms throughout the U.S., with enrollment in 49 states and Puerto Rico. Contracts on an estimated 3.3 million acres will expire on Sept. 30, 2013. Enrollment authority for all types of CRP, which had expired Sept. 30, 2012, was extended through 2013 by the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012.

Offers for general sign-up CRP contracts are ranked according to an Environmental Benefits Index (EBI). USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) collects data for each of the EBI factors based on the relative environmental benefits for the land offered. FSA uses the following factors to assess the environmental benefits for the land offered:

Wildlife habitat benefits resulting from covers on contract acreage;

Water quality benefits from reduced erosion, runoff and leaching;

On-farm benefits from reduced erosion;

Benefits that will likely endure beyond the contract period;

Air quality benefits from reduced wind erosion; and



Cost.

CRP soil rental rates for non-irrigated cropland were updated this year to better reflect location and market conditions. A nationwide cap was placed on the maximum amount that may be paid per acre for the general sign-up. Taken together these steps help ensure that taxpayer dollars are spent in a fiscally responsible manner while producing the maximum environmental benefits for each dollar spent.

CRP is the largest USDA conservation program and continues to make major contributions to national efforts to improve water and air quality, prevent soil erosion, and protect the most sensitive areas including those prone to flash flooding and runoff. At the same time, CRP has helped increase populations of pheasants, quail and ducks and is recognized as benefiting certain rare species like the sage grouse, the lesser prairie chicken and other grassland birds. Highlights of CRP accomplishments include:

The restoration of more than two million acres of wetlands and two million acres of riparian buffers;

Prevention of more than 600 million pounds of nitrogen and more than 100 million pounds of phosphorous from flowing into our nation's streams, rivers, and lakes.

Providing \$1.8 billion annually to landowners — dollars that make their way into local economies, supporting small businesses and creating jobs; and

Sequestering more carbon than any other conservation program in the country. By placing vulnerable cropland into conservation, CRP sequesters carbon in plants and soil and reduces both fuel and fertilizer usage. In 2011, CRP resulted in carbon sequestration equal to taking almost 10 million cars off the road.

USDA has made a concerted effort to deliver results for the American people, even as USDA implements sequestration – the across-the-board budget reductions mandated under terms of the Budget Control Act. USDA has already undertaken historic efforts since 2009 to save more than \$828 million in taxpayer funds through targeted, commonsense budget reductions. These reductions have put USDA in a better position to carry out its mission, while implementing sequester budget reductions in a fair manner that causes as little disruption as possible.

The Obama Administration, with Secretary Vilsack's leadership, has worked tirelessly to strengthen rural America, maintain a strong farm safety net and create opportunities for America's farmers and ranchers. U.S. agriculture is currently experiencing one of its most productive periods in American history thanks to the productivity, resiliency and resourcefulness of our producers.

For more information on CRP and other FSA programs, visit a local FSA service center or www.fsa.usda.gov.

Lions Elementary Track Meet Results

1st Grade Boys

50 Meter Dash – 1st Jayden Suko; 2nd Cash Quilling; 3rd Chase Waters; 4th Garrett Larson; 5th Cayden Heck

100 Meter Dash – 1st Cash Quilling; 2nd Chase Waters; 3rd Cayden Heck; 4th Kale Witt

Softball Throw – 1st Chase Waters; 2nd Cash Quilling; 3rd

Jayden Suko; 4th Cayden Heck; 5th Kale Witt; 6th Garrett Larson High Jump – 1st Cash Quilling; 2nd Chase Waters; 3rd

Jayden Suko; 4th Garrett Larson Long Jump – 1st Jayden Suko; 2nd Chase Waters; 3rd Garrett Larson

1st Grade Girls

50 Meter Dash – 1st Jayda Christensen

100 Meter Dash – 1st Jayda Christensen

Softball Throw - 1st Brooklyn Boyer; 2nd Jayda Christensen

High Jump – 1st Jayda Christensen

Long Jump – 1st Jayda Christensen; 2nd Brooklyn Boyer 2nd Grade Boys

50 Meter Dash – 1st Zander Dean; 2nd Brody Gorder; 3rd Logan Schumaker; 4th Justin Filler; 5th Kolby Israelsen; 6th Rylend Christensen

100 Meter Dash – 1st Zander Dean; 2nd Brody Gorder; 3rd Nathan Romo; 4th Logan Schumaker; 5th Justin Filler; 6th Ryland Christensen

Softball Throw – 1st Zander Dean; 2nd Nathan Romo; 3rd Peyton Nelson; 4th Ryland Christensen; 5th Logan Schumaker; 6th Justin Filler

High Jump – 1st Brodie Gorder; 2nd Zander Dean; 3rd Justin Filler; 4th Ryland Christensen; 5th Logan Schumaker; 6th Peyton Nelson

Long Jump – 1st Zander Dean; 2nd Brodie Gorder; 3rd Logan Schumaker; 4th Ryland Christensen; 5th Peyton Nelson; 6th Nathan Romo; 7th Kolby Israelson; 8th Justin Filler

2nd Grade Girls

50 Meter Dash – 1st Emma Doty; 2nd Kendyl Wacha; 3rd Lily Jones; 4th Lily Wick; 5th Trinity Echols; 6th Elizabeth Langwald; 7th Allyson Nentwig; 8th Kassadee Olson

100 Meter Dash – 1st Emma Doty; 2nd Lily Wick; 3rd Kendyl Wacha; 4th Lily Jones; 5th Savanna Steinbeisser; 6th Trinity Echols; 7th Elizabeth Langwald; 8th Allyson Nentwig

Softball Throw – 1st Lily Wick; 2nd Allyson Nentwig; 3rd Bryn Norby; 4th Savanna Steinbeisser; 5th Trinity Echols; 6th Kassadee Olson

High Jump – 1st Savanna Steinbeisser; 2nd Elizabeth Langwald; 3rd Tyra Witt; 4th Trinity Echols; 5th Kylie Burnison; 6th Bryn Norby

I ong Jump – 1st Emma Doty: 2nd Kendyl Rindahl; 3rd

Long Jump – 1st Brielle Gorder; 2nd Hannah Quiroz; 3rd Kierra Hvotari; 4th Trudie Speldrich; 5th Zoe Fahrnow

4th Grade Boys

50 Meter Dash – 1st Brody Bauxbaum; 2nd Riley Waters; 3rd Brayden Klinke; 4th Tucker Swigart; 5th Matthew Hansen; 6th Logan Jones; 7th Isaac Quiroz; 8th Jackson Thogerson

100 Meter Dash – 1st Brody Bauxbaum; 2nd Jackson Franklin; 3rd Tucker Swigart; 4th Riley Waters; 5th Matthew Hansen; 6th Ty Fahrnow; 7th Isaac Quiroz

Softball Throw – 1st Jackson Franklin; 2nd Matthew Hansen; 3rd Riley Waters; 4th Ty Fahrnow; 5th Jackson Thogerson; 6th Braden Klinke; 7th Tucker Swigart; 8th Logan Jones

High Jump – 1st Jackson Franklin; 2nd Brayden Klinke; 3rd Riley Waters; 4th Ty Fahrnow; 5th Jackson Thogerson

Long Jump – 1st Riley Waters; 2nd Brody Bauxbaum; 3rd Jackson Franklin; 4th Braden Klinke; 5th Tucker Swigart; 6th Logan Jones; 7th Jackson Thogerson; 8th Ty Fahrnow

4th Grade Girls

50 Meter Dash – 1st Booke Morrill; 2nd Hadley Garsjo; 3rd Rebecca Aldrich; 4th Taylor Stewart; 5th Alli Merritt; 6th Hannah Uran; 7th Jessica Romo; 8th Jaylen Baxter

100 Meter Dash – 1st Rebecca Aldrich; 2nd Hadley Garsjo; 3rd Brooke Morrill; 4th Hannah Uran; 5th Alli Merritt; 6th Kylee Lambert; 7th Jessica Romo; 8th Alexis Erickson

Softball Throw – 1st Hadley Garsjo; 2nd Rebecca Aldrich; 3rd Jaylen Baxter; 4th Alli Merritt; 5th Kylee Lambert; 6th Alexis Erickson; 7th Hannah Uran

High Jump – 1st Hadley Garsjo; 2nd Rebecca Aldrich; 3rd Taylor Stewart; 4th Alexis Erickson; 5th Jaylen Baxter; 6th Kylee Lambert

Long Jump – 1st Hadley Garsjo; 2nd Rebecca Speldrich; 3rd Taylor Stewart; 4th Kylee Lambert; 5th Jaylen Baxter; 6th Brooke Morrill; 7th Jessica Romo; 8th Alexis Erickson

5th Grade Boys

50 Meter Dash – $1^{\rm st}$ Jett Jones; 2^{nd} Dillon Scheetz; 3^{rd} Kaiden Cline; 4^{th} Keelen Geiser; 5^{th} Cooper McGlothlin; 6^{th} Cole Klein

100 Meter Dash – 1st Dillon Scheetz; 2nd Kaiden Cline; 3rd Cooper McGlothlin; 4th Cole McLarney; 5th Keelen Geiser; 6th Gavin Caswell

Softball Throw – 1^{st} Keelen Geiser; 2^{nd} Jett Jones; 3^{rd} Cole McLarney

High Jump – 1st Jett Jones; 2nd Keelen Geiser; 3rd Cooper McGlothlin; 4th Gavin Caswell; 5th Cole McLarney

Long Jump – 1st Jett Jones; 2nd Dillon Scheetz; 3rd Keelen Geiser; 4th Kaiden Cline; 5th Cole McLarney; 6th Gavin Caswell 400 Meter Run – 1st Dillon Scheetz; 2nd Cooper

Pictured (L-R) Mike Janeway, Alexis Erickson and Bob Frank.

Masonic Books for Bikes Program

Alexis Erickson, a 4th grader at Westside Elementary School, Sidney, was the happy winner of a girl's bicycle presented by Mike Janeway, Senior Warden, left, and Bob Frank, Past Master of the local Masonic Lodge (Lower Yellowstone #90). Alexis is the daughter of Shawna Watley and Ardel Erickson. Not pictured is Braden Kindopp, winner of the boy's bike, also a 4th grader. Braden is the son of Bodrey and Debbra Kindopp. The kids were given certificates to Johnson Hardware to choose their bike, and a helmet.

The Masonic Books for Bikes Program provided an extension of February's "I Love to Read Month", encouraging children to read. The purpose of the program is to motivate kids to read, to increase their vocabulary and to develop skills that will stay with them the rest of their lives. The child's name was entered into the drawing once for each book they read. Westside Elementary librarian Dawn Greenwood said she feels the program definitely encouraged the kids to read more, in hopes of winning the bicycle.

The local Masonic Lodge would like to give recognition to all the students who have read books this year because of the contest, and to give recognition to the winners. Elizabeth Langwald; 4th Lily Wick; 5th Trinity Echols; 6th Kassadee Olson; 7th Lily Jones; 8th Allyson Nentwig

3rd Grade Boys

50 Meter Dash – 1st Parker Sinks; 2nd Ryan McGinnis; 3rd Grady Nelson; 4th Ty Lovegren; 5th Landon Schumaker; 6th Grady Larson

100 Meter Dash – 1st Parker Sinks; 2nd Ryan McGinnis; 3rd Grady Nelson; 4th Ty Lovegren; 5th Grady Larsen; 6th Landon Schumaker

Softball Throw - 1st Parker Sinks; 2nd Ryan McGinnis; 3rd Grady Nelson; 4th Ty Lovegren; 5th Landon Schumaker; 6th Grady Larson

High Jump – 1st Parker Sinks; 2nd Ryan McGinnis; 3rd Grady Larson; 4th Grady Nelson; 5th Landon Schumaker; 6th Ty Lovegren

Long Jump – 1st Parker Sinks; 2nd Grady Nelson; 3rd Ryan McGinnis; 4th Ty Lovegren; 5th Landon Schumaker; 6th Grady Larson

3rd Grade Girls

50 Meter Dash – 1st Hannah Quiroz

100 Meter Dash – 1st Brielle Gorder; 2nd Trudy Speldrich; 3rd Hannah Quiroz; 4th Daisy Snow

Softball Throw – 1st Trudie Speldrich; 2nd Daisy Snow; 3rd Hannah Quiroz; 4th Zoe Fahrnow

High Jump – 1st Brielle Gorder; 2nd Kierra Huotari; 3rd Hannah Quiroz; 4th Zoe Fahrnow; 5th Daisy Snow; 6th Trudie Speldrich McGlothlin; 3rd Kaiden Cline; 4th Cole McLarney

5th Grade Girls

50 Meter Dash – 1st Zoe Morrill; 2nd Riley Thiessen; 3rd Cheyenne Christian; 4th Jenna Baxter; 5th Hailey Christensen; 6th Tenna Desjarlais

100 Meter Dash – 1st Cassidy Larson; 2nd Jenna Baxter; 3rd Cheyenne Christian; 4th Riley Thiessen; 5th Cassidy Larson; 6th Tenna Desjarlais

Softball Throw – 1st Jenna Baxter; 2nd Cassidy Larson; 3rd Courtney Herman; 4th Riley Thiessen; 5th Hailey Christensen

High Jump – 1st Cassidy Larson; 2nd Zoe Morrill; 3rd Courtney Herman; 4th Cheyenne Christian; 5th Tenna Desjarlais

Long Jump – 1st Cassidy Larson; 2nd Zoe Morrill; 3rd Jenna Baxter; 4th Courtney Herman; 5th Cheyenne Christian; 6th Tenna Desjarlais; 7th Hailey Christensen

400 Meter Run – 1st Zoe Morrill; 2nd Cheyenne Christian; 3rd Tenna Desjarlais

6th Grade Boys

50 Meter Dash – 1st Bridger Larson 100 Meter Dash – No Participants Softball Throw – No Participants High Jump – 1st Bridger Larson Long Jump – 1st Bridger Larson 400 Meter Run – No Participants 6th Grade Girls – No Participants

Watford City Awards & Scholarship Night



Watford City High School held it's annual Awards and Scholarship Night Monday, May 13. President's Award for Educational Excellence recipients were High School students Taylor Dwyer, Samantha Jorgenson, Davis Zubke, Kayla Folven, Tara Loomer, Allison Hagen & Emily Ramage. Middle School Recipients: Cheyanne Berquist, Zachary Luallen, Ashley Trickey, Justin Dahl, Colton MacDonell, Sean Larsen and Megan McIntyre. Elementary School Award Recipients: Nevada Berrquist, Cauy Hartel, Sheridan Johnson, Carter Knutson, Shelby Mcltyre, Sydney Sanford, Peyton, Blotsky, Jessen Homiston, Gracie Johnsrud, Diane Lipka, Kayla McLemore, Krista Tanninen, Rio Elliot, Reese Johnson, Keegan Kaczmar, Ethan Long, Brooke Mogen, and Andrew Trotter. Other school related awards went to Tori Williams, Allison Hagen, Nicholas Valenzuela, Hayley Moe, Jeanna Zenz, Dillon Smith, Emily Sengneri, Trevor Alveshere, Asha Smith and Joran Johnson.



Scholarships were awarded to the following recipients: Front: Tara Loomer, Reese Frick, McKenna Leiseth, Fallon Maston, Emily Ramage, Taylor Dwyer and Allison Hagen. 2nd row: Jayden C. White Owl, Samantha Jorgenson, McKayla Haugaberg, Bailey Moen, Brandon Taylor, Shane Jorgenson and Austin Johnson. 3rd row: Sadie Kieson, Reid Brown, Guy Ross, Allison Monsen, Saige Feilmeier, Jessica Brown, Katie Skarda, Kelli Linseth. Back row: Kalen Hartel, Kirk Chatelain, Michael Schulz, Tyler Bates, Cole Rolfsrud, Brandon Stoker, Madison Brown and Josh Rolfsrud. (Photos by Kathy Taylor)



COLLECTIBLES • ANTIQUES Rosemeade pheasant rooster & hen salt & pepper (small) • Assorted ceramic animal salt & peppers • McCoy planter; Shawnee planter; Pheasant soup tureen & plate • Red and crystal milk containers – marked "Coteau" • Farmer's Union Elevator dust pan; "Coteau, ND" • (12) Bottles - Yellowstone beer; Sturgis Beer; Mash beer, Williston Basin Energy Festival Beer • Antique "claw foot" table w/ three chairs • Porcelain doll • Green Bay Packers football: Minnesota Vikings football; 2002 Minnesota Vikings football; Minnesota Vikings football; 2002 Minnesota Vikings Yearbook • 1991 Minnesota Twins "Champions" roster plaque • Charlotte Hornets basketball jacket • (4) Labrador hunting dog pictures • "Lifting Fog" Ducks Unlimited print • Pheasants Forever rug • Knife assortment • National glass washboard, 1915 • Woman's metal mirror (ornate); man's grooming station • Ball jars w/ glass lids • Assorted small crocks & jugs; #2 Red Wing crock; #4 Red Wing crock • Pink glassware; silver cup & gravy boat; assorted tea cups; • Silver serving set • Enamelware collection – white w/ hack trim; white w/ red trim; white w/ hub trim; coffee white w/ black trim; white w/ red trim; white w/ blue trim; coffee pots, kettles, basins • Assorted tins and milk bottles • (4) Metal coal buckets; 3 milk cans; cast iron fry pans • Assorted cigar boxes • Anchor grinding wheel • (14) Assorted HESS toy vehicles Hickory shaft golf clubs • Child's school chair; 1990 Crayola Anne sewing collection & Panasonic player: Pioneer cassette player: several speakers • Wooden child's sled • Audel's "Carpenter & Builders Guide", 1939, 4 books (2) Jim Beam decanters; Cardinal decanter: Pheasant decanter; Sphinx decanter; Model "A" Ford decanter Teddy Roosevelt decanter: Martha Washington decanter: 1980 Boston American Legion decanter: Montana Golden Centennial decanter • White & Black ceramic cook stove • Tonka red & yellow dump truck • Old Valentine cards; old stamps • Wooden washing machine w/ metal sinks

FIREARMS · AMMO · OUTDOORS Winchester Model 12, 16 gauge pump shotgun • Ithaca Model 37 gauge pump shotgun, Featherlight • Marlin Model 35 22 w/ scope • Old antique single shot shotgun mounted on barn wood w/ shells • 16 & 12 gauge shotgun shells; 22 caliber ammo; 38 caliber ammo; 270 caliber ammo: assorted brass & shells • (2) Gull re-curve bows and arrows • Green ammunition boxes; gun cleaning kits; wooden ammo box • B B gun • Gun stock • Leo Stans wildlife prints; The Great Guns Book (1978) • Ducks Unlimited prints; Terry Redlin prints; Snow Fowl picture by Vicki Guetsehlager • *As Good As Home" mallard picture • Wrought iron pheasant carving • Mounted pheasant • Lyman's Reloading Handbook, 41st Ed. • Gun powder scale • (3) Pheasant tins • Assorted fishing rods/reels • Three gur rack; two gun rack • Propane lanterns • Carved duck decoy

TOOLS • SHOP • GARAGE Delta belt sander • Handy Andy hydraulic jack, 1 ton; camper jacks; handyman jack; 2 ton floor jack • Air compressor, 5 HP, 20 gallon • Power Mate hand saw/skill saw, battery powered • Powercraft table mounted router • Value Craft scroll saw, 15" • (2) Bow saws • Lambert propane heater • Craftsman multi speed router; Craftsma brad nailer w/ brads & nails • Motorcycle battery charger, 1 amp r: Craftsmar 24"x48" Shop light • Wrench set: pipe wrenches: • Assorted table saw blades • Laser level • Coleman Jump Start system, 18 amps • Coleman catalytic heater • Portable "fire pit" • Propane heater, 150,000 BTU • Red tool box; three drawer tool chest • Skil routers (2), 1/2 HP • Electric bench grinder • (2) Fast charge power boosters





Reduction Sale On Pre-Owned Overstocked Pickups & SUVs



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2013 Expedition EL XLT 4,197 mi autumn red	^{\$} 44,995
2012 F150 CC Platinum 4x4 15,034 mi white	^{\$} 44,995
2012 F150 CC Platinum 4x4 16,001 mi black	^{\$} 42,995
2011 F150 CC Platinum 4x4 22,250 mi black	^{\$} 41,995
2012 Expedition EL 18,873 mi golden bronze	^{\$} 41,495
2011 GMC Yukon XL 4x4 44,215 mi white	^{\$} 38,995
2009 F150 CC Platinum 4x4 62,315 mi sterling gray	^{\$} 35,995



FURNITURE • HOUSEHOLD

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Wolves Claim Northwest Region Track Title

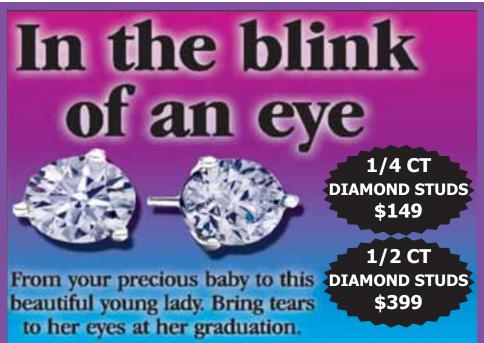
Watford City Boys and Girls Track teams finished First in the Northwest Region Track meet held in Watford City on Saturday. Right: Hayley Moe clears the bar for a first place finish in the high jump on Saturday. Above: Watford City's Reid Brown holds on to a 3rd place finish in the 110 M Hurdles.





Left: Watford City's Tori Hopkins beats the tag as she slides safely into home plate in Monday's game. The Wolves traveled to Minot for their Regional Tournament on Friday and Saturday bringing home first place and earning a trip to the State Tournament May 30, 31 and June 1. (Photos by Kathy Taylor)





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Welcome Back... Dr. Jerome Kessler



SIDNEY HEALTH CENTER **MEDICAL STAFF**

Sidney Health Center is pleased to welcome back Jerome Kessler, M.D. to the medical staff. Dr. Kessler will start seeing clinic patients on Tuesday, May 28.

Dr. Kessler is Board Certified in both Internal Medicine and Family Medicine. He received his M.D. from the University of Minnesota and then did his internship and residencies in Fargo, North Dakota. He has 25 years experience in clinical medicine. He is also certified in Advanced Cardiac and Advanced Trauma Life Support.

Dr. Kessler provides primary care services to people of all ages, both acute and chronic problems, and is especially interested in helping people with ongoing health problems. He and his wife, Shelley, have lived in Sidney since 1986. To make an appointment with Dr. Kessler prior to May 28 you can call the clinic receptionist at 488-2510.

Starting May 28



SIDNEY HEALTH CENTER CLINIC - SUITE 104 OFFICE PHONE: 406-488-2550 214 14th Ave SW - Sidney, MT Clinic Hours: Monday - Thursday 8:30AM - 4:30PM Friday 8:30AM - 12:30PM





Stamp Out Hunger

Sidney Post Office employees stand with the food they collected in the 2013 NALC National Stamp Out Hunger Campaign. We want to thank the public for their generous support to our annual food drive. Saturday, May 11th brought in donations totaling 1400 Ibs. Every item collected goes a long way in helping the food bank restock their shelves and help needy families in this area. (Picture submitted by LaRae Hagel)

Public Notification Of Sex Offenders Residing In McKenzie County

Samuel G. George resides at 409 4th St NW, Watford City, ND. Indecent Liberties W/Child, Lewd Fondling or Touching. Convicted: July/2005. KS-Registered, KS-Non Expiring. ND-Status: Registered, ND-Risk Level: Undetermined.



James Demeritt

Jamie L. Demeritt AKA James Demeritt resides at 15555 36th St NW., Cartwright, ND. Sexual Assault, Convicted: September/ 2003. ND-Status: Registered, ND-Risk Level: Low.

Samuel G. George



Extended Care Quilting Tea Party SUMMER FUN SPECIALS



Above: L to R, Erma Carranza, Kathy Koffler (staff), Juanita Bailey and Marvel Rider enjoy some old time tunes played by Vicky Vaira on her accordian.



Phyllis Petersen, left, and her daughter Patty Tjelde smile for the camera.

Sidney Health Center Extended Care hosted a "Quilting Tea Party" for the lady residents on Thursday. Along with delightful table decorations and treats, the ladies were treated to music by Vicky Vaira and Sarah Karanjai, some poems and a sing-along.

A highlight of the party was the showing of a quilt made by Vi Tanglen, and the story behind it. The story as told by Vi is as follows. "As a child, I would love going to Grandma's house. She had a cedar chest filled with quilt blocks that she had made many years ago. While at Grandma's, I always made a habit of going to the cedar chest and looking at each square. It was Grandma's dream that I piece all the blocks together for her. Each of her blocks was carefully cut and stitched with love. It was so important that I find the perfect fabric. The fabric couldn't be just any ordinary color. No, it had to be perfect, just like the love she had put into each square block.

One day during church I was listening to the pastor tell the story about Joseph and his coat of many colors. How Joseph loved his coat, but his brothers envied him because they did not have a coat like that. I began to realize that Grandma had chosen me for a special project that she wanted me to complete.



Nine year old Sarah Karanjai plays her violin at the Quilting Tea Party.

I began to pray that God would help me make Grandma's Quilt of Love into a reality. One night I had a dream and in that dream I saw this beautiful lace with Grandma's quilt squares and I knew right where to find this treasure, It was in the bottom of the cedar chest. This must have been Grandma's plan for the quilt blocks all along because when put together, it was the most beautiful quilt I had ever seen.



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WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Track

Fri & Sat, May 24 & 25 Sidney at State Meet in Laurel, 9 am R&L HS at State Meet in Laurel, 9 am Watford City at Bismarck Bowl State Track

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<u>Thurs - Sat, May 23 - 25</u> Sidney at Belgrade State Tourney

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<u>Thursday, May 23</u> Watford City at Region Tournament in Watford City







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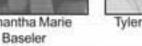
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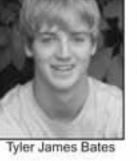
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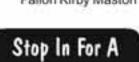
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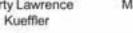


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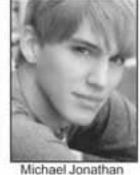
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Front row (L-R): Ricki Lindley, Asha Smith, Morgan Rolfsrud, Bridget Allex, Addison Sundeen, Jessica Brown, Abby Brown, Avery Sundeen, Mikka Haugeberg, Hayley Moe, Lea Arndt, Urana Bascom. Back row (L-R): Bo Cook, Bradly Wilson, Michael Brown, Brandon Stoker, Cole Rolfsrud, Tyler Bates, Reid Brown, Guy Ross, Dustin Kleppen, Justin Schwartzenberger, Dillon Smith, Trevor Alveshere. Not pictured: McKayla Haugeberg, Kara Langerud.













Richland County Injury Prevention Team Would Like To Acknowledge And Thank Lower Yellowstone Electric

Submitted by Mary Friesz

During 2013 the Richland County Injury Prevention Team will recognize a local business each month that promotes responsible, safe and positive practices with their employees. The team believes that safety polices implemented in the workplace not only creates a safe work environment but also helps keep our community safe. Employees not only use these practices at work but take them home, which make them great role models in our community.

Lower Yellowstone Electric values their employees and members and believes that safety is our number one concern. The safety presentations offered throughout the years involve not only line worker safety; LYREA provides a wide array of safety topics for their employees. "We want our employees to be safe not only on the job, but also in their personal lives. Due to the changes in our community LYREA requested that the Richland County Prevention team speak to our staff on personal safety awareness. Many great ideas were taken into consideration on how to improve safety while in your home, vehicle, and even great options for feeling safe while walking in the community to name a few. Providing this information to our staff not only opens up new ideas for them, but they can also go home and share with their spouses and children who will help build a safer community," said Jami Propp, Member Service Coordinator.

The injury prevention team would like to applaud the efforts of Lower Yellowstone Rural Electric Association and their employees for caring about the safety of our community. By providing training beyond their basic needs, they are encouraging good habits which in turn will be paid forward in our community.

Thank you Lower Yellowstone REA for all you do in support of our community.

If your business or a business you know supports safety in our community or has policies that help make Richland County a safer place to enjoy life, please contact Mary Friesz, Richland County Injury Prevention Specialist at the Richland County Health Department 433-2207. The Richland County Injury Prevention Team can also assist you in creating and implementing policies.

FSA Administrator Urges Producers to Enroll in DCP/ACRE

Submitted by Dan Janes

USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) Administrator Juan M. Garcia today encouraged farmers and ranchers to enroll for the 2013 Direct and Counter-Cyclical Payment Program (DCP) or the Average Crop Revenue Election Program (ACRE) before the deadline. Producers who wait until the last minute to sign up could face increased waiting time in FSA county offices.

"We understand that producers have gotten busy, but they can't forget to visit their county office and sign up for DCP or ACRE," said Garcia. "Just as farmers and ranchers plan their spring plantings, producers should plan to schedule an appointment to visit their USDA Service Center at the earliest possible time. It's best to complete the paperwork

now rather than to stand in line the day before the deadline," advised Garcia.

The sign-up for both programs began Feb. 19, 2013. The deadline to sign up for ACRE is June 3, 2013. The DCP sign up period ends Aug. 2, 2013.

The 2013 DCP and ACRE program provisions are unchanged from 2012, except that all eligible participants in 2013 may choose to enroll in either DCP or ACRE for the 2013 crop year. This means that eligible producers who were enrolled in ACRE in 2012 may elect to enroll in DCP in 2013 or may re-enroll in ACRE in 2013 (and vice versa).

For more information about the programs and loans administered by FSA, visit any FSA county office or www.fsa.usda.gov.



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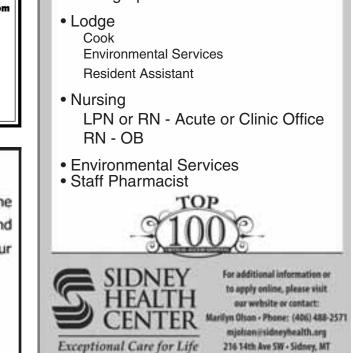
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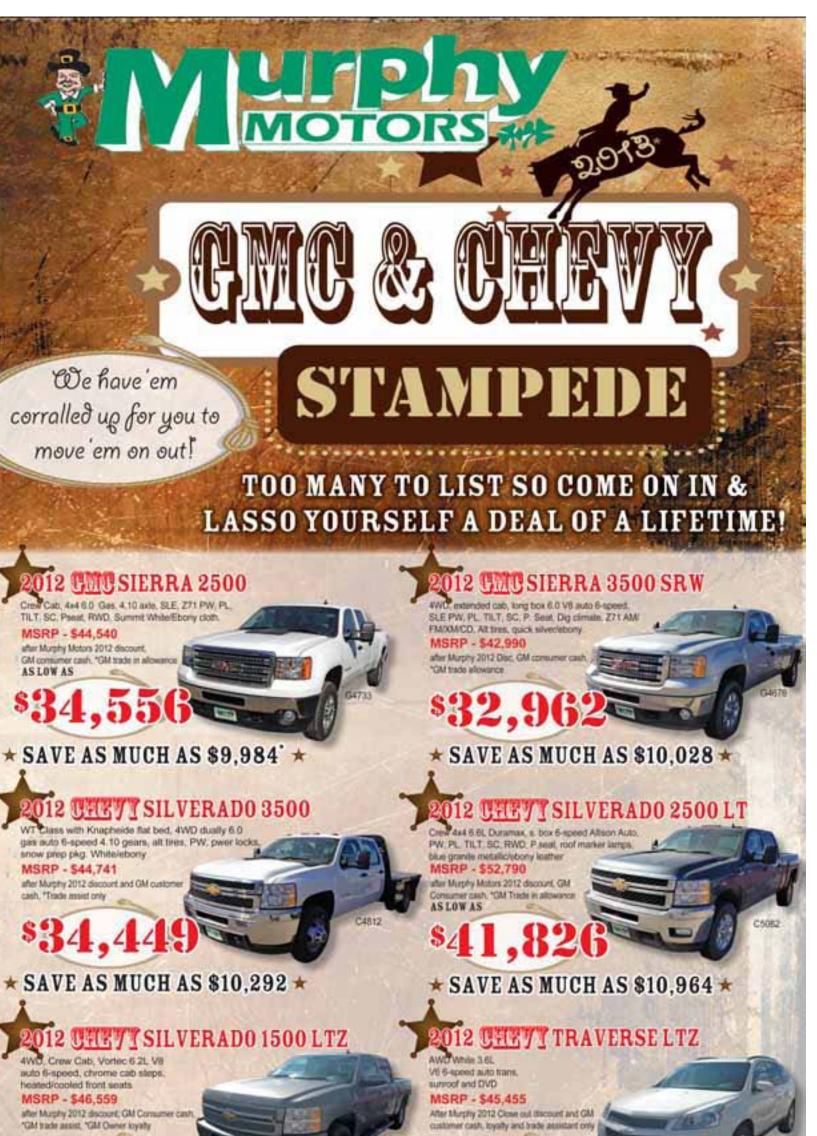
Deadline for the Wednesday, May 29 issue is noon Thursday, May 23.

Have a safe & happy Memorial Day weekend.



Lunch Menus

Sidney Schools Thurs., May 23: Pepperoni dip sticks, tossed salad, pears. Fri., May 24: Tomato soup, toasted cheese, applesauce. Mon., May 27: No School Tues., May 28: Cook's choice. Wed., May 29: Cook's choice. Richey School Thurs., May 23: Cook's choice. Fri., May 24: Cook's choice.



E. Fairview School

Thurs., May 23: Chicken fettuccini alfredo, cucumbers, fruit salad, garlic bread, chocolate cake, punch. Fri., May 24: Sack lunch.

Fairview School

Thurs., May 23: Cook's choice. Fri., May 24: No breakfast or lunch served.

Savage School Thurs., May 23: Cook's choice. Lambert School

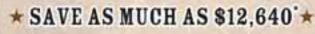
Thurs., May 23: Cook's choice, no salad bar. Fri., May 24: Cook's choice, no salad bar.

Culbertson School Thurs., May 23: Cook's choice. Fri., May 24: Cook's choice.

Rau School

Thurs., May 23: Cook's choice. Fri., May 24: Veggie beef soup, breadstick, fresh fruit. Mon., May 27: No School. Tues., May 28: BBQ hot dogs, hamburgers, baked beans, carrots, watermelon. Wed., May 29: PB&J sandwich,

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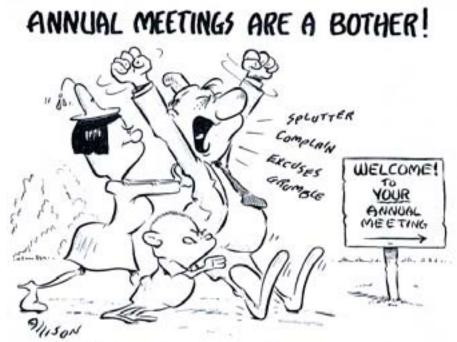
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Your 75th Annual Meeting Wednesday, June 5th

Richland County Fair Event Center

Sidney Students of the Month

West Side Elementary

Brodey Skogen was chosen as April's Student of the Month for West Side School. Brodey always has a smile on his face. He is willing to take on any task and he is a hard worker. Brodey is a respectful and responsible student, who is willing to help his teachers and classmates alike. He has a great attitude at school and in his wrestling competitions. Brodey has a way of brightening the day for those who cross his path. Brodey is a 4th grader in Ms. DiFonzo's classroom and he is the son of Kevin and Amanda Skogen.

Sidney Middle School

April's 7th grade Student of the Month is Quinten Nelson. Quinten is the son of Chad and Lori Nelson. Quinten is an active member of his class. He thinks about the question and raises his hand before he will give an answer. This is one example of something that makes him a respectful and responsible learner at Sidney Middle School. He gives his time and help to classmates who might not understand a concept or idea. His help isn't just giving someone the answer. He doesn't make them feel bad about not understanding the work. Rather, he is an encouraging and supportive classmate. Quinten's quality of work and ability to work with his classmates is why Quinten was chosen Student of the Month. Congratulations, Quinten.

Agriculture Education

Jim Topp, son of Kevin and Colleen Topp of Sidney has been selected for the Student of the Month award. Jim's involvement in Agriculture Education course work has accumulated to 16 semesters over the past four years. Recent competitive recognition on the state level events in FFA, Skills-USA, football and work experience has led to this student honor. Jim's mechanical aptitude, skills and abilities stand above other local, regional and state-wide students. Jim's recent Career and Technical Education state events have demonstrated this

Jim has enrolled in North Dakota State College of Science in Wahpeton for this coming fall to study Diesel Technology. He has been a valued employee at Sunrise Equipment for four years honing his mechanical work experience. He has served both FFA and Skills-USA chapters as an Officer and participated in a variety of career development events over the years. We wish Jim great success in his future endeavors.

Mathematics Department

Sidney High School's Mathematics Department is proud to award Student of the Month honors to Tim Francis, son of John Francis and Darlene Kollman. Tim is a senior this year with a full academic schedule. He is excelling in all classes which include Pre-Calculus, Basic Statistics, Physics II, Advanced Government and Communication Arts 12, as well as Art I and an independent computer class. Tim has made great academic strides during his four years at Sidney High School with this last quarter producing a perfect 4.0 average. His concepts are solid and he can be depended upon to offer constructive assistance in math and science courses to those who ask for help. The Math Department wishes Tim all the best for a very successful future.



Brodey Skogen



Quinten Nelson



Jim Topp



Tim Francis



Registration/Dinner 5:30 p.m. Business Meeting 6:15 p.m.

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