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Eastern Montana's Night At The Park Featuring Polynesian Food, Live Music, & Luau Show



Aliitasi Productions is a Polynesian dance troupe out of Utah that tours the United States performing traditional Polynesian dances at Luaus. On Aug. 26 they will be at Veterans Memorial Park, Sidney. (Photo submitted by Sela Maumalanga)

TC Maumalanga will be singing a few country

TC Maumalanga will be singing a few country music songs during the Eastern Montana's Night at the Park. (Photo submitted by Sela Maumalanga)

By Jaymi Mozeak

T.C. and Sela Maumalanga will be putting on Eastern Montana's Night at the Park, a free event for the whole community on Saturday, Aug. 26, at 6 p.m. The event includes live music and a Luau show and will be held at Veterans Memorial Park, Sidney, MT.

This is the second year in a row they have done this and, as before, will have live music and Polynesian danc-

ers from Hawaii. T.C. will be playing county music with a band from 6-7:30 p.m. After their performance, the Luau Show begins. The dancers will perform dances from every island in Polynesia to authentic music. There will be a Polynesian food vendor selling Tongan and Hawaiian food for attendees to enjoy during the show. Funds raised go to offsetting the costs of the event.

Sunday morning the

celebration slows down but continues at 10 a.m. There will be a worship service presided over by Sione Fungalei, Lonsdale United Methodist Church pastor. There will be baked goods for a free-will donation. All proceeds from Sunday will go to a local non-profit.

The Maumalangas came to Sidney with Fungalei when he moved there to pursue his calling to preach. They fell in love with the area

but had to move to Utah in 2020. While in Utah they came across the members of the Polynesian dance troupe who had all moved there from Hawaii. They enjoyed the performances and the rest of the people and places in Utah but found themselves, after the pandemic, trying to come back to Sidney every three months. Sela said, "The community has a special place in our hearts. The

place changed us."

The Maumalangas wish to bless as many community members as they can and are even in the process of arranging transportation for residents of the local assisted living facilities to the event. They wish to remind everyone to bring their own lawn chair and join them for the show.

Larry Lynde Benefit Sept. 9



Larry Lynde (Photo submitted)

By Dianne Swanson

The Sidney Eagles biggest fan is now battling cancer and needs your help. Sidney native Larry Lynde has stage 4 colon cancer which has spread to his liver. He is currently undergoing chemo treatments and anticipating further treatment options, including surgery. Larry is employed by the City of Sidney and continues working as treatments allow. Sports fans know Larry as a huge supporter of the Eagles as well as other local and college teams. It's not unusual to hear a Larry! Larry! Larry! chant at a local football game!

Saturday, Sept. 9 starts off with the annual Wanna Be An Elk 4-person golf scramble with registration from 8:30-9:30 a.m. at the Sidney Country Club. Tee off is at 10 a.m. Registration forms can be picked up at the Elks Lodge 1782. Price is \$75 per golfer which does not include a cart.

The benefit for Lynde will begin at 5 p.m. with a free will offering brisket and pulled pork dinner. Silent and live auctions will take place beginning at approximately 7 p.m. with auction items being generously donated by local merchants and individuals. Please call the Elks at 406-433-2406 if you need pickup of your items

Please help in any way you can to assist Lynde through his cancer journey. Financial donations can also be made at the Elks. Larry, his family and friends thank you for your generous support.

For more information on the benefit, call Josh Herman at 509-951-2296. Contact Ryan Laqua at 406-480-9052 for golf tournament information, or call the Elks Lodge at 406-433-2406.

Alexander Celebrates Old Settlers Aug. 31-Sept. 2

By Katelyn Sponheim

The 78th annual Old Settler's celebration in Alexander, ND, takes place this Aug. 31-Sept. 2, and is honoring locals Walt and Susan Link for 2023.

Walter and Susan Link were both born and raised right in Alexander, and re-



turned in 1972 to the Link family farm to operate it. Alongside Walt's brothers Marvin and Donald, they raised cattle, wheat, durum, and other crops. Susan ran her own beauty shop in town for several years, and were active members of the Lions Club, fire depart-

ment, and Trinity
Lutheran Church.
Susan had a passion for animals,
and raised both
show-quality Collie dogs and Arabian horses.

Walt passed in September 2012, after an extended cancer battle. His grandson Chris currently operates the

family farm, and Susan enjoys sharing her love of horses with her six grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Old Settlers will kick off Thursday with the Alexander Comet's girl volleyball team facing the White Shield Warriors at 5 and 6 p.m, at the school. The Color Run/Walk will start at 7 p.m., with registration at 6 p.m. on the east side of the park. Contact Brittni Hatter at 970-683-0388 with any questions. There will be a bonfire next to the

park that evening at 8 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 1 will start
with a chili cook-off on Main
Street at 11 a.m., followed
by the soap-box derby at 2
p.m. For more information
on these events call Kristin
at 701-793-5165 for the
chili cookoff, and Martin at

701-580-8338 for the soapbox derby. The Alexander Comet's boys football team will play the Dunseith Dragons at 7 p.m. From 8:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Double XL Entertainment will be the performing DJ at the Alex-

ander Bar & Grill. Saturday has a full roster, starting at 8 a.m., with the parade registration, running until 10:15 a.m. The parade will start at 11 a.m. and make two laps around town, with spectators mostly gathering along Elk St. and in the park. There will be vendor and craft booths in the park until 5 p.m. and a barbecue starting at noon. In the new Fire Hall northwest of the park, a senior citizen social will be held to provide shelter from the weather,

and a quieter place to visit. Snacks and drinks will be offered at the hall, and the social is sponsored by the Alexander Economic Development Committee.

At 2 p.m., the Redneck Olympics will begin at the old arena on the southside of Alexander. Events will include cornhole, horseshoes, slip "n" slide relay, and mud volleyball. Requirements are that teams consist of four people, 21 and older, and a \$100 registration fee per team. There is also a separate cornhole only tournament at 2 p.m., on Main Street. Registration for that event is at 1 p.m. The last event of Old Settlers is the street dance, with live music by "Drive by Night", from 9 p.m.-1 a.m.

4th Annual "War in Watford" Sept. 8 & 9

By Jaymi Mozeak

The 4th Annual "War in Watford", a family friendly event with fun for all ages, will take place on Friday, Sept. 8, and Saturday, Sept. 9, starting at 7 p.m.

The Minot Minotauros and Bismarck Bobcats will battle it out on the ice. Those two teams are part of the NAHL Central Division. The teams are all junior hockey teams. According to the NAHL website, www.nahl. com, the NAHL is part of the USA Hockey National Junior Development Model, which includes the USHL and the US National Team Development Program. The NAHL works closely with

NCAA College Hockey, the NHL, the USHL, and USA Hockey's National Development Program in order best serve as an imperative piece in the development system for collegiate and professional hockey. All NAHL hockey teams are privately owned and operate as a business similar in structure

and business operations as those involving professional hockey teams. Such operations include ticket sales, corporate sales, broadcasting, and community-based initiatives and outreach programs. NAHL athletes are provided the opportunity to develop, learn, train, grow, and succeed while playing

for free.

On Sept. 8 and 9 the game starts at 7 p.m., but the doors open at 5:30 p.m. There will be concessions, a cash bar, 50/50 tickets, chuck-a-puck, jersey auctions, intermission games, and a chance to win a 2023 Dodge Ram pickup. While there is a hockey club in

Watford City, NAHL games are not normally played there. The Rough Rider Center has a long-standing relationship with the two teams and everyone comes together to bring the War in Watford to the ice.

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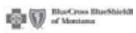
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 1 p.m. 3 p.m. Grief Reovery Support group, First Lutheran Church music room, Watford City.
- 7 p.m. Live Free Narcotics Anonymous, Church of God., 814 6th St. NE, Sidney, MT.
- 8 p.m. AA Group, Northern Pump & Compression, Watford City. Call 770-3603 or 770-2675 for directions or ride. Hotline/Info 701-609-8663.
- **7 p.m.** AA Welcome Home Group, Sunny's Family Restaurant, 102 E. Main St., Sidney, MT, Central Avenue Entrance.
- 7 p.m. 24-hour Women's AA group meeting, Northern Pump & Compression, Watford City. Hotline/Info 701-609-8663. 7 p.m. - Live Free Narcotics Anonymous, Church of
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- 7 p.m. Al-Anon Meeting, Presbyterian Church, 316 4th Ave. NE, Watford City, ND.
 8 p.m. AA Group, Northern Pump & Compression,
- Watford City. Call 770-3603 or 770-2675 for directions or ride. Hotline/Info 701-609-8663.
- 6:30 p.m.- 5 Stones Faith Based Recovery meeting, Sidney First Church of the Nazarene, 606 9th St. SW Back door is open.
- 7 p.m. Live Free Narcotics Anonymous, Church of God., 814 6th St. NE, Sidney, MT. 7 p.m. – AA Welcome Home Group, Sunny's Family
- Restaurant, 102 E. Main St., Sidney, MT, Central Avenue Entrance. **SATURDAYS:**
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- 7 p.m. AA Welcome Home Group, Sunny's Family Restaurant, 102 E. Main St., Sidney, MT, Central Avenue Entrance.
- 7 p.m. AA 24 group meeting, Northern Pump & Compression, Watford City. Hotline/Info 701-609-SUNDAYS:
- 7 p.m. Live Free Narcotics Anonymous, Church of
- God., 814 6th St. NE, Sidney, MT.

 7 p.m. AA Welcome Home Group, Sunny's Family Restaurant, 102 E. Main St., Sidney, MT, Central Avenue Entrance.

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Aug.	19	79	59	0.000
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OBITUARIES

Patricia Joanne (Dwyer) Idler, 69, Reno, NV, formerly of Alexander, ND

Patricia Joanne (Dwyer) Idler was born Feb. 19, 1954 in Williston, ND, to Thomas (Lester) Dwyer and Edla (James) Dwyer. She went home to their farm five miles south of Alexander to join her three siblings Benjamin, Robert, and Elizabeth. She enjoyed an idyllic childhood growing up on the family farm, swimming in the stock dam and roaming the countryside with her dog and best friend Prince. She was active in 4-H in her formative years and participated in various oratorical contests. Her life was impacted



Patricia Joanne (Dwyer) Idler

significantly by a summer she spent at the Grafton State School as a Junior in high school helping to take care of its intellectually challenged residents. She was selected as the National Spring Wheat Queen and participated in the Miss North Dakota Pageant where she was awarded Miss Congeniality. All of us who knew Patty would not be surprised by this award. She graduated from Alexander High School in 1972 and matriculated at the University of North Dakota (UND) that same fall. She attained a Bachelor's Degree in speech pathology and audiology in 1976. She enrolled in graduate school and attained a Master's Degree in learning

While at UND she met her future husband, Randy Idler. They were married at Trinity Lutheran Church, Alexander, ND, July 5, 1974. They moved to Bellevue, NE, where she set up the first self-contained Learning Disabilities classroom in the school district. They then moved to Tucson, AZ, where she was a Learning Disabilities consultant for the Marana Unified School District. The next stop was Salt Lake City, UT, where she again functioned as a Learning Disabilities teacher for the Canyon School District. Finally, in 1982 they moved to Reno, NV, where in December of that year, she gave birth to her first beautiful boy, Rory. Two and a half years later it was time for another miracle and Randy Keegan was ushered into the world. Patty elected to give up her career as a resource teacher and devote all her efforts to raising her family. She was a passionately devoted mother, focusing her seemingly bottomless energy reserves on providing for her boys. Whether it was becoming a leprechaun for St. Patrick's Day, a witch for Halloween, or a gypsy crystal ball gazer, she was always there for Rory and Keegan. She was also active in Junior League, but her real passion was the Northern Nevada International Center (NNIC). She opened up her home for many years to host Eastern Block participants in the center's educational programs. She served as the Board of Governors of the NNIC president, and was later given the status of Member Emeritus.

Near the end of the war with Afghanistan she became increasingly dismayed by the number of US servicemen being killed and maimed by terrorist attacks with IEDs and suicide bombers. To stop this, she started a non-profit organization to allow widowed Afghan women to provide for their families and thus lessen the likelihood of their children being recruited by an Islamic extremist madras and enticed to become a suicide bomber. Her plan was to pay the women to manufacture footwear in their homes which could be sold in the US with any profits given back to the widows. The name of the NGO was "Boots for Peace".

She had a special relationship with her sister Beth and her family, but we are all going to miss her boundless energy, kind heart and warm smile.

Patty was preceded in death by her son Rory, brother Benjamin, and her parents Thomas and Edla Dwyer. She is survived by her husband Randy Idler, son Keegan (Lindsay) Idler, sister Elizabeth (Tim) Hermanson and brother Robert (Deborah) Dwver.

Youth & **Nicotine Pouches - A** New Trend?

Submitted by Jacklyn Damm, Tobacco Education Specialist Richland County Health Department

In 2016, nicotine pouches entered the US market and have drastically increased in popularity since then. Fruit-flavored pouches were the most popular and outsold all other types in the first six months of 2020. One of the brands in our area that have been popular with the youth are called "Zyn". Others are Velo, Juice Head, breakers, ON!, Rouge, GR1NDS, to name a few.

Nicotine pouches are oral tobacco products that dissolve nicotine salt-based powder in the mouth without requiring spitting. These products come in many flavors and colorful packaging that look like mint containers.

Any form of nicotine is highly addictive and can harm brain development through the age of 25. Nicotine is linked to symptoms of depression and anxiety in youth.

Thirteen percent of youth ages 15-24 surveyed in 2020 used nicotine pouches. In fact, sales have increased from \$710,000 in 2016 to \$217,000,000 in 2020. We all know data takes time, so these numbers have more likely increased in the past three years.

Many products are marketed as tobacco-free alternatives to smoking which may seem low-risk and safer, however these claims are not authorized by the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA) Many nicotine pouches do not contain tobacco leaf, but still contain nicotine derived from the tobacco.

With the popularity of vaping and now also candy flavored nicotine pouches, we have a lot of addicted youth. Quitting is hard. That's why My Life, My Quit is available as a free and confidential way for youth to quit nicotine products. My Life My Quit also offers resources for parents, educators and health care professionals. To learn more visit mylifemy quit.com or text "Start My Quit" to 36072 or call Tobacco Education Specialist, Jacklyn Damm at the Richland County Health Department, 406-433-2207 for more information.

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Events in Sidney unless otherwise listed. MT.

Wed., Aug. 23 10 a.m.-4 p.m. - Pat Olding "Montana Fabric" Exhibition - Through Aug. 26.- "Montana By Food" Exhibit - Through Aug. 26.- MonDak Heritage Center,

Tues.-Fri., 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sat., 1-4 p.m. For more info, 406-433-3500, or mdhc@richland.org. Fri., Aug. 25

1 p.m. - Reynolds Market Annual Watermelon Eating Contest - Age groups: 6-8, 9-11, 12-15, 16 & up. Reynolds Market patio, 404 N. Central Ave. Register 15 minutes before event starts or email names & ages to support@reynoldsmarket.com.

Fri., Aug. 25 & Sat. Aug. 26, 7:30 a.m.- 7 p.m. & Sun. **Aug. 27,** 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sidney Ace Hardware's Grand Opening – Donuts & coffee all 3 days, board cutting ceremony 11:30 a.m. Friday. Aug. 26: Freewill donation BBQ, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. with proceeds going to the Boys and Girls Clubs of the Mondak; Batman & his batmobile will be making an appearance from 10 a.m.-4 p.m., 500 N. Central Ave. in The Shoppes at Fox Run.

Sat., Aug. 26 (Every Sat. through Oct. 14)
7:30 a.m.-12 p.m. - Richland County Farmers Market
- Richland County County Outputhouse parking lot, corner of 2nd St. NW & 2nd Ave. NW.

Sat., Aug. 26
10 a.m. - "Back to School" Treasure Egg Hunt: For children 0-10. Moose Park. Prize eggs are cash prizes. All children will receive a gift.

12 p.m. - Honor Ride & Appreciation Day - All riders! Classic cars welcome. Free to all service members. Kickstands up 1:15 p.m., 6-8 p.m. burgers & brats; 7 p.m. last cards in; 7-11 p.m. music at the Elks. Stops: Sidney VFW Post 4099 to register; Smokey's Beer Depot, Bainville; Midway Junction, Williston; Alexander Bar, Alexander; Waterhole #3, Fairview, Sidney Elks Lodge 1782, Sidney. Proceeds to VFW Post 4099 Needy Veterans Fund.

5 p.m. - Preacher in the Patch & Friends Fairview - Everyone welcome. Heather Roland & the Alliance Band, Riley Dakota & The Sweet Crude Band, The Evitt Session, Brent Clark Ramsey & Ron Evitt.. Dinner 5 p.m.; bands 6 p.m. SuperValu Parking Lot, Fairview. For more info visit www.preacherinthepatch.com. 6 p.m. - Eastern Montana's Night at the Park - Free to all. Live music, Luau show & Polynesian (Tongan & Hawaiian) food vendor. Veterans Memorial Park, 218 6th St. SE.

Wed., Aug. 30, 8 a.m. - Thurs., Sept. 7, 5 p.m. 'MDHC's 42nd Annual Quilt & Needwork Show Enter your quilted works of art. - MonDak Heritage Center, Tues.-Fri., 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sat., 1-4 p.m. For more info, 406-433-3500, or mdhc@richland.org. Fri., Sept. 8, 3-7 p.m. & Sat., Sept. 9, 8 a.m.-noon e-rase your e-waste Sidney - Richland County Shop. For more info call 406-433-2207. Sat., Sept. 9

8:30-9:30 a.m. - Wanna Be An Elk 4-Person Golf Scramble & Larry Lynde Benefit - Golf scramble registration 8:30-9:30 a.m. at Sidney Country Club, tee off 10 a.m. Registration forms can be picked up at the Elks Lodge 1782. Price is \$75 per golfer. - Larry Lynde Benefit - 5 p.m., Sidney Elks Lodge. Free will offering brisket & pulled pork dinner. Silent & live auctions 7 p.m. Financial donations can be made at the Elks. For more info on the benefit, call Josh Herman at 509-951-2296; on the golf scramble call Ryan Laqua at 406-480-9052 or call the Elks Lodge at 406-433-2406.

10 a.m.-noon - e-rase your e-waste Fairview - Water Depot on 9th St. For more info call 406-433-2207. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. - Boys & Girls Club of the MonDak Color Race - Race registration 9 a.m., color race 10 a.m. 5K course run/walk; Family friendly, fun kids activities. Peterson Park, next to The Lodge. Free BBQ after run. Online registration at https://runsignup.com/ Race/MT/Sidney/2022ColorRace or call 406-433-6763; \$25 until Sept. 1; \$35 after Sept. 1 or a team of up to 10 people for \$125.

2-5 p.m. - Touch-a-Truck - Families with young kids come explore all kinds of vehicles, fire trucks, cop cars, construction equipment & more. Vendors & food trucks. Can bring donations such as canned foods and baby blankets that will be donated to the local food bank & Sunrise Women's Clinic. Richland County Fairgrounds, east side grass parking lot. For more info email MamasHMamas23@gmail.com.

ROOSEVELT COUNTY

Events in Culbertson unless otherwise listed. MT. Mon., Sept. 3

12 p.m. - Stateline Mud Drag 2023 - Classes: Stock, Super Stock, Modified, Open. Kids Power Wheels Races: Stock; Improved; Open. 11 & older: \$15; 6-10: \$5; 5 & under: free. 2 Hwy. 2, Bainville.

McKenzie County

Events in Watford City unless otherwise listed. CT. Thurs., Aug. 24 - (Every Thurs. through Sept. 28) 5:30-7:30 p.m. - Watford Market - Includes live music, food & demonstrations. Kent Pelton Nature Park, 501 7th St. SE. For more info visit Watford Market Facebook page https://www.facebook.com/watfordmarketnd. Sat., Aug. 26

12 p.m. - Wildlife Management Program Rules and **Proficiency Class** – Rules & proficiency class for archery hunters. McKenzie Co. Sportsman's Club. Call Watford City Police Dept., 701-444–2400 to register. 1-3:30 p.m. - Kids .22 Shoot at McKenzie County Sportsman's Club - Ammo provided by the club for under 16. 16+ \$5 box. Parental supervision a must. Thurs., Aug. 31, 5 p.m., Fri., Sept. 1, 11 a.m., Sat., Sept. 2, 11 a.m. Alexander 78th Annual Old Settler's Day Celebration

· Aug. 31: Alexander volleyball vs. White Shield, Color run/walk, bonfire. Sept. 1: Chili cook off; soapbox derby, Alexander football vs. Dunseith; music. Sept. 2: Parade, BBQ, Senior Citizen Social, Redneck Olympics cornhole tournament, Street Dance. For more info call Jerry, 406-489-0281 or Brittini, 970-683-0388.

WILLIAMS COUNTY

Events in Williston unless otherwise listed. CT. Thurs., Aug. 24

5-9 p.m. - Summer Nights On Main "Josey & The Whalers" - Live music, amazing food, drinks, kids activities & more. Downtown Williston.

Sat., Aug. 26 (Every Sat. until Sept. 26) 9 a.m.-12 p.m. - Main Street Market - Vendors will offer

homemade & home grown goods & foods. Hedderich's lot downtown Williston. Sun., Aug. 27

2 p.m. - History and Nature Lecture Series - Join artist & art history enthusiast Jessica Newman for "Artist George Catlin & the Visual History of Tribal Cultures.' Missouri-Yellowstone Confluence Interpretive Center. For more info call 701-572-9034.

DAWSON COUNTY

Events in Glendive unless otherwise listed. MT

Wed., Aug. 30

8 p.m. - Full Moon Hike: Hike with the full moon light under the Makoshika night sky, led by Makoshika State Park staff. S'mores will be available! Visitor Center. For more info call 406-377-6256 or check the Facebook page.

Mercer-Turtle Lake Rodeo Club's 17th Annual **Bull Riding & Ranch Bronc Riding**

By Katelyn Sponheim

Next to Brush Lake, ND, the Mercer-Turtle Lake Rodeo Club is preparing for its annual end-of-season event. For 17 years now, they have hosted their bull riding and ranch bronc riding competition. It will take place Sept. 2, starting at 3 p.m., and offers more than just bulls and broncs!

With an atmosphere combining the lake crowd "in their golf carts and flip flops" according to Karen Zinke, and your roughstock fans, it's a show worth inviting your family and friends to enjoy a "last hurrah" of summer. They offer mut-

ton-busting for competitors in the 40 lb. or under range, steer riding for older children, junior bull riding for 16 and under, and the open bull and ranch bronc riding. Dick Woodbury, the rodeo clown on duty, keeps anyone else wanting arena time on their literal toes with both adult and kid boot scrambles.

A portable arena is set up on the long-abandoned softball diamond, and then stock is brought in by several stock contractors. Eckroth Rodeo Bulls, Wildman Rodeo Company, and several others will be providing the sheep, steers, bulls, and broncs. Winners of each

event will receive a belt buckle and prize money. Each bull rider will have two head to ride, and an average prize will be awarded to the rider with the best combined score. The bull riding has \$2,800 added money, and the ranch bronc has \$2,500 added

After the competition, head to the pavilion; it's a large steel multi-purpose building at the south end of Brush Lake. Rosie's Bar and Grill will be hosting a dance for all to enjoy! If interested in entering, call Karen at 701-861-9782 or Randy at 701-447-2242.



Karen Zinke with the 2022 mutton busting winner at the Mercer-Turtle Lake Rodeo Club's Bull Riding & Ranch Bronc Riding event. (Submitted photo)

Financial Advisor Lauren Sukut, Edward Jones, Receives Certified Financial Planner (TM) Certification

Financial Advisor Lauren Sukut, of the financial services firm Edward Jones, Sidney, MT, has received the Certified Financial Planner(TM), or CFP®, certification, granted by the Certified Financial Planner Board of Standards (CFP Board).

Becoming a CFP® professional expands a financial advisor's knowledge base in the following areas:

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In addition to the education and examination components of certification, Sukut also has committed to abiding by the CFP® Board's Code of Ethics and Standards of Conduct.

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people achieve financially



Lauren Sukut. (Photo submitted)

what is most important to them. The Edward Jones website is at edwardjones. com, and its recruiting website is careers.

Touch-A-Truck Sidney Sept. 9

Sidney Sunrise City Coffee Ribbon Cutting

Sidney has a new business that's ready to serve the community. Sunrise City

Coffee, 110 N. Central Ave., next to Magic Mirror Hair Salon. They held their

ribbon-cutting on Saturday morning, Aug. 19. The owners are Sterling and

Jackie Mullett. Sterling grew up in Bloomfield and Jackie is from Glendive.

Sterling has lived in Sidney for the past 10 years. Jackie has worked in the

coffee business for a long time. "We thought there was another side of coffee

that we could bring to Sidney," said Sterling. "My wife is a painter and she has

her art for sale. We also sell wood pieces from Stipek Station out of Glendive.

We're excited to be here to help serve your coffee needs." Pictured (L-R)

Lindsey Laurence, Sean Riordan, Keri Riordan, Jackie Mullett, Faith Mullet,

Sterling Mullett, Liz Schmierer, Megan Garza, Shay Steinbeisser, Cambri

Steinbeisser, Tatum Steinbeisser and Lonnie Swigart. (Photo by Robyn Heck)

By Robyn Heck

Mamas Helping Mamas, under the direction of Rylee Schroeder and Jaden Sovern, will be presenting the first annual Touch-a-Truck Event on Sept. 9 from 2-5 p.m., at the Richland County Fairgrounds.

There will be fire trucks, cop cars, and construction equipment for families with younger kids to gather and get hands on with the vehicles of our town that make it a safe and a functioning

community. Vendors and food trucks will also be avail-

"We have seen other communities put on the event with a great turn out and figured why not bring that here?", said organizer Jaden Sovern.

There is no cost for the event, but attendees are asked to bring a canned good to donate to the food bank, or size 5/6 diapers or a new baby outfit to donate to the Sunrise Women's Clinic.

If anyone would like to donate to Mamas Helping Mamas, sponsor Toucha-Truck, bring a vehicle to the event, or even set up an informational booth at the event, please email mamashmamas23@gmail. com. The organizers are also looking for booths with activities for the kids.

Let's kick off the new school year with a little more outdoor fun before the unpredictable Montana winter

Extraordinary Nurses Recognized At McKenzie Health

Submitted by Lynn Welker-Fevold, MMHC. **ACHE | Consultant & CEO**

Aug. 18 - (Watford City, ND) - Nurses at McKenzie Health will soon be honored with the DAISY Award for Extraordinary Nurses®. The award is part of the DAISY Foundation's mission to recognize the extraordinary, compassionate nursing care they provide patients and families every day.

The DAISY Foundation is a not-for-profit organization, established in memory of J. Patrick Barnes, by members of his family. Patrick died at the age of 33 in late 1999 from complications of Idiopathic Thrombocytopenic Purpura (ITP), a little known but not uncommon auto-immune disease. (DAI-SY is an acronym for Diseases Attacking the Immune System.) The care Patrick and his family received from nurses while he was ill inspired this unique means of thanking nurses for making a profound difference in the lives of their patients and patient families.

Nurses may be nominated by patients, families, and colleagues. The award recipient is chosen by a committee at McKenzie Health to receive the DAISY Award. Awards are presented throughout the year at celebrations attended by the honoree's colleagues, patients, and visitors. Each honoree receives a certificate commending her or him as an "Extraordinary Nurse". The certificate reads: "In deep appreciation of all you do, who you are, and the incredibly meaningful difference you make in the lives of so many people." Honorees also receive a DAISY Award pin and a beautiful and meaningful sculpture called "A Healer's Touch", hand-carved by artists of the Shona Tribe in Zimbabwe.

Bonnie Barnes, FAAN, Doctor of Humane Letters (h.c) and The DAISY Foundation Co-Founder said "When Patrick was critically ill, our family experienced first-hand the remarkable skill and care nurses provide patients every day and night. Yet these unsung heroes are seldom recognized for the super-human, extraordinary, compassionate work they do. The kind of work the nurses at McKenzie Health are called on to do every day

epitomizes the purpose of the DAISY Award."

Cheryl Faulkner, Chief Nursing Officer said, "We are proud to be among the healthcare organizations participating in the DAISY Award program. Nurses go above and beyond every day. It's important that our nurses know their work is highly valued, and The DAI-SY Foundation provides a way for us to do that."

In addition to the DAI-SY Award for Extraordinary Nurses, the Foundation expresses gratitude to the nursing profession internationally in thousands of healthcare facilities and schools of nursing with recognition of Nurse-led Teams, Nurse Leaders, Nurses Advancing Health Equity, Nursing Ethics, Nursing Faculty, Nursing Students, Lifetime Achievement in Nursing and through the J. Patrick Barnes Grants for Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice Projects, Medical Mission Grants and their new Health Equity Grant programs. More information is available at http:// DAISYfoundation.org.



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LEGALS NOTICE PRELIMINARY BUDGET

The preliminary budget for the 2023-2024 fiscal year for the Town of Fairview will be on file at the Fairview Town Hall in the office of the clerk and will be open to inspection by the public beginning September 1, 2023. The Public Hearing on the proposed budget will be held September 6, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. at the Fairview Senior Center.

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CLS) or Medical Laboratory

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Dietician

Any taxpayer or resident may appear at the hearing and be heard for or against any part of the budget.

The Fairview Town Council will hold a special Town Council Meeting following the hearing and consider the adoption of the 2023-2024 annual budget at said meeting.

For further information contact the Fairview Town Clerk at Fairview Town Hall, P.O. Box 426, 318 South Central Avenue, Fairview, MT 59221; by email at townoffairview@midrivers. com; or call (406) 742-5616 to request an accommodation for a disability. Dated at Fairview, Montana this 21st day of August, 2023.

Norma F. Carlson Fairview Town Clerk Fairview, MT

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MONTANA SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, **RICHLAND COUNTY**

IN THE MATTER OF THE **ESTATE OF** ROBERT MILLER,

Deceased. Probate No. DP-42-2022-065-IT

Representative

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of the abovenamed estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred. Claims must either be mailed to ANTHONY A MILLER C/O

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ARMSTRONG LAW OFFICE. P.C. return receipt requested, at P.O. Box 1327, Sidney, Montana 59270, or filed with the Clerk of the above Court.

I DECLARE, under penalty of perjury and under the Laws of the State of Montana, that the foregoing is true and correct. DATED this 17th day of August, 2023, at Belgrade, MT.

ANTHONY A. MILLER, Personal Representative of the Estate of Robert Miller, deceased.

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NOTICE OF DISPOSAL OF TAX-DEED LANDS BY SALE AT PUBLIC **AUCTION**

NOTICE HEREBY IS GIVEN, that each of the tax-deed lands listed and described below shall be sold by Richland County, Montana at public auction at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on Wednesday the 6th day of September, 2023 in the Commissioners' Chambers on the third floor of the Richland County Courthouse, 201 West Main, Sidney, Richland County, Montana.

As required by § 7-8-2301(2), MCA, prior to entering an order of disposal of any of the lands, the Board of County Commissioners determined and fixed the price of each parcel to be sold, as stated in the listing below; and the sale may not be made for a price less than the sales price determined and fixed by the Board.

As required by § 7-8-2302(2), MCA, the fair market value of the lands as determined and fixed by the Montana Department of Revenue is stated in the listing below.

All sales are subject to the following repurchase rights pursuant to § 7-8-2303, MCA: At any time up to 24 hours before the time fixed for the sale, the taxpayer or the taxpayer's successor in interest or legal representative may repurchase the property from the county, subject to the reservations provided for in § 7-8-2305, MCA, by payment to the county of the full amount of the taxes assessments, penalties, and interest due on the land at the time of taking the tax deed plus interest on the full amount at the rate provided for in § 15-16-102, MCA, from the date of the tax deed to the date of repurchase as well as the costs of the county in taking the tax deed and additional taxes or assessments due, if any, at the time of repurchase.

Pursuant to § 7-8-2305(2), MCA, the county will reserve 61/4% royalty interest in the oil, gas, other hydrocarbons, and minerals produced from each of the lands.

Conveyance will be by quit claim deed without warranty of title.

List of Lands to Be Sold Lot 43, Block 8, South Meadow Village Subdivision Phase I, Richland County, Montana, according to the official plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Clerk and Recorder of Richland County, Montana

Prior Deed Reference: A169, 698

Geo Code: 27-3444-29-3-06-07-0000

Fair market value, \$88,298.00

Price, \$1,333.67

Lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, and 17, Block 2, Wilkinson Subdivision Phase II, Richland County, Montana, according to the official plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Clerk and Recorder of Richland County, Montana Prior Deed Reference: A169, 696

Geo Codes: 27-3444-30-3-06-13-0000, 27-3444-30-3-06-14-0000. 27-3444-30-3-06-15-0000, 27-3444-30-3-06-16-0000, 27-3444-30-3-06-17-0000, 27-3444-30-3-06-18-0000, 27-3444-30-3-06-19-0000. 27-3444-30-3-06-20-0000, 27-3444-30-3-06-21-0000, and 27-3444-30-3-06-22-0000

Fair market values for each lot: Lot 8, \$57,555.00; Lot 9, \$57,892.00; Lot 10, \$57,953.00; Lot 11, \$48,540.00; Lot 12, \$49,226.00; Lot 13, \$48,540.00; Lot 14, \$48,540.00; Lot 15, \$48.281.00: Lot 16. \$48.540.00. and Lot 17, \$49.305.00. Price for Lots 8 through 17,

\$7.967.00 STEPHANIE VERHASSELT

County Clerk & Recorder

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CALL FOR COMPETITIVE BIDS FOR STORAGE BUILDING **ADDITION AND STORAGE BUILDING REMODEL RICHLAND COUNTY WEED DEPARTMENT**

NOTICE HEREBY IS GIVEN that the Board of County Commissioners of Richland County, Montana calls for competitive bids for a "Storage

Building Addition and Storage Building Remodel" for the Richland County Weed Department, Richland County, Montana, more particularly specified below.

Successful bidder shall remodel existing post frame 5 bay storage building to accommodate 4 new 10' X 12' wide overhead noninsulated metal low headroom doors, install a new 36" exterior entry door. Install a new preengineered post frame structure addition 32' x 30' attached to the north end of existing storage building, with 10'-6" sidewalls, along with required concrete footings, 2 new 10' x 12' wide overhead non-insulated metal low headroom doors. All new metal roof and siding shall match existing color as close as possible. Interior grading shall be completed by the contractor. Exterior site work and preparation of all gravel shall be completed by Owner. All electrical, lighting, plumbing, etc. shall be completed by the Owner. Upon severance from the premises by removal, the same shall become the personal property of successful bidder who shall be free to salvage or dispose of the same and retain

any proceeds thereof. Successful bidder shall finish completely remodeling and constructing the new addition within one-hundred twenty (120) days from award of the contract. Any extension of time must be approved in writing by Richland County Weed Department Director. Full payment shall be made upon full completion of the construction to the reasonable satisfaction of Richland County Weed Department Director. Bid Documents can be requested

County Weed Department, all questions regarding project details shall be submitted to the Weed Department Director. The Board of County Commissioners will receive sealed bids at the office of the

or viewed at the Richland

County Clerk and Recorder, Richland County Courthouse, 201 West Main, Sidney, MT 59270 until 11:00 a.m. on September 11th, 2023. Bidders must obtain, sign,

and include with their bid a contract in the form available from the Director of Weed Department, Richland County Weed Department: 2648 West Holly, Sidney, MT 59270: Attn: Dave Haverkamp (Director) 406-433-9047.

Requests for ADA/EEO accommodations or information should be directed to Stephanie Verhasselt, Richland County Clerk & Recorder, 201 West Main Street, Sidney, MT or 406.433.1708 (phone), by noon on September 1, 2023. Alternative accessible formats of this notice are available upon request.

No bid shall be considered unless accompanied by bid bond, bank draft, money order, certified or cashier's check in the amount of not less than ten percent (10%) of the total bid. The bid shall be presented in a sealed envelope containing a complete copy of the bid proposal, bidder's certification and specifications clearly marked:

Bidders must include with their bid a completed and signed Form W-9, Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification.

Bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope marked "SEALED BID STORAGE **BUILDING ADDITION AND** STORAGE BUILDING REMODEL." No bids will be accepted by fax, telephone, email, or orally.

The date set for opening of bids is: September 11th, 2023. The time set for opening of bids

is: Eleven O'clock am (11:00 a.m.). The place set for opening of

bids is: Chambers of the Board of County Commissioners, Third Floor, Richland County Courthouse, 201 West Main, Sidney, Montana.

Contract award shall be considered at the regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners on September 18th, 2023 at eleven o'clock (11:00 a.m.) The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids received and to waive irregularities and informalities to the extent allowed by law and in the interest of the taxpayers and the public. If an award is made, it shall be communicated with reasonable promptness by written letter of award and copy of the contract signed by the appropriate officials of the County.

A contract, if one is let, will be awarded to the lowest and best qualified bid. In determining the awardee, the Board may consider whether the bidder: can complete the removal within the time specified: has adequate personnel and equipment to do the work safely, properly, and expeditiously; has suitable financial base to meet the obligations incidental to the work; has appropriate experience: has completed all

items required in this call for bids: has inserted no qualifying phrases or modifications on any of its bid documents; and whether the bidder maintains a permanent place of business. Dated at Sidney, Montana, this the 14th day of August, 2023. RICHLAND COUNTY. **MONTANA**

By: LOREN H YOUNG, Chairman Board of County Commissioners ATTEST:

STEPHANIE VERHASSELT County Clerk.

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NEPOTISM NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to the requirements of § 2-2-302. MCA. the Board of Trustees of Lambert School District No. 86&4 intends to take action on the following matter at a Board Meeting to be held on the 28th day of August 2023, at 7:00 p.m. in the Lambert School

The possible employment of Jodi Carda who is related to Brent Carda by marriage for the position of paraprofessional. If you have any questions, comments or objections prior to said Board Meeting, please direct all such inquiries to:

Heiderose Barth Superintendent Lambert School District No.

86&4 Phone Number: 406-774-3333

ext. 1103 Fax Number: 406-774-3335

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Representative MONTANA SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, RICHLAND COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF LYNN B. PETERSON,

Deceased. Probate No. DP-42-2023-062-IT

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN been appointed Personal Representative of the abovenamed estate. All persons having claims against the said deceased are required to present their claims within four months after the date of the first publication of this Notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Claims must either be mailed to JESSICA KWASNEY, C/O ARMSTRONG LAW OFFICE, P.C. return receipt requested, at P.O. Box 1327, Sidney, Montana 59270, or filed with the Clerk of the above Court.

I DECLARE, under penalty of perjury and under the Laws of the State of Montana, that the foregoing is true and correct. DATED this 8th day of August, 2023, at Sidney, Montana.

JESSICA KWASNEY, Personal Representative of the Estate of Lynn B. Peterson, deceased.

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Celtic Guitarist Jerry Barlow Returns To Sidney-Richland County Library

Submitted by Miranda Evenson

The Sidney-Richland County Library is pleased to once again welcome acclaimed Celtic guitarist and storyteller Jerry Barlow for a special concert. The program will be held Tuesday, Sept. 12 at 6:30 p.m. at the library, 121 3rd Ave. NW, Sidney. The program is sponsored by the library and is free to the community.

As a touring performer, Barlow travels throughout the Midwest, South and Rocky Mountain regions presenting his program of music, history, and humor from the British Isles. Before the closing of the border, Barlow spent several weeks

in Cape Breton, NS, where he learned a smattering of Gaelic and marveled at the history of the Great Clans. He has included some Cape Breton-style step-dance music in his program!

Barlow's program features music and stories from the medieval time of Scottish, Irish and English history - a time filled with wonderful legend and lore. There will be ample opportunity for some toe-tapping, some sing-along and even some step-dancing if you are so inclined

"In concert, Jerry brings traditional Celtic tunes alive by sharing the history, legend and humor behind the music. Jerry Barlow ... a per-

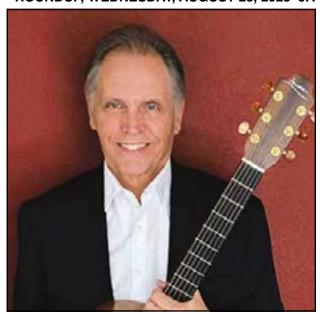
former who is skilled, funny, and riveting. Out of the many musicians performing today, the vast majority are skilled either at performing on their instrument or entertaining an audience. It is extremely rare to see a musician at the top of his craft in both areas," says Scott Beach, Colorado Celtic Entertainment director.

Barlow's just-released CD, entitled "Of Castles and Kings", features music from this program as well as traditional favorites. His recording, "Fields and Fences", was one of five finalists for the Instrumental Album of the Year Award by the Independent Music Awards. The Indie acoustic project

selected "Bring Down The Storm" as one of the best songs of 2006.

Music from Barlow's recordings can be heard on national public radio stations. He has been featured in "Fingerstyle Magazine", and was profiled in "Celtic Connection". He has performed for the Alliance Arts Council, Alliance, NE, High Plains public radio's living room concert series, Amarillo, TX, and a multitude of arts centers and libraries along the way.

For more information, call the Sidney-Richland County Library at 406-433-1917 or visit http://www.jerrybarlow.com/.



Jerry Barlow. (Photo submitted)

Lunch Menus

<u>Sidney School</u> Thurs., Aug. 24: Hot dogs, oven wedges, mixed fruit, cookies.

Fri., Aug. 25: No school. Mon., Aug. 28: Chicken alfredo over pasta, steamed broccoli, peaches.

Tues., Aug. 29: Hot ham & cheese, cheesy potatoes, strawberry cups.

Wed., Aug. 30: Hamburger gravy over potatoes, green beans, pears, hot rolls.

Savage School
Thurs., Aug. 24: Barber

Fri., Aug. 25: No school. Mon., Aug. 28: Slushburg-

Tues., Aug. 29: Chicken gravy. Wed., Aug. 30: Mini corn dogs.

Froid School
Thurs., Aug. 24: Pepperoni

cheese pizzas, lettuce mix, fruit, salad bar. **Fri., Aug. 25:** Polish dogs,

sauerkraut, cooked carrots, bananas, salad bar. **Mon., Aug. 28:** BBQ pulled pork on buns, fries, broccoli,

pineapple, salad bar. **Tues., Aug. 29:** Teriyaki chicken, veggies over rice, egg rolls, oranges, salad

bar.

Wed., Aug. 30: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, buns, peas, dessert.

Bainville School

Thurs., Aug. 24: Turkey sandwiches, snap peas, chips, peaches.
Fri., Aug. 25: Creamy beef

& rotini, green beans, bananas. **Mon., Aug. 28:** Hot dogs,

macaroni & cheese, broccoli, apples..

Tues., Aug. 29: Tacos,

beans, corn, tropical fruit.

Wed., Aug. 30: Salisbury steaks, green beans, peaches.

Richey School

Thurs., Aug. 24: Baked potato bar, carrots, cookies, fruit, salad bar.

Fri., Aug. 25: No school. Mon., Aug. 28: Hot dog bar, green beans, cookies, fruit, salad bar.

Tues., Aug. 29: Chicken & waffles, mixed veggies, fruit, salad bar.

Wed., Aug. 30: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes & gravy, corn, bars, fruit, salad bar.

Culbertson School
Thurs., Aug. 24: Turkey

bacon wraps, potato salad, strawberry cups.

Fri., Aug. 25: Mini corn dogs, baked beans, mixed fruit.

Mon., Aug. 28: Cheese ravioli, garlic bread, green beans.

Tues., Aug. 29: Chicken nuggets, cooked carrots,

pears.

Wed., Aug. 30: Taco in a

bag, refried beans, pudding.

Lambert School

Thurs., Aug. 24: Enchiladas, fresh veggie, fruit.

Fri., Aug. 25: Buffalo chicken bake, green beans, fruit.
Mon., Aug. 28: Chicken strips, fries, peas, fruit.
Tues., Aug. 29: Tacos,

fresh veggies, fruit. **Wed., Aug. 30:** Hot ham & cheese, chips, fruit.

Fairview School

Thurs., Aug. 24: Chicken tenders, homemade shells & cheese, veggie, fruit, fresh garden bar.
Fri., Aug. 25: No school.

Mon., Aug. 28: Grilled chicken salad, garlic herb breadsticks, fruit, fresh garden bar.

Tues., Aug. 29: Super na-

chos, homemade queso, all the toppings, fresh veggie, fruit, fresh garden bar. **Wed., Aug. 30:** Deli turkey

Wed., Aug. 30: Deli turkey sub bar, chips, fruit, veggie, fresh garden bar.
Alexander School

Thurs., Aug. 24: Taco in a bag, fruit, vegetable bar. Fri., Aug. 25: No school. Mon., Aug. 28: Teriyaki or

orange chicken, fried rice, egg rolls, fortune cookies, fruit, vegetable bar.

Tues., Aug. 29: Spaghetti

or alfredo, green beans, garlic toast, fruit, vegetable bar.

Wed., Aug. 30: Biscuits

& gravy or French toast, scrambled eggs, hash browns, fruit, vegetable bar. Watford City School

Thurs., Aug. 24: Corn dogs, tots, fruit, veggies, salad bar.

salad bar.

Fri., Aug. 25: Pizza, fruit, veggies, salad bar.

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Mon., Aug. 28: Chicken burgers, baked beans, fruit, veggies, salad bar. Tues., Aug. 29: Taco in a

bag with all the fixings, fruit, veggies, salad bar.

Wed., Aug. 30: Ham &

cheese wraps, Sun chips,

fruit, veggies, salad bar.

Roosevelt Medical Center Receives Trauma Re-designation



Pictured (L-R) are Zoe Fugere, Family Nurse Practitioner, Nick Kallem, Trauma Coordinator/EMS Director and Jocelyn Klein, Family Nurse Practitioner.

Submitted by Jaimee Green, MBA, BS Marketing & Foundation Director Roosevelt Medical Center

Roosevelt Medical Center recently received its' re-designation as a level-5 trauma receiving facility from the Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services, Emergency and Trauma System, Helena.

Staff of RMC voluntarily participated in the intense designation process to become part of Montana's statewide trauma system. The process included an outside review of the hospital's emergency room resources and capabilities to care for a trauma patient. They also participated in a continuous, performance

improvement process.

"Our only motivation is improving patient care. It's about us constantly raising the bar and getting better so that the patient has the best possible chances for a positive outcome. We live in Frontier America, and we serve our community on the front lines of patient care. We must have those life-saving skills. There's no other option," said Nick Kallem, RMC Trauma Coordinator.

RMC Trauma Coordinator.
This designation helps ensure RMC staff are trained to assist patients suffering from traumatic injuries that can include head injuries, burns, penetrating injuries and pelvis fractures.

According to Kallem, the time between sustaining an injury and receiving

emergency care is the most important predictor of survival. A trauma system enhances the chances for survival regardless of proximity to a larger hospital. Best practices standards guide each stage of trauma care to ensure those patients are promptly transported to and treated at facilities appropriately prepared and equipped to care for the severity of their injuries.

The hospital received its' first three-year designation in 2008.

The trauma performance improvement process RMC operates guides them toward addressing issues they need to improve to better the quality of care they provide. The process is ongoing, and

staff will continue looking for ways to enhance and further develop their trauma care capabilities. This includes continual review of policies and procedures and maintaining and updating medical equipment.

Even after the designa-

tion is received, RMC continually trains and prepares for the next trauma patient, further developing their trauma education and skills.

"Our staff are excited about continuing to develop our trauma services while

being part of a statewide effort to treat patients with traumatic injuries to the very best of our ability," Kallem said.

Currently, Dr. David

Currently, Dr. David Shahbodaghi serves as the Trauma Medical Director.

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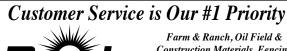


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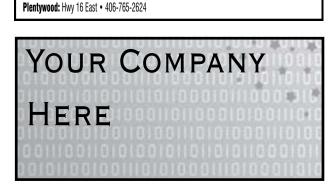


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OBITUARIES

Mary Joan Forrester, 92 Sidney, MT

No services for Mary Joan Forrester, 92, Sidney, MT, are planned at this time. Fulkerson-Stevenson Funeral Home, Sidney, MT is assisting the family. Remembrances, condolences, and pictures may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.com.

The world became a brighter place on June 21, 1931, when Mary Joan Kendall was born in Sidney, MT. Mary sadly passed away at 92 on Friday, Aug.11, 2023, after a long and happy life. She will be sorely missed by her family and friends.



Mary Joan Forrester

Mary was the second child of Clyde and Alice Kendall who had homesteaded in eastern Montana back in the early 1900s. She had an older brother, Robert (Bob), and a younger sister Lenna. She graduated from Sidney Senior High School in 1949 and then went to college at MSU Bozeman in the nursing program. She took her second year of training in Great Falls where she met this handsome Air Force guy (her future husband Bill Forrester) on a blind date. They dated for the next six months and married on July 6, 1951. Bill Jr. was born in April 1952 and Bill Sr. got orders for Alaska shortly thereafter. He spent two years there with Mary back in Sidney with her mother and sister raising Bill Jr. Mary's second son Kevin joined the family in 1957 and after that there would be no more children!

Mary's pride and joy was her family - being involved in all their activities, watching from the sidelines at sporting events, helping with the Cub Scouts, volunteering at church functions and making treats for special events. She was a member of the Jayceen's (women's service organization), worked on the elections staff, played lots of bridge well into her nineties and volunteered at the hospital gift shop.

Mary's true passion was cooking and baking for family and friends. She was truly at home in her kitchen and doing what she loved. Many daughters-in-law have her handwritten recipe cards tucked in their recipe boxes at home. She always had tasty goodies on hand for visitors







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and friends/schoolmates of her boys. They would all come by to sample them on the way home from school or if they needed a sweet treat. No one ever left hungry after visiting the Forrester house!

Mary is survived by her beloved husband of 72 years, Bill Forrester; her sons Bill Jr. (Nancy), Folsom CA, and Kevin (Zeus), Seattle WA; four grandchildren Nichole (Scott) Hoffman, Iowa City IA, Marc (Brooke) Forrester, Lee's Summit MO, Cole Forrester, Burnsville MN, and Reece (Carrie) Forrester, Shakopee MN; six great grandchildren Jackson, Holden, Nevaeh, Lily, Cora and Isla; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents Clyde and Alice; her brother Bob Kendall and his wife Lucille; and her sister Lenna Simard and her husband Bob.

Larry Lester Bieber, 86 Faiview, MT

Funeral services for Larry Lester Bieber, 86. Fairview, MT, will be Wednesday Aug. 23, 2023 at 10 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church, Sidney, MT, with Pastor John Baseley officiating. A luncheon will follow the service before Larry will be laid to rest at the Fairview Cemetery, Fairview, ND. Visitation was held Tuesday, Aug. 22, 2023 from 10 a.m-5 p.m at Fulkerson-Stevenson Memorial Chapel, Sidney, MT. Fulkerson-Stevenson Funeral Home, Sidney, MT,



Larry Lester Bieber

is assisting the family. Remembrances, condolences, and pictures may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.

Larry Bieber passed away on Wednesday Aug. 16, 2023 at the Sidney Health Center with family by his side.

Larry Lester Bieber was born at home in Fairview, MT, on Dec. 8, 1936, to George and Alvina (Klein) Bieber. He and his four brothers were raised in Fairview. Larry attended Nohle and Central schools. At the age of 16 he left school to go to work. He completed an electrical course through a trade school in 1968. He also went on to get his GED in 1972.

Larry married Carol Lueck from Sidney, MT, in May of 1957. They were married for 53 years and raised three children. They were all members of St. John's Lutheran Church. Their family grew to include six grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Through the years, Larry farmed, worked on the construction of the Nelson Memorial Bridge, and worked on the Badlands Highway. He also worked for the Knife River Coal Company. He worked with engineers, reading blueprints, and inspections on the construction of the MDU plant in Sidney. Larry also raised sheep for a time with his father-in-law.

Larry started working for Farmer's Union in Sidney and Fairview; delivering fuel, installing furnaces, and whatever else they may have needed. The family moved to Hardin, MT, where Larry ran the Farmer's Union propane plant. The company then sent him to Broadview, MT, to manage the station there. One more move with the company took him to Billings, MT, where he was office manager at the station. Much experience was gained by these jobs, but the pull to return to Fairview was strong, so in 1974 one more move was made: back home to Fairview. That is where the moves ended and there were never any regrets about coming back

Larry became a master electrician in Montana and North Dakota and started his own business, "Larry's Service and Repair." This began a long career and fulfilled his dream of doing something he had always wanted: to become an electrician. He did a lot of residential and commercial work. Larry, AKA "Sparky", also did a lot of work for Holly Sugar on the pilers and pile grounds.

Larry served in the National Guard, on the Fairview City Council for four years, Fairview Fire Department for 13 years (three of those as Fire Chief from 1987-1990), and various

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other boards such as the airport board, Church council, and the Senior Housing Board.

He was always ready to help anyone that needed it, whether it be an electrical issue, plumbing and heating, or a question about an old tractor – another one of his pastimes. He enjoyed restoring old tractors and going to tractor shows. For many years, he would take one of his old tractors to the fair. He was always tinkering with old machinery. He built a snow plow out of an old swather (which he still has) and named it the Whatchamacallit. He built a two-seater horseless carriage which many saw him puttsing around town in.

Larry loved traveling around the country and Canada in his Airstream motor home which is now in Vess Hurley's shop. He and Carol traveled many miles in it.

Larry has always been the man that never met a stranger. He could strike up a conversation with anyone about anything. Through the years, he also found out that he'd never met a fishing trip he didn't like! Fishing was one of his favorite hobbies.

Back in July of 2003, Larry drove himself to the hospital with severe back pain and generally not feeling well. He walked into Dr. Pierce's office, and they said it would be a while. He said, "well you'd better hurry up" and collapsed of cardiac arrest. Dr. Pierce resuscitated him, and they rushed him into surgery for a ruptured aorta - called the widow maker as most people don't survive. Dr. Bergin and the hands of God saved his life. He would always ask people if they'd heard of this operation, and then, of course tell them about it. He went on a cruise to Alaska and when he got back told people he had to go all the way to Alaska to find a guy that

Larry worked very hard all his life but would always find time for friends and most of all, his family. When he was working, by God, at 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. you had to be in town for coffee. He looked forward to meeting the coffee guys at the Hotel Albert and various other locations they ended up at, to see how much rain everyone got and catch up on the local gossip.

From his kids and their families: We want to say we are so proud to call you: Dad, Grandpa, Big Pa, Papa, Poppy, Great Papa, Father-In-Law, and Mentor.

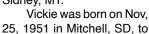
Larry is survived by his children Debbie (Mike) Moore, Laurie Cline, and Brian Bieber; siblings Harlow (Annabelle) and James (Linda); sisters-in-law Sammy and Arlene; grandchildren Andi, Chris, Keith, LaShell, Daniel, and Tori; and great-grandchildren Everly, Camden, Issac, Conner, and Oliva

He was preceded in death by his parents George and Alvina; wife Carol Bieber; and brothers Ervin and Robert.

Vickie Rae Shandy, 71 Savage, MT

Services for Vickie Rae Shandy, 71, Savage, MT, are planned for Fall of 2023 in Beach, ND. Fulkerson-Stevenson Funeral Home, Sidney, MT, is assisting the family. Remembrances, condolences, and pictures may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.com.

Vickie Rae Shandy passed away surrounded by family on Aug. 15, 2023 at Sidney Health Center, Sidney, MT.





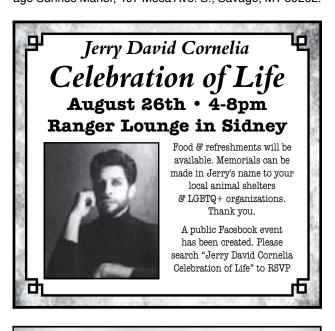
Vickie Rae Shandy

Harold J Mann and Mildred (Mews) Miller. Vickie enjoyed working on diamond art, classic cars, watching little league baseball, and old western movies. Vickie had a very playful attitude and had a love of life and for her grandchildren. She spoke her mind and would let you know how she was feeling.

Vickie is survived by her three children Stacy (Cape) Anderson, Lance Cape, and Michell (Cape) Marez, and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her parents, sister, brother, husband Lester Shandy Sr., and companion Ronald Schmeling.

In lieu of flowers, please direct your memorials to Savage Sunrise Manor, 407 Mesa Ave. S., Savage, MT 59262.





Solutions For Painful Bunions

foot condition that affects millions of people worldwide. They develop when the joint at the base of the big toe becomes misaligned, causing the toe to bend towards the other toes and a bony bump to form at the base of the big toe. This condition can lead to pain, swelling, difficulty walking, and a significant negative impact on one's quality of life. Fortunately, there are various treatment options available for bunions, with Lapiplasty being a remarkable solution offered by podiatrists at Sidney Health Center.

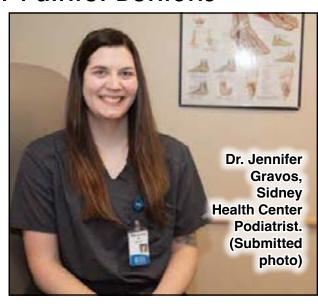
Understanding Non-Surgical Treatment Options

For individuals with mild to moderate bunions, non-surgical treatments can prove highly effective. Some of these non-invasive approaches include:

- · Wearing comfortable shoes: Opting for shoes with a wide toe box, low heels, and good arch support can effectively reduce pressure on the bunion and alleviate associated pain.
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- Applying ice or heat: Applying ice or heat to the affected area can offer relief from pain and reduce swelling associated with bunions.
- Taking over-the-counter pain relievers: Non-prescription pain relievers like ibuprofen or acetaminophen can help manage pain and reduce inflammation.

Considering Surgical Treatment Options

For severe bunions that do not respond to non-surgical treatments, surgical intervention may become necessary. Traditional bunion surgery typically involves



the removal of the bony bump and realignment of the joint. However, this conventional approach can be painful and may require an extended recovery period. In contrast, the Lapiplasty procedure offers a more promising alternative with its minimally invasive approach, enabling patients to experience quicker recovery times and improved longterm outcomes.

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Lapiplasty is an innovative bunion surgery that tackles the root cause of the condition by addressing the unstable joint at the base of the big toe. Unlike traditional bunion surgeries that merely shave down the bony protrusion, Lapiplasty focuses on correcting the 3D deformity of the entire bone, providing a permanent and more effective solution to the problem.

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At Sidney Health Center, individuals suffering from bunions can find effective and tailored treatment options to suit their needs. The experienced podiatrists, Jennifer Gravos, DPM, and Michael LaPan, DPM, provide expert care and guide patients through the evaluation process and treatment

If you are experiencing the discomfort of bunions, don't hesitate to contact the foot and ankle surgery experts at Sidney Health Center. You can schedule a consultation with Dr. Gravos or Dr. LaPan by calling 406-488-2510. Additionally, you have the option to schedule an appointment at one of their outreach clinics in Baker, MT, Plentywood, MT, as well as Trenton, ND.

With the professional guidance and advanced treatment options available at Sidney Health Center, individuals suffering from bunions can take steps towards a pain-free and improved quality of life. Contact them today to find the best treatment plan for your specific

Sidney Health Center Offers Effective Sidney Ace Hardware Grand **Opening & Board Cutting** Ceremony Aug. 25-27



Sidney's Ace Hardware is having their grand opening Aug. 25 27. (Photo by Jaymi Mozeak)

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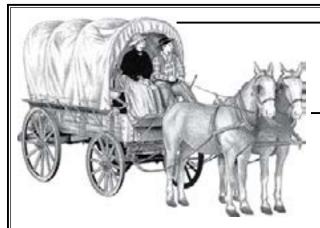
Just over three months from its soft opening, Sidney Ace Hardware will finally be holding its grand opening Aug. 25-27.

When Skip King, owner of King's Ace Hardware stores in Billings, Laurel, Lockwood, and Columbus opened his new store in Sidney they were not yet fully staffed and stocked. He and his manager Reece Gairrett planned to wait until August so that the store inventory and staff would be fully ready. Special Events Coordinator, Jack Dobbins said, "They picked the weekend of the 25th because they wanted to do it after the fair but still get it done before the end of the summer and wanted to make sure everyone was ready."

Sidney Ace Hardware opens at 7:30 a.m. on Friday, Saturday, and 9 a.m. on Sunday. Every morning of the grand opening there will be complementary coffee and donuts available. The first 150 customers on Friday will receive a Sidney Ace Hardware baseball cap. At 11:30 a.m. on Friday, Aug. 25. Gairrett will be doing a board cutting in front of the store. It is like the more common "ribbon-cutting" but with a hardware store twist. The eight-foot board will have "Grand Opening for Sidney Ace Hardware" printed on it. On Saturday from 11 a.m.-1 p.m., the Boys & Girls Clubs of the MonDak Richland Unit will be serving BBQ hamburgers, chips, and soda in

front of the store for a freewill donation. All donations will go to the Boys & Girls Clubs of the MonDak. Batman and his batmobile will be making an appearance from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, as well. There will also be storewide sales throughout the weekend.

As a recent local commercial stated, the public is welcome to attend the board cutting ceremony. Dobbins said, "We at Sidney Ace Hardware are excited to be part of the community and provide excellent customer service with the help of our valued staff." Sidney Ace Hardware is located at 500 N. Central Ave. in The Shoppes at Fox Run.



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Friday, September 1st Contact Kristin at 701-793-5165

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Saturday, September 2nd 8:00 – 10:15 am......Parade Registration Contact Kristin at 701-793-5165 11:00 am – 5:00 pm Vendor and Craft Booths

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Contact Kole at 701-570-5958. 4-man teams, must be 21+ \$100 registration, located at the old Alexander Arena

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E-rase Your E-waste Sept. 8 & 9 Sidney & Fairview

Submitted by Heather Luinstra, RS Richland County Sanitarian

This year's annual E-rase your E-waste event is set for Sept. 8 and 9, so clear out those closets and storage sheds and recycle all of those damaged and obsolete electronics for free.

"We've had a number of questions from people asking about our fall event, so we are excited to let everyone know that the dates have been set," event coordinator Heather Luinstra said early this month. "Once again we have partnered with Yellowstone E-Waste Solutions, Billings, and we will host a joint event with the Town of Fairview. Collection times for the weekend event in Sidney are from 3-7 p.m., Friday, Sept. 8, and 9 a.m.-noon, Saturday, Sept. 9. The collection site will be at the Richland County Shop, right next to the fairgrounds.

Fairview's collection event is on Saturday, Sept. 9 from 10 a.m.-noon. The Fairview location will be at the water station on 9th Street.

"Just like many other markets that we are seeing changes in lately, this year we will see a few changes to what our recycling partner is able to accept to recycle. Unfortunately, this year, we cannot accept any TVs, and we cannot accept any large copy machines. However, our recycler does accept all rechargeable batteries and even car batteries, as long as they are in good shape and not damaged," said Luinstra.

As in past years, local businesses, hospitals, school and other agencies and organizations with large amounts to e-cycle are asked to make an appointment by calling Luinstra at the Richland County Health Department 406-433-2207 or emailing heather.luinstra@richland.org.





Alexander School students began their school year with a horse drawn carriage ride August 16. Billy Shape drops off his girls and his neighbors' kids. Pictured (L-R) Ellie Shape, Taylee Hunsaker, Robert Hunsaker, Charitee Hunsaker, Anmie Shape, Carrie Shape, Lilly Shape and Billy Shape. (Photo by Robyn Heck)



Sports Physicals Donation

A big thank you from the Sidney Eagles to Fink Family Chiropractic and Yellowstone Chiropractic for another successful year of sports physicals! Each year, these two local chiropractors, along with the help of Sidney Health Center nurses, offer two nights of physicals at the local Elks Lodge to area athletes prior to the start of the school year. All proceeds from these two nights are generously donated back to Sidney Eagle Athletics. This year, they provided 167 students with a sports physical for a total donation of \$5,010! This money goes into weight room improvements, extra equipment needs, and other items that benefit all Sidney Eagle athletes. Thank you again for the continued support! Pictured (L-R) Suzann Radke, Ryan Laqua, Chris Lee, Mike Fink and Renee Williams. (Submitted photo)

Kiwanis Welcomes New Member

Madison Miller, left, was welcomed as a new member of the Sidney Kiwanis Club on Thursday, Aug. 17, sponsored by Elaine Stedman. Miller is the new Boys & Girls Club of Richland County CEO. (Photo by Dianne Swanson)





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RMHF Fall Comedy Fest Planned For October

Submitted by Jaimee Green, MBA, BS, Roosevelt Medical Center Marketing & Foundation Director

When a hospital foundation tells you they will keep you in stitches, you might think, no thanks, I'm holding together quite nicely on my own. Don't worry, those aren't the kind of stitches they're referring to. They mean they have comedy talent coming your way that will leave you laughing until you think you might burst. Of course, you won't actually come apart at the seams, but if you do, the room will be filled with plenty of medical folks who can stitch, in a pinch.

Whew! Now that you know it's safe to attend the 9th annual Fall Comedy Fest. the Roosevelt Memorial Healthcare Foundation sincerely hopes you will! More attendees increase the opportunity for raising money to purchase medical equipment vital for ensuring our community has access to quality routine and emergency care. Besides, attending will be good for your health! After all, laughter really is the best medicine.

So, how about a joke. Why did the chicken cross the road? To get to this year's fundraiser of course! While the Foundation hasn't actually invited any pesky pollo (Psst! That's Spanish for chickens) to the event, they did invite Mark Poolos to serve as the comedy talent for the evening.

His comedy style has been compared to the likes of Jim Gaffigan and Louie Anderson. He has performed all over the United States and Canada in clubs, colleges and at corporate events, while also touring with Tru TVs, and Michael Carbonaro.

The event will take place at the Dry Prairie Rural Water Authority, Culbertson, MT, on Oct. 7, 2023, with doors opening at 5:30 p.m.

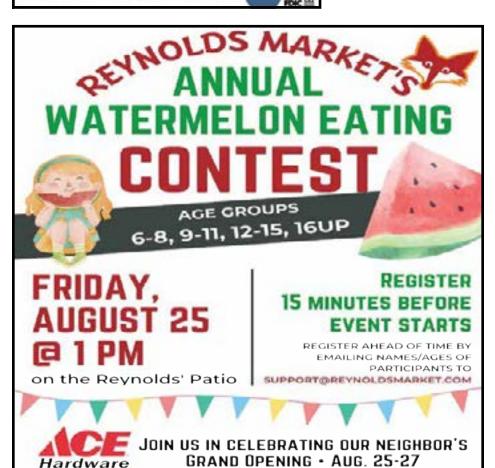
Attendees will have the opportunity to take part in many raffles. Some of the prizes include processed quarter-beefs, a barrel of brews, a lottery ticket board, season passes to the Fort Peck Theater, Cape Air tickets, Montana Silversmith jewelry, as well as dozens of baskets. A live art and pie auction featuring local talent will also take place.

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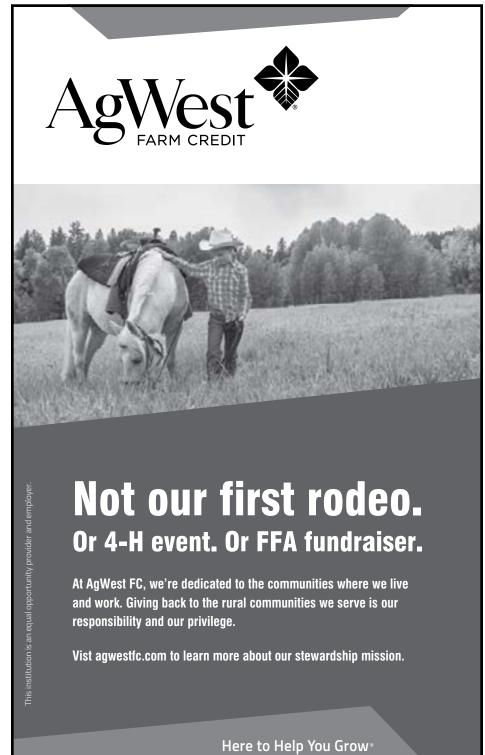
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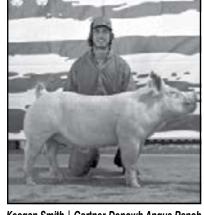
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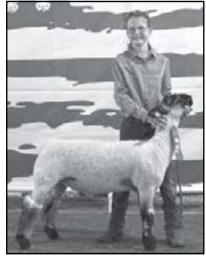




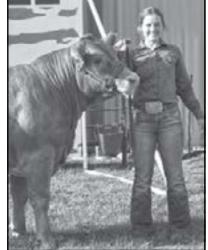
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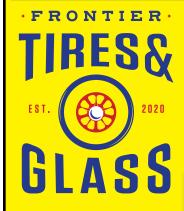
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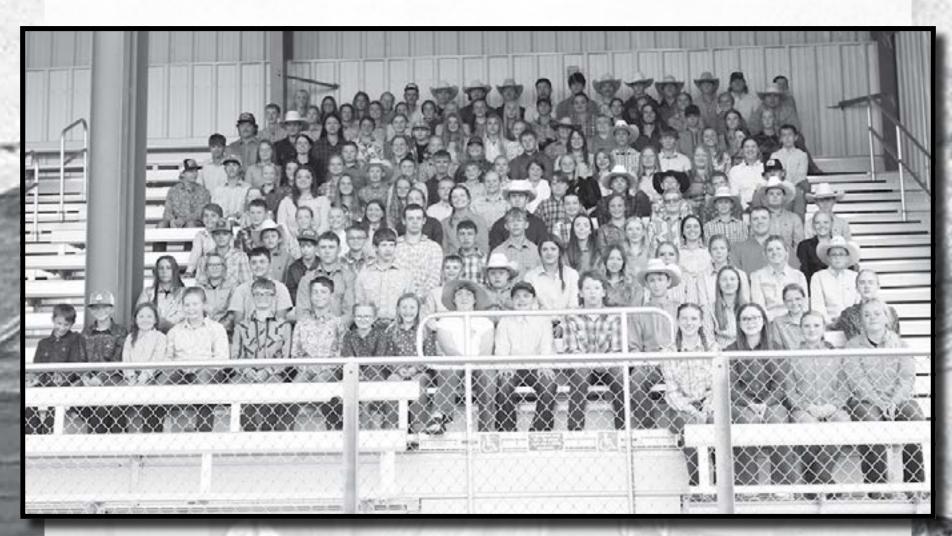






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Foundation For Community Care Still Seeking Donations For Cancer Center Expansion

By Meagan Dotson

Construction of the expansion to Sidney Heath Center's Cancer Center is on track to be completed in October 2023. The decision to expand the Cancer Center was made as Sidney Health Center's TomoTherapy Hi-Art radiation system is reaching the end of its use, having been incorporated into Sidney Health Center's cancer services in 2011. A new radiation vault is being built to accommodate the new TomoTherapy machine, while keeping the current machine up and running so patients' treatments aren't disrupted.

Additionally, a hyperbaric chamber is being added to the Cancer Center's services. Hyperbaric chambers are hyper-oxygenated chambers that help heal wounds and are beneficial for diabetics as well as cancer patients who might get radiation burns. There is also a positive impact for diabetic patients, those

suffering from decreased lung capacity due to covid, and those with dementia and concussions.

There are also plans to bring in a second oncologist to meet the needs of cancer patients.

The total cost of the project is about \$7.2 million; Sidney Health Center has funded the new \$3 million TomoTherapy machine, and the Foundation for Community Care (FFCC) promised to contribute \$2.5 million through fundraising efforts. One million has been raised to date, with an additional \$1.5 million needed.

Melissa Boyer, FFCC director, noted that the project has received excellent corporate and individual support. The FFCC has gotten \$100,000 from the Otto Bremer trust grant, ONEOK has donated \$60,000, and Basin Electric and Lower Yellowstone Rural Electric Cooperative have pledged \$100,000 over the next five years.

"Supporting the Cancer Center is supporting so much more. One in three people are diagnosed with cancer, so if it isn't you, it is probably someone you know," Boyer explained. "Having local cancer treatment services means people don't have to travel and take on that expense and stress. They get to sleep in their own bed and have their family and support systems with them."

Construction began in August 2022, the new TomoTherapy machine will be ready in December 2023, and it will be ready for patients in January 2024.

Minus a few bricks, the exterior of the new addition is complete and work is being done on the interior.

"Corland Construction, Sidney, has done a great job keeping on schedule," Boyer said.

While the hard labor of physically building the addition is in capable hands, the FFCC is still looking for



The second radiation vault will be ready in October 2023, the new TomoTherapy machine will be installed in December 2023, and the unit will be ready for patients in January 2024. (Photo submitted by Sidney Health Center)

anyone willing to contribute to these much-needed cancer treatment services. Donations can be made online at www.foundationforcommunitycare.org or by utilizing the QR code, you can give them a call at 406-488-2273, or stop by their office at 221 2nd St. NW, Sidney. They will be happy to answer any questions, and

have your support in their cause of ensuring access to excellent, lifelong healthcare services for our community!

