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More Industries May Be Coming Soon To The MonDak Region

By Jaymi Mozeak

On Friday, Sept. 29, a group of Richland County leaders met with Rich Garman, North Dakota Department of Commerce Economic Development and Finance director. He had good news for the MonDak region.

Five different industrial companies are looking into building a facility in north-western North Dakota.

Cerilon, a company based out of Alberta, Canada, whose facilities generate premium-quality, cleaner-burning transportation fuels, synthetic base oils, and specialized products, according to their website, www.cerilon.com. The company wants to put a 14,000 barrel-per-day facility near Trenton, ND, that will use natural gas which is abundant in the region to create high-value products. It will produce clean-burning

transportation fuels, synthetic base oils, and specialized products.

Another advanced biotechnology company will be converting methane gas into a biodegradable material. This facility could also potentially locate their plant near Trenton, as well.

Well Spring Hydro, a processed water refining company, is evaluating the potential to locate a facility near Trenton to refine production water from the oil field and extract the caustic soda, hydrochloric acid, calcium chloride, and lithium from it.

Two sustainable aviation fuel companies are also evaluating the possibility of locating in western North Dakota. One facility is evaluating the potential of locating near Trenton. This facility will be an oil seed crush plant having the ability to crush

both canola and soy. The output of this plant would be Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF).

Another company is evaluating the possibility of building east of Fairview. This facility will utilize sugar beets as a feedstock and then convert that output to (SAF).

None of the businesses discussed are 100% certain, and there are many drivers affecting the ultimate decision to build or not to build. Of those listed, Garman stated that Cerilon is currently probably the furthest along in their design and permitting processes. It was also noted that Cerilon will be planning an open house in Trenton in early November 2023.

Being from a county that recently lost a coal mine, power plant, and sugar beet plant, a few of the attendees asked why the

businesses were not looking to put plants on the Montana side of the border. Garman said, "There are three things that are driving most of these industries decision to locate in North Dakota, policy, primacy, and geology." While northeastern Montana, mostly, shares the same geology, it is the primacy and policy that is often times the deciding factor for these businesses. Many of these businesses will rely on the ability to capture and sequester carbon dioxide. With this ability, these companies can claim the \$85/ton of CO2 credit currently being offered by the Federal Government. North Dakota is one of only two states that has primacy for permitting CO2 sequestration wells (Class VI). This means that the state can site and permit wells whereas most of the other states rely

on the EPA to do that siting and permitting. North Dakota can usually permit a sequestration well in under a year whereas the EPA generally takes many years to accomplish this permitting process. Policy is another area that North Dakota prides itself on the "Innovation over Regulation" mindset. North Dakota prides itself on moving at the speed of business, allowing companies to get projects done much sooner than some other states.

All five companies are in regard to bioproducts, green and sustainable energies, they will all be in North Dakota, and those that come to fruition will not be completed for at least three years; still, the addition of industry is a boost to businesses in the surrounding areas no matter a person's political leanings, or the state the industry is in.



Winter Named North Dakota Stockmen's Association Top Hand



Keith Winter.
(Photo submitted)

The North Dakota Stockmen's Association (NDSA) awarded McKenzie County cattleman Keith Winter, a 49-year NDSA member, with the organization's most prestigious award, the Top Hand Award, at the banquet during its annual convention in Watford City. The Top Hand Award recognizes Winter's unselfish concern for the land, the country and the cattle industry. Winter joined the exclusive class of 26 ranchers who have received this elite award over the NDSA's 94-year history when he accepted his bronze statue.

The lifelong rancher and longtime grazing association officer is a leading expert on federal lands issues and grazing and has been looked to by ranchers and state and federal lawmakers alike for his perspective and expertise in this area.

"My grandparents homesteaded our operation back in 1905," explained Keith, who returned home to continue his family's ranching tradition 55 years ago in 1968. Before he returned to the ranch, Keith received an engineering degree and worked on the West Coast. "My Great-Uncle Dave had a big influence on me, my life and my ranching career," he recalled. "Ranching is my hobby and my passion and has been my entire life."

Keith loves what he does every day. "Whether it's haying or feeding calves in the middle of winter, I enjoy what I do," he said. "I enjoy working on the ranch. To be a part of production agriculture is not an opportunity many people in this world get. I am fortunate to be given the chance to be involved in our livestock operation and be in the small percentage."

Today, Keith and his wife Patricia operate an Angus-Charolais-cross cow-calf operation near Cartwright. They ranch with their sons, John and David. "We have a permit with the McKenzie County Grazing Association," he said. "I enjoy

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Sharbonos Receive "Above And Beyond" Award

By Dianne Swanson

The Fairview Chamber of Commerce presented its latest "Above and Beyond" Award to Rick and LuAnn Sharbono for their decades of service to the Fairview Food Bank. Rick has retired from Tri County Implement, and LuAnn from Merchants Bank, but whether it is in the middle of the day, or the middle of the night, they make sure that hungry people are fed.

Rick started volunteering for the food bank when he was on the Zion Lutheran Church Council in 1989. At that time, each church had a volunteer who helped out. The food was kept at St. Catherine's Catholic Church with Betty Trudell distributing much of it during the day. Ever since that church burned, the food has been stored at Zion. Other volunteers include Floyd Usselman, Floyd and



The Fairview Chamber of Commerce presented the "Above and Beyond" Award to Rick and LuAnn Sharbono for their decades of service to the Fairview Food Bank, along with a donation of food. Pictured, (L to R), are chamber members Jeremy Krieger and Ray Trumpower, LuAnn Sharbono, chamber member Kerry Finsaas, Rick Sharbono, and chamber member Wendy Sundheim. (Photo by Dianne Swanson.)

Linda Sullivan, Charlotte Payette, Arlene Bieber, Mike and Rosemary Weber, and Bruce Benson. Additional volunteers would be very welcome. Rick says it's get-

ting harder to climb those stairs!

When Rick started with the food bank, LuAnn and their children Marci and Danny also helped, with

LuAnn continuing to this day. Rick said the best part of volunteering has been the relationships that he has developed with clients over the years, and helping out those people who really need it. "When someone calls, and you know they haven't eaten in a couple of days, even if it's in the middle of the night, you help," he said. He also appreciates all the support from the community.

Donations are always needed at the food bank and can be dropped off at Zion Lutheran Church. Monetary donations may be made at Merchants Bank. Anyone from the Fairview area who is in need of food can call the Richland County Food Bank at 406-433-8142, contact any of the Fairview churches, or call Sharbonos at 406-742-5879.



The Sidney Area Chamber of Commerce is excited to announce the Sidney Fall Festival scheduled for Oct. 14. This event is a big community shindig with multiple community organizations hosting the fun. The festivities include:

The Main Street Car and Bike Show presented by the Richland County Sportsmen's Club features judged categories and Non-Judged Showing Only categories. Your first judged entry is at a cost of \$35 and all following judged entries get in for \$15. Non-judged entries are displayed at a cost of \$10/vehicle.

Local businesses will be hosting a slew of activities downtown including the grand opening of Studio 20's new store front, which will feature mini colored hair extensions and a ribbon cutting. Other activities

span to Meraki's candle pour workshop, kids crafts at MT Bare Cave, recreational activities at High Caliber Sports, family photography mini sessions with Jordyn Melby Photography at the MERGE, walk-in pottery classes at the MonDak Heritage Center and live music sprinkled across downtown.

Several streets will be shut down for vendors, food trucks, a hay maze and pumpkin patch and live music.

The Sunrise Women's Clinic's Walk for Life - Conquer the Course will round off the afternoon with the 1 mile and 5k course starting at 3 p.m. Families, teams and individuals are encouraged to participate. Pre-register to guarantee a t-shirt on the Sidney Fall Festival website.

The MonDak Heritage Center will host MonDak

Mayhem Lanter Tours - some mystery with your history - from 3 to 8 p.m. The Mayhem Tours are living history events where attendees can meet characters of past and hear true stories of MonDak mayhem. Tours are scheduled in 20-minute blocks and tickets can be purchased on the Sidney Fall Festival website. Special rates apply to MonDak Heritage Center members and children!

Sidney High School's Speech and Drama Team will present a production of "Dracula" at the Sidney Middle School at 7 p.m. Admission is \$5 for adults and \$3 for seniors and students.

Finally, the Cattle-ac will host the Sidney Fall Festival after party with live music from the local band, "the Relics."

Alexander Homecoming



Alexander High School crowned Jakelyn Modine as their queen and Ryan Pingel as their king in their homecoming festivities last weekend.

Thank You

The family of Marlene Fisher would like to thank Sidney Health Center, Fulkerson-Stevenson Funeral Home and the many friends and relatives for their kindness, care, support, food and memorials. All your generous memorials will go to Martha’s Place.

**Sincere Thanks,
Mike and Family**

*Dinner and Dance Celebrating
the Wedding Anniversary of*

Scott and Gail Staffanson

Sat, Oct 14 • 6pm
Richland County Fairgrounds
(School and 4-H Indoor Exhibition Building)

Thank You

Thank you to so many - but it seems so inadequate at the same time. There are not enough words or ways to say thank you to everyone who helped make the Elks Benefit a reality and success for Larry. The Sidney area has always been a very supportive community and has come through again for one of their own. It’s been overwhelming and humbling to be on the receiving end of everyone’s generosity and to hear the kind & uplifting words. Thank you to everyone who donated items to the auction, monetary donations, golfed, bid, attended the benefit, and supported Larry. Thank you seems so insufficient; we appreciate everything and we are forever grateful!

– Larry Lynde & Family

AREA RECOVERY GROUPS

MONDAYS:
12 p.m. — AA Monday Noon Group, Matthew House Office, 416 2nd St. NW, Sidney, MT.
1 p.m. - 3 p.m. — Grief Recovery 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.

TUESDAYS:
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 God., 814 6th St. NE, Sidney, MT.

WEDNESDAYS:
7 p.m. — Live Free Narcotics Anonymous, Church of God., 814 6th St. NE, Sidney, MT.

THURSDAYS:
7 p.m. — Live Free Narcotics Anonymous, Church of God., 814 6th St. NE, Sidney, MT.
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.

FRIDAYS:
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:
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.
7 p.m. — AA 24 group meeting, Northern Pump & Compression, Watford City. Hotline/Info 701-609-8663.

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.

STATISTICS

LAKE WATER LEVEL REPORT

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Current Elevation.....1840.3
Last Week’s Elev.1840.5
One Year Ago1834.2
Release For Day (C.F.S.)17,000

SIDNEY WEATHER DATA

Source: MSU Eastern Agricultural Research Center

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Sept. 25.....	79	47	0.010
Sept. 26.....	78	53	0.000
Sept. 27.....	73	46	0.010
Sept. 28.....	69	45	0.000
Sept. 29.....	74	39	0.000
Sept. 30.....	79	46	0.000
Oct. 1.....	66	58	0.040
Total 2023 YTD Precipitation.....	10.814		

Chili Cookoff At Veterans Memorial Park, Oct. 7

By Jaymi Mozeak

St. John’s United is holding a chili cookoff and tasting fundraiser Saturday, Oct. 7, from noon-4 p.m. at the pavilion in Veteran’s Memorial Park.

The event is a fundraiser and donations are appreciated but tasting is free to those who bring a hygiene product such as: shampoo, conditioner, toilet paper, toothpaste, Kleenex, mouthwash, razors, adult diapers, body soap, and deodorant or article of warm clothing. Local chili makers, lovers, and connoisseurs are invited to come participate or just have a nice, warm cup. There will be prizes for the top three winners. The proceeds will go to the aging community who struggles during the winter months and holidays to properly provide for themselves.

Even though this is their first fundraiser in Richland County, Senior Connect, a branch of St. John’s United has been coming to places in Richland County once a month since October 2022. The free advocates come to clients’ homes and get them signed up for services to help fill in their gaps of care related to food, health, transportation, socialization, housekeeping, and any other obstacle that would prevent them from living at home.

Jess Eichel, senior connect manager said, “We would like to bring the services we offer in Billings and Missoula to Sidney like “At Home”, a service where they do things for clients in their homes to help keep them in their desired home for as long as possible such as prepare meals, help with medication reminders, housekeeping, assist with bill pay, grocery shopping, change a light bulb, minor indoor repair, lawn care, or farm and ranch chores. They work closely with the Alliance on Aging but are not affiliated with them.

St. John’s United is a part of the Rural Aging Action Network, a national collaborative dedicated to expanding sustainable community-based services and supports for older adults who are underserved in rural Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, and South Dakota. If you are looking for services, wanting to donate to, or be involved in this community event contact Eichel at 406-478-0951 or check out St. John’s Senior Connect on Facebook.

Good Shepherd Home Groundbreaking Ceremony For \$1.3M Expansion & Upgrade Oct. 10

Submitted by Lynn Welker-Fevold, MMHC, ACHE

Sept. 22, 2023 – A Good Shepherd Home groundbreaking ceremony will be held in Watford City, Oct. 10, at 10 a.m. CT, to celebrate the site that will soon be transformed into expanded chapel space, a beautiful courtyard, and state-of-the art greenhouse for long-term care residents to enjoy. Icon Architects are working to create spaces that are modern, warm, inviting, and accessible. Construction engineers will begin work this fall and bring the project to completion in June 2024, wrapping up with greenhouse construction. Randy Quale, Benefit Fund of McKenzie Health Board Chairman, said, “The generosity of our community is what makes a project such as this possible. An amazing 191 donors have donated a total of \$1.3 million to this very worthy cause. This project will enrich the lives of so many within the Good Shepherd Home.”

The expanded and renovated chapel space will provide needed updates to equipment and facilities, offering additional options for separating the activities room from the chapel using modern architecture concepts, maximizing space, and providing additional opportunities for faith-based activities. Audio/Visual capabilities will be implemented in the chapel along with interior lighting upgrades. The adjacent courtyard will offer a new, reimaged space to include an accessible gazebo for residents to enjoy. To complement an already robust activities program, a greenhouse will be placed in the courtyard as well to accommodate guest gardeners and opportunities for residents to grow flowers or enjoy a cup of coffee. Of the new capital additions coming, Pete Edis, McKenzie Health CEO, said, “I could not be more excited for a project that will enhance the quality of life for such a precious population of seniors and their loved ones.”

The Groundbreaking Ceremony is open to the public. The community is invited to attend to learn more about the project, view renderings, and enjoy refreshments. It will be held on the west side of the Good Shepherd Home – Watford City. Please join us!

Emmaus House Fundraiser Oct. 7 Sidney

By Robyn Heck

Mark your calendar for Saturday, Oct. 7 for the Emmaus House annual fundraiser held at the Elk’s Club, Sidney. The theme is “Fall into the Past: A Retro Night Out”.

It will be a fun filled evening, with food throughout the decades, a photo booth, silent auction, live auction, jar prize drawings and quilt raffle.

Super nachos will be available and Catherine Cayko will be making Louisiana Chicken and Andouille gumbo.

“For those that want to dress up in their favorite decade, we will have prizes for those who win the best costume! Otherwise, come as yourself and enjoy the music provided by DJ, Nate Strasheim. There will also be live performances from Allyson Schriver and Laura Castro & Family,” said organizer Jen Vaira.

The silent auction will run from 5-7 p.m. The live auction starts at 7:30 p.m. with live auctioneer Jessie Williams. Jar prize drawings will take place at 8:45 p.m.

Proceeds go to the ministry of Emmaus House and the Vision of Hope Scholarship.

The Emmaus House is a House of Prayer and hospitality with a mission to create a community that embraces the Rule of Benedict; to model a servant posture of prayer, simplicity, ministry, hospitality, contemplation and balance in order to set the world on fire with the Love of God.

Each year, Emmaus House, through the Vision of Hope scholarship fund, presents a scholarship award based on an application process. The scholarship is open to young adults in the Richland Country area who have been diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder.

If you are interested in donating for the auctions, please Contact Sr. Rita Rauschendorfer at 406-480-0669, or Sr. Regina Murray at 406-480-4562.

Sr. Regina Murray, LCSW and Sr. Rita Rauschendorfer, MS in Pastoral Counseling are both also certified in the Grief Recovery Method and Emotional Focused Therapy. The Sisters have been steeped in Benedictine Spirituality and are trained in Spiritual Direction with over 40 years of combined experience.

Please join them for an evening of fun on Saturday, Oct. 7.

EVENTS

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RICHLAND COUNTY

Events in Sidney unless otherwise listed. MT.
Wed., Oct. 4
10 a.m.-4 p.m. **42nd Annual Quilt & Needlework Show** - Through Oct. 7. - **JK Rauston Exhibition “Art & Signs of the Times”** - Through Oct. 7. - MonDak Heritage Center, Tues.-Fri., 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sat., 1-4 p.m. For more info call 406-433-3500, or visit <https://mondakheritagecenter.org/>.
Sat., Oct. 7
10 a.m.-4 p.m. - **Sewing Guild Community Service Day** - The goal is to sew 80-100 pillowcases for those in need in the community. All sewers & quilters invited, materials & supplies will be provided, just bring your sewing machine. MonDak Heritage Center, 120 3rd Ave. SE.
12-4 p.m. - **St. John’s United Community Event Chili Cookoff & Tasting Fundraiser** - Prizes & entertainment. Free event if you bring a hygiene product or article of warm clothing. Veterans Memorial Park, 218 6th St. SE. Proceeds go to the Richland Co. aging community. For more info contact Jess, 406-478-0951 or at jeichel@stjohnsunited.org.
5-9 p.m. - **Fall Into The Past A Retro Night Out** - Music & entertainment throughout the evening, food, silent & live auctions, jar prize drawing, quilt raffle drawing. Decade Dress-Up, Photo Op Corner. \$5 entrance fee. Sidney Elks Lodge. For tickets for the quilt raffle call 406-480-0669. Proceeds benefit Emmaus House Ministries & Vision of Hope: Autism Scholarships.
6 p.m. - **Live Pro Wrestling Richland Redemption** - Richland County Event Center. For more info or to purchase tickets visit <https://www.eventbrite.com>.
Sat., Oct. 7 & 14
7:30 a.m.-12 p.m. - **Richland County Farmers Market** - Richland Co. Courthouse parking lot, corner of 2nd St. NW & 2nd Ave. NW.
Fri., Oct. 13
5 p.m. - **Aladdin Jr. by Savage Public School Music Department** - Savage High School, 368 Mesa Ave. S.
Sat., Oct. 14 - Fall Festival Downtown Sidney
10 a.m.-4 p.m. - **Car & Bike Show** Main Street, **Candle Pouring** at Meraki; **Fishing Pond** at High Caliber; **Kids Crafts** at Montana Bare Cave; **Vendors; Fall Baking Championship** at Mimi’s Kitchen; **Hay Maze & Pumpkin Patch, Shop Small** in fall challenge; **Fall Photo Mini Sessions** at Merge, **Live Music & Sidewalk Sales.** 1-2 p.m. - **Walk-in Ceramics** at MonDak Heritage Center - 2 p.m. registration for **Sunrise Women’s Clinic Family Walk For Life Conquer The Course** - 3 p.m. start - 3 p.m. - **MonDak Mayhem Lantern Tours** at MonDak Heritage Center. - 7 p.m. - **SHS Drama Production “Dracula”** at Middle School. - 8 p.m. - **Fall Festival After Party** “The Relics” at the Cattle-Ac. For more info & registration visit Sidney Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture Facebook page or www.sidneymt.com.
Sun., Oct. 15
11 a.m.-2 p.m. - **St. Matthew’s Fall Dinner** - Turkey & dressing with all the trimmings & pie. \$14 a plate, 5 & younger free. St Matthew’s Parish Center. 310 7th St. SE.
Tues., Oct. 17
12-6:15 p.m. – **Red Cross Blood Drive** - For advance appointments call 406-868-0911 or 1-800-733-2767 or visit redcrossblood.org. Donors of all blood types are urgently needed, with an emergency need for type O. St. Matthew’s Parish Center, 310 7th St. SE.

ROOSEVELT COUNTY

Events in Culbertson unless otherwise listed. MT.
Sat., Oct. 7
5:30 p.m. - **Stand-up Fall Comedy Fest Presented by Roosevelt Memorial Healthcare Foundation** - Featuring Mark Poolos. Steak dinner, beer/wine, casual dress, win quarter beefs, barrel of brews, heads or tails & basket raffle, pie & art auction. Dry Prairie Rural Water Authority, 5808 MT-16. \$75 tickets available at the door or Richland Federal Credit Union, Opportunity Bank (Froid & Culbertson) & Roosevelt Medical Center or call Jaimee at 406-787-6476.

McKENZIE COUNTY

Events in Watford City unless otherwise listed. CT.
Tues., Oct. 10
10 a.m. - **Good Shepherd Home Groundbreaking Ceremony** - Celebrating the Good Shepherd Home Chapel expansion, new greenhouse construction & new courtyard development. Reception with project updates & refreshments to follow. West side of Good Shepherd Home, 709 4th Ave. NE.
Sat., Oct. 14
8:30 a.m. race check in - **Fall Frolic 5K Run/Walk** - Race start 9 a.m. \$35 registration. Rough Rider Center, 2209 Wolves Den Parkway. Register at roughridercenter.com.
10 a.m.-3 p.m. - **Fall Fest** - Food, shopping, fun. \$5 admission. Rough Rider Center, 2209 Wolves Den PKWY.
Mon., Oct. 16
4-7 p.m. - **Volunteer Fair** - Learn more about ways you can serve as a volunteer & organizations you can become involved with. Watford City Civic Center. For more info contact Angie Hartel at 701-580-4403. Proceeds will benefit Watford City MobilePack.
Tues., Oct. 17
2-4 p.m. - **McKenzie Co. Food Pantry Handouts** - First Lutheran Church, 212 2nd St. NW.

WILLIAMS COUNTY

Events in Williston unless otherwise listed. CT.
Sat., Oct. 7
5:30 p.m. - **Hearts For Hospice** - New Armory, 10 Main St. \$30 ticket, to purchase visit chihealthathome.info or call 701-774-7430. For more info contact laura.wilson@commonspirit.org.
7 p.m. - **James Memorial Art Center Hosting “ARTini Goes To Margaritaville”** - Live music, body painting, live oil painting, silent auction, south of the border delights, fun sweet treats & more. Tickets \$60 per person or \$100 a couple & can be purchased online at thejamesmemorial.org on the Events page. James Memorial Art Center, 621 1st Ave. W.
Fri., Oct. 13, 4-8 p.m., Sat., Oct. 14, 9 a.m.-8 p.m. & Sun., Oct. 15, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
Williston Rife & Pistol Club Annual Gun, Knife & Outdoors Show - Buy, sell, trade, or just browse. Admission \$5 a day, children under 12 free with a paid adult’s supervision. Concessions available. Raymond Center, 1002 11th St. W.

DAWSON COUNTY

Events in Glendive unless otherwise listed. MT
Sat., Oct. 7
5:30-9 p.m. - **Annual Buccaneer Bash** - Join DCD’s BASH fundraising event to directly benefit academic scholarships & greatest needs of the college. Dawson Community College - Toepke Center. For more info contact Dennis Harp, 406-941-2519 or dharp@dawson.edu.
1-3 p.m. - **National Fossil Day** - Free event. There will be several fossil & paleontology activities for all ages. Visitors Center, Makoshika State Park.
Sun., Oct. 8
11 a.m.-4 p.m. - **Junkapalooza** - Horse drawn hay ride, free cider press, harvest games, farmers market, vendor sales, pumpkin patch, musical entertainment, food booths, butter making, salsa contest, beer booth. \$5 at the gate, 10 and under are free. Dawson County Fairgrounds.
Thurs., Oct. 19
6 p.m. - **Friends of the Library Brains & Brews Trivia** - Up to 4 people per team, entry fee \$10 or be your own team for \$3 per player. Cross Country Brewing.

Keith Steinbeisser Memorial Livestock Judging



Novice Individual (L to R): 3rd - Kinsey Nagle, 2nd - Makena Balducke and 1st - Clancy Marshall.



Junior Individual (L to R): 3rd - Molly Miller, 2nd - Nevaeh Rupprecht, and 1st - Lalya Dice.



Novice Team 1st Place (L to R): Makena Balducke, Aspen Nagle, Kinsey Nagle and Clancy Marshall.



Junior 1st Place Team (L to R:) Ted Jeffers, Kandem Johnson, Lucy Jeffers and Layla Dice.



Senior Individual (L to R): 3rd - Grace Ones, 2nd - Marett Schieber and 1st - Cooper McNally.



FFA Individual (L to R): 3rd - Hailey Goroski, 2nd - Lindsey Johnson and 1st - Chasyn Arneson.



Senior Team 1st Place (L to R): Cooper McNally, Maddie Schieber, Marett Schieber and Quaid Marshall.



FFA 1st Place Team (L to R): Chasyn Arneson, Lindsey Johnson, April McCad and Beau Chase.

Keith Steinbeisser Memorial Livestock Judging Results Oct. 1

Novice
Teams:
1st: Richland County
Novice #1: Kenzie Nagle, Makena Balducke, Clancy Marshall, and Aspen Nagle
2nd: Richland County
Novice #2: Brynlee McNally, Peyton Denowh, Kree McNally, and Oliver Becker
Individuals:
1st: Kenzie Nagle / Richland County Novice #1
2nd: Makena Balducke / Richland County Novice #1
3rd: Clancy Marshall / Richland County Novice #1
Top Reasons
1st: Oliver Becker / Richland County Novice #2

Juniors
Teams:
1st: Custer County/ Richland County: Layla Dice, Kamden Johnson, Ted Jeffers, and Lucy Jeffers
2nd: Carbon County: Harleigh Donnelly, Nevaeh Rupprecht, Molly Miller, and

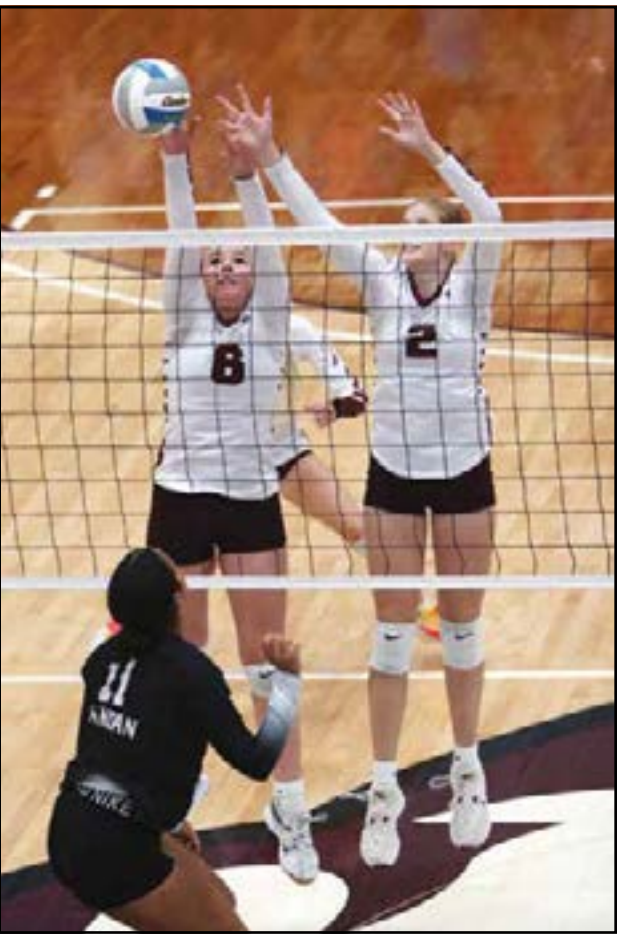
Mabel Donnelly
3rd: Richland County
Juniors #2: Felixe Becker, Beau Becker, Kendal Vitt, and Gavin Schieber
Individuals:
1st: Layla Dice/Custer County/Richland
2nd: Nevaeh Ruprecht /Carbon County
3rd: Molly Miller/Carbon County
Top Reasons:
1st: Nevaeh Rupprecht /Carbon County

Seniors
Teams:
1st: Richland County
Seniors #1: Cooper McNally, Marett Schieber, Maddie Schieber, and Quaid Marshall
2nd: Richland County
Seniors #3: Shelsey Brandvold, Grace Ones, Maziee Kirby, and Mariah Bauer
3rd: Richland County
Seniors #2: Danica Denowh, Chase Bierley, Julie Eme-

line, and Trevor Jeffers
Individuals:
1st: Cooper McNally / Richland County Seniors #1
2nd: Marett Schieber / Richland County Seniors #1
3rd: Grace Ones / Richland County Seniors #3
Top Reasons:
1st: Cooper McNally / Richland County Seniors #1

FFA
Teams:
1st: Plentywood FFA
#1: Chasyn Arneson, Lindsey Johnson, Beau Chase, and April McCabe
2nd: Dawson FFA #1: Ashton Smeltzer, Connley Hoagland, Jordyn Trangmoe, and Ariana Hoff
3rd: Dawson FFA #2:

Addie Quinn, Koby Granmoe, Connor Brophy, and Hailey Groski
Individuals:
1st: Chasyn Arneson / Plentywood FFA #1
2nd: Lindsey Johnson / Plentywood FFA #1
3rd: Hailey Groski / Dawson FFA #2
Top Reasons:
1st: Lindsey Johnson / Plentywood FFA #1
Adults
Individuals:
1st - Misty Donnelly / Carbon County
2nd: Sierra Osborne / Plentywood
3rd: Luke Miller / Carbon County



Double Block At The Net

Watford City's Victoria Riel #6 and Fallon Sampsel #2 double block at the net against Mandan in Tuesday night's match up at the Rough Rider Center. The Wolves defeated the Braves 3-1 in a close battle 25-19, 25-19,19-25 and 25-21. (Photo by Kathy Taylor)

Watford City Cross Country Results

A small home meet was held at the Fox Hills Golf Course with 6 schools on Tuesday Sept. 26. The boys varsity team finished 2nd by a 6th runner tie breaker. We only had 5 runners compete where Trinity Christian had 6 runners. Our team found out about the importance of the runners after our top five in team scoring. Fox Hills is a very difficult hilly course, so the times are down from what they would normally run. Our course makes for a very good midweek race pace strength workout for our runners. This race is very helpful in learning about mental toughness.



We traveled to Grand Forks to race in the 2nd Annual Border Battle on Saturday Sept. 30.
Team Scores: 1. Trinity Christian (Williston) 30, 2. Watford City 30, 3. Trenton 72, 4. Heart River 74
Varsity Race (5K): 2. Dehico Bocanegra Tovar 19:19.43, 4. Judah Mitchell 20:54.43, 5. Daniel Peterson 20:55.07, 7. Zach Tomlinson 21:46.39, 12. James Odenbach 23:20.73
JV/JH (3K): 5. Juan Bocanegra Tovar 16:09.54

Dehico Bocanegra Tovar, the top finisher for Watford City. (Photo by Kathy Taylor)

Golf Results State Class A Sidney

Girls
Ella Norby, 17th place, 193
Mercedes Lamb, 19th place, 195
Izzy Baisch, 28th place, 207
McKenna Tiesen, 38th place, 213
Brooklyn Boyer, 47th place, 195

234
Sidney Girls 5th place

Boys
Brady Collins, 20th place, 164
Kalen Price, 24th place, 168
Blake Johnson, 52nd place, 195

Thank You

Thanks a million to my family and friends for all the phone calls, visits, and prayers. A special thank you to the medical staff in Sidney and Billings for the care I have received and will continue to receive. No place like home at Room 307 ECF.

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Sidney Health Center Unveils State-Of-The-Art Emergency Department: A Celebration Of Excellence

Sidney, MT – Sidney Health Center is thrilled to announce a milestone occasion that symbolizes a leap forward in the delivery of emergency medical care in Richland County and the surrounding area. The eagerly awaited Emergency Department Ribbon Cutting and Open House is set to take place on Thursday, Oct. 12 from 4-6 p.m., marking the completion of a remarkable renovation and rebuild.

To kick-off the celebration, the Sidney Area Chamber of Commerce will be onsite to perform the official ribbon cutting ceremony at 4:15 p.m. with representation from the Board of Directors, physicians, clinical staff, and administration. Following the ribbon cutting, there will be a brief program featuring the Chief Executive Officer, Jennifer Doty and Dr. O. Pete Council, Emergency Room Medical Director.

The tailgate-style celebration will take place in the new ambulance garage with hot dogs, brats, and refreshments provided. In addition, there will be virtual and small group tours of the newly renovated space. This event promises to showcase Sidney Health Center's commitment to serving the community by unveiling the enhanced healthcare facilities and patient-centered practices.

"We are so excited to open the doors and celebrate a new era in emergency medicine at Sidney Health Center," explained Jennifer Doty, CEO. "This renovated Emergency Department reflects our unwavering commitment to providing exceptional care to our community with compassion, expertise, and innovation at the forefront."

In 2022, Sidney Health Center embarked on an ambitious journey to overhaul its Emergency Department that was originally built in 1983. In 2023, this vision has become a reality. The \$4.8 million transformation involved not just a facelift but a complete reimagination of how emergency care should be delivered. The result is a cutting-edge facility that aligns with modern emergency medicine practices, prioritizing patient comfort, safety, and efficient care delivery.

One of the most striking features of the renovated Emergency Department is the redesigned patient flow. The layout has been methodically planned to ensure efficient movement of patients in and out of the ER, minimizing wait times and optimizing the delivery of medical care. Larger patient rooms offer comprehensive monitoring and treatment, regardless of the presenting condition, while soundproofing and privacy measures have been integrated to create a peaceful and confidential atmosphere for patients and their families.

Moreover, the new Emergency Department includes state-of-the-art infectious disease protection measures, making it well equipped to manage emerging infectious diseases effectively, enhancing its role as a healthcare leader in the region.

The expansion isn't limited to the treatment rooms alone. The hallways have been widened to facilitate smoother patient flow, and the nursing control station has been extended to enhance flexibility in handling multiple patients, especially in times of disaster and trauma situations.

Through the years, Sidney Health Center's Emergency Department has evolved into a regional center for emergent medical needs. It boasts a dedicated team of board-certified physicians and critical care nurses who are available around the clock to provide high-quality care. Additionally, Sidney Health Center maintains 24/7 access to General Surgery, OB/GYN, and ENT specialists to support the ER team.

"Our Emergency Department physicians are dedicated to Sidney Health Center and the patients we serve," emphasized Dr. Council. "They may not live in Sidney full-time but many of them have been working in our ER for years. Our physicians are on a rotating schedule who work for significant lengths of time in the ER. As the medical director, I am in constant communication with these doctors to ensure continuity of care for our patients."

What sets Sidney Health Center apart is its strong network of partnerships and resources, including its very own air ambulance service known as Care Flight. Collaborations with St. Vincent Hospital and Billings Clinic in Billings, as well as hospitals in Salt Lake City, UT, and Denver, CO, ensure that patients can be transferred to receive the best care, when a higher level of medical treatment is critical.

In addition, the Emergency Department serves as a vital support system for the facility's Cancer Care Center and numerous smaller medical facilities throughout Northeast Montana. In fiscal year 2023, the ER treated over 6,000 patients, the Richland County Ambulance Service did 538 runs throughout the county, and the Care Flight service provided 386 flights from Sidney Health Center and surrounding facilities.



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First Eastern Montana Childcare Summit Invitation, Oct. 10, Wolf Point

Submitted by
Quincy Walter,
Regional Director

We all know childcare is a pressing issue in the "childcare desert" we live in here, in Northeastern Montana. Here are Great Northern Development Co-operation and the Small Business Development Center. We have heard the many sides of the story, from a workforce shortage, the lack of childcare businesses/staff to help, and a local economy trying to grow. So this is why we have partnered with Zero to Five and many other state resources to bring the table to our side of the state. We encourage you to join our in-depth discussion about the wide range of valuable

resources that are readily available for childcare facilities in Eastern Montana. This event is for:

- Child Care Providers (existing, startups, licensed, unlicensed) Tribal Community Early Childhood Education partners
- Business owners and non-childcare employers seeking to offer childcare benefits for employees or employers with labor force challenges
- Economic and workforce developers
- Community members or groups interested in or invested in early childhood systems

Throughout the day, we will also conduct a roundtable discussion about what

Eastern Montanans want and need to grow their early childhood system. There is no cost to attend this event, in fact, we will feed you, and we may be willing to help you cover the cost of a substitute teacher for you to attend. In addition, childcare providers can receive ECP/Continuing Education Credits for attending. A total of 8 ECP credits will be offered for a full day of attendance.

A list of agencies and resources that will be available during the day will be:

- Great Northern Development Corporation
- Fort Peck, Native American Business Advisors
- Montana Small Business Development Centers
- Montana Women's Business Centers
- Prospera Business Network
- Women's Entrepreneurship and Leadership Lab Women's Business Center
- University of Montana - Accelerate Montana
- Family Connections
- Zero to Five Montana
- Montana Child Care Business Connect

The first Eastern Montana Childcare Summit will be held Oct. 10, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at the GNDC Conference Room in Wolf Point.

Link to Register: <https://mtsbdc.ecenterdirect.com/events/5640>

We ask that you register today so organizers can accurately plan for catering and seating. If we do not meet the minimum number of attendees by the end of this week, we will have to cancel the round table event.

If you need help completing the event registration or have questions about attending, please don't hesitate to contact Quincy Walter at Great Northern Development Corporation at sbdc@gndc.org or (406) 650-2524.



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MonDak Boys & Girls Club’s Tasty Tuesdays Big Hit

Submitted by Janelle Chamberlain
 MonDak Boys & Girls Club after-school program is dedicated to introducing our members to new programs and activities.

Tasty Tuesdays is a program that started last year with our youngest members and is quickly growing to be a favorite! It is a hands-on cooking program that inspires creativity, healthy habits, and an interest in what we eat and where it comes from. The recipes include ingredients and recipes that coordinate with the season.

The members started the program with leaf-shaped sandwiches and apple dips. Following the fall theme, the red group members got to make scarecrow mix last week! All enjoyed the savory snack!

The red group is lead

by Brooke Haase and Tracy Kessel and enjoys many

activities throughout the afternoon including, STEM,

art, reading, Social Emotional Learning, and recess!



MonDak Boys & Girls Club Sept. Youth Of The Month

Submitted Janelle by Chamberlain

Boys & Girls Clubs of the MonDak is proud to announce Olivia Parker and Amaya Musselwhite as the September Youth of Month recipients! Olivia is our Clubhouse Youth of the Month and she is in Mrs. Hanson's second-grade class. She is the daughter of Jamie and Jake Parker and she has a little brother named Murphy. Olivia enjoys making artwork while at the club and loves math class in school. When Olivia grows up, she would like to become a florist.

Amaya is our Youth of the Month from the Base and she likes all her teachers in 6th grade at the Middle School. She is the daughter of Aziah Salazar and has two siblings. Amaya enjoys art, drawing, and karaoke while at the Club and her favorite subject in school is art class. Amaya wants to be an actress and/or an artist when she grows up.

Congratulations to both of our September Youth of the Month winners! You have demonstrated respect, kindness, and a great attitude to all at our clubhouse!



Amaya Musselwhite



Olivia Parker



Hess Midstream LP Announces Signing Of Accretive \$100 Million Sponsor Unit Repurchase

Jennifer Gordon, Investor, and Lorrie Hecker, Media,

Houston--(Business Wire)--Hess Midstream LP (NYSE: HESM) ("Hess Midstream"), has announced

the execution of a definitive agreement providing for the repurchase of approximately \$100 million of Class B units by its subsidiary, Hess Midstream Operations LP, from affiliates of Hess Corporation

and Global Infrastructure Partners, Hess Midstream's sponsors (the "Sponsors"). The terms of the proposed unit repurchase transaction were unanimously approved by the Board of Directors of Hess Midstream's general partner, based on the unanimous approval and recommendation of its conflicts committee composed solely of independent directors.

"We continue to execute unit repurchase transactions as part of our unique and differentiated financial strategy, which prioritizes consistent and ongoing return of capital to our shareholders," said Jonathan Stein, Hess Midstream Chief Financial Officer. "The unit repurchase transaction is expected to provide immediate accretion to our shareholders. Follow-

ing this unit repurchase, we expect to continue to have more than \$1 billion of financial flexibility through 2025 that can be used to support potential incremental unit repurchases during that period."

Pursuant to the terms of the repurchase agreement, the repurchased units will be cancelled upon the closing of the unit repurchase transaction, which is expected to result in increased distributable cash flow per Class A share providing capacity for incremental distribution growth above Hess Midstream's annual distribution target of at least 5% through 2025, consistent with Hess Midstream's return of capital framework.

Unit Repurchase Summary



Hess Midstream Operations LP, Hess Midstream's consolidated subsidiary, agreed to repurchase 3,301,420 Class B units of Hess Midstream Operations LP, equal to approximately 1.4% of the consolidated company, held by the Sponsors, for an aggregate purchase price of approximately \$100 million. The purchase price per Class B unit is \$30.29, the closing price of

the Class A shares on Sept. 19, 2023. After completing the unit repurchase transaction, public ownership of Hess Midstream on a consolidated basis will be approximately 29.4%. The unit repurchase is anticipated to close on Sept. 22, 2023. Hess Midstream expects to fund the unit repurchase through borrowings under its existing revolving credit facility.

ONEOK Announces Completion Of Magellan Midstream Partners Acquisition



Submitted by ONEOK, Inc.

Tulsa, OK, Sept. 25, 2023 /PRNewswire/ -- ONEOK, Inc. (NYSE: OKE) (ONEOK) announced last week that it has completed its acquisition of Magellan Midstream Partners, L.P. (Magellan), creating a more diversified North American midstream infrastructure company focused on delivering essential energy products and services to its customers, and continued strong returns to investors.

The transaction was approved by ONEOK shareholders and Magellan unitholders at their respective special meetings held on Sept. 21, 2023.

"This is a significant day for Tulsa and the industry as we bring together the talented ONEOK and Magellan teams and look to the future as one company," said Pierce H. Norton II, ONEOK president and chief executive officer. "Our expanded products platform will present additional opportunities in ONEOK's core businesses and further enhance the resiliency of our company. We are committed to ensuring a smooth transition aimed at delivering on the many benefits of this combination for our customers, employees, and shareholders."

Magellan unitholders received \$25 in cash and 0.667 shares of ONEOK common stock for each outstanding Magellan common unit. Magellan common units will no longer be publicly traded on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE). Shares of ONEOK common stock will continue to trade on the NYSE.

Goodnight Midstream Announces New President & C.O.O.

Submitted by Tailwater Capital

Dallas, Sept. 26, 2023 /PRNewswire/ -- Goodnight Midstream LLC ("Goodnight"), a portfolio company of Tailwater Capital LLC ("Tailwater") and leading provider of produced water handling services in Permian Basin, Bakken, and Eagle Ford, recently announced Matthew Osborn will serve as the company's president and chief operating officer (COO).

"We are honored to have Matt join our team and look forward to the leadership he will bring to our company," said Grant Adams, Goodnight Midstream CEO. "He brings an impressive track record of leadership, engineering, and operating

assets in a safe and reliable manner. I'm confident Matt's expertise and vision will be instrumental in driving our operational excellence and propelling Goodnight to new heights."

In this role, Osborn will help lead the vision and culture of Goodnight alongside CEO Grant Adams. With more than two decades of experience in operations and engineering and more than 10 years in senior leadership roles, his expertise in project execution and driving customer-focused solutions is expected to make an immediate impact at Goodnight.

"I am very excited to take on this new challenge and uphold a culture of excellence," Osborn said. "We



look forward to building on Goodnight's solid foundation for best-in-class service and will strive to expand our asset footprint and service offerings to provide the most reliable and comprehensive solutions for our blue-chip customer base."

Osborn previously served as Align Midstream Partners I and II, LLC president and COO, in Dallas. Under his leadership, he helped grow and successfully monetize both companies. Most recently, Osborn served as entrepreneur-in-residence at Tailwater Innovation Partners working with Tailwater Capital in evaluating new investment opportunities

and was responsible for providing technical, operational, and budgeting expertise.

A veteran of the United States Navy, Osborn is a graduate of the Naval Nuclear Power Program and served as a nuclear submarine officer, onboard USS Memphis (SSN-691). He received a Master of Engineering Management from Old Dominion University Batten College of Engineering and Technology, a Master of Business Administration from the University of Oklahoma Price School of Business, and his Bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from Texas A&M University.

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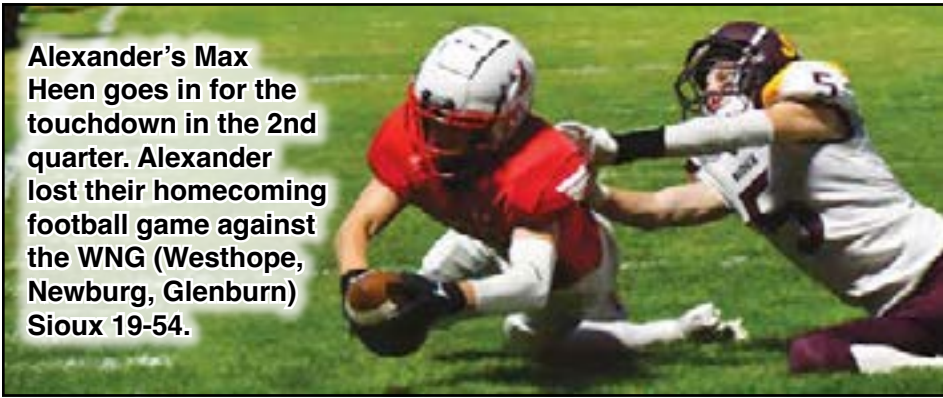


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Alexander Homecoming



During half time at Alexander's homecoming football game Paige Delaney (right) helps 4th grader Greyson Raughton (left) during Dummy Roping (Inset) Kyerin Steece, 9, tries his hand at riding the mechanical bull at Alexander High School's homecoming Friday night.



Alexander's Max Heen goes in for the touchdown in the 2nd quarter. Alexander lost their homecoming football game against the WNG (Westhope, Newburg, Glenburn) Sioux 19-54.



Lainey Powell, Alexander, goes for the kill in Friday's homecoming volleyball game against the Trenton Tigers. The Comets lost to the Tigers 23-25, 15-25 and 25-9.



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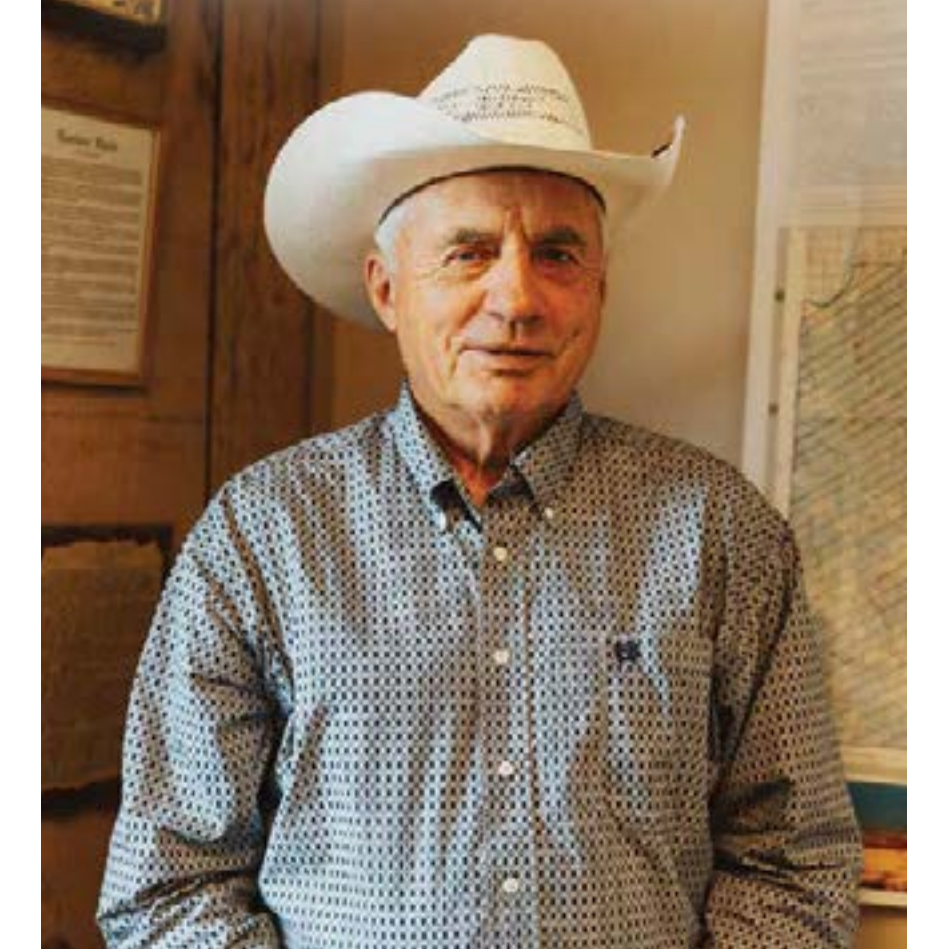
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Submitted
The Fairview Warriors traveled to Wibaux to play the #5 ranked Longhorns on a Saturday afternoon. After an early fumble, the Warriors rebounded by jumping out to a first quarter 14-0 lead on a 20-yard Tyler Loan run and a 33-yard Jeff Tjelde pass to Jaxon Vitt.

The second quarter was more of the same as Wyatt McPherson ran in a 27-yard touchdown followed by 3 more touchdown runs by Loan from 9, 45, and 41-yards respectively giving the Warriors a 39-0 lead at the half. A one play 65-yard dash by Brock Schlothauer to start the third quarter

pushed the score to 46-0. Schlothauer scored again a few minutes later from 25 yards out to make the score 52-0.

Wibaux scored once in the fourth quarter against the Fairview JV squad making the final score 52-8. Schlottbauer stood out on the defensive side of the ball, too,

recording 15 total tackles

Offensively, Fairview ran 30 plays for 474 yards, 405 rushing, and 8 TDs.

The Warriors will celebrate senior night on Saturday against the Culbertson Cowboys.



Brock Schlothauer is brought down by Wibaux after making good yardage for Fairview. (Keri McPherson Photography)

By Brandy Spitzer-Tjelde
The Fairview Warrior volleyball team was on the road for last week's conference matches against Harlem and Glasgow.

Junior Carly Buxbaum said, "Heading into the weekend with two important away games, we needed to be mentally prepared for a long weekend. We needed to make sure everyone was ready and knew their roles. Having a good support team behind us always keeps us going." Although the Warriors took the games in six sets total, both games challenged the Warriors to come from behind and learn from their mistakes.

Fairview vs Harlem

Early in the first set versus Harlem, the Warriors, and Wildcats traded points and errors until Emily Johnson served five in a row, giving the Warriors the lead 7-4. Untouched kills by Abby Berry and Kallee Hopes helped increase that lead to 12-7 and forced the Harlem head coach to call a time-out. The Warrior offense came out strong from the time-out with another kill from Hopes and six serves from Macy Tjelde, advancing the score to 15-8. The Warriors went on the offensive, mixing up attacks, and although the Wildcats were scrappy with their digs, kills from Emily Johnson and Tjelde and serving from Carly Buxbaum helped to

seal the win, 25-11.

In set two, the Warriors took the lead early and maintained it with strong offensive and defensive play, 25-15. In the third set, Harlem started out more competitive, initially taking the lead. The Warriors and Wildcats locked in ties 6-6 before Harlem regained the lead 7-9. The teams battled at the net in a long rally, with Johnson blocking three in a row before the Wildcats finally took the point. Johnson fired back with a kill of her own. A tip-kill from Berry tied the score 12-12. Serving from Kambre Kloker and Tjelde helped the Warriors take the lead 17-13, but Harlem answered back, retaking the lead, 18-17. Errors from the Warriors helped keep the score tied at 18, 19, and 21, but Isabelle Fry served three in a row, and setter Kallee Hopes mixed it up at the net, setting both Johnson and Tjelde to finish the set and secure the match, 25-22.

Fairview vs Glasgow

"We knew this weekend's game versus Glasgow was going to be a big one because we were tied for second place in the conference," Angie Hopes, Fairview's head coach, said. "The girls stepped onto the court on Saturday with a strong determination and a will to win. They were focused on what they needed to do, and they started the

first game strong.

The girls did get a little frazzled in the second game, but they managed to push through to win. The third game didn't start much better. We called a time-out to take a deep breath and refocus. We needed to pass, set, and hit. We needed to remain in control. The girls stepped onto the court with even more determination to win. Watching them play from the sidelines, I could see that a transformation was taking place; growth was happening. Although we were behind, they managed to fight back one point at a time with outstanding defense from the back row by Abby, along with Macy and Emily taking control at the net. I was excited to watch them persevere and grow as a team."

The two road wins improved the Fairview Warrior's conference record to 5-1 and overall record to 8-2. This week, the Warriors travel to Poplar on Thursday, Oct. 5, and the Beach Invitational Tournament on Oct. 7. Fairview's Assistant Coach Tia Hallock, said, "The op-



Savannah Manuel keeps the ball in play after an attack by Harlem on Friday. (Submitted by Brandy Spitzer-Tjelde)

portunity to play teams [in Beach] we won't see in regular season will be a great learning experience for the girls. The ability to adapt for each match will be a crucial skill for the Lady Warriors to have as they move forward with their season."

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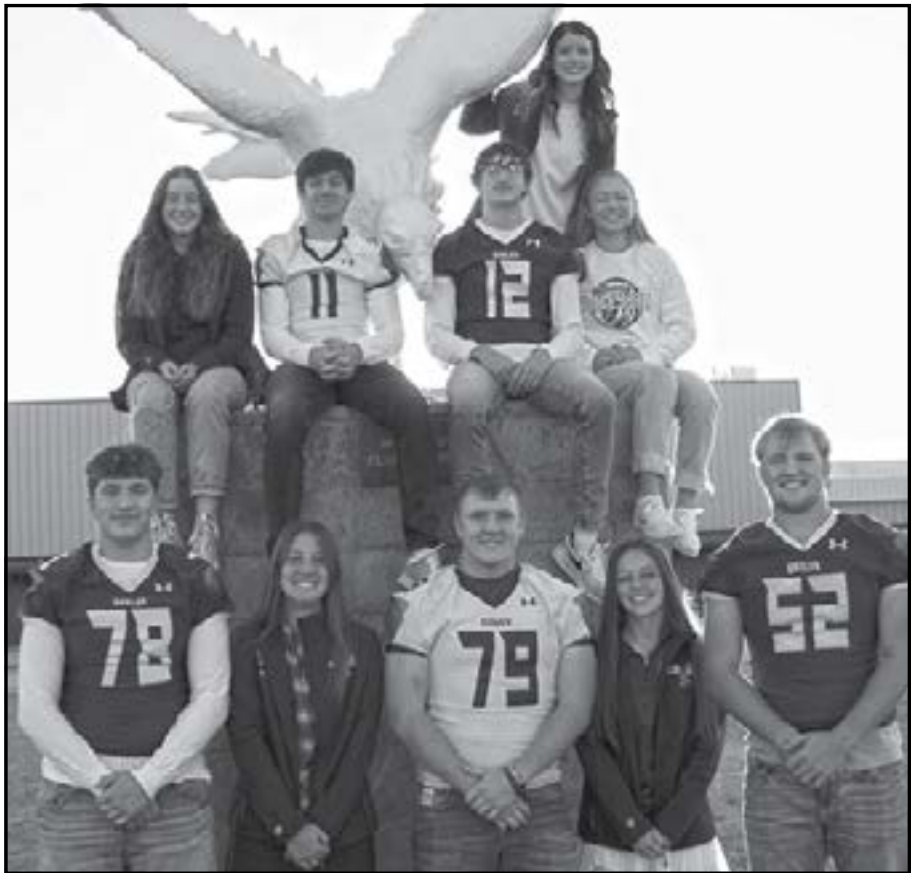
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Winter Named North Dakota Stockmen’s Association Top Hand...

(Continued from page 1A) ranching with my sons. I couldn’t do it without them.” Keith and Patricia have five kids and 12 grandkids. “In the future, I hope that my sons and grandchildren continue the tradition and pass it on.” Keith reflected on how he got involved in industry organizations: “My late neighbor, Dale Greenwood, sat down in the kitchen of our one-bedroom house 49 years ago and wanted to talk about me becoming more involved,” he explained. “He is

the one that signed me up as a member of the NDSA and helped me become more active in the McKenzie County Grazing Association.” An active member he has surely been, serving 34 years as McKenzie County Grazing Association president, an important role considering the unique ownership and management of the federal grazing lands. In North Dakota, the federal grasslands are not reservations from the public domain, like the U.S. Forest Service’s national forests

established by Congress. Instead, they were purchased during the Dust Bowl era of the 1930s from homesteaders in the region. The McKenzie County Grazing Association, based

in Watford City, the ND-SA’s birthplace, operates on about half of McKenzie County, North Dakota. McKenzie County has 1.8 million acres in the county and the landscape features

a wide diversity of physical features, ranging from sugar beet fields bordering the Missouri River at the northwest corner of the county to rugged Badlands near the Little Missouri River in the

south, where Theodore Roosevelt National Park and the Little Missouri River National Grasslands are located. The association has been supporting the livestock industry and championing the value of grazing since its inception in 1937. It issues 210 permits and encompasses 930,000 acres. “One of our main goals is to make the U.S. Forest Service live up to the agreement they made in the 1930s – that the lands would be used for agriculture,” Keith explained. “There’s a difference between most federal lands and the land in McKenzie County.”

He is proud of the grazing association’s accomplishments and the stewardship of its ranchers. “Our preference numbers for cattle on the grasslands haven’t been reduced,” he explained. “We have kept the right amount of cattle on the right amount of acres, and we have kept our fellow ranchers and their operations viable in this county.”

Besides his local grazing association service, Keith has also served as the Public Lands Council president, which actively represents livestock producers who hold public lands grazing permits on the national level, and was the chairman of the National Cattlemen’s Beef Association’s Federal Lands Committee.

“Keith Winter is very deserving of this prestigious award,” said Mark Voll, a longtime NDSA member, McKenzie County Grazing Association permittee and Keith’s neighbor. “He does such a great job as president of the McKenzie County Grazing Association, because his motives are all about ranching – he is a very intelligent person, a dedicated listener, and important resource, and a truly good friend to have.”



A livestock industry trade show was held in conjunction with the NDSA Annual Convention last week at the Rough Rider Center in Watford City. (Photo by Kathy Taylor)

Lunch Menus!

Sidney School Thurs., Oct. 5: Tater tot hot-dish, green beans, pears, hot rolls. Fri., Oct. 6: No school. Mon., Oct. 9: Spaghetti, tossed salad, garlic toast, peaches. Tues., Oct. 10: French toast, sausage links, hash browns, orange juice. Wed., Oct. 11: Hot ham & cheese, cheesy potatoes, strawberry banana sauce.	Culbertson School Thurs., Oct. 5: Orange chicken, fried rice, mandarin oranges. Fri., Oct. 6: Corn dogs, chips, applesauce. Mon., Oct. 9: Chicken drummies, tater tots, cooked carrots. Tues., Oct. 10: Cheeseburgers, curly fries, apple-sauce. Wed., Oct. 11: Riblet sandwiches, baked beans, mixed fruit.
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Rau School Thurs., Oct. 5: Southwest beef & rice, salad rolls. Fri., Oct. 6: No school. Mon., Oct. 9: Chicken Alfredo, garlic bread. Tues., Oct. 10: Ranch chicken wraps. Wed., Oct. 11: Turkey noodle casserole, salad, rolls.	Fairview School Thurs., Oct. 5: Popcorn chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, fruit, fresh garden bar. Fri., Oct. 6: No school. Mon., Oct. 9: Tater tot casserole, veggie, fruit, fresh garden bar. Tues., Oct. 10: Philly cheesesteak sammies, French fries, veggie, fruit, fresh garden bar. Wed., Oct. 11: Orange chicken, rice, veggie, fruit, fresh garden bar.
Froid School Thurs., Oct. 5: Homemade potato soup, ham sandwiches, fruit, veggies, salad bar. Fri., Oct. 6: No school. Mon., Oct. 9: Breakfast burritos, hash browns, go-gurts, fruit, salad bar. Tues., Oct. 10: BBQ chicken sandwiches, baked beans, fries, fruit, salad bar. Wed., Oct. 11: Beef stroganoff over noodles, buns, veggies, dessert, salad bar.	Alexander School Thurs., Oct. 5: Dino nuggets or fish sticks, fries, fruit, vegetable bar. Fri., Oct. 6: No school. Mon., Oct. 9: Turkey or ham, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, bread, fruit, vegetable bar. Tues., Oct. 10: Taco in a bag, fruit, vegetable bar. Wed., Oct. 11: Corn dogs, chips & cheese, fruit, vegetable bar.
Bainville School Thurs., Oct. 5: Grilled chicken sandwiches, snap peas, sliced fruit, salad bar. Fri., Oct. 6: Cheeseburgers, macaroni & cheese, broccoli, grapes, salad bar. Mon., Oct. 9: Hailey Stein Day! Tortellini, corn, tropical fruit, cheesecake, salad bar. Tues., Oct. 10: Super nachos, green beans, mixed fruit, salad bar. Wed., Oct. 11: Pizza, Caesar salad, pears, salad bar.	Watford City School Thurs., Oct. 5: Spicy Sichuan chicken fried rice, fortune cookies, fruit, veggies, salad bar. Fri., Oct. 6: Personal round pepperoni pizzas, fruit, veggies, salad bar. Mon., Oct. 9: No school. Tues., Oct. 10: Chicken asada, shoestring fries, fruit, veggies, salad bar. Wed., Oct. 11: Steak fries, crispy diced potatoes, fruit, veggies, salad bar.
Richey School Thurs., Oct. 5: Tacos, lettuce, fruit, salad bar. Fri., Oct. 6: No school. Mon., Oct. 9: Tomato soup, pizza grilled cheese, veggie sticks, cookies, fruit, salad bar. Tues., Oct. 10: Fajitas, veggies, fruit, salad bar. Wed., Oct. 11: Orange chicken, rice, stir fry veg-	

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Sidney Cross Country



Sidney’s Carter Heggem finished second in the boys’ division at the Glasgow Invitational. Sidney’s boys took third as a team. (Photo submitted)



Sidney’s Ryleigh Kleinke placed fifth in the girls’ division in the Glasgow Invitational held at Fort Peck on Saturday. The Eagles placed second as a team. (Photo submitted)

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