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9th Annual Rockin' Your Heart Weekend, Sidney, June 4-5

By Anna Dragseth

The MonDak Area Stockgrowers and Foundation for Community Care will be hosting its 9th Annual Rockin' Your Heart Weekend June 4 & 5 at the Richland County Fair and Rodeo.

Starting Friday, June 4, at 5 p.m. there will be a Cattlemen's Team Roping. This is where participants can show off their roping skills; registration begins at 4 p.m.

On Saturday, June 5, at 8 a.m., there will be a 5k/10k Beef Run. There will be a \$30 entry fee- with this fee participants will receive a t-shirt that has brands of the sponsoring ranches on the back. Participants can register online or the day of the event at the fairgrounds.

In addition to these events, there will be a Pasture to Plate Ranch Tour on Saturday, June 5, at 10 a.m.

This is a guided bus tour that provides in-depth information on where and how beef is produced. There is a \$30 fee for this tour and it includes a tasty tribute to the local cattle industry.

The main event for the 9th Annual Rockin' Your Heart Weekend is "A Night Under the Stars Cattlemen's" Ball. This will be an outdoor evening with dinner, dancing, and fundraising. This part of the event's goal is to raise awareness of the benefits of the beef industry. It will include a live auction, a beef entree, and live music by Paul Bogart.

Tickets are \$50 each and available for pick up at the Foundation office.

Paul Bogart
(Photo from paulbogart.com)



The primary funding for the Cattlemen's Ball is from community sponsors. Last year's event raised over

\$20,000. The proceeds go towards supporting local healthcare services in the area.

For more information on this event visit <https://www.foundationforcommunity-care.org/Events>.



Beware Of Fraud Calls "Spoofed" As Local Businesses

Submitted by Marketing & Branding Specialist, Nicole Senner

Despite continued investment and efforts to fight illegal robocalls plaguing telephone customers, Mid-Rivers has recently noticed an increase in scam calls in the area that show up on caller ID as reputable local business names. Scammers are "spoofing" the caller ID (sending through fake caller ID names and/or numbers) to look like names you recognize, hoping to increase the chances of getting the called party to answer.

Our own business name has been used by scammers trying to obtain personal account information. They may also pretend to be a local bank, city or county government, your power company, law enforcement, hospitals, schools, or other recognizable local business names to trick you into giving them sensitive information or money.

These callers use unassigned numbers or may even copy the name and number of the party they are calling, and regularly change the fake numbers they are using, to get around call blocking services. Many of these calls originate in foreign countries.

Unfortunately, there is no fail-safe tool for stopping these calls because it is so easy for scammers to fake the location from which they are calling. You can help fight illegal robocalls by following these tips:

1. Do not give out personal information or financial information. If you receive an unsolicited call from a company that you do business with and the caller asks for personal information, tell them you will call back on their number of record. Look up their publicly available telephone number from a billing statement or the phone book to call back.

2. Do not answer calls you are not expecting or calls from unfamiliar names or numbers.

3. Never respond to a robocall. If you happen to pick up a call, hang up as soon as you realize it is a robocall. NEVER "press 1" or "press 2" or speak to the caller. If you respond it will lead to more robocalls because the caller will now know they have reached a working number or a "live" prospect.

4. Make sure your landline and cell phone numbers are on the Do Not Call Registry by going to www.donotcall.gov or calling 1-888-382-1222 from the phone number you want to register.

5. Report unwanted calls at www.donotcall.gov and consumercomplaints.fcc.gov.

Long X Arts & Rough Rider Center Team Up To Bring You The Waddington Brothers June 10



Jessie Veeder (Photo submitted)

Submitted by
Jessie Veeder

Long X Arts and the Rough Rider Center team up to bring you bluegrass and Americana entertainment with the Waddington Brothers and Jessie Veeder as part of their Parking Lot Party Event at Rough Rider Center Thursday, June 10 at 7 p.m.. Free will donations will be accepted to benefit area arts.

Welcome summer the North Dakota way - listening to great music on the tailgate of your pickup or in your favorite lawn chair surrounded by friends, good food and cold drinks.

Kick up your heels with North Dakota bluegrass

and Americana music in the parking lot of the Rough Rider Center. Bring a lawn chair or tune in to the FM radio from your car!

Cash bar, cornhole tournament, kids activities, and concessions. Fun for all ages!

Bring your lawn chair, back up your pickup or sit in the comfort of your own car and tune into the concert on The Waddington Brothers' own FM radio station!

From southwestern North Dakota, The Waddington Brothers have been performing together since 2004. They have performed with such notable artists as The Kruger Brothers, Ron Block and Bobby Hicks. The



The Waddington Brothers (Photo submitted)

Waddington Brothers are a versatile acoustic group with a musical style that ranges from hard driving bluegrass to the mellow sound and dynamic western harmonies reminiscent of Bob Nolan and the Sons of the Pioneers.

The Waddington Brothers spent many years touring the United States and Canada with their family (nine of them in all) as The Waddington Family, performing Gospel music. Music has been in these men's blood since early childhood. When Seth was 15 and the twins were 12 they played in the

"Frozen Fingers" Bluegrass Festival, Minot, ND with their sister Amanda playing the bass guitar. In 2009, Ethan won second place in the National Bluegrass Banjo Championship, Winfield, KS. Since then the brothers have performed at Silver Dollar City, Branson, MO. They have been featured guests on "Dakota Air, the Radio Show" on Prairie Public Radio as well as performing for North Dakota Governor Jack Dalrymple's inaugural ball in 2013.

Jessie Veeder, a local favorite who has toured the country with her own original

style of Americana music, will be opening the evening with Lonesome Willy, celebrating the release of her newest album, "Playing Favorites."

No matter your age or musical tastes, this parking lot party will be a great way to gather with friends, kick back, or kick up your heels.

This concert is brought to you by the Long X Arts Foundation and sponsored by Team Advantage of Re/Max Bakken Realty.

For more information contact Jessie at 701-770-8659 or longxart@gmail.com.



Zahara Mozeak looking over her family's new batch of backyard chickens in Eureka, CA. (Photo by Jarrod Mozeak)

Chickens In Sidney: Community Members To Propose Raising Chickens In City Limits

On Monday, June 7, the City of Sidney Council members will have the opportunity to give Sidney residents back some of their freedoms. In the first city council meeting of the summer, Jaymi Mozeak will be going before the council to request the current ordinances concerning livestock be eased to allow city residents to own and keep chickens on their property. She will also be presenting them with a petition signed by Sidney residents wanting chickens in town.

Jaymi grew up on a small hobby farm in a small

town and so had the pleasure of caring for chickens and our animals for most of her childhood. She had moved to Sidney several years ago than away but returned to settle and raise her son. She said, "One of the first things I did when I came back was go to the police station and ask if I could have chickens in town after I bought a house. I was surprised and very disappointed when the officer brought me a copy of the ordinances concerning animals. I had just moved from a small town in South Dakota where hens were le-

gal to keep in town. I thought it had become normal."

The current ordinance restricts all city residents from keeping any livestock within city limits. This includes chickens. Believe it or not, this is odd for towns not only in eastern Montana but all over Montana and the rest of the nation as well. Many towns and cities across the nation allow chickens as pets to varying degrees. Fairview, not even 12 miles north of Sidney, allows both roosters and hens with ordinances pretty

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Many people are losing millions of dollars each year to mail fraud scams. If you're ever not sure about a letter, show it to someone you trust before responding.

Warning signs to watch out for:

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- Letters asking you to pay a fee to receive a prize
- Letters or offers from psychics to predict your future
- Mail that looks personalized to you from someone you don't recognize

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Car & Motorcycle Show

Saturday, June 12

Moose Park In Sidney (by the pool)

Admission: \$5
Kids under 12 free

Registration: 9-11 am
(\$35/judged entry, \$10/nonjudged, includes drivers & 1 passenger)

VOTE FOR PEOPLE'S CHOICE, AWARD & TOP 3 PARTICIPANT'S CHOICE WHEELS & BIKES!

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For more info, call Larry Christensen at 406-489-0589

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.

6 p.m. — Al-Anon Family Group Meeting, Trinity Lutheran Church Ed. bldg., 214 S. Lincoln Ave., Sidney, MT.

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.

7:30 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.

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STATISTICS

LAKE WATER LEVEL REPORT

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Current Elevation.....1835.0

Last Week's Elev.1834.7

One Year Ago1840.5

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SIDNEY WEATHER DATA

Source: MSU Eastern Agricultural Research Center

Date	High	Low	Precip.
May 17	84	48	0.000
May 18	87	57	0.000
May 19	71	50	0.000
May 20	64	41	0.000
May 21	43	38	0.130
May 22	51	40	0.000
May 23	57	46	0.210
May 24	70	48	0.060
May 25	62	44	0.010
May 26	51	43	0.220
Total 2021 YTD Precipitation.....	2.0234		

Spring “E-Rase Your E-Waste” Event Cancelled; Fall Event Still Planned

Submitted by Beth Redlin

This year's May e-waste recycling event was cancelled again this spring, in part to give organizers an opportunity to review the “E-rase Your E-waste” program and plan for the long-term future of e-cycling in this region.

“We’ve had a number of calls and emails from people asking about our spring event and we’ve asked them, in turn, to please hold on to their items until September when our regular fall collection will go forward as usual,” new “E-rase Your E-waste” Coordinator Heather Luinstra said last week. “We decided to forgo the spring event this year as we are in the midst of re-evaluating the program following a change in leadership and are exploring new opportunities to provide additional e-cycling options for local residents. Once that evaluation is complete, we'll announce any planned changes.”

“In the meantime, however, the fall E-rase Your E-waste event will continue as usual in September although the date is not yet set,” Luinstra said. She thanked the community for their interest and their support of the program. Now in its 17th year, the local “E-rase your E-waste” program continues to offer electronics recycling to the MonDak region free of charge at least once a year. Since its inception the volunteer effort has recycled more than a half million pounds of damaged or obsolete electronics from this area, inspiring other communities to follow suit elsewhere across the state and beyond.

Additional information on the specific dates and times for the 2021 fall event will be announced later this summer, Luinstra noted.

Richland County Health Department Walk-In COVID-19 Vaccine Clinics

The Richland County Health Department is offering COVID-19 vaccine without appointment on Tuesdays in June and July at the Health Department, 1201 West Holly, Sidney. Only for 18 years of age or older. Bring your insurance card if you have health insurance. You will spend as much as 30 minutes or longer at the clinic, including a 15-minute monitoring period following vaccination and any other unforeseen wait time. Additional clinics will be announced.

Janssen (Johnson & Johnson) 1-dose: June 15, July 6 & 20: 12:30-3 p.m.

Moderna 2-Dose: June 8 & 22; July 13 & 27: 12:30-3 p.m.

Plan to attend a second clinic 4-6 weeks later for the second dose.

For more information call 406-433-2207.

McKenzie County 4-H’ers Participate In District Contest

Submitted by Marcia Hellandsaas, McKenzie County NDSU Extension Agent

Three McKenzie County 4-H’ers participated in the 2021 Mouticounty Program Unit 1 4-H Communication Arts Event held on Tuesday, May 26 at Williston Research Extension Center. The goal of this event is to help 4-H’ers become proficient at making public presentations. Participants are developing communication skills and learning to gather and organize information, equipment and props.

Kyle Best presented “Why Buy Local” video presentation in Junior Division and received a first place medal. Kyle is the son of Vawnita and Pete Best, Watford City.

Gracyn and Gavyn Darrington shared S’mores Sisters!” in the Junior Division of the Fish Tank Category. They were presented with first place medals. The girls are daughters of Nikki and Patrick Darrington, Arnegard.

Eleven youth from northwest North Dakota counties of Mountrail, McKenzie, and Williams competed in the event.

For more information, please contact the McKenzie County Extension Office at 701-444-3451.

Sidney Young Professionals To Host MT Young Professionals Summit 2021

By Anna Dragseth

This year the 2021 Montana Young Professionals Summit will be held in Sidney June 9-11. This is a statewide event that helps Young Professionals in Montana expand their professional networks and personal development. It provides them with the opportunity to explore the different aspects that make up the United States.

This year the theme is “Where Energy Meets Sustainability; the Land of Oil and Ag”. This will be the first time that the event will be held in eastern Montana. Past host cities include Great Falls, Billings, Butte, and Kalispell.

“Our committee felt it was important to highlight different tours of our region which will be a different experience for attendees. While we will still have personal/professional development breakout sessions and keynote speakers, the tours are going to offer attendees the opportunity to get out of the classroom/office and truly see what makes Richland County successful,” said Katie Dasinger, Sidney Young Professionals president and Richland Economic Development program coordinator.

Dasinger is excited to show off the “amazing community” of Sidney. She said, “It is often said that Sidney has limited opportunity and is not as vibrant as communities in western Montana. But we know that isn’t true, but now we will get to show this truth to others.”

MTYP has a tradition of honoring young professionals from across Montana for the difference they make in their communities. There are four state awards and as the host city, Sidney also gets to have a Sidney-Centric award for one of our local young professionals. Nominations for the awards are free, anyone can nominate, and nominees need to live and work in Montana and be between the ages of 18 and 40. To nominate for a state award, check out their website at www.sypsidney.com. To nominate for the Sidney Young Professional of the year, send an email to Dasinger: sypsidney@gmail.com with the name of the nominee and a write up of why they should win.

If you or someone you know is interested in attending, register online at www.sypsidey.com.

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RICHLAND COUNTY

Events in Sidney unless otherwise listed. MT Zone.

Wed., June 2

10 a.m. -4 p.m. - **Walter Piehl Retrospective Exhibit** - On display thru Aug. 14. MonDak Heritage Center, Tues.-Fri., 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Sat., 1-4 p.m. For more information call 406-433-3500, e-mail mdhc@richland.org or visit <https://mondakheritagecenter.org/>.

Fri., June 4

8-11 p.m. - **Boys & Girls Club of the MonDak-Richland Unit Outdoor Movie Night** - Everyone invited to come watch a family film outside on the BGC lawn. Bring blankets and lawn chairs, free will offering appreciated and concessions will be available. For more information call 406-433-6763.

Fri., June 4 & Sat., June 5

Fairview's Community Garage Sale - For a list of sales go to the Fairview Chambers Facebook or paper copies will be available at Merchants Bank, City Hall and Neu's SuperValu.

Rockin' Your Heart Weekend - Team roping, **June 4:** registration 4 p.m.; event starts 5 p.m. **June 5:** 5K/10K Beef Run, 8 a.m., \$30 entry fee; Pasture to Plate Ranch Tour, 10 a.m., tickets, \$30; Cattlemen's Ball, social hour, 5 p.m.; Beef Dinner, 6:30 p.m.; Dance with live music, 8 p.m., tickets \$50, available at Foundation for Community Care. Richland County Fair & Rodeo.

Sat., June 5

8 a.m.-2 p.m. - **Fairview Alliance Church Blessing Sale** - Priceless donation based rummage sale and freshly baked goodies for purchase, 702 Western Ave. All donations go to Matthew House, Sidney. Donated sale items may be dropped off by June 2 or call 406-742-5425 for more information.

7-9 p.m. - **Dragging Main Sidney - Class of 21 Senior Celebration -Sidney -Fairview - Lambert - Savage** - Lineup starts at 6 p.m. at old south Shopko parking lot. Decorate your cars, wear your cap and gown. For more information contact Jason Schrader, 406-480-4125 or visit www.facebook.com/Sidneydraggingmain/.

Sun., June 6, 13, 20, 27

1 p.m. - **Bingo** - Open to the public. Sidney Moose Lodge.

3-6 p.m. - **Open Shooting** - Sidney Trap Club. Open to the public. For more information call 406-480-5594.

Sun., June 6, 13, 27

9 a.m.-noon - **Breakfast** - Open to the public. Sidney Moose Lodge.

Mon., June 7-Wed., June 9 (6-12 Grades)

5-8 p.m. - **Sidney Hang-Time Girls Hoop Camp** - Registration fee: \$75. Sidney High School Gym. For more information call or text Dan Peters, 406-478-0805 or email petersdaniel1969@gmail.com.

Mon., June 7-Fri., June 11

8:30 a.m.-noon - **Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church Vacation Bible School** - SonQuest Rainforest VBS, 211 E. Holly, ages 3 years-6th grade. Open to all. Suggested donation \$30/child. Register online at svlcsidney.org or pick up a registration form at the church office, 406-433-7479.

Tues., June 8, 15, 22, 29

6-8 p.m. - **Open Shooting** - Sidney Trap Club. Open to the public. For more information call 406-480-5594.

Sat., June 12

8 a.m. - **30th Annual Sunrise Festival Of The Arts** - 8 a.m.-4 p.m., vendors, food, entertainment; 7 p.m.-12 a.m. 21+ Street Dance, food, drinks, live music. Downtown Sidney. Get your buttons for \$4 before June 12 at Sidney Area Chamber of Commerce, 406-433-1916.

12 p.m. - **Classic Wheels Car & Motorcycle Show** - Moose Park. Registration 9-11:30 a.m., show opens at noon, \$5 admission, kids under 12 free. Canceled if inclement weather. For more information call Larry Christensen, 406-489-0589.

1 p.m. - **Al Bedoo Shrine Parade** - Starts at Cenex/Shopko parking lot to East Main to Masonic Lodge.

Tues., June 15

12-6 p.m. - **Red Cross Blood Drive** - St. Matthew's Parish Center, 310 7th St. SE. Advance appointments recommended. To make an appointment call 406-868-0911 or 1-800-733-2767 or visit redcrossblood.org. Face masks required.

Sat., June 19

8 a.m. - **Vision of Hope Autism Awareness 5K Walk/Run** - The race begins 8 a.m., Peterson Park, behind The Lodge. Register at www.emmaushouse.co or call 406-480-0669. T-shirts included with registration.

1 p.m. - **Robert Wicorek Fundraiser Fairview High School** - Austin Wicorek will be pulling a fire truck for distance to raise money for his father's headstone. There is also a live feed on Facebook with a paypal link for donations.

Sun., June 20

9 a.m.-Noon - **Father's Day Breakfast** - Open to the public. Dads eat free, 8 years and up, \$10; 4-7 years, \$5; 0-3 years, free. Sidney Moose Lodge.

Sat., June 26

11: a.m. - **Cookout & Car Show NAPA Parking Lot** - Cookout starts at 11 a.m. and Car Show starts at 2 p.m.

Sun., June 27

11 a.m.-6 p.m. - **Sidney Lions Club 4th Annual Trap Shoot Fundraiser** - Taking place at the local trap club. Everyone welcome. Bring your lawn chair and come out and have lunch. Brackets for all skill levels. For more information call Ron Gebhardt, 406-480-5022; Amanda Seigfreid, 406-489-0321 or George Biebl, 406-480-1236.

MCKENZIE COUNTY

Events in Watford City unless otherwise listed. CT Zone

Tues., June 8

5 p.m. - **North Dakota Stockmen's Association Charting The Course Spring Roundups** - Learn more about the North Dakota Stockmen's Association recent work. Brand inspectors meeting, 5 p.m.; social, 5:30 p.m., Supper, program and nominating Committee meetings starting at 6:30 p.m. Outlaws Bar & Grill.

Sat., June 5

8-9:30 a.m. Session 1; 10-11:30 a.m. Session 2 - **17th Annual Children's Fishing Derby** - Free to children 13 and under. Preregistration required to guarantee a spot at: www.watfordcityparks.com. Free will breakfast from 9-10:30 a.m. Kent Pelton Nature Park, Watford City Fishing Pond.

Tues., June 8

3:30 p.m. - **McKenzie County Public Library 2021 Summer Reading Program Kickoff** - Featuring Jeff Quinn's reading Safari Magic Show, free. Watford City Civic Center.

Thurs., June 10, 24; July 5 & 29

2-4 p.m. - **Food Giveaway** - First Presbyterian Church, 316 4th Ave. NE.

Tues., June 15 & July 20

2-4 p.m. - **Food Pantry Handouts** - First Lutheran Church, 212 2nd St. NW. For more information call McKenzie County Extension Office, 701-444-3451 or visit McKenzie County Food Pantry Facebook page for dates, times and updates.

WILLIAMS COUNTY

Events in Williston unless otherwise listed. CT Zone.

Fri., June 11

6 p.m. - **Williston Basin Speedway Tougher Than Dirt Tour at the Races** - All classes. Gates 6 p.m.; race, 7 p.m. For more information visit www.willistonbasinspeedway.com.

Thurs., June 17-Sun., June 20

10 a.m.-4 p.m. - **38th Annual Fort Union Rendezvous** - Living history reenactors, historical demonstrations, shop and explore traders row. 15550 HWY 1804, Williston.

DAWSON COUNTY

Events in Glendive unless otherwise listed. CT Zone

Sat., June 12

7 a.m. - **Buzzard Day 2021** - Mini train rides, Mak the Dinosaur, Smokey Bear, Lurch the turkey vulture. Archery, disc golf tournament, kids fun run and more. Makoshika State Park. For more information visit www.friendsofmakoshika.org/buzzard-day.

The Parlour Grand Opening

By Nicole Lucina
 Summer is coming and The Parlour is open. After serving Sidney for over 12 years, Nutt-N-Better sold the ice cream shop to new owners Paula Eberling and Larysa Hurst.

The Sidney Area Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture held a ribbon cutting for The Parlour Thursday, May 27 for the shops grand opening. The Parlour will be open seven days a week from 11:30 a.m.-9 p.m. In keeping with tradition, they will be serving the same ice cream you all know and love with 26 different flavors to choose from. Ranging from the classic flavors to decadent, salty and fruity, they have something for everyone.

Their menu also includes shakes, floats, specialty bars, popsicles, sherbet, pop, and water. You can get your scoops in a dish, on a waffle cone or a regular cone and at a great price.



The Parlour had a Ribbon Cutting on Thursday, May 27 for their Grand Opening. Pictured is back from left, Amy Bieber, Shay Steinbeisser, Hanna Jepsen and Mike Eberling; front, Elaine Stedman, Nick Johnson, Emersyn and Larysa Hurst, Paula Eberling, Madina Sult, Alli and Violet Nelson and Kali Godfrey. (Photo by Nicole Lucina)

With the most expensive item on their menu being only \$5, The Parlour will be a great spot to get a cool treat on a hot day.

Be sure to check out

The Parlour's Facebook page for weekly flavor updates, as they will be rotating out flavors.

Take a Walk on the Wild Side

Submitted by MBA Director Kelly Reisig
 Sidney - Take a walk on the wild side this summer! Sign up for the 2021 Tales and Tails Summer Reading Program. The Sidney-Richland County Library wants to ensure there is summer fun for everyone. There is no cost to participate.

Read what you want when you want. You can keep track either online or through the dedicated library app, READSquared. There will be prizes for babies and toddlers, school-age kids, teens and adults. Plus you don't want to miss all of the exciting programs that will be offered both online and

in person at the library! Stop by the Library on kick-off day, June 14, or call 406-433-1917 for more information. Updates and announcements throughout the program will be posted on the Sidney-Richland County Library's Facebook page and via the dedicated app, READSquared.

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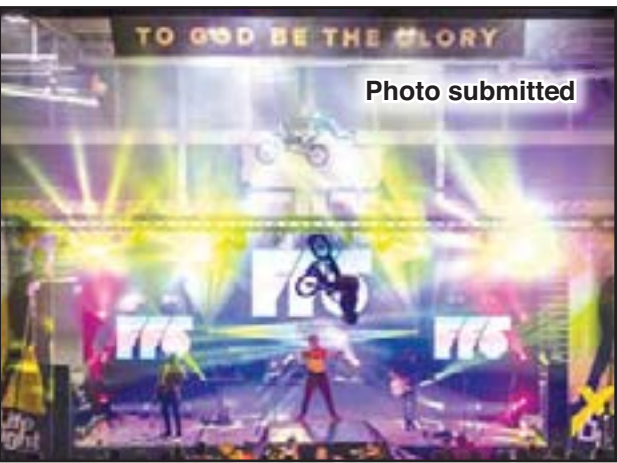
LifeLight Festival, Watford City, Saturday, June 5

By Anna Dragseth
On Saturday, June 5, from 1-10 p.m. at Rough Rider Center there will be a LifeLight Festival packed with entertainment, music, and gospel for the whole family to enjoy. LifeLight Festival is an annual free outdoor Christian music festival that has a mission to share the gospel with everyone who attends.

The musical performances include Building 429, 7eventh Time Down, Cade Thompson, and Norden Pass. Zero Gravity Outreach and Champions Forever will be performing stunts to entertain the crowd. Zero Gravity Outreach is a shock and awe, adrenaline filled worship experience that involves freestyle

motocross stunts. ZGO is an extreme missionary organization where the X Games, the Fast & Furious, digital rock concert, and Jesus all come together in one show. Champions Forever is a family of 14 that provides a performance filled with unicycles and basketballs. This group were finalists on America's Got Talent and has been to

over 35 countries, using their Spin-tacular Basketball Show to entertain and share a message of hope. According to www.championsforever.com, a member of the group, Bruce Crevier, is a "Four Time Guinness World Record Holder" for basketball spinning and has spun as many as 21 basketballs at the same time. Josh Brewer, Life Light CEO and Evangelist, along with five local pastors will be on stage throughout the event, sharing the gospel. Kelby Timmons, coordinator of the event, said, "I am excited that this event allows us to get the gospel



out there for people to hear – it is important for people to know Christ. We hope you will bring your friends, family, and those people that you have been trying to share the gospel with for years to this event."

Fairview Alliance Church Blessing Sale To Benefit Matthew House In Sidney June 5

For 11 years the Fairview Christian and Missionary Alliance Church has held what has been labeled as Blessing Sale, instead of Big Garage Sale, because the items at the sale are not priced. Get a blessing, give a blessing, be a blessing is the concept and it has yielded many blessings for many causes over the years. The beneficiary of the proceeds this year is Richland County Emergency Shelter Coalition, Sidney also known as Matthew House. RCESC, a private non-profit corporation, governed by a Board of Directors, representing a variety of local churches, businesses and community organizations, operates Matthew House. A shelter manager oversees the daily operation of the facility and also meets weekly with the residents to develop goals and to provide progress reports on their

road to self-sufficiency. Matthew House is a shelter dedicated to providing a safe, comfortable facility for those who find themselves temporarily homeless, in crisis or dispossessed. There is usually a waiting list. RCESC is solely dependent on the generosity of others and at times it can be hard to fund all their needs. They are currently in need of replacing their boiler heating system, a very big-ticket item. They expect it to cost between \$12,000 - 15,000. Our hope is to provide as much of that amount as we are able. In keeping with their tradition, the Fairview Alliance Church will offer a huge variety of un-priced, used goods at the rummage sale, as well as freshly baked goodies for purchase. All donations will go directly to RCESC. The sale will be held on

Saturday, June 5, 8 a.m.-2 p.m. at the church located at 702 Western Ave., (across the street from Fairview High School) and in conjunction with the Fairview community garage sale day. Get a blessing by finding items you can use. Give a blessing by donating whatever you wish to Matthew House. Even if you don't find anything you can use, you are still welcome to make a donation. You never know how the Lord will multiply the blessings of your generosity. Community members can also contribute sale items in good condition by dropping them off at the church no later than June 2. The church can no longer accept used televisions or computer monitors. If needed, pickup is available by calling the church 406-742-5425. Blessed to be a Blessing

Richland County Farm Service Agency Accepting Emergency Conservation Program Applications For Fire Damage

Sidney - U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) County Executive Director Tammy Lyseng today announced that Richland County is accepting applications for the Emergency Conservation Program (ECP) to address damages from Fire. ECP sign up for fire begins on June 1, 2021 and ends on June 30, 2021. The approved ECP practices under this authorization include rehabilitation or replacement of fences that were destroyed or seriously damaged, debris removal, grading, shaping, releveling land, or similar land damaged by fire. ECP assists producers with the recovery cost to restore the farmland to pre-disaster conditions. Approved ECP applicants may receive up to 75% of the cost of approved restoration activity. Limited resource, socially disadvantaged and beginning farmers and ranchers may receive up to 90% cost-share. Producers with damage from such events must apply for assistance prior to beginning reconstructive work. FSA's National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and environmental compliance review process is required to be completed before any actions are taken. Submitting an application after reconstructive work has been completed may not qualify for ECP. FSA county committees will evaluate applications

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Sidney Chamber Of Commerce & Agriculture Recognizes Outstanding Individuals & Businesses

By Anna Dragseth

Every year the Sidney Chamber of Commerce honors several area businesses and individuals with special awards. This year Agri Industries, Tri-County Implement, Mimi's Kitchen Company, Footers, Dr. Edward Bergin, and Crystal Weltikol received awards.

In previous years they have held banquets to recognize these outstanding community members and businesses but due to COVID-19, they were not able to host the banquet last year.

"Instead, we compiled videos for each recipient. Each video had several clips from those closest to the awardees and even some of their beneficiaries," said Sidney Chamber of Commerce Executive Director, Kali Godfrey.

These videos are posted on the Sidney Chamber of Commerce Facebook page.

Agri Industries received the Agriculture Award - the business is a long-standing supporter of the Sidney Area Chamber, contributing to the leadership of the Board of Directors. (Photo not available)

"Their innovation in services offered and being an instrumental component in the area's irrigation system were also factors in the decision to present them this award," explained Godfrey.

The Sunrise Spirit Award was presented to Larry and Tami Christensen of Tri-County Implement. The Sunrise Spirit Award is the Sidney Area Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture's highest award, recognizing an outstanding business that gives "a bit more of themselves" to the community.

Godfrey said, "I can't begin to explain to you what

an asset Larry and Tami are to our community. Not only are they huge philanthropists, but they're also pillars of our community through their leadership and community service."

They are both involved heavily in local groups. Tami is the Sidney City Council president and serves on boards for Richland Economic Development, The Boys and Girls Club of the MonDak - Richland Unit, Richland County Fair Board, Sidney Kiwanis Club, and various committees of the Sidney Area Chamber of Commerce. Larry just retired as Sidney's Volunteer Fire Chief but is still an active firefighter and is on the Foundation for Community Care Board of Directors.

"You will find the Christensen's business logo, Tri-County Implement on every sponsorship board there is in this town. Additionally, this family's avocation for our agriculture community is second to none. Tami especially watches the legislation session closely and is the first to rally support for bills essential to the livelihood of the Sidney area. Being this far away from Helena has never been an excuse for Tami, her civic engagement inspires everyone to get involved," said Godfrey.

The "Partner in Progress" Award is reserved for the most giving and selfless individuals who go above and beyond to serve their community - Dr. Edward Bergin. He moved to the Sidney community in 1980 to fill the position of the general surgeon. Forty-one years later, he still dedicates his time to the Sidney Health Center.

"Despite his many attempts to retire. Alongside his wife and his "rock," Lila, they raised their three kids in Sidney. Bergin was involved

in many aspects of his kids' lives including hockey, Boy Scouts, and swim team. With the help of Sidney Health Center staff, we were able to get videos of shared thoughts, statements, and stories from those who work closest with him. This video was presented to Dr. Bergin and his wife on Tuesday, Feb. 16 where he showed immense humbleness by making it clear that he owes a lot of his success to Lila. He also says that he never would have stayed as long as he did if it weren't for the people of this community: "The people in our town are the kindest, friendliest, and most down-to-earth people I have ever had the pleasure of getting to know. You all deserve a pat on the back." Yvette Lien, a nurse who has worked with Dr. Bergin for 24 years, notes in her video segment that "an amazing doctor is hard to find and impossible to forget." We could not agree more," said Godfrey.

The Entrepreneur Award was awarded to Mimi's Kitchen Company. Mimi's Kitchen Company opened in the spring of 2020 and was an "instant hit" in Sidney. The business offers cooking classes, a venue for get-togethers and parties, daily lunch specials and treats, and a great array of cooking supplies and ingredients.

"Mimi's has weathered the storms of a global pandemic and a tragic fire, but they are back at it today - better than ever," added Godfrey.

The Horizon Award was presented to Jerry and Robin Watson of Footers. Footers is known as the "mom and pop" sandwich shop of Sidney.

"The customer service is always outstanding, and



Crystal Weltikol and Sidney Public School Administration with The Educator of the Year Award. (Submitted photo)



Dr. Edward Bergin, right, with The "Partner in Progress" Award. (Submitted photo)

the food is consistently refreshing and delicious. Nom- inators also cited all the ways Footers gives back to the community, including donations and helping the logistics behind the Dragging Main Events and Trunk or Treat in 2020," said Godfrey.

Crystal Weltikol received the Educator of the Year Award. The Educator of the Year nominations are collected from Sidney Public School principals. After nominations are collected, the superintendent and the executive director select one educator from a very competitive list.

Godfrey said, "Weltikol is a communication arts teacher at Sidney High School, teaching mostly sophomores. Weltikol became Google Certified during the pandemic and helped the school transition to distance learning."



Tri-County Implement with The Sunrise Spirit Award. (Submitted photo)



Mimi's Kitchen employees with The Entrepreneur Award. (Submitted photo)



Footers employees with The Horizon Award. (Submitted photo)

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Sidney Health Center Receives 5-Star Rating From CMS

**Submitted by
Toni Zieske, Marketing & Communications Director,
Sidney Health Center**
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“The 5-star CMS rating is a direct result of hard work put in by physicians and staff across the organization,” stated Jennifer Doty, Sidney Health Center CEO. “Our team has focused on improving communication as well as evaluating and improving

workflows to drive results in several areas. I am extremely proud of their dedication and teamwork as we continually work to create a culture of excellence.”
Previously, Sidney Health Center was listed as a 4-star hospital. The implementation of numerous patient-centered care practices contributed to achieving the 5-star rating. In the past year, clinical staff implemented daily safety huddles to improve communication across departments. Other

strategies included training and workflow improvements.
Care Compare is a consumer-oriented website that provides information on how well we are providing the recommended care to our patients. This information helps consumers make informed decisions about where to go for their healthcare services. To see how Sidney Health Center matches up against area facilities, go to the Care Compare website: <https://www.medicare.gov/care-compare>.

Sidney Health Center Announces Area Births

Emory Joy Johnson was born Friday, April 30, 2021, to Amber and Jeremie Johnson, Sidney. She weighed 6 lbs., 4.4 oz. Maternal grandparents are Bruce Banderob and Kathy Pedersen and paternal grandparents are Teri and the late Mike Johnson and the late Bob Harris. She joins brother Jesse.

Hallie Jo Albin was born Thursday, April 29, 2021, to Megan and Chad Albin, Sidney. She weighed 7 lbs., 15 oz. Maternal grandparents are Don and Pat Ryan and paternal grandparents are Bob and Sheree Albin.

Kobie Isaiah Iselek was born Wednesday, April 28, 2021, to Alexia Jones and Felix Iselek, Watford City, ND. He weighed 5 lbs., 9.8 oz. Maternal grandparents are Keysos Jones and Larry Logan, Jr.

Kindle Bryn Cox was born Wednesday, April 28, 2021, to Cortnee and Brain Cox, Sidney. She weighed 7 lbs., 15 oz. Maternal grandparents are Joe and Stacy Fischer and paternal grandparents are Gary and Sue Cox. She joins sisters Ember and Ashlyn.

Amaryllis Rose Johnson was born Wednesday, April 28, 2021, to Tamara and

Cassey Johnson, Fairview. She weighed 8 lbs., 0.2 oz. Maternal grandparents are Tom and Lynette Ruffatto and paternal grandparents are Kirk and Anita Johnson. She joins brother Brooks.

Atticus Clark Bighorn was born Tuesday, April 27, 2021, to Morgan and Justin Bighorn, Brockton. He weighed 9 lbs., 11 oz. Maternal grandparents are Stormy and Ardene Summers and paternal grandparents are Ernest and Teresa Bighorn. He joins sisters Juliet, Adessa, Arabella and Rosalind and brothers Nation and Pierce.

Ambrey Haven Lynn Denegar was born Sunday, April 25, 2021, to Jannika Ralph and Dusty Denegar, Watford City, ND. She weighed 6 lbs., 6.6 oz. Maternal grandparents are June and Jeff Ralph and paternal grandparents are Tana Skarcla and Jerry Denegar.

Alitia Stephanie Dawn Janis was born Friday, April 23, 2021, to Katlin and Cody Janis, Trenton, ND. She weighed 7 lbs., 8.6 oz. Maternal grandparents are Gene and MaryAnn McCowan. She joins sister Taya and brothers Mark and Derek.

Aleeya Hazel Adams

was born Friday, April 23, 2021, to Australia Adams, Sidney. She weighed 6 lbs., 4.2 oz. She joins sister Liliana and brothers Lakoda and Ashton.

Jordyn Rae Urdahl was born Wednesday, April 21, 2021, to Callie and Benjamin Urdahl, Homestead. She weighed 9 lbs., 10.2 oz. Maternal grandparents are Mike and Debbie Hendrickson and paternal grandparents are Harvey and Louise Urdahl.

Kase Vincent Wheeler was born Tuesday, April 20, 2021, to Jenna and Shawn Wheeler, Fairview. He weighed 9 lbs., 6.2 oz. Maternal grandparents are Michael and Pamela Donahue and paternal grandparents are Patrick and Becky Wheeler. He joins sisters Rylee, Kambree and Reese.

Caoimhe Roisin Reyna was born Monday, April 19, 2021, to Jeannie and Angel Reyna, Williston, ND. She weighed 8 lbs., 1.4 oz. Maternal grandparents are Mary Olsen and Everyl Hoch and paternal grandparents are the past Hank and Amelia Moore. She joins sisters Nicole, Ashley, Madison, Racquel and Allison.

Aryan Annlouise Hindes was born Monday, April 12,

2021, to Summer and Darrell Hindes, Savage. She weighed 6 lbs., 14.9 oz. Maternal grandparents are Peggy Jones, Mike Medeiros and Angela Medeiros and paternal grandparents are Tonya Hindes. She joins sisters Eva and Eeden and brother Dawson and Junior.
Celeste Lynn Simard was born Sunday, April 11, 2021, to Krystenna and Michael Simard, Sidney. She weighed 6 lbs., 15 oz. Maternal grandparents are Lancer and Dolly LaBar and paternal grandparents are Joe and Kerri Simard. She joins brother Georg Kostopoulos.

Remi Jae Hislop was born Tuesday, April 6, 2021, to Raelee Henline and Chance Hislop, Sidney. She weighed 6 lbs., 11 oz. Maternal grandparents are Jennie Blood and paternal grandparents are Jough Hislop. She joins sister Berkeley.

Cecelia Rose McMurry was born Thursday, April 1, 2021, to BrieAnn Amundson and Joseph McMurry, Sidney. She weighed 5 lbs., 14 oz. Maternal grandparents are Jon and Crystal Amundson and paternal grandparent is Bobbi McMurry.

THE RACING ROUNDUP

Bjella Brings Competition to the Racetrack

By Anna Dragseth
Brady Bjella, Williston, started his racing career at the young age of 14 and has been racing ever since. He started off racing in the IMCA Hobby Stock and had been racing the No. 99 race car in the Northern IMCA Sport Mod Classification for the

past seven years. Growing up Bjella always had a “need for speed”. He was an avid dirt biker and wanted to get into racing race cars - his family and sponsors were very instrumental in getting him started on the racetrack.
Now at the age of 25,



Bjella has traveled to many racetracks, claiming many wins. He has competed on racetracks across North Dakota along with tracks in Arizona, Nevada, and Canada.

More recently Bjella traveled to Bristol, TN, to race at the Bristol Motor Speedway and took home the Sport Mod A-Feature 1 win.

“That was the first time in 20 years they have had dirt on the track, and I was one of the first ones to win on that track,” said Bjella.

He also has captured

many wins in Williston at the Williston Basin Speedway. He was named the Tougher Than Dirt Champion in 2019.

This year has been an exceptionally good year of racing for Bjella. He said, “I am just one feature win away from beating my record from last year.” His main goal is to be better than he was the year before and he continues to accomplish that.

Bjella is very appreciative of his sponsors - Tyler Haden Photography, P.E. Fusion, D&B Johnson Farms, Blaine’s Autobody

and Truck Accessories. He said, “My sponsors are a big help along with everyone that helps work on my car. My fiancé Emily is also a big help - she is always at the track rooting for me.”

Bjella explained that he loves the racing community and atmosphere. Some of his favorite things about racing are hanging out with people and showing them what he is capable of on the track. One of his favorite sayings is “making your idols your rivals.” He said, “My whole goal is to make the people I look up to my rivals.”

In addition to this, he loves being out on the track because it is an escape from reality. He said, “You just kind of forget about everything and what’s going on in this world - you just kind of zone out and do what you do to the best that you can.”

His advice for rookies is not to be afraid to get out on the track and go to more races. Bjella explained that it is good to get a feel for the car and respect other racers. He said that the racing community is very welcoming, and everyone is always willing to help.

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Chickens In Sidney...

Continued from page 1A. close to those they have for dogs with rules like the animals are to stay on the owner's property, the animals are to be provided with food, water, and protection from the elements. Savage, about 20 miles, describes in the ordinance the type, size, and location of the dwelling allowed for chickens. Glendive residents can keep them too. Larger cities like Billings allow residents to own chickens, as do San Francisco, Seattle, Denver, Atlanta, Washington DC, and millions of other metropolises, cities, and towns in between. The ordinances for each of these cities and towns can be found online on each one's respective website.

Chickens like any other animal, take time, knowledge, and care to bring up friendly birds that are healthy and happy but can be very beneficial to their owners. While most chicken feed is made from grain, according to 4-H Learning Network, chickens are omnivores. They will happily help themselves to any insects, small reptiles, or even mice they can catch while foraging for more grain. Besides providing the usual benefits of owning a pet, chickens can also help their owners monetarily by laying eggs. According to womenshealthmagazine.com's article called "WTF is a Complete Protein" by Christine Byrne, eggs are a complete protein and contain all nine essential amino acids. A rooster is not required for a hen to lay eggs although a hen's ability to lay eggs does diminish temporarily with the seasons and permanently as she ages.

The town of Sidney as a whole can benefit as well from the legalization of chickens in city limits. Not only can the city benefit from fees, registration, or permits if they so choose, but there is an interesting market for



Sidney resident Zedekiaha Loobey holding Duchess, an elderly Brahma hen. (Photo by Jeanie Siggaard)

products benefiting chickens as pets. Multiple businesses around the country online and with storefronts sell small coops, enclosures, toys, sweaters, harnesses, and even diapers for chickens kept as pets.

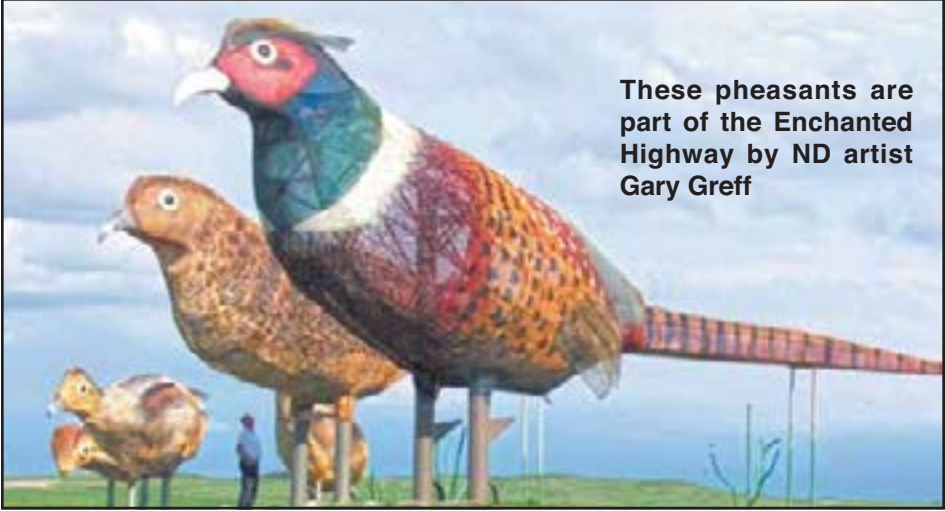
"In the end," Jaymi said, "the shortages and temporary movement restrictions that resulted from the events of 2020 have shown me that

I, my family, and my friends need to be able to survive without the luxury of finding everything we need at the grocery store every morning. If you have hens that can lay, you at least have eggs." Contact Jaymi Mozeak on Facebook or by emailing her at SaleekJay@hotmail.com to learn more about what will be requested or to meet and sign the petition.

Robert Wicorek Fundraiser, Fairview, June 19

On Saturday, June 19, 1 p.m., in front of Fairview High School, Austin Wicorek will be pulling a fire truck for distance to raise money for his father's headstone. His father passed away last year from a pulmonary embolism. For people that are unable to come support this cause but would like to donate there will be a live feed on Facebook with a PayPal line for donations.

Arts Across The Prairie Statewide Public Art Program



These pheasants are part of the Enchanted Highway by ND artist Gary Greff

Submitted by Kelli Schmidt
Uniting North Dakota's eight regions, NDCA launches Arts Across the Prairie: Placemaking in Rural North Dakota, a first-of-its-kind, statewide public art program.

Bismarck - The North Dakota Council on the Arts (NDCA) proudly announces Arts Across the Prairie: Placemaking in Rural North Dakota, a first-of-its-kind, statewide public art program. This program will unite North Dakota's eight regions by celebrating the shared history, culture, and heritage through the creation of art installations in eight rural settings. Furthermore, as a community-driven initiative, it aims to promote civic pride, affirm distinctiveness of place, and strengthen cultural identity. Arts Across the Prairie will create public-private partnerships throughout the state and provide a national model for this type of creative placekeeping.

Executive Director Kim Konikow said, "North Dakota is filled with a rich cultural heritage from many nations. Arts Across the Prairie will bolster creative and economic development with a focus on placekeeping in rural areas. We are thrilled to partner with the North Dakota Department of Transportation (NDDOT) and Tourism on this very special program."

"Although people usually associate the NDDOT with license plates, roads and plows, we're much more," said NDDOT Director Bill Panos. "Creativity is engrained in everything we do - from engineering to design to the way we serve the public. We're happy to partner with NDCA to make art more accessible to all North Dakotans."

"Public art and our larger-than-life roadside attractions continue to be of great interest to visitors and the media," said North Dakota Department of Commerce Tourism and Marketing Director Sara Otte Coleman. "We are excited to support the Arts Across the Prairie program that will benefit the state in many ways including attracting visitors to nearby communities."

To implement Arts Across the Prairie, diverse stakeholder groups are being formed in each region, joining across county lines. All participants will be guided in the process of selecting locations, designing artist proposals, budgets, fundraising, land ownership and maintenance, and economic development and articulating what type of creative installation will best represent their region's cultural heritage.

Funds are currently being raised regionally and nationally. The program has

a budget of roughly \$4 million over seven years and is already underway in northwest North Dakota. The ND Legislature included a historic, one-time funding, "A strategic investment and improvement to NDCA's Cultural Endowment Fund of \$1,000,000." The intent of the funding is for NDCA to expend up to \$50,000 annually for the maintenance of the public arts projects constructed as part of Arts Across the Prairie: Placemaking in Rural North Dakota.

The goals of Arts Across the Prairie are to:

- Strengthen cross-county networking and regional collaboration
- Promote tourism for in- and out-of-state visitors
- Stimulate economic activity in rural areas of North Dakota
- Build stronger arts communities across the state
- Invest in North Dakota artists by providing professional development and training support
- Celebrate and leverage existing assets with an infusion of creative expression
- Heighten visibility of North Dakota's creative sector and talent

For more information on Arts Across the Prairie, visit arts.nd.gov/arts-across-prairie.

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Jeremy Krieger, Merchants Bank presents the Merchants Bank Scholarship to, front from left, Jacyn Gackle, Scout Hofer, Ashton Neu and Audrey Burman, back, BayLee Schlothauer, Brady Buxbaum, Paul Hardy, Garrett George, and Steve Rice. (Submitted photo)

Hardy, \$1,000 each
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Presidential Scholarship: Easton Hopes, \$1,600 x 4 yrs.

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Wade Whiteman, Stockman Bank presents the Henry Elm Scholarship to Jacyn Gackle and BayLee Schlothauer. (Submitted photo)

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Presidential Scholarship: BayLee Schlothauer, \$3,500 x 4 yrs.

2021 North Dakota Scholar: BayLee Schlothauer, \$35,524



Ranger Energy Services, Inc. Acquires Patriot Completion Solutions In All-Stock Transaction

HOUSTON—(BUSINESS WIRE)— Ranger Energy Services, Inc. (NYSE: RNR) (“Ranger” or the “Company”) has announced the acquisition of Patriot Completion Solutions LLC (d/b/a Patriot Well Solutions) (“Patriot”) in an all-stock transaction. The acquisition of Patriot further expands Ranger’s high quality wireline business while maintaining our considerable balance sheet strength. Patriot’s market leading reputation for wireline evaluation and intervention services, combined with its strong market presence in the Permian, Bakken, DJ, and Powder River Basins, and debt free balance sheet, created a highly attractive opportunity for Ranger.

Ranger Energy Services CEO stated, “The addition of Patriot to our Ranger portfolio of companies checks a number of strategic boxes. Operators continue to drive capital discipline resulting in a material growth of well maintenance and intervention style work. Patriot’s primary service offering of wireline evaluation and intervention plays an integral role in these types of operations, significantly expanding Ranger’s current capabilities. Secondly, Patriot’s wireline completion units will be integrated into our highly efficient Mallard wireline business resulting in greater scale and immediate synergy capture. Most importantly, Patriot brings an extremely talented and

family along with an asset base of 22 wireline units which significantly increases our fleet size and geographical reach.”

Patriot, a portfolio company of White Deer Energy, is led by CEO Dragan Cicvaric. “We are extremely proud to have represented White Deer, and our team thanks them for their partnership and continued support of Patriot and now Ranger. As we move into our next phase of growth, we are excited to be joining the Ranger family of companies. Ranger has demonstrated their knowledge and commitment to the wireline business through their Mallard brand. Their reputation and experience bring an extreme level of excitement

said Cicvaric.

During Ranger’s first quarter 2021 earnings call, management made note of potentially closing a wireline acquisition within days along with the opportunity of closing a second acquisition within the next couple of months. Ranger remains committed to building a sustainable, high returns business centered upon top quality clients, excellent service and assets, effective technologies, efficient operations and processes, and ESG stewardship. While the addition of Patriot is a great milestone toward Ranger achieving its goals, the company continues to pursue additional accretive strategic transactions.

Basic Energy Services Announces Forbearance Agreements/Super Priority Credit Agreement Maturity Extension & Remains In Continuing Discussions With Lenders & Noteholders

FORT WORTH, Texas--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Basic Energy Services, Inc. (OTCQX: BASX) (“Basic” or the “Company”) has announced that the termination date in the existing Forbearance Agreement with its ABL lenders and the existing Ascribe Consent Letter has been extended to May 23, 2021, and that the lenders under its recently announced Super Priority Credit Agreement have agreed to extend the maturity date of that agreement to May 23, 2021 (in each case, with corresponding adjustments to certain interim milestones contained therein). In addition, Basic also announced that it had entered into agreements with the holders of more than 90% of its \$347,500,000 10.75% Senior Secured Notes due 2023 and with the required lenders under the Super Priority Credit Agreement to forbear until May 23, 2021 from enforcing their respective rights and remedies arising as a result of, among other things, the Company’s continuing failure to make the April 15, 2021 interest payment due on the Senior Secured Notes. The extensions and forbearances to May 23, 2021 are subject to the terms and conditions of the relevant agreements.

Basic remains in continuing discussions with the holders of the Company’s Senior Secured Notes and other indebtedness regarding strategic alternatives to improve Basic’s capital structure.

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Gackle Signs With Black Hills State University



Jadyn Gackle signed last Monday with Black Hills University in South Dakota for track & field. (Photo submitted)

Jamison Whiteman Rau Student Of The Quarter

Rau Elementary School is proud to announce Jamison Whiteman, son of Jamie and Leslie Whiteman, as their Student of the Quarter. Jamison is a happy sweet student. He shares his smile and laughter with everyone that he sees. Jamison is also a hard worker, and puts his best effort into everything that he does. Jamison has shown great improvement in his time at Rau. He is polite to staff and fellow students alike. Jamison brightens a room as soon as he enters. He enjoys coloring, blocks,



Jamison Whiteman

puzzles, watching movies, swinging and spending time with his family and friends.

Fairview Community Garage Sale June 4 & 5

Fairview's Community garage sale will take place Friday and Saturday, June 4 and 5 with lots of fantastic bargains for shoppers. Anyone wishing to list their sale can message the Chamber's Facebook page or call City Hall at 406-742-5616 by Wednesday, June 2. Shoppers are encouraged to go to Facebook for the list of sales, or paper copies will be available at Merchants Bank, City Hall and Neu's SuperValu.

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- Oxy Acetylene hoses and regulators
- Spring Compressors
- GTD Pipe threader
- Multiple bench vises
- Jack stands
- (3) Engine stands
- Chain hoists and come alongs
- Large amount of hand tools (some Craftsman and Snap-On) too numerous to list!
- Large amount of machining books and shop manuals

Aircraft Engines, Car Engine and Props

- Sprint Car engine, 410 cubic inch, H beam rods, JE pistons, roller camshaft, -12 Brodix heads, Jesel belt drive, Kinsler injection, dry sump oil pump and tank, has stock 400 block, 30 laps on engine
- Crossley 6WG1 4 cylinder engine, restored on stand
- Continental C85 12F 4 cylinder airplane engine
- (2) Continental 8F 4 cylinder airplane engines
- Misc. Continental airplane engine parts
- McCauley Klip Tip Met-L-Prop airplane propeller DES-1A105
- Vintage wooden propeller with no markings



Antique Train Set

- Early 1930s American Flyer 4683 St. Paul style Electric Train with three passenger cars and track and controller, Excellent Condition

Measuring Tools

- Starrett Depth micrometer set
- Starrett micrometer set
- (2) Starrett bubble levels
- 0-6" Micrometer set
- Digital calipers
- Dial bore indicator
- Cylinder gauge
- Compass set
- Hardness tester
- Brown and Sharpe square set



AUCTIONEERS NOTE: Wayne was a highly skilled machinist with an interest in all things mechanical. This is one of the finest selections of machining equipment and shop tools you will come across at auction. There are many more items to numerous to mention so plan to spend the day with us.

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