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City Of Sidney Requesting Homeowners Return EPA Required Water Pipe Surveys

By Dianne Swanson

The EPA requires documentation of water pipes from all entities, whether municipal or private, to determine if there are lead pipes being used for the water supply to homes. After the disaster in Flint, MI, and other areas of the country, the EPA is taking needed steps to eradicate all leads pipes and prevent that type of contamination in all parts of the country.

The City of Sidney mailed surveys to 2550 homeowners in the city in March. Not all residents received a letter since newer homes do not use lead pipes. At this time, over 600 property owners have not returned the required survey.

If a home is found to have lead pipes, the city has federal grant money to replace those pipes, at no cost to the property owner. Replacement of pipes in four homes has already been completed. "It's a good thing for the property owner," Jessica Chamberlin, city clerk and treasurer, said. "The city manages the project and makes sure it's done right, all at no cost."

Those property owners who have not returned the mailed survey may complete it and mail it to City Hall, or request a new form if they have misplaced the first one. They can also text pictures

of their water meters that are located inside the building where the water supply comes in, with their address, to 406-478-0664. Pictures must have the entire meter and the pipe coming into and out of the residence.

If a property owner does not know where to locate the meter, they can call City Hall at 406-433-1117 to have one of their operators come and look at it. Residents may also email sidneywaterdepartment@gmail.com to provide the pictures or the

Since this survey is required by the EPA, the City will have to do door to door calls to complete the project if all surveys are not returned by mid-October. Making sure that pipes are not lead helps to ensure the safety of residents and improves any potential resale value in the future so please return the survey as soon as possible.



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It's a "Tropical Fairadise" at the McKenzie County Fair June 12 – 15

By Dianne Swanson

Organizers of the McKenzie County Fair in Watford City have planned four days of fun and excitement just for you Wednesday, June 12, through Saturday, June 15. Gates open at 5 p.m. Wednesday evening and 8 a.m. Thursday through Saturday. Admission to the grounds is free. All times are Central Daylight Time.

Start the weekend at 7 p.m. Wednesday evening with the Olaf Leiseth Memorial Draft Horse Show. This free event showcases the hard-working draft horses and their drivers as they navigate an obstacle course, do log sledding, compete in a swamper race and cultivate corn.

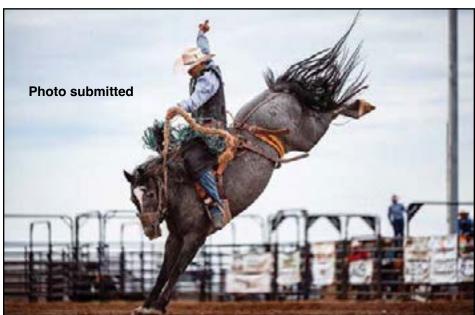
Thursday night is treme Sports night with Knights and Bikes featuring BMX riders performing aerobatics while jumping up to 75 feet in the air, and Knights of

Mayhem performing North Dakota jousting, where riders use sticks to knock each other off their horses. "You won't see this anywhere else," fair board member Christopher Kubal stated. The events run consecutively beginning at 6 p.m.

Then enjoy the music of Chancey Williams in the outdoor arena in front of the grandstand.

Drivers from three different states will converge on the fairgrounds to test their skills in the Demolition Derby, which starts at 7 p.m. on Friday. The Ag Expo will also be selling raffle tickets for a chance to drive a car in the derby. NDRA Rodeo will be the highlight Saturday night starting at 7 p.m. and fireworks will light up the sky at dusk. Professional Rodeo Clown Houston Stuart will be entertaining the crowd all three nights.

4-H and FFA livestock



day, Friday and Saturday mornings, with the Livestock Sale scheduled for 1 p.m. on Friday. Their static exhibits will also be on display throughout the fair.

North Star Amuse-

events will take place Thurs- ments is providing the thrills Test your rodeo skills on the and chills of the carnival this year and be sure to catch the magic of Adam the Great as he strolls the grounds. A hypnotist and escape artist will also be performing on stage throughout the day.

mechanical bull and enjoy live music each night.

Children of all ages will love the Kids Zone featuring a petting zoo, grain pit, bubble tower, laser tag and

McKenzie **Three Vehicle** Injury Crash Occurs West Of New Town June 6

A three vehicle multi-injury crash occurred June 6 at approximately 2:39 p.m. CT on Hwy. 23 at approximately 14 miles west of New Town.

A 1969 Ford Mustang with its left turn signal activated was stopped near the fog line facing west waiting to make a left turn off Hwy. 23 onto a gravel road. The Ford Mustang was waiting for a 2022 Ford F-150 traveling east on Hwy. 23 before turning left onto the gravel road. A 2005 Nissan Murano was also traveling west on Hwy. 23 behind the Ford Mustang. The Nissan Murano struck the rear of the Ford Mustang. The Ford Mustang came to rest in the north ditch of Hwy. 23. The Nissan Murano entered the east lane of Hwy. 23 and struck the 2022 Ford F-150. The Nissan Murano came to rest in the middle of Hwy. 23. The Ford F-150 came to rest

Ronald Klimpel, 45, driver of the Ford Mustang, sustained serious injuries and was flown to Sanford Hospital, Bismarck. He was accompanied by Linda Klimpel,42, who sustained minor injuries and was released

on the shoulder of the road.

on scene. Richard Booker, 76, Michigan, ND, driver of the Nissan Murano, also sustained serious injuries and was transported to McKenzie County Health, Watford City, but was later transferred to Sanford Hospital, Fargo. Ausha Scales, 42, Michigan, ND, passenger in the Nissan Murano, sustained serious injuries and was flown to Sanford Hospital, Fargo. The 8-year-old male juvenile passenger in the Nissan Murano sustained serious injuries and was flown to Trinity Hospital, Minot, but was later transferred to Sanford Hospital, Fargo.

Phillip Tyra, driver of the Ford F-150, sustained minor injuries and was released on scene

Agencies involved were: North Dakota Highway Patrol, McKenzie County Sheriff's Office, McKenzie County Ambulance, and New Town Ambulance.

MNAXLP

Sidney Chamber Announces Sunset **Festival 2024 Featured Artist For July 13**

By Kali Godfrey **Executive Director** Sidney Area Chamber of **Commerce & Agriculture**

The Sidney Chamber of Commerce proudly announces Stephanie Ridl and her business, "Urban Legends" as the 2024 Featured Artist for Sidney's Sunset Festival. Sunset Festival is slated for July 13 from 4-9 p.m. at Veterans Memorial Park, Sidney.

Ridl is a local Sidney woman with a heart for many hobbies. Her professional job as the City of Sidney Parks Superintendent allows her to utilize her degree in horticulture. She actually creates some of her pieces





with salvaged wood from her day job.

"My latest passion lies in welded art as well as creating one-of-a-kind pieces from salvaged wood using my chainsaw, grinder and sanders. I gravitate towards landscape scenes with mountain ranges from around Montana and surrounding areas," Ridl said of her recent projects. She was also recently commissioned to create two custom, "Sidney-inspired" pieces for the remodeled City Hall. Currently, one is on display in the Council Chambers and is regularly admired for its depth and creative use of mixed media forms.

Ridl formally began her artistic business, "Urban Legends", in 2023. "Urban Legends" was founded as

a creative outlet to blend old and rustic materials in with new to create one of a kind artwork. The live edge pieces are reclaimed wood sourced from high-risk trees that were removed to eliminate potential hazard or trees that failed due to

windthrow. Metal components have been recycled from a variety of automotive shops and sanitation discoveries. Each piece of artwork has been handcrafted to bring life and beauty back to discarded materials. There's nothing as exciting as a comeback.

Visit "Urban Legends" at the Sunset Festival! Raffle tickets to win a one-of-a-kind piece of "Urban Legends" artwork can be purchased at the Sidney Chamber of







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Savage: Thurs., 12 p.m., 178 E Main St.,

406-776-9980

Lambert: Tues., 12 p.m., Fox Lake Sr. Center, 406-774-3439

Activities/Cards

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Sidney: Cards Thurs., 1 p.m.; 813 3rd St. NE, 406-433-8077

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a.m.-4 p.m.; & Fri., 9 a.m.-12 p.m. of each month

AREA RECOVERY GROUPS

12 p.m. - Monday Noon AA Group, Sidney - Prairie Hills Fellowship Hall, 623 N. Central, enter through back entrace door, SE side. 12 p.m. - "We Are Not Saints AA Meeting, Watford

City - Glory of the Lord Church, use back door entrance, handicap accessible.
7 p.m. - Hope For Today Al-Anon Family Group Sid-

ney - Prairie Hills Fellowship Hall, 623 N. Central, enter through back entrace door, SE side.
7 p.m. - Living Free NA Group, Sidney - Sidney Lu-

theran Brethren Church, 1100 Madison Lane. 8 p.m. - AA Meeting Watford City - Northern Pump & Compression. Call 701-770-3603 or 701-770-2675 for directions or ride. Hotline/Info 701-609-8663.

p.m. - AA Welcome Home Group, Sidney - Prairie Hills Fellowship Hall, 623 N. Central, enter through back entrace door, SE side.

7 p.m. - Living Free NA Group, Sidney - Candlewood

Suites, 201 6th St. NW, Room 228 7 p.m. – **24-hour Women's AA Group Meeting Wat-**

ford City - Northern Pump & Compression. Hotline/Info 701-609-8663. WEDNESDAYS:

6:45 p.m. - **Celebrate Recovery, Watford City** - Assembly of God (1st Wed. of month 6 p.m. Potluck) 7 p.m. - **24-Hr AA Group Meeting, Watford City** -Northern Pump & Compression. Hotline/Info 701-609-

THURSDAYS:

7 p.m. - Living Free NA Group, Sidney - Sidney Lutheran Brethren Church, 1100 Madison Lane. 7 p.m. - **Al-Anon Meeting, Watford City** - Presbyterian Church, 316 4th Ave. NE

8 p.m. - **AA Meeting, Watford City** - Northern Pump & Compression. Call 701-770-3603 or 701-770-2675 for directions or ride. Hotline/Info 701-609-8663. FRIDAYS:

7 p.m. - AA Welcome Home Group, Sidney - Prairie Hills Fellowship Hall, 623 N. Central, enter through back entrace door, SE side 8 p.m. - NA Meetings, Watford City - First Lutheran Church, 212 2nd St. NW, use 3rd Ave. NW entrance.

SATURDAYS:

7 p.m. - AA Welcome Home Group, Sidney - Prairie Hills Fellowship Hall, 623 N. Central, enter through back entrace door, SE side.

7 p.m. - **24-Hr. AA Group Meeting, Watford City** -Northern Pump & Compression. Hotline/Info 701-609-

1 p.m. - **Sober Soaks AA/NA Meeting, Fairview** - Zion Lutheran Church, 309 S. Central Ave., Upstairs Fellowship Room. 7 p.m. - AA Welcome Home Group, Sidney - Prairie

Hills Fellowship Hall, 623 N. Central, white building, enter through back entrace door, SE side.
7 p.m. - Living Free NA Group, Sidney - Candlewood Suites, 201 6th St. NW, Room 228

STATISTIC **LAKE WATER LEVEL REPORT** Current Elevation......1838.0 One Year Ago1832.8 Release For Day (C.F.S.)21,000

SIDNEY WEATHER DATA

Source: MSU Eastern Agricultural Research Center

Date		High	Low	Precip.
June	3	78	48	0.440
June	4	73	52	0.000
June	5	73	56	0.000
June	6	77	50	0.000
June	7	73	42	0.000
June	8	74	41	0.000
June	9	74	43	0.000
Total 2024 YTD Precipitation4.630				

OBITUARIES

Leslie "Les" Fredrickson, 85, Sidney, MT

Leslie "Les" Fredrickson, 85, peacefully passed away on Tuesday March 5, 2024 at the Sidney Health Center Extended Care Facility, Sidney, MT, with family by his side. Graveside services will be held June 22, 2024 at 1 p.m. at the Scandia Cemetery, Battleview, ND.

A luncheon will follow the service at the Zion Lutheran Church, McGregor, ND.

Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral Home, Sidney, MT, is assisting the family. Remembrances, condolences, and pictures may be shared with the family at www.fulkersons.com.

Irene Schmierer, 94 Savage, MT

Services for Irene's Schmierer are at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, June 12, 2024, at the First Lutheran Church, Savage, MT, with Pastor Tim Tharp officiating. Interment will be in the Riverview Cemetery, Savage, MT. A luncheon will follow the burial for a time of fellowship and sharing at the church. Visitation is Tuesday, June 11, 2024, from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at Fulkerson Stevenson Memorial Chapel, Sidney, MT, and one hour before service at the church. Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral



Irene Schmierer

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

Irene Christman Schmierer, 94, Savage, MT, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, June 5, 2024, at Sidney Health Center with family by her side.

Irene was born July 14, 1929, in Zap, ND, to parents Christ and Emma (Richau) Christman. She was the second to be born of 16 children. She lived on the Lakota Sioux Indian Reservation until age 11 when the family moved to Montana near Fairview. At that time, Irene was unable to further education as she was needed at home to take care of her younger siblings and help with chores.

As teenagers, Irene and her sisters would frequent the Dreamland dance hall where she met her soon-to-be husband Gottlieb Schmierer. They married on August 5, 1946, in Glendive, MT. She rejoiced in this day as she went from working the sugar beet fields by hand to a farmer with actual beet digging equipment. Their starter home was in the Midway Community.

In 1950, they moved to the farm at Savage and started their family. Gottlieb and Irene were blessed with three children: Dennis, Dee Ann, and Lee Roy. They also raised Irene's brother Delton who they considered more of a son than a brother. Irene and Delton were closer than any sib-

Irene was a full-time farm wife while also raising kids, a garden, and chickens. She was very proud of her blue Ford truck which she drove for many grain, corn, and beet harvests. She was always on call to flag farm equipment down the road to the next field. As busy as she was, most importantly her house and car were always meticulously clean.

Irene spent many enjoyable hours attending her children and grandchildren's activities from school sports, programs, concerts, and in her later years, demolition derbies. Her faith and church were especially important to her. She served as the Sunday School superintendent, ALCW treasurer, chairperson of the 2-3 prayer chain, and member of the Sunshine Club. She and the church ladies would play Bingo with the residents at Richland Homes and Sunrise Manor. She always looked forward to the quilting sessions and preparing for the lutefisk dinners. Her specialties that will be greatly missed were her fruit soup on Christmas Eve and fleisch kuechle on New Year's Day. Her most cherished times were spent with her good friends Edith Micheletto, Lydia Badt, and Ilene Stanford, at Christman family reunions, and traveling with Gottlieb to attend LYREC meetings.

Irene moved to the Savage Sunrise Manor in October 2022 where she remained until her death. She was a very hard worker and now her time has come for rest.

Irene is survived by her children Dennis (Karen) Schmierer, Dee Ann (Fred) Sifuentes, Lee Roy (Charity) Schmierer, Delton (Jean) Christman, 11grandchildren, and 22 great-grandchildren, along with siblings Martha, Delores, Betty, Grace, Linda, Caroline, Karen, and Calvin.

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband Gottlieb, sisters Edna, Florence, Mildred, and Francis, and brothers Vernon and Clarence.

3 On 3 Basketball Tournament Planned In Savage

To inaugurate the new outdoor basketball court in Savage, the Savage Industrial Technology Program (shop) and Burns Creek Inn will host a Co-Ed 3 on 3 basketball tournament on Saturday, June 29. Brackets are ages 8-13, 14-18 and 19 and older. Each bracket will allow up to four players per team and cost to enter is \$40.

Proceeds from the tournament will go to the Savage Industrial Technology Program to help purchase higher grade equipment, and to provide smaller supplies for students wanting to participate in the sport..

Register in person at the Burns Creek Inn or go to their Facebook page.

The tournament takes place in conjunction with the Summer Soiree hosted by the Burns Creek Inn which is a fun day and evening for everyone. Savage, Inc. is also hosting a cornhole tournament that day to raise money for community needs.

Riley Hagler, Savage Industrial Technology teacher, said his intention is also to showcase the hard work and true community effort that went into constructing the new basketball court. "It was a big community effort," he said. Many businesses and individuals contributed money, materials and time to make the court a reality. He had particular praise for Marvin, Rhonda and Kyle Welnel, owners of the Burns Creek Inn for organizing the community and getting it done. "They have just become a huge part of the community since taking over the BCI. They're always willing to help the school and community every way they can," Hagler stated.

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RICHLAND COUNTY

Events in Sidney unless otherwise listed. MT. Thurs., June 13

11:30 a.m. - **Richland Red Hatters Lunch Meeting** - Meadowlark. To RSVP call Paula, 406-489-2843 or Margaret, 406-489-1535. Fri., June 14

11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. - Matthew House Box Lunch Fundraiser - Free will donation for BBQ pulled pork sandwich, chips, dessert & bottled water. 416 2nd St. NW. Call in order, 406-488-1292 or pick up at curbside. Sat., June 15 Fairview Community Garage Sale - Check the

Fairview Chamber Facebook page for listings. 8 a.m.-2 p.m. - 14th Annual Fairview Alliance Church Blessing Sale - Fairview Alliance Church, 322 7th St. To contribute sale items in good condition drop them off at the church by 12 noon, June 14 or call 406-459-1461

for pickup or more info.

1:30 p.m. & 7:30 p.m. - Eastern MT Out of the

Darkness Walk 3rd Annual Murder Mystery Theater

"Secret Agent" - Popcorn & mocktails available at 1:30
p.m. Hors d' oeuvres & adult & NA beverages available
at evening show Moose Lodge Tickets at the door: at evening show, Moose Lodge. Tickets at the door: 1:30 p.m. \$15 single, \$25 couples; 7:30 p.m. \$25 single, \$45 couples. Doors open 30 minutes before. Table of 8 \$200, reserve by June 7, evening show only. To reserve tickets email nick.kallem@gmail.com.

Sun., June 16, 23, 30 1 p.m. - Bingo - 11 games winner takes all except Game 6: 50% winner & 50% Moose Lodge & Moose charities. Open to the pubic! Sidney Moose Lodge. Sat., June 22

1-4 p.m. - MonDak Summer Bash & Bake Off - Free family event. Sidney Fire WaterBall War, Emergency Services Touch a Truck, bake off, live music, artist reception, adult & youth pie eating contests, & "Finding Montana" with Author Ednor Therriault. Available for purchase, tickets for Walk in Ceramics class, to sample bake off goodies & to enter the dessert raffle. MonDak Heritage Center.

ROOSEVELT COUNTY

Events in Culbertson unless otherwise listed. MT. Fri., June 14 & Sat., June 15 4 p.m. - Stateline Demolition Derby - 7 & under free,

8-14 \$10; 15 & up \$15. 2 US Hwy. 2, Bainville, MT.

McKenzie County Events in Watford City unless otherwise listed. CT. Wed., June 12

6 p.m. - Olaf Leiseth Memorial Draft Horse Event (McKenzie Co. Fair) - Obstacle course, pole bending, swamper race, corn cultivating. McKenzie Co. Ag Expo. For more info contact Peggy Hellandsaas, 701-570-9398 or Chris Kubal, 701-307-0516.

Thurs., June 13 6 p.m. - Knights & Bikes & Chancey Williams (McKenzie Co. Fair) - Jousting & doing medieval sports. Joining them is 406FMX for a show of flips & tricks. Followed by Chancey Williams performance. \$20 for both events. McKenzie Co. Ag Expo.

Thurs., June 13-Sat., June 15 Houston Stuart Professional Rodeo Entertainer -Nightly at McKenzie Co. Fair. McKenzie Co. Ag Expo. Fri., June 14

Pri., June 14
7 p.m. - McKenzie Co. Fair Demolition Derby - \$20
adults, \$10 kids 7-12, free 6 & under. Watford City
Police Foundation Power Wheels Derby: Intermission
of Demo Derby. Free for Power Wheel driver (ages
5-10) & 1 adult. Pre-registration encouraged. To
register & for more info visit www.surveymonkey.
com/r/6NMTRCD. McKenzie Co. Ag Expo.
Sat June 15 Sat., June 15

7 p.m. - McKenzie Co. Fair NDRA Rodeo - Slack at noon. McKenzie Co. Ag Expo. For more info call 701-444-9090.

Tues., June 18

2-4 p.m. - McKenzie County Food Pantry Handouts - First Lutheran Church, 212 2nd St. NW. For more info visit McKenzie Co. Food Pantry Facebook page. For questions or concerns call 701-444-3244.

WILLIAMS COUNTY Events in Williston unless otherwise listed. CT. Thurs., June 13-Sun., June 16

0 a.m.-5 p.m. - 41st Annual Fort Union Rendezvous -Celebrate the 19th Century Fur Trade Fair with a variety of arts, crafts & music during the Upper Missouri's fur trade fair. Kids day Thurs., June 13, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Living history reenactors historical demonstrations, shop & explore trader's row. Sat., June 15

8:45 a.m. - 3rd Annual Sugar Bust Diabetes 5K & 1 Mile Fun Run - Event for everyone. Race Check In 8:45 a.m.; 5K & 1 Mile Walk begins 10 a.m.; 1 Mile Kids Fun Run 10:45 a.m.; Free Community Fair 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Enjoy inflatables, outdoor games, local vendors, food & fellowship after the race. Spring Lake Park. Pre-day registration June 14, 5-8 p.m., McAuley Room, CHI St. Alexius Health. To register visit https://give.

commonspirit.org/stalexiuswilliston/sugarbust.

Mon., June 17, July 15 & Aug. 19
6:30 p.m. - Draggin' Main Mondays - A night of cruising Main St. in your favorite classic, hot rod, muscle car, truck or motorcycle starting at the old Red Rock Ford lot, 2nd St. E., & ending with a car show & food trucks at the Soda Shack/ACE Hardware parking lot. Tues., June 18-Thurs., June 19, Wed., July 24-Sun., July 28; Thurs., Aug. 8-Sun., Aug. 11

6:30-8:30 p.m. - Roller Skating AKA SK8 NITE - All ages & abilities are welcome, helmets encouraged. Limited rentals & skating aids for beginners to use, feel free to bring your own roller skates or roller blades. Raymond Center, Pete Conlin Arena. Thurs., June 20

30-9 p.m. - Art & Wine Walk 2024 Downtown Williston - Businesses host a variety of unique artists while ticket holders stop to shop and sample wine and hors d'oeuvres. Tickets are available at Cooks on Main and Daily Addiction downtown and at the James Memorial Art Center in Williston. Sat., June 22 10 a.m.-4 p.m. - Art Fest 2024 - Family-friendly event

featuring local art, food vendors & more. Free & open to the public. Recreation Park. For more info email jmps@nemont.net or call 701-774-3601.

Dawson County

Events in Glendive unless otherwise listed. MT. Sat., June 15 8 a.m.-4 p.m. - 2024 Makoshika State Park 3-D

Archery Shoot - Cost is Adults 18+ \$20; Youth 8-17 \$10, kids under 5 free. Concessions available. Makoshika Park Archery Range, 1301 Snyder Ave. 9 a.m.-6:20 p.m. - **Outdoor Quilt Show** - Family friendly event on the grounds of the Enchanted Room & Enchanted Living. The featured quilter showcased on the front porch of Enchanted Room, 222 W. Towne St. For more info call or message 406-377-4745.

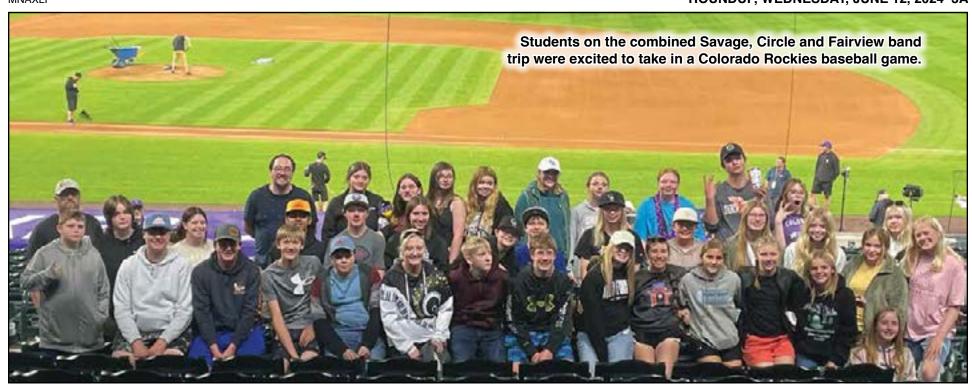
Sun., June 16 10 a.m.-2 p.m. - Father-Child BBQ Chopped Competition - Free entry. Must RSVP at Tractor Supply Company, Glendive, to participate, 2808 W. Towne St.

Fri., June 21 5-10 p.m. - Celebrate Glendive - Hot local music, cold local beer, lots of good food, raffles, games & more. Downtown Glendive, Merrill Ave.

Sat., June 22 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m. - Lemonade Stand Contest For Young Entrepreneurs - Downtown Glendive. Prizes will be awarded. For more info, call or email 406.377.5601 or glendivechamber@gmail.com.

11 a.m.-3 p.m. - Rods And Rock Car 4th Annual Car Show - LOOKER band will be playing 7-11 p.m. outside weather permitting. Pin High SBC 1316 W. Towne St. For more info call 406-365-6708 or email rodsandrock@

5-7 p.m. - **Skylar Ray and Kala Mulcahy's "Road to Recovery" Tour** - FREE sober event. Bring lawn chairs, family, & friends! Our Park "Gazebo Park".



Savage, Circle, Fairview **Band Students Make** Trip To Denver

By Dianne Swanson

A total of 45 high school and middle school band students, directors and chaperones from Savage, Circle and Fairview spent a few days in Denver, CO, recently, playing, learning and having fun. The group traveled by bus, leaving the morning of May 28 and returning on June 2. Savage

School District Clerk Michelle Miller, who went on the trip, said it was a very busy trip from start to finish. "What an experience!" she said.

May 29 was spent at the Colorado Christian University where students toured the school and worked with the head of their music department and others to hone their skills. That evening, they attended a Colorado Rockies baseball game.

The group had an adjudicated performance at Elitch Gardens where they were awarded silver. They also had the honor of playing the national anthem for the Rocky Mountain Vibes base-

ball game. They also toured the state capital, visited the Denver Zoo and had other fun adventures.

The trip was the brainchild of Savage Music Director Nate Louisignau who had taken his students to South Dakota a couple of years earlier. In conversation with his friend and Circle Music Director Mike Bartelson, the idea of a bigger, combined trip came about. Fairview Music Director Karolyn Orr was contacted and that school joined in as well. Miller said that a combined trip like this one would probably only happen once every two or three years since it requires a lot of planning and fundraising.

Miller said that Louisignau was also instrumental in starting the Junior High Honor Band a couple of years ago with students from Savage, Sidney, Fairview, Circle and Richey/Lambert spending two days playing and learning together, then doing a performance at the

"He's a terrific band director," Miller said.

Savage Band Members: Domanic Kimball, Jaxcen Sanders, Trael Smith, Adrian Smelser. Boden Jorgenson, Blaiz Dishon, Aidyn Reed, Maiah Goff, Finley Verhasselt, Matilda Verhasselt, Brooke Skov, Tayleigh Olmstead, Emma McPherson, Ezzie McPherson and Director: Nate Louisignau.

Circle Band Members: Cameron Hale, Cyrus Idland, Fallyn Phillips, Jonica Taylor, Mallory Larson, Matilda Weeding, Olivia Bradley, Remy Stempel, Hailey Larson and Director: Mike Bartelson.

Fairview Band Members: Jade Smith, Jemma Smith, Britta Poulsen, Landon Tveit, Thea Tveit, Ty Poulsen, Audree Hanson, Garrett McPherson and Reilly Pierce.

Chaperones: Bryan Smith, Bobbi Goff, Chantel Verschoot, Desiree Smith, Angela Pierce, Braelynn Bartelson, Nikole Le-Fors and Michelle Miller.



The combined Savage, Circle and Fairview band students work with an instructor at Colorado Christian University in Denver. (Photos submitted)





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Williston City Commission **Approves STAR Fund Grants** For New Malting Plant, Healthcare Equipment, and **Oilfield Projects**

Williston, ND - The Williston City Commission has approved a STAR Fund grant for a new value-added agriculture project in Williams County. ND Malting and Hops, Inc. began production on Thursday, May 23, 2024. The new plant is locally owned by two

"ND Malting and Hops is an exciting new facility located north of Williston near XWA Airport. This facility has been in the works for some time and is locally owned by David Anfinson and Paul Weyrauch. The grains processed in the facility are grown by the owners and will be used for the 2 row malting process and then shipped to help meet the demand for micro brewing facilities providing malt from some of the best varieties available," explained Small Business Development Center Regional Director Keith Olson.

ND Malting and Hops, located at 5715 139th Ave. NW, offers customer malting, cleaning, and bagging or bulk loads of grains. The plant can malt up to 30 tons per week.

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Fund and Williams County will each contribute up to \$135,000 to the project via the Flex PACE program. Williams County will provide matching dollars because the project falls outside of Williston's extraterritorial jurisdiction (ETJ). The Bank of North Dakota will also provide a 2-to-1 match to those dollars. The Flex PACE program combines local resources with BND's PACE Fund to buy down the interest on commercial loans.

"With the help of STAR Fund dollars, we were able to build a quality facility that is competitive both locally, regionally, and internationally while keeping dollars in our community and promote Northwest North Dakota agriculture," said owner David Anfinson.

The Williston City Commission also approved STAR Fund grants for Busy Bees Enterprises, KO Safety Services, and McKenzie County Healthcare Systems at its meeting on Tuesday, May 28.

Flex PACE Applications

Busy Bees Enterprises: The company will receive up to \$32,500 from the

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STAR Fund and a matching \$32,500 from Williams County because the project is located outside of Williston's extraterritorial jurisdiction (ETJ). Busy Bees is purchasing the assets of an existing business to keep the company local and maintain jobs. The business is located at 5057 141st Ave. NW.

KO Safety Services: The company will receive up to \$63,000 from the Flex PACE program to purchase the building they are currently renting at 5807 W. Front St

Community Grant Applications

McKenzie County Healthcare Systems: The Williston Clinic will receive up to \$100,000 (\$50,000 in 2024 and \$50,000 in 2025) to purchase new echocardiogram equipment. The equipment will enhance cardiac health and services in the Williston area.

The STAR Fund is supported by a voter-approved one cent city sales tax, with seventy-five percent allocated to offset city infrastructure costs and the remaining 25% dedicated to job creation, business development, and retention efforts.

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The STAR Fund portion of the tax is governed by a seven-member advisory board which meets monthly. For more information about business opportunities in Williston, individuals can contact Keith Olson, Small Business Development Center, or visit the Williston Economic Development website or social media channels.

MonDak Area Stockgrowers **Association Spring** Meeting June 13

By Dianne Swanson

Join the MonDak Area Stockgrowers Association for an evening of family fun as it hosts its Spring Meeting on Thursday, June 13 beginning at 5:30 p.m. at Sidney Livestock Market Center.

Dinner and Goat Roping are on the agenda. Meat will be provided by the Stockgrowers; those whose last name start with A-K, please bring a salad and those whose last name starts with L-Z, please bring dessert.

Goat Roping should provide some excitement for contestants and spectators alike. The contest will be divided into two age groups; 10 and under and 11 and up. Cost to Pick one/Draw one is \$10. The event will also feature a community "Celebrity Goat Roping".

On the agenda for the evening are the scholarship presentation; MSGA and NDSA updates; Cattlemen's Ball Donation update; and a Steer Scholarship report.

Please RSVP to either MonDak Area Stockgrowers Facebook event; call/text 406-654-7228; or email mondakareastockgrowers@outlook.com.

Montana 2024 Primary Election Results June 4

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non O'Brien, Democrat Clerk of the Supreme Court: Bowen Greenwood, Republican; Erin Farris-Olsen, Democrat

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Baxter Earns Recognition Of Excellence In Communication From Dickinson State

DICKINSON, ND -- Jaylen Baxter, Sidney, demonstrated exceptional skills in communications courses at Dickinson State University (DSU). This student was awarded the Recognition of Excellence in Communication by the Office of Academic Affairs following the Fall 2023 semester.

The Recognition of Excellence in Communication is awarded to students in all disciplines who have exhibited a high level of achievement in communication-related courses at Dickinson State. Specifically, it is awarded to students who have earned an A or B grade in College Composition I and II (ENGL 110 and 120) and Fundamentals of Public Speaking (COMM 110) over the course of their collegiate career.

This recognition can be verified by employers who are looking for workers with good written and spoken communication skills and will be posted to the student's Merit Pages account.

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Williston, ND - Get ready to step back in time as the much-anticipated Fort Union Rendezvous returns to the Upper Missouri.

The Fort Union Trading Post National Historic Site is set to come alive with the sights, sounds, and excitement of the American Frontier during the annual Rendezvous. From June 13-16, visitors of all ages will have the opportunity to experience the rich history and vibrant culture of the fur trade era. The Fort Union Rendezvous promises to transport attendees to a bygone era, immersing them in the lifestyle and traditions of early explorers, trappers, and Native American tribes. This living history event has become a staple for history enthusiasts, families, and adventurers alike, offering a unique educational and entertaining experience for all.

New for 2024 - The General William Ashley, an authentically reconstructed keelboat, will be on display during this year's Rendezvous. Keelboats were the primary means of transporting trade goods along the Missouri River in the early days of the fort. Special reenactors will be ready to inspire quests with the lore of the bateliers, or boatmen, of these unique modes of transportation.

Highlights of the Fort Union Rendezvous - Witness historical reenactments of significant events from the fur trade era including demonstrations of black powder shooting and daily trade operations. Discover the craftsmanship of the past as artisans demonstrate traditional skills such as pottery, blacksmithing, spinning and weaving, and frontier cooking. Admission and parking are free.

Find more information and the full schedule of events at: go.nps.go/Rondy.

For more information about Fort Union Trading Post National Historic Site, please visit our website at www.nps. gov/fous. The park is also on social media!https://www. facebook.com/FortUnionTradingPostNHS.







Bateliers (boatmen) cordelling (towing) the General William Ashley keelboat on the Missouri River. The keelboat will be on display at Ft. Union Trading

Post National Historic Site's 41st Annual Rendezvous June 13-16. (Photo submitted)









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most sincere, heartfelt thanks to our amazing circle of family, friends, neighbors, and colleagues who have done so very much to assist in easing the burden of the loss of our husband, father, son, brother, and friend. Whether you prepared a meal, assisted us in our farming/cattle operation, or simply provided a hug, a kind word, or said a prayer on our behalf, what a comfort to know that our burden of grief was shared by so many. To that end, we would like to extend our deepest gratitude to Al McGahan and the staff at Fulkerson Stevenson Funeral Homes who were so very understanding and attentive in planning and coordinating with everyone involved to create a very special memorial service for Dan. We would also like to recognize Dr. Chad Pederson and all of the staff at Sidney Health Center Cancer Care; the Sidney Health Center facility; as well as the MonDak Family Clinic. We are certainly fortunate to have this caliber of healthcare available to us here in our rural community. Our family would also like to extend our appreciation to Pastor John Baseley and his family for their comforting words and presence during all aspects of this journey as well as to the members of St. John Lutheran Church, Trinity Lutheran Church, and Chapter W P.E.O. for their always ready hands and prayers. We are truly blessed to live in and be a part of this wonderful community.

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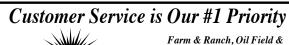




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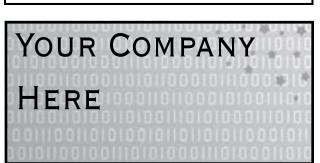




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Duane Crush and Mavis Green checking out one of the large tractors at the Touch a Truck **Event in** Watford City over the weekend. (Photo by Kathy Taylor)









Smokey the Bear was on hand with the Forest Service crew to greet everyone who came out to the Touch a Truck event at the Rough Rider Center in Watford City last weekend. (Photo by Kathy Taylor)



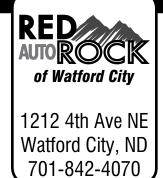




Kicking off their summer with a ride on the mechanical bull are Ellie and Tesslyn Keeler during the Rough Rider Center's Summer Kick Off Event. (Photo by Kathy Taylor)













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Deadline To Purchase SuperTag Chances is June 30

HELENA - Hunters have until June 30 to purchase a chance for a SuperTag for the 2024 hunting season. Eight hunters will win a SuperTag license for one of the following species: moose, bighorn sheep, mountain goat, antelope,

elk, deer, bison and mountain lion. One SuperTag will be drawn for each species. The SuperTag can be used in any hunting district in Montana - including Montana's trophy districts.

To see the number of SuperTag chances sold,

hunters can check the FWP website each Monday between now and June 30. Revenue from SuperTag sales is used to enhance hunting access and boost Fish, Wildlife & Parks enforcement efforts. A Conservation License is required

to purchase a SuperTag; each SuperTag chance is \$5. There is no limit on the number of chances a hunter can buy.

In 2023, the Montana Legislature established a new SuperTag for residents. In addition to purchasing regular SuperTag chances, every Montana resident who purchases a general elk or deer license on or before June 30 will automatically receive one entry into the new resident SuperTag drawing. This year, the Montana Fish and Wildlife Commission determined the

resident SuperTag will be for a moose license. Like other SuperTags, the winner will be able to hunt for moose in any moose hunting district in Montana.

To purchase chances online, go to FWP's Online Licensing Service. You'll receive a receipt verifying purchase that lists your lottery numbers. SuperTag chances are also available for purchase at FWP offices and license providers.

Those who win a SuperTag and also draw a license or permit through FWP's special permit license

drawings will be required to surrender that license or permit before receiving the SuperTag. FWP will refund the license fee associated with the special permit or license and reinstate any bonus points. Montana's seven-year wait for individuals who draw a moose, sheep or goat license through Montana's special permit license drawings will not be imposed on SuperTag winners.

The drawing for SuperTags will be held in early July. To check your drawing status, go to MyFWP.





The Savage Volunteer Fire Department held their annual catfish tournament June 8. Savage Catfish Tournament 1st Place Winners Rhett Young, James Rahr and Ben Rahr. (Photos by Bethany Wells)



Savage Catfish **Tournament 2nd Place** Winners Steve Harris, Jr., Dustin Roth and Loren Dempsey.



Montana Paddlefishing

Easton Knudson, 10, shows off his 35 lb. paddlefish that he caught on May 18 at 3 p.m. on the Yellowstone River in Sidney. (Photo by Roxann Roth)

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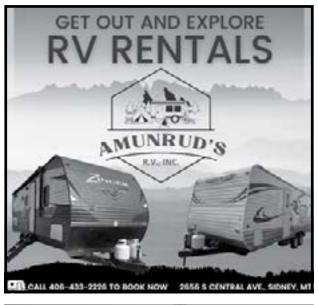
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5th Place: Darren Medler, Minot, ND, 74 6th Place: Darren Schatz, Williston, ND, 29 7th Place: Ed Conlin,

Williston, ND, 4 8th Place: Leevi Runge, Lampman, SK, 25 9th Place: Jesse Long, Minot, ND, 35L

10th Place: CJ Peterson, Richey, MT, 14P 11th Place: Quentin Skjerdal, Weyburn, SK, 19 12th Place: Dustyn Mayer, Frobisher, SK, 11 13th Place: Kelly Henderson, Minot, ND, 24

14th Place: Mike Hudson, Weyburn, SK, 55H 15th Place: Brandon Bjella, Williston, ND, 99

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chmann, Williston, ND, 406 Top 5 transfer 6th Place: Cole Slaubaugh, Wolford, ND, 858 7th Place: Cory Carpenter, Williston, ND, L00

IMCA Hobby Stocks A Feature 1

1st Place: Connor Hansen, Torquay, SK, 15 2nd Place: Morgan Olmstead, Overton, NE, 88 3rd Place: Diezel Raynard, Lampman, SK, 97R 4th Place: Kyler Satran, Minot, ND, 22

5th Place: Taylor Heaton, Baker, MT, 11H 6th Place: Brennor Grinstead, Stanley, ND, 51X 7th Place: Hudson Hooker, Rugby, ND, 004

8th Place: Chris Rangeloff, Bismarck, ND, #9 9th Place: Cash Saxon Lampman, SK, 99

10th Place: Caleb Storbakken, Williston, ND, 16C 11th Place: Thomas Goldsberry, Minot, ND, 19T 12th Place: Tyson Grinstead, Bismark, ND, 82T 13th Place: Ty Saxon,

14th Place: Beth Ann Goudy, Stoughton, SK, 12B 15th Place: Shawn Daleske, Sidney, MT, 59D 16th Place: Sage Borud, Williston, ND, 6B 17th Place: Jay Larsen, Willison, ND, 2L

IMCA Modifieds A Feature 1

1st Place: Travis Hagen, Williston, ND, 14T 2nd Place: Dalton Flory, Williston, ND, 20F

3rd Place: Brady Bjella, Williston, ND, 99 4th Place: John Flory, Williston, ND, 19

5th Place: Jeremy Sorensen, Williston, ND, 1J 6th Place: Tommy Lee, Williston, ND, 17X

7th Place: Philip Keller, Sidney, MT, 9 8th Place: Kyler Jeffrey, Williston, ND, 72X

9th Place: Jeff Bieber, Fairview, MT, 89 10th Place: Jake Nel-

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13th Place: Kendal Thomas, Tioga, ND, 711 14th Place: Rick Stiyer, Williston, ND, 15S

15th Place: Eric Mason, Williston, ND, 28E **IMCA Stock Cars**

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Williston, ND, 20F 4th Place: Justin Bachmeier, Williston, ND, 16B 5th Place: Jason Storbakken, Williston, ND, 16 6th Place: Corey Hemphill, Yuma, AZ, 16L 7th Place: Kyle Damm, Epping, ND, 6T9

Junior Slingshots A Feature 1

1st Place: Jacob Campbell, Watford City, ND, 99 2nd Place: Zack Campbell, Watford City, ND, 15 3rd Place: Weston Uranker, Williston, ND, 31X 4th Place: Cashton Schroeder, Williston, ND, 16 5th Place: Jack Coughlin, Williston, ND, 114



IMCA Hobby Stocks feature winner Connor Hansen, Torquay, SK, takes the checkered flag in Williston on June 6. (Photo by Bethany Wells)





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Don't Rush Wrong Farm Bill: Take Time To Forge **Bill That Strengthens Family Farms & Ranches**

By Walter Schweitzer, **Montana Farmers Union** President

Recently, I joined other National Farmers Union leaders in meetings with the House Ag and Senate Ag committees about each of their versions of the 2024 Farm Bill. Based on those discussions, a tight timeline, and the need for modifications to both versions, I'm not optimistic for the passage of a 2024 Farm Bill but foresee another extension.

The Senate version and the House version of the Farm Bill are strikingly different — and, in the current Congress, "compromise" is a dirty word. Nonetheless, Congress will not allow the Farm Bill to expire, because then we would revert to permanent law of the 1949

Farm Act. Price supports included in the 1949 Farm Act would result in taxpayers paying producers higher prices for commodities than the current marketplace. This backstop has forced Congress to act in the past, and I think it will again.

Even though the House version was passed out of committee, most agree it will struggle to pass the full House, with some representatives arguing it was passed only to be used as a political football in the 2024 campaign. The House version favors large corporate farms. It also redirects funding in the Inflation Reduction Act, from voluntary conservation programs, to instead fund programs that benefit the largest farms at the expense of family farms.

Meanwhile, the Senate version leaves in place Inflation Reduction Act funding that fully funds voluntary conservation programs, like CSP, EQIP, ACEP, and RCPP. Historically, these programs were woefully underfunded at levels with only enough funding to cover the cost of 1 of every 4 applications.

The Senate version establishes a Special Investigator with the powers of the DOJ to enforce the rules of the Packers and Stockvards Act and address the anticompetitive practices of corporate monopolies. Including this in the farm bill would make Senator Tester's proposed Special Investigator bill as well as the USDA's "Chief Competition Officer" created by the Biden

administration permanent.

The Senate version solidifies in law a USDA Cattle Contract Library, which is a good first step in restoring price transparency to the livestock market. Shedding daylight on the secret contracts between corporate feeders and corporate packers is essential for a competitive marketplace, but it still requires cash trade before slaughter to determine the basis in the contracts.

The Senate version further establishes standards for voluntary U.S. origin labeling claims for Food Safety Inspection Service products. Including this in the Farm Bill protects the current rules in future administrations by codifying President Biden's rule that Product of USA can only

be used on products born, raised, and processed in the USA.

Unfortunately, the Senate version also includes the A Plus Act. This will weaken the Packers and Stockyards Act by allowing auction yard owners to own a packing plant of up to 2,000 head per day of cattle and/or 10,000 head of hogs per day. This is prohibited by the PSA — and should continue to be prohibited. Allowing auction yards to operate large packing plants will aid in the consolidation of livestock auction yards into the hands of few and reduce competition at the expense of the smaller regional yards. Instead, full enforcement of the PSA and requiring cash trade just before slaughter would expand our current

livestock auction yards.

There are roughly 30 days between now and the general election when both the House and Senate are in session. That's not enough time for proper debate, compromise, and the passage of a Farm Bill that strengthens family farms and ranches. Some are advocating to pass a Farm Bill now, but Farmers Union is advocating to pass the right Farm Bill.

Farmers Union believes the best way to predict the future is to create it. That is why we are working to help forge a Farm Bill that will create a strong future for family farmers and ranchers.

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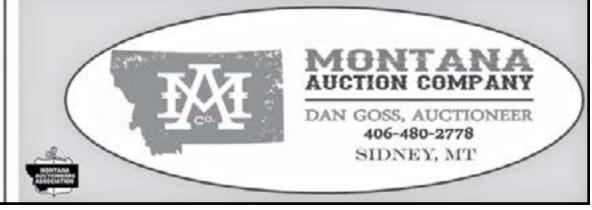
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- (2) Power recliner chair
- (2) Bedroom sets with dressers/nightstands
- (2) small safes
- Dining room table
- Sanyo 46" flat screen TV
- TV stand
- Large antique safe (Gary Safe Co.)
- (2) Upright freezers
- Gun cabinet
- Beer stein collection (Age of the Iron Horse, Avon, ETC.)
- Kitchen Aid mixer
- Quilting frame and sewing
- supplies Large Desk
- Miscellaneous kitchenware and small appliances





Shop, Lawn & Garden

- Older Dixon zero turn mower
- Toro CCR 2000E snowblower MTD 5/24 snowblower (on
- Yamaha EF4600 DE generator MTD rear tine tiller, 7.0hp
- Briggs engine
- Black and Decker 6" bench grinder
- Bench vise
- Older air compressor
- John Deere 2 stroke leaf blower
- Vintage Coca-Cola wood
- Furstnow Miles City highback
- saddle (square stamp)
- Older DeWalt radial arm saw
- Wisconsin engine and pump Square wash tubs
- Rakes, shovels, hoes
- Ladders
- Coleman 27 gallon air
- compressor **Bolt bins**
- (2) tool boxes with tools Misc hand tools
- Homecraft 10" table saw
- Wheelbarrow
- Small utility trailer with ramp
- Many more items too numerous to mention



Lower Yellowstone REC Awards \$12,000 In Scholarships



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for the people of Eastern Montana in the Legislature. I would like to thank the people who volunteered, donated and helped with the campaign. I would also like to thank my opponent for running a clean campaign where the discussion could be about ideas instead of personalities. And most importantly, I would like to thank the voters who agree with the ideas of smaller government, lower taxes, and fewer regulations! Your ideas are important to me and you can contact me at bobphalen@midrivers.com or 406-939-1187.

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LYREC Scholarship Winners

Scholarship recipients attending the annual meeting June 5 were (L to R) Parvina Eshonqulova, Adriana Beyerle, Drae Nelson, Lauren Kjos, Brie Mullin, and Cloey Eide. (Submitted photo)

Lower Yellowstone Rural Electric Cooperative awarded 12 \$1,000 scholarships to students who entered their Superhero scholarship contest at its annual meeting held Wednesday, June 5 in Sidney.

Winners were: Adriana

Beyerle, BayLee Schlothauer, Brie Mullin, Cloey Eide, Dalton Bouchard, Drae Nelson, Ella Norby, Lauren Kjos, Lexi Morlock, Parvina Eshonqulova, Seth Beyerle and Taylor McPherson.

Students had to apply for the scholarship by submitting a short video of what superpower they would like to have, what they would do with the power, and what disadvantages it might pose. The recipients must submit proof of enrollment in order to receive the money.





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Blessing Sale Set For June 15

For 14 years the Fairview Alliance Church has held what has been labeled as the Blessing Sale, instead of the 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.

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 proceeds will be split evenly between Fairview Summer Youth programs, and Eastern Montana Bible Camp.

The sale will be held on Saturday, June 15, from 8 a.m.-2 p.m. at the church located at 322 7th Street, (across the street from the Fairview High School) and in conjunction with the Fairview community garage sale day.

Get a blessing by finding items you can use, then give a blessing by donating whatever you wish to the sale. 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 noon on Friday, June 14. The church can no longer accept used televisions or computer monitors computers, or outdated electronics. If needed, pickup is available by calling the church 406-459-1461 or to answer any questions.

Blessed to be a Blessing. See you there!

E. MT Out Of Darkness Walk To Host **3rd Annual Murder Mystery June 15**

By Robyn Heck

The Eastern Montana Out of the Darkness Walk is hosting its 3rd annual murder mystery fundraiser on June 15, at the Moose Lodge, Sidney. This year has a 1980s theme.

Performances will take place at 1:30 and 7:30 p.m. Tickets can be purchased at the door. The afternoon performance costs \$15 for a single ticket or \$25 for a couple. The evening show costs \$25 for a single ticket or \$45 for a couple.

A table of eight tickets can be purchased for the evening performance for a \$200 donation. If you are interested in a table, please email Nick Kallem, nick.kallem@gmail.com to

"Come dressed in your best '80s outfit and join us as we uncover the mystery", said organizer Nick Kallem.

Doors will open 30 minutes prior to each performance. A cash bar will be available for snacks and drinks (alcoholic beverages at evening performance only).



Food Truck Rodeo

Above: Mini Donuts were a popular item, served up hot in a bucket. Devyn and Elliot Wagenecht take a minute for a photo before enjoying their special treat! (Photo by Kathy Taylor)

Above right: Mexican sweet corn on a stick was Ella Taylor's favorite! The snack was a featured item at one during the Food Truck Rodeo at the Rough Rider Center in Watford City June 6-8. (Photo by Kathy Taylor)

Right: Spencer Wagenecht enjoys her lemonade from the Lemon Pit at the Food Truck Rodeo in Watford City, June 6-8. (Photo by Kathy Taylor)





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Stay Safe This Summer

By Jodi Berry

So far it has felt like a long spring with mild temperatures here in eastern Montana but if you've lived here for any length of time, you know the heat is just around the corner. While there is plenty to enjoy about summer it also comes with certain dangers, especially for senior citizens. As we get older, our ability to respond to summer heat can become problematic; however, age isn't the only factor. According to the National Institutes of Health, there are a number of other factors that can increase your risk of falling victim to the heat.

These include:

- Age-related skin changes like poor circualands
- Any illness that causes general weakness or fever including heart, lung, and kidney disease
- High blood pressure or other conditions that require changes in diet
- Taking prescriptions that decrease your ability to sweat (diuretics, sedatives, certain heart and blood pressure medicines)
- Being substantially over or underweight

If you have any of the above conditions, you

need to be extra careful over the next few months. Below are some importlation or inefficient sweat ant tips that can help and will be beneficial to peo ple of any age, especially the elderly.

> 1. Hydrate, and then hydrate some more! Once you start to feel thirsty, you've already started becoming dehydrated. As we age, our bodies start to lose the ability to conserve fluid which makes it even more important to continue drinking before you start feeling parched.

> 2. Protect your skin. Aging affects its elasticity and the amount of moisture it retains so it can be more sensitive to the sun.



It can also take longer to repair sun damage so make sure you wear sunscreen with at least a 30 SPF.

3. Avoid extreme tem-

peratures. High heat and humidity is risky business for seniors. Avoid unsafe temps by going outside early in the morning or later in the evening to avoid the worst of the heat.

4. Know the signs of heat exhaustion and heat stroke so you can take immediate actionfind a cool place to sit, hydrate and apply a cold compress to the skin. Symptoms include:

- Red of flushed skin
- Rapid heartbeat
- Tiredness
- Headache
- Confusion
- Weakness
- Dizziness Nausea
- the neighborhood! Run your A/C to keep your home cool or, at the very least, comfortable. When

5. Be the cool kid in the weather reaches 90 degrees or more, try not to worry about your electricity bill and let the air conditioning run. High room temperatures can significantly affect a senior's ability to sleep and communicate which opens the door to even more issues.

Following these simple precautions will help you enjoy the warm weather while protecting your body. You can even make summer safety a group effort! Check in on your friends, neighbors and family and ask them to do the same. Working together will make it easier to safeguard your health while taking advantage of all the things summer is known for. Go ahead and get out in the garden, attend that barbeque or go on that fishing trip -- summer is meant to be enjoyed, just do it safely.

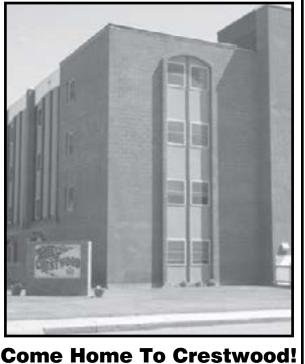


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Richland County Senior Athletes of the Year Awards June 27







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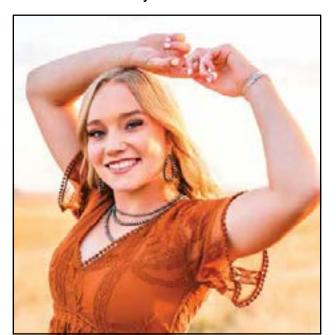
Karley McPherson



Ella Norby



Brooke Reuter



ShaeLyn Williams

By Bill Vander Weele

Six finalists in each division have been selected for this year's Roundup/Kiwanis Senior Athletes of the Year awards.

The presentation will be made during the Sidney Kiwanis Club's luncheon, which starts at noon, at the Moose Lodge on Thursday, June 27. Athletes and their parents should RSVP to Jessica, 406-794-2304.

Boys

Kevin Hutzenbiler, Sidney: Hutzenbiler was a talented three-sport athlete for the Eagles. He played well at wide receiver and defensive back for Sidney's football team. He was a key starter for the basketball program. He qualified for the Top 10 track meet this season in both relays, the javelin and the long jump.

Austin Lien, Richey-Lambert: Lien is a three-sport athlete for the Fusion. He was voted to the

All-State six-man football team during a strong senior season. He was selected second team All-Conference in boys' basketball. In addition, he is a leader for the Fusion's track program.

Landen Thompson, Fairview: Thompson earned All-State honors in both football and basketball for the Warriors. The All-State lineman was selected to play in the Shrine Game and eight-man all-star football game. He was a standout in the shot put and discus for Fairview's track program. He won the District 2B title in the shot put.

Jeff Tjelde, Fairview: Tjelde was a valuable member of Fairview's state championship football team and state runner-up boys' basketball squads. He was an All-Conference and All-State selection as a quarterback/ safety in football. He averaged 18 points and 12.5 rebounds per game to earn

All-Conference honors in basketball. He was selected to play in the eight-man all-star football game. He ran to the district title in the 400-meter dash.

Cade Tombre, Savage: Tombre was a strong threesport athlete in Savage. He earned both All-Conference and All-State football honors in six-man football. He was a second team All-Conference pick in basketball as the Warriors won the regular-season title and advanced to the divisional tournament his senior year. He earned second team all-defensive honors in basketball. He is also a solid performer for Savage's track squad. He qualified for three events for the divisional

Chace Waters, Sidney. Waters was a standout in football, basketball and track for the Eagles. He was an All-State pick as a defensive lineman in his senior season

track meet.

and was selected to play in the Shrine Game. He has placed third at the state meet in the discus as a junior and fifth as a sophomore. He has also competed at state in the shot put. He was Sidney's most valuable field athlete as a junior.

Girls Kallee Hopes, Fairview: Hopes earned All-State honors as Fairview qualified for the Class B state tournament. She was a member of Fairview's 400-meter relay team that placed fifth at the state track meet when she was a sophomore. Hopes placed sixth in the shot put at state as a junior. She is among the school's all-time bests in the 100, 200, 400, shot and discus.

Amaiya Kirn, Sidney: Kirn competed in three sports for the Sidney Eagles. She won state girls' wrestling titles as a freshman and sophomore. She placed second in her junior season. She was a starter for both Sidney's volleyball and softball teams. She has signed to play softball at

Williston State College.

Karley McPherson, Savage. McPherson earned All-Conference second team honors in volleyball as the Warriors qualified for the divisional tournament. She was also a starter for Savage's basketball team that advanced to the divisional tournament and has been a consistent contributor to the track program. She won the district title in the discus as

Ella Norby, Sidney: Norby led Sidney's golfers by placing 17th at the Class A state meet in her senior season. She took fourth place at the divisional meet to earn All-Conference honors. She started in multiple seasons for the Sidney's girls' basketball program. She has also been a strong swimmer for Sidney's state champion

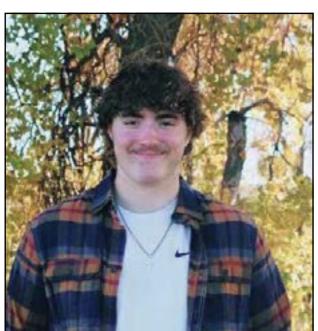
Tiger Sharks.

Brooke Reuter, Savage. Reuter is a five-time state track champion including three times in the 100 and twice in the 200. She also placed at the state meet in the 400 and long jump. She was a standout in volleyball and earned All-State recognition in the sport. She was voted second team All-Conference in basketball and also second team all-defensive.

ShaeLyn Williams, Richey/Lambert. Williams was selected second-team All-Conference in basketball. The Fusion placed third at the district tournament to advance to the divisional tourney. Williams also received second-team honors in her senior volleyball season.



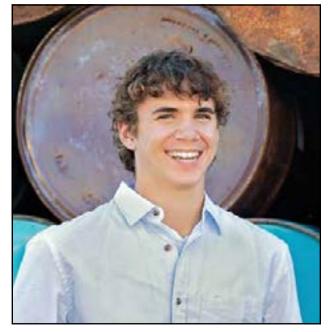
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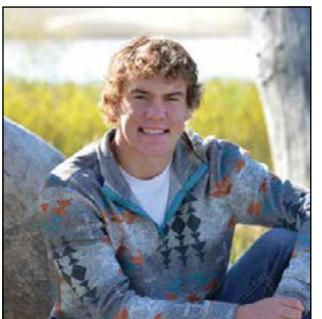
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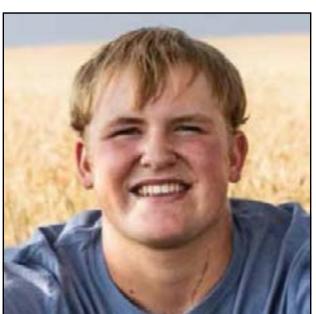
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Cade Tombre



Chace Waters



Sidney Health Center Certifies Almost 400 Employees In QPR Training To Combat Suicide

Sidney, MT - Sidney Health Center is proud to announce that 393 of its employees have successfully completed Question, Persuade, and Refer (QPR) training, equipping them with essential skills to address and prevent suicide within the community. This significant achievement underscores the organization's commitment to enhancing mental health support in Richland County, particularly given Montana's high suicide rates.

Richard Evans and Tim
Tharp were instrumental
in establishing the training
program at Sidney Health
Center. Both individuals
have completed the QPR
Gatekeeper Instructor Certification Program, which
includes key objectives such

- Training participants to teach QPR Gatekeeper Training for Suicide Prevention
- Understanding the nature and range of suicidal communications
- Knowing the groups at greatest risk of suicide and why QPR can work for them
- The history of suicide and suicide prevention

• Gatekeeper training: how, why, and the research

• New and promising approaches to suicide pre-

• How QPR fits into national efforts

"QPR is an anti-suicide initiative designed to give members of the public the skills necessary to intervene on behalf of an individual who is suicidal," explains Richard Evans, a certified QPR trainer and chaplain at Sidney Health Center. "The goal is to train staff to recognize factors that may lead to suicidal ideation or behavior and help those individuals make a life-affirming choice by connecting them with local resources."

As one of the largest employers in Richland County, Sidney Health Center is committed to training all its employees to address mental health and wellness in the community. During April and May, approximately 70% of the workforce attended these trainings and became QPR-certified. Moving forward, Sidney Health Center will offer this certification course to new employees on a quarterly basis.



Tim Tharp and Richard Evans, who have both completed the QPR Gatekeeper Instructor Certification, played pivotal roles in establishing the Question, Persuade, and Refer (QPR) training program at Sidney Health Center. (Submitted Photo)

QPR training teaches individuals to recognize the warning signs of a suicide

crisis and how to intervene effectively by questioning, persuading, and referring someone to appropriate help. The benefits to the community include:

• Immediate Crisis Intervention: QPR-trained individuals can recognize and respond to suicide warning signs, helping to prevent attempts and save lives.

• Increased Awareness: The training raises awareness about suicide and its warning signs, leading to a more vigilant and supportive community.

• Reduced Stigma: Open discussions about mental health and suicide help reduce stigma, encouraging more people to seek help.

• Stronger Support Networks: Trained individuals can offer vital support to friends, family, and colleagues, enhancing the community's overall support system.

• Empowered Community Members: People feel empowered to make a positive difference, fostering

a sense of responsibility and collective action.

• Enhanced Behavioral Health Services: QPR certification complements other mental health initiatives, creating a comprehensive approach to care.

• Long-Term Mental Health Improvement: Early intervention leads to better mental health outcomes and overall well-being.

• Collaboration with
Health Services: Certified individuals can connect those in crisis with appropriate

• Collaboration with munity. For more information about the QPR training program, contact Richard Evans at 406.488.2596.

resources and support services.

• Community Resilience: A community with many QPR-certified individuals is better prepared to handle mental health crises, leading to a safer and more supportive environment.

These benefits demonstrate the positive impact QPR training can have on the well-being of our community. For more information about the QPR training program, contact Richard

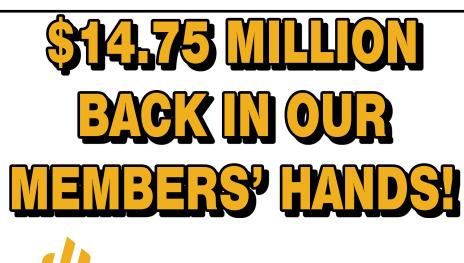


The McKenzie County Planning Commission will be holding a Public Hearing on Wednesday, June 12 at 5 p.m. in the Board Room of County Commissioners' Meeting Room, 201 5th St. NW, Watford City.

Zoning/Land Development Ordinance Updates for agricultural district, wind power, solar power, buffering/landscaping (industrial District), planning and zoning application process, changes based on State Law and Federal Case Law, clarifying subdivision/platting requirements and improved formatting.









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Resolution Regarding Property Abandoned, Obsolete, Undesirable or Unsuitable for School Purposes of the District:

At the regular board meeting on May 20th, 2024, the trustees of the Savage School District determined that the following personal property of the district, located at 368 South Mesa Street is obsolete for school purposes of the Savage School District.

Old Text Books Kitchen Appliances Music

Misc. Items

The subject property is obsolete for school purpose. The items are no longer needed for operations and classroom function in the school.

As provided in § 20-6-604, MCA, the trustees of the Savage School District hereby resolve to dispose of the property identified above because it is or is about to become obsolete for school nurnoses of the Savage School District. You may indicate an interest in all or any of these items by calling the school office at 406-776-2317. These items will be for sale.

The trustees of the Savage School District further resolve that notices of the resolution shall be published for the next fourteen days in public areas. This resolution shall become effective 14 days after publication of the notice

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identified in the immediately preceding paragraph, unless appealed to the district court by a taxpayer in compliance with and as provided in §20-6-604,

Adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Savage School District this 20th Day of May 2024. Items will be available on

June 17, 2024. Shawn Conradsen

Board Chair, Savage School District

Attest: Michelle Miller District Clerk

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PUBLIC NOTICE NOTICE OF PUBLIC **HEARING**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Fairview Town Council will, on Wednesday, June 12, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. in the Fairview Senior Center, 217 5th Street West, Fairview, MT 59221, hold a public hearing on the subject matter of Resolution No. 575, which includes amending the boundaries of Street Maintenance District No. 1 to include additional property benefitted by Street Maintenance District No. 1 and levying an assessment upon all property within Street Maintenance District No. 1 to defray the cost of maintenance for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2024. All interested persons will be given the opportunity to ask questions and express opinions. Comments may be given orally at the meeting or submitted in writing.

Contact the Fairview Town Clerk. Fairview Town Hall, P.O. Box 426, 318 South Central Avenue, Fairview, Montana 59221; by email at townoffairview@ midrivers.com: or call 406-742-5616 during business hours to obtain further information or request an accommodation for a disability.

Dated at Fairview, Montana, this 30th day of May, 2024.

Norma F. Carlson Fairview Town Clerk/Treasurer

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INVITATION TO BID

Corland Construction, LLC, acting as Construction Manager at Risk for the Fort Peck Tribes New Head Start Project, invites qualified subcontractors and suppliers to submit sealed bids for the following work:

Project Description:

This project is the site preparation, concrete foundation placement, and construction of pre-engineered metal building (PEMB) and finishes to house the administrative offices, classrooms, and support spaces for the Head Start Programs. The project will be completed for two buildings on separate sites, one in Wolf Point and one in Poplar, Montana. All utilities and utility hook-ups to the new facilities will be conducted under

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Bid Submission:

- · Bid Due Date: June 12th, 2024, at 2:00pm MDT.
- Bid Delivery Location: 501 Medicine Bear Road, Poplar, Montana 59255
- · Contact Information: Anjulie Cantrell, Property Management. PO Box 1027, Poplar, Montana

Pre-Bid Meeting: · Date and Time: May 30th,

2024. at 11:00am MDT. Location: 713 Edgar Street, Wolf Point, MT

Bid Documents:

Bid documents, including plans, specifications, and other relevant materials, will be available on 05/22/2024. These documents can be obtained electronically through Billings Builders Exchange or at the following location:

JGA Architects Engineers Planners, PC - 3333 2nd Avenue North, Suite 160, Billings, Montana 59101, upon payment of \$150 for each set. Contract documents can be shipped to the bidder for an additional non-refundable fee of \$20.00 for each set.

Qualifications:

All bidders must demonstrate their qualifications to perform the work, including evidence of insurance, bonding capacity, and relevant project experience. Detailed qualification requirements are included in the bid documents.

Important Notes:

- · Bidders must comply with all applicable local, state, and federal regulations.
- The Construction Manager reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any informality in the bidding process, and to negotiate with any bidder.
- · Minority and women-owned business enterprises (MWBE) are encouraged to participate. Inquiries: All inquiries regarding this

invitation to bid should be directed to Justin Collins at 406-433-8158 or justin@ corlandconstruction.com.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL

MEETING AND ELECTION NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN the annual meeting of the Richland County Public Hospital District will be conducted on Wednesday, June 26, 2024, at 12:00 o'clock noon at the Sidney Health Center Extended Care Facility, 104 14th Avenue N.W., Sidney, Montana. The election of two hospital district trustees for a three year term will be

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conducted at said meeting. Contact Jessica Wiese, Sidney Health Center Extended Care Facility, 104 14th Avenue N.W., Sidney, Montana 59270; by email at Jessica.Wiese@ sidneyhealth.org; or call (406) 488-2300 to obtain further information or to request an accommodation for a disability. DATED this 28th day of May, 2024.

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YELLOWSTONE ZONING **COMMISSION HEARING**

The Yellowstone Zoning Commission will hold a hearing on June 26th, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. MDT, at the East Fairview Cafeteria, to consider William Van Hook Jr's application for a zone change dated April 14, 2023, for the property located at 15727 33rd St. NW, Fairview, MT 59221, (aka Township 151 N Range 104 N Section 23, 47.88925°N, 103.96257°W. Included in the discussion will be the vote of the Yellowstone Township Electors on water depots on January 22, 2024. Only these two (2) items of business will be discussed at this time.

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NOTICE The following board has an

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MONTANA SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT, RICHLAND COUNTY IN THE MATTER OF THE **ESTATE OF**

SEAN THOMAS COWELL, Deceased. Probate No. DP-42-2024-40

NOTICE OF HEARING OF PETITION FOR **ADJUDICATION** OF INTESTACY, **DETERMINATION OF**

HEIRS. APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND FOR UNSUPERVISED **ADMINISTRATION**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ROCKY COWELL has filed in the above Court and cause a Petition for adjudication of intestacy, determination of heirs, and the appointment of ROCKY COWELL as Personal Representative and for unsupervised administration of said estate. For further information, the Petition, as filed, may be examined in the office of the clerk of the above Court.

Hearing upon said Petition will be held in the District Courtroom at the Law and Justice Center, 300 12th Avenue NW, Sidney, Montana, on the 26th day of July 2024, at the hour of 9:00 o'clock a.m., at which time all interested persons may appear and object. Dated this 14th day of May,

ROCKY COWELL. Petitioner

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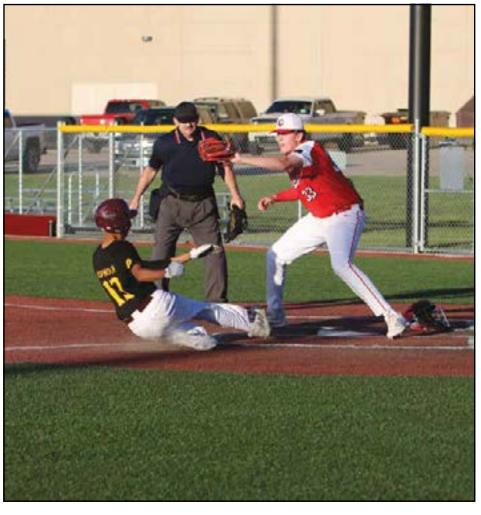
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Doug Johnsrud Baseball Tournament

Above: Hunter Cowan beats the throw at home and scores for the Walleye against the Lovell Mustangs. The Watford City Walleye defeated the Mustangs 7-5 in pool play. After defeating the Billings Expos 7-5 in the semi finals, the Walleye were defeated by the Moose Jaw Canuks in the championship game 12-1.

Left: Special games kept the kids entertained in between games at the Doug Johnsrud Baseball tournament, Watford City, June 5. (Photos by Kathy Taylor)

May 2024 Sidney Health Center **Newborns**

Alexandra Ethelleann Cremer was born May 5, 2024 to Axle Cremer and Caitlynn Hasvold, Sidney. She weighed 7 lbs. 6 oz. Maternal grandparents are: Brent and Jodi Hasvold, Prescott, AZ. Paternal grandparents are John and Wanda Cremer, Sidney, MT.

Mateo Ezekiel Pena was born May 7, 2024 to Anael and Randelle Pena, Williston, ND. He weighed 6 lbs. 9 oz.

Jax Dale Rice was born May 7, 2024 to Taten Rice and Addison Kortes, Sidney, MT. He weighed 7 lbs. 9 oz. Maternal grandparents are Lenny Kortes, Fairview, MT, and Joyce Perry, Sidney, MT. Paternal grandparents are Kevin and Jessica, Booneville, AR.

Morgan Bailey Will was born May 14, 2024 to Stephen and Nikki Will, Sidney, MT. She weighed 7 lbs. 9 oz. Maternal grandparents are Rick and Kay Bailey, Fort Benton, MT. Paternal grandparents are Richard and Marilee Will, Sidney, MT. Brother, Matthew and Sister, Emma.

Wylder Jaron Zuroff was born May 14, 2024 to Matt Zuroff and Kelsey Schillinger, Circle, MT. He weighed 6 lbs. 3.8 oz. Maternal grandparent is Sandra Schillnger, Circle, MT. Paternal grandparents are Mal and Penny Zuroff, Richey, MT. Sister, Elise.

Mya Rae Schriver was born May 15, 2024 to Brock and Alyson Schriver, Fairview, MT. She weighed 7 lbs. 13 oz. Maternal grandparents are Dan and Monica Cayko, Fairview, MT. Paternal grandparents are Matt and Jenny Schriver, Trenton, ND. Brother Andrew.

Trevor Allen Todd was born May 18, 2024 to Lori Todd, Sidney, MT. He weighed 7 lbs. 5 oz. Maternal grandparents are Samantha Todd and Bobby Harris, Jr., Sidney, MT.

Jolee Elizabeth Kay Moore was born May 19, 2024 to Jimmy Jr. and Olivia Moore, Williston, ND. She weighed 7 lbs. 14 oz. Maternai grandparents are Brandon and Natasha Dempsey, Williston, ND. Paternal grandparents are Jimmy Sr. and Roberta Moore, Stanley,

ND. Sister Phoebe. Swayzi Marie Switzer was born May 20, 2024 to Ryan and Kaitlin Switzer, Scobey, MT. She weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz. Maternal grandparents are Terry and Shauna Farver, Scobey, MT. Paternal grandparents are Jerry and Linda Switzer, Wibaux, MT. Sister Landry.

Avery Alexandria Gray was born May 23, 2024 to Anthony Gray and Jessica Neer, Williston, ND. She weighed 5 lbs. 3 oz.

Klanci Jo Cross was born May 24, 2024 to Nick and Myre Cross, Glendive, MT. She weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz. Maternal grandparents are John and Susie Irwin, Alexander, ND. Paternal grandparents are Steve Shultz and Penne Cross, Helena, MT. Brother: Kenneth. Sisters: Elizabeth, Jacqui and Olivia.

Myles Chris Welch was born May 25, 2024 to Alexander Welch and Taylor Sterling, Williston, ND. Maternal grandparent Tiffany McPhee, Kalispell, MT. Paternal grandparents are Robert and Jessica Welch, Columbia Falls, MT.

Reagan Jean Roth was born to Scott and Lindsey Roth, Culbertson, MT. She weighed 7 lbs. 3 oz. Maternal grandparents are Donald and Jill Herness, Culbertson, MT. Paternal grandparents are Wade and Celestia Roth, New Leipzig, ND.

Lucy Elaine Barrett was born May 28, 2024 to George and Melissa Barrett, Crosby, ND. She weighed 7 lbs. 9.4 oz. Maternal grandparents are Les Mcgeathy and Jennifer Thompson, West Branch, MI. Paternal grandparents are E.D. and Linda Barrett. Council Grove, KS



8-11:30AM OPEN CLASS REGISTRATION

ALL LIVESTOCK

ANIMAL JUDGING

EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE DAY:

CARNIVAL, STRULLING ACTS, TOT ZONE

4-H LIVESTOCK LIVE

EVALUATION JUDGING

KNIGHTS AND BIKES

CHANCEY WILLIAMS

IUESTIONS? CONTACT APRIL MITTEER AT 701-444-9090 / MCFAIR®RESTEL.COM

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LIVE MUSIC BY

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4-H STATIC JUDGING +

JUDGING OF OPEN CLASS

MCKENZIE CO. FARM BUREAU

DLAF LEISETH JR. MEMORIAL DRAFT HORSE COMPETITION

SUPPER + ANIMAL MEETING

8AM-12PM ENTRY/ULTRASOUND OF

EXHIBITS

THURSDAY, JUNE 13

1-4PM

4PM

6PM

BAM

4PM

6PM

EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE DAY: CARNIVAL, STRULLING ACTS, TUT ZONE 7-11AM FFA LIVESTOCK JACKPOT 11AM-1PM 4-H BUYER BBD SOCIAL SPONSORED BY FORT UNION MASONIC LODGE #128 12-6PM REGISTRATION + INSPECTION FOR DEMOLITION DERBY 12PM 4-H LIVESTOCK SALE 4:30PM FARM OLYMPICS 7PM DEMOLITION DERBY POWER WHEEL DERBY LIVE MUSIC BY THE BIKERS + THE BANDITS

SATURDAY, JUNE 15 EVENTS THROUGHOUT THE DAY: CARNIVAL, STROLLING ACTS, TOT ZONE

FOLLOWING DEMOLITION DERBY

WILLISTON WOODWORKS TBD MA8 HORSE SHOWMANSHIP MAR 4-H LIVESTOCK SHOWMANSHIP + ROUND ROBIN CONTEST 12PM NDRA RODED SLACK 1PM 4-H FAIR AWARDS 3:30+4PM CRAFTING W/JESSIE VEEDER 7PM NDRA RODEO

> LIVE MUSIC BY OUT OF LINE FOLLOWING NDRA RODEO

CALF SCRAMBLE

8AM-12PM RELEASE OF ALL 4-H EXHIBITS

OPEN CLASS EXHIBITS COWBOY CHURCH

SUNDAY, JUNE 16 10AM-12PM RELEASE OF ALL

TBD