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Eido Connect's
Philosophy for 2023

- TIME -

“Radiant & Beautiful”

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Pictured: Carmen Schaible with grandchildren, L-R Emily, Landon, Violet, Evelyn, Lainey holding new grandpuppy, Sadie, and Liam Schaible.

Pastor Joe, looked across his crowd of people who had come to worship with him. - - Children - young adults, grandparents. His main concern today was what kind of message could he give the young people, who he knew were not excited for tomorrow. Sad faces filled his congregation. How does he encourage, when he remembered when he had to leave summer fun and go to school.

In three days school started and - - well the long faces, filled his heart with a question - - what do I say to reach them. They come to Church cuz of parents, what do I say that's good about school?

Looking over the crowd - - oh, he saw his answer - - “Kids, he said, “Tomorrow

night lets have one big party before school starts - - free supper, fun evening. Parents bring your children - - I have a surprise for them but you too must come.

That night he prayed, “O Lord help me.”

Pastor Joe, with the help of many, worked hard to make sure all preparations were made, food, brownies, ice cream. It was going to be a fantastic, fun evening.

Time arrived, children, parents, even grandparents arrived to see about this big celebration. Laughter, joking, jumping, filled the evening. Then Pastor Joe blew the whistle, ask everyone to come into the church and sit quietly - - he had a surprise for everyone.

He began. I know in a few days school starts. We are sad, ask why we have to go, it's dumb - - and the list goes on and on but tonight I have someone here that also hated school,



didn't want to go, said learning was not needed - - I want you to meet Ann.

Ann came out, took her place beside Pastor Joe - - she was beautiful - - everyone went oh, oh my, wow. And yet the last time they had seen Ann was after her car accident and 90% of her body was burned. She was alive but burned so badly you couldn't look at her - - now she stood in front of them - - Radiant and Beautiful.

Ann told her story about the accident, the surgeries, the pain - - then she closed with these words - - “There is a reason you go to school - - if it weren't for people who went to school, studied and learned - - I wouldn't be here today. And maybe one day because of you going to school, learning, you may be one of those people that saves lives!”

The crowd cheered!!

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“We Can Do It”

As always the paper is filled with jobs, activities and interesting articles - - this week and last week is a wee bit different - - school has been added to our agenda. Pastor Sherwood from the Bowman Methodist Church has given us the key for our children this year. How about giving them the best year possible - - We can do it!!

Once again Thank You, advertisers, writers, readers - - without each of you we wouldn't have an Eido.



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Rated: PG-13 • Run time: 2 hours 43 min.
Aug. 18th - 22nd



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Saturday • 7:30pm
Sunday • 2pm & 6:30pm
Monday • 6:30pm
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The Bowman Methodist Church will have

Religious Release

beginning on

Wednesday, September 6th

2pm - 3pm

at the church (107 5th Ave SW)

If your child(ren) are interested in being part of this Christian Education, please contact the church office at 523-5492 or email us at bmc@ndsupernet.com. If we are not in the office, please leave a message.

We will send you an application or you can pick up the application in the church foyer.

Church office hours:

10am - 4pm Tuesday - Thursday

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St. Henry's
St. John the Baptist
Catholic Church
Schedule for

August 19

August 20

(M) 4:30 pm Sat.

(NL) 7:00 pm Sat.

(R) 8:00 am Sun.

(M) 10:00 am Sun.

*Have faith,
greater things are
on their way...*



Playhouse Theater
318 Brown Ave - Mott, ND

August 18-20
Mission Impossible-Dead Reckoning Part One
PG-13 -2hr 43 min
Ethan Hunt and his IMF team must track down a dangerous weapon before it falls into the wrong hands.

Upcoming:
Barbie
Oppenheimer
The Haunted Mansion

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BACK TO SCHOOL

**Bowman County Elementary
Schools OPEN HOUSE**

for families in grade K-6th

August 21st • 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Enter through MS Office Door #12

Rhame Campus

August 21st • 3:30pm - 4:30pm

Title 1 Parent Meeting will be held on
Bowman Campus at 4:45pm in
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Bowman County Booster Club

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Thursday, August 24th

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**Believe In
Bigfoot? ...**
by geno sloan

The legend of BigFoot, Sasquatch, and Yeti have been floating around the world since the 1800's. The west coast has reported the most sightings of this strange, furry creature that is said to roam forests and valleys.

Animal Planet tv channel airs a show about a team of Big Foot searchers who have trekked across the U.S. for years hoping to get glimpses of Him? Her? It? They report seeing strange footprints as large as 24" long in many forested places.

Perhaps there is a similar creature wandering the prairies and Badlands of North Dakota. I ask folks to keep their eyes open as they hike, or ride horseback in isolated areas. Watch out for giant footprints and big furry things that have been around since even before the 1800's.

Occasionally I drive to the Badlands overlook, searching for the legendary creatures I like to follow. They don't even hide in the forests. They are called Buffalo, or Bison.

I call them BigHoof!!

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Saturday, September 2, 2023
Hettinger Country Club
Buffet supper begins at 6:00 p.m.
Music by Tracy Buer
No printed invitations are being sent
Casual attire - No gifts

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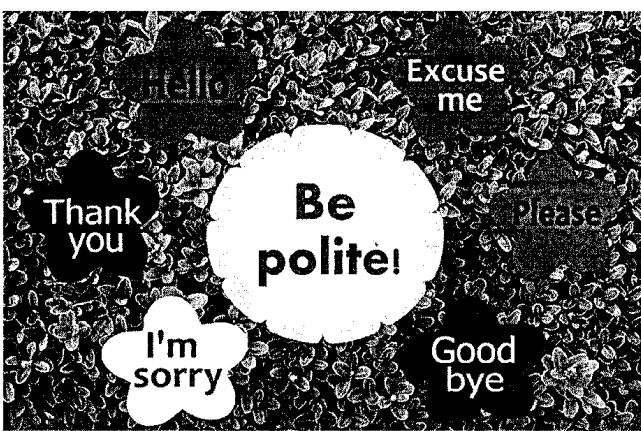
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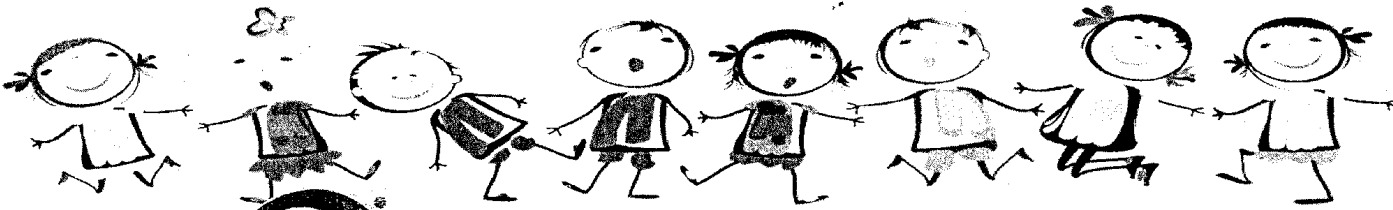
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Our family would like to offer our heartfelt thanks for the amazing benefit and all of the support we have received. We are extremely humbled by your words, actions, and prayers. Our fight continues...

Sincerely,
Charlene & Van Honeyman
and Family

I go at what I do as if there were nothing else in the world for me to do.

We're Going Back To School



Expressions of HOPE

BACK 2 SCHOOL

Pastor Ray Sherwood - Bowman Methodist Church

As you read this today, our schools will be back in session next week and there are many things happening in your life, the lives of your children, the teachers, the staff, and the administration.

I remember when I was back in school in the "olden days" we often heard this song with these lyrics:

"School days, school days, dear old golden rule days, 'read-in', 'ritin', and 'rithmatic, taught to the sound of the hick'ry stick. You were my queen in calico, I was your bashful barefoot beau, and you wrote on your slate, 'I love you, Joe,' when we were a couple of kids."

It's a different world out there from the time when I was in school. When I was in school, there were some problems with drugs and alcohol and occasionally someone would get into a fight.

Today's world just seems worse. We have children bringing guns to school and killing other children. We have relentless bullying and humiliation, the increase of drugs, pornography and illicit sex! To be honest,

as a parent and a grandparent, it worries me.

As we have moved past the COVID restrictions, we look forward to the normal things that happen during the school year. This year will be a special time for our seniors as they make special memories with their teachers and friends. I don't know about you, but I remember my senior year and the memories still linger with me today.

As our teachers educate our children, I know that we try to bring up our children the right way, to love Jesus and to love their family too! We bring them to church, so they will know there is a God that loves them, but we also realize that there are no assurances in life.

Just because we bring our children to church and tell them about Jesus doesn't mean they won't fall away. It doesn't mean they won't do something extremely ill-advised, something that may affect them for the rest of their lives. To be totally honest with you the idea of being a parent in this day and age is well...overwhelming. I think of my grandchildren and the things they face today is so much different than yesteryear!

In Judges 13 we read of

Samson's parents and the things they faced.

When Manoah found out that he and his wife were going to have a baby, it literally scared him to death! He didn't know how to raise a baby...especially a baby as special as this one seemed to be. He and his wife were overwhelmed by their responsibility.

Just like Mr. and Mrs. Manoah, parents today are overwhelmed. You need help. You need support. You need strength. You need encouragement.

In Judges 13:8, we see that God came in answer to prayer. Manoah prayed and basically said, "God, help us...we don't know what to do!"

These are difficult days in which we live so how can we make sure that we raise our children properly? The key for Manoah was prayer and prayer is the key for our children too. As parents we need to pray with our children and encourage them to pray as well.

Let's take this a little bit further...we should all be praying for our children who are attending school!! Yes, church, even the children outside the church. Let me give you some examples of praying for those children in our church and outside our churches:

When you are driving by a bus stop...instead of thinking, "If I tried to wear that out of the house, my mom would have thrashed me to within an inch of

my life!" Instead, pray for them. When you are driving down the road and come across a bus pray for the bus driver and pray for those children. When you drive past a school make it a special point to pray for the children, the teachers, the staff and the administration.

You know as well as I do...it's a crazy world out there, but God hears the prayers of His people. The great thing about our prayers is that He will respond to our prayers!!

Think back to Judges 13 and see what happened, "Samson grew, and the Lord blessed him" (Judges 13:24). Samson's parents obeyed the Lord and they raised him the way that the Lord wanted them to raise him. They prayed for strength and guidance as we should do today!

Please understand there's more to the story of Samson. Most of you know that Samson wasn't always faithful to the call of God on His life. He got into trouble with women (remember Delilah?). He had a problem with his attitude (does that sound like any kids you know?), but in the end he decided to live for God. He gave up his life in serving the Lord.

I am not saying your child will give up his life serving God, but I am convinced that the efforts that we make during our children's growing up years are crucial in their walk with God!

The efforts we make at discipline, praying for our kids, bringing them to church, having devotions with them, trying to bring them up in the "nurture and admonition of the Lord" (Eph. 6:4), none of those efforts are in vain!

Proverbs 22:6 says, "Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it. (NIV)

All that prayer...all that Bible reading...those things stick with a child and though they may try to forget it and they may even try to run from it. I am here to

tell you it will always come back to them. How you might ask? It will come back to them because you did your best to love them and to train them in the ways of the Lord.

It goes with you...I know, because it stuck with me! Even if, God forbid, we have a child that wanders off into "riotous living" like the Prodigal Son...they will find their way home just like he did.

"Back 2 School"! These are exciting times for our children...and for you as parents! But it is also a crucial time in the lives of your children and you need to be a part of their lives.

I am sure you have heard of drive thru banking, drive thru eating, drive thru pharmacies...well, I would like for to do drive thru praying!!

Pray not only for our children, but pray for our teachers, staff, and administration as they share their lives with your children and pray for protection upon all of them!!

Back to School

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Bowman, ND, August 10, 2023. The past year and a half, the Bowman Parks and Recreation Board has secured a building, a bond, and renovated the previous Shopko/Alco building located at 320 Highway 12 East. This project is called The Edge – Bowman County Activity Complex and it opened its doors to the public in January 2023. The board launched a sponsorship campaign and Scranton Equity/ Frontier Travel Center together with COBANK has generously donated \$28,000 for the Edge Project as a GOLD Sponsor. GOLD sponsors have naming rights to the room(s) they sponsor, they will receive their name on a Donation Plaque. "Frontier Travel Center and Scranton Equity have been great to work with community events and programs, and we are so delighted they chose to invest in the

Edge," stated Director Chanell Walby. Bowman Parks and Recreation serves the wellness and recreational needs of our tri-state area by providing community facilities and progressive programs across the generations. By using an existing building in our community we are helping to reduce construction costs, inhabit vacant structures, bring people to town to both work and play, and we are reaching our mission. We thank the community for your support of this project, which contains an adventure park (trampolines, indoor two-story playground, ninja course, climbing wall, obstacle course, dodgeball court, and dunk hoop), multipurpose court, dance/exercise room, racquetball court, cardio/weight room, party/meeting room and lounge, and a walking track. Please contact Chanell Walby, Director of Bowman Parks and Recreation if you have any questions or are interested in sponsoring the Edge Project or any other projects. 701-523-3896.

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Rock the Block

(Bowman, ND) – On July 27, 2023, an estimated 250 people gathered for Rock the Block to enjoy an evening of family fun on Bowman's Main Street. It

was an evening of conversation, dancing, and lots of fun and games for people of all ages. A total of 15 vendors lined Bowman's Main Street with food, drinks, games, and more. The evening's entertainment, Blacklist of Rapid City, South Dakota, kept the crowd going late into the night. A 15-team cornhole tournament for adults and teens was held while inflatables were a hit with the younger generation. "Rock the Block is one of my favorite summer events! There is something for everyone, no matter what age, and seeing all the businesses participate is great" Chamber President Emily Bostyan. Rock the Block was hosted by Bowman Area Chamber of Commerce. Check out their Facebook page @BowmanAreaChamber ofCommerce for more pictures of the event. A special thank you to the gold sponsors: Dakota Community Bank, Windy's, Bowman Tax and Tourism, Frontier Travel Center, North Dakota Council on the Arts, and Bowman Wind.

Windy's
Bowman, ND

Daily Lunch SPECIALS

August 21st - August 25th
Lunch Specials served 11am - 2pm
** Subject to change*

523-5753

Monday 21st - CLOSED

Tuesday 22nd - CLOSED

Wednesday 26th - Wing Wednesday - Buy 10, Get 10 - 50% Off
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Thursday 24th - Bacon Chicken Melt w/Chips

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Application (available at Auditor's office) or resume may be delivered to the office of the Hettinger County Auditor in the County Courthouse in Mott, North Dakota, or may be mailed to; Hettinger County Auditor, 336 Pacific Avenue, Mott, ND 58646 and should be marked road crew position.

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by

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Anthrax! Well, it's been another fun week of trying to wrap things up so I can get to KC for that Chief's opening night game. As always, the Foo Gods are trying to make it is hectic as possible, but, I'm not breaking stride. This week, I had a front row seat for a phenomenon that simply typifies why a person should not get into a business that they don't understand. According to the media, the cattle anthrax outbreak in southwestern North Dakota may hit a decades' high here this month. Not to belabor this scary topic but, "If the diagnosis of anthrax is suspected and confirmed by your veterinarian and the NDSU Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory, then vaccination needs to be implemented as quickly as possible," says Dr. Gerald Stokka, North Dakota State University Extension veterinarian. And, he's the guy who should know.

And, FYI, Title 36 of the Century Code, as well as Article 48.1-01 of the Administrative Code, are very specific in the matter. The State Board of Animal Health has exclusive, original jurisdiction over anything dealing with the topic as it pertains to any domestic animal or non-traditional livestock (wildlife held in confinement). So, if the State Vet examines an animal and deems that it either has anthrax, or died from it, there are some pretty stiff rules like: any person who suspects anthrax is in play must report it, diseased animals can be killed within 24 hours' notice to the owner/

keeper, expenses can be taxed to the owner, and disposal of the carcass of a diseased animal is strictly regulated even to the extent of how it can be moved on-site. In fact, I was impressed at the high level of regulation involved in owning, selling, purchasing and/or transporting cattle! Ranching is not an occupation that is for the faint hearted or someone who didn't check the rules before they got started.

Suffice it to say that the topic is NOT one that falls within the definition of law enforcement either. Rather, it is a public health scenario and, all the Sheriff and our office can do is hammer home the legal rules regarding confining, isolating, quarantining (at least 30 days), vaccinating, and disposing of dead animals once the state authorities have made a ruling after-the-fact. The statute says that "Any animal which is found dead must be presumed to have died from a contagious or infectious disease until the contrary is shown unless another cause of death is apparent". And, it is the OWNER's responsibility to do all these things upon the penalty of criminal conduct, civil damages payable to any person injured, and civil penalties of up to \$5,000 per day per violation! The cost of correctly vaccinating, inspecting and controlling the problem is on the owner not the government.

Which brings me back to why anyone would get involved in the cattle business without knowing these rules first? But, hey, I took

my granddaughter to get some high-top volleyball sneakers and, we managed to get home with two for the right foot and none for the left. And, that was

after her, the store clerk and the check-out clerk inspected the shoebox. Maybe, it's the same thing? NAH! Be careful and have a great week!

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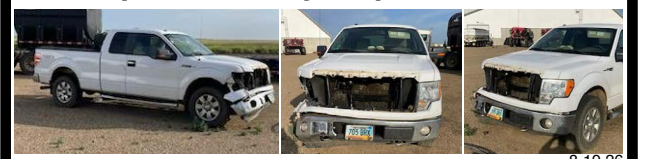
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Thank you again from the bottom of our hearts for all of the amazing support you have given us.
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Expressions of HOPE

Reflections on the Words of Life

by Pastor Paul Ferrie, Grace Reformed Church of the Lord Jesus, New Leipzig

We have begun a study of the book of Ruth, and last time we saw that Ruth's husband Elimelech died in the country of Moab and that her sons, Mahlon and Chilion, took Moabite wives—something God had forbidden the Israelites to do.

Today we see that matters will become even worse. We read in Ruth 1:5, "Then both Mahlon and Chilion also died; so the woman survived her two sons and her husband." How devastating this was for Naomi. Interestingly, the writer does not even call her by name; he refers to her merely as "the woman." Perhaps the reason is that the

name "Naomi" means "pleasant, delightful, and lovely." Those words are far from describing her at this point. She is now a widow in a foreign land. She has no children or grandchildren, so her family is on the brink of extinction. Failure to continue the family name was considered a great shame and hardship in Israel. On top of that, for an Israelite to have his or her family members buried outside the bounds of Israel was another crushing blow. At this point, life for Naomi must have seemed miserable and hopeless. If anything good or meaningful could come out of this, it would have to be the work of God. And yet, that is just what will happen. Next week, Lord willing, we will see how God begins to turn things around for the desolate



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widow Naomi.

But before I close, please allow me to point out a few applications. Yes, it seems that Naomi's life couldn't have been worse, but let's think about this. It was those very heartbreaking circumstances that God used to bring His child back to Israel and back to Himself. Sometimes, God might take away everything we consider valuable in order to drive us back to Him.

Most of you are probably familiar with the story of the prodigal son. It was when his money had run out and he had nothing to eat but pig slop that he remembered what life was like back with his father. And we are told in Luke 15:17-18, "But when he came to himself, he said, 'How many of my father's hired servants have bread enough and to spare, and I perish with hunger! I will arise and go to my father, and will say to him, "Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you."

I wonder, my friends, if there is anyone reading this who needs to do the same thing. Have you been living your life running and hiding from God? If you are really His child, then

you know you can't be happy until you return to Him. And He is ready to welcome you just as the prodigal's father welcomed his son with lavish love.

But even if you have never been God's child, you can become one now. And you can do it the same way as the prodigal. Confess your sin. Admit that you have been living estranged from God. Tell Him that you want to be right with Him and have a relationship with Him. But to do this, you must go to Him through Jesus Christ. Only Christ can wash away sins. Only by means of His death on the cross can your sins be pardoned by God. Ask Him to save you for Jesus' sake. God is a God of amazing grace. He delights to welcome sinners who acknowledge their sin and come to Him repenting of their sin and seeking forgiveness through the blood of Jesus Christ. Go to Him and He will not turn you away.

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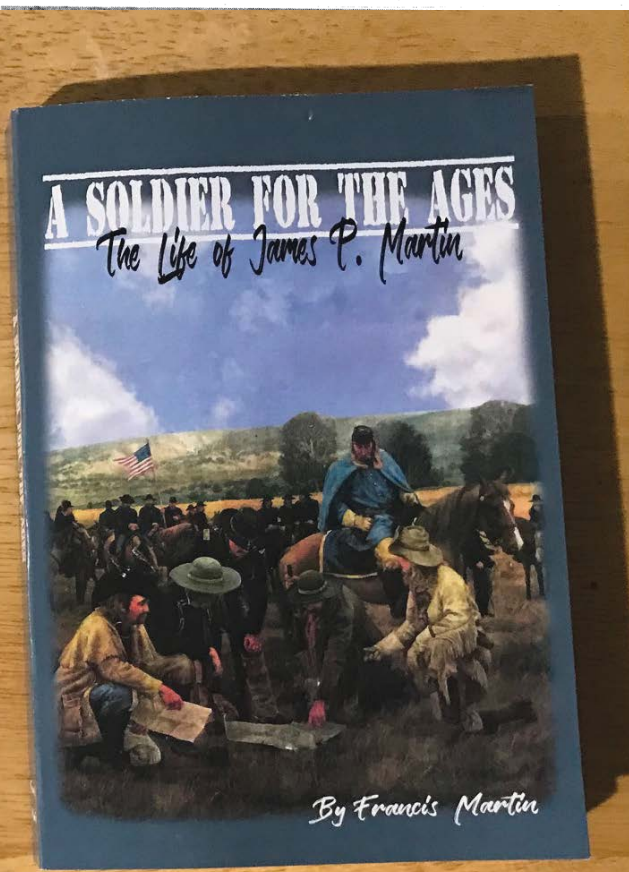
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SOLDIER FOR THE AGES
By Francis Martin

Continued from last week

James got a ride into town with Dan's mom the next morning. She didn't have time to take him out to the junkyard, so he walked. It was way out on the west side of town. He'd never been out there before. The place looked just like what it was, a junkyard. He wondered how anybody could find anything in such a mess, but when he met Mr. Rummel, he knew. And there was a sign in the window that said, "HELP WANTED." It was covered with fly specks, so James figured he had probably put it up there a long time ago and just forgot to take it down.

Rummel was talking with another customer when he went in, and James spent the time looking at the junk. It was in piles, on racks, stacked up, spread around, down long hallways that ended in a rolling door that looked out on the rest of the place.

While he waited, he got his eyes full. How could anybody

how much it was going to cost."

Another customer came in. Rummel pushed his long black hair back. Was he using Brylcreem or was that just axle grease? "Go out and take a look," he said, "I'll talk with you in a few minutes."

James found his way to the back door through the piles of junk. He said to himself as he looked at the big yard, "If these old junkers were lined up there'd be three times the space."

The pickups, if they weren't on their side, were higher than the cars so he could see where they were in relation to the other stuff. The place was fenced and there were two goats in there. Beats a lawn mower any day. He went from one to another. Dodge. GMC. Chevrolet, Ford, Ford, Ford. There was one Ford that had been badly wrecked, and he wandered over there out of curiosity. Somebody surely died in that one. Then he noticed that the engine had been taken out and it was lying in the pickup bed. While he was trying to decide if it was the right engine, Rummel came out and joined him.

"Ah," James stammered, "How come the engine is in the back of the pickup?"

"Interesting story," Rummel said, "He took that engine out of his other truck and was bringing it in to have it rebuilt. Well, he was driving into the sun, and he missed the curve and wrecked his pickup. The engine to this pickup is still in the pickup and he's in the graveyard." And he laughed.

James hesitated. How could this be funny? "Do you know what kind of engine this is in the back here? It looks kinda like the one I took out of mine."

"Well, let's see. I think it's either a '54 or five. You just want the head. Right?"

"You said he was bringing it in to be rebuilt?"

"That's what I heard."

"How bad off is the engine that's still under the hood?"

They went around to the front of the pickup. Rummel picked up an old steel fence post and pried the hood open. And there was the engine. All there. No damage. A lot of dust and a mouse nest just under the carburetor. While James was looking at the engine, Rummel asked him if he was going to school in Dickinson. He told him he was, but he wasn't much listening to him.

"Have you taken shop?"

"Yeah. One year. But I live on a farm, and I've been taking 'shop' since I could walk,"

James told him, "Plan to take it this year, too."

"How'd you like to work here part time and make a little money on the side?" Rummel asked, "My brother is on the school board. I'll see if working here could be counted as your class in shop. How does that sound?"

The first thing James thought was if he worked here part time, he wouldn't be able to play basketball and that's what he said.

"Gonna play basketball, huh? You any good?"

"You know my brother, Shorty Martin?" James asked. Everybody knew Shorty Martin.

"Yeah. Matter a fact, I do. He your brother?"

"Yes, sir. I'm not as good as he is, but I plan to be and I don't see how I can juggle my classes, basketball and a job."

"Between now and when school starts you could earn that engine and a little spending money, too. When school starts, you could just work on Saturday. That's the busiest day of the week and the longest. There's always plenty to do around here."

Paul listened to his son carefully. Most of all, he wanted James to get good grades and if this job was going to interfere with his grades, Paul was going to say 'no'. That James was willing to talk about it was certainly a plus. He wanted that engine and he wanted to get it with his own money.

"What do you think, Carol?" Paul asked looking both pleased and stern.

"I say let him give it a try. He'll know by the time school starts whether he can do it or not. He can quit working for Rummel, but he can't quit school."

"Let's look at the wide picture," Paul said, "What does he intend to do later, after school? Will his extra-curricular activities teach you how to make a living, raise a family?"

At that moment, Kadee flashed across his mind. "Are you asking me what I want to do in the long run?"

He nodded.

"I plan to go to West Point."

Caroline paled. Paul got the most surprised look on his face he had ever seen. So that's what all Gen. George Custer talk was about. He had become James' idol.

"Do they teach engine mechanics at West Point?"

"They must," James said confidently, "Among those who went along with Custer when they came up from Missouri, he had bridge builders, engineers, carpenters, hide tanners, wheelwrights and a whole bunch of other talented folks. That's what Alexander the Great did, too. That's what all great leaders do. They go prepared for anything."

Later in the night when neither of his parents could sleep,

Caroline said as if the conversation was still going on, "They don't prepare to die, do they?"

"Yes. They have specially made closed wagons, hearses, to carry the dead to their place of interment. Of course, that was only for those who had stripes on their shirts. The rest were buried where they fell...or not."

"I suppose it depended on who was chasing them."

"This is just an assumption now, but in France, when men died in fox holes, or anywhere, and men were running for their lives, they were left where they fell and any country folk who were left filled the foxholes up. They were called, 'missing in action.'"

"But they were really dead."

"Yes."

"Why does he want to do this? Did you want to go serve this country knowing you might not ever come back?"

"I listened to Dad. He talked about our obligation to serve this country. His family in the old country weren't much more than slaves. They had nothing and were going to die young. He felt that he owed it to this country to serve it. So, I developed the

same frame of mind, but I didn't join. I got drafted. The difference between how I felt about war and how Dad felt about it was that for him it was an adventure. For me, well, it made me appreciate farming."

"Is there any way we could talk him out of this crazy notion?" Caroline asked with anxiety.

"If we tried, he would resent it. I don't want James to have hard feelings for me. If he gets good at mechanizing, he might get lucky and end up fixing jeeps or something, but I don't think that is what is on his mind."

"Then what is?"

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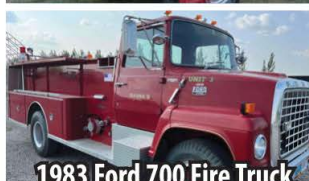
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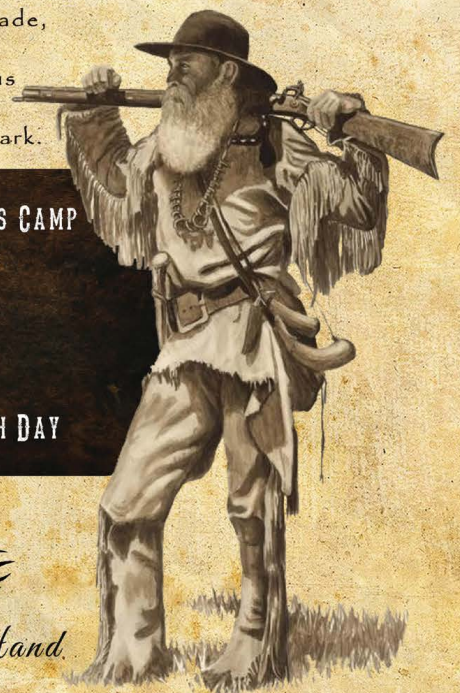
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If you guessed over 50, you'd be close, because the Hettinger/Haynes area alone had more than that. Add the coal veins south of Reeder, in the Lodgepole area and all around and the number approaches 100. Yes, one hundred or more. With few trees to cut for firewood, this area may have had something richer, better and . . . black. "Black Gold," some call it, because for half a century or more, lignite coal brought warmth and prosperity to the area.

Many of the veins were not established as mines, but still provided a heat source for homes, farms and businesses for many years and employment for hundreds of men, young and old. Some in the area still heat with coal and coal continues to be a viable resource, especially in the central part of North Dakota. The last special

program of Hettinger's Dakota Buttes Museum's 2023 season highlights this labor and heat source.

Michael Howe, Environmental Engineer, North Dakota Public Service Commission, Bismarck, ND, begins the program at 12:30 pm MDT, **Monday, September 4th - Labor Day** in building two of the museum (NOTE: different time from on poster). Michael, formerly of Hettinger, heads the Abandoned Mine Land Division of North Dakota. He will provide updated information on area coal mines, testimony of how they are handled now and the progress they are making.

The second featured speaker, Duane Wamre originally from Haynes, is a registered land surveyor out of Dickinson. "Surveyors are historians and readers of old maps," say Duane, who spent his career at Kadrmas, Lee & Jackson (KLJ). With visuals, a handout and personal stories, he will address the history of the Arrowhead Coal Mine, Haynes, ND, and its impact on the area.

Rounding out the history and development of this once-indispensable power source in our area, local gal Isabel Deavy Howe will share personal stories of growing up on one of the mine sites. Her lively remembrances of real life of real families connected to the coal mines rings true yet today. With clarity and energy, she will illustrate family life during those years.

Lunch follows these three presentations, after which people can board the bus for a drive by of two of the mines and a stop at the third, Loren Luckow, bus tour guide. People can also drive behind the bus in their own vehicles.

The tour ends at the Ihle mine with a special presentation by Glenn Nelson, Tony and Dorothy Ihle's son-in-law. He and his wife Jan (Ihle) of Fargo, ND, have an extensive collection of mining equipment and memorabilia from those years that will be available for the public to see and to learn more about.

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Currently position will be 30 hours per week, and will include some benefits for the remainder of 2023. This position has the potential to transition to full time in 2024. Qualified applicants can deliver or mail their resume along with references to the Hettinger County Courthouse, at 336 Pacific Avenue in Mott, ND 58646.

If you have any questions, please call (701)824-2515 or email Sondra Bullinger at sbullinger@nd.gov. Application deadline is end of business day on August 31st, 2023.

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The Birthday Party

The daughter planned a Friday night birthday party. A simple event that included people of different ages and backgrounds. Tables and assorted chairs were set up on the side lawn with much food and chatter. I knew most of the people attending, but hadn't seen some of the farm people in 5-6 years. It was a reconnection and it was uplifting. It was what I classified as "community."

Our small town has gotten smaller (like all the others). Most local offspring have moved away. Other people have moved in, for the cheaper housing and probably have jobs out of town. They aren't interested, or don't understand, "community."

It is easy to get complacent. After all, it was Friday night and could have been spent in our homes watching TV. We have become insulated due to cell phones and social media. But social media is not connection in the best sense of the word. It is relaying of information. Connection is face-to-face conversation, personal and up close. It is a sharing of words and experiences, emotions, facial expressions, and sometimes a handshake or slap on the shoulder. There are many who have shared our lives, but we don't keep connected. Even within a small town, I can miss seeing local town people for several years.

"Community" does not have to be huge or fancy. The small birthday party was nourishing. I left feeling a closer connection, more complete. I was part of a bigger world when I went home.

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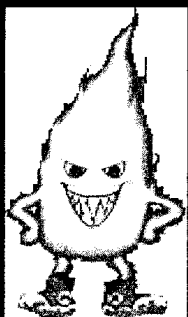
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2023/2024 Sports Schedule



Hettinger County Huskies Varsity Football

Aug. 19.....(A) Napoleon at Mandan Starion Sports Complex - 11:30 am
Aug. 25.....(A) Grant County/Flasher in Elgin - 6:00 pm
Sept. 1.....(H) Richardton/Taylor/Hebron in Mott - 6:00 pm
Sept. 8.....(H) South Border in New England - 6:00 pm
Sept. 15.....(A) Linton - 6:00 pm
Sept. 22.....(H) New Salem in Mott - 6:00 pm
Sept. 29.....(A) Kidder County in Steele - 6:00 pm
Oct. 6.....(H) Hettinger/Scranton in New England - 6:00 pm
Oct. 13.....(A) Beach - 6:00 pm
Oct. 21.....**First Round Football Playoffs - TBA**
Oct. 28.....**Quarter Final Playoffs - TBA**
Nov. 4.....**Semi-Final Playoffs - TBA**
Nov. 10.....**State 9 Man FB Championship at Fargo - TBA**

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Mott-Regent Volleyball

Aug. 26.....(A) Varsity Tournament at Killdeer - TBA
Aug. 29.....(A) Flasher - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Aug. 31.....(A) Dickinson Trinity -A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Sept. 5.....(A) Grant County - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Sept. 7.....(A) McIntosh - A-B - 5:00 pm
Sept. 11.....(H) Bison -JH-A-B - 5:00 pm
Sept. 12.....(A) Lemmon - A-B - 5:30 pm
Sept. 16.....(A) Richardton-Taylor JV Tournament - TBA
Sept. 21.....(H) Beulah - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Sept. 22, 23.....(A) New England Tournament - A - TBA
Sept. 26.....(A) Richardton-Taylor - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Sept. 28.....(H) Beach A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Oct. 3.....(H) Hazen - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Oct. 5.....(A) Bowman - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Oct. 7.....(A) Beach Tournament - A - TBA
Oct. 10.....(A) Heart River - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Oct. 12.....(H) Glen Ullin/Hebron - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Oct. 17.....(H) Hettinger - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Oct. 24.....(H) Killdeer - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Oct. 26.....(A) New England - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Nov. 3.....**Regional Play In Game - TBA**
Nov. 6, 7, 9.....**Regional Tournament at Killdeer- TBA**
Nov. 16, 17, 18.....**State Tournament at Fargo - TBA**

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Grant County/Mott-Regent Boys Basketball

Dec. 12.....(A) New Salem/Almont - A-B - 5:00 pm
Dec. 16.....(H-M/R) - Lemmon - A-B - 5:00 pm/6:30 pm
Dec. 18**.....(A) Richardton/Taylor - A-B - 5:30 pm
Dec. 22.....(A) Wilton/Wing - A-B - 5:00 pm
Dec. 28.....(H-GC) Washburn - A-B - 4:00 pm/5:30 pm
Jan. 2.....(H-M/R) Garrison - A-B - 4:00 pm
Jan. 5**.....(H-M/R) Belfield - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 8.....(A) Harding County - 5:30 pm
Jan. 12**.....(A) South Heart - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 13.....(H-GC) Center/Stanton - A-B - 3:00 pm
Jan. 16**.....(H-M/R) Beach - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 19**.....(A) Glen Ullin/Hebron - A-B - 5:00 pm
Jan. 20.....(A) Bison - A-B - 2:00 pm
Jan. 26**.....(H-GC) Solen - A - 5:30 pm
Jan. 22 & 27.....(A) JV Tournament at Glen Ullin/Hebron - TBA
Jan. 30**.....(H-M/R) Hettinger/Scranton - A-B - 5:30 pm
Feb. 1.....(A) Central McLean - A-B - 5:00 pm
Feb. 5**.....(H-GC) - Flasher - A-B - 5:30 pm
Feb. 9**.....(A) New England - A-B - 5:30 pm
Feb. 15**.....(A) Bowman County - A-B - 5:30 pm
Feb. 17.....**Dist. 5 Play-In Game (if necessary) at Grant Co. - 6:00 pm**
Feb. 23, 26, 27.....**District 5 Tournament at Bowman - TBA**
Mar. 4, 5, 7.....**Regional Tournament - TBA**
Mar. 9.....**State Tournament Qualifying Game - TBA**
Mar. 14, 15, 16.....**State Tournament at Minot - TBA**

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Grant County Mott/Regent Girls Basketball

Nov. 28.....(A) New Salem/Almont - A-B - 5:00 pm
Dec. 1**.....(A) Hettinger/Scranton - A-B - 5:30 pm
Dec. 4-9.....(A) New Salem Invitational Tournament - A - TBA
Dec. 14**.....(A) Beach -A-B - 5:30 pm
Dec. 16.....(H -M/R) Lemmon - A-B - 2:00 pm/3:30 pm
Dec. 19.....(A) Central McLean - A-B - 5:00 pm
Dec. 21.....(H-M/R) A-B - 5:30 pm
Dec. 28.....(H-GC) Washburn - A-B - 1:00 pm/2:30 pm
Jan. 4.....(H-GC) Wilton/Wing - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 6.....(A) Garrison - A-B - 2:00 pm
Jan. 9**.....(A) Belfield - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 11**.....(H-M/R) Bowman County - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 18**.....(H-GC) South Heart - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 23**.....(A) Solen - A - 5:00 pm
Jan. 25**.....(H-M/R) Richardton/Taylor - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 29**.....(A) Flasher - A-B - 5:00 pm
Feb. 1-3.....(H) Grant County JV Tournament at Grant County - TBA
Feb. 6**.....(H-GC) Glen Ullin/Hebron - A-B - 5:30 pm
Feb. 8 **Dist. 5 Play In Game (if necessary) at Mott/Regent - 6:00 pm**
Feb. 10, 12, 13.....**District 5 Tournament at Glen Ullin - TBA**
Feb. 19, 20, 22.....**Regional Tournament - TBA**
Feb. 24.....**State Qualifying Tournament - TBA**
Feb. 29, Mar. 1, 2.....**State Tournament at Jamestown - TBA**

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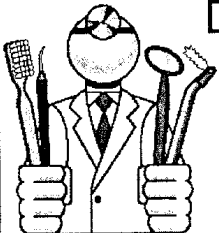
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New England High School 2023/2024 Sports Schedule



Hettinger County Huskies Football

Aug. 19.....(A) Napoleon at Mandan Starion Sports Complex - 11:30 am
Aug. 25.....(A) Grant County/Flasher - 6:00 pm
Sept. 1.....(H) Richardton/Taylor/Hebron in Mott - 7:00 pm
Sept. 8.....(H) South Border in New England - 6:00 pm
Sept. 15.....(A) Linton - 6:00 pm
Sept. 22.....(H) New Salem in Mott - 6:00 pm
Sept. 29.....(A) Kidder County - 6:00 pm
Oct. 6.....(H) Hettinger/Scranton in New England - 7:00 pm
Oct. 13.....(A) Beach - 6:00 pm
Oct. 21.....First Round Football Playoffs - TBA
Oct. 28.....Quarter Final Playoffs - TBA
Nov. 4.....Semi-Final Playoffs - TBA
Nov. 10.....State 9 Man FB Championship at Fargo - TBA

New England Boys Basketball

Dec. 12, 14, 16 Roughrider Tourn. at Bowman A - TBA
Dec. 19.....(H) Killdeer - A-B - 5:30 pm
Dec. 28.....(A) Bowman County - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 5.....(H) Flasher - A-B - 5:00 pm
Jan. 9.....(A) Watford City - A-B - 5:00 pm
Jan. 12.....(A) Richardton/Taylor - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 13.....(H) Hazen - A-B - 1:30 pm
Jan. 16.....(H) Belfield - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Jan. 19.....(A) South Heart - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 20.....(A) New Salem - A-B - 2:30 pm
Jan. 23.....(A) Harding County - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 26.....(H) Beach - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 30.....(A) Glen Ullin/Hebron - A-B - 5:00 pm
Feb. 2.....(H) Solen - A - 5:00 pm
Feb. 5.....(A) Hettinger/Scranton - A-B - 5:30 pm
Feb. 9.....(H) Grant Co./Mott/Regent - A-B - 5:30 pm
Feb. 15.....(H) Center/Stanton - A - B - 4:00 pm
Feb. 17.....1st Round District 5 Play In - TBA
Feb. 23, 26, 27 District 5 Tourn at Bowman - TBA
Mar. 4, 5, 7 Region 3 Tourn at Bis St. M - TBA
Mar. 9 State Qualifier - TBA
Mar. 14, 15, 16 State B Tournament at Minot

New England Volleyball

Aug. 26.....(A) Coal Country Tournament - A - TBA
Aug. 29.....(A) Harding County - A-B - 5:30 pm
Aug. 31.....(H) Heart River - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Sept. 7.....(A) Killdeer - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Sept. 9.....(A) Center-Stanton Tournament - A - TBA
Sept. 14.....(H) Richardton/Taylor - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Sept. 16.....(A) Richardton/Taylor Tournament - B - TBA
Sept. 19.....(H) Grant County - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Sept. 23.....(H) New England Invitational - A - 8:00 am
Sept. 26.....(H) Bowman County - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Sept. 28.....(A) Hettinger/Scranton - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Oct. 3.....(H) Trinity - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Oct. 5.....(A) Beach - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Oct. 7.....(A) Hazen JV Tournament B - TBA
Oct. 10.....(A) Beulah - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Oct. 12.....(A) Lemmon - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Oct. 16.....(H) Flasher - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Oct. 17.....(A) Glen Ullin-Hebron - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Oct. 24.....(H) Hazen - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Oct. 26.....(H) Mott/Regent - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Oct. 30.....(A) Center/Stanton - A-B-C - 4:00 pm
Nov. 3.....Region 7 Play In Game - TBA
Nov. 6, 7, 9 .. Region 7 Tournament - Killdeer - TBA
Nov. 16, 17, 18 ... State B Tournament - Minot - TBA

New England Girls Basketball

Nov. 30.....(H) Glen Ullin/Hebron - A-B - 5:30 pm
Dec. 7.....(A) Killdeer - A-B - 5:30 pm
Dec. 9.....(A) Garrison - A-B - 3:00 pm
Dec. 11.....(A) Center/Stanton - A-B - TBA
Dec. 15.....(A) Belfield - A-B-C - 4:30 pm
Dec. 19.....(H) Lemmon - A-B - 5:30 pm
Dec. 21.....(A) Grant Co./Mott/Regent - A-B - 5:30 pm
Dec. 29.....(A) Capital City Shootout - A - 11:30 am
Jan. 4.....(A) Solen - A - 5:00 pm
Jan. 6.....(H) Watford City - A-B - 1:00 pm
Jan. 9.....(A) Flasher - A-B - 5:00 pm
Jan. 11.....(H) Mandaree - A-B - 5:00 pm
Jan. 15.....(H) Richardton/Taylor - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 20.....(A) New Salem - A-B - 1:00 pm
Jan. 23.....(A) Beach - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 25.....(H) Harding County - A-B - 5:30 pm
Jan. 29.....(H) Bowman County - A-B - 5:30 pm
Feb. 1.....(H) Hettinger/Scranton - A-B - 5:30 pm
Feb. 6.....(H) South Heart - A-B - 5:30 pm
Feb. 8.....(H) 1st Round Region Tournament - TBA
Feb. 10, 12, 13.. Dist. 5 Tournament at Glen Ullin - TBA
Feb. 19, 20, 22. Region 3 Tournament at Killdeer - TBA
Feb. 24.....State Qualifier - TBA
Feb. 29, Mar. 1, 2..... State B Tourn - Jamestown - TBA

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Assistant Track
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HELP WANTED

Plevna School District is accepting applications for a **Paraprofessional** position for the 2023-2024 school year. This position pays \$19.46/hour per the classified salary schedule with benefits to include full family health insurance with a health savings account (working a minimum of 35 hours/week, prorated for 9-month employees) and life insurance. Sick and vacation leave per state law.

For additional job-specific information, please contact Superintendent Timberly Kelly at (406)772-5666. Applications may be sent to Plevna School District attention Superintendent, Timberly Kelly or emailed to tkelly@plevna.k12.mt.us. Applications can be found on the District website: plevnacougars.com.

HELP WANTED

Plevna School District is accepting applications for a Part-Time Bus Driver position for the 2023-2024 School Year. This position pays \$23.09/hour per the classified salary schedule with benefits to include full family health insurance with a health savings account (working a minimum of 35 hours/week, prorated for 9-month employees) and life insurance. Sick and vacation leave per state law. Please contact District Superintendent, Timberly Kelly at (406) 772-5666 or tkelly@plevna.k12.mt.us for more information. Applications can be found on the District website: plevnacougars.com

ELEMENTARY TEACHER

Plevna, MT School District

Plevna School District is searching for an Elementary Teacher for the 2023-24 School year. The successful candidates will have (or have the ability to obtain) a properly endorsed State of Montana teaching license. The district is searching for educators with a track record of meeting the needs of the students in the school and experience working with students of all ages. Plevna Schools is looking to fill these positions as soon as possible with a start date in August 2023.

Base Salary: \$33,962

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School housing may be available. Rent is \$300/month, and employees pay for water, sewer, garbage, and electricity.

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About Our School:
We at Plevna Schools take pride in meeting the needs of the students of our school. Enrollment in the Plevna School is increasing, and we are continually working to create new opportunities for our students.
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To Apply: Please send a preliminary packet including:
Resume, a cover letter explaining how you can make a positive impact on the students of our school, and three current letters of reference.
Successful preliminary candidates will be asked to complete a district application.
All application materials should be emailed to Superintendent, Timberly Kelly at tkelly@plevna.k12.mt.us.

Life stories

By Kathy Craig Harteis

We all have a story. It's a book that takes a lifetime to write. Chapter by chapter it changes and evolves.
Recently I've been re-reading a few chapters of my life. Some I would like to read again and again while others I'd rather rip from the book.
Our choices remain as we continue to write.
I tend to hang on to the people I've met along the way. The ones that captured my heart in any way I want to keep in touch with. I want to make the effort.
I've been told by at least one friend that I make an effort while they just don't.
I've been blessed with a life I love living. Counted among the blessings are relationships.
I don't want to walk away and forget anyone who has impacted my life.
If I'm nearby and have the opportunity to visit someone who might need a visit, I'm going to make an effort.
A friend once told me that he didn't want to end up with any would haves, should haves, or could haves at the end of the day.
That's a good mantra by which to live.
Sadly we lose people we thought would always be there.
In recent years I've lost far too many loved ones. I don't want to take anyone for granted.
We need to appreciate one another. It's not always easy to do, but if we want our book to be a good read, we best try.
At the end of the day we can say; Life is good today.

~ School News ~

Elgin/New Leipzig Public School

Sunday, August 20
No Open Swimming
Monday, August 21
Adult Water Aerobics 6:30 - 7:30
First Day ITV
JH FB only @ Elgin vs Beach 2 4:00 MT
Tuesday, August 22
First Day of School
Open Swimming 6-8
GBB Elementary Gr 4, 5, 6 begins
Wednesday, August 23
Adult Water Aerobics 6:30 - 7:30
Thursday, August 24
Open Swimming 6-8
Friday, August 25
HS FB vs Hettinger County @ Elgin @ 6:00 MT
Saturday, August 26
VB "A" @ Killdeer Tourney TBA

New England Public School

Mott/Regent Public School

Monday, August 21
Elem GBB 1st Day of Practice
JH/JV FB vs New Salem/Almont @ New England, 4:00
Tuesday, August 22
Wednesday, August 23
Thursday, August 24
Friday, August 25
V FB @ Elgin vs Grant County/Flasher, 6:00
Saturday, August 26
HS VB Tourney @ Killdeer

Area School Calendar

August 21st - August 26th

Bowman County

21 5pm FB JH vs NightHawks @ Home

22 Late Registration Gr. 7-12

23 First Day of School

24 6pm Bowman Co. Booster Club Fall Kick Off

25 9am XC @ Box Elder 9am G Golf V/JV/JH @ Flasher 6pm FB vs Stanley

26 8am VB V Tourn. @ Killdeer

Scranton

21 5pm FB JH @ Bowman

22 First Day of School

23

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25 6pm FB vs NS/Almont @ Hettinger

26 8am VB V Tourn. @ Killdeer

Harding County

21 6pm FB vs Timber Lake JV @ Bison

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23 First Day of School

24 5:30pm VB (AB) @ Timber Lake

25 6pm FB vs Kadoka @ Home

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Baker, MT

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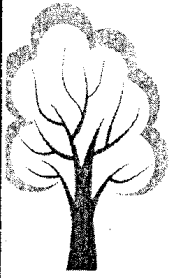
25 6pm FB @ Malta

26 TBA VB @ Columbus Tourn.

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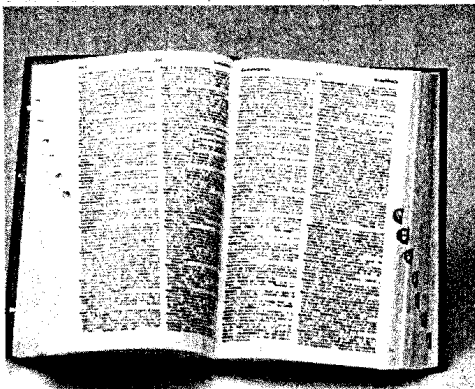


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Wordsmith

If you would condescend to me for just a paragraph, then you would have to be of higher caste than I. Sounds like something poetic.

If I bring home cat food that Callopie finds yucky, we become estranged. She looks at me like I'm a stranger without knowledge about what she wants to eat. She doesn't cotton to strange tastes.

Estrange comes from old French stranger meaning to remove, as from usual surroundings or associates, from one society to another. It could also mean the turning away in relationships, as from a friendly person to an alien. "I thought I knew that guy, but boy did I ever get my eyes opened."

The term here has to do with that which is unfamiliar, odd, queer, alien, making the person reserved, suspicious or extraordinary. Maybe estrangement is first cousin to eccentric. You are off kilter as far as others see you. Could estrangement be related to the counter culture?

**Cloud Seeding
Operations
Summary for
August 7-13**

BISMARCK, N.D. — Southwestern North Dakota experienced milder temperatures and drier conditions last week. Daytime highs only reached the upper 70s early in the week and warmed into the low to mid 80s

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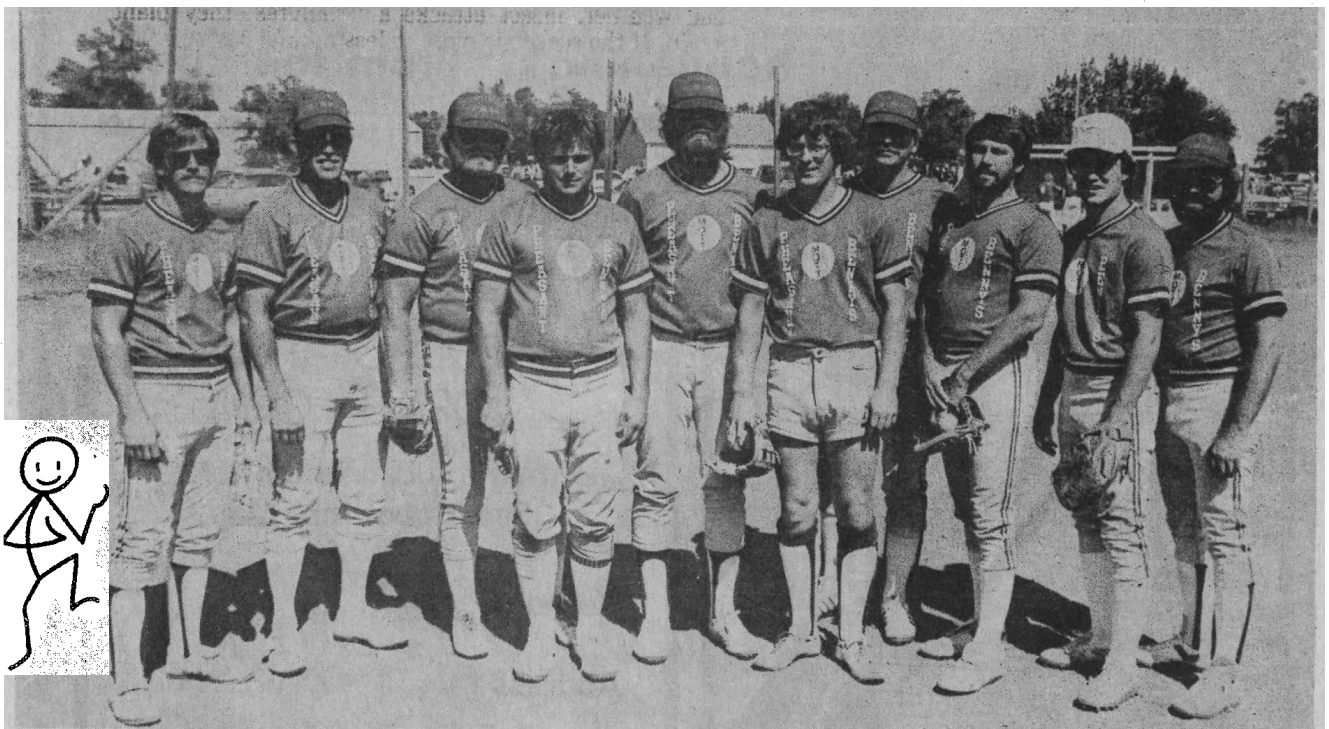
beginning Wednesday.

In the District 1 operations area, which includes Bowman and part of Slope Counties, no operational flights were flown for cloud seeding last week. Rain enhancement operations were suspended last week for the entire district due to the start of harvest.

Hot and dry conditions should dominate southwestern North Dakota's weather for this

week. An upper-level ridge is forecast to build into the region pushing the thermometer close to 100 degrees by the end of the work week.

Radar facilities in Bowman operate around the clock during the NDCMP. Radar images can be viewed on the Atmospheric Resource Board's web site at <http://www.dwr.nd.gov/arb>. The NDCMP will continue through the end of August.



The Pheasant-Benny's slowpitch team was short-handed at the Regent tournament held Sunday. Pictured are Mick Wangsvick, Jim Lince, Duane Olson, Troy

Mosbrucker, Doug Olson, Ron Benson, Terry Greff, Barry Chatham, Evan Hardmeyer and Jack Griffin.

**Kidz
Clubhouse**

Help Wanted

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thru 9:30c

**AREA COMMUNITY
EVENTS CALENDAR**

First Monday of Every Month • Bowman, ND

Bowman Lions monthly meeting and dinner at 6:30 p.m. at Bowman Lodge and Convention Center

Second Monday of Every Month • Scranton, ND

Scranton Lions monthly meeting at 6:30 p.m. at the Community Center.

Second Monday of Every Month • Scranton, ND

City Board Meeting at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall

Second Tuesday of Every Month • Bowman, ND

Southwest Cancer Survivors support group for anyone touched by cancer. 6:30pm • Bowman United Methodist Church. Questions call: 701-279-6603, 701-523-4657, 701-440-8344, or 701-440-8788.

First Thursday of Every Month • Bowman, ND

NOTICE TO ALL VETERANS: Post 48 Local American Legion invites and encourages you to join our meetings. Back of the Crystal Bar at 7pm. For more info call Paul White, Adjutant, 701-574-3198.

First Tuesday of Every Month • Amidon, ND

City Council Meeting at 8:30 a.m.

Every Wednesday • Scranton, ND

Scranton TOPS meet at 9:00 a.m. in the Community Center.

Third Wednesday of Every Month • Bowman, ND

The Bowman/Slope Community Cupboard is open from 3pm-5pm. No referrals necessary.

Last Monday of Every Month • Check "Be the Light" on Facebook for the monthly location

Be the Light Suicide Support Group • 6:30pm. Everyone Welcome.

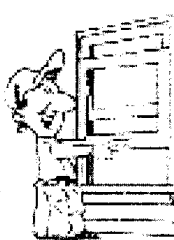
If you have a nonprofit, community event you would like published, free of charge, on the Area Monthly Community Events Calendar,

Send them to: Eido Connect, PO Box 97, Bowman, ND 58623 by 4:00 p.m. Wednesday.

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Barbara Joan (Severson) Cousins Rites To Be Held

Barbara Joan (Severson) Cousins, passed away at the Jacobson Memorial Care Center, Elgin where she was lovingly cared for until her passing on August 13, 2023. Barbara's Celebration of Life Service will be at 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, September 5, 2023 at Hillside Baptist Church, Dickinson with Pastor Rob Grunden officiating. Inurnment will take place at Hettinger Cemetery, Hettinger.

Arrangements are with Ladbury Funeral Service, Dickinson, www.ladburyfuneralservice.com.

Elmond "Richie" Grosz Rites

Richie Grosz was born December 12, 1940 at Mott, ND.

Richie passed away March 14, 2023 at Coon Rapids, MN.

Fr. Al Backmann officiated at a Memorial Service July 21, 2023. He is survived by his wife Sharon Grosz, children, Gwen (Thomas), Gaylene (Lowell), Nancy (Mark), Andrea (Grant), Korbi McDonald; 13 grandchildren, 2 great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

Glenda Dietz Rites

It is with shock and extreme sadness that the family of Glenda Dietz announces her passing on Friday, August 4th, 2023 at



the age of 66 years as the result of a heart attack and complications during surgery at Sanford Health in Bismarck. A wonderful wife, mother, grandmother, and friend taken too soon.

Glenda was born on November 21st, 1956 in Elgin, ND to Ben & Lydia (Maier) Luithle. She grew up on a farm north of Burt, where many of her fondest childhood memories were made. Around the age of 5, the

family moved to a farm west of Elgin. She lost her dad when she was 11, then things got tough with her mom and brother having to work extra hours to keep things afloat. She leaned on her family and special friends to get her through those tough years. She attended school in Elgin and graduated in 1975. She always said she was a "tomboy" and an animal lover "the furry kind of animals".

In the fall of 1975, she started dating a young man that had his eye on her for quite some time, Chester. She said she always dreamed of marrying a farm boy and she did. They married on February 27th, 1976 and started their life together on the farm. They raised various crops and cattle. Mom was always out alongside dad helping when she could. She was a very hardworking farmer/rancher. She drove tractors, trucks, stacked bales, washed equipment (spotless), calved out the cows, cleaned bins-just about anything you can think of.

In 1985, they welcomed their first daughter, Alecia, on their Anniversary. In 1988, they welcomed their second daughter, Melissa, during their Anniversary month. Mom was a very dedicated mother and was there for us for everything we needed throughout our lives whether it was homework, events, advice or just an ear to listen to our thoughts. She made sure she was home to cook us supper every night growing up and enjoyed having us all around the table.

Her life took a turn on June 1st, 2010, when she survived a horrible four-wheeler accident. She had a guardian angel with her that day to come out of it walking & talking. It took some time to heal but it didn't slow her down too much. Even though she was in a lot of pain, she didn't let it show. She always had to be doing something. Even after the accident, she made sure the yard was neat and tidy. You could find her mowing, pressure washing equipment, cleaning the shop & tractors, pulling weeds, making the neatest looking ear tags for the calves, cooking/baking, gardening, and helping with whatever she could. She was out and about working the day of her heart attack-just like any other day.

She enjoyed many animals throughout her life. She had many stories about her kittens from her childhood and her cow, Queen; horse, Nelly; and dog, Tiny. Her love of animals continued into adulthood with many cats, dogs, cows, and horse-Dolly.

She loved spending time with family and friends. And enjoyed chatting with special friends and cousins on the phone to catch up. She loved having the family get together for BBQs. She also loved going to thrift stores, auction sales and collecting antiques.

In the last few years, her greatest joy came from finally being called "grandma". She loved hanging out with her

granddaughter, Prairie. You could find those two doing just about anything together-cooking, baking, coloring, reading, shopping, cleaning, playing, cruising around and best of all-laughing and hugging each other.

Growing up, she attended church alongside her family at Newburg Congregational Church north of Burt. After marriage, she attended church at Zoar United Methodist Church south of New Leipzig. She had a lot of faith in the Lord and always said "the Good Lord takes us when it is our time; there's nothing you can do to change His timing". I guess it was your time to finally be pain free, mom. But we are heartbroken, and we sure miss you here!

She will be missed and

lovingly remembered by her husband of 47 years, Chester; daughter, Melissa Dietz and special friend, Bo; daughter and son-in-law, Alecia and Matthew Tishmack; granddaughter, Prairie Tishmack; mother-in-law, Ruby Dietz, all of New Leipzig, ND; aunt, Alvina Kautz; aunt, Diane Maier; many special friends; numerous cousins; and her dogs, Henry & Patches.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Benjamin and Lydia Luithle; her brother, Glen "Sonny" Luithle; her father-in-law, Reinhold Dietz; her grandparents; and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

Honoring mom's wishes, we won't have a funeral. A private family memorial service will be held at a later date.

Trinity Lutheran Church Mott, ND

Sunday

Adult Bible Study - 9:30 AM

Sunday School - 9:45 AM

Worship Service - 10:45 AM

Herbert Geigle Rites To Be Held

Herbert Geigle, age 92 of McIntosh, passed away on Sun-



day, August 13, 2023 at Five Counties Nursing Home in Lemmon.

The Memorial Service will be held at 1:00pm Saturday, August 19, 2023 at the First Baptist Church in McIntosh with Pastor Audie Brockel, officiating. Inurnment will be in the McIntosh Cemetery.

The Memorial Service will be live streamed on the website www.evansonjensenfuneralhome.com and can be viewed by going to Herb's obituary and clicking on "View Memorial Service Here".

Herbert Raymond Geigle was born on April 30, 1931 in Sioux County, ND to Henry and Lydia (Kunz) Geigle. He grew up in the Maple Leaf area of Sioux County where he attended school. He graduated from McLaughlin High School in 1949. He enjoyed playing football and made the varsity team

while at McLaughlin.

Herb was united in marriage to Violet Arnold on June 23, 1953. They purchased a farm south east of McIntosh shortly after and farmed and ranched till his retirement in 1998. He moved into McIntosh where he resided until 2019 when he moved to the Five Counties Nursing Home in Lemmon SD.

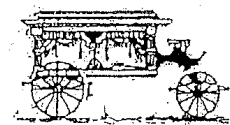
He was a member of the McIntosh Baptist Church in McIntosh. Herb was active over the years holding various positions including trustee, deacon, and Sunday school superintendent as well as assisting in the construction of the current facility. Herb very much enjoyed watching high school sports including football, basketball and wrestling.

Surviving family members include his wife, Violet; sons, Eugene (Diane) Geigle; Lyle (Rita) Geigle, Randy (Kathy) Geigle, Gary Geigle; daughters, Deb (Joe) Douglas, Sandy Littlefield; June (David) Werner; grandchildren, Ethan and Raelyn Geigle, Michael and Julie Fudge, Doug (Erica) Douglas, Adam (Natasha) Geigle, Ashley Geigle, Dustin (Kyra) Werner, Jenna (Adrian) Miller, and numerous great grandchildren; brothers, Richard (Darlys) Geigle; sisters, Delores (Marvin) Knuth; Mae Harris, Darlene "Dollie" Hinson; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, daughter Janice Geigle; brothers, Gilbert, Irey, and Ervin Geigle; sisters, Elizabeth Huber, Elsie Huber, Violet Aman, Alvina Tscherney, Irene

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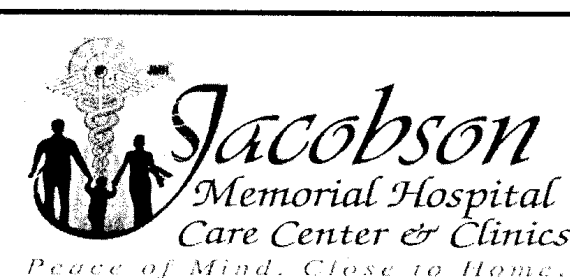
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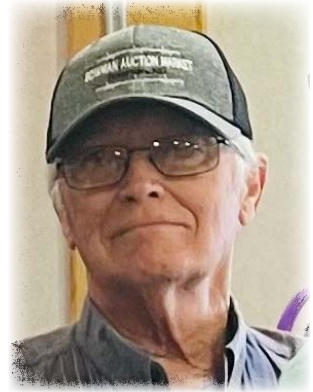
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THIS TOGETHER

Denis E. Luebke Rites to be Held

Denis E. Luebke, 74, of Rhame, ND, passed away on August 6, 2023 at the Sanford



Medical Center in Bismarck, ND.

Funeral Services for Denis will be held on Sunday, August 20, 2023 at 4:00 pm at the Bowman Lutheran Church. Pastor Renee Johnson will officiate, with burial to follow in the Bethany Lutheran Church Cemetery. There will be a Family and

Friends Service on Saturday, August 19, 2023, which will begin at 7:00 pm at the Funeral Home Chapel.

Denis E. Luebke was born February 15, 1949 at Breckenridge, MN, to Edward and Marcella (Henkenius) Luebke. He joined two older sisters, Jean and Joyce. His brother Don would join the family later. Denis grew up and attended grade school in the small town of Mantador, ND. He graduated from high school in Hankinson. Denis attended North Dakota State College of Science at Wahpeton, ND and then for 4 years at Valley City State College. He earned a teaching degree in History. He worked for the Canadian Pacific Railroad during the summer when he was going to college. He decided that working on the railroad was a better job for him. In the fall of 1993 when he was archery hunting for antelope at the McGee Ranch; he happened to meet Rhonda McGee. They were married June 10,

1995. Shortly after they were married, Denis had a fall on the railroad and had to go on disability. He then learned about ranching. His nieces, Julie and Patty were very special to him. He told many stories about how he would tease them. He loved it when he was able to spend Christmas together with them. He also enjoyed spending time with nephews and nieces on Rhonda's side whom he taught to hunt. He started hunting with Nathan, Travis, Mattie and Shelbi at an early age to see if they could keep up with him. Denis's hobbies were numerous: hunting, fishing, snoring, trapping, gardening, woodworking, building things, spending time outside looking for arrowheads and fossils and visiting with people. He will be greatly missed his wife Rhonda, his pet Canadian Honker, Luci and his dog Star. His sister Joyce, brother Don and two nieces; Julie (Scott) and Patty, two great-nieces; Emily and Katie, two great-nephews; Mitchell and Kyle and Rhonda's family, brothers-in-law; John and Pat, nephews; Nathan (Lindsay) and Travis, nieces; Mattie (Brian) and Shelbi (Drew), two great-nephews; Easton and Louie and special friends; Ron, Roger and Chad along with other cousins and friends. Denis was preceded in death by his parents, sister Jean, father-in-law and numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

Avis Rutherford Rites Held

Avis Rutherford, 97, Dickinson, ND died on Sunday July 9, 2023 at her home. Funeral



services for Avis were held Saturday, July 15, 2023 at Ladbury Funeral Service, Dickinson with Pastor Beth Parks as officiant. Interment took place at Regent Cemetery, Regent, ND.

Avis Trunkhill was born on May 14, 1926 in Regent, the daughter of George and Florence (Reed) Trunkhill. She joined sister, Betty and brother

Raymond "Bud". She attended Regent Public School. Avis helped her father with his dray line. They delivered from the depot to various businesses and trucked for anyone that needed the service.

Carroll "Kelly" Rutherford and Avis were married September 23, 1944 in Dickinson. They had three children, Jay, Roy and Carol. Avis enjoyed helping with farming and did substitute bus driving for Regent Public School. Kelly passed away in May 1977, and she then made her home in Regent in 1984. During that time, she enjoyed traveling, and in 2008 she moved to Edgewood Hawks Point in Dickinson, ND.

She was a member of the Sodbusters Saddle Club, Regent Homemakers, Women's Fellowship, Regent Senior Citizens, Southwest Transportation, and Lifeline. She also volunteered with Elder Care, Dickinson Museum and the Enchanted Highway Gift Shop. In her free time, she enjoyed knitting, crocheting, bowling, serving as Hawks Point Resident Council President, keeping in touch with friends on the computer, and occasional outings to Prairie Knights.

Avis is survived by her daughter, Carol (Joe) Herberholz, New England, ND; grandchildren, Jace Rutherford, Post Falls, ID, Shelly Cox, Colorado Springs, CO, Haley Herberholz, Winchester, VA, and Kelly Herberholz, New England, ND; ten great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kelly; her parents; sons, Jay and Roy; sister, Betty Loe (Dale) Stewart; brother, Raymond "Bud" (Ellie) Trunkhill; mother and father-in-law, William and Olive "Pet" Rutherford; in-laws, Jeanette (Bob) Wiseman, Bonnie (Jim) Kearns, and Hazel (Robert) Larson.

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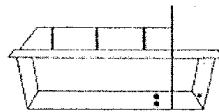
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RECIPE OF THE DAY

CRESCENT DELIGHT

1 medium chopped onion, sauted in butter

2 lbs. hamburger, browned and drained

16 oz. tomato sauce or spaghetti sauce

1 1/2 cups cheddar cheese

2 tubes (8 oz. ea.) crescent rolls

Italian seasoning

1 1/2 cups mozzarella cheese

8 oz. sour cream

Salt and pepper to taste

Add browned, drained meat to sauted onions. Stir in tomato or spaghetti sauce. Place meat mixture in a 9 x 13 pan. Cover with cheeses. Roll out crescents on counter and separate. Spread each crescents with sour cream and sprinkle with Italian seasoning Roll them to a crescent shape and place on top of the hamburger and cheese. Bake at 350° for 35-45 minutes. Watch for browned crescent.

Thoughts for the Week

by June Schmidt

We spend so much time trying to take care of our kids in this world, that maybe we forget what it was like to be a kid in the first place. I was thinking about some of the memories of the toys that I had when I was a child and wondering if the kids of today are missing out on some of the fun things that we had back then.

Yeah I know that not everything was the best and some of the toys that we had were kinda sketchy at best. Nobody needs a reoccurrence of lawn darts! And the Easy-bake Oven that I had was a real little metal plug in oven that got hot enough to bake and hot enough to burn skin! And I am sure if you think about the toys that you had as a child you can remember a few that you would never, and I mean never, give to a child of today. But that doesn't mean that every toy we grew up with was bad and they sure as heck lasted longer than the toys of today do. Take Lincoln Logs for example. They were fun to play with and build with and I bet there are people that have them yet today and they don't look any worse for wear than they did back then. Nowadays, most kids get Legos, Duplo when they are little and then graduate to the little square blocks that are fun to build with and deadly to step on in the dark. Now I am not saying that they are not fun to play with, because they are, but mostly they are kits and there are directions on how to build them. What happened to imagination? Most of the building toys that we got when we were kids didn't come with any directions - we had to think of what to make with them and then we would think of a game to play with them.

And then there was Barbie. I read an article about the doll and some of the choices that were made by the company to make her current and relevant to every generation. Then I started to wonder who in heck was in charge of some of these creations. Take for example the Roller Skating Barbie. When you ran her over the ground with her cute little sparking roller skates, if you had the right situation having contact with some flammable item such as hair spray, you could create a fire! I just wonder how that got past the people that are in charge of 'safe toys' in Mattel toy division. And then they brought Barbie into the technology era giving her a camera that could take pictures of the child that was playing with the toy and her surroundings as well. Hmmm

- and they couldn't think of situations where this may be a bad thing before releasing that version? Then they decided to connect her with the internet so that she could transmit those things that she recorded. Wow that was a smart choice - not! If you want to hear of some of the other not quite so popular versions of that very popular doll, just search the internet and you will be quite surprised at what you find.

But back to the situation of childhood toys. Some of my favorites were coloring books. I could spend hours and hours on those things and I hardly ever got tired of them. Nowadays, with technology, coloring has been sent to programs where you can click on the colors and the numbered item on the screen and it will color it in for you. While this is quite different and can be helpful to those who no longer can hold a pencil or a color crayon, it fails to teach a child how to color inside the lines and complete a picture. I was so proud when I could finish a whole page and never color outside the lines and it was even more fun when my Mom would sit beside me and color the page beside me. It was a long time before I could color as nice as she could and I miss those days and her smile.

So I guess what I really want to say is that what we are losing in the toys of today, when people rely on technology with their children, maybe what they don't see is that these things take away the necessity of imagination for a child. When someone else's thoughts and ideas are set up and all that you need to do is click, where is the need for creativity on the part of the player? How do you teach dexterity and control of little fingers with a mouse or a fingertip to a child? And how can you hang up a picture from a computer pad on your refrigerator to show your child or grandchild how proud you are of them? Life has to change, because that is how life is, but sometimes I think it changes more than it should. Surely something to think about.

God Bless you All.

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By: Vivian Hernandez
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Michael Tschida Sr. was born in Vienna, Austria in 1866, immigrated to the United States in 1890, first settling in Mandan and in 1900 moved to Glen Ullin, North Dakota: In 1906 he was elected the first Mayor of Glen Ullin. He was very instrumental in promoting the construction of the Heart Butte Dam, and saw its completion before his death in 1956.

Fishing, hunting, camping, recreation and archeology are all enjoyed by visitors to the Lake Tschida recreation area. The 7,575 acres of public lands & 3,400 acres of water offer an abundance of wildlife, for hunting, fishing & viewing opportunities.

My Grandson, Nyjah and I headed to Lake Tschida last Tuesday to check out the new Visitor Center and tour the area. The old Visitor Center was in a small cabin looking building, now located in a beautiful modern facility.

The Lake Tschida Visitor Center is located on the south side of the dam and faces north-east with a panoramic view of the lake and surrounding area. The large event center is equipped with a commercial kitchen and windows line the entire west wall looking out over the lake: The large concrete patio is currently being expanded to accommodate more visitors. The event center is available to rent for birthday parties, anniversaries, family reunions and the like.

Upon entering the gift shop at the Visitor Center we were greeted by a friendly information specialist, the shop is filled with fun merchandise, Nyjah was especially interested in the items available and found something for himself, his brother and cousin.

We watched a pontoon launch onto the calm glassy lake then headed to the Down Stream Recreation Site with picnic shelters, campground, restrooms, hiking and fishing: We admired the view from the bottom looking up as the river flowed peacefully by, Nyjah took full advantage of the park. All good things must come to an end and it was time to meet a friend in Glen Ullin for lunch.

A Little Birdie Told Me: "A Day Spent With a Grandsonat Lake Tschida is Worth a Thousand Elsewhere!"



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