

COMMUNITY NOTEBOOK

The Community Notebook appears each Monday and Thursday. Contributions to this list of upcoming events are welcome and should be submitted two weeks before the event. Submissions must be typewritten or legibly printed and include the name and phone number of a contact person. Send items to P&D Calendar, PO Box 56, Yankton, SD 57078, or e-mail to newsroom@yankton.net.

Thursday

Youth Alive, 7:45 a.m., YHS Library.
Table tennis/darts, 8:30 a.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Wii bowling, 9 a.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Ladies Billiards, 10 a.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Sertoma, noon, Waterfront.
Alcoholics Anonymous Daily Reprieve Group, noon, 12-24 Club, 1019 West Ninth.
Toastmasters Club No. 6217, noon, Sacred Heart Hospital, (605)668-8326.
Thursday cards, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Dominoes, 1 p.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Cribbage, 1 p.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Senior Bowling, 1:30 p.m., Centennial Lanes, Crofton, Neb. (402) 388-4640.
Weight Watchers, 5:30 p.m., 23rd St. Suites, 904 W. 23rd, 1-800-651-6000.
TOPS No. SD 45, 5:30-6:30 p.m. weigh-in; 6:30 p.m. meeting, RTEC, Room 134, (605)665-3738 or (605)667-9274.
Yankton Area Banquet, 6 p.m., United Church of Christ, Fifth and Walnut.
Celebrate Recovery, 7 p.m., Calvary Baptist Church, 2407 Broadway, (605)665-5594.
Alcoholics Anonymous ALANON, 8:30 p.m., 12-24 Club, 1019 W. 9th.
Overeaters Anonymous, Thursday Evening, (605)665-0443.

THIRD THURSDAY ONLY

HSC Friendship Club, 5 p.m., Waterfront.
Game Night, 6-9 p.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Catholic Daughters of America, 7 p.m. rosary, 7:30 p.m. meeting, Sacred Heart Cafeteria, (605)665-2795.
Lewis and Clark AARP, 7 p.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive. (605)665-2609.

Friday

Exercise & Current Events, 8:30 a.m., Pine Lane Estates, 2905 Douglas Ave.
Line Dancing, 9:30-11 a.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Foster Rehabilitation Support Group, 10-11 a.m., Trinity Lutheran Church, Room 105, (605)260-1980.
Exercise & Current Events, 10:15 a.m., Pine Lane Estates West, 2903 Douglas Ave.
Instructed cardio class, 11-11:45 a.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Alcoholics Anonymous Daily Reprieve Group, noon, 12-24 Club, 1019 West Ninth.
Contract bridge, 1 p.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Parent's Night Out, 5:30 p.m., Calvary Baptist, By Reservation Only (605)665-5594.
Bingo, 7-9 p.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Billiards/Snooker, 7-9 p.m., The Center, 900 Whiting Drive.
Porchlight Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., United Church of Christ, 210 W. 5th St.
Alcoholics Anonymous Alano, 8:30 p.m., 12-24 Club, 1019 W. 9th

Saturday

Speaker's Voice Toastmasters, 7 a.m., Fryn Pan Restaurant.
Yankton Toastmasters, 7:30, Fryn Pan Restaurant.
Weight Watchers, 9 a.m. (weigh-ins 30 minutes before meeting time), 904 W. 23rd, 1-800-651-6000.
Alcoholics Anonymous Daily Reprieve Group, noon, 12-24 Club, 1019 West Ninth. Non-smoking meeting.
Games of Choice & Socializing, 2 p.m., 2905 and 2903 Douglas Ave.
Alcoholics Anonymous Daily Reprieve Group, 6:45 p.m., 12-24 Club, 1019 West Ninth.

Sunday

Alcoholics Anonymous Daily Reprieve Group, 8 a.m., 12-24 Club, 1019 West Ninth.
Alcoholics Anonymous Alano Group, 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., 12-24 Club, 1019 West Ninth.
Marian Prayer Group, 1 p.m., Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Chapel of St. Joseph, House of Mary Shrine, Lewis and Clark Lake. 665-1119
Coffee Time and Visiting, 2 p.m., 2905 and 2903 Douglas Ave.
VFW Auxiliary Bingo, 6:30 p.m., VFW Club.
One Hour Experience, 6:30 p.m., MUC building USD campus. 712-251-8860.

THIRD SUNDAY ONLY

Yankton Jaycees, 7 p.m., Chamber of Commerce meeting room.

FLIGHT

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Air France, Lufthansa and Austrian Airlines also sent up test flights, although most traveled below the altitudes where the ash has been heavily concentrated. National air safety regulators have the right to close down a country's air space in cases of extreme danger. But they can also grant waivers to airlines to conduct test flights or to ferry empty airliners from one airport to another at lower altitudes not affected by the main ash clouds. Kallas called the problems spawned by the eruption unprecedented and said there were no EU-wide rules for handling such a crisis.

Kyla Evans, spokeswoman for the European air traffic control agency Eurocontrol, said earlier in the day that it was up to national aviation authorities to decide whether to open up their airspace. The agency's role was to coordinate traffic once it was allowed to resume.

"But there is currently no consensus as to what consists of an acceptable level of ash in the atmosphere," said Daniel Hoeltgen, a spokesman for the European Aviation Safety Agency.

"This is what we are concerned about and this is what we want to bring about so that we can start operating aircraft again in Europe."

KLM said its received permission from Dutch and European aviation authorities for planes of various types to fly the 115-mile (185-km) flight from Dusseldorf in western Germany to Amsterdam's Schiphol Airport at an unspecified normal altitude above 10,000 feet (3,000 meters). They did not encounter the thick though invisible cloud of ash, whose main band has floated from 20,000 to 32,000 feet, the height of most commercial flight paths.

The announcement of successful test flights prompted some airline officials to wonder whether authorities had overreacted to concerns that the tiny particles of volcanic ash could jam up the engines of passenger jets. The possibility that the ash had thinned or dispersed over parts of Europe heightened pressure from airline officials to loosen restrictions.

"With the weather we are encountering now — clear blue skies and obviously no dense ash cloud to be seen, in our opinion there is absolutely no reason to worry about resuming flights," said Steven Verhagen, vice president of the Dutch Airline Pilots Association and a Boeing 737 pilot for KLM.

RC&D Recognizes Volunteers For Service

The USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) in Nebraska will recognize its Earth Team volunteers during National Volunteer Month, according to NRCS State Conservationist Steve Chick.

"National Volunteer Week provides our agency the opportunity to acknowledge the outstanding achievements our volunteers accomplish every day. Last year, 2,742 Earth Team volunteers contributed more than 70,000 hours helping the Natural Resources Conservation Service and our

partners in Nebraska. That is the equivalent of employing another 34 full-time staff members," Chick said.

The NRCS Earth Team Volunteer Program offers numerous volunteer opportunities for individuals 14 years of age or older. They help NRCS conservationists across Nebraska with diverse activities — from providing conservation technical assistance, to generating awareness about conservation through community projects. Through the Northeast Nebraska RC&D Council volun-

teers play a vital role in organizing, leading, and directing projects. In this council 110 volunteers have provided approximately 3,700 hours since Oct. 1st.

"This year marks a milestone for our Agency. The NRCS was created 75 years ago this month in response to the devastation created on America's farm and ranch land during the Dust Bowl. Nebraska is proud of the dedicated volunteers who have committed their time and talents to conserving and protecting soil, water and wildlife during the

past 25 years," Chick said.

The Northeast Nebraska Resource Conservation & Development (RC&D) Council will celebrate and thank their volunteers at the next RC&D meeting on Monday, April 26th. At 6:30 p.m. that evening there will be a picnic meal and time of fellowship followed by the regular meeting at 7:30 at the RC&D Office in Plainview. For more information about the operations of the Council or any of its ongoing projects, call 402-582-4866.

BIRTHS

JAKE MICHAEL AND RYAN MICHAEL HOEBELHEINRICH

Justin and Raina Hoebelheirich of Fordyce, Neb. announce the birth of their twin sons, Jake Michael and Ryan Michael. They were born on December 8, 2009 Jake at 6:42 p.m. and Ryan at 6:52 p.m. Jake weighed 7 pounds 2 ounces and was 19 3/4 inches long and Ryan was 5 pounds 15 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Dennis and Lori Hoebelheirich of Fordyce, Neb. and Barry and Radell Tasa of Humphrey, Neb.

Great-grandparents are Clarence and Lenore Hoessing, Germaine and the late Donald Becker of Hartington, Neb., Johanna and the late Albin Hoebelheirich of Fordyce, Neb., and the late Magnus and Agnes Tasa of Sisseton.

KENNELLY DONNA SEDLACEK

Nathan and Blair Sedlacek of Yankton announce the birth of their daughter Kennelly Donna. Kennelly was born on March 30, 2010 at 7:10 p.m. She weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces and was 20.25 inches long.

Grandparents are Mel and Janet Sedlacek of Yankton, and Bob Determan of Dallas.

Great-grandmother is Elsie Esterling of Gregory.

EMMA ROSE STANAGE

Samuel and Darlene Stanage of Yankton announce the birth of their daughter Emma Rose. Emma was born on March 26, 2010 at 1:30 p.m. She weighed 7 pounds, 14 1/2 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Emma joins her sister Makenzie, 2. Grandparents are Stan and Kim Wieseler of Obert, Neb., and Craig and Rita Stanage of Yankton.

Great-grandparents are Rose Wieseler of Hartington, Neb., George Lohse of Wynot, Neb., Loretta List and Conley and Dorothy Stanage of Yankton.

AUTUMN MARIE ANDERSON

Laura Johnson and Brian Anderson of Yankton announce the birth of their daughter Autumn Marie. Autumn was born on April 9, 2010 at 7:01 p.m. She weighed 7 pounds 8 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Alice and Lee Johnson of Crofton, Neb. and Gloria and Randy Anderson of Wynot, Neb.

Great-grandparents are Bev and John of Wynot, Neb., Lois Anderson of Hartington, Neb., Roy and the late Hazel Johnson, Sr. of Crofton, Neb. and Dolores and Engelbert Puetz of Sioux Falls.

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states. It reminds Heineman that the center has litigated cases in Nebraska and across the United States in its fight for women's reproductive rights.

The 20-week ban is based on assertions from some doctors that fetuses feel pain by that stage of development. Critics say there is no firm evidence to support the claim, and that the law is an unconstitutional break from more than 35 years of court precedent.

that sets viability as the dividing line for abortion restrictions. Viability is the ability of a fetus to survive outside the womb. While determined on a case-by-case basis, viability is generally considered to be between 22 and 24 weeks of pregnancy.

Opponents of the law also say it is unconstitutional because it doesn't allow mental health issues to be used as reasons to have abortions at and after the 20-week mark.

Whether an injunction will be issued partially depends on whether a judge thinks there is a likelihood that the law won't withstand a legal challenge. Abortion rights advocates say that stan-

MENUS

Menus listed below are for the week of April 19-23. Menus are subject to change without notice. All meals are served with milk. YHS Combo Line meals are served with choice of milk or shake.

Yankton Elementary Schools

Monday — Chicken O's
 Tuesday — Mini Corndog
 Wednesday — Pepperoni Pizza
 Thursday — Shrimp Poppers
 Friday — Roast Turkey

Yankton Middle School

Monday — Chicken O's
 Tuesday — Corndog
 Wednesday — Club Sandwich
 Thursday — BBQ Rib
 Friday — Roast Turkey

Yankton High School 'A' Line

Monday — Chicken Fries
 Tuesday — Philly Cheese
 Wednesday — Club Sandwich
 Thursday — Beef Sticks
 Friday — Chili

Yankton High School Combo Line

Monday — Taco In A Bag
 Tuesday — Grilled Chicken
 Wednesday — Round Pizza
 Thursday — Ham and Cheese
 Friday — Chicken Littles

Yankton High School Salad Bar

Monday — Chef Salad
 Tuesday — Casserole
 Wednesday — Egg Roll w/ Fried Rice
 Thursday — Soup
 Friday — Sandwich

Sacred Heart Schools

Monday — Chicken Sandwich
 Tuesday — French Toast Sticks
 Wednesday — Chicken Leg
 Thursday — Hamburger
 Friday — Chicken nuggets

Yankton Senior Citizens Center

Monday — Tator Tot Hotdish
 Tuesday — Oven Fried Chicken
 Wednesday — Swedish Meatballs
 Thursday — Pork Chop
 Friday — Beer Batter Fish

Tabor Senior Citizens Center

Monday — Baked Ham
 Tuesday — No Meals
 Wednesday — Pork Chop
 Thursday — Roast Beef
 Friday — No Meals

BIRTHDAYS

MARI PLACEK

Marj Placek of Yankton will celebrate her 80th birthday on April 23, 2010. Her family will celebrate with an open house in her honor on Sunday, April 25 at the Center from 2-4 p.m. No gifts please.

HILDA WEBER

Hilda Weber of Yankton will be celebrating her 92nd birthday. Her family requests a card shower in her honor. Greetings may be sent to: 2111 West 11th Street, Room 331, Yankton, SD 57078.

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