

NAMI Fundraiser At Pizza Ranch Monday

The National Alliance on Mental Illness, NAMI, will be conducting a fundraiser at the Pizza Ranch on Monday evening, April 15. NAMI will get a part of the proceeds and you can enjoy a nice dinner.

NAMI provides education, advocacy and support to family and friends living with a serious mental illness.

NAMI Yankton meets the second Monday of the month (7-9 p.m.) at the Avera Pavilion. The group shares ideas and strive to learn about serious mental illness and how we can cope.

Crohn's, Colitis Meeting At Pavilion Tuesday

There will be a Crohn's and Colitis support group meeting at 6:45 p.m. Tuesday, April 16, at the Avera Sacred Heart Campus Pavilion, 409

This meeting is for patients with Crohn's or Colitis and their family and friends.

For information, call Kathy Ryken at 665-8667 or Dave Brown at 665-7199 (evenings).

National Library Week Special Programs Set

The Yankton Community Library, 515 Walnut Street, is hosting two special evening programs during National Library Week. Both pro-

grams will begin at 6:30 p.m. On Tuesday, April 16, Phyllis Karolevitz and daughters Jan Garrity and Jill Karolevitz will present "Reflections on Bob Karolevitz." Phyllis will share stories of how she met Bob and their life together, along with stories of Army life and the influence of Bob's mother on his life as an adult. Jill and Jan will share stories of their father's life and how he influenced them.

On Wednesday, April 17, the library will host South Dakota poet Patrick Hicks who is the author of five poetry collections, most recently Finding the Gossamer and This London. Hicks, the Writer-in-Residence at Augustana College, is the editor of "A Harvest of Words," which was funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities. His work has appeared in literary magazines and he has been nominated seven times for the Pushcart Prize. Hicks has been a finalist for the High Plains Book Award, the Dzanc Books Short Story Collection Competition, and the Gival Press Novel Award. He has earned notable mentions in Best American Stories and has won the Glimmer Train Fiction Award. This program is co-sponsored by the South Dakota Humanities

For more information on these programs and all of the National Library Week activities, call the library at 668-5276 or friend us on Facebook.

Nebraska Spring Walk To School Day April 17

LINCOLN, Neb. — Safe Routes Nebraska invites kids, parents, educators and community leaders to take a step toward healthy lifestyles by participating in Nebraska's sixth annual Spring Walk to School Day on Wednesday, April 17.

Communities across Nebraska will be hosting Spring Walk to School Day events, including walkathons, walking school buses, health and wellness fairs, safety presentations and more. Though the event is just three weeks away, there's still time to register and organize an event, said Angela Barry, Safe Routes Nebraska program coordinator.

'Walking and biking to school every morning is fun and it gets kids moving," Barry said.

"But that's only one of the many benefits. In addition to daily exercise, kids who walk or bike to school show improved concentration and behavior in the classroom."

Safe Routes Nebraska offers a variety of resources on its website, saferoutesne.com, to help parents, educators and community groups plan, organize and promote Walk to School Day events. Once organizers register their events, they'll have access to a toolkit of posters, printable brochures and ideas for promoting the event in the community.

Barry encourages families to celebrate the day even if there are no formal Walk to School events nearby. "Make time to walk or bike to school, even if it's just for one day," Barry said. "You and your kids will have fun while celebrating the benefits of daily activity, and who knows — maybe it'll even spark a new healthy habit.

For more information about organizing or promoting a Spring Walk to School Day event, contact Angela Barry, Safe Routes Nebraska program coordinator, at (402) 476-7331 or abarry@sinclairhille.com.

MENUS

Menus listed below are for the week of April 15-19, 2013. Menus are subject to change with-

Yankton Elementary Schools

Monday — French Bread Pizza Tuesday — Shrimp Poppers Wednesday — Chicken Strips Friday — Hotdog

Yankton Middle School

Monday - Penne Pasta w/Meat Tuesday - Popcorn Chicken Wednesday - Footlong Thursday — Chicken Fajita Friday — Tavern

YHS A Line Menu

Monday — Spaghetti Tuesday - Popcorn Chicken Wednesday — Chicken Noodle Soup Thursday — Beef Sticks Friday - Philly Cheese Sandwich

YHS B Line Menu

Monday — Can. Bacon/Pineapple Pizza Tuesday - Turkey Alfredo Wednesday - Baked Potato Thursday - Wisconsin Cheese Soup Friday - Sausage/Cheese Sandwich

YHS C Line Menu

Monday — Chicken Fajita Tuesday — BBQ Ribs Wednesday — Pepperoni Pizza Friday — Turkey Hoagie

Sacred Heart Schools

Monday — Taco in a Bag Tuesday - Grilled Chicken Sandwich Wednesday — Spaghetti Thursday — Pepperoni Pizza Friday — Chicken Leg

The Center — Yankton

Monday — Sloppy Joes Tuesday — Swiss Steak Wednesday — Liver or Hamburger St. Thursday — BBQ Ribs Friday - Meatloaf

Tabor Senior Citizens Center

Monday — N/A Tuesday - Roast Beef Wednesday — Meatloaf Thursday — Hot Pork/Cheese Sand.

Click And Clack

She May Rethink This Engagement

BY TOM AND RAY MAGLIOZZI

King Features Syndicate, Inc.

Dear Tom and Ray: I have an issue, OK, not so much an issue, more of an argument between me and my fiance. I just bought a 2008 Dodge Caliber. My new toy has everything I love, including cruise control. I do a lot of highway traveling, and I love my cruise control. My fiance says it's no good that I use cruise control all the time, and that it's bad for the engine or transmission. Is he right? Is using my cruise control too often bad for my car — will I break my cruise control if I use it too much? If so, why, and when should one use cruise control? Love you guys! — **Sara RAY:** If you think of the engagement pe-

riod as a sort of test drive, Sara, your fiance just backed into a tree.

TOM: Yeah. He doesn't have half a leg to stand on here. Using the cruise control won't wear anything out. In fact, because it helps you maintain a constant speed, it actually prevents a certain amount of wear and tear that comes from accelerating and decelerating more frequently.

RAY: The engine and transmission couldn't care less whether the electronic inputs are coming from your right foot or the



CAR TALK

Tom and Ray Magliozzi

cruise control system. And neither should your fiance. So, tell him if he doesn't offer more fact-based advice in the future, he's going to lose his male automotive-pontificating privileges for the duration of the marriage.

TOM: Plus, highway driving is exactly the time you DO want to use cruise control when you're maintaining a constant speed for a long period of time, when traffic is thin and moving predictably, and when there are few unexpected obstacles that get in your way

(like pedestrians, bicyclists, crossing traffic or aggressive squeegee guys).

RAY: The time you don't want to use cruise control is in dense traffic, or in stopand-go traffic, where you could be expected to have to slow down or stop frequently or unexpectedly. But even that's a safety issue, not a wear-and-tear issue.

TOM: Right. In the old days, the cruise control used a separate cable that physically moved the throttle. So there were a few small parts that could wear out over time back then. But cars don't have throttle cables anymore. Everything's done electronically, through the computer. So there's nothing to wear out, Sara.

RAY: So, suggest that the future hubby concede defeat on this one. And if he tries to argue that he's still right because you're going to use up your lifetime allotment of electrons, run.

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USD Theatre Brings 'Rent' To Vermillion Stage

VERMILLION — The University of South Dakota Department of Theatre presents the Tony Award-winning musical, "Rent," April 17-21 in the Wayne S. Knutson Theatre of the Warren M. Lee Center for the Fine Arts.

Based loosely on Puccini's "La Boheme," "Rent" follows a year in the life of a group of young artists struggling to make it in New York City's Lower East Side. With popular songs like "Rent", "Seasons of Love" and "La Vie Boheme" and an uplifting story about finding love and living for today, the musical has grown into a worldwide phenomenon enjoying a 12-year run on Broadway. The USD production features

Nick Manthe of Le Mars, Iowa as aspiring filmmaker, Mark Cohen, and Steve Schaeffer of Sioux Falls as Roger Davis, who is HIV positive. Gabriel Gomez of Fargo, N.D.



Brianna Adams and Steve Schaeffer are two of the featured perform in the University of South Dakota's theatrical production of "Rent," which opens Wednesday at the Wayne S. Knutson Theatre in Vermillion.

plays their ex-friend Benjamin Coffins III, while Ceci Quintero of happy ex-girlfriend, Maureen.

Denver is Benjamin's protest

and dissertations.

classroom teacher

whose students

routinely rate him

among the best in

the College of Arts

& Sciences," noted

Emily Haddad,

"He is a superb

Kendra Bolan of Lincoln, Neb. is Maureen's new girlfriend, Joanne, while Jordan Mitchell of Omaha, Neb. is Collins, a friend to Mark and Roger who has AIDS. Kristian Asfeldt of Sioux Falls plays the drag queen Angel Dumott Schunard, and Brianna Adams of Lincoln, Neb., takes on the role of Mimi, a night club dancer addicted to heroin. Through a year of experiencing HIV and drug addictions, loss and love, the characters learn the importance of living for the moment. "Rent," which has mature

themes and language, is not recommended for children. Performances are at 7:30 p.m., April 17-20, and at 2 p.m. on April 21 in the Wayne S. Knutson Theatre on the USĎ campus. Tickets can be purchased from noon to 5 p.m. by calling the USD Theatre Box Office at (605) 677-5400 or online at www.usd.edu/theatre.

Tips On Avoiding Financial Fraud Offered In Webinar

BROOKINGS — The North American Securities Association Administration and AARP are teaming up to provide a webinar called, "Protect Your Finances: Tips to Avoid Financial Fraud" at 1 p.m. CT on Tuesday, April 23.

To submit a question in advance, e-mail moneywebinars@aarp.org. Attendees of this Webinar can ask questions during this live conversation. Visit the AARP Webinars

(http://bit.ly/YGss5O) web page to register.

If you have questions on other resources available to seniors, contact SDSU Extension Gerontology Field Specialist John Sanders at John.Sanders@sdstate.edu or 605-882-5140.

Professor Receives Humanities Award

VERMILLION — Jason Berger, Ph.D., assistant professor of English at the University of South Dakota, is the 2013 recipient of the Monsignor James Doyle Humanities Teaching Award, presented by the College of Arts & Sciences at USD. Berger was honored with the award at the 2013 Phi Beta Kappa initiation/Lifto

Amundson Lecture on March 14. Berger joined the USD English Department nearly four years ago. In addition to publishing several articles, he has authored the book, "Antebellum at Sea: Maritime Fantasies in Nineteenth-Century America," published in 2012 by the University of Minnesota Press. Berger was honored with the 2013 Doyle Humanities Teaching Award for his outstanding classroom instruction and mentoring, including working closely with students on almost 30 theses



Berger

Ph.D., professor of English and associate dean in the College of Arts & Sciences.

Berger received his Ph.D. from the University of Connecticut, a M.A. in English from the University of Vermont and his B.S. in history and English from Central Connecticut State University.

Made possible thanks to a gift from Monsignor James Michael Doyle, former chair of religious studies at USD and a prominent theologian inducted into the South Dakota Hall of Fame, the Doyle Award is presented annually to an outstanding teacher in the Humanities Division of the College of Arts & Sciences.

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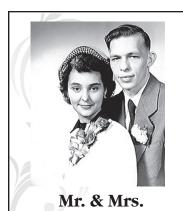
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Jim Farley



Jim and Pat Farley, Yankton, will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary April 18, 2013.

Their family requests a card shower. Greetings may be sent to 1005 Kennedy Dr., Yankton, SD 57078.

James Farley and Patricia VanEpps were married April 18, 1953, in Yankton. They have three children, Mike Farley, Cheyenne, Wyoming; Steve Farley, Salinas, California; and Joan (Laddie) Novak, Yankton. The couple has 7 grandchildren: Jolene, Krista, Brandyn, Kyle, Luke, Tori, and Jenna.

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