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Yankton High School Yearbook Staff is “Livin’ the Legacy” for 2012-2013

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Spring is in the air, which means it is time to purchase a Yankton High School yearbook. Flyers with pertinent information will arrive in all students’ homes.

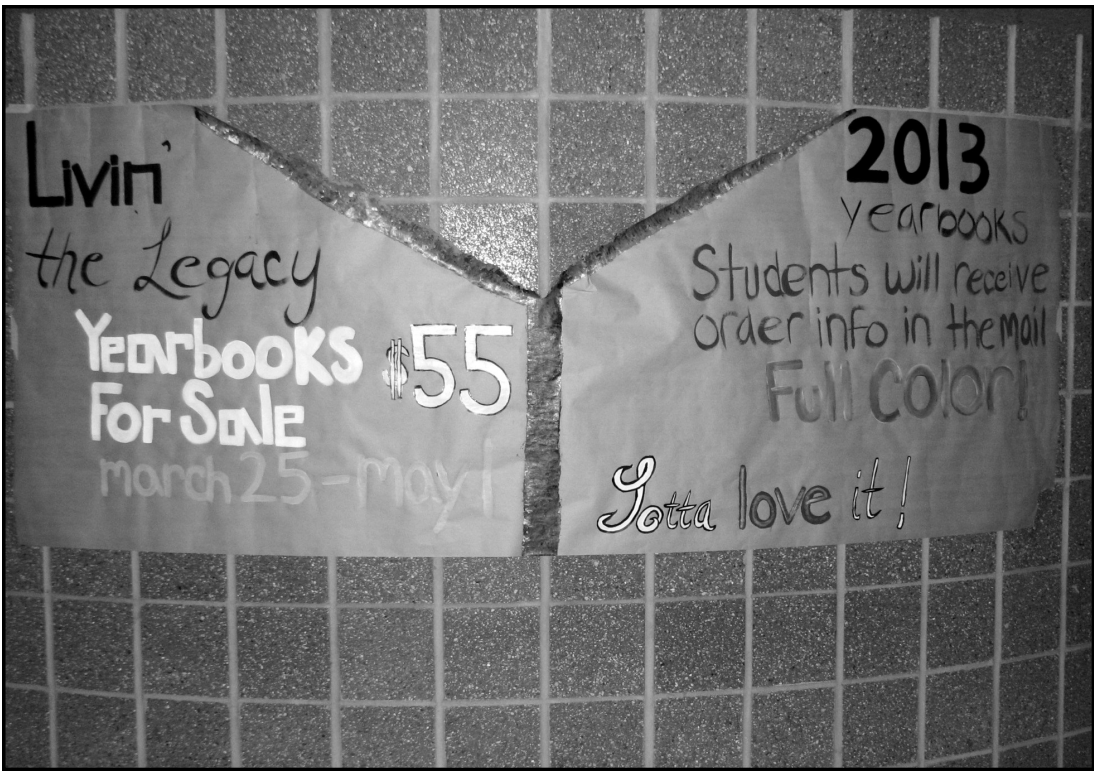
There are two ways to order: fill out the form and bring it to Mrs. Mikkelsen in room 147 or log on to Balfour.com and order online.

Students can purchase their books for \$55.00 and expect them in August. Books will be on sale until May 1.

“Livin’ the Legacy” is the 2012-2013 YHS yearbook theme. The seniors on the yearbook staff selected the theme, because it serves as a reflection of what the students and staff would achieve in the year. What sets this book apart from the rest is the emphasis on tradition throughout the book.

The yearbook will be in all color and divided according to season.

Yearbook adviser, Jill Mikkelsen is happy with the progress of



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The Yankton High School Yearbook Staff is selling “Livin’ the Legacy” yearbooks through May 1.

the book. “The book is about 75% complete at this point. We are just waiting for all spring activities, sports, prom, and graduation to conclude. It promises to be a beautiful book packed with highlights of 2012/2013 year.”

For those with questions, please call the Yankton High

School front office at 605-665-2073 or email Mrs. Jill Mikkelsen at the following address: jmikkelsen@ysd.k12.sd.us.

Y’s Words on the Sports Complex being Considered by the Yankton Community

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On March 25, 2013, seven Yankton City Commissioners were asked to share their opinions on a new multi-use sports complex. There were mixed opinions during this meeting.

As a student at Yankton High School, I am in favor of the sport complex, because I think it would bring a lot of money into Yankton. By having a facility to host a wide variety of sporting events, attendees will spend money at our restaurants, hotels, gas stations, and shopping centers.

While a sports complex has the ability to generate income, we need to take into consideration whether or not the members of the Yankton Community are willing to support and help fund a multi-use sports complex.

If Yankton was willing to build a sports complex, it needs to appeal to a wide array of citizens. I believe it should be versatile enough to accommodate: soccer, basketball, baseball, swimming, hockey, concerts, and other large community events.


Yankton could really benefit from bringing in concerts, because it would keep our community members from leaving Yankton for this type of entertainment, while bringing additional visitors into Yankton.

I asked a few other High School students if they would be in favor of a new multi-use sports complex and they were very excited about the possibility of this idea becoming a reality.

I would like to see our community members share their thoughts and opinions on what types of events they would like to see held at the sports complex, that they believe would benefit everyone.

Drama Club to Perform *Dirty Rotten Scoundrels*

Show Dates are April 18, 19, 20 and 22 at 7:30 P.M.

**BY
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CHRISTOPHER**

Since the last week in February, the cast of nearly 40 members from Yankton High School drama club has been rehearsing the spring musical, “Dirty Rotten Scoundrels,” directed by Mr. Keith Goeden.

In a month and a half’s time, the cast and crew rehearse, build the set, and, with the help of Mrs. Pam Kallis, arrange costumes.

The setting of the production takes place in Beaumont sur Mer, France. A young American man, Freddy Benson, is a rookie to the con-artist business and thinks he has it on lockdown, until he meets Lawrence Jameson.

Lawrence is a pro making big bucks and takes Freddy under his wing to teach him his ways. The two con-men compete for the money and love of a woman, Christine Colgate, with a surprise ending.

The comical production has three seniors, Paden Schmidt, Jase Likness, and Sarah Santos, performing the leading roles of Lawrence, Freddy and Christine.

Likness plays the role of the “I’m all that” American character Freddy Benson.

“I watched the movie and took notes on the actor, Steve Martin,” said Likness. “I practice in front of the mirror a lot too. I figure if I can make myself laugh, I’ll make other people laugh.”



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“Dirty Rotten Scoundrels” is Santos’s first major role in a musical.

“My biggest obstacle was overcoming the stamina it takes to sing and dance at the same time,” Santos said.

Santos plays the “American girl, kind and innocent, with a few things up my sleeve!”

YHS performs the musical to the public April 18-20 and 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the YHS theatre.

“It’s funny, full of singing and dancing, and there’s a twist!” said Likness.

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