

Historic Downtown Yankton Market Coming

Historic Downtown Yankton is seeking vendors for the “Market” which will be held the first Saturdays of the month starting in June and running through October. All vendors are welcome.

If you do crafts, are an artisan, entrepreneur, have fruit or vegetables to sell, or enjoy baking, Historic Downtown welcomes you. Set-up is on Walnut St. between Second and Third streets just north of the walking bridge.

All interested parties are responsible for following all states or federal regulations regarding sales tax. That information can be found at www.state.sd/taxapp or by calling 605-668-2939.

For all other questions, e-mail themarkethdy@gmail.com.

Tree Care Workshop To Be Held In Sioux Falls

BROOKINGS — Two forestry specialists will be onsite to answer homeowner's questions during a tree workshop hosted by SDSU Extension and the South Dakota Department of Agriculture.

“The ice storm that moved through the Sioux Empire left thousands of broken and damaged trees in its wake. Many tree owners are looking out at their bent and broken trees and wondering whether the trees can be saved and if so, how,” said John Ball, SDSU Extension Forestry Specialist.

Ball will help tree owners make informed decisions during the workshop held April 29 at 6:30 p.m. at the SDSU Extension Regional Center in Sioux Falls, 2001 East 8th Street.

Ball will lead the workshop with Rick Mayko, Community Forester. They will discuss and demonstrate how tree owner can decide whether a tree is worth saving and the pruning and repair techniques that can be done to restore a tree during this growing season. They will also cover repairing ice-damaged shrubs, evergreens and fruit trees. Tips on hiring a tree company to perform work on larger trees will also be discussed. They will also cover the best trees to plant in the Sioux Falls area. This event is free and open to the public. If you are unable to attend the event, visit iGrow.org to learn more about repairing storm damaged trees.

SDTA Scholarships Applications Being Taken

PIERRE — The South Dakota Telecommunications Association (SDTA) has announced that it will award three \$1,000 SDTA Memorial Scholarships for the 2013 fall semester.

The SDTA Memorial Scholarships will be awarded to students who have completed at least two semesters of a multi-year program at any of South Dakota's accredited technical schools or two semesters at any other accredited post-secondary higher education institution in South Dakota. Applicants that attend a post-secondary higher education institution must be majoring in a program with technical skills or a field of study that is particularly useful for work in the telecommunications industry. The applicant must be a member/customer or have parents that are member/customers of an SDTA member company.

The scholarship program began with a single \$300 scholarship in 1987. Since the scholarship fund was established, the rural telecommunications industry has awarded nearly \$54,000 to help 78 South Dakota students achieve post-secondary educations.

The deadline to apply for the scholarship is May 31, 2013. Applications are available from any South Dakota post-secondary institution student financial aid office, the SDTA office (605-224-7629 or ginigrannes@sdtaonline.com) or any SDTA member company.

SDTA member companies include Alliance Communications; Beresford Municipal Telephone; Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Telephone Authority; Faith Municipal Telephone; Fort Randall Telephone; Golden West Telecommunications Cooperative; Interstate Telecommunications Cooperative; James Valley Telecommunications; Kennebec Telephone Company; Long Lines; TrioTel Communications; Midstate Communications; RC Communications and Roberts County Telephone Cooperative; Santel Communications; Swiftel Communications; Valley Telecommunications; Venture Communications; West River Cooperative Telephone; West River Telecommunications Cooperative; and Western Telephone Company.

Avoseh Receives Fulbright Award To Teach In Botswana

VERMILLION — Mejai Bola Mike Avoseh, Ph.D., associate professor of education at the University of South Dakota, is the recipient of Fulbright award to conduct research and lecture in Botswana.

The award from the United States Department of State and the J. William Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board provides Avoseh with an opportunity to expand the Fulbright Program in Botswana, which is located in southern Africa between Namibia

and Zimbabwe.

Avoseh is one of nearly 1,100 faculty and professionals from the United States who will travel abroad through the Fulbright U.S. Scholar Program.

A member of the USD faculty since 2004, Avoseh has taught at different levels of education in Nigeria, Namibia and the United States.



Avoseh

He has presented and published widely in different areas of adult and higher education. His teaching interests include adult education, multicultural education and indigenous pedagogy while his research interests focus on adult education, diversity issues, multicultural education and international education. Avoseh earned a Ph.D. in adult education, and both a B.A. and M.A. in philosophy from the University of Ibadan.

The Fulbright Program is

America's flagship international educational exchange activity. Recipients of Fulbright awards are selected on the basis of academic or professional achievement. The Fulbright Program provides short-term academic opportunities to prominent faculty and professionals to support curricular and faculty development and institutional planning at academic institutions around the world.

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making it productive again,” he said.

Jensen said his group's proposal, which has yet to be submitted, will not only address the “last call” buildings, but also will be a “master plan” for the entire HSC campus.

“It's a conversation starter,” he said. “It is a comprehensive proposal for the entire campus that includes new construction and infill construction, as well as rehabilitation of historic buildings on the campus. It is also a 15-year-plus proposal. It is not something that would be done in a year or two.”

While the state's latest request only pertains to the five buildings, Jensen said his proposal is compatible with Daugaard's overall plan for the HSC campus, which calls for the demolition of 13 structures and an effort to preserve four others.

According to the “South Dakota Human Services Center Old Campus Stewardship Plan,” Daugaard's plan consists of a three-phase vision that includes preservation of the Mead Building through a partnership with the Yankton County

Historical Society; the demolition of some major structures and numerous small buildings; and some efforts to preserve and develop a few other properties.

Jensen said his group is working within the guidelines the state has given, but is also encouraging the state to expand them in the future to allow for more development.

“We are working within the framework that the state has provided us, but we also believe in articulating a broader vision for the HSC campus,” he said. “They are interested in proposals strictly for the buildings. Our proposal includes re-use of the buildings, as well as development of bare ground around the buildings. It would include a new residential neighborhood with new lodging and dining. Instead of a simple redo of one building and then a redo of another building, this is a comprehensive plan to renovate the area.”

Lowrie added that he hopes the state doesn't rush to make decisions on the HSC campus now that a basic plan is in place.

“All we're asking is, before you spend good money (demolishing) these things, put the demo money over on the side and get a chance to fully investigate,” he said. “Some of these buildings aren't going to be economically viable, but the minute you bulldoze them, the opportunity is gone.”

Sediment

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had moved back,” he said. “Then, the high flows of 2011 really pushed the sediment.”

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has created sandbar habitat in recent years for threatened and endangered species, but the projects aren't part of the Missouri River sedimentation issue, he said.

Cowman took Wednesday's audience on a visual tour of the delta and sediment. He presented photos with a close-up

view of the problem in the Springfield area, including Chief Standing Bear Memorial Bridge.

“When it came to looking at vegetation and geomorphology, we took a boat and kayak into the Missouri River,” he said. “There were a lot of areas that were difficult to get through. The channels were as little as 1-2 feet deep.”

In one photo, a team member was dwarfed by phragmites, a common reed grass, reaching two feet higher than the man's head.

“They were not only thick, they were tall,” Cowman said of the phragmites, adding the plants spread aggressively and crowded out the native wetland plants. Other vegetation included the

cattail marsh, cottonwood and willow stands.

Cowman also expressed concern about invasive species, such as the salt cedar that consumes more than 200 gallons of water a day per plant. The purple looses-trife has also overtaken sites, although the recent flooding wiped out areas and left bare sand deposits.

The MRI team's animal survey found a diversity of species remained in the delta, even after flooding.

The geomorphology survey found primary and secondary channels 20 feet deep, along with the formation of a minor channel with one to two feet of water. The main and side channels are filling with sediment.

Jensen said the group's proposal will be viewable at its website, www.meadcampus.com, when it is launched on Friday. The site will also include discussion of potential uses that are being considered.

Dellinger said he is excited about how the state, the city and members of the community are choosing to join together to take advantage of what the HSC campus has to offer.

“It's a very important cluster in medicine and health in our community and in our state,” he said. “It can only mean good things for Yankton in the future when we partner with the state to help modernize the campus.”

Lowrie added the HSC campus also provides Yankton with the opportunity to showcase something no other city has.

“Every community strives to be different, to be a draw, to be unique,” he said. “That out there can make us unique.”

Restoration proposals should be submitted to the Yankton Office of Economic Development at 803 East Fourth Street. For more information or to request a tour of the buildings, call 605-665-9011.

Press & Dakotan reporter Nathan Johnson contributed to this report.

You can follow Derek Bartos on Twitter at twitter.com/d_bartos

Using an artist's rendition, Cowman showed the projected future of sedimentation using Miller Creek and Charley Creek as vantage points.

At the current rate, sediment would approach Bon Homme Colony in 25 years and the Weigand area in 100 years.

“In 150 years, it would be close to Gavins Point Dam,” he said. “The Corps has projected, if the (sediment) rates stay the same, and there are no changes of any significance, the (Lewis and Clark) reservoir will fill up by (the year) 2175.”

You can follow Randy Dockendorf on Twitter at twitter.com/RDockendorf

OBITUARIES

Donald Kinning

NORFOLK, Neb. — Memorial Services for Donald LeRoy Kinning, 71, of Norfolk, will be 1:30 p.m., Friday, April 26, 2013, at Meadows Chapel, 500 South 18th Street, Norfolk. Pastor Brad Lewon will officiate. Burial will be 10:30 a.m., Saturday, at the Lyons Cemetery.



Kinning

Don died February 1, 2013, at Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk.

Don was born on April 26, 1941, at Rosalie, NE, the son of Arlis Henry Kinning Sr and Dorothy Lucille (Davis) Kinning.

He attended elementary school at Martin School, of rural Walthill, NE. Don graduated from Rosalie High School in 1958, with the distinction of being the only boy in his class throughout all 12 years.

Don began working in the family hardware store at the age of 14. Later, he began his career in commercial construction and went on to be a journeyman plumber and electrician. He was trained in heating, air conditioning and major appliance repair.

His career spanned 55 years of dedicated service including the years when he was the purchasing agent. At the age of 69, Don retired and moved to Yankton. In 2012, Don moved to Norfolk to live at The Meadows.

He was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Yankton.

Don had been active in the Oklahoma Plumbing Inspectors Association, Southern Mechan-

ical Inspector Association, Southwest Construction Codes Council, Plumbing Heating Cooling Contractor's Association and Southern Plains Indian Housing Association (formerly the Oklahoma Indian Housing Association).

Don is survived by his daughter, Vicky Lynn (Kinning) Olin and her husband, Rick Olin, of Hoskins, NE; his brothers, Arlis (Bud) and Charlene Kinning Jr, of Pender, Ronald and Georgia Kinning, of Colorado and Robert and Karen Kinning, of Colorado; his sisters, Diane (Kinning) and Larry Ablers, of Rosalie and Norma Jean (Kinning) and Boyd Hightree, of Yankton; three step children and five step grandchildren; his former wife and friend, Diane Kinning of Norfolk.

He was preceded in death by his parents and an infant son.

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Laurence Hansen

VIBORG — Laurence Hansen, 99, of Viborg, died Sunday, April 21, 2013 at the Pioneer Memorial Nursing Home in Viborg.

Laurence Marinus Hansen was born Nov. 21, 1913, to Hans P. and Mathilda Hansen. He was the second of seven children.

He attended school for 8 1/2

years until he suffered a head injury. He did not attend high



Hansen

school as he was needed to help his dad on the farm since he was the eldest son.

He married Ardelle Georgeson Oct. 17, 1936.

Three children were born to this union; one son died in infancy.

Laurence worked on construction until 1942 when they started farming. They farmed in the Viborg area for 15 years. In 1957 they moved to a farm northwest of Irene, S.D. While living there he farmed and also worked at the Riley Co. in Irene. They sold their farm in 1977 and moved to Mission Hill, lived there for 10 years, moved to Centerville and lived there for 3 years. They then bought a small house and lived in it for 10 years. After Ardelle passed, Laurence sold the house and moved to Meadowland Apartments.

Laurence had been a member of the Masons for 50 years. He also belonged to the Odd Fellows for a time and served on the cemetery committee for 7 years.

He was preceded in death by his wife Ardelle, an infant son, his parents and some siblings.

He is survived by one son, Larry (Dawn) of Centerville, one daughter, Cheryl Sere of Centerville, his grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-great-grandchildren, one brother, Carl W. Hansen of Hurley, and many nieces, nephews and friends.

There will be a prayer service beginning at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, April 24, at the Viborg Funeral Home with family present to greet friends following the prayer service. Visitation will resume at 1 p.m. on Thursday, April 25, at Our Saviors Lutheran Church in Viborg. Funeral services will begin at 2 p.m. at the church.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Fraternal Funeral Home of Viborg.

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Zelena Weisz

VERMILLION — Zelena Weisz, 92, of Vermillion died Friday, March 15, 2013, at the Sanford USD Medical Center, Sioux Falls.

Memorial services are at 2 p.m. Monday, April 29, at Trinity Lutheran Church, Vermillion.

Visit hansenfuneralhome.com.

Kevin Naber

A memorial service for Kevin D. Naber will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday, April 27, 2013, at the Trinity Lutheran Church, 403 Broadway Ave., Yankton.

He died Dec. 13, 2011, in the Philippines where he was living with his wife and son.

William Kabeiseman

William J. “Bill” Kabeiseman, 80, of Yankton died Tuesday, April 23, 2013 at Avera Sacred Heart Hospital, Yankton.

Mass of Christian Burial is at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, April 27, at St. Benedict's Catholic Church, Yankton, with the Rev. Ken Lulf officiating. Burial will be in the Sacred Heart Cemetery, Yankton.

Visitations begin at 5 p.m. Friday, April 26, at the Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home & Crematory, Yankton, with a rosary at 7 p.m. followed by a Scripture service at 7:30 p.m.

Melva Wastlund

VERMILLION — Melva Wastlund, 88, of Vermillion, went to heaven to be with her Lord and Savior on April 23, 2013.



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MORNING COFFEE
WEEKDAYS MONDAY-FRIDAY

Thursday, April 25
7:40 am Yankton Conv/Vis Bureau (Lisa Scheve)
8:20 am Yankton Chamber (Carmen Schramm)

Friday, April 26
7:40 am Press & Dakotan (Nathan Johnson)
8:20 am Church Women United (Mary Alice Halverson, Joyce DeMarro)



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Marvin L. Merchen
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Wintz & Ray Funeral Home
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Dr. Ronald Francis Maly
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