SHIINE Seeks Local Volunteers

PIERRE — The South Dakota Senior Health Information and Insurance Education (SHIINE) program is currently seeking volunteers for all aspects of the SHIINE program.

SHIINE volunteers receive training on all parts of Medicare and learn how to provide one-on-one Medicare counseling. Volunteer counselors are vital to the success of the program, as they provide opportunities for seniors to discuss their Medicare questions and concerns in person. All services are unbiased and confidential.

Although volunteers are most active during Part D (prescription drug) open enrollment in the months of October, November and December, they are needed year-round. Year-round activities include assisting individuals aging into Medicare enroll for benefits and promoting Medicare's preventive care and wellness coverage.

If you are interested in being a part of SHIINE's mission, please talk to your regional SHIINE coordinator about ways to contribute your time and talents. Individuals interested in serving as SHIINE volunteers should be comfortable using computers,

and practiced a fire escape plan.

the Yankton Fire Department.

MENUS

Yankton Elementary Schools

Wednesday — Chicken Tenders Thursday — Tavern Friday — Mini Corn Dogs

Yankton Middle School

Monday — No School

Tuesday - Round Pizza

Monday — No School

Monday — No School

Monday — No School

Tuesday — Mini Corndogs

Wednesday — Meatball Sub

Thursday — Stuffed Crust Pizza Friday — Spaghetti

YHS A Line Menu

Tuesday — Chicken Tenders

Wednesday — Meatball Sub Thursday — Nachos Friday — Club Sandwich

YHS B Line Menu

Tuesday — Scalloped Potatos

Wednesday — Pretzel & Cheese

Thursday — Potato Soup Friday — Pulled Pork Sandwich

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change without notice. All meals are served with milk

Home Fire Preparedness Project Set

Home fires are the single most common disaster across the nation. In a NFPA (National Fire Protection Association) survey, almost 62 percent of home fire deaths were a result of non-working smoke alarms or because there were no alarms in the home, and only 33 percent of Americans have developed

In an effort to reduce the number of injuries and deaths due to home fires, the American Red Cross has partnered with the Yankton Fire Department, Yankton County Emergency Management, USD students and MTMC nursing students to go door-to-door in a Yankton neighborhood on Saturday, April 11, to discuss fire safety with residents, distribute fire safety information, and install 10 year lithium battery smoke detectors in

Working smoke alarms cut the risk of dying in home fires by half," said Summer Geraets, Executive Director of the Dakota Plains Chapter of the American Red Cross. "As a part of our work to prevent, prepare for and respond to emergencies, Red Cross volunteers and our partners are educating the community and providing vital information on fire safety and the importance of maintaining working smoke alarms."

The volunteers will also be discussing emergency escape plans with residents. "In the average home, a fire can double in size every minute. That's why it's so important to not only have a functioning smoke detector to alert occupants, but to

also create and practice an escape plan so residents can get out of their homes safely," said Tom Kurtenbach, Fire Chief of

Volunteers will be going door-to-door starting at noon on Saturday, April 11. They will be canvassing the neighborhood between 19th and 23rd on Douglas and homes along Whiting

Menus listed below are for the week of April 6, 2015. Menus are subject to

YHS C Line Menu

Wednesday — French Bread Pizza Thursday — Chicken Burger Friday — Hamburger

Sacred Heart Schools

Tuesday — Tator Tot Casserole

Thursday — Pulled Pork Sandwich Friday — Pepperoni Pizza

The Center/Yankton

Wednesday — Salisbury Steak Thursday — Autumn Chicken

Tabor Senior Citizens Center

Wednesday — Mac & Cheese Thursday — Cook's Choice

2409 East Highway 50

Wednesday — Hamburger

Monday — Ham & Potatos

Tuesday — Pork Chops

Friday - Pork Cutlet

Tuesday - Pork Cutlet

Monday — N/A

Monday - No School

Monday - No School

Tuesday — Tavern

homes that do not have working smoke detectors

the Internet, processing forms, collecting and reporting data, and meeting with individuals in public locations, such as libraries or senior centers. SHIINE volunteers can also serve in other ways, such as taking phone calls, helping at health fairs or other public venues, making presentations, or other general of-fice functions. Volunteers can choose the hours they would like to provide services. A SHIINE volunteer may not hold a current license to sell insurance.

SHIINE will be holding orientation webinars on April 9 and April 14 for individuals who have expressed interest.

- Training topics include: Program Orientation,
- All parts of Medicare, • How to counsel people individually,
- How to provide referrals, and
- How to navigate the Medicare website and plan finder tool.

To become a SHIINE volunteer or learn more about it, visit www.shiine.net or contact a regional coordinator nearest you:

• Eastern South Dakota: Tom Hoy, Phone: 605-333-3314 or 1-800-536-8197; Email: shiine@activegen.org/.

Car Talk

A Tale Of Two Cars

BY RAY MAGLIOZZI

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Dear Car Talk: I am retiring to Mexico this year. I need to buy a new car there. Since I've always driven a small, compact car here in the U.S., I'd like to try something different, with more power, comfort, speed and that "je ne sais quoi." My new-car options are either a red Honda Civic Coupe Si π or a silver Honda Pilot Touring with all-wheel drive. In your vast knowledge of cars, which one would you recommend for an old girl not ready to retire from having fun?

— Rebecca

I lean toward the Pilot, for two reasons: (1) The unknown quality of the roads, and (2) it's not red.

While there are plenty of good roads in Mexico, you don't say precisely where you're moving. If the roads aren't in great condition and are full of potholes where you live (like they are in our fair city), that Civic Si, with its sportier tuning, is going to clatter your teeth all day long. So if you ignore our advice, make sure you also get an excellent Mexican dental plan.



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Si's low ground clearance probably will cost you a couple of exhaust systems along the way. So get a plan for those, too.

The Civic Si is best on smoothly paved roads. It handles really well, but to get that "planted to the road" feeling,

you give up some ride comfort. And you may want all the ride comfort you

The other issue I have with it is that it's bright red. And I think when you're living in a foreign country — and especially if you may be perceived as "well off" by the locals — you want to blend in as much as possible so as not to make yourself a target. Driving a brandnew, sporty red car is likely to attract attention, and perhaps not the kind of attention you want.

Again, I don't know exactly where you're going. You may end up living in a neighborhood full of Range Rovers and

Escalades. Your neighbors may feel sorry for you in your little, red Civic. But to be safe, I'd lean toward something a little less attention-grabbing.

I think the Pilot will be more comfortable if you have to navigate poorer roads. It's also reliable and practical, with its cargo space and all-wheel drive. And silver is a color that doesn't scream "Look at me" as much as red does.

The Pilot isn't invisible, either, since it's a late-model SUV. But it's not a particularly flashy one. In fact, I don't think of the Pilot as having very much "je ne sais quoi"; I think of it as having more "grand derriere." Enjoy your retirement,

What is the most cost-effective way to buy a car? Car Talk hashes it all out in the pamphlet "Should I Buy, Lease, or Steal My Next Car?" Send \$4.75 (check or money order) to Next Car, P.Ò. Box 536475, Orlandó, FL 32853-6475.

Got a question about cars? Write to Car Talk in care of this newspaper, or email by visiting the Car Talk website at www.cartalk.com.

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For The Children In Need



The Yankton First United Methodist Church recently packed 4800 meals at Mercy Meals of Yankton for children in need of our care. To learn more about how you can make a difference, please visit www.mercymealsyankton.org or find us at our Facebook page.

Rummage Sale To **Benefit Local Charities**

Catholic Daughters, Court Willard #967 are sponsoring a multi-family rummage and bake sale on Saturday, April 11, in Link Auditorium at the corner of

Fifth and Capitol. Proceeds from the sale will help support local charities. Several other vendors will offer their own merchandise for the same. Hours of the sale will be 7

a.m.-1 p.m. Items included in the sale are books, bedding, kitchen items, decorations. children's clothing and much more. Homemade

delicacies will be sold at the bake sale.

Some of the organizations that will benefit include Yankton Women's Shelter, Science Club, Mount Marty Scholarship, Girls State and many more.

Court Willard of Catholic Daughters of the Americas is an organization of Catholic women in Yankton dedicated to prayer and service to church and community.

For more information, contact Mary Johnson at 665-6262.

Yankton Library To Celebrate D.E.A.R Day

Join the Yankton Community Library on Friday, April 10, as we celebrate D.E.A.R., national "Drop Everything and Read" Day, in honor of Beverly Cleary's birthday.

Clearly, a beloved children's author, first wrote about D.E.A.R. in "Ramona Quimby, Age 8." Inspired by letters from readers sharing their enthusiasm for the D.E.A.R. activities implemented in their schools, Mrs. Cleary decided to give the same experience to Ramona and her classmates.

Whether you're on your own or cozied up on the couch with your kids, reading is so much more fun and rewarding than just about anything else.

brary staff is asking people of all ages to "drop" what they're doing on April 10, pick up a book and read.

If you come to the library on April 10, you'll find special chairs that will be occupied by someone who is reading every minute of the day. We are inviting guest readers to spend 15-30 minutes of their day with us to D.E.A.R. If you'd like to join them, you can. Simply go to http://bit.ly/1nThfxW, choose your reading time, and enter your name on the spreadsheet. If someone has already chosen your preferred time, come join us anyway.

For more information, contact the library at 668-5276.

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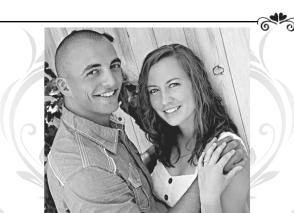
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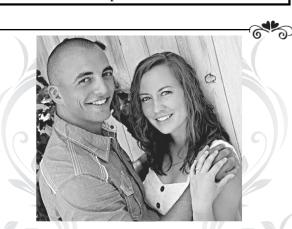
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Doug and Karen Ekeren of Yankton, SD are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Laura Danielle Ekeren to Caden Alan Alexander, son of Randy and Leigh Alexander of Plainview, NE.

salesman with CHS in Wausa, NE. The couple is planning a June 6, 2015 wedding at St. Benedict Catholic Church in Yankton, SD.



Ekeren-Alexander

The bride is a graduate of Yankton High School and Mount Marty College. She is currently employed at Midwest Bank in Plainview, NE. The groom is a graduate of Plainview High School and Wayne State College. He is currently an agronomy

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THE FAMILY OF FLOYD AND JOYCE GROSS would like to say "Thank you so very much" for all of the love and support shown to us in the loss of our mother, father, grandmother and grandfather. Although the journey was long and sometimes difficult, their deep love for each other sustained them

every step of the way.

Thanks to Wintz-Ray Funeral Home for the advice and beautiful services; to St. John's Lutheran Church for a lifetime of spiritual fellowship, to Pastors Gunderson and Weispfennig for their words of comfort and to the ladies for the funeral meal; to VFW Post 791 Honor Guard for the military rites; to Avera Sacred Heart for the caring attention to Floyd in his final days; and to Sanford Vermillion Care Center for the years of dedicated longterm care of Joyce.

Finally, to those who showed support by providing food, flowers, plants, cards, hugs and memories and by honoring our parents with your presence at the prayer services and funeral, you made a sad time much easier to get through.

> Deanna and Tim Garvey Family Steve and Anita Gross Family Randy and Mary Gross Family Julie and Steve Bloch Family Sheri and Jeff Jenkins Family



/ankton Transmission

Did you harvest or sell corn between November 1, 2013 and the present? You may be entitled to compensation.

Call Attorney Charles H. Johnson 1-800-535-5727