

### State Prison Inmate Back In Custody

PIERRE — A state prison inmate from the Yankton Minimum Unit that walked away from his work release job in Yankton July 30 is back in custody.  
Inmate Myron Rainbow Sr. was apprehended in Avon Tuesday evening by local law enforcement. He was transported to the Yankton County Jail.  
He is currently serving a five-year sentence for fourth-offense drunk driving out of Charles Mix County.

### East Eighth St. To Close Starting Thursday

East Eighth St. from Douglas Avenue to Burleigh Street in Yankton will be closed to all traffic for two days beginning Thursday, Aug. 2. Alternate routes will need to be used while streets are being paved. Streets will need to be cleared of all vehicles when the no parking signs are placed along these streets.

### Reception For Photo Show, Art In Bloom Is Fri.

Yankton Area Arts will be hosting a First Friday reception for The Mighty Mo' Photo Show and Art in Bloom this Friday, Aug. 3, at the G.A.R. Hall Art Gallery.  
Fifteen area photographers have entered pieces composed around this year's theme of "Flora and Fauna," and their work will be complimented by ten living floral designs from area gardeners and florists as part of the Art in Bloom exhibit.  
First Friday is a free event that runs from 5-7 p.m. Refreshments will be served, and awards will be presented at 5:30 p.m.  
The G.A.R. Hall Gallery is free to the public and open from 1-5 p.m. on weekdays and 1-3 p.m. on Saturdays. Contact Amy Miner at 665-9754 or yaa@iw.net with any questions.

### 39th Honor Choir Concert Set For USD Friday

VERMILLION — The University of South Dakota and the South Dakota American Choral Director's Association will present the 39th annual South Dakota Honor Choir Concert at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Aug. 3 at Aalfs Auditorium inside Slagle Hall on the USD campus.  
Guest conductor Dr. Lynne Gackle of Baylor University and 150 of South Dakota's best high school choral musicians will perform several classical and contemporary musical selections. Recent USD graduate and Yankton native Scott Arens will serve as accompanist for the performance. Tickets will be available beginning at 6:30 p.m. the day of the show.  
For more information about the 39th annual High School Honor Choir Concert at USD, contact Holdhusen at (605) 677-5721 or e-mail David.Holdhusen@usd.edu.

### Boy Scouts To Hold Monthly Collection Sat.

Yankton Boy Scout Troop No. 133 will hold its monthly scrap newspaper and aluminum can collection Saturday, Aug. 4. Papers and cans will be picked up at the trailer courts and apartment complexes in Yankton. Also, paper and cans will be picked up at Riverside Acres.  
Have newspapers and cans secured in sacks or small cardboard boxes and ready to be picked up by 9 a.m. Saturday.  
Paper and cans may also be taken to the Riverview Park Reformed Church Parking Lot, 1700 Burleigh, between 9:30-11:30 a.m. Saturday.  
For more information on the newspaper and aluminum can collection, call 665-0685. The Boy Scouts cannot handle tin or plastic. These need to be placed with the recycling the city picks up or taken directly to the landfill for recycling.

## National Park Service Programs Begin Friday

Missouri National Recreational River, Southeast South Dakota's and northeast Nebraska's hometown national park, continues the summer schedule of ranger programs this weekend. All programs are free; at state parks, normal entrance fees apply.  
• Friday, August 3  
— 7 p.m., Chief White Crane Amphitheater: "Tokens of Friendship?" — For Junior Rangers. Peace medals were an important part of negotiations and treaties with American Indians, including Lewis & Clark's contacts. A National Park Ranger reveals their mixed meanings while you make your own decorated peace medal.  
— 8 p.m., Burbach picnic shelter, Lewis & Clark Lake State Recreation Area, Nebraska: "Pelts & Profits" — The Missouri River was the highway of the fur trade, connecting the Plains Tribes to the manufactured goods of the world. In this live re-enactment, a trader of the 1850s shows samples of the goods available and gives kids the opportunity to make a deal in Plains Sign language.  
• Saturday, August 4  
— 10 a.m., Fort Randall site, Pickstown: "Fort Randall: Citadel on the Missouri" — For 36 years, Fort Randall stood as the easternmost link in the chain of forts surrounding the Great Sioux Reservation and the Lakota people. Learn how this fort influenced two cultures and thousands of lives. A National Park Ranger leads this guided walk of the site and ruins of the fort. Tour meets at the chapel

ruins.  
— 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Lewis & Clark Visitor Center: "Pelts & Profits" — The Missouri River was the highway of the fur trade, connecting the Plains Tribes to the manufactured goods of the world. In this live re-enactment, a trader of the 1850s shows samples of the goods available and gives kids the opportunity to make a deal in Plains Sign language.  
— 1 p.m., Lake Yankton, Southeast boat ramp: "Canoeing 101" — Before you go out to explore the Wild and Scenic River, learn the basics of canoe handling and safety in this clinic led by National Park Rangers. For ages 12 to adults. Reservations required; Call the Lewis & Clark Visitor Center at 402-667-2546.  
• Sunday, August 5  
— 11 a.m.-1 p.m., Lewis & Clark Visitor Center: "Alien Invasion" — Plants from other parts of the world are trying to crowd out native species and agricultural crops. See samples of these plants and learn what we can do to control them.  
Coming up on Saturday, Aug. 11: Missouri National Recreational River, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, and South Dakota State Parks team up to bring you "Families on the River." Discover new family recreation opportunities with the kids' fishing clinic, mini canoe clinics, National Parks quiz wheel game, water safety games and activities, geocaching and more.

## Scotland Man Seeks Change Of Venue In Murder Case

BY RANDY DOCKENDORF  
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TYNDALL — A Scotland man charged with murder in the March 2011 death of his infant son is requesting that his trial be moved out of Bon Homme County.  
Chris Miller is charged with the alleged beating death of his 4-month-old son, Jacob. Chris Miller has pleaded not guilty to charges of second-degree murder, first-degree manslaughter and aggravated assault of a child under 3 years of age.  
Chris Miller has filed a motion seeking the change of venue for the trial scheduled to begin Oct. 29, according to the Bon Homme County clerk of courts office. The motions hearing on the change of venue has been set for Aug. 22 in Tyndall.  
The defense has also filed a motion seeking a biomechanical engineer, according to court records.  
The trial was originally set for May, but Circuit Judge Glen Eng granted the request for a delay. Eng has continued to allow two weeks for the trial.  
The judge granted the trial delay because of scheduling conflicts involving expert witnesses

and the prosecution, according to the Bon Homme County Clerk of Courts office. In addition, difficulties arose in finding a large block of time on the court schedule for a lengthy trial, the clerk's office said.  
In other trial-related activity, a full day was devoted last April to testimony from expert witnesses, according to the clerk's office.  
In addition, Eng previously granted Chris Miller's request for access to some of his wife's medical records, but under tight restrictions.  
Defense attorneys Tim Whalen of Lake Andes and Scott Podhradsky of Wagner sought Stacy Miller's medical records, alleging she was depressed before and after giving birth and was unstable.  
Stacy Miller's attorney, Yankton lawyer Dave Hosmer, said defense attorneys not only want to discredit his client's testimony but also seek to cast suspicion on her.  
Eng released portions of Stacy Miller's medical records that he believes might be relevant to the case. However, the records are only to be viewed by attorneys.  
Hosmer initially objected to producing his client's medical records. He argued the records are irrelevant to the trial, and the defense has not met the burden of proof that the records

are necessary for its case.  
After Eng's ruling, Hosmer produced the medical records for the judge's viewing.  
Deputy Attorney General Bob Mayer — who is prosecuting the case along with Bon Homme County State's Attorney Lisa Rothschild — said he didn't object to the defense request for Stacy Miller's records.  
Chris Miller faces a lengthy prison term if convicted of any of the charges surrounding his son's death.  
Second-degree murder, a Class B felony, carries a mandatory penalty of life in prison. First-degree manslaughter, a Class C felony, carries a maximum penalty of life in prison.  
Aggravated assault for a child under 3 years of age, a Class 2 felony, carries a maximum penalty of 25 years in the state penitentiary.  
If convicted on any of the charges, Miller could be found a habitual offender because of previous convictions. That status would intensify the aggravated-assault charge, raising it to a Class C felony with a maximum penalty of life in prison and a \$50,000 fine.

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## WHEELS OF FORTUNE



ANG PECHOUS/P&D  
The wheel of good fortune rolled into town for Yankton's Eric Peterka Tuesday as he was presented a 2013 Chevrolet Camaro that he won the television game show, "Wheel of Fortune." Peterka won a chance this past spring to be on the program: He played a \$5 scratch ticket purchased at a Yankton store, but the ticket lost; however, he put his name in a "second-chance" drawing, in which he and another South Dakotan were drawn to compete on the show. While on the program, he won the Camaro. Peterka (center) picked up the car at Northtown Automotive, where he was presented the keys by sales representative Bob Hunhoff (left) and Northtown Automotive co-owner Tanner Krantz.

## Man Faces Assault Charge In Scotland Incident

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TYNDALL — A Sioux Falls man will appear in court next week on charges of simple assault and resisting arrest related to an incident this summer in Scotland.  
Dillon D. Fischer, 22, was indicted by a Bon Homme County grand jury on the misdemeanor charges. Fischer will appear Aug. 10 before Magistrate Judge Tami Bern at the Bon Homme County courthouse in Tyndall.

The June 30 incident resulted in a broken arm for Scotland police chief Steve Knakmuhs, who was responding to the call. However, court records indicate Fischer's assault charge is not related to Knakmuhs' injuries.  
In the simple assault charge, Fischer is charged with intentionally causing bodily harm to Mark Pina, which did not result in serious bodily harm.

The second charge, resisting arrest, alleges that Fischer "did intentionally prevent or attempt to prevent a law enforcement officer, acting under color of authority, from effecting an arrest of the actor or another, by: (1) using or threatening to use physical force or violence against a law enforcement officer or any other person; (2) using any other means which creates a substantial risk of causing physical injury to the law enforcement officer or any other person."  
Fischer faces a maximum penalty of one year in the county jail and a \$2,000 fine on each count, according to the Bon Homme County Clerk of Courts office.  
Knakmuhs has been recovering from his broken arm. In the meantime, conservation officers Todd Crownover and Brian Humphrey have provided law enforcement for the Scotland community, according to the Bon Homme County clerk of courts office.  
Humphrey lives in Scotland has worked for the town's law enforcement in the past, according to the clerk of courts.

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## BHSU Adds Certificate Programs To RTEC

Black Hills State University (BHSU) has announced that it will expand its Yankton offerings this fall by adding four new certificate programs to the coursework already being offered at the Regional Technical Education Center (RTEC).  
"These certificates, like the Advanced Manufacturing degree, were collaboratively developed with industrial leaders to ensure that the training is relative to their current and future needs," said Steve Wynia, an assistant professor at BHSU who has been instrumental in helping to create and implement the Yankton course offerings.  
According to Wynia, the certificate programs were designed with input from local industries and manufacturers and were all designed to give students advanced skills in targeted areas of industry. The new certificates can be completed separately or taken as a part of the two-year Associate of Science in Advanced Manufacturing degree that has been offered at RTEC for the past several years.  
BHSU's four new certificates include:  
• The Advanced Computer Aided Manufacturing Certificate which:  
— Addresses the ongoing need to train current and future workers for today's highly computer integrated industrial manufacturing environment  
— Integrates several computer software systems and machines and teaches students about manufacturing operational procedures, manufacturing design principles, machine safety/safeguarding along with proper manual industrial machine use and care  
— Consists of courses in Manufacturing Technology, CAD Mechanical Drafting, Machining Processes and Computer Aided Manufacturing  
• The Mechanical Computer Aided Drafting Certificate that:  
— Addresses the demand for highly qualified computer aided drafts persons  
— Focuses on teaching introductory through ad-

vanced three-dimensional, multi-component design and virtual assembly processes along with rapid prototyping three-dimensional modeling  
— Consists of courses in Computer Aided Drafting I, CAD Mechanical Drafting I, Computer Aided Drafting II and CAD Mechanical Drafting II  
• The Industrial Leadership and Management Certificate which:  
— Focuses on the demand for highly qualified leadership personnel  
— Equips students with the knowledge of the overall operations of an industry and teaches them how to work effectively with personnel in leadership and management areas  
— Features courses in Industrial Management, Management and Leadership, Human Resource Management and Negotiations & Conflict/Dispute Resolution  
• The Lean Concepts and Management Certificate that:  
— Is designed for all levels of employees from upper management to production floor personnel  
— Expands on what is sometimes referred to as Lean tools to include long-term Lean management and the leadership required to transition the culture of the entire workforce into a functioning Lean enterprise  
— Includes courses in Safety Management, Leadership & Management, Lean Concepts and Lean Management  
"These certificates are an excellent way for individuals to develop the skills needed to enter the industrial workforce or to give employees the skills they need to advance in their current jobs," according to BHSU's Wynia.  
For more information on the two-year Advanced Manufacturing degree or on any of the new certificate programs offered by Black Hills State University, contact RTEC at (605) 668-5700 to schedule an appointment. Or contact Wynia by email at Steve.Wynia@bhsu.edu.

## Burglaries

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Yankton County and Stanton County, Neb.  
The variety of stolen items recovered during the investigation included approximately \$20,000 in jewelry, as well as guns, a coin collection and other household items.  
Also seized during the search was methamphetamine, marijuana and drug paraphernalia.  
Hollum originally came into contact with the sheriff's department when he was recently implicated in the theft of a wallet at a

business in the Lewis and Clark Lake area. No charges came of that case, but authorities were able to tie him to a burglary at a cabin in the lake area that was reported July 29. He is also suspected of stealing from the business he worked for by the lake.  
Most of the items recovered during Monday's search are believed to be from a residence in Stanton County.  
On Tuesday, authorities planned to execute search warrants on other property owned by Hollum.  
Vlahakis said the investigation is ongoing, and it is anticipated that charges will also be brought in Stanton County.

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## OBITUARIES

### Elvis LaPlante

SANTEE, Neb. — Funeral services for Elvis LaPlante, 29, of Santee, Neb., are at 2 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, 2012, at the Oyate Oyanke Community Center, Santee. Roger Trudell and Kaylon Strickland will officiate, with burial in the Congregational Cemetery at Santee. Military Honors will be conducted with the Santee Honor Guard and the Nebraska National Guard Honor Team.  
Visitation was held at 6 p.m. Tuesday at the Oyate Oyanke Community Center, Santee, and continues until service time on Thursday, with nightly wake services at 8 p.m.  
Elvis died Monday as the result of an automobile accident near Niobrara, Neb.  
Brockhaus Funeral Home, Niobrara, is in charge of arrangements.

### Evelyn Riehle

VERMILLION — Evelyn "Evie" Riehle, 90, of Vermillion, formerly of Burbank, died Tuesday, July

31, 2012, at Prairie Estates Care Center, Elk Point.  
Funeral arrangements are pending with Kober Funeral Home, Vermillion.

### Ann George

Funeral services for Ann George, 99, of Lincoln, Neb., formerly of Creighton, Neb., are at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 2, 2012, at Old Cheyney Missionary Alliance Church, Lincoln. Pastor Jeff Petersen will officiate, with Graveside Services at 4:30 p.m. Thursday in Greenwood Cemetery at Creighton.  
Visitation is one hour prior to services at the church in Lincoln.  
Brockhaus Funeral Home, Creighton, is in charge of arrangements.  
Ann died Monday at The Arbors in Lincoln.  
To sign the guestbook, extend on-line condolences or for driving directions, visit www.brockhausfuneralhome.com