

BEST OF SHOW



From Katrine Newland of Yankton



From Linda Richards of Yankton



From Mary Klimczyk of rural Crofton

Garden Club

Winners Announced In Annual Flower, Vegetable Show

Photos And Story By Brenda K. Johnson

The annual Yankton Town and Country Garden Club Flower/Vegetable Show was held July 26 at the Yankton Community Library. "Best turnout of entries ever, in 12 years of the annual Flower/Vegetable Show," said Betts Pulkrabek, one of the event organizers. The 179 entries included many new entrants to the show and about a hundred additional visitors to see the public display of flowers and vegetables. Yankton Town and Country Garden Club sponsored and participated in the show and

invited area garden clubs from Wakonda, Viborg and Tyndall to enter specimens, along with the general public. "Outstanding amount of single stem entries this year," she said. "We had fourteen varieties of daylilies. Weather must have been right this year for perfect blooms. This show was a chance for people to show what they grow." "We have Best of Show (top honor) in every category now," she said. "Horticulture Floral, Horticulture Vegetable, Design, Canning, and Junior Division. We had over a hun-

dred First Place or Blue Ribbons in the show. Some master gardeners were judges along with club members. Top honors went to several Yankton Town and Garden Club members. Pulkrabek provided Best Of Show results:

- Design Division: Linda Richards won with "Shades of Green" entry and Betts Pulkrabek was runner up with "Patriotic" entry.
- Horticulture Division Floral: Linda Richards won with "Outdoor Pot" and Marilyn Kratz was runner up with gladiola.
- Horticulture Division Vegetable: Mary

Klimczyk won with an eggplant specimen and Melody Burt was runner up with "Edible Green Tomato."

- Canning Division: Mary Klimczyk's pickle mix won and Michelle Townsend's relish was runner up.
- Junior Design Division: Katrine Newland won with "Fairie Garden" entry.
- Junior Horticulture Division: Katrine Newland won with yellow peppers and Tori Weiland was runner up with cucumbers.



From Linda Richards of Yankton

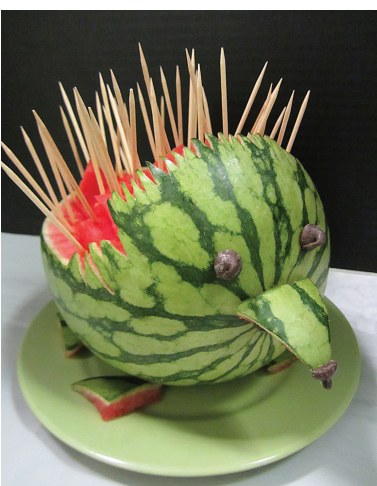


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FUNKY FRUITS AND VEGETABLES



From Karen Kostel-Rasmussen of Yankton



From Linda Richards of Yankton



From Donna Anstine of Yankton

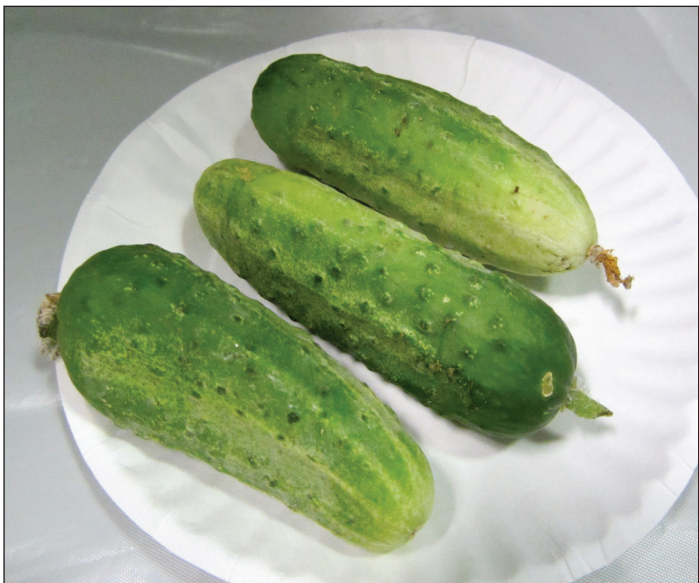
HORTICULTURE



Horticulture "House Plant": Sarala Somepalie



Horticulture Floral "One Stem": Suzanne Preszler



Junior Division Horticulture Vegetable: Tori Weiland

Yard Of The Month

Ekerens Win YOM Honor

This month's Yard of the Month honor has been awarded to Marv and Marilyn Ekerens at 201 E. 26th St., Yankton. If you were to describe this yard with one word it would have to be "meticulous." The green lawn is bordered with washed river rocks that range in color from cream to brown. The yard is terraced with lawn and rock at each level. Every plant is carefully placed in the rock area. Geraniums share space with feather reed grass. Marigolds brighten the ground around the mailbox.

Plantings include: purple impatiens, sweet williams (multi-colored), petunias of all colors, coreopsis, asters, day lilies of all varieties and spirea bush. Tasteful statuary and large pots overflowing with blooming plants add extra interest, as does the giant turtle that guards the driveway. All three sides are of interest, so drive slowly and enjoy. The "Yard of the Month" is awarded by Yankton Town and Country Garden Club.



Welcome to the World

The following babies were born at Avera Sacred Heart Hospital in July 2014:

ABRIEL	GARRET	KARSTEN	MILES
AJAY	HALLE	KASSIDIE	PATRICK
ANNA	HARPER	KEAGAN	REBEKAH
ANNABETH	HEATHER	KURT	RYDER
BETHANY	HYSNA	LAIYLA	RYLAN
BRYNLEE	INDIGO	LEAH	STANFORD
CANAAN	ISABELLE	LIAM	TALISHA
CAROLINE	JACE	LONDON	TAYDEN
CARTER	JAX	MALIYAH	XAVIER
DAYTON	JORDYN	MARCUS	XIMENA
DESTINIE	JOSEPHINE	MARY	ZOEY
ELIZABETH	KAMLEA	MAX	



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