

Free L&C Trail Maps Available

PIERRE — The South Dakota Department of Tourism is making South Dakota's Lewis and Clark Trail historic sites more accessible for today's travelers with free self-guided vacation adventure maps that are available online at www.lewisandclarkcountry.org/, and at many state and city visitor centers, attractions and parks.

A total of three self-guided Lewis and Clark Trail Circle Tour vacation maps have been developed for South Dakota that include historic Lewis and Clark Expedition sites, as well as National and State Parks along the Trail.

"The history of the Lewis and Clark Expedition represents an important chapter in our nation's and state's history. It is an exciting story of adventure, courage facing the unknown and cooperation with many Native American tribes who lived along the expedition's route," said Jim Hagen, Secretary of the South Dakota Department of Tourism. "The circle tours provide easy-to-follow route maps for fun and memorable week-long or weekend vacations in South Dakota."

The South Dakota Department of Tourism has partnered with the National Park Service, the Lewis and Clark Trail Heritage Foundation and the state tourism departments in North Dakota, Montana and Nebraska in the development of this program.

The South Dakota Department of Tourism is comprised of Tourism, the South Dakota Arts Council and the South Dakota State Historical Society.

SDSU Extension Hosts State-Wide Tests

BROOKINGS — Dial gauges on pressure canners should be checked for accuracy and overall condition every year prior to the beginning of canning season. If you use your dial gauge canner throughout the year, check it at the same time every year. If you own a pressure canner with a weighted gauge, this does not have to be checked.

To reach the people of South Dakota, SDSU Extension has collaborated with several businesses that have agreed to provide pressure canner testing.

Call ahead to confirm the hours the site is open for business.

New partners are continually trained to provide testing, so the list from across the state will continue to grow.

For more information or to become a testing site, contact Lavonne Meyer, SDSU Extension Food Safety Field Specialist, Lavonne.Meyer@sdsstate.edu.

Library Seeks Teens For Advisory Board

The Yankton Community Library is seeking interested middle and high school students to form a Teen Advisory Board.

The purpose of the group is to plan and help implement special programs and events for teens and tweens, as well as make recommendations for additions to the young adult collection.

Application forms are available at the library and, when completed, can be returned at the circulation desk or to Joyce Moore, youth services librarian.

A September meeting is being planned for the new board, with the date to be announced later.

For more information on this new program, contact the library at 668-5276.

BBB Expands Senior Education Programs

OMAHA, Neb. — Frauds targeting senior citizens continue to be a growing concern as millions have fallen victim to scammers. Scam artists are trying harder than ever to trick seniors into giving them money, and they are succeeding. In many instances, seniors have lost their entire nest eggs and homes.

Better Business Bureau (BBB) and its Foundation serving Nebraska, South Dakota, The Kansas Plains and Southwest Iowa provides programs and materials that educate seniors about ways to recognize and avoid some of the most common scams. "Education is a person's best defense against scammers," stated BBB President and CEO Jim Hegarty. "It's extremely important that family members keep the lines of communication open with parents and grandparents so you can identify suspicious spending habits and help elder family members recognize the red flags associated with: Grandparent Scams, Foreign Lottery Scams, Medical and Medicare-Related Scams, Financial Frauds and Deceptive Door-to-Door Sales."

BBB has started producing a series of video reenactments exposing the most common scams targeting seniors. "Rather than just telling people about a scam, we are showing how the con is perpetrated. You can hear and see a 'real' scam going down and the consequences for the victim," said Hegarty. "BBB decided that the first scam portrayal would be about Foreign Lotteries. More than \$100 million dollars are lost annually by people who are made to believe they have won a sweepstakes from another country." The video also provides alerts and tips to help viewers recognize this scam and hopefully prevent consumers from becoming victimized.

You can view this video on BBB's Facebook page at [Facebook.com/bbb1936](https://www.facebook.com/bbb1936), or go to [YouTube.com](https://www.youtube.com) and search BBB of NE, SD, KS Plains and SW Iowa. To help promote awareness, share it with family, friends and co-workers. If you have a business that would be interested in posting the video on your company's website or LinkedIn network, contact BBB Communications Specialist Jeff

Niebaum at 402-898-8550 or 800-649-6814 #8550.

Another program of BBB's Foundation is its Senior Line. This is a dedicated toll-free number that is a trusted source for seniors, care-givers, family members or concerned adults to receive reliable information on businesses, scams and the many offers that come in the mail, on the phone and through the Internet. BBB Senior Line may also be used to get pre-purchase information or file a complaint. Help, advice and information are only a phone call away. In addition, BBB has recently added another option on Senior Line called "Scam of the Month." Call BBB Senior Line at 877-637-3334 to check it out.

"BBB is making sure consumers know that free help and information are available. The Foreign Lottery video, BBB Senior Line and complimentary scam education presentations to organizations serving seniors are three unique ways BBB is working for seniors in our communities," Hegarty explained.

USD Marketing Images Captured By Drone

VERMILLION (AP) — The University of South Dakota is taking to the air to capture video used in marketing the Vermillion campus.

The Volante reports USD bought its first unmanned aerial vehicle, or drone, and used the tiny craft during last week's move-in day.

Communications director Tena Haraldson says it's intended to capture outdoor campus shots but could also

be used inside the Dakota-Dome.

The white drone cost \$1,300, has four propellers, can fly at more than 30 mph and is equipped with a high-definition camera and technology to keep it steady.

Haraldson says Vermillion's airport is not a controlled air space, so the drone won't be a safety hazard to other aircraft.

The long-term legality of drones by public universities is still unclear.

Area Retired School Personnel to Meet

The first meeting of the 2014-2015 Yankton Area Retired Teachers Association will be held on Thursday, Sept. 4, at Jo Deans Restaurant. It will begin at 11:30 a.m.

A short business meeting

will follow the program.

This event is open to all retired school personnel living in the Yankton and surrounding areas.

If you have questions, call 665-7977.

Janklow

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Legislature in Pierre.

Janklow's son, Russell Janklow, said his dad would have been honored to have his portrait displayed alongside other governors.

"He really loved USD," Russell Janklow said. "He enjoyed his years here in Vermillion."

In the spring of 2011, Gov. Janklow came back to USD to conduct a three-hour seminar on South Dakota politics and policy once a month.

Bierle also taught the class. She said that Gov. Janklow told the class repeatedly, "Don't yearn to be somebody. Plan to do something."

Bierle recently asked students who took the class what was the most important lesson they learned.

Former student Shane Bryan, who is now an assistant director for Graduate Service Learning at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, shared his feelings with Bierle in a correspondence.

"Gov. Janklow made a huge impression on me," he told her. "I have embraced a life of public service but it wasn't until recently that I traced this commitment to Gov. Janklow."

Bierle said that Brian recalled a devastating tornado that affected his life in 1998.

"I was 10 years old," he told her. "I remember Gov. Janklow's call to service that day."

Bryan admired Janklow despite some philosophical differences.

"He and I didn't always

agree politically," Bryan wrote Bierle. "However, I always did admire his commitment to South Dakota. He understood that not everyone gets a fair shot, and that we as a society have to remember this. He stood up for what he believed in. He care and he acted. When he could have closed his doors on those who had knocked him down on so many occasions, he decided to open his heart to a group of students."

Bierle noted that some of the students said it was their favorite class that they have ever taken in their college experience.

Spies, who was a friend of Janklow and his family, said he was honored to be the artist behind the portrait.

"It's a great honor and a privilege. It means so much to me," Spies said. "Being involved with the family and working on the project has given me a great amount of pride."

Spies has created two other portraits of Janklow. They are currently on display in the capitol in Pierre.

The artist said that he knew Janklow on a different level than most.

"I'm an artist, not a lawyer. To me, he was someone very caring and generous," Spies said.

"It's hard to put into words what this means to me. The more I started working on the portrait and the more details I put into it, the more emotional I got."

To follow Jordynne Hart on twitter got to twitter.com/hartjordynne. To discuss this story, go to yankton.net.

OBITUARIES

Richard Hoff

Funeral services for Richard R. Hoff, 91, of Tyndall, South Dakota will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, August 30, 2014 at Frieden's Reformed Church in Tripp with Rev. Greg Way officiating. Burial will follow in the Frieden's Reformed Cemetery, Tripp. Military graveside rites will be by Jelkin-Harms American Legion Post #142 and the South Dakota National Guard Military Funeral Honor Guard.

Visitation will be held from 3:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. on Friday, August 29 at the Goglin Funeral Home in Tyndall. Richard died on Thursday, August 21 at his residence in Tyndall.

Online condolences may be sent at www.goglinfh.com/.

Richard Robert Hoff was born on December 30, 1922 in a three room sod house



Richard Hoff

on a farm northeast of Menno to August and Johanna (Reiser) Hoff. He was baptized at Zion Reformed Church and confirmed at Menno Reformed Church. He graduated Menno High School in 1941. Richard was a World War II veteran serving in the military from February 27, 1943 to January 25, 1946. He attended basic training at Camp Ripley in Miami Beach, Florida and was then sent to Europe. He served in the military police and guarded base camp

throughout England, France, and Germany.

On June 3, 1951, Richard was united in marriage to Lillian Stoeber at the Reformed Church in Menno. Richard worked 36 years as an engineer for the South Dakota Department of Transportation retiring on December 14, 1984. In his free time, he loved to golf, share coffee with friends at the Corral in Tyndall, complete crossword and jigsaw puzzles, but most of all he enjoyed spending time with his kids, grandkids, and great-grandkids. They were the joy of his life.

Richard died on Thursday, August 21, 2014 surrounded by his daughters at his residence having attained the age of 91 years, 7 months, and 22 days.

He is survived by his four daughters: Pamela (Bob) Olsen of Kirksville, Missouri, Paula (Gene) Allstot of Vermillion, South

Dakota, Patricia (Mike) Hardman of Kalona, Iowa, and Peggy (Ray) Haenfler of Avon, South Dakota; eight grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; and a sister-in-law, Lorelei Hoff.

He is preceded in death by his wife, Lillian, his parents, August and Johanna Hoff, an infant son, Robert Richard, and three brothers: August, Calvin, and Alvin Hoff. He will truly be missed by his family, friends, and neighbors.

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Goglin Funeral Home

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George Ruppelt

Funeral services for George P. Ruppelt, 89 of Springfield will be 10:00 a.m. Monday, September 1, 2014 at the Emmanuel Reformed Church in Springfield, with John McNeill officiating. Burial will be in the Springfield Cemetery, rural Springfield.

Visitation will be at the Crosby-Jaeger Funeral Home in Springfield Sunday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., followed by a prayer service.

George Philip Ruppelt, son of Thomas A. and Helen (Dressman) Ruppelt, was born September 10, 1924 on a farm near Springfield. He died unexpectedly Tuesday, August 26, 2014 at the Good Samaritan Center in Tyndall. George attained the age of 11 months and 22 days.

George attended Quinn Country School for eight years and one and a half years at Springfield High School.

George married Leona W. DeGroot on May 15, 1952 at the Kingsburg Church. Nine children were blessed to their union. George and Leona farmed for 44 years



Ruppelt

near Kingsburg and retired in 1996. On May 10, 1997, they moved into Springfield. In June, 2014, they became residents of the Springfield Assisted Living Center. A few days later, George broke his hip. He had hip surgery at Avera Sacred Heart Hospital in Yankton and was transferred to the Good Samaritan Center in Tyndall for physical therapy.

George was a member of the Kingsburg Church (now known as Springfield Community Bible Church), where served as a trustee, custodian and the "official" bell ringer.

George will be remembered for his enjoyment of woodworking, being a handyman, playing pinocle, and putting puzzles together. He was also active with AWANA and Bon Homme Bible Camp.

Thankful for having shared his life are his wife of 62 years, Leona of Spring-

field; his children: Gary (died November 5, 2011) and wife June of Springfield; Jim and wife Julie of Lincoln, NE; Robert and wife Deb of Tyndall; David of Tyndall; Sandra Gamradt and husband Richard of Brookings; Philip and wife Janie of Midland, TX; Bill and wife Laura Ann of Show Low, AZ; Mary Bradshaw and husband Jim of Canton; and Jay of Yankton; 22 grandchildren; 11 great grandchildren; and many nieces, nephews and friends.

George was preceded in death by his son, Gary and grandson, Adam.

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Richard 'Dick' Steffen

Richard "Dick" Steffen, 64 of Hartington, Nebraska, died Wednesday, Aug. 27, 2014, at the Monarch Assisted Living in Lincoln, Nebraska, after a battle with cancer.

Mass of Christian Burial is at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 30, at Holy Trinity

Catholic Church in Hartington with the Rev. Jeffery Loseke officiating. Burial will be at St. Michael's Cemetery in Hartington.

Visitation is 4-8 p.m. Friday at church, with a vigil service at 7 p.m. Visitation will continue on Saturday at church one hour prior to services.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Wintz Funeral Home in Hartington.

Rob Marchand

Rob Marchand, 59, of Mitchell passed away peacefully with his family by his side, Tuesday, Aug. 26, at Avera McKennan Hospital, Sioux Falls.

Mass of Christian Burial is at 11 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 30, at Holy Spirit Catholic Church with burial at Calvary Cemetery, Mitchell.

Visitation is 6-8 p.m. Friday at the church with a wake service beginning at 7 p.m.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Will Funeral Chapel.

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The Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan will be closed Monday, September 1, for the Labor Day holiday.

The following deadlines will apply:

Out On The Town..... Noon, Wednesday, August 27
Tuesday, September 2 newspaper..... 5 p.m., Wednesday, August 27
Wednesday, September 3 newspaper..... 5 p.m., Thursday, August 28
Thursday, September 4 newspaper..... 5 p.m., Friday, August 29

There will be no newspaper on Monday, September 1, 2014

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