

**Road Constructions Cause Trail Closing**

The Department of Parks and Recreation reminds the community that the Auld-Brokaw Trail from 15th St. to 19th St. will be closed due to construction.  
The cooperation of the public in advoiding these areas would be appreciated.

**YHS Holds Orientation For Freshmen**

An orientation for ninth grade students and their parents will be held on Tuesday, Aug. 11. Students will report to their homerooms at 7 p.m. Staff will be available to help students find their homerooms. A presentation for parents will be held in the YHS main theatre from 7-7:45 p.m. The student orientation and parent presentation will both run from 7-7:45. Call Yankton High School at 665-2073, if you have any questions.

A letter pertaining to school information will be sent out prior to Aug. 11. Ninth grade schedules will be distributed in homerooms during Orientation on Aug. 11. All ninth grade parents are encouraged to put money into lunch accounts, purchase activity tickets, or pay any fees associated with particular classes from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. on Aug. 11. Staff will also be available during the entire week of Aug. 17-19 at the Yankton High School Principal's Office from 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

A letter pertaining to student schedules and other school information for grades 10-12 will be sent out prior to the week of Aug. 10-14. Schedules for students in Grades 10-12 may be picked as follows:

- Grade 12 — Aug. 13: 9-11 a.m.
- Grade 11 — Aug. 13: 1-3 p.m.
- Grade 10 — Aug. 14: 9-11 a.m.

Counselors will be available for schedule changes for Grades 10-12 during the above noted registration times and also on Aug. 19.

Parents of students in grades 10-12 should pay student fees anytime from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. during their designated registration times, or the Aug. 17-19 at the YHS Principal's office.

**Interactive Driving Tests Available**

Did you know that 4 out of 10 people fail the driving test the first time they take it? If this is your first time to take the test or you need to take the exam before your license can be renewed, the Yankton Community Library has help for you.

By accessing <http://library.cityofyankton.org>, you can click into South Dakota Driving Tests and find the following interactive driving practice tests for the state of South Dakota: 10 for cars, six for motorcycles, and three for CDL. There are also South Dakota driver's manuals for all three tests and a FAQ section with detailed answers to 100+ Department of Motor Vehicle questions.

You can practice the tests as many times as you like. Each time you answer a test question, it is instantly scored and, if you get the question wrong, you will be given the correct answer with an explanation from the driver's manual.

There is a "Read Aloud" toolbar that allows users to hear selections read aloud, make them into MP3s, translate pages into other languages, magnify text, and mask sections of the screen for greater visibility. All tests can also be read aloud.

For more information on this service, please contact the library at 668-5275.

**L & C Recreation Area Presents Events**

The Lewis and Clark Recreation Area schedule for Aug. 12-16 is as follow: (NOTE: Call the Lewis and Clark Welcome Center 605-668-2985 to preregister for Archery and Watercraft classes):

**WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12**

- 1 p.m., 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. — Archery Class: Gavins Point Archery Range

**THURSDAY, AUGUST 13**

- 10 a.m. — Scavenger Hunt Hike: Gavins Point Nature Trail
- 2 p.m. — Monarch Butterfly Program & Crt, Lewis and Clark Amphitheater

**FRIDAY, AUGUST 14**

- 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m./ — Watercraft Exploration, Lake Yankton Boat Ramp
- 1:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. — Archery Classes, Gavins Point Archery Range
- 3 p.m. — Critter Crate: Chief White Crane Amphitheater
- 7 p.m. — Geocaching: Pierson Ranch Amphitheater
- 9 p.m. — Outdoor Nature Movie: Lewis and Clark Amphitheater

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 15**

- 9 a.m., 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. — Archery Classes: Gavins Point Archery Range
- 11 a.m. — Science of Nature: Chief White Crane Amphitheater
- 7 p.m. — Nature Bingo: Pierson Ranch

**SUNDAY, AUGUST 16**

- 10:30 a.m. — Interdenominational Church Service: Pierson Ranch Amphitheater

**House Numbers Must Meet Provisions**

The City of Yankton reminds property owners that emergency personnel as well as delivery services depend on address numbers being displayed properly. When doing exterior maintenance chores this summer be sure to check the visibility of your house numbering.

City Ordinance requires all buildings display numbers on the door or front of the structure that are a minimum of 3 inches in height and are visible and legible from the street immediately in front of the building. Numbering on mailboxes, in landscaping or on curbs is not sufficient.

**A Wild 50th**



PHOTO: DOUG JORGENSEN  
The action was fast and furious at the Scottie Stampede rodeo, held this past weekend in Scotland. This year's Stampede marked the 50th anniversary of the event, and it drew large crowds. This photo was taken Saturday night. The Stampede also included a parade and a street dance.

**Farm & Ranch Program Deadline Close**

PIERRE — The deadline is quickly approaching to apply for the South Dakota Farm & Ranch Recognition Program. The South Dakota Farm & Ranch Recognition Program recognizes families who have run operations for 100 or 125 consecutive years. The application deadline is Thursday, Aug. 13, 2015.

To receive recognition as a South Dakota Century Farm or Ranch, a family must have retained continuous ownership of at least 80 acres of original farmland for a minimum of 100 years. Quasiquicentennial Farms and Ranches, those that have been continually owned for 125 years or more, will also be recognized. Families will be honored at a ceremony on Thursday, Sept. 3, at the South Dakota State Fair.

Application forms are available online at [www.sdfbf.org](http://www.sdfbf.org) by clicking "All About Ag" and then "Century-Quasiquicentennial Farm & Ranch Program." Applicants can also call South Dakota Farm Bureau at 605-353-8052. Documentation of the original date of purchase for the land must be included with the application.

Agriculture has long been the foundation of South Dakota history. The South Dakota Farm Bureau (SDFB) and the South Dakota Department of Agriculture (SDDA) would like to recognize and honor the families that contribute to that invaluable legacy.

The South Dakota Farm & Ranch Recognition program was initiated in 1984 by the SDFB. Since then, the SDDA has joined in recognizing these South Dakota families. The program has recognized 2,770 century farms and ranches and 250 quasiquicentennial farms and ranches thus far.

**River Basin Task Force To Meet Thursday**

PIERRE — The River Basin Natural Resource District Oversight Advisory Task Force will meet on Thursday, Aug. 13, in Room 413 of the Capitol in Pierre. The meeting will begin at 10 a.m. (CST). The public is invited to attend.

This is the first meeting of the task force that was created by the passage of Senate Bill 2 by the 2015 Legislature. Senate Bill 2 provided for the creation of the River Basins Natural Resource Districts. This task force has been tasked with the responsibility of overseeing the implementation of these districts. At this meeting the task force will be selecting a chair and a vice chair. The task force will begin to address the tasks assigned to the task force by that legislation.

All interested parties are invited to attend to comment to the task force about the tasks assigned to the task force.

The River Basin Natural Resource District Oversight Advisory Task Force consists of eight members: Senators Jason Frerichs (D-Wilmot) and Arthur Rusch (R-Vermillion); Representatives Steven McCleerey (D-Sisseton) and John Wiik (R-Big Stone City); and Paul Casper (Lake Preston), Karl Jensen (Whitewood), Denny Kiner (Mitchell), and Kim Vanneman (Ideal).

**DRIVER LICENSE EXAMS**

Here is the monthly schedule for area driver's license examinations in the area. File application at least one hour in advance of scheduled closing hours if you wish to complete examination on the same day. For more information, call (800) 952-3696 or visit [www.state.sd.us/dps/dl](http://www.state.sd.us/dps/dl)

- Armour — 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., second and third Thursday, Courthouse, 706 Braddock.
- Center/Knox Co. (Neb.) — 8:30-4 p.m. every Friday (closed noon-1 p.m.).
- Elk Point — 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., first and third Wednesday, Courthouse basement.
- Hartington/Cedar Co. (Neb.) — 8:30-4 p.m. every Thursday (closed noon-1 p.m.).
- North Sioux City — 8:45 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; second, fourth and fifth Wednesday, Community Center.
- Parker — 8 a.m.-5 p.m., first Wednesday, Courthouse basement.
- Vermillion — 7 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays, Courthouse, 211 W. Main.
- Wagner — 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., first and fourth Thursday, City Hall, 60 Main Ave. SE
- Yankton — 7 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays; 3113 Spruce, Ste. 109 (Kanner Bldg).

Federal regulations require anyone applying for a new, renewal or duplicate driver license or identification card to provide the documents listed below (photo copies are not acceptable):

- ONE of the following to prove identity, date of birth, and lawful status: Certified U.S. birth certificate issued by county or state (no hospital birth-certificates); valid unexpired U.S. passport; Certificate of Naturalization; Certificate of Citizenship; valid unexpired permanent resident card; valid unexpired employment authorization document; foreign passport with valid unexpired U.S. Visa with I-94.

NOTE: A driver license with a gold star in the upper right-hand corner also qualifies as a federally compliant card for identification.

If your name is different than the name on your identity document, you will need to bring additional proof of your legal name. Acceptable documents for proof of

legal name change are a certified marriage certificate (issued by a state vital records agency), a certified adoption document, or a certified court order authorizing a name change (such as a divorce decree). If you have had multiple marriages, you will need to bring similar documents providing legal proof of each name change. The examiners must be able to trace from your birth name to your current name.

- ONE document to prove your Social Security number: Social Security card, W-2 Form, SSA 1099 Form, Non-SSA 1099 Form, pay stub (must include name and Social Security number). The regulations do not allow personnel to accept any other document as proof of Social Security number.

- TWO documents to prove your residential address. A parent's proof of address is acceptable for a minor child. Bring two of the documents listed here (each must contain your current address): Utility bill, credit card statement, pay stub or earnings statement, rent receipt, phone bill, transcript or report card from accredited school, bank statement, mortgage document, tax document, homeowners/renter's insurance policy. Other items will be reviewed by licensing personnel. PO Box addresses are acceptable in areas not assigned street or 911 addresses. In South Dakota, if you are unable to provide proof of residency, visit [www.dps.sd.gov](http://www.dps.sd.gov) or call 1-800-952-3696.

NOTE: In South Dakota, application must be submitted at least one hour in advance of scheduled closing time. No drive tests will be given from 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

**OBITUARIES**

**Margaret Heard**

Margaret Lou Heard, 81, formerly of Yankton, died Sunday, Aug. 8, 2015, at Avera McKennan Hospital in Sioux Falls.

Funeral services will be 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 13, at the Wintz & Ray Funeral Home in Yankton with Delight Paulson officiating. Burial will be in the Rose Hill Cemetery in Shenandoah, Iowa.

Visitation will begin at 2 p.m. on Thursday, at the Wintz & Ray Funeral Home in Yankton, with the family present from 5-7 p.m.

To send an online message to the family, visit [www.wintz-rayfuneralhome.com](http://www.wintz-rayfuneralhome.com).

**Zack Mains**

Zackary Nicholas Mains died peacefully Friday, Aug. 7, at Cook's Children's Hospital, Fort Worth, Texas, with his parents at his side. He was born July 26th. His parents are Nick and Jessica Mains. Though with us such a short while, he touched the hearts of many.

Service are at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Lakeside Baptist Church in Granbury, Texas. Interment is in Acton Cemetery.

Visitation is 6-8 p.m. Monday at Wiley Funeral Home, Granbury.

**Eugene Koupal**

Eugene William Koupal, 88, Mitchell, died Saturday, Aug. 8, 2015 at Avera McKennan Hospital in Sioux Falls.

Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Aug. 12, at Holy Family Catholic Church in Mitchell. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery. Visitation will be from 5-7 p.m. at Holy Family Catholic Church with a prayer service at 7 p.m.

Funeral arrangements are under the direction of the Bittner Funeral Chapel.

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*Honoring Their Memory*

Our Thoughts And Prayers Are With Them

Our care and concern does not end with the funeral service. This week we remember with family and friends the anniversary of the deaths of:

**Harry Jay Batcheller**  
who passed away  
August 10, 2014

**Delores K. Novak**  
who passed away  
August 11, 2014

**Donald G. Modereger**  
who passed away  
August 12, 2014

**Albert J. Gall**  
who passed away  
August 13, 2014

**Art H. Hasker, Jr.**  
who passed away  
August 14, 2014

**Margorie Ann Raabe**  
who passed away  
August 15, 2014

**Steven Francis Schweitzer**  
who passed away  
August 16, 2014

This remembrance is brought to you free of charge. If you have a loved one you would like remembered, contact us at Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home & Crematory. Guiding and serving families with compassion and trust.

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