

OBITUARIES

Mary 'Jane' Wolfgram

MADISON – Services for Mary “Jane” Wolfgram, 75 of Madison, will be at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday at St. Leonard’s Catholic Church in Madison. The Rev. Anthony L. Espinosa will officiate. Burial will be at St. Leonard’s Cemetery in Madison following the mass.

Visitation will be 4-7 p.m. on Tuesday with a 7 p.m. rosary and prayer service at St. Leonard’s Catholic Church in Madison.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Home for Funerals in Norfolk.

She died peacefully, Sunday, Aug. 16, 2015, at her home in Madison with her family near her side after a courageous battle with cancer.

Jane Biermann Wolfgram was born on June 16, 1940 in Lindsay, Nebraska to Bill and Mary (Schaefer) Biermann. She grew up on a farm near St. Bernard, attended St. Bernard Catholic Church and graduated in 1958 from Humphrey St. Francis. After graduating she worked as a dental assistant for Albers and Albers Dental Office. She married Ronald E. Wolfgram October 15, 1960. Together they shared their love for each other, their devout Catholic faith, family and friends, daily walks and Husker football. They took great pride in attending their children and grandchildren’s sporting and other special events. Jane was an active member and leader in her community volunteering countless hours, serving as President of the Women’s Guild, and Board member of Countryside Nursing Home and Madison Senior Center. She enjoyed coffee time with dear friends and always looked forward to her next hand of Bridge. Jane cherished her time spent with family and had a special bond with her sisters along with her many nieces and nephews. Her warmth and compassion was especially felt during her 20+ years working at Countryside Home.

Jane had an ability to find the positive in every situation, even her fight against cancer for the past seven+ years. “You can always find a little bit of good in any situation”, she would say. She was always far more concerned about the well-being of others than worrying about herself.

Jane is survived by her beloved husband of 54 years, Ron; daughter Lori (Kevin) Keating of Omaha; son John (Lisa) Wolfgram of Laurel; son Jeff (Lisa) Wolfgram of Yankton; 11 grandchildren; sisters Romaine Gorman of Columbus, Donna Sock of Atlanta, Georgia, and Marilyn (Cliff) Shotkoski of Columbus. She was preceded in death by her parents; a brother Dennis Biermann; and sisters Doreen Boesch, Bernette Tarnick, and Lois Biermann.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made and will be directed by the family.

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Col. Lee Grosshuesch

Colonel Lee Grosshuesch passed away on May 7, 2015, a day after his 95th birthday.

He was born May 6, 1920 in Menno, South Dakota, the eldest of three brothers.

He is survived by his wife, Lois, his brother, Glenn Grosshuesch, SD, his son, Gary Grosshuesch, HI, his daughters, Lindy Klaus, VA, and Gail Van De Verg, HI, and seven grandchildren.

Lee enlisted in the US Army in 1942. From 1943 to 1946, he served in the 39th Squadron, in the Pacific Theater. He was a credited Ace, with eight aerial kills and the single-handed destruction of a Japanese destroyer in 1945, for which he earned the Silver Star. Following his retirement from the Air Force in 1973, Lee was Sales Manager at the Weyerhaeuser Paper Company, HI, from 1973 to 1992. Colonel Grosshuesch’s military decorations include the Silver Star, the Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Air Medal, and the Air Force Commendation Medal. Lee Grosshuesch will be greatly missed and fondly remembered by family and friends.

Memorial service was at Parker United Methodist Church, 45-211 Waikalua Rd., Kaneohe. Committal Ceremony was at Hawaii State Veterans Cemetery, 45-349 Kamehameha Hwy., Kaneohe.

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Craft Night For Adults Slated At Yankton Library Sept. 8

The Yankton Community Library’s first fall craft night for adults is Tuesday, Sept. 8, at 6 p.m. If you want to mark your calendars for future classes, set aside the second Tuesday of September through November for craft night. The crafty librarians have already picked the items to make for each month and are anxious to get started.

In September, participants will make a deco mesh pumpkin door wreath. If you have fall embellishments such as ribbon or flowers in your craft supplies and want to use them on your wreath, please bring them. If not, the library will provide added decorations.

Please note that we need to know in advance how much mesh to purchase. Therefore, the registration for the September class

closes on Tuesday, Aug. 25. As in the past, in order to register for the class, you must pay the fee to be added to the roster. Class size is limited to 15.

Because these classes are so popular and participants use the same tools most class nights, we are suggesting that you create your personal crafter’s tool kit and bring it with you. Items in your kit could include a glue gun, an extension cord, fabric scissors, non-fabric scissors, wire cutters, a small ruler, rotary cutter and basic sewing supplies such as needles, thimble, etc.

For more information, contact the library at 668-5275 and speak with Joyce Brunken or Susie Lippert.

YANKTON COURTS

CASES DISPOSED: JULY 24-30, 2015

Ashton Ray Wiedenfeld-Hood, 408 Burleigh Street #1, Yankton; Fail to maintain financial responsibility, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, dismissed-motion by prosecutor

Alice F. Johanneson, Scotland; Seat belt violation, \$25
Matthew Harvey, Crescent, Iowa; Speeding on other roadways, \$105

Hannah Hepner, Beresford; Speeding on other roadways, \$165
Deantre Tyars, Milwaukee, Wis.; Speeding on other roadways, \$105

Matthew Tjeerdsma, Avon; Seat belt violation, \$25
William J. King, Vermillion; Seat belt violation, \$25

Carol L. Markham, Columbus, Neb.; Obey traffic device unless directed by policeman, \$120
Gregory Brown, 2200 Green #15, Yankton; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, \$270

Jason Johnson, Tyndall; Speeding on other roadways, \$85
Benjamin Paul Wuebben, 100 Cottonwood Lane, Yankton; Seat belt violation, \$25

Rosie Plak, Tabor; Careless driving, \$120
Marsha Anne Hegdahl, Hespers, Iowa; Municipal Speeding, \$79

Roena Ann Robinson, Inglewood, Calif.; Speeding on other roadways, \$105
Garry Boswell, Beresford; Improper highway entry, \$120

Bonny Nelson, 302 Fairway Lane, Yankton; Speeding on other roadways, \$85
Michael Scott Lutz, Harrisburg; Seat belt violation, \$25

Gerald Koster, 100 Poison Oak Dr., Yankton; Seat belt violation, \$25
Kaylie Dawn Bernard, 221 1/2 Capitol St., Yankton; Seat belt violation, \$25

Terry Kirberger, Bellevue, Neb.; Speeding on other roadways, \$85
Billy Jack Floyd Chafin, 3307 Grand Duke St., Yankton; Unauthorized ingestion of controlled drug/substance in schedules I or II, \$1,354 plus 5 years in jail suspended; Possession of controlled substance in schedules I or II, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Possession of two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Aggravated eluding, \$1,354 plus 2 years in jail suspended; Domestic abuse aggravated assault - deadly weapon, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Resisting arrest, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Reckless driving, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Defendant prohibited from contacting victim prior to court appearance, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Simple assault attempt to cause bodily injury, \$334 plus 60 days in jail

Lance Gregory Ryken, 344 Gavins Point Rd., Yankton; Speeding on other roadways, \$105
Kenneth Ames Jr., Sioux Falls; Speeding on other roadways, \$105
Kenneth C. Dass, S. Sioux City, Neb.; Speeding on other roadways, \$105

Philip Carver, Kansas City, Mo.;

Speeding on other roadways, \$105
Gary Allan Reber, Gregory; Expired annual inspection, \$170
Emily Bos, 514 Broadway Ave., Yankton; Seat belt violation, \$25

Rachel Anne Cooke, Sioux Falls; Petty theft 2nd degree-\$400 or less, dismissed-motion by prosecutor

Joshua Alexander Opel, Sioux Falls; Petty theft 1st degree-more than \$400, \$84 plus \$3,267.48 restitution plus 360 days in jail suspended; Grand theft-more than \$2,500 and less than \$5,000, recharged-by information

Mark Travis Ellis, 314 Maple St. Apt. 1, Yankton; Driving under influence-2nd of, \$584 plus license revoked for one year plus one year in jail suspended; Simple assault attempt to cause bodily injury, \$584 plus one year in jail 320 days suspended; Aggravated assault-deadly weapon, recharged by information

Jacob D. Hubbs, 1919 Walnut St., Yankton; Seat belt violation, \$25

Jennifer Rabb, 1100 E. 8th St. #6, Yankton; Speeding on other roadways, \$105; Operator assure passengers 5-18 wear seat belts, \$25

John A. Kaufman, Dakota Dunes; Speeding on other roadways, \$145
Leo Liu, Renton, Wash.; Speeding on a state highway, \$145

Brian Hofer, Alcester; Seat belt violation, \$25
Joseph Robert Lebrun, Flan-dreau; Seat belt violation, \$25

Misty Dawn Johnson, 1017 Walnut St. #C11, Yankton; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Driving under influence-1st of, \$628 plus license revoked for 30 days

Kari Sue Stepp, Wausa, Neb.; Unauthorized ingestion of controlled drug/substance in schedules III or IV, \$1,532 plus 2 years in jail suspended; Unauthorized ingestion of controlled drug/substance in schedules I or II, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Contribute to abuse, neglect or delinquency, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Driving under influence-1st of, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Driving under influence-1st of, recharged-by information; Contribute to abuse, neglect or delinquency, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Driving under influence-1st of, recharged-by information

Stacy Kay Miller, 3501 West City Limits Rd., Yankton; Possession of controlled substance in

schedules I or II, \$1,354 plus 5 years in jail suspended; Possession of controlled substance in schedules I or II, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Possession of controlled substance in schedules I or II, recharged-by indictment

David Rothluebber, Fordyce, Neb.; Speeding on other roadways, \$105

Rebekah Elaine Badillo-Cor-chado, 700 Broadway, Yankton; Operator assure passengers 5-18 wear seat belts, \$25; Operator assure passengers 5-18 wear seat belts, \$25; Operator assure passengers 5-18 wear seat belts, \$25

Keisha Alexis Henson, 1410 Ash St., Yankton; Speeding on other roadways, \$85
Abbigael Jensen, Emerson, Neb.; Speeding on other roadways, \$125

Elizabeth A. Wallenstein, 109 Sid St., Yankton; Operator assure passengers 5-18 wear seat belts, \$25; Seat belt violation, \$25

Robert Gillis, Plainview, Neb.; Speeding on other roadways, \$105
Darcel Rae Stevens, 1802 Dakota St., Yankton; Speeding on other roadways, \$85

Joshua Charles Hudson, 155 Mulligan Dr., Yankton; Manslaughter-1st degree, \$19,204.10 plus \$1,829.90 plus 99 years in jail 49 years suspended; Habitual offender-1 or 2 prior felonies, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Murder-2nd degree, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Aggravated assault-bodily injury with dangerous weapon, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Grand theft-more than \$5,000 and less than \$100,000, dismissed-motion by prosecutor; Murder-2nd degree, recharged; Aggravated assault-bodily injury with dangerous weapon, recharged; Grand theft-more than \$5,000 and less than \$100,000, recharged

Tyler J. Mutchler, 1100 E. 8th St. #4, Yankton; Driving with revoked (not suspended) license, dismissed-motion by prosecutor

Patrick John Kotalik, Utica; Seat belt violation, \$25
Lawrence Alan Pokorny, 908 Bill Baggs Rd. #13, Yankton; Illegal lane change, \$120

Kameron Kendall, 2800 Broadway #58, Yankton; No drivers license, \$120

Dana Lien Pederson, 110 Greg Rd., Yankton; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, \$270; Seat belt violation, \$25

SF Speaker Featured At 1 Million Cups

Brienne Maner from the Downtown Sioux Falls Incubator Program will be the featured speaker at this week’s 1 Million Cups presentation, set for 9 a.m. Wednesday at the Avera Professional Pavilion.

The purpose of the Sioux Falls program is to create vibrancy and ensure a healthy business mix in downtown by supporting new retail concepts.

The public is welcome to attend.

Backpack Applications Are Sought

The Contact Center will be taking applications for low-income families needing help with school back packs for their children for the coming school year.

Last year, 176 children were provided a voucher for a backpack. Funding for this project is provided by local donations.

This year, the Contact Center will be supplying the backpack again for grades K-8. Families must sign up their children by Aug. 20. They may sign up by coming into the Contact office located in the County Government Center, lower level. Families must have an active SNAP Card to be eligible.

Any donations to this project can be sent the Contact Center, 321 W. 3rd St., Suite B02, Yankton, SD 57078.

Those needing help with school supplies call ROCS-Rural Office of Community Services at 1-877-254-6110 for an application.

County Bridge Projects Progressing

Yankton County Highway Department reports that Yankton County Bridge No. 68-200-155 on 30650 448th Avenue in Mission Hill will be completed and opened by Sept. 1, 2015. If there are unforeseen delays, it will be announced.

The highway department also reports the Yankton County Bridge No. 68-213-140 on 44940 305th Street, Volin, will be closed starting Aug. 20 due to maintenance work. The re-opening of this bridge will depend on the work being completed.

The public can also find updated information at <http://co.yankton.sd.us/Departments/Highway/tabid/63/Default.aspx/>.

CASA To Host Golf-Ball Drop Fundraiser

The Southeast CASA (Court-Appointed Special Advocates) Program is hosting The Golf Ball Drop for CASA fundraiser near Riverside Park on Saturday, Aug. 22, at 4 p.m., as a part of Riverboat Days 2015.

Southeast CASA is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, providing advocacy services for abused and neglected children from Yankton, Clay and Bon Homme counties who are involved in the foster care and family court systems. CASA’s highly-trained volunteers advocate for the children in these difficult situations, providing each child with a voice in Court. Our mission is to ensure that the best interests of a child are promoted as the Court determines where the child will have a safe, permanent home.

The Golf Ball Drop for CASA has 2,000 individually numbered golf balls which will be dropped from an extended fire truck ladder onto the grassy area east of the water treatment plant. Raffle tickets corresponding to the golf balls will be sold for \$5 each or 5/\$20. There are 17 chances to win \$100, and one chance to win \$500. Ticket holders do not need to be present to win.

A children’s activity takes place following the measurements. Kids will pick up as many golf balls as they can, each earning a prize for their help. CASA will weigh each bag, and a larger prize will go to the child in each category who gathers the most balls.

As a local non-profit organization, Southeast CASA relies on local support to help every child who needs a CASA advocate. You can provide CASA services for abused and neglected children through your participation in this fun activity.

To purchase your raffle tickets, contact the Southeast CASA Program at 605-760-4825 or 605-929-5126.

Vet. Service Office Closed Aug. 24-27

The Yankton County Veterans Service Office will be closed from Aug. 24-27. The South Dakota Department of Veterans Affairs is holding its annual educational conference in Pierre during these dates and the Yankton County Veterans Service Officer will be attending.

The Veterans Service Office will open on Friday, Aug. 28, during the normal office hours of 10 a.m. until noon and 1-5 p.m.

YHS Class of 1995 Reunion

The Yankton High School Class of 1995 will be hosting its 20-year reunion Saturday, September 5th at Hillcrest Golf Club. There will be a social hour starting at 5:30pm followed by dinner and entertainment, RSVP is required. For further information, visit the Facebook page “YHS Class of 1995 20th Class Reunion” or email yhsclass1995@hotmail.com

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