

THE PRESS & DAKOTAN WEATHER CENTER

Yankton's Forecast

Thursday 29 Sustained strong winds, sprinkles of rain
Wind: W, 20 to 35 mph
High: 56°
Low: 34°
Windy

Friday 30 Partly cloudy
Wind: SW, 10 to 20
High: 49°
Low: 31°

Saturday 31 Strong winds by day, few late flurries
Wind: NW, 15 to 25
High: 47°
Low: 24°

Sunday 01 Windy and cooler
Wind: NW, 25 to 40
High: 39°
Low: 20°
Windy

Monday 02 Cool, calmer weather
High: 36°
Low: 18°

Temperature

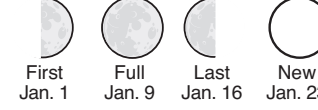
Yesterday's High / Low 52° / 19°
 Normal High 31°
 Normal Low 10.5°
 Record High 62° in 1999
 Record Low -32° in 1917

Precipitation

Yesterday's 0.00"
 Month to date 0.21"
 Year to date 25.42"
 Avg. year to date 23.79"
 Maximum this date 0.85" in 2006
 Yesterday's snowfall 0.00"
 Total snowfall for season 1.5"
 Maximum this date 5.2" in 1948

Sun and Moon

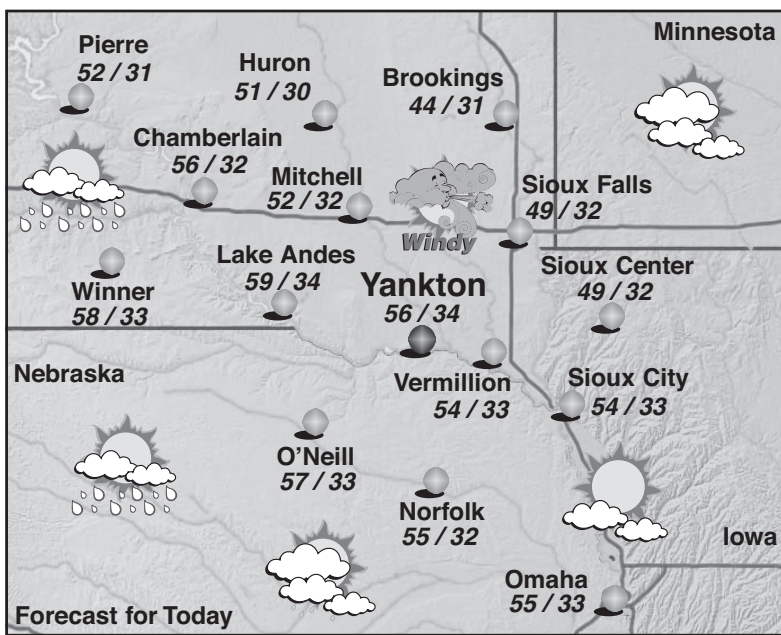
Sunrise **Sunset**
 Today 8:00 AM 5:03 PM
 Tomorrow 8:00 AM 5:04 PM
Moonrise **Moonset**
 Today 10:46 AM 10:50 PM
 Tomorrow 11:11 AM 11:51 PM



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Weather key: su-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, mc-mostly cloudy, c-cloudy, th-thunderstorms, sh-showers, r-rain, sn-snow, fl-flurries, w-wind

Regional Forecast



City	Today			Tomorrow		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
S. Dakota	41	28	ls	40	28	pc
Aberdeen	41	28	ls	40	28	pc
Brookings	44	31	r	43	28	pc
Custer	48	29	sh	48	32	pc
Deadwood	50	27	sh	51	30	pc
Mobridge	47	29	ls	43	29	pc
Huron	51	30	r	49	28	pc
Mitchell	52	32	r	48	27	pc
Pierre	52	31	r	48	32	pc
Rapid City	56	33	sh	55	34	pc
Sioux Falls	49	32	r	45	29	pc
Nebraska	41	28	ls	40	28	pc
Waterloo	54	33	sh	49	30	pc
Lincoln	58	31	pc	54	32	pc
Omaha	55	33	pc	52	34	pc

National Forecast

Location:	Today			Tomorrow			Saturday		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Anchorage	0	-10	pc	-1	-11	pc	-3	-14	pc
Atlanta	56	40	su	61	43	pc	64	44	pc
Boston	33	27	su	46	30	ls	41	28	sh
Chicago	45	38	pc	44	35	r	47	37	pc
Dallas	65	42	su	65	44	su	69	50	pc
Denver	55	34	pc	54	34	pc	52	29	pc
Detroit	38	34	sn	39	30	mx	37	34	pc
Green Bay	34	28	ls	35	26	ls	39	30	pc
Houston	69	53	pc	71	58	pc	72	60	sh
Kansas City	59	38	pc	57	36	pc	59	35	pc
Las Vegas	67	42	pc	67	44	pc	65	44	pc
Los Angeles	76	51	pc	72	49	pc	75	51	pc
Miami	74	63	pc	78	68	pc	79	71	pc
Minneapolis	37	30	ls	38	29	ls	44	28	pc
New York City	40	34	pc	49	37	sh	45	32	sh
Philadelphia	42	32	pc	53	37	sh	47	35	pc
Phoenix	70	46	su	71	47	su	72	49	pc
San Francisco	57	49	mc	58	48	mc	58	48	pc
Seattle	50	45	r	49	39	sh	44	40	r
Tampa	67	45	pc	72	50	pc	76	58	pc
Washington, D.C.	46	36	pc	53	39	pc	53	36	mc

Livestock Outlook

The weather should not be much of a problem for livestock. Be aware of strong, gust winds today and over the weekend. Sunday will be cooler.

Military Abroad

Location:	Today		
	Hi	Lo	W
Baghdad, Iraq	61	42	pc
Diego Garcia	84	83	th
Doha, Qatari	68	61	pc
Frankfurt	40	32	r
Kabul, Afghan.	34	21	pc
Kuwait City	62	47	pc
Seoul, Korea	27	16	pc
Tokyo, Japan	43	32	pc

Gavins Point Dam

Lake Temperature	34
Lake Elevation	1207.52
Discharge	22,000 cfs
Tailwater	1155.15

Public Reminded To Take Action To Be Safe This Winter

In the aftermath of a number of deadly holiday fires, the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) urges the public to take simple steps to protect their family and property from fire. According to NFPA, December, January and February are the top months for home fire deaths.

"Recent fire deaths during this holiday season are tragic reminders that we are at the time of year when home fires peak," said Lorraine Carli, vice president of communications for NFPA. "Taking simple steps to prevent fires and making sure you have working smoke alarms can save lives."

NFPA suggested ten things you can do this winter to stay safe from fire:

- All heaters need space. Keep anything that can burn at least three feet away from heating equipment, like the furnace, fireplace, wood stove, or portable space heater.
- Have a three-foot "kid-free zone" around open fires and space heaters.
- Never use your oven to heat your home.
- Have a qualified professional install stationary space heating equipment, water heaters or central heating equipment according to the local codes and manufacturer's instructions.

- Have heating equipment and chimneys cleaned and inspected every year by a qualified professional.
- Remember to turn portable heaters off when leaving the room or going to bed.
- Always use the right kind of fuel, specified by the manufacturer, for fuel-burning space heaters.
- Make sure the fireplace has a sturdy screen to stop sparks from flying into the room. Ashes should be cool before putting them in a metal container with a lid. Keep the container a safe distance away from your home.
- Make sure you have working smoke alarms on every level of your home, inside each bedroom and outside each sleeping area.
- Develop and practice a home escape plan that includes two ways out of each room and an outside meeting place.

The U.S. Fire Administration (USFA) and NFPA are working together to remind everyone that home fires are more prevalent in winter than in any other season. Learn more information about the organizations' joint safety campaign, "http://www.nfpa.org/winter."

Arbor Day Trees Available To S.D. Residents In January

Residents of South Dakota can ring in the New Year by receiving 10 free flowering trees by joining the Arbor Day Foundation any time during January 2012.

By becoming a member of the nonprofit Arbor Day Foundation, you will receive two white flowering dogwoods, two flowering crabapples, two Washington hawthorns, two American redbuds and two goldenrain trees.

"These beautiful trees will give your home in South Dakota lovely flowers with pink, yellow and white colors," said John Rosenow, chief executive and founder of the Arbor Day Foundation. "These trees are perfect for large and small spaces, and they will provide food and habitat for songbirds."

The free trees are part of the nonprofit Foundation's Trees for America campaign. The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting, between Feb. 1-May 31, with enclosed planting instructions. The 6- to 12-inch tall trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge. Arbor Day Foundation members also receive a subscription to the Foundation's bimonthly publication, Arbor Day, and The Tree Book, which includes information about tree planting and care.

To become a member of the Foundation and to receive your free trees, send a \$10 contribution to TEN FREE FLOWERING TREES, Arbor Day Foundation, 100 Arbor Avenue, Nebraska City, NE 68410, by Jan. 31, 2012. South Dakota residents can also join online at arbor-day.org/january.

Crimestoppers Searches For Burglary Suspect

In late October, the Yankton County Sheriff's Office began an investigation into an early morning burglary at Captain Norm's Bait Shop. Items stolen include several bottles of liquor, cases of beer and cartons of cigarettes. A large older car, dark brown or maroon in color, was seen in the area at the time of the burglary.

Crimestoppers offers rewards of up to \$1,000 for information that assists in solving crimes. With information on this or any other crime, please call Crimestoppers at (605) 665-4440.

AAA Offers Safety Tips For New Year's Eve

SIoux FALLS — AAA South Dakota has three good ideas which can make this New Year's Eve safer for South Dakota motorists and would-be drivers who are celebrating the start of 2012 with alcoholic beverages.

- Assign a designated driver. Usually in any group of friends or family, there is at least one person who doesn't drink and would be happy to drive the rest of the group home safely. Or, if not, rotate the responsibility from person to person, from night to night. Or, draw straws.
- Mix and enjoy "mocktails." Alcohol-free mocktails can be the life of a party, allowing drinkers to intersperse their alcoholic beverages with zero-proof concoctions, slowing the rate of alcohol absorption into the blood stream, and giving non-drinkers and kids a fun way to be a part of the party.

Here's the recipe for the Margarita Meter Maid, an original beverage which competed in AAA's Great Pretenders Mocktail Mix-Off:

- 1 1/2 oz. grapefruit juice
- 1 oz. lemon juice
- 1 teaspoon Rose's lime juice
- a squeeze of a fresh lime wedge
- 1 cup ice

Shake all ingredients well in a shaker. Pour into a glass with a salted rim and float a fresh lime slice.

For more free mocktail recipes, look under Safety Brochures in the AAA News & Safety section of AAA.com.

- Call for AAA's Topsy Tow service. Now until 2 a.m., Jan. 2, 2012, AAA will give the caller and one more person plus a car a free ride home, no questions asked. The program is open to AAA members and nonmembers alike at no charge in Sioux Falls, Rapid City, Aberdeen, Mitchell, and Yankton. AAA will tow within a 15-mile radius from point of pickup but will only go one place: home. Call (800) 222-4357 and ask for Topsy Tow.

DAILY RECORD

POUND COUNT

Several animals are available at the Yankton Animal Shelter. For more information call the Yankton Police Department's Animal Control Officer, from 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday-Friday at 661-9494, or 668-5210. A \$5 fee is required to adopt an animal. Animals can be viewed on the Humane Society Web site at www.heartlandhumanesociety.net.

DAILY RECORD POLICY

The Press & Dakotan publishes police and sheriff reports as a public service to its readers. It is important to remember that an arrest should not imply guilt and that every person is presumed innocent until proven otherwise. When juveniles are released from jail, it is into the care of a parent or guardian.

It is the policy of the Press & Dakotan to publish all names made available in the police and court reports. There are no exceptions.

ACCIDENTS

- A report was received at 3:49 p.m. Tuesday that a 1999 Pontiac and a 1998 Chevrolet truck collided in the 500 block of East Eighth St.
- A report was received at 12:12 p.m. Wednesday that a vehicle collided with a pole in the 1000 block of Broadway.
- A sheriff's office report was received at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday that a 13-year-old juvenile ran onto Highway 50 and into the side of a vehicle. The impact broke a side mirror.

INCIDENTS

- A report was received at 7:54 p.m. Tuesday that a vehicle was egged in the 3100 block of Mulligan Drive. Estimated value of the damage was \$4,400.
- A report was received at 1:17 p.m. Wednesday of a tractor fire near the intersection of 450th Ave. and Highway 50.
- A report was received at 1:27 p.m. Wednesday of a storage unit on fire along Ellis Road.

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- A report was received at 1:33 p.m. Wednesday of vandalism to a building in the 800 block of Capital St.
- A sheriff's office report was received at 9:11 a.m. Tuesday that a former patient at the Human Services Center had been assaulted.

CRIME STOPPERS

Anyone wishing to report anonymous information on unlawful activity in the City of Yankton or in Yankton County is encouraged to contact the Crime Stoppers tip line at 665-4440.

BOARD OF TRADE

CHICAGO (AP) — Grains futures traded mixed Wednesday on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Wheat for March delivery rose 6.50 cents to \$6.5125 a bushel; March corn rose 9.25 cents to \$6.42 a bushel; March oats fell 1.50 cents to \$3.1650 a bushel; while March soybeans fell 1.50 cent to \$12.08 a bushel.

Beef and pork futures also traded mixed on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange.

February live cattle fell 0.05 cent to \$1.2315 a pound; January feeder cattle rose 0.05 cent to \$1.4720 a pound; while February lean hogs fell 0.20 cent to 85.55 cents a pound.

ON THIS DATE

75 YEARS AGO

Tuesday, December 29, 1936

- After a lapse of a week the business establishments of Yankton are preparing for a repetition of the Christmas holiday, this time on New Year's next Friday. Retail stores will close all day with the exception of the food stores which will maintain their usual custom of opening at the usual time and closing about 11 a.m. for the balance of the day.
- Snow in Death Valley, hail in Hollywood climaxed the weatherman's crazy show in California before a weekend storm began clearing today.

50 YEARS AGO

Friday, December 29, 1961

- The Agriculture Department will

not impose acreage restrictions on the 1962 crop of sugar beets. There were no controls in 1961. Sugar control legislation authorizes limitations on individual growers when there is a possibility production will run in excess of the beet sugar share of the U.S. market.

- The effect of any order by the Civil Aeronautics Board for North Central Airlines to serve Columbus, Neb., would be to endanger continued service to Yankton and Norfolk, Neb., Frank N. Buttomer, Minneapolis, Minn., North Central vice president for traffic and sales, told the Yankton Chamber of Commerce board Thursday.

25 YEARS AGO

Monday, December 29, 1986

- Minnehaha County commissioner says county officials favor a change to a year around system of renewing

license plates. With a year around system plates would come up for renewal in the same month each year for different people. It hasn't been decided what kind of a year around system will be proposed. Setups using last names or birthdates have been discussed.

- The Mount Marty Lancers finished in fourth place in the eighth annual Briar Cliff/Bud Lite Holiday Basketball Tournament this past weekend at Sioux City, Iowa.

LOTTERIES

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

2 BY 2: Red Balls: 1-15, White Balls: 4-11
 MY DAY: Month: 11, Day: 23, Year: 87
 PICK 3: 1-3-9
 PICK 5: 03-21-23-30-35
 POWERBALL: 16-21-27-41-45
 Powerball: 14 Power Play: 2
 HOT LOTTO: 07-15-19-23-27, Hot Ball: 14
 DAKOTA CASH: 07-17-24-31-33
 WILD CARD 2: 07-15-24-27-30
 Wildcard: Ace of Diamonds

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Happy Birthday

The family of Betty Putnam is requesting a card shower in honor of her 70th Birthday on December 30th. Cards may be mailed to PO Box 35, Gayville, SD 57031. A family get together is being planned in honor of her 70th Birthday.

Betty J. Putnam
12/30/1941

YANKTON DAILY PRESS & DAKOTAN

Fill the puzzle so that every row, every column, and every section contain the numbers 1-9 without repeating a number.

8			5	7	
		4	8	6	1
2	6	7		4	5
9	7	5			6
	1	8	6	9	7
5			3	9	8
4	3		6	2	7
1	7		5	4	
	5	9			4

EASY EA BOOK 28 #2

Yesterday's Solution

9	5	1	8	6	3	4	7	2
8	3	4	2	7	1	6	9	5
6	7	2	9	5	4	3	8	1
1	4	9	5	3	6	7	2	8
7	2	5	4	8	9	1	6	3
3	6	8	1	2	7	9	5	4
2	1	6	3	9	8	5	4	7
4	8	7	6	1	5	2	3	9
5	9	3	7	4	2	8	1	6

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Check tomorrow's paper for the solution to today's puzzle.

CH BOOK 28 #1

HOLIDAY GARBAGE & RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEDULE

Monday, January 2nd
NO COLLECTION
 Monday & Tuesday routes will be picked up on Tuesday, January 3rd. All other routes as scheduled.

Monday, January 2nd
TRANSFER STATION CLOSED

PLEASE HAVE YOUR GARBAGE & RECYCLABLES PLACED BY 7 A.M.
 Reminder ~ Garbage containers need to be accessible to the crew, two 33 gal. containers with handles & lids, under 50 lbs., free of water, snow & ice.

Happy New Year

from the
 Doctors and Staff of
Willcockson Eye Associates & The Spectacle Shop

Our clinic will be closed all day Monday, January 2nd so our staff can enjoy the holidays with their families.

Willcockson Eye Associates, P.C.
 415 W. 3rd, Yankton, South Dakota

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