

THE PRESS & DAKOTAN WEATHER CENTER

Yankton's Forecast

Saturday Windy, turning colder, mixed pm showers... High: 47° Low: 24°

Sunday Strong and gusty winds for the New Year... High: 34° Low: 18°

Monday Not as windy... High: 31° Low: 16°

Tuesday Partly cloudy... High: 39° Low: 20°

Wednesday Cool and mostly sunny... High: 43° Low: 25°

Temperature

Yesterday's High / Low 43° / 37° Normal High 27° Normal Low 9°

Precipitation

Yesterday's 0.12" Month to date 0.33" Year to date 25.54"

Sun and Moon

Today Sunrise 8:00 AM Sunset 5:05 PM Tomorrow Sunrise 8:00 AM Sunset 5:06 PM

Maps & Forecast Produced by: DayWeather, Inc. www.dayweather.com

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

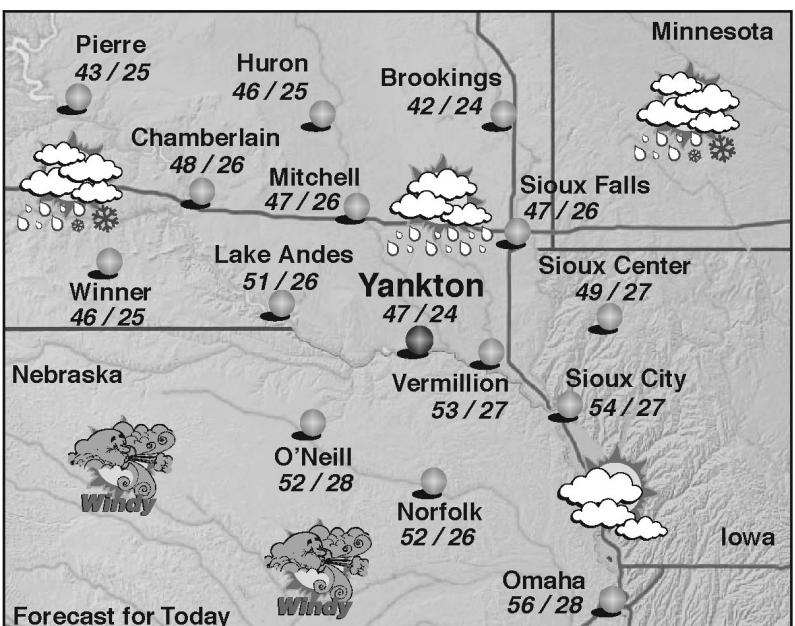


Table with columns for Today and Tomorrow for various locations including S. Dakota, Iowa, and Nebraska.

National Forecast

Table with columns for Today, Tomorrow, and Monday for various locations like Anchorage, Atlanta, Boston, etc.

Livestock Outlook

Turning very windy through the day and colder with light freezing rain and snow showers...

Gavins Point Dam

Table with columns for Lake Temperature, Lake Elevation, Discharge, and Tailwater.

Military Abroad

Table with columns for Location, Today, and Hi Lo W for various military locations.

Grants Available for Blender Pump Installation

PIERRE — Gov. Dennis Daugaard says \$950,000 in grants will be made available through the Governor's Office of Economic Development...

South Dakota produces about one billion gallons of ethanol a year, and blender pumps allow motorists to select their desired blends of gasoline and ethanol.

Funding for the grant program was made possible by a partnership between South Dakota Ethanol Producers and the State of South Dakota.

The new fuel dispensers, also known as flex pumps, will help promote value-added agriculture in South Dakota.

"Ethanol production is a very effective way to increase the value of our agriculture base," the governor said.

"By making more ethanol blends available, we are improving producer opportunities, creating jobs, and stabilizing our domestic fuel supplies."

South Dakota was the first state in the nation to allow ethanol blender pumps.

"Ethanol use is a very simple and real way South Dakotans can decrease their dependence on foreign oil and promote a home-grown product," said Dana Siefkes-Lewis.

Grant awards up to \$25,000 are available for installation of a station's first blender pump.

The majority of the grants will be awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

This program is a great way to assist marketers in installing the additional equipment required to sell high blends of ethanol above E10 for use in flex-fuel vehicles.

GOED, in conjunction with South Dakota Ethanol Producers, the American Coalition for Ethanol, Growth Energy, South Dakota Petroleum and Propane Marketers Association...

GOED will begin accepting grant applications on Jan. 9, 2012. For an application and complete program guidelines, visit http://www.sreadytowork.com/blender-pumps.aspxwww.sreadytowork.com/.

ON THIS DATE

75 YEARS AGO Thursday, December 31, 1936 Federal departments reported today they spent more than thirty million dollars in relief funds in South Dakota during 1936.

50 YEARS AGO Sunday, December 31, 1961 No paper. 25 YEARS AGO Wednesday, December 31, 1986 The nation's trade deficit soared to a record \$19.2 billion in November as a sharp increase in imports reversed a three-month improvement trend...

BOARD OF TRADE

CHICAGO (AP) — Grains futures rose Friday on the Chicago Board of Trade. Wheat for March delivery rose 7.50 cents to \$6.5275 a bushel; March corn rose 8.50 cents to \$6.4650 a bushel...

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...

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...

ARRESTS

- Thomas Reynolds Jr., 40, Yankton, was arrested Thursday for possession of drug paraphernalia... Shang Williams, 42, Yankton, was arrested Thursday for possession of drug paraphernalia...

by deception. John Rolston, 27, Yankton, was arrested Thursday for fleeing and a parole hold.

Curtis Morin, 53, Yankton, was arrested Thursday for driving under the influence (second), speeding and for being unlicensed.

A 16-year-old Yankton male was arrested Thursday for possession of drug paraphernalia and for ingesting or inhaling a substance to become intoxicated.

ACCIDENTS

A report was received at 4:26 p.m. Thursday that a 2002 Ford Taurus was struck by an unknown vehicle in a parking lot in the 3000 block of Broadway.

A sheriff's office report was received at 11:57 a.m. Thursday that a 2008 Dodge 3500 driven by a Sioux Falls man collided with a deer on Highway 50 approximately five miles east of Yankton.

INCIDENTS

A report was received at 4:55 p.m. Thursday that someone had written "Unknown" on a garage in the 900 block of Pine St.

A report was received at 3:59 a.m. Friday that a black dog was chasing a paper delivery person in the 2500 block of Burleigh. It was located on the Hillcrest Golf Course but ran away when approached.

A report was received at 9:14 a.m. Friday of a break-in at a garage in the 500 block of Mulberry St. Nothing was missing.

A report was received at 10:02 a.m. Friday of a possible break-in at a residence in the 600 block of Sawgrass St. Nothing was found to be missing but there were oddities noticed.

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.

YANKTON COURTS

CASES DISPOSED DECEMBER 16-22, 2011

- Christina Marie Werner, 117.5 W. 3rd, Yankton; Renewal registration during assigned month, \$120. Troy W. Brown 116 Gregg Street, Yankton; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, \$270.

S.D. GAS PRICES

Following is the average price of a gallon of regular unleaded gasoline in various communities around the state as of late this week...

LOTTERIES

FRIDAY'S DRAWINGS PICK 3: 4-7-5 PICK 5: 01-24-27-33-36 MY DAY: Month: 6, Day: 15, Year: 69

New Year's Blowout Clearance Sale advertisement for Hatch Furniture & Flooring.

hatch 109 E. 3rd St. • Downtown Yankton 605-665-4416 & 413 Pierce St. • Sioux City, IA 712-252-7750

P&D CLASSIFIEDS WORK! CALL (605) 665-7811

Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan puzzle section with a 9x9 grid and solutions for CH BOOK 28 #2 and INT BOOK 28 #2.

Pancake Breakfast advertisement for VFW Post 791, 209 Cedar, Yankton • 665-3562.

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