

The Press & Dakotan Weather Center

Yankton's Forecast

Friday 18 Sunny
Precip Chance: 0%
Wind: WNW, 10-15
High: 22
Low: 3

Saturday 19 Sunny
Precip Chance: 0%
Wind: SSE, 5-15
High: 37
Low: 26

Sunday 20 Mostly Cloudy
Precip Chance: 10%
Wind: S, 5-10
High: 36
Low: 21

Monday 21 Mostly Sunny
Precip Chance: 5%
High: 34
Low: 22

Tuesday 22 Mostly Sunny
Precip Chance: 5%
High: 37
Low: 27

Yankton Almanac

Temperature

Yesterday's High / Low 28° / 19°
Normal High 32°
Normal Low 12°
Record High 64° in 1923
Record Low -23° in 1884
Last Year High / Low 28° / 12°

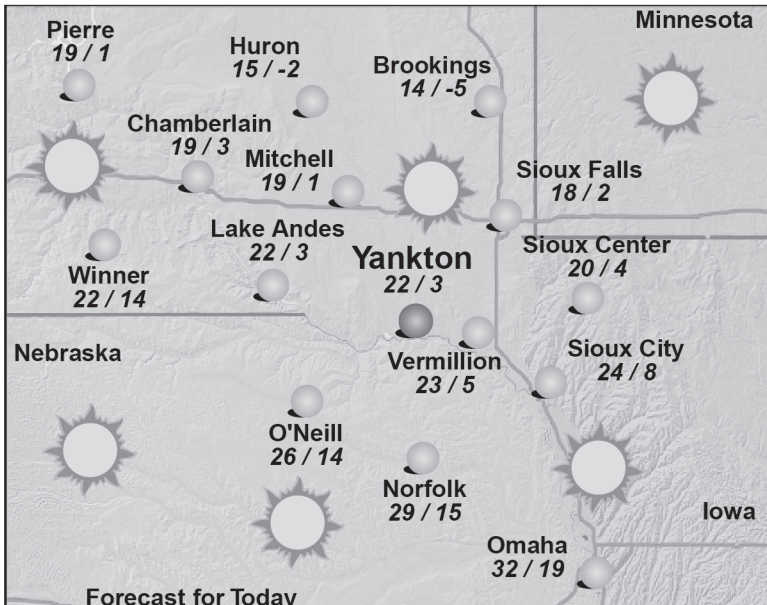
Precipitation

Yesterday's 0"
Month to date 0.68"
Year to date 25.80"
Avg. year to date 23.55"
Maximum this date 0.11" in 1918
Yesterday's snowfall 0"
Total snowfall for season 20.00"
Maximum this date 2.00" in 1951

Sun and Moon

	Sunrise	Sunset
Today	7:55 a.m.	4:57 p.m.
Tomorrow	7:56 a.m.	4:57 p.m.
	Moonrise	Moonset
Today	12:39 p.m.	Next Day
Tomorrow	1:13 p.m.	1:06 a.m.

Regional Forecast



National Forecast

Location:	Today		Tomorrow	
	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo
Anchorage	29	26 mc	35	25 pc
Atlanta	49	30 s	51	32 s
Boston	52	31 mc	42	32 s
Chicago	30	22 mc	34	29 s
Dallas	52	37 s	61	47 s
Denver	46	26 s	53	29 s
Detroit	34	23 sn	33	26 sn
Green Bay	25	15 pc	27	24 s
Houston	59	40 s	64	55 s
Kansas City	42	24 s	49	41 s
Las Vegas	57	42 s	59	45 s
Los Angeles	71	51 s	65	50 ra
Miami	83	66 t	75	66 s
Minneapolis	21	7 mc	27	23 s
New York City	49	33 mc	42	33 s
Philadelphia	50	33 mc	42	30 s
Phoenix	68	42 s	69	42 s
San Francisco	56	50 ra	55	48 sh
Seattle	47	38 sh	45	40 sh
Tampa	73	46 t	67	52 s
Washington, D.C.	48	32 pc	43	31 s

Livestock Outlook

Today we will see sunny skies with a high temperature of 22°, humidity of 73%. West northwest wind 10 to 15 mph. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 3°. West northwest wind 5 mph. Saturday, skies will be sunny with a high temperature of 37°.

Gavins Point Dam

Lake Temperature	NA
Lake Elevation	NA
Discharge	NA
Spillway Release	NA
Tailwater	NA

State Patrol Plans Holiday Enforcements

LINCOLN, Neb. — Beginning Friday, Dec. 18, and continuing through Sunday, Jan. 3, 2016, the Nebraska State Patrol will take part in the national "You Drink & Drive You Lose" (YDDYL) campaign in an effort to remove impaired drivers from our roadways.

"Impaired driving spells holiday heartache, not holiday cheer," said Colonel Bradley Rice, Superintendent of the Nebraska State Patrol. "We are asking all motorists to partner with us to help ensure everyone can be home for the holidays. Through voluntary compliance with all traffic safety laws you can help keep our roadways safe."

As part of the "You Drink & Drive You Lose" campaign, troopers and communications specialists will work overtime hours during the special enforcement which encompasses both the Christmas and New Year's holidays. A nearly \$22,000 grant from the Nebraska Office of Highway Safety (NOHS) will help to pay for the extra enforcement.

Motorists are reminded to always wear their seat belt, never drive impaired or distracted, obey the posted speed limit and never travel faster than conditions allow.

Travelers can keep up to date with the latest weather and road conditions by utilizing 511, Nebraska's Advanced Traveler Information System. The system can be accessed by dialing 511 or online at www.511.nebraska.gov. A Nebraska 511 mobile app is also available to download at no cost for smartphone users. Simply search your app provider for Nebraska 511.

To report a reckless or impaired driver, or if you are in need of non-emergency roadside assistance call the Nebraska State Patrol Highway Helpline when safe to do so, at (star) *55 from any cell phone or 1-800-525-5555 from any landline. Emergencies should be reported to 911.

Workshop Offers Skills For Winning Grants

SIoux FALLS — The Wellmark Foundation and South Dakota State University (SDSU) Extension Service will be hosting "Grant Writing 101: Basic Skills for Winning Grants." This 2 1/2-hour workshop includes learning more about The Wellmark Foundation grant opportunities, the steps to successful grant writing and hands-on writing skills development.

"This workshop will assist our community members in learning how to access funds to make their communities stronger by providing opportunities to improve the wellness of community members," said Peggy Schlechter, SDSU Extension Community Development Field Specialist.

This free workshop is on Wednesday, Jan. 6, from 1-3:30 p.m. at several locations across South Dakota Regional locations include:

- Mitchell — SDSU Extension Regional Center, 1800 E. Spruce St.
- Sioux Falls — SDSU Extension Regional Center, 220 W. Sixth St.

"We are excited to offer this workshop geared toward grant writers of all abilities," said Stephanie Perry, The Wellmark Foundation manager. "Our goal is to help answer questions on what grant makers are seeking and provide some tips on how to make your application stand out."

The Wellmark Foundation is interested in wellness and prevention initiatives that are designed to improve the health of a community and will result in a lasting footprint where we live, work, learn and play. Promoting active living and built environments and increasing access and consumption of nutritious foods are the focuses.

Three grant programs are available in 2016:

- Matching Assets to Community Health (MATCH) grants — matching grants up to \$75,000 for projects completed within two years
- Healthy Communities small grants — up to \$25,000 for projects to be completed in one year
- Community Kickstarter grants — mini-grants up to \$10,000 for projects to be completed in one year

Application materials will be available after Jan. 1, 2016, at Wellmark.com/foundation.

For more information, contact Stephanie Perry, The Wellmark Foundation, at 605-373-7429 or perryss@wellmark.com or Peggy Schlechter, SDSU Extension, at 605-394-1722 or peggy.schlechter@sdstate.edu. You may register online at <http://igrow.org/events/grant-writing-101-wellmark-foundation-basic-skills-for-winning-grants/>.

Christmas Break For Yankton Public School

The final day of classes for Yankton Public School students prior to Christmas vacation will be on Wednesday, Dec. 23, and will be an early dismissal.

Preschool through grade 12 will be dismissed at 2 p.m. and busses will run accordingly.

Classes will resume on Monday, Jan. 4, 2016.

Five Honorees Recognized At SDATAT Conference

The South Dakota Association of Towns and Townships recently met for its 36th annual conference in Huron Dec 2-3. Honored at this conference were five men who dedicated a total of 229 years of service to their respective township boards.

The first recipient, Larry Hofer, has been on the Silver Lake Township Board in Hutchinson County since 1974. After 41 years Larry still serves as a township supervisor. He has worked on the family farm, at Park Lane Feeds in Freeman, joined the Army National Guard and worked with his cousin doing custom baling. Currently, they have their land rented out and he and his wife, Brigitta, are employed at Sanford USD Medical Center in Sioux Falls. Larry and Brigitta have three married daughters: Kelly (Brian), Stephanie (Michael) and Robin (Mike); and six grandchildren that all, thankfully, live nearby.

The second recipient, Leo Niemann, has served on the Havana Township Board in Deuel County for the past 41 years. Niemann became a supervisor of the township in 1974. He has also been a member of the American Legion for the past 30 years. He is a retired farmer and mechanic. Niemann and his wife, Aria, have three children: Tammy, Shelly and Kristen. They also have two grandchildren.

Third, Jimmy Hoffmann still serves as treasurer on

his board in Benedict Township, Sanborn County and has for the past 46 years. He and his wife, Karen, farm near Artesian and have three children; Matt, Melissa and Tyler. They also have six grandchildren. Hoffmann also served on the school board for 25 years and the elevator board for 30 years.

The fourth recipient, Ronnie Uttecht, has been supervisor on the Warren Township Board in Sanborn County since 1966. After 49 years of service Uttecht stepped down in 2015. He and his wife, Carol Ann, have farmed, and raised two wonderful children: Darren and David. They now have six grandchildren.

Finally, with 52 years of service under his belt, James R. Miles serves on his township board in Ramsey Township, McCook County. He is also still secretary/treasurer of the Montrose Rural Fire Truck Association. He and his wife, Kay, have five children: Steven, Michael, Mark, Patrick and Paul. They have 17 grandchildren, two step-grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Miles served a tour of duty in Korea while in the Army, four terms on the Montrose School Board, three terms on the McCook County ASC Committee, Director on the McCook Electric Coop and East River Electric Coop. He also served as director on the McCook Farm Mutual Insurance Co. and presently on the Farm Mutual Insurance Group.

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.

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.

ARRESTS

- Cody Milk, 26, Yankton, was arrested Wednesday on a warrant for violation of the terms of a suspended sentence.
- Joshua Sudbeck, 20, Yankton, was arrested Wednesday on a probation hold.
- Courtney Bushaw, 19, Yankton, was arrested Thursday on a warrant for breach of conditions.
- John Read, 35, Yankton, was arrested Thursday for possession of a substance with a high potential for abuse, unauthorized ingestion of a controlled drug or substance, possession of marijuana (2 oz. or less) and possession of drug paraphernalia.

ACCIDENTS

- A report was received at 2:04 p.m. Wednesday of an accident at the intersection of West City Limits Road and 16th St.
- A report was received at 2:46 p.m. Wednesday of an accident on Broadway Ave.
- A report was received at 8:42 a.m. Thursday of a two-vehicle accident at the intersection of 6th St. and Locust St.
- A sheriff's office report was received at 5:48 p.m. Wednesday of a car-versus-deer accident on Highway 314.
- A sheriff's office report was received at 6:33 p.m. Wednesday of a car-versus-deer accident near the intersection of West City Limits Road and W. 8th St.

INCIDENTS

- A report was received at 4 p.m. Wednesday of the theft of a purse and prescription drugs on Broadway Ave.
- A report was received at 8:06 p.m. Wednesday of a domestic incident on Whiting Dr.

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.

ON THIS DATE

75 YEARS AGO

Wednesday, December 18, 1940

- Postmaster James R. Crowe reports there has been a scourge of mail box shooting in the county, particularly along the bottom road west of town, where many boys go with their rifles and hunt rabbits and incidentally shoot at anything that makes a good target. He warns parents and the boys themselves that this is a serious offense, because the boxes are government property.
- Tribesmen of the exiled Emperor Haile Selassie were reported in revolt in Ethiopia today, further threatening Premier Mussolini's dream of a great fascist empire in Africa.

50 YEARS AGO

Saturday, December 18, 1965

- Bob Winter's Yankton Bucks showed late season poise here last night as they defeated the Mitchell Kernels, 60 to 52, in an Eastern South Dakota conference contest. The game left both Yankton and Mitchell with 2-1 records in the conference and in a tie for second place behind Sioux Falls Washington.
- Thousands of West Berliners began passing through the Communist wall today to bring Christmas cheer to relatives in East Berlin.

25 YEARS AGO

Tuesday, December 18, 1990

- Yankton County Sheriff Dave Hunhoff and Yankton Police Chief Leon Cantin addressed a small group Monday evening which discussed the drug and alcohol problems of the community. The meeting was one of several held statewide by the Attorney General's Task Force on Drugs to receive public input on the problem.
- The Education Department today backed away from a total ban on financial aid targeted for minorities. It said colleges and universities will be allowed to award scholarships based solely on race as long as federal funds are not used.

GOT NEWS?
CALL THE PRESS AND DAKOTAN AT 605-665-7811

WALL ST. RECAP

Stocks skidded Thursday as a late drop erased the market's gains from the day before. Companies that sell oil, gold and silver tumbled along with the prices of those commodities.

ON THURSDAY:

The Dow Jones industrial average sank 253.25 points, or 1.4 percent, to 17,495.84.
The Standard & Poor's 500 lost 31.18 points, or 1.5 percent, to 2,041.89.
The Nasdaq composite index gave up 68.58 points, or 1.4 percent, to 5,002.55.

FOR THE WEEK:

The Dow has gained 230.63 points, or 1.3 percent.
The S&P has added 29.52 points, or 1.5 percent.
The Nasdaq has risen 69.09 points, or 1.4 percent.

FOR THE YEAR:

The Dow is down 327.23 points, or 1.8 percent.
The S&P is down 17.01 points, or 0.8 percent.
The Nasdaq is up 266.50 points, or 5.6 percent.

LOTTERIES

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

2 By 2: Red Balls: 2-19, White Balls: 16-21

MYDAY: Month: 8, Day: 17, Year: 96
Pick 3: 6-1-1
Pick 5: 09-18-19-29-36

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.

		7		6				
	9		1			7		
	1	4	8				2	
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					4		9	
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	3				4	8	1	
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CHALLENGING CH BOOK 79 #8

Yesterday's Solution

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

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

INT BOOK 79 #8

BOARD OF TRADE

CHICAGO (AP) — Grain futures were lower Thursday on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Wheat for March delivery was up .50 cent to \$4.84 a bushel; March corn rose 4.50 cents to 3.7425 a bushel; March oats were 5 cents higher to 2.28 a bushel; while March soybeans advanced 14.50 cents to \$8.7775 bushel.

Beef and pork were lower the Chicago Mercantile Exchange. February live cattle was off 2.45 cents to \$1.2252 a pound; January feeder cattle fell 3.45 cents to \$1.4425 a pound; while February lean hogs lost 2.13 cents to \$5.577 a pound.

YOUR NEWS!

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YANKTON AREA BANQUET

Saturday January 16th

African Hunt to be auctioned off!

MINERVAS BAR & GRILL
All profits are spent locally.

Doors Open at 4:45pm!
Tickets available at the door

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