

Yankton Weather

Today Mostly cloudy

18 Wind: N 5 to 10
High: 29
Low: 13

Friday Thickening cloud cover

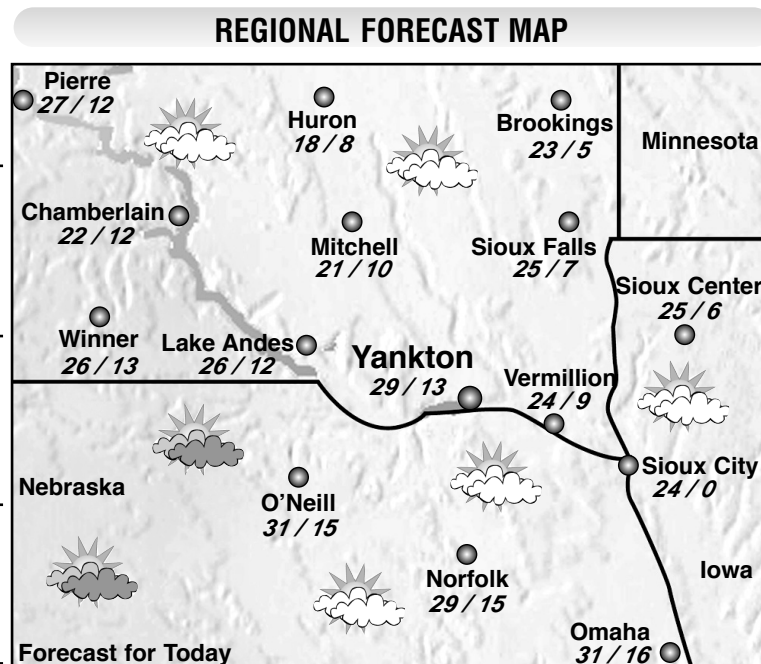
19 Wind: NW 5 to 15
High: 23
Low: 12

Saturday Partly to mostly cloudy

20 Wind: NW 5 to 15
High: 24
Low: 11

Sunday Abundant clouds

21 High: 25
Low: 12



Monday Chilly with a few clouds

22 High: 20
Low: 9

Tuesday Mostly cloudy skies

23 High: 23
Low: 8

Wednesday Cloudy, but still likely dry

24 High: 18
Low: 6

Yankton Almanac

Temperature

Yesterday's High / Low 27° / -2°
Normal High 34.2°
Normal Low 12.2°
Record High 75° in 1981
Record Low -21° in 1903

Precipitation

Yesterday's 0.00"
Month to date 0.45"
Year to date 1.88"
Avg. year to date 0.93"
Maximum this date 0.74" in 1962
Yesterday's Snowfall 0.00"
Snowfall for Season 48.75"
Max. snow this date 2.40" in 1955

Sun and Moon

	Sunrise	Sunset
Today	7:22 AM	6:05 PM
Tomorrow	7:21 AM	6:06 PM
	Moonrise	Moonset
Today	8:53 AM	11:04 PM
Tomorrow	9:19 AM	none

First Feb. 22 Full Feb. 28 Last March 7 New March 15

REGIONAL FORECAST

Location	Today	Tomorrow
S. Dakota	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Aberdeen	20 7 mc 23 1 c	
Brookings	23 5 mc 19 5 c	
Custer	25 8 ls 23 9 mc	
Deadwood	28 11 ls 25 9 mc	
Mobridge	23 9 mc 22 4 mc	
Huron	18 8 mc 22 5 c	
Mitchell	21 10 mc 24 8 c	
Pierre	27 12 mc 25 6 mc	
Rapid City	28 13 ls 26 8 mc	
Sioux Falls	25 7 mc 23 8 c	
Vermillion	24 9 mc 25 11 c	
Watertown	22 6 mc 20 2 c	
Winner	26 13 mc 27 10 mc	
Iowa		
Des Moines	27 5 pc 27 8 pc	
Sioux City	24 0 su 26 11 pc	
Minnesota		
Minneapolis	30 8 pc 29 9 pc	
Nebraska		
Norfolk	29 15 mc 27 14 ls	
Grand Island	34 18 mc 30 15 ls	
Omaha	31 16 pc 28 14 ls	
Lincoln	32 17 mc 30 15 ls	

NATIONAL FORECAST

Location	Today	Tomorrow
Anchorage	36 27 mc 36 28 ls	
Atlanta	47 25 pc 50 30 pc	
Boston	41 30 pc 44 29 pc	
Chicago	34 22 ls 35 23 pc	
Dallas	59 38 pc 61 48 pc	
Denver	46 24 pc 41 18 mx	
Detroit	33 24 ls 34 23 ls	
Green Bay	32 17 ls 31 14 pc	
Houston	61 32 pc 66 48 pc	
Kansas City	35 15 su 38 21 pc	
Las Vegas	69 46 pc 70 47 pc	
Los Angeles	70 53 su 63 53 pc	
Miami	67 50 pc 67 51 pc	
Minneapolis	30 8 pc 29 9 pc	
New York City	38 28 ls 40 29 pc	
Philadelphia	35 25 ls 39 26 pc	
Phoenix	75 50 pc 74 50 pc	
San Francisco	68 51 pc 67 50 fg	
Seattle	51 38 pc 55 38 pc	
Tampa	59 39 pc 62 40 pc	
Washington, D.C.	38 24 ls 40 25 pc	

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

AGRICULTURAL INFORMATION

Livestock Outlook
Other than being cooler than average, the weather should not pose a threat for livestock over the next several days.

Ten-Day Outlook

Precipitation	Temperature
Near Normal	Below Normal

Gavins Point Dam

Lake Temperature	32.8
Lake Elevation	1206.53
Discharge	15,000 cfs
Tailwater	1154.35

Five-Day Jet Stream Forecast

Valid Monday

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

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 668-5210. A \$5 fee is required to adopt an animal. Animals can be viewed on the Humane Society Web site at www.heartlandhumaneociety.net.

DAILY RECORD POLICY
The Press and 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 and Dakotan to publish all names made

available in the police and court reports. There are no exceptions.

ACCIDENTS
• A 1992 Dodge Dynasty struck a snowdrift at the intersection of 308th St. and 448th Ave., and veered into a bridge railing at 11:02 a.m. Tuesday. Estimated damage to the Dodge was \$6,100.

ARRESTS/CITATIONS/BOOKINGS
• Tyler Deitloff, 26, Norfolk, Neb., was arrested Tuesday for a violation of the judgment of conviction issued by Yankton County.
• A 13-year-old Yankton subject was arrested Tuesday for a disturbance at school.

INCIDENTS
• Police received a report of a

vehicle leaving a Yankton convenience store without paying for \$20 worth of gas. The incident was reported at 7:38 p.m. Tuesday. The owner of the vehicle was contacted, and he said he had forgotten to pay.
• A car was reported vandalized in the 2200 block of Green St. The incident was reported at 8:01 p.m. Tuesday.
• An employee at a Yankton eating establishment reported that four juveniles damaged a cardboard advertisement sign inside the business. The incident was reported at 8:09 p.m. Tuesday. Estimated loss was \$120.

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.

LOTTERIES

NEBRASKA 2BY2
The numbers drawn Wednesday in the \$22,000 2by2 lottery were:
— Red Numbers: 19-22
— White Numbers: 5-11

NEBRASKA PICK 3
The numbers drawn, in order, Wednesday night in the Nebraska Pick 3 lottery were:
2-0-8

NEBRASKA PICK 5
The numbers drawn Wednesday night in the Nebraska Pick 5 lottery were:
7-13-17-19-29
The jackpot was \$50,000.

NEBRASKA MYDAY
The numbers drawn Wednesday in the Nebraska MyDay lottery were:
— Month: 10
— Day: 11
— Year: 32

75 YEARS AGO
Monday, February 18, 1935
• Dividing five to four, the Supreme Court today swept away any government or private obligation to pay gold bonds in gold. Wheat and corn prices scored a jump of more than 2 cents on the news, bringing an immediate announcement that the Chicago Board of Trade would be closed for an indefinite period.
• A bomb which failed to explode was received in the mail today by Senator Huey P. Long. Long was absent from the capital spending the weekend in New York on private business when a package was delivered in the mail.

50 YEARS AGO
Thursday, February 18, 1960
• A "fantastic" increase in annual visitors has been recorded at Lewis and Clark Lake along the Nebraska-South Dakota border, Robert E. Roper, area engineer for the Corps of Engineers at Yankton reported yesterday. In 1959, the visitor total swelled to around 1,700,000.
• Late-night talk show host Jack

Parr, currently in Honolulu for vacation, said the reason he is returning to the TV show he walked out in is that "I have nowhere else to go." But he said to reporters that he didn't know how long he'd last under the "grind" of the late-night program.
• A disc jockey who accepted \$9,955 from record companies over a three-year period says he quit because "I was ashamed of myself. I was ashamed of the industry."

25 YEARS AGO
Monday, February 18, 1985
• An "outright prank" is blamed for an early Friday morning bombing that destroyed a Hartington Public Schools minibus parked at Peitz GMC Service Inc. near the north city limits of the city. One male adult from Cedar County is in custody and waiting arraignment on charges of destruction of property and use of explosives.
• The Yankton Bucks' Rodney Rahn won the Class A 167-pound wrestling championship in Sioux Falls over the weekend - a satisfying finale to an excellent senior year for the star, also an important cog in the YHS football championship last fall.

AG LINE

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE
Agriculture futures were mixed Wednesday on the Chicago Board of Trade.
Wheat for March delivery dropped 10.25 cents to \$4.9475 a bushel, while March corn slid 7.25 cents to \$3.60 a bushel and soybeans for March delivery sank 14 cents to \$9.515 a bushel. March oats added 2 cents to \$2.38 a bushel.

Meanwhile, beef futures traded mixed and pork futures advanced on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange.
April live cattle slipped 0.02 cent to 92.15 cents a pound; March feeder cattle gained 0.45 cent to \$1.0157 a pound; April lean hogs rose 0.93 cent to 69.2 cents a pound; and March pork bellies edged up 0.17 cent to 83.77 cents a pound.

FORUM

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asked Wymar, who grew up in Germany.
"Former President George W. Bush had already suggested changing Social Security into a tax credit to be invested into the stock market. Medicare would obviously have to be changed as well."
The level of government seems to make a difference in people's opinion, said Mike Allgrun, a USD economics professor.
"Vermillion has utilities that are owned by the city. Most of us are comfortable with that," he said. "But when (decision makers are) further away, we're more nervous. When it comes to the state and federal government, we are far more uncomfortable than with local. It's like, people in far-away lands telling me what to do with my life."
While some would consider his German homeland as socialist, Joachim Hurth doesn't see it that way.
At USD, Hurth serves as a visiting business professor from Ostfalia University in Wolfsburg, Germany. During Wednesday's forum in Farber Hall, panelist Hurth said Germans view themselves as a social-market economy.
"We as Germans would never name our country a socialistic country," he said. "For us, socialism did take place in the former Soviet Union or in eastern Germany before the reunification. And it is obvious that this

system failed."
A lifelong German, Hurth explained his native country's health care system.
As a child, he was insured by his parents. When he started his first job, he was required to choose one of the public insurances and pay a percentage of his salary for this service. His employer also paid a share.
In the public system, some people pay more than others but get the same benefits under the idea of solidarity, Hurth said. That aspect has received criticism, especially by the liberal party that prefers a fixed fee per person, he added.
Workers who earn more than a certain salary can also change to private insurance, Hurth said. Under the private plan, workers pay a fee calculated on their personal situation, such as families, age and sex. Only about 10 percent of Germans are covered by private insurance, he said.
Hurth said he has remained satisfied with his nation's health care. A recent survey shows three-quarters of Germans are likewise satisfied with medical care, but the same part thinks the costs are too high, he said.
At the end of January, several German public insurances announced they will ask for additional fees, Hurth said. The public insurances will probably realize a debt of about 7.8 billion Euros this year, and half of it will be paid by taxes. To decrease their costs, some insurances will cut benefits, which then have to be paid extra by their members.
"We have a mixed system of private and public insurances which works quite well. Nevertheless, we are thinking

about some reforms because of the increasing costs," he said.
"At the same time, your problems (in the U.S.) seem bigger to me than ours. I read that your health care system is even more expensive than ours, although it is mainly private."
Health care accounted for 15.3 percent of the U.S. gross domestic product in 2006, while in Germany it was 10.6 percent, Hurth said. Germany spent \$3,371 per inhabitant, while the U.S. spent \$6,714, he added.
"Actually, a lot of sources say that (the U.S.) health-care system is the most expensive in the world," he said.
A recent analysis of Deutsche Bank Research forecasts the U.S. cost would raise to 34 percent of the gross domestic product without reforms.
"That would certainly be unacceptable, even unsustainable," he said, adding that more than 40 million people in the United States — including 7 million children — have no health insurance.
"Obviously, your system has severe problems, and to me, a reform seems appropriate," he said.
The Deutsche Bank Research does list the U.S. Senate health reform plans as "promising," he said.
When it comes to health care, American attitudes seems to reflect the Germans, Allgrun said.

"The three-fourths German approval is right on with the American model," he said. "In the U.S., 72 percent are happy with their personal health care, but about the same number think it's too expensive. So you have a trade-off."
Americans generally want to keep the current health care system, Allgrun said. "In my view, most want to make their own health care decisions and not have it rationed," he said.
However, health care is limited by the market, Allgrun said. "Ration" sounds like a dirty word, but we do it. The patient, provider or government will do it," he said.
Health care is not treated like part of the free market, Allgrun said, citing his experience of a doctor not knowing the cost of a tonsillectomy for Allgrun's son.
"To call it 'market oriented' is lunacy," he said. "They never discuss the cost or the share you bear."
The German concept of a social economy extends to industry, Hurth said.
"I live in the state Lower Saxony with its capital Hannover," he said. "This state owns 20 percent from the stock-market company Volkswagen. In combination with a specific Volkswagen-law, the government of state can block important decisions in the advisory board where the governor has traditionally a seat."

German's co-determination laws affect the same company, Hurth said. Half of the members of the advisory board are representatives of the workers, and the staff has to be participated in all important decisions.
The German government also fears unemployment, Wymar said.
"The large firms have people work part-time (during a recession), and the government makes up the difference," he said. "The government saves paying unemployment benefits. The companies don't lose qualified workers if they need to fire them. They work less hours so everyone keeps their jobs. It's solidarity."
Many Germans don't see unleashed capitalism as the best system, particularly after the recent financial crisis, Hurth said. A majority of Germans believe in taking into account the needs of other people, he said.
"Furthermore, I see the Christian philosophy interrelated with social ideas," he said. "And according to the statistics, about 80 percent of the people in this hall should be Christians."

Transferring the German model to the U.S. may prove difficult because of differences between American and German society, Allgrun said. When it comes to health care, he pointed to poor American lifestyle choices.
"Americans are heavy smokers, they eat a lot, drink a lot, drive everywhere and don't walk," he said.
Society must agree on general goals before turning over decisions to government officials, Allgrun said.
"We are social beings, but we are more comfortable making social choices voluntarily," he said.
Germans and other Europeans are comfortable with their social investments, Hurth said.
"The question is not how much the government spends for public issues, but for which purposes. Investments in education and Social Security can be the basis of future economic growth," he said.
"But it is also certainly true that the question is not only about doing the right things, but it is also about doing the things right."

Knights of Columbus

BREAKFAST

THIS SUNDAY
8 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Rescheduled because of weather last Sunday

Pancakes, Rolls, Eggs, Ham or Sausage, Milk, Juice or Coffee

KC Hall
2700 N. Broadway
Breakfast served second Sunday of the month.
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Doug and Darla Van Gerpen of Avon, SD, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lindsey Marie Van Gerpen, to Daniel James Fatke, son of Mel and Brenda Fatke of Avon, SD.

The bride-to-be is a December 2009 Elementary Education graduate from the University of South Dakota. The groom-to-be is a May 2009 Business Administration graduate from Southeast Technical Institute. The couple is planning a May 22, 2010, wedding.

Van Gerpen - Fatke

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

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CHALLENGING CH BOOK 3 #8

Yesterday's Solution

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6	8	1	3	9	2	5	7
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