

THE PRESS & DAKOTAN WEATHER CENTER

Yankton's Forecast

Thursday  
31

Bitter cold temperatures, snow showers

Wind: SE, 20 to 30

High: 6°

Low: -2°

Friday  
01

Not as cold, partial clearing

Wind: S, 5 to 15

High: 25°

Low: 10°

Saturday  
02

Partly cloudy skies

Wind: SE, 10 to 20

High: 35°

Low: 19°

Sunday  
03

Minimal cloudiness

Wind: SE, 5 to 15

High: 44°

Low: 28°

Monday  
04

Periods of sunshine

High: 41°

Low: 24°

Yankton Almanac

Temperature

Yesterday's High / Low 23° / 14°

Normal High 26°

Normal Low 6°

Record High 57° in 2012

Record Low -28° in 1966

Last Year High / Low 57° / 36°

Precipitation

Yesterday's 0.00"

Month to date 0.18"

Year to date 0.18"

Avg. year to date 0.49"

Maximum this date 0.46" in 1947

Yesterday's snowfall trace

Total snowfall for season 10.5"

Maximum this date 6.9" in 1947

Sun and Moon

Sunrise Sunset

Today 7:45 AM 5:42 PM

Tomorrow 7:44 AM 5:43 PM

Moonrise Moonset

Today 10:55 PM 9:37 AM

Tomorrow none 10:08 AM

Last New First Full

Feb. 3 Feb. 10 Feb. 17 Feb. 25

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

Forecast for Today

S. Dakota	Today	Tomorrow	Today	Tomorrow
	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W	Hi Lo W
Aberdeen	-8 -22 pc	16 6 mc	Vermillion	6 -3 ls 29 18 pc
Brookings	-6 -15 ls	16 9 pc	Watertown	-10 -20 pc 14 6 pc
Custer	20 16 ls	39 24 pc	Winner	7 2 pc 38 23 pc
Deadwood	18 18 ls	37 22 mx	Iowa	
Mobridge	-4 -10 pc	25 17 ls	Des Moines	9 -4 ls 19 14 ls
Huron	-5 -13 ls	19 13 pc	Sioux City	7 -5 ls 28 18 pc
Mitchell	0 -6 ls	24 16 pc	Nebraska	
Pierre	3 -4 pc	32 20 pc	Norfolk	10 -1 pc 34 21 pc
Rapid City	18 14 ls	43 28 r	Lincoln	13 1 pc 34 22 pc
Sioux Falls	0 -9 ls	22 14 pc	Omaha	11 -2 pc 30 20 pc

National Forecast

Location:	Today			Tomorrow			Saturday		
	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W	Hi	Lo	W
Anchorage	34	25	ls	32	30	pc	34	29	ls
Atlanta	48	33	su	46	29	su	55	37	pc
Boston	54	29	r	35	17	ls	32	21	pc
Chicago	18	4	ls	14	12	pc	28	21	ls
Dallas	64	37	su	61	48	pc	64	41	pc
Denver	48	26	pc	51	29	pc	54	32	su
Detroit	26	15	ls	21	13	ls	23	20	ls
Green Bay	13	-8	ls	4	-4	pc	14	7	ls
Houston	67	42	su	70	50	su	70	50	pc
Kansas City	24	12	pc	33	25	pc	44	29	pc
Las Vegas	62	44	su	63	45	su	65	50	pc
Los Angeles	74	49	su	76	51	su	72	54	pc
Miami	78	58	sh	74	58	pc	75	61	pc
Minneapolis	2	-15	ls	6	4	pc	23	11	ls
New York City	47	28	pc	37	23	ls	34	31	mc
Philadelphia	46	28	pc	36	25	ls	36	27	pc
Phoenix	70	47	su	73	51	pc	76	54	pc
San Francisco	62	48	su	62	48	su	61	48	pc
Seattle	51	42	r	52	39	pc	50	40	pc
Tampa	67	41	su	69	40	su	68	48	su
Washington, D.C.	45	31	pc	39	24	ls	40	28	mc

Livestock Outlook

Expect to see bitter cold temperatures and snow today. Temperatures will be not as cold on Friday. We will see above normal temperatures on Saturday.

Military Abroad

Location:	Today	Hi	Lo	W
Baghdad, Iraq	67	51	sh	
Diego Garcia	83	82	th	
Doha, Qatar	71	68	pc	
Frankfurt	45	38	sh	
Kabul, Afghan.	34	21	pc	
Kuwait City	66	55	sh	
Seoul, Korea	45	35	pc	
Tokyo, Japan	45	35	pc	

Gavins Point Dam

Lake Temperature	33
Lake Elevation	1,207.75
Discharge	14,000 cfs
Tailwater	1,152.17

Radon

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have been designated in Zone 1, which means the counties have a predicted average indoor radon screening level greater than 4.0 pCi/L. Cedar County also has recorded some of the highest individual levels in the state, with results reported from 205 to 290 pCi/L. Knox County's highest levels have measured in the 86 to 204 pCi/L range.

According to the South Dakota Department of Environment & Natural Resources, area counties also designated in Zone 1 include Yankton, Bon Homme, Charles Mix, Hutchinson, Turner and Clay counties.

A gas that naturally occurs in soil, radon gets into homes through foundation cracks and other openings, according to Dr. Joann Schaefer, Nebraska's chief medical officer and director of the DHHS Division of Public Health.

"It's due to our geography, so it's just going to be there," she said.

Schaefer said that if radon levels get too high, the gas can cause serious health complications over time.

"Because it's radioactive, it's not healthy for you to breathe in, because that can go into your lungs and causes tissue damage, and you're unaware of this," she said. "Over years of exposure, it can do damage to that tissue, and that's why it is the leading nontobacco cause of lung cancer, and why it's important to get it out of your house."

The only way to determine if a home has an elevated radon level is to use a radon test kit, Schaefer said.

Despite misconceptions, there

is no alarm for radon as there is for carbon monoxide, she said. It is also difficult to visually determine if a home is susceptible to elevated radon levels.

"Even if you walked around your home and didn't see any cracks in your foundation, you still should check your home because there are other portals where it can get in just in the normal building of a home," she said.

Schaefer added that the radon levels of nearby residences are also poor indicators.

"Just because your neighbor's house is normal, it doesn't mean your house will be normal," she said. "And just because your neighbor's house is high, it doesn't mean yours will be high."

Radon test kits can be purchased at many local hardware stores and home centers. For other ways to purchase a test in Nebraska, visit [http://dhhs.ne.gov/publichealth/Pages/radon\\_testkits.aspx](http://dhhs.ne.gov/publichealth/Pages/radon_testkits.aspx). Kits can also be purchased by calling the South Dakota state health lab at 605-773-3368.

If a test reveals an elevated radon level, Schaefer recommends contacting a licensed contractor for mitigation service. This can range from fixing cracks in the foundation to the installation of ventilation systems.

"If you find out that it's in there, then just get it done," she said. "Take some action to get it out of there."

For maps of radon levels in Nebraska and a list of contractors for mitigation, visit [www.dhhs.ne.gov/radon](http://www.dhhs.ne.gov/radon). For similar information for South Dakota, visit <http://denr.sd.gov/des/aq/aarad.spdx>.

You can follow Derek Bartos on Twitter at [twitter.com/d\\_bartos](https://twitter.com/d_bartos)

YANKTON SCIENCE OLYMPIAD

REBECCA MOSER/YANKTON MIDDLE SCHOOL PHOTO JOURNALIST  
6th grader Jacob Paulson gets ready to test his invention for the Helicopters Event. Students from the Yankton Middle School are gearing up for the annual Science Olympiad Tournament to be held on Saturday Feb. 2. The local competition will be split into two parts — written tests and building projects. The contest is open to 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th grade students attending Yankton Public School. Local tournament results will be announced in an awards program on Thursday, Feb. 7 at 7 p.m. in the Yankton Middle School lecture hall.

ON THIS DATE

75 YEARS AGO

Monday, January 31, 1938

• The number of boys and girls in 4-H club work in South Dakota increases each year. H. M. Jones, State club leader said today. Although organization plans for 1938 were not more than one-third complete January 1, the records showed that 4,200 members were already enrolled, and many new clubs are now being organized.

• Diseases of the heart continue to be the leading cause of death in South Dakota. Dr. P. B. Jenkins, superintendent of the state board of health, said today in his monthly vital statistics report, which attributed 107 of the 440 deaths occurring in December to some form of heart trouble.

50 YEARS AGO

Thursday, January 31, 1963

• Sen. Lawrence Kayl, R-Redfield, and Rep. George W. Fillbach, R-Faulkton, expressed regret that Gov. Archie Gubbrud vetoed the seat belt bill.

• A six-month-old Labrador pup who survived being run down by a motor car a few months ago now faces another hurdle in his struggle to achieve doghood - he is being evicted from his home and his master can do nothing about it. Tom Soriano, a Yankton College freshman from Long Island, N. Y., saved the dog's life when he was struck by a car in downtown Yankton.

25 YEARS AGO

Sunday, January 31, 1988

No paper

LOTTERIES

WEDNESDAY'S RESULTS

2 By 2: Red Balls: 6-9, White Balls: 14-26

MyDaY: Month: 1, Day: 9, Year: 62

Pick 3: 3-2-9

Pick 5: 07-12-14-21-34

Dakota Cash: 08-09-25-32-33

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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.

Animals available for adoption include:

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

• Frowin Eaglechasing, 41, Sioux Falls, was arrested Tuesday on a warrant.

• Mark Ellis, 34, Yankton, was arrested Wednesday for simple assault.

• Brandi Waite, 32, Yankton, was arrested Tuesday for second-degree burglary, forgery, identity theft, first-degree petty theft, possession of marijuana, three counts of possession of drug paraphernalia, possession of a controlled substance, possession of a forged instrument and grand theft.

ACCIDENTS

• A report was received at 2:33 p.m. Tuesday that a 1997 Chevrolet pickup and a Chrysler New Yorker collided in

the 3000 block of Broadway.

• A report was received at 4:02 p.m. Tuesday that a school bus struck a parked GMC Arcadia at the Yankton Middle School.

• A report was received at 4:11 p.m. Tuesday of a hit-and-run incident at the Yankton High School.

• A report was received at 11:47 a.m. Wednesday that a 1999 Pontiac Grand Am driven by a Yankton man collided with a 2007 Pontiac G6 driven by a Yankton man in the 400 block of West 21st St. Estimated value of the damage to the vehicles was \$1,300 and \$1,200, respectively. The driver of the Grand Am was cited for following too closely.

• A report was received at 3:40 p.m. Wednesday of a possible hit-and-run in the 2100 block of Summit St.

• A report was received at 3:58 p.m. Wednesday that a sign was hit during the night in the 1000 block of Broadway.

INCIDENTS

• A report was received at 8:52 p.m. Tuesday of the theft of gas from a vehicle in the 700 block of Mulberry St.

• A report was received at 12:47 a.m. Wednesday that a male was assaulting people in the 1000 block of Cedar St. A male was arrested for simple assault.

• A report was received at 2:55 p.m. Wednesday of a fraud involving someone impersonating law enforcement.

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.

Introduction To Sales And Use Tax Workshop Being Offered In Sioux Falls

PIERRE — An introduction to sales and use tax workshop that will offer helpful state tax information to businesses in South Dakota will be held in February in Sioux Falls.

The free workshop, sponsored by the South Dakota Department of Revenue, is scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 7, in the conference room at the South Dakota Department of Revenue office located at 300 S. Sycamore Avenue, Suite 102.

The workshop will be held from 1-3 p.m. CST. It will provide general information about paying

taxes in South Dakota, including state sales and use tax as well as municipal tax. Business tax license requirements, license types, how to apply for a license, exemptions, items purchased for resale and filing returns will also be covered.

Interested individuals can register by calling the South Dakota Department of Revenue at 1-800-TAX (829)-9188 or online at <http://www.state.sd.us/drr2/businessstax/bustax.htm> in the Business Tax Division "Tax Education" section.

Super Sunday SALE at... Lu Lu's

Join Us For A Super Sunday Afternoon Before The Big Game!

Sunday Feb 3<sup>rd</sup> 4 Hours Only! Noon-4pm

Take an Additional 25% OFF

The Already Marked Down 50-60% OFF Prices!

Fall & Winter Clothing & Accessories

\$10 Clearance Rack!

Lu Lu's Downtown Yankton 665-6767

PRESS & DAKOTAN 2013 Beautiful Baby Contest

We will be featuring our annual "Beautiful Baby Contest" in print and online on Wednesday, February 27, 2013.

If you or someone you know has a child we would love to include them in our feature!

To enter, simply submit your photo and entry form with a \$10 submission fee by Monday, February 18.

First place winners in the following categories will receive a framed winners print and prizes from the following sponsors: Photography by Jerry, LilyCrest and JCPenney.

1) 0-12 Months  
2) 13-24 Months  
3) 25 Months-3 Years  
4) 4-7 Years  
5) Multiple Births

Beautiful Baby Contest 2013

Category # \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Winners will be selected by the staff of Yankton Media Inc. Employees and family members of Yankton Media Inc. are ineligible to win.

\*Submission of this form authorizes the publication of child's photo in this contest in print and online at [www.yankton.net](http://www.yankton.net).

Submission fee (\$10) must accompany entry form to be valid.

Submit Entry To: Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan 319 Walnut Street Yankton, SD 57078

Entry Deadline: Mon., Feb. 18, 2013