

MMC Homecoming Begins Sunday

Mount Marty College will celebrate the 2013-14 homecoming festivities during the week of Feb. 2-8. The homecoming theme is Mount Marty Gras.

Special student events include:

- Super Bowl Pre-Game BINGO — Sunday at 2 p.m.;
- Free Ice Skating — Monday at 9:30 p.m.;
- Dueling Pianos — Tuesday at 8 p.m. in Cyber Café
- Amazing Race — Wednesday at 7 p.m.;
- Dodgeball Tournament — Thursday at 8 p.m.;
- Homecoming Formal at Hillcrest Country Club — Saturday at 10 p.m.

The public is welcome to attend:

- Homecoming Royalty Coronation — Friday at 7:30 p.m. in Marian Auditorium
- "Jam the Stands" men's and women's basketball games vs. Hastings College — Saturday at 2 p.m. and 4 p.m.

For more information on Mount Marty College homecoming activities, contact Student Activities Director, John Bennett at john.bennett@mtmc.edu or 605-668-1302.

Parks Advisory Board To Meet Monday

The City of Yankton Parks Advisory Board will meet at 5:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 3, at the Technical Education Center, 1200 West 21st St. This is an open meeting.

ServeSafe Classes To Be Held Soon

ServSafe classes for newcomers and renewals will be held Feb. 17 and April 21 in Yankton.

For information of Servsafe classes, contact Sandi Kramer at (605) 660-5430.

Vehicle Accident Leaves Almost 300 Without Power In Yankton

BY NATHAN JOHNSON

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An alleged drunk driver struck a utility pole and a couple parked vehicles Wednesday, causing a power outage and small fire.

A report was received at 1:58 a.m. of an accident in the 900 block of Burleigh Street.

A Ford F250 allegedly driven by Daryl Kirschenman, 23, Menno, struck a parked Pontiac Aztek and then continued north where it hit a parked GMC pickup.

A power pole was knocked down in the process.

According to Brad Wenande, the Yankton-area manager for North-Western Energy, the incident caused a breaker at a substation to open up, leaving approximately 286 customers without power.

Service was restored to most of those customers within 45 minutes.

However, approximately 15 customers in the vicinity of the downed pole didn't have service until around 9 a.m. The pole had to be replaced and wires reconnected, Wenande stated.

According to Yankton Deputy Fire Chief Larry Nickles, some leaves were set on fire near the incident. The cause of the minor blaze is not certain, but Nickles speculated it could have been started by an electrical box sparking at that location.

Kirschenman suffered small scrapes and cuts, according to the Yankton Police report on the matter.

He was arrested for driving under the influence (first) and cited for careless driving and not using a seatbelt.

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Shoplifting Suspect Injured In Attempted Escape

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A shoplifting suspect was injured early Wednesday morning at a Yankton business.

According to Lt. Todd Brandt, a report was received at 1:49 a.m. of a suspected shoplifter at Walmart in the 3000 block of Broadway Avenue.

"Patrol units responded and, when they got there, they identified who the suspect was," he said. "They tried to make contact with him, and he attempted to flee. Officers pursued him."

In the process of fleeing, the suspect allegedly broke some stolen items on his person, which resulted in lacerations on his legs.

Other store property may have been damaged in the process, Brandt added.

Donald Wynn, 18, Yankton, was arrested for resisting arrest, fleeing and second-degree petty theft. He was also cited for minor in consumption of alcohol.

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OBITUARIES

S. Enid Dodge OSB

S. Enid Dodge OSB, 89, died on Wednesday, January 29, 2014 at Sacred Heart Monastery in Yankton, South Dakota.

A wake service will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, January 31, 2014 and the Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, February 1 at 10:30 a.m., both in Bishop Marty Memorial Chapel in Yankton. Burial will be in the monastery cemetery. Arrangements are under the direction of the Wintz & Ray Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Yankton.

Ellen Frances Dodge was born April 16, 1924, a triplet and youngest of seven children of Charles and Margaret (Tobin) Dodge of Springfield, Illinois. Ellen went to several Catholic grade schools in Springfield, Illinois as her family moved to various parts of the city, later graduating from Roosevelt High School, Peoria, Illinois. She worked at St. John's Hospital in Springfield, Illinois, where she met some Sisters from Yankton. After World War II broke out, she worked for Remington Rand and later enlisted and



Dodge

was accepted into the Navy, but was honorably discharged when it was discovered she was under age.

Ellen entered Sacred Heart Monastery in 1950. She was invested as a novice on June 28, 1951 and received the name Enid. She made her first profession on June 29, 1952, and made her final profession on June 29, 1955. While working in admissions and as a telephone operator at St. Mary's Hospital in Pierre, South Dakota, she received her LPN license. She worked at Maryhouse in Pierre, when it opened in 1952, and later was a nurse at Sacred Heart Hospital, Yankton, South Dakota. She also nursed in the monastery infirmary and worked in the monastery kitchen for a time. Most of her years of ministry were spent at Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital, Lincoln, Nebraska, where she was a nurse and later a pastoral assistant to the physically disabled,

elderly, and dying. While in Lincoln, she volunteered at the Matt Talbot Soup Kitchen for fourteen years. Her heart held a special place for the poor.

S. Enid had an out-going personality. She met life with a sparkle in her eye and a green thumb. Laughter blossomed wherever she went. She considered it an honor to care for the physically disabled, the dying and the elderly. In her later years, she prayerfully held people in her heart.

S. Enid is survived by her Benedictine community and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents and all her siblings: Charles, William, Richard, Leo, James and Mary.

Memorials may be made to the Education Fund for International Sisters at Sacred Heart Monastery.

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Online condolences at:
www.wintzrayfuneralhome.com

Pierce Rohde

Pierce Edward Rohde, age 84 of Hartington, Nebraska died on Tuesday, January 28, 2014 at Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk, NE.

Funeral Services will be on Friday, January, 31, 2014 at 11:00 a.m. at the First Congregational United Church of Christ in Hartington with Rev. Gary Kimm officiating. Burial will be in the Hartington City Cemetery with military honors provided by the Hartington VFW Post 5283 and the American Legion Riders.

Visitation will be on Thursday from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. with a Prayer Service at 7:00 p.m. at the Wintz Funeral Home in Hartington.

Pallbearers will be his nephews, Ronnie Mc Caw, Mick Christensen, Ed Rohde, Dave Rohde, Bill Kollbaum and Mike Hintz. Honorary Pallbearers will be his grandsons and the remainder of his nephews.

Pierce was born August 11, 1929 on the family farm northeast of Hartington. He was the 7th of 9 children born to Fred William and Bertha (Marthwig) Rohde. He grew up on the family farm and joined the U.S. Army in 1951 and served in Korea. He was wounded in



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Pierce and Opal worked briefly at Bob's Café in Hartington and then owned and operated the Coleridge Café from 1953 to 1955. In 1956 they rented their first farm which was located east of Hartington. Their favorite farm was the Morningside farm. There was a series of moves between town and various farms including Gerry Millers farm southwest of Hartington which they rented from 1964-1969. They built their first home in the east part of Hartington in 1976 and in December of 1992, after all the children left home, they moved down the street to a cozy trailer. Pierce worked for John Deere Implement, Wagner Fertilizer, Lindsay Water and from 1970 to 2012 he worked for the City of Hartington. He took great pride in the care of the Hartington Park and thoroughly enjoyed his mowing.

Pierce was a member of the First Congregational United Church of Christ in Hartington, the Hartington

VFW Post 5283, Hartington American Legion Post 4 and the Am Vets. He was Sergeant of the Guard for over 50 years and assisted with military services for many veterans, provided the honor guard for the school's ballgames and was active in many Memorial Day Services and local parades. Pierce enjoyed playing cards, traveling with Opal and his many hunting trips to Colorado. He loved being with his children and grandchildren.

Pierce is survived by 5 children and their spouses, Adele and John Kieffer of Olathe, KS; Alberta and Don Kohls of Omaha; Rick Rohde of Sioux City, IA; Roxanne Lewis of Coleridge, NE; Terry and Tonya Rohde of Brighton, CO; 19 grandchildren, 28 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Opal, on September 29, 2003 at the age of 77, a granddaughter, Beverly Kohls and many siblings.

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Mary Kay Loecker

Mass of Christian Burial for Mary Kay Loecker, age 64 of Bloomfield, Nebraska, will be 2:00 p.m.

Friday, January 31, 2014, at St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Bloomfield. Reverend Michael Schmitz will officiate, with burial in the Bloomfield City Cemetery.

Visitation will be Thursday, from 4:00 to 7:00 p.m., at St. Andrew's Catholic Church in Bloomfield.

Brockhaus Funeral Home of Bloomfield is in charge of arrangements.

Mary Kay died Sunday,

January 26, 2014, at the

Bloomfield Good Samaritan

Society in Bloomfield.

Mary Kay (Poppe)

Loecker, daughter of Elmer

and Ruth (Hilkemeier)

Poppe, was born March 6,

1949, at Bloomfield, Ne-

braska. Mary Kay attended

school in Bloomfield, where

she graduated with the Class

of 1967. On August 16, 1969,

she was married to Harold

Loecker at Menominee, Ne-

braska. The couple was

blessed with three children:

Travis, Jason, and Wendy. In

March of 1976, the family

moved to Fairbanks, Alaska,

where they lived until 1988,

at which time they returned

to Bloomfield.

Mary Kay enjoyed putting

puzzles together, gardening,

playing cards with her fam-

ily, and gambling. Mary Kay

worked a variety of jobs



Loecker

during her career, including in-home daycare, H&R Block Tax Service, a pet store, the ASCS office, and the First National Bank Call Center, until retiring in 2009.

Mary Kay is survived by her children, Travis (Kristol) Loecker (their children, Keldon and Kysa) all of Bloomfield, Nebraska, Jason (Tara) Loecker (children, Madison and Denali) all of Ogden, Iowa, and Wendy (Mike) Pohl (their children, Maylin and Maxsen) all of Kearney, Nebraska; two brothers and two sisters, Noly, Norman, Nancy, and Fern; as well as many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Elmer and Ruth Poppe; and two nephews, Todd Poppe and Mitchell Poppe.

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Edward Cwach

Edward V. Cwach, 96, of Yankton died unexpectedly Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2014, at the Avera Sacred Heart Hospital, Yankton.

Mass of Christian Burial is at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 1, at St. Benedict Catholic Church, Yankton, with the Rev. Ken Lulf officiating. Burial will be in the Sacred Heart Cemetery, Yankton.

Visitations begin at 5 p.m. Friday at the Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home & Crematory,

Yankton, with a rosary at 7 p.m., followed by a video tribute and Scripture service at 7:30 p.m. Visitations will resume one hour prior to the service at the church.

Marvin Harms

Marvin Loyd Harms, 90, of Hartington, Neb., died on Wednesday, Jan. 29, 2014, at the Parkview Haven Nursing Home in Coleridge, Neb.

His services are pending at the Wintz Funeral Home in Hartington.

Donald Erickson

Donald L. Erickson, 80, of Sioux Falls died Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2014, at his residence.

Private burial will be in Richland Cemetery, in Richland.

Kober Funeral Home, Vermillion, is in charge of arrangements.

Darrel Larson

Darrel Larson, 82 of Vermillion died Wednesday, Jan. 29, 2014, at VA Medical Center in Sioux Falls.

Funeral arrangements are pending with Kober Funeral Home, Vermillion.

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2014 Beautiful Baby Contest

We will be featuring our annual "Beautiful Baby Contest" in print and online on **Wednesday, February 26, 2014.** 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 17.** First place winners in the following categories will receive a framed winners print and prize.

1) Newborn-6 Months	4) 25 Months-4 Years
2) 7-12 Months	5) Multiple Births
3) 13-24 Months	

Submit Entry To: Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan 319 Walnut Street, Yankton, SD 57078			Entry Deadline: Mon., Feb. 17, 2014
Category # _____	Age: _____	Date of Birth _____	
Child's Name _____			
Parents Name _____			
Address _____		Phone _____	
<small>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. Submission fee (\$10) must accompany entry form to be valid.</small>			