

## REGION DIGEST

### Cemetery Decorations Removal Announced

All grave decorations that are not on pads must be removed by the evening of Sunday, June 13. This includes all wrought iron and miscellaneous small items as they interfere with trimming and mowing. All remaining items will be picked up on Monday morning June 14 by cemetery staff and discarded.

### Crest Road Closed Wednesday And Thursday

The road that crosses Gavins Point Dam, also known as Crest Road or the spillway, will be closed on Wednesday, June 9, from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. and Thursday June 10, from 6:30 a.m.-3 p.m. to conduct maintenance on road. Motorists are urged to find alternate routes.

### S.A.C Yoga Classes Begin Tuesday

The Summit Activities Center is offering a 12-class session in yoga that meets on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 5:15-6:15 p.m. starting June 8 and running through July 15.

Participants interested in joining a session will need to register and pay in advance at the Summit Activities Center. There is a limit of 14 participants per class.

Also, a Yoga Lunch Break will be offered at the SAC. This drop-in class is set for Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, running from 12:10-2:45. This class will focus on breathing and mind/body connection by incorporating a flowing style of yoga as well as strength-building through held poses. Improve your strength, flexibility and cardiovascular health as you cross train the body and mind.

For further information, call 668-5234 or stop by the Summit Activities Center at 1801 Summit Street, Yankton.

### Library Board Of Trustees To Meet Wednesday

The Yankton Community Library Board of Trustees will hold its regular meeting at 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 9, in the Library meeting room, 315 Walnut.

For further information, call 668-5275.

### Czech Days Parades Getting Organized

TABOR — Darrell and Ann Beran are busy organizing the 62nd annual Czech Days Giant Parade, which will be held on Friday, June 18, beginning at 1 p.m. in Tabor.

The Kortan-Hatwan Post No. 183 of the American Legion is in charge of handling the parade activities. Anyone interested in entering the parade should contact the Berans at P.O. Box 247, Tabor, SD 57063 or call 605-463-2238 as soon as possible to get your assigned number and route of the parade information. You may download an entry form at <http://www.taborczechdays.com>.

Any boy or girl interested in being selected as Czech Days Prince or Princess must be between the ages of 8 years old and not yet 12 years old at the time of selection. The prince and princess will be selected by drawing names at random at the Sokol Park stage following the Kiddie Parade and entrants must be dressed in a Czech costume such as the Beseda Dancers wear.

Participating in the Kiddie Parade is encouraged but not mandatory. The children should be living in the immediate area as there are parades and other events that they will be expected to participate in.

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## TORNADO

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"When the people who are supposed to help you are victims of the storm, it does take you a minute to catch your breath," Hummer said.

Those killed included a person outside the police department and a motorist, Hummer said. He said a young child and two other victims were from nearby Millbury, a bedroom community of roughly 1,200 about 10 miles southeast of Toledo. Hummer said two other people died at hospitals but he did not have details.

One of the victims was the father of Lake High School's valedictorian, said Tim Krugh, president of the school district's board. Krugh said the school has rescheduled graduation for Tuesday evening at a Toledo community college.

Neighbors said the house of the valedictorian's family was destroyed, and all that was left was a basement filled with water.

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At least 17 people in the Toledo area were hospitalized, including two adults and two children in critical condition, Mercy hospital system spokeswoman Gloria Enk said.

In southeastern Michigan, severe storms and high winds ripped siding off a building at the Fermi 2 nuclear plant, causing it to shut down automatically, said Dan Smith, the public information officer for Monroe County. Investigators were inspecting the nuclear plant on the shore of Lake Erie on Sunday morning, and the plant was expected to go back into operation, Smith said.

About 35,000 people were without power but it wasn't clear whether that was directly related to the nuclear plant's shutdown or because of damage to power lines in the area, Smith said.

Eleven people with minor injuries were taken to hospitals from Dundee, Mich., where a tornado touched down with winds of about 130 mph.

Tornadoes also were reported in Illinois. More than a dozen people were injured in Dwight, Ill., where about 40 mobile homes and 10 other homes were destroyed, Illinois Emergency Management Agency spokeswoman Patti Thompson said.

The roof of a movie theater collapsed in Elmwood, Ill., about 30 miles west of Peoria. State Trooper

Dustin Pierce said 150 to 200 people had been inside, but they had been evacuated to the basement and no one was hurt.

The storms left a trail of damaged homes in northern Indiana and two tornadoes were reported, but no one was injured. In eastern Iowa, buildings were damaged and one person was hurt when a tornado touched down in Maquoketa.

A cold front colliding with warm unstable air produced the storms that struck Saturday night, meteorologist Marty Mullen of the National Weather Service said, and that front was draped from New England south through the mid-Atlantic region later Sunday. The storm was weakening as it headed east.

The day after the Toledo-area tornado hit, residents were searching fields looking for anything salvageable.

The storm destroyed Ronald Johns' house and barn and flung his cast-iron bath tub into a wheat field, but his wife managed to find a wristwatch, still working, amid the scattered bits of their rural home near Millbury.

On Saturday night, Johns looked out the window and couldn't even see the barn directly across the road. The chimney fell through the first floor as soon as the retired couple made it to the basement, pinning

Johns with bricks until his wife, Jan, managed to free him.

Ronald Johns, 74, said they were lucky. "We didn't get down there five seconds too fast," he said.

Truck driver Carl Gooden, 54, said he, his wife and his adult son were sitting on the porch when they heard a roar and ran for the bathroom.

Wind tore off most of the home's roof and ripped open the north side of house, exposing a bedroom and a closet where sweat shirts and dresses were still on their hangers. In the front yard, a sliver of aluminum siding from a neighbor's barn was wrapped around a teetering telephone pole.

Gooden said his family lost two garages and five vehicles. The front yard was littered with decades of memories: a Loretta Lynn album, a porcelain lamp and a green golf bag were among the recognizable items.

"My heart sinks," Gooden said. "I worked a lifetime for all this."

But he wasn't about to go in to retrieve items such as his wife's jewelry or his NASCAR collectibles. His home was knocked 5 feet off its foundation and basement washer and dryer were all that was holding it up.

"It's not worth dying for," he said.

## TRAIL

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"We used just standard specifications for bike trails," Ledbetter said. "The base of it is 10 feet, so it meets the requirements as far as width and passage. There are some places where it's a little more hilly, but most of the trail is accessible if someone on a wheelchair wanted to use part of it. The width just allows that safe passage between people going different directions."

"It's just a standard gravel base with asphalt, and kind of using the lay of the land for the trail, and that's what the bike-riders like — something that goes along with the flow of the topography," he said.

In the future, the trail will be enhanced with what Ledbetter referred to as "prairie interpretation."

"Maybe next year, we'll start to plant half-acre plot (of native prairie plants), do some interpretation along the trail, have some signs up," he said.

The Lake Yankton Prairie Trail will also become part of a larger network of area trails.

"Eventually, when the county gets Deer Boulevard Trail done, you'll just go out on Deer Boulevard and get back on Highway 52, and you can make a complete loop," Ledbetter said.

This loop could also extend into Nebraska on Highway 81, thanks to the efforts of several groups from that state, he added.

"You would still have to go across the dam, and then you could just drop down the hill and get on this one. So hopefully in a couple years it'll be a continuous loop," Ledbetter said.

## GARDEN

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Some of the new windows will be on display at the party on Sunday so visitors can see them up close.

"That makes it very tangible," Neubauer said.

She added that the volunteer work of all the board members — and live-in curator Donna Schmidt — is what keeps the Cramer-Kenyon Home in such good condition.

"This board of directors is truly a working board," she said. "They're out there scraping, cleaning — and there's a lot of cleaning to be done. Last week, another one of the board members and I were upstairs cleaning the bedrooms, and I mean deep-cleaning. Oiling the floors, oiling the woodwork — all of the kinds of things that need to be done probably more often than we do them."

"It's a big thing, and you have to have a dedication to it, or it falls," she said.

For more information, call 665-7470.

## OBITUARIES

### Galen Jueden

HARTINGTON, Neb. — Galen P. Jueden, age 48 of Hartington, Nebraska died accidentally on Friday, June 04, 2010 as a result of a collapsing trench while working at the Devil's Nest area in rural Crofton, NE.

Mass of Christian Burial will be on Tuesday, June 8, 2010 at 10:30 a.m. at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Hartington with the Rev. Jeffery Loseke officiating. Burial will be at the St. Michael's cemetery in Hartington. Visitation will be on Monday, at church, from 3-8:00 p.m. with a vigil service at 7:00 p.m. Visitation will continue on Tuesday at church one hour prior to services. Arrangements are under the direction of the Wintz Funeral Home in Hartington. To send an online sympathy card go to [www.wintzfuneralhome.com](http://www.wintzfuneralhome.com).

Palbearers will be Brock Foxhoven, Justin Foxhoven, Trent Schieffer, Braston Maibaum, Jim Loecker, and Andy Jueden. Honorary palbearers will be all of Galen's friends and family.



Jueden

Galen Patrick Jueden was born on November 29, 1961 in Osmond, NE to Robert Eugene and Carol (Lowin) Jueden. He grew up in the Hartington area and graduated from Hartington Public High School in 1980. He married Gerri Ann Foxhoven on May 29, 1982 in Constance, NE. Galen worked for Gayle Hochstein at Hartington Concrete and worked there until 1996 when he began working for the Lewis and Clark Natural Resources District.

Galen belonged to Holy Trinity Catholic Church. He helped with the Pheasants Forever Youth hunts, coached Derek and Kolby on their youth football team. He helped with the Hartington High Booster Club, loved hunting and fishing and being outdoors. Galen enjoyed being with his family and friends.

Galen is survived by his wife Gerri; 4 sons, Travis and his wife Kelly Jueden and their son

Ryland of Omaha, NE; Tyler Jueden and his fiancé Toshia Promes of Lincoln, NE; Derek Jueden and Kolby Jueden at home in Hartington; mother Carol Jueden of Hartington; 3 brothers and 4 sisters and spouses, Denise and Don Loecker of McCook, NE; Terry and Carmen Jueden of Hartington; Roger and Tami Jueden of Yankton, SD; Sheila and Dave Loecker of Fordyce, NE; Sharon and Bill Schaefer of Fordyce, NE; Mike and Lana Jueden of Hartington; and Lauri and Joe Maibaum of Crofton, NE; many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his infant sister Dian and his father, Robert on November 24, 1993 at the age of 58 years.

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### Dorothy Vendshus

Dorothy V. Vendshus, age 76 of Yankton passed away on Sunday (June 6, 2010) at Avera Sister James Care Center, Yankton. Arrangements are pending under the care of the Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home and Crematory, Yankton.

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Our care and concern does not end with the funeral service. This week we remember with family and friends the anniversary of the deaths of:

**Genesis Ann Suing**  
who passed away on June 9, 2009

**Raymond A. Weber**  
who passed away on June 12, 2009

**Josephine E. Andersen**  
who passed away on June 13, 2009

**Marvin C. Neuharth**  
who passed away on June 5, 2003

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