

**YCOEM Reactivates Emergency Operation Center**

The Yankton County Office of Emergency Management (YCOEM) re-activated its Emergency Operation Center (EOC), Tuesday, after receiving word that releases at Gavin's Point Dam will be increased to 160,000 cfs.

"The increased releases will mean more homes in the Riverside Acres and Larson's Landing areas will be affected by high Missouri River waters," says Paul Scherschligt, Director of the Yankton County Office of Emergency Management. "We've already made contact with many home owners, making sure they're aware of what's coming over the next couple of days."

The increased release could push flood waters a foot to a foot-and-a-half higher in the affected areas.

Maps indicating the new potential flood water levels can be found at the YCOEM's flood event web site [www.yanktonflood.com](http://www.yanktonflood.com).

Scherchligt says his office still has sandbags available for those who may now need them - they can be picked up at the sandbag reserve sites at the south end of Deer Boulevard or at Dakota Premium hay.

**Nurse Aide Scholarships To Be Awarded**

Five Nurse Aide Training Scholarships will be awarded in the Yankton Rural Area Health Education Center (AHEC) service area. The South Dakota Healthcare Workforce Center <http://doh.sd.gov/Rural-Health/workforce/> identifies Certified Nurse Aides as a critical healthcare workforce shortage area.

"According to the South Dakota Department of Labor, there is a projected increase of 25.4 percent in the number of healthcare workers needed between the years of 2006 and 2016. As healthcare facilities face this increased need in providers, they are also looking at a shrinking pool of potential replacements. In South Dakota, between 2010 and 2025, the percentage of potential workers (ages 15-64) is projected to decrease by 4.4 percent. According to the Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education, the number of high school graduates will decrease by 16.5 percent between 2001/02 and 2017/18. While the number of youth in South Dakota slowly decreases, the percentage of those of retirement age (age 64 and up) increases drastically. The South Dakota State Data Center indicates an increase of 58 percent among those of retirement age."

Certified Nurse Aides are front line workers who work in virtually any area in our state in a variety of settings - acute care hospital, long-term care, assisted living facilities, medical clinics, etc. Additionally, nurse aide training is the starting point on a career ladder to many other career opportunities in the healthcare field - Licensed Practical Nurse, Registered Nurse, Certified Nurse Anesthetists, radiology, office work, computer science, technology, and many other fields of work.

Yankton Rural AHEC, in partnership with Avera Education & Staffing Solutions will be offering five (5) \$600 scholarships to high school graduates aged 18 and older who are interested in becoming a Certified Nurse Aide. Applications are available at <http://www.yrahec.org/> and must be submitted by July 5, 2011.

The Nurse Aide Training Scholarships are funded in part by a grant from the U.S. Department of Health, Health Resource Services Administration and by Avera Education & Staffing Solutions.

For additional information contact [info@YRAHEC.org](mailto:info@YRAHEC.org) or call 605-655-1400.

**Preceptor Training To Be Held In July**

On Friday, July 15, 2011, from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Rural Experiences for Health Professions Students, REHPS, is sponsoring FREE Preceptor Training at the Highland Conference Center in Mitchell, South Dakota for Physicians, Physician Assistants, Advanced Practice Nurses and Pharmacists who wish to enhance their abilities to serve as preceptors for interdisciplinary groups of students. The Sanford School of Medicine of The University of South Dakota designates this educational activity for a maximum of 5.5 AMA PRA Category 1 Credit TM. The event will focus on individuals practicing in rural areas of South Dakota. For additional information, see [www.yrahec.org/](http://www.yrahec.org/) or call 605-655-1400.

Andrew Spain, Certified Manager, Society for Simulation in Healthcare, Minneapolis, MN; Richard Honke, MD, Avera St. Benedict Health Center, Parkston, SD; and Diane Weber, PAC, Weber Medical Services, Martin, SD, will present the training. REHPS is funded by a HRSA grant and is administered through the Yankton Rural AHEC.

**Cedar Street At Railroad Crossing To Be Closed**

The railroad crossing on Cedar Street just north of 8th Street will be closed the week of June 27, 2011. BNSF Railway Company and the City will be repairing the railroad crossing at this location. No thru traffic will be allowed during the project.

**Library Summer Reading Program Continues**

All adults are welcome to join us at the Yankton Community Library, 515 Walnut, for the summer reading program.

Louise Anderson, owner of The Pantry, will present a Tea Tasting on Friday, June 24, at 3 p.m. She will feature teas from England and India but will also have others for us to taste. Along with the tastings, we will receive information about the teas and tea etiquette. The tasting is free of charge but you must register at the library by Thursday, June 23, so that we have an accurate count as we make preparations.

Each time adults check out materials at the library, you can register for our weekly drawings. You might also want to check out an item from our display which features books and movies from all around the world.

For further information on this or any program at the library, please call 668-5275.

**S.D. Pilots Association To Hold Meeting**

The South Dakota Pilots Association will hold a meeting at Wooly's in Hot Springs on Saturday, June 25 at 11 a.m. All aviation enthusiasts are invited.

Charlie Summers will be giving a presentation on the Hot Springs Soaring Club. Laverne Hermanson will give a tour at 1:30 p.m. of the "SEAT" (Single Engine Air Tanker) Fire-Fighting Base at Hot Springs Airport. The SEAT base will be training that weekend. Pilots are encouraged to fly in to Hot Springs and land at various airports along the way as part of the FLY South Dakota Airports! Passport program. South Dakota is celebrating the 100th anniversary of powered flight in South Dakota in 2011.

Governor Dennis Daugaard has proclaimed June as General Aviation Appreciation Month. For more information, call Steve Hamilton at 605-665-8448.

Our sincere thank you for the many beautiful cards we received for our 50th wedding anniversary. We appreciate your thoughtfulness and value the friendships we have made throughout the years.

**Leon & Maureen Ablor**

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MONDAY-FRIDAY

Thursday  
7:40 Lisa Scheve  
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Friday  
7:40 Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan  
8:15 Sherri Duke

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**People Encouraged To Check Immunization Status**

PIERRE — North Dakota has reported its first case of measles since 1987, an unvaccinated adult who traveled in South Dakota during his infectious period.

"We're asking health providers to be on the alert for measles symptoms and we're contacting individuals who had exposure to this case during his time in South Dakota," said Bonnie Jameson, Disease Prevention Administrator for the Department of Health. "This is a good reminder of how important vaccination is and we would encourage South Dakotans to make sure they and their children are up to date on their immunizations, including measles."

Measles is a highly contagious virus transmitted from one person to another by direct contact or airborne by droplet spread. Symptoms include rash, cough, runny nose, eye irritation and fever. It can lead to ear infection, pneumonia, seizures, brain

damage and death. A serious illness, measles causes permanent brain damage in 1 in every 1,000 patients and is fatal in 2 out of every 1,000 patients.

The best protection against the disease is the measles vaccine (MMR). For full protection, two doses of the vaccine are recommended, the first at 12 months of age and a second dose by age 4. Two doses of the MMR vaccine are required for school entry in South Dakota.

Parents in need of vaccine for their children can contact their usual health care provider or check the list of childhood vaccine providers on the department's website, [doh.sd.gov/LocalOffices/Vaccine.aspx](http://doh.sd.gov/LocalOffices/Vaccine.aspx).

More information about measles is available on the department's website at [doh.sd.gov/Disease-Facts/PDF/Measles.pdf](http://doh.sd.gov/Disease-Facts/PDF/Measles.pdf) or the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention website at [www.cdc.gov/measles/index.html](http://www.cdc.gov/measles/index.html).

**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. A \$5 fee is required to adopt an animal. Animals can be viewed on the Humane Society Web site at [www.heartlandhumaneociety.net](http://www.heartlandhumaneociety.net).

**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**

• Kayla Taggart, 20, Sioux Falls, was arrested Tuesday on a warrant for failure to comply.

**ACCIDENTS**

• A report was received at 1:31 a.m. Wednesday that a 1994 Chevy Cavalier left the roadway at 21st and Summit and came to a stop in the ditch. The vehicle was unoccupied upon police arrival.

**INCIDENTS**

• A report was received at 3:28 p.m. Tuesday that a 2001 Harley Davidson

Sportster had possibly been stolen in the 700 block of Walnut.

• A report was received at 9:34 p.m. Tuesday of a power pole on fire in the Lesterville area.

• A report was received at 3:34 a.m. Wednesday that a bottle was thrown at a moving vehicle in the 1300 block of West Eighth St. Although there was a broken bottle in the road, it is believed that the vehicle was actually hit by an egg. Broken eggs were also found on the road.

**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**

**Tuesday, June 23, 1936**  
• A strange sea-creature washed ashore in Sebastian, Florida. The body is about 15 feet long, the head bears a rough resemblance to a camel, while the leathery hide is covered in coarse, matted hair.

• Lennox defeated Freeman in a S.E.S.D. league game at Lennox by the score of 5 to 4.

**50 YEARS AGO**

**Friday, June 23, 1961**  
• Thursday night's crowd for the big centennial historical pageant, "Rifles to Rockets," was so big that some 200

people were turned away.

• A series of social functions, including daily dinners at various residences and a ball thrown at the Charles Gurney Hotel, have been held for Centennial Queen Carol Brownson and her royal court.

**25 YEARS AGO**

**Monday, June 23, 1986**  
• Southwest winds reaching 95 miles per hour tore through Yankton at midnight Saturday, causing extensive damage and considerable surprise.

• Volin got into the spirit of history this weekend and celebrated the 100th birthday of the town with a parade and rodeo, among other activities.

**OBITUARIES**

**Robert Van Why**

VERMILLION — Robert "Bob" Everett Van Why, 74, of Vermillion passed away on Tuesday, June 21, 2011 at Sanford Vermillion Care Center.



Van Why

Memorial service will be on Saturday, June 25, 2011 at 10:00 AM at Trinity Lutheran Church in Vermillion with Pastor Trisha Boese officiating. Visitation will be held one hour prior from 9:00-10:00 AM at the church.

Bob was born on May 25, 1937 in Springfield, OH to John and Elizabeth (Everett) Van Why. He lived in Michigan in 1950 before moving with his family to Vermillion in 1951. He graduated from Vermillion High School and was a huge supporter and fan of the Vermillion High School (VHS) athletic program. Bob worked at the University of South Dakota's maintenance department for more than 30 years.

Bob was a great person and a friend to many people. He was very well-known and accomplished many things. He was privileged to receive many

awards during his life such as the Friend of Football award from the Football Coaches Association in 1991 and the USD Faithful Servant award on April 3, 1998. On July 10, 1998, Governor Bill Janklow pronounced that day to be "Robert Van Why Day".

Bob was a big fan of Vermillion High School, the University of South Dakota and the University of Michigan, which is where his father attended. He was given a plaque on February 11, 2000 by the USD Athletic Department commemorating his lifetime support of the athletic program. Bob was also a VHS Lifetime Booster, and was named Optimist of the Year in 1986 and 1987.

The Vermillion Community was Bob's home and family. He will forever be missed by all who knew him.

Bob is survived by his sister-in-law Lee (Tom) Raines of Sioux Falls, SD; nephews Scott (Laura) Van Why of WI and Kent Van Why of Iowa; nieces Joan Vrieze of IA and Jane (Eric) Pattison of Indiana; 3 great-nephews; 4 great-nieces; special friends Pat (Jerry) Pratt and Mary Lea (Jay) Hennies; and many other close friends near and far.

He is preceded in death by his parents John and Elizabeth Van

Why and brother John Van Why. Condolences may be posted online at [www.koberfuneral-home.com](http://www.koberfuneral-home.com).

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**John Hoaglin, Sr.**

BABBITT, Minn. — John Henry Hoaglin Sr., 92, of Babbitt, Minnesota passed away on Tuesday, June 14, 2011 at Ely Bloomenson Hospital in Ely. At the family's request, a private service was held at John and Alice's home in Babbitt, Minnesota on Saturday, June 20, 2011. A prayer service will be held at a later date at the Redeemer Lutheran Church in Redwood City, California. Burial will be in the Springfield Cemetery with a graveside service at a later date.

John was born on December



Hoaglin

26,1918 in Springfield, SD to Charles and Margaret (Junge) Hoaglin. He grew up and attended grade school and High School in Springfield. He served in the US Army. He worked in the San Francisco Naval Ship Yard as a Heavy Mobile Equipment Mechanic Foreman. On March 31, 1993 he was united in marriage to Alice (Burnside) Hanson. John enjoyed living in Mesa, Arizona for 6 months of the year, playing pool, horseshoes, visiting with friends and family.

He is survived by his wife, Alice, Babbitt, Minnesota; children John (Mary) Hoaglin, Jr., Springfield, SD; Sandra Parker, Belmont, California; four grandchildren, ten great grandchildren, four great great grandchildren, six step-children, seventeen step grandchildren and five step great grandchildren.

John was preceded in death by his parents, his first wife, Frances, son-in-law Lee Parker, brother Jim and sister Anna.

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A sincere thanks to all our family and friends who helped us celebrate our 50th wedding anniversary and make it one to remember. Thank you for the cards, gifts and phone calls that we received. Each gesture of kindness warmed our hearts. We wish you God's blessings.

*Leonard & Jeannette Wieseler*

**Independence Day Deadlines**

The Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan will be closed Monday, July 4th, for the Independence Day holiday.

The following deadlines will apply:

Out On The Town  
Wednesday, June 29th

Tuesday, July 5 newspaper  
5 p.m., Wednesday, June 29th

Wednesday, July 6 newspaper  
5 p.m., Thursday, June 30th

Thursday, July 7 newspaper  
5 p.m., Friday, July 1st

*There will be no newspaper on Monday, July 4, 2011.*

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