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Yankton School Board To Hold Meeting Monday

From P&D Staff Reports

The Yankton School District Board will discuss the preliminary 2010-2011 budget for district funds and set the hearing date for an upcoming school board meeting during Monday's 5:30 p.m. meeting at the Regional Technical Education Center.

The board will also look at current membership for the SDHSA board of directors and will look at the Strategic Planning Goals.

Farmers Union District Camp Set For June 1-4

HURON — South Dakota Farmers Union (SDFU) invites all children ages 6-13 from south-eastern South Dakota to participate in District I & II Farmers Union Camp June 1-4 at Swan Lake near Viborg.

Districts I and II include Bon Homme, Charles Mix, Clay, Douglas, Hutchinson, Lincoln, Turner, Union, Yankton, Aurora, Brule, Buffalo, Davison, Hanson, Jerauld, Lake McCook, Miner, Minnehaha, Moody and Sanborn counties.

"Our theme this year is 'The Power of Cooperation, Leading by Serving,' and we'll have activities that will teach young people how to enhance their leadership skills by volunteering in their communities," said Pat Larson, District II Education Director. "They'll learn important lessons about agriculture, the cooperative spirit, and other life skills while having a lot of fun in a safe environment. We'll have games, singing, crafts, camp fires, and other camp traditions that the kids will really enjoy."

Campers will have the opportunity to create Farmers Union "Bean Jars" with ingredients to make bean soup. The bean jars will be prepared with individual notes from the campers. They will then be taken to local food pantries as part of the campers' community service activity. The youth will also play "Gifts of Service Charades" and have an opportunity to make their own "Farmers Union Service Pledge".

The camp will also include a banquet on the evening of June 3rd. Parents and Farmers Union members are invited to attend. Registration is \$80 for SDFU members (Farmers Union membership dues are \$40 per calendar year), and \$105 for non-members. A limited number of registrations are accepted. Santel Communications will pay (directly to district) \$50 toward camp fee for Santel Telephone Customers.

Registration forms can be found online at www.sdfu.org. You can also pick them up at your local Farmers Union Insurance office, or your local cooperative. Send registration and medical release form by May 22 to: Pat Larson, 40062 231st St., Woonsocket, SD 57385.

A free bus ride will be provided, but there is limited seating. The bus is filled on a first-come, first-serve basis. When bus is full, you will be responsible for your own transportation. Bus info will be emailed, if you have it, otherwise mailed by approximately May 28. The camp will be led by Larson, District II Farmers Union Education Director, Denise Mushitz, Geddes, District I Farmers Union Education Director and the Farmers Union Summer Staff interns.

REGION DIGEST

Pine Street To Be Under Construction

Pine Street from Eighth Street to 10th Street will be closed due to construction on Monday, May 17. No through-traffic on the street will be allowed during the project.

Weather permitting, the tentative completion date for the project is June 30.

Outlaw Trail Meeting To Be Held May 18

LYNCH, Neb. — Outlaw Trail Scenic Byway meeting will be held in Lynch at the Lynch Community Hall at 10 a.m. Tuesday, May 18.

The Outlaw Trail Scenic Byway follows Highway 12 and has a 40-mile corridor.

Babysitter Training Courses Set For May 27

Yankton County Red Cross will be offering the Babysitter's Training Classes to accommodate those looking for Summer babysitting jobs. The classes will be held on Thursday, May 27, running from 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

The purpose of the Babysitter's Training Course is to provide youth, ages 11-15, who are planning to babysit with the knowledge and skills necessary to safely and responsibly give care for children and infants. This training will help participants to develop leadership skills; learn how to develop a babysitting business, keep themselves and others safe and help children behave; and learn about basic child care and basic first aid.

There is a class fee which includes class materials and a first aid kit. Participants are asked to bring a sack lunch. Class size is limited so pre-registration is required. Contact the Yankton Red Cross office at 665-7572 or e-mail your interest to yanktonrc@iw.net.

'Ribs At The Ranch' Set For Freeman June 26

FREEMAN — Area specialty chefs will participate in a barbecue rib cook-off contest at the Pioneer Hall parking lot in Freeman on Saturday, June 26.

Official judging will take place in the afternoon, with meals served to the public from 4:30-9 p.m.

Ribs, hog dogs, 1919 keg root beer, homemade ice cream and other side dishes will be sold ala carte.

Everyone is invited for a summer evening of food, fellowship and entertainment including music, kids activities, car show, tractor drive and a "Kiss the Pig" contest.

Proceeds from Ribs at the Ranch will go to the Sterling Hall Building Fund.

For information on entering the contest, contact Vernetta Waltner at 605-925-4237, ext. 235 or vwaltner@freemanacademy.org.

Horizons Project Receives New Funding

BROOKINGS — Forty South Dakota communities will continue to work with the South Dakota Cooperative Extension Service in the Horizons Community Development program over the next three years.

The South Dakota Cooperative Extension Service recently received additional funding through a U.S. Department of Agriculture Rural Community Development Initiative and the Northwest Area Foundation to expand their efforts in targeted rural communities.

Communities participating in Horizons over the past three years include Armour, Big Stone City, Bison, Box Elder, Conde, Dupree, Eden/Roslyn, Estelline, Eureka, Faith, Frederick, Gregory, Harding County, Hot Springs, Hyde County, Iroquois, Isabel, Kadoka, Kimball, Leola, Montose, Murdo, Newell, Oldham, Philip, Preshto, Reliance, Sanborn Central, Scotland, Sisseton, St. Francis, Timber Lake, Tripp, Tyndall, Volin/Gayville, Wagner, Whetstone Valley and Whitewood.

Porcupine and Kyle also have joined the new effort.

Horizons communities currently are progressing on goals they have set in their written plans. The new funding will target four areas that appeared frequently as goals in a high percentage of those plans. They include developing entrepreneurial support, sustainable local food systems, youth involvement in communities, and leadership/facilitation development.

The South Dakota Cooperative Extension Service uses community coaches to provide technical assistance, and it partners with other community development agencies in the state to deliver education and resources to Horizons communities. The Horizons project is aimed at strengthening leadership to reduce poverty in rural communities. Ultimately, the program builds local capacity to improve the lives for area residents.

For more information, call Extension Specialist Karla Trautman at 605-688-4790 or Extension Specialist Kari Fruechte at 605-685-6972.

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OBITUARIES

Kathleene Carlson

SIoux FALLS — Funeral Mass for Kathleene A. Carlson of Sioux Falls and formerly of Tyndall will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, May 17 at St. Leo Catholic Church in Tyndall with Fr. Gerald Thury as Celebrant. Organist will be Kathy Koenig and soloist will be Pam Novak. Interment will follow in St. Leo Catholic Cemetery.

Casketbearers will be Bryan Carlson, Jeff Carlson, Dan Carlson, Steve Gassen, Bill Gassen and Josh Gassen.

Visitation will be held on Sunday from 3:00 p.m. until 5:30 p.m. at the Goglin Funeral Home in Tyndall. There will be a 7:30 scriptural wake service at the church on Sunday evening. Online condolences may be sent at www.goglinfh.com.

Kathleene Amelia Carlson was born on Thursday, April 5, 1917 in Tyndall, South Dakota. She was the only child born to Adolph and Albina (Trunc) Dvoracek. She was among the 41 graduates of Tyndall High School's original black-and-orange Panthers in 1934. She received her Bachelor's Degree in Teaching from Southern State Teacher's College in Springfield. Kathleene was united in marriage to Roger Carlson on July 10, 1939 at Tyndall. They lived in California for 10 years, then returned to the area and lived in Tyndall, Pickstown and Gregory, returning to Tyndall upon retirement. Kathleene was a



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dedicated teacher for most of her adult years and was a 2nd grade teacher in Gregory for 18 years, retiring at age 72. She was an avid reader and her other pastimes included working on puzzles, organizing her photo albums, and playing pinocle and bridge at the Senior Citizen's Center. Always an enthusiastic sports fan, Kathleene enjoyed attending her grandson's football games and following professional and NCAA basketball - especially rooting for Georgetown during "March Madness." She was a faithful member of St. Leo Catholic Church, St. Leo Altar Society, and was a 60-year member of the Women's Order of Catholic Forresters. She was inducted into the National Teacher's Honor Society in 1973, and was also a member of the Bon Homme Retired Teacher's Association. Kathleene passed away on Wednesday, May 12, 2010 at Avera McKennan Hospital in Sioux Falls, having attained the age of 93 years,

1 month and 7 days.

Kathleene is survived by two children: son Jim Carlson of Sioux City, Iowa and daughter Charlene (Matt) Gassen of Sioux Falls; ten grandchildren: Bryan (Kelley) Carlson of Rapid City, Brad Carlson of Kansas City, Kansas, Clayton Carlson of Spokane, Washington, Christine Carlson of Seattle, Washington, Jeff (Shawn) Carlson of Dakota Dunes, Dan (Mickey) Carlson of Alliance, Nebraska, Jennifer (Ken) Petersen of Merville, Iowa, Steve (Kelsey) Gassen of Houston, Texas, Bill (Jill) Gassen of Sioux Falls, and Josh (Marc) Gassen of Dakota Dunes; 23 great-grandchildren and 3 great-great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, Kathleene is preceded in death by her husband, Roger Carlson in 1996, and her son, Ron Carlson in 2007.

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Dorothy Brewer

Dorothy (Fischer) Brewer, age 94, of Yankton, South Dakota, died January 24, 2010, at Williamson Medical Center in Franklin, Tennessee.

Graveside services will be 2:00 p.m. Saturday, May 15, 2010, at the Sacred Heart Cemetery in Yankton with Deacon Paul King officiating. A reception will follow the graveside service at the Hospitality Center at the Wintz & Ray Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Yankton.

Dorothy was born March 12, 1915, to Clarence and Martha (Fanslow) Fischer in Yankton, South Dakota. She grew up and attended in school in Yankton.

She married Thomas J. Brewer on February 18, 1937, in Yankton. They lived and raised their family in Yankton, where Dorothy worked for Yankton Laundry for many years and then at the Human Services Center in Yankton for 15 years. After she stopped working, she helped take care of her grandchildren. She was a very devoted mother and grandmother and loved spending time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

She is survived by her two children, Thomas C. (Sharon) Brewer of Franklin, Tennessee and Betty (Mike) Burdette of Reno, Nevada; 10 grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren; two

great-great grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Tomas J. Brewer in 1964; infant son; and 11 brothers and sisters.

To post an online sympathy message, please visit wintzrayfuneralhome.com.

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Margaret Miller

Margaret E. Miller, age 96, of Yankton, died Thursday, May 13, 2010 at the Avera Yankton Care Center, Yankton, SD.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m. Monday, May 17, 2010 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Yankton, with Rev. Mark Lichter officiating. Burial will be in Sacred Heart Cemetery.

Visitations will be 6 to 8 p.m. Sunday, with a Scripture service at 7:30 p.m. at the Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home & Crematory, Yankton, SD. Pallbearers will be Troy Miller, Cody Miller, Kyle Miller, Tim Miller, and Dan Miller. Margaret was born January

30, 1914 in Napoleon, ND. She moved to Aberdeen, SD with her family as a child. Margaret married Frank Miller on June 28, 1937 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Aberdeen, SD. They later moved to Madison, SD, then to Yankton, SD, where she was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Margaret enjoyed many years as a homemaker. She loved her family and grandchildren dearly. Her favorite hobby

was fishing with her husband and grandchildren.

She is survived by three children: Daniel (Gail) Miller, Tim (Sherry) Miller, and Gary Miller all of Yankton, SD; 7 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband Frank Miller, January 13, 1996.

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Merlin Lewon

RANDOLPH, Neb. — Merlin R. Lewon, 78 of Randolph, Neb., died Thursday (May 13, 2010) at Park View Haven Nursing Home, Coleridge, Neb.

Memorial services are at 2 p.m. Monday at First United Methodist Church, Randolph, with the Rev. Mike Gardner officiating. Inurnment will be in the Hartington

City Cemetery in Hartington, Neb., under the direction of Wintz Funeral Home in Hartington.

No visitation is being planned.

To post an online message, please visit www.wintzrayfuneralhome.com.

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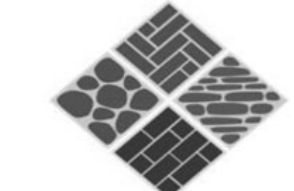
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Say this prayer 9 times a day, your prayers will be answered by the 8th day. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised.

Thank you Jesus & St. Jude. HF

IN REMEMBRANCE

Dorothy Brewer

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Merlin R. Lewon

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