## **Construction Work Set For N-12 Santee Spur**

LINCOLN, Neb. — Weather permitting, work is scheduled to begin the week of May 29 on the Santee Spur, north of N-12, accord-ing to the Nebraska Department of Roads. K. Porter Construction, Inc. of Norfolk has the \$662,081 contract

for the slide repair project at Reference Post 3.3. Traffic will be maintained on a gravel shoofly adjacent to the slide repair work. Reduced speeds will be enforced. Completion of the project is anticipated this summer.

The Department of Roads' project manager is Bob Wiebelhaus of Hartington. Motorists are reminded to drive cautiously through highway construction zones.

# **Donations Being Accepted For Hargans**

Brett Hargan of Yankton lost his home and belongings to fire on May 17. His son, Ian, was due home from the Air Force on May 18 for his two-week leave.

A benefit account is at Wells Fargo Bank. Any donations or gifts will be greatly appreciated.

Also, household items can be dropped off at Pickers Paradise, 401 East 4th Street and at A-1 Corner, 515 East 4th Street.

Brett and Ian's dogs survived the fire. They would like to thank whoever let them out. Their paws were burnt but both are doing well.

# **Rules Review Committee To Meet May 29**

PIERRE — The interim Rules Review Committee, chaired by Sen. Jean Hunhoff (R-Yankton), will meet at 9 a.m. Tuesday, May 29, in Room 413 of the State Capitol in Pierre.

The committee will review rules proposed by the Attorney General: Law Enforcement Officers Standards and Training Commission; Bureau of Personnel; Department of Agriculture: Division of Agricultural Services, S.D. Animal Industry Board, and SD Weed and Pest Control Commission; Department of Game, Fish and Parks; Department of Human Services: Division of Rehabilitation Services: Department of Labor and Regulation: Appraiser Certification Program and Division of Insurance; Department of Revenue: Commission on Gaming, Division of Business Tax, and Division of Property and Special Taxes; Department of Social Services: Division of Economic Assistance and Division of Medical Services; and the Secretary of State: Board of Finance. The agenda is available on the South Dakota Legislature's web site at http://legis.state.sd.us/interim/2012/meetings.aspx. Copies of the proposed rules may be obtained without charge by contacting the department, board, or commission.

In addition to Sen. Hunhoff, committee members are Rep. R. Shawn Tornow, Vice Chair, (R-Sioux Falls); Sens. Angie Buhl (D-Sioux Falls) and Mike Vehle (R-Mitchell); and Reps. Peggy Gibson (D-Huron) and Roger Hunt (R-Brandon). The public is invited to attend.

### **OBITUARIES**

### **Denwood Hult**

VOLIN — Denwood Carl Hult, age 63, of Volin, South Dakota died Thursday, May 24, 2012 at Avera Sacred Heart Hospital in Yankton, South Dakota.

Funeral services are 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, May 29, 2012 at Komstad Covenant Church at 29987 University Road in rural Beresford, South Dakota with Reverend David Olson officiating. Burial will be in the Komstad Cemetery with military honors by the Beresford Ameri-can Legion Post 72, VFW Post 2975 and SD Air National Guard.

Visitation is from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. on Monday, at the Wintz & Ray Funeral Home in Yankton with a prayer service, video tribute and time of sharing at 7:00 PM.

Pallbearers are Aaron



nally to rural Volin in 1995. Denny really enjoyed his work and always identified himself as the "Sewing Machine Man". Denny's faith

was the central part of his life as he received Christ as his Savior at age 13. He thoroughly loved teaching Sunday School and discussing the Bible with others. Denny was a strong supporter of the pro-life movement as well as 2nd Amendment rights. He enjoyed hunting, target shooting, working outside planting trees and reading multiple books at the same time. As a youth, he enjoyed being a pitcher playing fast pitch soft

# **Yankton Students Capture 2 Medals At National Science Olympiad**

COURTESY PHOTO

Members of Yankton's Science Olympiad Team recently competed in the National Science Olympiad Competition in Orlando, Fla. Pictured are (front row) Andrew Adams, (second row) Sophie Drotzmann, Kelsey Westerman, Jade Nelson, Becca Moser, Anna Kokesh, Sam Gusso, Ally Hagen, Lauren Schild, (third row) Coach Cheryl Schaeffer, Joseph Kelly, Broc Mauch, Ted Anders, Natalie Ferris, Michael Haas, Mikayla Trenhaile, Erica Westerman, Garret Adam, Hunter Lippert, Amanda Boon, (fourth row) Coach Bob Medeck, Layne Droppers, Dylan Chang, Alyssa Schild, Clara Schild, Theresa Barnes, Cassie Pospishil, Kim Cap, (back row) David Barnes, Marissa Hauger, Matt Gubels, Isaac Althoff, Amber Livingston, Silas Schaeffer, Alexa Bryan, Story Lesher, Heather Hauer, and Callie Pospishil.



COURTESY PHOTO Pictured (left to right) are Layne Droppers, Coach Bob Medeck, Silas Schaefer, Sophie Drotzmann, Coach Cheryl Schaeffer, and Mikayla Trenhaile. Droppers and Schaeffer took home 2nd place honors in the Division C Gravity Vehicle event. Drotzmann and Trenhaile placed 6th in the Division B Write It Do It event.

### BY REBECCA MOSER

YMS Science Olympiad Photo Journalist

ORLANDO, Fla. — For most Yankton students, summer vacation began on Tuesday, May 15. But this was not the case for the 35 members of the Science Olympiad Team.

Instead, on the evening of May 15, the team boarded a bus for a 30-hour ride to the National Science Olympiad Competition on the University of Central Florida campus. Many students continued to study and prepare for the competition while on the bus. some waited to arrive at the hotel to tweak their inventions, while still others waited to run some pre-competition trials of their inventions on campus.

The Science Olympiad National Tournament is the pinnacle of achievement for 120 of the country's best Science Olympiad teams, representing more than 2,000 students. Medals are given to the top 6 place finishers in individual events and the top 10 place finishers in the team competition. This year, the Science Olympiad National Tournament was hosted on May 18-19 by the University of Central Florida in Orlando. For more information about events like Bottle Rocket, Gravity Vehicle, Tower Building, Mission Possible, Robot Arm, Helicopters, Storm the Castle and more, visit the University of Central Florida 2012 Science **Olympiad National Tournament** website.

The Yankton Middle School team comprised of 15 members, 2 alternates, and 1 photo journalist finished 42nd in the team points. Eighth graders Sophie

Drotzmann and Mikayla Trenhaile brought home 6th place honors in the Write It Do It event. Other students showing strong performances and finishing in the top 50 percent of Division B were

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• Joseph Kelly and Ted Anders in Storm the Castle (15th place) • Garret Adam and Hunter Lip-

pert in Microbe Mission (19th place)

• Érica Westerman and Ted Anders in Optics (20th place) • Sophie Drotzmann, Ally

Hagen and Erica Westerman in Experimental Design (24th place) • Joseph Kelly and Hunter Lip-

pert in Mission Possible (24th place)

• Lauren Schild and Anna Kokesh in Helicopter Egg Drop — Trial/Pilot Event (28th place)

• Erica Westerman and Kelsey Westerman in Food Science (30th place)

The Yankton High School team finished in 52nd place in the Division C competition. Junior Silas Schaeffer and sophomore Layne Droppers took home medal honors with a 2nd place finish in Gravity Vehicle. Other students placing in the top 50 percent in Division C were

• Theresa Barnes and David Barnes in Sounds of Music (18th place)

• Álexa Bryan, Heather Hauer and Story Lesher in Mag Lev — Trial/Pilot Event (30th place)

The Yankton teams returned home the morning of Tuesday, May 22. Members and coaches would like to thank the individuals and businesses for their donations that made this trip possible.

Artist

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for General Motors and the Pentagon, he said.

"I'll paint anything, but this sign is more dear to my heart because it comes from the automotive industry," Harris said. "Darrell wanted something with the cars and the company name that could be seen from a distance. He kind of left the design up to me."

Darrell liked the fact that Harris wanted to leave off all of the lettering and put their name on the sign with realistic flames, he

and depth and takes you back into the sign," Harris said. "We also played around with the reflection from the flames on the cars, so that was a lot of fun to do.'

Harris said he tried to portray something that took sign art to a new level. He added that the sign will last for a long time and will be somewhat like a landmark.

Darrell wanted something that would have people turn around, come back and look at the sign, he said.

"Our sign we had years ago was the first thing people saw when they came over the bridge," he said. "As it deteriorated away, I wanted something that would draw the attention from people walking the bicycle trail and people driving by." Darrell said he feels people will stop and take pictures of the sign, and he is hoping it will bring reflection to the business. Harris said he enjoys working in the Midwest, and when Darrell contacted him, he was more than willing to paint the sign. Getting to do this for Darrell and Ray and everybody here has been a real pleasure," Harris said. "I'm very proud of it."

# Van Osdel

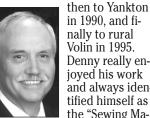
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culture and bulk transit of grain, thus helping to conserve our highways. But Yankton County will have to shoulder some of the financial responsibility to see Napa-Platte come to fruition.

3. What are the biggest challenges facing the county in the next four years and how will you work to address them?

Infrastructure will be foremost on the county agenda. Yankton County has some colorful but aging bridges, and with so many aging blacktop roads which provide transit of grains and hav from farm to market, this will be a priority. The county must have conservative, active leadership to continue to facilitate farm-to-market traffic.

eled elsewhere and utilized camping/fishing facilities elsewhere fully recognize that Yankton County's Lewis and Clark Lake parks, with proximity to other venues such as churches, family dining and entertainment opportunities provide the ultimate recreation destination for families. And as our farming operations continue to produce an abundance of grain and hay, the county road system will continue to be burdened. County commissioners must be diligent in maintaining these trade routes. And since the typefaces must be nearly worn off the Washington, D.C., printing presses, I do not foresee much federal money coming this way in the near future. Conservative must be the guide word for county



Schultz, Gary Schlaefli, Samuel Olson, Abe Schmoll, Malachi Graham and Micah Graham.

Denwood was born February 15, 1949 in Sioux Falls, South Dakota to Carl and Inez (Nelson) Hult. He grew up in rural Beresford in Clay County where he attended Ash Creek Country Grade School. Denny graduated from Beresford High School in 1967 and then attended the University of South Dakota in Vermillion. While attending college, he managed the Phillips 66 Station at the Canton Exit and served in the SD Air National Guard from June 1967 to June 1973. In 1973, Denny started working for the Singer Sewing Machine Company until the stores where franchised in 1981. He then worked for a couple years at Burlington Northern Railroad. On January 14, 1984, Denny married Madonna Rahm in Sioux Falls. After their marriage, they moved to Ottumwa, Iowa where Denny established his own sewing machine service and sales business. He continued his sewing machine business when they moved to Sioux Falls in 1988,

ball. He treasured the gift of his wife, children and granddaughter.

Denny is survived by his wife, Madonna Hult of Volin; three children: Josiah David (Alyssa) Hult of Osseo, MN, Micaela Marie Hult of Volin and Jonathan Andrew Hult of Volin; one granddaughter, Emsley Elizabeth Hult of Osseo; two brothers: Leland "Bud" (Marilyn) Hult of Sioux Falls and Ronald (Nancy) Hult of Parkston, SD; one sister, Marla (Garland) Adrian of Belgrade, MN; and many nieces, nephews and cousins.

Denny was preceded in death by his parents and one sister, Beverly Evjen.

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

Online condolences at:

www.wintzrayfuneralhome.com

said. "(Harris) said he would do a three-dimensional image with

cars on it, so we handed him a picture so he could come up with his artist drawing," Darrell said. "They're both our vehicles, which makes it more personal to us."

Harris said he wanted to do something with hot rods and fit the theme of the hot rod culture for the sign. He said realistic flames are the most popular image in the automotive paint industry now.

"We put cobblestones in the picture as well, because that helps give the sense of distance

We want to say thank you

to everyone who sent cards,

called and expressed their

THANK YOU

We would like to thank our family and friends for the many cards, gifts and good wishes we received for our 60th wedding anniversary.

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4. What is Yankton County's **biggest strength/weakness?** Those who have lived or trav-

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