

outs. A small electric train will also give rides throughout the grounds and there will also be displays of 1880s fire equip-

ment. For their lasting legacy project, Wa-

Last week, Gov. Daugaard sent over

Dakota's cities, towns and local historical

organizations to invite communities to

commemorate South Dakota's 125th an-

All locally formed committees will re-

ceive help from the Governor's Office to

publicize their events and projects, an of-ficial certificate and the opportunity to

have special highway signs for their com-

mation about creating a local committee

the heading "Celebration Communities."

is available at http://125.sd.gov and under

Other towns are also organizing. Infor-

tertown is creating a time capsule.

500 information packets to South

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munities.



The COMMUNITY CALENDAR appears each Monday and Thursday. Contributions to this list of upcoming events are welcome and should be submitted two weeks before the event. Submissions **MUST** be typewritten or legibly printed and include the name and phone number of a contact person. Send items to P&D Calendar, 319 Wal-nut, Yankton, SD 57078, or email to news@yankton.net.

## MONDAY

Line Dancing, 9:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Exercise, 11 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Daily Reprieve, noon, open meeting non-smoking, 1019 W 9th

St Interchange, noon, Minerva's Bar and Grill, 605-660-8849. Cribbage, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Pinochle, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685

Whist, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Hand & Foot Cards, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 River City Harmony Sweet Adelines, 6:30 p.m., First United

Methodist Church, 11th and Cedar, 605-661-7162 Daily Reprieve, 7 p.m., closed meeting non-smoking, 1019 W 9th

St.

# **THIRD MONDAY**

Yankton Golf Advisory Board Meeting, noon, Fox Run Golf Course, 600 W. 27th Street, 605-668-5205

Friends Of The Yankton Community Library, 5:15 p.m., Yankton Library, 515 Walnut Yankton Lions Club, 6 p.m. dinner, 6:30 p.m. meeting, JoDeans,

605-665-469 Yankton American Legion Auxiliary, 7:30 p.m., VFW Building,

209 Cedar Street

# TUESDAY

Table Tennis, 8:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Yankton Community Forum, 8:30 a.m. coffee, 9 a.m. meeting at Hillcrest, 605-664-5832

Quilting, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Billiards, 10 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Weight Watchers, 10:30 a.m., 413 W. 15th Street. Weigh in 1/2

hour before Ir berore. Explore the Bible, 10:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Yankton Alanon, noon, non-smoking session, 1019 W 9th Street Nurse, 12:30-3:30 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Pinochle, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Wii Bowling, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Bingo, 7-9 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Open Billiards, 7-9 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Yankton Alcoholics Anonymous STEP Sessions 7 p.m. and

Yankton Alcoholics Anonymous STEP Sessions, 7 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. 1019 W. 9th St.

Vermillion Unity Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., closed ssion, Trinity Lutheran Church at 816 E Clark St. Vermillion.

Vermillion Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., non-smoking closed session, 16 1/2 Court St. Vermillion

# THIRD TUESDAY

Yankton Area Banquet, 6 p.m., United Church of Christ, Fifth and Walnut

# WEDNESDAY

Line Dancing, 9:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Nurse, 10 a.m.-noon, The Center, 605-665-4685 Exercise, 11 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Daily Reprieve, noon, non-smoking open session, 1019 W. 9th

St. Whist, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Partnership Bridge, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 SHIINE, 1-4 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Yankton Alcoholics Anonymous, 7:30 p.m., non-smoking ses-

sion, 1019 W 9th St Springfield Footprints, 7:30 p.m., non-smoking open session, Catholic church, Springfield

#### THIRD WEDNESDAY

NAIFA-Lewis and Clark, noon-1 p.m., Minerva's. Partnership Bridge, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685

## THURSDAY

Table Tennis, 8:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Wii Bowling, 9:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Quilting, 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Billiards, 10 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Yankton Sertoma, noon, Pizza Ranch, 605-661-7159 Daily Reprieve, noon, non-smoking open meeting, 1019 W 9th street.

Avera Sacred Heart Hospital Toastmasters, noon, Benedictine Center; open session 605-665-6776 Pinochle, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685

Dominos, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 Weight Watchers, 4 p.m., 413 W. 15th Street. Weigh in 1/2 hour

# **Pickstown, Watertown Create 125th Anniversary Committees**

PIERRE — Pickstown and Watertown are the first communities to be designated official Statehood Celebration Communities. The two towns created local 125th Statehood Anniversary Committees to promote local and state history, hold celebration events and create a lasting legacy local project this year.

"I'm pleased Pickstown and Watertown responded so quickly and I hope other towns decide to participate in commemorating our anniversary as well," said Gov. Dennis Daugaard.

Next month, Pickstown will dedicate a new museum that will feature 2,000 exhibit objects and pictures, 400 wall exhibits and a theater where people can view old films of the town and the construction of the Fort Randall dam. Exhibits will also feature the early history of the area, the history of the local school and old books and newspaper articles.

Meyer

book and show you his plays,

around and beat you with that

Meyer kept coaching after

being critically injured in traf-

2008. He was alone in a com-

Submarine

Saturday included a tolling of

the bell for the 77 crew mem-

bers of the Scorpion — which included Gregory's Jack

Dakotan on the sub. Following

some closing marks, the group

proceeded to Meridian Bridge

It was all to honor not only

where flowers were dropped

the *Scorpion*, but everyone

who perished on submarine

The history of the Scor-

and the various Scorpion serv-

Yankton. En route to the East

China and Yellow Seas on Jan. 5, 1944, for a fourth and final

dezvoused with the USS Her-

man. Heavy seas prevented a

safe transfer, and the Scorpion

was never seen or heard from

The only clue to the final

*ring* to transfer an injured

*pion* is, by now, rather well known, thanks to the USSVI

ices held over the years in

patrol, the Scorpion ren-

crews during World War II,

Clough, the only South

fic accident in September

same play when your team

and then he would turn

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in the river.

Black said.

again.

pact car, leading a caravan of vehicles heading to an annual team retreat, when he collided head-on with a grain truck. Multiple operations followed to remove Meyer's spleen, repair cracked ribs and deal friend or foe," Miles once said. with a mangled left leg that "He would open up his play-

> the knee. He would later call the accident a blessing, because doctors also found cancer in his liver and small intestines.

Four months later — while coaching from a wheelchair he became the winningest

Tom Brokaw, who lived in Pickstown for eight years, will be the keynote speaker at the dedication which is scheduled for 2 p.m. CDT on Friday, June 13. Lt. Gov. Matt Michels and Col. Joe Ross, commander of the Corps of Engineers Omaha District, will also speak at the ceremony. Other guests include Charles Pick and Frances Pick Dillard, relatives of General Lewis Pick. Watertown's Statehood Celebration

Community Committee is sponsoring seven hours of outdoor activities at Joy Ranch on Sunday, Aug. 17, featuring ac-tors portraying South Dakota's first Gov-ernor, Arthur Mellette, and his wife, Margaret.

Activities and events will include a Sherwin Linton concert, games, costumes, butter churning, an old time hymn sing-a-long, old-time fiddlers, Native American dancers and cowboy shoot-

> men's basketball coach on Jan. 10, 2009. Yet always the humble teacher, Meyer noted during the postgame huddle defensive lapses on some 3-

pointers. "How selfish it would be if I was celebrating all this stuff and they were trying to be a better team." he said at the

But a few minutes after the historic victory, Meyer finally smiled — and thought of his wife.

"I haven't had this much fun since Carmen and I were married," he told the crowd of 6,654, standing on his right leg and leaning against the scorer's table as streamers and confetti drifted to the

floor. He was honored in July 2009 with ESPN's Jimmy V Perseverance Award, named for former North Carolina State coach Jimmy Valvano, who died in 1993 from cancer. Meyer also was given the John W. Bunn Lifetime Achievement Award from the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame in August 2010.

had to be amputated below time.

young people stop and read the memorial.

"I'll even see people pick up their phones, and they'll start punching around," he said. "They'll pick up that great education tool called Wikipedia. And then they'll start talking and engaging in a conversation, and wondering why it's here.

Michels described the ways in which submarine veterans allowed Americans to live in a free society — he referenced current events in which people across the world are banished or punished for expressing views against a

"It's here because people gave their lives," Michels said of the Scorpion memorial. 'This is a memory to them and their families, so we can visit them and honor them.

final resting place, so that we can be free

Also among the veterans in attendance Saturday was Mike Neuroth of Valley Springs. Nicknamed "Captain Neutron," he was responsible for the "Dive the Boat" and "Surface the Boat" portions of the cere-

The San Diego native moved to South Dakota, where he graduated from Washington

High School in 1960. He then served in the U.S. Navy from 1961-68, where he served on the USS Perch and the USS Abraham Lincoln.

Asked about some of his strongest memories from his naval service, Neuroth said he was on the Perch during the Cuban Missile Crisis in 1962. The troop transport sub was on its way to the Panama Canal, but was called back before reaching the location. Neuroth jokes that fellow veterans who sailed through the canal still give him grief.

'We certainly didn't go anywhere that exciting," Neuroth said. He later made five patrols

north of the Arctic Circle. Also on his resume are 10 trips across the Atlantic

# Ocean — eight by airplane and two by sub. "And guess which ones I

felt the safest on?," he asked, with a smile, referring to submarines.

As time passes and many submarine veterans - particularly those who served in World War II — pass away, events like Saturday become especially important, Black said.

"I'm very lucky to be around yet. I realize that," said Black, who turned 90 in January. "And I was one of the younger ones.

"It's good to be here and it's good to see a great crowd like this. I couldn't be happier.'

You can follow Jeremy Hoeck on Twitter at twitter.com/jhoeck. Discuss this story at www.yankton.net.

AGNES GAMIERE

# BIRTHDAYS

# FERNE SCHNIDER

Agnes Gamiere of Yankton will celebrate her 90th birthday on May 24.

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"This is a reflection of their

Ferne Schnider will celebrate her 97th birthday

Weight Watchers, 5:30 p.m., 413 W. 15th Street. Weigh in 1/2 hour before

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS #SD 45), Weigh-in 5:30-6:30 p.m., meeting 6:30-7:30. RTEC building, 1200 W. 21st St. For more information call 605-665-3738 or 667-9274.

Yankton Area Banquet, 6 p.m., United Church of Christ, Fifth and Walnut

Celebrate Recovery, 7 p.m., Calvary Baptist Church, Youth Room #4, 2407 Broadway, Yankton, 605-665-5594

Freeman Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., non-smoking closed

meeting, City Hall, 3rd and Poplar, Freeman. Yankton Alcoholics Anonymous, 8:30 p.m., open session, 1019 W 9th St

Yankton Alanon, 8:30 p.m., 1019 W 9th Street

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#### THIRD THURSDAY

HSC Friendship Club, 5 p.m., May: Wild Bill's, Gayville, 605-665-5956

Catholic Daughters (Court Willard 967), 7 p.m., at Sacred Heart Catholic Church/Community Gathering Space, Yankton

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#### location? "It was later discovered that enemy minefields had been strung across the entrance to the Yellow Sea," the

memorial states. During his brief remarks, Michels related situations where, while walking across the Meridian Bridge, he sees

BIRTHS

PATRICIA AND EMERSYN

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Corv Biorum of Scotland wel-

2014. Daughter Patricia Lynn

Bjorum arrived at 11:42 a.m.

The twins joined older

and son Emersyn Douglas

Bjorum at 11:44 a.m.

comed twins on April 11,

# mony — he carried a horn that blared to signify the beginning and end to the festivities.

"It's a good idea to have a memorial close to the ground like that so people can come look at it and read the names," Neuroth said during a postceremony lunch at the local VFW.

Kyliah, 10 years old; and

Jaymison, 9 years old.

of Scotland, Steven

vere. Minn.

on Monday, May 26. A card shower will be held for her. Greet-Schnider ings may be sent to 302

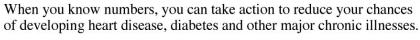
Greenview Drive #3, Yankton.

Greetings may be sent to: Majestic Bluffs, 2111 W. 11th St., Yankton, SD 57078.

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