

## Sergeant Visits Beadle Elementary



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Sergeant Chad Huntley visited the 4th and 5th graders at Beadle Elementary to share about some of his experiences in the Air National Guard for the past 28 years. Sgt. Huntley has worked as a crew chief in fueling planes on the ground and with tankers that fuel airplanes during flights. He has served in many places including Qatar, Australia and Guam, just to name a few. He passed around currency and coins from different places. The students learned that there are many jobs for people in the military besides combat.

### COMMUNITY

# CALENDAR

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 Walnut, Yankton, SD 57078, or email to news@yankton.net.

#### THURSDAY

**Table Tennis**, 8:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Wii Bowling**, 9:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Billiards**, 10 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**ASHH Toastmasters Club 6217**, noon, Avera Sacred Heart Pavilion, conference room no. 2, Yankton, 605-665-6776.  
**Pinochle**, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Dominos**, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Love Addicts Anonymous**, 7 p.m., for women, 120 West Third Street, Yankton, 605-760-5307.  
**AA, Alano Group**, 8:30 p.m., speaker, 1019 W. 9th St, Yankton.  
**Weight Watchers**, 5:30 p.m. (weigh-ins 30 minutes prior), 413 W. 15th Street. For more information, call 605-665-2987.  
**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  
**Yankton Area Banquet**, 6-7 p.m., United Church of Christ, Fifth and Walnut  
**English as a Second Language classes**, 6:30-8 p.m., United Church of Christ, Fifth and Walnut (entrance in the alley), Yankton. (605) 660-5612.

#### THIRD THURSDAY

**HSC Friendship Club**, 5 p.m., November: Bonanza, Yankton. 605-665-5956.  
**Catholic Daughters (Court Willard 967)**, 7 p.m., at Sacred Heart Catholic Church/Community Gathering Space, 509 Capitol, Yankton, 605-665-4485. (September through June).

#### FRIDAY

**Alano**, 8 p.m., open meeting for all newcomers, Riverview Reformed Church, 1700 Burleigh, Yankton.  
**Line Dancing**, 9:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Quilting**, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Exercise**, 11 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Partnership Bridge**, 1:30 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**AA, Alano Group**, 7 p.m., Big Book Study, 1019 W. 9th St, Yankton.  
**Bingo**, 7-9 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685 (open to the public)

#### SATURDAY

**Yankton Toastmaster Club 1294**, 7:30 a.m., Fry'n Pan Restaurant. Open session; call 605-665-8448.  
**Yankton Alcoholics Anonymous**, 10 a.m., Women's meeting, non-smoking session, 1019 W. 9th Street.  
**Narcotics Anonymous "Road To Recovery" Group**, 8 p.m., open meeting, First United Methodist Church (northeast door), 207 W. 11th St, Yankton  
**AA, Alano Group**, 7 p.m., discussion, 1019 W. 9th St, Yankton.  
**Weight Watchers**, 9 a.m. (weigh-ins 30 minutes prior), 413 W. 15th Street. For more information, call 605-665-2987.

#### SUNDAY

**AA, Alano Group**, 7 p.m., discussion, 1019 W. 9th St, Yankton.

#### MONDAY

**Line Dancing**, 9:30 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Exercise**, 11 a.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Interchange**, noon, Minerva's Bar and Grill, 605-760-7082.  
**Whist**, 12:30 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Pinochle**, 12:45 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Cribbage**, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**Hand & Foot Cards**, 1 p.m., The Center, 605-665-4685  
**English as a Second Language classes**, 2-5 p.m., United Church of Christ, Fifth and Walnut (entrance in the alley), Yankton. (605) 660-5612.  
**English as a Second Language classes**, 6:30-8 p.m., United Church of Christ, Fifth and Walnut (entrance in the alley), Yankton. (605) 660-5612.  
**Narcotics Anonymous "Road To Recovery" Group**, 8 p.m., open meeting, First United Methodist Church (northeast door), 207 W. 11th St, Yankton  
**Meditation Sessions**, Olde Rectory at Christ Episcopal Church, 513 Douglas, Yankton, 7-8:30 p.m. 665-3344 or 665-2456.  
**Sweet Adelines**, First United Methodist Church, 207 W. 11th, Yankton, Anyone interested in singing is welcome. Call 605-661-3029 or 605-668-0659 for more information.

#### FOURTH MONDAY

**Yankton City Commission**, 7 p.m., RTEC, 1200 W. 21st Street

## 60th Anniversary Celebration



### Mr. & Mrs. John Cornette

On November 23, 2015, John and Lyndall Cornette will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary. John and Lyndall were married on November 23, 1955. Lyndall King and John Cornette met at a church dance in 1949 in Alliance, Nebraska. They have been dancing together for more than 60 years. Happy Anniversary, Mom and Dad. We love you!

Julie, Michael, Kim and families

## Dave Says

# Holiday Budgeting Made Easy

BY DAVE RAMSEY  
 Courtesy of EveryDollar.com

Christmas is the best. You get to hang stockings, shop for your favorite people, and potluck like a champ. There's no other time of the year quite like it. That's why it's so easy to get carried away with your seasonal shopping!

In fact, last year's annual Gallup poll found that nearly a quarter of Americans anticipated spending \$1,000 or more on Christmas. That's a decent chunk of change for any budget. While it's perfectly okay to spend extra money around the holidays, you don't want to end up with the unwelcome gift of credit card debt come Christmas morning.

Here's how you can make your Christmas budget brighter:

#### FIGURE OUT HOW MUCH YOU CAN SPEND ON CHRISTMAS

Let's go ahead and address the question on everyone's mind: How do you figure out your Christmas budget? Start by figuring out how much you spend on your normal monthly expenses, like gas, utilities, insurance and groceries. Then take a closer look at your flexible spending budget groups like dining out and entertainment money.

If you typically spend \$300 on restaurants in a month, why not cook a few extra meals at home and divert an extra \$200 toward Christmas savings? Or if your personal money is partying it up at \$150, why not hold off (temporarily) and



Dave RAMSEY

put an extra \$100 into your Christmas stash? Smart budgeting now can free up more money for what you want later—like Christmas presents!

#### DIVIDE YOUR CHRISTMAS BUDGET INTO CATEGORIES

Once you've figured out how much you can spend on Christmas, do some dividing. Take your number—let's say \$500—and think over your seasonal expenses. You'll need money for travel (\$50), tree and trimmings (\$50), a few potlucks and parties (\$50), and some extra giving (\$50). Then there's the Big Kahuna: Christmas gifts (\$300).

#### WRITE DOWN WHO YOU NEED TO BUY GIFTS FOR

Now that you know exactly how much you can spend on gifts, decide

who gets what. Make a list of everyone you'll buy for this year. And we mean everyone—coworkers, church friends, your parents, your kids, your grandkids. Next to each name (or category, if you're budgeting a treat for the office), write a specific dollar amount.

If you don't have enough money to cover everyone on your list, rethink how much you'll spend on each person. Maybe you can agree to only buy for the kids. Or perhaps you can draw names, instead of buying for multiple families. And then there are always baked goods or homemade crafts! Who doesn't love a gift that comes fresh out of the oven or straight from the heart?

Give yourself the freedom to enjoy

You probably have a lot of great ideas on how to spend your money this season. When you start with a plan, you'll be in control of your Christmas budget long before setting foot into the mall. All you have to do is set up your monthly budget, categorize your Christmas savings, and make your detailed gift list. After that, enjoy your Christmas shopping—because your budget said you could!

*EveryDollar is a simple, online budgeting tool that helps users set a monthly budget and seamlessly track expenses. For more information, go to [www.every-dollar.com](http://www.every-dollar.com).*

# Buffalo Bill In South Dakota

Buffalo Bill came. He was seen by thousands. He conquered their hearts.

"The Wild West Show and Congress of Rough Riders of the World has come and gone and left impressions which time only will efface," read an article in the Daily Huronite on Sept. 6, 1899. "The show is interesting, historically instructive, intensely thrilling and immeasurably pleasing."

William Frederick Cody (1846-1917) was, among other things, an Army scout, buffalo hunter, expert marksman, town founder, actor and hero of highly sensationalized dime novels. The word "showman" may have best defined his life, however.

Buffalo Bill's Wild West amazed audiences for more than 30 years as it traveled in the United States and Europe. Cody's goal was to introduce the Old West to the rest of the world. Cody brought his large touring company to South Dakota in September 1899, performing at Watertown, Huron, Aberdeen, Yankton, Mitchell and Sioux Falls. By then, Cody was one of the best-known persons of his time, according to Steve Friesen in "Buffalo Bill: Scout, Showman, Visionary." Cody's show had previously visited Sioux Falls, and would return to South Dakota in 1909, 1912 and 1914.

Crowds would have been dazzled by feats of marksmanship, demonstrations of skills by international horsemen and horsewomen, spectacles of cowboy fun such as roping and riding, a tableau of Native American life, a Pony Express relay race and an "attack" on a stagecoach.

And it wasn't just any stagecoach wheeling at full speed around an arena. It was the Deadwood Stage.

The Deadwood Stage and touring in South Dakota were not Cody's only connections to the state.

When driving a wagon filled with freight from Leavenworth, Kansas, to Salt Lake City, Utah, an 11-year-old Cody was bullied by another teamster. James Butler "Wild



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Bill" Hickok came to Cody's aid.

In 1872, Cody watched himself being portrayed in New York's Bowery Theatre by a professional actor. Cody thought he could play the part of Buffalo Bill better than an actor and formed Buffalo Bill's Combination acting troop. Hickok joined the acting troop for its 1873-1874 season, then left the show and returned to the West. When Hickok was shot in the back of the head in Deadwood in 1876, Cody wrote, "Thus ended the career of a lifelong friend of mine who, in spite of his many faults, was a noble man, ever brave and generous hearted."

Captain Jack Crawford was also a member of the acting troop. Crawford was part of an expedition that journeyed into the Black Hills in 1875. His letters

telling of his experiences in the Black Hills were sent to the Omaha Daily Bee, and are contained in "Ho! For the Black Hills," edited by Paul Hedren and published by the South Dakota Historical Society Press.

Cody met another person destined to become a Black Hills legend when he met Calamity Jane in 1874, according to James D. McLaird's "Calamity Jane: The Woman and the Legend." Cody's and Calamity Jane's paths would cross over the years, but she never toured with Buffalo Bill's Wild West, according to both McLaird and Friesen.

In 1885, learning that sharpshooter Annie Oakley was now performing with Buffalo Bill's Wild West, Sitting Bull agreed to join the troop. The Lakota leader would ride slowly and in a

dignified manner around the arena. Sitting Bull left the company after four months.

In late 1890, Cody was asked to go to the Standing Rock Reservation and take Sitting Bull into custody. He proceeded toward Sitting Bull's home but stopped after a message from President Benjamin Harrison asked him not to perform the task. Sitting Bull was soon dead, shot and killed when Lakota police officers went to Sitting Bull's home to arrest him.

Cody met and had his picture taken with other Lakota chiefs, including Red Cloud and American Horse. He employed Lakota in Buffalo Bill's Wild West and treated them honorably, according to Friesen. Upon notice of Buffalo Bill's death, the Lakota assembled in council at Pine Ridge and sent a telegram that read, in part, "The Oglalas had found in Buffalo Bill a warm and lasting friend."

Cody launched a film company in 1913 with the idea of creating a series of historical moving pictures, starting with the Indian Wars. The movie was filmed on locations on the Pine Ridge Reservation and used real soldiers and American Indians from the reservation. The public showed little interest in the film, and only a few film fragments and photographs taken during the filming remain of the movie The Indians Wars. Cody's fame, however, lives on in the hearts and minds of fans of the frontier West.

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## Thanksgiving Day Deadlines

The Yankton Daily Press & Dakotan will be closed Thursday, November 26, for the Thanksgiving holiday.

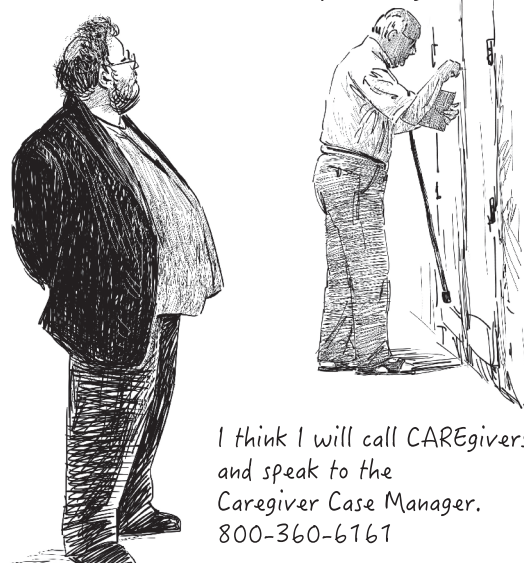
The following deadlines will apply:

Friday, November 27 newspaper.....Monday, November 23, 5 p.m.  
 Out On The Town.....Wednesday, November 25, 5 p.m.  
 Saturday, November 28 newspaper.....Tuesday, November 24, 5 p.m.  
 Monday, November 30 newspaper.....Tuesday, November 24, 5 p.m.  
 Tuesday, December 1 newspaper.....Wednesday, November 25, 3 p.m.

There will be no newspaper on Thursday, November 26, 2015.

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