

Yankton CPT Announces Poinsettia Sale

The Yankton County Child Protection Team (CPT) will be selling holiday poinsettias again this year. Each plant is \$10 and all proceeds help Yankton County children with transit rides to and from school, scholarships, youth organizations and more.

If you are interested in purchasing a plant or more, call Stacy Starzl at 665-6365 or Becky Frank at 260-9284 rfrank@iw.net. These pionsettia plants are big and beautiful. All orders must be placed by Nov. 5. Pionsettias will be ready for pick up Nov. 20.

Holiday Memories Sought For 'Her Voice'

The *Press & Dakotan* is collecting holiday memories for our November/December issue of "Her Voice" magazine. Do you have a favorite holiday tradition or a special holiday memory that you'd like to share with our readers? Please send submissions to Tera Schmidt at tera.schmidt@yankton.net or mail them to 319 Walnut St., Yankton, SD 57078 by 5 p.m. Oct. 19.

Holiday Show Set For Gayville Sunday

GAYVILLE — Start your holiday shopping this weekend or just browse for ideas with 20-plus vendors at the Gayville Holiday Show, set for the Gayville Community Center from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Sunday.

Admission is free with door prize drawing every hour. The Gayville-Volin Dance Team will be serving lunch. Also, the Hay Country Women are having a Bake Sale.

Developmental Work Group To Meet In Pierre

PIERRE — The State Legislature's South Dakota Developmental Center Work Group will meet at 9 a.m. (CT) on Thursday, Oct. 25, in Room 413 of the State Capitol in Pierre.

The meeting will primarily consist of a presentation by the Department of Human Services. The work group will hear an overview of the history and current structure of the South Dakota Developmental Center including the programs and services provided. Also, the Center's facilities and grounds will be reviewed. The public is invited to attend the meeting and will be given the opportunity to provide public testimony.

Committee members are: Sen. Jean Hunhoff, Chair (R-Yankton); Sen. Jim Hundstad (D-Bath); Representatives Peggy Gibson (D-Huron) and Melissa Magstadt (R-Watertown); Mses. Gloria Pearson (Yankton) and Anne Rieck McFarland (Sioux Falls); and Mr. Brad Saathoff (Rapid City).

USD Career And Graduate School Fair Oct. 25

VERMILLION — The University of South Dakota Academic and Career Planning Center will host the sixth annual Career and Graduate School Fair from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 25, in the ballroom of the Muenster University Center.

The Career and Graduate School Fair, open to USD students and the general public, features part-time and full-time job opportunities, internships and graduate school programs along with opportunities to network with representatives from regional businesses and industries.

For USD students, the Career and Graduate School Fair presents an opportunity to engage businesses and organizations as well as explore career development possibilities with more than 60 employers are scheduled to participate. Registered businesses include Target, Frito Lay, Children's Care Hospital & School, First Bank & Trust, MASABA Mining Equipment, Bankers Life and Casualty, Good Samaritan Society, Kraft Foods, Polaris and more.

For more information about the USD Career and Graduate School Fair, call (605) 677-5381 or visit the website: www.usd.edu/advising.

'Sharing The Dream' Aims To Make Difference

VERMILLION — Sharing the Dream in Guatemala is a Fair Trade organization. It has a store front in Vermillion and an online store at www.sharingthedream.org. It also has volunteers selling in more than 20 states.

Sharing the Dream in Guatemala not only pays a fair price for the crafts, but has workshops for the groups that sell to Sharing the Dream. These workshops are on design, colors, quality, pricing, and marketing. Sharing the Dream also provides projects in the communities based on recommendations from the cooperatives.

Sharing the Dream in Guatemala not only has high quality products, but you can be assured that the artisan is paid fairly and is receiving other benefits. Fair Trade can help sustain families in countries like Guatemala.

If you would like to have more information about Fair Trade and Sharing the Dream, sell the crafts, or have a speaker on Fair Trade, contact the store at 605-624-6895.



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Yankton County Youth Engineer Robotic Solutions In Eco-Bot Challenge

Ten Yankton County youth participated in the 4-H Eco-Bot Challenge: the 2012 National Science Experiment recently. This annual event seeks to spark an early youth interest in science and future science careers.

Designed by the Ohio State University Extension, this year's experiment introduced youth to robotic engineering concepts as they programmed an autonomous robot to clean up a simulated environmental spill. The 4-H Eco-Bot Challenge demonstrated that by utilizing engineering principles, youth can have a positive impact on communities and ecosystems.

These Yankton County youth enhanced their engineering skills by assembling their own Eco-Bots and surface controls to manage an environmental clean-up. Youth then tested the interaction between the Eco-Bot's design features and various surface control configurations to determine the most effective clean-up solution for the simulated spill.

"Our nation is falling behind other countries in the fields of science, technology, engineering and math," says Lauren Fosheim, Yankton County 4-H Youth Development program assistant. "However, participation in high-quality positive youth development programs like the 4-H Eco-Bot Challenge offer youth and adults the opportunity to engage in scientific exploration and work together to build the next generation of our nation's scientists, engineers and mathematicians."

To combat a national shortage of young people pursuing science college majors and occupations, the 4-H National Youth Science Day experiments demonstrate that science, engineering, math and technology are fun and attainable options for college degrees and future careers. Currently, more than 5 million young people across the United States participate in 4-H science, engineering and technology programming in topics as varied as robotics, rocketry, wind power, GPS mapping and agricultural science.

AAA: Teen Drinking, Driving A Deadly Mix

SIoux FALLS — A new AAA study underscores the danger of a car full of teens. In light of new information and in recognition of National Teen Driver Safety Week all this week, AAA is urging parents to get involved in their teen's driving and stay involved even after they have their license.

According to the AAA Foundation for Traffic Safety, risky driving behavior among 16- and 17-year-old drivers involved in fatal crashes increased when other teens were in the car. Nationally, 9,578 drivers age 16 and 17 were involved in fatal crashes from 2005 to 2010, and 3,994 – or 42 percent – of these included at least one teen passenger.

"Inexperience paired with risk-taking behind the wheel is the main cause of teen crashes," said Marilyn Buskohl, spokeswoman for AAA South Dakota.

"Previous AAA research has shown that factors such as nighttime driving and additional teen passengers multiply the crash risk, but this new information opens our eyes to just how much that risk is magnified with teen passengers."

According to the study, the prevalence of risky behaviors generally grew for teen drivers as the number of teen passengers increased.

Families can do a lot to improve their teens' level of safety as they begin driving:

- Practice makes perfect. AAA encourages parents to continue practicing together even after the teen is licensed to ensure that basic skills are mastered and to introduce progressively challenging conditions like driving in rain, heavy traffic and on rural roads.
- Limit teen passengers. Par-

ents are urged to limit teen passengers until they are fully confident in their teen's driving ability.

- Establish a parent-teen contract. State laws help place teens in lower-threat situations, but parents should still determine the driving limits, privileges and responsibilities that are right for their teens. A parent-teen contract can help establish these boundaries. Families can find a sample contract at TeenDriving.AAA.com/OK.
- Take advantage of AAA resources. AAA offers a host of tools and programs to help families through teens' learning-to-drive years. "Take the Wheel" is a parent-taught driver's education program that is available at our Sioux Falls, Rapid City, Pierre and Aberdeen AAA offices. Teens who complete the course are eligible for the standard driver's ed. dis-

count on AAA's auto insurance. Visit AAA.com/TakeTheWheel to get information on how to purchase the kit. Other resources include the Keys2Drive website and the AAA Insurance Co.-endorsed "teenSmart" program, a computer-based driver tutorial that can help families save up to 24 percent when they add their teen to their AAA Insurance Co. auto policy. Click on AAA News & Safety at AAA.com to learn about this program and more resources.

According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), traffic crashes continue to be the leading cause of deaths for teens. Last year in South Dakota, there were 3,632 crashes involving drivers between the ages of 15 and 19. In these crashes, 9 teen drivers were killed and 731 teen passengers were injured.

OBITUARIES

Erna Pietz

Funeral services for Erna R. Pietz of Tripp will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Sat., Oct. 20 at Frieden's Reformed Church in Tripp with Rev. Greg Way officiating. Organist will be Ruby Dewald. Interment will follow in Frieden's Cemetery, Tripp.

Honorary casketbearers are members of the Tripp Good Samaritan Society Auxiliary and casketbearers are Tony Young, Brian Young, Doug Pietz, Britt Becker, Jordan Hargens and Tanner Pietz.

Visitation will be held on Friday from 3-7 p.m., with a prayer service at 7 p.m., at the Goglin Funeral Home in Tripp. Online condolences may be sent at www.goglinfh.com.

Erna Rosina Pietz was born on Fri., Nov. 16, 1917 on the family farm ten miles southeast of Parkston, South Dakota. She was one of four children and twin daughters raised in the loving care of strong German parents, Paul and Rosina (Schnabel) Reimann. Erna was baptized on Nov. 29, 1917



Erna Pietz

and confirmed on May 15, 1930, both in the Kulm Country Church in the German language by Rev. Paul Briest. She attended Rural School District #35 in Hutchinson County through the 8th grade, and then began working with her parents on the farm. She also worked as a hired girl wherever she was needed for \$2.00 per week. Erna was united in marriage to Leo Pietz on Sept. 23,

1937 at the parsonage in Kaylor, also by Rev. Briest. They farmed on the Pietz family farm three and a half miles northeast of Tripp for 57 years. Erna was a devoted farmwife, mother and homemaker. She helped with the farm work in addition to keeping a large garden and raising several kinds of poultry. After retiring, Leo and Erna moved into Tripp in 1994 and Leo passed away on Sept. 23, 2001, their 64th wedding anniversary. Her hobbies included cooking and baking, crocheting, embroidery, and growing flowers. Erna was a member of Frieden's Church and a longtime member of the Tripp Good Samaritan Society Auxiliary. She remained in her home until 2006, when she moved to Yankton. In 2010, she became a resident of the Good Samaritan Society of Tripp. It is there that Erna passed away on Tues., Oct. 16, 2012 at the age of 94 years and 11 months.

Erna is survived by four children: Kay Eng of Mesa, Arizona, Janice (Kenneth) Young of Yankton, Robert Pietz of Mitchell, and

Sheree (Kenneth) Becker of Hartington, Nebraska; six grandchildren: Kim, Doug, Tony, Brian, Jenny and Jayson; two step-grandchildren: Maria and Britt; and nine great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her special canine friend, Lexie, whose weekly visits to the Good Samaritan Society brightened not only Erna's day, but the other resident's as well.

In addition to her parents, Paul and Rosina Reimann, Erna was preceded in death by her husband, Leo; a brother, Roland Reimann; two sisters: Vesta Bietz (Erna's twin) and Glendora Bartel; and a granddaughter, Jodie.

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dren; and trusty companion, Zoomer.

He was preceded in death by his parents, James Harold and Eveline Teusink.

A gathering to celebrate his life will be held at the Wentz & Ray Hospitality Room, Yankton, from 1-4 p.m. on Sat., Oct. 20, 2012. A second gathering, which

will be open to the public, will be held in Aberdeen, SD, at the Alano Club (Yellow House) at 519 South Arch, on Tuesday, Oct. 23, 2012, at 5 p.m..

Carlsen Funeral Home and Crematory of Aberdeen.

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James 'Jim' Teusink Jr.

ABERDEEN — James Harold Teusink, Jr. passed away October 16, 2012, at his home in Aberdeen. He was born Feb. 1, 1947, in Yankton to James Harold and Eveline Teusink.

He is survived by his wife Patricia, of Aberdeen; daughters, Annette (Darold) Bledsoe of Oral,

SD; Michelle (Joe) Youngblood of Box Elder, SD; son, Jason Teusink of Pear Blossom, CA; step-daughter, Patricia Walberg of Grand Forks, ND; step-son, David Black Cloud of Fargo, ND; brother, Donald (Sande) Teusink of Yankton, SD; sister, Cheryl (Brad) Rufer of Chandler, AZ; 8 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchil-

IN REMEMBRANCE

Leonard Layne, Jr.
10:30 AM, Friday
Christ Episcopal Church
Yankton

Earl Pinkelman
9:30 AM, Saturday
Holy Trinity Catholic Church
Hartington

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Harvest Dinner
Sunday, Oct. 21st • 4:00-7:00pm
Yankton Senior Citizen Center, 900 Whiting Dr.,
Catered by Central Catering (Blue Mound)
Children 10 & under \$5.00 • Adults \$10.00
Tickets available at the door, First National Bank, First Dakota Bank & Boller Printing