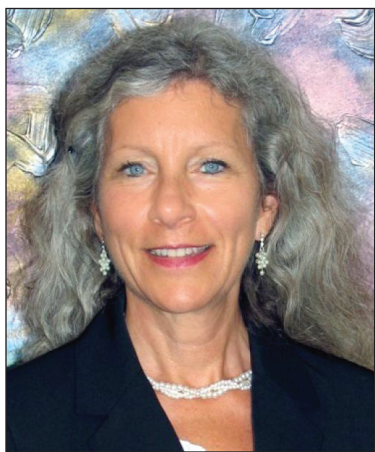


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Paula Bosco Damon

SD Writer Earns National Award

BY RANDY TRAMP
P&D Correspondent

Bring up work ethic to longtime South Dakota writer and syndicated columnist Paula Bosco Damon and you'll get an earful — an award-winning one at that.

The local columnist's article "Too Much TGIF, Not So Good," recently earned First Place in the 2015 National Federation of Press Women (NFPW) Communication Contest.

In the piece, Damon juxtaposes her own work ethic, which she describes as "extremely strong and maybe even over the top," to more relaxed standards more prevalent today.

"Opportunity is missed by most people because it looks like work," her article states.

Also winning first place in the NFPW contest was Damon's column "Song of My Neighbor." Inspired by the writer's longtime neighbors, Lloyd and Nancy Thompson, the column captures in great detail the ideal couple who lived across the street.

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Kathy Wibbels, director of the Yankton Community Library, has been elected president of the South Dakota Library Association for 2015-16.

The Head Librarian

Yankton's Wibbels Takes Reins Of State Association

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Kathy Wibbels can now take her love of libraries to a statewide level.

Last Friday at the annual South Dakota Library Association (SDLA) conference held in Rapid City, Wibbels, director of the Yankton Community Library, was elected president of the organization for the 2015-16 year. Wibbels had previously been vice president of the SDLA for the 2014-15 year.

SDLA is an organization composed of four library groups: public, academic, private and school. Special libraries, like the ones in federal prison camps, are included.

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KATHY WIBBELS

be more connected with libraries throughout the state," Wibbels said. "I will also be more connected at a national level."

Wibbels' main priority as SDLA president is preparing for next year's SDLA conference in Watertown. She is in charge of finding keynote

speakers to give presentations to librarians throughout the state on a variety of issues and selecting speakers for breakout sessions that discuss topics specifically geared towards certain library groups.

Wibbels will also chair meetings with the SDLA executive board and the general session at the next SDLA conference.

As SDLA vice president, Wibbels had been in charge of keeping track of library memberships.

SDLA has an executive board that consists of a president, vice president, president elect and executive secretary.

"It'll be a good experience for me," Wibbels

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Bede Art Gallery | Monday - Friday | 8:00 am - 4:30 pm | *The Saint John's Bible* | October 5 - November 20

The Saint John's Bible on display in MMC Library | Mon-Thurs: 7:30 am - 10 pm | Fri: 7:30 am - 5 pm | Sat: 1 - 5 pm | Sun: 1-10 pm

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3

ALL DAY
1:00 PM
3:00 PM
The Saint John's Bible visits Oblate Retreat - Sacred Heart Monastery
Women's Soccer - Doane College - Crete, NE
Men's Soccer - Doane College - Crete, NE

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4

10:00 AM
12:00 PM
4:00 PM
Softball - Southeast Community College - Fremont, NE
Softball - Hastings College - Fremont, NE
Mass - Peace Chapel

MONDAY, OCTOBER 5

7:30 PM
TBA
Choral Union Rehearsal - Greg Hall
Women's Golf - GPAC #2 - Hastings, NE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6

ALL DAY
12:30 PM
1:00 PM
6:00 PM
6:00 PM
7:30 PM
9:30 PM
Women in Science - MMC Campus
Mass - South Dining Room, Roncalli
CAL: *Affairs of the Heart: Love Stories in Classical Novels and Films* with Dr. Janis Hausmann - SLC 106
Yankton Children's Choir Rehearsal - Bistro
JV Volleyball - Morningside College - Cimpl Arena
Volleyball - Morningside College - Cimpl Arena
Rosary - Peace Chapel

THEME:
Hat Night!

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7

1:00 PM
2:00 PM
4:15 PM
6:00 PM
CAL: *Requiem: A Musical Study* with Dr. Kenneth Tice - Bede 230
Women's Soccer - Northwestern College - NFAA Complex
Men's Soccer - Northwestern College - NFAA Complex
CAL: *Rediscovering Mary for the 21st Century* with Dr. Helen Ciernick - LIB 205

THEME:
White Out Wednesday!

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8

1:00 PM
2:30 PM
7:30 PM
8:30 PM
CAL: *Psychology of Happiness* with Dr. Alan Ferris - SLC 106
CAL: *Catching the Big One: Fishing the Missouri River* with Dr. Erin Riibe - LIB 205
Rock the Castle - Cimpl Arena
Adoration - Peace Chapel

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9

3:00 PM
4:30 PM
JV Volleyball - Mayville State University - Cimpl Arena
Volleyball - Mayville State University - Cimpl Arena
THEME: Flannel Friday!

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10

ALL DAY
9:00 AM
10:00 AM
10:30 AM
2:00 PM
4:00 PM
4:15 PM
5:30 PM
The Saint John's Bible visits The Theology Institute - Sacred Heart Monastery
JV Volleyball - Grace University - Cimpl Arena
Cross Country - Briar Cliff Invite - Sioux City, IA
Volleyball - Grace University - Cimpl Arena
Women's Soccer - Nebraska Wesleyan University - NFAA Complex
JV Volleyball - Presentation College - Cimpl Arena
Men's Soccer - Nebraska Wesleyan University - NFAA Complex
Volleyball - Presentation College - Cimpl Arena

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