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Long-Term Care Awards Presented

SIOUX FALLS — The South Dakota Health Care Association (SDHCA), which represents Long Term Care Facilities across South Dakota, held its Annual Fall Convention Sept. 22-24 in Sioux Falls.

The SDHCA takes pride in awarding the following individuals for their exceptional service and dedicated commitment to the long term care profession. The following South Dakota individuals were recognized and honored at the SDHCA 64th Annual Fall Convention Awards Breakfast

- Assisted Living Administrator of the Year — Michele Juffer, Good Samaritan Society, Wagner
- Administrator of the Year Award Jessica Spencer, Violet Tschetter Memorial Home, Huron
- Adult Volunteer of the Year AJ Sherrill, Jenkins Living Center, Watertown
- Group Volunteer of the Year Mitchell Christian School Kindergarten and 1st Grade Class, Mitchell

OBITUARIES

Sherry Fischer

Scotland, South Dakota

tober 2, 2015 at Sanford

Dakota.

Sherry Fischer, 63, of

passed away on Friday, Oc-

Hospital in Sioux Falls, South

Funeral services will

be held at 1:30 p.m. on

Wednesday, October 7 at

Zion Lutheran Church in

Scotland. Visitation will take

place one hour prior to the

service at the church. Burial

Arrangements are under

will follow in the Rosehill

the care of Goglin Funeral

Home of Scotland. Online

condolences may be left at

Sherry Ruby Roth was

born on February 19, 1952 to

Adolph and Laverna (Huber)

Roth in Parkston, South

Dakota. She was baptized

in St. John Lutheran Church

in rural Hutchinson County

and confirmed in Zion Lu-

theran Church in Scotland.

Sherry spent her first five

Elvin W. Parish, age 96,

Funeral services will be

2:00 p.m. Thursday, October

8 at 1st Assembly, Yankton,

with Rev. Jeff Mantz officiat-

Yankton Cemetery, Yankton,

with Military Graveside Rites

by the Ernest-Bowyer VFW

Post #791 Honor Guard and

Visitations will be 5 to

the SDARNG Honor Guard.

7 p.m. Wednesday, October 7 at the Opsahl-Kostel

Funeral Home & Crematory,

Yankton, and then one hour

prior to the service at the

ing. Burial will be in the

of Yankton, passed away

Saturday, October 3, 2015

in Hospice Care at Good

Samaritan Society, Scot-

Elvin Parish

Cemetery, Scotland.

www.goglinfh.com

Young Adult Volunteer of the Year —

- Zach Severson, Good Samaritan Society,
- Activity Coordinator Award Rose Kieffer, Good Samaritan Society, Howard
- Dietary Award Maureen Curtin, Good Samaritan Society — The Center,
- Nursing Award Trish Kirsch, Westhills Village, Rapid City
- Social Service Award Christina Kramp, Golden LivingCenter, Groton
- Scholarship Recipient Kerry Kimball, Good Samaritan Society; The Center,
- Millie of the Year Award Alice Graber, Salem Mennonite Home, Freeman
- Legend Award Senator Bill Van Gerpen, Tyndall
- Bronze Commitment to Quality Awards — Palisade Healthcare Community, Garretson; Welcov Assisted Living, Elk Point; Good Samaritan Society Prairie Creek, Sioux Falls
- Silver Achievement in Quality Award Wheatcrest Hills, Britton

Sherry attended Sioux

Valley School of Nursing in

Sioux Falls and graduated

in 1974. From 1974 to 1978,

she worked at Sioux Valley

Hospital and 27 years for

Landmann-Jungman Memo-

final years of nursing were

spent at Sanford USD Medi-

was united in marriage to

Don F. Fischer and to this

union two sons were born,

Corey and Jeff. On June 4,

1997, Sherry was united

Ramos.

in marriage to Dr. Manuel

Friday, October 2, 2015 at

Sanford Hospital in Sioux

Falls, South Dakota having

7 months, and 13 days.

remembered by her hus-

band Dr. Manuel Ramos of

Scotland; mother Laverna

(Jennifer) Fischer of rural

Roth of Scotland; son Corey

Beresford and their children

attained the age of 63 years,

Sherry is survived and

Sherry passed away on

cal center from 2006 to 2015.

On June 11, 1971, Sherry

rial Hospital in Scotland. Her

- My InnerView Award/Excellence in Action Award (Recognized for Workforce) - Good Samaritan Society, DeSmet; Good Samaritan Society, Herreid; Good Samaritan Society, New Underwood
- My InnerView Award/Excellence in Action Award (Recognized for Customer Service) - Good Samaritan Society, Scotland; Good Samaritan Society, Wagner
- Service Award Mary Sateren, Black Hawk; Dennis Gab, Sioux Falls

Mark B. Deak, SDHCA executive director, stated, "Congratulations to all our award recipients, who continue to strive to provide the quality of care that our elderly and disabled South Dakotans expect and deserve."

South Dakota Health Care Association (SDHCA) is a statewide not-for-profit association, representing nursing facilities, assisted living and senior living facilities that provide long term care to the citizens of South Dakota.

Tristan and Jett; son Jeff

(Amv) of rural Olivet and

Sioux Falls and their chil-

Mikhayla; brother Glenn

(Gina) Roth and their son

Max; brother Terry (Deb)

their children: Levi, Mariah,

brother-in-law Jim Killeen of

Anchorage and his children

She was preceded in

death by her father Adolph

sister Sheila Killeen, and her

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Goglin

Funeral Home

Roth, her grandparents,

Joey and Kathy.

aunts and uncles.

Sasha, and Cheyanne; and

Roth of rural Olivet and

dren Peyton, Mckenzie, and

CRP Mid-Term Hay Applications Sought

will be on or about Tuesday, Nov. 24.

Bailey To Speak At 1 Million Cups

Protection Team Selling Poinsettias

are used to help children in need in Yankton County.

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(includes tax).

Jesse Bailey will discuss ideas on making Yankton a "disc golf headquarters" at Wednesday's weekly meeting

of 1 Million Cups. The meeting starts at 9 a.m. at the Avera

The Yankton County Child Protection Team will be sell-

You are asked to place your order by Oct. 28. Delivery

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ing poinsettias for the upcoming holiday season. Proceeds

The poinsettias are red. The cost per flower is \$10

PIERRE — The South Dakota Department of Agriculture (SDDA) is accepting applications for donated 2015 CRP mid-term management hay bales.

We appreciate the South Dakota FSA office working

SDDA will coordinate the donation effort. The recipient

'Continuum Of Care' Proposals Sought

 New rapid re-housing projects for homeless individuals and families who enter directly from the streets or

Funding will come from the US Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Community Planning and Development. The Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) is available at https://www.hudexchange.info/resources/ documents/Revised-FY-2015-CoC-Program-NOFA.pdf. Information on the CoC Program can be found at https://www. hudexchange.info/programs/coc/. Funds can be used for



USDA-FSA is allowing producers with CRP mid-term management hay to donate the baled residue to SDDA, rather than destroy it. All producers needing hay for feed in South Dakota may apply. Submitting an application does not guarantee distribution of hay to your operation.

with us to send these bales to producers in need," said S.D. Secretary of Agriculture Lucas Lentsch.

is responsible for expenses and arrangements associated with transporting the donated hay. Extra precautions may need to be exercised as movability of the hay is limited.

Producers receiving hay will be selected by SDDA based on the number of applications received, need and the amount of hay available.

Applications for the program can be found at http://sdda.sd.gov/documents/farming-ranching-agribusiness/2015.crp.hay.donation.pdf. Applications must be received by 5 p.m. CDT on Friday, Oct. 9. For questions on eligibility and conditions, contact Jodi Bechard at 605-773-

PIERRE — The South Dakota Housing for the Homeless Consortium is currently soliciting pre-applications for permanent supportive housing projects for homeless individuals and families.

Eligible projects include:

• New permanent supportive housing projects where all beds will be dedicated for use by chronically homeless individuals and families:

emergency shelters and youth up to age 24.

new construction, rehabilitation, operating and leasing.

Be sure to carefully read the description for this funding program before completing an application. Supportive Service expenses should be extremely limited and Supportive Service only applications are not eligible for submission. The pre-application form can be found at www.housing-

Application deadline is 5 p.m. (CDT), Tuesday, Oct. 13. Incomplete applications will not be accepted. Pre-Applications can be submitted as an e-mail attachment to: lisab@sdhda.org, or fax the form to 605-773-5154 (attn: Lisa Bondy), or mail it to Lisa Bondy, South Dakota Housing Development Authority, PO Box 1237, Pierre, SD 57501. Only submit the pre-application. Do not submit any other information or materials.

Alice Peterson

Alice Peterson, 85, of Pierre, passed away October 4, 2015 at Avera Maryhouse

Nursing Home in Pierre. Visitation will be from 5:00-7:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 7 at Feigum Funeral Home concluding with a Prayer



Service at 7:00 p.m. Funeral Service will be at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, October 8 at Lutheran Memorial Church.

Alice Mae Peterson was born on August 8, 1930 in Irene, SD, the daughter of Jens and Nina Sorensen.

Music was very important in Alice's life. She and her sisters, Phyllis and Carol, sang together as the "Sorensen Sisters" for several years. Alice participated in and directed many choirs over the years, including church, youth, Sweet Adelines, quartets, River Harmony and others.

In addition to music Alice was an active volunteer in the community and her church by crocheting baby caps for newborns, prayer shawls for those in need, being a tour guide for the Chamber of Commerce, and narrating talking books. She was a member of VFW Auxiliary #2038; the Hospital Auxiliary; Retired Senior Volunteer

Program; and Hospice. Alice is survived by her children Cheryl Gapp of Yankton; Jeanine of Crofton, NE; Brenda (Kevin) Goeden of Pierre, SD; and, Jerry (Bonnie) of Yankton, SD, her seven grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren. She is also survived by her sister Phyllis (Louie) Šmith of Yankton; brother Jim (Carolyn) Sorensen of San Antonio, TX; Carol Jensen, Fort Atkinson, WI; and Kenny (Beverly) Sorensen of Irene,



Sherry Fischer

years of education attending

rural grade school Fairview

grade to her graduation, she

Sherry spent the first 19

years of her life working on

her dad's family farm in the

had a great love and pas-

sion for the farm and land,

and made many wonderful

another 22 years working on

the farm as a farmwife and

memories. She then spent

fields and with livestock. She

District #95. From the 6th

attended Scotland Public

School.

mother.

Parish

lence, go to www.opsahlkostelfuneralhome.com. Pall-

bearers are Jamie Parish, Don Parish.

Jason Rauscher, Ryan Sieler, Shane Sieler and Zack Con-

Elvin Wayne Parish, son of Guy and Čora (Mosher) Parish, was born on December 12, 1918 at Dixon, SD. He enlisted in the Army in 1941 and served until 1945. He was stationed in Europe during WWII. On May 17 1947 he married Erma Stroh and to this union, five chil-

SD and numerous nieces and

Alice was preceded in

brothers, Howard and Ches-

ter Sorensen, son-in-law Joe

Gapp, her sister-in-law Mar-

veyed to the family at www.

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iorie Sorensen and brother-in-

Condolences may be con-

death by her parents, two

nephews.

law Jim Jensen.

feigumfh.com.

church. To dren were born: Lyle, Larry, send an on-Darlene, Darlys and Deanne. line condo-Elvin worked in various

farming and road construction jobs around Gregory until 1960. At that time he moved to Yankton where he was employed at the Human Services Center until 1973. He worked as a ianitor for a manufacturing plant from 1974 to 1978. He retired in 1983 and spent his time hunting and fishing

and enjoying his grandkids. Elvin is survived by his sisters, Naomi (Darrel) Roggow of Gregory, SD, Verna (Ed) Stroh of Sioux Falls, SD; brother, Martin Parish of Hemet, CA; sons, Lyle (Donett) Parish of Yankton, Larry (Sandy) Parish of Yankton; daughter, Darlys

(Pat) Moulten of Phoenix, ÅZ; 14 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren and one great-great granddaugh-

Elvin is preceded in death by his wife, Erma of 65 years; two daughters, Darlene Carley and Deanne Rauscher; grandsons, Willie Parish and Tommy Rauscher Jr.; great-grandson, Joseph Frey; brothers, Dale, Rav. Neal. Guy Jr.: sisters Jesse, Mary Ann, Gladys and

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Lea Guthmiller

Lea L. Guthmiller, 107, of Yankton passed away Monday, Oct. 5, 2015, at Åvera Sister James Care Center,

Yankton. Funeral services are pending with the Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home & Crematory, Yankton.

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