

Organizers Say 300,000 Attended LifeLight

WORTHING (AP) — Organizers of the LifeLight Music Festival say about 300,000 Christian music fans attended this past weekend's multi-stage event.

Festival Director Julie Klinger tells KELO television that the estimates are from traffic patterns and counts from event engineers. Organizers don't yet have an official count.

The three-day event, which is billed as the nation's largest Christian rock festival, featured seven stages of music and more than 100 bands.

Klinger says the band Skillet brought nearly 100,000 people to just one stage Saturday night. She says it was the biggest standing crowd during the festival's 15-year history.

S.D. Officials Ask For Reports Of Dead Deer

PIERRE (AP) — South Dakota wildlife officials are asking hunters and landowners to be on the lookout for dead deer.

The Game, Fish and Parks Department reports that this is the time of year when deer tend to die from hemorrhagic disease, which is also known as epizootic hemorrhagic disease or blue tongue. The disease is common in white-tailed deer and typically detected in late summer or early fall.

The virus is spread by a biting midge and causes extensive internal bleeding. Infected deer are often found in low-lying areas or near rivers or ponds, where they go to combat the high fever.

Officials are asking people to contact local conservation officers or call the department's Pierre headquarters at 605-773-5913 if they see sick deer or find several dead deer in one place.

Man Dies After Shooting At Omaha Nightclub

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — Police have released the name of a man who died after a shooting at a west Omaha nightclub.

Police say 24-year-old Delayno Wright, of Omaha, died after he was shot at the Halo Ultra Lounge early Monday. Police say Wright was taken by a private car to a nearby hospital, and transferred to Nebraska Medical Center, where he died.

Wright's death remains under investigation. No arrests have been reported.

Lead Guitarist For Starship Dies In Norfolk

NORFOLK, Neb. (AP) — Mark Abrahamian, the lead guitarist for the rock group Starship, died of a heart attack after a concert in Norfolk, Neb., his road manager said. He was 46.

Road manager Scott Harrison said Abrahamian collapsed after a performance Sunday night.

"We had just finished the show. We were back in the dressing room eating. He apparently told the bass player he wasn't feeling well," Harrison said Monday.

Abrahamian went into the next room and was talking to his fiancée on the phone when he collapsed, Harrison said. He was taken to a hospital, where he was pronounced dead.

Harrison says an autopsy was done Monday.

"It's a shock to everyone," Harrison told The Associated Press in a phone interview from the airport in Omaha, where he was waiting for Abrahamian's fiancée. They planned to get married in December in Hawaii, Harrison said.

Starship was the opening band for a concert that also featured Survivor and Boston.

UNL Researchers Set For Antarctic Quest

BY KEVIN ABOUREZK

Lincoln Journal Star

LINCOLN, Neb. — When Frank Rack lands in Antarctica this October, he'll have with him eight other University of Nebraska-Lincoln researchers and a really big hose.

The 1,000-meter-long hose, and the tons of supporting equipment that go with it, will dispense hot water researchers will use to melt a hole nearly half a mile down into the ice shelf toward sub-glacial Lake Whillans to collect water and sediment.

Rack, executive director of the ANDRILL Science Management Office at UNL, unveiled the new, \$2 mil-

lion hot water drill Wednesday. Once it is put into operation, it will mark the first U.S. entry into the sub-glacial lake.

"Understanding the whole hydrology in these lakes is really an interesting question," he said.

Rack said he expects the team will find microbes, possibly exotic ones from a reservoir that's been isolated for eons.

ANDRILL built the Whillans Ice Stream Subglacial Access Research Drilling system as a subcontractor for three other universities: Montana State, Northern Illinois and the University of California, Santa Cruz. Money for the project comes from American Recovery and Reinvest-

ment Act funds channeled through the National Science Foundation.

ANDRILL also will use \$1 million in stimulus funds to operate the drill.

Much of the drill's pieces already have been sent to Antarctica. The main hose reel and command and control network will be shipped Aug. 31 to California, then to New Zealand and Antarctica.

The ANDRILL team will arrive in Antarctica in early October to begin the long process of putting the entire hot-water drill system together in time for a planned December test.

The team uses eight tractors to haul the drill across nearly 600 miles of ice to a spot above Lake Whillans.

"It's going to be quite a circus," Rack said.

ANDRILL built the drill in pieces, using American companies to build everything from the hose itself to the traction system that will move it through the system that can move 60 to 80 gallons of water a minute. The team has been careful to ensure the water that will move through it is filtered to prevent contaminating Lake Whillans.

Dennis Duling, lead driller for the project, said the new drill will be a major improvement on the piece-meal hot-water drills research teams have been using in Antarctica. The whole system can be operated through a laptop.

North Dakota

S.D. Teen Cleans Up With Shower Business

BY JAMES MACPHERSON

Associated Press

ALEXANDER, N.D. — It took little more than a day for 18-year-old Evan Jensen to smell opportunity in North Dakota's booming oil patch.

The recent high school graduate got a whiff of himself and his 21-year-old brother, Justin. The two had been sleeping in a pickup while looking for work in the oil fields of western North Dakota.

"We smelled," he said. "Bad."

Thousands of workers have descended on the region to seek their fortune in the oil fields, and housing construction and growth of brick-and-mortar businesses haven't kept up. The closest shower to Jensen was at a truck stop some 60 miles away. It was expensive, filthy and the wait was several hours long.

That's when the idea for a mobile shower hit him harder than the reek of his own B.O.

"There are a lot of necessities that aren't available out here," Jensen said. "Like a place to take a shower and brush your teeth."

An armada of food trucks and other roving enterprises was already catering to oilfield workers.

The teen believed others also would value a hot shower nearly as much as a hot meal.

He pitched the idea to his parents back at their farm near Lake Preston in eastern South Dakota. His father and other relatives helped him convert a 53-foot semi-trailer into a five-stall shower center with an office and laundry facilities.

A 6,000-gallon semi tanker alongside the trailer provides fresh water and collects the greywater.

Jensen paid for the renovation with \$15,000 he earned in the past two years trapping muskrats, whose fur is sent to China to be fashioned into coats, slippers and earmuffs. Each pelt fetches about \$10.

"That's a pile of muskrats," Jensen said after the construction was done.

The mobile venture, called Better Showers, rolled into an RV campground in the heart of the oil patch in June. A shower costs \$10, with a half-price discount for residents of the RV park where the business is located. Towels and washcloths are \$1 extra. The water pressure is strong, the soap is free and there is no time limit.

The business is parked along

U.S. Highway 85, the busiest two-lane highway in western North Dakota, where about 100 trucks pass by every 10 minutes. The showers are open from 4 p.m. to 11 p.m., the time when most people are getting off work.

At least two dozen people stop daily, and Jensen said most are repeat customers. They come from around the globe, and he knows most of them only by nicknames, such as "Cowboy" and "Mondo."

"It's been a very educational adventure," said Jensen, whose hometown has fewer than 600 people.

Jensen said he earned several thousand dollars this summer from the showers. He recently advertised the business on Craigslist at \$95,000 and hopes to use the proceeds to pay for four years of tuition at McNally Smith College of Music in St. Paul, Minn.

The talented guitarist, percussionist and music writer begins classes this month.

McNally Smith President Harry Chalmiers said Jensen's entrepreneurial spirit will serve him well in the music industry, another tough business.

"You've got to be prepared to think outside the box and be cre-

ative and innovative," Chalmiers said. "That's always been true for musicians and in the economy today, it's true for more and more people."

Hayley Matthews, 47, moved to North Dakota from Montana a few weeks ago to start a business cleaning homes, apartments and campers for oilfield workers. Matthews said she was showering at a motel in the area, but the water there "smelled like a cat box."

Jensen's shower facility has been a godsend, she said.

"It's just wonderful to take a nice shower and still feel like a girl out here in the oil patch," Matthews said.

Jensen said he's seen customers come in grimy and grouchy and leave clean and cordial.

He passes the time between clients cleaning the facility, playing guitar and writing letters thanking friends and relatives for graduation gifts. And he contemplates other businesses.

"I brainstorm and think of what's in demand here," Jensen said. "I've got a bunch of ideas. All it takes is guts, really."

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Schedule of Events
Friday, September 7th
 Exhibitor BBQ 6 - 8 p.m.
 Come early and enjoy Food & Refreshments!
Saturday, September 8th
 All Day SD Highway Patrol Rollover Simulator
 8:00 a.m. Grounds Open
 10:00 a.m. Demonstrations
 1:00 p.m. Parade
 2:00 p.m. SD Sanctioned Kids Pedal Tractor Pull
 3:00 p.m. Sandbox Quarter Scramble
 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Threshing & Demonstrations
 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. Old-Time Fiddlers
 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. BBQ Pork Supper
 7:00 p.m. Tractor Games
Sunday, September 9th
 All Day SD Highway Patrol Rollover Simulator
 8:00 - 10:30 a.m. Pancake Brunch
 9:00 a.m. Non-Denominational Church Service
 10:00 a.m. Demonstrations
 1:00 p.m. Parade
 2:00 p.m. Tractor Pull
 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. Old-Time Music
 3:00 p.m. Threshing
 3:00 p.m. Demonstrations
 3:00 p.m. Sandbox Quarter Scramble
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