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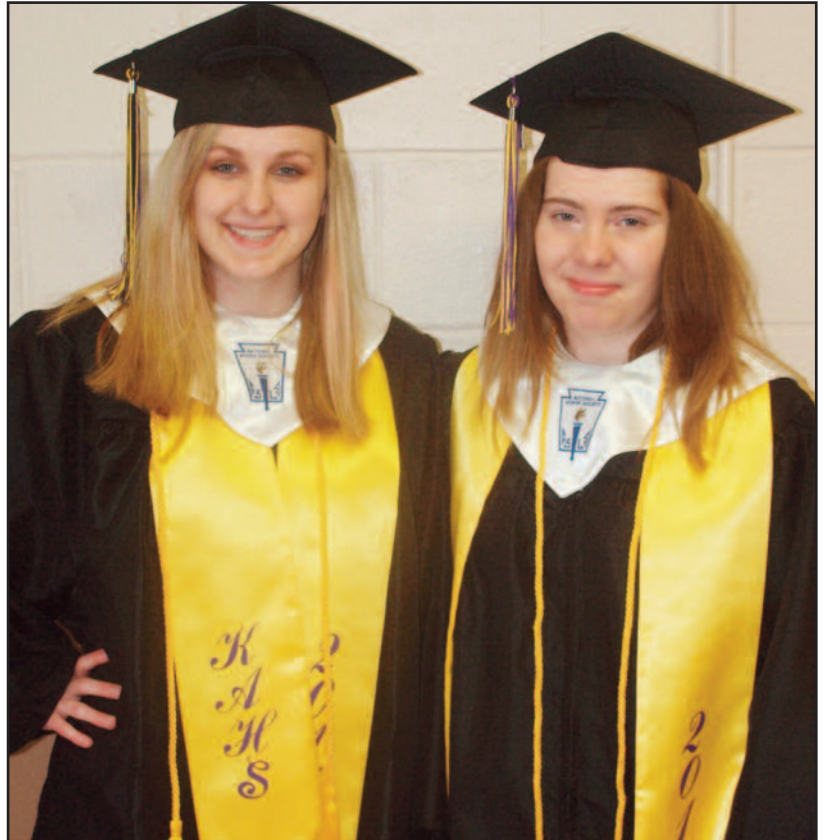
May 21, 2015

KAHS Class of 2015



Robyn Jones

Graduation at the Kadoka Area High School was held on Sunday, May 17. Graduating seniors were (back row, L-R): Myla Pierce, Brendon Porch, Zach Stone, Dylan Riggins, Jed Brown, and Wyatt Enders. Front row: Elizabeth Hoon, Herbie O'Daniel, Destiny Dale, Aaron Janis, and Brennan Kukal.



Valedictorian Destiny Dale (L) and Salutatorian Elizabeth Hoon.

School board discusses projects, offers contracts for 2015 - 2016 school term

Robyn Jones

The Kadoka Area School Board held their monthly meeting on Wednesday, May 13. Board members in attendance were Ross Block, Dale Christensen, Ken Lensegrav, Mark DeVries, Dawn Rasmussen, and Dan VanderMay. Mark Williams was absent.

Superintendent Jamie Hermann gave an update on summer projects that will be done. At the Interior School a new suspended ceiling will be installed, along with repairing some windows. At Midland the kitchen will be moved from the smaller building into the main building. Long Valley has several repairs to be done, including renovating the bathrooms. "Our main issue at Kadoka is deciding what to do with the roof," stated Hermann. "When we arrived at school on Monday following the snow, we found a major leak from a tear on the south portion of the roof."

Currently a company is working on the north side of the roof repairing damage caused by the hail storm. The tear in the roof is believed to be caused by wind and a claim has been submitted to the insurance company, although a reply has not been received whether it would be covered or not.

not.

Quotes were received from Joe Handrahan Construction to paint the Interior School at an approximate amount of \$25,000 and an addition to the Long Valley School at an estimated amount of \$150,000. The addition would be 30'x60' and include two classrooms.

The consensus of the board was to wait on painting the Interior School until the roof issue at Kadoka was fixed and request more details on the addition at Long Valley.

A preliminary budget for the 2015-2016 school term was presented to the board. The budget can not be finalized until the property valuations are received from the Director of Equalization, which have been requested. Title funding has been decreased and special education funding has increased some.

Handbook changes were presented for review. The policy committee will meet to review the headlice policy to determine how to properly handle the issue of dealing with nits or headlice.

An executive session was held for personnel matters. Once returning to open session several motions were made: accept resignation from Julie Hermann as assistant volleyball coach; offer sports complex summer maintenance contract to Richard Stolley at a rate of \$10 per hour; offer teaching contract to Logan Brakke for middle school at an amount of \$32,600; offer middle and high school administrative contract to Mikaela O'Bryan in the amount of \$57,500; offer teaching contract to Fallon Richardson in the amount of \$34,100; offer summer computer maintenance contracts to Joan Enders and Mark Reiman in the amount of \$500 each; and offer summer special education services contract to Dana Eisenbraun for 72 hours in the amount of \$29.82 per hour. Other motions included to offer teacher contracts and support staff contracts for the 2015-2016 school term.

Motions passed to cast a ballot for Bud Postma of Madison High School and Mike Olson of Bennett County School District to serve on the South Dakota High School Activities Association Board. The board ended their meeting with another executive session for personnel matters. The next board meeting will be held on Wednesday, June 9 at 7:00 p.m. at the Kadoka School.

City accepts bid for grassland lease

Sarah DeVries

The Kadoka city council met on Monday, May 11, at 7:00 p.m. Council members present were Mayor Harry Weller, Brad Jorgensen, Colby Shuck, Cory Lurz, Arne Lund, Ryan Willert, and Dick Stolley. Also present were Jackie Stilwell, Patty Ulmen, Nathan Riggins, police chief Forrest Davis, and Tina Williams. Patrick Solon arrived at about 7:30.

The council approved the prior meeting's minutes, the bills, and financial statement.

There was no citizen's input.

The council reviewed bids for a lease of 90 acres of grassland. The city received four bids: John Kaiser bid \$2,520/year for a five year lease; Jamie Willert bid \$15.50/acre; Nathan Riggins bid \$1,450/year; Brad Busch bid \$2,500/year. The council moved to accept Kaiser's bid.

The council moved to approve building permits for Nathan Riggins and for Jackie Stilwell.

Council reports were as follows: No new reports in water/sewer or streets.

In solid waste, Jorgensen reported that the scrap metal is getting baled but "the price of iron is bad right now" and suggested not having the bales hauled right away. The council agreed; no motion was made.

tion was made.

In liquor, Williams reported that Blackburn is scheduled to come in and work on the floor on May 26 and 27. The work will be done at the front; Williams said she would be willing to have off-sales open at the back of the bar but wasn't sure yet what the schedule would be. Williams also discussed the still-open bar positions with the council and the council agreed to expand advertising to The Profit and possibly the Department of Labor's job search site.

site.

In auditorium/park, reconditioning on the auditorium floor is set to begin right after graduation.

There were no new reports in public safety.

In the Mayor's report, the council set May 20, 7:00 p.m. as the date to canvass votes for the zoning ordinance special election.

The council then went into executive session to discuss personnel.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for Monday, June 8.

UNOFFICAL RESULTS

City of Kadoka

Special Zoning Ordinance Election

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Yes

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No

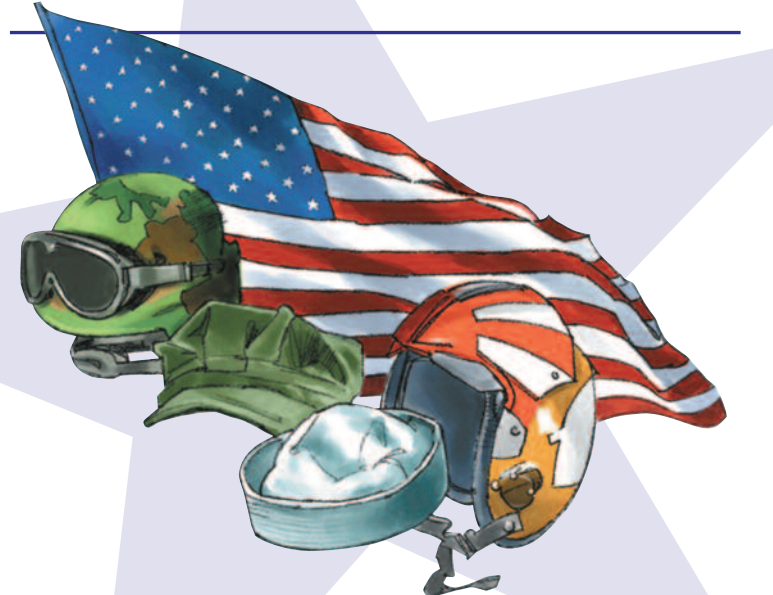
2015 kindergarten graduates



Robyn Jones

Kadoka kindergarten graduation was held on Thursday, May 14. Back row (L-R): Karson Eisenbraun, Damien Bettelyoun, Jerrett Hutchinson, Jacina Iron Rope, Carter Kendrick, Jace Grimes, Chase Lamont, and Becky Keegan. Front row: Jyrzee Collier, Kaylee Eisenbraun, Kylee Fromm, McCoy Bonenberger, Savanna Suedmeier, TeiLynn Montelongo, and Terrell Ashley.

THEY GAVE THEIR LIVES FOR OUR FREEDOM



Let's take this time to remember all the soldiers who have valiantly defended our freedom in all of our wars and conflicts. To the many who

gave their lives for us, and who suffered injuries for the cause of democracy. May we treasure the rich heritage of freedom they have fought so bravely for.



Early Deadline for the May 26th edition of the Profit is Thursday, May 21st at 12:00 Noon (MT)

Our offices will be closed Memorial Day. Have a safe holiday weekend.

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*Philip ~ Wall ~ Kadoka ~ Faith
Bison ~ Murdo ~ New Underwood*

Kadoka Area News | Sydne Lenox, 837-2465

Carmen and Tim Huffman have a new grandson, Corbin James, was born to Curtis and Casey Huffman in Mobridge on Tuesday, May 12. This is the first child for Casey and Curtis. Corbin weighed four pounds 13 ounces. The Huffmans son, Keith, and his daughter, Ariella, of Rapid City were visitors at their home on Tuesday of last week.

Joanne Stilwell and Susan Davidson attended the Marine Band Concert which was held in Rapid City on a recent Saturday night. They said it was a wonderful concert.

Paula Vogelgesang took 18 more quilts to the Cornerstone Mission in Rapid City on Wednesday, May 13. The quilts were made by South Dakota and Nebraska ladies and will be given to the veterans who come to Cornerstone Mission. Paula dropped them off the day that she does her news program at KOTA-TV.

Kadoka Area High School held graduation ceremonies at the city auditorium on Sunday. Eleven sen-

iors graduated and a large crowd was in attendance.

Patsy Handcock of Brighton, CO, and her mom, Joyce Hicks went to Black Hawk on Saturday and attended the graduation reception held there for Levi Sanftner, who graduated from Sturgis High School on Sunday. He is the son of Chase and Elaine Sanftner.

Arline Petoske of Midland passed away on May 15 and her funeral was held on Tuesday, May 19. She was the mother-in-law of Barb (McCormick) Petoske. Sympathy is extended to her family.

Deb and Jerry Parkinson of Portland, OR, visited in Kadoka with Larry and Alvina Parkinson and Sydne Lenox on Sunday. They were on their way to Pierre to visit Deb's parents. After they left for Pierre, Larry, Alvina and Sydne drove down Highway 73 to the White River south of Kadoka to see the flooding in that area. With all of the moisture we have received lately, the river was out of it's banks and was quite a sight to see. The ditches

and adjoining fields are under water also.

Bruce and Lila Whidby and Wanda Swan attended a birthday party for Lois Lurz of Hot Springs on Saturday in Rapid City. They also celebrated Lois' granddaughter's graduation from college. Also attending were Joe and Betty Lou Stratton, Larry and Jan Miller, Marjorie Jeffords, Beth Boersma and several other relatives and friends.

The regular meeting of American Legion Auxiliary met on Thursday, May 14, at the Gateway Apartments Community Room. The members present elected the same officers to continue for next year. Prize money was given to the winners of the poem and essay contest and it was announced that Poppy Day will be on May 20. Membership now totals 124 with goal being 164. After the summer break the next meeting will be Thursday, September 10.

Gateway News | Lola Joyce Riggins, 837-2053 (Let it ring)

It was a busy weekend with school graduates. There was a really nice program for the eighth graders and then the senior graduates were given their diplomas individually on the stage. There was entertainment and the seniors paraded around the parents and all of the guests and then they lined up and the guests all shook hands with them and wished them well. I was honored to attend a reception party with the many friends and relatives

with my great-grandson, Dylan Riggins, at Jigger's; and there were many other festivities for other graduates. There were many friends and relatives from away that visited and kept our town and homes busy. You are appreciated.

We don't have a noon meals here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday this week.

Joyce Hicks was visited this weekend by her daughter.

Anitalyn Riggins stopped in for a

Norris News | June Ring 462-6328

"Treat obstacles as stepping stones rather than stumbling blocks."
Capsule sermons

Bobbi Kelley was in Rapid City Friday, moving things into her new home with the help of friends.

Middle school graduation is Wednesday at 1:00 p.m. in White River. Norris School ends Thursday, May 21, with dismissal at 12:30. Report cards may be picked up Friday morning from 9:30-10:00 a.m.

Robert and Sharon Ring were at St. John Lutheran Church last Monday for the burial service in the cemetery of Darlene Heinert.

On Mothers' Day, May 10, Jeremy and Tyler Ring built a 'snow mom' for Linda in the yard. Now how often in a lifetime is there enough snow on Mothers' Day to do that?!! The next evening, the Torey Ring family was in Kadoka for academic awards night, where Jeremy was recognized for being student of the month during the school year, as well as being a member of the winning Ag Business team in FFA, and being on the A honor roll. Jeremy was also elected as vice president of the student council for the next school year.

Thursday noon Torey and Linda were at Long Valley School for the potluck meal honoring Nancy Weller. They also picked up some plants at the plant sale there put on by the Long Valley 4-H club. Friday was the last day of school, with dismissal at noon.

Sunday Linda and Jeremy attended graduation in Kadoka, where Jeremy took pictures for the year book.

Dan and Lori Schmidt were in Valentine last Monday for the funeral of Darlene Heinert at Our Savior Lutheran Church. Saturday Lori went in for graduation in White River.

Blaine and Louann Krogman attended Kirby's graduation ceremonies in Chadron, NE on Saturday, May 9. Louann's mother and sister came from Illinois for the event. They made it back to the Krogman ranch that evening, and found the Frieden family there from Joy, Illinois. Despite the snowy weather, the Illinois people were able to leave for home on Sunday. The Krogman's were among those helping brand at Adrian's on Thursday afternoon.

Evan and Hilary Nesheim and

sons were in Ethan this past weekend, visiting Evan's family and giving them a chance to get better acquainted with baby Newt.

Richard and Noreen Krogman made it into Mass on Mother's Day in White River, and had dinner at the drive inn there afterward. May 13, Noreen hosted the Riverview Club meeting at her home. On the 14th, Richard and Noreen were among those at the Adrian's branding, and Noreen came into White River on the 15th for the plant sale and the Cattlewomen meeting at the museum that afternoon. Jan Endes was hostess for the Cattlewomen meeting. Sunday afternoon, May 17, Richard and Noreen to Mission for the DNP quilting session, where she joined Rose Ruff, June Ring and Laurene Emery. The ladies celebrated Laurene's birthday a bit late, which was May 1.

Rose West and Jeannine Woodward were in White River last Wednesday, helping set up for the plant sale on Friday. They were there again Friday for the sale and for the Cattlewomen meeting. Jeannine went in again on Saturday for working at the plant sale, and they were both there again on Sunday.

The Hubers were in Murdo Sunday afternoon, as Torry and Christian graduated from the 8th grade.

Anne Heinert flew to San Diego last Wednesday and joined her sister there for her niece's graduation from college. They also had rainy weather there; that was good news for San Diego, as they need rain.

Jim and Marjorie Letellier and Andrea Beckwith met Julie Letellier in White River and continued on to Sunshine Bible academy for the spring concert there on Friday. Jim and Marjorie had five grandchildren participating in the concert. They drove home that night in very rainy weather. Saturday they were in White River for graduation. There were a lot of Norris kids graduating.

June Ring attended the graveside burial service for Darlene Heinert on Monday at St. John Lutheran Church, and helped serve lunch afterward.

Tuesday June and Jessie were at the Head Start in Norris for their year end ceremonies and taco feed. Bruce was over in Martin that day, having driven some of the Long Valley classes there for their field trip.

Kadoka Nursing Home | Cathy Stone, 837-2270

Visiting Emma Jarl were Stan, Debbie, Trey and Savannah Knispel. Emma truly enjoyed them.

Arlys Klundt drove down from Rapid City to take his mom, Ruth Klundt, out to dinner. Everything was delicious as usual!

Stopping by to visit several of the residents were Shirley Josserand, Lola Joyce Riggins, and Renate Carson. We sure appreciate them taking the time to stop and visit.

Melissa Ammons took her mom, Sheila Bowen, to graduation along with her grandson, Logan, and his friend, Cassie. Graduation was very nice.

Dwight Louder celebrated his birthday on the 13th. His wife and

daughter, Sue Hamer, drove down from the Draper area on Wednesday to wish him well and also was kind enough to bring all the staff members a beautiful Geranium to take home.

Don and Darrell Kemnitz came by to visit their wife and mother, Elaine. Sometimes you will find her cat napping, so you'll have to wake her up with the little puppy jumping on her lap!

Cheryl and Ruth Daum drove over from the Murdo area to spend the afternoon with their mom, Rose Daum.

Marjorie Russell had a surprise visit from her granddaughter, Annika Russell, from Mitchell, SD, and her daughter-in-law, Sondra

Russell. They enjoyed their time together.

Sue Kaiser, the Willert family, Bob Word, Kolette Struble, the Brown family and others stop in a regular basis to visit.

Continued prayers for Lois Pettyjohn. Hopefully she will be feeling better soon and can come back for hymn singing on Monday mornings. We sure have missed her.

Visiting with Aunt Joy Parker were Ron and Renate Carson. Always good to see them.

Last week we celebrated National Nursing Home week. We played several games with the staff and had a barbecue on Wednesday night.

Belvidere News | Syd Iwan, 381-2147

Jenny Johnston graduated from Philip High School on Saturday. All her brothers and sisters were able to be here for the event. Laramie and David flew in together from New York, Lonna and Linay came from Martin, Cora Jo came from Rapid City, and John came from Piedmont. Various spouses and kids came along. A reception was held on Friday at the Johnston ranch which was attended by the brothers and sisters and lots of other relatives and friends. Jenny's grandmothers, Marcella Svenson of Rapid and Mary Johnston, were there along with Jo's sisters, Charlotte of Huron, and Virginia Conlee of Black Hawk, and Larry's brother, Lonny. It was a good day to celebrate lots of things including the high school graduation of Lonna's son, Wylie Livermont, from Martin High School. He and Jenny are about the same age, but Jenny is Wylie's aunt, not his cousin. Laramie too had just graduated from college so that was celebrated, and Cora Jo's son, Celton, observed his first birthday. Larry said it was the first time all of Jo and his kids had been able to get together at the same time for fourteen years, and that was nice. Sonya Addison came over and took some pictures so the time together could be remembered. The country roads to the ranch were not that great on Friday, but people somehow managed to navigate them successfully and show up.

On Saturday, Larry and Mary Johnston drove to Martin for the morning high school graduation of Wylie Livermont. Then they had to hurry back to Philip for Jenny's afternoon graduation. Many of the people who attended the reception on Friday went to Jenny's graduation as well. By Sunday evening, things had quieted down at the Johnston's. Everyone had gone other places except for grandson Celton who was going to stay on a few days. Larry said their calving is winding down pretty much now, but somehow three calves managed to be born on Sunday morning as kind of an anticlimax.

Kirby Schofield took in gradua-

tion at Philip on Saturday since neighbor Jenny was graduating as was a nephew of his. Some receptions were attended afterwards. Kirby said their roads have not been fun to drive on during the wet weather, but it is nice to have the moisture anyway. Calving and chores are the main activities. Nancy Schofield has been working in Pierre but usually has Monday off so she can come home for a few days at the end of each week.

Dave and Jean Calhoon were visited for dinner on Sunday by Jean's mom and sister, Marie Addison of Murdo and Beryl Geer of Gillette, WY. Beryl had been here a few days visiting Marie. She had planned to come for Mother's Day, but that had been prevented by the heavy snows last weekend. As usual, Beryl helped play for church in Belvidere before heading to Calhoon's for dinner. Dave said he thought he might miss being the Director of Equalization in Murdo when he quit there in 2008, but he's been able to stay busy enough at home to prevent that. Jean mostly quit traveling around as a nurse out of the Philip clinic and hospital back in November so Dave and she have been hanging out more together at home since then.

Jean Laughton said she and Lyle O'Bryan have been keeping an eye on the nearby White River which is wanting to flood some. It wasn't doing too badly on Sunday evening, but a rise was somewhat expected. Jean said an exhibition of her ranching and cowboy photographs will be opening this week at a gallery in Manhattan. It will run for several months. Many of the same panoramic photos were shown at the Dahl Fine Art Center in Rapid a while ago. Anyone wanting to see some of Jean's work can

find it on the Internet at jeanlaughton.com. The photos on display in New York will include such local guys as Bax Badure, Wade Fox, Charlie Fortune, Paul Scherf and others. Jean said that a friend who is a photographer from New York came to the ranch this week to take some firsthand pictures at a branding, but that was rained out. Instead, Lyle coached him in some of the finer points of roping which both guys enjoyed.

Abby Carlson said calving is almost done at their place now. Their branding was rained out as have various other brandings in the area, but Colter has rescheduled theirs for Monday if that works out. There young daughter, Sutton, is about six-weeks old now and has had kind of a rocky start with quite a bit of time spent in the hospital. She is home now, but needs to go to Rapid for an MRI on Wednesday to see what further needs to be done.

John Dolezal said their calving is winding down finally. He still needs to keep on top of it however. He also said the roads around there have been so bad lately due to the rain and snow that a person is practically worn out before finally getting to the pavement.

Chuck Fortune said he is looking for some new shoes since his old ones got sucked off by knee-deep mud the other day. He has decided to lace his new ones tighter in the future to avoid a recurrence of this. Roads out Fortune's way aren't too bad according to Chuck. They are passable using just two-wheel drive if you go fast through the bad spots.

Lee Addison and Rhonda Terkildsen were visited this weekend by Rhonda's grandson, Tyce Amiotte, from over Norris way. Tyce just finished first grade. His mom, Pam, reclaimed him on Sunday.

Come join us for a
Pampered Chef Bridal Shower
for Maria Herber,
fiancée of Kyle Venard
Monday, May 25 • 1:00 - 3:00
Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church, Kadoka
You'll get to choose a gift for the happy couple, and something for yourself too!

BELVIDERE FIREMEN'S
FEED & DANCE
SATURDAY, MAY 30TH
AT THE BELVIDERE FIRE HALL
Free will offering supper at 6 p.m.
STREET DANCE TO COUNTRY RUSH
From 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.
We will also hold our CASH
raffle drawing that night!
See any BVFD fireman
for raffle tickets!

Family & Friends,
please join us to celebrate
the life of
John Vander May
Friday, May 22nd • 5:00 p.m.
Our Lady of Victory
Catholic Church in Kadoka
Lunch to follow downstairs.

Come & Go
Bridal Shower
for Candice Buchholz
Saturday, May 30 • 3:00 - 5:00
Kadoka Fire Hall
Please bring a favorite recipe!
Couple is registered at: Kohls • Bed Bath & Beyond

Club 27
Hwy 248 • Kadoka • 837-2241
Starting May 20
Come out Wednesday Nights for
“Steak Out”
Cook your own steak
on the outside grill!
Dance to
The Wilt Brothers
Friday, May 29

District Spelling Bee



Tami Neubold-Flynn
Leia Bennett received first place in the first grade division.



Tami Neubold-Flynn
Jyntre Coller received fifth place in the third grade division.

The regional spelling bee was held on Thursday, May 14 at the Jones County School.

First grade: 1st Leia Bennett, Kadoka Area; 2nd Creston Burns, Philip; 3rd Kate Bouman, Jones County; 4th Mia Fitzgerald, Philip; 5th Baylor Burns, Philip.

Second grade: 1st Breezy Amiotte, Kadoka Area; 2nd Levi Sharp, Kadoka Area; 3rd Trey Larson, Philip; 4th Emmy Newsam, Jones County; 5th Race O'Connor, Philip.

Third grade: 1st Wakely Burns, Philip; 2nd Tristen Host, Jones County; 3rd Kaitlyn Schofield, Kadoka Area; 4th Kamri Kittelson, Jones County; 5th Jyntre Coller, Kadoka Area.

Fourth grade: 1st Romy Andrus, Philip; 2nd Gracie Fitzgerald, Philip; 3rd McKenna McIlravy, Philip; 4th Jolie Dugan,

Jones County; 5th Emmalyn Hunt, Jones County.

Fifth grade: 1st Katie Butler, Philip; 2nd Kayin Convey, Jones County; 3rd Bobbie Jarvi, Philip; 4th Bridger Hight, Jones County; 5th Jenna Engbarth, Philip.

Sixth grade: 1st Sarah Parsons, Philip; 2nd Jesse Hostutler, Philip; 3rd Samuel Leonard, Philip; 4th Sophia Kustar, Jones County; 5th Wyatt Olson, Jones County.

Seventh grade: 1st Rose Rosales, Kadoka Area; 2nd Mason Grimes, Kadoka Area; 3rd Riley Rankin, Jones County; 4th Tianna Romero, Kadoka Area; 5th Dylan Iwan, Jones County.

Eighth grade: 1st Morgan Cantrell, Philip; 2nd Aitanna Nadala, Philip; 3rd Jasmine Ferguson, Philip; 4th Torry Rattling Leaf, Jones County; 5th Kaylee Eisenbraun.

KAHS honors students at awards night

The Kadoka Area students were honored for their achievements at awards night on Monday, May 11. Scholarships presented were: Golden West:Destiny Dale West Central Electric: Elizabeth Hoon and Destiny Dale Ila E. Vogelgesand Scholarship: Destiny Dale Western Dakota Tech, Dakota Corp. Scholarship: Wyatt Enders and Destiny Dale Jessica Grimes Memorial: Dylan Riggins and Destiny Dale Class of 2014: Destiny Dale and Herbie O'Daniel George C. and Florence A. Smith Scholarship: Elizabeth Hoon Rosanne M.E. Albin Memorial Scholarship: Dylan Riggins Marlene Perault Memorial Scholarship: Dylan Riggins Jump Start Summer Program: Elizabeth Hoon Midland School Booster Club Scholarship: Destiny Dale Edith Hogen Scholarship: Wyatt Enders Oklahoma Panhandle State University Housing Scholarship: Dylan

Riggins Oklahoma Panhandle State University Scholarship: Dylan Riggins WDT Build Dakota Scholarship: Destiny Dale and Wyatt Enders Pepsi-Cola of the Black Hills: Destiny Dale John T. Vucurevich Foundation Scholarship: Destiny Dale and Wyatt Enders SDEA/NEA Scholarship: Herbie O'Daniel Vocational Rehab Scholarship: Herbie O'Daniel Girls State: Kassie Hicks and Cami Uhlir Boys State: Jarrett VanderMay HOBY: Emily Knutson and Geoffrey DeVries Ag/FFA: Outstanding Freshman: Hunter Johnson Ag/FFA: National Championship Team: Jackie Thayer, Shaina Solon, Lindsey VanderMay, and Emily Knutson Female and Male Senior Athlete: Destiny Dale and Dylan Riggins National Army Scholar Athlete Awards: Destiny Dale and Herbie O'Daniel



Robyn Jones
Presenting the Marlene Perault Memorial Scholarship to Dylan Riggins (center) was her family, Melissa VanderMay (L) and Laney Waln and Madi.



Boys basketball awards (L-R): Practice Player Patrick Brown, Offensive Player Zach Stone, Defensive Player AJ Bendt, Offensive Player Jarrett VanderMay, Most Improved Reese Sudbeck.



Wyatt Enders (L) and Destiny Dale received the Western Dakota Tech Build South Dakota Scholarship.

Memorial Day Services

Monday, May 25

Belvidere Cemetery: 9:30 a.m.
Program at Belvidere Hall: 10:00 a.m.

Purple Heart Reading
Guest speaker Sgt. Valerie Oldenberg
Tribute to Marlene and Valene Perault
Music and readings throughout

Potluck lunch to follow.

Take time to honor our veterans and loved ones and remembered friends.



Track awards (L-R): Most Valueable Matthew Pretty Bear, Most Improved Jarrett VanderMay, Most Valueable Scout Sudbeck, Most Improved Jerica Coller, Most Improved Miranda Dale, and Most Improved Tyler Ferguson.



Jump Start Summer Program: Elizabeth Hoon

Badlands Stache

Bronc & Bull BASH

31st Day of Mustache May, 2015

Interior, South Dakota

Cowboy Church Service
Starts at 10:00 AM
Event starts after church.

Custom Stache Buckles
Awarded to
Event Champions

BAREBACKS
SADDLE BRONCS
BULL RIDING

NO STACHE - NO ENTRY - NO EXCEPTION

All contestants are requested to dress in 70's & 80's retro.

Soil is more than just dirt the students discovered at the Youth Agriculture and Safety Day. There are living organisms, roots, and nutrients. The youth were able to go through the tunnel to discover some of those things.

Plan to attend for a throwback good time!!!

"King of the Stache" Buckle Awarded to
MOST EPIC STACHE in attendance!

Featuring the Stache Bash Bull Scramble!

All activities will be held at the Rodeo Arena in Interior, SD on Sunday May 31st, 2015.
For more information contact Nate Morrison at 605.515.4313.



Girls basketball awards (L-R): Most Improved Aybree Pittman, Offensive Player Emma Stone, Hutle Award Kelsey Lensegrav, and Defensive Player Scout Sudbeck.



Girls State: Cami Uhlir (L) and Kassie Hicks



Army Reserve National Scholar Athlete Award: Herbie O'Daniel



Ag/FFA Outstanding Freshman Award: Hunter Johnson

SAVE THE DATE!

Murdo Ranch Rodeo

July 18th

And New in 2015 a
Rough Stock Event Friday July 17th!!

For more info please call Sharon Connot at (605)516-0090
Be on the lookout for the events and times in later editions!

E-mail your news, stories & photos:

press@kadokatelco.com

Western Great Plains Conference track meet results

The Western Great Plains Conference track meet took place in Presho on Friday, May 15. The meet included junior high and varsity competitions. Kadoka's scores are as follows:

Junior High Girls' Events
Long Jump: Jade Hutchinson 4th.
High Jump: Lavin Bendt 3rd, 3' 10"
100 Meter Dash: Jade Hutchinson 5th, 15.05
4x100 Relay: Kadoka Area 4th, 01:05.5
4x200 Relay: Kadoka Area 5th, 02:32.6
Medley Relay: Kadoka Area 2nd, 02:22.9

Junior High Boys' Events
Discus: Tel VanderMay 5th, 94' 07"
High Jump: Dylan VanderMay 6th, 4' 02"
1600 Meter Run: TJ Hamer 3rd, 05:49.3
Medley Relay: Kadoka Area 3rd,

02:12.2
800 Meter Run: TJ Hamer 5th, 02:48.9

Varsity Girls' Events
Long Jump: Anna Stone 8th, 13-02.75
High Jump: Kaylee Eisenbraun 5th, 4-07.00; Lindsey VanderMay 6th, 4-03.00
Pole Vault: Katy O'Daniel and Jerica Coller TIE for 2nd, 7-00.00
100 Meter Dash: Tory Lurz 7th, 14.06; Tyra Futate 8th, 15.12
200 Meter Dash: Kaylee Eisenbraun 6th, 28.93
800 Meter Run: Anna Stone 4th, 03:00.80
1600 Meter Run: Anna Stone 5th, 06:43.80
4x100 Relay: Kadoka Area 7th, 1:01.02
4x200 Relay: Kadoka Area 8th, 02:02.90
4x400 Relay: Kadoka Area 5th, 04:47.20
4x800 Relay: Kadoka Area 4th, 12:06.00

1600 Sprint Medley: Kadoka Area 5th, 05:45.00

Varsity Boys' Events
Discus: Jory Rodgers 8th, 102-09.00
Shot Put: Jory Rodgers 7th, 34-06.50
Long Jump: Patrick Brown 8th, 14-00.00
High Jump: AJ Bendt 3rd, 5-08.00
Pole Vault: Abe Herber 3rd, 8-06.00
200 Meter Dash: Matthew Pretty Bear 6th, 24.59
800 Meter Run: Marcus Herber 8th, 02:39.50
1600 Meter Run: Marcus Herber 8th, 05:35.70
4x100 Relay: Kadoka Area 4th, 50.31
4x200 Relay: Kadoka Area 6th, 01:43.60
4x400 Relay: Kadoka Area 5th, 03:59.10
1600 Sprint Medley: Kadoka Area 5th, 04:37.90

Jackson County 4-H Team are National Range Judging champions



Jackson County 4-H Range Team (L-R): Brandy Knutson, advisor, Jackie Thayer, Lindsey VanderMay, Emily Knutson, Shaina Solon and Dave Ollila, SDSU Extension.

The Jackson County 4-H Range Team received top honors for their performance in the National 4-H Range Judging Competition held in the Oklahoma City area May 5-7th 2015. 700 FFA and 4-H members competed in the National Land and Range Judging contest held May 5-7, according to the Oklahoma Association of Conservation Districts, the contest's principal sponsor. The Concho Cheyenne and Arapaho Agency hosted the Range and Land judging event on May 7th. Redlands Community College hosted the luncheon for participants at its Darlington Agricultural Education Farm near the contest site. Total registration for the event exceeded 1000 people with coaches, sponsors, officials and group leaders in addition to the contestants.

The FFA and 4-H participating teams qualified for the national event by placing among the top five teams at contests held in their home states. The first two days of the three day event offered contestants opportunities to visit nearby practice sites to get acquainted with Oklahoma soils and plants with information available from range and soil experts. The actual contest site remains a secret until contest day, so no one has an unfair advantage. Contestants and coaches gather on contest morning to find out the official contest location.

The event ended Thursday night with an awards banquet in the Great Hall of the National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum. National championship trophies were awarded to team and individual winners in each category of the competition including land judging, range judging, and homesite evaluation. Each category included FFA and 4-H divisions.

In the Range Judging 4-H Competition, the Jackson County 4-H team brought home the National Championship! Individually, Lindsey VanderMay was recognized as high individual National Champion along with Emily Knutson placing 3rd, Shaina Solon placing 5th and Jackie Thayer placing 6th, respectively and Coached by Mr. Brandy Knutson. The Newell FFA Range Judging Team placed 11th in the FFA Range division, team members included Callie Kukuchka, Emma Rogers, Megan Thornhill, Bailey Bauer, and coached by Mrs. Jodie Severson and Mr. Tyler Swan.

Land judging teams performed outstandingly and received recognition on the awards stage as well. In the 4-H Land judging division, 6th place went to the McCook County 4-H team comprised of Kayla Mentele, Michelle Moore, Kally Pulse, Kailey Roesler and coached by Mr. Terry Rieckman and Ms. Alicia Reif. The McCook Central FFA Land team placed 9th in the hotly contested FFA Division. Members included: Ryker Seamer, Colin Sabers, Trustyn Wolf, Mercedes Peterson and coached by Mr. Terry Rieckman and Ms. Alicia Reif. Other participating Range and Land teams included: Wessington Springs FFA, Clark FFA, Eastern South Dakota 4-H, Jones County FFA, DeSmet FFA, Highmore FFA and Viborg-Hurley FFA.

According to Dave Ollila, SDSU Extension Sheep Field Specialist, who provided technical support for all the South Dakota Range teams, "These opportunities to expose students to the study of Range Management provide students with skills and understanding of a valuable natural resource that drives the economies of Rural America in the West. Many students will pursue careers which require the knowledge of soils and range resource management. Mr. Lance Howe, USDA-NRCS Soil Scientist based in Redfield, SD, provided technical support to South Dakota Land teams

In addition to practicing and

competing in the range and land judging contest, the FFA and 4-H members were able to take in some of the local attractions Oklahoma had to offer. Students toured Braum's Dairy and Processing facilities where more than 10,000 cows are milk twice a day and all the milk is processed on site to be delivered to 270 stores within 300 miles of their farm. Other tours included, the Oklahoma City Zoo, Oklahoma City National Memorial and Museum, Lazy E Ranch, and the National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum.

Sponsors for this unique educational opportunity include: South Dakota Section - Society of Range Management, South Dakota Livestock Industry Trust Fund and the South Dakota FFA Foundation.

4-H and FFA youth 14-18 who would like to participate in the National Land and Range Judging Contest have the opportunity to participate in qualifying Land and Range contests offered during summer and fall events as follows:

South Dakota Rangeland Days: Chamberlain, SD - June 23 & 24, 2015 - 1st place 4-H Range Team

South Dakota Soils Days: Chamberlain, SD - June 23 & 24, 2015 - 1st place 4-H Soils Team. West Region FFA Land and Range Contest- Wall, SD - 1st place Range and Land Teams Central Region FFA Land and Range Contest- Wessington Springs, SD - 1st place Range & Land Teams SE Region FFA Land Contest - Dell Rapids, SD - 1st and 2nd place Land Teams NE Region FFA Land and Range Contest - Webster, SD - 1st place Range and Land Teams

For more information about participating in 4-H or FFA range and land judging events contact your county 4-H program advisor or your school's FFA chapter.

National Guard obstacle course



The National Guard Unit from Rapid City brought a blow-up obstacle course for the students to enjoy on Wednesday, May 13. There were tubes to crawl through, ropes to swing on, ladders to climb, and a big slide at the end.



Navaeh Bull Bear-Pierce (L) and Shaylee Porch go down the big slide.



Don Schofield (L) and Jared Nemecek jump for the ropes to swing across.



The older students enjoy the strenght test. Each student had a harness on that was attached to a bungee cord. The students would run and go out as far as they could before the bungee cord pulled them back. Pictured is Miranda Dale (L), Venessa Buxcel, and Ciara Stoddard.

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Get ready for the Badlands Stache Bronc & Bull Bash

Spud Creek Rodeo Company, Dave and Nate Morrison, will be producing the Badlands Stache Bronc & Bull Bash at the rodeo arena in Interior, SD, on Sunday, May 31. This is a unique event and will be the first of its kind in South Dakota. All contestants competing in the bareback riding, saddle bronc riding, and bull riding, must have a mustache in order to compete and are requested to dress in 60s, 70s, and 80s retro western attire.

The purpose of this event is to have a throwback good time and to remember the way rodeo used to be. Plenty of laughs will be in store as buckles will be awarded for the "King of the Stache" (best mustache) and for the "Best Dressed" (best retro outfit). These two buckles are up for grabs to all in attendance. Spectators are eligible to win, so wax those stache's and come dressed to impress.

According to Nate Morrison, "Mustache May has always been a fun thing for rodeo cowboys to joke around with amongst each other, so I figured producing an event like this on the last day of Mustache May would attract some contestants." Attract it did as 60 mustache wearing contestants have entered from six different states to compete in bareback, sad-

dle bronc and bull riding at the Interior Rodeo Arena for customized Stache Bash championship buckles, prize money, and bragging rights.

The featured event of the day will be the entertaining "Stache Bash Bull Scramble". The bucking chutes will be filled with six bulls and riders. At the sound of the horn, all six bulls and riders will be released into the arena at the same time. At the sound of the eight second horn, whoever is left on a bull, that didn't get bucked off, must grab their bull rope and race back to the bucking chute. The first rider back to the chutes with rope in hand will be the Stache Bash Bull Scramble Champion. You will not want to miss seeing this event in person!

The day's activities will also include a Cowboy Church service at the Interior Arena starting at 10:00 a.m. Music will be provided by Dave Morrison and Brett Burress. The roughstock rodeo action will start after church at around 11:30 to 12:00.

Come to Interior on Sunday, May 31 for a throwback good time! Bring your camera! Admission: adults \$10.00, \$5.00 for children 12 and under. Concessions will be available.

Congratulating the graduates



Herbie O'Daniel performed the song "The River"

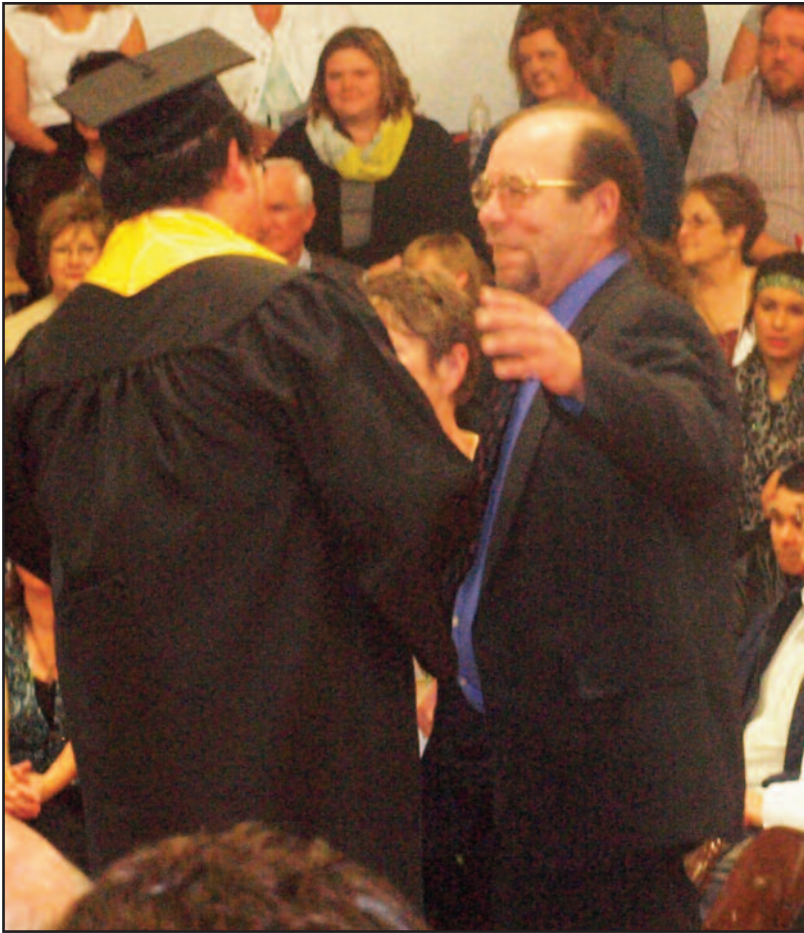


Aaron Janis and Cory Lurz

Robyn Jones



Wyatt Enders gives a flower to his mother, Donna.



Cliff Stone congratulates his son, Zach.

Kadoka Alumni works towards picture display



The class pictures that will be displayed at the auditorium.

The Kadoka Alumni Association's goal to display pictures of the graduating classes at the Kadoka City Auditorium is still progressing. Several class pictures (as pictured at the left) have been made, but several more are needed to be done.

During the war group pictures were not taken during 1944, 1945 and 1946, but the group is requesting that if you have a picture during that time to please contact Nona Prang or Thesa Ireland.

To help with the cost of the picture display and making the copies of the pictures, scarves are being sold. The scarves had been made and donated by Shirley (Collins) Friedman who was a member of the Class of 1950. The scarves (as pictured on the right) are on display at Aw! Shucks Café and may be purchased there. There is a large variety of colors, including the school colors of purple and gold.

The alumni reunion will be held on June 26, 27 and 28 and a complete weekend full of activities has been organized. Make plans to attend the reunion and stop by and look at the scarves. They make wonderful gifts too!



The scarves that are on display at Aw! Shucks Café.

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Summer reading program at Jackson County Library
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Also, reading skills loss is cumulative; meaning children do not “catch-up” in the fall upon return to school. To help avoid losing learning skills in a fun way, Jackson County Library will be hosting the Summer Reading Program beginning in June. Every Hero Has a Story is the official theme and will feature everyday local heroes and traditional superheroes. There will be storytime, educational sessions and activities!

Throughout the summer, we will be encouraging some heroic reading efforts and storytelling—as well as sharing stories about your own “personal heroes”. Programs will be held on Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. at Jackson County Library on Main Street, Kadoka. Children of all ages are welcome to attend, bring a friend and a story! Questions? Call the library at 837-2689.

The destructive power of prairie fires

Fire!
On the prairie, it was a monster of destruction without pity, consuming everything before it.

“Every spear of hay which the farmers had gathered for winter feed is gone, the corn fields are all practically ruined and it is probable that the cattle which were saved will now have to be sold, as it will be impossible for the farmers to buy all their feed,” stated an article in the Aberdeen Weekly about a prairie fire that swept through western Brown County on Nov. 15, 1905, laying ruin to an area about 20 miles long and five miles wide.

The front of a fire was called a “headfire,” according to “Sheldon’s History and Stories of Nebraska.” It ran with the wind across miles of prairie, jumping fireguards and even rivers. Behind it the prairie roared and crackled, resembling a lake of fire with a cloud of smoke rising above it. A high wind usually accompanied the fire, causing the flames to spread rapidly. The heat created a powerful current of air that rushed toward the blaze and sucked everything with it.

Abbie Jarvis, her husband Matthew and their two sons came to Redfield, Dakota Territory, in 1880. They later homesteaded near Redfield and Faulkton. One hot summer day, the winds came out of the west and nearly blew over their shanty. Right behind the wind came the flames of a prairie fire. Jarvis’s father had given her a sewing machine, and she was determined to save it. She dragged the sewing machine to plowed ground and covered it with a piece of old carpet soaked in water. The sewing machine was saved.

Settlers often built what was called a fireguard around their buildings by breaking a narrow strip of sod, and at some distance inside of that, breaking another narrow strip and then burning the grass between the strips. This would stop most common fires and keep the settler’s home and barn safe.

Fire fighting fire was another common way to stop a prairie fire. A counter-fire or back-fire was lit. When the prairie fire reached the burnt area, it ran out of fuel and grew less until it finally died away, or skirted the two ends of the back-fire and continued its destruction.

Ike Blasingame recalled how cowboys working for large cattle companies in western South



Dakota in the early 1900s combated prairie fires in “Dakota Cowboy.” The chuck wagon was sent to the nearest stream so the water barrels hanging on each side could be filled, then the chuck wagon rushed to the men beating at the burning grass with saddle blankets, coats or anything else that was available. Cowboys used horses to pull fire drags made of steel chains and 12-foot asbestos sheets. “It took the combined efforts of six saddle horses to move them. So great was the strain, and so foamy-hot would our horses get that we had to change these heaving-flank mounts for fresh ones every two hours,” Blasingame wrote.

In “Land of the Burnt Thigh,” Edith Eudora Kohl wrote how she and her sister, Ida Mary, were homesteading near the Lower Brule Reservation in 1909, when prairie fires began to break out all around the area.

“The homesteaders began to be afraid to leave their shacks for fear they would find them gone on their return. Ammunition for the fight was pitifully meager. They fought with plows that turned firebreaks, back-fired to stop the progress of the fire, beat it out with their wet sacks,” Kohl wrote.

One afternoon she and Ida Mary smelled smoke. Their claim shack was burning to the ground.

“We clung to each other wordlessly. There was nothing to say. Everything that made up our daily life and our plans for the future had been wiped out in thirty minutes,” Kohl wrote.

A prairie fire held no respect for crops, livestock, buildings or people.

ple.
On April 17, 1886, Betsy Dalagher and her mother saw a prairie fire coming toward their homestead north of Webster. A neighbor had set fire to his slough and strong winds caused the fire to burn out of control. The women left the house to release the livestock from the barn, but became trapped in the flaming barn. Betsy survived by running out of the barn and jumping into a well. Her mother, though, perished in the fire, possibly the first person to die in a prairie fire in Dakota Territory, according to “Roadside History of South Dakota” by Linda Hasselstrom.

Despite the ever-present threat of danger and disappointment, many homesteaders seemed to maintain a sense of hope.

On March 24, 1910, Mrs. Clifford Jencks of Brushie, S.D., located in eastern Meade County, wrote a letter describing how a fire estimated at least 25 miles wide and 100 miles long had swept over the area, destroying their hay and barn. “Now don’t worry over our little loss for if it rains and sunshines, grass will grow again and make more hay and we will fix up another barn. As long as we keep well we can get along all right.”

This moment in South Dakota history is provided by the South Dakota Historical Society Foundation, the nonprofit fundraising partner of the South Dakota State Historical Society at the Cultural Heritage Center in Pierre. Find us on the web at www.sdhsf.org. Contact us at info@sdhsf.org to submit a story idea.

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Wall Hosts “Small Business is Everyone’s Business” Conference

Wall hosted the “Small Business is Everyone’s Business” Conference on April 24 with 15 people in attendance. This conference was held at six school sites via the DDN system in South Dakota with over 60 participants from across the state.

The conference was held to help community members think about how to foster entrepreneurial development in their communities. Dell Gines, Senior Community Development Advisor from the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City was the first speaker. Dell suggested that we become job creators. Small businesses are the businesses that create jobs. Dell shared that 98% of all firms in the United States have 99 or fewer employees. Leadership is also very important in our small communities – both formal and informal leadership. Leadership can be the difference between why some communities make it and some don’t. To grow their communities, Dell encouraged those in attendance to use a network-based model of: Capital, Capability, Connection, Culture and Climate.

Craig Schroeder, representing the Center for Rural Entrepreneurship in Lincoln, NE, focused on how to engage young people during his afternoon presentation. He shared that newcomers to our communities are seeking a high quality of life as the number one priority. He suggested that we will have more luck recruiting those who grew up in rural South Dakota to return. Craig also said that our vocational agriculture and family consumer science classrooms could become community “maker spaces.” Community members and students would be able to work together in these spaces to develop business ideas and promote apprenticeships. Craig’s research shows that half of all young people picture themselves living in



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Participants listen to Craig Schroeder as he speaks from the Wall location.

the area of their hometown in the future. If a rural community can attract back 10-20% of high school graduates, the community can be transformed. He reminds us that young people are 100% of our future and we need to start working with our youth now to build a strong foundation.

In addition to the speakers, each site hosted a panel discussion to share information of what is currently happening in the area as well as resources that may be available to entrepreneurs. Panelists in Wall included Hetti Cekalla, USDA Rural Development, Rapid City; Marty Huether, Mayor of Wall; Marcella Hurley, Small Business Development Center, Pierre; and Kent Jordan, First Interstate Bank, Wall.

The day ended with community discussions so participants could plan additional steps to help promote entrepreneurship in their communities. As Craig Schroeder said, “The opportunity is enormous. We are all ambassadors for our communities.”

The conference was sponsored

by SDSU Extension, USDA Rural Development, West River Electric and the REED (Rural Electric Economic Development, Inc.) Fund.

As a follow-up to “Small Business is Everybody’s Business”, SDSU Extension, along with NDSU Extension and University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension, has developed a program called Marketing Hometown America. Marketing Hometown America empowers communities to create a vision to grow. This program was recognized as the National Innovative Program by the Community Development Society and the National Excellence in Teamwork Award by the National Association of Community Development Extension Professionals. For questions or more information about this conference or how to bring the award-winning Marketing Hometown America program to your community, contact Peggy Schlechter at 605-394-1722 or peggy.schlechter@sdstate.edu or Kenny Sherin at 605-995-7378 or kenneth.sherin@sdstate.edu.

South Dakota marks Emergency Medical Services Week, May 17-23

South Dakota’s emergency medical technicians (EMTs) play a critical role in the state’s health care system, says a state health official as Emergency Medical Services Week approaches. Gov. Dennis Daugaard has proclaimed May 17-23 as Emergency Medical Services Week in South Dakota.

“It’s very appropriate that we set aside a week every year to recognize the dedicated EMTs, many of them volunteers, who are the front line responders to accidents, emergencies and disasters in our state,” said Tom Martinec, Deputy Secretary of Health. “These individuals stand ready to provide life-saving care to those in need 24

hours a day, seven days a week.”

South Dakota’s EMS system includes 123 ground ambulance services, five air ambulance services and more than 3,100 EMTs. Nearly 80 percent of EMTs in the state are volunteers. “Providing emergency care at all hours requires a significant time commitment of these individuals but they also need to spend considerable time training to maintain their certification,” said Martinec.

The initial training consists of approximately 165 hours of classroom time, followed by national

written and practical examinations to become certified. While the certification is good for two years, EMTs must also complete a national standard refresher course of 24-48 hours along with an additional 72 hours of training to maintain national certification.

Martinec noted that maintaining an adequate number of volunteers is an ongoing challenge for many ambulance services, particularly those in rural areas. He encouraged South Dakotans to consider becoming a member of their local ambulance services.

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Good Luck KAHS 2015 Track Team!



Region 7 Track Meet Thursday, May 21 at Lyman

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With over a foot of heavy wet snow and then inches of rain, the White River rose fast and out of it's banks on Sunday and Monday, May 17 and 18. The water cut new water ways, covered fields and pastures.

Robyn Jones



With the river rising, the water fast approaches the home of Richard and Clara Jobgen.

Clara Jobgen



Water from the river covers the pastures.

Clara Jobgen



River water surrounds the house and buildings on Whidby's.

Robyn Jones



The river washed out a large section of Red Stone Road.

Robyn Jones



John Herber moved cows to higher ground to remove them from danger of the rising water.

Marti Herber



Water quickly rose and surrounded the buildings on the Bernard, John and Jim Herber ranch.

Marti Herber



The water covered the calving bot-tom at the ranch of Veryl Prokop. A few cows rest on the "island" wait-ing for the water to go down.

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Arline M. Petoske

Arline M. Petoske, age 92, of Midland, S.D., died Friday, May 15, 2015, at the Hans P. Peterson Memorial Hospital in Philip.

Arline M. Nelson was born Feb. 10, 1923, in Midland, the second of seven children born to Oliver and Edrie (Faubel) Nelson. As a child, Arline helped her brother, Rupert, herd sheep during the hot summer days. While the sheep rested in the heat of the day, Arline embroidered small quilt blocks to pass the time. She grew up in the "Dirty Thirties" when times were tough. She learned many lessons from these times and they helped shape her life.

She lived on a farm and attended country schools, Eureka and Pleasant View 63, north and west of Midland. She then went to high school in Midland, graduating in 1940. She attended Black Hills Teachers' College in Spearfish for one year.

She taught at two country schools, three years at the Pheba School in Stanley County and one year at the Markwed School, north of Midland.

Arline and Clarence Petoske were married in Durham, N.C., on Nov. 2, 1944; and to this union were born five children. They moved into their new home on the hill in 1957. She and her husband owned and operated Petoske Construction, a dirt construction business until they sold to their son, James, in 1982.

Her husband, Clarence, preceded her in death in 2011. She lived in Midland all her life, until she moved into the Silverleaf Assisted Living in Philip in 2011 and then into the Philip Nursing home in 2013.



Arline enjoyed raising her family of five children. When they graduated from high school, she went back to an old love of art and began to work and enjoy drawing, painting, sewing, quilting, and ceramics. She especially enjoyed painting and produced many beautiful works, especially roses and other flowers.

Arline was a member of St. William Catholic Church, Midland, and a member of their Altar Society. She served on the Midland School Board for 12 years, was a 70 year member of the American Legion Auxiliary where she was recently honored as a 70-year Gold Star Sister. She was active in many Midland organizations including the Midland Senior Citizens and took pride in her community.

Survivors include three daughters, Barbara Jones, and her husband, Morris, Midland, Carol Snook, Alton, Ill., and Jody Block, and her husband, Gary, Midland; one son, Jim Petoske, and his wife Barbara, Midland; one sister, Marcia Jackson, Hot Springs; a son-in-law, Bob Eckert, Kadoka; a sister-in-law, Rose Nelson, Midland; a brother-in-law, Leonard Petoske, and his wife, Pauline, Las Vegas, Nev.; and a host of other relatives and friends.

In addition to her husband, Clarence, Arline was preceded in death by one daughter, Jill Eckert; four brothers, Olaf "Ole" Nelson, Roald Nelson, Rupert Nelson and Clayton Nelson; one sister, Nadine Stamm; and a son-in-law, Leland Snook.

Mass of Christian Burial was Tuesday, May 19, at St. William Catholic Church, Midland, with Father Kevin Achbach as celebrant.

Altar servers were Kash Block and Kaelan Block.

Music was provided by Barb Petoske, pianist, and Carrie Mentele, Jill Sheldon and Lori Yunker, vocalists.

Ushers were Brody Jones and Braden Jones.

Pallbearers were Jeff Jones, Pat Jones, Jon Jones, Ross Block, Rob Eckert, Kory Petoske and Kevin Petoske.

Honorary Pallbearers were all family and friends in attendance.

Interment was at the Midland Cemetery.

Arrangements were with the Rush Funeral Home of Philip.

Her online guestbook is available at www.rushfuneralhome.com.

Vacation Bible School

The Presbyterian Church in Kadoka will have Vacation Bible School from Tuesday, May 26 through Thursday, May 28 at the church in Kadoka.

The theme this year will be "Everest, Conquering Challenges with God's Mighty Power." Each day there will be a powerful Bible lessons, catchy singing, memorable drama, creative games, crafts to take home, and a healthy snack.

The Bible lessons will focus on Elijah in the Old Testament and on Jesus in the New Testament. The main theme this year is how the Lord provides for those who believe in him despite the obstacles that we all face. This theme will be emphasized in every part of our Vacation Bible School, the Bible lessons, the music, the drama, the games, the crafts and even in the snacks.

Vacation Bible School will start at 8:30 a.m. each day and end at 12:00 p.m. It is for grades Preschool through sixth grade. There is no cost and each child will receive a free T-shirt. Everyone is welcome. Bring a friend or a neighbor!

If you have questions call Dana Eisenbraun 837-2388, Julie Hermann 837-2085 or Gary McCubbin 837-2485.

Fellowship of God | Dr. James L. Snyder

Those Magnificent May Flowers

The Gracious Mistress of the Parsonage and I were sitting on the back porch admiring the close of the day. Nothing is more relaxing than sitting together drinking coffee, glad that another day has quietly slipped by.

Out of the clear blue sky my wife said, "Aren't those flowers just magnificent?"

I grunted a little grunt of satisfaction to which she replied, "Which do you like? The roses or the tulips?"

As to, which flower I liked, I really do not know the difference between a rose and a tulip. To me a flower is either yellow or blue. But not so with my gardening connoisseur wife. Every flower has a name and you had better give it the right name.

All I can say about a flower is, "That's a pretty flower."

When it comes to flowers, especially the flowers in our backyard, my wife knows them all by name and their history from the time they were but a humble seed put into the ground. Personally, I do not have the time to invest in

something like that. I find it strange talking to a flower. Talking to nuts, maybe, but not a flower.

"You should learn to appreciate flowers, especially the flowers in May." At this point I realized that I was in for conversation on flowers, whether I wanted to converse on flowers or not.

"Don't you remember what you were doing in April?"

Her question caught me by surprise. I was not quite sure what April had to do with flowers in our backyard, but I was about to find out.

"Don't you remember that in April you were complaining about all the rain?" She said it rather sarcastically and I knew there was a point somewhere, but I was not getting it at this time. I did remember complaining about the rain.

"Remember that little rhyme that goes, 'April showers bring May flowers?' We have these marvelous flowers in the month of May because of the rain in April. I think you need to begin to appreciate the rain because of what it brings about."

When my wife went into the

house to get some coffee, I had a moment to muse on that whole "April shower" bringing "May flower" idea. I must admit, there is something to it.

When I am going through a very difficult time, I sometimes wonder what in the world is the purpose of it all? I would like to go through life without any difficulties whatsoever. But, just like those "April showers," the difficulties in life have a purpose down the road a bit.

The trials of life have a purpose that may not be evident at the time, but given enough time, those "April showers" will bring some of those marvelous "May flowers."

James understood this when he wrote, "My brethren, count it all joy when ye fall into divers temptations; Knowing this, that the trying of your faith worketh patience. But let patience have her perfect work, that ye may be perfect and entire, wanting nothing" (James 1:2-4).

When my wife came back with the fresh coffee, I said to her, "Your May flowers are simply spectacular." She smiled, then nodded and just looked at her May flowers.

Sidebar | Roger Baron, Professor of Law, and Sarah Baron Houy, Esq.

Uniform Acts

State legislatures are free to draft and enact laws however desired; for example, legislatures may write their own laws or perhaps look to another state's statutory language for guidance. Over time, however, lawyers and legislators have found it desirable for there to be some uniformity among states with respect to certain areas of law. To that end, the Uniform Law Commission ("ULC," a/k/a the National Conference of Commissioners of Uniform State Laws) was created in 1892. The ULC, which is comprised of lawyers, judges, law professors, legislators and staff, strives to "provide states with non-partisan, well-conceived and well-drafted

legislation that brings clarity and stability to critical areas of state statutory law."

The ULC drafts laws and statutory schemes that establish guiding principles in particular areas of law, such as child custody, child support enforcement, probate, and commercial transactions. In addition, the ULC is vigilant in monitoring the impact of the laws and assessing how they may be improved, so it frequently updates, revises, or replaces its draft laws.

Uniform Acts do not have the force of law unless and until they are enacted by a state's legislature. A state legislature may adopt a Uniform Acts in whole or in part, without having to actually draft new legislation. This is ben-

eficial not only because it is economically efficient, but also because it provides some certainty and stability among those states that have adopted the particular Uniform Act.

A list of all Uniform Acts is not possible here, but some of the more notable ones include the Uniform Commercial Code, the Uniform Child Custody Jurisdiction Act, and the Uniform Probate Code. South Dakota adopted three lesser known uniform acts in 2014: the Uniform Real Property Electronic Recording Act, the Uniform Deployed Parents Custody and Visitation Act, and the Uniform Real Property Transfer on Death Act.

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Greek Pasta Salad

Ingredients:

Salad:

3 c pasta - according to instructions - any shape
1/2 red onion, chopped or slivered
1 c sliced kalamata olives
2 - 3 roma tomatoes, cubed
1 small cucumber or zucchini - chopped - i used a zucchini today
1/2 medium red bell pepper - chopped
1/4 - 1/3 c feta cheese
salt & pepper to taste

Dressing:

1/2 c Hellmans mayonnaise
3 small garlic cloves
1 Tbsp each - red wine vinegar & corn syrup
1 1/2 tsp worcestershire sauce
2 Tbsp olive oil
1 1/2 tsp each - italian seasoning & dried parsley
1 tsp lemon juice

1/8 c feta cheese crumbles

Directions

NOTE: Prepare the dressing about an hour ahead of making the salad, so it has time for all of the flavors to mingle.

1. In a food processor or blender, place all ingredients and blend until smooth. Refrigerate for at least 1 hour before using.
2. Cook your pasta and drain, rinse.
3. Place all of the chopped vegetables and olives in a large bowl.
4. Toss with well drained pasta. Salt & pepper to taste.
5. Pour prepared dressing over pasta and toss to coat. Refrigerate until ready to serve. Right before serving, sprinkle with feta cheese crumbles. (I would serve not long after adding the dressing, as with all pasta, it will absorb and be drier after sitting for hours. Or, I have at times made 1/2 recipe more of the dressing to add before serving.)

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Inspiration Point

When We Are Lonely

Hebrews 13: 1 & 2 - *"Let love of the brethren continue. Do not neglect to show hospitality to strangers, for by this some have entertained angels without knowing it."*

God created humanity for companionship with Himself and each other. He doesn't want people to suffer the emotional turmoil of loneliness. That's why His Word contains pledges of His constant presence as well as instructions to prevent loneliness among church members.

The Lord stressed His unceasing presence because He knows our need for assurance, especially when we feel deserted or isolated. His vow never to forsake believers is found throughout the Bible: This comforting word was spoken to Joshua, the Israelites, and the disciples who were about to witness Jesus' ascension (Joshua 1:5; Matthew 28:20). Some biblical saints picked up the theme in their writing as well. David often sought God's solace (Psalms 25:16). And the apostle Paul preached that nothing compared with drawing close to Christ (Philippians 3:8). God wants every believer to trust implicitly that He is near.

The church is designed to meet our need for person-to-person connection. A spiritual body works much like a human body—parts are both independent and interdependent, each needing others in order to function well. We require support from our brothers and sisters in Christ. Knowing this, Paul admonished people to accept one another (Romans 15:7), bear each other's burdens (Galatians 6:2), and avoid judging (Romans 14:13).

Loneliness can cripple a person emotionally and spiritually. Human beings are not designed to walk through this world alone. We are made for relationship, which God gladly supplies. Lest we forget that the Lord is near, He gave the Bible this consistent theme: I love you and I am with you always.

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Worship Services: 11:00 a.m.

Sunday School: Sr. Adults - 9:45 a.m.

Sunday School: All Ages - 9:45 a.m., • Sept. - May
Release Time: 2:15 p.m. Wed. • Sept. - May

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Coffee & Donuts: 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 10:45 a.m. Sept. - May

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Father Matt Fallgren • Kadoka • 837-2219

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Upcoming Area Events

Wednesday, May 20:

• Jackson County Board of Commissioners Regular Monthly Meeting (rescheduled) at Jackson County Courthouse at 9:00 a.m.

Thursday, May 21:

• Regional Track at Lyman.

Monday, May 25:

• Memorial Day Program at Belvidere Community Hall at 10:00 a.m. Cemetery services at Belvidere Cemetery at 9:30 a.m.

Friday, May 29:

• State Track Meet at Rapid City.

Saturday, May 30:

• State Track Meet at Rapid City.
• Firemen's Feed & Dance at Belvidere Fire Hall with supper at 6:00 p.m.

Sunday, May 31:

• Philip High School Practice Rodeo at 10:00 a.m.

Monday, June 8:

• Jackson County Board of Commissioners Regular Monthly Meeting at Jackson County Courthouse at 9:00 a.m.
• Kadoka City Council Regular Monthly Meeting at City Finance Office at 7:00 p.m.

NOTICE: Jackson County Library will be hosting the Summer Reading Program, "Every Hero Has a Story". Programs will be held at the library on Main Street on Wednesdays at 10:00, beginning June 3rd. Children of all ages are welcome to attend—bring a friend and a story! Questions?-call the library at 837-2689.

NOTICE: Kadoka Alumni Reunion will be June 26 - 28.

NOTICE: Philip High School 30's, 40's, and 50's Class Reunion will be held during Scotty Philip Days, June 12, 13, and 14, 2015. Activities will follow the Scotty Philip Days with a gathering at the Philip Senior Center on Saturday night. Roast Beef sandwiches and salad will be served with free will giving. Email: cmmmwest@gwtc.net with questions.

If you would like an event listed please call 837-2259 or email press@kadokatelco.com.

<div><div>44725</div><div>FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT Year Ending December 31, 2014</div><div>1ST AUTO & CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY</div><div>Home Office Address: 2810 N. Grand Avenue Madison, WI 53718</div><div>Mail Address: PO Box 7988 Madison, WI 53707-7988</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds 19,519,852 Stocks 3,272,524 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 0 Real Estate Owned 0 Cash and Bank Deposits 3,220,456 Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums 2,418,713 Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued 168,347 Other Assets 1,377,513 TOTAL ASSETS 29,977,405</div><div>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS</div><div>Reserve for Losses 6,738,369 Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses 1,431,190 Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) 89,548 Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) 101,006 Federal and Foreign Income Taxes 0 Unearned Premiums 5,842,821 All Other Liabilities 2,536,252 TOTAL LIABILITIES 16,539,186 Special Surplus Funds 5,000,000 Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 0 Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus 0 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) 6,438,219 Surplus as Regards Policyholders 11,438,219 TOTAL 29,977,405</div><div>BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014</div><div>Direct Premiums Written 2,213,907 Direct Premiums Earned 2,252,140 Direct Losses Paid 1,220,411 Direct Losses Incurred 1,529,616</div><div>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY</div><div>WHEREAS, the 1st Auto & Casualty Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Wisconsin, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota: NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below: 6-7-8-9-10 1. 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Grand Avenue Lansing, MI 48933</div><div>Mail Address: PO Box 40790 Lansing, MI 48901-7990</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds 38,121,559 Stocks 0 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 0 Real Estate Owned 0 Cash and Bank Deposits 14,245,952 Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums 106,409,602 Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued 406,998 Other Assets 13,633,088 TOTAL ASSETS 172,817,199</div><div>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS</div><div>Reserve for Losses 35,442,755 Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses 5,402,506 Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) 2,240,347 Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) 1,210,658 Federal and Foreign Income Taxes 0 Unearned Premiums 16,718,058 All Other Liabilities 52,517,732 TOTAL LIABILITIES 113,532,056 Special Surplus Funds 0 Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 3,000,000 Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus 37,000,000 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) 19,285,143 Surplus as Regards Policyholders 59,285,143 TOTAL 172,817,199</div><div>BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014</div><div>Direct Premiums Written 390,667 Direct Premiums Earned 451,461 Direct Losses Paid 111,507 Direct Losses Incurred 44,093</div><div>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY</div><div>WHEREAS, the Accident Fund General Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Michigan, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota: NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below: 5-6 1. 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D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.</div><div>LARRY DEITER Director of Insurance</div></div>	<div><div>12305</div><div>FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT Year Ending December 31, 2014</div><div>ACCIDENT FUND NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY</div><div>Home Office Address: 200 North Grand Avenue Lansing, MI 48933</div><div>Mail Address: PO Box 40790 Lansing, MI 48901-7990</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds 141,348,612 Stocks 0 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 0 Real Estate Owned 0 Cash and Bank Deposits 5,746,742 Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums 31,589,323 Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued 1,203,547 Other Assets 10,088,234 TOTAL ASSETS 189,976,458</div><div>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS</div><div>Reserve for Losses 53,164,132 Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses 8,103,760 Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) 4,125,924 Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) 1,815,988 Federal and Foreign Income Taxes 1,654,656 Unearned Premiums 25,077,087 All Other Liabilities 35,100,998 TOTAL LIABILITIES 129,042,545 Special Surplus Funds 0 Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 3,000,000 Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus 37,000,000 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) 20,933,913 Surplus as Regards Policyholders 60,933,913 TOTAL 189,976,458</div><div>BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014</div><div>Direct Premiums Written 41,869 Direct Premiums Earned 9,776 Direct Losses Paid 0 Direct Losses Incurred (92.00)</div><div>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY</div><div>WHEREAS, the Accident Fund National Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Michigan, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota: NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below: 5-6 1. Life 2. Health 3. Fire & Allied Lines 4. Inland & Ocean Marine 5. Workmen's Compensation 6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto) 7. Property Damage (Other than Auto) 8. Auto Bodily Injury 9. Auto Property Damage 10. Auto Physical Damage 11. Fidelity & Surety 12. Glass 13. Burglary & Theft 14. Boiler & Machinery 15. Aircraft 16. Credit 17. Crop-Hail 18. Livestock 19. Title 20. Var. Annuities 21. in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.</div><div>LARRY DEITER Director of Insurance</div></div>	<div><div>22667</div><div>FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT Year Ending December 31, 2014</div><div>ACE AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANY</div><div>Home Office Address: 436 Walnut St. Philadelphia, PA 19106</div><div>Mail Address: PO Box 1000 Philadelphia, PA 19106</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds 6,120,586,983 Stocks 1,945,004,769 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 0 Real Estate Owned 55,162,471 Cash and Bank Deposits 268,238,820 Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums 340,696,912 Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued 52,957,114 Other Assets 3,368,019,140 TOTAL ASSETS 12,150,666,209</div><div>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS</div><div>Reserve for Losses 2,472,895,780 Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses 529,305,519 Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) 0 Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) 20,569,656 Federal and Foreign Income Taxes 0 Unearned Premiums 536,818,486 All Other Liabilities 5,598,369,557 TOTAL LIABILITIES 9,157,758,998 Special Surplus Funds 1,150,960 Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 5,000,000 Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus 1,147,769,970 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) 1,838,986,281 Surplus as Regards Policyholders 2,992,907,211 TOTAL 12,150,666,209</div><div>BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014</div><div>Direct Premiums Written 2,916,883 Direct Premiums Earned 2,875,574 Direct Losses Paid 858,742 Direct Losses Incurred 485,611</div><div>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY</div><div>WHEREAS, the ACE American Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Pennsylvania, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota: NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below: 2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18 1. Life 2. Health 3. Fire & Allied Lines 4. Inland & Ocean Marine 5. Workmen's Compensation 6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto) 7. Property Damage (Other than Auto) 8. Auto Bodily Injury 9. Auto Property Damage 10. Auto Physical Damage 11. Fidelity & Surety 12. Glass 13. Burglary & Theft 14. Boiler & Machinery 15. Aircraft 16. Credit 17. Crop-Hail 18. Livestock 19. Title 20. Var. Annuities 21. in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.</div><div>LARRY DEITER Director of Insurance</div></div>	<div><div>20702</div><div>FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT Year Ending December 31, 2014</div><div>ACE FIRE UNDERWRITERS INSURANCE COMPANY</div><div>Home Office Address: 436 Walnut St. Philadelphia, PA 19106</div><div>Mail Address: 436 Walnut St. Philadelphia, PA 19106</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds 85,318,134 Stocks 6 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 0 Real Estate Owned 0 Cash and Bank Deposits 3,264,322 Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums 1,841,605 Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued 594,571 Other Assets 9,090,194 TOTAL ASSETS 100,108,832</div><div>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS</div><div>Reserve for Losses 13,367,302 Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses 2,861,122 Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) 0 Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) 111,191 Federal and Foreign Income Taxes 240,420 Unearned Premiums 2,900,640 All Other Liabilities 7,603,186 TOTAL LIABILITIES 27,083,861 Special Surplus Funds 0 Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 4,250,000 Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus 8,529,527 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) 60,245,444 Surplus as Regards Policyholders 73,024,971 TOTAL 100,108,832</div><div>BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014</div><div>Direct Premiums Written 8,781 Direct Premiums Earned 7,839 Direct Losses Paid 5,962 Direct Losses Incurred (64,495)</div><div>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY</div><div>WHEREAS, the Ace Fire Underwriters Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Pennsylvania, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota: NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below: 2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18 1. Life 2. Health 3. Fire & Allied Lines 4. Inland & Ocean Marine 5. Workmen's Compensation 6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto) 7. Property Damage (Other than Auto) 8. Auto Bodily Injury 9. Auto Property Damage 10. Auto Physical Damage 11. Fidelity & Surety 12. Glass 13. Burglary & Theft 14. Boiler & Machinery 15. Aircraft 16. Credit 17. Crop-Hail 18. Livestock 19. Title 20. Var. Annuities 21. in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.</div><div>LARRY DEITER Director of Insurance</div></div>
<div><div>20699</div><div>FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT Year Ending December 31, 2014</div><div>ACE PROPERTY & CASUALTY INSURANCE COMPANY</div><div>Home Office Address: 436 Walnut St, WB06C Philadelphia, PA 19106</div><div>Mail Address: PO Box 1000 Philadelphia, PA 19106</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds 4,643,866,978 Stocks 191,458,281 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 0 Real Estate Owned 0 Cash and Bank Deposits 518,536,678 Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums 322,280,863 Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued 42,916,546 Other Assets 1,641,689,683 TOTAL ASSETS 7,360,749,029</div><div>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS</div><div>Reserve for Losses 2,339,277,337 Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses 500,694,431 Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) 0 Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) 19,458,217 Federal and Foreign Income Taxes 5,640,655 Unearned Premiums 507,612,073 All Other Liabilities 1,923,640,746 TOTAL LIABILITIES 5,296,323,459 Special Surplus Funds 91,858 Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 10,000,000 Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus 486,674,995 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) 1,567,658,717 Surplus as Regards Policyholders 2,064,425,570 TOTAL 7,360,749,029</div><div>BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014</div><div>Direct Premiums Written 198,541,337 Direct Premiums Earned 179,085,581 Direct Losses Paid 71,413,844 Direct Losses Incurred 58,399,119</div><div>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY</div><div>WHEREAS, the Ace Property & Casualty Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Pennsylvania, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota: NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below: 2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-17-18 1. Life 2. Health 3. Fire & Allied Lines 4. Inland & Ocean Marine 5. Workmen's Compensation 6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto) 7. Property Damage (Other than Auto) 8. Auto Bodily Injury 9. Auto Property Damage 10. Auto Physical Damage 11. Fidelity & Surety 12. Glass 13. Burglary & Theft 14. Boiler & Machinery 15. Aircraft 16. Credit 17. Crop-Hail 18. Livestock 19. Title 20. Var. Annuities 21. in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.</div><div>LARRY DEITER Director of Insurance</div></div>	<div><div>14184</div><div>FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT Year Ending December 31, 2014</div><div>ACUITY, A MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY</div><div>Home Office Address: 2800 South Taylor Drive Sheboygan, WI 53081</div><div>Mail Address: PO Box 58 Sheboygan, WI 53082-0058</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds 1,799,441,978 Stocks 772,208,156 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 0 Real Estate Owned 82,651,852 Cash and Bank Deposits 45,005,403 Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums 358,831,228 Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued 23,099,696 Other Assets 19,717,855 TOTAL ASSETS 3,100,956,368</div><div>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS</div><div>Reserve for Losses 854,851,456 Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses 224,660,794 Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) 69,118,897 Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) 7,716,148 Federal and Foreign Income Taxes 0 Unearned Premiums 560,207,783 All Other Liabilities 61,001,594 TOTAL LIABILITIES 1,777,556,672 Special Surplus Funds 20,636,000 Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 0 Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus 0 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) 1,302,763,696 Surplus as Regards Policyholders 1,323,399,696 TOTAL 3,100,956,368</div><div>BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014</div><div>Direct Premiums Written 39,789,906 Direct Premiums Earned 37,894,090 Direct Losses Paid 20,260,342 Direct Losses Incurred 14,210,752</div><div>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY</div><div>WHEREAS, the ACUITY, A Mutual Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Wisconsin, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota: NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below: 3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-18 1. Life 2. Health 3. Fire & Allied Lines 4. Inland & Ocean Marine 5. Workmen's Compensation 6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto) 7. Property Damage (Other than Auto) 8. Auto Bodily Injury 9. Auto Property Damage 10. Auto Physical Damage 11. Fidelity & Surety 12. Glass 13. Burglary & Theft 14. Boiler & Machinery 15. Aircraft 16. Credit 17. Crop-Hail 18. Livestock 19. Title 20. Var. Annuities 21. in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.</div><div>LARRY DEITER Director of Insurance</div></div>	<div><div>10324</div><div>FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT Year Ending December 31, 2014</div><div>ADDISON INSURANCE COMPANY</div><div>Home Office Address: 118 2nd Avenue SE Cedar Rapids, IA 52401-5398</div><div>Mail Address: PO Box 73809 Cedar Rapids, IA 52407</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds 85,732,430 Stocks 109,432 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 0 Real Estate Owned 0 Cash and Bank Deposits 4,528,867 Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums 2,407,333 Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued 801,020 Other Assets 8,525,702 TOTAL ASSETS 102,104,784</div><div>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS</div><div>Reserve for Losses 25,169,950 Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses 10,647,276 Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) 1,074,657 Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) 155,497 Federal and Foreign Income Taxes 305,023 Unearned Premiums 15,000,113 All Other Liabilities 9,732,611 TOTAL LIABILITIES 62,085,127 Special Surplus Funds 0 Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 2,000,000 Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus 10,608,723 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) 27,410,934 Surplus as Regards Policyholders 40,019,657 TOTAL 102,104,784</div><div>BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014</div><div>Direct Premiums Written 5,182,440 Direct Premiums Earned 4,849,392 Direct Losses Paid 2,033,144 Direct Losses Incurred 1,635,620</div><div>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY</div><div>WHEREAS, the Addison Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Iowa, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota: NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below: 3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14 1. Life 2. Health 3. Fire & Allied Lines 4. Inland & Ocean Marine 5. Workmen's Compensation 6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto) 7. Property Damage (Other than Auto) 8. Auto Bodily Injury 9. Auto Property Damage 10. Auto Physical Damage 11. Fidelity & Surety 12. Glass 13. Burglary & Theft 14. Boiler & Machinery 15. Aircraft 16. Credit 17. Crop-Hail 18. Livestock 19. Title 20. Var. Annuities 21. in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.</div><div>LARRY DEITER Director of Insurance</div></div>	<div><div>33987</div><div>FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT Year Ending December 31, 2014</div><div>ADM INSURANCE COMPANY</div><div>Home Office Address: 2555 E.Camelback Rd, Ste 700 Phoenix AZ 85016</div><div>Mail Address: PO Box 31 Burlington, VT 05401</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds 20,762,445 Stocks 24,761,289 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 0 Real Estate Owned 0 Cash and Bank Deposits 1,169,641 Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums 459,052,905 Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued 106,042 Other Assets 1,637,610 TOTAL ASSETS 482,728,643</div><div>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS</div><div>Reserve for Losses 0 Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses 0 Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) 198,106 Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) 194,794 Federal and Foreign Income Taxes 397,662 Unearned Premiums 15,388,594 All Other Liabilities 459,151,580 TOTAL LIABILITIES 459,942,142 Special Surplus Funds 0 Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 5,000,000 Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus 12,500,000 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) 5,286,500 Surplus as Regards Policyholders 22,786,500 TOTAL 482,728,642</div><div>BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014</div><div>Direct Premiums Written 21,059,019 Direct Premiums Earned 15,388,594 Direct Losses Paid 14,356,166 Direct Losses Incurred 5,887,969</div><div>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY</div><div>WHEREAS, the ADM Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Arizona, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota: NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below: 2-3-9-10-12-13-17 1. Life 2. Health 3. Fire & Allied Lines 4. Inland & Ocean Marine 5. Workmen's Compensation 6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto) 7. Property Damage (Other than Auto) 8. Auto Bodily Injury 9. Auto Property Damage 10. Auto Physical Damage 11. Fidelity & Surety 12. Glass 13. Burglary & Theft 14. Boiler & Machinery 15. Aircraft 16. Credit 17. Crop-Hail 18. Livestock 19. Title 20. Var. Annuities 21. in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.</div><div>LARRY DEITER Director of Insurance</div></div>	<div><div>33898</div><div>FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT Year Ending December 31, 2014</div><div>AEGIS SECURITY INSURANCE COMPANY</div><div>Home Office Address: 2407 Park Dr Ste. 200 Harrisburg, PA 17110</div><div>Mail Address: PO Box 31 Harrisburg, PA 17105-3153</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds 42,472,807 Stocks 24,761,289 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 0 Real Estate Owned 2,218,922 Cash and Bank Deposits 13,968,422 Agents Balances or Uncollected Premiums 10,015,497 Interest, Dividends and Real Estate Income Due and Accrued 454,351 Other Assets 7,379,704 TOTAL ASSETS 101,270,992</div><div>LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS</div><div>Reserve for Losses 13,422,255 Reserve for Loss Adjustment Expenses 3,677,363 Other Expenses (excluding taxes, licenses and fees) 3,265,895 Taxes, Licenses and Fees (excluding Federal and Foreign Income Taxes) 520,901 Federal and Foreign Income Taxes 28,329 Unearned Premiums 21,100,270 All Other Liabilities 5,855,214 TOTAL LIABILITIES 47,870,227 Special Surplus Funds 0 Capital Paid Up or Statutory Deposit 4,200,000 Gross Paid In and Contributed Surplus 5,266,827 Unassigned Funds (Surplus) 43,933,938 Surplus as Regards Policyholders 53,400,765 TOTAL 101,270,992</div><div>BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014</div><div>Direct Premiums Written 1,247,360 Direct Premiums Earned 1,175,397 Direct Losses Paid 753,994 Direct Losses Incurred 786,994</div><div>STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA DIVISION OF INSURANCE STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY</div><div>WHEREAS, the Aegis Security Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Pennsylvania, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota: NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below: 2-3-4-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14 1. Life 2. Health 3. Fire & Allied Lines 4. Inland & Ocean Marine 5. Workmen's Compensation 6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto) 7. Property Damage (Other than Auto) 8. Auto Bodily Injury 9. Auto Property Damage 10. Auto Physical Damage 11. Fidelity & Surety 12. Glass 13. Burglary & Theft 14. Boiler & Machinery 15. Aircraft 16. Credit 17. Crop-Hail 18. Livestock 19. Title 20. Var. Annuities 21. in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.</div><div>LARRY DEITER Director of Insurance</div></div>	<div><div>60054</div><div>FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT Year Ending December 31, 2014</div><div>AETNA LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY</div><div>Home Office Address: 151 Farmington Ave. Hartford, CT 06156</div><div>Mail Address: 151 Farmington Ave. Hartford, CT 06156</div><div>ASSETS</div><div>Bonds \$9,538,164,303 Stocks 49,900,172 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 1,313,303,917 Real Estate Owned 311,547,554 Policy Loans 5,379,</div></div>

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FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2014
AGRI GENERAL
INSURANCE COMPANY
Home Office Address:
436 Walnut Street
Philadelphia, PA 19106
Mail Address:
436 Walnut Street
Philadelphia, PA 19106
ASSETS
Bonds
Stocks
Mortgage Loans on
Real Estate
Real Estate Owned
Cash and Bank Deposits
Agents Balances or
Uncollected Premiums
Interest, Dividends and
Real Estate Income
Due and Accrued
Other Assets
TOTAL ASSETS
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS
Reserve for Losses
Reserve for Loss
Adjustment Expenses
Other Expenses (excluding
taxes, licenses and fees)
Taxes, Licenses and Fees
(excluding Federal and
Foreign Income Taxes)
Federal and Foreign
Income Taxes
Unearned Premiums
All Other Liabilities
TOTAL LIABILITIES
Special Surplus Funds
Capital Paid Up
or Statutory Deposit
Gross Paid In and
Contributed Surplus
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)
Surplus as Regards
Policyholders
TOTAL

BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014

Direct Premiums Written
Direct Premiums Earned
Direct Losses Paid
Direct Losses Incurred

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DIVISION OF INSURANCE
STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE
OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the Agri General Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Iowa, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota.

NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below:

3-4-5-7-8-9-10-12-13-14-17-18

1. Life
2. Health
3. Fire & Allied Lines
4. Inland & Ocean Marine
5. Workmen's Compensation
6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto)
7. Property Damage (Other than Auto)
8. Auto Bodily Injury
9. Auto Property Damage
10. Auto Physical Damage
11. Fidelity & Surety
12. Glass
13. Burglary & Theft
14. Boiler & Machinery
15. Aircraft
16. Credit
17. Crop-Hail
18. Livestock
19. Title
20. Var. Annuities
- 21.

in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.

LARRY DEITER
Director of Insurance

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FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2014
ALLIANCE INSURANCE
COMPANY, INC.
Home Office Address:
1122 N. Main
McPherson, KS 67460
Mail Address:
P.O. Box 1401
McPherson, KS 67460
ASSETS
Bonds
Stocks
Mortgage Loans on
Real Estate
Real Estate Owned
Cash and Bank Deposits
Agents Balances or
Uncollected Premiums
Interest, Dividends and
Real Estate Income
Due and Accrued
Other Assets
TOTAL ASSETS
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS
Reserve for Losses
Reserve for Loss
Adjustment Expenses
Other Expenses (excluding
taxes, licenses and fees)
Taxes, Licenses and Fees
(excluding Federal and
Foreign Income Taxes)
Federal and Foreign
Income Taxes
Unearned Premiums
All Other Liabilities
TOTAL LIABILITIES
Special Surplus Funds
Capital Paid Up
or Statutory Deposit
Gross Paid In and
Contributed Surplus
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)
Surplus as Regards
Policyholders
TOTAL

BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014

Direct Premiums Written
Direct Premiums Earned
Direct Losses Paid
Direct Losses Incurred

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DIVISION OF INSURANCE
STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE
OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the Alliance Insurance Company, Inc., a Corporation organized under the Laws of Kansas, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota.

NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below:

2-3-4-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-17-18

1. Life
2. Health
3. Fire & Allied Lines
4. Inland & Ocean Marine
5. Workmen's Compensation
6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto)
7. Property Damage (Other than Auto)
8. Auto Bodily Injury
9. Auto Property Damage
10. Auto Physical Damage
11. Fidelity & Surety
12. Glass
13. Burglary & Theft
14. Boiler & Machinery
15. Aircraft
16. Credit
17. Crop-Hail
18. Livestock
19. Title
20. Var. Annuities
- 21.

in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.

LARRY DEITER
Director of Insurance

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FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2014
ALLIED PROPERTY AND
CASUALTY INSURANCE CO.
Home Office Address:
1100 Locust St. Dept 2007
Des Moines, IA 50391-2007
Mail Address:
One W Nationwide Blvd 1-04-701
Columbus, OH 76,340,887
ASSETS
Bonds
Stocks
Mortgage Loans on
Real Estate
Real Estate Owned
Cash and Bank Deposits
Agents Balances or
Uncollected Premiums
Interest, Dividends and
Real Estate Income
Due and Accrued
Other Assets
TOTAL ASSETS
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS
Reserve for Losses
Reserve for Loss
Adjustment Expenses
Other Expenses (excluding
taxes, licenses and fees)
Taxes, Licenses and Fees
(excluding Federal and
Foreign Income Taxes)
Federal and Foreign
Income Taxes
Unearned Premiums
All Other Liabilities
TOTAL LIABILITIES
Special Surplus Funds
Capital Paid Up
or Statutory Deposit
Gross Paid In and
Contributed Surplus
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)
Surplus as Regards
Policyholders
TOTAL

BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014

Direct Premiums Written
Direct Premiums Earned
Direct Losses Paid
Direct Losses Incurred

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DIVISION OF INSURANCE
STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE
OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the Allied Property and Casualty Insurance Co., a Corporation organized under the Laws of Iowa, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota.

NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below:

3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14

1. Life
2. Health
3. Fire & Allied Lines
4. Inland & Ocean Marine
5. Workmen's Compensation
6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto)
7. Property Damage (Other than Auto)
8. Auto Bodily Injury
9. Auto Property Damage
10. Auto Physical Damage
11. Fidelity & Surety
12. Glass
13. Burglary & Theft
14. Boiler & Machinery
15. Aircraft
16. Credit
17. Crop-Hail
18. Livestock
19. Title
20. Var. Annuities
- 21.

in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.

LARRY DEITER
Director of Insurance

70866
FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2014
ALLSTATE ASSURANCE
COMPANY
Home Office Address:
3100 Sanders Road
Northbrook IL 60062
Mail Address:
3075 Sanders Road, Suite H1E
Northbrook, IL 60062
ASSETS
Bonds
Stocks
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate
Real Estate Owned
Policy Loans
Cash and Bank Deposits
Deferred and
Uncollected Premiums
Investment Income
Due and Accrued
Other Assets
TOTAL ASSETS
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS
Reserve for Life
Policies & Contracts
Reserve for Accident
& Health Policies
Policy and Contract Claims
Life
Accident and Health
General Expenses
Due or Accrued
Taxes, Licenses & Fees
Due or Accrued
Federal Income Taxes
Due or Accrued
All Other Liabilities
TOTAL LIABILITIES
Special Surplus Funds
Capital Paid Up
or Statutory Deposit
Gross Paid In and
Contributed Surplus
Unassigned Surplus
Surplus as Regards
Policyholders
TOTAL

BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014

Direct Premiums Received
Direct Losses Paid
Losses Incurred
Life Insurance in Force

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DIVISION OF INSURANCE
STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE
OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the Allstate Assurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Illinois, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota.

NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below:

1-20

1. Life
2. Health
3. Fire & Allied Lines
4. Inland & Ocean Marine
5. Workmen's Compensation
6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto)
7. Property Damage (Other than Auto)
8. Auto Bodily Injury
9. Auto Property Damage
10. Auto Physical Damage
11. Fidelity & Surety
12. Glass
13. Burglary & Theft
14. Boiler & Machinery
15. Aircraft
16. Credit
17. Crop-Hail
18. Livestock
19. Title
20. Var. Annuities
- 21.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.

LARRY DEITER
Director of Insurance

19240
FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2014
ALLSTATE INDEMNITY
COMPANY
Home Office Address:
2775 Sanders Road
Northbrook, IL 60062
Mail Address:
3075 Sanders Road, H1E
Northbrook, IL 60062-7127
ASSETS
Bonds
Stocks
Mortgage Loans on
Real Estate
Real Estate Owned
Cash and Bank Deposits
Agents Balances or
Uncollected Premiums
Interest, Dividends and
Real Estate Income
Due and Accrued
Other Assets
TOTAL ASSETS
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS
Reserve for Losses
Reserve for Loss
Adjustment Expenses
Other Expenses (excluding
taxes, licenses and fees)
Taxes, Licenses and Fees
(excluding Federal and
Foreign Income Taxes)
Federal and Foreign
Income Taxes
Unearned Premiums
All Other Liabilities
TOTAL LIABILITIES
Special Surplus Funds
Capital Paid Up
or Statutory Deposit
Gross Paid In and
Contributed Surplus
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)
Surplus as Regards
Policyholders
TOTAL

BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014

Direct Premiums Written
Direct Premiums Earned
Direct Losses Paid
Direct Losses Incurred

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DIVISION OF INSURANCE
STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE
OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the Allstate Indemnity Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Illinois, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota.

NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below:

2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17

1. Life
2. Health
3. Fire & Allied Lines
4. Inland & Ocean Marine
5. Workmen's Compensation
6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto)
7. Property Damage (Other than Auto)
8. Auto Bodily Injury
9. Auto Property Damage
10. Auto Physical Damage
11. Fidelity & Surety
12. Glass
13. Burglary & Theft
14. Boiler & Machinery
15. Aircraft
16. Credit
17. Crop-Hail
18. Livestock
19. Title
20. Var. Annuities
- 21.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.

LARRY DEITER
Director of Insurance

19232
FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2014
ALLSTATE INSURANCE
COMPANY
Home Office Address:
2775 Sanders Road
Northbrook, IL 60062
Mail Address:
3075 Sanders Road, Suite H1E
Northbrook, IL 60062-6127
ASSETS
Bonds
Stocks
Mortgage Loans on
Real Estate
Real Estate Owned
Cash and Bank Deposits
Agents Balances or
Uncollected Premiums
Interest, Dividends and
Real Estate Income
Due and Accrued
Other Assets
TOTAL ASSETS
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS
Reserve for Losses
Reserve for Loss
Adjustment Expenses
Other Expenses (excluding
taxes, licenses and fees)
Taxes, Licenses and Fees
(excluding Federal and
Foreign Income Taxes)
Federal and Foreign
Income Taxes
Unearned Premiums
All Other Liabilities
TOTAL LIABILITIES
Special Surplus Funds
Capital Paid Up
or Statutory Deposit
Gross Paid In and
Contributed Surplus
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)
Surplus as Regards
Policyholders
TOTAL

BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014

Direct Premiums Written
Direct Premiums Earned
Direct Losses Paid
Direct Losses Incurred

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DIVISION OF INSURANCE
STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE
OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the Allstate Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Illinois, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota.

NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below:

2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17

1. Life
2. Health
3. Fire & Allied Lines
4. Inland & Ocean Marine
5. Workmen's Compensation
6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto)
7. Property Damage (Other than Auto)
8. Auto Bodily Injury
9. Auto Property Damage
10. Auto Physical Damage
11. Fidelity & Surety
12. Glass
13. Burglary & Theft
14. Boiler & Machinery
15. Aircraft
16. Credit
17. Crop-Hail
18. Livestock
19. Title
20. Var. Annuities
- 21.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.

LARRY DEITER
Director of Insurance

60186
FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2014
ALLSTATE LIFE
INSURANCE COMPANY
Home Office Address:
3100 Sanders Road
Northbrook, IL 60062
Mail Address:
3075 Sanders Road Ste. H1E
Northbrook, IL 60062-7127
ASSETS
Bonds
Stocks
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate
Real Estate Owned
Real Estate Owned
Cash and Bank Deposits
Deferred and
Uncollected Premiums
Investment Income
Due and Accrued
Other Assets
TOTAL ASSETS
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS
Reserve for Life
Policies & Contracts
Reserve for Accident
& Health Policies
Policy and Contract Claims
Life
Accident and Health
General Expenses
Due or Accrued
Taxes, Licenses & Fees
Due or Accrued
Federal Income Taxes
Due or Accrued
All Other Liabilities
TOTAL LIABILITIES
Special Surplus Funds
Capital Paid Up
or Statutory Deposit
Gross Paid In and
Contributed Surplus
Unassigned Surplus
Surplus as Regards
Policyholders
TOTAL

BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014

Direct Premiums Received
Direct Losses Paid
Losses Incurred
Life Insurance in Force

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DIVISION OF INSURANCE
STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE
OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the Allstate Life Insurance Company, a Corporation organized under the Laws of Illinois, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota.

NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below:

1-2-20-21

1. Life
2. Health
3. Fire & Allied Lines
4. Inland & Ocean Marine
5. Workmen's Compensation
6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto)
7. Property Damage (Other than Auto)
8. Auto Bodily Injury
9. Auto Property Damage
10. Auto Physical Damage
11. Fidelity & Surety
12. Glass
13. Burglary & Theft
14. Boiler & Machinery
15. Aircraft
16. Credit
17. Crop-Hail
18. Livestock
19. Title
20. Var. Annuities
21. Variable Life

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.

LARRY DEITER
Director of Insurance

17230
FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2014
ALLSTATE PROPERTY AND
CASUALTY INS. CO.
Home Office Address:
2775 Sanders Road
Northbrook, IL 60062-6127
Mail Address:
3075 Sanders Road, Suite H1E
Northbrook, IL 60062-7127
ASSETS
Bonds
Stocks
Mortgage Loans on
Real Estate
Real Estate Owned
Cash and Bank Deposits
Agents Balances or
Uncollected Premiums
Interest, Dividends and
Real Estate Income
Due and Accrued
Other Assets
TOTAL ASSETS
LIABILITIES, SURPLUS, OTHER FUNDS
Reserve for Losses
Reserve for Loss
Adjustment Expenses
Other Expenses (excluding
taxes, licenses and fees)
Taxes, Licenses and Fees
(excluding Federal and
Foreign Income Taxes)
Federal and Foreign
Income Taxes
Unearned Premiums
All Other Liabilities
TOTAL LIABILITIES
Special Surplus Funds
Capital Paid Up
or Statutory Deposit
Gross Paid In and
Contributed Surplus
Unassigned Funds (Surplus)
Surplus as Regards
Policyholders
TOTAL

BUSINESS IN SOUTH DAKOTA 2014

Direct Premiums Written
Direct Premiums Earned
Direct Losses Paid
Direct Losses Incurred

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
DIVISION OF INSURANCE
STATE CAPITOL, PIERRE
COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE
OF AUTHORITY

WHEREAS, the Allstate Property and Casualty Ins. Co., a Corporation organized under the Laws of Illinois, has complied with all requirements of the Insurance Laws of the State of South Dakota.

NOW THEREFORE, the undersigned, Director of Insurance of the State of South Dakota, pursuant to the provisions of said laws, do hereby certify that the above named Company is fully empowered through its authorized agents to transact the numbered lines of business listed below:

2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-17-18-23A-23B

1. Life
2. Health
3. Fire & Allied Lines
4. Inland & Ocean Marine
5. Workmen's Compensation
6. Bodily Injury Liability (Other than Auto)
7. Property Damage (Other than Auto)
8. Auto Bodily Injury
9. Auto Property Damage
10. Auto Physical Damage
11. Fidelity & Surety
12. Glass
13. Burglary & Theft
14. Boiler & Machinery
15. Aircraft
16. Credit
17. Crop-Hail
18. Livestock
19. Title
20. Var. Annuities
- 23A. Travel, Accident & Baggage
- 23B. Prepaid Legal

in this State according to the Laws thereof, unless this Certificate of Authority is otherwise revoked, suspended or withdrawn.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal at Pierre, S. D., this 1st day of May, A.D., 2015.

LARRY DEITER
Director of Insurance

19100
FROM ANNUAL STATEMENT
Year Ending December 31, 2014
AMCO INSURANCE
COMPANY
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HELP WANTED: Dump truck drivers, May - August. Local area, excellent pay. Contact 605-209-8170.
KPM42-tfn

HELP WANTED: Part Time Jackson County Highway Department Worker. Tractor operator to mow county road right of way, and perform other duties as directed. Pre-employment drug and alcohol screening required. Applications / resumes accepted. Information (605) 837-2410 or (605) 837-2422. Fax (605) 837-2447.
KP44-5tc

OPEN POSITIONS: Kadoka Area School District is accepting applications for kindergarten - first grade teacher at Midland and middle school teacher at Long Valley. Applications are available on the website www.kadoka.k12.sd.us and may be dropped off at the school or sent to: Attn: Jamie Hermann, Superintendent, PO Box 99, Kadoka, SD 57543 or call 837-2172. EOE.
KP45-3tc

POSITION OPEN: The Kadoka Area School District is accepting applications for part-time janitor at the Long Valley School, starting August 17. Applications are available on the website www.kadoka.k12.sd.us and completed applications may be dropped off at the school or sent to: Attn: Jamie Hermann, Superintendent, PO Box 99, Kadoka, SD 57543 or call 837-2174 ext. 100. EOE.
KP43-3tc

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HEAD FOOTBALL, TRACK, VOLLEYBALL and assistant coaching positions available. Send cover letter, resume, certification and other credentials to Mr. Jim Frederick, Sisseton School District 54-2, 516 8th Ave West, Sisseton, SD 57262 or Jim.Frederick@k12.sd.us. Positions open until filled. EOE.

SPED INSTRUCTOR K-5, signing bonus.

For Sale

ACCEPTING BIDS: The Belvidere Fire Department is accepting sealed bids for a 1990 GMC 7000, 90,000 miles, 1500 gallon tank with Laverne motor and pump. For more information or to view contact Rick at 488-0203 or Brett at 685-8915. All bids must be received by June 1. Send bids to Belvidere Fire Department, PO Box 4, Belvidere SD 57521. Belvidere Fire Department reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
KP44-2tc

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KP45-1tc

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27-tfc

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Notice is hereby given that the Jackson County Highway Department, PO Box 594, Kadoka, SD 57543, will be conducting a gravel mining operation at S2NE4, SE4, Section 5, T 43 N, R 35 W, Jackson County, South Dakota. The general location is six and one-half miles south of Kadoka, SD.

The operation is to begin June 30, 2015 and will be completed to include final reclamation by June 30, 2025. Proposed future use of the affected land will consist of re-grading, replacing topsoil and re-seeding to allow the area to be returned to pasture land.

For additional information contact the Jackson County Highway Department, (605) 837-2410, or the S. D. Department of Environment and Natural Resources, Minerals and Mining Program, 523 East Capitol Avenue, Pierre, SD 57501-3182 (605) 773-4201.

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FAITH, FAMILY AND FRIENDS WILL SUSTAIN US!

“THANK YOU” is not enough for all the kindness, compassion and caring shown to our family during the loss of McKenzie. All the prayers, hugs, food, memorial donations and visits have been greatly appreciated. Thank you to Rush Funeral Home and DJ for your compassion and excellent service. Thank you to all who participated at the memorial and funeral service. It was a great tribute to an awesome young man who will be missed immensely. We are truly blessed to live in such a kind, caring and compassionate community that is helping us get through the tough times. A special thanks to Mac's friends for everything they have done and continue to do for us. There are no words to express the deep gratitude we have for all that has been done for us.

Jim, Jackie, Mason and Madison Stilwell and Family

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- Open-weave fabric
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Kadoka City Bar Positions

The City of Kadoka is now accepting applications for full time and part time positions at the Kadoka City Bar. Full time employment includes managerial positions, which are eligible for benefits. Full time positions would be 40 hours per week and part time positions would be 16-24 hours per week and both require flexible schedules to work either morning or night shifts.

Required application forms are available at either the City Finance Office or the Kadoka City Bar. Completed applications must be received by 4:00 PM, Monday, June 8, 2015.

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Agriculture

Low temperature damage to corn and soybeans

2015 row-crop planting in South Dakota began relatively early this spring and has progressed at a rapid pace. As of May 17, 46 percent of corn had emerged.

"Which is well ahead of the five-year average of 21 percent," said Jonathan Kleinjan SDSU Extension Crop Production Extension Associate.

Soybean emergence was recorded at 4 percent, only slightly higher than the five-year average of 3 percent.

Kleinjan added that while early planting may increase yield potential, it also puts crops at risk for damage caused by early-season low temperatures. This was the case in the early morning hours of May 19, when temperatures of 32 degrees Fahrenheit and lower were observed in the central and northeast portions of the state.

"Producers in these areas of the state may want to evaluate individual fields for crop damage, as some locations, especially low-lying areas, may have actually seen lower temperatures than those recorded by the weather stations," Kleinjan said.

What is the difference between a frost and a freeze?

Kleinjan explained that a frost event occurs when the temperature of the soil surface is 32 degrees Fahrenheit or lower. While a freeze occurs when the air temperature is 32 degrees Fahrenheit or lower - at five feet above ground level. "It is important to remember that, if atmospheric conditions are right, it is possible for a frost to occur, even when air temperatures are slightly higher than freezing," Kleinjan said.

He added that while a mild frost should cause minimal damage to young crops, a hard freeze of 28 degrees Fahrenheit or colder for two hours, will most likely be lethal.

"The growing point for corn plants remain below the soil surface until the V6 growth stage, at which point the plant is approximately 1-foot in height, and is generally considered safe from freezing air temperatures," Kleinjan said.

However, he said if air temperatures remain below 28 degrees Fahrenheit for more than a few hours, the growing point may be injured or killed regardless.

Soybeans are at greater risk

Kleinjan added that soybeans are more likely to be damaged by low temperatures due to the fact that the growing point is above ground as soon as the crop emerges. "The soybean plant develops axillary buds at each leaf node, including the cotyledons," he said. "If any of these buds survive a low temperature event, recovery is possible. However, if the plant is damaged to a point below the cotyledons, seedling death will follow."

Wait three to five days

No matter what your fields look like the day after a frost or freeze, Kleinjan said this is not the time to make decisions about replanting. "Immediately following a frost or freeze, leaves on young corn and soybean plants may initially blacken and then become necrotic (wither and turn brown)," he said. "The actual extent of damage should be assessed three to five days after the event or when a few days of favorable growing con-

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SDSU Extension 2015 wheat walks begin May 26

The 2015 SDSU Extension Wheat Walks begin May 26 near Fort Pierre in the morning and near Wall in the afternoon. They will continue on May 27 near Winner in the morning and at 4 p.m. at Agland Cooperative near Delmont.

"The Wheat Walks provide an opportunity for wheat producers to interact with South Dakota State University Extension Specialists with regards to wheat production issues," said Emmanuel Byamukama, SDSU Extension Plant Pathologist.

During the Wheat Walks, producers will receive current information on soil fertility, pest management and agronomy. The schedule allows for plenty of time for small group/one-on-one interaction with specialists. There will be no charge to attend the events, thanks to sponsorship by the South Dakota Wheat Commission and South Dakota Wheat Inc. as well as local cooperatives. A meal and refreshments will be available at each location.

Wheat Walk Details
May 26 10 a.m. to 12 p.m:

Morning Wheat Walk: Directions: Stanley County - From Fort Pierre go 5 miles west on S.D. Hwy 14 & 34, go north on Cut Across Rd until intersection with S.D. Hwy 1806. Take a left on 1806 and travel 5 miles.

Look for the sign Kesslers Ranch and turn left onto that gravel road. The field is immediately to north side of the gravel road.

May 26 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Afternoon Wheat Walk: Directions: Pennington County - From Wall go west on I-90 to Exit 107. Go north on Cedar Butte Road about 4-5 miles. Turn left on to gravel at 228th Street. Drive west on gravel (about 2 miles). Plots are on the north side of the road.

May 27, 2015 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.: Morning Wheat Walk: Directions: Tripp County - From Winner, go 9 miles west on S.D. Hwy 18, 4 miles north of S.D. Hwy 183, and 1 mile west on S.D. Hwy 44/53.

May 27, 2015 4 p.m. to 6 p.m: Afternoon Wheat Walk: Directions: Douglas County - Meet at Agland Cooperative, 39833 U.S. Hwy 18, Delmont.

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