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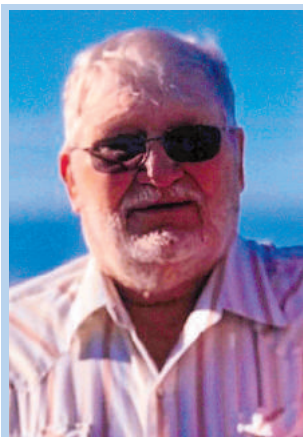
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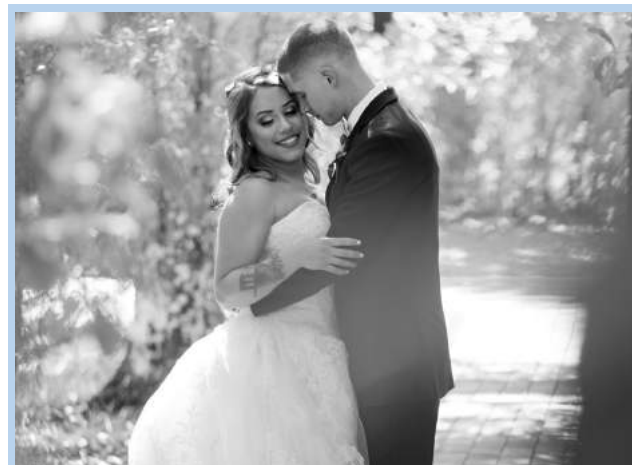


NELSON 80TH - You can wish Stanley Nelson of Sherburn a happy 80th birthday on Saturday, August 17th, 2019. He will be celebrating with family and friends.

The Fairmont High School class of 1962, spouses and friends will meet for lunch on Friday, August 16th, at the Pizza Ranch in Fairmont at 11:30 a.m.



ALLEVEN-STENSLAND - Ashley Allevan and Daniel Stensland announce their engagement and upcoming marriage. Ashley's parents are Todd and Kim Steuber of Fairmont and Daniel's parents are Larry and Deb Stensland of Granada. Ashley graduated from Iowa Lakes Community College and works on Signature Swine, the family farm and coaches at Fairmont Crossfit. Daniel graduated from SDSU. He is co-owner of Premier Ag Partners and is employed at the Fairmont Fire Department. An August 23rd, 2019 wedding is planned at Rolling Oaks Barn in Spirit Lake. Photo by SR Photography



VAZQUEZ - BOEHNE - Nicole Vazquez and Brett Boehne were married Saturday, April 27th, 2019 at the White Barn in Brooksville, Florida. Nicole is the daughter of Oscar Vazquez and Graciela Cesti of Newburgh, NY and Brett is the son of Jon and Debra Boehne of Ceylon. Matron of Honor was Amanda Naclerio, best friend of the bride. Bridesmaids were April Boehne, sister of the groom, Raysa Velasquez, Jessica Thompson and Adriana Martinez, friends of the bride. Best Man was Blake Mathiason, best friend of the groom. Groomsmen were Ethan Wellman, John Knapp, friends of the groom and Sean Vazquez and Jose Romero, brothers of the bride. After the ceremony, a reception and dance were held at the White Barn. The couple lives in St. Petersburg, Florida.

Liberty Quartet to perform at Bethel Free



Liberty Quartet, a gospel group based in the west, will be performing your favorite southern gospel songs in concert Monday, August 19th at 7 p.m. at Bethel Evangelical Free Church in Fairmont.

The members of Liberty are Royce Mitchell, bass; Paul W. Ellis, lead; Philip Batton, tenor. John Bowen is currently serving as the interim baritone singer for the group.

Liberty travels many miles each year, ministering in performances for church services, nursing homes, prisons and other ministries. They have had the opportunity to share the stage with such groups as: Gaither Vocal Band, Legacy Five, Greater Vision, the Booth Brothers, the Hoppers, the Isaacs, the Collingsworth Family and many others.

Whether or not you are a fan of Southern gospel music, you will certainly enjoy the enthusiasm these men exhibit in their performances.

There is no admission to this event, however a free will offering will be taken to support their ministry.

The church is located at 1125 S. State Street in Fairmont.

"Lunch & Learn" features Minnesota State Fair

A "Lunch & Learn" event sponsored by CREST will be held on Wednesday, August 21st at 11:00 a.m. at First Lutheran Church, located at 61 Apple Street in Trimont.

The program this month will center around

the Minnesota State Fair. Following the presentation, a lunch of fair food will be served.

Donations are welcome to help defray costs. Anyone in the area is invited to join in the fun and socializing.

Heritage Acres annual supper August 22

The August monthly meeting for Heritage Acres members and guests is scheduled for Thursday, August 22nd at 6 p.m. at the Prairieville building in Fairmont.

This is usually the annual pot luck supper, but due to a larger amount of good food left over from the recent threshing day, they will be serving barbeques, hot dogs and brats for those who attend. There will also be some dishes made from fresh

vegetables from the garden. Eating utensils and a beverage will be provided.

After the supper the meeting will review the recent threshing day event and improvements made since the last monthly meeting. Discussion will also take place on the fall harvest festival, which is set for Sunday, October 13th at Heritage Acres.

The public is invited to attend.

Wine & Chocolates Open House at Red Rock

The 2nd Annual Wine & Chocolates Open House will be held at the Red Rock Center for the Arts on Wednesday, August 21st, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

Free admission to live music, 8+ artisan vendors, art demonstrations, creativity stations and more.

A small fee will accompany wine sampling by Round Lake Winery and Indian Island Winery, exquisite homemade chocolate bar, wine bar, pulled

pork sandwich dinner and make and takes by the Rustic Board and Tree Ring Art. Everyone welcome, this is a family-friendly event.

Thank You ~

For the many cards on Frank's 96th Birthday and our 75th Anniversary. We celebrated with family on June 16th and on June 17th his Birthday and our Anniversary, he broke his hip. He spent time in the hospital for repair, then at St. Lukes in Blue Earth. He passed on August 1st. Your kind thoughts, with the many cards and phone calls will never be forgotten!

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Low Vision Support Group to meet August 22

The Low Vision Support Group sponsored by CREST will meet on Thursday, August 22nd at 1:30 p.m. at the CREST office, located at 820 Winnebago Avenue in Fairmont.

This month's topic is the proper use of eye medications. This support group will be very useful for those with reduced or low vision as well as blindness. An in-

itation is also extended to those who care for or assist individuals struggling with various eyesight issues.

Coffee and cookies will be served following the meeting.

If you would like more information on this support group, you may call the CREST office at 235-3833.

Fairmont fall sports pep fest August 21st

Fairmont Fall Sports is planning a pepfest on Wednesday, August 21st at 6 p.m. at Citizen's Park, Downtown Plaza in Fairmont.

Come meet the Fairmont Area Schools fall athletes, cheerleaders and coaches.

Fall passes, football cards and Cardinal clothing will be available and the Fairmont Booster Club will be selling food.

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Fairmont's Miss Minnesota

Guest Columnist



Lenny Tvedten, Director, Martin County Historical Society

To become crowned Miss Minnesota is certainly an accomplishment to be proud of having achieved. Back in 1955 a twenty-year-old girl from Fairmont was crowned "Miss Minnesota." Her name was Marlyse Reed and she was at that time a junior at the University of Minnesota.

How does one achieve the goal of becoming Miss Minnesota, or for that matter, Miss America? These pageants have evolved and were perhaps originally little more than beauty contests. Consequently, according to Dictionary.com, a beauty contest is defined as a competition in which the entrants, usually women, are judged as to physical beauty and sometimes personality and talent, with the winners awarded prizes of titles. In state competition, winners then advance to the Miss America Pageant.

In reviewing media coverage from that era, it

is quite obvious how our culture involving these contests, and its reporting, has evolved. Today's society would not tolerate the references made at that time to detailed physical descriptions of the contestants which then seemed to overshadow any talent that was exhibited.

This is evidenced by the Miss America Pageant stating "This past year, candidates were no longer judged on outward appearance."

Miss Reed's journey began by being named "King Korn Queen." From there she participated in "Austin's State Queen Contest" in 1955 as one of twenty-two participants. She won that contest and was named Miss Minnesota. As a result of winning, she was provided a wardrobe valued at \$1,000.00, a trophy, and a trip to Atlantic City in September to compete in the Miss America Contest.

Newspaper accounts

from that time indicated that being named Miss Minnesota would provide her \$90 a day by the Minnesota Junior Chamber of Commerce for every appearance she makes. However, she would have to pay her transportation and for chaperones, hotel, and any other expenses. In contrast, Miss Minnesota of 2018 received a competition award of \$10,000. There have been many changes in the Miss Minnesota Pageant since 1955.

Upon returning to Fairmont after winning the Miss Minnesota contest, she was greeted by a crowd of 2,500 people and a 25 car caravan that met her at the west edge of Blue Earth. The Fairmont police met the car caravan at the east edge of Fairmont and escorted them to Sylvia Park with an estimated 1,000 bystanders lining the Fairmont

streets. The Fairmont High School Swing Band provided music in the band shell for the welcome home ceremonies. Miss Reed was then presented with a number of gifts from Fairmont merchants and she thanked the crowd for the support they provided. Marlyse and her family were overwhelmed and appreciative with the outpouring of support shown by the public.

In reflecting on the time involved with being Miss Minnesota, Miss Reed indicated that she really enjoyed it but also that the

amount of time she had to travel coupled with the heat of the summer was wearing. However, she also noted that every location in which she had to model was air conditioned, something she greatly appreciated!

Next, on to Atlantic City for the Miss America pageant. In her pursuit of the title of Miss America of 1956, she encountered a number of interesting people and events. One example that was a compliment to her and her hometown involved a full page ad in the Atlantic City Press. The ad was comprised of a picture of Miss Reed in addition to an aerial view of Fairmont. The ad was sponsored by a number of Fairmont firms and, apparently a first, was very well received by the Atlantic City Press newspaper. The advertising director of that newspaper felt that the ad showed a great deal of civic pride and enthusiasm while indicating that he and his staff were very impressed with it. In addition, she had the opportunity to meet many interesting

people such as Bert Parks, Miss America contestants from other states, as well as having the opportunity to see the Ed Sullivan Show.

However, her quest of the Miss America title did not come to fruition. Unfortunately, there were several things that happened that were beyond her control. During her dramatic reading the microphone went dead along with several other unfortunate events. Nevertheless, she made no excuses, she spoke very positively of her experience, and she was unquestionably portrayed as an excellent representative of her state and home town.

This was undoubtedly a major event in local history as evidenced by the many, many newspaper articles and stories following her journey. Any community, large or small, would be undeniably proud of the fact that it was the home of a Miss Minnesota.

For more information on this topic, or to become a member, visit the Pioneer Museum in Fairmont or its website at www.fairmont.org/mchs.



Heaven's Table Food Shelf receives grant

Midwest Dairy provided \$80,000 in grant funding that enabled Second Harvest Heartland to purchase dairy coolers for 37 food shelves throughout Minnesota.

Heaven's Table Food Shelf received a cooler which has increased their capacity to provide families in our community with additional milk, cheese and other dairy products. The grant was intended to support food shelves in the increased distribution of cow's milk and other nutritious dairy products that are in high demand at food shelves.

"Second Harvest Heartland was thrilled to receive this grant to help agency partners safely distribute nutritious and highly sought after dairy products to families experiencing hunger," said Pat Pearson, Director of Agency Relations, Second Harvest Heartland. "We are immensely grateful for partners like Midwest Dairy, who work with us to help us provide generous food contributions to the communities we serve."

The grant covered both

the cost of the refrigerator and delivery. Most of the refrigerators chosen featured glass doors to allow food shelf clients to view the products in abundance and take what they need.

Heaven's Table Food Shelf (HTFS) operates in two locations, Fairmont and Sherburn, within Martin County. The shelf is supported by donations, rescue produce and grants through the generosity of our area. HTFS distributed over 260,000 pounds of food in 2018 and is operated by volunteers.

Our thanks to the Midwest Dairy Association for their generous donation.

Butterfield Threshing Bee to be held this weekend

The Butterfield Threshermen will hold their 53rd annual Steam and Gas Engine Show Saturday and Sunday, August 17th-18th at Voss Park on the west edge of Butterfield, just off Minnesota Highway 60 in southwest Minnesota.

In the past this two-day event featuring antique tractors, engines, cars and machinery as well as pioneer town and crafts has drawn upwards of 25,000 people.

Several steam engines and antique tractors will thresh about

10 acres of wheat and oats during the show. Over 250 antique tractors from Rumleys to Hart Parris will be on display and parade each afternoon at 2:15 p.m. along with classic cars and trucks.

The featured tractor on this year's commemorative button and event poster is the restored 1951 John Deer tractor in memory of John Spitzner. The tractor will be on display

during the 2019 show.

This year's special attraction at the antique auto exhibit is American Motors vehicles. Visitors will enjoy seeing these American classics.

A new feature attraction this year is the Construction Corner. Vintage earth moving equipment can be seen operating in the demonstration area on the south side of the show grounds.

Continuous entertainment on stage from

Friday night through Sunday will feature outstanding bluegrass bands. The audience can watch in shaded comfort with a variety of foods available on the grounds. Sunday morning the 9:00 a.m. open air church service will also feature some of the bluegrass groups.

Admission is \$10 for adults (good for both days) with children under 13 free. Parking is free, and the shaded Voss Park campground near Butterfield Lake is available for camping.

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A FEW OF OUR DOGS AVAILABLE FOR ADOPTION:

SHADOW is a handsome gray and white husky. He has piercing blue eyes and a great husky smile. Shadow would like a home without other pets so that he can have all of the attention.

BARKLEY is a big tri-colored coonhound with a loud voice. He loves people and is overly enthusiastic in his greetings. Barkley needs some solid training and a loving home. **Come and visit our booth at the Martin County Fair.**

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What's Cooking

with Kathy Lloyd

Time with friends!

Five friends and I had our annual summer get away last week, thanks to our friend Joanne Soma's generous son, at Steve Soma's lovely cabin in Michigan. We all came home walking independently, relaxed with friendship memories! We had a lazy afternoon on a pontoon on the lake, lots of good food and of course lots of conversation. We have slowed down some over the years, not so much shopping (we don't things any longer), we are now content to spend time with each other. How lucky I feel to have such long standing special friends.

We all bring food, every year we vow not to bring so much but we always manage to have the cooler packed. One of the snacks I brought this year was herbed crackers. I'm not a fan of plain soda crackers but this recipe was one I will make again!

Herbed Crackers:
2 cups vegetable oil (I used canola)
2 Tablespoons fresh lemon juice
Two 0.7 oz. envelopes dry Italian dressing mix, such as Good Seasonings
1/2 tsp. dry red pepper
1 Tablespoon dried dill
one 1-pound box saltine crackers

In a large deep container with a tight-fitting lid (at least a 14 cup container) combine the oil, lemon juice, Italian dressing mix, red pepper and dill. Whisk well to combine. Add the crackers and turn them over a few times to ensure they are fully coated. Let stand for 24 hours, turning the crackers over twice. (They will absorb the oil and seasoning will adhere to them) Store in covered container at room temperature for up to a week.

Have a great week!

Welcome Historical Society museum is closed. It will be open the first Saturday of the month from 2 to 4 p.m. beginning April 4th, 2020. If you would like to visit the museum during the time it is closed, please call Marsha Williams 507-236-2034 to set up an appointment.

The August meeting for the **Martin County Genealogical Society** will be Saturday, August 17th at 9 a.m. at the Pioneer Museum, 304 E. Blue Earth Ave., Fairmont. The public is invited. For more information call Dona at 507-236-0996 or Carol at 507-236-2599 or email mcgs@frontier.com.

Valero among best for “community-minded”

For a sixth consecutive time, Valero Energy Corporation has been named to The Civic 50, a list of the 50 most community-minded companies in the United States by Points of Light, the world's largest organization dedicated to volunteer service.

Valero also was recognized again as the top energy-sector company on the list. The Civic 50 provides a national standard for superior corporate citizenship and showcases how companies can use their time, skills and other resources to improve the communities where they do business.

Employees of the Valero Renewables-Welcome logged more than 2,350 volunteer hours in 2018. In addition, employees pledged more than \$43,000 to the local United Way for 2019, with additional donations and a company match projected to bring total plant contributions to approximately \$64,500. The facility distributed \$35,000 in 2018 to five area children's charities from the Valero Texas Open and Benefit for Children.

“Our employees give from the heart with their time, talent and resources. We are excited to make a positive impact in our community every year with volunteerism and financial contributions,” said Nicole Gries, Plant Manager of Valero Renewables-Welcome. “I'm proud of Valero's commitment to our community as we celebrate 10 years of operation in Welcome this year.”

There will be an open house come and go bridal shower for **Paige Bremer**, bride-to-be of **Matt Dinse** on Saturday, August 24th from 9 to 11 a.m. at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Fairmont. Parents of the couple are Cal and Nikki Bremer and Mike and Marsha Dinse. Paige and Matt are registered at Amazon, Sterling Drug, Bed, Bath & Beyond, Travelers Joy Honeymoon, Knot Cash Funds and Pampered Chef.

A **Sidewalk Sale**, hosted by Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont Gift Shop will be held Monday, August 19th from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. It will be held outside the old Lutz Wing entrance.

Come one, come all! Thursday, August 15th to **Kiwanis International Aktion Club Theatre** as they present, “The Fairmont Five O’ Clock Club”. This event will be held at 4:00 p.m. in the Martin County Arena building during the fair. Questions about the play, please call Pat Kietzer at (507) 848-5017 or the Arc office at (507) 235-8580. The public's invited to attend.

A PowerPoint program entitled, “**Towns of Martin County**” will be shown at the Pioneer Museum in Fairmont on Tuesday, August 20th, at 2:00 p.m. There is no charge and the public is invited to attend.

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CHECK IT OUT!

@ the Martin County Library

Do you ever wonder what your neighbors are reading? Maybe one of their favorite books might become yours too!! Here's a list of our library's ten most popular titles so far this year, based on which books have checked-out the most!

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- 2-Wolf Pack by CJ Box
- 3-Every Breath by Nicholas Sparks
- 4-The Great Alone by Kristin Hannah
- 5-Holy Ghost by John Sandford
- 6-Look Alive Twenty Five by Janet Evanovich
- 7-The Reckoning by John Grisham
- 8-Where the Crawdads Sing by Delia Owens
- 9-Long Road to Mercy by David Baldacci
- 10-Ordinary Grace by William Kent Krueger

25 YEARS AGO IN THE PHOTO PRESS

WEEK OF AUGUST 17, 1994

The 129th annual Martin County Fair opened Tuesday with entry day and continues through Sunday evening at the fairgrounds just west of Fairmont. A new carnival company, Goldstar Amusements and Midway Shows has been contracted for the midway.

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Bocky Borchardt, president of the Martin County West Dollars for Scholars, announced that the Welcome State Bank/Martin County West Dollars for Scholars VISA card program is in place. Each time a purchase is made with the card, Welcome State Bank will contribute 25 cents to Martin County West Dollars for Scholars.

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Martin County volunteers from “United We Stand America” announced they have a sufficient number of signatures from their petition drive, according to organizer Betty Scheff. This petition would allow Fairmont voters to decide whether to impose term limits upon elected Fairmont city government officials.

50 YEARS AGO IN THE PHOTO PRESS

WEEK OF AUGUST 17, 1969

Gilbert Picken arrived from Flint, Michigan to take over as Martin County Librarian in the brand new \$400,000 county-city library at North Park and Second Street in Fairmont. He was accompanied by his wife and two children.



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Governor Harold LeVander christened a steel form fabricated by Fairmont's newest industry, Earl Industries, which was visited by 25 business and industrial leaders from the Twin Cities area.

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Stephen Hegdal, son of high school principal C. H. “Cap” Hegdal, won a John Torrence Tate memorial scholarship for 1969-70. The scholarship was sponsored by the physics department of the University of Minnesota where Stephen was a junior physics major.


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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Commissioners (the “Board”) of Martin County, Minnesota (the “County”), will hold a public hearing at a meeting of the County Board beginning at **10:00 a.m., on Monday, September 3, 2019**, to be held at the at the Martin County Courthouse 201 Lake Avenue, Fairmont, Minnesota, on the request of CHS, Inc. (the “Company”), in connection with the proposed construction of new facilities and the expansion of the existing facilities located at 1833 130th Street, Fairmont, Minnesota, and to grant an abatement to the Company of property taxes to be levied by the County on Parcel ID No. 23.039.0072, in the City of Fairmont (the “Property”). The total amount of the taxes proposed to be abated by the County on the Property for the years 2022 through 2031 is estimated to be not more than \$423,930. The Board of Commissioners will consider granting a property tax abatement, which is a business subsidy, in response to the request.

Information about the proposed business subsidy will be on file and available for public inspection at the office of the County Coordinator's Office at the Martin County Courthouse.

A person with residence in or the owner of taxable property in the granting jurisdiction may file a written complaint with the County if the County fails to comply with Sections 116J.993 to 116J.995, and no action may be filed against the County for the failure to comply unless a written complaint is filed.

All interested persons may appear at the public hearing and present their views orally or in writing. Anyone needing reasonable accommodations or an interpreter should contact the County Coordinator's Office at the Martin County Courthouse, telephone (507) 238-3124.

By Order of the
Martin County Board of Commissioners
Dated this 6th day of August 2019.

OBITUARY notices

Mary L. Stoneback, 87



Funeral Services for Mary Louise Stoneback, 87, of Fairmont, were held Saturday, August 10th, 2019 at United Methodist Church in

Fairmont with interment in Lakeside Cemetery in Fairmont. Mary passed away Sunday, August 4th 2019, at Woodland Manor in Fairmont. Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Fairmont assisted the family with arrangements.

Mary Louise (Teeter) Stoneback was born October 28th, 1931, in Center Creek Township. She was the daughter of Marcus and Bernice (Ruble) Teeter. Mary attended Fairmont Elementary School and Principia Junior High before graduating from Fairmont High School in 1949. She furthered her education at Principia College.

On June 2nd, 1956, Mary was united in marriage to Kenneth Stoneback at the home of Mary's parents in Fairmont. This union was blessed with three chil-

dren, Melody, Kevin, and Lisa. The couple made their home on the family farm east of Fairmont where Kenneth had built a house for them. Mary and Ken shared fifty-seven years together before he passed away November 10th, 2013.

Mary enjoyed working on the farm with Kenneth taking care of the jersey cows, hogs and chickens. Most family activities were centered on farming. She was active in the Martin County 4-H program from 1963 to 1979. The family belonged to the Fairmont Go-Getters 4-H. At the county level she was a member of the 4-H council, managed the food stand and taught needlework. She represented Martin County at the state level as a needlework judge assistant. Mary was a skilled knitter and taught

many other people to knit at different venues. She was an active part of the Cap for Soldiers project personally contributing over 300 caps. She shared things she had made like scrubbies, dish cloths, and hot pads with organizations such as the Fairmont Hospital Auxiliary and the Lakeview Methodist Home Gift Shop. Mary found pleasure tending to her flower garden; growing gladiolas, roses, mums, irises, and begonias. In the early 80's after Mary and Ken sold the livestock travelling in an RV was their recreational pastime and wintering at Superstition Sunrise Park in Apache Junction, Arizona brought many new friends.

Mary was a longtime member of Fairmont United Methodist Church where she taught Sunday School

and enjoyed being part of the Rachel Circle. Prior to joining the Methodist church, she was a member of the Christian Science Church where she was often the soloist at Sunday and Wednesday services. Mary was also a member of the Eastside Farm Club, Pleasant Prairie Birthday Club, the Martin County Historical Society, Beta Sigma Omicron Sorority, American Legion Auxiliary, and Order of the Eastern Star. Her yearbook quote was very fitting as it stated "Always ready; always there; always ready to do her share."

Left to cherish her memory include her children, Melody Sanders and her husband, Duane, of East Chain, Kevin Stoneback and his wife, Kathryn, of Fairmont, and Lisa Ward and her husband, Gerald,

of Eagan, MN; grandchildren, Sherri Stoneback of Eagan, Christopher Stoneback and his wife, Nicole, of Burnsville, MN, Heather Pint and her husband, Karl, of Belle Plaine, MN, Jennifer Reinsma and her husband, Joseph, of Maple Grove, MN, and Mary Sanders-Reithmeyer and her husband, Seth, of Cottage Grove, MN; great grandchildren, Bethany, Benjamin, and Thomas Pint, Xavier and Xander Reinsma, and Emma Stoneback.

Along with her parents, Mary was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth; brothers, Marcus Jr, Earle, Willis, and Ray Teeter; and sisters, Cora Bell Dempsey, and Joan Deware.

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Darlene H. Hovden-Weber, 77



Graveside services for Darlene H. (Erickson) Hovden-Weber, 77, of Fairmont, will be held at 1:00 p.m. Thursday, August 22nd, 2019, at Lakeside Cemetery in Fairmont with full military honors by the Lee C. Prentice American Legion Post #36 and the Martin County Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #1222. Darlene passed away Friday, July 19th, 2019, at her home in Fairmont. The Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Fairmont is assisting the family with arrangements.

Darlene H. (Erickson) Hovden-Weber was born on October 16th, 1941, in New Ulm, MN, the daughter of Melvin and Elna (Fredin) Erickson. She attended school in New Ulm and graduated from Fairmont High School in Fairmont.

On January 19th, 1961, Darlene enlisted with the United States Navy where she served her country at the U.S. Navy Hospital in Bermerton, WA. On January 17th, 1964, she received her honorable discharge and returned

home to Minnesota where she worked in accounting.

On May 20th, 1967, Darlene was united in marriage to Leon A. Hovden. Together the couple made their home in Fairmont and were blessed with two daughters, Laurie and Kim.

On January 9th, 2004, Darlene was united in marriage to Fred D. Weber and welcomed his three children into her life.

Darlene had a passion for birds and raised various birds including parrots for many years with

her good friend, Gary Ferguson. She was very particular about her home and yard and took great pride in keeping everything looking nice and tending to her flowers and plants.

Left to cherish her memory are her children, Kim (Wayne) Hovden-Wubben and Laurie Thompson, Jeff (Debbie) Weber, Steve (Penny) Weber, and Jennifer Grefe; grandchildren, Natasha Ochoa, Brandon Ochoa, Erica (Brandon) Klein, Amber Brummond,

Brittney Goerndt, Robert Thate, Jake Weber, Tyler Weber Justina Johnson, Kara Krahmer, and Savannah Kruse; many great-grandchildren; as well as many other extended family and friends.

Darlene was preceded in death by her parents, Melvin Erickson and Elna Hemphil; brother, Dennis W. Erickson; husband, Leon Hovden; husband, Fred Weber; and grandson, Joseph Weber.

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Doris J. Anderson, 98



Mass of Christian Burial for Doris Jeanette (Charnecki) Anderson, 98, of Fairmont, was held

Wednesday morning, August 14th, 2019, at Lakeview Methodist Health Care System Chapel in Fairmont with interment in Holy Family Catholic Cemetery in East Chain. Doris passed away peacefully Tuesday, August 6th, 2019, at Woodland Manor in Fairmont. Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Fairmont assisted the family with arrangements.

Doris was born May 21st, 1921, in North Attleboro, MA to Wilfred C. and Lucille (Eno) Plante. She graduated from Central High School in Providence, RI in 1938. During World War II Doris met

Anton A. (Tony) Charnecki of Silver Lake Township whose ship was stationed in Rhode Island. They married December 3rd, 1945 in Providence, RI, and soon moved to nearby Massachusetts. They had four boys and moved to Fairmont in 1960. Soon after Tony passed in 1968 Doris earned a Practical Nursing degree in Mankato. She moved back to Providence and was employed as an LPN by Saint Joseph Hospital. On June 1st, 1985 Doris married Frank Anderson of Fairmont where they made their home. Frank passed away in 2006.

Doris was a member

of Saint John Vianney Church and a member of Saint Catherine Circle. She enjoyed gardening and many craft interests including needlepoint, painting, and crocheting. Of course, she was always ready for bingo.

She is survived by four sons, Tom (Elizabeth) Charnecki of Rehoboth, MA; Ray (Micky) Charnecki of Cedar Park, TX; Dave (Patti) Charnecki of Nobleton, FL; and Bob (Janet) Charnecki of Fairmont; eight grandchildren, Dr. Sara (Doug Mercer) Charnecki of Rehoboth, MA, Tim (Aileen) Charnecki of Dublin, Ireland, Tina (Kyle) Mace of

Missoula, MT, Michael Charnecki of Cedar Park, TX, Christopher Charnecki of Cedar Park, TX, Dayle (Greg) Christiansen of Red Wing, MN, Zac (Nikki) Charnecki of Oakdale, MN, and Darcie (John) Petersen of Albert Lea; and 18 great grandchildren. She is survived by brother, Maurice (Arlene) Plante of Port St. Lucie, FL, sister Rita Denomme of Elyria, OH; sisters in law, Juliette Plante, of Raynham, MA and Betty Pannkuk of Fairmont; and many nephews and nieces.

Doris was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Anton A. Charnecki; husband, Frank R.

Anderson; four sisters, Bella (Earl) Young, Sister Lauretta Plante, S.M.S.M., Beatrice (Olier) Bergeron, and Theresa (Albert) Albertini; and five brothers, William (Noella) Plante, Ernest (Rose) Plante, Albert (Rita) Plante, Lionel (Eleanor) Plante, and Delphis (Juliette) Plante.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to Options Pregnancy Center, P.O. Box 51, Fairmont, MN 56031 or the Saint John Vianney School Endowment Fund, 901 S. Prairie Avenue, Fairmont, MN 56031.

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Julie L. Wakey, 64



Services for Julie L. Wakey, 64, of Fairmont, were held Sunday, August 11th, 2019, at Lakeview Funeral Home in Fairmont. Burial followed the service in Fairview Memorial Park Cemetery in Fairmont. Julie

passed away Saturday, August 3rd, 2019, while visiting in Texas, following a lengthy battle with cancer. Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Fairmont is assisting the family with arrangements.

Julie Lee Wakey was born July 29th, 1955, in Fairmont, the daughter of Willard and Irene (Pope) Wakey. Julie grew up in the Fairmont area with her three brothers and received her education while attending school in Fairmont and graduated from Fairmont High School with the class of 1973. Following her graduation, Julie worked for a short time at Mahowald's Hardware Store and also Lakeview Methodist

Health Care Center. She then made the move to Texas where she attended North Texas State University before returning to Minnesota and attending St. Catherine's College and finally finishing her Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Mankato State University in 1978.

Julie worked for a short time for Mankato State University at the College of Business as a secretary and also as a teacher's aide at the William Budd Elementary School in Fairmont. In May 1979, Julie returned to the heat of Texas where she worked for the Xerox Corporation as an intern and later working for First National Bank in Dallas, TX. In 1985, Julie took a

leave from work and has been retired since that time.

While in Texas, Julie met Robert Fields. Together they formed a special bond and were blessed to spend many years together, working on housing projects, traveling and just enjoying time together.

In her spare time, Julie enjoyed working in her garden and was a wonderful quilter, often sharing her beautiful work with those she cared about. She loved her family and treasured spending time with her nieces and nephews. Julie was a shepherd of God and found great joy in being a witness to him. She was a wonderful listener and would go out of her way to help others.

Left to cherish her memory is her long time friend, Robert Fields of Texas; brothers, Tom Wakey and his wife, Avis of Northrop, and their children, Angie Clark and her husband Perry, and their son, Perry Jr., Erin Wakey, Holly Wakey, and Monica Pavich and her children, Lincoln and Charlie; brother, Phil Wakey and his wife, Brenda of East Chain, and their children, LeAnn Erickson and her husband, Chris; Scott Wakey and his wife, Heree and their children, Aliya and Alex; Amanda Morris and husband, Austin and their son, Leo; 5 great-nephews and 1 great-niece; as well as many other extended family and friends.

Julie was preceded in death by her parents; brothers, Alan Wakey and Rodney Wakey; as well as several aunts and uncles and other family members.

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Jeff's Jottings

The heavy rain and stormy weather from last Saturday night did not deter the many volunteers at Heritage Acres as the annual Threshing Day was held on Sunday. It was nice to see a good turnout for the Prairieland Antique Tractor Show that day and also all the activities that were taking place around the Heritage Acres grounds. A good crowd of people were on hand to view the demonstrations, ride the kiddie train, tour the buildings, enjoy the good food and learn about our rich agricultural history in this area.

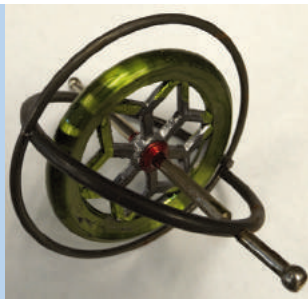


Karis and I helped work in the kitchen on Sunday and she also took some photos, including one of our friend Bob Brolsma from Sherburn, running the threshing machine with his shiny red Farmall tractor. So never let it be said that I only put GREEN tractors in my column!

"What is it?" too easy

Well apparently I must have led a depraved childhood because many people were amazed that I didn't know what last week's "What is it?" item was and that I didn't have one as a kid. Merlin Leiding was the first to answer correctly

that the item is a Gyro or Gyroscope. The item is a kids toy that you put a string through the hole and pull on it to get the inner part spinning and then you can balance it on



your finger, a desk or pretty much any flat surface. So I guess I made it too easy for the readers to guess. I guess I can say, "I learned something new today." This week we have an item brought in by Ginger Halverson and it will appeal to our lady readers (but a few guys might know what it is too). It is made entirely of metal and measures about 3.5 inches



see it featured in a future Photo Press.

Not always easy to write

I have had quite a few people comment on my column whenever I am out at events and people come up to talk to me about the

in circumference and has 6 hooks on it that pivot in and out. There is also a metal spring that wraps around the circle and can be removed and put back on. Ginger even has the original box and instruction manual for this one so we know exactly what it is. So, what is it? Call me at 507-238-9456 or drop me an email: jeff@fairmontphoto-press.com - or you can stop in to the Photo Press with your guess. Have an item you think would be good to have in this column? Even if you know what the answer is, many others may not. Just bring it in and we will take some pictures and get measurements and you will

column. One of the questions I get asked alot is "How do you know what to write about?" Well, I can tell you there are weeks that I don't know what to write about and sometimes it is the day of putting the paper together before I get an idea on what my column should be about. My "Jottings" column has always been based on what I recall as the "society columns" of newspapers when I was growing up (years ago). I had a great-aunt who used to write a weekly column for the Dunnell area and many times it may have been just about a resident who had a surprise visit in the past week or a church hosting a potluck. The readers always loved it and I figured that doing a column like that would be good for readers to see each week. I guess I was correct!

Food, antique tractors and Martin County Fair

Here are a few things taking place in the upcoming week: • The rest of this week is the Martin County Fair with events scheduled through Sunday, August 18th. Check out last week's

issue for a full listing of the schedule for the fair. • Thursday, August 15th from 5 to 7 p.m. The Shepherd's In will serve a free soup meal at the Blazer Hall, 95 Downtown Plaza in Fairmont. • Saturday and Sunday, August 17th and 18th is the Butterfield Steam and Gas Engine Show. They have the equipment parade at 2:15 p.m. each day. • Monday, August 19th from 6 to 7:30 p.m. is the Ruby's Pantry Sherburn food distribution at Regional Worship Center. • Tuesday, August 20th at 8:30 a.m. is the Tuesday morning coffee at St. John Lutheran Church in Sherburn. • Wednesday, August 21st is the Fairmont Fall Sports kickoff pep fest at 6 p.m. in Citizen's Park, Downtown Plaza, Fairmont. Have a great week!

Drive safely - visit a shut-in or family member - eat/play/shop local - see you at the Martin County Fair!

Jeff

Wayne L. Torgerson, 92



Wayne L. Torgerson, 92, of Fairmont, passed away peacefully with family present at Ingleside Assisted Living Monday, August 12th, 2019. Visitation will be Friday, August 16th

at Lakeview Funeral Home from 4 to 7 p.m. The funeral service will be at Grace Lutheran Church 300 S. Grant Street, Fairmont, Saturday, August 17th, at 11:00 a.m.

Wayne was born September 17th, 1926 on a farm near Bode, IA. He is the oldest son of Oscar and Ora Torgerson who were 1st generation American-Norwegian farmers. Wayne graduated from Rutland High School, served in the U.S. Army and graduated from Jackson Vo-Tech School in 1965.

Wayne married Donna Marie Beam in 1948 at St. Olaf Lutheran Church. They were blessed with three children: Marcia (Ted) Schaefer, Stephen (Merrilee) and Scott (Kar-

en) Torgerson.

Wayne and Donna farmed in Iowa until moving to Fairmont in 1957 to work for Hodgeman Construction Co. Throughout his sixty-two years in Fairmont, Wayne worked for several businesses including Madsen's Super Value where he was the Mall custodial supervisor. He also worked for 7-UP Bottling Co. and Shopko.

Wayne was known for his hard work, friendly smile, deep bass voice and ready laugh. He and Donna made Amber Lake Drive their home for 53 years. Grace Lutheran Church played a leading role in Wayne's life. Working with the Missions Team, he helped with Christmas tree

sales for over 30 years, plus helping prepare Easter Breakfast and helping bake hundreds of apple pies.

Wayne also enjoyed the family collie dogs, bird-watching, sketching and carving. Reading to the grandkids and fishing with grands and great-grands brought joy to his heart and theirs.

Wayne leaves behind his wife Donna of 70 years, brothers: Alan, Robert and Don Torgerson, three children, seven grandchildren and ten great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and three sisters.

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Fairmont class of '52 reunion will take place Saturday, August 17th at 11:30 a.m. at the Pizza Ranch in Fairmont.

Everyone is invited to **Bethany E&R Church, Ledyard, IA** for their annual Songfest on Sunday, August 18th, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. Invite your friends and neighbors. There will be guest singers and congregational singing. An offering will be taken for the local Food Pantry. Coffee and goodies will follow. If you have questions, please contact Connie Pedersen at 515-320-3064.

The Ceylon High School Reunion Committee is planning for the next **Ceylon High School All-School Reunion**, which will take place June 27th, 2020. Make sure you save the date. Do you know of any family members with address changes since the last reunion? If so, contact committee member Jim Plunhoffs at 507-632-4368.

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WED: Meatloaf commercial with vidalia onion, broccoli, jello with peaches.

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Nita Borchardt (right) of Borchardt Dance Company in Fairmont, attended "Dance Teacher Web Conference" at Planet Hollywood in Las Vegas July 29th- August 1st. She studied under dozens of Dance Industry Professionals. Nita is pictured with Latin Dance Expert, Lacey Schwimmer, finalist on Fox's "So You Think You Can Dance", and Professional Dancer on "Dancing With The Stars" for six seasons. Nita is excited to share new dance techniques and trends with her students this coming dance season at Borchardt Dance Company. (Submitted photo)

"Just the other day"

Guest Columnist

Tom Palen, broadcaster, pilot, writer

"Cheerios"

I filled June's container with delicious "Iams" brand Mini-Chunks, dog food and set it by my bag by the front door. Next I started packing my grocery tote. I took the half loaf of bread, but taking the only box of Cheerios from the cabinet would have been rude. Besides, I was going to stop at a store along my way to Seattle, Washington. I put the lid on my tote, loaded the car and we were on our way.

We pulled into the Walmart on Highway 34 in Detroit Lakes, Minnesota. I pushed my empty cart to the cereal aisle. A fairly short lady was standing to one side with a heavily loaded grocery cart. Her four children were scattered about looking at things. I waited politely. When she noticed me, she spoke in Spanish, calling her children, then in English, she said to me, "I'm sorry."

"No need to be sorry.

They weren't in my way." I said, while nodding toward her basket, "I was waiting to get your attention to see if you wanted to race that thing." She blushed and said she did not. She grunted a little as she started to push the heavy cart to go about her way.

I stood in front of the selection of Cheerios - totally dumbfounded. "When did they come out with these? Frosted Cheerios, because we're not getting enough sugar in our diets?" I was having a hard time finding just plain Cheerios.

I remember when they came out with Honey Nut Cheerios, but now they have the all new flavors: Blueberry, Peach, Maple and Chocolate, Cheerios. I picked up a box of Apple Cinnamon Cheerios. "They already have these - they're called Apple Jacks." I said to no one while picking up another box, "Fruity Cheerios? They

already have those too they're called Fruit Loops." Putting the boxes back on the shelf I shook my head, grumbling, "There are too many kinds of cereal. Can't I just get some plain ole Cheerios?"

I finally found them - \$3.98 for a medium size box. Then I noticed the Oat Rings that were \$1.29 for the same size box. I started to reason aloud. "They're in the same size box, the packaging is the same basic yellow background and the picture looks the same. They must be just as good."

I imagined I would soon hear over the loud speaker, "Security, we've got a crazy man talking to himself, complaining about cereal selection and prices. He's scaring off women and small children. Code three to aisle nine." I put the box of cheap cereal in my cart and made a run for it.

Rounding the corner into the aisle by the tuna



fish, I met the same lady with the big cart. I taunted her, "You sure you don't wanna race?" She shook her head no, called her children to come close and moved on. I grabbed some pink salmon and headed for the crackers to put the fish on. Guess who was in the aisle with chips and crackers? Yep, the same lady. "Are you SURE you don't want to race?" I asked her again.

She gave me a real serious look and said, "I might beat you!" She started laughing, which caused me and her four kid to also laugh. She grunted again as she put the heavy cart into motion. I grabbed a small package of Keebler Club Crackers - so good, but not a very healthy choice.

...a little boy tugged at my hand...June lunged toward the little boy, scaring him...

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Members then voted on the 2019-2020 officers. Jazlyn Geerdes will be President, Misty Geerdes Vice President, Abby Calkins Secretary, Sabrina Segar Treasurer and Addison Barrick Reporter.

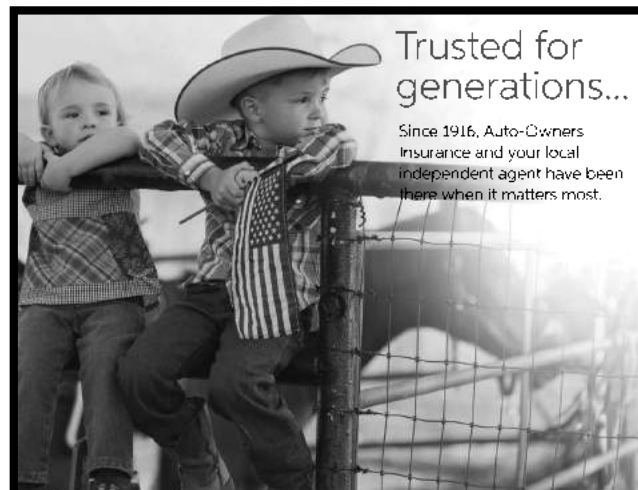
Brayden, Sabrina and Spencer each won a 4-H Food Stand Punch Card in the demonstration drawing. The club will



meet on Sunday at 10:00 a.m. to finish up the scrapbook. Members should meet at 4:00 p.m. on August 12th, 2019 to enter the Club projects. Families enjoyed pizza and ice cream.

Prior to the meeting, we met at the fairgrounds and helped clean up the 4-H food stand and exhibit building for the Martin County Fair.

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BIG CATCH - A group from Ecumen Pathstone Living (Mankato) traveled to Fairmont last week for a fishing trip with Fairmont Area Let's go Fishing. Isabelle

Reasoner, a 102-year-old fisher lady pictured with captain Dave, said that this was her third year coming to Fairmont. Isabelle has and still volunteers a lot at the home for older adults according to Leah Keyes-Hugeback, from Ecumen. A young avid housewife-angler, she fished a lot, mostly on Lake Washington. She would come home with her limit and her husband, who worked for the post office, would tire of cleaning so many fish. "I was real good - so good my husband said I shouldn't go fishing so often." Asked if she would be back next year, "Hope so. You never know when you are going to catch the big one!" Interested in Fairmont Area Let's go Fishing? Check out their website: fairmont.lgfw.com.

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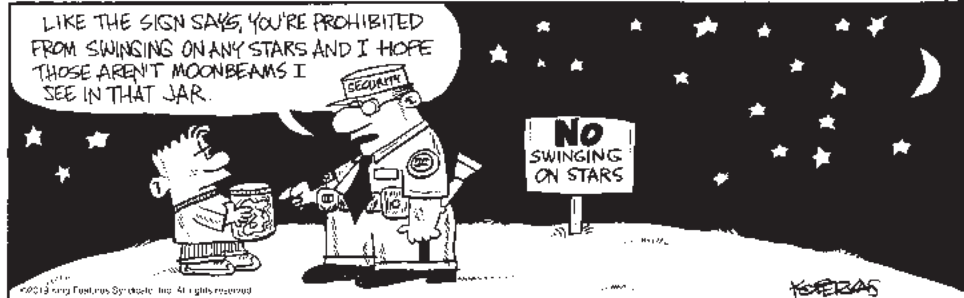
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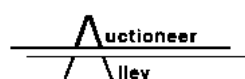
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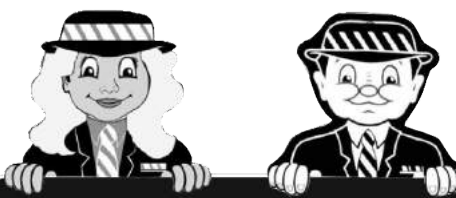
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Arlen R. Moeller, Sharon K. Moeller to Arlen R. Moeller, Sharon K. Moeller, W1284.03', SW¼, 24-103-30

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Coach Bonk to be honored at state level

Fairmont Area Schools Track and Cross Country coach Bob Bonk along with six other coaches will be honored for their achievements along with other coaches' awards at the Minnesota State High School Hall of Fame banquet. The event will take place Saturday, October 12th at the Sheraton Minneapolis West Hotel in Minnetonka.

Nominees for this award must have been active in coaching and/or athletic administration for a minimum of 25 years.

Bob Bonk started out teaching and coaching in Windom from 1971 to 1973. From 1973 to the present, he has been in Fairmont. Bob was a math and phy-ed teacher for 14 years and a secondary school counselor for 22 years. He retired from school counseling in 2007.

His total coaching history from 1971 to the present is as follows: **Track:** 48 years coaching, head boys' track coach for 42 years, head girls' track coach for 37 years, assistant boys' track coach six years. He continues to be the head boys' and girls' track and cross country coach. Besides track and cross-country, Bob has coached three other sports. He coached basketball for 13 years, wrestling for four years and football for two years. Through the fall of 2019, he has coached for a total of 111 sport seasons.



CARICATURES - "Play 4 a Cure" coed softball tournament brass Mike Fischer and Luke Ebeling took time out to get their likeness put to paper. According to Mike, "This was the biggest and best year yet! Taking the budget given by Midco, the direct donation to ACS from Midco, funds raised for Essence, t-shirt orders and raffle sales on site...we raised close to \$10,000!" Local and area teams participated in the annual cancer fundraising tournament this past weekend in Fairmont.

Fairmont Soccer Assn. local soccer scores

Girls Soccer, July 29th
Seifried Portrait 7, McDonalds 0. Goals: Molly Leiding (4), Ella Wubena, Avery (last name unreadable)
Pizza Ranch 4, HyVee 1. Goals: (Pizza Ranch) Lauren Bettin (2) and Addison Barrick (2); (HyVee) Ellie Perkins

Boys Soccer, July 29th
Becker Storage 10, Profinium 0. Goals: Bowan Sill (3), Alex Benk, Aaron Becker (2), Noah Heckman (2), Tyler, Slama, Alex Felten
Loxley Coffee 12, Commodity Services 0. Goals: Eli Jensen (4), Cody Reeves (3), Devin Hanson (2), Dammon Castillo, Dominic Klassen, Carter Werner

Boys Soccer, July 31st
Becker Storage 9, Commodity Services 0. Goals: Alex Benk, Noah Heckman(2), Bowan Sill, Aiden Mutschler, Brahm Sill, Alex Felten, Aaron Becker
Loxley Coffee 7, Profinium 1. Goals: (Loxley) Cody Reeves, (3), Damon Castillo (2), Carter Werner, Eli Jensen. (Profinium) Declan Luniewski

Girls Soccer, July 31st
Pizza Ranch 3, McDonalds 1. Goals: (Pizza Ranch) Addison Barrick, Jaylee Brower, Lauren Bettin. (McDonalds) Kynlee Beemer
Seifried Portrait 2, HyVee 1. Goals: (Seifried) Molly Leiding (2). (HyVee) Ellie Perkins

COED DIVISION 2 PLAYOFFS						
Championship						
Blue Ballers 17, Larson Trucking 3. Gold medal in one hand. Cold beer in the other! Blue Baller nation!						
COED DIVISION 1 PLAYOFFS						
Championship						
Blazer Bar/Exit Realty 16, Legends II 15. Courtney in-the-park-grand slam! <i>Legends II first loss</i>						
<i>If Necessary Championship Game</i>						
Blazer Bar/Exit Realty 15, Legends II 3. WE DID IT!						
MENS PLAYOFFS						
Edie's Restaurant 7, No Names 6. Love having the No Names in the league! Home they can bring another team next year!						
Tamis on the Ave 17, Hecht Taxidermy 14						
Steel Wheel 25, Edie's Restaurant 10						
Schofield Trucking 16, Tamis on the Ave 3						
Boekett/Rookies 15, Steel Wheel 13. T-Wills hits in to triple play!						



COED DIVISION I CHAMPIONS - Blazer Bar/Exit Realty. Team members include: Tyson Schuder, Courtney Whitmore, Rodney Engstrom, Shaylynn Anderson, Cole Wohlers, Kayla Schmidt, Melvin Thomas, Tee Kain, Kaleb Mohwinkel, Sarah Nordskog, Jordan Selnes, Danielle Grotzinger, Pam Krill, Brooke Eisenmenger.



COED DIVISION I RUNNER UPS - Legends II. Team members include: Dustin Zellmer, Stephanie Senne, Dan Cole, Kim Mosloski, Chandler Greier, Hanna Geistfeld, Dan Grunig, Natalie Schubert, Hoston Schubert, Abby Olson, Dustin Fritz, Britney Grunig, Todd Fritz, Korbin, Keegan, Kellen, Pressley.



COED DIVISION II CHAMPIONS - Blue Ballers. Team members include: Austin Minnman, Shaylee Hanning, Zach Ramos, Alex Schuder, Jason Castillo, Sierra Doyle, Brady Korn, Andrea Thate, Ty Anderson, Journey Kellam.



COED DIVISION II RUNNER UPS - Larson Trucking. Team members include: Josh Olson, Emma Ziemer, Chad Olson, Victoria King, Brandon Becker, Ryan Fitzgerald, Dinah Griese, Alex Anderson, Deonna Crissinger, Shae Seifert, Nikki Henriksen.

Rose Lake Golf Club Championship results

The Rose Lake Golf Club championship was held Saturday, August 3rd and Sunday, August 4th at the golf club, which is located east of Fairmont. Here is the list of the 2019 champions:

Club Champion: Chad Lutterman
Presidents Flight: George Pierce
1st Flight: Dick Hoffman

2nd flight: Ken Craig
3rd Flight: Josh Meyer
Seniors: Tom Henry
Super Seniors: Tom Henry - Low gross
Rich Johnson - Low net

Ladies Club Champion: Chelsea Green - Low Gross, Susan Wilken - Low net.

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Red Rock fundraiser a huge success



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The Tarnished Brass Ensemble, along with special guests Mike Ellingsen, Barbara and Paul Severiade performed for an overfilled room of event goers and supporters during a fundraising concert recently at the Red Rock Center for the Arts.

The Red Rock staff and board members are extremely grateful for the outpouring of support received to benefit the upcoming exterior building repairs.

Special thanks to Larry Vogel for arranging the concert.



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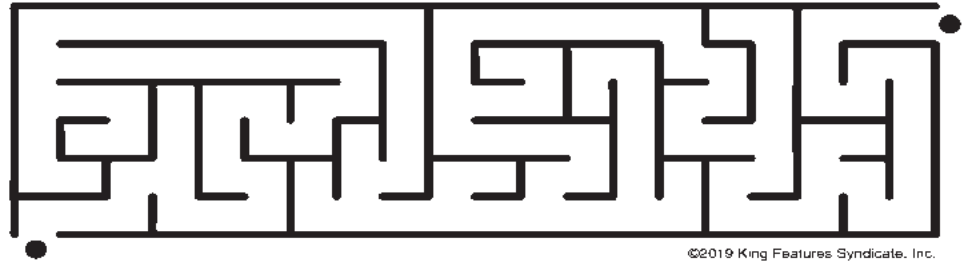
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