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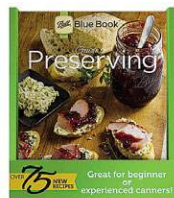
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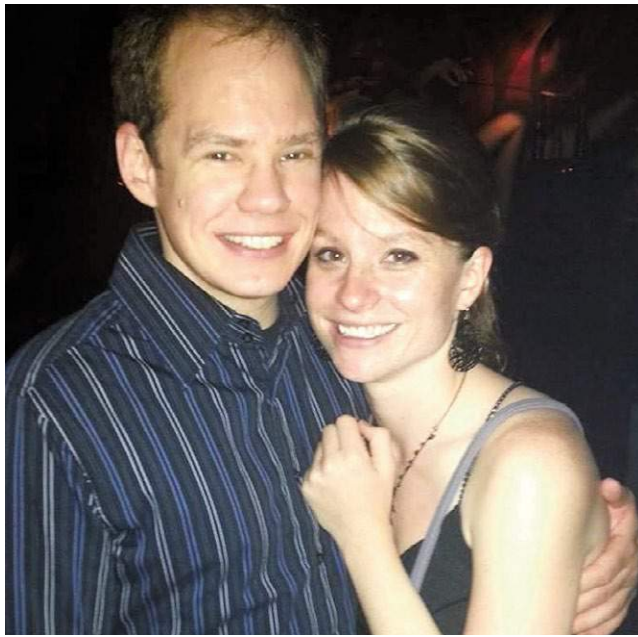
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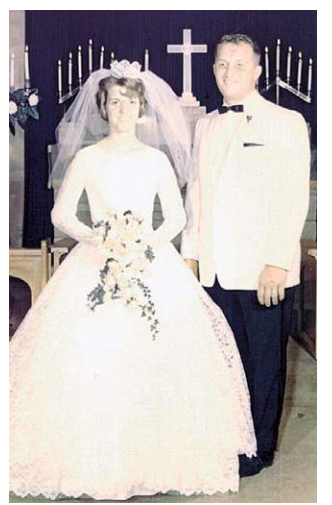
AUSEN-ELBERT - Roseann Ausen and John Elbert of Ceylon announce their engagement and upcoming marriage. Parents of the couple are Merle and Nancy Ausen of Star Prairie, Wisconsin and Doug and Janice Elbert of Dunnell. An October 10th, 2015 wedding is planned in Wisconsin.



PILLER-QUADE - Jen Piller and Austin Quade announce their engagement and upcoming marriage. Parents of the couple are Loren and Jere Piller of Minneapolis and Wayne and Linda Quade of Fairmont. Jen graduated from Hamline University in 2008. She is employed at Naral Pro-Choice MN as a field manager in Minneapolis. Austin graduated from the University of Minnesota at Morris in 2008. He is employed as a senior network engineer for Occam Group in Minneapolis. An October 2nd wedding is planned at the Cannon River Winery, Cannon Falls, Minnesota.



FRITZ 50TH - Kenneth and Jane Fritz of rural Fairmont will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house on Saturday, September 5th from 3 to 6 p.m. at their home, located at 276 - 180th Avenue, Fairmont. They were married on August 28th, 1965. The event is being hosted by their sons: Todd and Troy Fritz and their families. They request no gifts please.



Noah James Duflo, son of Josh and Brianna Duflo of Hillman, Minnesota, was born August 14th, 2015 in Cambridge, Minnesota. He weighed eight pounds, nine ounces and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Jerome and Sue Duflo of Fairmont and Joe and Karen Moe of Mounds View, Minnesota.

Great grandparents are Art and Linda Juergens of Fairmont, James and Joyce Tobiason of Garrison, Minnesota, Duane and Marilyn Vogel of Fridley, Minnesota.

Great grandmother is Hattie Duflo of Phoenix, Arizona.

An open house bridal shower for **Lizabeth Ness**, bride-to-be of Jordan Wade, will be on Saturday, August 22nd at 2:00 p.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in Alpha.

All relatives and friends are cordially invited.

The couple is registered at Target and Ashley's Hallmark in Jackson.

Heritage Acres will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, August 27th. It will start with a potluck supper at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is to bring a dish to pass. Eating and serving utensils will be furnished along with beverages.

A business meeting will follow with an update on our Threshing Day and fund-raising for our new display building. Anyone is welcome to attend.

For more information contact Jerry Simon at 507-236-1257.



Kayla Raquel Schulz and Alexander Gabriel Ekstrom

Tiphany Lyn Dawn Olmstead and Matthew Thomas-Steven Izen

A come and go bridal shower for **Katelyn Laue**, bride-to-be of Michael Steeves, will be held at Maschoff's Red Barn, 299 170th Avenue, Ceylon, on Saturday, August 22nd, 2015, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Parents of the couple are Russ and Julie Laue of Fairmont and Glenn and Becky Steeves of Mora.

An open house bridal shower for **Jessica (Holty) Laue** will be held on Saturday, August 22nd from 10 a.m. to noon at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Wilbert. Jessica was married to Ben Laue on June 18th. All friends and family are cordially invited. Parents are Rod and Deb Laue of Fairmont and Julie and Kevin Richardson and Glen Holty of Albert Lea.



VAUDT 90TH - Calvin Vaudt of Fairmont will celebrate his 90th birthday on Saturday, August 22nd. Cards can reach him at 1021 Shoreacres Drive, Fairmont MN 56031.

The annual **Education Minnesota Fairmont Fall Luncheon** is scheduled for Friday, August 28th from 11:30 to 1:00 at the Holiday Inn in Fairmont. If any former Education Minnesota Fairmont or Fairmont Education Minnesota is interested in attending, call Bob Millette at 235-9833 by Tuesday, August 25th. The cost will be \$8.00 for a soup/sandwich/salad buffet.

A **free hot meal** will be served at St. John Vianney Catholic Church, 901 South Prairie Avenue, on the fourth Sunday of every month. Join us this Sunday, August 23rd at 6:00 p.m. in the hospitality area. All are welcome.

There will be an Open House bridal shower for **Jill Sackett**, bride-to-be of John Eberhart on Saturday, August 29th from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Truman Community Building. Jill and John are registered at Truman Flowers and at Target and Mills Fleet Farm in Mankato.

95th Birthday Open House
for **Ted Kittleston**
Sat., Aug. 29th • 2 p.m. - 4 p.m.
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Thank you

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to all of our family and friends for all of their support at the sudden loss of DuWayne. There are no words adequate enough to express our gratitude.



We would like to extend a special thanks to Lakeview Funeral Home and their staff for treating us with such kindness and compassion. They are truly great at what they do.

Also a special thanks to Pastor Daul for prayers and words of comfort during this time.

The family of DuWayne Krumwiede

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Former Employees of Triangle Drive-In Hold 50th Reunion

Former employees of the Triangle Drive-In celebrated their 50th reunion recently by visiting the Pioneer Museum followed by a bus tour of Fairmont and then out to the present site of the Triangle

Drive-In. The event was organized by Greg Donnelly, one of the sons of the original owner, Lou Donnelly. Many memories and friendships were renewed during this very enjoyable occasion.



Mayo's Free COPD Presentation

Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) is a chronic inflammatory lung disease that blocks airflow to the lungs. According to the American Lung Association, COPD is the third leading cause of death in America, killing more than 130,000 people in 2010.

Abraham Joseph, M.D., Mayo Clinic Health System internal medicine physician, will offer a **free presentation** on COPD Thursday, August 27th at 7 p.m. in the main classroom of the Fairmont hospital.

Dr. Joseph will cover various aspects of COPD, as well as answer ques-

tions, such as:

- What is COPD?
- What are the symptoms?
- How do you treat it?
- Can you prevent COPD?

Registration for the Speaking of Health presentation is not required, and there will be a drawing for door prizes at the event. The public should enter through the south hospital entrance. For more information, call 507-385-4706.

Speaking of Health is a community health education series and does not qualify for clinical continuing education units or clinical contact hour credit.

Ruby's Pantry Food Distribution will be Saturday, August 22

Ruby's Pantry will have a food distribution in East Chain, Minnesota on Saturday, August 22nd from 10 to 11:30 a.m. at the East Chain Evangelical Free Church, located at 507 280th Avenue.

There are no income or residency guidelines. Ruby's Pantry is funded by the \$20 cash donation per participant for operational costs. Bring two large boxes or laundry baskets for food. They receive an abundance of food.

Ruby's Pantry is in its

eleventh year of serving rural communities with donated surplus food and goods to fight hunger and disease. It provides large quantities of food for distributions directly to families in 46 rural communities covering sixteen under-served counties in Minnesota and Wisconsin distributing food to over 10,000 families per month. For more information see their website at rubyspantry.org; email goodnews@rubyspantry.org or call 507-236-4653.

Area Quilt Show Activity

There is a lot of quilt activity going on in the area. Plans are being finalized for the Prairie Star Quilt Show to be held on Friday and Saturday, September 11th and 12th, at Bethel Evangelical Free Church in Fairmont.

The 2015 PSQG Featured Quilter is Linda Paris of Sherburne. Quilts of all kinds from guild members are slated for display in the show according to Lin Hilgendorf, quilt chair. Lin is in charge of evaluating

the measurements of each quilt to establish the layout of the show. The show committee will then hang the show and prepare the special exhibits including challenges and service projects.

On the weekend after Labor Day, the Prairie Star Quilt Guild presents a quilt show on odd numbered years and a style show on even numbered years. For more information, contact PSQG president Mike Ellingsen at 507-526-5808.

Red Rock: Haitian Jewelry Sale

Tuesday, August 25th, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., a Haitian Jewelry Sale will be held at the Red Rock Center, presented by Carol Nasby from the Peace Group of Fairmont, with the help of Friends from Grace Lutheran Church.

The Apparent Project Artisans guild is all about finding the worth and dignity of things that might otherwise be discarded and making that value apparent to others. They strive to draw attention to the value of people who might otherwise be forgotten.

They are referred to as "apPARENT" project

because they provide creative employment for families that are at risk of relinquishing their children to orphanages or to the streets. They currently employ 300 artisans and sell over a million dollars of product! They are dedicated to making a difference in the lives of parents of children at risk while showcasing their skill, dignity, and creative genius to the watching world.

The event is open to the public. Refreshments will be served and a free will donation will be taken. All proceeds will go directly to the Haitian artists.

Sydney Glienke receives \$4,000 ADS scholarship

The ADS Scholarship program celebrated its fifth year of commitment to providing financial assistance to high school seniors of qualified ADS employees who desire to pursue higher education. The ADS Scholarship program had another very successful year, receiving 22 exceptionally impressive applications. Of these applications, five (5) students were selected to receive a \$4,000 ADS Scholarship and Sydney Glienke was chosen as one of the recipients. Each of the students received a \$4,000 award in recognition of their outstanding service to their community, dedicated leadership, high academic achievement and inspiring extra-curricular commitment.

Sydney graduated 15th out of a class of 113 at Fairmont Senior High School. Her GPA was 3.85 and she scored a 27 on her ACT. She served on Stu-

dent Council, the Prom Committee, was a Vacation Bible School teacher and played both volleyball and basketball during her high school career. Sydney won the United States Academic Achievement Award, Academic Excellence Award and was on the High or Highest Honor Roll thru out her high school career. She worked doing secretarial duties, as well as waitressing and hostessing during high school.

Sydney will attend Winona State University where she will be majoring in Nursing. Having a passion for helping sick children, Sydney hopes to focus on pediatrics and hopefully work at a children's hospital once she graduates.

Sydney is the daughter of Tim and Kari Glienke and Kari is a Customer Service Representative at the ADS (Advanced Drainage Systems) Fairmont Plant.



Kari Glienke, left, and Sydney Glienke

Multiple Myeloma Support Group

The Fairmont Area Multiple Myeloma Support Group will meet Saturday, August 22nd, at the Mayo Clinic Health Systems - Fairmont Hospital from 10 a.m. to noon. A continental breakfast will be available. Meeting is open to

all patients, caregivers and friends. A recorded Dr. Durie presentation will be shown, followed by separate meetings for caregivers and patients. For more information, call Joyce Schultz at 507-230-0207.

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Top 20 Thinking: The Power of Choice

Guest Columnist



Michael Riley, Top 20 Committee Member

As mentioned in our last TOP 20 article, TOP 20 trainers Paul Bernabei and Willow Sweeny will be coming back to Fairmont/Martin County for a series of 5 different TOP 20 sessions August 27 and 28, so I thought it might be beneficial to overview some TOP 20 principles and concepts in preparation for those meetings.

The mission of the Martin County TOP 20 Initiative is **"To develop and cultivate a positive and successful community using TOP 20 principles."** Our focus for the upcoming sessions of TOP 20 TRAINING August 27 & 28 is to **"Help Others Succeed."**

The tag line of the TOP 20 TRAINING organization is "Discover the Power of Choice". This power of choice refers to how we think, learn and communicate. TOP 20 thinking focuses on making positive choices that serve us well and help us to be effective in our lives. This is called 'Above the Line Thinking' in TOP 20 terminology. Sometimes we choose negative and pessimistic thinking that doesn't serve us well which is called 'Below the Line Thinking'. In

life, we experience both positive and negative situations and circumstances, and we often don't have much choice about what shows up on our doorstep. But we do have a choice about bringing positive or negative energy to those situations and circumstances. We can choose to bring positive energy to negative situations which will help us to be more effective in our lives.

TOP 20 TRAINING gives us the tools to help us choose positive and effective ways of thinking, learning & communicating and ways to help others in our community to succeed as well. In future articles in following weeks and months we will explore these TOP 20 concepts and tools:

- Create a Positive, Effective and Healthy Community
- Help Others Succeed
- Communicate to Others That They Matter
- See the Problem, Own the Problem
- Honor the Absent
- Keep Your Day!
- The Power of Gratitude in our lives
- Above the Line vs Below the Line
- Trampolines - Getting

back Above the Line

- Staying Above the Line
- The Power of Purpose
- The Power of Choosing Your Attitude
- Creating a Culture of Teamwork
- Creating a Culture of Trust

The absolute best way to benefit from the concepts and tools of Top 20 thinking is to attend one or more of the upcoming sessions on Aug. 27 & 28.

• Aug. 27, 8 - 11:30 AM Area Schools & Faculty - Fairmont High School

• Aug. 27, 1 - 4:30 PM Creating an Effective Workplace - KC Hall

• Aug. 27, 6 - 8 PM Session for Parents/Family - Fairmont High PAC

Free light meal served from 5 - 6 PM & child care for children 5 & up

• Aug. 28, 8 - 11:30 AM Community Leaders by Invitation - KC Hall

• Aug. 28, 1 - 4:30 PM Seniors & Retires - Community Legacy - KC Hall

For more information on these TOP 20 sessions go to the Fairmont Chamber of Commerce website (fairmontchamber.org) and follow the TOP 20 link.

Fairmont Concert Association 2015-16 Program

The Fairmont Community Concert Association has announced its program for the 2015-16 season. The membership drive is underway and features five great performances:

"The Piano Man", which is a musical journey through the 70's with the songs of Elton John and Billy Joel on Saturday, September 19th at 7 p.m.

"The Metropolitan Symphony Orchestra" is Minnesota's most highly regarded civic orchestral ensemble coming Sunday, October 4th at 2 p.m.

"California Dreamin'" is a modern tribute to ABBA and a new show from Branson performing Saturday, February 6th, 2016 at 7 p.m.

"Mack Bailey" has been hailed as the "next great singer in folk music" and he will perform on Thursday, April 7th, 2016 at 7 p.m.

"Brassfire" wraps up the season with trumpeter Jens Lindemann and his trio on Monday, April 18th, 2016 at 7 p.m.

All the concerts will be held at the Fairmont Area High School Performing Arts Center.

Season tickets are:

Single Adult-\$45; Student-\$10; Family-\$100; Patron-\$110; Sponsor-\$150; and Benefactor-\$250+.

An added bonus is that all current concert association ticket holders will be able to attend five additional concerts with the Blue Earth Concert Association.

Join now by calling Pat Burns at 235-9276 or Joan Enquist at 235-6991.

See the concert association's ad in this week's Photo Press.

2015 Minnesota Sheriff's Scholarship Program

Martin County Sheriff Jeff Markquart announced recently the commencement of the Law Enforcement Scholarship Program for 2015.

Sheriff Markquart proudly announced that the MSA Board of Directors has established a scholarship fund for the awarding of up to 15 - \$600 scholarships for this year. These scholarships are due to the coordinated efforts of the 87 Sheriffs of the State of Minnesota.

The members of MSA give special recognition to the financial needs of students attending the peace

officer skills course, or one of the two or four year law enforcement degree colleges.

The Scholarship Committee, in making its selection of awards, intends on achieving representation from all geographical areas of the state. Scholarship awards will be announced by December 31st of the same year. Application forms and a statement of procedures are available at the Martin County Sheriff's office. Scholarships are only available to students currently enrolled in one of the following three categories:

1. Mandated POST Skills Program

2. In their second year of a two-year law enforcement program

3. In their third or fourth year of a four year college criminal justice program.

In order to qualify, students must have completed at least one year of the two-year program or two years of a four-year program. Students meeting these criteria are invited to obtain a scholarship application form from their local sheriff's office or online at mnsheriffs.org.

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April 7, 2016
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BRASSFIRE

Monday,
April 18, 2016
7:00 p.m.

Trumpeter Jens Lindemann and his trio.



Fairmont Concert Association members may attend five concerts, as guests with the Blue Earth Concert Association at no additional charge.

MEMBERSHIPS

Student: \$10 Adult: \$45 Family: \$100 Patron: \$110 Sponsor: \$150 Benefactor: \$250+

To enroll, please send your check to Fairmont Concert Association, 455 Victoria, Fairmont, MN 56031 or call 235-6991 or 235-9276

What's Cooking

with Kathy Lloyd

More Garden Produce!

Time for Fried Tomatoes

What a relief to have cooler weather and rain in the forecast! Such a welcome rain Sunday evening. I hope we get more to help the farmers, not to mention our lawns, trees and gardens! Unfortunately our tomatoes didn't do well this year. We only planted two plants and that usually provides us with what we need for eating, but not this year. Good thing we have our farmer's market.

Here is a unique recipe to use the delicious tomato most of us enjoy every summer!

Fried Tomatoes:

- 4 medium ripe tomatoes
- 1/2 cup flour
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 3 Tbsp olive oil, or other cooking oil
- sprinkle of pepper
- 2 Tbsp brown sugar
- 1 cup cream

Slice tomatoes 1/3 inch thick, dredge in flour and fry in oil until brown on both sides. Sprinkle with salt and pepper and the brown sugar. Place on platter. Add one tablespoon flour to the drippings (add a little butter or oil if you need more). Blend, add cream and cook until thick. Pour over tomatoes and serve. You may sprinkle on chopped parsley or basil if you wish.



Enjoy the cooler weather and the Martin County Fair and have a great week!

Red Rock Art Show In Memory of Janet Wandke of Fairmont

Artist of the Month, Sarah Welch is an artist living and working in Minneapolis, Minnesota. Sarah grew up coming to Fairmont to visit her grandparents, Joe and Janet Wandke. In addition to her parents, both grandparents encouraged her creative spirit from the beginning. Birthdays and holidays often included a gift of a drawing and painting set, easel, or other art materials. Her grandma always supported Sarah's



artistic tendencies and would come to as many of Sarah's art shows as she could. A fond memory for Sarah is when family friend, MaryDon Kislbury, drove Janet to Decorah, Iowa to view her senior art exhibit at Luther College. From the beginning, Grandma Janet was always a supporter of Red Rock Center for the Arts.

After graduating with a Bachelors Degree in Studio Art from Luther College, she was accepted into a program to study art history in Florence, Italy for one year. Living in a country where art is proudly displayed and artists are celebrated, it was the first time she considered the possibility of making a

career as an artist. After returning home to Minnesota in 2008, she was met with the task of finding a job in a shrinking job market so she turned to her art for a sense of purpose and comfort. Within several months she created a small body of work and

founded Wooden Spoon Editions. Each image is drawn, carved and printed by hand. Instead of using a traditional printing press or baron, Sarah uses a wooden spoon to burnish the paper and create each without machine. She has experience in several print-making techniques such as: intaglio, lithography, screen printing, and several others. While she enjoys the different effects of each technique, she finds herself drawn to the process of lino and wood block prints.

A come and go Meet and Greet Artist Reception will be held on Saturday, August 22nd from 6:30-8pm at the Red Rock Center for the Arts. Enjoy refreshments and fellowship while visiting with Sarah and enjoying her creative works of art. Open to the public, free of charge.

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CHECK IT OUT!

@ the Martin County Library

Did you love the Okee-Dokee Brothers concert last spring?

If family-friendly music is your thing, you won't want to miss this upcoming library event! Justin Roberts is a GRAMMY nominated musician that will be performing at the Minnesota State Fair. Catch

him in Martin County first, at the Sherburn Theater! Justin will perform at the Sherburn Theater on Monday, August 24th at 4 pm. Justin is a major voice in the indie family music scene. His music is intelligent and rocking, creating family entertainment perfect for kids and their parents too.

This program is free and open to the public and is made possible by a grant from Minnesota's Arts and Cultural Heritage Fund.

Call the Sherburn Library at 764-7611 with any questions.

See you there!

25 YEARS AGO IN THE PHOTO PRESS

WEEK OF AUGUST 22, 1990

Fleet & Farm Supply, 800 East Blue Earth Avenue, had a front page ad devoted entirely to its batteries. "For each worn-out, no good broken down car, truck or tractor battery you bring in", you received \$2.00. Over 500 batteries were charged up and ready to go.

For the first time in the history of Outstanding Senior Citizen selection at the Martin County Fair, a husband and wife won the honor in 1990. Harold and Greta Jagodzinske of Welcome were named the county's most deserving of the award.

Timberwolves' Tyrone Corbin was pictured signing a basketball during the Timberwolves traveling caravan which made a stop in Fairmont.

50 YEARS AGO IN THE PHOTO PRESS

WEEK OF AUGUST 22, 1965

Dr. Robert Zemke joined his father, E. E. Zemke in the practice of medicine in Fairmont. Dr. Bob was a Fairmont High School graduate and received his medical degree at the University of Minnesota, interning at Santa Clara County Hospital in San Jose, California. He had been a resident doctor at St. Olaf College in Northfield before returning to Fairmont.

Three government agencies housed in the former Red Owl building were moving to a building at 2423 S. Albion Ave. Two others were to join them following State Fair activities. They included the Agricultural Stabilization & Conservation Service, Farmers Home Administration, Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, Martin Soil Conservation Service, Martin County Extension Service and the Home Demonstration agent.



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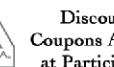
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OBITUARY notices

Lorena H. Danielson, 102

Funeral Service for Lorena H. Danielson, 102, of Fairmont, was held on Friday, August 14th, 2015 at Lakeview Funeral Home in Fairmont. Burial was at Fairview Memorial Park in Fairmont. Lorena passed away Tuesday, August 11th, 2015, at Mayo Clinic Health System Lutz Wing in Fairmont. Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Fairmont assisted the family with arrangements.

Lorena Harriet Senne was born March 23rd, 1913 to Fred and Mary (Henke) Senne on the family farm in Frazer Township, Martin County. She was baptized and confirmed at St. James Lutheran Church in Northrop. Growing up she attended District 59 School, St. James Lutheran Parochial School and Fairmont High School.

On February 26th, 1938 Lorena was united in marriage to Ronald M. Danielson at West Rutland Lutheran Church. This union was blessed with one daughter, Harriet.

Lorena took great pride in making her home a loving and caring environment for her family. She loved to cook, keep up on housework, sew, and garden. When Lorena became a grandmother she spent a lot of time with her grandsons, Jeffrey and Steven, going for walks and playing at the park. She opened her heart to many in the community by volunteering at the Fairmont Hospital and Church. She was a member of St. James Lutheran Church where she was a member of Ladies Aid.

When Ronald and Lorena moved from Northrop to Fairmont in 1975 they joined the United Methodist Church, where she was active in Ladies Aid, Circle Groups, and the funeral committee. She taught Sunday School at both churches. She will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her.

Those left to cherish her memory include her daughter, Harriet Danielson of Fairmont; grandsons: Jeffrey Hall of Granada and Steven Hall of St. Paul; great-granddaughter, Makayla Hall of Granada; numerous nieces and nephews; other extended family and many friends.

Lorena was preceded in death by her husband, Ronald; parents; mother-and-father-in-law; brothers: Lester (Louise) Senne, Nelvin (Ann) Senne, Willard (Dorothy) Senne, Ervin (Gertrude) Senne, and Walter Senne; sisters: Lucinda (William) Roth, Viola (Ray) Darmer, Iris (Woodrow) Vogel, Mildred (Elwin) Conklin, and Carrie Senne.

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Karen Gwen (Nord) Houfer, 78



A Celebration of Life Service for Karen Houfer, 78, of Fairmont, was held on Tuesday, August 18th, 2015, at Bethel Evangelical Free Church in Fairmont. Burial was in Lakeside Cemetery in Fairmont.

Karen passed away peacefully surrounded by her family on Friday, August 14th, 2015, at Mayo Clinic Health Systems in Fairmont. Lakeview Funeral Home in Fairmont assisted the family with arrangements.

Karen Gwen Nord was born April 19th, 1937, to Harold and Gwendolyn (Wessel) Nord in New Ulm. Growing up she attended school and was a member of the 1955 Fairmont High School graduating class. Following her high school graduation Karen continued her education at the Swedish Hospital School of Nursing and graduated with a degree in nursing in 1958.

On October 5th, 1958, Karen was united in marriage to John Houfer in Fairmont. This union was blessed with three daughters: Janell, Susan and Kristen.

Karen worked as a critical care nurse at the Fairmont Community Hospital for forty years, until her retirement in April of 1999. Karen's faith was very important to her, her love for her Lord was evident in all she did. She was an active member of Bethel Evangelical Free Church where she participated regularly in worship and Bible Study, and was a Core Leader of Community Bible Study. Karen loved to relax with a good book and spend time golfing at Interlaken Golf Club, where she had been a member. Most importantly, Karen adored her family. She cherished time spent with her children and grandchildren, especially attending their sporting events, concerts and other extracurricular activities.

Those left to cherish her memory include her husband, John "Jack" Houfer

of Fairmont; daughters: Janell Houfer of St. Cloud, Susan Petrowiak and her husband Brian of East Chain, and Kristen Gratz and her husband Dan of Prior Lake, Minnesota; grandchildren: Kaleigh Houfer, Jessica, Sara and Megan Petrowiak, and Samuel, Lucas, Noah and Liliana Gratz; brother, David Nord of Chino Valley, Arizona; sister, Diane Nord Bookman of Cary, North Carolina; other extended family and many friends.

Karen was preceded in death by her parents, Harold and Gwen Nord; and in-laws, John and Ida Houfer; brother-and-sister-in-law, Bill and June Plenge; and niece, Ida Plenge.

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Daniel M. Wagner, 65



Memorial service for Daniel M. Wagner, 65, of Fairmont, will be 11:00 a.m. Saturday, August 22nd, at Lakeview Funeral Home in Fairmont. Burial of ashes will be in St. Paul's Lutheran Church Cemetery - Wilbert. Visitation will be 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. Saturday, August 22nd, at Lakeview Funeral Home.

Daniel passed away Sunday, August 16th, 2015 at the Mayo Clinic Health Systems - Mankato.

Daniel Martin Wagner was born on March 8th, 1950 in Fairmont to Henry and Esther (Goe-

bel) Wagner. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Fairmont. He also attended St. Paul Lutheran Parochial School in Fairmont for grades K-8. He graduated from Fairmont High School in 1968. After high school Dan worked at Railway Motors for a short time and then was a brick tender for building projects in Fairmont and the surrounding area. Dan was an electrician and worked for Kahler Electric for many years. He enjoyed fishing, playing softball, gardening, and in the past few years enjoyed living in Arizona during the winter months. He loved the mountains and scenic

views.

Survivors include his brothers, Harold Wagner and his wife, Avis, of Fairmont, Roland Wagner of Fairmont; sister, Dorothy Sutton and her husband, Chip, of Lawrenceville, GA; sisters-in-law, Janice Wagner of Nicollet and Carolyn Wagner of Huntley; nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Dan was preceded in death by his parents; infant sister, Ruth Wagner; brothers, Robert and Richard Wagner; sister, Adeline Wagner Galchutt and her husband, Gary; sister-in-law, Marlys Wagner.

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In Memoriam One Year Ago This Week

August 11 - John A. Gardner, 84, Truman

August 12 - Morris L. Wayman, Sr., 59, Fairmont

August 14 - Earle D. Behrens, 78, Fairmont

August 15 - Robert W. Winter, 69, Truman

oto LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To the Editor:

After reading the Fairmont City Council news and the article in the "Readers Views" section by Ed Brekke-Kramer, I was compelled to write my opinion.

Living in Fairmont for more than 71 years, I have been interested in the progress of the city. When it was decided to build a water plant on the site of the Budd School lot, I felt a sadness. But of course,

it was the logical spot. I mean no ill feelings toward the Pierce family; we were neighbors, our kids played together. Steve Pierce was connected with many worthy things and should justly be recognized.

But I believe the new park on the old filtration plant site would have benefitted from the name "William Budd Park."

Betty Scheff
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NOTICE: Fairmont Public Utilities Customers are eligible for total reimbursement for fluorescent bulb recycling costs. When dropping fluorescent bulbs off for recycling ask for a rebate coupon, keep your receipt and turn both into Fairmont Public Utilities for reimbursement of recycling costs.

We will also accept appliances and electronics at these Wednesday collections. The cost will be \$15 per item, slightly higher for TVs over 36 inches and larger items.



Jeff's Jottings

By the time you read this, the Martin County Fair will be in full swing, about halfway through the fair week. The fair has had a soggy start to the events of the week, so hopefully things will look up by the week's end and into the weekend for the big 150th celebration! There are lots of activities going on this year and a number of events that are new this year for the 150th. We have some of the early activity photos in this week's Photo Press and we will have many more next week along with all of the 4-H winners, so enjoy yourself at the fair and maybe you may be featured in one of our photos. Don't forget to snap selfies and other photos and share them on our instagram site that features pics from everything that's happening around Martin County.

Fair Food Drive

Speaking of the fair, two local 4-H girls have taken on a project to collect food during the Martin County Fair this year to benefit local food shelves. Brianna Olson and Rachael Mielke have joined up to put on the biggest food drive Martin County has seen and it is all taking place at the Martin County Fairgrounds this week. They are asking for canned food, boxed food items or money donations. There will be col-

lection sites for the food located as you walk into the two main fair entrances (one by the Hockey Arena building and the other on the south entrance from the raceway parking lot. The food collected during the food drive at the fair will help raise awareness of hunger in our community year-round. The food and money will be distributed to two local food shelves: Heaven's Table and the Salvation Army. Kudos to these two ladies for taking on this large project and



helping out those in need in the local area!

It's a....

Whatchamacallit!

Well, we have had some guesses on the items that Al Batt submitted to us for our "What is it?" features the past few weeks. The first item was a small wooden and metal item and both Becky G. from our office and Robert Sorensen of Fairmont guessed that it was a small tapered candleholder from many years ago. The second item was what I posted in my column last week that was made of a cast metal type and was also small in size. Jade Sharp of Fairmont said that her family called it a "Thing-a-mah-jig" and it was used during the depression to transfer liquids from one bottle or jug to another so that every drop

was used during those times. Duane Moore of Armstrong guessed that it was a small candlesnuffer to douse candles. So there is no definite ruling on that item.

Kitchen Tools?

We have a new "What is it?" this week brought in by local resident Annie Anderson and it appears to be a kitchen item from the past. It is made



up of a lightweight metal with wooden handles. It measures a little over five inches when folded together and about 10 inches when unfolded. The round metal end has the edges beveled to provide a cutting surface and there are small holes in the rounded part, so maybe that was to allow liquid to drain out? On the inside of the handle is etched "Patented MAR 29, 1927", so it is an item that has been around for many years. At first I thought it may have

been an old melon baller, but I don't believe it would cut a round ball the way it is designed. My estimation is that it is probably from the 1940's or early 50's because it has the light green painted wood handles like you see on other kitchen items from that era. So, do you have any possible guesses?

Your Weekend Plans

With the Martin County Fair going on this week, there are not many other activities going on outside the fair. Of course there is the big 4-H food drive at the fairgrounds and then on Sunday, August 23rd, St. John Vianney Catholic Church in Fairmont is having their free hot meal at Hope Café. The meal will be served starting at 6:00 p.m. and all are welcome to attend.

Be Safe!

Before I go, since the fair is going on this week featuring many evening entertainment groups and the beer garden will be in full swing, please remember to drink responsibly this week (and anytime for that matter!) when you are at the fair. Be mindful of others around you in your actions and most importantly, if you have been drinking - let someone else do the driving! Ask a friend or even contact Royalty Rides to give you a lift home.

Have a great week!

Drive safely - visit a shut-in or family member - Eat, Play, Shop Local - donate food at the fair!

- Jeff



Kiwanis Korner

100 years proud

Kiwanis International is celebrating its 100th Anniversary in 2015 and in observance of this event, we are spotlighting Fairmont area's two Kiwanis Clubs and their members.

DAVID PASCHKE



David Paschke joined Kiwanis January 29, 2015.

Dave and his wife Kim Paschke have two children, Chris and Pat, and one granddaughter, Alexis. Chris lives in the Denver area and Pat lives in Hastings, Minnesota.

Dave and Kim moved to Fairmont in 1979 and have both worked for the school district for many years. Dave's positions with the school district include math and computer science teacher, Cross Country, Basketball and Track Coach, Director Instruction and Technology and High School Principal. Dave retired from the principal position in 2013 and took on a Technology and Learning Consultant position with the South Central Service Cooperative in Mankato. He currently works with over 50 school districts and libraries in south central Minnesota. Dave has been a member of Grace Lutheran Church since moving to Fairmont.

Projects Dave has been involved with since joining earlier this year include the Pancake Supper, Bingo and Helping with Mentorship events. Dave is hoping to be active with Community Service and Public Relations and Website committees and working to support our students.

Early Risers Kiwanis meets every Wednesday at 6:30 a.m. at The Ranch Restaurant.
Uptown Kiwanis meets every other Tuesday at noon at Tami's on the Ave.

For more information or to become a member, contact: Uptown Club President Louise Hendricks, 235-3090; Early Risers Club President Mike Katzenmeyer, 235-9534.

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers, dedicated to improving the world, one child and one community at a time.

Monday at the Martin County Fair



The Tilt-A-Whirl ride sits empty waiting for the rides to open to the public this week.



The newest addition to the Fair display buildings is the Floyd Bellin building welcomes visitors to view the Agricultural Education displays.



Some piglets enjoy a nap together with their mother in the new Floyd Bellin Education barn.



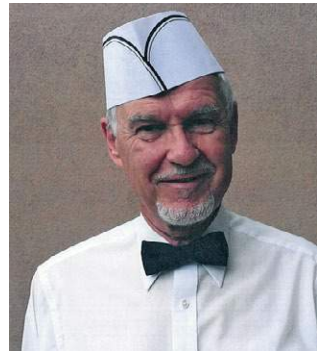
Workers and visitors at the St. Paul Lutheran Church food stand prepare for serving the many fairgoers this week.

left: A young lady washes her horses in preparation for judging at this year's Martin County Fair.

Triangle Drive Inn Reunion

Maisie Bentz, Photo Press Reporter - Intern

In June of 1965, on the corner of Johnson and South State Streets and Albion Avenue, a new restaurant was added to the list of places to eat in Fairmont, MN. Lou Donnelly built the Triangle Drive Inn as a way for his sons to acquire business experience. Then 17-year-old Steve, 16-year-old Bruce



and 13-year-old Gregg Donnelly were in charge of hiring, payroll, and all the other aspects of running a business. After being open for five summers, the restaurant was sold and kept as a restaurant for a few years before turning into an office and apartment building.

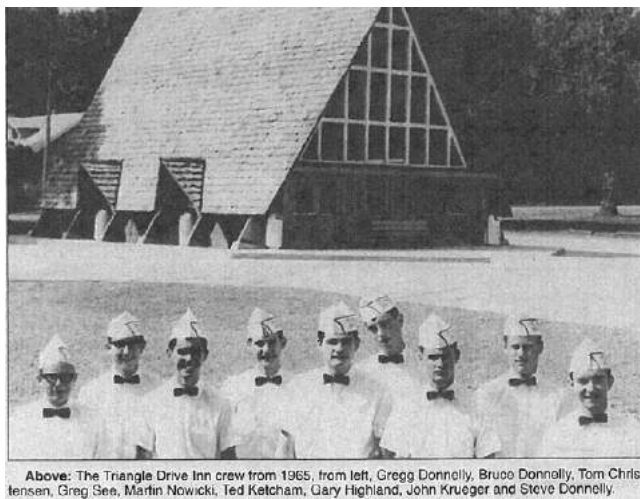
Since March 2014, Gregg has been thinking about having a get-together for old buddies and



employees who worked at the Drive Inn. Now living in Delano, Minnesota, Gregg has been contacting employees from all over including Australia and Cape Cod, MA. "A crazy idea came to mind," Gregg says. That idea led to the reunion that took place August 8th. Of the

40 employees still living, 21 came back to Fairmont to celebrate a 50th Anniversary celebration.

The day started with the employees and their spouses and family members meeting at the Martin County Historical Society to look through old memorabilia from the Triangle Drive Inn. The group then took a bus tour through Fairmont and ended up on the Northeast side of town to look at the Triangle building at its new location. The



Above: The Triangle Drive Inn crew from 1965, from left, Gregg Donnelly, Bruce Donnelly, Tom Christensen, Greg See, Martin Nowicki, Ted Ketcham, Gary Highland, John Krueger and Steve Donnelly.



owner of the building has big plans for its future. After the stop at the restaurant that has created so many memories, the group headed to the Red Rock Center for the Arts. A meal, refreshments and an afternoon of reminiscing with old buddies followed. "It was a good turn out and a lot of fun," Gregg says. "It was a good time for all."

Here and there

by Al Batt

The chipmunk tocked, like a clock with a broken ticker. It reminded me to hit the road.

I drove down the same rural road at 5:30 p.m. every day for a week. At the same spot in the road 100 to 150 starlings gathered on utility wires. It was a scheduled stop for them. Litter from fast-food chains spread far and wide. So did turkey vultures in mowed hayfields.

I worked at the county fair. The fair should hold a tallest weed contest. A nice young man brought in a giant water bug. It looked fierce because it was. It uses its formidable foreleg pincers to catch underwater prey like small fish and frogs. Flat and dark brown, it lives at the bottom of muddy waters and in surrounding vegetation. It's drawn to light sources at night and found itself at the fair.

Janet Eastvold of Hartland spotted a crane fly. Though they look like giant mosquitoes, they aren't. Though they appear to be the end result of a mosquito falling in love with a daddy long-legs, that isn't the case. Crane flies do no harm to people or property.

Someone brought in a photo of a bee that didn't quite look like a bee. It was a bee mimic. A fly. Something harmless imitating something dangerous. Flies have two wings. Bees have four wings.

I told fairgoers that earwigs and slugs love to feed on hostas. Earwigs really chow down on marigolds.

The Rockford files

I visited Stan and Corlyss Fitz in Rockford, Iowa. Stan maintains the

wondrous Fitz-Reading Garden. He's done so for 20 years. Besides an array of amazing plants, the garden holds 22,000 bricks and stones that Stan put into place. I had a delightful time there with people, plants and wasps.

Wasps scare people. They look like small bombs. I marveled at the antics of cicada killers and the football-shaped nest of bald-faced hornets hanging from a tree. A steel-blue cricket hunter moved with quick, nervous actions over bare ground as it carried a cricket. The females sting crickets or grasshoppers and lay an egg on the paralyzed prey placed at the bottom of a burrow. She closes the burrow and the egg hatches into a larva, which eats the living prisoner. The wasp larva pupates and emerges as an adult next summer.

Glenn Biggs of Rockford told me of his encounters with dodder. Dodder is a parasitic herbaceous



GIANT WATER BUG by Al Batt

vine with yellow to orange stems. White flowers appear in a dense cluster along the stem. Leaves usually don't exist. There are a number of species of the genus, all parasitic. Seeds germinate on the ground and the string-like stems climb nearby plants. As soon as the dodder is able to draw nourishment from the host plant, the root withers away and the parasite lives completely off the host. It can cause harm to specific plant communities. When I was a boy, I called it "rope dodder."

Q-and-A

"What preys upon bats?" Owls, hawks, snakes, raccoons, weasels and mink.

"Do groundhogs climb trees?" Groundhogs are also called woodchucks, whistle-pigs or land-beavers. The name woodchuck is derived from their Algonquin name, wuchak. They spend most of their time on or under ground, but can climb trees.

"What causes brown spots on lawns?" Who do you think I am, Lawn Boy? Anyone who has seen my lawn would never ask me this question. There are a number of possible causes. Dull mower blades tear grass. A mower blade set too low. Spilled gasoline, fertilizer, herbicides or pesticides. Animal urine. The Pet Food Institute reports that there are 71 million dogs in the U.S. and 73 million cats. Poor growing conditions or soil. Compacted soil. Erosion. Tree roots. Dormancy. Buried debris. Thatch buildup. Grubs. Brown patch and other fungal diseases thriving in moist conditions.

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THUR: Pepperoni Pizza, broccoli buds, orange.

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\$marter Women: Receiving An Inheritance

Guest Columnists

Julie Leichtnam and Lynne Burgraff

Wealth Advisors, Raymond James Financial Services Inc. at Sweet Financial Services and Co-Founders of \$marterWomen

Coping with the loss of a loved one is never easy. Although receiving an inheritance represents an emotional time in your life, it also presents you with an opportunity to care for your family financially. It's important to plan how you use your inheritance wisely. Below are some suggestions on how to manage your inheritance money:

Determine how you want to use your inheritance

When the time is appropriate and you are ready to invest or spend your inheritance, first you should think about your short-term and long-term goals. For example, you may want to save for a house, save for a college education fund for your children, or travel. By determining what your financial goals/priorities are, you can then take the best course of action. Keep in mind that there may be tax implications from receiving an inheritance.

Pay off debts

You may want to use your inheritance to pay off or reduce outstanding debts, such as credit cards, student loan(s), car payment(s), etc.

Prepare for unforeseen circumstances

One way to make the most of your inheritance is to set aside a portion of your money into an emergency savings account. Saving your money separate from regular savings or checking accounts may allow you to cover any unforeseen costs that arise without setting you back financially.

Additionally, it may be appropriate for you to use your inheritance to protect yourself and your family with various forms of insurance coverage, such as health, life, homeowner/renter's and/or auto.

Invest for the future

Some of the long-term goals that you identified in thinking about how to use your inheritance may re-

quire a significant amount of money. Ensuring that you have the financial security for a comfortable retirement for example, requires planning.

Donate to charity

Donating some of your inheritance to charity may be a great way to reduce taxes. Consult with a financial advisor for more information on how you can reduce taxes with charitable giving.

Increase the size of your savings account

While there may be temptation to spend money on things that you've always wanted, such as a new car or European vacation upon receiving an inheritance; it's important for you to manage your new assets wisely. Saving your money will allow you to achieve more of your future goals, as well as to take care of your financial priorities.

Source: Lincoln National Corporation 2015



Mayo Clinic Health Systems Kicks Off Expansion



ER GROUNDBREAKING - Mayo Clinic Health System-Fairmont held a groundbreaking ceremony last week at the location of its new \$4.5 million Emergency Department expansion. The Emergency Department will be approximately four times the size of the present ER. It will have 10 updated, larger private patient rooms, covered ambulance drive-through garage, emergency decontamination area and space for treating and holding behavioral health patients. The new addition will be ready in about a year.



AMENDED ORDINANCE NO. 2015-1 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 9.03 AND 9.04 OF THE CEYLON CITY CODE FOR QUALIFIED PROPERTY IN AN URBAN DISTRICT SETTING THE RATIO OF BENEFITS RESULTING FROM TAX SUPPORTED MUNICIPAL SERVICES

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Ceylon:
Section 1. Section 9.03 is amended to read as follows:

Presently Owned	Parcel No.
Schueler Trust c/o Wallace & Dorothy Schueler 11568 Whitefish Ave. Crosslake, MN 56442-2041	21-040-0010 Sect-23 Twp-101 Range-032 Unplatted 8.26 AC of E400' (Ex. S. 100' of E137' of Tract & 37' x 56' in SE Cor) Unpl N 938.5' 8.26 ac.
Julaine P. Markquart P.O. Box 303 Thompson Falls, MT 59873-0303	21-040-0050 Sec. 23 Twp 101 Range 032 Unpl. 15.34 ac Tract of Land in SE 1/4 SE-1/4 (Ex Plat) & Vacated Grant St. 15.34 AC
Kathleen Manzke P.O. Box 154 Brandon, MN 56315	21-040-0150 Sect 24 Twp 101 Range 032 Unplatted 29.98 ac N125.65' of OL 4 & a tract 150' x 372.5' N - 1/2SW - 1/4 & OL 6, 15, 16, 17 & 18 (ex 30.5' x 99.35 of 18) & N 725' of OL 5 & N - 1/2 Vac St, 29.98 ac.
John D. & Penny K. Stelter 504 Smith St. Lakota, IA 50451	21-040-0170 Sec 24 Twp 101 Range 032 Unplatted 17.75 ac Unpl S. 20 acres of NW-1/4 (Ex E 2.25 acres) 17.75 AC
Donald William Stelter 1241 40th St. Ceylon, MN 56121	21-040-0175 Sect 24 Twp 101 Range 032 Unplatted 2.25 ac Unpl E. 2.25 ac of S20 AC NW - 1/4 2.25 ac
June M. Bents P.O. Box 276 Ceylon, MN 56121-0276	21-040-0220 Unplatted Sect 25 Twp 101 Range 032 34.74 acres Unplatted NE - 1/4 NW 1/4 (Ex Blk 2 Andrews Addn & Tract 180' x 140' To V Prust) (and Vac St.) 34.74 ac
Larry & Vicki Howell 16901 256th Ave. Spirit Lake, IA 51360-6877	21-040-0520 Unplatted 8.50 ac Unplatted S 4 ac W of RR NW - 1/4 NW - 1/4 Sec. 25 & E 4-1/2 AC of S 5 - 1/2 ac of Lot 1 Sec 26 101 32 8.50 ac
John D & Penny K. Stelter 504 Smith St. Lakota, IA 50451	21-060-1420 Sect 24 - Twp 101 Range 032 Original 7.57 ac Blks 18 & 19 & Vac Alley & Sts (ex Lots 8 thru 12 & N35' Lot 7, Blk 18) & (Ex Lot 11, Blk 19)
City of Ceylon P.O. Box 328 Ceylon, MN 56121-0328	21-060-1460 Original Lot - 011 Block 019 .92 ac .92 ac (City Dump)
Rodney & Debra Laue 464 Cottonwood Road Fairmont,, MN 56031	21-525-0010 Outlot 3.22 ac (ex. W 75 feet) 3.22 ac
Steven J. and Connie M. Saggau P.O. Box 385 Ceylon, MN 56121	21-040-0180 Unplatted 14.77 ac West 20 acres of W-1/2 SE-1/4 24-101-32 (except 5.23 ac) 14.77 acres total

Section 2. Section 9.04 is amended to read as follows:

9.04 The benefit to land within the rural service district compared to land of like market value situated within the urban service district shall be 37 percent.

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Hawkins Chevrolet Announces Fair Programs

During the 150th Martin County Fair, Hawkins Chevrolet has special programs planned for each day of the fair.

Wednesday, August 19th, 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. "Lovin' 60s" celebrating the 60s and the 50th an-



niversary of "The Sound of Music." From 6 p.m.

to 7 p.m., a question and answer period with Debbie Turner. Debbie played Marta Von Trapp, the second youngest of the Von Trapp children in the movie. Also from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. have an opportunity to meet Debbie.

Also enter for a chance to win Sound of Music autographed memorabilia.

Thursday, August 20th, 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. Celebrate the 70s with the Hawkins sales team. 6 p.m. to 8 p.m., groove to disco music. Wait for a special appearance by a popular 70s music group.

Friday, August 21st, 3 p.m. to 9 p.m., "Rockin' 50s." Celebrating the 50s



with Elvis. 5 p.m. to 6 p.m., listen to Elvis perform all of his hits, 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., photos with Elvis.

Saturday, August 22nd, noon to 9 p.m., "Totally 80s." Celebrate



the 80s with the King of Pop: 6 p.m. to 7 p.m., Michael Jackson will be here with his dancers; 7 p.m. to 8 p.m., meet Michael and have photos taken.

Sunday, August 23rd, noon to 6 p.m., just relax and browse the Hawkins selection of vehicles that were on display all week.

Hawkins Chevrolet Hosts "Play For a Cure"

Hawkins Chevrolet hosted their 3rd annual charity softball tournament this past weekend. Tournament director Hawkins' Mike Fischer, in pink cape, said "It was very hot but it was very successful! We appreciate all that the teams do to make this event a suc-

cess!" Congrats to all the raffle prize winners... and congrats to the winning teams in finals: 1st Place Div 1 Fabers, 2nd Place Div 1 State Farm Glencoe, 1st Place Div 2 Pro Installers, 2nd Place Div 2 Countywide." *Courtesy Facebook/ Rene Photos*



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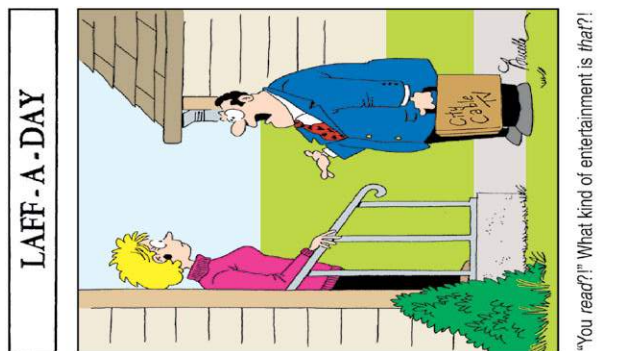
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Extra Patrols on Martin County Roads August 21-September 7

On a hot summer day, it's easy to throw back a few drinks while enjoying the beach or fishing on the dock, and it's easy to forget that driving home with a buzz is drunk driving. As summer winds down, Fairmont PD, Truman PD, and Martin County Sheriff's Office will be turning up the heat on drunk drivers starting August 21st as officers/deputies will be conducting extra DWI patrols through September 7th.

The enforcement is

part of a statewide effort with officers, deputies and troopers from more than 300 agencies working overtime with funding provided by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration. The Minnesota Department of Public Safety Office of Traffic Safety (DPS-OTS) coordinates the Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over enforcement and education effort.

"It's time to take a stand against those who choose to get behind the wheel after drinking," said Fairmont Officer Michael Beletti. "Don't be afraid to speak up. Take the keys away from a friend or loved one, and find them a sober ride home. It could save a life, even yours."

A Deadly Holiday Approaching

As the end of summer nears, Labor Day is the second deadliest major holiday with 24 fatalities over the last five years (2010 - 2014) on Minnesota roads.

Drunk Driving, a Sobering Reality

More than 25,000 drivers are arrested for DWI in Minnesota each year.

Those alarming numbers average out to nearly three DWI arrests per hour throughout the state.

In the last five years (2010 - 2014), there were 479 drunk driving-related traffic deaths in Minnesota and 88 people were killed in 2014 alone.

"The 96 people, on average, who lose their lives every year because of drunk driving are often referred to as a statistic," said Officer Beletti. "But these are real people who have loved ones hoping they will still walk through the door any moment. We won't rest until every drunk is off the road, as we strive to make Martin County a safe and sober driving community."

DWI Consequences

- Loss of license for up to a year, thousands of dollars in costs and possible jail time.

- Repeat DWI offenders, as well as first-time offenders arrested at 0.16 and above alcohol-concentration level, must use ignition interlock in order to regain legal driving privileges or face at least one year without a driver's license.

- Offenders with three or more offenses are required to use interlock for three to six years, or they will never regain driving privileges.

Prevent Drunk Driving

- Plan for a safe ride - designate a sober driver, use a cab/public transportation or stay at the location of the celebration.

- Offer to be a designated driver, or be available to pick up a loved one anytime, anywhere.

- Buckle up - the best defense against a drunk driver.

- Report drunk driving - call 911 when witnessing impaired driving behavior. Be prepared to provide location, license plate number and observed dangerous behavior.

Definitions

- Driving While Impaired (DWI) is a violation for driving under the influence of alcohol.

- Alcohol-related: any evidence of alcohol detected in a driver, pedestrian or bicyclist.

- Impaired-related: any driver, pedestrian or bicyclist with a blood alcohol concentration (BAC) of .08

or above.

- Drunk-driving-related: any driver with a blood alcohol concentration (BAC) of .08 or above.

DPS-OTS coordinates the statewide campaign, and local agencies participating are Fairmont Police Department, Martin County Sheriff's Office, Truman Police Department.



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Thu, Aug. 20 Open 11 am-10 pm featured pie: lemon meringue	Sun, Aug. 23 Open 11 am-7 pm featured pie: raspberry pie available while supplies last
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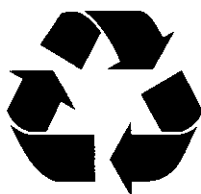
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WARRANTY DEEDS

Judy Ann Lundgreen, Michael W. Lundgreen to Annmarie E. Gibson, Curtis L. Gibson, Lot 4, Block 1, Martin Park 2nd Addn.

Kerwin R. Armitage, Luann M. Armitage to Arthur E. Miller, Bonnie J. Miller, Lots 1 and 2, Exc. N.31', Block 3, Grafts 3rd Addn., Truman

Debra Holz-Meyer, Dale Meyer to Jaron D. Finkbeiner, Meghan C. Finkbeiner, Lot 2, Block 3, 2nd Ext. Wards Central Addn.

Jamie Rassel, Rebekah R. Rassel to Glenda F. Madsen Trust, John S. Madsen Trust, Glenda F. Madsen, Trustee, John S. Madsen, Trustee, Lot 1, Block 3, 4th Ext. Belle Vue Heights

Sheila A. Morton, Matthew Sutphin, Sheila A. Sutphin to Destiny Taylor Rainville, Maxime S. Rainville, Lot 6, Block 2, Taylor & Johnson Addn.

Brian D. Petrowiak, Susan Petrowiak to Holly Leonard, SE¼SE¼, 11-101-30

QUIT CLAIM DEED

Dale Allen Meyer to Debra A. Holz, Pt. Lots 9 and 10, Block 17, Original Plat of Fairmont

Howard Henry Blount, Jr. to Robert E. Welder, Lot 4, Block 12, Original Plat Triumph

Bradley Hartke, Elizabeth Hartke to Joan L. Hartke Qualified Terminable Interest Property, Lot 6, GS 6, Hartke Condo Sherburn

Bradley Hartke, Elizabeth Hartke to Joan L. Hartke Qualified Terminable Interest Property, Lot 7, GS 7, Hartke Condo Sherburn

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION NOTICE OF EXTENDED HOURS FOR ABSENTEE VOTING

The Martin County Auditor/Treasurer's Office will be open from 10 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 29, 2015, for the purpose of allowing individuals unable to vote at their designated precincts on September 1, 2015 to cast absentee ballots for the Primary Election to be held on September 1, 2015.

James Forshee Martin County Auditor/Treasurer

PUBLIC NOTICE OFFICIAL PUBLICATION

A Public Accuracy Test for the purpose of demonstration for the accuracy of the computer election equipment to be used by Martin County in the Primary Election on September 1, 2015, will be held in the Commissioner's Room in the Martin County Courthouse by the Martin County Auditor/Treasurer at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, August 27, 2015.

James Forshee, Martin County Auditor

Bradley Hartke, Elizabeth Hartke to Joan L. Hartke Qualified Terminable Interest Property, Lot 8, GS 8, Hartke Condo Sherburn

STATE DEEDS

State of Minnesota to Margaret Gochanour, Todd N. Gochanour, Pt. Outlot 1, Fred Stade Amber Lake Addn.

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Saturday, August 22, 10:00 a.m. – CLIFFORD HANSEN ESTATE: Farm & Livestock Equipment auction in the Jeffers, MN area. *Dan Pike & Associates*

Monday, August 24, 4:00 p.m. – HENKLES ESTATE: Heron Lake, MN. Tractor, pickup, trailer, shop equip and a lot of regular and hand guns. *Dan Pike & Associates.*

Saturday, September 12, Forenoon – LAWRENCE BRESSLER ESTATE: Large auction 3 mi. NW of Windom, MN. 24 modern & collectible tractors, farm equip., vehicles, lawn & shop equip., household, antiques, guns, toys, etc. *Dan Pike & Associates.*

Monday, September 14, 10:00 a.m. – DARREL & DELORES PLUMHOFF: Large Antique, Collectible & Household Auction located @ the Martin County Fairgrounds Arena. *Doug Wedel & Associates.*

PRIVATE LISTING: THE ROBERT MALO BUILDING SITE. Located on Blacktop 22 or 85th Street, 3.5 miles SE of Sherburn, MN. Beautiful large home, later machine sheds, been in the family many years. **PRICE REDUCED!**

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RETIREMENT FARM EQUIPMENT AUCTION GEORGE & JEAN MURPHY - OWNERS

Saturday, August 29th, 2015 - 10 a.m.

12523 370th Ave., Blue Earth, MN 56013

Location: From Guckeen, MN take I-90 Exit 113, North 3/4 miles to County Rd 8 then East 5 miles to 370th Ave, and South 1/2 mile. **(Signs will be posted)**

J.D. Tractors: J.D. "7810" MWFD Tractor, P.S., 19 spd. 18.4 R 42 axle duels, like new rubber, triple hyd., suitcase & wheel weights, 2 door deluxe cab w/jump seat, triple link front suspension, S.N. RWSG06003255, 5404 hours. **J.D. "4650" MWFD Tractor,** P.S., 18.4 R 42 axle duels, like new inside rubber & new front rubber, factory wheel & suitcase wts., triple hyd., S.N. P008281, 5,088 hours.

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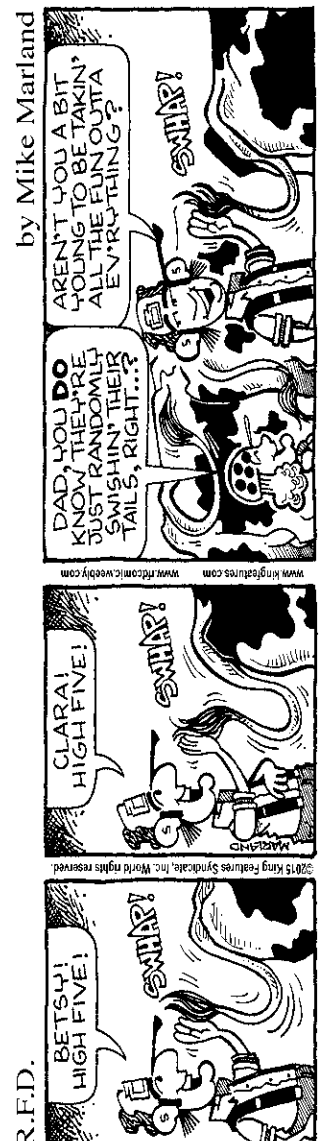
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DIVISION I COED RUNNER-UPS: Faber's Plumbing - Team members include: Luke Ebeling, Adam Gates, Anthony Forand, Matt Fretty, Dustin Zellmer, Ben Weihe, Mel Engel, Pam Ekert, Steph Senne, Bail-ee Firchau, Brooke Eisenmenger, Allison Klassen.



DIVISION II COED CHAMPIONS: Hawkins Chevrolet - Team members include: Mike Fischer, Krissy Fischer, Darrin Flohrs, Kayla Schmidt, Ryan Buntjer, Krista Lyons, Joey Belaski, Alysha Meyerran, Mikkie Cyphers, Jena Willis, Mike Heckman, Ryan Paczkowski, Kyle Engstrom.



DIVISION II COED RUNNER-UPS: Royalty Rides - Team members include: Dahmon Gullord, Tiffany Gullord, Zach Hanson, Lori Hansen, Dustin Fritz, Sara Stumpf, Chris Gerhardt, Ashley Gerhardt, Debbie Mosloski, Kacey Donahue, Michelle Eastman, Blake Mathiason, Kevin Urban, Nick Berhow, Dave Gullord.



DIVISION III COED CHAMPIONS: Blue Earth Legion - Team members include: Rick Scholtes, Molly Eckhardt, Erika Davison, Monica Krieger, Travis Preuss, Travis Fenske, Carla Boettcher, Rayne Hanevik, Jason Olson, Brittany Goerndt, Mark Haase, Jason Casias, Kayla Schaper, Farrah Olson, Robert Thate, Kasta Amundson.



DIVISION III COED RUNNER-UPS: McDonalds/Culligan - Team members include: Justin Barnes, Braden Grefe, Jon Schultze, Jovans Ramos, Jared Herman, Kayla Lardy, Mikayla Krzywicki, Rachel Schumperlin, Lisa Craig, Brooke Diekmann, Cayce Craig, Jake Reuter.



DIVISION IV COED CHAMPIONS: DairyFreeze/Graham Tire - Team members include: Michelle Clancey, Adam Wolfe, Kelsey Klein, Dani Williams, Amber Szafryk, Rodney Szafryk, Shae Seifert, Brad Seifert, Jeremy Peterson, Tessa Peterson, Dylan Peterson, Kim Spiegel, Roger Spiegel.



DIVISION IV COED RUNNER-UPS: Shenanigans - Team members include: Danielle Kuperus, Jay Slater, Kim Kaylas, Mel Ketterl, Doug Ketterl, Travis Christian, Venus Christian, Teah Stedman, Patrick Prafke, Amanda Schwichtenberg, Britny Engelby, Deacon Johnson.



RACE TO THE BASE - Martins first baseman Adam Schmidt races Luverne's Joey Slieter to the bag with Jordan Petsche trailing the play. The Region 13C #2 seeded Martins open state tourney play Sunday, Aug. 23rd against Lastrup in Cold Spring. The tourney runs weekends with the championship Monday, Sept. 7th. *Courtesy fairmontsports.com*



EARLY START - The 2015 seniors and the Cardinals will kick-off the high school season this Saturday against Little Brown Jug rival Blue Earth Area, 10:30 a.m. at Mahoney Field. With no dome the Minnesota State High School League board approved changes to the 2015 football schedule to accommodate an earlier Prep Bowl while still guaranteeing every team an eight game regular season and a playoff spot. Also district restructuring has replaced traditional conferences creating some new teams on regular season schedule: Jordan Friday, August 28th, Tri-City United on Thursday, September 3rd in Montgomery, home with Marshall on Friday, September 11, away for both St. Peter September, 18th and Worthington the 25th, Albert Lea for Homecoming on October 2nd and at Waseca on October 9th. The Cards have two new Section 3AAA foes for the playoffs. Jackson County Central and Luverne have joined the section replacing BEA and Belle Plaine. Still in the section are Worthington, Sibley East and St. Peter. *Courtesy fairmontsports.com*

COED SLO-PITCH	W	L	GB	PCT	STR
Fabers Plumbing	13	0	-	1.000	13W
Legends Pub & Grill	12	1	1	.923	4W
N. Star Tree/Whiskey B	11	2	2	.846	4W
Countywide RE	10	3	3	.769	1L
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Hawkins Chevrolet	8	5	-	.615	1L
Royalty Rides	8	5	-	.615	3W
Green Mill/Doolittles	8	5	-	.615	2W
A-1 Concrete	7	6	1	.545	1W
Ranch Hands	7	6	-	.583	1L
Blue Earth Legion	5	8	2	.538	2L
McDonalds/Culligan	5	8	2	.538	1L
Misfits	4	9	3	.308	1W
Countywide RE Jackson	2	11	-	.167	4L
The Pour House	2	11	-	.154	1W
Shenanigans	2	11	-	.154	1L
Dairy Freeze/Graham Tire	0	13	2	.000	13L

DIVISION I PLAYBACK BRACKET
Legends Pub and Grill 15, North Star Tree/Whiskey Bisquits 3.
CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND
Legends Pub and Grill 19, Faber's Plumbing 7.
DIVISION I CHAMPIONSHIP GAME
Legends Pub and Grill 17, Faber's Plumbing 16.
DIVISION II PLAYBACK BRACKET
Royalty Rides 12, Green Mill/Doolittle's Carpet 7.
DIVISION II CHAMPIONSHIP GAME
Hawkins Chevrolet 21, Royalty Rides 3.
DIVISION III PLAYBACK BRACKET
McDonalds/Culligan 13, Ranch Hands 5.
DIVISION III CHAMPIONSHIP GAME
Blue Earth Legion 5, McDonalds/Culligan 1
DIVISION IV PLAYBACK BRACKET
Shenanigans 14, Countywide Realty Jackson 11.
DIVISION IV CHAMPIONSHIP GAME
DairyFreeze/Graham Tire 9, Shenanigans 8.

Inhale Fashion...Exhale Style!

FASHION IS WHAT YOU BUY. STYLE IS WHAT YOU DO WITH IT.

Denise Rouse, Owner, Boutique Giddy Up

I was hoping summer would drag on, but where has it gone? With school supplies in all the stores, I guess its time to talk about back to school fashions.

Here's a hot look Meanwhile Gracie is going for the "it's still warm when school starts" look. The snug-fitting three quarter sleeve top with a



It's a plaid-plaid world Looks like Zoie is already ahead of me and can chill until school starts.

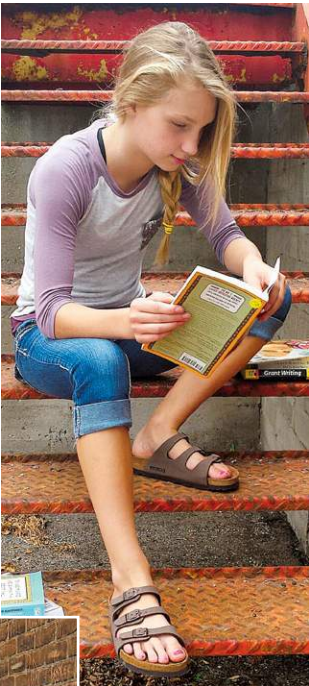


She transitions her striped tank into fall by adding a plaid flannel shirt, something you're going to see a lot more of. My guess is everyone will have a plaid flannel shirt by year's end, if you don't have one already!

Here's the skinny Being the fashion forward girl that she is, Zoie added a pair of skinny jeans and the ultimate in foot wear, a pair of Toms. Check out her fabo hairdo: the messy bun piled on top of her head! Is the bus here yet?



Birkenstock sandals. Did you see what she's reading? I think she's nailed the look, don't you?



It's a Zen thing.... Last but not least for all the gals going back to college - Zen is the look trending for you. Your leggings can take you from campus to your yoga class, reading palms or studying for that big exam. Add an Aztec sweater for those

cool windy days. Samantha gets an "A" for that look. Wouldn't you agree!? Want to add a little gypsy to your look? Add a cute



lace or beaded headband. You can find them everywhere!



Always remember...life is a fashion show...and the world is your runway



Camp Discovery Bible School Held at Immanuel Lutheran in Fairmont

Immanuel Lutheran Church of Fairmont held a Vacation Bible School July 20th-23rd.

The theme was Camp Discovery and children, ages three to ten, got to learn about God from Bible stories shared

in many formats. There were games, crafts, music, snacks, and storytelling stations that reinforced lessons such as God gives me courage, Jesus saves me, Jesus gives me faith, and Jesus gives me His love to share. The number

of kids attending averaged at about 50 per day, with there being 56 kids on the last day. Each evening started with an optional family meal at 5:30 PM before gathering in the church for the opening assembly.



Students and group leaders gathered at assembly each day.



Students learn about the story of David and Goliath for bible study.



Day 2 bible study was on the story of Three Men in a Fiery Furnace.

Fairmont U10 Soccer Scores

August 10th - boys
Commodity Services Orange 6 (goals: Beau Becker, Hadan Toomer, Reese Buntjer, Trevor Maakestad (2), Eric Determan. Assists: Maakestad (2), Carson Pomeranke (2), Collin Meyeraan)
PORK Silver 2 (goals: Diego Morales, Logan Godden) ***
Cloverleaf Cold Storage Cardinal Red 4 (goals: Guillermo Sigala, Jr. (2), Jace Prindle, Brayden Koch. Assists: Prindle, Sigala, Michael Helmers)
Eunoia Family Resource Center Lime Green 1 (goal: Matthew Kotewa)
August 10th - girls
HyVee Tropic Blue 5 (goals: Mackenzie Carlson, McKenna Benck (3),

Nevaeh Rahm. Assists: Hope Kueker, Carolina Hernandez, Mackenzie Carlson, Ciera Janssen, Alexandra Martin)
Education Minnesota Purple 0 ***
D&S Trophies Iron Gray 4 (goals: Avery Sanders, Alexis Rojo, Kaylyn Meyers, Abi Peyman. Assists: Anna Utermarck (3), Andrea Rojo)
Fairmont Police Officer's Association Neon Yellow 0 ***
Pfaffinger Farms Neon Pink 3 (goals: Olivia Mattson (2), Bethany Thatcher. Assists: Jayden Smith, Lily Jaskulke)
Associate Optometry Neon Orange 0 ***

August 12th - boys
Cloverleaf Cold Storage Cardinal Red 6 (goals: Guillermo Sigala, Jr. (4), Brayden Koch, Jace Prindle. Assists: Alex Kastning (2), Michael Helmers, Riley Lamont, Gage Borntrager, Adam Wohlhuter)
Commodity Services Neon Orange 4 (goals: Hadan Toomer (2), Carson Pomeranke (2). Assists: Pomeranke, Trevor Maakestad (2)) ***
Eunoia Family Resource Center Lime Green 5 (goals: Landon Fox (2), Matthew Kotewa (2), Sebastian Castro. Assists: Kotewa (2), Alexander Smith, Jacob Petrowiak)
PORK Silver 1 (goal: Jack Hagen) ***

August 12th - girls
D&S Trophies Iron Gray 1 (goal: Anna Utermarck. Assists: Abi Peyman, Kaylyn Meyers)
Associate Optometry Neon Orange 0 ***
Fairmont Police Officer's Association Neon Yellow 2 (goals: Elayna Anderson (2))
Education Minnesota Purple 0 ***
HyVee Tropic Blue 3 (goals: McKenna Benck (2), Mackenzie Carlson. Assists: Kaydn Owens, Emma Scheppmann, Mackenzie Carlson)
Pfaffinger Farms Neon Pink 0

There will be a **Tailgate Party** at MCW High School in Sherburn on Saturday, August 22nd, 2015. They will start serving pork loin sandwiches at 5 pm before the football game against LCWM. Money raised will go to support the MCW Football Association.

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Cutting/Edge Pooleys	12	0	-	1.000	12W
Boekett/Channel	11	1	1	.916	6W
Weiss Auto/State Farm JK	10	2	2	.833	1W
Wash Pros	9	3	3	.750	3W
Choice Conct/Greenmill	8	4	-	.667	3L
Legends Pub & Grill	7	5	1	.583	1L
Troy Jensen Seeds	6	6	2	.500	1L
Rode Manufacturing	5	7	3	.417	2W
Average Joes	4	8	-	.333	6L
Kahler Automation	3	9	1	.250	1L
Fairmont Ford	2	10	2	.167	1W
Pro Installers	1	11	3	.083	1L
The Gathering	0	12	4	.000	12L

Legends Pub and Grill 11, Troy Jensen Seeds 2
Cutting Edge/Pooleys 26, Weiss Auto/State Farm Korsmo 13
Rode Manufacturing 13, Kahler Automation 6
Wash Pros 17, Legends Pub and Grill 16
Cutting Edge/Pooleys 19, The Gathering 4
Weiss Auto/State Farm Korsmo 13, Legends Pub and Grill 11
Wash Pros 15, Choice Connection/Greenmill 8
Boekett/Channel 25, Average Joes 1.
Fairmont Ford 22, Pro Installers 19



GRILL TIME - Andy from Fairmont True Value presents Jamie, Fairmont Baseball Association's concession manager and her crew with a new grill at the Winnebago Avenue Sports Complex. *Courtesy fairmontsports.com*

Fair Board Holds Ribbon Cutting and Dedication for Newest Fair Additions



Martin County Fair Board President Ed Murphy with Minnesota State Fair Board Member Paul Merkins are surrounded by other fair board members and local dignitaries at the ticket booth dedication.



Ryan Schmidthke, surgical services manager, left, and Dr. Tim Slama, nurse practitioner, during the Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont employee picnic August 9th at Gomsrud Park. The cold shower was Fett's prize after her team won the recent employee food drive at the medical center. Smart Clinic, Dulcimer and Center for Specialty Care also participated in the challenge. All teams combined to collect a total of 753 items, which were donated to the Heaven's Table and Salvation Army food shelves.



Airplane cropdusters have been a familiar sight over many area beanfields in the past couple weeks. The farmers have been having their fields sprayed to combat the soybean aphids and worms that have been feeding on the bean plants over the past couple weeks.



Floyd Bellin Agricultural Education Barn dedication - front row: Weiss Milling's Abby Shoen, Helen (Floyd) Bellin along with other family members Joan, Sandra, Gary and Cheryl.



BIG TENT TOOL SALE - NAPA Auto & Truck Parts in Fairmont had a good crowd on hand for their annual sale held last Friday.

'15 JEEP RENEGADE LATITUDE



FWD, 18" aluminum wheels.
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sale \$22,934 or \$349/mo* 72mo 3.99%

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'15 DODGE DART SXT



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sale \$20,977 or \$299/mo* 72mo 3.99%

'15 DODGE JOURNEY AWD



Crossroad edition, 7 pass., heated seats/steering wheel, rear air. List: \$32,540
sale \$27,329 or \$399/mo* 72mo 3.99%

'15 DODGE CHARGER AWD



Heated leather, sunroof, Rally appearance, 29MPG! List: \$36,880
sale \$31,780 or \$434/mo* 72mo 0.0%

'15 DODGE GR. CARAVAN SE



Blacktop pkg., Stow-and-Go, rear air, sun-screen glass.... List: \$26,285
sale \$20,995 or \$299/mo* 72mo 3.99%

'15 CHRYSLER 200S



V6, leather/cloth sport seats.
List: \$27,440
sale \$22,459 or \$305/mo* 72mo 0.0%

'15 CHRYSLER T&C TOURING



Back-up camera, p. doors/seat/liftgate, heated seats/steering wheel, remote start. List: \$32,590
sale \$26,958 or \$369/mo* 72mo 2.2%

'15 JEEP CHEROKEE SPORT



Heated cloth, alloys.
List: \$27,480
sale \$24,995 or \$379/mo* 72mo 1.9%

'15 JEEP GR. CHEROKEE LTD



Tow pkg, heated leather.
List: \$41,550
sale \$38,699 or \$587/mo* 72mo 1.9%

'15 RAM 1500 CREW CAB



Big Horn pkg, heated cloth, Nav ready.
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'15 RAM 1500 CREW CAB



Outdoorsman pkg, 3.0L diesel, 28MPG hwy!, htd cloth rear camera, tow pkg. List: \$49,745
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'15 RAM 1500 CREW CAB



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