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GRUENES-HASEK WED - Carolyn Gruenes and Andrew Hasek were married on Saturday, June 16th, 2018 at Nativity of our Lord Catholic Church in St. Paul. The reception was held at the Charleston Event Center in White Bear Lake. Carolyn is the daughter of Mary and Dave Gruenes of St. Cloud and Andrew is the son of Christine and Wayne Hasek of Fairmont. Matron of Honor was Jenny Roy, sister of the bride. Bridesmaids included Kelsey Simon, Haley French Krahn, friends of the bride and Angie Hasek, sister of the groom. Flower girl was Rosemary Roy, niece of the bride. Best man was Ian Hasek, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Paul Latt, Paul Underwood and Matt Koehler, friends of the groom. Ushers were Luke Peikert and Patrick Kloeckner-Walters, friends of the groom. Carolyn graduated from St. Catherine's University with Bachelor's degrees in Education and Spanish and teaches at ISD 196 in the south metro. Andrew graduated from the University of St. Thomas with Bachelor's degrees in Economics and Political Science and works as a Research Consultant for the Minnesota House of Representatives. The couple resides in Eagan.

Marriage License Applications

Emily Ann Christensen and Anthony Dana Kuhlers

Jordyn Lee Janka and Fritz Hall

Holly Kristen Niss-Osborn and Cody Allen Snyder

Megan Marie Yurcek and Colby Durand Zavaglia

Micaela Ann Gochanour and Ryan Matthew Ellefson



BRUMMOND 90TH - An open house celebration in honor of Bill Brummond's 90th birthday will be held Saturday, September 1st from 2-6 p.m. at the Truman Community Building, 313 North 1st Avenue West, Truman. A short program will begin at 2:30 p.m. Bill was born September 1st, 1928. Cards can also reach him at 2119 200th Avenue, Truman, MN 56088.

Early Deadlines

Labor Day weekend!

NEWS: Thursday, August 30, 5 p.m.

ADS: Friday, August 31, Noon

The Photo Press will be CLOSED on Monday, September 3

In order to get the Photo Press out in a timely manner, we MUST adhere to these deadlines. Thank you for your cooperation!

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WHITEHEAD 50TH - The children of Bruce and Deb Whitehead happily announce their parents' 50th wedding anniversary. They were married August 24th, 1968 in Fairmont. An open house celebration will be held from 2-5 p.m. on Saturday, September 8th, 2018, at the Truman Church of Christ, 401 W. Ciro St, Truman. Let your attendance be your gift. Cards can be sent to 1550 110th Avenue, Welcome, MN 56181.



KITTLESON 98TH - Ted Kittleson of rural Ceylon will celebrate his 98th birthday on Wednesday, August 29th. Ted's family invites you to help him celebrate this happy occasion by sending cards and well-wishes to him at 567 110th Avenue, Ceylon, MN 56121.

Tuesday, Sept. 4th, **People First** will hold a potluck picnic meeting from 4:00-5:00 p.m. at Sylvania Park in Fairmont. Anybody needing a ride to this event or has questions about People First should call Pat Kietzer at 507-848-5017.

The **Fred C. Poppe** family reunion will take place on Sunday, September 2nd at noon at the Mondale Park Shelter House in Ceylon. Please bring a dish to pass and your own utensils.



MALO 50TH - Jerry and Zelda Malo of Delano, Minnesota will be celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary on Thursday, August 30th. They were married in 1968 at Zion Lutheran Church, Fraser Township. Cards can reach them at 472 Aspen Circle, Delano, MN 55328.

Please join the **Borderline Cruisers Car Club** on Saturday, September 1st, 2018 from 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at Fleet and Farm for a roll/cruise in. Enjoy a hot dog, chips and water for only \$3.00 and some great music. There will be 5 trophies (people's choice) and give-aways to those who bring a car. There will also be a Dewalt tool set and Dewalt light raffle that was donated by Fleet and Farm. Raffle tickets are \$10 each and only 100 available from car club members.



Christina Mercer was the winner of the second round of Renaissance Festival tickets given away by the Photo Press last week. Her answer to the question "What is your favorite thing about the MN State Fair?" was chosen as the winner. Watch the Photo Press Facebook page for more ticket giveaways!

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Fairmont Area Chamber names new President

Twenty-six years is a long time to be employed with one company. So what would lead a Fairmont resident to leave his long-time position to become a proponent of Fairmont? In one word, "Excitement!"

Ned Koppen has been a resident of Fairmont for 32 years, 26 of them working in sales for River Bend Business Products of Fairmont. "I had worked for 5 and a half years in sales at Woodward Broadcasting in Fairmont after graduating from Minnesota State-Mankato in 1986," stated Koppen. "An opportunity came up for me to join a new business in Fairmont with River Bend when they planned to open a store in Fairmont and I decided it was a good move for me." Looking back at his time with River Bend, Koppen stated that he has really enjoyed working for the company, but felt that a recent opportunity was one that created enough excitement for him that it meant a change in his work.

Recently the Fairmont Area Chamber President position became available and applications were being accepted for the position. Koppen decided that he wanted to apply for the position because he felt it

would be a good move for him and he would enjoy the job. After interviewing, Koppen was offered the position and accepted it.

A native of Spirit Lake, Iowa, Koppen stated that since he moved to Fairmont, he has always been a supporter of the community and all it has to offer, and



the opportunity to promote the community and the area even more was something he looks forward to. "I love to live, work and be a part of the Fairmont area and this is the opportunity for me to use my love for the area to help promote it."

Koppen started his new position this week and he hopes to "hit the ground running," but knows it will take time to become aware of all of the chamber members. He would like to meet with as many members and businesses as possible to

learn what they would like to see the chamber do for them and he also plans on taking in as many activities in the community as possible to help get him familiar with the position as quickly as possible.

Koppen stated that his family has been very supportive of his change in careers and he is grateful for that. His wife Kim is an art instructor with the Fairmont Area School District and has also been involved in other art programs in many schools in the area in the past. Ned and Kim also have two boys, John and Bailey. Ned stated that his wife Kim and his boys have given him 100% support in his decision to take the chamber position and that has helped him in knowing that he has made the right decision.

When asked about his new staff, Koppen said that he is looking forward to working with the other employees of the Fairmont Area Chamber of Commerce and also to work with other local agencies in promoting Fairmont and the surrounding area. "I've always felt that Fairmont is a great place to live and raise a family, now here is the opportunity for me to be an advocate in helping spread the word to others about this area!"

Fairmont Liquor Store Customer Appreciation

The Fairmont Municipal Liquor Store has announced the winners in the drawings held at the customer appreciation event held recently.

The list of winners included: Nita Berndt-Captain Morgan Double Lounger; Randy McCartney-Jose Cuervo Smoker/

Grill; Don Ditzler-Budweiser Lounger; Kate Malliet-Inflatable kayak; Jean Doolittle-Sam Adams cooler; Troy Sunken-Crown Royal cooler; Greg Cochran-Crown Royal bag toss; Jim Kampert-Sierra Nevada Homebrew kit; Greg Schock-Milwaukee 2-wheel cart; Angela

Gilmore-Mich Gold Lite life jacket; Tracy Bremer-pair of Twins tickets (final game of the year); Mike Bettin-UV windbreaker; Joel Hokanson-Nike/Vikings jacket; Carlos Lopez-Fireball hoodie; Ricky Johnson-Mankato Brewing BBQ tool set.

Sherburn Lunch & Learn to focus on school days

A "Lunch & Learn" event sponsored by CREST will be held on Wednesday, September 5th at 11:00 a.m. at the Se-

nior Citizens Center, located at 21 East 1st Street in Sherburn.

The topic for this month is "School Days."

Come and enjoy a lunch of a chicken dish and an apple dessert afterwards.

This presentation is open to the public.

Firearm Safety Training

A fall course for Minnesota Firearm Safety Training will take place with registration on Monday, September 10th at 6:30 p.m. at the Fairmont Area Elementary School Cafeteria.

The course runs for five weeks (concluding October 15th) and normally meets on Monday and Thursday evenings at 6:30 p.m. It is open to anyone

11 years old or older. Class attendance is mandatory.

The course consists of 25 hours of classroom training and culminates with a written exam, as well as a practical field exam. The field exam will be held at the Fairmont Trap Club on Saturday, October 6th beginning at 8 a.m.

Cost for the course is \$15. Students under the

age of 18 must be accompanied by an adult and have a copy of their birth certificate at registration.

Anyone born after January 1st, 1980 must complete Firearm Safety Training in order to purchase any type of hunting license in the state of Minnesota.

For more info, contact Brad Wells at huntin-foolw711@yahoo.com

Thinking of cleaning out your basement, garage or attic and having a garage sale?



Advertise it in the Photo Press!

The Photo Press will have a special part of the classified section dedicated to Fall Citywide Garage Sales in the September 5th edition. The cost is \$7 for the first 20 words and 10 cents per word after that.

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Welcome Meats announced the winners that were drawn from their fair booth at the Martin County Fair. They will receive a 6-pack of pork patties. Winners were: Jon Hoffmeyer, Neal Becker, Diane Armbrust, Sharon Elliott, Kari Anderson and Bill Truesdell.

Fairmont High School Class of 1960, spouses, and friends will meet for lunch at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 4th at Pizza Ranch in Fairmont.

Martin County Fair - Tractor Show Winners

Grand Champion - Rick Deboer, 8N Ford.
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Third Place - Bob Brolsma, Farmall 350.
Fourth-place John Toothacre, Harold Miner.



Presenting trophy Remi Shoen and 1st Place tractor show winner Rick Deboer.



Remi Shoen and 2nd Place tractor show winner Weston Toothacre. (Submitted photos)



Amber Holtz is holding the bag of items made or sold at the Photo Press. Amber won the prize by being the 1,000th like of the Photo Press Facebook page recently. If you haven't like us on Facebook, be sure you do so to take part in our upcoming giveaways!

Arc Family and Friends will meet in the George Room at the Fairmont Holiday Inn on Monday, Sept. 10th at 6:00 p.m. If you have any questions, please call the Arc office at 507-235-8580 for further details.

The Welcome Historical Society will be closed until April of 2019. If you would like to visit the museum when it is not open, please contact Marsha Williams at 507-236-2034.



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"Who Ya Gonna Call?"

Guest Columnist

Kim Kreiss, Realtor Cavers Realty



Remember the old movie, Ghostbusters, and the phrase, "Who Ya Gonna Call?"

When you're ready to buy a home, you won't be calling Ghostbusters, but you should be calling a Realtor. But which one? If you're a first-time buyer, or it's been awhile since you've purchased a home, let me shed some light on an area that isn't discussed very often.

First, let's discuss why you should call a Realtor. Realtors are connected to the market inside and out. As a buyer in Martin County, you typically don't pay for your Realtor's services. The seller of the property usually pays the compensation for the Realtor(s). Your Realtor will keep an eye out for new properties on the market, too, saving you time and effort. Your Realtor may also know of listings coming up before they hit the market and will make sure you have a jump start on the competition. Realtors will guide you through the buying process, from working with your lender, to setting up showings for your house hunting, to negotiations, and all the paperwork, all the way through closing and handing over the keys to your new home. If you go through the buying process alone, you may get into a heap of trouble.

It's always best to choose one Realtor as they get to know you and your situation, and your wants and needs. You'll develop a relationship with your Realtor along the whole process. If you add more Realtors into the mix, it can get confusing for everyone. And, sometimes, real estate laws can be broken if you use more than one Realtor in the wrong situation. (More on that scenario in a moment.)

Many buyers get confused on which Realtor to call. Here are some questions I have been asked and they are all good questions:

1. "Should I call the name of the Realtor on the sign, or can you help me?"

You don't have to call the name of the Realtor on the sign in the yard, but you can as a starting point. If you look at your first house with the Realtor on the sign in the yard, and you like him/her, stick with them. If not, you are free to move to another Realtor. However, if you ever want to see this house again, you'll have to stick to the Realtor who showed it to you first.

2. "I have two friends who are Realtors, what should I do?"

If you have friends who are Realtors, go to each of them and ask for their guidance. Find a solution among all of you so that no one feels slighted or hurt. There is nothing worse for a Realtor than to have a close friend or family member use another Realtor. However, sometimes business, and personal don't mix. So, again, you don't have to use your Realtor friends, but you can. However, if you don't use your friends, you may lose them in the process if you can't explain why you chose someone other than him/her.

3. "Can you show me any property or only your own listings?"

Yes, Realtors are happy to show you their own listings, but they can also show you any property in the state where they are licensed.

4. "Can you show me any property or only with your company?"

Going back to #3. Realtors can show and help you buy any property in Minnesota, regardless of the listing company. We all work together in Martin County, and surrounding counties, to sell each other's properties. Your Realtor would not be doing their job properly if they only showed you his/her listings, or only the listings for the company they work. Granted, we make more money if we sell our own listings, or if we sell a property listed within our company, however, your Realtor should be willing to set up showings and help you buy any property on the market.

Another lesser known fact is Realtors can also help you buy For Sale By Owner properties as well! We can try to get the For Sale By Owner seller to agree to a "One Time Showing" where your Realtor can help you and the seller through the sales transaction. The seller typically would pay the commission to the Realtor, however, if the seller refuses to pay any commission, you could enter into a buyer's representative agreement, where you as the buyer negotiate the compensation terms with your Realtor.

If your Realtor tells you they can't help you with any property, look for another Realtor, as they are doing you a disservice.

Earlier I mentioned where you can break some real estate laws by using more than one Realtor. Here's a scenario to explain how easily that can happen:

Let's say you called the Realtor on their companies "For Sale" sign in the yard and he set up a day/time to show you the house. We'll call this Realtor, "George." After the showing, you decided you didn't really hit it off with George and you want to find a new Realtor. Or, another possibility would be, maybe the next time you wanted to see a house George was busy and he never returned your call. In either situation, you moved on to another Realtor. You asked friends and family for recommendations for a Realtor and you found "Betty." Betty set up showings for you all over town. You love Betty. After seeing more than six houses with Betty, you decide you like the property George showed you best and you want Betty to set up a second showing for you. Betty shows you the house and you write up an offer, Betty helps you negotiate the transaction, and it's accepted. You're on your way to a new home! However, George found out that Betty is about to make commission on a house he showed you first. The commission is now due to George, not Betty, as George is the procuring cause of your sale.

Always be honest with your Realtor, especially if you've seen properties with another Realtor, so this doesn't happen to you. You will feel awful about Betty losing her commission, because you love Betty. Sometimes Realtors will ask you right away if you've worked with another Realtor or seen properties with another Realtor. At that moment make sure your "Betty" knows about "George."

Here's a final thought. Take note on how you found Betty. You asked for recommendations from family and friends. Do your homework and research to find a good Realtor. Realtor.com has a place to view recommendations on the Realtors in the area. You can also ask your lender for their feedback. Combine all the feedback and choose your favorite Realtor. You'll be happy you did.

Happy house hunting!

Blue ribbon pork cook-off a success for 21 years running

The 21st Annual Blue Ribbon Pork Cook Off was held on Wednesday, August 15th as part of the Martin County Fair at the Martin County Fairgrounds.

Awards for both the Connoisseurs' Choice and the Peoples' Choice went to Cup N' Saucer of Sherburn (1st Place), Jessie's Smokehouse of Fairmont (2nd Place), and The Blazer Bar & Grill of Fairmont (3rd Place). Congratulations to our 2018 cook-off winners. We want to thank our many volunteers who have helped to make this event a success over the course of its 21 year history.

Proceeds from this event support two local \$4,200 Agri-Business Scholarships each year. Thank you to our generous event sponsors, the Agri-Business Committee of the Fairmont Area Chamber, Bank Midwest, Cargill Inc., CFS, Compeer Financial, Dutch Creek Farms, Fairmont Veterinary Clinic, Kahler Automation, Martin County Corn & Soybean Growers, Martin County Pork Producers, Preferred Capital Management, Profinium Financial and Valtro Renewables for helping to make these scholarships possible.

We would also like to thank our contestants; Ambiance on Albion Tap-house & Grill, The Blazer Bar & Grill, Cup N' Saucer Restaurant, Fairmont Butcher Block, Green Mill Restaurant, Jessie's Smokehouse, The Marina Lodge and Scotty Biggs BBQ for the time and talent they contributed to this competition. Each of the eight contestants made a valiant effort, producing creative, mouth-watering pork inspired dishes, and presenting a formidable challenge for both judges and participants alike in selecting this year's winning entries.

Remember to mark your calendars for our 22nd Annual Blue Ribbon Pork Cook-Off to be held on August 14th, 2019.

Fairmont Community Blood Drive next week

Fairmont Community Blood Drive will take place next week at the Holiday Inn in Fairmont.

Hours are: Tuesday, September 4th from 1 to 7 p.m.; Wednesday, September 5th from Noon to 6 p.m. and Thursday, September 6th from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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Dated: August 23, 2018 /s/ Mary Muller
City Clerk/Treasurer

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What's Cooking

with Kathy Lloyd

Dessert Anyone??

Try as I might to limit carbs once in awhile I just have to make a dessert. I usually wait until we are going to have company so we have help eating it. Pa Lloyd has a real sweet tooth, lately he has been trying to cut down on sweets too, so that does make it easier for me. Today's recipe comes from Facebook I hope that you enjoy it!

Blueberry Butter Cake:

1 pkg. yellow cake mix
3 large eggs divided
2 sticks butter, melted and divided
1 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese, room temperature
1 1/2 tsp. vanilla extract
2 cups powdered sugar (I used 1 1/2 cups)
2 cups fresh blueberries

Preheat oven to 350 degrees and lightly grease a 9x13 inch baking dish.

Beat 1 stick melted butter with 1 egg in a large bowl, then beat in yellow cake mix until incorporated. Transfer mixture to baking dish, being sure to spread/pat it in a even layer and set aside.

In a separate large bowl or mixer beat softened cream cheese until fluffy, then beat in remaining 2 eggs. Once that is well mixed, mix in remaining butter and vanilla.

Gradually beat powdered sugar into mixture, mix until smooth, then drop spoonfuls over cake batter, spread carefully and gently into a smooth, even layer.

Drop blueberries over cake, gently press them into the cream cheese mixture. Bake for 40-50 minutes or until center is just set, but slightly jiggle in the center. Cool.

Have a great week!

Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont Community Update

State Fair season is here, which means, sadly, that the last stretch of summer is underway. But before we think about back-to-school preparation too much, we want to share some highlights from the last couple months. From events to volunteer opportunities to a new physician joining our team, Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont has experienced an exciting summer.

Below is a snapshot of what's been taking place.

Community

• Every two seconds someone in the U.S. needs blood, and the Red Cross needs your help. To schedule an appointment to donate, call 1-800-RED-CROSS or visit redcross-blood.org and enter MCHSFAIRMONT.

• We were at the Martin County Fair all week long enjoying interactions with so many fairgoers. Our team provided free blood pressure screenings; talked with community members about their health needs, the Mayo Clinic Store and hospice; and discussed the importance of cervical cancer screenings.

• Employees volunteered August 2nd-16th for the Summer Hunger Program by delivering and

distributing sandwiches at area parks. This community-driven program began because concerned individuals wanted to ensure that students who receive free and reduced lunches during the school year are adequately fed during the summer.

• Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont has been honored to sponsor so many wonderful activities and organizations, including Fairmont CER T-ball, CER Summer Fun Run, Armstrong July 4th Watermelon Feed, Welcome Summer Festival, Rose Lake Rally for a Cure and the Martin County Leadership Program.

Growth and Services

• Timothy Sheneman, D.O., joined our Internal Medicine Department August 13th. He received his medical degree from Kirkville College of Osteopathic Medicine - A.T. Still University in Kirksville, Missouri. Prior to joining Mayo Clinic, Dr. Sheneman worked as an internal medicine physician at Kirksville Missouri Hospital Company. We're excited that Dr. Sheneman has moved to the community and begun his practice at Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont.

• The Mayo Clinic

Health System in Fairmont Hospice team will be visiting area service organizations to offer education about the hospice services they provide, including patient- and family-centered care, bereavement counseling, spiritual care, volunteer services, and team collaboration to honor a loved one's goals, values and wishes. If you're interested in having the Mayo Clinic Health System in Fair-

mont Hospice team speak to your organization, call 507-238-8177.

-Marie Morris, M.D., medical director, Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont

-Amy Long, administrator, Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont

Contact Amy Long at 507-238-5070 or long.amy1@mayo.edu with any comments or questions.



East Chain High School Class of 1978 recently held their class reunion at the East Chain Activity Center. (Submitted photo)

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With the start of the school year here, be sure to visit our website and check out what the Martin County Library has to offer this fall! Visit www.martincountylibrary.org for a complete calendar of events. You can also stop in at the Fairmont Library and pick up a

printed calendar. Be sure to pencil us in as you're planning your busy fall schedules! We have lots of favorite events coming back including Lego Club, Toddler Tinker Lab and Wiggles and Words. Plus, many other special opportunities, including a Planetarium visit and some spooky October events as well! Upcoming events are also posted on our Facebook page, so be sure to like and follow us to stay up to date on everything that is going on! Thank you everyone for a great summer and good luck on the new school year ahead!

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OBITUARY notices

Velma O. Griggs, 96



Velma Olive Griggs, aka "The Pie Lady" died

Wednesday, August 22nd, 2018 at the age of 96. A memorial service will be held Friday August 31st, 2018 2pm at Hope United Methodist Church in Blue Earth with visitation one hour prior to the service. Patton Funeral Home of Blue Earth is handling arrangements for the family.

Velma was born January 27th, 1922 to Myron and Olive (Crouch) Baker in Mason City, IA. She was one of six children.

In 1958, Velma and her husband Bobby moved to Blue Earth where she ran The Grill Café for many years, where the name "The Pie Lady" came about. She was known throughout the commu-

nity and beyond for her wonderful pie baking skills. Velma also enjoyed quilting, reading, making ceramics and traveling with her husband, especially to all the different baseball parks. She was a very creative woman who liked to keep busy. In 1969, after a devastating fire she went to work for Juba's where she stayed until she retired in 1998.

For the last six years, Velma enjoyed her time at Emerald Crest Assisted Living in the cities and always welcomed guests who brought her chocolates.

She is survived by her daughter; Janice (Ron) Mosloski of Fairmont;

sisters: Izetta Weaver of Clear Lake, IA and Helen Grattidge of St. Louis, MO; five grandchildren: Bobbi (Robert) Hoebelheinrich, Mark Pettey, Cherie Taylor, Tory (Melissa) Mosloski and Christy (Mike) Lamb; daughter-in-laws: Barb Pettey and Pauline Pettey; Eeght great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild, as well as many other relatives and friends.

She is preceded in death by her parents; husband Bobby; sons: Pat and Larry; sister: Bonnie Benner; brothers: Lewis and Roy and a grandchild: Patrick Pettey II.

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DEATH notices



August 19 - Mariah L. Miller, 24, Fairmont Lakeview Funeral and Cremation Service
August 22 - Velma O. Griggs, 96, Blue Earth Patton Funeral Home
August 23 - Neva G. Kelly, 70, Truman Lakeview Funeral and Cremation Service
August 23 - William F. Schnittger, 75, Barstow, CA, formerly of Dunnell, Kramer Family Funeral Home
August 26 - Rhonda L. Heller, 64, St. James Kramer Family Funeral Home

In Memoriam One Year Ago This Week

August 15 - Jerald W. Hardt, 84, Fairmont
August 20 - Howard P. Jorgenson, 76, Truman
August 21 - Larry Miller, 70, Fairmont
August 23 - Phyllis F. Fowler, 83, Winnebago
August 24 - Joseph M. Burdorf, 41, Fairmont
August 25 - Willard A. Simon, 95, Fairmont
August 25 - Shirley J. Claxton, 89, Fairmont
August 25 - Beverly Worshek, 79, Fairmont
August 26 - Susan M. Albrecht, 53, Truman

Neva G. Kelly, 70



A Celebration of Life Service for Neva G. Kelly, 70, of Truman, was held Tuesday, August 28th, 2018, at Lakeview Funeral Home in Fairmont. Burial followed the service in Lakeside Cemetery. Neva passed away Thursday, August 23rd, 2018, at her home in Truman. Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Fairmont assisted the family with arrangements.

Neva Gayle (Olson) Kelly was born June 3rd, 1948,

in Fairmont, the daughter of Lowell K. and Norma J. (Kleine) Olson. She was confirmed at St. Paul Lutheran Church in Truman and attended school in Fairmont graduating from Fairmont High School with the class of 1967.

In October 1967, Neva was united in marriage to William J. Kelly. Together the couple made their home in Fairmont and later Northrop. Neva worked various jobs throughout her career including

Woolworth's and Fairmont Foods from where she retired. In her later years, Neva found great joy in volunteering her time at the St. Paul Lutheran School in Truman.

Neva treasured spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Her quiet time was spent reading, working on crafts, and solving puzzle books.

Left to cherish her memory are her children,

Jeani Tennyson and her husband, Mike of Truman, MN; Jim and his wife, Mindy of Fairmont, MN; grandchildren, Matt (Jamie) Tennyson, Tyler Tennyson, Jacob Tennyson, Logan (Ashlee) Kelly, Jazzmyne (Jordy) Lovinggood, and Megan King; great-grandchildren, Devin, Draven, Lily, and Brakston; mother, Nor-

ma Jean Olson; siblings, Pam Abelson, Butch (Diane) Olson, and Martha (Duane) Danner; as well as many nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

Neva was preceded in death by her father, Lowell Kenneth Olson and a sister, Debra Olson.

lakeviewfuneralhome.net

John A. Peterson, 87



John A. Peterson, M.D. age 87, of Rio Verde, Arizona, formerly of Edina, and raised in Trimont, passed away on August 20th, 2018 after a brief battle with pancreatic cancer. A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, September 8th at 11:00 a.m. at Community Church of the Verdes, Rio Verde, Arizona.

John spent his 34 year

career as an Anesthesiologist at Abbott Northwestern Hospital in Minneapolis.

John is survived by his wife, Joyce, and children Julie (Jeff) Burrows, Lynnda (Tom) Seasley, David (Patty) Peterson and Ann (Craig) Lagorio and his sister Beverly (Darwin) Anthony. He was adored by his 11 grandchildren, many nieces, nephews

and friends.

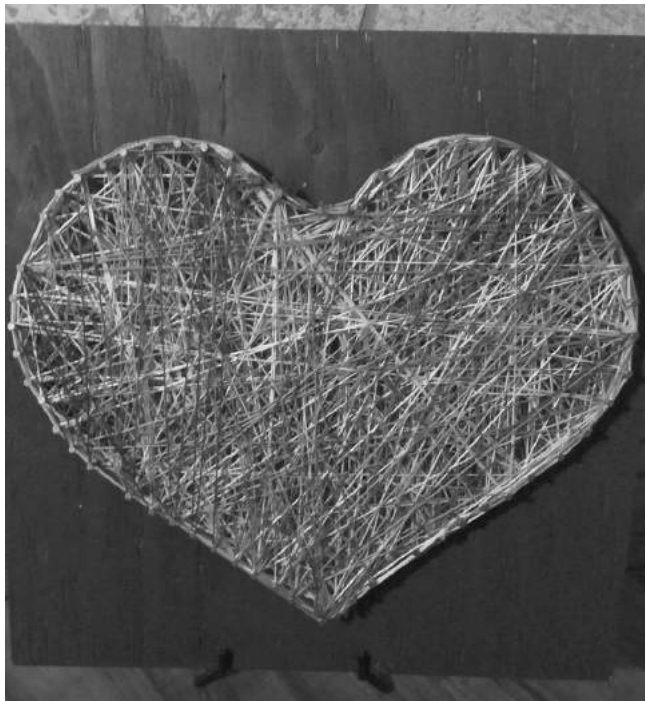
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Dozens of Martin County fair event-goers added their creative touch to the community art project hosted by the Red Rock Center for the Arts at the fair last week. The string art project will be on display at the Center. The Red Rock also announced its fair booth drawing winners: Marilyn Moeller, Barb Borowski, Carol Koskovich, Amanda Forstrom, Eliane Kuske, Nancy Nordstrom, Angela Newville, Mary Jo Manzey, Kelly Clark, Marilyn Vandenhemel, Chantill Kahler Royer, Linda Wassman. The winners will receive a pair of tickets to one of the five concerts in the 2018-2019 concert series. Tickets can be claimed by stopping by the Red Rock or calling 507-235-9262. (Submitted photo)



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25 YEARS AGO IN THE PHOTO PRESS

Week of September 1, 1993

The Fairmont Kmart store was to be the location of the pledge center for the annual Jerry Lewis Telethon, benefitting the Muscular Dystrophy Association. Many fundraising activities were scheduled for the day at the Kmart location.

An old-fashioned quilting bee was set for the Fairmont Community Hospital. Quilters were invited to come to work on quilts at their convenience. The quilting bee was in preparation for the 1994 Quilt Auction fund-raiser for the

Fairmont Community Hospital Foundation.

The deadline for applying for disaster aid was extended to November 15th, 1993 for Minnesotans who suffered losses from severe storms, tornadoes and flooding since spring. The 52 affected Minnesota counties included Faribault and Martin Counties.

Representative Gene Hugoson of Granada was among the legislators who volunteered to appear at the Minnesota House of Representatives info exhibit at the Minnesota State Fair. The House had been at the "Great Minnesota Get-Together" for its 20th year in 1993.

50 YEARS AGO IN THE PHOTO PRESS

Week of September 1, 1968

Fairmont Civic Summer Theatre directors were calling for tryouts for the "Sound of Music," the summer musical which needed several children in the cast.

A \$150,000 lawsuit arising from the death of Juhl Myking the previous month, was filed against the city of Northrop by Myking's widow. The complaint alleged that the Northrop Liquor Store had sold Myking liquor when he was obviously intoxicated previous to an accident which killed him.

Six candidates were to

appear on the ballot at the following Tuesday's primary election for two county commissioner seats. They were Melvin Roforth, Earl P. Schultz, Raymond Worden, Daniel Keasling, Lynnie Balcom and Paul Gerhardt. Roforth and Gerhardt were incumbents seeking re-election in Districts 1 and 3 respectively.



Jim (James) Zanke was posthumously inducted into the Fairmont Raceway Racing Hall of Fame for the year of 2018 recently. Pictured is his wife Margo Zanke and Mike Klinger. Mike was the owner of the car in the 1970's. (Submitted by Felisha Shumski)

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I can't believe it is already Labor Day weekend! It seems like we were just honoring Memorial Day and now we are at the "unofficial end of summer" as we head into Labor Day weekend. It seems like my summers keep getting shorter and shorter as the years progress. All my "best laid plans" tend to go to the wayside because of lack of time to do them. Of course, it didn't help that I was having to mow my lawn about every 3 or 4 days pretty much all summer long! It has been quite a while since the lawns have been so green this late in the summer.

Another sign of the approaching fall is the return to school for area students. Many parochial schools started this week and public schools in the area will begin next week. Good luck on the upcoming school year!

"What is it?" answered



This past week's "What is it?" item was answered pretty quickly by a number of readers. Bernie Halfpop of Fairmont called right away with the correct answer. Other correct



My nephew Chase Hillmer on the first day of 6th grade at St. James Lutheran in Northrop.

answers came from Lawrence Ternes of Ledyard, Joe Culbertson of Swea City and Pat Bulfer of Fairmont. The item is a lift truck for a straight disk. It was used to mount on a straight disk if

you had to take it down the road so it wouldn't cut grooves in the roadway. Thanks for identifying the item and thanks to Henry Pedersen of Ledyard for bringing it in! This week we have an item that was brought in by Gil. It is made of wood with metal pieces. It is 8 inches long and 3 1/2 inches at the widest spot. The only adjustable piece is the bottom wood slot, which has a threaded eyelet screw to adjust the opening of the

9456. Do you have an item that you want featured in a future column (either a what is it or where was it? You can stop by the Photo Press with your item so we can take a picture, get details and measurements and also your name to be featured in a future column.

A good day for a hike

Last Saturday Karis and I traveled to Minneapolis to wish our nephew a happy birthday. It was about as perfect a day as



slot. As you can see in the bottom photo, the metal piece on the end comes to a point and has a hole in the center. So, what is it and what is it used for? If you know the answer, drop me an email at jeff@fairmontphotopress.com or call the office at 507-238-

you could ask for! We all decided to spend part of the afternoon at nearby Minnehaha Falls park and take in all the sights in that area. I guess many other people had the same idea because there were family reunions, picnics and hikers all over that sprawling



park. We hiked down to take in the falls, which was running pretty well from recent rainfall. It was a picturesque area and Karis was busy snapping away with her camera. If you have never taken in the falls or the park, the next time you are in the cities, plan a side trip to see it - the area is well worth it!

Labor Day Weekend!

With it being a holiday weekend, there are no major events scheduled around the area. If you are into "picking" or flea markets, you can head down to Vick's Corner and the Spirit Lake Fairgrounds for their annual Labor Day weekend flea markets. Both locations will have their event from Saturday, September 1st through Monday, September 3rd. The Annual Poppe family reunion will take place on Sunday, September 2nd at noon at the shelter house

at Mondak Park in Ceylon. This year it is hosted by the Knuth family. Bring a dish to pass. Fairmont is having a blood drive next week, September

4th, 5th and 6th. Hours are Tuesday from 1 to 7 p.m., Wednesday from noon to 6 p.m. and Thursday, September 6th from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The community blood drive will take place at the Holiday Inn in Fairmont. By next week, all area schools will be back in session and the kids, both young and older, will be hitting the streets heading to and from school. Be sure to watch for them in crosswalks and streets and also obey the school bus stop sign and lights. Let's keep our kids safe again this year. Have a great week!

Drive safely - visit a shut-in or family member - Eat, Play, Shop Local - be safe this weekend!

Jeff

C&B Operations expands its business

C & B Operations, LLC, a John Deere dealership headquartered out of Gettysburg, SD is expanding its business base by combining with eight John Deere stores serving southern South Dakota and northern Iowa from Noteboom Implement, LLC. The change is effective immediately.

The company will do busi-



ness as C & B Operations, LLC in the three store locations in South Dakota (Corsica, Chamberlain and Parkston) and five store locations in Iowa (Sibley, Lake Park, Spencer, Storm Lake, and Ida

Grove). C & B plans to retain the current Noteboom employees as part of the merge.

With the expanding footprint, C & B is able to bring even more value to each of its customers.

Earlier this year, C & B finalized the acquisition of four NE Montana dealership stores from Farm Equipment Sales in Circle, Culbertson,

Plentywood and Glasgow. With the addition of the eight Noteboom Implement stores, C & B will now own 37 stores across six states.

C & B Operations, LLC is owned by the Cronin and Burwell families and now operates in Iowa, South Dakota, Montana, Wyoming, Idaho and Minnesota (including Martin County Implement in Truman and Tri-County Implement in Jackson).



Past Grand Knight of the Fairmont Area Knights of Columbus, Chad McGowan (left) recently selected Cary Villeneuve as his 2017/2018 "Most Supportive Knight". Cary was thanked for his support of the local council and recognized for his leadership. (Submitted photo)

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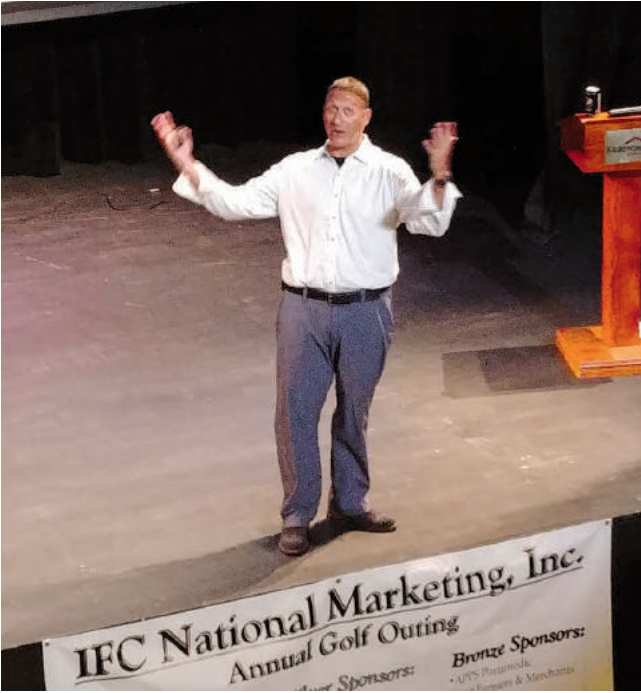
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Ross Bernstein was a keynote speaker at the IFC National Marketing annual forum held Monday at the Fairmont Opera House. Over 80 insurance agents attended, with the main theme being the upcoming major changes in the current Medicare plan. According to Dave Martens, an owner at IFC National Marketing, "Among the the things discussed were the major changes to the state's Medicare system and how to help their senior clients."



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Hints to help you protect your kids in the car

(NAPS)—Keeping your kids on the road to safety when in and around a car can be easier if you take these steps:

What You Can Do

First, according to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), you should look for a car with these vehicle safety features:

- Rear-view cameras
- Interior trunk release
- Side-impact air bags
- Advanced frontal air bags
- Push-down/pull-up window switches
- Automatic door locks.

Next, the NHTSA says, you should always remember to:

1. Use a car seat for every trip—even when you're just going down the street. Select the car seat based on your child's age and size, and always follow the manufacturer's directions. Make sure it's compatible with your vehicle by checking the car seat manufacturer's instructions.

2. Keep kids in the backseat at least through age 12.

3. Tell children not to play around vehicles. Be-

fore getting into a vehicle, check around and behind it, as well as the surrounding area, to ensure no children are present.

4. Buckle and lock any unused seat belts to keep kids from getting tangled up in them.

5. Never leave a child unattended in a vehicle, no matter how short the stop, or what the weather is, even if the windows are cracked. The car can heat up very quickly in almost all weather conditions. Even with moderate outside temperatures



in the mid-60s, a vehicle's interior can quickly heat up to more than 110° F. In addition, if the ignition is on or the keys are in the ignition, children can accidentally cause the vehicle to roll or even drive away.

What Can Help

To prevent precious cargo from being left in cars, one company has come up with an ingenious Rear Door Alert

(RDA) technology. An industry first, the system was developed by two mothers who are also engineers at Nissan. It monitors when the rear door is opened and closed before and after the vehicle is in motion. The system responds with a series of notifications if a rear door was used prior to a trip but was not reopened after the trip. Once the vehicle is in park and the ignition is turned off, the system will first display a notification in the instrument panel and progresses to distinctive chirps of the horn to remind drivers to check the backseat.

Nissan's RDA is easy to configure and can be temporarily or permanently turned off through a menu in the cluster display.

Already available in the Nissan Pathfinder, for model year 2019, RDA will be standard equipment on eight other Nissan cars, including the best-selling Rogue and the all-new Altima. By model year 2022, it will be standard on all the company's four-door trucks, sedans and SUVs.

Learn More

For further information, go to www.NissanUSA.com and www.NHTSA.gov.

Urgent airbag safety recall

(NAPS)—Vehicle manufacturers are conducting the largest safety recall in U.S. history to replace defective airbags, but need YOUR help to repair YOUR vehicle to help avoid the risk that a defective airbag could kill or seriously injure you and your passengers. Authorized dealerships and stores in your area are replacing defective airbags for FREE.

What You Should Do

Check your VIN:

- Find your 17-digit Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) located on the bottom driver's side corner of your windshield.

- Check to see if you have an airbag recall at NHTSA.gov/recalls or AirbagRecall.com (for Sterling Bullet only, refer to the manufacturer website).

Schedule your FREE Urgent Repair:

- Call your nearest local dealership or store to schedule a FREE repair.

- Alternate transportation may be available for FREE.

- Your safety is important to every vehicle manufacturer! Contact your vehicle manufacturer from the table if you require any assistance.

CarCare2018

—Where to go to keep you moving—

A clean car is Money in the bank

(NAPS)—Purchasing a new car is a major financial investment. Keeping it clean can be an easy and inexpensive way to protect its resale and trade-in value.

"Many motorists procrastinate when it comes to cleaning their vehicles," said Rich White, executive director of the nonprofit Car Care Council. "Whether you do it yourself or have it cleaned professionally, proactively keeping your car clean on the outside and tidy on the inside

The next step is to thoroughly clean the interior, wash the windows, and clean and install floor mats. Be sure to vacuum on a regular basis. A clean and orderly interior lets you spot issues in the cabin so you can get them repaired before they get worse.

- Wash the Exterior—Give your car a good wash from top to bottom using products specifically made for automobiles. Always clean the tires and wheels before washing the body



will pay big dividends when it comes to maintaining your vehicle's value over time."

The Car Care Council suggests five simple steps to keep a vehicle clean, helping protect it from the elements and preserve its value.

- Declutter—Start the cleaning process by removing excess clutter from inside the car as it can be distracting and hazardous, especially when debris finds its way near the gas and brake pedals. Don't forget to clear out items that have accumulated in the trunk as they can add extra weight and reduce fuel efficiency.

- Clean the Interior—

and don't use the same washing mitt or cloth for both.

- Wax Twice a Year—Waxing not only protects a vehicle's finish, it makes subsequent washing easier. Before proceeding, make sure there are no foreign particles on the paint. It's important to note that waxing should be done in the shade, not direct sunlight.

- Fix Chips—If you find minor paint damage, cover the paint chips as quickly as possible to prevent further damage. For a quick fix until you can get paint touch-up supplies, dab a little clear nail polish on the scratch.

The Car Care Council is the source of information for the "Be Car Care Aware" consumer education campaign promoting the benefits of regular vehicle care, maintenance and repair to consumers.

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Ask questions to select right auto repair shop

(NAPS)—By asking six simple questions, you may be better able to identify the right auto repair shop to properly care for one of your most valuable assets, your car.

What To Ask

1. Does the business employ ASE-certified technicians? Credentials and affiliations are indicators of professionalism and the management's commitment to training and education.

2. Is the shop and customer waiting area clean and organized? Cleanliness and organization are signs of a well-run business.

3. Are customers greeted and treated in a friendly and respectful manner? Many auto repair businesses excel in the area of customer service and satisfaction. A simple phone call to the shop to inquire about their services can give you a glimpse of how they treat customers.

4. Does the business provide a written estimate? The business should complete a written estimate and request your signature prior to starting any repairs on your car.

5. Does the business offer a warranty? Most auto repair businesses offer a warranty on parts and labor and the warranty is usually in writing or posted in the waiting area.

6. Does the business have a list of satisfied customers or references that it is willing to give you? Satisfied customers and recommendations from family, friends and neighbors are helpful in finding a good shop. Many auto repair facilities also have company websites that are worth checking out as they often include testimonials and additional information about the business.

"A vehicle is a major purchase for most people, so it makes sense to take the time to select an auto repair facility that will take the best care of that investment," said Rich White,

executive director of the nonprofit Car Care Council. "Being an informed auto care consumer means not only learning about your vehicle and its service needs, but also the facility that will make the repairs."

A Car Care Council video, titled "Auto Service and Repair: What to Expect," provides valuable information on such topics as what to expect at the shop

and covers the real truth about consumer rights and the manufacturer's warranty. The Car Care Council is the source of information for the "Be Car Care Aware" consumer education campaign promoting the benefits of regular vehicle care, maintenance and repair to consumers.

Learn More
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Seeing is believing when it comes to road safety

(NAPS)—Although properly functioning vehicle lights, wipers and mirrors allow for better visibility while driving, these items are all too often forgotten or ignored when people perform basic auto care, says the nonprofit Car Care Council.

"Making sure that you can see and be seen on the road is essential to avoiding motor vehicle accidents, yet many motorists overlook simple maintenance steps that can improve driving visibility," explained Rich White, executive director, Car Care Council.

Following a few auto care visibility tips can be illuminating, helping to ensure the safety of you, your passengers and other vehicles around you.

- Replace any exterior or interior lights that are dimming, rapidly blinking or nonfunctioning and be

washer fluid level and, when it gets low, replace it.

- Replace wiper blades if they show cracking or if they chatter or streak when operating. Don't forget to check the rear wiper blade.

- When in doubt, turn your lights on to help you see and help other drivers see you. Some places even have laws that require headlights to be on when windshield wipers are operating.

- Don't overdrive your headlights. Maintain a speed that will let you stop within the illuminated area; otherwise, you create a blind crash zone in front of your vehicle.

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sure headlights are correctly aimed.

- Make sure that vehicle mirrors are clean and properly positioned.
- Check windshield

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Help teens learn driving

(NAPS)—When it's time for your teens to get their learner's permits and driver's licenses, here's a hint on how you can help: Don't teach them yourself. Leave that to the professionals.

How Teens Can Learn

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What is it?

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often identical to those on the official driver's license test.

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the DMV manual are 73 percent more likely to pass the official test than those who study the manual alone. The program is called Driving-Tests.org and can be found at [https://](https://driving-tests.org)

driving-tests.org.

What You Can Do

One good thing you can do as a parent is create a parent-driver contract. It helps form an open line of communication about the importance of safety and the expectations that come with the new and profound responsibility of driving.

Among other things, the young driver promises to follow all traffic and safety rules, never drive under the influence of alcohol or drugs or ride with any driver who is, and avoid dis-

tracted driving such as texting or talking on the phone while driving.

The parents promise to provide and maintain a safe vehicle, pay for driver training classes and materials, be available to ride along, pick the young person up or arrange a ride home whenever necessary regardless of the time or situation, and lead by example by exhibiting safe driving behavior.

You can download the contract at <https://driving-tests.org/parent-driver-contract.pdf>.

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Ask A Trooper: RV Parking

by Sgt. Troy Christianson,
MN State Patrol

Question: Can a person park their camper/RV in the ditch of a highway? What about staying in a RV at a Minnesota rest area?

Answer: Leaving or parking a camper or travel trailer in the ditch or on any highway right-of-way is illegal. A highway right-of-way typically extends near the top of the outside slope. It would only be allowed where signs designate it as a campsite.

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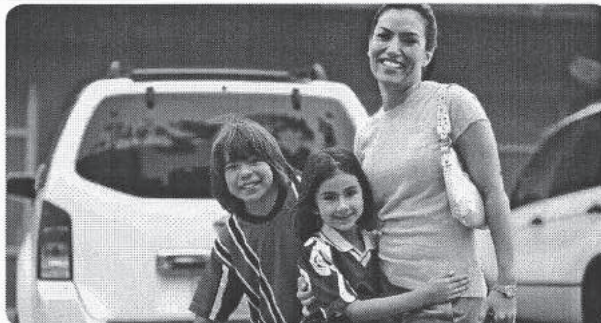
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Ten Tips For Drivers

(NAPS)—According to the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, there are 5.25 million driving accidents a year in the U.S.—but they needn't happen to you.

What You Can Do

- Don't use your smartphone while driving. Drivers talking on phones, hand-held or hands-free, can miss seeing up to half of their surroundings, such as pedestrians, bicyclists, motorcyclists or other drivers.
- Drive "defensively." Be aware of what drivers around you are doing.
- Keep your eyes moving while you drive. Check all mirrors.
- Leave at least two to four car lengths between your car and the one ahead, six or eight at night or in bad weather.
- Obey all speed limits and signs.
- Never drive under the influence of alcohol or drugs, or if you are fatigued.
- Always wear your seat belt.
- Adjust all mirrors and seats properly before starting the car.
- Use turn signals,

and ensure your lights are on at night and in bad weather. Make yourself visible with horn, lights and signals.

- Look out for the truck and bus "No-Zone." Those drivers have big blind spots. If you can't see the drivers in their rear-view mirrors, they can't see you.

What Others Are Doing
Many of the professionals who drive trucks, taxis, limousines and buses are recognized for their attention to safety. For example, the 127,000 small-package drivers at UPS are among the safest on the roads, logging more than 3 billion miles per year and delivering nearly 5 billion packages annually.

In fact, the company

recently inducted 1,582 drivers into its elite "Circle of Honor," raising to 10,503 the number of drivers who haven't had a preventable accident for 25 years or more.

Collectively, these drivers logged 14 billion miles and achieved more than 257,195 years of safe driving throughout their careers. That's enough to circle the equator 547,000 times, or make 206 round-trips to Mars.

Before ever making a delivery, all UPS drivers are taught safe driving methods through the company's defensive driving platform. The training continues throughout their careers. The company's UPS Integrad training school for delivery drivers, and Driver Trainer School (DTS) for tractor-trailer instructors, boast some of the industry's most rigorous safety training, with the most up-to-date technology, including virtual reality devices.

The company even helps those it shares

the road with stay safe, through its UPS Road Code training for teens.

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For further facts about safe driving, go to <https://sustainability.ups.com/committed-to-more/employee-safety/>.

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Market goat, altered male or female, no bucks
- Heather Trumpold, MCW • Pink
- Heather Trumpold, MCW • White
- Jacob Clarke, MCW • Red
- Sarah Fisher, MCW • Blue
Junior meat breeding doe
- Jacob Clarke, MCW • Blue
Dry breeding yearling
- Jacob Clarke, MCW • Blue
- Sarah Fisher, MCW • Red

Grand Champion Market Goat
- Sarah Fisher
Reserve Champion Market Goat
- Jacob Clarke
Overall Champion Goat
- Jacob Clarke
Reserve Champion Goat
- Jacob Clarke
Showmanship Grand Champion
- Sarah Fisher
Showmanship Reserve Champion
- Jacob Clarke

FFA WINNERS - FFA SHEEP

Suffolk Spring ram lamb
- Alissa Kallemeyn, Truman • Blue
Suffolk Ewe, one year, under two years
- Alissa Kallemeyn, Truman • Blue
- Alissa Kallemeyn, Truman • Red
Suffolk Slick shorn ewe, one year, under two years
- Alissa Kallemeyn, Truman • Blue
- Alissa Kallemeyn, Truman • Red
Suffolk Spring Ewe Lamb
- Alissa Kallemeyn, Truman (January) • Blue
- Alissa Kallemeyn, Truman (February) • Blue
- Alissa Kallemeyn, Truman (February) • Red
- Alissa Kallemeyn, Truman (March) • Blue
Suffolk Slick shorn spring ewe lamb
- Alissa Kallemeyn, Truman (February) • Blue
Commercial black face spring ewe lamb
- Erin Tlam, MCW • Blue
- Haley Maday, MCW • Red
Commercial black face Market lambs, ewes or wethers, pure or cross-breds - lightweight
- Erin Tlam, MCW • Blue
- Haley Maday, MCW • Red
- Spencer Salic, Truman • White

Commercial black face Market lambs, ewes or wethers, pure or cross-breds - heavy weight
- Logan Wedel, Fairmont • White
- Erin Tlam, MCW • Red
- Spencer Salic, Truman • Blue
- Haley Maday, MCW • Pink
Commercial white & speckled face Spring ewe lamb
- Keegan Hastad, Truman • Blue
Commercial white & speckled face - Market lambs
- Keegan Hastad, Truman • Blue
- Keegan Hastad, Truman • Red
Commercial white & speckled face - Market pen
- Keegan Hastad, Truman • Blue
Overall Grand Champion Sheep
- Erin Tlam
Reserve Sheep
- Alissa Kallemeyn
Market champion
- Erin Tlam
Reserve market champion
- Spencer Salic
Showmanship champion
- Alissa Kallemeyn
Reserve Showmanship
- Erin Tlam

FFA WINNERS - FFA DAIRY CATTLE

Holstein Winter calf
- Bella Lange, MCW • Blue
Holstein Fall Calf
- Katie Lange, MCW • Red
- Brock Lange, MCW • Blue
- Isaac Olson, MCW • Red
Holstein Summer Jr Yearling
- Gabby Lange, MCW • Blue
- Isaac Olson, MCW • Red
Holstein Fall Sr Yearling
- Bella Lange, MCW • Red
- Katie Lange, MCW • Blue

Holstein Winter Senior Yearling
- Isaac Olson, MCW • Blue
Holstein Three Year Old Cows
- Gabby Lange, MCW • Blue
Brown Swiss Fall Calf
- Isaac Olson • Blue
Ayrshire Winter Calf
- Logan Potthoff, MCW • Blue
Ayrshire Summer Jr Yearling
- Logan Potthoff, MCW • Blue
Ayrshire Spring Junior yearling
- Logan Potthoff, MCW • Blue

FFA WINNERS - FFA BEEF

Crossbred breeding heifer - spring heifer calf
- Keegan Hastad, Truman • Blue
- Grace Meyers, MCW • Red
- Thea Anderson, MCW • White
Crossbred breeding heifer - Jr heifer yearling
- Macey Becker, MCW • Blue
- Zoie Thate, MCW • Red
Prospect market calf
- Autumn Wildfeuer, Fairmont • White
- Autumn Wildfeuer, Fairmont • Pink
- Eastyn Anderson, MCW • Blue
- Grace Meyers, MCW • Red
Prospect dairy steer calf
- Autumn Wildfeuer, Fairmont • Blue
- Autumn Wildfeuer, Fairmont • Blue

Fairmont • Red Dairy Steer
- Cam Dressen, MCW • Red
- Macy Quinn, Fairmont • Blue
Showmanship Grand Champion
- Macy Quinn
Showmanship Reserve Champion
- Eastyn Anderson
Grand Champion Breeding Animal
- Keegan Hastad, Truman
Reserve Champion Breeding Animal
- Macey Becker, MCW
Grand Champion Market Animal
- Eastyn Anderson, MCW
Reserve Champion Market Animal
- Macy Quinn, Fairmont

FFA WINNERS - FFA SWINE

Registered gilts, January
- Kari Matejka, MCW • Yellow
- Nick Matejka, MCW • White
- Larissa Becker, Fairmont • Red
- Lance Becker, Fairmont • Blue
Registered gilts, February
- Emily Matejka, MCW • Blue
Champion Breeding gilt
- Lance Becker
Reserve champion breeding gilt
- Larissa Becker
Purebred Senior market barrows
- Nick Beseke, MCW • Blue
- Emily Matejka, MCW • Red
- Ben Matejka, MCW • White
Crossbred Senior market barrows
- Ben Matejka, MCW • Pink
- Nick Matejka, MCW • Blue
- Emily Matejka, MCW • White

• White
- Larissa Becker, Fairmont • Red
- Lance Becker, Fairmont • Yellow
Crossbred Junior market barrows
- Larissa Becker, Fairmont • Blue
- Lance Becker, Fairmont • Red
Crossbred Senior market Gilts
- Nick Beseke, MCW • Red
- Kari Matejka, MCW • White
- Emily Matejka, MCW • Blue
Crossbred Senior Market Pen of Three
- Lance Becker • Blue
Champion market barrow
- Larissa Becker
Reserve champion market barrow
- Nick Matejka
Showmanship champion
- Larissa Becker
Showmanship Reserve champion
- Nick Beseke

FFA WINNERS - FFA DAIRY GOATS

Registered Jr Doe Kid
- Logan Potthoff, MCW • Blue
Registered Senior Doe Kid
- Heather Trumpold, MCW • Blue
- Morgan Curtis, MCW • Blue
Registered Dry Yearling Doe
- Morgan Curtis, MCW • Blue
- Morgan Curtis, MCW • Blue
- Logan Potthoff, MCW • Red
- Logan Potthoff, MCW • Blue
- Logan Potthoff, MCW • Blue

• Red
Registered Milking Doe 3-4 Yr Old
- Morgan Curtis, MCW • Blue
Recorded Grade Jr Doe Kid
- Morgan Curtis, MCW • Blue
Recorded Grade Dry Yearling Doe
- Heather Trumpold, MCW • Red
- Morgan Curtis, MCW • Blue
Unrecorded Dry Yearling Doe
- Logan Potthoff, MCW • Blue

FFA WINNERS - FFA POULTRY

Market Pen
- Evan Roben, MCW • Blue
Breeding Pen
- Evan Roben, MCW • Blue

Cardinal event admission/annual passes

Fairmont Area High School has announced their event admission and annual passes for school events in the new school year. Annual passes are available for purchase at HyVee now through September 13th.

Admission charged to the following events:
• Football (Varsity)
• Volleyball (Varsity/B Squad)
• Musical/Spring play
• Basketball (Varsity/B Squad)
• Gymnastics (Varsity/JV)
• Hockey (Varsity/JV)
• Wrestling (Varsity/JV)
• Baseball (Varsity/B Squad)
• Softball (Varsity/B Squad)
• Track (Varsity)

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At the school webstore on sale now through September 5th.

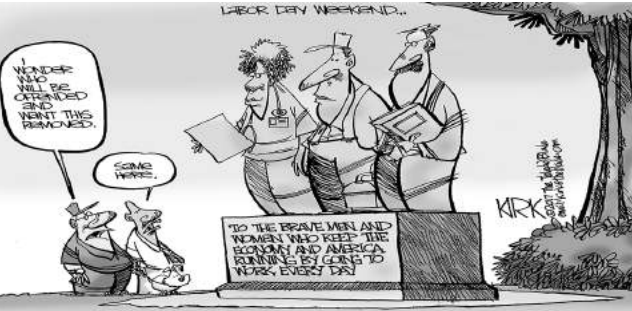
Passes will be available for pick-up at admission gate of first home game of selected sporting event.

Please allow time for passes to be processed and place your order at least two days before the dates listed for each event.

- Volleyball - September 4th (order by 9/2)
- Football - September 7th (order by 9/5)

Passes will be for sale at the Admission Gates of the FIRST home event. Please allow enough time to purchase and receive the passes before game time. Passes will also be for sale at the Back-to-School Fall Pep Fest on Wednesday, August 29th from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m.

- Adult admission: \$7.00/EVENT
- Student/senior citizen admission: \$5.00/EVENT
(FHS Students & Staff no charge with ID badge)
ANNUAL PASS PRICES:
- Adult: \$100
- Student: \$55*
* FES & FHS Students do not need to purchase a pass! ALL Fairmont Elementary and High School students will receive FREE admission this year by presenting their ID badges at the gate. (To qualify as a FES or FHS student and receive an ID badge: A student must take at least one class at FES or FHS)
- Senior Citizen: \$55 (60 years and older)
Free admission to:
• Cross country
• golf
• soccer
• tennis
• Concerts - band, choir & orchestra



Fairmont Concert Association announces new season lineup

The Fairmont Concert Association has released its 2018-2019 Season of concerts. All performances this year will take place at 7:00 p.m. at the Fairmont Area High School Performing Arts Center.

The first concert of the new season will take place Saturday, September 22nd and will feature the foursome called "Band Stand Boogie!"

Saturday, December 1st the guest performer will be Baritone "Leon Williams".

On Thursday, March 14th, 2019 Pianist extraordinaire Charlie Albright will take the stage.

On Thursday April 4th, 2019 Folk Singer and Guitarist William Florian will perform on stage.

The 2018-2019 season will wrap up on Sunday, May 5th, 2019. Star of stage and screen, Gary Arbuthnot will perform on both flute and piano with background tapes.

Once again this season, members will receive a special bonus of being able to attend five additional concerts with the Blue Earth Concert Association.

Enrollment for memberships are open until September 13th. Students are \$10, Adults \$50, Family \$110 Patron \$125, Sponsor \$150 and Benefactor is \$250+.

Membership checks can be sent to: Fairmont Concert Association, 757 Shoreacres Drive, Fairmont, MN 56031 or you can call 235-9276 or 238-2892.

Be sure and check out their ad in the August 22nd edition of the Photo Press.

"Just the other day"

Guest Columnist

Tom Palen, broadcaster, pilot, writer



"Tribute to Mollie Tibbetts"

Dear Mollie,
I am so sorry for what happened to you.

Although we never met in person, I knew you. Through social media, newspapers, radio, and television, I learned who you were. A happy person who was kind to everyone and helped whenever and wherever you could. A girl with ideas, hopes and dreams. A young woman with a bright and promising future. A small town girl on your way to doing great things; to make a difference. A compassionate soul, you loved, and were loved.

Sadly, I learned your name and came to recognize your face from pictures and advertisements posted

by people getting the word out that everyone should look for you. Wanting to help, I looked for you, too.

In my travels about the country, I looked for you at every truck stop and gas station; every rest area and motel; every cafe and restaurant. I kept an eye out for you in grocery stores and in passing cars. In big cities and small towns; even places that were no longer anything more than a name on a map; a crossroad where travelers pass through. I looked for you, Mollie, but I could not find you. You were not there.

I dreamed that I might find you and stay by your side, offering you protection, while waiting for help

to arrive. You see, Mollie, you were my daughter, too.

From the moment it was made known that you were missing, you became the daughter of every father who heard your story. Every mother claimed you as their own daughter and every son and daughter saw you as their sister. All questioned, "What if Mollie was my daughter?" Or, "What if she was my sister?" We were all looking for you. But we could not find you.

I listened for you, hoping to hear your voice calling out, "Here I am." But I could not hear you; your voice had been silenced by one who meant you harm. When I heard your body was found, my heart broke. The search

was over, but did not end the way we hoped nor envisioned. There would be no joyful reunion with your family. Along with so many others, my tears fell.

As fathers, we grieved with your dad, asking, "Why? Where did I fail you? What more could I have done? Should I have done more to protect you?" Mothers sobbed and mourned with your mom, wondering, "Why my child? She was my innocent baby." Brothers and sister cried, "Why? She never hurt anyone. She didn't deserve this." We wept as individuals, and together as your family. You were too young

to be taken away.

Only God knows when each of us will depart this world. Some will question, "Where was God during all of this? Why didn't He save you?" In truth, He did.

At the very deepest, darkest moment in your life, when you were hurting the most, He reached His hands to you, softly calling, "Come to Me, Mollie." He freed you from your torment; lifting you from the grip of your assailant. Taking you into His arms, holding you close to His chest, He brushed your tears away. Your crying subsided, giving way to His consolation, comfort and peace.

Your broken body healed; your suffering over; no one can hurt you ever again.

I am sorry for what was done to you, Mollie. In disbelief that such a thing could happen, I still find myself looking for you, as do others. Now we know where to find you: safe and free on a path where angels trod. Fly high, dear child. Fly high.

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The Guy From Just Around the Corner

By Al Batt

My neighbor Crandall stops by.

"How are you doing?" I ask.

Everything is nearly copacetic. The bacon seeds I planted didn't germinate, but other than that the garden is doing well. My dog is still trying to figure out why vacuum cleaners hate him. I try to save for a rainy day, but my life has been a steady downpour. I listen to the weather report every day. That's because I enjoy being surprised. Pop claims he can predict the weather by the twinges in his joints. If he feels a twinge, we'll definitely have weather of some kind. I've been a working fool. Work can inspire laziness. I can never be as lazy as I



try to be. On a hot day, I caught a fried fish on Lake Inferior. I finally finished reading 'War and Peace.'

"Impressive," I add.
"Not really. I just read the peace parts. There was a nice turnout for Barney's funeral."

"Yes, there was," I say.
"He had the world's 437th largest ball of twine. I'll miss him. At least he died surrounded by loved ones."

"I read the obituaries. Being surrounded by loved ones kills a lot of people."

Naturally
The rain tapped on the leaves. Everything was as right as rain. There was no thunder and lightning. On average, approximately 44,000 thunderstorms occur each day.

The mosquitoes had disappeared. I didn't miss them. I've heard of BuzzFeed, but to me,

that's a biting mosquito.

The sun came out, turning a world covered in raindrops into jewels. I wanted to adopt the habit of a bee and visit each and every flower. I walked on so many acorns it felt as if I were walking on ball bearings.

The sultry part of summer, the Dog Days, are supposed to occur during the period that Sirius, the Dog Star, rises with the sun -- from July 3 to August 11. For every fog in August, there will be a snowfall -- they say.

Goldenrod and ragweed bloom. Ragweed is the culprit that torments allergy sufferers. We got some new siding on the house. A monarch butterfly caterpillar picked it to form a chrysalis. It looks lovely.

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Loren Schoewe, Sherry Schoewe, Mary F. Taylor, Neal Taylor to Amanda Campbell, Christopher Campbell, Lots 6 & 7, Block 7, Original Plat Monterey

John Jensen, Linda Kerkov, David Kerkove, Linda Kerkove, Delores Kokan, Lee Waldee to Lance Waldee, PT w/easement NW¼NE¼ and PT w/easement NW¼ 11-102-33

Tari Lynn Riley to Juliet Jewett, Matthew Jewett, Lot 4, Block 3, Hollandale Addition

Larry R. Johnson, S. Totzke Johnson, Serena S. Totzke Johnson, Johnson S. Totzke, Serena S. Totzke, Serena S. Totzke Johnson to Anthony Nelson, Emily Nelson, PT SE¼ 7-102-32

Jill M. Nelson, Ryan M. Nelson to Nicole Meier, Lot 7, Block 1, Milbrandts Addition

Sandra L. McKean, Thomas R. McKean to Matthew Ask, Mikayla Ask, Lot 8, Block 18 and N35' Lot 7 Block 18, Original Plat Tenhassen-Ceylon

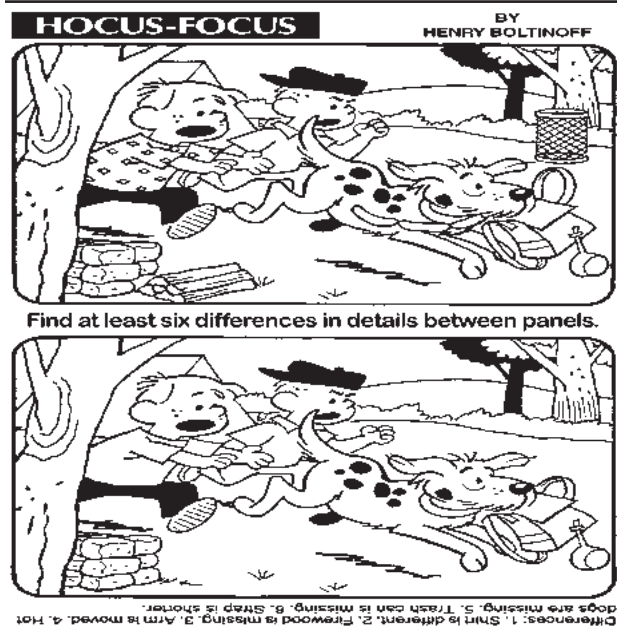
Caroline Jo Finke to Jane Kollofski, PT SW¼ 7-102-30 Donna R. Hoffman, Richard A. Hoffman to Kevin J. Schoning, Lot 4, Block 3, Gambles Addition

QUIT CLAIM DEEDS

Jonathan Frederick Fitzgerald to Amy Lynn Fitzgerald, PT SE¼NE¼ and PT NE¼SE¼, 12-102-33

Glen C. Hemiller, Judy M. Hemiller to Michael Hemiller, Nathan Hemiller, PT 6.38 AC NW¼NW¼ 18-103-31

West Ridge Pork, West Ridge Pork LLP to Pork Behrens Farms Inc, PT 3.51 AC SE¼NE¼ 16-103-31



FARM & SEED CLEANING EQUIP AUCTION

SALE DATE: MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH @ 4:00 PM—LOCATION: 501 Main Street, Ormsby, MN

TRACTORS: DEUTZ ALLIS 9170 MFD, 6,275 hrs., 480/80R42 rear w/factory duals, exc, triple outlet, 3 pt., fronts w/120" spacing rings WHITE 2-155 TRACTOR, 6,995 hrs., 18.4.38 rear w/axle duals, Cab. **COMBINE & HEADS:** GLEANER R60 COMBINE, 2,391 sep hrs., hydro, exc 30.5-32 drive tires, nice combine, GLEANER 500 25' BEAN HEAD, CLEANER 8-30 HUGGER CORN HEAD, 4-WHEEL HEADER CART, can be used for larger head **TRUCKS:** 1976 IH 4070 CABOVER TRUCK, Cummins, 13 sd, PS, 21" Steel Box, recently reconditioned, Tri Axle, 3 pc endgate & roll tarp 1975 FORD LOUISVILLE CONV TRUCK, diesel, 15 sd, PS, 17' Crysteel box & hoist almost new, 3 pc endgate & roll tarp **MACHINERY:** WHITE 6122 12-30 PLANTER, pull type, hyd. Wing fold; HINKER 1000 12-30 min till Cultivator, very little use; M & W 1930 MT 30' Min Till Rotary Hoe; AC 1400 30' FIELD CULT; LANDOLL WEATHERPROOFER II S Shank Ripper, JD 230 20' HYD. FOLD DISK; AC 1600 14' CHISEL PLOW **AUGERS:** HARVEST INTERNATIONAL H1072 approx. 10' x 72' Auger, like new, used only 1 season on under 30,000 bushels, direct drive hopper wheel hopper mover, hyd. Lift; (2) FETERL APPROX. 8' x 60' AUGERS 1 w/10 hp motor—**MARK & CONNIE PETERSEN-OWNERS 907-920-8093**

1982 JD 4640 TRACTOR, 5,642 hrs., Quad, 18.4x42 rear, #29351, nice tractor; JD 3010 DIESEL TRACTOR, factory w/2 Outlets w/JD 48 Loader; LOFTNESS 3 PT. 8' SNOWBLOWER w/hyd. Spout—**DICK & KATHY NYBORG-OWNERS 907-236-4730**

IH 1466 D TRACTOR, 5,600 actual hrs, factory diamond cab, dual PTO, 3 pt., w/Bush Hog loader, 7' Bucket; IH M GAS TRACTOR, PS, Belt Pulley; AC WD-45 TRACTOR, Wide Front, PS, JD 55AB 3-14' PLOW—**ROBERT (BOB) & ANGELA CARLSON 507-236-7584**

CONSIGNED ITEMS: JD 4440 TRACTOR, QR, 42" rear radials, 3 pt., triple hyd, new style AC; CIH MX120 MFD TRACTOR, 42" rear tires, cab, air, completely rebuilt front end w/Westendorf XTA 400 Quick Tatch Loader w/grapple bucket & bale forks; IH 4366 4-WHEEL DRIVE, 3 pt., 20.8-38 tires w/axle duals, 10, AC WD-45 TRACTOR, WF, Loader, CIH 2188 COMBINE approx. 4,000 sep. hrs., Ag Leader Monitor, chopper & rock trap; CIH 1020 30' BEAN HEAD; CIH 963 8-30 CORN HEAD; IH 9-22' SKIP

ROW CORN HEAD, IH 844 4 ROW CORN HEAD; IH 810 15' PLATFORM; 1975 PETERBILT CONVENTIONAL SEMI TRACTOR SLEEPER, Cat Engine, 13 sd, Air Leat Susp, alum frame; 2007 TRAILERMAN 44' FIFTH WHEEL FLATBED, exc condition, (2) 12,000# axles, flip-up ramps; 1975 FORD 880 LOUISVILLE TWIN SCREW DIESEL TRUCK, Cat eng, 20' Box & Hoist; 1980 HAWKEYE STEEL 42' HOPPER TRAILER; PARKER 710 GRAIN CART; IH 133 12-30' CULT; MAYRATH APPROX. 10' x 61' AUGER, hyd lift & hyd. Hopper; IH 500 PLANTER, for parts; WALINGA 614F GRAIN VAC & Piping & Hoses; JD 443 CORNHEAD 4-30; 1981 GMC 6000 TRUCK w/Parker 2600 400 bu. box; ALLMAD NIGHT LIGHT PRO LIGHT TOWER & GENERATOR, 1,990 hrs. **GRAIN CLEANING EQUIPMENT TO BE REMOVED:** WESTROP FR 4500 XS GRAIN CLEANER, all steel; (6) UNIVERSAL GRAIN LEGS, approx. 24' to 50' Tall; AG MACHINE MODEL 300 Grain Spirals; CRIPPEN H542 GRAIN CLEANER; (2) STEEL STRUCTURES 1' w/approx. 2 x 250 bu. bins & 1 w/approx. 500 bu. bin; (2) DUST BINS & FANS W/STRUCTURE; FISCHBEIN BAG CLOSER PBC-A5600 Model; ROUGH PALLETIZER w/14' horizontal, 17' Angle & 3 receiving belts, self-contained hyd. System & vacuum system, hyd. Pallets, complete system; BELT CONVEYORS VARIOUS LENGTHS; FRIESEN 16' HOPPER tank approx. 1,500 bu.; Approx. 100,000 seed sacks unused **Above items must be removed at buyer's expense and must be removed within 30 days. Buyers must provide proof of insurance prior to removal. **Approx. 1/2 hour of Tools, Grain Elevator Parts, 100' Steel Grain Conveyor, Motors, Auger & Much More & A lot of Office Equip **FULL LISTING @ WWW.AUCTIONEERALLEY.COM & ONLINE BIDDING @ PROXIBID.COM**

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They are now like soldiers without a leader

Guest Columnist

Darwin Anthony, Business Owner, Artist, Writer



It is going to happen. The Les Peterson collection of John Deere tractors is going to be sold at auction on September 6th, 2018 in Trimont. The picture is of six of the sixteen that will be sold at that auction.

Watching the John Deere tractors being prepared for the auction triggers sadness within me. I remember how much he thought of his collection and how he knew so much about each one of them. I think of how well he could describe each, like telling how he got ownership. I remember some cold winter nights when

"the lights were on" in his special tractor shop. He enjoyed working on them. He knew about them all!

We were business and farming partners for many years. I remember his pas-

sion for "owning green." He had a special interest in John Deere machinery, for he once was a John Deere "block man" before starting in the banking business. Owning old

John Deere tractors was his passion. He made a mental log of each. He was a quiet and reserved person, but asking him about one of his John Deere tractors opened a floodgate of information.

I watched his interest and collection grow over the last sixty years. There is something special about getting them ready for the sale. THEY ARE NOW LIKE SOLDIERS WITHOUT A LEADER.

His collection grew for a reason. He studied many books and manuals. The stored up knowledge was put to use. Owning the real thing brought a reality to his years of study.



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Soon skunks and raccoons will be digging in the lawn in search of grubs for grub. I spotted a red fox. A red fox has black legs, black-tipped ears and a white-tipped tail. A grey fox has a black tipped tail and a black

Cooper's hawk with a distinctive long, rounded tail with thick bands. A chimney swift chattered overhead on flickering wings. It was a short body propelled by long, slim wings. Turkey vultures were waiting for the morning's rush hour to end and for the heat to arrive before flying. Wild

A Eurasian collared-dove called. This species was introduced into the Bahamas in 1974, spread to Florida in 1982 and was first seen in Minnesota in 1998. A flock of starlings landed on utility wires. In the early 1890s, about 100 European starlings were released in New York City's Central Park by a group dedicated to bringing every bird mentioned

by Shakespeare to America. Today, there are about 200 million starlings in North America.

I visited Freeborn Lake, which is being drawn down. Wilson's phalaropes were spinning in the water, creating tiny whirlpools that drew prey upward. Some sources claim each phal-

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Field cricket by Al Batt

stripe down its back.

Sad crickets sang to chirrup others. I saw a

turkeys strolled by. A turkey can run 25 mph and fly 55 mph.

LARGE RETIREMENT MACHINERY AUCTION

SALE DATE: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH @ 9:45 AM—LOCATION: 4 mi S of Gaylord, MN on MN-22, then 3 mi E on 320th Street, then 1 mi S on 441st Ave and 1/2 mi E on 330th Street at 43577 330th St, Gaylord, MN

TRACTORS: CIH 245 MAGNUM TRACTOR MFD, 1002 hrs, 380/90/50 rear tires w/factory duals,

320/85R38 front tires duals, 3 pt. w/HD factory quick hitch, 540, 1000 RPMs, AFS Ready, AM-FM Radio, Buddy Seat, 4 hyd. Outlets, Power Beyond, IH vol hyd pump, bought new, S/N ZAR202131, set up for 22' rows, Auto Steer Ready; CIH 140 PUMA TRACTOR MFD, 976 hrs., Bar Axle,

320/90R50 rear tires w/factory duals, 320/85R34 fronts (set up for narrow rows), Creeper, 3 remotes w/cab control, 3 pt., 540 & 1000 RPM, #ZBBL11722, Auto Steer ready with Auto Steering System Including Globe, EZ Guide 500 Display; CIH STEIGER 9330, 4x4, 3,305 hrs., 12 sd. PS, 18.4.38 factory duals, 3 pt., 4 out-lets, approx. 200 hrs. on new center pins, Cab. #JEE0036548, bought new **COMBINE & HEADS:** CIH 2366 COMBINE, 1,734 sep. hrs., rock trap, chopper, 30.5.32 tires, Topper, AFS Yield Monitor, only 200 acres since gone thru shop (at Arnolds Glencoe), Field Tracker, #JJC0252829; **SMALL WIRE CONCAVES-** Bar Stock Grates for small grains, to be sold separately; CIH 1020 20' FLEXHEAD, set up for Field Tracker, approx. only 1,500 acres on head; CIH 1063, converted to 9 row 22", poly snoots, knife rolls; CIH 810 DUM-MY HEAD, 5 belt pickup, set up for Field Tracker **SWATHER:** CIH 8830 SWATHER w/12' Auger head & conditioner, Cab, Air, 1,460 hrs., diesel; CIH 8330A19BB 18' DRAPER HEAD for swather **TRUCKS & VEHICLE:** 1997 KENWORTH T300 DIESEL TWIN SCREW GRAIN TRUCK, Load line 20' box & hoist, rear hoist controls, 6 sd., 295/75R225 Tires on Alum Rims, 3 pc. Endgate, roll tarp; 70 & 72 Chev & 76 IH Grain Trucks 16 & 20' B&H **FIELD EQUIPMENT:** CIH 4800 28' FIELD CULTIVATOR, CIH 3 bar harrow; DEMCO CONQUEST 90' ALL HYD. BOOM 1200 GAL. SPRAYER, adj. axle, 320/90R46 tires, Tee Jet 844E Spray Controller; CIH 720 6-18" ON LAND PLOW, Auto Reset, new bottoms; DMI TIGER TWO 5 SHANK RIPPER, hyd. Front gang w/9 coulters; IH 770 20' HEAVY OFFSET DISK; GREAT PLAINS 30' FRONT FOLD DRILL, Markers, 6" Spacing, Gang Press, 400 acres on new discs; CIH 181 20' MT ROTARY HOE; IH 490 24' DISK; Speedy 4W Stalk Cutter; Pull-behind Spray Tank; 7 Sec Drag; IH 153 8-W Cult; HD Flatbed Trailer w/dovetail & ramps; Naber 3 pt. Rock Picker **GRAIN EQUIPMENT:** FARM FANS CF1AB320 GRAIN DRYER, 1,564 hrs., can dump hot or batch dry, 3 phase, bought new; 3 Phase Converter, big enough to run dryer & (2) 5 hp load & unload augers; BUTLER 1000 BU. HOLDING TANK; GSI 10'X60' PTO AUGER, hyd. Lift, galvanized, low use; FETERL 10'X60' PTO Auger w/hyd Swing Hopper; WESTFIELD WR60-51 6'X51' AUGER w/5 hp, 3 ph Elec Drive; DMI 450 CENTER DUMP GRAVITY WAGON; 3 Gravity Wagons-1 w/brush Auger HAY & LIVESTOCK EQUIPMENT; CIH RBX561 ROUND BALER, Net wrap & twine, HBJ0031378, bought new, bale count 5,954; H&S 320 TANDEM AXLE MA-NURE SPREADER, new apron & floor, slope gate; IH 10 PTO Flail Chopper; IH 430 SMALL SQUARE BALER; Farmhand 5 Wheel Rake; Lorenz LMC100 all hyd. Grinder Mixer; Loadmaster 14' Silage Wagon; New Idea Ground Drive Spreader; S&H Tandem Axle Feeder Wagon; 2-wheel Feed Cart **MISC:** VENTURE POP-UP 10' CAMPER; Poly Water Tanks; Electric 5 hp Water Pump; Loader off of IH 300; (2) 1,000 gal. Fuel Barrels & Pumps; Other Misc **NOTE:** Only 20 min of small items, be on time! Online bidding & pics at PROXIBID.COM or AUCTIONEERALLEY.COM

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BIG BLOCK - The Jaguars Dylan Benes opens a lane for teammate Carter Spear. Granada-Huntley-East Chain/Truman lost their season opener to host Madelia 32-12 last Friday night. *Photo courtesy Greg Abel*



SEALED OFF - Cards Kaleb Hoyer plays the ball away from Worthington's Ammanuel Ohja. The Trojans upended The Cards 6-4 last Thursday in Fairmont. Campbell Krusemark scored a pair of goals for the Cardinals. *Courtesy fairmontsports.com*



BACKHAND RETURN - Cardinals #1 singles freshman Claire Nemmers hits a return shot. The Cardinals lost their match 4-3 to Maple River last Tuesday in Fairmont. *Courtesy fairmontsports.com*



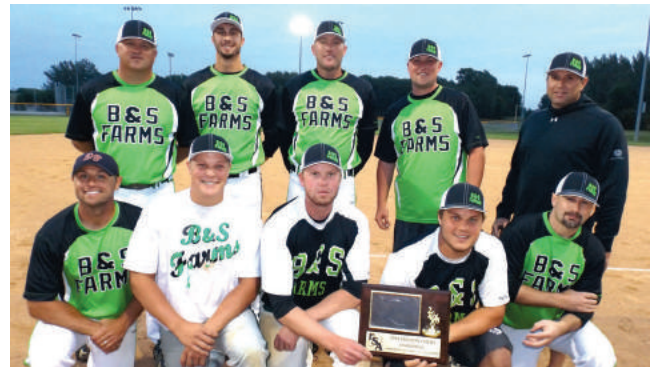
CORNER MARSHALL - The Cards Angelica Kerekes waves on teammate Laura Thompson at the Fairmont Early Bird Invite last Friday. The Cardinals girls pushed past Le Sueur-Henderson by tiebreaker to capture the event. *Courtesy fairmontsports.com*



LEADER OF THE PACK - The Cards Tyrell Zieske, right, and teammate Tony Ortega take off at the Fairmont Early Bird Invite. The Cardinal boys placed second behind St. James at the event last Friday in Fairmont. *Courtesy fairmontsports.com*



CRASH COURSE - Cardinals Mackenzie Householder collides with New Ulm's Nicole Porter. The Cards edged the Eagles 3-2 last Saturday in Fairmont. Cards Grace Higgins broke up a 2-2 tie with the game-winning penalty kick. *Courtesy fairmontsports.com*



MEN'S SLO- PITCH DIVISION I CHAMPS - B & S Farms. Team members include: Aaron Wendt, Chad Slagle, Derrick Bauer, Matt Schonrock, Connor Schlotfeldt, Colin Runksmeier, Cody Runksmeier, Spencer Clauson, Corey Vaske, Dustin Wannarka. *Courtesy Mike Fischer*



MEN'S SLO- PITCH DIVISION I RUNNER UPS - Blazer Bar/Steel Wheel. Team members include: Dustin Fritz, Ryan Paczkowski, Matt Fretty, Chris Hawkes, Ben Abel, Adam Gates, Mike Heckman, Ryan Graplar, Jeff Rothmeier, Dustin Zellmer, Bryce Padgett, Tyson Schuder, Philip Schwanz, Todd Fritz. *Courtesy Mike Fischer*



MEN'S SLO- PITCH DIVISION II CHAMPS - Hecht Taxidermy. Team members include: Will Hecht, Colby Zavaglia, Luke Moeckel, Zak Clemetson, Jamie Shumski, Daryl Thormasgard, Robbie Wiley, Jordan Brietbarth, Brett Byrne, Jamie Medina. *Courtesy Mike Fischer*



MEN'S SLO- PITCH DIVISION II RUNNER UPS - Legends II. Team members include: Brad Seifert, Jeremy Petersen, Pat Prafke, Kobe Mohwinkle, Cole Lightfoot, Alex Bahr, Ryan Carlson, Robin Edward, Rodney Szafryk, TJ Williams. *Courtesy Mike Fischer*

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Boekett/Rookies	10	4	4	.714	1W
The Still	8	5	5	.615	2L
Center for Specialty Care	8	6	6	.571	1W
Exit Reality/Great Plains	6	8	8	.429	1W
Edie's Restaurant	7	7	-	.500	1L
Hecht Taxidermy	7	7	-	.462	7W
Full Tilt	4	10	4	.250	1W
Legends II	2	12	6	.167	9L
Fairmont Ford	2	12	6	.077	1W

Mens Playoffs -

DIVISION 1

Blazer Bar/Steel Wheel 24, The Still 15

Championship Game

Blazer Bar/Steel Wheel 26, B & S Farms 12. *B & S Farms first loss*

If necessary Championship Game

B & S Farms 26, Blazer Bar/Steel Wheel 25. Colin Runksmeier walk-off winner!

DIVISION 2

Championship Game

Legends II 18, Hecht Taxidermy 6. Thanks for playing two games

tonight! Hecht Taxidermy first loss

If necessary Championship Game

Hecht Taxidermy 17, Legends II 3



by Chris Richcreek

1. In 2017, the University of Florida became the fourth Division I school since 1954 to win championships in men's basketball, football and baseball. Name two of the other three to do it.
2. Who held the New York Yankees record for most home runs by a rookie (29) before Aaron Judge hit 52 home runs in 2017?
3. Name the first player in the Super Bowl era to score on a run, a catch and a kickoff return in an NFL postseason game.
4. How many times has the University of Cincinnati's men's basketball team won 30 or more games in a season?
5. How many games did Chicago Blackhawks play to start the 2012-13 NHL season before they suffered a loss in regulation?
6. Who is the only female skier to win three alpine gold medals in a single Olympics?
7. Name the last male golfer to win the U.S. Open in consecutive years before Brooks Koepka did it in 2017-18.

Answers

1. Michigan, Ohio State and UCLA.
2. Joe DiMaggio, in 1936.
3. New England's Dion Lewis, in 2017.
4. Three times (2001-02, 2016-17, 2007-18).
5. Twenty-four.
6. Croatia's Janica Kostelic, in 2002.
7. Curtis Strange, in 1988-89.

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arope spins in only one direction, but I'm not so sure. Phalaropes exhibit role reversal. The females are more colorful and pursue the males that create the nests and incubate the eggs.

A friend recommended the book "Penguin the Magpie: The Odd Little Bird Who Saved a Family." I'm glad he did. It's a book that buoys the spirit as did the books "Arnie the Darling Starling" and "That

Quail Robert."

Q-and-A

Mark Anderson of Albert Lea asked what is the light green plant spreading like a veil over other plants along roads. It's wild cucumber. There is a bumper crop of this native annual this year. If unwanted, the plants should be pulled or hoed as soon as they're found. The seedlings resemble garden cucumbers. Repeated mowings before they

set seeds keeps them in check. If they're growing up into trees and bushes as they are now, pull them and discard them before they go to seed. They produce spiny fruit and the flowers are quite fragrant. There are chemical solutions that must be used carefully.


"What else eats milkweeds other than monarch butterfly caterpillars?" Deer and rabbits eat milkweed leaves and

insects such as milkweed bugs, tussock moths, Japanese beetles, oleander aphids and others feed on milkweeds.

Thanks for stopping by "In summer, the song sings itself." - William Carlos Williams


"In every walk with nature one receives far more than he seeks." -- John Muir

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- Brenda Weaver
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