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Marriage License Applications

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Sandra Kay Teachout and Keith Edward Grise
Nicole Marie Boesch and Derek Dean Behrens
Amanda Kay Proehl and Clyve Trenton Jensen

The **Fairmont Class of 1953** will meet Friday, September 6th for lunch at 11:30 a.m. at the Ranch Restaurant in Fairmont.

The **Tuesday Morning Coffees** for the month of September will take place at St. Paul UCC Church in Welcome. Coffee and goodies will be served starting at 8:30 a.m. All are welcome to come join us.

70th Anniversary Open House for Jim and Toots Morris on Saturday, September 7th from 4 to 6 p.m. The celebration will be held at the Ceylon shelter house in Ceylon. No gifts please.



MORRIS 70TH - There will be an Open House 70th anniversary party for Jim and Toots Morris at the Ceylon shelter house in Mondale Park on Saturday, September 7th from 4 to 6 p.m. No gifts please. Cards can reach them at P.O. Box 271, Ceylon, MN 56121.

"Mission Possible" Benefit Knight at MLHS

Everyone is invited to join Martin Luther High School in Northrop in celebrating the 37th Academic Year of the school, on Saturday, September 21st at the "Mission Possible" Benefit Knight Dinner.

Social hour begins at 5:00 p.m. A catered dinner of roast turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes, gravy, glazed carrots, cranberry/almond coleslaw, "Sweet Indeed" desserts and "This is Most Certainly Brew" Gourmet Coffee will be served at 6:00 p.m.

Rev. Luke Anderson, 2005 Alum, will be our guest speaker. Guests will enjoy the

lively entertainment of "Hit Ticket"-a dynamic group of four musicians who will perform a variety of popular songs.

An anonymous donor is offering a \$3,000 Exit Basket Challenge for Student Tuition Aid that evening also. Tickets are \$60 (\$40 is tax deductible) and should be purchased by September 10th. They are available at www.martinlutherhs.com, the MLHS office, and the church offices of St. Paul and Immanuel, Fairmont; St. Paul's, Truman; and St. James, Northrop.

We invite everyone in the area to join us in strengthening the MLHS Ministry.



KATZENBERGER 60TH - Bob and Connie Katzenberger of Fairmont are celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary Thursday, September 5th. They were married September 5th, 1959 in Redwood Falls, Minnesota. They will have a family gathering later this fall. Photo courtesy of Seifried Photography



FOUR LOCAL SISTERS ALL IN THEIR 90'S -(clockwise, starting with lower left): Stella Stade, 95; Dorothy Malo, 92; Lois Olson, 90 and Berniece Milbrandt, 97. (Submitted photo)

Center for Specialty Care welcomes new surgeon

The Center for Specialty Care in Fairmont has announced that Dr. Jonathan Haas, Orthopedic Surgeon, has joined its staff.

Dr. Haas is originally from Pennsylvania and completed his undergraduate degree at King's college. He obtained his medical degree from the University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine

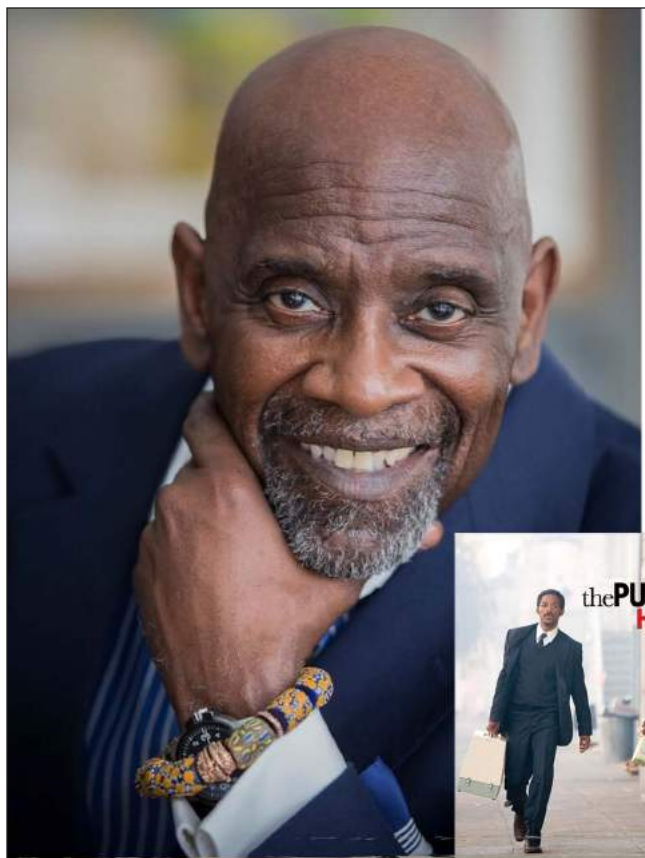
followed by a residency at Washington University.

He also completed a fellowship focusing on total joints and trauma at Hennepin County Medical Center in the Twin Cities.

Dr. Haas is available to provide general Orthopedic care with an emphasis on total joint replacements at Center for Specialty Care in Fairmont.



Dr. Jonathan Haas (at right) is seeing patients at the Center for Specialty Care in Fairmont.



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What's Cooking

with Kathy Lloyd

A favorite Salad recipe

My daughter works part time at a golf course at Okoboji. Four years ago, she asked me if I made pea salad, she had a request for the salad for a men's luncheon that was going to be held. Since Pa Lloyd doesn't care for pea salad, I really don't make it but I told her I would find a recipe and make it for her. I guess it was a hit because this is the fourth year I have made it for the event. I found a recipe from the Pioneer Woman on the food net work. I tweaked it to my liking so here is my recipe for Pea salad.

Pea Salad:

1/3 cup sour cream
1/3 cup Hellman's mayo, I like to use part Spin blend dressing
2 tsp. dry Hidden Valley ranch dressing
1 Tablespoon milk
salt and pepper to taste
4 cups frozen green peas, thawed
8 slices bacon, cooked until crisp and chopped
1/2 whole small red onion, chopped
6 oz. colby cheese cubed in small pieces
3 hard boiled eggs, chopped
3 Tablespoons fresh parsley, chopped

Combine sour cream, mayo, dry Hidden Valley dressing mix, milk, salt and pepper. Combine salad ingredients, gently fold in the dressing mixture, taste and adjust salt and pepper to your liking. Chill in refrigerator 2-4 hours before serving. Have a great week!

Lakes foundation annual meeting set

Fairmont Lakes Foundation Inc. Annual Meeting will be held Tuesday, September 10th at Cedar Creek Park Shelter.

The meeting will be preceded by a social time from 5:30 - 6:00 p.m. The meeting will begin at 6:00. Officers will be elected. Refreshments and pizza will be served. The featured speaker for this meeting will be from the Minnesota DNR. Members and prospective members are welcome.

Fairmont Lakes Foundation, Inc. is a member-

ship organization formed to promote the stewardship of our city's lakes. The general purpose is to lead and educate our community and its visitors to take responsibility for the quality and care of our city's lakes while increasing awareness of the need to preserve and enhance the value of these natural resources.

For more information about the Fairmont Lakes Foundation, visit www.fairmontlakesfoundation.com or send email to info@fairmontlakesfoundation.com.

Mayo Clinic Community Team Wellness Challenge

It's time for the 3rd Annual Community Wellness Challenge presented by Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont.

The challenge will be held October 1st-31st, 2019 and all area businesses and organizations are welcome to participate.

Participants complete a pre-determined wellness activity listed on the challenge calendar and record minutes of exercise. Points are earned based on the number of minutes of exercise and additional points for the completion of the

activity.

Here's how you can join this competition:

- form a team of 4 to 6 people
- come up with a team name
- register by sending an email with team name, team leader, team members and email addresses to the Fairmont contact
- best of all - the cost is free

The Mayo Clinic in Fairmont contact is Tamara Diekmann, 507-238-8100 or email her at diekmann.ta-mara@mayo.edu.

Area College Student News

Whitney Smith of Sherburn, who is studying Kinesiology and Health, received the V. Everett and Grace Miller Donelson Memorial Scholarship for the 2019-20 academic year from the Iowa State University College of Human Sciences and affiliated units

in Ames, Iowa.

More than \$1.3 million in student scholarships are offered each year by the College of Human Sciences and its academic units, in addition to monies awarded by Iowa State at the university level.

Blood drive in Fairmont September 10-12

Donate blood or platelets during the Fairmont blood drive and receive a coupon by email for a free haircut at participating Sport Clips Haircuts locations.

The Fairmont blood drive will take place Tuesday, September 10th from 12:30 to 6:30 p.m.; Wednesday, September

11th from noon to 6 p.m.; and Thursday, September 12th from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The blood drive will be held in the Budd Room at Fairmont's Holiday Inn.

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter FAIRMONTMN to schedule an appointment.

Amber Waves



by Dave T. Phipps

Martin County Clean-Up & Fairmont City Wide Clean-Up

Tuesday, September 10, 2019 – 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Saturday September 14, 2019 - 9 a.m. – noon

Located at Martin County Highway Department,
1200 Marcus Street, Fairmont, Minnesota
On the North Side of the Building

--- **ITEMS ACCEPTED** ---

APPLIANCES & ELECTRONICS - \$15.00 / Item

(Fairmont City-Wide Clean-Up Coupons Accepted)

Examples – refrigerators, ranges, washing machines, dryers, microwaves, computers, freezers, air conditioners, furnaces, water heaters, dishwashers, T.V.s, Computers, Printers, VCR and DVD players (TVs larger than 36 inches and all cabinet TVs - \$25)

TIRES

Car Tires - \$3.00 / Race Car & Semi Truck Tires - \$10.00 / Tractor Tires - \$40.00
(Fairmont City-Wide Clean-up Coupons Accepted)

FURNITURE - \$15.00 / item

Upholstered furniture, chairs, couches (each section, is one item), mattresses, box springs

(Fairmont City-Wide Clean-Up Coupons Accepted)

****Note - Fairmont City Wide coupons for Appliances, Electronics and Tires will be accepted at this collection. Fairmont residents must have coupons in hand for each item. See City of Fairmont mailing for details.

Questions??

Call Billee Rabbe, Martin and Faribault County Solid Waste Coordinator, - 776-3232

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CHECK IT OUT!

@ the Martin County Library

It's back to school time in Martin County and that means our fall library events are kicking into gear! Visit our website at www.martincountylibrary.org or our Facebook page to see a calendar of events. Or, stop by the Fairmont Library for a print calendar of fall events. Returning favorites such as Lego League, Sweet Treats and Reads, Toddler Tinker

Lab, Wiggles and Words, and Teen Read-A-Latte are all coming back for more fun! Several new programs are scheduled too, such as a Graphic Novel club, a Manga/Anime club and some family storytimes too. Also, check out our events on school breaks, we have great events planned for MEA break, Thanksgiving and Christmas break too! Also be sure to check out the Planetarium visit on September 12 and we're excited to host bestselling Minnesota author Allen Eskens on October 10th at 6 pm. Don't miss a beat at the library by following us on Facebook or checking our web calendar throughout the year!!

25 YEARS AGO IN THE PHOTO PRESS

WEEK OF

SEPTEMBER 7, 1994

The 23rd annual "Craft Show, Farm Market & Treasure Hunt" was to be held in downtown Fairmont September 10th. Over 60 exhibitors will be displaying merchandise, produce, crafts and antiques.

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Dale Bremer of rural Fairmont was the winner of 241 cans of Dr Pepper when he guessed how many cans were in a refrigerator on display at Bill's TV & Appliance at the Martin County Fair.

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Bass Seekers B.A.S.S. chapter of Fairmont announced the selection of a seven-man team for the prestigious MN B.A.S.S. Federation's "Tournament of Champions" to be held on Gull Lake near Brainerd. The 1994 state team consists of: Mark Olson, Dave Huset, Dave Vogel and Rod Haeckel, all of Fairmont; Steve Bretz of Mason City, Iowa; Maury Muhm of Spirit Lake, Iowa; and alternates Ed Thelen of Spirit Lake.

50 YEARS AGO IN THE PHOTO PRESS

WEEK OF

SEPTEMBER 7, 1969

Douglas Nutt, an RN of Armstrong, Iowa, operator of the Valley View Nursing Home there, purchased the Crestview Nursing Home at 233 S. Dewey Street in Fairmont, a 23 bed facility. Former owners were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Haugen. Nutt, a Fairmont native, planned to manage the Fairmont Home from Armstrong.

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The last Sunday opening of the season of the Martin County Historical Society's Pioneer Museum was to be 1:30 to 4:30 this weekend. During the month of August, 282 guests were registered. Among those signing were visitors from Dijon, France; Stuttgart, Germany; Bangkok, Thailand; Newfoundland, Canada; Ipswich, England and Argentina.

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The Fairmont Cardinal's opening football game saw the home team shut out Worthington 13-0, extending their victory string to 23. It was one of Coach Tom Mahoney's sweetest wins.

FARIBAULT & MARTIN COUNTY PESTICIDE CONTAINER RECYCLING

Collection for Recycling of Clean Empty Pesticide Containers

Bring your containers to EITHER location on the following dates:

Martin County Highway Dept.

1200 Marcus St., Fairmont, MN
Tues., September 10
9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Faribault County Highway Dept.

727 East 5th St., Blue Earth, MN
Thurs., September 12
9 a.m. to 1 p.m.



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FALL BACK... NOT!!!

Guest Columnist

Dr. Scott Burtis, M.S., D.C., Burtis Chiropractic Center



September is here, believe it or not. The leaves are slowly turning, the temperatures are dropping, and the number of boats on the lakes continues to decline. Many of you will return to "normal" routines of fall including school, running kids around, etc. Sunrise is later and sunset is earlier, and many of us are falling back into our non-summer routines.

I have seen an interesting pattern as I take my bike out for my early morning workout. I put in about 5 miles every morning that I can, and back in May and June as the sun rose earlier and earlier, I saw more and more people out walking, running, and biking.

Since the beginning of last month, I unfortunately saw the opposite trend; less and less people joining me for physical activity before they start their day. It is definitely easier to get up when there is sunshine streaming in your window. It is easier to bike or run when you can see where you are going. That morning routine of getting your body going is so important to your mental and physical health. And now it is so easy to look out and see darkness and just roll over under your covers.

The thing is, change isn't easy. Making improvements in your lifestyle isn't easy, or everyone would do it.

Doing the things we know will improve our health may be smart, but they are not always convenient. Taking your supplements, seeing your chiropractor (for more than just aches and pains), sticking to the diet and lifestyle changes that made you healthier are never easy, but they are always well worth it. No one ever said after the fact that they wish they hadn't exercised self-discipline. No one ever said they wish they had given in and had another piece of pie, or skipped their chiropractic appointment. The feeling of energy and vitality that you gain is always palpable and real. Feeling younger is possible. My patients who

follow through with my care recommendations tell me they feel younger all the time. And I can tell you for myself that I am in better shape today than I have been for over 20 years. How? Diet, exercise, and regular chiropractic adjustments.

This fall make a commitment to yourself, your body, and your health. Maintain the improvements you have made. Don't stop the supplements that got you where you are today. Don't start buying cheaper ones to save a little money. Don't stop going to your chiropractor just because the pain is gone; part of the reason it's gone is because your nervous system is more resilient and your inner strength has improved. Don't cut back on the workouts. Make a new goal and pursue it. If you need light in the morning, then turn

on the lights!! If you can't go outside and go for a run or bike ride then go in your garage or basement and do calisthenics.

Forward progress is hard and back sliding is easy, but the regret of losing the strength and resilience you have gained is always painful. Chiropractic makes you stronger. The right diet and exercise makes you tougher. The right supplements will give you more resilience to overcome your moments of weakness. I know you have excuses, and there's always something distracting you from making the best choice.

I encourage you to read a book called "Can't Hurt Me" by David Goggins. I guarantee he has more excuses and better excuses than you to settle for less in life. He overcame a childhood of abuse and negativity

to become a Navy Seal, and ultramarathoner, and one of the world's top athletes. He has run over 205 miles at one time without stopping and now has committed his life to helping others overcome their obstacles. In his experience, a lack of mental toughness is a far bigger problem than any other obstacle you will ever face. After you read his book you will realize that you have no good excuses not to succeed.

So this fall, don't fall back. Keep pushing forward. Ignore your excuses. Ignore the dark. Ignore the cold. Ignore the ache from your last workout. Reach deep inside for the inner strength you have been given by God. It's there waiting for you. This fall, don't fall. Rise.

Fall Firearm Safety course starts September 9

A fall course for Minnesota Firearm Safety Training registration will take place Monday, September 9th beginning at 6:30 p.m. in the cafeteria at Fairmont Area Elementary School. No pre-registration is required.

The course runs for five weeks and normally meets on Monday and Thursday evenings. Classes start at 6:30 and end at 8:30 p.m. The course will begin September 9th and conclude Monday, October 14th. It is open to anyone 11 years old or older and 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, September 28th, 2019, beginning at 8 a.m. and going until everyone has completed their assignments.

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.

The **Regional Worship Center in Sherburn** will host a pancake, eggs and coffee breakfast every Monday morning. They will start serving at 7:00 a.m. and continuing until 9:00 a.m. Free will donation.



Students congregated at Central School after parade

FHS CLASS OF 1970 REUNION COMMITTEE TO MEET - The Committee for FHS Class of 1970's 50th High School Reunion will meet on Sunday, September 8th, 2019 at 3:00 p.m. in the Ward Park shelter. Plan the date and events for the 50-Year high school reunion of the FHS Class of 1970 coming up in 2020. If your contact information (address, phone, email) has changed since the previous reunion(s), be sure to let us know so we can update our records. Any class member willing to help with the reunion is welcome to attend. Please call or text Leslie at 651-895-6578 if you have any questions.

The **retired Martin County Highway workers and spouses** will meet at the Ranch Restaurant in Fairmont on Tuesday, September 10th at 8:30 a.m.

The **Prairie Star Quilt Guild** will meet Monday, September 9th, at the Covenant Church at 901 Woodland Avenue, Fairmont. We will be finishing up preparations for the upcoming Quilt Show which will be at the Fairmont National Guard Armory on September 13th and 14th. The board will meet at 12:30 p.m. and the regular meeting will begin at 1:30 p.m. Sew and Share will follow the meeting. The evening group will meet at 5:30 p.m. Information and photos can be found on Facebook at Prairie Star Quilt Guild. For more information contact Deb Engman at 507-236-6253.

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Dining and Entertainment

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10 am-4 pm

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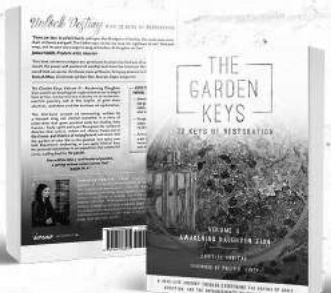


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Monday, September 9: Kitchen opens 5pm • Bingo 7pm

Tuesday, September 10: Fish Supper

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Martin County



Annual Fundraiser

Thursday, September 12th



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Martin County Fair Board ~ Brad & Laurie Sherman & Connie Urban



Jeff's Jottings

You probably have seen the commercial on TV with Cheryl and her "She Shed" that was struck by lightning and burning. In all honesty, I can't remember who the commercial was for, just that Cheryl's shed was on fire! We have lived on the farm place we are on for about 14 years now and one of our first projects after moving onto the place was to create a "she-shed" for Karis. The perfect spot was to use the old wire corncrib that is in the middle of

our door yard. It still had a steel cone-shaped roof over the top and the cement on the base was in pretty good shape. So Karis went to work coming up with furniture and decorations for the inside, while I planted some vines and bushy flowers around the outside to eventually provide shade for the inside during the hot summer days. I even used some old well pipes that were in the grove and put them through the wires on both sides to create something to hang the homemade

"gongs" on. If we ever get more adventurous, we may add more well pipes beside the others and maybe create a second floor. Only time will tell.

"What is



it?"

At last count, I was over 2 dozen people who correctly answered last week's "What is it?" item. Carl Mertely of Fairmont was the first one to answer it correctly followed by Adam Wohlhuter, Lauren Raney, Brad Hady, Maurice Jorgensen, Ken Scheef, Joe Gries, and so on and so on. The item is actually a Remington Automatic Hand Trap Clay Pigeon Thrower and apparently many people still have them. Thanks to Merle Burmeister for bring that one in. This week will be a little more challenging. Pat Bulfer of Fairmont brought this item in and said it has been in the family for quite a few years, but the current generation has no idea what it is. It is a heavy piece, made out of cast steel, measures 3 inches tall and 2 inches in circumference has a handle



for? There are no markings on it anywhere. So, what is it? Call me at 507-238-9456 or drop me an email: jeff@fairmontphotopress.com. Have an item you think would be good to have in this column? Even if you

know what it is, many others may not. Just bring it in and we will take some pictures and get measurements and you will see it featured in a future Photo Press.

Fairmont rummage sales this weekend

Sorry to say, it appears

that the official end to summer is closing in with schools back in session, the Minnesota State Fair closed for another year and now we have the Fairmont city-wide rummage sales taking place this weekend. Check out our classified section of the newspaper to see what garage sales are to be found around town and then find them on our new city map on the back page of this week's Photo Press. Karis and I, along with my parents, will be having a garage sale this year (mostly because Karis complained to me recently that we have too much stuff just "sitting around".) Ours is located on DeLu Street, a short street off of Albion Avenue that is right before the road curves towards Tami's on the Ave (if you are coming from town). There are going to be lots of great sales going on this weekend, so come check them out and hopefully you will find exactly what you need.

Bloodmobile, pancakes and soup

Here are a few things taking place in the upcoming

ing week: • Wednesday, September 4th Fairmont United Methodist Church is having a picnic at Veterans' Park in Fairmont from 5 to 7 p.m. • Thursday, September 5th from 5 to 7 p.m. The Shepherd's In will serve a free soup meal at the Blazer Hall, 95 Downtown Plaza in Fairmont. • Monday, September 9th the Regional Worship Center in Sherburn will be hosting a pancake, eggs and coffee breakfast from 7 to 9 a.m. • Tuesday, September 10th at 8:30 a.m. is the Tuesday morning coffee at St. Paul UCC Church in Welcome. • Also on Tuesday, September 10th the bloodmobile will be in Fairmont at Holiday Inn from 12:30 to 6:30 p.m. and again Wednesday, September 11th from Noon to 6 p.m. Thursday, September 12th hours are from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Have a great week!

Drive safely - visit a shut-in or family member - eat/play/shop local - see you at the sales this weekend!

Jeff

"Just the other day"

Guest Columnist

Tom Palen, broadcaster, pilot, writer



"Duck Tails"

We were on a mission to find a different pickup truck to pull our Scamp fifth wheel. It had to be just the right truck, so it took a bit of looking. After a search spanning from southern Texas to northern Minnesota, we finally found our truck in northern Iowa. It wasn't far from Omaha. The man we bought it from told us the highway we were on was in Bob Seger's hit song, Turn the Page, so that made this truck a little more special.

I would take the truck to the Scamp factory to have the hitch installed. This is a bit of a drive, but that's no problem. I like to drive and it's always a pleasure to visit the people at Scamp.

I hitched our 16' Scamp to the truck, then headed

out around eight pm. I would arrive in Backus, Minnesota between 11:30 and midnight. Perfect! I would sleep in the Scamp, then be right in town to drop the truck off at eight-o'clock the next morning.

When I arrived in Backus, I pulled into the local restaurant parking lot. There are always semis, or at least trailers parked there, so I just nuzzled right in with them. I climbed into bed in the Scamp, fell asleep and slept like a baby all night.

If you've never been to Backus, Minnesota, it's worth the drive. It's a small town of just a few hundred people, just down the road from Hackensack- home of Viddles and Joe - another great place to eat!

Some would say, there's nothing to do in Backus... but then, some people can go to the Mall of America only to find themselves bored...with nothing to do. Personally, I like these little towns.

About 5:30 in the morning, the sleepy little town wakes up. A semi started his engine, warmed up, then drove away. Lying in bed with the covers pulled up, I counted as he shifted through the gears. I got to seven before he was far enough down the road that I could no longer hear him.

Just before 7 a.m. I rolled out of bed with an uncertainty about getting up at all. I was so cozy and comfortable! After washing up and brushing my teeth, I challenged the duck tails

in my hair with hands wetted with water. I lost - the duck tail won, strutting on my head like a rooster. I went into the restaurant for breakfast.

The waitress greeted me with a smile and a very pleasant voice, "Good morning!" Each time she looked at me, she smiled even bigger. It was obvious she found me irresistibly handsome.

I figured I would have to break her heart when she asked me out on a date. I would wave my wedding

ring finger at her saying, "Sorry, ma'am! I am spoken for!" Well, that's what I thought at first. Then it occurred to me, it might be the rooster on my head causing her smiles. Stupid duck tail!

I ordered the breakfast special...

...she laughed at me... he laughed at me..."I'm not your mother..."

For the rest of this story visit our website at fairmontphotopress.com.

Fairmont United Methodist Church continues its **Wednesday Evening Suppers** from 5 to 6 p.m. at the church, 119 E. 2nd Street in Fairmont. This Wednesday, September 4th they are having a picnic in Veterans Park and serving free hot dogs and chips. Next Wednesday, September 11th it will be fish fillets, mashed potatoes and creamy coleslaw. All dinners include peanut butter and jelly sandwich, beverage and donated desserts. A \$2 donation is suggested.

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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. I'm still following the teachings of Julia Child who said, 'The only time to eat diet food is while you're waiting for the steak to cook.' I was just reading about Minnesota nice. Minnesotans are nice. That's not a good thing."

"What makes you say that?" I say.

"That means I might not be a Minnesotan. I'm worried I'll lose my Get Out of Minnesota Free card."

Naturally

I watched birds stock up on seed and feed as ragweed, green on green, carried its misery on the wind. Ragweed is wind-pollinated, so the flowers don't need bright colors to attract pollinators. Its pollen sends season's sneezing to hay fever sufferers.

A bald blue jay joined a feeder. An uneven molt leads to uneven blue jays.

Henderson Hummingbird Hurrah

I had a wonderful time at the Henderson Hummingbird Hurrah (HHH) visiting with old friends and new friends from far and near.

I talked with Larry Pfarr, a garden expert on KSTP Channel 5, who had brought some of his honeybees to the HHH. Larry is a nice and interesting fellow who told me that every garden should have some blue color in it. It

brings the sky to a garden. The question he gets the most often is: How do I get rid of creeping Charlie? His answer is to use an herbicide in the fall after a light frost and apply again 10 days later. The applications are best done in early morning or evening. Larry said that the most popular perennial grown in gardens is the daylily, which is twice as popular as the hosta.

Rhonda, a retired elementary teacher from St. Stephen, told me how hummingbirds had landed on her hands while she held a feeder. Her face lit up as she described the experience, saying the feeling of having a hummingbird alight upon her was akin to the sensation felt when she touched her eyelash lightly with her finger.

Black vulture

A black vulture was seen at Hawk Ridge in Duluth. Only eight have been seen in Minnesota, but it's a species moving northward. Last year, about 40,000 common nighthawks passed over Hawk Ridge. Nighthawks look skinny in the air and a white stripe on each wing makes it appear as if their wings have windows. Hawk Ridge gets approximately 18,000 human visitors each fall. The raptors migrate from as far the Arctic to wintering areas as distant as South America. Reluctant to cross a large body of water, they funnel down the north shore of Lake Superior, riding thermals and updrafts created by the shore's topography. Hawks begin migrating past Hawk Ridge in mid-August and

continue through November. Tens of thousands of broad-winged hawks fly over Hawk Ridge, generally during September 10-25. October is good for viewing the migration of eagles, rough-legged hawks, red-tailed hawks and northern goshawks.

Q&A

"My old hummingbird feeder has no red on it. How can I attract hummingbirds to it?" Attach a red ribbon or place red geraniums near it.

A Morristown resident asked about the old saying, "You can catch a bird by putting salt on its tail." Maybe someone thought salting a bird's tail startled it so it might be caught before it flew away. A neighbor boy thought salt contained magical powers that cast spells over birds. His sister told us the salt interfered with the bird's ability to fly. There is no truth to be found in any of those beliefs. If you find yourself close enough to salt a bird's tail, you wouldn't need salt to catch it.

"Do purple martins eat many mosquitoes?" They could, but so could I. Neither of us eat many. Martins forage where and when mosquitoes aren't. They prefer feeding dragonflies and damselflies to their chicks. The larger insects are more filling.

"What is the most common bird in the US?" It's likely the domestic chicken. The most numerous wild bird is probably the mourning dove followed by the American robin and red-winged blackbird.

Things to look for

1. Migrating monarch butterflies, shorebirds and

confusing fall warblers.

2. Red colors on maples, sumac, Virginia creeper and poison ivy. Leaves of three, let it be warns us of poison ivy. Virginia creeper is five-leaved ivy.

3. Yellow colors on basswood, cottonwood and green ash.

4. Jerusalem artichokes, asters and Canada goldenrod bloom.

5. Giant puffballs emerge.

6. Milkweed pods open and their seeds are shed.

Thanks for stopping by
"In the end, we'll all become stories." -- Margaret Atwood



A roost of monarch butterflies. Photo by Al Batt

"If we're destroying our trees and destroying our environment and hurting animals and hurting one another and all that stuff, there's got to be a very powerful energy to fight that. I think we need more love in the world. We need more kindness, more compassion, more joy, more laughter." -- Ellen DeGeneres

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Red Rock Center announces People's Choice winners

Red Rock Center for the Arts in Fairmont is pleased to announce the People's Choice Winners

of the community art show and photo contest that was held recently. \$120 in cash awards

and concert tickets will be presented, along with a concert series pass for the 1st place winners.



Art Show Winners (pictured left to right) Carl Beckendorf, Carl Beckendorf, Dan Sorensen and Kate Hagan (tie for third).



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OBITUARY

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Steven R. Shane, 64



A celebration of life service for Steven R. Shane, 64, of Fairmont, was held Saturday, August 31st, 2019, at Grace Lutheran Church in Fairmont. A private family burial will be held at a later date. Steve passed away Monday morning, August 26th, 2019, surrounded by his loving family at his home near Fairmont. The Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service of Fairmont assisted the family with arrangements.

Steven R. Shane was born on March 13th, 1955, in Pipestone, MN, the son of Robert James and Shirley Elsie (Thomson) Shane. He began his

education attending grade school in Ivanhoe, MN, and after moving to Fairmont, attended Fairmont Jr. and Sr. High School, graduating with the class of 1973. Steve would go on to further his education attending Dunwoody Technical School in Minneapolis where he studied Electrical Construction.

On November 30th, 1974, Steve was united in marriage to Kathleen DeWar in Fairmont. Together the couple made their home in Minneapolis for a short time and returned to Fairmont in May 1975. Steve worked for DeWar Electric for 42 years before having to re-

tire due to his diagnosis of ALS in June 2016.

Steve was a member of Grace Lutheran Church in Fairmont and was a proud member of the National Rifle Association. He had a passion for guns and shooting trap and belonged to the Fairmont Trap Club, Minnesota Trapshooters Association, and the Amateur Trapshooters Association. When not honing his skills at the range, Steve could be found out hunting, camping, and keeping people on their toes with his quick-witted sarcasm. Steve spent several years serving the area Boy Scouts with Pack and

Troop #56 as a den leader, pack leader, assistant scoutmaster, and district commissioner. He cherished spending time with his family and friends and especially enjoyed time spent with his seven grandchildren.

Left to cherish his memory is his wife, Kathy Shane of Fairmont; sons, Cole and wife, Jessica Shane of St. Peter, MN, and Lee Shane of Fairmont; grandchildren, Phoenix, Harmony, Nathana, Aedan, Colin, Kasey, and Oliver all of St. Peter, MN; sister, Jan and husband Neil Jensen of Mankato, MN; brothers-in-law, Van and Laurie DeWar of Scotts-

dale AZ; Darrell and Sue DeWar, and Jeff and Karen DeWar all of Fairmont; as well as many other extended family and friends.

Steve was preceded in death by his parents, Bob and Shirley Shane; father-in-law and mother-in-law, Bob and Dorothy DeWar; sisters, Patty and Tari; and a brother, Larry Shane.

The family requests memorials be left in Steve's name to Friends of Cedar Point; Fairmont Trap Club, and the ALS Association.

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E. Morris Johanson, 94



94, of East Chain, will be 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, September 5th, 2019 at the East Chain Lutheran Church. Burial will follow with full military honors provided by Lee C. Prentice American Legion Post 36 and Martin County Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1222 in the East Chain Lutheran Church Cemetery. Visitation will be 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 4th, 2019 at Lakeview Funeral Home in Fairmont. Morris passed away Tuesday evening, August 27th, 2019, at Lakeview Methodist Health Care

Center in Fairmont. Lakeview Funeral Home and Cremation Service in Fairmont is assisting the family with arrangements.

On February 3th, 1925, the third son of Olander and Mae Johanson, was born at their home farm at East Chain, Minnesota; they named him Edmund Morris.

Morris graduated from East Chain High School and then entered the U.S. Army serving as a Sargent with the 300th Engineer Battalion. After returning, he attended Iowa State University and later returned home to the family

farm.

In Fairmont, Morris met his bride, Elizabeth Jean McAlister and they were united in marriage at the East Chain Lutheran Church June 2nd, 1951. The couple made their home in East Chain Township where they spent the next 44 years farming and raising livestock. The farm provided Morris and his family many wonderful memories. Morris made many friends throughout life with his sense of humor and gift of gab.

Morris served on many boards including the First National Bank, East Chain

School, East Chain Lutheran Church, and Farmers Home Administration.

In 1991, Morris and Jean retired to their Menahga, Minnesota lake home. Days were filled with fishing and wildlife observing. After 23 years at the lake, Morris and Jean moved to Blue Earth and then Fairmont.

Morris went to his heavenly home August 27th, 2019 surrounded by his loving family at the age of 94 years old. Those left to cherish Morris' memory include daughters: Peg (Ron) Armbrust of Maricopa, AZ; Charlie (Bob)

Adams of Chugiak, AK; sons: Garry (Carla) of Fargo, ND, Brian (Teresa) of Swea City, IA, Greg (Shelli), East Chain. Morris also leaves a legacy of nine grandchildren, five great grandchildren, numerous nieces and nephews, and many other relatives and friends.

He was proceeded in death by his wife, infant daughter Kathy Gay, parents, brothers: Lawrence and Melvin, and sister, Phyllis Brown.

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DEATH

notices

August 26 - Steven R. Shane, 64, Fairmont
Lakeview Funeral and Cremation Service
August 27 - Alice V. Minick, 95, Fairmont (formerly of Welcome) Kramer Family Funeral Home
August 29 - Mary A. Werner, 91, Jackson
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In Memorium

One Year Ago This Week

August 27 - Michael Landon, 66, Sioux Falls, SD (formerly of Fairmont and Trimont)
August 28 - Larry L. Theesfield, 84, Fairmont
August 30 - Florence B. Pytleski, 96, Fairmont
August 31 - Luverna V. Hartmann, 97, Fairmont
August 31 - Lois J. Swenson, 85, Fairmont
August 31 - Mary A. Harder, 86, Fairmont
September 1st - Howard D. Simmering, 87, Fairmont

Aktion Club Theatre, a part of Kiwanis International, will meet Thursday, September 5th from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m. in the basement of Grace Lutheran Church in Fairmont. If you have any questions about the group or if you need a ride to this event, please call Pat Kietzer at 507-848-5017 or the Arc Office at 507-235-8580. The public is invited to join any of our theatrical practices.

The **retired Martin County Highway workers and spouses** will meet at the Ranch Restaurant in Fairmont on Tuesday, September 10th at 8:30 a.m.

Jeff's Jottings!

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MYSTERY

What is it?

Grace Lutheran Church in Fairmont begin hosting an **open door meal** Wednesday evenings from 4:45 to 6:00 p.m. starting next week. Wednesday, September 11th they will serve tacos. All meals include fruit, veggies, peanut butter/jelly sandwich, cookies, milk, water and coffee. Free will donation.

The **East Chain Lutheran Women's annual rummage, bake and garden produce sale** will be held Friday, September 6th from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 703 Victoria Street in Fairmont (across from the Five Lakes Elementary school).

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WARRANTY DEEDS

City of Fairmont Economic Development Authority to Judith M. Polzin, Lot 14, Block 1, Whitetail Ridge

Chad Clarey, Julie A. Clarey, Julie Ann Stenzel to Kylie Thoeny, Tyler Thoeny, Lot 4, Block 2, Southview 3rd Addition

Kylie S. Behrends, Kylie S. Thoeny, Tyler Thoeny to Emily Elizabeth Wegener, PT Lots 5 and 6, Budds Addition

Fox Lake Conservation League Inc. to State of Minnesota, PT Govt Lots 4, 5 and 6 of NW¼, 6-104-30

Michelle Albrecht, Richard Albrecht, Michelle Clifford to Alyssa Behrends, Kaitlyn Thiesse, PT of Tract "B", SE¼NE¼, 1-102-32

Kevin Cole, Marla R. Cole to Nicholas E. Thiesse, Lot 15, Block 1, Lake George Addition

Robert L. Droegemueller to Dean J. Droegemueller, UND ½ INT, Govt Lot 1 of SW¼ and EXC PT UND ½ INT of Govt Lots 2 and 3 of SW¼, 20-103-30

Douglas L. Elbers, Pamela M. Elbers to Lanoy Dara, Lot 3, Block 2, Summit Addition

Gail Rosenberg, Scott Rosenberg to Kelly Fuhrmeister, PT NE¼NW¼, 6-102-31

Beverly Mathison to Calista Jurgens, Lot 3, Block 2, Fairview Addition

Benjamin F. Smith Jr., David B. Smith, Phyllis M. Smith to Julie Rae Maday, W50' of the E100' of Lots 8, 9, and 10, Block 9, Ext to Gambles Addition

Melinda L. Eckmann, Thomas J. Eckmann to Tony Weiss, SUB of BL 15-22 INCLUSIVE, Lots 1 and 2, Block 21, Original Plat Triumph

Dawn D. Willner, Douglas A. Willner to Pinecone Investments LLP, PT N½ of NE¼, 24-101-29

Corey Olson, Stephanie Olson to Danielle Portz, Justin Portz, PT W/EXC NW¼NW¼, 6-102-31

QUIT CLAIM DEEDS

Andrew Robert Dorschner to Krista Berhow, Andrew Robert Dorschner, PT E½ of NW¼, 12-101-33

Dennis J. Murray, Diane Murray, Kevin D. Murray to Beverly Mathison, Lot 3, Block 2, Fairview Addition

Lauretta M. Krahmer to Rick Haase, Lauretta M. Krahmer, Sharon McNicol, LIFE ESTATE of Lot 7, Block 2, Cooper Subdivision Sherburn

Bryant R. Eggert to Russell Williams, W¾ of Lot 9, Block 1 and Lot 10, Block 1, Airport Addition Monterey

TRUSTEE DEED

Harold L. Bentele Revocable Trust, Harold L. Bentele Trustee to Lindsey M. Nix, Robert Nix, Scott Thate, PT N187.5' EXC N94' of NE¼NW¼, 9-104-30

The **Shepherd's In Soup Kitchen** will be serving a free soup meal at the Blazer Hall, 95 Downtown Plaza in Fairmont. The meal will be served every Thursday from 5 to 7 p.m. Free rides are available by contacting Curt at 507-236-5362.

Fairmont Partners in Education (formerly the Alumni Association) will hold its annual meeting Wednesday, September 11th, 2019. The meeting will take place at 6:30 a.m. at the Ranch Restaurant Lounge in Fairmont. If you have contributed to Partners in Education, you are welcome to attend this meeting. If you have questions, contact Barb Iverson at 507-235-6086.

Arc Family and Friends will meet in the George Room at the Fairmont Holiday Inn Monday, September 9th at 6:00 p.m. If you have any questions, please call the Arc office at 507-235-8580.

MCHS in Fairmont Urgent Care new hours

Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont is expanding its weekday Urgent Care hours and adding a full-time nurse practitioner, which will mean better access to same-day treatment for patients.

Beginning September 4th, Urgent Care hours will be 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. weekdays. Previously, hours were 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. weekdays. Weekend hours will remain the same: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Additionally, Emily Fett, nurse practitioner, has transitioned from Family Medicine to Urgent Care to help meet the increased demand for Urgent Care services.

"We have many patients wanting to take advantage of same-day care through Urgent Care, and we are happy to be making the changes necessary to meet that demand," says Marie Morris, M.D., Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont medical director. "We are

confident that the additional hours and Emily's transition to Urgent Care will mean patients will receive care much more quickly."

Urgent Care covers such services as treatment of allergies, bladder infections, ear and eye infections, strep throat and rashes, back and muscle pain, cuts, low-grade burns, ear aches, skin conditions, sprains, joint pain and upper respiratory infections. Urgent Care treats patients of all ages.

The Urgent Care practice is housed within the clinic space on the Mayo Clinic Health System in Fairmont campus. No appointment is necessary. Patients should enter through the main clinic doors on the north side of the facility, which is located at 800 Medical Center Drive.

For more information, visit mayoclinichealthsystem.org.

The Garden Bug
Tree-of-heaven

Ailanthus altissima, known as Chinese sumac or tree-of-heaven, is native to China. In the late 1700s, it was brought to the U.S. as an attractive, fast-growing ornamental tree. Since then it has spread throughout much of North America. Dense thickets of it entrench fields and forests, displace native species, destroy habitats and crowd agricultural fields and roadsides. Complete eradication is extremely difficult, as it regrows vigorously even when most of the plant is thought to be removed, and it is tolerant of poor soil and drought.

— B. Weaver
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Saturday - September 7th, 2019 10:00 A.M.

Located: 429 Sparks Dr.- Granada MN (NE corner of Granada)

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 2019 @ 10:30 A.M. - ARNIE IHEN ESTATE - Estate Collector Tractor & Equipment Auction to be held at 70465 430th Ave, Lakefield, MN. **DAN PIKE & ASSOCIATES**

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2019 @ 6:30 P.M. - Bare Farmland Auction of 154.96 Acres +/- in Lura Twp., Faribault County. Sale to be held at the Winnebago Municipal Center-140 Main Street S, Winnebago, MN. **KAHLERS, HARTUNG, WEDEL & PIKE**

NOVEMBER 2019 - Bare Farmland Auction of 80 Acres +/- & 150 Acres +/- of Rock Twp., Woodbury, Co., IA & 160 Acres +/- of St. Clair Twp., Monona Co., IA - More Details to Come! **HARTUNG, KAHLERS, WEDEL & PIKE**

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ANTIQUES & COLLECTIBLES
Hoosier with flour sifter; Formica top table; Butter churn Depression glass; Pink Aladdin lamp; Crock RW 8 gal; Misc crocks; Red Wing & Hull pieces; Frankoma ware; Winnebago buttons; Dressers & side tables; Buffets; School desks; Sq top trunk; Small table & chairs; Jewelry; Flat iron; Wash boards; Kraut cutter; Children's games; Metal Tonka truck; Child's wagon; Military overcoat; Korean war books; Precision JD 4020 tractor with 237 com picker unopened; NFL electric football game; Twins autographed Bud banner

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1 723 WASHINGTON AVE.
Thursday, 8 - 6; Friday, 1 - 5:30. Estate household items, chairs, books, plants, fabric, bedding, tablecloths, kitchen misc. 17-1tp-28

2 451 WATER STREET.
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3 954 REDWOOD DRIVE.
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5 ESTATE SALE. 1204 TILDEN St. Thursday, 3:30 - 7pm; Friday, 9 - 6pm; Saturday, 9 - 1pm. Lots of household, collectibles, newer and vintage glassware, home decor including picture frames, bedding, linens, jewelry, some furniture, some older toys, sports cards, sports gear including bowling ball, archery equipment, bicycle, canoe, tools and other guy stuff and more! 17-1tp-28

6 1520 SOUTHVIEW CT, (South of high school). Thursday, 4 - 6pm; Friday, 8 - 5:30pm. Furniture, household, collectibles, dozens of Beanies, glassware, seasonal, lots of miscellaneous. 17-1tp-28

7 516 S. VALLEY VIEW COURT. Thursday and Friday, 8am-2pm. Recliners, kids clothes, toys, vehicle, household items, miscellaneous. 17-1tp-28

8 205 DeLu Street (Hagens). Friday, 9 - 6; Saturday, 8 to noon. Hand-made wood storage benches, 2 Huffy mountain bikes - like new, 31 bag (back-pack type), puzzles, small furniture, some tools, porcelain and Raggedy Ann dolls, and more! 17-1tp-28

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Ask A Trooper:
Following distance

by Sgt. Troy Christianson,
MN State Patrol

Question: What is the correct following distance? Everyone seems to be way too close behind each other.

Answer: The only law regarding following distance pertains to vehicles pulling trailers. This includes trucks as well as semi-truck tractors with trailers. They must maintain a minimum distance of 500 feet.

While state law does not require a specific distance for vehicles not pulling trailers, it does say that you shall not follow another vehicle more closely than is reasonable and prudent, having due regard for the speed of such vehicles and the traffic upon and the conditions of the highway.

We recommend the 3-second-plus following distance rule. Watch the vehicle in front of you. When that vehicle gets past an object such as a sign, pole, bridge, etc., then count off three seconds. You should not arrive at that spot sooner than your count to three. If you do, then you are following too close! Also, you must add one second for every hazard that exists. Hazards include but are not limited to

heavy traffic, rain, snow, fog, driving into the sun, etc. In some cases you might have to allow six, seven seconds (or even more) to be safe because of existing hazards.

When following a snowplow it is recommended that you maintain a distance of a minimum of 10 car lengths. It is important to keep your distance to avoid whiteout conditions that may be caused by the snowplow.

Crash facts show a much larger number of cars and pickup trucks being involved in fatal rear end crashes than semi-truck tractors pulling trailers.

You can avoid a ticket — and a crash — if you simply buckle up, drive at safe speeds, pay attention and always drive sober. Help us drive Minnesota Toward Zero Deaths.

If you have any questions concerning traffic related laws or issues in Minnesota send your questions to Sgt. Troy Christianson - Minnesota State Patrol at 2900 48th Street NW, Rochester MN 55901-5848. (Or reach him at, Troy.Christianson@state.mn.us)

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Pheasants Forever Youth Conservation Day

by: Bryan Gregor, Habitat Chair, Martin County Pheasants Forever

Saturday, August 24th was a beautiful weather day, and members of the local Pheasants Forever chapter made the best of it by offering their 2nd Annual Youth Conservation Day. Free Pheasants Forever memberships were provided to 179 youth from ages 1-17, and an equal number of family members joined them in enjoying the day. The Martin County Pork Producers cooked up their legendary pork chops on a stick, and a free meal was offered to all. Representatives from the Martin County Conservation Club, the Fairmont Lakes Foundation, and the Martin County Humane Society

were present to share information. A variety of arts and crafts centered around a

pollination theme were available, and educational posters helped explain the important role they play in our food production and environment. Monarch butterflies were also a subject of interest and education by a local master gardener.

The day wasn't only about education and conservation however! As part of Pheasants Forever's "No Child Left Indoors" initiative, youth were able to participate in trying their hand at archery, toma-

hawk throwing, BB gun shooting, paintball target shooting, slingshots, and a laser shooting game. There were also pony wagon rides provided by Do Die Pony Farm out of Butterfield and bouncy houses available for young and old. Help was provided for the day by the Martin County 4H Shooting sports and the Fairmont High School Trap team, as well as many other local folks wanting to support the Pheasants Forever committee members and their work.

A special thank

you goes out to the Martin County Youth Foundation for providing a grant to help support the day. It must be said that this, and the tremendous additional local support from our many sponsors are what make this free event possible. If you'd like information on how to become one of these generous supporters and help expand opportunities for our youth outdoors, please contact any of our local committee or look us up on Facebook for contact information. Also keep in mind you can support Pheasants Forever by attending our spring banquet scheduled for April 18th, 2020.



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