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Groton Area Snow Queens Chosen



Alexis Simon, daughter of Nick and Jamie Simon, was chosen as the 2016 Groton Area Junior Snow. First runnerup was AnneMarie Smith and second runnerup was Taylor Holm.



Kelsey Iverson, daughter of Karry Iverson and the late John Iverson, was chosen as Miss Congeniality.



Jasmine Schaller, daughter of Steven Schaller and Julie Schaller, was named the 2016 Groton Area Senior **Snow Queen.**



Cody Swanson ran the sound system at the Snow **Oueen Contest.**



The 2015 Snow Queens were visiting during the intermission. They are Senior Snow Queen Kaitlin O'Neill and Junior Snow Queen Jessica Bjerke.



Allison Weber, daughter of Mike and Lorrie Weber, was named second runnerup, and Marlee Jones, daughter of Jim and Mindy Jones, was chosen as first runnerup.



The lucky winner of the \$25 was Sydney Erickson for guessing Frosty. It was Jerry Locke. The Frosty guard is Steve Giedt.



The reigning queens are Senior Snow Queen Jasmine Schaller and Junior Snow Queen Alexis Simon.

Talent Show



Madeline Schuelke placed first in the junior division with her solo entitled, "Try."



Anna Bisbee placed second in the junior division with her solo entitled, "How Great Thou Art."



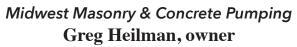
Aubray Harry titled, "Angel."



Audrey Wanner "Dear Future Husband."



Kari Hanson was placed second in placed first in the a contestant in the the senior division senior division with senior division with with her solo en- her solo entitled, her solo entitled, "She Used To Be Mine."





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Community Thanksgiving Day Dinner draws large crowd



Some of the servers were David Blackmun, Ron Westby, Julie and Loren Fliehs, and also pictured is Katie Oliver. The annual community Thanksgiving Day dinner was hosted by Tom and Barb Paepke.

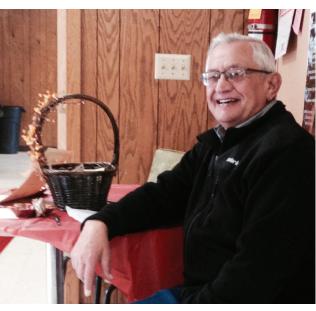


Korbin Blackmun and **Hunter Schaller helped** serve at the Community Thanksgiving Day dinner held at the Groton Community Center.



There was a large crowd on hand for the annual community Thanksgiving Day dinner.

David Blackmun, Sr., was the official greeter at the event.



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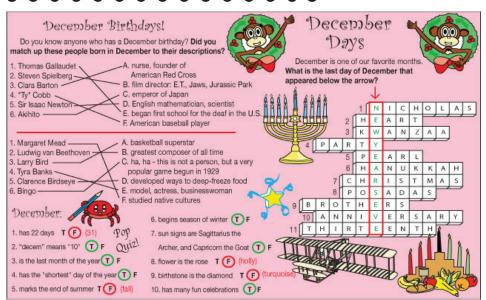
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Several named to NEC All-Conference

Groton Area's football team had several layers name to the All-Northeast Conference Football Team. On the first team are seniors Carter Jondahl, Adam Herman and Stevie Fey, and juniors Bennett Shabazz and Brandon Keith. Named as honorable mention were juniors McClain Lone and Patrick Gengerke.



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Debate Team earns Sweepstakes Award

The Groton Area Debate team competed at the McGovern Invitational debate and oral interp meet on November 20-21, 2015 and earned the first place A School Sweepstakes Award. Competing for GHS at this contest were the following: Top row- Katie Miller, Keri Pappas, Kelsey Iverson, Lily Cutler; Bottom row- Rylee Rosenau and KaSandra Pappas. Not pictured Kayla Jensen. Senior Lily Cutler earned individual placings in the following events: 5th Place Poetry and 4th Place Humorous. Miller, Iverson, Cutler, Keri Pappas, KaSandra Pappas, Jensen, and Rosenau competed in public forum debate, Iverson competed in Serious Reading, Keri Pappas competed in Non-Original Oratory, and Jensen and KaSandra Pappas competed in Duet.

All-Conference Lake Region Conference Football Conference champions Langford Area had six players named to the All-Conference foot-

ball team. They are seniors Jordan Carson, Brady Wieker and Garret Knebel, juniors Lincoln Gibbs and Chance Olson, and sophomore Harley Gibbs. on the honorable mention team were seniors Mason Hanse and Josh Punt. The Lions finished as the State 9B Champions and won the Northeast Conference with a 5-0 record.

The Warner Monarchs finished second in the LRC with a 4-1 record. Those named to the All-Conference team were senior Dawson McNeill, juniors Jack Braun, Nick Evangelisto and Micah Hoellein and sophomore Danzan Gilborne. On the honorable mention team was senior

Faulkton finished 3-2 in the conference and on the All-Conference Team were seniors Lane Melius and Carson Ortmeier and junior Jack Aesoph. Senior Truman Weyand was named to the honorable mention team.

The Leola/Frederick Titans finished 2-3 in the conference. Seniors Stephen Haas and Logan Heupel were named to the All-Conference Team and sophomore Dakota King was named honorable mention.

Ipswich/Edmunds Central finished 1-4 in the Lake Region Conference with senior Bryce Malsam and junior Ben Pond named to the All-Conference Team.

Northwestern finished 0-5 with senior Cody Lefforge named to the All-Conference Team and senior Logan Schentzel named to the honorable mention team.

Langford Area's Lincoln Gibbs was named the MVP on offense and Brady Wieker was named MVP on defense.

Groton Blood Drive nets 32 units

A total of 28 people volunteered to donate blood, and 25 were able to give during Groton Community's November 19th blood drive. Seven people gave blood on the automated 2RBC machine which collects two units of red blood cells during the donation, so a total of 32 products were collected. Every community and everyone within each community has a stake in an adequate blood supply. Blood will be available only because of blood drive sponsors, coordinators, and volunteer donors. There was one person who donated for their first time!

Kathy Sundemeyer coordinated. Rose Locke also assisted with the drive. Space to hold the drive was provided at the American Legion.

Donations will help meet the blood needs of many patients in 108 regional hospitals served by United Blood Services. Blood is for sharing; you have truly given the "Gift of Life."

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Brown County Nov. 24, 2015 **Meeting Minutes**

NOVEMBER 24, 2015 – GEN-ERAL MEETING

Meeting called to order by Chairman Sutton at 8:45 A.M. in the Commissioner's Chambers, Courthouse Annex, Brown County, SD. Present were Commissioners Hansen, Kippley, Fischbach and Fjeldheim. Chair-man Sutton led the Pledge of

MINUTES: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Hansen to approve the General Meeting Minutes of November 17, 2015. All members present voting aye. Motion

CLAIMS: Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Fjeldheim to approve the following claims:

Professional Fees: Adam Altman \$4,444.45; Avera St. Luke's \$354.69; Carrels & Bain Family Dental Center \$137.02; Denise Cody \$15.00; Dean Schaefer Court Reporting \$252.00; Chris Dohrer \$5,069.45; Mark Kat-terhagen \$15.00; Kuck Law Office \$4,444.45; Lucy Lewno \$243.00; NE Mental Health Center \$2,314.00; One Source \$45.00; Richardson, Wyly, Wise, Sauck & Hieb, LLP \$4,444.45; Ronayne Law Office \$14,341.95; Sanford Clinic \$1,019.79; San-ford Health \$1,661.87; Sanford Health Occupational \$161.00; SDN Communications \$125.00; Christy Serr \$5,069.45; Jodi Sudweeks \$34.00; Yankton Co. Sheriff \$75.00; Yankton Co. Treasurer \$386.25.

Publishing: American News \$633.23; Dex Media \$154.83; KELO TV \$240.00.

Rentals: Robert Schatz \$300.00.

Repairs & Maintenance: A & B Business \$32.99; Aberdeen Plumbing & Heating \$202.44; Asphalt Zipper \$52.98; Clark Engineering \$3,981.68; Gillund Enterprises \$6.00; HF Jacobs \$4,620.00; Hoven Auto Repair \$847.60; Ínterstate Powersystems \$423.63; Leidholt Eléctric \$170.42; NorthStar Safety \$24.55: Pheasantland Industries \$60.18; Sander's Sew 'n' Vac \$103.13; Sperry Stump Removal \$700.00

Supplies: Aberdeen Awards \$7.00; Allegiant Emergency \$7.00; Allegiant Emergency Services \$1,478.00; Asphalt Zipper \$2,907.91; Cash-Wa \$4,515.28; Century Business Products \$167.27; DSG \$8.20; Dean Foods \$428.40; DPM Mer-cantile \$27.80; DT Pharmacy \$2,077.12; Ecolab Pest Elimination \$131.45; ES & S \$2,636.99; Fire Safety First \$100.00; Gall's \$376.99; Gillund Enterprises \$191.76; GovConnection \$67.90; Casey Jensen \$8.13; Kessler's \$93.45; Lucy Lewno \$10.45; Marco \$11.62; McKesson-Medical \$101.60; Menards \$171.95; Midstates Printing \$151.93; Moore Medical \$466.36; North-Star Safety \$325.57; Pheasantland Industries \$3,082.25; Pitney Bowes \$5,045.00; Web Water Bottling Co. \$23.66. Travel and Conference: Brian

Bahr \$61.88; City of Groton \$72.85; Clubhouse \$615.00; Gene Loeschke \$263.67; Kathy Thompson \$22.00; Mark Wendt \$22.00; Patti Woods \$184.46.

Utilities: CenturyLink \$1,099.67; Dependable Sanitation \$33,162.32; NWPS \$2,045.10; Verizon \$200.05. Other: JRWD \$78,001.20; Pizza Ranch \$55.96.

Equipment: Butler Machinery \$14,904.00.

BC TIFF 1Bond Payments: Alan or Angela Bernard \$13,020.87; James Gressett \$16,276.55; Joop Bollen \$16,276.55; Py-ush Patel \$16,276.55; Herman numacnei & Mary Volk \$6,510.43; Plains Commerce Bank \$248,376.75; FDM Revocable Living Trust \$16,276.55; Marlin Nilsson \$13,020.87; David & Jill Lehmann \$16,276.70; Don & Maxine Fischer \$1,953.05; Great Plains Bank \$19,531.30; Robert & Lora Larson \$3,255.60; Bruce or Lynette Durheim \$6.510.43; Kendall or Linda Peterson \$6,510.43; Peterson Securities Trust 2009 \$39,062.60; Darwin or Mary Bettmann \$1,953.13; John Kippley \$3,255.22. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.
PERSONNEL: Moved by Han-

sen, seconded by Kippley to approve request to fill vacancies for one full-time and one parttime Jail Correction Officers. All members present voting ave. Motion carried. Moved by Fjeldheim, seconded by Hansen to approve hiring Jennie Hubert as full-time Jail Correction Officer, effective November 23, 2015 at \$14.88 per hour. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. Moved by Fjeldheim, seconded by Hansen to approve hiring Chris Hemen as part-time Weed & Pest Supervisor, effective December 7, 2015 at \$17.00 per hour (to be transferred to fulltime status at a later date). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

PLATS: Commissioner Fieldheim offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #79-15. BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "JM Adams Subdivision in the SE ¼ of the SW ¼ of Sec 14-T124N-R64W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL 11-3, and any amend-

ments thereof. Seconded by Commissioner Hansen. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Kippley-aye, Fischbach-aye, Fjeldheim-aye, Sutton-aye. Resolution adopted. Commissioner Fjeldheim offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #80-15. BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "Bellikka, Fischer Estates Addition in the SW 1/4 of Sec 26-T124N-R64W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL 11-3, and any amendments thereof. Seconded by Commissioner Hansen. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansenaye, Kippley-aye, Fischbach-aye, Fjeldheim-aye, Sutton-aye. Res-olution adopted. Commissioner Fjeldheim offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #81 15. BE IT RESOLVED by the **Board of County Commissioners** of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "Schile Subdivision in SE ¼ of Sec 19-T125N-R65W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL 11-3, and any amendments thereof. Seconded by Commissioner Hansen. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Kippley-aye, Fischbach-aye, Fjeldheim-aye, Sutton-aye. Resolution adopted.

Commissioner Fjeldheim offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #82-15. BE IT RESOLVED by the County Commission of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "DLV that the plat showing Hunt Outlot A in NE 1/4 11-T123N-R64W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL of 1967, Chapter 11-3, and any amendments thereof. Seconded by Commissioner Hansen. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Kippley-aye, Fischbach-aye, Fjeldheim-aye, Sutton-aye. Resolution adopted. Commissioner Fjeldheim offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #83-15. BE IT RE-SOLVED by the County Commission of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "Northwood Eastgate Addition in NE 1/4 Sec 6-T123N-R63W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL of 1967, Chapter 11-3, and any amendments thereof. Seconded by Commissioner Hansen. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Kippley-aye, Fischbach-aye, Fjeldheim-aye, Sutton-ave. Resolution adopted. Commissioner Fjeldheim offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #84-15. BE IT RESOLVED by the County Commission of Brown County, SD, that the plat showing "Northwood Block One Owners Extension Subdivision in NE 1/4 Sec 6-T123N-R63W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD", having been examined, is hereby approved in accordance with the provisions of SDCL of 1967, Chapter 11-3, Seconded by Commissioner Hansen. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Kippley-aye, Fischbach-aye, Fjeldheim-aye, Sutton-aye. Resolution adopted.

RELIEF LIEN: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Hansen to release \$300.00 relief lien filed on September 3, 2013, due to extenuating circumstances. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

LEASE AGREEMENT: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Fjeldheim to approve and authorize the Chairman sign agreement with Target Corp for lease of 25 cattle panels on November 25 & 26, 2015. All members present

voting aye. Motion carried. BID - 2016 PHASE III JAIL RENOVATIONS: Moved by Hansen, seconded by Fischbach to authorize advertising public hearing to open, read and consider sealed bids for labor and material required for the Brown County Jail Phase III 2016 Renovations, to be held in the Brown County Commission Chambers on December 22, 2015 at 8:50 a.m. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

TELEPHONE SYSTEM LI-CENSE: Moved by Fjeldheim,

seconded by Hansen to approve and authorize the Chairman sign Telephone System Licensing document with SDN Communications. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

BID ANNEX BASEMENT & COURTHOUSE LIGHTING PROJ-ECT: Moved by Kippley, seconded by Fischbach to approve Addendum #E-1 and E-2 to the electrical plans and specifications for the Brown County Courthouse Basement and 1st and 2nd floor of the main courthouse Lighting Improvement Project. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. Time and place, as advertised to open, read and consider sealed bids for the Brown County Courthouse Basement and 1st and 2nd floor of the main courthouse Lighting Improvement Project. Bids were received from Muth Electric, Mitchell, SD; Efraimson Electric Inc, Bryant, SD; Jacobson Electric, Groton SD and Ladner Electric Inc, Aberdeen, SD. Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Fjeldheim to award low bid, submitted by Ladner Electric Inc in amount of 115,892,00 for labor and material for the Brown County Courthouse Basement and 1st and 2nd floor of the main Courthouse Lighting Improvement Project; rejecting the following: Muth Electric @ \$136,955.00, Efraimson Electric @ \$118,850.00, Jacobson Electric @ \$157,000.00. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.
ORD 097: Moved by Kippley,

seconded by Fjeldheim to adopt Ordinance #097, An Ordinance to amend Title 4 - Zoning, Second Revision Brown County Ordinances, to rezone the following described property from its present zoning designation of Chapter 4.06 (AG-P) Agricultural Preservation District to Chapter 4.10 (R3) Lake Front District: Lots 7 & 8, Block 1 RO-JU-OS Park; Lots 12 & 13, Block 1 RO-JU-ÓS Park; Lots 1-5, Block 1 RO-JU-OS Park; Lot 6, Block 1 RO-JU-OS Park; Lot 2, Block 1 Graham Oster Addition to RO-JU-OS Park; Lot 3, Block 1 Graham Oster Addition to RO-JU-OS Park: Holty Outlot A to RO-JU-OS Park; and a tract 60' N & S by 175 E & W adjacent to Lot 1 Hart Family Subdivision to RO-JU-OS Park located in the S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Sec 8-T128N-R65W, Brown County, SD (10186, 10194, 10176, 10184, 10172, 10174, 10160, and 10164 RO-JU-OS Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Kippley-aye, Fischbach-aye, Fjeldheim-aye,

Sutton-aye. Ordinance adopted. HIGHWAY FIVE YEAR PLAN: Time and place, as advertised to discuss and receive public comment on the 5 year County Highway and Bridge Improvement Plan. Dirk Rogers, Highway Superintendent outlined the county highway projects for 2016-2020. Several residents were in attendance, but no guestions or comments were offered

DOCUMENT MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE: Paul Sivertsen, IT Director discussed quotes received for Document Management Software, with initial implementation in the State's Attorney's Office. There was no action taken at this time.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Moved by Hansen, seconded by Fjeld-heim to go into executive session to discuss contractual matters, per SDCL 1-25-2(3) with Larry Lovrien, Gary Vetter, Paul Sivertsen, Sheila Enderson, Mary Worlie and Maxine Fischer in attendance. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. The Chairman declared the executive session closed, with the following

discussion: Moved by Hansen, seconded by Fjeldheim to purchase the source code for all Adamsoft. Inc programs currently in use by Brown County for \$150,000.00; and authorizé the Chairman to sign contract documentation; with Commissioner Kippley voicing concern that the market dictates a price of \$45,000.00. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-aye, Kippley-nay, Fischbach-aye, Fjeldheim-aye,

Sutton-aye. Motion carried. CONCERNED CITIZEN: Area citizen Matt Deilke stated he did not find an on-line list of salaries referenced last week. The Chairman referred him to SD Government wages through the Argus Leader and the Aberdeen School District Mr Deilke also shared correspondence he received from a county employee voicing concern about the confidentiality of the Survey Monkey internet site and again offered his assistance with an employee survey. The Chairman thanked Mr. Deilke for the offer and instructed Garv Vetter to research other sites and Commissioner Hansen suggested Mr. Vetter contact NEČOG in regard to conducting the survey.
ADJOURNMENT: Moved by

Hansen, seconded by Fjeldheim

to adjourn the Brown County Commission. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. Maxine Fischer, Brown County

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Brown County Deed Sale on 509 N Penn St.

NOTICE SALE OF PROPERTY Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to Chapter 6-13 SDCL, the following described property will be offered for sale by auction in the Community Room, Brown County Courthouse Annex, Aberdeen, South Dakota on December 7, 2015 at 10:00 A.M. This property has been approved for public sale by the Brown County Commission. Purchase price of the property along with a \$30.00 recording fee shall be paid in full on the day of the sale and a Quit Claim Deed will be issued to the successful bidder. Property offered for sale is as follows:

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Brown County Nov. 24, 2015 **Joint Meeting Minutes**

NOVEMBER 24 2015 - JOINT CITY/COUNTY MEETING

The Brown County Commission and the Aberdeen City Council met in joint session at 8:45 A.M. in the Commissioner's Chambers, Courthouse Annex, Brown County, SD. Present from City were Council Members Bunsness, Campbell, Johnson, Ronayne, Rux, Slaight-Hansen, Swanson and Mayor Levsen. Absent Council Member Remily. Present from County were Commissioners Hansen, Kippley, Fischbach, Fieldheim and Sutton.

ORDINANCE #15-11-01/451: On motion by Johnson, seconded by Rux, the City unanimously voted to approve First Reading of Ordinance #15-11-01/451. Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Hansen to approve First Reading of Ordinance #15-11-01/451, An Ordinance to amend Ordinance No. 1164 to rezone the following described property from its present zoning designa-tion of (A-1) Agricultural District to (M-AG) Mini-Agricultural District: Lot 27, Evelo's Outlots in the NE 1/4 of Sec 2-T122N-R64W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, South Dakota (13649 Pontiac Drive). All members present

voting aye. Motion carried. ORDINANCE #15-11-02/452: On motion by Bunsness, seconded by Ronayne, the City unanimously voted to approve First Reading of Ordinance #15-11-02/452. Moved by Kippley, seconded by Fjeldheim to approve First Reading of Ordinance #15-11-02/452, An Ordinance amending the Aberdeen City Code regarding changes to the downtown facades and signs ordinances. All members pres-

ent voting aye. Motion carried. PETITION TO VACATE #15-12-1R/453: On motion by Bunsness, seconded by Slaight-Hansen, the City unanimously voted to set public hearing date for petition to vacate Resolution #15-12-01R/453.

Moved by Hansen, seconded by Fieldheim to set public hearing on Resolution #15-12-01R/453, the petition to vacate the public right-of-way filed by Duane Hunt, Linda Hunt and Virginia Woken, described as follows: Twenty-First Avenue NW Public Right-of-Way commencing on the West side of North Fifth Street Public Right-of-Way and continuing West to point of termination including the 50' Radius Cul-De-Sac in the NE 1/4 of Sec 11-T123N-R64W of the 5th P.M., Aberdeen, Brown County, South Dakota (1/10th of a Mile South of the Intersection of 24th Ave NW and 5th Street N, known as 2319 5th Street N), to be held in the County Commission Chambers on December 15, 2015 at 8:45 a.m. All members present voting aye. Motion Carried.
The City Council adjourned

and the County Commission continued in regular session.

Maxine Fischer, Brown County

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Brown County Phase III Jail **Project Bid Notice**

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Sealed bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners at Commissioners Chambers, Brown County Office Building, Aberdeen, South Dakota until 8:50 A.M., C.T., December 22, 2015, for labor and material required for the Brown County Jail Phase III 2016 Renovations, Aberdeen, South Dakota.

All divisions of work shall be included in one prime construction contract. Bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope with the name and address of the bidder clearly identified on the envelope. Faxed bids will not be accepted. Bidders are cautioned, mail will not be delivered to Board of County Commissioners before the 8:50 A.M. opening of bids.

Copies of the plans and specifications are on file at the Office of the Brown County Auditor, Aberdeen, South Dakota; Builders Exchanges listed in the Instruction to Bidders; and at the office of HKG Architects Inc., AIA, P.O. Box 55, Aberdeen, South Dakota. Copies may be obtained at the architect's office by bidders.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check or draft in the amount of 5% of the base bid plus all add alternates, or a 10% bid bond issued by a surety authorized to do business in the State of South Dakota and made payable to the "Board of County Commissioners, Brown County, Aberdeen, South Dakota".

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any irregularities therein. Attest:

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Brown County Ord. 097 **Rezoning Approved**

ORDINANCE #097 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 4, SECOND REVISION **BROWN COUNTY ORDINANC-**ES, AS AMENDED

TO REZONE CERTAIN DE-SCRIBED PROPERTY

BE IT ORDAINED by the Brown County Commission, Brown County, South Dakota, that the Petition to Amend Title 4, Second Revision Brown County Ordinances, as amended, to rezone the following described property filed by Donald Mid-dlestead, Gene Wiek, Charles German, Rhonda Ruiz, Brian Bourdon, Cecile Ringgenberg and Mark Holty is hereby granted and Title 4, Second Revision Brown County Ordinances is hereby amended to change the zoning on the following described property from Chapter 4.06 Agricultural Preservation District (AG-P) to Chapter 4.10 Lake Front District (R3), said property described as follows:

Lots 7 & 8, Block 1 RO-JU-OS Park; Lots 12 & 13, Block 1 RO-JU-OS Park; Lots 1-5, Block 1 RO-JU-OS Park; Lot 6, Block 1 RO-JU-OS Park; Lot 2, Block 1 Graham Oster Addition to RO-JU-OS Park; Lot 3, Block 1 Graham Oster Addition to RO-JU-OS Park; Holty Outlot A to RO-JU-OS Park and a tract 60' N & S by 175 E & W adjacent to Lot 1 Hart Family Subdivision to RO-JU-OS Park located in the S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Sec 8-T128N-R65W, Brown County, SD (10186, 10194, 10176, 10184, 10172, 10174, 10160, and 10164 RO-JU-OS

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Brown County Commission, Brown County, South Dakota that the zoning official for the County of Brown is hereby authorized to change the official zoning map for Brown County to reflect this Ordinance.

Notice of Hearing: November 4 & 12, 2015 Passed First Reading: Novem-

ber 17, 2015

Passed Second Reading: November 24, 2015

Adopted: November 24, 2015 Published: December 2, 2015 Effective Date: December

Duane Sutton, Chairman Brown County Commission ATTEST:

Maxine Fischer, Brown County

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Brown County Vacate Right of Way Notice

NOTICE OF JOINT HEAR-ING OF THE ABERDEEN CITY COUNCIL

AND THE BROWN COUNTY

COMMISSION REGARDING A PETITION TO

VACATE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY A public hearing will be held by the Aberdeen City Council and the Brown County Commission on the 15th day of December 2015, beginning at 8:45 a.m. in the County Commission Chambers, 25 Market Street, on the petition to vacate the public right-of-way filed by Duane Hunt, Linda Hunt and Virginia Woken for the vacation of the public right-of-way described as follows:

Twenty-First Avenue NW Public Right-of-Way commencing on the West side of North Fifth Street Public Right-of-Way and continuing West to point of termination including the 50' Radius Cul-De-Sac in the NE 1/4 of Sec 11-T123N-R64W of the 5th P.M., Aberdeen, Brown County, South Dakota (1/10th of a Mile South of the Intersection of 24th Ave NW and 5th Street N, known as 2319 5th Street N)

The public is invited to attend the hearing on the petition to vacate the public right-of-way and to present comments and testimony regarding said petition. At the conclusion of the hearing, each board may approve a resolution granting the petition to vacate the public right-of-way. Dated this 24th day of November 2015

ATTEST: Karl Alberts, Finance Officer

Maxine Fischer, Brown County Auditor Published once at the total ap-

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Groton Area School November 23, 2015 **Meeting Minutes**

UNOFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION GROTON AREA SCHOOL DIS-TRICT NO. 06-6

REGULAR MEETING November 23, 2015

President Smith called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm in the High School Conference Members present: Hanson, Nelson, Kjelden, Rix, Smith, and Weismantel. Absent: Harder. Others present: Super-intendent J. Schwan, Principals A. Schwan and B. Schwan and Business Manager Weber.

Moved by Weismantel, second Kjelden to approve the agenda with the following changes: under New Business Item #1 discussion of wrestling program participation. Motion carried.

Members of the public were allowed five minutes to address the board on any topic of their choice. With no public members present to speak, the board proceeded with their remaining agenda items.

The board heard program presentations from 2nd and 3rd grade teachers Anne Zoellner, Jane Kroll, Deb Winburn and Kristi Anderson and K-12 music teachers Cody Swanson and Desiree Yeigh.

There were no board committee reports given.

Administrators reported the following: teaching candidates and student teachers, School Safety Presentation, heating/ cooling unit failure at the elementary, school calendar draft, School Messenger weather an nouncements, Brown County **Emergency Management Joint** Agency Exercise, Governor's Budget Address, Winter Sports Parents Meeting, parent-teacher conferences, Math curriculum consensus, Science curriculum review, Veteran's Day Breakfast, Erin Frankel Author Visit, National Career Readiness Certificate Test, Phase II Instructional Leadership, practice ACT testing, Financial Aid Night, bond refinancing, bank conversion issues and audit findings.

Wrestling coach, Dana Dargatz, and various wrestling parents were present to discuss participation in the wrestling program. The program currently has only five wrestlers. The consensus of the board was to contact Webster Area School District to explore forming a coop in wrestling.

Moved by Kjelden, second Weismantel to adjourn at 8:50

pm. Motion carried. M. J. Weber, Business Manager Steven R. Smith, President

The addition of signatures to this page verifies these minutes

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Robotics team win Harrisburg VEX Tourney

The GAT (Groton Area Tigers) Wrenches robotics team came home champions from a VEX Robotics competition in Harrisburg on Saturday, Nov. 21. The GAT Wrenches formed an alliance with the Harrisburg's Tiger Robotics A Team in the championship, competing against an alliance of Groton's Geek Squad team and Harrisburg's Tiger Robotics B Team. The GAT Wrenches team includes Thomas Cranford, Noah Tullis and Dragr Monson. Geek Squad members are Chris Zarycki, Garret Stene and Isaac Smith (with Isaac not participating Saturday).

The GAT Wrenches also brought home the trophy for robot design. The Design Award is for the most professional design approach, with the team's engineering notebook of design documentation playing a major role

Another big success for GT Robotics at the Harrisburg competition was that the Galaxy team's robot successfully completed a lift of an alliance team's robot. This is the first time this year any South Dakota team has managed this feat. The Galaxy team includes Lee Williams, Noah Poor and Landon Kokales with Landon not participating Saturday). (See table below for full results of the qualifying rounds.)

The GT Robotics program is in its fourth year and has five teams with 17 students in grades 6-12 participating this year. The VEX Robotics program requires teams to design, build and program a robot that can perform certain tasks. This year's challenge is "Nothing But Net" and requires each robot to shoot a four-inch ball into two different levels of goals.

	Team						Score
Rank	Number	Team Name	School	Wins	Losses	Ties	Points
1	7686	Tiger Robotics A Team	Harrisburg	7	1	0	226
2	9050C	G.A.T. Wrenches	Groton	7	1	0	121
3	6844D	Robots In Black	Mitchell	5	3	0	165
4	6844B	Mechatron	Mitchell	5	3	0	103
5	9050	G-Force	Groton	5	3	0	69
6	6844E	Team VEXcellent	Mitchell	4	4	0	173
7	9050D	Geek Squad	Groton	4	4	0	86
8	8735	Error 404 Name Not Found	Sioux Falls	4	4	0	67
9	7686B	Tiger Robotics B Team	Harrisburg	3	5	0	82
10	6844	M2K (Made 2 Konquer)	Mitchell	2	5	1	152
11	6844F	Mitchell War Machine	Mitchell	2	5	1	121
12	9050E	Galaxy	Groton	2	5	1	113
13	7686C	Tiger Robotics C Team	Harrisburg	2	5	1	60
14	6844C	MCTE	Mitchell	2	6	0	145

Although GT Robotics is not an official school activity, Groton Area School provides a meeting room and this year allowed use of the school vans for transportation of students to several competitions such as the recent Harrisburg meet. All other expenses (including the cost of gas for transportation) is born by the GT Robotics club. If you are interested in supporting GT Robotics or learning more about the program, please contact volunteer leader Jim Lane at 397-7013.

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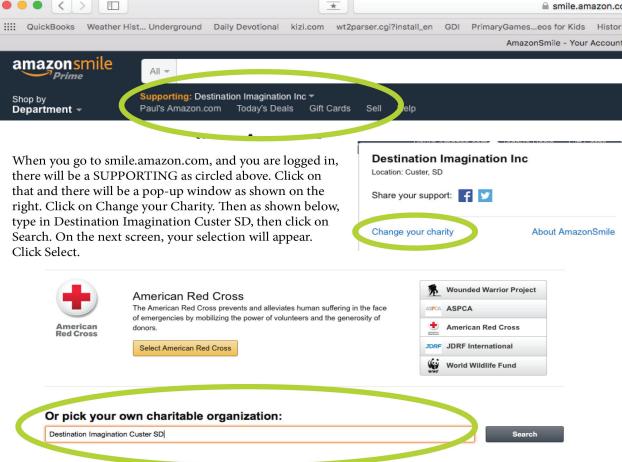
Pictured is the GAT Wrenches Robotics Team of Thomas Cranford, Dragr Monson and Noah Tullis. The team took first at Harrisburg. (Photo by Wendy Monson)



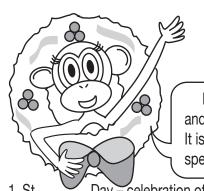
Pictured are the three Mitchell robotists and then Noah Poor and Lee Williams. (Photo by Chris Zarycki)



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December Days

December is one of our favorite months. It is a month with many holidays, special anniversaries and birthdays. Our friends celebrate our holidays with us and we celebrate our friends' holidays too. It is a good way to learn about other families' cultures and traditions. The puzzle below is about the special days of December. When you fill in this puzzle, the last day of December will appear! Day – celebration of Bishop of Myra of the The last day of December is: 4th century, known for his charity, gift-giving

___ Transplant - in 1967, Dr. Christiaan Barnard performed the first successful transplantation at Cape Town, South Africa

_ - a celebration of family and community, heritage and roots in Africa

4. Boston Tea _____ – people angry about taxes boarded a British ship in Boston Harbor to dump tea chests overboard

Harbor Day – in 1941 the Japanese attacked U.S. naval forces in Hawaii, drawing the U.S. into WWII

_ – Jewish Festival of Lights – eight-day celebration of the ancient Jews' victory over the Syrians and the return of their Holy Temple

____ Day – a Christian holiday celebrating the birth of Jesus of Nazareth

8. Las – nine-day celebration in Mexico; processions of people knock on doors, asking for shelter the way Mary and Joseph did in Bethlehem

Day – in honor of Orville and Wilbur Wright, who achieved the first controlled, heavier-than-air flight

_____ - in Governor William Bradford's writings, 10. Pilgrim Landing the Pilgrims landed at Plymouth, Massachusetts on Dec. 21, 1620

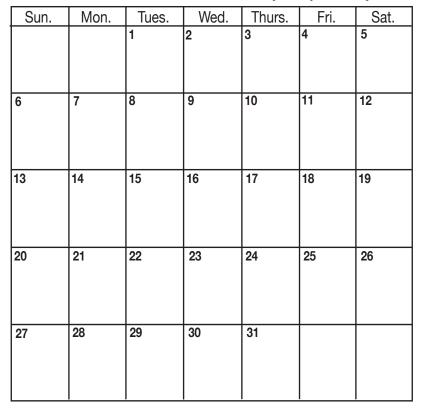
Amendment – added to the U.S. Constitution, outlawing slavery in the U.S.

Stuff Hands crossword and reading logs too: www.readingclubfun.com December

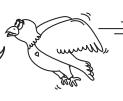
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This mini calendar is just for you! Decorate it with your special days.

Come to print out puzzles: Make Your Own Gifts From Your Heart and



I'm flying to Rockefeller Center in New York City to check out the giant Christmas tree.



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December Birthdays!

BROTHERS

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Do you know anyone who has a December birthday? Can you match up these famous people born in December to their descriptions?

HEART

PEARL

1. Thomas Gallaudet

2. Steven Spielberg

3. Clara Barton

4. "Ty" Cobb

5. Sir Isaac Newton

6. Akihito

A. nurse, founder of American Red Cross

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NICHOLAS

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B. film director: E.T., Jaws, Jurassic Park

C. emperor of Japan

D. English mathematician, scientist

E. began first school for the deaf in the U.S.

F. American baseball player

1. Margaret Mead

2. Ludwig van Beethoven

3. Larry Bird

4. Tyra Banks

Clarence Birdseye

6. Bingo



A. basketball superstar

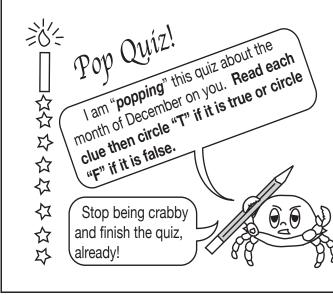
B. greatest composer of all time

C. ha, ha - this is not a person, but a very popular game begun in 1929

D. developed ways to deep-freeze food

E. model, actress, businesswoman

F. studied native cultures



The Month of December:

1. has 22 days **T F**

2. "decem" means "10"

3. is the last month of the year T

4. has the "shortest" day of the year ${f T}$

5. marks the end of summer **T**

6. begins season of winter

7. sun signs are Sagittarius the

Archer, and Capricorn the Goat $\, {f T} \,$

8. flower is the rose **T**

9. birthstone is the diamond

10. has many fun celebrations

Community Calendar

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Wednesday, December 2

School Breakfast: Cereal, yogurt, fruit, juice, milk. **School Lunch:** Chicken nuggets, sweet potato fries, romaine salad, breadstick, fruit.

Senior Menu: Baked chicken, baked potato with sour cream, green beans, chocolate cake, whole wheat bread.

Birthdays: Leonard Garness • Liz Doeden • Cade Guthmiller • Meri Erickson

7:00am: United Methodist Men's Bible Study

12:00pm: Kiwanis meets at the Community Center 12:00pm: St. John's Lutheran Ladies Aid LWML Christmas Party

3:45pm: St. John's Lutheran Confirmation

6:00pm: Baby Shower for Eva Roy Olson at Emmanuel Lutheran

6:45pm: Emmanuel Lutheran League

7:00pm: Emmanuel Lutheran Confirmation

Thursday, December 3

Emmanuel Lutheran WELCA Joint Bible Study Potluck

School Breakfast: Mini pancakes, fruit, juice, milk. **School Menu:** Pizza crunchers, sweet potato fries, carrots and dip, fruit.

Senior Menu: Roast pork, mashed potatoes and gravy, tomato spoon salad, carrot bar, whole wheat

Birthdays: Brook Anderson • Jeff Merkel • Dennis K Larson • Anthony Sippel • Jamie Rossow

6:00pm: 7th GBB at Redfield 7:00pm: 8th GBB at Redfield

7:00pm: Winter Sports Parent-Athlete Meeting at Arena

Friday, December 4

Oral Interp State Festival at Sturgis

School Breakfast: Egg and cheese omelet, fruit, juice, milk.

School Lunch: BBQs, French fries, broccoli and dip, fruit.

Senior Menu: Tuna noodle casserole, peas, swedish apple pie square, whole wheat bread.

Birthdays: Brennan McMahon • Caitlyn Hoots • Samantha Larson • Darlys Kampa • Drew Johnson, Kella Tracy

7:00pm: BASE KAMP LODGE Open House, downtown

Saturday, December 5

Oral Interp State Festival at Sturgis

Birthdays: Ilse Cameron • Andy Jondahl • Angela Osterman • Corelea Wolter, Candence Feist

10:00am: 7th/8th GBB Jamboree in Groton

10:00am: Wrestling at Clark/Willow Lake Tourney 4:30pm: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church

Sunday, December 6

State FFA Leadership CDE in Pierre

Birthdays: Maddie Howard • Nancy Sundstrom • Karen Wolter







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9:00am: Emmanuel Lutheran School

9:00am: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church

9:00am: St. John's Lutheran Worship with Communion

9:30am: Emmanuel Lutheran Fellowship

10:00am: Heaven Bound Ministries worship at Pierpont Church

10:00am: St. John's Lutheran Christmas Program practice

10:15am: Emmanuel Lutheran Worship with Communion

11:00am: United Methodist Church Worship

5:00pm: St. John's Lutheran Christian Literature exclusive of the day of such service; if you Circle

Monday, December 7

State FFA Leadership CDE in Pierre

School Breakfast: Breakfast pizza, fruit, juice, milk. **School Lunch:** Cheese sticks, puzzle tots, carrots and dip, fruit.

Senior Menu: Turkey Chow Mein, rice and Chow Mein noodles, broccoli, Waldorf Salad, whole wheat bread.

Birthdays: Megan Weber • Morgan McNickle • mate cost of \$90.99. (11675)

Landon Marzahn

6:30am: Emmanuel Lutheran Bible Study

5:30pm: Financial Aid Night 7:00pm: City Council Meeting **Tuesday, December 8**

School Breakfast: Cinnamon roll, yogurt, fruit, juice, milk.

School Lunch: Lasagna hot dish, corn, tea bun, romaine salad, fruit

Senior Menu: Hot roast beef combination, carrots, Mandarin oranges, peanut butter cookie.

Birthday: Colton Monson

10:00am: United Methodist Women's Bible Study

6:30pm: JH GBB game at Groton (1 juice, milk. game only)

7:00pm: Emmanuel Lutheran Coun- lettuce, fruit.

Wednesday, December 9

School Breakfast: French toast sticks, sausage links, fruit, juice, milk. **School Lunch:** Hot dogs, baked

beans, broccoli and dip, fruit. Senior Menu: Swiss steak with

mushroom gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, fruit sauce, whole wheat bread.

Birthdays: Traci Davies, Shelby Tietz, Ann Rix, Brooklyn Gilbert, Doris Anderson, Sydney Holmes, Wesley Morehouse

7:00am: United Methodist Men's Bible Study

12:00pm: Kiwanis meets at the **Community Center**

12:30pm: MathCounts at Aberdeen Roncalli Middle School 3:45pm: St. John's Lutheran Con-

firmation 7:00pm: St. John's Lutheran Advent Service

Summons **Jack Dixon Estate**

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA IN CIRCUIT

COUNTY OF BROWN FIFTH JUDICIAL

In the Matter of the Estate of Jack Dixon Deceased Plaintiff

Brown County, South Dakota; Home Federal Savings Bank, Sioux Falls, South Dakota; Accounts Management Inc., Sioux Falls, South Daktoa, City of Groton, South Dakota; GGNSC Groton LLC d/b/a Golden Living Center, Groton South Dakota; South Dakota Department of Social Services; and all persons who have or claim to have, or who appear of record to have any interest or estate in, claim to, or lien or encumbrance upon the premises described in the summons and complaint, or any part thereof, or if deceased, their heirs, devisees, legatees, executors, administrators, or creditors, known or unknown, or any or either of them, and all persons unknown who may have or claim to have any estate or interest in or lien or encumbrance upon such real property or any part thereof.

06CIV. 015 -000411 SUMMONS Defendants

TO THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiffs which was filed in the office of the clerk of this Court at Aberdeen, Brown County, South Dakota, which complaint prays for a judgment vesting title in and quieting title to, and the determination of all adverse claims against the real property described in the complaint which is located in Brown County, South Dakota, to wit:

Lots Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14), and Fifteen (15), Block Seven (7), Original Plat to Groton, according to the plat thereof of record, Brown County, South Dakota

and to serve a copy of your answer to the complaint upon the undersigned at his office at Groton, South Dakota, within thirty days fail to answer said complaint within the time period provided, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for a judgment by default which may be rendered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated this 25th day of September, 2015. KOLKER LAW OFFICE /r/ Richard Kolker Richard Kolker, Attorney for Plaintiffs

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Thursday, December 10 School Breakfast: Breakfast bagel, fruit,

juice, milk. **School Lunch:** Turkey dinner with all the

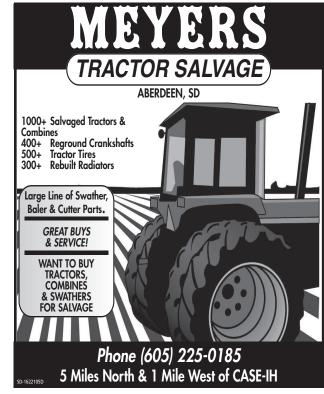
Senior Menu: Ham and bean soup, egg salad sandwich, tomato spoon salad, oatmeal raisin cookie.

Birthdays: Lincoln Lane, Jerrica Loeschke, Steve Schaller. Mirranda Blumhardt, Skylar

4:00pm: GBB hosts Ipswich (7th grade at 4 pm, 8th at 5 pm, JV at 6:30 followed by varsity) Friday, December 11

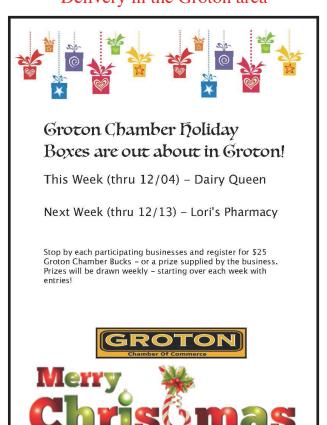
School Breakfast: Pancake on stick, fruit,

School Lunch: Super nachos, French fries,



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The Life of Robert Snyder

Dr. Robert "Doc" Snyder died in his sleep on Nov. 25, 2015 in Grand Forks, ND. He was born in 1929 in Yankton, SD to Ralph and Madelin Snyder.

Prayer service will be held at the Paetznick-Garness Funeral home in Groton, on Sunday, Dec. 6 at 7 p.m. with visitation from 5 to 7 p.m. A funeral service will be held at 10:30 a.m., Monday, Dec. 7, 2015 at the Methodist Church in Groton, SD. Visitation begins at 9:30 a.m. Pastor Tom Carlson will be officiating. Burial will follow at the Groton Cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Groton Methodist Church fund for needy families.

Robert graduated from Conde High School in 1947. He attended SDSU and Colorado State University, where he received his DVM in 1954. He returned to SD and started his veterinary practice before leaving for the service in California for 2 years (1955-57). On July 28, 1957, he married Carolyn Ruth Geisler in Berkeley, CA. They established their home in Groton, SD and lived there for 58 years. They recently moved to Grand Forks, ND.

Robert served as president of the school board, the Groton City Council, and Kiwanis. He was elected "Boss of the Year" by the Chamber of Commerce in 1965 and Veterinarian of the Year by the SDMVA in 1987. He was a delegate to AVMA serving on the Council on Biologic and Therapeutic agents. He served his Church as Sunday school teacher, trustee and finance chairman. He loved to be with friends and family. He was a loving husband and father and grandfather, a man of faith, integrity, compassion and humor. He loved getting to know people and was a good friend and mentor. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, camping, wood-carving and painting.

Robert is survived by his wife, Carolyn, his 5 children Barb Luna, Kristine (John) Albrecht, Linda (Ben) Sparkman, Mike (Valerie) Snyder, Paul (Shawn) Snyder and 16 grandchildren: Ethan Albrecht, Elisabeth, Daniel, Catherine, and JT Sparkman, Liu Snyder, and Jacob, Nathan, David, John, Titus, Claire, Leah, Simeon, Joshua and Caleb Snyder.

He was preceded in death by his parents and brothers Gerald, Donald, and George.

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Groton Prairie Mixed

Team Standings: Shih Tzus 14, Coyotes 7, Foxes 7, Jackelopes 7, Pocket Gophers 7, Chipmunks 6

Men's High Games: Roger Spanier 225, 203, 202, Brad Larson 202, Rick Carlson 201

Women's High Games: Dar Larson 176, Vicki Walter 168, Sue Stanley 168, 163

Men's High Series: Roger Spanier 630, Brad Larson 584, Brad Waage 519

Women's High Series: Sue Stanley 473, Vicki Walter 462, Dar Larson 449

State of S.D. Duane Rude Estate Notice STATE OF SOUTH DAKC COUNTY OF BROWN

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA COUNTY OF BROWN IN THE MATTER OF THE ES-TATE OF DUANE LARRY RUDE, DECEASED

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN CIRCUIT COURT FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT 06PRO 15 - 000096

Notice is given that on the 10th day of November, 2015, Joel Klinke whose address is 105 NE 62nd Place, Gladstone, Missouri 64118, was appointed as personal representative of the estate of Duane Larry Rude.

Creditors of the decedent must file their claims within four (4) months after the date of the appointment of the personal representative on November 10, 2015, or within sixty (60) days after the date of mailing or delivery of this written notice, whichever is later, or be forever

Claims may be filed with the personal representative or may be filed with the Clerk of Courts and a copy of the claim mailed to the personal representative.

to the personal representative.

Dated this 12th day of November, 2015.

/s/ Joel Klinke 105 NE 62nd Place Gladstone, Missouri 64118 (816) 606-1361 Marla R. Zastrow Brown County Clerk of Courts PO Box 1087 Aberdeen SD 57401

Aberdeen SD 57401 Kari A. Bartling, Attorney P.O. Box 467 Groton, SD 57445 (605) 397-8464 (1124.1208)

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