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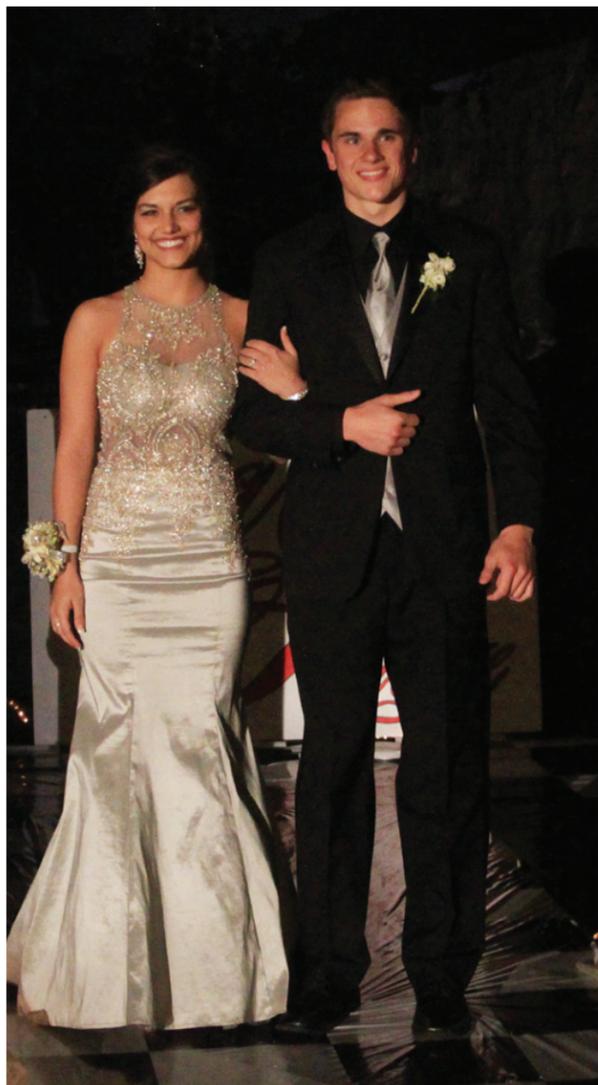
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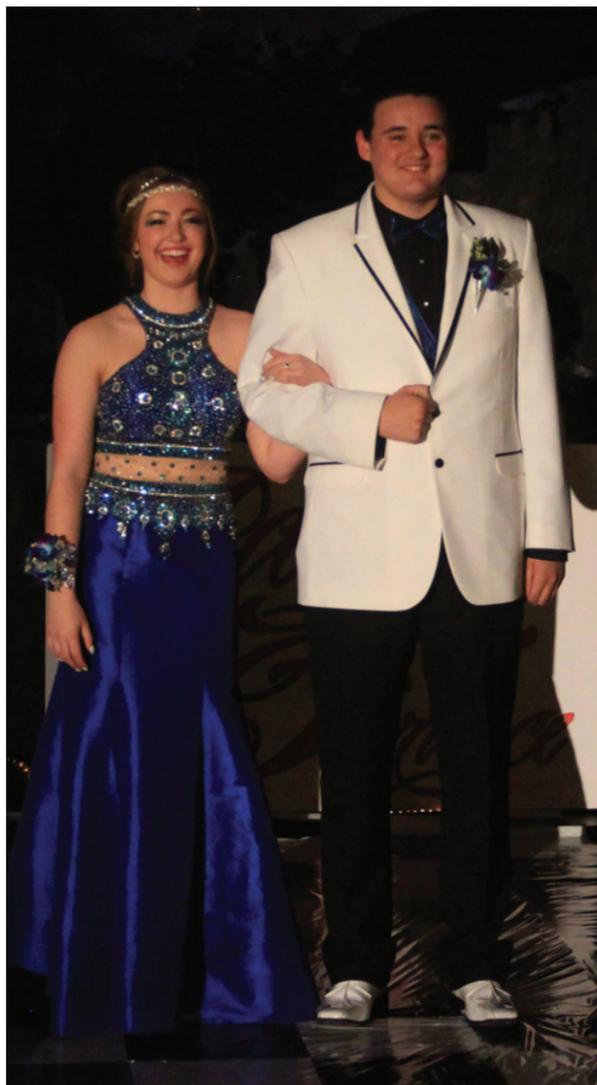


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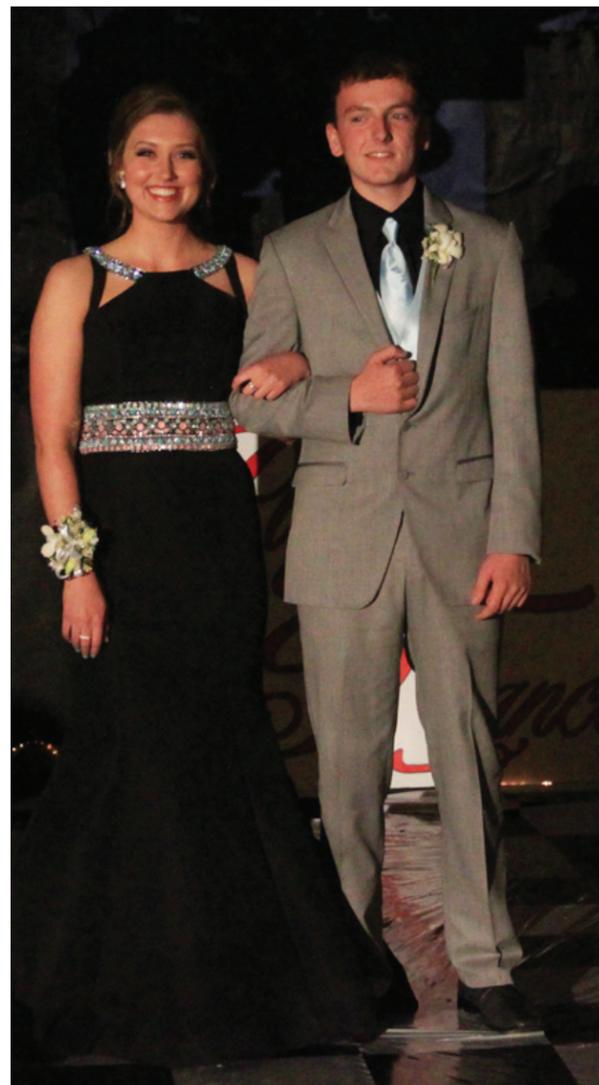
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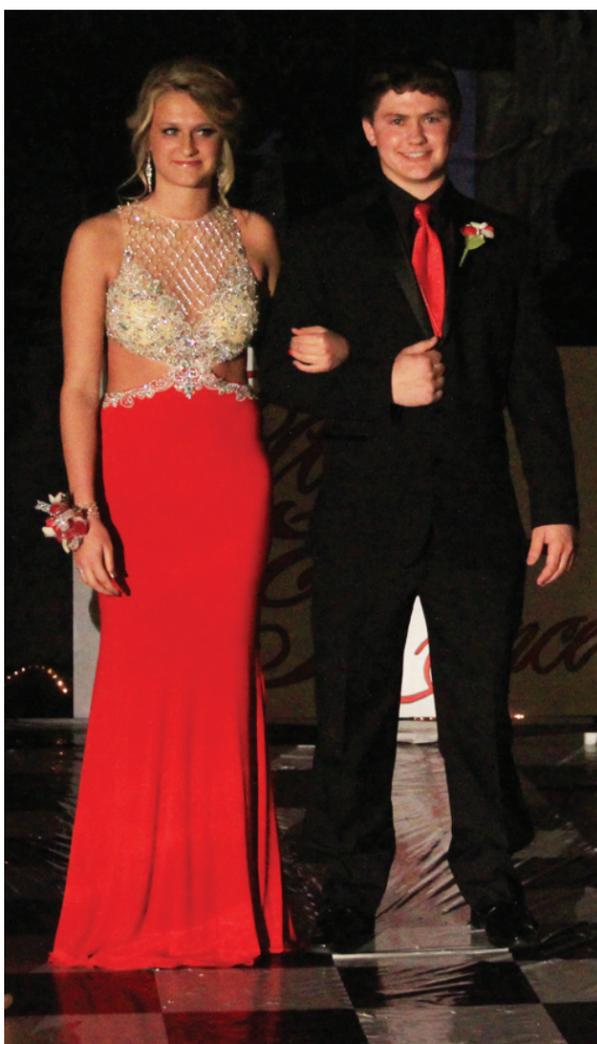
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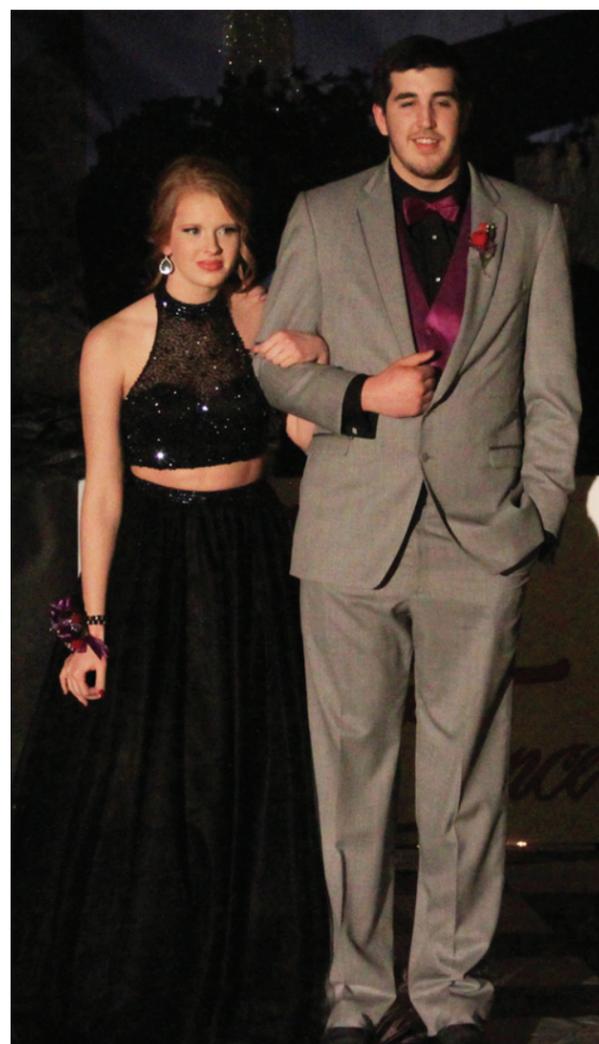
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The Groton Area prom was held Saturday evening in the high school gym. The Groton Independent will be featuring couples from the prom during the next few weeks. There were 52 couples at the prom. HD DVDs of the prom are available from the Independent for \$26.50 or can be mailed out for \$30. Call 605-397-7285 or mail check to Independent, 110 N Washington St., Groton SD 57445-2252.

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**Middle School All State Band**  
 On March 4-5 199 middle school students formed together in Pierre for the annual South Dakota Middle School All State Band. Representing Groton this year was 8th grader KaSandra Pappas and 7th grader Braden Freeman. They had the privilege of working with retired music educator Renita Dose as their conductor. There were a total of 347 auditions sent in from the state of South Dakota. The concert will broadcast on Public Broadcasting sometime over the Memorial Day Weekend. You can check the SDMEA website and your local listings for a specific date and time closer to the event.



**KaSandra Pappas and Braden Freeman in Middle School All State Band**

## Cat ordinance revised and given new first reading

The Groton City Council met Monday night at the Groton Community Center. At center state was the second reading of the cat ordinance that would require cats to be licensed. The council scrapped that ordinance and started first reading on a new cat ordinance making it illegal to harbor or feed feral cats. A second reading will be held at the next council meeting.

The findings and conclusions from the Planning and Zoning appeal on the Dollar General Store was reviewed and accepted by the council. The information will be presented to those in attendance of the appeal hearing.

The county had requested that the city changed its three mile jurisdiction of street addressing ending at Wilson Street and to end at Harrison Street. The council denied the request.

Part of the Olson money that was donated to the city will be used to purchase new playground equipment at the baseball complex. Already \$5,000 was raised the city will use \$20,000 of the \$50,000 for that equipment. It will replace the Rainbow equipment with compliant playground equipment.

New tables were purchased for the Groton Community Center. All of the new tables that arrived were damaged during transport. The council looked at the tables and agreed they would not accept them even if they were offered a reduce price for them.

Bary Keith was hired as a teenager baseball coach and Matt Locke was hired to coach two girls softball teams.

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## SCHINKEL IN ABERDEEN CHORUS

Lee Schinkel will be singing with the Aberdeen Area Mens Chorus, when they present their annual spring concert, May 1, 4 pm, at the Aberdeen Presbyterian Church.

## It rained!

The area finally received its first major rain of the year earlier this week. Groton recorded 1.15 inches of rain during the event. That brings the total precipitation for the year to 2.20 inches, still below the average of 3.22.

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**Too much insulin**  
Balance is so important. For example, too much food causes obesity. Too little food causes starvation and sometimes death. Like Goldilocks, our bodies are always in search of balance: not too much or too little, but that which is "just right."



It's sweet news that a healthy pancreas makes a hormone called insulin to keep blood sugars from going too high. When something goes wrong and either the pancreas fails to make enough insulin or the body becomes resistant to it, diabetes mellitus with elevated sugars will occur. This, however, is only half the story. What happens to keep blood sugars from going too low?

By Richard P. Holm M.D.

A couple years ago, a patient of mine came in having sporadic nervous spells of fast heart rate, tremors, sweating, hunger, butterflies-in-the-stomach, and poor sleep with night sweats. These spells were all from low sugars, which he documented on his home blood sugar monitor. He was not taking insulin or medications that lower sugar, was eating correctly, not drinking alcohol, and not excessively exercising. His was a rare case of a pancreatic insulin-making tumor, and after tests supported that diagnosis, referral to an endocrinologist allowed for effective treatment.

Last week I spoke to a middle aged woman who once-daily was taking long-acting insulin and multiple-times-daily short-acting insulin before meals and as-needed depending on measured blood sugar levels. She had been experiencing roller-coaster sugar levels sometimes above 300, but, far more dangerous, sometimes below 70 with nervous spells similar to the man with the pancreatic tumor. The spells were happening from too much insulin, and now-a-days, this situation is too common.

These are two different causes for low sugars, and there are others, but for whatever reason, low sugars can deteriorate brain function, and when low enough, bring on loss-of-consciousness and even death. We've learned that when blood sugar drops much below 70, the body produces five different hormones to bring it back up. It's that important! The list includes well-known hormones like adrenalin and cortisol, and some lesser-known like glucagon, noradrenalin, and growth hormone. Once sugars go too low, it's a week before these hormones settle down, making it extraordinarily difficult to find the correct dose of insulin.

Of course enough insulin is important in preventing complications from elevated blood sugars and diabetes mellitus, but when there's too much insulin, dosing becomes more difficult and the danger becomes more significant. That's why balance is so important and we need to get the insulin dose, "just right."

**The Life of Julia Ekse Fransen**

Julia Ekse was born on the family farm near Wallace, South Dakota on May 8, 1916 to Knute & Brita (Shjeruheim) Ekse. She was the youngest of 16 children.



In 1941, Julia moved to San Francisco with a sister and cousin and worked at an ammunition factory and later at an oil refinery. After the war, she moved back to South Dakota graduating from Beauty school in Rapid City. She married Harold Fransen on July 26, 1947 in Sturgis. While living in Groton, Julia worked at St. Luke's Hospital in pediatrics as an aide. She loved caring for the babies and children. She was a member of ELCA Lutheran Church all her life. Julia was a woman of strong faith and believed all of life's trials could be solved by prayer.

Julia was known as a fabulous cook and famous for her delicious apple pie and potato salad. She was bilingual and very proud of her Norwegian heritage. At meals she always blessed the food with the Norwegian table prayer to the delight of her family. She was an avid reader and loved gardening.

After her husband's death in 1988, Julia moved to Wheatland, WY to be near her daughter Barb and her family. In February 2012, she moved to Shepherd of the Valley Nursing Home in Casper, WY. Her survivors include Linda (Jim) Bahr, Groton, SD; Larry (Lynette) Fransen, Casper, WY; Barb (Brian) Larson, Wheatland, WY; Greg (Erin) Fransen, Aspen, CO. She had 10 grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and 3 great, great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, 9 brothers, 6 sisters, her parents and one great grandson.

Services were held at the Grace Lutheran Church in Sturgis on Monday, April 25, 2016. Honorary pallbearers were all her grandchildren who loved her dearly.

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## Brown County April 12, 2016

### General Meeting

APRIL 12, 2016 – GENERAL MEETING

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

MINUTES: Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fjeldheim to approve the General Meeting Minutes of April 5, 2016. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

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

Professional Fees: Adam Altman \$535.60; Beadle Co. Sheriff \$600.00; Kristi Brandt \$261.60; Dohrer Law Office \$368.00; GIS Workshop \$980.00; Lincoln Co. Treasurer \$195.00; MD Investigations \$2,444.31; Richardson, Wyly, Wise, Sauck \$956.80; SD Dept. of Revenue & Regulation \$771,500.68; Christy Griffin-Serr \$763.60; Jennifer Stoddard \$500.84; UND – Pathology \$2,000.00; Yankton Co. Sheriff \$75.00; Sara Zahn \$40.00.

Publishing: Aberdeen American News \$1,582.86; Aberdeen CVB \$80.00; Hub City Radio \$300.00.

Repairs & Maintenance: B & E Siding & Windows \$758.88; Butler Machinery \$3,014.74; Clark Engineering \$13,832.72; Crawford Trucks & Equip. \$427.39; D & L Diesel \$176.00; Dakota Electronics \$679.15; DFP \$60.66; Dakota Ink & Toner \$52.50; DMI \$15,367.86; EPG Co. \$2,184.49; Farnam's \$219.75; Gillund Enterprises \$6.00; House of Glass \$1,475.19; Lawson Products \$120.48; Leidholt Electric \$61.22; Myers Tire Supply \$109.92; Newman Signs \$5.09; Northern Electric \$3,877.56; Pierson-Ford \$57.65; PowerPlan \$1,024.08; Productivity Plus \$1,333.89; Running's \$298.98; Sheehan Mack \$4,285.56; Thee Glass Doktor \$63.00; Walth Safety Service \$255.00; Zastrow's Sales & Service \$165.00.

Supplies: A & B Business \$362.99; Active Data Systems \$535.09; Ameripride \$269.71; CarQuest \$962.33; Cartney Bearing \$16.89; Cash-Wa \$4,901.34; Center Printing \$131.25; Crawford Trucks & Equip. \$8,216.82; D & L Diesel \$342.61; Dakota Electronics \$8,075.30; DFP \$3,174.44; Dakota Oil \$321.25; DSG \$541.24; DMI \$3,307.52; Earthgrains \$697.15; Farm Power Mfg. \$557.57; Fastenal \$564.96; Gillund Enterprises \$191.76; GovConnection \$624.70; Graham Tire \$700.72; Hecla Implement \$6.48; Hedahl's \$56.96; Interior Design Concepts \$68.58; Interstate Battery System \$451.80; Ken's Alignment \$133.12; Ken's SuperFair Foods \$244.68; L.G. Everist \$2,041.45; LabSource \$408.00; Lawson Products \$1,440.88; Lincoln Co. Treasurer \$16.00; Mac's \$189.20; Marco \$98.51; Dave McGuire \$217.26; Menards \$210.73; Midstates Printing \$95.32; Midwest Card & ID Solutions \$80.69; Midwest Pump & Tank \$98.93; Myers Tire Supply \$483.37; NCFE – Warner Elevator \$9,403.82; Network Services Co. \$125.82; Newman Signs \$405.65; Pantorium Cleaners \$945.75; PowerPlan \$203.98; Productivity Plus \$733.28; Running's \$691.76; Sewing Shoppe \$31.50; Share Corp. \$120.00; Sheehan Mack \$641.76; Snap On Tools \$834.80; Taser International \$656.40; Taylor Laundry \$129.50; Thee Glass Doktor \$71.98; Tractor Supply \$169.98; Walth Safety Service \$5,197.39; Web Water Bottling Co. \$75.00; West Payment Center \$1,577.56; Western Detention Products \$7,763.10; Zastrow's Sales & Service \$67.36.

Travel and Conference: Tom Fischbach \$197.40; Sonje Oban \$66.00; Pizza Ranch \$73.45; Derek Ricci \$66.00.

Utilities: Aberdeen City Treasurer \$1,051.35; BDM Rural Water \$30.00; CenturyLink \$1,641.26; Economy Propane \$577.50; Midcontinent \$270.00; Northern Electric \$1,624.79; NWPS \$3,301.84; NVC \$2,828.98; Town of Fredrick \$47.00.

Other: SDACO \$1,052.00. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

PERSONNEL: Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fischbach to approve employee classification change for Sarah Swenson from DOE Secretary/Clerk to DOE Field Appraiser, effective April 25, 2016 @ \$16.82 per hour. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. Moved by Fjeldheim, seconded by Sutton to approve request to fill vacancy of Office Secretary/Clerk in the Director of Equalization Office. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. Moved by Sutton,

seconded by Fjeldheim to acknowledge resignation of Tina McLeod (Fair Assistant), effective April 22, 2016. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Fjeldheim to approve hiring Jerod R Blair, seasonal Weed & Pest employee, effective May 1, 2016 @ \$16.16 per hour. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fischbach to approve hiring Sonja Hieb, seasonal Fairgrounds employee, effective May 2, 2016 @ \$10.88 per hour. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

CROW CREEK STRUCTURE PAY REQUEST #4: Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fischbach to approve and authorize the Chair sign Crow Creek Control Structure Project Pay Request #4 (total bill \$166,526.60), as follows: James River Water Development District @ \$83,263.29 (50%). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

AUDITORS REPORT OF ACCOUNT: Moved by Fjeldheim, seconded by Sutton to approve the March 2016 Auditor's Report of Account with the County Treasurer in total amount of \$19,843,638.84 (total amount of actual cash @ \$4,605.46, cash item (bad checks) @ 394.54, US Bank @ \$36,261.21, Dacotah Bank @ \$466,924.97, Petty Cash @ \$2,000.00, Fund Investments @ \$19,333,452.66). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

SURPLUS CASH ANALYSIS: Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Sutton to approve the General Fund Surplus Cash Analysis Report for March 31, 2016 @ \$3,768,746.53 (3.62%). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

LEASE AGREEMENT: Moved by Fjeldheim, seconded by Fischbach to approve the following agreements: FCRV, ND/SD State Campvention for lease of the Evergreen Campground, Smith's Bay Campground, 4-H Campground and the Club House on June 3-5, 2016; Kristina Maddocks for lease of the Club House on June 18-19, 2016 (includes permission to serve alcoholic beverages); Fargo North Dakota Stake of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints for lease of the Richmond Lake Youth Camp on August 8-13, 2016. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

LOTTERY APPLICATION: Moved by Fjeldheim, seconded by Fischbach to approve the following application to conduct split pot lotteries at the horse races: American Legion Sidney L Smith Post 24 on May 20, 21, 28, 29 and 30, 2016. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

SHERIFF REPORTS: Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Sutton to approve the following March 2016 Sheriff Reports: Incidents and offenses, Prisoner care, JDC, and Money deposited with the County Treasurer. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

FAIRGROUNDS RENTAL RATE AMENDMENT: Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fischbach to amend the 2016 Fairgrounds Rental Rate Schedule to include: Grandstand Lower Level – Per day \$350.00 - Per day for days over two \$175.00 - Clean-up additional \$75.00. Activities obtaining a Special Malt Beverage License - \$35.00 per keg (or equivalent), with proof from wholesaler, excluding Fair Activities, Race Track and Horse Racing. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

ORD 099 – FIRST READING: Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Sutton to approve First Reading of Ordinance #099, 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 4.07 (M-AG) Mini Agricultural District: Lots 1-3 Hoffman First Consolidation Addition; Lot 3 Dewalds Outlot C; Lot 38A Dewalds Outlot C; all located in the E ½ of Sec 14-T124N-R65W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD (West Shore Drive). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

VACATE PLAT: Commissioner Fischbach offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #25-16. WHEREAS, Pharis Real Estate LP and Harry Pharis, pursuant to SDCL 11-3-20.1, presented an Application for Vacation of Plat legally identified as: Lots 1 and 2 of Nehls Subdivision in the SW ¼ of Sec 28-T124-R61W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD (40202 and 40208 129th Street). WHEREAS, the granting of the request will not authorize the closing or obstruction of any public highway according to law, and all property taxes on such plat are paid. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the plat legally identified as: Lots 1 and 2 of Nehls Subdivision in the SW ¼

of Sec 28-T124-R61W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD (40202 and 40208 129th Street) is hereby vacated. Seconded by Commissioner Fjeldheim. Roll call vote: Hansen-absent, Sutton-aye, Fischbach-aye, Fjeldheim-aye, Kippley-aye. Resolution adopted.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Moved by Fjeldheim, seconded by Fischbach to go into executive session for personnel discussion, per SDCL 1-25-2(1) with Larry Lovrien, Ernest Thompson, Gary Vetter and Derek Ricci in attendance. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. The Chair declared the executive session closed, with no action taken as a result of the discussion.

APPLICATION FOR OCCUPANCY: Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Sutton to approve application, submitted by Northern Electric for occupancy of Brown County Highway #21 in Sec 3-T122N-R62W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD for boring electrical cable. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fjeldheim to go into executive session for personnel discussion, per SDCL 1-25-2(1) with Larry Lovrien, Ernest Thompson, Gary Vetter and Dirk Rogers in attendance. All members present voting aye. Motion carried. The Chair declared the executive session closed, with no action taken as a result of the discussion.

AMEND BURN BAN: Commissioner Sutton offered the following Resolution: RESOLUTION #26-15. WHEREAS, Resolution #24-16 declaring a fire danger emergency and prohibiting open burning was adopted on April 5, 2016, to be effective until noon on April 12, 2016; and WHEREAS, it has been recommended to add additional time to the burn ban, as conditions have not improved. NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Brown County Board of Commissioners extend the burn ban thru 12:00pm (noon) April 19, 2016; and FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED that except for those things expressly agreed to herein, all other conditions and provisions of said original Resolution #24-16, dated April 5, 2016 are unchanged and in full force and effect. Dated this 12th day of April 2016. Seconded by Commissioner Fischbach. Roll call vote: Commissioners Hansen-absent, Sutton-aye, Fischbach-aye, Fjeldheim-aye, Kippley-aye. Resolution adopted.

ADJOURNMENT: Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fjeldheim to adjourn the Brown County Commission at 9:40 A.M.. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Maxine Fischer, Brown County Auditor

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## Brown County April 12, 2016

### Consolidated Equal.

APRIL 12, 2016 – CONSOLIDATED BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Members of the Brown County Commission, Aberdeen City Council and Aberdeen School District 6-1 organized themselves as the 2016 Consolidated Board of Equalization, in accordance with SDCL 10-11-66 at 1:00 P.M. on April 12, 2016 in the Commissioner's Chambers, Courthouse Annex, Brown County, South Dakota. Oaths of Office were taken by Commissioners Tom Fischbach, Duane Sutton, Doug Fjeldheim, Aberdeen School Board Member Duane Alm and Aberdeen Mayor Mike Levsen. Director of Equalization Mary E Worlie and Sarah Swenson were also in attendance. Auditor Maxine Fischer called the meeting to order and called for nominations for Chairman. County Commissioner Fischbach nominated Commissioner Sutton as Chairman for the 2016 Consolidated Board of Equalization. Moved by Levsen, seconded by Fischbach that nominations cease and a unanimous ballot be cast for Commissioner Sutton for Chairman of the 2016 Consolidated Board of Equalization. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

APPEALS: Moved by Levsen, seconded by Alm to approve the following recommendations from the Director of Equalization: #1. Dakota Lodging-Lt 2 Blk 1 LHL Subd SW 17-123-63 from 2,745,620 to 1,624,789 (adjust after review). #2. William W Kale-Lt 7 Blk 1 Rolling Hills Village 8th Addn from 200,609 to 197,169 (adjust after review). #3. Jeremy Thorstenson-Lt 1 Blk 47 Bennett & Thomas Addn from 99,422 to 41,500 (office error). #4. Mark Shishnia-Lt 5, Blk 10 1st

Addn to Highlands from 129,605 to 108,680 (home partially complete). #5. Bill Kirschenman-S 28.5' Lt 1 & Lt 2 & N 13' Lt 3 Blk 1 North Aberdeen Addn from 35,615 to 11,475 (fire damage). #6. Aaron Waldo-Lt 1 Blk 1 Prairie's Edge 10th Addn @ 438,344 (classification change). #7. Robert Beneke-Lt 14 Blk 29 Hagerty & Lloyd Addn @ 66,037 (no change). #8. James Matern-#1623 Rollingbrooke Condos Lt 8 Rolling Hills Village 6th Addn from 255,674 to 283,650 (office error). #9. Michael J Weber-#1629 Rollingbrooke Condos Lt 8 Rolling Hills Village 6th Addn from 310,936 to 292,160 (office error). #10. Joel W Helm-#1627 Rollingbrooke Condos Lt 8 Rolling Hills Village 6th Addn from 303,041 to 285,570 (office error). #11. Kenneth Anglin-#1621 Rollingbrooke Condos Lt 8 Rolling Hills Village 6th Addn from 312,069 to 292,360 (office error). #12. David Palmer-#511 Lt 2 Rolling Hills Village 5th Addn from 312,772 to 271,030 (office error). #13. Don Pierson-#509 Lt 2 Rolling Hills Village 5th Addn from 307,490 to 261,550 (office error). #14. Holly R Peterson-#515 Lt 2 Rolling Hills Village 5th Addn from 296,341 to 270,910 (office error). #15. Priscilla Hamilton-Lt 2 Rolling Hills Village 5th Addn from 314,219 to 260,890 (office error). #16. Eric & Myranda Becking, LaVerne Webb-Lt 13-18 ex N 25' Blk 15 Corrected Plat of Highlands from 218,500 to 181,761 (adjust after review). #17. Jessi Larson-Lt 1 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 271,297 to 265,903 (office error). #18. Colin Artz-Lt 2 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 190,955 to 186,491 (office error). #19. Andrew Rehder-Lt 3 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 183,561 to 179,097 (office error). #20. William Whiting-Lt 7 Blk 1 Meadows of Dakota 2nd Subd from 181,338 to 176,874 (office error). #21. Donnie Wipf-Lt 11 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 209,241 to 204,777 (office error). #22. Ryan Kline-Lt 12 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 196,155 to 191,691 (office error). #23. Logan Huber-Lt 13 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 177,394 to 172,930 (office error). #24. Cameron Hendrickson-Lt 1 Blk 2 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 158,887 to 153,493 (office error). #25. Kevin Dean First-Lt 2 Blk 2 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 197,420 to 192,770 (office error). #26. Robert Rodahl-Lt 3 Blk 2 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 164,807 to 160,157 (office error). #27. Benjamin Smith-Lt 4 Blk 2 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 227,845 to 223,195 (office error). #28. Leif Redinger-Lt 5 Blk 2 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 158,479 to 153,829 (office error). #29. Adeline Brunzell-Lt 6 Blk 2 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 183,187 to 178,537 (office error). #30. Ada Funmaker-Lt 7 Blk 2 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 182,041 to 177,391 (office error). #31. Joseph Axtmann-Lt 9 Blk 2 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 209,271 to 203,319 (office error). #32. Timothy Beckham-Lt 1 Blk 3 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 185,299 to 180,649 (office error). #33. Jeffrey Shafer-Lt 2 Blk 3 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 207,328 to 202,678 (office error). #34. JN Development-Lt 3 Blk 3 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 276,739 to 270,787 (office error). #35. Bruce Roerich-Lt 4 Blk 3 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 217,814 to 211,862 (office error). #36. JN Development-Lt 2 Blk 4 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 19,530 to 15,624 (office error). #37. Procomm Builders LLC-Lt 3 Blk 4 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 19,530 to 15,624 (office error). #38. Aaron Roerich-Lt 4 Blk 4 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 208,973 to 204,323 (office error). #39. Lauri Baka-Lt 5 Blk 4 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 214,906 to 210,256 (office error). #40. Procomm Builders LLC-Lt 6 Blk 4 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 233,237 to 228,587 (office error). #41. Carole Davis-Lt 8 Blk 4 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 211,535 to 205,583 (office error). #42. Katy Durst-Lt 2 Blk 5 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 185,855 to 181,205 (office error). #43. Reif Project Services-Lt 5 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 275,809 to 271,159 (office error). #44. Trent Pisen-Lt 6 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 247,768 to 243,118 (office error). #45. Matthew Zeller-Lt 7 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 210,873 to 206,223 (office error).

#46. James Schaanman-Lt 2 Blk 7 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 205,142 to 200,492 (office error). #47. JH Construction-Lt 3 Blk 7 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 88,620 to 83,970 (office error). #48-#51. JN Development-Lt 1 Blk 4 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 23,250 to 18,600 (office error). Lt 7 Blk 4 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 23,250 to 18,600 (office error). Lt 3 Blk 5 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 23,250 to 18,600 (office error). Lt 4 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 23,250 to 18,600 (office error). Lt 5 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 22,320 to 17,856 (office error). Lt 6 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 22,320 to 17,856 (office error). Lt 8 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 22,320 to 17,856 (office error). Lt 10 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 22,320 to 17,856 (office error). Lt 14 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 22,320 to 17,856 (office error). #58-#67. JN Development LLC-Lt 2 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 31,620 to 25,296 (office error). Lt 3 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 31,620 to 25,296 (office error). Lt 4 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 31,620 to 25,296 (office error). Lt 5 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 31,620 to 25,296 (office error). Lt 6 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 31,620 to 25,296 (office error). Lt 7 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 31,620 to 25,296 (office error). Lt 8 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 31,620 to 25,296 (office error). Lt 9 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 31,620 to 25,296 (office error). Lt 10 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 31,620 to 25,296 (office error). Lt 11 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 31,620 to 25,296 (office error). #68-#74. JN Development LLC-Lt 11 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 24,180 to 19,344 (office error). Lt 12 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 24,180 to 19,344 (office error). Lt 13 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 24,180 to 19,344 (office error). Lt 14 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 24,180 to 19,344 (office error). Lt 15 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 24,180 to 19,344 (office error). Lt 4 Blk 7 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 24,180 to 19,344 (office error). Lt 5 Blk 7 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 24,180 to 19,344 (office error). #75-#80. JN Development-Lt 9 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 27,900 to 22,320 (office error). Lt 10 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 27,900 to 22,320 (office error). Lt 16 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 27,900 to 22,320 (office error). Lt 6 Blk 7 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 27,900 to 22,320 (office error). Lt 7 Blk 7 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 27,900 to 22,320 (office error). Lt 1 Blk 8 Meadows on Dakota 5th Subd from 27,900 to 22,320 (office error). #81-#87. JN Development-Lt 8 Blk 2 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 29,760 to 23,808 (office error). Lt 1 Blk 5 Meadows on Dakota 3rd Subd from 29,760 to 23,808 (office error). Lt 1 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 29,760 to 23,808 (office error). Lt 2 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 29,760 to 23,808 (office error). Lt 3 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 29,760 to 23,808 (office error). Lt 4 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 29,760 to 23,808 (office error). Lt 5 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 29,760 to 23,808 (office error). Lt 6 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 29,760 to 23,808 (office error). Lt 7 Blk 6 Meadows on Dakota 4th Subd from 29,760 to 23,808 (office error). #88. Brock Klapper-Lt 9 Blk 1 Meadows on Dakota 2nd Subd from 182,818 to 178,354 (office error). #89. Allan C Hoerth-Lt 5 Blk 29 Thomas Addn from 85,817 to 73,803 (adjust after review). #90. James Saylor-S 50' Lt 12 Lawsons 2nd Replat Blk 12 Woolverton Addn from 48,575 to 13,580 (salvage value). #91. Ron Wagner-Lt 1 Blk 5 Golden Acres 1st Subd from 134,785 to 97,660 (adjust after review). #92-93. Tyrone Luitjens-Lt 10 Blk 35 Hagerty & Lloyd Addn from 37,503 to 30,440 (adjust after review). Lt 1 Blk 2 Huffman's 2nd Addn @ 138,835 (no change). #94. JCW Investments LLC-Lt 1 Super 8 East Addn (pt of B41 & 56 Roches) from 1,605,031 to 1,502,236 (adjust after review). #95. Joann Sheffield-N 13' Lt 17 & Lt 18 Blk 27 Hagerty & Lloyd Addn from 76,375 to 63,227 (adjust after review). #96. Evergreen Properties-S 267' Outlot O ex 1' on west side Lin-

coln & Boyds Subd of Lincoln Oulots ex H1 & H2 (Blk 2 Parkview) from 309,098 to 291,660 (adjust after review). #97. Patrick McHugh-Lt 16 Blk 10 Sullivan & Eastons Addn from 80,250 to 75,000 (adjust after review). #98. Dakota Equity Group-Lt 7 Eastons 1st Subd Blk 32 Bennett & Thomas Addn from 50,796 to 45,610 (adjust after review). #99. Sharon Lieberg-Lt 12 Blk 10 Ashwood Heights Subd SW 8-123-63 from 247,095 to 231,539 (adjust after review). #100. David Ross-Lt 7 Blk 3 Wylie Park Estates 3rd Addn from 211,394 to 208,303 (adjust after review). #101. Delbert D Harty-Lt 10 Blk 3 1st Addn Ashwood Heights Subd SW 8-123-63 from 290,334 to 279,811 (adjust after review). #102. Ronald K and Patricia VanMeter-Lt 2 Rolling Hills Village 4th Addn inc v/s from 311,096 to 274,345 (office error). #103. William Schaeffer-Lt 1 Rolling Hills Village 4th Addn (Lt 1A & 1B Blk 4 RHV) inc v/s from 363,691 to 345,432 (office error). #104. BAE Systems-FMC OL 1 W ½ of SE 8-123-64 ex Commerce Street from 4,302,217 to 3,447,539 (adjust after review). #105. Marlene Klein-Lts 2-3 Moccasin Plaza Addn from 261,020 to 250,095 (adjust after review).

ADJOURN: Moved by Levsen, seconded by Fjeldheim to adjourn the Consolidated Board of Equalization at 1:10 P.M. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Maxine Fischer – Brown County Auditor

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## Frederick School April 7, 2016

### Coop Meeting

OFFICIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS  
LEOLA/FREDERICK CO-OP MEETING

April 7, 2016  
The meeting was called to order on April 7, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Rich Schlosser with all members present. Others present were Knute Reiersen, Jessica Ringgenberg, Deb Klapperich and administration and board members from the Leola School.

The meeting began with all present reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Action 15-71 Motion by Sumpston, second by Forsting to approve the amended agenda. All aye, carried.

Action 15-72 Motion by Nickelson, second by Forsting to adopt a May 1st deadline for students in grades 8-12 to sign up to participate in cheerleading for the following school year. A minimum requirement of 3 students is set for the program. All aye, carried.

1. Discussion Items  
A. Coaching Positions  
B. JH BH jerseys and shorts  
C. Coaching Salary  
D. Review Co-op Agreement

1. Mileage to only 1 (one) out of district JV referee for double header games

2. Clarification needed for state event participation rules

E. Sanford Partnering

1. Physicals – May 9, 2016 8:30 AM at Leola ... May 9, 2016 at Frederick when Sanford finishes Leola

2. Impact Testing – Tuesday, August 9, 2016 at 7:00 PM at the Annual ALL Sports Meeting at Frederick

3. Trainer hired to visit at least 1 (one) school each week plus be present for home games at \$500/year

F. SDHSAA Advisory Topics  
The above items were cooperatively discussed. These items will be inserted into the Titans' Coaches and Student Handbooks which will be approved after review of the edited sections by each board.

Action 15-73 Motion by Sumpston, second by Nickelson to enter into executive session to discuss personnel matters at 8:13 PM. All aye, carried.

Chairman Schlosser declared executive session over at 9:04 PM.

The need for a fall co-op meeting was discussed. The AD's will arrange for a September meeting.

Action 15-74 Motion by Forsting second by Nickelson to adjourn. All aye, carried

Chairman  
Business Manager

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**Frederick School  
April 11, 2016**

**General Meeting**

OFFICIAL BOARD PROCEEDINGS  
FREDERICK AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT #6-2  
APRIL 11, 2016

The meeting of the Board of Education of the Frederick Area School District #6-2 was called to order on April 11, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Rich Schlosser with Eric Sumption and Dan Nickelson present. Others present were Knute Reiersen, Jessica Ringgenberg, Deb Klapperich and Justin Brotzel.

The meeting began with all present reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Action 15-75 Motion by Sumption second by Nickelson to approve the amended agenda. All aye, carried.

Action 15-76 Motion by Sumption second by Nickelson to approve the consent agenda which included the following items:

- A. Minutes
- B. Financial Statements as presented.

Bills All aye, carried.

GENERAL FUND: A & B BUSINESS, INC., SUPPLIES, 8.45; ABERDEEN SCHOOL DISTRICT #6-1, BACKGROUND CHECK, 15.00; ACADEMY TROPHY & ENGRAVING CO., AWARDS, 30.00; CLIMATE CONTROL INC., MAINTENANCE, 9,691.03; COLE PAPERS, INC., SUPPLIES, 913.32; CWD-ABERDEEN, REPAIRS, 622.52; DAKOTA ELECTRONICS, FEES, 20.00; GROTON INDEPENDENT, INC, PRINTING, 93.45; JAMES VALLEY COOP. TELE. CO., TELEPHONE, 275.01; KENS ALIGNMENT, REPAIRS, 957.66; KESSLER'S GROCERY, SUPPLIES, 58.41; LEOLA SCHOOL DISTRICT, 1/2 BB SUB STATE SHARE, 847.05; MAC'S INC., REPAIRS, 69.04; MENARDS ABERDEEN, SUPPLIES, 375.64; PANTORIUM CLEANER INC., FEES, 168.55; PODOLL, LANCE, MILEAGE, 309.12; PODOLL, MILISSA, LODGING, 163.88; POMP'S TIRE SERVICE, INC, REPAIRS, 33.00; REIERSON, JAMES, MEALS, 26.00; RUNNING'S SUPPLY INC., REPAIRS, 9.98; SCHWAN WELDING AND BOILER REPAIR, REPAIRS, 24.66; SD HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSN, SUPPLIES, 116.00; TRUST AND AGENCY FUND, REIMBURSEMENT, 3,058.45; VANTILBURG, TREVOR, DRIVING, 67.56; WELLS FARGO BUSINESS CARD, SCIENCE SUPPLIES, 62.63; CROSSROADS HOTEL & HURON EVENT, STATE GBB LODGING, 3,319.60; GROTON SCHOOL DISTRICT, FEES, 90.00; JAMES DUMIRE, REPAIRS, 240.00; KESSLER'S GROCERY, SUPPLIES, 51.00; MOBRIDGE SCHOOL DISTRICT, FEES, 100.00; O'REILLY AUTO PARTS, REPAIRS, 77.89; PODOLL, LANCE, MILEAGE, 309.12; SISSETON SCHOOL DISTRICT #54-9, FEES, 30.00;

CAPITAL OUTLAY FUND: A&B BUSINESS SOLUTIONS, PRINTING, 561.59; MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO., ELECTRIC, 4,374.52; NORTH CENTRAL FARMERS ELEVATOR, FUEL, 4,686.94; TOWN OF FREDERICK, WATER, 234.56; WORDWARE INC, SOFTWARE, 1,407.00; SUMPTION, STACEY, FUEL, 42.05; WELLS FARGO BUSINESS CARD, GAS, 29.24

SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND: AVERA ST LUKES, FEES, 2,325.84  
FOOD SERVICE: BLUE RIBBON MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES, SUPPLIES, 223.27; CWD-ABERDEEN, FOOD, 4,116.96; PANTORIUM CLEANER INC., FEES, 136.19

Salaries: General: Adm. & Teachers, 92,865.47; Support 12,459.71; SS & Med 24,313.60. The following benefits and salaries are included in the above totals. General: SDRS, retirement, 8941.11; Delta Dental, ins. 1163.25; AFLAC, insurance, 319.86; SDRS Supplemental, retirement, 357.50; VSP, Vision, ins. 150.474; Security Benefit, retirement, 50.00; American Funds, retirement, 1282.50; Reliarstar Life Ins., ins. 149.25; Wellmark, ins. 13,397.78; Jim

Dumire, bus driving, 292.76; Jon Ellwein, board salary, 61.72; Jeff Forsting, board salary, 65.08; Brandon Gorsuch, driving, 22.52; Austin Jensen, sub, 160.00; Leroy Podoll, driving, 72.38; Carma Ruenz, sub, 500.00; Richard Schlosser, board salary, 61.30; Eric Sumption, board salary, 65.08; Stephanie Sumption, sub, 200.00. Special Ed: Teachers, 13,934.86; Support, 3955.25; SS & Med, 3382.76; SDRS, retirement, 1186.26; AFLAC, insurance, 15.99; Delta Dental, ins. 146.99; Reliarstar Life Ins, ins. 1.39; SDRS Supplemental, retirement, 250.00; VSP, insurance, 29.73; Wellmark, ins. 1251.22; Ann Hegge, sub, 1100.00; Carma Ruenz, sub, 200.00. Food Service: Support, 3689.40; SS & Med, 981.56; SDRS, retirement, 413.79; VSP, insurance, 45.08; Donanne Fugman, sub, 67.56.

The following reports were given at this time:

A. Knute Reiersen – Superintendent/AD

Enter Jon Ellwein and Jeff Forsting at 7:08 PM

A. Jessica Ringgenberg – K-12 Principal

B. Knute Reiersen – Grounds and Maintenance

C. Knute Reiersen – Athletic Co-op

D. Richard Schlosser – Hub Area Vo Tech

Adoption of the Athletic co-op agreement was tabled till a later date.

Action 15-77 Be it hereby resolved that the board of education of the Frederick Area School District does authorize membership in the ASBSD Protective Trust and the SD District Benefit Fund for Property/Liability, Workers Comp and Health Insurance. Ellwein yes, Sumption yes, Schlosser yes, Nickelson yes, Forsting yes. Carried

Deb Klapperich reported that the stage curtains have been ordered and should be delivered the 3rd week in April.

The 2016-17 school calendar was reviewed.

No new information was presented on the portable bleachers.

Justin Brotzel gave a presentation on the progress of the Picture Composite project. He will proceed to order the Smart TV and finish the Power Point presentation.

Justin Brotzel and Jessica Ringgenberg presented information concerning the purchase of new student and teacher iPads.

A discussion followed concerning the painting of the back side of the football scoreboard.

Thank you and congratulations were read and will be posted on the school website.

Action 15-78 Motion by Sumption, second by Ellwein to enter into executive session at 8:38 pm to discuss student and personnel matters. All aye, carried.

Exit Justin Brotzel.

Chairman Schlosser declared executive session out at 9:24 pm.

Action 15-79 Motion by Forsting, second by Nickelson to adjourn. All aye, carried.

Chairman

Business Manager

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**Brown County  
April 12, 2016  
County Equal.**

APRIL 12, 2016 – BROWN COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

This being the second Tuesday, April 12, 2016, the Brown County Commission organized themselves as the Brown County Board of Equalization, in accordance with SDCL 10-22-25, at 10:00 A.M. in the Commissioner's Chambers, Courthouse Annex, Brown County, South Dakota. Oaths of office were taken by Commissioners Sutton, Kippley, Fischbach and Fjeldheim. Director of Equalization Mary E. Worlie and Sarah Swenson were also present. Auditor Maxine Fischer called the meeting to order and called for nominations for Chairman.

Commissioner Sutton nominated Rachel Kippley and Commissioner Kippley nominated Doug Fjeldheim as Chariman for

the 2016 Brown County Board of Equalization. Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fischbach for voice vote; Kippley (3) Fjeldheim (1). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fischbach to accept for filing the Review Board Minutes from the towns and townships within Brown County. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fischbach to instruct the Director of Equalization to reduce values on all properties qualifying for Assessment Freeze for the Elderly and Disabled for 2016 (151). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Fjeldheim, seconded by Fischbach to instruct the Director of Equalization to reduce values on all properties qualifying for Paraplegic Veteran Exemption for 2016 (2); Paraplegic Exemption for 2016 (0); and 100% Disabled Veteran Exemption for 2016 (67). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Fjeldheim, seconded by Fischbach to approve the applications submitted per SDCL 10-4-15 for 100% Tax Exempt Status (complete listing available for public inspection Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Director of Equalization Office, 25 Market Street Ste 6, Aberdeen, SD). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fischbach to deny Tax Exempt Status for the following new application: Aberdeen City #32 Safe Harbor on Lt 1 Blk 5 HAPI 3rd Central Subd S 1/2 NE 30-123-63 (requested 100%). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Fjeldheim, seconded by Fischbach to approve 89% Tax Exempt Status, as requested, for the following new application: Aberdeen City #32 Avera St. Lukes on #1B Physicians Plaza Blk 83 Hagerty & Lloyd Addition (Suite W240). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fjeldheim to approve 100% Tax Exempt Status, as requested, for the following new application: Aberdeen City #32 Horizon Health Care Inc. on Lt 1 Moccasin Plaza Addition (Lt 26 Piersons). All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fjeldheim to approve 100% Tax Exempt status on the following new applications: Aberdeen City #32 Kids Against Hunger on Lt 1 Lee Park Addition (Lt 3 Skywag Addition); St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church on St. Pauls 2nd Subd (Blk 36 2nd Addition); First United Methodist Church on Lt 1 FUMC-Journey Parking Subd (Blk 28 1st Addition); Journey Church of Christian & Missionary Alliance on Lt 2 FUMC-Journey Parking Subd (Blk 28 1st Addition); Journey Church of Christian & Missionary Alliance on E 108.7' of Lt 1 NE 25-123-64; St. Mary's Church on St. Mary's 2nd Addition Aberdeen NE 13-123-64 (Blk 38 H&L); Avera St. Lukes on #E106 Physicians Plaza Blk 83 Hagerty & Lloyd Addition; #2B Physician Plaza Blk 83 Hagerty & Lloyd Addition (Suite W220); #3A Physicians Plaza Blk 83 Hagerty & Lloyd Addition (Suite W130); Avera St. Lukes/Dakota Plains Surgical Center on BOLS#3 Dakota Plains Medical Plaza Condo Lt B of Lt 2 Howards OL B NE 14-123-64; #3 Dakota Plains Medical Plaza Condo Lt B of Lt 2 Howards OL B NE 14-123-64. Aberdeen Township #20 Spurs Therapeutic Riding Center Inc. on Lt 1 Spurs 2nd Addition NW 6-123-63. Gem Township #24 Scandinavia Lutheran Congregation on Lt 2 Scandinavia Lutheran Church Addition SE 19-122-62. Groton City #33 Brown County Historical Society on Lt 1 Blk 7 Orig Plat Groton. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fjeldheim to approve partial Tax Exempt Status for the following applications: Aberdeen City #32 ; Aberdeen Development Corporation 62% on Lt 1 Abdn Dev Corp 2001-1 Subd NE 16-123-63 Industrial Park East; ACT 2 INC 63% on #2 Midwest Capitol Project of Lt 10-12 Blk 27 1st Addn; 63% on #3 Midwest Capitol Project of Lt 13-18 Blk 27 1st Addn Ex Mezzanine Hallway Unit 3; 63% Mezzanine Storage Unit 4A #4 Midwest Capitol Project of Lt 10-12 Blk 27 1st Add; Avera St Luke's Hospital 22% on Lt 1 Avera St Lukes Subd (Blk 73 & 82 H&L); 91.3% on Lt 1 Avera St Lukes Addn (Blk 86, 87, and 96, H&L Etc); 68% on Lt 2 Cash-Wa-Avera St Lukes Subd (Lt 2 HRS/SAL Subd (Brandner); 40% on Lt 3 Avera Land-O-Lakes 2nd Subd (Blk 72 H&L and OL 2 Lanes); 48% on Lt 4 Hagerty and Lloyds 3rd Subd SE 13-123-64; 33% on Lt 1 Avera St Lukes Subd (Blk 73 & 82 H&L); First United Methodist Church 33% on Lts 12-13 Blk 29 Subd of Lts 4-5 Blk 29 1st Addn & Lts 12-13 Blk 29 2nd Addn; Fraternal Order of Eagles 50% on Lts 4-12 Blk 22 First Addn; Loyal Order of Moose #590 80% on Lts 1-8 and all of vac alley Blk 54 Second Addn TDAF/Tom Aman 37.7% on Lt 1 Blackstone 2nd Subd (requested 90%); Yelduz Temple 90% on Lts 1-3 Blk 50 Second Addn (requested 100%). Warner Twp #23 Foundation for Youth Firearms Safety Inc 80% on the N 820' of SE 15-122-64 ex Hwy lying E of CNW RR. Groton City #33 American Legion Post #39 60% on Lts 22-25 Blk 11 OP Groton; Groton Community Transit Inc 75% on Lts 9-12 Blk 10 OP Groton. Highland Township #35 St Johns Lutheran Church 85% on St John Evangelical Lutheran Church OL 1 & 2 SW 24-122-65. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Moved by Sutton, seconded by Fischbach to remove Tax Exempt status on the following: Aberdeen City #32 American National Red Cross on Lt 3-4 Nelson-Rohrbachs Rpl of Lt C Lawsons OL of Lt 8 Bonaccord Hts 19-123-63; Avera St. Lukes Lt 2 Rivett Group Addition (Commercial Lt 3 Camelot Est 1st Addition NE 1-123-63); CC Croal Post #17 VFW on Lt 18 & 19 Auto Plaza Addition; New Tec Inc./Aberdeen Area Career Planning Center Lt 1 Abdn Dev Corp 1997-1 SD NE 17-123-63; Hub Area Multi. Dist. Voc. Center Lt 1 Votech Center 1st SD (Pt Reese OL 5 & OL X). Hecla City #40 St. Anthony Catholic Church DBA St John on Lt 5 Blk 14 Subd Blk 11-14 Hecla Vlg; Lt 4 Blk 14 Subd Blk 11-14 Hecla Vlg; Liberty Township #31 Peace Lutheran Church on 2 Acres SE Corner SE 21-128-62. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

ADJOURN:  
Moved by Fischbach, seconded by Fjeldheim to adjourn the County Board of Equalization at 10:45 A.M. All members present voting aye. Motion carried.

Maxine Fischer – Brown County Auditor  
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**State of S.D. Zara Belle Maag requests name change**  
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA COUNTY OF BROWN IN CIRCUIT COURT 5th JUDICIAL CIRCUIT CIV: 16-148  
NOTICE OF HEARING FOR ADULT NAME CHANGE  
In the Matter of the Petition of Zara Belle Maag (current name).  
For a Change of Name to Zara Belle Anderson (proposed name).  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN a verified petition for adult name change has been filed by Zara Belle Maag the object and prayer of which is to change Petitioner's name from Zara Belle Maag to Zara Belle Anderson. On the 12th day of May 2016, at the hour of 4:00 pm, said verified petition will be heard by this court before the Honorable Richard Sommers, presiding, at the Court Room in the Brown County Courthouse, City of Aberdeen, Brown County, South Dakota, or as soon thereafter as is convenient for the court. Anyone may come and appear at that time and place and show reasons, if any, why said name should not be changed as requested.

Dated this 1st day of April, 2016, at Aberdeen, South Dakota.  
Circuit Court Judge or Clerk of Court  
ATTEST:  
/s/ Marla R. Zastrow  
by the deputy  
(SEAL)

**Brown County  
Ord. 099**

**Hoffman Rezoning**

ORDINANCE #099

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 4, SECOND REVISION BROWN COUNTY ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED

TO REZONE CERTAIN DESCRIBED 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 Greg Hoffman 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 4.07 Mini-Agricultural District (M-AG), said property described as follows:

Lots 1-3 Hoffman First Con-

solidation Addition; Lot 3 Dewalds Outlot C; Lot 38A Dewalds Outlot C; all in the E 1/2 of Sec 14-T124N-R65W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD (West Shore Drive)

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: March 30 & April 6, 2016

Passed First Reading: April 12, 2016

Passed Second Reading: April 19, 2016

Adopted: April 19, 2016  
Published: April 27, 2016  
Effective Date: May 17, 2016

Rachel Kippley, Chair  
Brown County Commission

ATTEST:

Maxine Fischer, Brown County Auditor

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Local Sources	\$2,042.27			
Interest	\$3,288.82		\$0.00	
Federal & State	\$43,727.10		\$272.81	
Investments	\$830,472.70	\$40,429.40	\$256,175.05	\$45,189.23
Disbursements	\$116,881.16	\$5,576.41	\$22,954.64	
<b>CLOSING BALANCE</b>	<b>\$935,233.95</b>	<b>\$644,655.82</b>	<b>\$468,962.59</b>	<b>\$164,817.49</b>
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Beginning Balance	\$92,510.95	\$275.09	\$4,814.88	\$19,090.52
Receipts	\$6,494.53	\$0.00	\$6,714.97	
Disbursements	\$11,065.55	\$0.00	\$7,710.71	
<b>CLOSING BALANCE</b>	<b>\$87,939.93</b>	<b>\$275.09</b>	<b>\$3,819.14</b>	<b>\$19,090.52</b>

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Thanks,  
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### BRIDAL SHOWER

**Open House Bridal Shower For Brianna Woods, Bride-to-be of Zach Geary, Saturday, April 30th, 9:30-11:30, St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church – Groton. The couple is registered at: Target, Herbergers & Menards**

**Bridal Shower in honor of McKinsey Gruber, bride-to-be of Sam Smith, Saturday, May 14, 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church, Groton. Sam and McKinsey are registered at Bed, Bath and Beyond and at Amazon.**

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## Junior High Track Meet April 14 in Sisseton

The junior high track meet went to Sisseton on April 14 and brought home several first place ribbons. The winners were Johny DeLoera in the 200m hurdles, Teagen Jost in the discus, the 7th grade boys 4x100m Relay team, Jonathon Doeden in the 110m and 200m hurdles, the 8th grade boys 4x200m relay team and Eliza Wanner in the 100m dash and 200m dash.

### 7th Grade Boys

1600m Run: 3, Isaac Smith, 6:12.22

110m Hurdles Prelims: 2, Johnny DeLoera, 22.04; 4, Paxton Bonn, 22.70.

200m Hurdles: 1, Johnny DeLoera, 32.50.

200m Dash: 5, Johnny DeLoera, 28.59.

800m Run: 4, Isaac Smith, 2:52.41.

4x100m Relay: 1, Groton (Trevor Harry, Paxton Bonn, Chandler Larson, Kaden Carda), 58.54.

Long Jump: 7, Paxton Bonn, 13-6 1/2.

Discus: 1, Teagen Jost, 61-8.

Shot Put: 2, Kaden Carda, 27-0; 4, Teagen Jost, 25-8.

### 8th Grade Boys

110m Hurdles Prelims: 1, Johnathon Doeden, 17.78; 4, Garrett Schroeder, 21.79.

200m Hurdles: 1, Johnathon Doeden, 30.21.

400m Dash: 2, Austin Jones, 1:02.8; 3, Thomas Cranford, 1:03.22.

4x100m Relay: 2, Groton (Darien Shabazz, Thomas Cranford, Austin Jones, Johnathon Doeden), 52.67.

4x200m Relay: 1, Groton (Darien Shabazz, Thomas Cranford, Austin Jones, Johnathon Doeden), 1:48.62.

### 7th Grade Girls

200m Dash: 2, Kenzie McInerney, 31.53.

800m Run: 4, Tessa Erdmann, 3:11.18.

4x100m Relay: 3, Groton (Grace Wambach, Caitlynn Barse, Tessa Erdmann, Kenzie McInerney), 1:05.54.

4x200m Relay: 3, Groton (Grace Wambach, Caitlynn Barse, Tessa Erdmann, Kenzie McInerney), 2:16.23.

Long Jump: 5, Tessa Erdmann, 11-5 1/2.

Shot Put: 5, Alexis Hanten, 22-11.

Discus: 4, Chloe Crosby, 48-8.

### 8th Grade Girls

100m Dash Prelims: 1, Eliza Wanner, 14.56.

200m Dash: 1, Eliza Wanner, 29.61; 5, Kaylin Kucker, 32.51.

4x100m Relay: 2, Groton (Kaylin Kucker, Tady Glover, MaKayla Jones, Eliza Wanner), 59.49.

4x200m Relay: 2, Groton (Kaylin Kucker, Tady Glover, MaKayla Jones, Eliza Wanner), 2:06.85.

Shot Put: 2, Kaycie Hawkins, 30-5.

Discus: 4, Kaycie Hawkins, 60-6.

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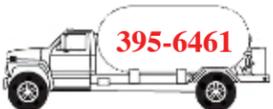
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**Thursday, April 21**  
**School Breakfast:** Breakfast bagel, fruit, juice, milk.

**School Lunch:** BBQ, potato chips, broccoli and dip, fruit.

**Senior Menu:** Swiss steak with mushroom gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, rice and raisins, whole wheat bread.

**Birthdays:** Jean Tastad, LeeRoy Weisenberger, Justin Hanson  
9:00am: St. John's Lutheran Quilting.

10:00am: Track at Redfield

**Friday, April 22**

**School Breakfast:** Pancake on stick, fruit, juice, milk.

**School Lunch:** Quesadilla, green beans, romaine lettuce, fruit.

**Senior Menu:** Breaded codfish, parsley buttered potatoes, creamy coleslaw, sherbet, whole wheat bread.

**Birthdays:** Ali Pasteur, Dwayne Coon, Lance Leonhardt, Samantha Delzer, Janice Hoffman

**Saturday, April 23**

DI 5K Run  
Elementary PAC Carnival

**Birthdays:** Jim Meister, Troy Larson, Jaxon Koshney

10:00am: Track at Ipswich  
4:30pm: St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church Mass

**Sunday, April 24**

**Birthday:** Taryn Rossow  
9:00am: Emmanuel Lutheran School

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

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

9:30am: Emmanuel Lutheran fellowship

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

10:00am: St. John's Lutheran final School for the summer

10:15am: Emmanuel Lutheran Worship

11:00am: United Methodist Church Worship

**Monday, April 25**  
**School Breakfast:** Cereal, yogurt, fruit, juice, milk.

**School Lunch:** Taco salad, tater tots, fruit.

**Senior Menu:** Meatballs, mashed potatoes and gravy, carrots, fruit cocktail, whole wheat bread.

**Birthdays:** Charlie Pray, Rachel Blackmun, Rick Schauer  
6:30am: Emmanuel Lutheran Bible Study

10:00am: Girls golf at Milbank  
4:00pm: 7th/8th grade track at Aberdeen

7:30pm: School Board Meeting

**Tuesday, April 26**

Ag Fair in Aberdeen

**School Breakfast:** Mini pancakes, fruit, juice, milk.

**School Lunch:** Mini corn dog, baked beans, carrots and dip, fruit.

**Senior Menu:** Hamburger cabbage roll hot dish, tomato spoon salad, pears, cornmeal muffin.

10:00am: United Methodist Women's Bible Study  
11:30am: Track in Groton

**Wednesday, April 27**

Biology II Health Science Career Day in Aberdeen

**School Breakfast:** Egg omelet, fruit, juice, milk.

**School Lunch:** Tomato soup, grilled cheese, broccoli, fruit.

**Senior Menu:** Baked chicken, rice pilaf, cauliflower/pea salad, pudding, whole wheat bread.

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**Birthday:** Terry Schwabe  
7:00am: United Methodist Men's Bible Study  
12:00pm: Kiwanis meets at the Community Center  
3:45pm: St. John's Lutheran Confirmation  
6:30pm: Emmanuel Lutheran League  
7:00pm: Emmanuel Lutheran Confirmation

**Thursday, April 28**

**School Breakfast:** French toast, links, fruit, juice, milk.

**School Lunch:** Various nuggets, French fries, lettuce, fruit.

**Senior Menu:** Ham loaf, sweet potatoes, peas, acini dePepi fruit salad, whole wheat bread.

**Birthdays:** Alexis Ferrell, Justin Peterson, Kevin Pharis

10:00am: Girls golf at Redfield  
3:30pm: 7th/8th grade track meet in Groton

7:00pm: FCCLA Style Show

**Friday, April 29**

**School Breakfast:** French toast, links, fruit, juice, milk.

**School Lunch:** Pizza, vegetable, carrots and dip, fruit.

**Senior Menu:** Breaded codfish, parsley buttered potatoes, creamy coleslaw, sherbet, whole wheat bread.

1:00pm: Track at Sis-seton

6:30pm: FFA Banquet

**Saturday, April 30**

**Birthdays:** Heather Feser, Logan Lane

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School Board, 7:30 p.m., April 25th  
FCCLA Style Show, 7 p.m., April 28  
FFA Banquet, 6:30 p.m., April 29

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## Groton Lions Club

Justin Olson, first vice president, led the short business session for the April monthly Groton Lions Club meeting. Lee Schinkel gave the scholarship committee report. Nine high school students will each receive a \$500 college scholarship from the Groton Lions Club this year. Pastor Elizabeth Johnson, Larry Wheeting, Troy Lindberg and Justin Kerstan were other members of the committee. Larry announced that one of our winners, Lily Cutler, also received the International Kiwanis Scholarship this year. Larry and Lee are also members of the Groton Kiwanis Club.

Topper Tastad announced the car show will be held June 12 at the Terry Thompson farm.

Troy Lindberg was elected as first vice president for the next year.

Lee Schinkel and Justin Kerstan gave their preliminary report on the 80 and over ice cream social planned for this spring.

In the absence of the chairman, Michelle Muilenburg and Justin Olson told of plans for the annual spring rummage sale set for May 7.

Justin Hammel served cookies, a donation from the Groton Subway. He also announced a special donation at Subway next Monday.

Justin Olson reported on the successful Easter Egg hunt.

## GROTON P.E.O. SISTERHOOD SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED

The academic P. E.O. Scholarship for the 2016-2017 academic year, was presented to Allison Ann Weber, a senior at Groton High School. This scholarship is in memory of P.E.O. members of the Groton Chapter AC.

Allison is the daughter of Mike and Lorrie Weber and plans to attend the University of Nebraska at Lincoln. She would like to achieve a major in business administration with an emphasis in human resources and a minor in finance.

The P. E. O. Scholarship is a \$500 scholarship based on excellence in leadership, community service, academics, and potential for future success. The program is open to young women who are citizens of the U. S. and who are graduating high school seniors at the time of application.

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**Middle Row:** Head Coach Perry Doney, Robert Voight, Einor Larson, Duane Voight, Kenneth Ives, LaVerne Ahern, Bill Rock Jr., Wallace Karnopp, Harvey Dorfschmidt, Eugene Liebel, Assistant Coach Ralph Converse

**Front Row:** Irvin Fliehs, Francis Lorenz, Donald Wood, Alyn Miller, Manley Green, Howard Jones, Virgil Larson, Marvin Fliehs, Wayne Bautista

## Doney Field Football Sign

The Groton Area School Board is planning to replace the "Doney Field" sign that is currently on both the east and west sides of the crow's nest in the football field.

This sign is rather small and beginning to show the effects of adverse weather.

The field had been named after Perry Doney, a highly esteemed football coach in Groton from 1938-1942. Under his coaching skill the football team won three consecutive Conference Championships. Due to this outstanding achievement, the Groton Board of Education named the field "Doney Field" in 1939.

Players on this football team either are still living here or have offspring who live in the Groton School District. Some of them are Emery Sippel, Manley Green, Bob Pray Sr., Kenneth Schaller, George Alberts, Jerry Rix, and Irvin Fliehs.

A quote from Service Signs for \$3000 would cover the cost of manufacturing and installing a sign 30" x 216" which would be placed on the new football field scoreboard. Anyone interested in donating for this project should contact the school and ask for Superintendent Joe Schwan at 397-8381.

## Pappas earns outstanding officer award

Junior Keri Pappas received an outstanding presiding officer award at the state congressional debate contest held in the state Capitol building in Pierre on April 8, 2016. Pappas was also named an alternate for the national contest. Also competing in congressional debate for Groton were seniors Lily Cutler, Kelsey Iverson, and Katie Miller.



Keri Pappas

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<p><b>General Mills</b> Cereals 4 for <b>\$8</b> With \$4 OFF Coupon on Page 4</p>	<p><b>Tyson Split Chicken Breast</b> Per Lb. <b>\$1.19</b> <b>VALUE PACK</b></p>	<p><b>Green Giant Idaho Russet Potatoes</b> 5 Lb. Bag <b>\$1.49</b></p>
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<p><b>Half-O-Meal Cereal</b> Berry Colossal Crunch, Cinnamon Toasters, Frosted Flakes, Frosted Mini Spooners 9-12 Oz. Bag <b>99¢</b></p>	<p><b>Coke, Diet Coke, or Coke Zero</b> 20 Pack, Cans <b>\$5.88</b></p>	<p><b>Farm Fresh Grade A Large Eggs</b> 1 Dozen Ctn. <b>88¢</b></p>
<p><b>Bud, Bud LT</b> 5 Pack, 16 Oz. Cans <b>\$14.99</b></p>	<p><b>Lord Calvert</b> 1.75 L <b>\$15.95</b></p>	<p><b>Cowbelle Premium Ice Cream</b> 48 Oz. Tubs <b>2 for \$5</b></p>