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The Terry and Kristin Kenny home at 610 N Main, Groton, was chosen as last week's Yard of the Week. It is unique in that he made the wagon from scratch and they decorated it for autumn. "I got the wheels from a side delivery rake and a corn planter, both which came from my dad and great uncle. Terry said it took him about 30 hours to make the wagon. "I enjoy history," he said. "And I enjoy the process of the Pioneers and like to reflect on what they used to do and how tough it was for them. They had a difficult journey. It's a memorial to the old timers as well as a yard decoration."

He also has a latern on the wagon that used to belong to his grandmother. He put an electrical bulb in it so it illuminates at night. But the corn he had on the wagon did not last long. "The the squirrels are enjoying it and dining daily on it."

Pictured are Terry, holding their 12 year old Gizo, and Kristin Kenny.

The interview that was done on the Kenny's is featured at GDILIVE.COM.

211 Proposal to Brown County

Eddy Opp, Mayor Scott Hanlon and Finance Officer Anita Lowary attended a 211 program meeting held recently in Aberdeen. The 211 program wants to get something started in Northeast South Dakota. The cost is \$1,000 for set-up and 75 cents per household per year. It is a family support helpline. It was formed in 1974 by the FCC and 38 states have some form of it. "It is a real basic number to call when you don't know who to call," Hanlon said. The council thought it would be a good idea for Brown County to get involved with the program. You can read more about 211 inside this paper.

The council tabled the decision to make the finance officer an employee instead of being appointed by the mayor and approved by the council until everyone could be present. Councilmen David Blackmun and Burt Glover were absent.

The council discussed updating the airport lease at the request of Shawn Gengerke. The council agreed to have the mayor sign the agreement with 105 acres at \$205 good for two years. There was a reduction of land due FFA requiring more clear space on each side and the ends of the runway.

Prairie Northeast Region and Glacial Lakes Organization would like Groton to join again. It would be \$275 for an 1/8 of a page ad which would include membership for one year. The council agreed to join again.

The council approved to close off Main Street for the Festival of Bands to be held October 14, and for viewing stands to be placed downtown. David McGannon talked about the Pumpkin Fest that will be held in Groton this year. Eddy Opp said this is really good for the kids and said, "I would be willing to challenge the council to throw in \$20 to help. pay for expenses. "It's a worthy cause and April (Abeln) has done a good with this." He also challenged the public works employees for the \$20.

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Getting ready for the great Pumpkin Fest



Groton is getting ready for its first ever Pumpkin Fest! Above, Mayor Scott Hanlon brought in some decorated pumpkins and there is a story to be told there as well! David McGannon got three pumpkins from the Pumpkin Patch and he gave them to Lori Westby. Westby had a lady in Aberdeen deco-



There are so many individuals, organizations and other volunteers lined up to help with the Pumpkin Fest. April Abeln and David McGannon have been instrumental in getting the event planned and organized. Donations of offset expenses have been made. Councilman Eddy Opp at the last council meeting challenged all councilmen and city employees to \$20 for the event. At last count, all but one have stepped up to the challenge.

The event will be held Saturday, Oct. 8, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the City Park. The city will be hauling in extra picnic tables from the baseball complex for the children to paint their pumpkins. There will be hayrides to and from the pumpkin patch, face painting, a train ride for the little ones and inflatables. Lunch of hot dogs and hamburgers will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Any one wanting to make a donation can contact April Abeln at City Hall.





Groton Coffee Cup League

Team Standings:
Jungle Lanes 6, Ken's 4,
James Valley 4, Ten Pins

High Games: Joyce Walter 180 and 168, Nancy Radke 176, Sandi Bistodeau 163.

High Series: Joyce Walter 509, Nancy Radke 464, Mary Jane Jark 448.

Conde National League

Team Standings: Pirates 6, Braves 6, Colts 6, Mets 2, Cubs 2, Giants 2.

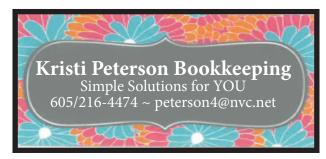
Men's High Games: Butch Farmen 174, Topper Tastad 173, Preston Brewer 173, Larry Frohling 168.

Women's High Games: Vickie Kramp 172, Mary Larson, 167, 159 and 163; Nancy Radke 153.

Women's High Series: Mary Larson 489, Vickie Kramp 433, Michelle Johnson 415.

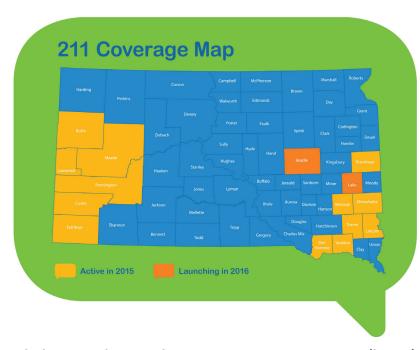
Men's High Series: Larry Frohling 487, Lance Frohling 486, Butch Farmen 471.





What is 211?

211 is an easy to remember three-digit telephone number assigned by the Federal Communications Commission for the purpose of providing quick and easy access to information about health and human services. Professional Information and Referral Specialists work with callers to assess their needs, determine their options and provide appropriate programs/services, give support, intervene in crisis situations and advocate for the caller as needed. 211 is currently available to 93.4% of residents in the United States. In South Dakota, 211 is available to residents in the Sioux Empire (Minnehaha, Lincoln, Turner, and McCook Counties), Black Hills (Pennington, Custer, Fall River, Lawrence, Meade, and Butte Counties), as well as Brookings, Beadle, Lake, Yankton and Bon Homme Counties.



211 Can Help Callers Access the Following Types of Services:

- Basic Human Needs Resources: food banks, clothing, shelters, rent assistance, utility assistance
- Government information: City, County, State services and programs. Many people are not sure what government office to contact and so 211 helps point them in the right direction.
- ◆ Health and Mental Health Resources: health insurance programs, maternal health, medical information lines, cri-

sis intervention services, support groups, counseling, drug and alcohol intervention and rehabilitation

- Employment Support: financial assistance, job training, transportation assistance, education programs
- Support for Older Americans and Persons with Disabilities: adult day care, congregate meals, Meals on Wheels, respite care, home health care, transportation, homemaker services
- Support for Children, Youth and Families: child care, after-school programs, Head Start, family resource centers, summer camps and recreation programs, mentoring, tutoring, protective services
- Volunteer Opportunities and Donations: community involvement, volunteer centers, disaster relief
- Military and Family Support: programs that serve veterans and their families, community resources, mental health resources, counseling
- Hobby groups and civic/service clubs: for people who have similar interests (gardening clubs, square dance groups, astronomy clubs, etc) or are united by a common cause (political groups, Lions, Rotary Clubs, Kiwanis, etc.)

Who Can Use 211?

If you're looking for assistance with a problem and you don't know where to turn, or you simply want information on a particular human service issue, 211 is for you.

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When Can I Call?

211 is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Who Answers the 211 Calls?

In South Dakota all the 211 calls are answered at the Helpline Center by trained specialists. The Helpline Center is the only organization in the state accredited by both AIRS (Alliance of Information & Referral Systems) and AAS (American Association of Suicidiology).

How Does 211 Work?

If you're in one of the communities covered by 211 service, just pick up your home phone, office phone, or cell phone and dial 211.

What if I have problems dialing 211?

For organizations with in-house phone networks, or PBX telephone systems, calling parameters may need to be adjusted to enable three-digit dialing access to 211. Most systems will allow dialing access to 911, but modifications may be required to permit 211 calling. Typically, your telecommunications staff or a service provider can make this simple adjustment. In some cases, the issue can be resolved by dialing 9 or another access code needed to get an outside line before dialing 211.

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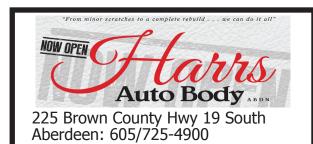


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Frederick School Sept. 12, 2016

MeetingOFFICIAL BOARD PROCEED-

FREDERICK AREA SCHOOL

SEPTEMBER 12, 2016 The meeting was called to order on September 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. by Chairman Rich Schlosser. Members present Eric Sumption, Jon Ellwein and

Dan Nickelson. Others present were Knute Reierson, Jessica Ringgenberg, Deb Klapperich, Liz Labesky, Missy Podoll, Wayne Haas, Chad Delzer and Tucker

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

Action 16-34 Motion by Sumption second by Nickelson to approve the amended agenda. All aye, carried

Action 16-35 Motion by Sumption second by Ellwein to approve the consent agenda which included the following items:

A. Minutes B. Financial Statements as presented

FREDERICK AREA SCHOOL,

SEPTEMBER CLAIMS
GENERAL FUND: A & B BUSI-NESS, INC, SUPPLIES, 725.38; ABERDEEN AMERICAN NEWS, INC, SUBSCRIPTION, 148.01 ADEMA, LAURA, FEES, 7.00; ALL AMERICAN SPORTS CORP., SUPPLIES, 914.83; ANLIKER, JENNIFER, CREDIT REIMBURSE-MENT, 90.00; ASBSD, FEES, 185.00; BARONDEAU, JANELLE CREDIT REIBURSEMENT, 80.00; BERGAN, JANEL, CRED-IT REIBURSEMENT, 145.00; BLACKBOAD, INC., SOFTWARE, 1,972.38; BLEDSOE FAMILY CHIROPRACTIC CLINIC, FEES, 150.00; BONN EXPRESS, GAS, 42.81; CLIMATE CONTROL INC REPAIRS, 7,455.95; COLE PAPERS, INC., SUPPLIES, 245.11; CRAWFORD TRUCKS & EQUIP MENT, REPAIRS, 89.92; CWD-ABERDEEN, FFVP FRUIT/VEG, 94.55; DAKOTA ELECTRÓNICS 20.00; DAKOTA SUPPLY GROUP, REPAIRS, 31.43; DAYS INN WATERTOWN, LODGING, 144.00; DICKEY COUNTY LEAD-ER, AD, 24.20; DON'S BUILDERS HARDWARE, REPAIRS, 306.50; DREAMBOX LEARNING, SOFT-WARE, 2,125.00; ELLENDALE TRUE VALUE, REPAIRS, 15.49; FARMERS UNION OIL ELLEN-DALE, GAS, 33.00; FARNAM'S GENUINE PARTS INC, REPAIRS, 859.53; FIRST NATIONAL BANK, POSTAGE, 16.24; GILBERTSON, SCOTT, FEES, 7.00; GROTON INDEPENDENT, INC, PRINTING, 260.24; HAUFF MID-AMERICA SPORTS, SUPPLIES, 693.15; HUB CITY RADIO, BROADCASTING, 500.00; JAMES VALLEY COOP TELE. CO., TELEPHONE, 234.56; JM ELECTRIC INC., REPAIRS, 921.98; KALLAS, AMANDA, 921.98; KALLAS, AMANDA, CREDIT REIMBURSMENT, 90.00; LABESKY, ELIZABETH, CREDIT REIMBURSMENT, 80.00; LEOLA SCHOOL DISTRICT, FEES, 75.00; MAC'S INC., REPAIRS, 112.07; MARC, SUPPLIES, 1,592.07;

REIMBURSEMENT, 40.00; MENARDS ABERDEEN, SUPPLIES, 449.66; MONTANA-DAKOTA UTILITIES CO., ELEC, 2,282.95; NCS PEARSON, INC, SOFTWARE, 382.50; NORTH CENTRAL FARM-ERS ELEVATOR, FUEL, 5,272.87; NORTH CENTRAL SPECIAL ED COOP, FEES, 5,900.00; O'REILLY AUTO PARTS, REPAIRS, 21.20; PANTORIUM CLEANER INC., FEES, 168.65; REALLY GOOD STUFF, INC., SUPPLIES, 279.72; REIERSON, JAMES, MEALS, 26.00; RINGGENBERG, JES-SICA, CREDIT REIMBURSÉMENT, 402.00; RUNNING'S SUPPLY INC., REPAIRS, 50.05; SAN-FORD HEALTH, FEES, 100.00; SCHOOL SAFETY SOLUTIONS, LLC, REPAIRS, 225.08; SCHWAN WELDING AND BOILER RE PAIR, REPAIRS, 20.00; SD HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES, FEES, 31.00; SEWER DUCK , FEES, 250.00; SHIFFLER EQUIPMENT SALES, INC, REPAIRS, 960.08; SIMPLEXGRINNEL, REPAIRS, 1,130.00; SUMPTION, ERIC, REPAIRS, 682.96

SUMPTION, SARAH, CRED-IT REIMBURSEMENT, 120.00; SUMPTION, STACEY, MEALS, 52.00; TANGIBLE PLAY INC SUPPLIES, 108.90; TOWN OF FREDERICK, WATER, 204.06; TRUST AND AGENCY FUND, REIMBURSEMENT, 1,554.18; TSCHOSIK, PAULA, CREDIT RE-IMBURSEMENT, 90.00; ULMER, MAGGIE, CREDIT REIMBURSE-MENT, 90.00; UNDERBERG, KEITH, FEES, 7.00; WATER-KEITH, FEES, 7.00; WATER-TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT, FEES, 130.00; ZINTER, TONYA, CRED-IT REIMBURSEMENT, 90.00; AM-AZON COM CORPORATE CREDIT, REPAIRS, 34.98; FLYING J, GAS 19.40; AMAZON.COM CORPO RATE CREDIT, SUPPLIES, 9.68; WALMART, SUPPLIES, 10.00; STAMP FULFILLMENT SÉRVICES ENVELOPES, 276.75; UNITED PARCEL SERVICE, SHIPPING,

CAPITAL OUTLAY FUND: A&B BUSINESS SOLUTIONS, PRINT-ING, 595.03; ALL AMERICAN SPORTS CORP., EQUIPMENT, 3,837.94; IXL LEARNING, SOFT-WARE, 1,350.00; M-F ATH-LETICS, EQUIPMENT, 180.00; NIELSEN-KELLERMAN, EQUIP-MENT, 486.56; TEACHER IN-NOVATIONS, INC., SOFTWARE, 194.40; AMAZON.COM COR-PORATE CREDIT, TEXTBOOKS, 115.91; TEACHERS PAY TEACH ERS, SOFTWARE, 365.00; AMA-ON.COM CORPÓRATE CREDIT,

EQUIPMENT, 657.72; SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND: A & B BUSINESS, INC, SUPPLIES, 100.00; AVERA ST LUKES, FEES, 863.18; NORTH CENTRAL SPE-CIAL ED COOP, FEES, 10,090.00; PEARSON, SOFTWARE, 59.50; AMAZON.COM CORPORATE TEXTBOOKS, 22. TEACHERS PAY TEACHERS, SOFTWARE, 20.00; FOOD SERVICE: CWD-ABER-

DEEN, FOOD, 2,848.46; PAN-TORIUM CLEANER INC., FEES,

Salaries: General: Adm. & Teachers, 91,013.12; Support, 5378.48; SS & Med, 22,044.40. The following benefits and salaries are included in the above

ment, 8988.13; Delta Dental, ins. 1163.25; AFLAC, insurance, 319.86; SDRS Supplemental, retirement, 357.50; VSP, Vision, ins, 170.24; Security Benefit, retirement, 332.50; American Funds, retirement, 1282.50; Reliarstar Life Ins., ins, 148.60; Wellmark, ins, 12,501.94; Jon Ellwein, board salary, 61.72; Alex Hart, board salary, 55.00; Dan Nickelson, board salary, 55.00; Richard Schlosser, board salary, 61.30; Eric Sumption, board salary, 65.08. Special Ed: Teachers, 8574.41; SS & Med, 1895.60; SDRS, retirement, 753.04; AFLAC, insurance, 15.99; Delta Dental, ins, 146.99 Reliastar Life Ins, ins, 1.39, SDRS Supplemental, retirement, 250.00; VSP, insurance, 29.73; Wellmark, ins, 1339.06. Food Service: Support, 649.32; SS & Med, 126.92; SDRS, retirement, 69.18; VSP, insurance, 2.67.
The following reports were given at this time: A. Knute Reierson - Super-

B. Jessica Ringgenberg - Principal

Action 16-36 Motion by Ellwein, second by Nickelson to accept the employment agreement of Keith Underberg, Bus Driver, \$12.00/hour. All aye, carried. Action 16-37 Motion by Sump-

tion, second by Ellwein to adopt the 2016-2017 Budget as presented at the July budget hearing and approve the following tax request to the county auditor: General Fund: Maximum Tax

Special Education Fund:maximum/\$1000 of total

valuation Capital Outlay Fund: Maxi-

mum Tax Dollars All aye, carried.

Enter Michaela Podoll, Brooklyn Podoll and Maddie Nordine at 7:16 pm.

Action 16-38 Motion by Nickelson, second by Sumption to accept the home school applications of family A and family B. All ave, carried

Action 16-39 Motion by Sumption, second by Nickelson to declare the item's listed on 9-A-16 as surplus and authorize the business manager to dispose of them. All aye, carried Action 16-40 Motion by Sump-

tion, second by Ellwein to accept the changes as presented to the 2016-2017 Official School Calendar. All aye, carried.
Action 16-41 Motion by Ell-

wein, second by Nickelson to set the October 10, 2016 meeting time to 7:30 pm. All aye, carried. Action 16-42 Motion by Ell-

wein, second by Sumption to appoint Dan Nickelson as the ASBSD voting delegate with Rich Schlosser as the alternate. All aye, carried. Chairman Schlosser called

upon Ms. Labesky to report on her plans for the 2017 spring band trip.

Enter Alex Hart at 7:25 pm and Brock Pashen at 7:34 pm.

Discussion on possible dates of the band trip and the conflicts with the track schedule

Enter Marty Morlock at 7:47

Chairman Schlosser inquired if Mr. Morlock wished to add anything to the previous discussion. Mr. Morlock presented his concerns with the conflicts between

track and the band trip timing. Exit Wayne Haas, Liz Labesky, Missy Podoll, Maddie Nordine, Michaela Podoll, Brooklyn Podoll, Chad Delzer, Tucker Delzer and

Marty Morlock.

Mr. Pashen presented informa-tion about the purchase of the shot clock that will be a SDHSAA requirement by the 2017-2018 Basketball season. Consensus of the board members is to proceed with the purchase at this time with the possibility of installation prior to the 2016-2017 season.

Mrs. Ringgenberg presented information about the installation of a light for the flag pole. Troy Mellard will be contacted for the installation.

Deb Klapperich informed the board members of the upcoming state wide SDSDBF meeting on

The status of locker room updates was discussed.

Action 16-43 Motion by Ell-

GENERAL FUND SP. ED. FUND C.O. FUND PENSION | Beginning Checking Bal \$191,944.27 \$958,151.89 \$336,560.96 \$72,782.32 RECEIPTS: \$79.46 Taxes \$1,720.31 \$794.49 \$373.14 Local Sources \$50.39 \$2,374.02 Interest \$66.33 Federal & State \$58,205.77 \$280.24 <u>Investments</u> \$833,937.29 \$45,189.23 \$40,429.40 \$256,175.05 Disbursements \$116,927.80 \$19,738.44 \$85,944.67 CLOSING BALANCE \$915,805.13 \$118,051.01 \$573,650.95 \$968,996.56 TRUST & ENTERPRISE FOOD SERVICE UNEMPLOYMENT AGENCY FUND DRIVERS ED FUND <u>FUND</u> Beginning Balance \$83,518.24 \$1,610.05 \$19,090.52 \$275.09 \$8,027.97 \$0.00 \$5,978.98 Receipts \$12,581.90 \$1,205.45 <u>Disbursements</u> \$0.00 CLOSING BALANCE \$6,383.58 \$19,090.52 \$78,964.31 \$275.09

totals. General: SDRS, retirewein, second by Nickelson to enter into executive session at 8:24 pm. All aye, carried. Exit Brock Pashen Chairman Schlosser declared out of executive at 9:30 pm. Action 16-44 Motion by Nickelson, second by Sumption to accept the open enrollment applications of Family A and Family All aye, carried Action 16-45 Motion by Sump-

tion, second by Hart to accept the resignation of Deb Klapperich from the position of business manager effective June 30, 2017 with immediate advertisement of this opening. All aye, carried. Thank yous and congratula-

tions were read.

Action 16-46 Motion by Hart. second by Nickelson to adjourn. All aye, carried.

Chairman Business Manager

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Westport Town Sept. 12, 2016 **Meeting**Town of Westport General

Meeting

September 12th, 2016 The Town of Westport met on September 12th, 2016 with Tim Selzler, Shane Storm, Mike Wilson, Doreen Hertel, and community members present. The following expenses were

presented:

City General

NWPS (\$182,19), Eddie's Northside-Gas (\$91.00), Groton Independent (\$23.64), Brown County Treasurer-Mosquito Spraying (\$866.40), Payroll Tim Selzler (\$125.00), Shane Storm (\$125.00), Michael D Wilson (\$100.00), Doreen Hertel (\$900.00), Michaela Podoll (\$407.63) (\$407.63) Sewer

NWPS (\$43.21), NRWA –loan repayment (\$210.13), Payroll-Doreen Hertel (\$300.00).

WEB (\$984.60), Dept. of Revenue (\$15.00), Water Main-tenance District (\$321.43), Clark Engineering (\$56.01), P Doreen Hertel (\$300.00). Payroll-

Shane Storm made motion to pay all bills; second by Tim Selzler.

The following deposits were presented: City General

Brown County Collections (\$477.57), State of SD (\$772.20), & Interest (\$18.03).

Resident Payments-(\$1,680.00).Water

Resident Payments -

(\$3,139.71). NEW BUSINESS:

Doreen reported that FEMA had a discovery meeting in Aberdeen. They are looking at revisiting the flood map.

Community club has disbanded and will no longer help with the utility bills at the town hall. Doreen Hertel, Finance Officer

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Claremont Town Sept. 13, 2016 Meeting The Board of Trustees for

the Town of Claremont met on

-13-16 at 7:00pm in City Hall. President Johnson called the meeting to order with trustess Crosby and Merkel present. The minutes of the August meeting were read and on a motion by Crosby and seconded by Merkel were approved as read. On a motion by Merkel and seconded by Crosby the following warrants were allowed: General: Park and Rec. donation, 1000.00:James Valley, phone and computer, 83.99; Br. Co. mosquto spraying, 1027.20; Hanse Service, gas and oil-mower, 47.93; NWE, lights, 296.29; Charla Rye, wage, 300.00; Charla Rye, cerf letter, light bulbs, 10.97; Missi Smith, 16 hrs mowing, 147.76; Br.Co. Tresurer, Mosquto spraying, 395.20; Zastrow Sales and service, repair tire/maintainer, 135.00; WSSW; BDM, water used, 823.90; Ecolab, city dump/ pest elimination, 159.98; Dept. of Revinue/remittance Center, water sample, 15.00; NWE, water and sewer, 306.39; Robin Crosby, meter reading, 138.52; Rural Development, loan payment,576.00; On a motion by Crosby seconded by Merkel the bid by Coyote Fencing to repair fence around the Lagoon at \$3800.00 and to remove poles at the park for \$1800.00. The 2017 Budget request was presented, accepted and faxed to the Br. Co. Auditor. With no further business before the Board a motion to adjourn was made by Crosby and seconded by Merkel . Motion cariled.

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Groton School Sept. 12, 2016

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

REGULAR MEETING September 12, 2016

President Steve Smith called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Conference Room. Members present: Fjelstad, Gengerke, Harder, Kjelden, Rix, Smith and Weismantel. Others present were Supt. J. Schwan, Principals A. Schwan and B. Schwan and Business Official Weber

Moved by Weismantel, second Kjelden to approve the agenda with the following changes: under New Business Item #8e acknowledge public exemption #17-06 and New Business Item #11 – adiust time of September 26th board meeting. Motion

Conflict of interest statement for Dr. Anna Schwan. Moved by Kjelden, second Harder to authorize waiver. Motion carried.

Moved by Harder, second Fjelstad to approve the following consent agenda items as presented: North Central Special Ed Coop School of Record agenda items. District minutes of August 8, bills, financial reports, agency

accounts and investments. Mo tion carried. GENERAL FUND: Net Salary – 48,265.37; FIT – 5,620.24; Medicare – 1,843.88; FICA – 7,884.28; Washington National – 98.40; SDRS – 7,443.86; First National Bank – 100.00; Waddell & Reed – 664.22; AFLAC – 773.80; Delta Dental – 1,069.04; SDRS Supplemental 350.03; Wellmark Blue Cross Blue Shield - 19,164,00; Reliastar – 78.83; A&B Business – supplies, 2,642.36; A&B Business Solutions - toner, 118.85; ACDA - dues, 125.00; Agency Fund - advance payments, 19,029.89; Allied Climate Professionals exhaust fan, 3,213.00; AmericInn - Schwan lodging, 143.80; ASBSD – registrations, 555.00; Britton-Hecla School Dist. - entry fee, 60.00; Building Sprinkler – inspections, 597.57; Carquest Auto – supplies, 252.29; City of Groton – utilities, 8,376.10; Cole Papers – supplies, 569.96; Dakota Supply Group – bulbs, 397.14; Dave's Installations – install shades, 48.50; Dependable Sanitation – services. 1,238.00; Dial-A-Move – move piano, 464.98; Discount School Supply – supplies, 29.75; Duenwald Transportation – services, 3,000.00; EMC Insurance – add van, 409.00; R. Erickson – class fee, 35.00; Flinn Scientific – chemicals, 967.32; G&K Services - rug services, 384.62; GCR Tires - tires, 100.00; Gopher -pe supplies, 52.59; GASD Food Service – reimb supplies, 973,34; Groton Chiropractic – physicals, 95.00; Groton Daily Independent legal notices, 124.72; Groton
 Dairy Queen – prizes, 19.17; Groton Dakota Press - ads 50.00: Groton Ford - repairs, 386.06; J. Hanson – class fees, 70.00; Hauff Mid-America Sports - supplies, 2,319.92; L. Hawkins - class fee, 35.00; Hillyard - sup-plies, 844.44; House of Glass repairs, 118.08; Innovative Office Solutions - supplies, 144.57; Interstate All Battery Center batteries, 88.29; JW Pepper music, 1,530.12; James Valley Telecom. – phone services, 825.14; John Deere Financial - mower blade, 80.70; K. Jones – background ck fees, 43.25; G. Kjellsen – gas, 20.00; J. Kjellsen - test fee, 120.00; B. Kleinsasser - cheer services, 200.00; Laerdal Medical – supplies, 124.07; Leola School District – dues, Mathcounts Foundation – registration, 240.00; Matheson Tri-Gas – supplies, 53.39;

Total all Funds

2,870,766.05

Menards – supplies, 34.94; Mid-American Research Chemical – liners, 193.60; MJ's Sinclair gas, 68.23; Nasco – supplies,41.41; NCS Pearson – successmaker, 5,750.00; NE Administrators – dues, 85.00; North Central Special Ed Coop – assessments, 5,000.00; Northern

South Dakota NFL District dues, 125.00; Northside Implement - repairs, 6,052.94; Northwestern Energy – natural gas, 376.82; NSU Bands – entry fee, 40.00; Patios Plus – repairs, 1,122.45; Pearson Education subscription, 49.16; Prorate Ser vices - DOT testing, 65.00; QQP/ Midstates – supplies, 454.13; Really Good Stuff – supplies, 175.89; Redfield School District entry fee, 35.00; S&S Lumber – supplies, 312.44; Sannes Sewing tune-ups, 557.00; Scholasticmagazines, 1,063.71; School Datebooks - datebooks, 219.58; School Nurse Supply - supplies, 711.06; School Specialty – supplies, 2,718.32; School Specialty/ Classroom Direct – supplies, fee, 35.00; SDACTE – conf. fee, 35.00; SDHSAA – press fee, 31.00; SDSCA – workshop fees, 100.00; Sheraton Sioux lodging, 268.00; Taylor Music – supplies, 81.00; Tradebe Treatment & Recycling – chem. disposal, 10,171.59; Trend Enterprises – supplies, 180.02; M. Weber – fees, 16.00. Total General Fund – \$183,502.79.

CAPITAL OUTLAY: A&B Busi ness - equipment, 7,833.72; Agency Fund – adv pmts, 50,947.95; Cerebellum – dvd, 19.99; Chicago Distribution Center – math texts, 8,312.56; Choice Financial – laptops lease, 18,488.44; Consolidated Ready Mix – playground work, 1,672.00; Elsevier – bio texts, 1,936.21; R. Erickson – fans, 35.98; Floor to Ceiling Store – roller shades, 565.00; Groton Daily Independent – subscrip-tions, 74.56; Hauff Mid-America fb equipmt, 646.83; Houghton
 Mifflin Harcourt – elem science curriculum, 22,943.48; James Valley Telecomm. – elem Janies Valley Teleconini. – eleini phone system, 17,951.63; JCL Solutions – vacuum, 615.00; Junior Library Guild – hs lib books, 1,257.60; Lakeshore Learning - materials, 557.01; McGraw-Hill – science texts 33,157.97; Menards – cabinet, 187.00; My Turn Playsystems – flex fiber & border, 15,084.00; Optima – rail, 214.48; Really Good Stuff – resources, 412.26; Riddell – fb helmets, 1,880.95; S&S Lumber – west garage S&S Lumber – west garage materials, 10,485.90; Scholastic novels, 414.09; School Nurse Supply – equipment, 510.50; School Specialty – suppl/equip mt, 547.39; School Specialty/ Classroom Direct – equipment, 625.43; Social Studies School Service – book, 15.67; Teacher Created Resources – materials, 68.41; Trend Enterprises – materials, 87.23. Total Capital Outlay

SPECIAL EDUCATION: Net Salary – 852.45; FIT – 28.92; Medicare – 29.44; FICA – 126.00; SDRS - 114.32; A&B Business supplies, 104.74; Agency
Fund – adv pmts, 356.30; Attainment Co. – book, 30.00; Avera St. Luke's – services, 3,118.74; J. Mitchell – supplies, 21.47; North Central Special Ed Coop – assessments, 37,665.00; School Specialty – supplies, 199.66; Patron – mileage reimb. 176.40. Total Special Ed Fund -

ENTERPRISE FUNDS: Food Service – Net Salary – 2,118.46; FIT – 148.79; Medicare – 76.24; FICA – 326.04; SDRS – 322.04; AFLAC – 54.22; Wellmark BCBS – 755.00; Reliastar -- .65; AmericInn – lodging, 614.97; CWD - food/suppl, 1,570.52; Dean Foods - dairy products, 437.95; Earthgrains - bakery product, 164.00; G&K Services - linen

suppl, 1,858.02; G. Remington – lunch refund, 13.25; US Foods – 1,785.84. Total Food Serv. – \$10,386.78. OST/Dr. Ed – Net Salary – 7,263.74; FIT – 387.38; Medicare – 249.06; FICA – 1,064.86; SDBS – 559.44; Agen-1,064.86; SDRS - 559.44; Agency Fund – adv pmts, 825.51; Menards – supplies, 70.74; S&S Lumber – paint, 13.47; School Specialty – equipment, 1,284.26; Teacher's Pet – sup-plies, 51.45. Total OST/Dr. Ed - \$11,769.91. Total Enterprise Funds

inds – \$22,156.69. AGENCY FUND: Total -

RECEIPTS: Local Sources, Taxes – 3,688.26 ; Other Local Sources – 121,996.02; County Sources – 3,273.77; State Sources – 86,516.67. Total Receipts \$215,474.72

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.

Building, Grounds and Transportation committee members reported that the new school bus has arrived and it is well liked by

the bus drivers. The following topics were discussed in administrative reports: enrollment at 586, emergency management drill, Northeast Area Superintendent's Meeting, SDSBF meeting in Chamberlain, civil rights data collection, Assessment Results reporting, Negotiation issues, Science Curriculum on-site training, 3-year old screening, acknowledgement of volunteers who helped with the new elementary playground installation, OST selling GT apparel, DIBELS assessment online, homecoming activities, Gabe Kramer is a semi-finalist in the National Merit Scholarship, Homecoming theme is "Disney eleven students enrolled in dual credit courses, thirteen seniors registered in the Internship Program and budget issues.

Superintendent Schwan presented options for proceeding with building improvements and negotiating a future service agreement with Foster, Jacobs and Johnson.

After lengthy discussion it was moved by Harder to approve the following

RESOLUTION TO FUND COST OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL RE-MODELING

BE IT RESOLVED that the School Board of Groton Area School District 06-0, State of South Dakota, intends to proceed with the following scope of work described as Elementary Scenario C at the Public Feed back Meetings held throughout July, 2016. The Board will comply with procurement standards per SD Statute for project imple-

mentation upon project funding. The Board intends to proceed forward with the following scope of work described as Elementary Scenario C in an amount estimated to be \$7,027,070 using capital outlay certificates for the betterment of school facilities.

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Weismantel and, upon vote being taken thereon, the following voted in favor thereof: Fjelstad, Gengerke, Harder, Kjelden, Rix, Smith and Weismantel, and the following voted against the same: none.

Whereupon said resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.

The board acknowledged first reading of recommended policy changes to BBE - Unexpired Term Fulfillment; BD - School Board Meetings; GBAA - Vet-eran's Preference; JEAA - Students Alternative Instruction; JEC - School admissions: JECAA Admission of New Residents and Students from Unaccredited Schools; and JHCA - Physical serv, 140.79; Reinhart – food/ Examinations and Inoculations

of Students/Inoculations of Students as well as new policies BDA Electronic Communication by

Board Members; ILB - State Required Assessments and JECAC - Transfer from an Accredited School.

Smith appointed Weismantel as voting delegate to the ASBSD Delegate Assembly to be held on November 18 in Pierre.

Moved by Kjelden, second Rix to approve resignation of Linda McInerny as school bus route driver. Motion carried.

Moved by Harder, second Gengerke to approve resignation of Tammy Weiszhaar as cheerleader advisor. Motion carried.

Moved by Rix, second Fjelstad to apprové addendum to the planned service agreement with Johnson Controls for reduced services for a cost of \$13,300 for 2016-17 and \$13,699 for 2017-18. Motion carried.

Moved by Weismantel, second Kielden to amend elementary work agreement assignments with no change in total pay for Amanda Bisbee, Ryan Dix, Joni Groeblinghoff, Jill Krueger, Gail Kyar, Darcey Lesher, Deb Tollifson, Kim Weber and Kandi Weismantel Motion carried.

Moved by Rix, second Gengerke to amend elementary work agreement assignments with change in total pay for Teri Foertsch from \$14,437.50 to \$13,475.00, for Kami Lipp from \$15,916.25 to \$14,715.31 and for Alexa Schuring from \$17,062.50 to \$15,925.00. Motion carried.

Moved by Harder, second Rix to amend MS/HS work agreement assignments with no change in total pay for Bill Duncan, Jan Hoffman, Lois Krueger, Jaimie Mitchell and Mol-

ly Ringgenberg. Motion carried. Moved by Fjeldstad, second Gengerke to amend Preschool and Jr. Kindergarten Driver work agreement assignments with change in total pay for Lena Cox from \$4,812.50 to \$5,250.00 and Randy Hjermstad from \$4,375.00 to \$2,187.50. Motion carried

Moved by Weismantel, second Gengerke to stop contract pay for Dorothy Reder as of August 10th for extended absence due to spousal health reasons and expiration of current leave benefits. If Mrs. Reder returns she will clock in her time and be paid on a monthly basis for the remainder of the school term. Motion carried.

Moved by Gengerke, second Weismantel to amend contract of Mary Johnson from BS+15 to BS+30 with salary increase of \$750, Kayla Krause from MS to MS+15 with salary increase of \$750, Brooke Lingbeck from BS to BS+15 with salary increase of \$750 and Ashley Seeklander from MS to MS+15 with salary increase of \$750. Motion carried.

The board acknowledged Public School Exemption #17-02 for children in grades 3 and 1. Motion carried.

The board acknowledged Public School Exemption #17-03 for children in grades 6, 5, 3, 2 and 1. Motion carried.

The board acknowledged Public School Exemption #17-04 for a student in grade 12. Motion carried.

The board acknowledged Public School Exemption #17-05 for a child in kindergarten. Motion

carried. The board acknowledged Public School Exemption #17-06 for children in grades 7, 5, 3, and 1.

Motion carried. Moved by Kjelden, second Gengerke to go into executive session at 8:40 pm pursuant to SDCL 1-25-2(2) for a student

issue. Motion carried. President Smith declared the board out of executive session at 8:54 pm.

Moved by Kjelden, second

Weismantel to approve open enrollment application #17-17 for a child in kindergarten from the Aberdeen School District. Motion carried.

Moved by Kjelden, second Weismantel to approve open enrollment application #17-18 for a child in kindergarten from the Northwestern Area School District. Motion carried.

Moved by Kjelden, second Weismantel to approve open enrollment application #17-19 for a student in grade 12 from the Britton-Hecla School District. Motion carried.

Moved by Kjelden, second Weismantel to approve open enrollment application #17-20 for a child in kindergarten from the Langford Area School District. Motion carried.

Moved by Kjelden, second Weismantel to approve open enrollment application #17-21 for a child in kindergarten from the Aberdeen School District. Motion carried.

Moved by Kjelden, second Weismantel to approve open enrollment application #17-22 for a child in grade 7 from the Doland School District. Motion carried.

Moved by Harder, second Rix to move the date of the Monday, September 26 board meeting to Tuesday, September 27 at 7:00 pm due to homecoming coronation. Motion carried

Moved by Weismantel, second Kjelden to adjourn. Motion carried.

M. J. Weber, Business Manager Steven R. Smith, President The addition of signatures to

this page verifies these minutes as official

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Brown County Solid Waste Assessment

SOLID WASTE SPECIAL AS-SESSMENT EQUALIZATION NO-TICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that effective January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2017, pursuant to Resolution adopted by the Brown County Commission at their regular meeting on August 30, 2016, the following solid waste special assessment fee schedule shall be applied:

SOLID WASTE SPECIAL AS-SESSMENT FEE SCHEDULE (Assessment plus applicable

sales tax billed with the Real Estate Tax Notice) 1. Households within Incor-

porated Cities or Civil Townships that require curb service @ \$21.00 per year 2. Households within Incor-

porated Cities or Civil Townships that do not require curb service @ \$77.00 per year3. Condominiums and Du-

plexes taxed as single units within Incorporated Cities or Civil Townships that require curb service @ \$21.00 per year

4. Condominiums and Duplexes taxed as single units within Incorporated Cities or Civil Townships that do not require curb service @ \$77.00 per year

5. Apartment Units and Assisted Living Units within in-corporated Cities that require curb service @ \$13.00 per unit

per year 6. Seasonal Lake Cabins @

\$34.00 per year
7. Mobile Home parks, out-

side incorporated municipalities, which provide or require lot side waste pickup during the entire assessment period, for deposit into a permitted landfill solid waste facility @ \$21.00 per unit

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8. Mobile Home parks, outside incorporated municipalities, which do not provide or require lot side waste pickup during the entire assessment period, for deposit into a permitted landfill solid waste facility \$77.00 per

unit per year NÖTIĆE IS FURTHER HEREBY GIVEN that any person, firm partnership or corporation affected by such fee may appear before the Brown County Commission sitting in Equalization between October 15, 2016 and November 1, 2016. Persons desiring to appear shall make an appointment with the Brown County Auditor's Office in advance by calling 626-7110.

ATTEST: Maxine Fischer, **Brown County Auditor** (0914.0921)

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Brown County Joint Meeting With Frederick

NOTICE OF JOINT HEARING OF THE FREDRICK CITY COUN-CIL AND THE BROWN COUNTY COMMISSION REGARDING PETITION TO REZONE CERTAIN **PROPERTY**

A public hearing will be held by the Frederick City Council and the Brown County Commission on the 27th day of September 2016, beginning at 8:45 a.m. in the County Commission Chambers, 25 Market Street, to consider the Petition filed by Taylor Sumption, to amend Title 4. Second Revision Brown County Ordinances to rezone the following described property from its present zoning designation of Chapter 4.06 (M-AG) Mini-Agricultural District to Chapter 4.14 (HC) Highway Commercial District, said property described as follows:

Lots 3 and 4 Schlosser-Sumption Addition in the W 1/2 NW 1/4 of Sec 11-T127N-R64W of the 5th P.M., Brown County, SD (38604 Brown County #10A and 38609 107th Street, Frederick)

The public is invited to attend the hearing and to present testimony and comments pertaining to the petition to amend Title 4, Second Revision Brown County Ordinances to rezone the above described property. At the conclusion of the hearing, each Board may adopt first reading of Ord #104/199 granting the petition to amend Title 4 Second Revision Brown County Ordinances and granting the petition to rezone said property. Dated this 6th day of September 2016.

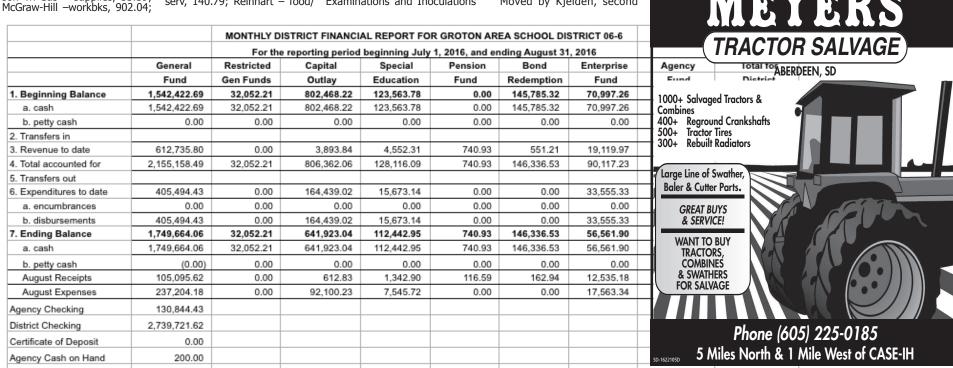
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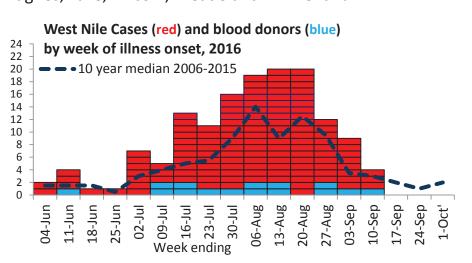
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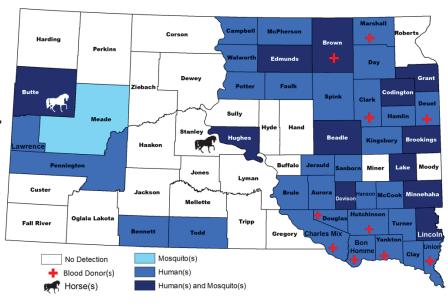
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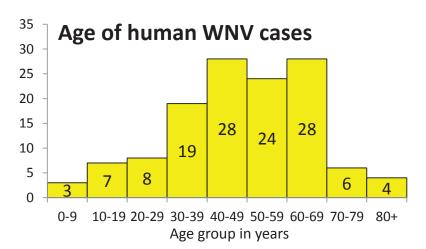


West Nile update: South Dakota, 21 September 2016

- ■127 human cases of West Nile virus disease have been reported to the SD Department of Health.
- •Illness: 18% neuroinvasive disease, 82% WNV fever, 31% hospitalized.
- ■Deaths: 2.
- ■Viremic blood donors: 15.
- Counties with human WNV cases: Aurora 3, Beadle 7, Bennett, Bon Homme 2, Brookings 6, Brown 15, Brule, Butte 2, Campbell, Charles Mix 8, Clark 4, Clay, Codington 3, Davison 2, Day 2, Deuel, Douglas 3, Edmunds, Faulk, Grant, Hamlin 3, Hanson 2, Hughes, Hutchinson 5, Jerauld 2, Kingsbury 2, Lake 3, Lawrence 7, Lincoln 5, Marshall 3, McCook 2, McPherson, Minnehaha 10, Pennington 2, Potter, Sanborn, Spink 7, Todd, Turner 2, Union, Walworth, Yankton 2.
- Counties with viremic blood donors: Bon Homme 2, Brown 2, Charles Mix, Clark, Deuel, Douglas, Marshall, Minnehaha, Spink Union, Yankton 3.
- Counties with WNV positive horses: Stanley, Butte.
- Counties with WNV positive mosquito detections: Beadle, Brookings, Brown, Butte, Codington, Davison, Edmunds, Grant, Hughes, Lake, Lincoln, Meade and Minnehaha.







SD Department of Health phone 800-592-1861
SD Department of Health: http://westnile.sd.gov
SDSU WNV risk assessment: http://mosquito.sdstate.edu
CDC West Nile: www.cdc.gov/westnile

Netters drop second match of season to Warner

Groton Area's volleyball team lost to a tough Warner Monarch team Tuesday night Groton, in three games, 25-14, 25-21 and 25-11. The match was Livestreamed at GDILIVE.COM, sponsored by James Valley Seed with Doug Jorgensen, Harry Implement of Ferney, Leading Edge Industries with Shawn Gengerke and Blocker Construction.

Groton Area was 51 of 55 in serves with four ace serves. Payton Maine was 13 of 13 with two ace serves, Miranda Hanson was five of six with one ace serve and Gia Gengerke was two of four with one ace serve. Warner was 67 of 73 with five ace serves. Sydney Leidholdt was 21 of 23 with two ace serves and Makala Hauge was nine of nine with one ace serve.

The Tigers were 85 of 97 in attacks with 18 kills, Jessica Bjerke was 17 of 18 with five killsy, Audrey Wanner was 26 of 30 with four kills and Taylor Holm was nine of 11 with four kills. Warner was 102 of 117 with 47 kills. Lauria Rogers was 21 of 24 with 12 kills, Makala Hauge was 29 of 31 with 12 kills ans Ashley Fischbach was 20 of 23 with 13 kills.

Groton Area was 75 of 77 in sets with 15 assists. Katie Koehler was 67 of 69 with 12 assists and Paityn Bonn was eight of eight with two assists. Warner was 121 of 122 with 45 assists. Morgan Rozell was 104 of 104 with 43 assists.

Audrey Wanner had 15 of the team's 47 digs with Paityn Bonn and Payton Maine each having nine. Warner had 63 digs with Alexis Boesl having 27, Sydney Leidholt 11 and Laura Ochsner nine.

Taylor Holm had all five of Groton's blocks. Morgan Rozell had one solo block for Warner.

Groton, now 6-2 on the season, will travel to Sisseton on Thursday. Warner, now 13-2, will travel to Mellete on Thursday to take on the Northwestern Wildcats.

Groton hosts Class B Events

Just a reminder.....Groton Area is hosting two events this year for Region 1B. Groton Area is NOT a part of Region 1B....we are class A (Region 1A).

Tuesday, Nov. 8th, 2016.....Region 1B V-ball Championship (7pm)

Thursday, May 18th, 2017.....Region 1B Track Meet (9am?)



Netters beat Hamlin

The Groton Area volleyball team traveled to Hayti Thursday night and came home with a 3-0 win over the Hamlin Chargers. Game scores were 25-11, 25-20 and 25-15. Groton also won the junior varsity match, 25-14 and 25-20, and the C match, 25-12 and 25-23.

Groton Area was 40 of 43 in serves with seven ace serves. Katie Koehler was 25 of 25 with four ace serves.

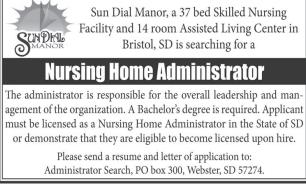
In sets, Groton Area was 97 of 97 with 27 assists. Katie Koehler was 91 of 91 with 26 assists and Paityn Bonn was six of six with one assist.

Groton Area was 102 of 119 in spikes with 36 kills. Gia Gengerke was 31 of 35 with 11 kills and Audrey Wanner was 25 of 31 with nine kills.

Gia Gengker had three blocks and Taylor Holm had one. Audrey Wanner had 16 digs and Paityn Bonn had 15.











Cool shot of rainbow with harvest in action!! Gengerkes field north of Groton. (Photo by April Abeln)



GROTON SENIOR CITIZENS AT BROWN COUNTY RSVP RECOGNITION EVENT IN ABERDEEN, SEPTEMBER 15. Kneeling, I-r- Wally Fischer and Lee Schinkel. Front row, Pat Larson. Back row, L-r, Eunice McCollister, Darlene Fischer. DeLoris Knoll, Ella Johnson, Beulah Hoops, Ruth and Bob Pray, and Grace Albrecht. Ella Johnson is Groton's president. Beulah and Ella were honored for 10 years of volunteer service, and Eunice, for 5 years.

Watch the Groton Area/Aberdeen Roncalli Football Game live at

Worrel Pumpkin Patch



Hours are **Saturdays and Sundays** 10am-4pm thru Oct. 23rd. **Group appointments call** 605-377-8133 **Address is 13606 429th** Ave - Webster, SD 22 Miles East of Groton

We have a large variety of Pumpkins (white, orange, blue, green) **Gourds, Straw Bales and Melons.** Check us out on Facebook at worrelpumpkinpatch



Pictured is Hazel McKittrick, a member of Groton senior citizens; with one of the two large flower pots she donated to the community center.





50th Anniversary

Lyle and Dorothy ("Dodie") Reder of Groton will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on October 1st. Greetings may be sent to them at 13206 409th Ave., Groton, SD 57445.



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH GROTON

JUNGLE DAY BAZAAR

Friday, September 30th



Food- Candy-Crafts- White Elephant Sale



2016 Brown County Fair 4-H Results

Achen, Kalyce: Market Swine - Purple (2). Achen, Stephen: Market Swine - Purple.

Allison, Abigail: Wood Science - Purple (2), Market Beef - Blue, Prospect Calf Cow - Blue, Market Sheep - Blue, Visual Arts - Purple (5), Blue; Foods & Nutrition - Blue; Home Environment - Purple (2); Photography - Blue.

Allison, Adalyn: Purple (2), Blue; Home Environment - Purple (2), Blue; Market Sheep -Blue, Red; Prospect Calf Show - Red; Market Beef - Blue; Photography - Blue.

Allison, Aleigha: Prospect Cow - Blue; Market Sheep - Blue (2); Home Environment - Purple; Photography - Blue (2), Red; Foods & Nutrition: Purple, Blue (2); Visual Arts - Purple (2),

Althoff, Bradin: Entomology & Bees - Purple; Wood Science - Purple.

Anderson, Kaitlyn: Clothing & Textiles -Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (2); Photography - Blue (2); Home Environment - Purple (3).

Anderson, Kennedy: Home Environment -Purple (2); Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Foods raphy - Blue; Home Environment - Purple (2); & Nutrition - Purple (2), Blue.

Artz, Andrew: Foods & Nutrition - Purple (2); Hobbies & Collections - Blue, Purple; Foods Home Environment - Purple (4); Horticulture, Preservation - Purple (2), Blue; Rabbit - Purple (5), Blue (2), Red; Market Beef - Blue (2).

Artz, Cole: Rabbit - Purple (3), Blue (3); Wood Science - Purple; Hobbies & Collections - Blue; Visual Arts - Purple.

Atwood, Audrey: Visual Arts - Purple (2), Blue; Rabbit - Purple; Poultry - Purple (5); Rabbit Showmanship - Beginner Champion, Purple.

Bailly, Kayla: Home Environment - Purple. Blue (3); Visual Arts - Purple (3).

Bakeberg, Drew: Poultry - Purple (2); Market Goat - Blue.

Barstad, Brianne: Visual Arts - Purple (4), Blue (3).

Barstad, Brookelyn: Visual Arts - Purple (9); Clothing & Textiles - Blue.

Barstad, Lauryn: Home Environment - Purple, Blue; Visual Arts - Purple (3), Blue (2)

Beckler, Katelyn: Horticulture, Gardening Fisheries - Purple. & Landscaping - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple; Market Beef - Purple.

Bierman, McKenzie: Market Beef - Blue.

Binfet, Landon: Wood Science - Purple; Horticulture, Gardening & Landscaping - Purple; Home Environment - Purple; Photography -Blue; Visual Arts - Purple.

Binfet, Megan: Visual Arts - Blue; Foods & Nutrition - Blue; Photography - Purple; Home Environment - Purple.

Boe, Braden: Visual Arts - Purple; Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple; Automotive, Small & Tractor Engines - Purple.

Bonn, Hailey: Visual Arts - Purple (4); Foods (2). & Nutrition - Purple; Clothing & Textiles -Purple: Hobbies & Collections - Purple, Blue: Home Environment - Purple (2), Blue.

Bonn, Torrie: Home Environment - Purple (2), Blue; Hobbies & Collections - Blue; Foods & Nutrition - Blue; Food Preservation - Purple; Clothing & Textiles - Purple (2); Visual Arts -Purple (3).

Bossly, Brooklyn: Visual Arts - Purple (4), & Nutrition - Purple, Blue (2).

Music/Dance - Purple.

Bowser, Zachary: Music/Dance - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (2); Aerospace & Rocketry Meat Goat Showmanship - Junior Champion - Purple (2).

Braun, Chase: Home Environment - Purple. Bretsch, Claire: Photography - Purple, Blue; Visual Arts - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Purple. (Health) - Blue; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Photography - Purple, Blue (2); Poultry - Blue Meat Goat - Reserve Champion Breeding Meat (2).

Browning, Mikayla: Poultry - Purple; Breeding Meat Goat - Blue; Poultry - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (2).

Carpenter, Matthew: Foods & Nutrition -Blue; Horticulture, Gardening & Landscaping - Purple; Food Preservation - Blue; Visual Arts - Purple; Home Environment - Blue.

Clark, Emily: Hobbies & Collections - Purple; Fitness & Sports - Purple; Music/Dance - Purple; Robotics - Purple.

Clark, Ethan: Music/Dance - Purple; Robotics - Purple.

Cox, Zoe: Home Environment - Purple; Visual Arts - Blue.

Craig, Braiden: Market Beef - Purple (2). Craig, Jace: Market Beef - Purple.

Craig, Craig: Market Sheep - Purple, Blue. Crawford, Austin: Prospect Calf Show - Red; Visual Arts - Blue.

Crawford, Carly: Visual Arts - Blue; Prospect Calf Show - Red.

Crawford, Clay: Visual Arts - Purple.

Crawford, Garrett: Home Environment -

Crawford, Kaitlyn: Visual Arts - Blue; Photog-Rabbit - Purple, Red; Wood Science - Purple.

Crawford, Maddy: Wood Science - Purple; Gardening & Landscaping - Blue, Purple; Photography - Red (2); Rabbit - Red; Foods & Nutrition - Blue; Visual Arts - Purple; Blue (3).

Crouch, Ashley: Foods & Nutrition - Purple; Food Preservation - Blue; First Aid (Health) - Blue; Photography - Purple; Visual Arts -Purple.

Crouch, Christine: Visual Arts - Purple; Photography - Blue; Food Preservation - Blue; First Aid (Health) - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Blue.

Davis, Alicia: Foods & Nutrition - Purple, Blue; Hobbies & Collections - Purple; Food Preservation - Blue; Clothing & Textiles Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (2), Blue (3); Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple (2), Blue; Horticulture, Gardening & Landscaping - Purple (10), Blue (6), Red (3); Home Environment -Purple; Welding Science - Purple; Wildlife &

Dennert, George: Market Beef - Champion Market Beef, Purple.

Dinger, Taylor: Welding Science - Purple; Wood Science - Purple; Home Environment -Blue; Electricity - Purple.

Donley, Emma: Child Development & Family Life - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (5); Blue (3); Photography - Purple (6), Blue (2).

Dreyer, Carter: Photography - Purple (2), Blue; Visual Arts - Purple; Clothing & Textiles - Purple: Foods & Nutrition - Purple.

Dykeman, Regan: Visual Arts - Purple (2); Market Sheep - Blue (2); Market Goat - Blue

Dykeman, Rylan: Market Goat - Purple, Blue; Market Sheep - Blue (2); Visual Arts - Purple (2).

Ellingson, Logan: Visual Arts - Purple; Home Environment - Purple; Breeding Beef - Purple

Erdmann, Jarrett: Breeding Meat Goat - Blue: Blue; Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple; Foods Photography - Blue; First Aid (Health) - Blue; Visual Arts - Purple (2); Aerospace & Rocketry Bowser, Emma: Aerospace & Rocketry - - Purple (2), Blue; Market Goat - Purple, Blue; Purple, Blue; Visual Arts - Purple (2), Blue; Welding Science - Blue; Rabbit - Blue; Poultry & Eggs - Purple.

Erdmann, Tessa: Poultry & Eggs - Purple; Showman, Purple; Welding Science - Purple; Wood Science - Purple (3), Blue; Market Goat - Purple (2); Visual Arts - Purple (4); First Aid Browning, Dillon: First Aid (Health) - Purple; Photography - Purple (3), Blue (4); Breeding Goat, Purple (3); Blue; Dairy Cattle - Purple.

Feickert, Ezra: Photography - Purple; Market Beef - Purple.

Feickert, Sophia: Foods & Nutrition - Purple. Fischbach, Ashley: Home Environment -Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (3).

Fischbach, Keeley: Visual Arts - Purple (3); Home Environment - Purple.

Fites, Maggie: Visual Arts - Purple; Photography - Blue.

Fites, Mary: Visual Arts - Purple (2); Foods & Nutrition - Blue; Clothing & Textiles - Blue. Fliehs, Faith: Foods & Nutrition - Purple, Blue; Home Environment - Purple; Cat -Purple (2); Breeding Beef - Purple; Breeding Sheep - Purple, Blue; Poultry - Purple, Blue; Cat Showmanship - Purple; Welding Science -Purple; Prospect Calf Show, Purple (2); Market Swine - Grand Champion Purebred Female, Reserve Champion Purebred Male, Purple (7); Rally - Blue; Obedience - Purple; Showmanship - Purple.

Fliehs, Kamryn: Hobbies & Collections - Blue. Fliehs, Karsten: Hobbies & Collections -Purple (2); Dairy Cattle - Purple.

Forsting, MiKayla: Home Environment -Purple (3); Foods & Nutrition - Purple, Blue (2); Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Market Swine - Reserve Champion Purebed Male, Reserve Champion Commercial Male, Purple (3).

Frericks, Caiden: Visual Arts - Purple.

Frey, Colin: Aerospace & Rocketry - Red; Horticulture, Gardening & Landscaping -Purple (5); Blue (2); Dairy Cattle - Purple (3); Visual Arts - Blue.

Frey, Dylan: Dairy Cattle Showmanship - Senior Reserve Championship Showman, Purple; Dairy Cattle - Reserve Champion Dairy Cow, Purple (2); Horticulture, Gardening & Landscaping - Purple (5), Blue (2), Red; Foods & Nutrition - Blue.

Friedt, Isabelle: Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Home Environment - Purple; Photography Blue; Market Beef - Purple; Prospect Calf Show Champion Weanling Calf - Heifer, Purple; Market Sheep - Purple.

Frink, Aspyn: Photography - Blue (3); Home Environment - Blue; Clothing & Textiles -Purple; Visual Arts - Purple, Blue.

Frink, Dawson: Visual Arts - Purple (2); Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Home Environment -Purple; Photography - Purple, Blue (4).

Gibson, Katrina: Poultry - Blue; Foods & Nutrition - Purple, Blue; Home Environment Purple (2); Hobbies & Collections - Purple; Visual Arts - Blue; Wood Science - Purple.

Glynn, Delanie: Home Environment - Purple. Glynn, Olivia: Home Environment - Blue. Goldade, Brianna: Visual Arts - Purple (6);

Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple. Goldade, Ryan: Aerospace & Rocketry -

Purple (2); Visual Arts - Purple.

Goldade, Tyler: Visual Arts - Purple (2), Blue. Gustafson, Alexis: Breeding Meat Goat -Purple, Red; Market Goat - Blue.

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Hanson, Hailey: Breeding Beef - Purple (2). Hanson, Kari: Music/Dance - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Hobbies & Collections - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Blue.

Hanson, Layne: Prospect Calf Show - Reserve Champion Purebred Female, Reserve Champion Weanling Calf - Steer, Purple (2).

Hanten, Alexis: Visual Arts - Purple (2); Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Home Environment - Purple (3).

Hanten, Caleb: Home Environment - Purple (4); Visual Arts - Purple, Blue; Foods & Nutrition - Purple.

Hartwell, Ashlinn: Breeding Beef - Champion Breeding Beef, Purple.

Haskell, Raley: Poultry - Purple (2). Haskell, River: Poultry - Purple (2), Blue.

Hassebroek, Chance: Rabbit - Purple (4), Blue, Red; Breeding Sheep - Purple (2), Blue (2).

Hassebroek, McKenzie: Poultry - Purple (11), Blue (5); Home Environment - Purple (4); Breeding Sheep - Red (3); Visual Arts: Purple (2), Blue (3); Clothing & Textiles - Blue; Foods & Nutrition - Purple, Blue, Red.

Hassebroek, Trintitee: Poultry - Purple (11), Blue; Rabbit - Best of Breed (2), Purple (3), Blue (2), Red (3); Breeding Sheep - Blue (2).

Hassebroek, Tyson: Poultry - Purple (7), Blue (2); Breeding Sheep - Red (2); Home Environment - Purple (3), Blue; Foods & Nutrition -Purple (4), Blue (2); Visual Arts - Purple.

Hettich, Brooklyn: Visual Arts - Purple (3), Blue (4); Bicycle - Purple; Clothing & Textiles -Purple; Home Environment - Purple (3), Blue; Photography - Blue (3); Hobbies & Collections

Heupel, Spencer: Photography - Purple; Hobbies & Collections - Purple (2); Visual Arts - Purple.

Heupel, Zachary: Photography - Purple, Blue (2); Visual Arts - Purple, Blue.

Huber, Breanna: Prospect Calf Show - Blue; Home Environment - Purple (2), Blue; Poultry - Purple (2); Rabbit - Purple, Blue; Visual Arts - Purple.

Huber, Miranda: Visual Arts - Purple; First Sheep - Blue. Aid (Health) - Purple; Rabbit - Purple; Poultry -Blue (3); Breeding Sheep - Purple, Blue; Home Environment - Blue; Prospect Calf Show - Blue (2); Wood Science - Purple (3).

Hughes, Jeran: Hobbies & Collections -Purple.

Hughes, Jillian: Hobbies & Collections - Purple; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Home Environment - Purple (2); Horticulture, Gardening & Landscaping - Red; Photography - Purple.

Hunnel, Kameron: Visual Arts - Purple (5), Blue (4). Hunnel, Kierra: Visual Arts - Purple (4), Blue

Handel, Kya: Visual Arts - Purple (2), Blue (2); Agility - Purple; Rally - Red; Obedience -

Red; Showmanship - Purple.

Jandel, Rease: Showmanship - Purple; Obedience - Purple; Rally - Red; Agility - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple, Blue.

Jandel, Shea: Visual Arts - Purple; Agility - White; Rally - Red; Obedience - Blue; Showmanship - Purple.

Johnson, Anna: Wood Science - Purple; Meat Goat Showmanship - Beginner Champion Showman, Purple; Dairy Cattle Showmanship -Beginner Reserve Champion Showman, Purple; Market Goat - Purple; Dairy Cattle - Purple (2); Music/Dance - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (2); Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Purple, Blue.

Johnson, Brenna: Prospect Calf Show -Purple (2).

Johnson, Peyton: Wood Science - Purple; Food Preservation - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple; Music/Dance - Purple; Home Environment - Purple; Photography - Blue.

Johnson, Porter: Prospect Calf Show - Purple, Blue.

Jones, Delayne: Prospect Calf Show - Purple, Red; Market Swine - Purple (2).

Jones, Jayla: Market Swine - Purple (2); Prospect Calf Show - Reserve Champion Bucket Hobbies & Collections - Blue. Calf - Steer, Purple, Blue.

Jones, MaKayla: Market Swine - Grand Champion Commercial Female, Purple (2).

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Kaan, Abbilyn: Visual Arts - Purple (6); Shooting Sports - Blue.

Kern, Hunter: Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple; Photography - Blue (2), Red; Dairy Goat - Reserve Champion Dairy Goat, Purple (2); Wood Science - Purple, Blue.

Kessler, Savannah: Market Swine - Purple (2); Visual Arts - Purple.

Kessler, Sienna: Visual Arts - Purple (2); Home Environment - Blue; Market Swine -Purple (3).

Kessler, Sierra: Market Swine - Grand Champion Commercial Male, Overall Champion & Nutrition - Purple, Blue; Clothing & Textiles Market Hog, Purple (3).

Kessler, Whyatt: Market Swine - Grand Arts - Purple; Home Environment - Blue (2). Champion Purebred Male, Reserve Champion Overall Market Hog, Purple (4); Visual Arts -Blue; Hobbies & Collections - Purple.

Kettering, Portia: Visual Arts - Purple (3); Clothing & Textiles - Purple.

Kippley, Noah: Shooting Sports - Blue; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Home Environment - Purple; Photography - Blue (2); Breeding Beef - Blue.

Kleinknecht, Kody: Breeding Beef - Blue; Photography - Blue; Visual Arts - Blue.

Krueger, Dylan: Rally - Blue; Agility - Purple; Obedience - Red; Showmanship - Purple.

Krueger, Lane: Prospect Calf Show - Purple; Breeding Beef - Purple (2).

Kucker, Braden: Visual Arts - Purple. Kucker, Payton: Visual Arts - Purple.

LaMee, Josie: Meat Goat Showmanship - Senior Reserve Champion Showman, Purple; Market Goat - Purple (3); Market Swine - Purple (4); Home Environment - Purple; Photography - Red.

Larson, Ricky: Breeding Sheep - Red; Market

Lehr, Kayla: Home Environment - Blue; Visual Arts - Purple; Clothing & Textiles - Purple. Lehr, Kody: Electricity - Blue; Health/Safety Purple; Bicycle - Purple.

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Malsam, Emily: Home Environment - Purple (2); Poultry - Purple (2); Rabbit - Purple; Photography - Purple, Blue; Rally - Purple; Obedience - Red; Showmanship - Blue.

Malsam, Grace: Obedience - Purple; Showmanship - Purple; Rabbit Showmanship - Champion Junior Showman, Purple; Photography - Purple, Blue; Rabbit - Purple; Poultry - Purple (3); Agility - Purple; Home Environment - Purple (2), Blue (2); Visual Arts Purple, Blue (3); Foods & Nutrition - Blue; Clothing & Textiles - Purple.

Malsam, Megan: Foods & Nutrition - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (5); Home Environment -Purple, Blue; Agility - White; Poultry - Purple (3), Blue; Photography - Purple (2), Blue; Rabbit - Best of Breed, Purple (3), Blue, Red; Rally - Purple; Obedience - Purple; Showmanship - Purple.

Marzahn, Andrew: Wildlife & Fisheries - Purple; Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple; Visual Arts Purple (2); Hobbies & Collections - Purple. Marzahn, Landon: Visual Arts - Purple.

Marzhan, Nicole: Visual Arts - Purple; Clothing & Textiles - Purple (2); Photography -Purple (2).

Dairy Cow, Purple (3); Electricity - Purple; Food Preservation - Purple; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (3); Foods & Nutrition - Purple (2), Blue; Wood Science - Purple.

Menning, Madysn: Foods & Nutrition - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (2); Home Environment - Purple (2).

Miller, Hanna: Breeding Beef - Purple; Breeding Sheep - Blue (2); Photography - Blue (2); Horse & Pony - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (2);

Miller, Mallory: Visual Arts - Blue (2); Photography - Blue (3); Breeding Sheep - Purple, Blue; Breeding Beef - Purple.

Miller, Tucker: Breeding Sheep - Blue (2); Market Goat - Purple, Blue.

Mitzel, Cole: Dairy Goat - Purple (2); Visual Arts (Purple (3).

Mitzel, Gianna: Visual Arts - Purple; Dairy Goat - Purple. Mitzel, Jonathan: Dairy Goat - Purple (2);

Visual Arts - Purple (3).

Mitzel, Matthew: Visual Arts - Purple (2); Dairy Goat - Purple (2). Moen, Carter: Home Environment - Blue;

Rocketry - Blue; Clothing & Textiles - Purple. Moen, Norah: Wood Science - Purple; Foods Blue; Aerospace & Rocketry - Blue; Visual

Monson, Hailey: Home Environment - Purple; Breed Beef - Purple (2); Visual Arts - Purple (2); Clothing & Textiles - Purple; First Aid (Health) - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Purple; Wood Science - Purple; Prospect Calf Show -Purple.

Monson, Hannah: Prospect Calf Show -Champion Bucket Calf - Heifer, Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Red; Visual Arts - Purple, Blue; Breeding Beef - Purple; Home Environment -Purple (3); Photography - Purple.

Muldoon, Brendan: Visual Arts - Purple.

Muldoon, Colin: Market Beef - Blue; Market Sheep - Purple, Blue (2); Welding Science -Purple (2); Wood Science - Purple.

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Ochsner, Laura: Home Environment - Purple (4), Blue; Visual Arts - Purple.

Olson, Jacob: Photography - Purple, Blue; Breeding Beef - Blue; Clothing & Textiles -Purple; Visual Arts - Blue.

Olson, Michaela: Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Breeding Beef - Blue; Photography - Blue (2).

Olson, Patrick: Photography - Purple, Blue; Breeding Beef - Blue; Clothing & Textiles -Purple; Visual Arts - Purple; Prospect Calf Show - Purple.

Olson, Samantha - Visual Arts - Blue; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Blue; Breeding Beef - Purple, Blue; Photography - Purple, Blue.

Opland, Alexis: Clothing & Textiles, Purple; Visual Arts - Blue.

Opland, Kelby: Visual Arts - Purple; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Home Environment - Purple.

Osterman, Lexi: Home Environment - Purple (2); Breeding Beef - Purple; Dairy Goat - Purple (2); Poultry - Purple (2); Food Preservation - Purple (2); Foods & Nutrition - Purple (2), Blue; Food Preservation - Blue; Hobbies & Collections - Purple (2); Prospect Calf Show Purple (2); Welding Science - Purple (2); Market Swine - Purple (4).

Pauli, Blake: Market Beef - Purple; Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple; Breeding Beef - Purple. Pearson, Logan: Breeding Beef - Purple; Market Swine - Purple.

Podoll, Brooklyn: Market Sheep - Purple (2); Visual Arts - Purple; Home Environment -Purple; Food Preservation - Purple.

Podoll, Danielle: Food Preservation - Purple; Citzenship - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (3); Photogrpahy - Purple (5).

Podoll, Jack: Photography - Purple; Visual Mattson, Gabriel: Dairy Cattle - Champion Arts - Purple (2); Food Preservation - Purple. Podoll, Jessica: Market Beef - Purple.

> Podoll, Max: Food Preservation - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple; Aerospace & Rocketry -Blue; Photography - Purple.

> Podoll, Michaela: Market Sheep - Purple (3). Pullman, Chandler: Photography - Blue (4), Red (3); Home Environment - Purple, Blue; Horticulture, Gardening & Landscaping - Blue; Visual Arts - Purple (2), Blue; Food Preservation - Purple (2); Foods & Nutrition - Purple, Blue (4), Red (2).

Pullman, Jessica: Foods & Nutrition - Purple (4), Blue (2); Hobbies & Collections - Purple; Food Preservation - Purple (2); Visual Arts -Purple (3); Home Environment - Purple, Blue; Horticulture, Gradening & Landscaping - Purple; Photography - Blue (4), Red (3).

Raap, Sadie: Music/Dance - Purple; Home Environment - Purple; Foods & Nutrition -Blue; Wood Science - Purple.

Raap, Samson: Wood Science - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Purple; Music/Dance - Purple; Home Environment - Purple.

Raap, Sydney: Home Environment - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (3), Blue (2); Aerospace & Visual Arts - Purple; Wood Science - Purple.

Rathert, Becca: Market Sheep - red; Prospect Calf Show - Blue; Visual Arts - Purple (5), Blue; Photography - Purple (3), Blue (2).

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(2); Visual Arts - Purple (2); Prospect Calf serve Champion Dairy Goat, Purple (5); Agil-Show - Blue; Market Sheep - Red (2); Wood ity - Purple. Science - Purple (2).

Ringgenberg, Kaitlyn: Photography - Purple Goat - Purple (2). (2); Market Beef - Purple; Breeding Beef -Purple.

Ringgenberg, Logan: Breeding Beef - Purple; Aerospace & Rocketry - Blue; Visual Arts -Purple; market Beef - Purple.

Robinson, Hunter: Visual Arts - Purple; Citi-

Rozell, Emma: Photography - Blue (2); Visual Arts - Purple (5), Blue; Foods & Nutrition - Purple; Rally - Blue; Obedience - Blue; Showmanship - Purple.

Rozell, Morgan: Market Beef - Purple; Home Environment - Purple. Environment - Purple (2), Blue (2); Visual Arts - Purple (2), Blue; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple; Breeding Beef - Purple. Rozell, Tucker: Visual Arts - Purple.

Sawatzky, Keyli: Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple; Home Environment -Purple; Photography - Purple, Blue; Wood Science - Purple.

Schaunaman, Adrianne: Market Beef -Purple.

Schaunaman, Karly: Market Beef - Reserve Champion Market Beef, Purple (2); Photography - Purple (3), Blue; Breeding Beef - Purple.

Schultz, Cassaundra: Agility - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (2); Wood Science - Purple; Obedience - Blue; Rally - Blue; Showmanship Purple (2); Market Swine - Purple (4). Purple.

Schultz, Garrett: Visual Arts - Purple (2).

Sealey, Emma: Dairy Cattle - Reserve Champion Dairy Heifer, Purple; Dairy Cattle Purple, Blue; Horticulture, Gardening & Land-Showmanship - Beginner Champion Showman, Purple.

Sharp, Dan: Dairy Cattle Showmanship -Senior Champion Showman, Purple; Market Goat: Blue; Obedience - Purple; Showmanship - Purple; Rally - Blue; Dairy Cattle - Purple (3); Breeding Meat Goat: Purple; Photography Blue; Music/Dance - Blue; Visual Arts - Purple; Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple.

Sharp, Isaiah: Automotive, Small & Tractor Engines - Blue; Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple; Visual Arts - Blue; First Aid (Health) - Purple; Music/Dance - Purple; Dairy Cattle - Purple (2); Market Goat - Blue; Meat Goat Showmanship -Beginner Reserve Champion Showman, Purple.

Sharp, Jessemy: Meat Goat Showmanship -Junior Reserve Champion Showman, Purple; Agility - Purple. Dairy Cattle Showmanship - Junior Reserve Champion Showman, Purple; Market Goat -Purple; Dairy Cattle - Purple (3); Breeding Meat Goat - Blue; First Aid (Health) - Purple; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Foods & Nutrition Purple, Blue. - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (2); Automotive, Small & Tractor Engines - Purple.

Sharp, Travis: Computers & Technology -Purple; Visual Arts - Purple; Breeding Meat & Nutrition - Blue; Home Environment - Purple Goat - Blue; Dairy Cattle - Purple (3); Agility (3); Photography - Blue (2). - Purple; Market Goat - Purple (2); Obedience

- Purple; Rally - Red; Showmanship - Purple. Simon, Alexis: Home Environment - Purple (2); Clothing & Textiles - Purple.

Simon, Carter: Home Environment - Blue; Hobbies & Collections - Purple (2); Visual Arts Agility - Purple (2); Breeding Meat Goat - Blue - Purple (2); Rabbit - Purple.

- Best of Breed, Purple; Photography - Purple ronment - Blue; Visual Arts - Purple (3), Blue. (2), Blue.

Science - Purple, Blue (2).

Skoglund, Brooke: Market Sheep - Reserve Champion Market Sheep, Purple (3); Home Environment - Blue; Breeding Beef - Reserve Champion Breeding Beef, Purple.

Skoglund, Trey: Market Sheep - Champion Market Sheep, Purple, Blue.

Smith, Letitia: Market Beef - Purple (2); Obedience - Purple (2); Showmanship - Purple; Rally - Blue; Market Swine - Grand Champion

Rather, MaKayla: Photography - Purple, Blue Purebred Male, Purple (2); Dairy Goat - Re-

Sombke, Brody: Dairy Goat - Champion Dairy

Sperry, Ashlyn: Home Environment - Purple (4), Blue (3), Red; Visual Arts - Purple, Blue; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Market Goat -Blue (2).

Sperry, Matthew: Workforce Preparation (Career Exploration) - Purple; Plant Scizenship - Purple; Home Environment - Purple ence, Crops & Weeds - Purple; Computers & Technology - Purple; Conservation, Soils & Stewardship - Purple; Consumer Education - Purple; Geospatial - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Purple (2); Videography - Purple; Photography - Purple (6), Blue (2), Red; Home

> Stange, Alexandra: Dairy Goat - Purple (2); Photography - Blue; Clothing & Textiles -Purple: Photography - Purple.

> Stange, Jamesen: Plant Science, Crops & Weeds - Purple; Prospect Calf Show - Purple (2); Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Breeding Beef - Purple (2).

> Stange, Kayde: Breeding Beef - Purple; Wood Science - Purple.

> Stearns, Stetson: Market Goat - Purple, Blue; Market Sheep - Purple (3); Market Swine - Reserve Champion Commercial Female, Purple (4); Home Environment - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Purple.

> Sumption, Hannah: Foods & Nutrition - Purple; Home Environment - Blue; Market Swine - Purple (3); Prospect Calf Show - Purple (2). Sumption, Jakob: Prospect Calf Show -

> Summation, Jonathan: Market Swine - Purple (3); Breeding Beef - Purple (2).

> Sumption, Laura: Home Environment scaping - Purple (5), Blue, Red; Photography - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Purple (2); Clothing & Textile s- Purple; Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple (3); Market Swine - Purple; Prospect Calf Show - Purple; Market Swine - Purple; Wood Science - Purple.

> Sumption, Madelyne: Market Swine - Purple (2); Visual Arts - Purple.

> Sumption, Milo: Visual Arts - Purple; Aerospace & Rocketry - Blue; Home Environment - Purple; Hobbies & Collections - Purple; Foods & Nutrition - Purple; Wood Science - Purple; Market Swine - Purple (2); Prospect Calf Show - Purple.

> Sumption, Morgan: Rally - Purple; Obedience - Purple; Home Environment - Purple, Blue;

Taylor, Tage: Home Environment - Purple (3); Visual Arts - Purple (2); Market Sheep

Taylor, Taryn: Prospect Calf Show - Red; Wood Science - Purple, Blue.

Tietz, Lane: Welding Science - Purple; Foods

Tobin, Lily: Showmanship - Blue.

(2); Showmanship - Purple; Rally - Purple, Blue: Meat Goat Showmanship - Senior Champion Showman, Purple; Market Goat - Blue; (2): Rabbit - Champion Senior Showman, Red: Simon, Cole: Visual Arts - Purple (2); Rabbit Photography - Purple (5), Blue (2); Home Envi-

Townsend, Travis: Visual Arts - Purple. Simon, Lucas: Visual Arts - Purple; Wood Blue; Foods & Nutrition - Blue; Breeding Meat Goat - Champion Breeding Meat Goat, Purple; Market Goat - Purple (2); Plant Science, Crops & Weeds - Purple (2), Blue; Welding Science - Purple.

Vanderlinde, Laurelyn: Visual Arts - Purple, Blue; Market Sheep - Blue (2); Photography

Vanderlinde, Lydia: Visual Arts - Purple (3); Photography - Blue; Market Sheep - Blue (2). Vanderlinde, Thomas: Visual Arts - Purple (2); Photography - Blue.

Vetter, Samuel: Home Environment - Purple, Red; Breeding Meat Goat - Blue; Poultry -Purple; Market Goat - Blue; Prospect Calf Show - Red.

Wagemann, Wade Jr: Visual Arts - Purple. Wagemann, Shanae: Visual Arts - Purple (2), Blue: Home Environment - Purple (2); Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Photography - Blue.

Wagemann, Vanessa: Photography - Blue (2); Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Home Environment - Purple (2); Visual Arts - Purple (2),

Wanous, Elizabeth: Poultry - Purple (2), Blue; Prospect Calf Show - Blue, Red; Market Sheep - Blue.

Wanous, Katy: Market Sheep - Blue; Prospect Calf Show - Red (2); Poultry - Purple (3), Blue. Ward, Addison: Breeding Beef - Purple.

Warrington, Axel: Home Environment - Purple; Hobbies & Collections - Purple (2); Foods & Nutrition - Purple (2); Electricity - Purple; Plant Science, Crops & Weeds - Purple, Blue; Wood Science - Purple.

Warrington, Logan: Plant Science, Crops & Weeds - Purple; First Aid (Health) - Purple; Exploring the Treasures of 4-H Curriculum -Purple; Visual Arts - purple; Foods & Nutrition - Blue; Hobbies & Collections - Purple; Home Environment - Purple; Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple.

Webb, Hannah: Visual Arts - Purple; Home Environment - Purple (2), Blue (2).

Weis, Abigail: Horse & Pony - Purple; Photography - Blue (2); Breeding Sheep - Reserve Champion Breeding Ram, Purple (4); Aerospace & Rocketry - Purple; Clothing & Textiles - Purple; Market Sheep - Blue (2).

Wheeting, Carly: Market Sheep - Purple (4); Market Goat - Reserve Champion Market Meat Goat, Purple; Market Swine - Purple (2).

Wiedebush, Emily: Rally - Purple; Showmanship - Purple; Obedience - Purple; Market Goat - Reserve Champion Market Meat Goat, Purple (3); Visual Arts - Purple; Agility - Purple.

Wiedebush, Levi: Visual Arts - Purple, Blue; Market Goat - Blue (3).

Wiedebush, Teightum: Market Goat - Blue (2); Visual Arts - Blue (3).

Wiedebush, Zanrick: Visual Arts - Purple (2); Market Goat - Blue.

Wieland, Abraham: Computers & Technology - Purple.

Wieland, Sophie: Foods & Nutrition - Purple; Visual Arts - Purple; Horticulture, Gardening & Landscaping - Purple (2).

Wright, Madilyn: Visual Arts - Blue (2); Prospect Calf Show - Purple, Red; Market Beef -Purple (2); Market Swine - Purple (3).

Wright, Trey: Welding Science - Blue; Wood Science - Purple; Home Environment - Purple (2); Visual Arts - Purple (3), Blue; Breeding Sheep - Champion Breeding Ewe, Champion Breeding Ram, Purple - (5), Blue - (4).

Zoellner, Jordan: Dairy Cattle - Champion Townsend, Cassandra: Obedience - Purple Dairy Heifer, Purple (2); Dairy Cattle Showmanship - Junior Champion Showman, Purple: Plant Science, Crops & Weeds - Purple (2).

> Roth, Breanna: Cat Showmanship - Purple; Cath - Purple.



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Groton Area has thriller OT win over Milbank Area

fensive contest that resulted in a tie game at the end of regulation with Groton Area scoring at the end. The Tigers won a key Northeast Conference battle over Milbank Area, 34-28, in overtime

The game was Livestreamed live at GDILIVE. COM. Those sponsoring the coverage were Simon Insurance and Auction Service, Milbank House Movers, Harry Implement of Ferney, Treeline Tree Service & Sperry Stump Removal of Groton, Olson Backhoe & Trenching of Groton, James Valley Telecommunications, Groton Ford, James Valley Seed with Doug Jorgenson of Groton, Allied Climate Professionals with Kevin Nehls of Groton, Milbrandt Enterprises, Inc. of Groton, The Johnson Agency of Groton, Subway of Groton, Leading Edge Industries with Shawn Gengerke, Bahr Spray Foam of Groton, Dakota Tree Company, Doug Abeln Seed Company of Groton, , McKiver Collision of Groton, The John Sieh Agency of Aberdeen, Blocker Construction, Pro Ag Supply of Aberdeen, Ken's Food Fair of Groton, Harr Motors of Aberdeen

The first three possessions of the game were four plays and a punt. On the fourth possesion, Milbank had the ball and on second and 11, Bennett Shabazz intercepted the ball and dashed 35 yards for the touchdown with 5:56 left in the first quarter. The PAT kick was no good and Groton Area took a 6-0 lead.

Then on Milbank's first place after the kick-off, Tanner Gauer was sprint for 76 yards to score for the Bulldogs. Jonny Ash would kick the PAT and Milbank Area now took a 7-6 lead.

Groton's next possession had another big run. On second and 10, Trevon Tuggles ran for 62 yards. The PAT run attempt failed and Groton Area took a 12-7 lead with 4:29 left in the first quarter.

The scoring continued. Millbank had a big run as Gauer was taken down by Trevor Pray at the 20 yard line, but the Bulldogs would score as Cole Doctor would score from 20 yards out. Ash kicked the PAT and Milbank was back on top, 14-12, with 3:08 left in the first quarter.

Lucas Hinman and Jackson Oliver each had big catches on Groton's next drive, putting the Tigers at Milbank 11 yard line. On the final play of the first quarter, Groton fumbled the ball in the endzone, but Jackson Oliver pounced on it to score for the Tigers. The PAT was good on a pass from Bennett Shabazz to Trevor Pray and Groton now took a 20-14 lead as the first quarter ended.

Milbank Area had two first downs to start out the second quarter, but the Tiger defense pushed the Bulldogs back and Milbank had to punt on fourth and 19. Groton had a first down but fumbled the ball, putting Milbank at the Groton 15 yard line with 7:51 left in the first half. After geting a first down, Milbank would score on a Jonny Ash one yard run. Ash also kicked the PAT and Milbank was back on top, 21-20, with 6:45 left in the half.

Groton Area had a first down, but ended up punting on fourth and seven. Put during the punt play, Milbank fumbled the ball and it was recovered by McClain Lone as Groton now had the ball at the Milbank 40 yard line. Groton had two first downs and was down to the Milbank 15 yard line. The Tigers scored, but the touchdown was recalled because of a penalty. So instead of scoring, the Tigers got sacked on the next play and were fourth and 25. "In the heat of the battle," said Coach Shaun Wanner, "you try not to make any mistakes - sometimes you get caught. That's where the kids have to come back after something like that and we've always

The first half ended with Milbank Area leading Groton Area, 21-20.

"We talked about defense then it was a shootout in the first half," Wanner said. "We had to do a few things better defensively in the second half."

The run and gun, touchdown scoring spree that happened in the first half was tamed down by the defense of both teams in the second half. The Bulldogs started out the second half

Milbank Area started out on its own 32 yard line. The Bulldogs took nearly four minutes off the clock on the dirve and had three first downs before Doctor would score on a three-yard pass from Ash. The PAT kick by Ash was good and Milbank now took a 28-20 lead with 8:09 left in the third quarter.

The Tigers started out their drive from their own 26 yard line. Starting out the drive with a penalty, Groton was first and 15, but got a first down on third and 14. Groton Area got another first down before Trevor Pray would have a catch from Bennett Shabazz and would dash in to the endzone on a 50-yard pass play. Bennett Shabazz ran in the PAT and the game was tied at 28.

Both teams had the ball one more time before the third quarter expired with the game tied at 28 going into the fourth quarter.

Milbank started out the fourth quarter from its

The first half marathon turned into a second de- own 44 yard line and ended up punting on fourth and 19. Groton would score next, but that touchdown was recalled with a penalty and the Tigers ended up punting on fourth and 10.

The game turned more defensive as neither team could move forward. Groton did break free and was down to the 10 yard line, but the big play was recalled due to a Groton Area penalty, putting the Tigers on their own 35 yard line instead.

Milbank threatened to score as it started its drive with 4:57 left in the fourth guarter from its own three yard line. Milbank Area had three first downs and was just inside Groton territory with 1:47 left. On third and 13, Seric Shabazz would intercept the ball, stopping the drive. Groton ended up punting on fourth and 11 with 15 seconds left in the fourth quarter. Milbank took a knee as the fourth quarter ended tied up at 28.

Now the game went into overtime where each team would be given a chance to score. "We won the coin toss and we took the option to play second," Wanner said. "I figured whoever had the ball last would win the game."

The teams would start from the 20 yard line and would have four opportunites to try and score. Milbank had the ball first, kicking a field goal, but it was recalled due to a penalty. The second attempt was no good. Groton Area would score on its third and goal from the five yard line as Bennett Shabazz would find an opening in the Milbank defense to score; thus, ending the game with Groton Area winning, 34-28.

"Milbank has a lot of speed and a lot of size," Wanner said. "They play a lot of guys and I thought that would hurt us down the stretch. We have a lot of guys who play both ways, and I'm proud of how our kids responded. Milbank is a good football team."

Milbank Area had more first downs, 17-12, more yards rushing, 237-111, and Groton had more yards passing, 183-141, and more penalties, seven for 56 yards to Milbank's six for 47 yards.

Groton Area had 34 carries for 111 yards. Trevan Tuggles had nine carries for 79 yards, Bennett Shabazz had 20 for 47 yards, Seric Shabazz had three carries for no gain and Trevor Pray had two for a minus 13 yards. Milbank Area had 36 carries for 237 yards. Tanner Gauer had three carries for 76 yards and Jacob Karges had 13 for 61 yards.

The air show featured 47 passes on the night between the two teams. Bennett Shabazz completed 13 of 26 passes for 183 yards. Receivers were Trevor Pray with five catches for 101 yards, Lucas Hinman with five catches for 35 yards, Jackson Oliver with one catch for 49 yards and Seric Shabazz had two catches for a minus two yards. Jonny Ash completed 10 of 21 passes for the Bulldogs for 141 yards with two interceptions (one each by Bennett and Seric Shabazz). Tanner Gauer had one catch for 55 yards and Nate Bien had one catch for 35 yards.

Groton Area had three fumbles and lost one. Milbank Area had two fumbles and lost one.

Tacklers were Patrick Gengerke with 11, Brandon Keith with 10 and Bennett Shabazz with nine. Milbank had Jacob Karges with 10, Jake Anderson with eight and Ethan Paysen with seven.

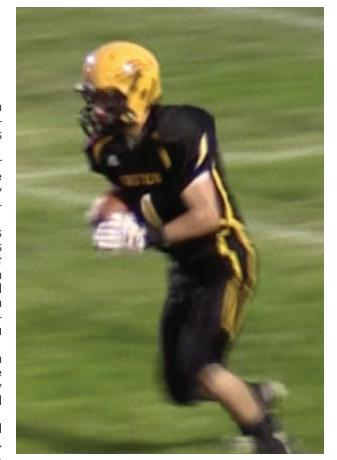
Groton Area, now 4-0 on the season, will travel to Aberdeen on Friday to take on the Cavaliers. Milbank Area, now 3-1, will travel to Sioux Valley.

"The Cavaliers are a very good football team," Wanner said. "They have played some very good football teams. It's going to be a battle.'

The game is part of the Hub City Bowl with Aberdeen Central playing Sioux Falls Lincoln at 5 p.m. and the Groton Area/Roncalli game to ake place 45 minutes after the completion of the first game.



Trevon Tuggles gets readly to gain some yards. Tuggles is from Washington State and is staying at the Brian and Brenda Harder home. His mom is



Trevor Pray caught the ball and made a **nice gain.** (Photo lifted from video at GDILIVE.COM)



Lucas Hinman tackles Milbank Area's Riley Wollschlager. (Photo by Julianna Kosel)



McClain Lone holds up the ball after recovering it from an apparent fumble during the play. However, the officaials were undecided as to what really happend. The end result - the play was re**done.** (Photo lifted from video at GDILIVE.COM)



Bennett Shabazz finds an opening and darts up the middle. (Photo lifted from video at GDILIVE.COM)

Brenda's sister. (Photo lifted from video at GDILIVE.COM)www.397news.com Wed., Sept. 21, 2016 11

City Council Continued from front

Tom Mahan from the Olive Grove Golf Course has asked the city to apply for a grant for a pumping station. In the past, a tractor has been used, but an update is needed. It is a 60:40 grant and the golf course would provide the matching funds. The council authorized the mayor to sign the grant.

Eddy Opp reported on the headstone repair project at the Groton Cemetery. There were three headstones that were repaired. He cleaned the face of those headstones so they are readable now. Mayor Scott Hanlon thanked Eddy for helping with the project.

The tree project at the cemetery has stalled for a moments, as the city is waiting for information from Weber Landscaping for details.

There are 43 pages to the 2014-15 audit. Blackmun entered the meeting right at the end of the meeting as the council went into executive session.

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The Life of Florence Joyce Miles

Florence Joyce Miles, age 93, passed away peacefully on Wed., Sept. 15, 2016 in Denver. She was born to Clara and George Wegner in Groton on Jan. 1, 1923, and she was raised on a farm outside town with her brother, Robert and her sister, Margaret. She married Clenten Miles from Britton, on Oct. 26, 1941. After Clenten returned from World War II and the Korean conflict, the young family moved to Aurora, Colorado where she would reside the rest of her life. She is preceded in death by her husband, her brother, and sister.

She is survived by her three children (Patrick, Claudia, and Daniel) and 3 grandchildren (Brian, Nicholas, and Audrey). She was one of the first women appointed to senior positions in banking in the Denver area, and became

a Vice President of Colfax National Bank.

She enjoyed good health most of her life and was known to exercise on daily basis. She did not slow down with advancing age as she tap danced well into her 70's in a senior troupe out of the Aurora Senior Center.

She was committed to her church, Burns United Memorial Methodist, and was an active member.

A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m., Tuesday, Sept. 20, at Burns United Memorial United Methodist Church, 1095 Newark St, Aurora, Co. A reception will follow at the church. An interment for family only will be held on Wed., Sept. 21 at Fort Logan Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in her name can be sent to: Burns United Methodist Church, 1095 Newark St, Aurora, Co 80010.

Homecoming Dress-up Days Next Week: General Theme is Disney

Middle/High School

Monday--Pajama Day Tuesday--Jersey Day Wednesday--Country Day

Thursday--Color Day (seniors--black, juniors--white, sophomores--pink, freshmen--blue, 8th grade--green, 7th grade--yellow, 6th grade--purple, staff--red)

Friday--Spirit Day

Elementary School

Monday: Neon Tuesday: Pajama Wednesday: Hat Thursday: Stuffed Animal

Friday: Spirit Day







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