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West Segment Teamwork Works in Clean Up

Quotes for the Heart & Mind

- * "People that complain have too much time on their hands". ~Tony Napolitano~
- * "If you concentrate on finding whatever is good in every situation, you will discover that your life will suddenly be filled with gratitude, a feeling that nurtures the soul". ~Rabbi Harold Kushner~
- * "The greatest obstacle to discovery is not ignorance; it is the illusion of knowledge". ~Daniel J. Boorstin~



Even though the winds were cool the workers from the West Segment office and community members gathered together to help clean up our community. Even workers that traveled to New Town to work came back to their own community to help clean up.

Teamwork was the word that can describe the people that gathered to help during clean up day. Pictured to your left is Ted Siers, Kojak and Murphy Young Bird were on hand to help dispose of all the trash bags that were coming in. everyone pitched in and helped.

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In the picture above is our Tribal Representative Randy Phelan who took his truck out and helped during clean up day in the Mandaree area.

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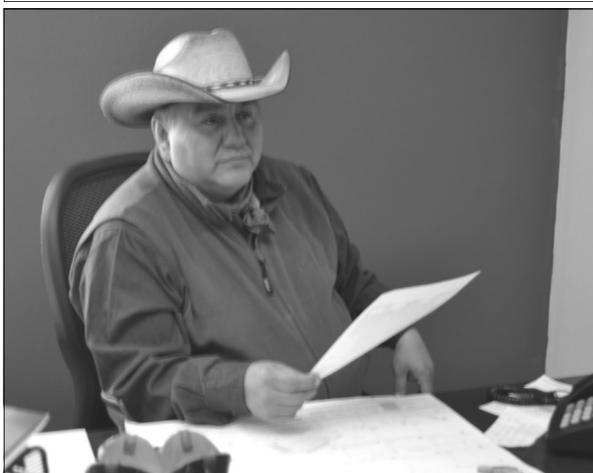
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West Segment Tribal Representative Update



Hello Community members and relatives. Before I begin this update I would like to take a moment to offer my condolences and sympathy to the Hale family and relatives on their recent loss.

I would also like to take a moment to say "Happy Mother's Day" to all the mother's and new mother's in our community, and take a moment to acknowledge all our Veterans since it is Memorial Day this month.

In part of Memorial Day we will be having our 1st Annual Veterans Memorial Day celebration. A one day pow-wow on Monday, May 27th here at the Water Chief hall. The staff here has agreed to feed the people with a meal at 6pm. There will be contest and contest monies with registration opening at 12 noon and closing at 6:30 pm with grand entry at 7:00pm. At this event we are going to give the time to our people to do a special if they wish or to honor a loved one they can do so at this time. They can call Maranda or Lovina to schedule their special or honoring. This will be a wonderful time for everyone to gather and listen to some good native songs and enjoy some traditional dancing. I would like to update you on our tax agreement that you read about in last month's newspaper. This tax agreement is one that we didn't like because it wasn't in favor of the tribe at all but it's better than it was before. We as a council don't only have look out for the interest of the tribal nation as a business council but we also have to look out even more for our tribal members who are allottees. Our allottees carry 2/3 of all our land base here on Fort Berthold so we have to speak on their behalf. If the tribe didn't come to an agreement with the state then the state would impose their own tax if we pulled out than the state would pull out of the agreement. Than the state would impose their tax and we would impose ours, if we did that we would scare all the oil companies away because they will be taxed twice by the state and the tribe. So with that in mind, I was active in getting this tax agreement signed. The amount of money is equivalent to two JTAC monies which a very large amount, and this will take effect on July 1 of this year. This tax agreement was a struggle we had to go to the Governor and the Senate and the House of Representatives so our work was cut out for us. We had to really lobby for this as a council we got our tax agreement passed it now stands at 50/50 whereas before it was at 80/20 meaning the state got 80 and the tribe got 20. So now it's passed equally 50/50 so that is more revenue for our tribe. Next week the governor will be scheduled to be in New Town for the signing of the tax agreement. I would like to thank the Tribal Business Council members who were active in helping us get this finalized. On behalf of the Tribal Business Council we are in the process of purchasing a duplex

in Bismarck for our tribal members who have loved ones and family members that have to stay in the hospitals. Purchasing a duplex will be very helpful so the families don't have to spend so much money staying in a motel. This is a way of helping our people from Fort Berthold out especially if they have to stay in Bismarck for a long length of time. We would hire a housekeeper to stay there to make sure there's clean bedding and the upkeep of the duplex. This is a step in the right direction so our tribal members will benefit from this.

There has been a lot of talk about a per capita payment so I will explain that. There will be a payment in December out of the interest it will be like the JTAC funds where we will always have interest. We will give a payment to our tribal members from the interest which maybe about five or six hundred. We still have to figure out how we are going to distribute this payment, each council representative has a designee on a committee where they will work on the details of how we are going to go if it will be 100 percent payout or 50/50 or whatever it may be. We are talking about the best interest for the children under 18 yrs of age, so are we going to give them 50/50 or 100 percent. On another note on this payment I have approached four council members on putting a percentage and I talked to the chairman too. I proposed 20 percent but they wouldn't agree to that, they agreed to 10 percent of a monthly income from our oil royalties to add to the people's fund so that 100 million will grow 10 percent of our monthly royalties so I will have to do a resolution to that affect and present it at our June council meeting. This is a great idea for the people in our own community here if you have any interest than I would like to hear your input and suggestions on how we can approach this and distribute this per capita payment to those in our community 18 years of age and under. This is your opportunity to give your input and suggestions. Please submit them in writing and give them to Lovina Fox here at the Tribal office or you can fax them at 759.3375 and she will make sure I get each and every input or suggestion from you the people of our community. On our Hidatsa Housing Program our survey crew is completed now and next week we are scheduled in bringing their equipment in to remove dirt and put the slabs down and start the landscaping, we are hoping to have the first ten homes on the slabs by the latter part of July if not before then. A short update on the daycare center, I was going to remodel the old building but looking into that we may just get a new building rather than putting money into the old one. The additions of offices to the Water Chief hall are almost complete we need to hire an electrician to do the wiring than complete the drywall. On another note I was recently informed by the Elbowoods Health Clinic that we have a nurse here in Mandaree one of our proud community members Kelianna Karnatz. So with her on board I am happy to say that we are going in the right direction. With that said I am looking at a new community center that I talked about before that I want a new clinic in there, right now I have Mavis working on that an this guy names Norman Nalt in anything over 5 million they will kick in 20 percent so with this new center I want our new clinic in there we have three hundred and thirty five thousand left in our clinic funds now so rather to lose or use during our budget meeting, I told the council and the chairman that I would use that towards the cost of a new center. We now have a community tow truck it will be used for our members who have a vehicle that needs to be towed to town or a vehicle that needs to be moved off the road so it doesn't get vandalized. Towing will be in our next issue.

Mandaree Elders

Deadwood Agenda

Friday June 7, 2013

- 11 am** Leave the Elder Site.
12:30 pm Stop at Bonanza for lunch.
6:30 pm Arrive at Deadwood.

- Wine and cheese social when we arrive at the Gulch hotel. Evening on own.

Saturday June 8, 2013

- 7-11 am** Hot breakfast is served at the hotel
10 am Leave Deadwood for the Black Hills.
11 am Arrive at Crazy Horse for tour/sightseeing and lunch.
1 pm Leave Deadwood for Mt. Rushmore.
1:20 pm Arrive at Mt. Rushmore for tour/sightseeing.
2:10 pm Leave for Bear Country.
2:20 pm Bear Country USA guided tour/sightseeing.
4:00 pm Leave for Reptile Gardens
4:10 pm Reptile Gardens tour/sightseeing
5:00 pm Leave for Deadwood.
6:00 pm Dinner and evening on own.

Sunday June 9, 2013

- 7-9:30 am** Hot breakfast is served at hotel.
10 am Depart Deadwood
1 pm Lunch
6 pm Arrive back at Elders Site.



MEC Store Receives Check From West Segment Representative



Pictured above is Harriet Goodiron Manager of the MEC Store in Mandaree accepting a check from our West Segment Tribal Council Representative Randy Phelan.

Everyone knows in our community how difficult it has been to keep our tanks full knowing that we have to drive 34 miles one way to get gas in our vehicles. For a long time now the store in our area had no fuel, the good news is now our store may soon have fuel to offer to the customers very soon.

According to C Store Manager Harriet Goodiron, she explains what happened to the gas pumps. "In September of 2011 water got in the underground tanks so the store hasn't had gas since that happened."

I asked the C Store manager when they would be selling fuel again? As she replied, "We hope to have our fuel sales going within the next month. Our Corporate office is currently working on it."

Recently, a check of \$6,912.67 was presented to MEC Store manager Harriet Goodiron from our tribal council representative Randy Phelan. The C Store manager stated that the check was used to pay an outstanding bill to Farmer's Union in Killdeer. This outstanding bill was there prior to MEC taking over the store.

According to the Manager she also stated that their hours for the summer won't be extended because the employee turnover is high at the store.

I asked the manager if she had any closing remarks as she gladly replied; "I wish we could buy in bulks like the stores do in bigger towns then we could lower our prices and be competitive, but not enough storage space so we can't. I would like to thank our customers for their continued support in our store, THE CUSTOMER IS KING."

Hidatsa Language Preservation Update



The Hidatsa Language Preservation program is finally coming together with timeless writing and recording sessions.

These ladies not only record the Hidatsa Language but they also write it out and say the phrases and sentences in Hidatsa then translate into English.

So far they have completed six sessions since February 21, 2013. They now have completed enough of the Hidatsa language for two CD's. In the completion of these two CD's will include short sentences on greetings, time and a mix of sentences on weather and also a question and answer sentences.

Other projects in the works for these fine ladies will be some short sentences on our clanships. For example; the two tribes Mandan and Hiracca is Matrilineal. Your mother's clan is the clan you belong too. If your Mother is Flint Knife Mecii-Rooga than that is the clan you belong too. You are the child of your father's clan and he is a Ciiga-Prairie Chicken clan, than you are a "child of" a Ciiga -Prairie Chicken clan not your father's clan.

On the completion of the CD's these ladies were given the opportunity to select a cover for the CD's and they chose a picture of a buffalo for the cover. When I asked these ladies why they selected a buffalo. They replied; "We chose a buffalo for the cover because the buffalo has given us shelter, clothing, utensils, and bones we made tools out of to work in the garden and food. Today the buffalo has survived as our Native peoples."

Future recordings will be on naming ceremonies, and why we have our native names and who can give these names. An example of what these ladies will be recording on the clanships continues on the next page. Also some words in Hidatsa and the translation.

Hidatsa Language Preservation

Clanships

Submitted by: Hidatsa Language Preservation Department

Clan Father– Aduu

Clan Aunt– Ishawii

Both Tribes are “Matrilineal”, which means a system in which descent is traced through the mother and maternal ancestors. If your mother is a member of the Hidatsa and Mandan Tribe; You are a member of your mother’s clan. You are what your mother is.

If your father is a Prairie Chicken Clan you’re a Prairie Chicken Child, you’re not his clan. Again you are what your mother is.

Your father’s clan brothers and sisters are your clan aunt Ishawii and clan father Aduu.

When selecting a clan child for the War Bonnet dance you choose a child of your clan brother or clan sister. For example when selecting someone; If you are a Flint Knife clan member than you will select one of your brother’s children you look for a Knife clan nagaa (baby knife). Same way with your clan sister you select a knife clan nagaa or (baby knife). When you have a giveaway ceremony you give to your clan father and clan aunt the best of what you have in honor and respect for them. This is just an example, this all depends on what clan you belong too.

When selecting a Senior Pallbearer you choose your clan father and clan sister of your father of the deceased person. Your father Aduu and Ishawii are the ones who send the deceased person on their journey to the spirit world. For example; If a senior pallbearer from the chicken clan is called upon than it is his clan that helps him throughout the entire time and when he or she needs a break than a member of the chicken clan should be the one to relieve him or her so the senior pallbearer can take a break.

Your father aduu and Ishawii are the ones who send the deceased person on their journey to the spirit world. The gifts hung on the line by the family are what the deceased takes spiritually to the spirit world to share with family and relatives on the other side. Therefore, you respect and love your clan father and clan aunt, because these clan relatives are responsible for your guidance, discipline, protection and well being.

A Marriage Our of the Tribe:

If you wife or husband is not from our tribe your children will not

belong to a clan or be a child or nagaa (baby) of a clan, only if you have your partner adopted in the Three Clan or the Four Clan. For a woman, if she marries a nontribal member and she has sisters who are married into our tribe than her children can go through her sister’s husband’s clan. For example; If a mother belongs to the Flint Knife clan her children are Flint Knife but her husband is from another tribe than their children can go through her sister’s husband who is for example a member of the Water Buster clan than her children can use his clan. Another way is, as a child or nagaa (baby). If you don’t have any sisters or any other family, then you can go through your grandfather on your mother’s husband’s clan (if they have a clan) this is done all on your mother’s side. For example: (if your grandfather on your mother’s side is Water Buster then you go through his clan. Or if your grandfather was adopted than you go through the clan he belongs too. For example: (if your mother’s husband belongs to the chicken clan then you go through the chicken clan. Or if your mother’s husband is adopted than you go through the clan that adopted him. If not go through you grandfather’s clan.

Hidatsa Language Preservation

Here are some words and examples of what you will hear on the CD’s by the Hidatsa Language Preservation Program.

1. hahshaa– but then
2. lisha– again
3. Shee gua– there
4. Shee taa– to
5. Nuwa– some
6. Aru– the
7. Guu-gaa– over there
8. Hiruu-gaa– over here
9. Nigg– you
10. Haruug-nigg– you, what about you
11. Huu-come
12. Ki– to mean
13. lihdaa– towards him
14. Madu– there are
15. Igaa– look
16. Hiri– this
17. Hiroo-here

West Segment Clean Up Day



Busy day for everyone in the picture above is Les Yellow Wolf picking up trash down by the roadside in the community.



Rhonda Hall and myself were out east of Mandaree gathering trash along side of the road.



Bernadine and Monte Fredericks cleaning up around the Mandaree Elders Center.



Al Newman Jr., has his work cut out as he gathers trash behind the community center.



Dale Charging cleaning up by the approach into Mandaree.



Samantha Lucio along with her mother Rosie were gathering trash up by the hill in the Mandaree community.

Signs Designed by Four Winds With Future Buildings In West Segment Area



What a nice sight to see as soon as you take the turn coming into Mandaree a newly designed sign: Welcome to Mandaree "Heartbeat of the Bakken" This sign was designed and done by Four Winds.

Four Winds workers are Jeff Rozelle, Jay Knight and Gary Herrington all are from the New Town area.



This sign is located on your left side as you come down the hill to Mandaree, the sign sits on top of the hill. This sign is the future home of Black Eagle estates new homes for our community members. Construction will begin this month sometime.



This is where the new day care will be located. The Sign reads West Segment Day Care coming Soon. Construction on the day care will begin in June.



Having a Truck Stop in Mandaree is Councilman Phelan's mission and will soon be a reality as soon as all the financial situations are put into place than construction will soon be underway. This will truly benefit everyone in our community with many job opportunities to follow.

TAT Tribal Ranch On The Move With Calving



TAT Director Ted Siers, Tony Johnson and Eldon Baker were on hand to show me the calves.

With the cold weather we had in our area many ranchers had to deal with calving. Keeping them alive and healthy, so they don't get sick and watching them especially when the weather is cold outside. When calves are first born it's a major worry for many ranchers. This worry was no different for workers at the TAT Tribal Ranch their dedication and commitment to their jobs are very noble.

Adam Tony Johnson, Ted Siers, Eldon Baker were on hand day and night once the cows began calving. These guys were there to pull calves as well. Both Ted and Tony even had their sons out there helping and learning from them. According to Ted Siers, TAT Director he says; "We even took a few newborn calves home to watch and make sure they survived and were strong enough to return to the herd." When you're a rancher than you would know how important it is to take care of these calves. Tony Johnson explained; "When we have to take a calf from their mother, some mother cows don't take their calves back, but the ones we took to take care of we were fortunate because the mothers took their calves back." The guys that work at the ranch just stayed there to make sure the calves are alright they all kept a watchful eye on the calves so they don't get sick.

Their commitment and dedication is unreal of how hard these men work throughout the day and nights they spend away from their families, no matter what the weather is like. You have to just take a ride out there to see what Tony, Eldon and Ted all have to do in a days work. These men put in many devoted hours in working with the many animal that they have to take care of. When I drove out to the ranch they were very helpful to me, as I was escorted out to the pasture where they keep the cattle and fed them. I rode with the Director, Ted who gave me a ride into the pasture while Tony and Eldon fed the cows and got the calves together. I asked Ted about the two long horns they have at the ranch. He laughed and said, "We even gave them names the spotted one is Lamon and the other

one's name is Darrel. Working at the ranch is a never ending job when you have to look after cattle making sure they're fed and given medicine when they need it. Not only that but each of the new born calves will have to be branded as well. Which will take place when the time is right. The herd wears the brand number 3 above T for the three tribes. On Tuesday, May 7 twin calves were born at the ranch, which is a rare occurrence that both twin calves survived. For Tony, Eldon and Ted their job is never ending, with the cattle and calves they take care of the elk and buffalo as well making sure they are fed on a daily basis,. Tony, Eldon and Ted are always busy mending and fixing fences around the ranch hauling hay and all the maintenance. Their teamwork is utterly awesome these guys really work well together and really help each other as they work and most of all they get things done.



Tony Johnson is shown here tagging a new calf member to the herd.

More Photos of The TAT Tribal Ranch



I couldn't resist taking this picture of the two long horn steers in the herd of cattle. According to Director Ted Siers the black long horn steer is called Darrel and the spotted one is Lamon.



Tony and Ted giving a calf some medicine for scours so it doesn't spread to the mother or other calves as well. Just another busy day.



Here are some of the elk that roam freely in the pastures on the hill before you get to the ranch location. The other herd of elk are closer to the TAT tribal ranch location.



Progress in Construction of New Added in the Building



Newman Construction is currently working on the addition to the Water Chief hall. The addition is being added on the east side of the community center which may be completed in mid May. More office space is needed within the center was needed so construction is taking place and so far you can see in these photos. According to our tribal representative he stated that he would like to see one of these offices used for services to the people within our community, such as social services so people wouldn't have to drive to fill out their necessary paperwork. According to the Newman Construction on this building should be completed by the end of this month. Construction work is being done by Mark Hinson a native from Texas. Look for more pictures in the June issue of the completed work.



2013 Mandaree Celebration

Mandaree Celebration: July 18,19,20,21, 2013. Thursday July 18, is camping day.

Host drums: Mandaree Singers, Oakdale and Young Bear.

Drum split: \$10,000

Singing Contest In Memory of Polly Mongram \$10,000 Sponsored by Evageline Mongram.

In honor of West Segment Mandaree Community \$20,000 Drum Contest (Visiting Drums Only)

President: Roseann Johnson

Vice President: Tom Demaray

Secretary: Eldora Poitra

Treasurer: Cecelia Fox

Flag Bearer: James Johnson

Announcer: Trena Baker

Drum Keeper: Denver Spotted Bear

Arena Director: Wendall White

Arena Director: Lloyd Vigen

Head Woman Dancer: Jade Robertson

Head Man Dancer: Darian St. Pierre

Sr. Princess: Sierra Little Swallow

Jr. Princess: Tessa Hold the Enemy-Abbey

Contest and Prize Money: \$48,950.00

Men/Women/Golden Age Adults:

1. \$1,000
2. 800.00
3. 600.00
4. 400.00
5. 200.00
6. 100.00

Jr's Girls/Boys

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|-------------|----------|
| 1. \$300.00 | 5. 50.00 |
| 2. 200.00 | 6. 25.00 |
| 3. 100.00 | |
| 4. 75.00 | |

Emcee's:

Lawrence Baker

Charlie Moran

Color Guard:

Myron B. Johnson/Nathan

Goodiron/ Post 271

Myron B Johnson/Nathan

Goodiron

Post 271 Auxillary

Teen/Boys/Girls

1. \$600.00
2. 500.00
3. 400.00
4. 300.00
5. 200.00
6. 100.00

Tiny Tots:

Agenda for Thursday: July 18th Camping Day

No points

Grand Entry: 5:00 pm

DJ Fox Memorial Feed and giveaway 4:00 pm Water Chief Hall

Dreke Irwin Memorial Feed and giveaway 1:00pm Water Chief Hall

Specials:

Eldora Poitra: MEA Teachers

Give a-ways:

RoseAnn/James Johnson

Darian St. Pierre

Tom Demaray

Cecelia Fox

Trena Baker

Denver Spotted Bear

Wendall White

Tessa Holds The Enemy

Lloyd Vigen

Jade Robertson

Sierra Little Swallow

Friday, July 19th:

Flag Raising: Colton Fettig, Alonzo Phelan Sr., Alonzo Phelan Jr.

Grand Entries: 1:00pm & 7:00pm

Specials:

In honor of Brighton Johnson/Tiny Tot Cowgirl Special (5 & under)
Sponsored by the Johnson family:

1. \$150.00
2. 100.00
3. 75.00
4. 50.00
5. 25.00

In Memory of Colter Dawes/Men's Crow Style Sponsored by Florine Young Bird and family.

James Johnson Veterans Dance Special

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For Your Information

Happy Birthday Wishes for the Month Of May to All Our Community Members.



On behalf of the West Segment Office we would like to wish all community members a very Happy Birthday. With a birthday dinner at 6:00pm on Monday, May 20th at the Water Chief Hall.

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| Mavis Young Bear | Joleen Fox | Paula Stiffarm |
| McCaleigh Mossett | Kalolo IU | Ronald Lone Bear Jr |
| Jason Deville | William Marvel | Dane Howling Wolf |
| Loretta Lone Bear | Lavina Miller | Corrine Brugh Sage |
| Clayton Spotted Bear | Duane Budreau | Joyce Rave |
| Elijah Charging | Vivian Hall | Fred Bull Head |
| Donita Hale | Georgia Beston | Adam Johnson |
| Tara Beston | Jude Phelan Jr. | Norman Standish |
| Nina Lincoln | Isiah Finley | Nancy McKenzie |
| Brooklynn Spotted Bear | Jordan Fox | Belinda Arellano |
| Elton Spotted Horse Sr. | Theresa White Owl | |
| Raymond Yellow Wolf | Thomas J. Fox | Tamira Lighthall |
| Rachelle Good Bird | David Mandan | Carmen Winanz |
| Antoinette Chamberlain | Dalton Holman | |



On behalf of Our West Segment Representative we would like to wish all our community members a Very Happy Birthday with many many more to come! May our Creator continue to bless you and your families.

From the West Segment Representative & Staff

Prairie Fire Burns land on the North Side of the Mandaree Community



In this picture you can see the smoke from the fire smoldering as the fire trucks move about putting the flames out.

This prairie fire happened in the evening hours on Thursday, May 9th. The fire was located north a few miles behind the Mandaree Community center. Marlee Baker, Fire Chief of the MHA Nation reported the fire burned 3,012 acres, once the fire department arrived on scene it took approximately 10 minutes to contain. The Fire Department used 3 fire trucks to help put out the fire, Fire Chief Baker drives the Command vehicle and does continuous checks around the perimeter. Although no report has been given about how the fire was started. One can only speculate that the grass is dry and therefore perfect for kindling which unfortunately, was most likely the factor for this fire. If you spot a fire please contact the New Town PD at 627-3617, the dispatch will then contact the Fire Department. It's that time of year again for fires so please take a little extra caution to help prevent fires.



Mandaree School News

The School year is coming to an end, there are only 14 days left of school as this article is written. There have been many memories made this school year. A few of the happenings to remember are: A.S.K. (Adults Supporting Kids) met monthly with lots of ideas shared among those attending. The 8th graders have adopted a well in corporation with ENERPLUS and have named it Arabian. Emelee Lone Bear drew the picture to identify the well. The plan is to continue this relationship through their school years.

The music concert in December was a huge success and the students shared their talents. The young girls had their dance team ready to support and encourage the basketball teams. AIBL (American Indian Business Leader) is up and going strong. The Warrior Store has been a huge success. They hosted the Talent Show and was that was enjoyed by all.

AISES (American Indian Science Engineering System) has received its charter and will be ready to be up and running next year.

The district has purchased new trailers for housing new teachers coming in the future. There are also 5 new smart boards purchased to enhance learning for the students. Two new mobile computer labs and a computer lab to help students in the future. These are only a few of the new happenings, there are still events coming up.

There is a plan to have summer school. It will be by invitation for the students not proficient in reading and/or math. It will run from May 28 to June 7. Be watching for more information.

The students had three incentives to do their best when testing this spring. 145 students met the first incentive by raising their scores from winter to spring and were able to spin the wheel for a gift. The second incentive is a pizza party for classes that had 75% of the students raising their scores from fall to spring. 7 classes earned a pizza party. The third incentive was earned by 83 students for being proficient in reading and/or math. They will be attending a movie in Watford City on May 10. These are some positive numbers and there is still room for improvement.

The goal for next year will continue to find ways to improve the involvement of parents, adults, community. Data suggests this is an important feature for a great school. Please get involved and share your ideas and suggestions.

Upcoming Dates To Remember:

May 22: Awards Day

May 23: 8th grade graduation at 4:40 in the old gym

May 23: High school graduation at 6:00pm in the new gym.

May 28-June 7: Summer School

This is your school. Look forward to seeing you around this summer. Please share ideas and suggestions with the administration.

Arla M. Dockter

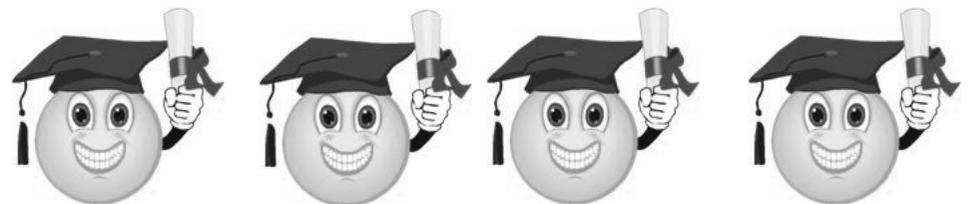
K-8 Principal

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Carolyn Bluestone

HS Principal/Superintendent



On Behalf of the West Segment Tribal Office We would like to congratulate all the graduates at the Mandaree School. Good luck in your future endeavors. From the West Segment Council Representative & Staff

Spirit of Offense



In a self-seeking, self promoting world we have become our own worst enemy. We rarely take the time to listen to our elders teach and share their love of the great yester years of hard work and sacrifice. I thank the Lord for this newspaper, which has provided a vital portion of the teaching and education of the wisdom of our elders, what a great source to reflect and meditate on the wonderful words of our elders.

In Matthew Chapter 18:1 The Disciples were asking Jesus, which was the greatest in the kingdom of heaven? Of all the great patriarch, King, Prophets, Priest, by whom they aspire to be like.

Verse 2. Then Jesus called a little child to Him, set him in the midst of them,

Verse 3. And said, "Assuredly, I say to you, unless you are converted and become as little children, you will not enter the Kingdom of heaven."

Verse 4. "Therefore whoever humbles himself as this little child is the greatest in the Kingdom of heaven.

How shocking it must have been for them to witness their master bring in a little child and tell them they can't even enter heaven let alone be the great in the Kingdom of heaven, except they become as little children. I wonder how long it took for them to wrap their mind around that concept. I don't believe Jesus was referring to an infant who constantly cries to get their way, but of an innocent child who knows absolutely nothing in the world but simply leans trustfully on their parents to be a provider for all their basic needs. Isn't this what Jesus was trying to teach His disciples, to trust in the Lord for ALL our basic needs?

Verse 5. "Whoever receives one little child like this in My name receives Me".

Verse 6. "But whoever causes one of these little ones who believe in Me to sin, it would be better for him if a millstone were hung around his neck, and he were drowned in the depth of the sea.

By now the disciples were probably left speechless hearing severe retribution of offending a child, first they hear the child is the greatest and then they are told to harm the child is guilty of extreme retaliation.

Finally, **Verse 7.** "Woe to the world because of offenses! For offenses must come, but woe to that man by whom the offence come!

Those are very strong words from Jesus, a rebuke and warning to His disciples about hurting, harming or causing to sin, because the little child is trusting in His Lord.

Webster definition for "Woe" is 1. Great sorrow; grief 2. trouble.

Lately, I have been thinking about "Offence", and being offended. How hard it has been to shake off the "spirit of offence", wanting to retaliate and avenge my character. Then the Holy Spirit reminds me of the scripture in the same chapter, when Peter asked Jesus in verse 21. "Lord, how often shall my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? Up to seven times?"

Verse 22. Jesus said to him, "I do not say to you, up to seven times, but up seventy times seven."

Peter was trying to get the "spirit of offence" off him and he kept being offended by the same person. How many times when we are under stress and pressed for time and we lash out in urgency and frustration not thinking about the words we say or how harsh we sound and we offend someone and not realize it? I know I am guilty of doing and saying things in haste and try to justify my actions, but thank God for the Holy Spirit who keeps me in check and requires repentance for a clean and pure heart.

Thinking about being offended reminds me of the wise teachings of elders, when they say pray for your enemies. That's scripture, Matthew 5:44 "But I say to you, love your enemies, bless those who curse you, do good to those who hate you, and pray for those who spitefully use you and persecute you. That's a really hard teaching but it can be done, not of myself but through His Holy Spirit. This is what opens the "Kingdom of Heaven" what a great reward for humbleness! Remember what Jesus said..."but woe to that man by whom the offence comes!"

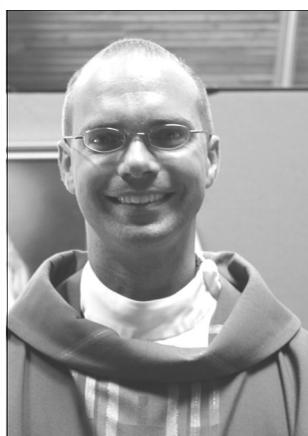
The bottom line for me is simply to forgive, forgive, seventy times seven. I can tell you right now, I can't do it, but the Holy Spirit operating through me can. When you accomplish this you will unlock the "Kingdom of Heaven"

God Bless you on your journey!

Happy Mother's Day to all the moms and Happy Graduation to all the Graduates!

Pastor Elise Packineau,
Mandaree Hidatsa Church

Fort Berthold Catholic Congress All Are Welcome!



I would like to invite all of you to the annual Fort Berthold Catholic Congress to be held at Mandaree this year from Friday, May 24th to Sunday, May 26th. This year's theme is: Divine Mercy. Note that these dates are a week earlier than the customary time for the Congress, which has traditionally been held over the first weekend of June. Sorry we had to move the date this year, as I come to find out recently other important events coincide.

The reason for the change is that Bishop David Kagan would not be able to attend in June due to a planned visit from Cardinal Raymond Burke to the diocese of Bismarck. The visit of a Cardinal {they elect the pope} is a pretty big deal, and I think it's only the first or second time a cardinal of the church has ever come to the diocese. It's sort of like the pope coming to visit. I can understand the Bishop needing to adjust his schedule to accommodate a visit here a week earlier to preside at the 11:00 a.m. Sunday Mass on May 26th, which will conclude the Congress, and administer the Sacrament of Confirmation on many of our young people. If you or anyone of your children/grandchildren who are in the fifth grade on up would like to receive the Sacrament please call me ASAP at 759-3412 and we'll see about getting you Confirmed at that time. It is typically the Bishop who bestows this special Sacrament that strengthens the power and love of the Holy Spirit within the person who receives it with a faithful heart.

The theme of the Catholic Congress this year is "Divine Mercy". In particular, the way devotion to the Divine Mercy of God was shown to the world through St. Faustina Kowalska, a Polish nun who received visions of Jesus in the 1930's. During those visions Jesus commissioned her to spread the message of God's mercy for every person in the world. God is more ready to forgive than we are to ask for forgiveness! That is a fact. God loves us with a passion and drive that is limitless and unconditional. Truly unimpeded!



Marek Faber, a man converted back to the faith through the message of Divine Mercy, will be our speaker throughout the weekend. Marek, along with his wife, are coming all the way from Poland to be with us and share his powerful story that his is invited to share all over the world. About a month or two ago, in fact, he was in the country of Singapore, witnessing to how God has worked and is working in his life. One of the many things that Jesus taught St. Faustina during her

visions was a prayer called the Divine Mercy Chaplet. This prayer can be prayed using regular rosary beads to help you keep track of the prayers. The following is the layout of how to pray it. I hope you are inspired to pray it sometime.

First pray the Our Father, Hail Mary, and the Apostle's Creed.

Then, for each of the five decades {on each "Our Father" bead of the rosary, pray} "Eternal Father, I offer you the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of your dearly beloved Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world."

On each of the 10 "Hail Mary" beads, pray} "For the sake of his sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world."

Concluding prayer {Repeat three times} "Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world". This prayer, known as the Divine Mercy Chaplet, can change your life forever because once we receive God's mercy we are never quite the same again.

Perhaps you have seen an image of the Divine Mercy. Jesus appeared to St. Faustina in a vision with his right hand raised in blessing and his left hand touching his garment by his heart. Red and pale rays shine from his heart down upon us. These rays represent the blood and water that flowed from Jesus' side after he was pierced with a lance during his crucifixion. The crucifixion, death, and subsequent resurrection three days after Jesus' death {EASTER!}, are the source of our salvation and sanctification. The Lord requested to St. Faustina that the words, "Jesus, I trust in You", be written under his image. Jesus asked that the image be painted and venerated throughout the whole world. He said these tremendous words to St. Faustina, "I promise that the soul that will venerate this image will not perish." and, "By means of this image I will grant many graces to souls". {source: Diary of St. Faustina, no. 48 and 742}.

For the entire schedule of the Catholic Congress you can find it on our parish facebook page or website {search St. Anthony Catholic Church, Mandaree}, or pick up a copy of it at the church. You may also call me with any questions @ 759.3412. And yes, campers and tents are welcome! Food provided, Saturday is a potluck dinner, Sunday the church provides a meal after Mass. If you cannot come for the entire Congress, consider coming for a few hours to socialize, pray, and listen to the presentations.

God Bless & Take Care

Father Paul Eberle

St. Anthony's Catholic Church

Mandaree, North Dakota



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2013 Mandaree Celebration

Saturday, July 20 Grand Entry: 1:00pm & 7:00pm

Flag Raising: Charles Blake Sr., Joe Wounded Face Jr., John Smith.

Specials:

In Memory of Dreke Irwin /Chicken Dance with 5 places:

1. \$1,500
2. 1,000
3. 700.00
4. 500.00
5. 300.00

Sponsored by Ann Grinnell and Family

In Memory of Teddy Star/ Team Dance Special/ \$6,000

(3 places) Sponsored by Lloyd Vigen Family

In honor of Dean Bear's Great Great Grandfather/The Late Douglas Standish/Grass dance Special:

1. \$5,000
2. 3,000
3. 2,000

Sponsored by Mabel Charging and Family

Tessa Hold The Enemy/Abbey: Jr. Girls Fancy Special:/

Sponsored by family

In Memory of D.J. Fox/Veteran's Men and Women Dance Special:

Men:

1. \$750.00
2. 500.00
3. 250.00

Women:

1. \$750.00
2. 500.00
3. 250.00

Sponsored by Delma Fox and Family

Sunday, July 21 Grand Entry: 12:00 Noon. 10:00 am Mass/Father Paul

Flag Raising: Henry Young Bird Sr., Matt Young Bird Sr., Leroy Young Bird Sr.

Specials:

Women's Jingle Special: In honor of Jade Robertson:

1. \$1,000
2. 600.00
3. 400.00

In honor of Sierra Little Swallow Women/Traditional/Fancy Shawl:

1. \$1,500
2. 1,000
3. 800.00
4. 500.00

In honor of Roseann Johnson/Women Old Style Jingle/Sponsored by Johnson children. \$3,000

The 2013 Celebration Members would like to thank these sponsors:

TAT/Tribal Council

Four Bears Casino & Lodge

Ener-Plus

Mandaree Community

Mandaree School

QEP Resources

Gaffneys Office Supplies

Mt. Plains L.L.C

Point System

Rations Daily-must be at camp

No Alcohol/Drugs

No Firearms

No Trampolines

No Toy stands

No Checks

Food Stands & Arts & Crafts are \$150.00 per day must have \$400.00 in advance. 24 hour security is provided. The 2013 Mandaree Celebration Committee will not be responsible for any accidents, loss of stolen items or loss of funds.

For Further Information you may Contact:

Eldora Poitra: 759.3064 or cell: 421.6447

Roseann Johnson: 759.3388 or 421.0299

Jolene Fox: 759.3981 or 421.3168

Fort Berthold Community College News

Submitted by: Vonnie Alberts, FBCC Public Relations Director



Lt. Governor Wrigley, Tribal College Presidents, Legislators and supporters gathered to highlight Senate Bill 2218.

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Contact: Jeff Zent or Amanda Godfread 701.328.2200

WRIGLEY HIGHLIGHTS TRIBAL COLLEGE WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT LEGISLATION

Lt. Gov. Wrigley stood with legislators and Tribal College presidents to highlight Senate Bill 2218 which enhances workforce development efforts through North Dakota Tribal Colleges.

“Workforce development has been a significant focus in North Dakota for more than a decade,” said Lt. Governor Wrigley. “Those efforts have helped create more than 100,000 new jobs in North Dakota since 2000, and helped us enjoy the fastest growing personal incomes and the lowest unemployment rate in the nation. Senate Bill 2218 is a continuation of our focus on people and the opportunities available for them to succeed throughout every corner of our state.”

In passing Senate Bill 2218, the Legislature authorized \$5 million in workforce development grants for tribally controlled community colleges. The grants will support degree-or certificate-granting programs that qualify students to earn highly recruited jobs in the state. They will also provide assistance to students to establish new business operating within North Dakota that will employ North Dakotans. Gov, Jack Dalrymple, who was unable to attend today’s press conference due to attending former Governor Bill Guy’s funeral in Fargo, applauded the work the bill will accomplish. “Tribal Colleges in North Dakota have served and

continue to serve a critical role across our state,” Dalrymple said. “Year in and year out, they provide the education and training needed for future generations to fulfill their career goals. This workforce development funding is an extension of that work and will increase the colleges’ abilities to prepare their students in our growing statewide economy.”

“I am most proud of the North Dakota Legislature and particularly the SB 2218 sponsors. This is a worthy investment of State resources that will make a difference in people’s lives. Tribal colleges are accredited, accountable and resourceful. I am excited about the new collaboration with the Commerce Department and the potential for new or expanded partnerships,” said Cynthia Lindquist, President of Cankdeska Cikana (Little Hoop) Community College that serves the Spirit Lake Dakota reservaiton in Fort Totten,ND.

Dr. Cynthia Lindquist, president of Cikana Community College, and Turtle Mountain Community College President Dr. Jim Davis attended the bill’s recognition ceremony and spoke in support of the workforce development funding. The bill was sponsored by Senate Majority Leader Rich Wardner, Sen. Donald Schaible, Sen. John Warner, Rep. Dennis Johnson, Rep. Jim Kasper and Rep. Tracy Boe.

The Department of Commerce will administer the grants through an application process. Recipients will be required to report back to the Department on several factors including expenditures, number of students assisted, graduation rates, new or improved training or other programs leading to a certificate or degree, job placement rates, rate of students assisted who seek further educational opportunities, and the number of jobs or business created.

Ft. Berthold Community College

Tuesday, June 11, 2013

9:00 AM- 4:45 PM

Start Your
Own
Business II

There is no cost for the workshop, however please pre-register by calling the College
Phone: 701-627-4738 Ext 247

CEUs Available

Meeting Room: 73 A-B

9:00 Registration
9:15 Prayer and Introductions
9:30 Home Based Business
10:00 Business Planning
11:30 Lunch
12:00 Personal finance
12:45 Financial Statements
1:45 Break
2:00 Marketing / Pricing
2:45 Hub Zones / Contracting / 8(a)
Women Owned Small Business
Veteran Owned Small Business
4:15 Tribal Tax / TERO
Business License



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1st Annual Veterans Memorial Day Celebration



Another first for the West Segment Community as they host the 1st Annual Veterans Memorial Day Celebration.

Plans are in place for this celebration on Monday, May 27th. The celebration was talked about in a staff meeting with the West Segment Representative and employees. It was decided that the staff will provide a meal during the celebration. This will be a one day

celebration and will take place at the Water Chief Hall in Mandaree, North Dakota. We will be honoring all 2013 graduates from Mandaree and that's from head start to middle and high school.

This Memorial Day Celebration is a great idea to bring our people together for a meal and an evening of dancing. Contest monies will be offered to the winners and the drums will be paid. Registration will open on Monday, May 27th at 12 Noon and will close at 6:30pm.

According to our West Segment Representative Randy Phelan, he stated; "Our visitors will come to our celebration from the Four Bears pow wow which will takes place on May 24-26th. The 1st Annual Veterans Memorial Day Celebration will take place on the following Monday. This will give those who traveled here a chance to win some money. We are inviting our people who wish to do a special in honor of their beloved one or anyone they wish to honor, they can do so during this celebration. So anyone wishing to honor their Veteran or son or daughter who is currently in the service or some other relative a family wishes to honor is certainly welcome to do that at this 1st Annual Memorial Day Celebration.



Phelan also states; "I have lined up Ruben Little Head to announce for this event. So I encourage everyone to come and enjoy themselves"

The West Segment Tribal Office would like to invite everyone to come, eat and enjoy a great evening of contest dancing and listen to some good celebration songs. If you have any questions, or want to do a special or honoring during this celebration, please feel free to contact the West Segment tribal office and ask for Lovina Fox or Maranda Johnson at 759.3377.

For Your Information

*Fort Berthold Diabetes Program
Presents*

"My Native Food Plate"

**Come To Our Spring
Conference And Meet Our
New Dietician John Finn**

Tuesday May 21, 2013

5:00pm-8:00pm

@4Bears Casino MHA Rooms

5:00p-6:00p	Registration, Foot Exams Immunizations, Education Booths
6:00p-6:30p	Dinner
6:30p-8:00p	Speaker John Finn, MPH,RD,LN,LRD

Fort Berthold Diabetes Program
1 Minne-Tohe Drive
New Town, ND 58763
(701)627-7925

Expanded Fine Dining "Bison Room"

"We've made a 6,484 square foot addition to our 4 Bears Casino and Lodge Bison Room fine dining restaurant," says Patrick Packineau, General Manager. "Along with the expansion, we've added a new meeting room and installed custom carpets, a slate tile water feature, stacked stone, pendant lighting, a fireplace and fine linens. We're also talking advantage of natural light and beautiful views of the lake to enhance the fine dining ambiance."

The larger, upgraded Bison Room and Cache Buffet will be open seven days a week beginning at 5pm each day. Four Bears is located four miles west of New Town and is owned by the Three Affiliated Tribes of the Fort Berthold Reservation.

For Your Information



2013 MHA Tourism



Seasonal Opening

Saturday, June 1, 2013

MHA Earth Lodge Village

Parade

Float & Horseback Riders

Line-Up: 9:00am- Four Bears Park

Starts: 10:00am

Cash Prizes

Entertainment

Local Performers (Dance Groups)

Native American Flute Artist: Keith Bear

Foreign Dancers: Professional Polynesian Show

Many Invited Guest Speakers

Professional Polynesian Dancers



Thank you

The 2013 Mandaree Celebration Committee would like to say thank you to the MEA Mandaree Education Association, Student Council and the 8th grade students who all helped during the Warbonnet dance.

We appreciate all your help!

From the 2013 Mandaree Celebration Committee

Happy  Mother's Day

On behalf of West Segment We Would like to Wish every Mother in our community a Very Happy Mother's Day! May Our Creator bless you all. From the West Segment

Representative & Staff Members.

Health Fair

Mandaree Hidatsa Health Fair

will be on May 29th at the Water Chief Hall. If you are interested in having a booth for your organization you can call Vida Craig

at 759. 3377.

North Dakota Department of Transportation News

605 East Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck, ND 58505 Toll free 1.855.637.6237

ND Highway 23 Construction underway east of New Town

A construction project is underway on ND highway 23 from ND highway 8 to ND highway 37 east of New Town. The project will include asphalt paving, permanent signs, highway lighting at intersections, pavement markings, rumble strips and guardrail replacement at the Shell Creek Bridge.

During construction:

- A 55 mph speed limit will be in place for a majority of the project. Speed limits in intermittent areas will be lowered to 40 mph while paving is taking place. A 20mph speed limit will be in place by the Shell Creek Bridge while the guard rail work is taking place.
- Drivers should expect delays.
- A 15-foot width restriction will be in place.
- Flaggers and pilot cars used to direct traffic through the paving operation.
- Traffic safety devices will indicate the edge of driving lanes.

Work is to be completed in June. Help prevent work zone crashes. Motorists are encouraged to slow down allow extra distance between their vehicles and the vehicle in front of them, use caution and obey flaggers and posted signs.

For more information call 511 or NDDOT at www.dot.nd.gov

Obituary



In Loving Memory of Evelyn
F. Hale Woman Who Helps
(Mia-Ahgu-Maa guu dish)

Woman who helps was born on
March 15, 1955 in Garrison, ND
to the late Randol Knight Sr.,
and Joyce Beston. She began
her life with Bernard Nathan
Hale in 1973. Together they had

three totally awesome children, Ladonna, Rodney and Toni
and ten grandchildren.

She was raised in Mandaree but moved to different areas
within North Dakota and California. Throughout her grade
school years she attended school at Mandaree Public School,
St. Josephs in Chamberlain, SD and others in California.

In 1973 she graduated from Mandaree Public School. After
high school she attended firefighting school in Rapid City, SD
to become a Smoke Jumper but didn't pursue any further after
she met her husband. In 1982 they moved to Sacaton, AZ,
from there they continued to travel to Ft. Duchesne, UT in
1984 where she started a career with the Bureau of Indian
Affairs. Then in 1988 they moved to Lower Brule, SD. Finally
they made their way home to Mandaree in 1988. She
continued to work for the BIA for 10 years. The next few years
she worked for Mandaree Public School and 4Bears Casino
and Lodge until she found a comfortable position with the TAT
Social Services. In 2008 she continued her husband's term on
the Tribal Council as the West Segment Representative. She
worked for TAT for 15 years before she retired due to health
problems.

Evelyn always enjoyed spending time with her family
especially her children and grandchildren. She loved to
support them in school activities and frequently
volunteered to help during school events. She loved to
travel especially during the summer because she enjoyed
watching her children and grandchildren dance at pow
wows. She liked to camp and relax by the river as she
looked on to family members fishing. She always
supported her husband's career and took part in events
reservation wide. They traveled everywhere together for
auctions, flea markets, bingo, rodeos, and powwows. Her
hobbies were beading, sewing, baking and cooking. She
was into arts and crafts and always had a project to
finish.

She is survived by her children; LaDonna Hale, Rodney
Hale and Toni Hale all of Mandaree. Her brothers; Wilburt
Bullsnake of Pennsylvania, Ben Young Bear of
Minnesota, Kenton Young Bear of Montana, Randall
Knight Jr., of New Town and her sisters; Nancy Lovan
and Donita Hale both of Mandaree and all her
grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her husband
Nathan Hale, mother Joyce Beston, father Randol Knight
Sr., Step father Ben Lovan, brother Arlie Knight and
nephew Tyson Lovan.

Obituary

In Memory of Evelyn Hale
"Woman Who Helps"
Mia-Ŧhgu-Maa guu dish

Born

March 15, 1955
Garrison,ND

Departed

April 15, 2013
Bismarck, ND

Wake Services:

April 18, 2013
Water Chief Hall
5:00 PM

Funeral Services

April 19, 2013
Water Chief Hall
10:00 AM

Officiating

Father Paul of St. Anthony's in Mandaree, ND

Music By

Gerald Hale

Senior Pallbearer

V. Judy Brugh

Active Pallbearers:

Charles Davis Jr. Robby Knight, Collin Knight, Benny Lovan, Mitchel Lovan,
Eric Knight, David Knight,
James Hale Jr., Ferlon Knight, Rollie Knight, Charlie Vigen, Brandon Hand

Honorary Pallbearers:

Norma Staples, Susan Hall, Lori Agyemang, Joann & Darrel Cummings.
Harriet Goodiron, Lyda Bearstail, Robin Standish, Jenna Snyder,
Dee Wolf, Elaine Johnson, RoseAnn Johnson, all her friends at Kidney
Dialysis Center and TAT Social Services in New Town, ND

Interment:

St. Anthony's Cemetery

Farewell Song:

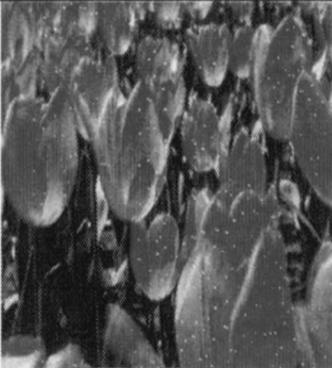
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Arrangements

Fulkerson Funeral Home, Watford City, ND

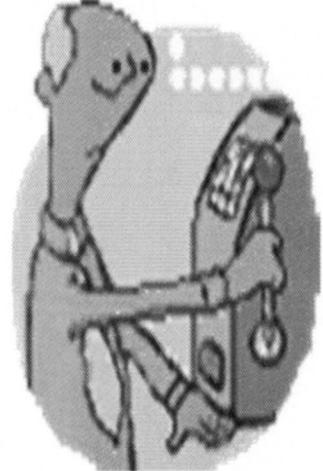
Senior Citizen Menu for the Month of: May 2013

Meals Prepared By: Dinah and Kip Black Hawk

		Pork Chops 1 Dressing/Gravy Squash Apple Crisp	Beef Tips 2 Noodles Broccoli Chocolate Pudding	Fish Burgers 3 French Fries Beets Fruit Cups
Beef Noodle Soup 6 Crackers Waldorf Soup Lemon Pudding	Stuffed Cabbage 7 Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Vanilla Pudding	Polish Sausage 8 Baked Potato Brussels Sprouts Carrot Cake	Chicken Strips 9 Tater Tots Stewed Tomatoes Fruit	Meat Loaf 10 Boiled Potatoes Beets Raisin Bars
Beef Stew 13 Crackers Cottage Cheese Biscuits Cherry Crisp	Spaghetti w/ Meat 14 Sauce Peas Coleslaw Jell-O w/Topping	Veal 15 Mashed Potato Pea Salad Brownies	Turketi Casserole 16 Cucumber Onion Salad Biscuits Chocolate Pudding	Beef Stroganoff 17 Rice Carrots Apricots
Chili 20 Crackers Cheese Cookies	Salisbury Steak 21 Rice Mixed Vegetables Pears	Beefy Pasta Bowl 22 Relish Tray Peaches	Macaroni Hot Dish 23 Green Beans Cinnamon Rolls	French Dip 24 Potato Wedges Tossed Salad Apple Crisp
No Meals  Memorial Day	Chicken Cordon Bleu 28 Boiled Potatoes Waxed Beans Fruit	Roast Beef 29 Mashed Potatoes/ Gravy Corn Baked Buns White Cake	Beef Stir Fry 30 Noodles Squash Pistachio Pudding	Swiss Steaks 31 Mashed Potatoes Broccoli Butterscotch Pudding

Senior Citizen Menu for the Month of: June 2013

Meals Prepared By: Dinah and Kip Black Hawk

Beef Noodle 3 Waldorf Salad Biscuits Lemon Pudding	Green Peppers 4 Mashed Potatoes Squash Blueberry Crisp	Pork Chops 5 Dressing/Gravy Green Beans Pineapple upside down cake	Beef Tips 6 Noodles Broccoli Chocolate Pudding	Fish Burgers 7 Macaroni/Cheese Beets Fruit Cups
NO Meals	Safe Serve	Training	All Week	!!!
Chicken Noodle 17 Soup Chicken Patty Sandwich Relish Tray Apple Crisp	Spaghetti w/meat 18 Sauce Peas Cottage Cheese Jello	Polish Sausage 19 Baked Potato Brussels Sprouts Cake	Chicken Strips 20 Tater Tots Stewed Tomato Tapioca Pudding	Sweet/ Sour Pork 21 Rice Carrots Shebert
Chicken/Rice Soup 24 Pasta Salad Pears	Salisbury Steaks 25 Rice Mixed Vegetables Vanilla Pudding	Ham Sliced 26 Mashed Potato Corn Ice Cream	Macaroni Hot Dish 27 Green Beans Cucumber Salad Brownies	French Dip 28 Potato Wedge Tossed Salad Butterscotch
			Elders Meal Site 759-3092 Elders Program 759-3099	Please call either the meal site or the program if you will not be home for your meal delivery. Thank you.



Our Deepest Sympathy & Prayers to the family and relatives of Evelyn Hale on the loss of your beloved one.

May Our Creator be with each and every one of you and grant you comfort and peace.

From The West Segment Representative & Staff

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West Segment May 17th, & 18th 2013

Community Rummage Sale 11:00 am-5:00 pm

Sale

Spring

West Segment Community is having a rummage sale!

Reserve your tables for a bake sale, arts & crafts, or rummage sale. At Water Chief Hall in Mandaree.

Tables are \$5.00 per table. (Limit 3)

There will be an auction at 12pm on

Saturday the 18th, 2013

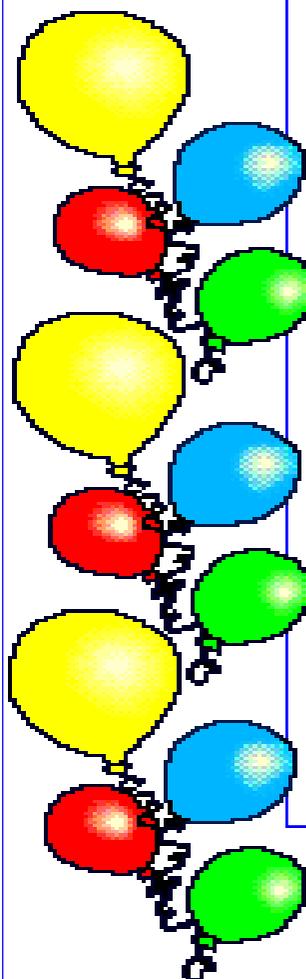
For more information contact the West Segment Office

@ 759-3377 ask for Maranda or Leanna

Hope to see you there !!!

May Happy Birthday Wishes To Our Elders!

Joyce Rave
Corrine Brugh Sage
Al Newman Sr.



*Please forgive us if we forgot to mention your name, it was not done intentionally.