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Cost: \$15.00 per person

Please RSVP by January 17 to
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We look forward to you joining us for
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**THIS MEETING IS
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Social: 5:30p.m.

Dinner: 6:15 p.m.

Business Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

Program: 7:45 p.m.

GUEST SPEAKER
Wade Boeshans

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Mr. Boeshans will be talking
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From carols to a country song, wow!

I used to be a lot like Frosty and Santa. You know-fat, jolly, pipe smoker. Enter flabby, crabby and nicotine starved. Nope, I'm not a jolly, happy soul. No corn cob pipe. And Santa? Why I have a naughty list that is way longer than the Trump impeachment articles. And, even nastier! All those people who said pipes are smelly are the kind to drop a bomb in a crowded room, walk away quietly, hope no one notices and if they do are too polite to mention it.

Well, if Frosty, Santa, General MacArthur and Joe Stalin had to give up pipes, I suppose a poor Indian boy from the Reservation, just trying to get by, someone like me, really had no chance. However. Medical Marijuana may change all that! If I ever get a card, my next stop will be to a place where I can buy a corn cob pipe at least as big as the one the General puffed, while fuming over the Japanese.

Naturally, the world savers warn that marijuana is way worse to smoke than regular tobacco. And you could get addicted and die. Note: I am 73 darn years old and, by golly, I doubt I've that long to suffer or make others suffer, for that matter. Also note: I've had one quiet death, I'd like the next one to be a bit more celebratory and I'd have a chance to wave goodbye.

A preacher said all my sins are forgiven, including that one I kind of brushed over, my being a newspaperman. I think that one is because I was corrupted in my youth and fake news hadn't been identified yet.

My horse and my dog both died. My wife left me. When I get to Heaven, I know I'll have a good horse and a good dog waiting for



TRACKS IN THE SAND KEN BEAUCHAMP

me. If there's more, I'll suspect something's up. Anyone calls me "Honey", I'm headin' the other way!

You see, that's how things go. I was sitting here feeling sorry for myself, taking a break from being powerful to pitiful, just to rest up and regroup, and along comes a problem.

"That's just not true," she said. "Your horse would buck for no reason; your dog didn't hunt, and I didn't leave you. Well, sort of. Maybe. But maybe the other wives will be waiting for you."

"That's just mean," I said. "You know this is the year I planned to work on my feelings. I was even planning to write a self-help book, just for all the folks who didn't get anything out of the many, many such tools already out there. I was even thinking about becoming one of those life coaches you hear about. So many damsels, so much distress!"

"You must still have a mirror and a calendar at the House of Misery," she snapped. "I suggest you look in one and check the numbers on the other. Your old days done died!"

Well, three chords, a bridge and a sad story make a country song. In some cases multiple albums. There are a lot of factors that go into that.

People ask, "How old are you?" Old enough to be alive. For the moment. Then they ask, "When are you

going to quit working and retire?" I say, "I don't know what to tell you." Which draws this response from my conscience, who never did like my horse or my dog. "Another of your smart-ass answers." Well, I thought it was being honest. Well, it ain't dog years, that's for sure.

When I do retire, I plan to learn how to play the guitar. Write songs not columns. But, continue to share the misery. I've had my columns read in bars and churches, maybe I can do it in song. Let's just say, I need a challenge. And the conscience said, "I think most of the columns got read on the toilet."

I have located someone to teach me guitar. Well, someone who said the magic word "might". We all know that "might" is owned by "depending on". I think I may have said something, and negotiations might be stalled. Depending on.

A friend of mine said that if they played my life inspired songs in the bars, every day would be as sad, distressing and good for bar owners as "Mothers Day, a great festival of 'tearjerkers' and beer. Then it hit me. Mom will be waiting for me, too. Well, maybe she's had time to do something with that damn horse and worthless dog. However, she's had plenty of years to, let's say, get ready.

As my favorite philosopher would say. "Oh well!!!!"

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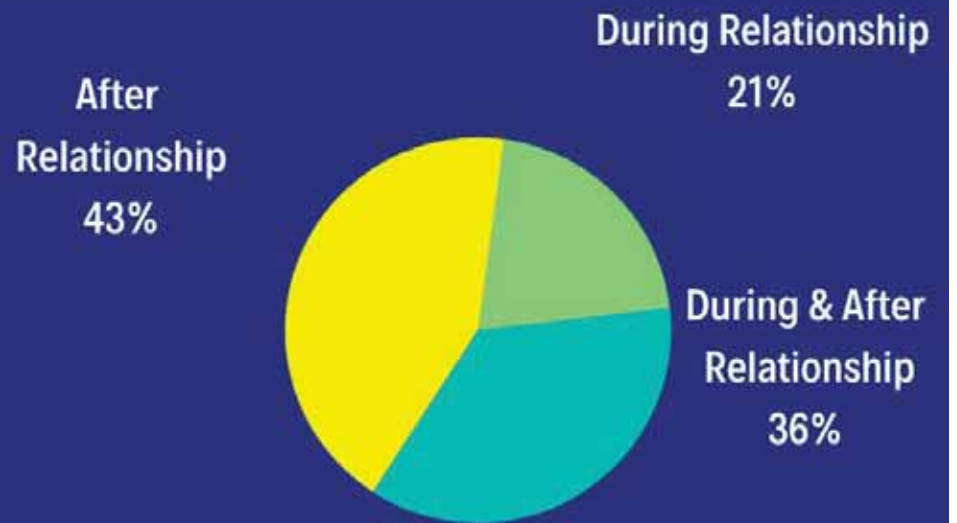
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- False ID/Lying about age
- Signs of physical abuse
- Disappearing/Running away frequently
- Same girl with different men
- Lots of motel keys
- Recurring STI's
- Numerous school absences
- Expensive cars in low-end motels

**SIGNS TO
WATCH FOR**

- Young girls with revealing clothes
- Name tattooed on neck, chest, arm
- Girls dropped off at hotel
- Drug/Alcohol use
- Girls not familiar with area
- Young girls with older men
- Controlling older boyfriend

- Girls with belongings in plastic bag or no luggage
- Lots of cash
- Frequent pregnancy tests/abortions
- Inability to speak on own
- Fearful, withdrawn, anxious
- Hotel rooms with cash, drug items, lingerie
- Several girls staying long-term at hotel

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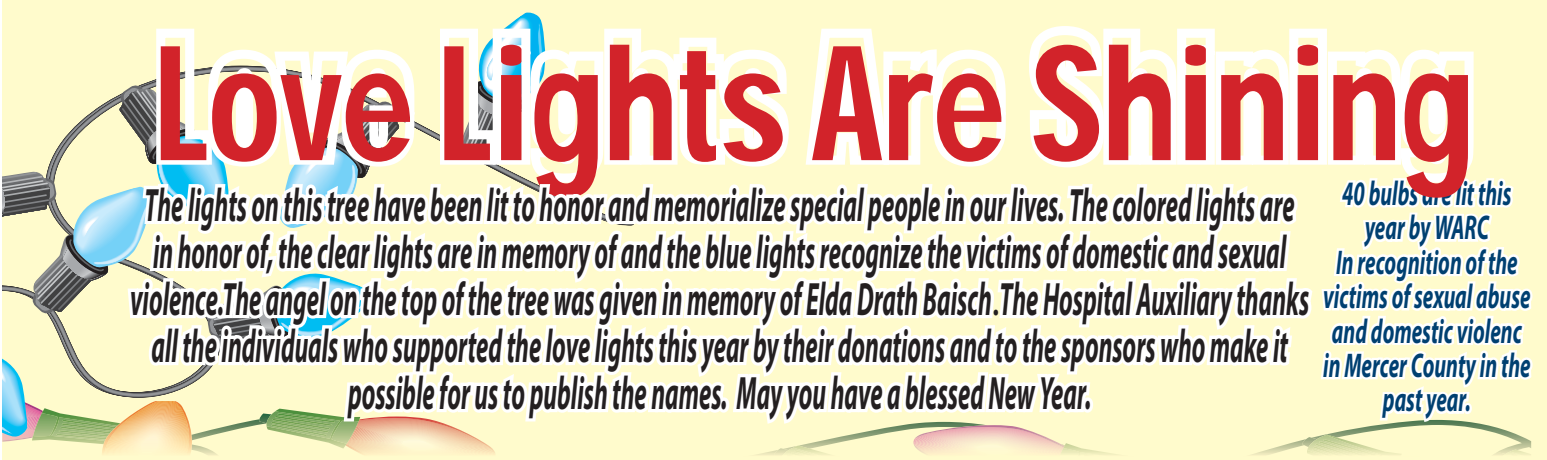
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Love Lights Are Shining

The lights on this tree have been lit to honor and memorialize special people in our lives. The colored lights are in honor of, the clear lights are in memory of and the blue lights recognize the victims of domestic and sexual violence. The angel on the top of the tree was given in memory of Elda Drath Baisch. The Hospital Auxiliary thanks all the individuals who supported the love lights this year by their donations and to the sponsors who make it possible for us to publish the names. May you have a blessed New Year.

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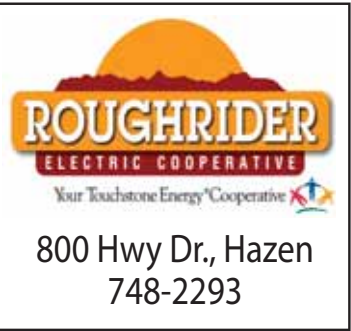
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Natural Resources Trust Making Grassland Gains in ND

By NICK SIMONSON

With a mission to preserve, enhance, restore, and manage wetlands, associated wildlife habitat, grasslands, and riparian areas in the state, the North Dakota Natural Resources Trust (NRT) is tackling those lofty goals with precision programs that help not only create and improve those wild spaces, but also assist farmers and energy producers with conservation solutions resulting in a greener landscape and stronger wildlife populations, even in the state's most developing areas.

"What's really unique about the trust is it's able to take opportunities to partner with a lot of different conservation organizations, agricultural organizations and energy corporations and really do a lot of work for grassland enhancement; doing habitat work, planting new areas into grasslands and also wetland creation," states Jesse Beckers, NRT Conservation Program Coordinator.

Across the state the NRT works with landowners, conservation groups, agricultural entities and oil and gas companies to find opportunities to create and restore grasslands and wetlands for the benefit of wildlife, water quality and the nearby populations dependent on clean soil and water. As part of the process, the trust, with funding through the North Dakota Outdoor Heritage Fund (OHF) – a large pool of money generated by taxes on oil production in the Peace Garden State for conservation purposes – and other sources, finds cost-sharing methods to help defray the expenses for private land improvements as part of its targeted programs. In the most recent round of funding, the NRT received from the OHF \$100,000 for its private land efforts. By enhancing grassland and wetland cover on private lands, the trust helps secure soil and further filter water entering local watersheds and creates habitat which sustains populations of non-game species and huntable game as well.

"In North Dakota we're partnered with the North Dakota Outdoor Heritage Fund that the industrial commission oversees," Beckers relates, as the trust focuses on finding those opportunities in a time of declining habitat, "native grasslands are becoming less and less, bird populations are becoming less and less, so [the partnership] really provides an opportunity for landowners and livestock producers in particular to enhance their operations, number one, but two, provide habitat for those species that rely on grasslands and wetlands that all of us enjoy in North Dakota."

In addition to the trust's statewide efforts at improving habitat and restoring grassland and wetland acres, specialized programs designed to lessen the im-



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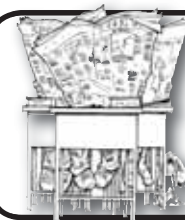
The North Dakota Natural Resources Trust is focused on restoring and preserving grasslands and wetlands and improving habitat to sustain non-game and huntable species in the state while providing increased opportunities for sportsmen.

pact of oil and gas development in western North Dakota are at the forefront of its activities. With the NRT's Bakken Development and Working Lands Program, those acres affected by oil and gas development, such as spaces immediately adjacent to oil wells or areas affected by spills or erosion, can be rehabilitated and costs for restoration can be offset through the program. Additionally, farmers finding that their soils are becoming less and less productive for wheat or corn in the region are turning to the trust for solutions, and retirement of those acres into grassland is a viable option under the program which has a particular focus on McKenzie and Dunn Counties where the need is very significant. Having just rolled out in 2019, the immediate success is notable.

"Just in the Bakken Development Working Lands Program, so far in this first year of 2019, well over 3,000 acres of grassland habitat

have been created or enhanced," Beckers states, "[producers] are looking for opportunities to plant those acres back into grass and really the Bakken Development Program is a prime tool that those landowners can use – the men and women that are working on the landscape – to bring those grasslands back and with that you get more grassland bird nesting cover," he explains.

Through the power of cost-sharing which makes conservation efforts affordable for farmers, ranchers and energy companies, the trust is looking to a future where cooperation across multiple entities leads to bigger and better gains for habitat in North Dakota. In turn, improved soil and water quality will benefit wildlife and people downstream as well. For more information on the NRT, visit ndnrt.com and for details on its conservation and cost-share programs, contact Beckers at (701) 223-8501 or via email at: jesse@naturalresources-trust.com.



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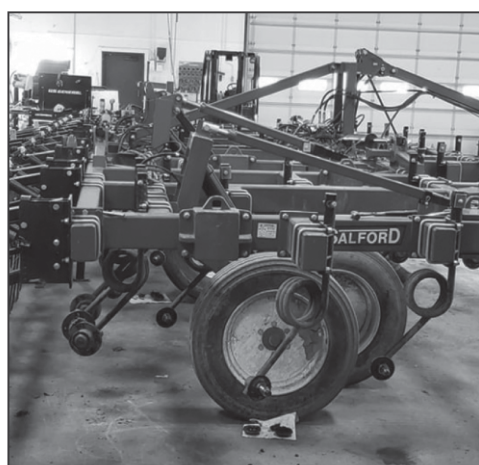
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The recent warm temperatures and sunny skies have been nice – but we all know what's waiting for us just around the corner – Winter! The cold and snowy season is almost here and the question is – are you ready for it?

You should ... Get a Kit ... Make a Plan ... and Be Informed. Keep a high level of situational awareness by listening to the forecast every day. When snow, sleet, or freezing rain is in the forecast expect that it will impact your day to day routine, and be ready when it does!

Mercer County Sheriff's Dept. Travel Advisories What they mean –

Use caution advisory – is issued by this office when visibility is reduced and driving conditions require that people reduce speed.

No travel advised – means that law enforcement and the highway department have determined that near zero visibility is occurring and/or that the driving surface of the road is blocked or covered with ice and driving is a deterrent

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Warning or Advisory is issued when a hazardous winter weather event is occurring, is imminent, or has a high probability of occurrence. A warning is used when there is a threat to life or property. An advisory is for less serious conditions that cause inconvenience, and, if caution is not used, could lead to situations that may threaten life or property.

Snow criteria for a warning is 6 inches or more in 12 hours or less, OR, 8 inches or more in 24 hours or less. Snow criteria for an advisory is 3 to 5 inches.

Winter Storm Warnings and Winter Weather Advisories may be issued for a combination of elements like snow coupled with wind and blowing snow, or snow coupled with sleet and freezing rain.

• **Sleet** is pellets of ice. Sleet bounces when it hits the ground.

• **Freezing Rain** is rain that freezes when it hits the ground or objects on the ground. It forms a sheet or glaze of ice.

• **Ice Storm** is used to describe occasions when the ice from freezing rain is significant enough (1/4 inch thick or more) to cause damage

• **Blizzard** is a storm with winds of 35 mph or higher AND visibility frequently below 1/4 mile in snow and/or blowing snow AND these conditions last three (3) hours or longer. There is no set temperature requirement for a blizzard.

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