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## War Gardens DAKOTA DATEBOOK

BY JIM DAVIS

September 28, 2020 —  
When America entered World War I, it was not prepared. President Wilson's program of providing aid, but still remaining neutral, had inspired a complacent atmosphere. The Declaration of War changed that. It was a time when most farmers still relied on horses, and the expected five-fold increase in agricultural production meant longer hours and better equipment. Seed grain was needed, large acreages needed plowing. This would all take time. In addition, farm machinery was difficult to obtain, and the cost of pig iron and the steel casings needed to manufacture new implements was rising dramatically. Then there was the shortage of skilled factory labor.

With the young men going off to war, there would also be an intense shortage of farm labor. To address that, many areas within the state were forming organizations, with names like the Mouse River Valley Immigration Bureau, to

encourage immigration.

But food production in North Dakota was not only for the farmer. War gardens were springing up in communities across the state. In Garrison, the Mayor plowed up his lawn and planted it to potatoes and corn. A local banker, also a city official, followed suit, and soon every square foot of tillable ground in Garrison had been planted to gardens.

In Grand Forks, the high school had a summer agricultural training class and provided a garden on the school grounds. Students received credits for participating in the program, with each one responsible for a half-acre plot. Over one hundred students were taking part.

Food conservation was also part of the war effort. Louis Moothart of Cando was a crack shot with a rifle, and in a two-month period he had managed to kill or wound over nine hundred Richardson ground squirrels, commonly called Flickertails. Based on the loss of a bushel of grain per critter, not including all of the off-

spring these rodents would produce, his prowess with a rifle saved nine hundred bushels of grain. At \$2.00 per bushel, over eighteen hundred dollars was added to the local economy for the war effort.

Then there was the story of the city lad in North Dakota who wanted to do his bit to help with the war by raising potatoes. He was a little distraught when an extension bulletin indicated that potatoes were supposed to be raised in hills. His yard was perfectly flat. Of course the name of the city where he lived was not provided, for this was that proverbial kind of guy who always lived over in the next county.

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## Recent Deer Die-Offs Likely from EHD

BY NICK SIMONSON  
DAKOTA EDGE OUTDOORS

Reports throughout southwestern North Dakota of dead and dying whitetail deer discovered on the landscape - but particularly related to drainages and low water areas - are likely the result of an increase in a viral infection particular to the animals. Epizootic Hemorrhagic Disease (EHD) is a virus carried by biting midges, which at this time in the season are predominantly found around sloughs, stock ponds and other damp areas.

EHD causes dehydration and a fever, which may result in sick deer seeking water sources. Additional symptoms of the infection include respiratory issues, swelling of the neck and head, indifference to humans and ultimately, hemorrhaging which results in death.

Dr. Charlie Bahnson, D.V.M., Wildlife Veterinarian for the North Dakota Game &

Fish Department (NDG&F) cautions the public that the recent increase in reports of dead and dying deer are most likely the result of EHD, and not Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD), which is a prion-based neurological disease that has captured headlines with its spread in the state and across North America.

"Unfortunately, I think people confuse EHD with CWD, but CWD is this more subtle thing that grows, you don't see five deer that all died at once in a drainage like that, it's more of a slow, subversive thing," Bahnson explains, continuing, "EHD can have dramatic effects in a single year like this, it can be that in a bad year, you'll go into a drainage and find a number of deer that are dead, but fortunately the population does rebound with time, you get the immunity built up in the population and it's good to go for a couple of years, so it's this cyclical thing that happens."

As summer progresses into fall, it takes time for enough of the biting midges to develop and start feeding off their host and there's also the viral component as well, and that too must develop over the season in order to cause heightened die-offs of deer. When the two elements of virus and vector come together, that's when people begin to observe more sick and dying deer on the landscape. There's debates as to why some years are worse, according to Bahnson, and factors can vary widely. 2012 was a notably bad year for the prevalence of EHD throughout the country and North Dakota. There's a lot of complicated factors, including prevalence of water, development of midges,

exposure to the virus in limited levels and the development of herd immunity, and the absence of that immunity in populations that may not have been exposed to the virus in recent years.

"Down in those counties where we've got it right now, we've had a number of years where we've had little to no hemorrhagic disease and so we really have a naive population with a lot of animals that have never been exposed, so it sets itself up for an outbreak like this," Bahnson relates, "it tends to only be in whitetails and then this time of year, given the fact that we've been getting reports across that particular [southwestern] region is all strongly suggestive of the fact that's what's going on and a lot of the time people will report they were here yesterday, and today they're here, and there's a deer that's almost dead or dead, so it's really super-fast acting; the deer tend to have a really good healthy condition, and then it's almost like they drop over dead," he concludes.

According to the NDG&F, the prevalence of deer deaths from EHD tends to decline after the first hard frost, as the cold weather kills the biting midges which transmit the virus. For more information on EHD and other wildlife diseases, their symptoms, and effects on the herd, visit [gf.nd.gov/wildlife/diseases](http://gf.nd.gov/wildlife/diseases).



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## Sunday, September 27

The McLean County Speedway in Underwood will be having the Coal County Classic races at 4 p.m.

## Tuesday, September 29

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## Thursday, October 1

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**Sept. 29:** Tater tot casserole, mixed vegetable, creamy cucumber salad, gelatin with fruit cocktail.

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**Oct. 1:** Beef taco salad with tortilla chips, salsa and sour cream, tropical fruit.

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# OUR OUTDOORS

## Scent Checked



**BY NICK SIMONSON**  
 DAKOTA EDGE OUTDOORS

In the headlights, the yellowing leaves of fall in the ash tree alongside the approach on the gravel country road were pre-dawn reminders of the ongoing seasonal shift. The cool air that curled into the truck as I opened the door was the second, and the third was the ritualistic walk around the pickup to the back and the uncasing of my bow for my first morning sit of the season, having previously taken on some warmer patrols in the evenings. The quiet calm of the cool darkness before sunrise was only occasionally disrupted by a cricket cadence as I slipped into my safety harness and made my way down the two-wheel path and across the cattle guard which provided slow-step passage over the low creek.

Not long after taking my stand on the north end of the open field, gray shadows slipped into the hay lot, one after another, moving from east to west under the first light of a weak sunrise hidden by the haze which made the deer seem to float and slide

across the stretch of cut grass. In the windows created by the branches in the sprawling boxelder trees around me, I'd frame the dark form of a doe or fawn, and watch it until it would move to the far side of the field and disappear into the brush along the small river's edge at the far end of the field.

The sun struggled to rise through the trees on the eastern edge of the parcel and its weak red light provided only slight illumination to the first half hour of the day through the high haze and the last of the morning fog rising from the creek bottom.

In the stillness, the crashing bound of a whitetail doe was easy to detect as it dashed out of the woods and into the field and checked its surroundings before settling down to graze its way in a straight line toward the opening in the fence line. As it reached the point where it was about to disappear into the tangled trees on the edge of my vision, it was met by another doe and two fawns, the latter still light brown with the slightest spotting from their first summer still visible on their hind quarters in the growing daylight.

As the trio began moving toward my position, the swish of grass close by caught my attention and a spike buck appeared off a side trail 30 yards from my stand. He hopped over the two remaining strings of barbed wire and took the edge of the field in front of me. At 15 yards, he paused and lifted his

nose high in the air and craned his neck over and over again, throwing his head back in an attempt to pick out the strange scent he obviously detected. With no wind, it was likely that even despite my best efforts to wash and dry my clothes in scent-free fashion and to spray down with cover scent, he was able to pick out that something unnatural was nearby.

While he didn't snort, stomp or even raise his tail in alarm, his five minute scent check provided me with a great opportunity to watch the behavior up close as he moved in to 10 yards, the grassy edge of the hayed field acting as a physical boundary to his investigation. Unable to make me out, my physical presence was shielded by overhanging branches and holding still with my bow breaking up the rest of my form, he continued on after he was unable to confirm the source of the something strange he smelled, but could not ascertain.

The doe and her fawns followed suit, less concerned and they all wandered off to the north and their likely bedding spots for the day. The close encounter provided yet another lesson on the powerful senses possessed by those who survive the challenges of nature and allowed an observance of deer biology and keen ability, helping to add to the experience and take note of yet another important aspect of what is always a challenging and enjoyable hunt ... in our outdoors.

# Behind the Mask

## PRAIRIE DOC

**BY MANDI GREENWAY, M.D.**  
 CONTRIBUTING COLUMNIST

It is a classic presentation: The middle-aged man who develops a painful, swollen, great toe the morning after indulging in a steak dinner with a few beers. The savvy clinician will immediately identify this diagnosis, and I imagine much of the general public might recognize it as well. It's "The Gout."

Gout is a unique type of inflammatory arthritis in which a substance called uric acid, accumulating in too-high amounts in the bloodstream, forms crystals within a joint. The presence of those microscopic crystals causes the immune system to attack the "foreign" substance, and the result is excruciating pain. I have seen many a patient limp or be wheelchair into the exam room when this process occurs in their toe, ankle, or knee. In the most severe cases, patients might be admitted to the hospital.

Gout has been recognized as a disease for many centuries,

being described in ancient Egyptian texts in 2600 B.C. and later by the famed Greek physician Hippocrates around 400 B.C. It was once known as the "arthritis of the rich," and the "disease of kings," given its propensity to occur after consuming rich food and alcohol. Uric acid crystals were first visualized under a microscope in 1679, during the microscope's early years, by another famous historical scientist, Antoni van Leeuwenhoek. The chemical composition of what he saw, however, was not known until more than a century later.

If you have had the agony of experiencing a gout attack, know that you are in excellent company. Both Benjamin Franklin and Thomas Jefferson were known to suffer from gout, and historians have speculated that their shared experience led to their strong connection at the time of the American Revolution. In fact, reports have stated that Franklin, unable to walk due to a gouty attack, was carried on a chair into the Constitutional Convention by convicts. Western history and literature are full of

references to "The Gout."

Today, gouty arthritis is a fairly common disease. It tends to affect men more than women, and generally occurs in middle-aged and older adults. Treatment of the acute episode is fairly simple; often we just use anti-inflammatory medication. In patients who have recurrent problems with gout we consider daily medication that lowers the level of uric acid in the bloodstream altogether, which is typically highly effective.

"The Gout" of ancient times was a life-altering condition and as such found its way into many historical texts and literature. Today, well, it's just gout. And usually, we can treat it very effectively.

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- 1992 White-GMC Model WG64 Dump Truck, \_\_\_ mi., Eaton Fuller Road Ranger Cummins L-10-260 Eng., 9 Spd. Trans., w/ Swanston 14' Box, DBL Ax., 11Rx22.5 Rubber @ 50%.
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- Consignment (John Truchan 701-260-1127)
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- Bobcat 68 Lo Pro Dirt Bucket
- Bobcat 2016 GRPL 78 INDL Fork
- Bobcat 48 HYD Pallet Forks
- Bobcat 2003 Pallet Forks Type 74425.0
- Bobcat Stanley Mounted Breaker
- Bobcat 2008 72 Sweeper
- Bobcat Angle Broom 48
- Bobcat Seeder 72SDR
- Bobcat Bushcat 60
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**MISC.**

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- Thawzall H250 Heat Zone, Diesel, 587 Hrs.
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Notice is hereby given to all landowners and renters in Sheridan County to cut all weeds and grasses along the shoulder right of way on township roads adjoining their land by **October 1, 2020** as provided for in section 63-05-01 and 02 of the North Dakota Century Code. If weeds and grasses are not cut by this time, the Sheridan County Commission will instruct the County Road Crew or Organized Township to cut weeds. The cost of cutting such weeds and grasses in each township will be charged \$125.00 per mile and such charges shall become part of the taxes to be levied against such land for 2020. Notice is also given to all landowners and renters that no electric fencing is allowed along shoulder right of way on township or County roads and removal of bales along road right of way must be removed by **November 1, 2020** or bales will be burned. Removal of any equipment along road right of way must be done by **November 1, 2020** also or equipment will be towed and cost of towing will be charged to the equipment owner. By order of the Board of Sheridan County Commissioners this 1st day of September, 2020.

Sheridan County Commissioners  
MICHAEL AXT, CHAIRMAN  
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**SUPPORT GROUP:** Alcoholics Anonymous Hotline 1-888-680-0651. AA meetings in Center, Sundays at 5pm. CT at St. Paul Lutheran Church 794-3381; in Garrison, Thursdays at 8 pm at SACA Lodge, 11 Central Ave NW (1 block west of auditorium); in Washburn Sundays at 7 pm. First Lutheran Church (701-460-1373 or 701-202-6701); in Wilton, Mondays at 7 pm at Sacred Heart Church (734-6533). Open meeting Butte, call 626-7402 or write Box 244, Butte, ND 58723; in McClusky at Grace Lutheran Church, 402 4th St. W, Sundays at 8 pm. Positive Changes NA, Fridays at 7 pm, Washburn United Methodist Church 701-460-0663.

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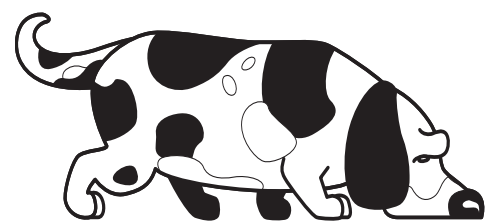
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# Country Kitchen Recipes

## BUTTERNUT SQUASH AND SPINACH LASAGNA

*By Julie's Album*

**Ingredients**

**Butternut Squash Filling:**  
 2 cups butternut squash puree (about half of squash)  
 1 cup ricotta cheese  
 1/2 cup milk or more, if needed  
 1/4 teaspoon salt plus 1/8 teaspoon more  
 1/4 teaspoon nutmeg

**Spinach Filling:**  
 8 oz spinach (1 cup cooked spinach)  
 1 cup ricotta cheese  
 1 cup mozzarella cheese  
 2 garlic cloves minced  
 1/4 teaspoon salt  
 pepper to taste

**Other Ingredients:**  
 10 oz lasagna noodles cooked  
 1 1/2 cups mozzarella cheese or more  
 1/2 cup Parmesan cheese on top  
 1/4 teaspoon Italian seasoning  
 1/4 teaspoon Paprika  
 1/4 teaspoon Basil

**Directions**  
 Preheat oven to 375 F.












**Butternut Squash Filling:**  
 For this filling, you will need to have pre-cooked butternut squash puree. Using food processor, combine 2 cups of butternut squash puree with Ricotta cheese, milk, salt and nutmeg. Add more milk if needed (to make the butternut squash filling very creamy). Mix very well, taste and add more salt, if needed.

**Spinach Filling:**  
 Combine spinach, Ricotta cheese, mozzarella, garlic, salt and pepper. Mix, taste, and add more salt and pepper, if needed.

**Cooking lasagna noodles:**  
 Bring a very large pot of water to boil, and cook lasagna noodles according to package instructions. Rinse in cold water, drain. Using knife, trim noodles to fit your baking dish (if necessary).

**How to assemble vegetarian lasagna:**  
 Prepare a baking dish - I used a casserole dish 11 inches x 8.5 inches x 3 inches deep. Grease the lasagna dish lightly with olive oil spray. Spread 1/3 of butternut squash filling on the bottom of the dish. Sprinkle lightly with mozzarella cheese. Top with cooked lasagna noodles without overlapping (I used 3 noodles).  
 Spread half of spinach filling over the noodles. Top lightly with Mozzarella cheese. Top with cooked noodles.  
 Spread another layer (1/3) of butternut squash mixture, then sprinkle lightly with Mozzarella cheese. Top with cooked noodles.  
 Spread the remaining half of spinach filling over the noodles. Top lightly with Mozzarella cheese. Top with the final layer of cooked noodles.  
 Spread a generous amount of butternut squash filling (the remaining 1/3) over this final layer of noodles, sprinkle with grated Parmesan and remaining mozzarella cheese (about 1/2 cup of mozzarella). Generously sprinkle the cheese with Italian seasoning, paprika, basil.  
 Cover the baking dish with foil and bake for 30 min. Remove foil and bake additional 10 minutes.

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11. Frequent advertising helps maintain higher revenue levels in the off season.
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9. Advertising frequently = higher than average results. 
8. Advertising is your smallest business expense, yet without it, your business could fail. 
7. You should count the day as a loss if • Your store doesn't open • Your shelves aren't stocked • Your phone is disconnected • Your sales staff doesn't show up • Your ad didn't run! 
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**General Election 2020**

The General Election for 2020 is fast approaching. McLean County has been a Vote By Mail County since 2012 with four polling location and this will continue for the 2020 General Election.

Before the Primary Election applications were sent out to all active and inactive voters in McLean County If you received one and returned it to our office with General or Statewide Elections marked you are set to receive your ballot at the end of September for the General Election. Remember to mail your ballot in early or you can drop it off in the Drop Box in front of the McLean County Courthouse in Washburn.

Those who did not mark General or all State Wide Elections should be receiving a Ballot Application around the 21st of September. After you have filled out your Application please return it to the McLean County Auditor's Office by mail, Drop Box or in person.

**\*\*\*\*It is very important to fill out the application completely, name, phone number, date of birth, ID used, ID number, residential address, mailing address and signature.\*\*\*\***

Signatures on the ballot envelope affidavits will be compared to signatures on the ballot applications. If the signatures do not appear to match, the ballot could be rejected. If the ballot is rejected the McLean County Auditor's office will do our best to contact you to provide you the opportunity to verify the authenticity of the signatures.

McLean County's polling locations:

Washburn Memorial Building (Vote Center)	805 Main Ave.	Washburn, ND
Turtle Lake Legion (Vote Center)	232nd Ave East	Turtle Lake, ND
Garrison City Auditorium (Vote Center)	15 Main St South	Garrison, ND
Arikara Cultural Center	100 Sahnish Dr.	White Shield, ND

**\*\*\*\*These sites will be open from 7:00am to 7:00pm on Election Day\*\*\*\***

\*\*\*\*The Drop Box in front of the McLean County Courthouse will be open 24 hours a day, however it will close on November 2nd at 5:00pm\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*The McLean County Courthouse will be open from 8am -12pm on October 17, 24 & 31, 2020 for in-person absentee voting.\*\*\*\*

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**Where do ads appear?** Advertisers choose between having their ad on the home page of an individual newspaper, the home page of the main BHG site or on every home page on the site. Ads will be at the top of the page, to the right of news stories and photos.

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**Fast Facts about BHGnews.com**

- Roughly 3,500 users and 7,000 sessions per month
- An average of 650 new users in one week
- Roughly 600 e-edition views per week -- and growing.
- 65-70 percent of users are new users, with 30-35 percent being return visitors.

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