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■ March 25 & 26 ... 7:30 p.m.





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TURTLE LAKE RURAL AMBULANCE DISTRICT ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION

The Turtle Lake Rural Ambulance District will hold it's
Annual Meeting and Election
on Monday, March 28th, 2022,
at 7:00 pm at the
Turtle Lake Fire Hall.
Joan Walcker, Secretary
(March.17, 2022)



March is Deceptive

DAKOTA GARDENER

By Joe Zeleznik, Forester NDSU Extension

March is deceptive.

The days are getting longer, and at spring equinox, daylength is increasing at its

But it's still winter. We're going to get more snow and there will still be days that have below-zero temperatures.

Yet I can't help but be optimistic. By the end of April, and maybe even sooner, new life will burst forth from the trees, shrubs and other plant life. The world will become greener.

For now, though, it's still March and there's a lot of snow on the ground. Trees are mostly dormant and that's good. They're hunkered down. Or are they?

One of the challenges for trees in the northern Great Plains is the extreme variability in our weather. I've seen the earliest fall frost occur in August and 60-degree temperatures occur in February. Those situations are extremely hard on trees, especially non-natives.

In March 2021, the temperature swings were huge. Daily highs were in the 50s and 60s. Sometimes the nights were below freezing while other nights were relatively warm.

As an example, on March 19, 2021, in Bowman, North Dakota, the temperature was 16Fat 7 a.m., and it rose to 65 F by 4 p.m. Less than 12 hours later, it was below freezing again.

These massive temperature swings are common in February and March. I call it "the mid-winter fake out." Temperatures go up and we celebrate. Temperatures fall and we're saddened.

How do the trees deal with it? As always, it depends.

Our native trees - the ash, bur oaks, boxelders and others -generally do just fine. They're not fooled by these false signals and they stay dormant.

Sometimes, though, the nonnative ornamentals are misled



and will break dormancy and start growing. And that's their downfall. When temperatures fall back to normal, these trees can't re-harden quickly enough and they get damaged.

We saw this in 2021, especially with birch trees. Throughout the state, ornamental birch trees had a lot of dieback, and there was nothing we could do about it.

That's the old joke-everyone complains about the weather, but nobody does anything

Is there anything we can do for trees at this time of year? Absolutely!

March is a great time to prune trees for a number of

First, the trees are dormant.

That also means that the insects and fungi that might cause problems are also dormant, so they won't infest the fresh pruning wounds.

Second, it's easier to choose which branches to remove and which to keep because there are no leaves on the trees. Decision-making is a lot easier.

And finally, it's a great time to just get out of the house! I don't know about you, but I've been cooped up all winter, and the only exercise I've gotten this year has been snow removal.

For people, it's time to get out and enjoy the changes that have begun.

For the trees, they need to stay hunkered down. To them I say, beware the Ides of March!

CALENDAR -

Friday, March 18 Yoga, First Congregational Church, Garrison, 8 a.m.

Saturday, March 19
The Thrift Store, Garrison Area Resource Center, 71 S. Main Street, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Monday, March 21

Yoga, First Congregational Church, Garrison, 8 a.m.

Tuesday, March 22 Bone Builders, Garrison Senior Center, 10 a.m.

Wednesday, March 23 Yoga, First Congregational Church, Garrison, 8 a.m. The Thrift Store, Garrison Area Resource Center, 71 S. Main Street, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Thursday, March 24Washburn Rural Fire Protection Dist. Annual Meeting with the board members and representatives from Washburn Volunteer Fire Department at 7:30 in the Washburn City Hall conference

Bone Builders, Garrison Senior Center, 10 a.m.

The Thrift Store, Garrison Area Resource Center, 71 S. Main

Street, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Food pantry distribution, Garrison Area Resource Center, 71 S. Main Street, 12-2 p.m. and 5-7 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous, Garrison Hospital cafeteria (enter through ER), 8 p.m.

Friday, March 25

Yoga, First Congregational Church, Garrison, 8 a.m.
Fish Fry and Silent Auction, Garrison Fire Hall, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Freewill donations to go to Clarence Behles.

Saturday, March 26

Pinochle Tournament, Hometown Tavern, Main Street, Garrison, starting at 1 p.m.

The Community Clothing Share Exchange will be open each Thursday from noon to 6 p.m. at 221 Main St., Turtle

The Community Cupboard of Underwood will be open March 19 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. & April 7 from 4p.m. - 6 p.m. All in need are welcome to recieve food, household goods and clothing at no cost. No referrals or preregistaration required. 208 Lincoln Ave. 701-595-0320.

Open Door Community Kitchen soup kitchen for the month of March. Please feel free to contact Kay at 448-2874 or at delkay1984@outlook.com with any questions.

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a.m.-5 p.m.

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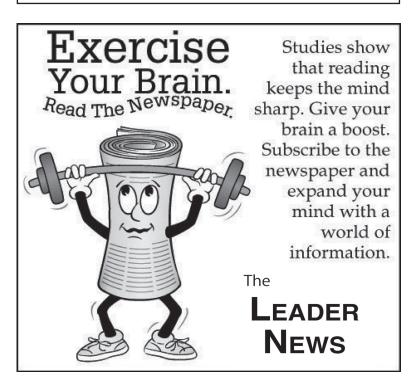
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Mar. 22: Sweet & sour chicken over rice, egg role, mandarin oranges, fortune cookie.

Mar. 23: Roast turkey with dressing, mashed potatoes, green beans, cranberries, pumpkin crunch.

Mar. 24: Cheese burger deluxe on a bun, lettuce, tomato, onion, tater rounds, corn, fruit cocktail.

Mar. 25: Stuffed pasta with Italian meat sauce, mixed vegetable, cheesy pea salad, pineapple chunks.



FROM THE FRONT PAGES

Stories you may have missed in last week's BHG newspapers

Agencies anticipate lower lake levels

Spring isn't here yet, but it's fast approaching.

And, if there is not major snowpack in the mountains or moisture from late snow and springs rains in this area, Lake Sakakawea could see lower lake levels.

In order to best prepare for all outcomes, several local agencies have met to discuss a combined strategy to address lower lake levels and the issues with access and erosion that could result.

McLean County Independent

Students today, leaders tomorrow

Students today, leaders tomorrow

Local students from Underwood and Washburn competed in the annual Entrepreneur Expo, sponsored by McLean County and Bravera Bank, March 2 in Underwood.

Students created businesses from "concept to completion" in preparation for the expo. Judged by local business owners for cash awards, everything from brand identity to product quality and custom experience were considered among the teams of students participating.

- Central McLean News-Journal

There's a new superintendent in town

After a brief round of negotiations, North Dakota Department of Corrections & Rehabilitation Director of Education Dr. Penny Hetletved formally accepted the Washburn School Board's offer to serve as the district's new superintendent during the next academic year.

Hetletved successfully countered the board's initial \$131,000 offer with a \$138,500 salary, which the board agreed to. In addition, the new hire will be afforded 20 vacation days, which is actually a step down from the 24 vacation days she's earned at her current post with the state.

- The Leader-News

Clarifying coming changes in road funding

Changes are coming through the state legislature for how funding for county roads is handled, and the Mercer County Commission is putting forward a ballot measure to help ensure the county is ready for those changes.

In 2015, the North Dakota State Legislature passed Senate Bill 2144, which took away state levy 1212 (also called Farm and Market or Aid to Secondary Roads). For counties, like Mercer County, that levied for levy 1212, a period of up to 10 years was allowed for the fund to continue, meaning the final loss of this fund will be effective Dec. 31, 2024.

- The Beacon

Commission moves forward with HVAC project

After several meetings of crunching numbers and discussing scope, the Mercer County Commission has officially entered into a contract with a general contractor for heating, ventilation and air conditioning improvements at the county courthouse and jail facility in Stanton.

The 2022 project estimate comes in at just over \$1 million. However, the commission intends to cover all these costs through the ARPA (COVID-relief) money they have received from the federal government.

- Hazen Star

Cardinals squeak past Wildcats in overtime

When a game goes into overtime, parents, friends and fans can be certain of one thing, no matter the result – the players have done them proud.

This was the general sentiment of those Center-Stanton Wildcats supporters who saw their boys' basketball team take a flying leap at the Washburn Cardinals during their final game of the season on Tuesday, March 1. In this Region 5 play-in game, the Wildcats missed out on going to the regional tournament in Bismarck by three points.

- Center Republican



Ah, the season of Lent is upon us!

HELPING WORDS

BY PASTOR BRANDON WOODRUFF

I recently heard someone say that the world today looks like, "the hot mess of a dumpster fire." There seem to be ample reasons to be fearful: wars and rumors of wars, illness, the economy, the weather, to say nothing of the more personal struggles with which you may be dealing. The truth though, is that this is nothing new.

The Bible reminds us that, while we try to convince ourselves otherwise, we are not in control. We read in James, chapter 4, "Come now, you who say, 'Today or tomorrow we will go into such and such a town and spend a year there and trade and make a profit'--yet you do not know what tomorrow will bring. What is your life? For you

are a mist that appears for a little time and then vanishes. Instead you ought to say, 'If the Lord wills, we will live and do this or that." (verses 13-15)

Yet for those claimed by God's grace, this uncertainty is no reason to fear. "For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the Spirit of adoption as sons, by whom we cry, 'Abba! Father!'" (Romans 8:15) In faith we trust in God, in all circumstances, who has already given us victory through our Lord Jesus Christ (Philippians 4; 1 Corinthians 15:56). The days are uncertain, but God is not. He remains mighty to save.

Especially in these dark and later days, continue to hold fast to the hope that is in you in Christ Jesus even as Christ holds you. Make use of the gifts of Word and

Sacrament God distributes through the church; bring everything to God in prayer. May you find comfort in the promise of Jesus, that while in this world we will have trouble, we can take heart for He has overcome the world. (John 16:33) Together, by God's grace, may we live these and all days in faith, not fear.

'The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD life up his countenance upon you and give you peace." (Numbers 6:24-26)

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<u>District 3</u> - which includes the townships of 150-83, Rosemont, McGinnis, 149-83, Snow, 148-84 is currently served by Rod Stockdill of Garrison.

<u>District 5</u> - which includes the townships of Medicine Hill, 148-80, Lake Williams, Wise is currently served by Troy Presser of Turtle Lake.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS/EVENTS

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- **DEADLINE**: 9 a.m. Thursday.
- CLASSIFIED WORD ADS: Terms Cash, Check, Visa or Mastercard.
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- CONTACT INFORMATION: Phone: 462-8126 Fax: 462-8128 Email: leadernews@westriv.com • Website: bhgnews.com Mailing address: The Xtra, PO Box 340, Washburn, ND 58577
- **DELIVERY PROBLEMS**: If you're having any problems getting your Xtra when and if - we want to know. Call our Garrison office at 701-463-2201 or 1-800 658-3485 when you want to report problems.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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SUPPORT GROUP: Alcoholics Anonymous Hotline 1-888-680-0651. AA meetings in Center, Sundays at 5 pm. CT, St. Paul Lutheran Church (794-3381); in Garrison, Thursday at 8 pm at SACA Lodge, 11 Central Ave NW, 1 block West of the City 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). In McClusky at Grace Lutheran Church, 402 4th St. W, Sundays at 8 pm. Positive Changes NA, Fridays at 7 pm, United Methodist, Washburn (701-460-0663).

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HELP WANTED

STEVE'S PLUMBING Service, LLC in Garrison, ND is looking for a Full-Time Apprentice or a Licensed Journeyman Plumber. Competitive wages and benefits D.O.E. Call 701-460-7471, email a resume to szach@restel.net

HELP WANTED: Clean CDL Drivers for spring season running belly & side dumps. Must have your own vehicle & be able to pass a drug test. 701-460-0918

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Fort Stevenson State Park is looking for 2022 seasonal staff. Applications are being accepted for park rangers, park maintenance, park interpreter, and park customer service associated positions. Positions start at 11.00/hour - 12.25/ hour and offer unique benefits. Call the park at 701-337-5576 for more information Apply online at htt://www.parkrec. nd.gov/business/our-team/employment

SECURITY OFFICER/EMT-EMR full time/part time. Location: Underwood/ GRE, night shift: 7 p.m. - 7 a.m. Pay: \$20-\$22/Licensed EMT/EMR, Pay: \$19-\$20/not licensed. Will train if not a licensed EMT/EMR, send resume to: brandon.bms@midconetwork.com

THE CITY OF GARRISON is seeking a qualified applicant for a Water Plant/Distribution Operator/City Maintenance position. The applicant would be required to operate and maintain a Class 3 Surface Water Treatment System and pump station facilities along with adequate qualifications to perform city maintenance. The job position requires a minimum of one year accredited technical training in the operation of water plant treatment or an equivalent combination of education and experience with water plant treatment processes. Perform and assist with all water plant, water distribution, wastewater, city streets, city grounds, and city landfill maintenance to include the proper operation and maintenance of all heavy equipment. The position is full time with a starting salary of \$18.00 to \$32.00 per hour depending on experience with excellent benefits. For information regarding this job position, please contact: Diane Affeldt, Auditor for City of Garrison, PO Box 459, Garrison, ND 58540, phone: 701-463-2600, Fax: 701-463-7400, email garrisoncity@rtc.

LIVESTOCK

We have the following ship dates scheduled to ship cows and bulls, Monday March 21st, and Monday April4th, and April 18th. As always, have them there by 11 a.m. Call Darin @ 701-315-0144 with any questions.

MISC. FOR SALE

USED ALUMINUM PRESS Plates. 23 x 35, two for \$1 available at the McLean County Independent, Garrison. 463-2201.

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NOTICES

HAVE YOU BEEN in a relationship where you were emotionally or physically battered? Call McLean Family Resource Center, 701-462-8643 24/7, Washburn. The office hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. EEOC compliant. 1-E-TFN-NC 58577

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Contact: Wayne Fox, Superintendent 743-4350 ext. 2205



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HELP WANTED



The Washburn Park Board is looking to hire summer positions.

We are looking for a swimming pool manager, lifeguards, a Parks & Rec. summer program manager and coaches for little league, pee-wee, T-ball and softball. Please send a letter of interest to the Park Board and you will be contacted on interview dates and times. Application letters will be accepted unit April 6, 2022. Interested individuals should send a letter of application and resume to:

Washburn Park Board, PO Box 551, Washburn ND 58577



HELP WANTED Come Join Our Team!!

- CNA Full-Time, Days
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Apply at www.blcgarrison.com

Call Jody Lawson at (701)463-2226 "EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER"

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CNA \$5,000.00

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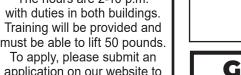
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HELP WANTED Garrison School District

Garrison Public Schools is accepting applications for **Full-Time Custodian**

We are seeking applications for a full-time custodian. Starting pay is \$15/hour plus full benefits and leave time. The hours are 2-10 p.m. with duties in both buildings. To apply, please submit an application on our website to Dr. Klemisch at Nick.Klemisch@k12.nd.us or fill out an application



at the high school.



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School 463-2818 for more info.

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for 2022 Spring Season **Asst. Track Coach**

for 2022 Spring Season

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Manager & sales associates positions available.

Contact 701-442-5277 or stop in for an application.

HELP WANTED

CHI St. Alexius Health Garrison has the following positions available:

RN-Nursing Facility \$20,000.00

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CHI St. Alexius Health

The Center/Stanton Public School District #1 is accepting applications for the following positions

- **Preschool Teacher**
- 1st Grade Teacher
- 2nd Grade Teacher

Anyone interested must submit an application or letter to Tracy Peterson, Superintendent/Athletic Director, Center/Stanton School District #1, P.O. Box 248, Center, ND 58530. For more information, call Center/Stanton School at 701-794-8778

The Center/Stanton Public School District #1 is an equal opportunity employer and subject to veterans' preference laws.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

The Washburn School District is seeking applicants for the position of BUS MAINTENANCE COORDINATOR/CUSTODIAN. This is a full-time, year-round position with benefits that include health insurance, health savings account, public employee retirement program, sick leave, vacation leave, and training opportunities. Wage is negotiable, depending on experience and skill level. Commercial driver's license with passenger and school bus endorsements is a plus.

A Washburn School Classified Staff Application form may be picked up in the main office or printed from the Washburn School District website at https://sites.google.com/site/washburnk12/. A job description is available upon request. Submit applications to Brad Rinas, Superintendent; Washburn School District; PO Box 280; Washburn, ND 58577; or email to brad.rinas@k12.nd.us. The Washburn Public School District is an equal opportunity employer and subject to veterans' preference laws.

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Garrison Hospital



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GARRISON PARKS & REC

is now hiring for the following positions:

- Manager
- Maintenance Supervisor
 - Rec Supervisor
 - Pool Supervisor

Deadline: Monday, March 31st

(Competitive pay, benefits available) Email resume to: <u>garrisonparksandrec@gmail.com</u>

McLean-Sheridan Rural Water District

HELP WANTED

McLean Sheridan Rural Water District is looking for one Water Distribution Operator. This position would require travel in a 50+ mile radius of the water plant located north of Turtle Lake. Responsibilities would include skilled maintenance, repair and construction work on potable water treatment and distribution system of the Water District. This position would be full time with scheduled on call periods. Pay will depend on experience. Apply in person at

987 17th Ave NW, Turtle Lake, call 701-448-2686 or email msrwater@westriv.com.



HELP WANTED

Are you looking for a rewarding career in law enforcement serving your community with great benefits and potential for advancement? If your answer is yes, join the team at the McLean County Sheriff's Department.

The successful applicant will enforce state laws and municipal ordinances, dependent upon the existence of a municipal court, while serving and protecting persons and property.

We are accepting applications until 4:00 P.M. on Wednesday, March 23, 2022, filling one or more position(s) as Full-Time Patrol Deputies. Preference will be given to P.O.S.T certified applicants with prior experience. Starting base salary range is \$45,197.82 - \$46,327.63 annually; the full salary range for the position is \$45,197.82 - \$61,017.32 annually. A full benefit package is offered including 100% paid health insurance (single or family) and 12.45% contribution on employee's behalf to North Dakota Public Employee's Retirement System Public Safety retirement program. For further information on the position or to obtain a McLean County job application, interested individuals may contact Lori by phone at (701) 462-8541; via email at lfoss@nd.gov; or visit www. mcleancountynd.gov/employment. Résumés may be included with the application, but will not be accepted in place of an official application.

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NOTICE

6 ton per axle not to exceed 65,000 pounds load restrictions are imposed on all McLean County asphalt roads in McLean County except CR#18 to Great River Energy Plant.

6 ton per axle not to exceed 65,000 pounds load restrictions are imposed on all other McLean County roads except McLean County Highway #16 extending 7 miles south of Riverdale to the Fischer Industries (Sand and Gravel) Plant.

Restrictions shall begin Wednesday, March 16, 2022 at 7:00 AM and shall continue until removed by the Board.

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Dear Landowners, Three Affiliated Tribes, Permittees and Other Interested Parties:

Timothy LaPointe, Regional Director, BIA, Great Plains Regional Office, has made the decision to keep the grazing rental rate for allotted lands on Fort Berthold Indian Reservation at \$14.34 per AUM. This decision may be appealed to the Interior Board of Indian Appeals, 801 North Quincy Street, Suite 300, Arlington, Virginia 22203, following 43 CFR, 4.310 - 4.340.

Your notice of appeal must be signed by you or your attorney and must be mailed within 30 days of the date it is posted. It should clearly identify the decision being appealed. If possible, attach a copy of the decision. You must send copies of your notice of appeal to (1) The Assistant Secretary - Indian Affairs, U.S. Department of the Interior, 1849 C Street NW, MS-4660-MIB, Washington, D.C. 20240; (2) each interested party known to you; and (3) this office, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Great Plains Regional Office, 115 4th Avenue Southeast Ste 400, Aberdeen, S.D. 57401

Your notice of appeal sent to the Interior Board of Indian Appeals must certify that you have sent copies to these parties.

If you file a notice of appeal, the Interior Board of Indian Appeals will notify you of further appeal procedures. If no appeal is timely filed, this decision will become final for the

Department of the Interior at the expiration of the appeal period. No extension of time may be granted for filing a notice of appeal.

Please contact Timothy LaPointe, Regional Director, at (605) 226-7343, or Diane Mann-Klager, Natural Resources Officer, at (605) 226-7621, for any further questions.





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ALL BIDS BY MAIL OR FEDEX OR UPS MUST
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For bid information you may call June Schettler, Realty Specialist at (701) 627-6518, Fort Berthold Agency, New Town, North Dakota.