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- Saturday, June 10**
RHUBARB FESTIVAL, Garrison Senior Center, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
THE THRIFT STORE, GARC, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
WAYNE AND TENLEY JOHNSON anniversary party, Max Civic Center, 2-6 p.m.
- Sunday, June 11**
KAREN HUESERS 80th birthday open house, Max Civic Center, 1-4 p.m.
- Monday, June 12**
THE WASHBURN CITY COMMISSION will hold its regular scheduled meeting on Monday; June 12th, 2023, at the city hall at 6:30 pm. The public is invited to attend.
YOGA, First Congregational Church, Garrison, 8 a.m.
BONE BUILDERS, Garrison Senior Center, 10 a.m.
- Wednesday, June 14**
YOGA, First Congregational Church, Garrison, 8 a.m.
THE THRIFT STORE, GARC, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
- Thursday, June 15**
COMMUNITY CLOTHING SHARE-EXCHANGE at 221 Main St. in Turtle Lake has a clothing opportunity at no cost each Thursday from 12:00 -6:00 p.m.
- Friday, June 16**
DUE TO RIVERBOAT DAYS There will not be a potluck on June 9. Instead, it will be on June 16 with cake and ice cream for birthdays. New members are always welcome. Questions call Carol at 701-462-8106.
- Thursday, June 22**
COMMUNITY CLOTHING SHARE-EXCHANGE at 221 Main St. in Turtle Lake has a clothing opportunity at no cost each Thursday from 12:00 -6:00 p.m.
- Saturday, June 24**
LORD'S PANTRY FOOD DISTRIBUTION is held at Trinity Lutheran Church in Turtle Lake from 2 pm -4 pm. No referrals or pre-registration required. All in need are welcome to recieved food at no cost.

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Washburn Public Library - Monday-Thursday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
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Turtle Lake Public Library - Monday and Thursday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
McLean-Mercer Regional Library - Riverdale Open Mon-Fri 8:00 – 12:00 & 1:00 – 5:00
Garrison Library is open Mondays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Tuesdays-Thursdays 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Fridays 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

OUR OUTDOORS

By Nick Simonson
Weighty Matters

I crossed the finish line inside the Fargodome a few weeks back at the start of the first nice day this non-winter season conveniently had offered up and checked the exercise app on my watch, which was tracking my effort. It read 1:41:33 as I clicked the End button on the display. If correct, I bested my half marathon time by more than four minutes. The next day, I checked the official results on my phone and it displayed a time of 1:41:26, which worked out to a pace of 7'45" per mile; not too shabby for a flat-footed 44-year-old who weighed nearly 250 pounds in his junior year of high school. When asked why I run and work out with a heightened level of diligence here in middle age and now 70 pounds lighter, I often cite back to those days as one of the primary reasons.

Just prior to the weekend's running festivities, I led my yellow lab to the black matted scale at the veterinarian's office to get his annual shots so he'd be able to visit the boarding facility once again and maintain his overall health for the upcoming fall hunting season, avoiding summer nasties like heartworm carried by mosquitoes and tick-borne illnesses. Ole is a large creature, and he's been that way from birth, able to rumble through cattail sloughs carving a walking path at least big enough for me, and sometimes even another hunter. By the time he was two years old, he had settled into that 100-to-105-pound range, so it's never a shock to see triple digits show up on the LCD display at the vet.

While it's a trite excuse to say Ole is big-boned, he truly is. He's also quite muscular, but has a notable layer of fat as well, and if there were a dog fashion runway, he'd likely be the king of the plus-sized models – still good looking, but noticeably bigger than his contemporaries. So, when the display bounced from the upper teens, then into the low twenties and finally settled back down onto an even 120 pounds as he plopped his behind down on the scale, even I gasped audibly. He was up 13 pounds since the prior spring, and I struggled to come up with an explanation.

With my wife's German shepherd, we walk five times a day religiously, covering the block with such regularity that I consider us to be the neighborhood watch. We know



Like a Rock. The author's lab had a notable weight increase after a weather-shortened hunting season last autumn, where pursuit of grouse and pheasants and the effort required (along with calorie burn) was limited. Simonson Photo.

every pheasant call, from the raspy one on the far side of the draw to that dominant one of the big, backyard-safe bird which patrols the lawns on the east side of the street. My dog's bluffed charge frequently sends that rooster with what looks to be a 28-inch tail feather back down into the small drain at the end of his suburban domain, no matter how distant we are from him. As the saying goes, birds don't get that big by being stupid; but apparently all the walking wasn't stopping my dog's size increase.

In the morning, when the two dogs are eating after our first walk of the day, they like to trade bowls repeatedly. The shepherd is particular and waits until Ole has first eaten some kibble before she nudges him out of the way, and he goes to the other bowl. I don't know if she's having him check it for poison, like I often do with my kids' chicken nuggets, but it's obvious that Ole doesn't mind being the guinea pig for the day's feeding if he gets a few extra bites. The extra caloric intake settled in my mind as a likely source of my lab's weight gain, but there was certainly another one.

Following a 20-inch snowfall the first week in November and a few follow-up weather events, which basically shut down much of our hunting efforts until a few perilous cross-state journeys to less-covered lands, our outings in the field were limited to early season trips for grouse and pheasants in September and October respectively. Where

least one weekend day until the upland season's end on the first Sunday in January, we didn't after the snow fell.

In those treks, we typically cover miles and miles and miles of terrain. We hunt hard. Up hills, through brush, and deep into tangled sloughs. Like me, Ole doesn't fear the sweat equity that comes with going to those places birds tend to be, plowing through hell to find upland heaven. It's on those journeys that we use up our extra calories, where every mile of blacktop under my running shoes from the summer and under his polar-bear-sized paws in each daily walk pays off, especially in the late season when snow often mandates the additional physical effort. We're always ready for it. But when nature takes away half or almost two-thirds of that season, it's easy to see the results of a more sedentary lifestyle, comparatively speaking.

So with the vet's advice of a more monitored feeding program, and the hopes of a longer upland season than the previous one, we enter the summer, with me looking to maintain my pace and weight from a winter of monotonous treadmill running into a summer out in the open, and Ole looking forward to a seasonal slimdown, chasing bird dummies in the backyard and shedding a couple extra pounds ahead of a long autumn afield. Through that combination we both hope to find a balance, and put to rest these weighty issues next fall...in our outdoors.

PRAIRIE DOC PERSPECTIVES

By Andrew Ellsworth, MD
Hindered by pain in your heel?

"How are you? Does Midwestern politeness get in the way?"

By Nikki Eining CSW-PIP, QMHP

Midwest Culture is unique. We "America's Heartlanders" are known for our outdoor hobbies, farming, winter survival strategies, hard work and country living. We are also known for our politeness. It is at times an autopilot response to hold a door open, greet another with a smile, drop off treats for a neighbor or when running into someone familiar ask, "how are you?" How often have we asked, "how are you" and heard the answer, "good" or "fine" or even answered this question ourselves this way.

Unfortunately, "Midwestern Polite" has also created a belief that if we truly answer the question, "how are you" with honesty, we are burdening others. For this reason, we often answer "good" or "fine" when maybe in fact, we are not. This is called passive communication. Passive Communication is when we do not express our feelings or needs, do not believe our feelings or needs matter equally to others, or often we find ourselves apologizing for things. Overtime this passive communication style often leads to misunderstanding, anger or even resentment.

This is where it is vital for us to understand emotional and social wellness skills. To learn that every single one of us as humans has feelings and that this is normal. The more we ignore these feelings the more we impact our overall health.

Having the skills to be able to truly answer the question, how are you, requires emotional wellness skills. The skills of recognizing one's feelings, understanding those feelings,

labeling them, expressing them and regulating them. This skill, known as the "RULER" skill is an acronym for the five evidence-based skills of emotional intelligence (recognizing, understanding, labeling, expressing, and regulating) founded by psychologist Marc Brackett out of Yale University. This skill is not a skill we are born with. This skill provides a sense of understanding and control of what is going on within us. Emotional wellness skills aid in our overall ability to manage stress, communicate effectively and manage conflict which supports our overall physical wellness.

So, the next time a kind Midwesterner asks, "How Are You?" I encourage you to be honest. I encourage you to use the skills of checking in to recognize how you really are feeling, labeling it and expressing it to that person asking. The other wonderful value we South Dakotans have is showing up for one another. We are not a burden. We are wonderful Midwestern neighbors who show up for each other. Let's continue to work on defining and modeling that "Midwest Nice" as honest and authentic support.

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DAKOTA GARDENER

BY CARRIE KNUTSON, HORTICULTURE AGENT

Amazing apples

The ladybug is a gardener's best friend.

This beneficial insect is like the sheriff in our gardens, protecting our plants from aphids and other bad bugs.

Ladybugs have voracious appetites, too. One ladybug can eat 50 aphids a day and over 5,000 aphids in its lifetime.

Although ladybugs are our friends, don't buy them for your garden. You will be wasting your money.

There are dozens of different species of ladybugs (more properly called lady beetles) in the Dakotas. The most commonly sold lady beetle is the convergent lady beetle.

These lady beetles eat heartily during autumn in the valleys of the western United States, develop a fat layer in their bodies and then fly up nearby mountains to hibernate.

The beetles sleep together in huge clusters of up to 40 million. While sleeping, they are harvested with portable vacuums, refrigerated and then packaged for sale.

The biggest problem with buying lady beetles is the insects still think they are hibernating in the mountains. When they wake up in nature, they migrate for miles down to the valley before feeding again.

The same thing happens with purchased lady beetles. Studies have shown that purchased lady beetles will fly for miles after being released, burning up their fat layers before eating insects or laying eggs.

Within 48 hours, less than 5% of the lady beetles you release in your garden will remain. Some of these may have been injured when shipped.

Even if a few lady beetles remain for a few days, they are not hungry and are not likely to lay eggs in your garden.

In general, buying lady beetles and other predatory beneficial insects have their limitations in open gardens. You need to have lots of pests in your garden for the predators to eat. Once these pests are eaten, the predatory insects will fly away from your garden to look for more food.

Concerns have been raised that the natural habitat of lady beetles is being damaged in harvesting operations. Furthermore, scientists have expressed concerns that the distribution of harvested lady beetles

across our country can spread parasites to our local lady beetles.

Another limitation is the convergent lady beetle almost exclusively eats aphids. It doesn't like to eat cabbageworms, potato beetles or cutworms, for example.

Instead of buying sleeping lady beetles from California, it makes more sense to provide an environment that is inviting to our local lady beetles.

Lady beetles will feed on nectar and pollen. You can attract them with flowers such as dill, coriander, alyssum, sunflower and yarrow.

Minimize the use of persistent insecticides that threaten our lady beetles. If a pest outbreak occurs, use a short-lived and relatively safe insecticide. Spinosad and neem can kill pests while posing a minimal risk to lady beetles.

Lady beetles are our best friends. You can't buy friendship. Best friends are priceless.

For more information about gardening, contact your local NDSU Extension agent. Find the Extension office for your county at www.ndsu.edu/agriculture/extension/county-extension-offices.

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101- Johnson-Garfield - Friday 9-3 and Sat 9-3- Men's Rummage Sale: Power tools, hand tools, lawn mowers, insulation, building materials, misc items and more.

606 W. Roosevelt Ave- Saxberg-Friday, June 16: 9:00am to 7:00pm, Saturday, June 17 9:00 am - 3:00 pm - items- lots of girls clothes size 4t-6- Men's clothes, various sizes, Women's clothes all sizes, Toys, Gaming counsels, Lots of extra stuff

102 3rd st - Deb Beck-Friday, June 16: 5:30 pm to 9 pm, Saturday, June 17 9am to 3 pm- Items for sale men's, women's, youth clothing, toys, books, household items

302 Grant Ave. - Geiser - Friday, June 16: 10-3 Saturday, June 17: 10-3-Diamond art and frames, sewing machine cabinet.

W. County Rd. 14 (2824 3rd St. N.W.) - Radke - Friday, June 16: 8:00 am to 8:00 pm; Saturday, June 17: 8:00 am to 8:00 pm - Lots of Free things, Cleaning out Basement, Cleaning out Shop and Cleaning out Barn.

Turtle Lake

208 Lincoln Ave, Underwood
 - Community Cupboard of Underwood- Friday, June 16: 9 am-2 pm; Saturday, July 17: 9 am-2pm

803 Marion Dr., Underwood
 - Byron Luithle - Friday, June 16: 11:00 am-6:00pm; Saturday, June 17: 8:30 am-3:00 pm - Plus woman's clothing, kids toys, end tables, misc. tools, walker, assistive devices, craft supplies-yarn, sild flowers, wood cut-outs.

107 Grant Avenue, Underwood
 - Beverly Walcker - Friday, June 16: 12:00 pm-7:00 pm; Saturday, June 17: 8:00 am -2:00 pm - Moving Sale: Entertainment Center, Full bed with dresser and mirror, single bed, Lewis edger, weed eater and much more.

GARAGE SALES

This Week!

529 Main (Darlene Jacobs House), Turtle Lake - Erika Olson-John Pettengill - Friday, June 16: Noon -6, Saturday, June 17: 9-6 Estate items, Household, Vintage/Antiques & furniture, girls clothing- S2, 3T, 12/14, Women's clothing-S2, S-M, Mens Clothing-M-XL. A lot of misc. Baked goods.

517 Putnam St. Turtle Lake.- Patti Zimmerman & Lori Rudolph- 9:00 am-4:00 pm General Home Stuff, kitchen utensils, hand tool-sockets and stuff

522 Eastside St. - Patty Albrecht - Saturday, 8:30-12:30- Cleaning out the house, something for everyone, some baby things.

Trinity Lutheran Church-Fellowship Hall - Trinity LYO Youth Group - 9 am to 4 pm - Miscellaneous household items-glasses, dishes, old sewing machine in table, household décor, outdoor patio tables, puzzles, clothes-kids-adults.

120 Eggert St. Turtle Lake - W Nelson - Some Kitchen appliances, chains, boomers, clevises, chairs, trailers

110 2nd Ave W, Turtle Lake - Josh and Sarah Ruffo -Friday, June 16: 5 pm -9 pm; Saturday June 17: 7:30 am-10:30 am

211 Walnut St. (garage in alley) - 211 Walnut St. (garage in alley) - 9 am to 3 pm - Multi-party sale: furniture, household, clothes, outdoor stuff, file cabinet, office stuff

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Anderson, PR. - Various size ladders, some household, kitchen, etc., lots of misc. in the shop and auto department, washer, old pick-up and car, fishing equip. House for sale also.

441 Becker St. Unit 4 (at condo) - Don Sondrol - 8 am - 12 pm - LP Furnace and AC, lawn chairs, antique wood planer, lots of misc.

313 Eggert St - Cheryl Helm and Deb Rhoades - Saturday, June 17: 8:00 am to 3:00 pm- Women clothes, scrub top and pants, LulaRoe Leggings and 2XL, 3XL tops, household items-roaster, pots, and pans. Paddle boat, table and chairs, shelving, fishing boat and motor, numerous miscellaneous items.

512 Washington Dr- Sharon Hanson - Saturday, June 17: 7:30 am to 2:00 pm - Homelite gas blower, hedge trimmer, yardman lawnmower, chest freezer, kitchen and office chairs, dresser, desk, Miracle Mate Platinum vacuum, sleeping bags, outdoor water fountain, cabinet pull-outs (new), pillows and bedding, lectern, plant stands, motion detector security light (new), can recessed light fixture (new), golf club caddy (old), lots of misc.

411 Putnam St - Tamara Greenizer - Saturday, June 17: 11:00 am to 7:00 pm - Large amount of clothes in all sizes (adult and child): Under Armour, Maruices, Adidads, Champion, Pink, Old Navy, Nike, LulaRoe, Reebok and much more. Tons of scarfs, some women's boots and shoes and heels, sizes 6-7. Toys, baby bottles, pullups, baby swing and bouncer. Boy and Girl kid clothes-infant to 4T (some never worn)

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THURSDAY JUNE 15TH

9 AM REGISTRATION
 10 AM HORSE SHOW

FRIDAY JUNE 16TH

8:30-11:30 AM REGISTRATION OF 4-H/OPEN CLASS RABBIT AND POULTRY
 8:30AM-1:00 PM REGISTRATION OF OPEN CLASS/HOME EC./QUILT SHOW/TAXIDERMY EXHIBITS
 9:00 AM 4-H STATIC JUDGING
 11:30 AM 4-H PICNIC
 NOON-8 PM ROCKY TOP PETTING ZOO
 NOON-11 PM MIGHTY THOMAS CARNIVAL
 NOON JUDGING 4-H/OPEN CLASS RABBIT AND POULTRY
 1:00PM JUDGING OPEN CLASS STATIC EXHIBITS
 1:00PM TBA ENTERTAINMENT
 1:00-9:00 PM CRAFT AND VENDOR SHOW
 1:00PM ROYAL LEGACY CIRCUS
 2:00PM AGRI-CADABRA MAGIC
 3:00PM ROYAL LEGACY CIRCUS
 4:00-6:00 PM WEIGH IN 4-H/FFA LIVESTOCK EXHIBITS
 4:00 PM KIDS COIN HUNT
 4:00 PM AGRI-CADABRA MAGIC
 5:00 PM FUN BINGO
 5:30 PM ROYAL LEGACY CIRCUS
 6:30 PM AGRI-CADABRA MAGIC
 7:00 PM MCLEAN COUNTY SPEEDWAY RACES (ADDITIONAL ADMISSION FEE)
 8:30-11 PM ELI ALGER AND THE FASTER HORSES

SATURDAY JUNE 17TH

8:00 AM 4-H LIVESTOCK SHOW
 NOON FFA LIVESTOCK SHOW
 NOON MCLEAN COUNTY FAIR 83 CLASSIC BARREL RACE
 NOON PARADE: GRAND MARSHAL - VINCE IGLEHART
 NOON-9:00 PM CRAFT AND VENDOR SHOW
 NOON-11:00 PM MIGHTY THOMAS CARNIVAL
 NOON-8:00 PM ROCKY TOP PETTING ZOO
 1:00 PM ROYAL LEGACY CIRCUS

SATURDAY JUNE 17TH CONT.

2:00 PM AGRI-CADABRA MAGIC
 2:30 PM KIDS COIN HUNT
 2:30-4:30 PM DANIEL STARKS AND JONATHON STARKS
 3:00 PM ROYAL LEGACY CIRCUS
 4:00 PM AGRI-CADABRA MAGIC
 4:00 PM REGISTRATION AND WEIGH IN FOR JUNIOR POINTS SHOW
 4:00 PM KIDS COWBOY OLYMPICS
 5:00 PM ROYAL LEGACY CIRCUS
 6:00 PM MCLEAN COUNTY SPEEDWAY RACES (ADDITIONAL ADMISSION FEE)
 6:00 PM REGISTRATION FOR KIDDIE TRACTOR PULL
 6:30 PM KIDDIE TRACTOR PULL
 7:00 PM AGRI-CADABRA MAGIC
 8:00 PM ADULT COWBOY OLYMPICS
 8:30-11 PM RYAN KEPLIN BAND

SUNDAY JUNE 18TH

8:00 AM ND JUNIOR POINTS AND OPEN CLASS LIVESTOCK SHOW
 NOON AGRI-CADABRA MAGIC
 NOON-5:30 PM ROCKY TOP PETTING ZOO
 NOON-5:30 PM MIGHTY THOMAS CARNIVAL
 NOON-5:30 PM CRAFT AND VENDOR SHOW
 12:30-2:30 PM PRAIRIE WRANGLERS BAND
 1:00-2:30 PM FREE BEEF BBQ: SPONSORED BY AREA COOPERATIVES
 1:00 PM ROYAL LEGACY CIRCUS
 2:00 PM AGRI-CADABRA MAGIC
 3:00 PM ROYAL LEGACY CIRCUS
 3:30 PM CLOVERBUD LIVESTOCK PARADE
 3:30 PM 4-H/FFA LIVESTOCK PREMIUM SALE AND 4-H AWARDS
 4:00 PM ROYAL LEGACY CIRCUS
 4:30 PM AGRI-CADABRA MAGIC
 4:30 PM OUT OF COUNTY JUNIOR POINTS LIVESTOCK RELEASE
 5:30 PM IN COUNTY LIVESTOCK; STATIC/OPEN CLASS EXHIBITS RELEASE
 5:30 PM FAIRGROUNDS CLEAN UP- HELP IS APPRECIATED!

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Official Notice of 78th Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the members of McLean Electric Cooperative, Inc., will be held at the **McLean Electric Cooperative Headquarters**

located at 4031 Highway 37 Bypass NW, Garrison, N.D.
at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 20th, 2023
to take action upon the following matters:

1. Election of two (2) directors for the cooperative
 2. All other business which may come before the meeting, or any adjournments thereof;
- Pursuant to the bylaws, the following members have filed petitions for directorship of the Cooperative:

District 2 Clarence Behles (I) of Garrison
District 7 Larry Gessele (I) of Mercer
25th day of May 2023 Rodney Stockdill, Secretary

PROGRAM

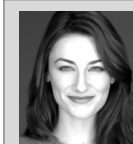
- 5:00 p.m. Registration and Meal
- 6:30 p.m. Call to Order; Determination of Quorum; Invocation; Welcome; Reading of notice and previous minutes; President's Report; General Manager's Report; Financial Report; Operation RoundUp Report; Service Awards; Presentation of Scholarships; Election of Directors; Unfinished Business; New Business; Adjournment

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 4:30 p.m.
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 who died 5/25/23

5-7 p.m. - Hamburgers, hotdogs, cash bar, fun and fellowship

- DJ featuring all Mike's favorite Elvis songs and more
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June 9 & 10.....7:30 pm

The Little Mermaid, PG
The youngest of King Triton's daughters, Ariel is a beautiful and spirited young mermaid with a thirst for adventure. Longing to find out more about the world beyond the sea, Ariel visits the surface and falls for the dashing Prince Eric. Following her heart, she makes a deal with the evil sea witch, Ursula, to experience life on land. 2h 15m, Fantasy/Musical 2023
June 16 & 17.....7:30 pm

McLean/Mercer Regional Library Board

There is one (1) position on the McLean/Mercer Regional Library Board from McLean County with a term expiring on June 30, 2023. The terms are for three (3) years ending June 30, 2026, eligible members must be residents of McLean County. If interested, please send a letter of interest to:



McLean County Auditor
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 Washburn ND 58577-1108
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By June 16, 2023

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Annual Meeting Notice

To members of the McLean McHenry Mutual Insurance Company. This will serve as notice to you that the Annual Meeting of the members of the above-named insurance company will be held at the American Legion Hall in Turtle Lake on Monday, the 12th day of June, 2023 at 6:30 p.m.

(Roast Beef supper at 6:30 p.m. – business meeting and election at 7:15 p.m.)

For the following Purposes:

- 1.To receive reports on the condition and operation of the company.
- 2.Election of 3 directors
- 3.To transact all other additional business which may properly come before the meeting.

We hope to see you there.

HAY AUCTION

The Garrison Diversion Conservancy District will be offering approximately **1,582.6 acres** of hayland on the McClusky Canal to the highest bidder during a competitive open bid auction to be held at 10 a.m. on **June 13, 2023**. The bid auction site is the **McClusky District Field Office** located 3 miles west of McClusky, North Dakota immediately south of Highway 200. Thirty-three individual fields will be bid and hayed separately. Actual figures are subject to change before the bid date.

No haying will be permitted before **July 15 or after August 15** and the bales must be removed **by October 15**. Payment must be received at the date of auction. A taxpayer ID or Driver's License # is **required**. Bids will be accepted on a per site basis. Minimum bid price is set at **\$10 per site** and minimum raise of **\$50 per site**. Interested bidders may obtain maps of fields from the McClusky Field Office or the Garrison Diversion web site: www.garrisondiversion.org/news. Questions may be directed to Sue at the McClusky Field Office at **363-2950**.

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CAR SHOW	12:30 - 3:00 pm
AWARDS	3:00 pm
BURNOUT CONTEST	3:30 pm
MUSIC BY JUST DIFF	5:00 pm
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Saturday, June 17 @ 10 a.m.

Alternative Date in case of weather issues – Sunday, June 18 @ 12:01 p.m.

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<p>County Owned Vehicles</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 2005 Ford F150 Extended Cab 4x4 5.4L 2. 2005 Ford F150 Extended Cab 4x4 5.4L 3. 2003 Ford F350 Four Door 4x2 5.4L 4. 2003 Ford F350 Four Door 4x2 5.4L 5. 2007 Chevy Silverado Four Door 4x4 1/2 ton – transmission issues 6. 2008 Pontiac Torrent <p>Impound Vehicles</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 2021 Chevy Silverado Duramax Diesel (Runs but needs Catalytic Converter) 2. 2019 Ford Explorer 3. 2018 Ford Raptor 4. 2013 Chrysler 300 5. 2012 Buick Lacrosse 6. 2011 Ford Ranger 7. 2011 Chevrolet Traverse 8. 2010 Chevrolet Traverse 9. 2010 Mazda 3 10. 2010 Toyota Prius 11. 2009 Chrysler Town and Country 12. 2009 Chrysler Aspen 13. 2009 Buick Lucerne 14. 2009 Toyota Tacoma 15. 2009 Mazda 5 16. 2009 Chevrolet Traverse 17. 2008 Chevrolet Impala 18. 2008 Chevrolet Malibu 19. 2008 Dodge Caravan 20. 2007 Mazda CX-9 21. 2006 Ford F-150 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 22. 2006 Chrysler 300 23. 2006 Acura 24. 2006 Saturn Ion 2 25. 2006 Chevrolet Cobalt 26. 2005 Toyota Tundra 27. 2005 Scion 28. 2005 Chevrolet Trailblazer 29. 2005 Chevrolet Tahoe 30. 2005 Chevrolet Malibu 31. 2005 Cadillac Deville 32. 2004 Chrysler Pacifica 33. 2004 Chevrolet Malibu 34. 2004 Ford Expedition 35. 2004 Kia Optima 36. 2003 Saab 37. 2003 Dodge 1500 (Grey) 38. 2003 Dodge 1500 (Green) 39. 2003 Chevrolet Malibu 40. 2003 Pontiac Grand Prix 41. 2002 Rockwood Premier 42. 2002 Ford Focus 43. 2002 Mercury Villager 44. 2002 Ford Mustang 45. 2002 Oldsmobile Bravada 46. 2002 Chrysler Marquis 47. 2001 Pontiac Grand Prix 48. 2001 Ford F150 49. 2000 Nissan Maxima 50. 2000 Jeep Grand Cherokee 51. 2000 Buick Lesabre 52. 2000 Cadillac Deville 53. 2000 Honda Odyssey 54. 1999 Pontiac Grand Prix 55. 1999 Ford Escort 56. 1999 Dodge Durango 57. 1999 Cadillac STS 58. 1997 Eagle Talon 59. 1997 Dodge Ram 60. 1996 Jeep Grand Cherokee 61. 1996 Chevrolet Lumina 62. 1995 Oldsmobile Royal 63. 1994 Cadillac Deville 64. 1993 Honda Civic 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 65. 1993 Jeep Grand Cherokee 66. 1991 Honda Civic 67. 1990 Chevrolet Corsica 68. 1981 Dodge Ram 1500 <p>Recreational Vehicles & Tools</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. 2001 Sea-Doo and Trailer (Nice) 2. Ski-Doo MXZ snowmobile 3. Assorted Bicycles 4. Two wheel Car Dolly 5. Snap-On Scanner Modis Ultra Model EEMS328 6. Popup Rockwood Camper 7. Steel 20' Stock Trailer 8. Massey Ferguson Gas Tractor 9. Assorted Tools including DeWalt and Milwaukee <p>Firearms</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Glock 19 Gen 4 9mm 2. Ruger P89 9mm 3. Glock 19 Gen 4 9mm 4. Taurus TCP .38 5. Springfield XDS 9mm 6. Highpoint .40 7. Highpoint 9mm 8. Interarms Star 9mm 9. Canik 9mm 10. S&W M&P 9mm 11. Ruger Bisley New Vaquero .357 12. Jimenez Arms 9mm 13. Daisy BB Powerline 14. Eastfield 916 12 gauge pump 15. WASR-10 Romanian Cugir 7.62x39 16. Mossberg .22lr <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 17. DPMS AR-15 .223 18. Winchester .22lr 19. Glock Model 17 20. Ruger Security Six .357 21. Ruger SR22 22lr 22. S&W M&P Shield 9mm 23. Springfield XD-40 24. Beretta 22 auto pistol 25. Taurus Raging Bull 41mag 26. Sig Sauer P220 45acp 27. Taurus PT1911 45acp 28. Browning Buck Mark 22LR 29. Rossi Single Shot 20 ga. w/ matched 22lr 30. Remington 512 22lr bolt action 31. Henry 17HMR Lever Rifle with scope 32. Coast to Coast 22lr Model 42 33. Ruger 10/22 34. Marlin 22lr Model 60 35. Mossberg Model 536 12 ga. 36. Stevens Savage 12 ga Model 940 37. Remington Wingmaster Model 870 12 ga 38. Remington 243 Model 788 39. Marlin 22lr Model 60 40. Winchester Model 1300 XTR 12 ga 41. Savage 22lr Model 521 42. Omni AR-15 .223 43. Bersa Thunder 380 ACP 44. Horizon Hunter Jr. Recurve Bow 45. Several BB and Pellet Guns 46. We are expecting at least 25 more guns! Check website for updates
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Candidates Sought for County Appointed Positions

McLean County residents interested in being considered for appointments to the following county boards have until June 16, 2023 to submit letters of interest.

A total of 3 positions are available. The positions are listed below. According to County Auditor Beth A. Knutson, to be eligible for consideration for appointment to any of the positions, interested individuals must submit a letter of interest for the position that includes a short background statement. All applicants must be at least 18 years of age and in some instances must reside in a specific commission district or geographical area of the county.

McLean-Mercer Regional Library Board: One 3-year term expires. The current member is Angie Nagel of Underwood. Mrs. Nagel is not eligible for reappointment.

Planning & Zoning Commission: one 1-year unexpired term. The unexpired 1-year term is for the Underwood area this position is currently vacant.

McLean County School Reorganization Committee: One 1-year unexpired term. The unexpired 1-year term is currently vacant.

Letters of interest can be sent:
By Mail: McLean County Auditor
P.O. Box 1108
Washburn ND 58577

By Email: baknutson@nd.gov
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On or before 4:30 PM Friday, June 16, 2023.

(June 1 & 8, 2023)

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A successful applicant must be able have a CTE degree in Marketing or a Business Education degree and/or be eligible for teacher licensure through the CTE Transition to Teaching program. Applications will be accepted until filled.

The Washburn School District is seeking applicants for the position of **SPECIAL EDUCATION K-12.**
This is a full-time position. Salary will be competitive and is negotiable, depending on experience. A full single health insurance benefit, health savings account, public employee retirement program, sick leave, vacation leave, and training opportunities are included. A successful applicant must be able have a degree within Special Education. Preferences will be given to applicants with experience with EBD and credentialed. Applications will be accepted until filled.
Join a great time and positive school culture by applying now. "Certified Staff" application forms may be picked up in the main office or submitted from the Washburn School District website at <https://tinyurl.com/WashburnApps>. A full job description is available upon request. Contact Dr. Penny Veit-Hetletved, Superintendent, at 701-462-3221, or email her at penny.hetletved@k12.nd.us with questions. The Washburn Public School District is an equal opportunity employer and subject to veterans' preference laws.



NOW HIRING - EQUIPMENT OPERATOR II-Garrison
The McLean County Highway Department team is looking for one or more dependable candidates to fill full-time **EQUIPMENT OPERATOR II (EO II) POSITIONS IN GARRISON**
Dependent on the applicant pool, the position(s) may be underfilled at the Equipment Operator I (EO I) level which **does not** require a CDL license to start work **OR** the position(s) may be filled at the higher classification of **Equipment Operator III (EO III)** dependent on experience. If filled at the EO I level, the successful candidate will be required to obtain their CDL license within the first year of employment. The county will provide training and assistance to the candidate in the CDL licensing process. Applications will be accepted until **4:00 P.M. on Wednesday, June 21, 2023.**
New team members must reside within 40 minutes travel time of the Garrison Highway Shop. To view the complete job descriptions or to apply, visit www.mcleancountynd.gov/employment.
If filled at the EO II level the starting salary range is \$44,232.36 - \$45,429.51 (further reasonable adjustments may be given for verifiable and applicable previous experience); if filled at the EO I level the starting salary \$41,623.11; and if filled at the EO III level the starting salary range is \$50,130.31 - \$51,484.62 (further reasonable adjustments may be given for verifiable and applicable previous experience). The county offers 100% employer-paid participation in ND Public Employees Retirement System defined benefit (pension) retirement program and 100% employer-paid low deductible, health insurance for either single or family coverage.
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WASHBURN SCHOOL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES
The Washburn School District is seeking applicants for the following coaching position for the 2023-2024 School Year:
Drama Coach (Fall)
Southern McLean Football Cheerleader Coach (Fall)
Washburn 7th and 8th Grade Volleyball Coach (2 Positions) (Fall)
Assistant Varsity Volleyball Coach (Fall)
Washburn Boys' and Girls' Basketball Cheerleader Coach (Winter)
Washburn Assistant Boys' Varsity Basketball Coach (Winter)
Southern McLean Track Assistant Coaches (Spring)
Elementary Volleyball Coach (Spring)
Position is open until filled. Salary DOE. Applications may be submitted at: <https://tinyurl.com/WashburnApps>. Contact Dr. Penny Veit-Hetletved at penny.hetletved@k12.nd.us or 701-462.3221 for any questions. The Washburn Public School District is an equal opportunity employer and subject to veterans' preference laws.

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