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GET VACCINATED

COVID-19 Vaccine: Expected Vaccine Availability in South Dakota

Phase	Population Group	January	February	March	April	May-December
1A	Frontline healthcare workers and long-term care facility healthcare workers					
1B	Long-term care residents					
we are here	EMS, public health workers, and other healthcare workers (lab & clinic staff)					
	Law enforcement, correctional officers					
1D Starting January 18	Persons aged 65 years and older Starting w/those 80 years of age and older (Age to be lowered in coming weeks)					
	High risk patients - dialysis, post-transplant, and active cancer					
	High risk residents in congregate settings					
1D	Persons with 2 or more underlying medical conditions					
	Teachers and other school/college staff					
	Funeral service workers					
1E -	Fire service personnel					
	Includes public-facing workers in essential and <u>critical infrastructure</u>	Esti	mated Vaccine Avai	lability		
Phase 2	All others 16 years and older	Note: Tribal vaccine allocation & administration is handled by the <u>IHS</u> Veteran vaccine allocation & administration is handled by the <u>VA</u>				

COVID-19 VACCINATION WILL KEEP YOU FROM GETTING COVID-19.

- All COVID-19 vaccines currently available in the U.S. have been shown to be highly effective (94-95%) at preventing COVID-19
- None of the COVID-19 vaccines contain the live virus that causes COVID-19, so a COVID-19 vaccine cannot make you sick with COVID-19.
- Wearing a mask and social distancing helps reduce your chance of being exposed to the virus or spreading it to others, but these measures are not enough. Vaccines will work with our immune system so it will be ready to fight the virus if you are exposed
- Stopping a pandemic requires using all the tools we have available.

*Facts from Center for Disease Control





Coming in tomorrows





This week's "Blazing a Trail" series continues its report on the legalization of medical and recreational marijuana, giving you the perspective of local law enforcement.

With a new elementary school on the horizon for Brandon's eastside, discussions are now taking place on annexation of this area into the city limits. The Journal brings you some key details of the possible action.

Also, Brandon's Park Advisory Committee tackled a loaded agenda last week. The Journal took in the meeting to give you all the details of some exciting forthcoming recreational opportunities and a new event coming to the city.

For the third straight year, Brandon Valley Middle School band students will be well-represented in this year's All-State Band, plus one student-musician is going above and beyond.

We've also got reports from the Minnehaha County Commission's Jan. 19 meeting and Monday night's school board meeting.

Plus, the Lady Lynx registered a trio of victories last week, which included the dismantling of previouslyundefeated Harrisburg, and dominating victories against Brookings and Sioux Falls Lincoln. The No. 1-ranked Lynx wrestlers racked up five more dual victories and the BV boys' hoops team got back on the winning side with a road win at Brookings.

All this and a whole lot more can be found on the pages of this week's Brandon Valley Journal!

If you're a subscriber, thanks for reading! If you're not, what are you waiting for? To subscribe, call us today at 582-9999 so you can be in the know of everything that's "Coming in Tomorrow's Brandon Valley Journal"!

Across

- 1. Juilliard major 6. Work over Christmas vacation, perhaps
- 10. Where Semarang is
- 14. Promising new arrival
- 15. Old song "Abdul Abulbul
- 16. Bator
- 17. What a metronome sets 18. Wallace of Reader's
- Diaest 19. Oaf
- 20. Good-natured chiding
- 23. Gathers up

26. Nourished

- 25. End of profit or rocket
- 27. Animal's breadbasket
- 28. Common street name
- 29. Highchair feature
- 31. "Dies ____" (Latin hymn) 33. Deface
- 35. Chinese food order request
- 39. He circumnavigated the world
- _ be you ..." 43. "It 44. Healthy-horse connec-
- tion
- 45. Group of toads 46. Skyline obscurer
- 49. Bookie alternative in N.Y. 51. Catch the bad guy red-
- handed
- 52. Milk amts.
- 55. O'Hare abbreviation 56. In an unstructured way
- 58. Espying
- 61. Hieroglyphic bird 62. Fighting like mad
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- 66. Public survey
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- 69. One and only 70. Super fast fleet, once
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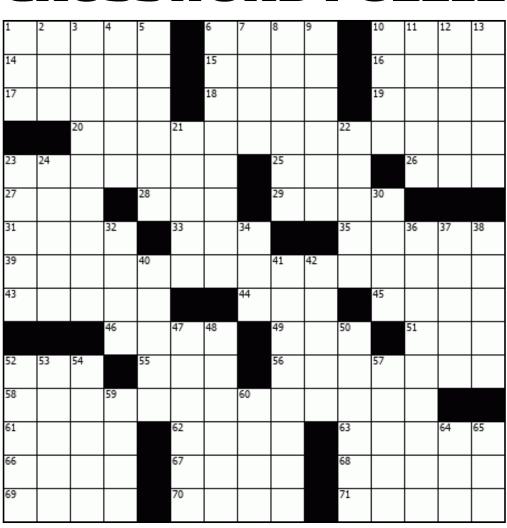
- 1. Tenth of twelve, for short 2. "The Conqueror Worm" poet
- 3. Tube trophy
- 4. Tow truck attachments 5. Excite
- 6. Magic charm
- 7. Ludwig or Jannings
- 8. "The Angelus" painter 9. Bedtime recitation
- 10. One of the martial arts
- 11. Far from cordial
- 12. Ravel work (with "La")
- 13. Chipped in a chip
- 21. King march site 22. Majestic
- 23. Pennsylvania Dutch group
- 24. "West Side Story" song

36. Painter El Greco, for one

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- 30. River Ouse city 32. Small salamanders
- 34. Nipper's co.

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- 37. "Here's to your health!"
- 38. Barely make it
- 40. Like some numerals
- 41. Quarantines 42. "Little Miss Muffet
- a tuffet ..." 47. They can get pretty
- loud in church
- 48. Complimentary 50. Lace-up girdle
- 52. Wax collectors?
- 53. Prohibited
- 54. Proficiency
- 57. Roomy wheels
- 59. Manhattan, for one
- 60. Young, female swine 64. Rafter's need
- 65. Prufrock creator's inits.

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Districts 10, 25 Legislative Coffee

Brandon Valley Area Chamber of Commerce will host a legislative coffee from 9-10:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 6 at Tailgator's. The event is free and open to the public. Masks are encouraged.

Brandon P&Z Commission meets Thursday

Brandon Planning & Zoning Commission will meet at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 28 in the city council chambers. The agenda and packet may be viewed by visiting cityofbrandon.org

BV Optimist Club sponsors essay contest

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The Brandon Valley Optimist Club is once again sponsoring an essay contest for scholarship dollars. In recent history, BV students have collectively won more than \$10,000 at various levels of the contest. Application forms can be picked up from BVHS teacher Jeremy Risty in room 123, and essays and applications should be turned into Risty by Feb. 12.

Chamber Brew Crew is Feb. 12

Brandon Valley Area Chamber of Commerce invites members to Brew Crew from 8-9 a.m. Friday, Feb. 12 at Kingbird Coffee.

Coffee with the Council

Stop by Kingbird Coffee (509 N. Splitrock Blvd.) between 9-10 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 13 to share your ideas, concerns, etc., with a few of your city council representatives. Coffee with the Council is held once a month on the second Saturday and is organized by the Brandon Valley Area Chamber of Commerce.

Valentine's for Bethany, Helping Hand residents

This Valentine's Day, help brighten the holiday for residents at Bethany Meadows/ Bethany Home and Helping Hand Assisted Living by sending valentines to residents.

Valentines may be mailed to Valentine Bethany Meadows, 3012 E. Aspen Blvd., Brandon, SD 57005 or Helping Hand Assisted Living Center, 1000 Teakwood St., Brandon, SD 57005.

January needs at the BAFP

Household necessities headline the list of January needs at the Brandon Area Food Pantry. Needs this month are bottled juices, shampoo (only), men's/ women's deodorant, laundry detergent, Kleenex, toothpaste and pet food for both dogs and cats.

Due to recent large-scale donations, the BAFP has no need for canned vegetables (i.e., peas, corn, carrots, all varieties of beans) and soups, both cream and other varieties.

Due to COVID-19 precautions, Pantry clients will receive items that have been pre-bagged by BAFP volunteers. To make appointments for either pickups

or donations, call 582-7001. The BAFP is open from 4-6 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays and will maintain those hours until further notice.

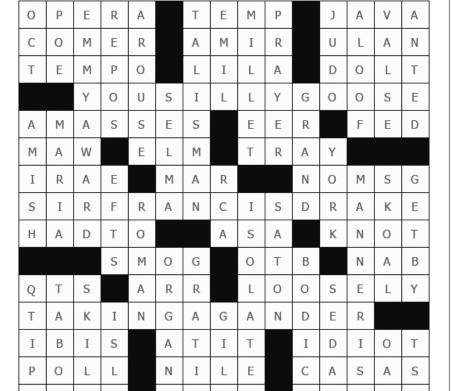
Used eye glasses and hearing aids for the Brandon Lions Club may also be dropped off at the BAFP.

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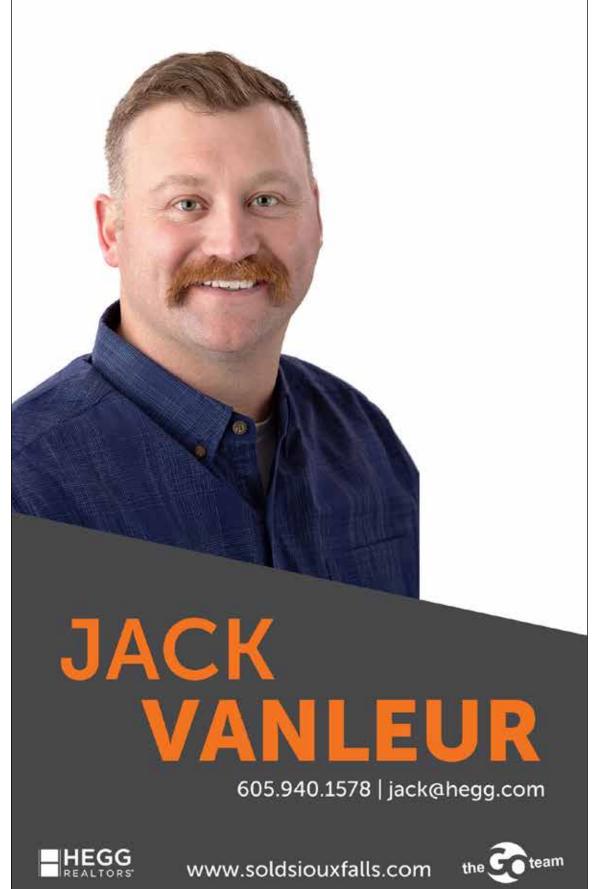
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