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Coming in tomorrow's





Republican Spencer Wrightsman wants to represent the newly-established legislative District 2 in Pierre. This week, the Journal introduces you to the Brandon man and tells you his reasons behind wanting to do so.

Speaking of politics, District 10 Rep. Steve Haugaard was the only legislator (Districts 10 and 25) who showed up at Saturday's one and only Legislative Coffee this session. Journal writer Tom Savage was there to give you the details of the Q&A between Haugaard and constituents.

Kingbird Coffee is under new ownership, and with that new ownership comes plans to bring in some new products and events that's sure to make the coffee shop the place to be.

A Brandon husband and wife were gifted the kindness of a stranger. Check out this feel good story in tomorrow's Brandon Valley Journal.

The five-game win streak for the Lynx boys came to a halt Thursday night, but the loss is serving as fuel for the team who's now 5-5 on the year. And while we're talking high school hoops, the Lady Lynx went "old school" Saturday afternoon when they hosted the Harrisburg Tigers in the Auxiliary Gym.

A large-scale powerlifting event took over the BVHS Activities Center on Saturday, where high schoolers showed their strength in bench press, dead lift and squat, and the Journal camera was on the sidelines.

BV's wrestling team also ruled the mats at the Les Tlustos Invite in Brookings on Saturday, where they came away with six champions and six other place winners.

With the wrestling season now well in progress, we'll also bring you a profile of Lady Lynx wrestlers in this week's Journal.

There's a whole lot more coming your way in this week's Journal, so don't miss out! To subscribe, give us a call at 582-9999!



Ask the Motor Medics®

Automotive Advice from The Under the Hood® Show

Dear Motor Medics,

I recently heard you talking about timing belts on your radio show and how everyone with a vehicle should find out if theirs is equipped with one and what the recommended service interval was. I asked my local shop if I had one and they said I do and in fact it was past due by almost 10,000 miles. My vehicle is a 2012 Honda Accord. I have owned it since new and have never had it changed to my knowledge unless it was part of some service package. Is a timing belt something I can do myself at home with basic hand tools? I have changed other belts. If I don't do it the correct way can I damage something or can I just take it to a shop to have them finish it? Craig in Kittanning Pennsylvania

Dear Craig,

Yes a timing belt can be changed at home on many vehicles but specialty tools are required for some. Before you start any home-project make sure you are very familiar and comfortable with the job ahead of you and follow all safety procedures. A timing belt is a job that requires very close attention to procedure. If the belt comes loose or is not installed correctly and the engine becomes out of time it can spell disaster for the engine. It can even mean having to replace the engine in some cases. Study the job closely before attempting this one.

Take care, The Motor Medics

Dear Motor Medics,

I'm getting ready to send my son off to college in a used car we found. We had a used car inspection done before we purchased it and a couple items were found that we took care of after the purchase ourselves. My son and I have spent a lot of time together doing small mechanical projects and I think he can take care of the small things that may come up on his own while he is away. For anyone who may be traveling away from home what kinds of items do you suggest to have stored in the vehicle for small emergencies?

Robert in Holdrege Nebraska

Dear Robert,

It you're a well-seasoned mechanic or everyday driver having an emergen-

cy kit in the vehicle is a great idea. Even If you don't use it yourself it may come in handy for others you come across. Everyone will have a different idea and some personal choices but here are some basics. Jumper cables for sure, a small (empty) fuel can, to prevent a fire, fire extinguisher and basic hand tools. Keeping a small basic kit does not take up much room and can be used for many repairs. A flashlight with extra batteries and some type of signal to warn people if you are disabled in the dark like an illuminated triangle set. These are all in addition to the vehicles jack and tool kit and any other items that you have found.

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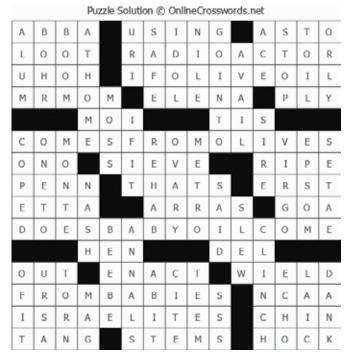
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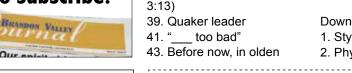
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The Ed Polzine Cancer Fund is a fund that supports children and families in the Brandon area who have been impacted by cancer or other life-altering events. The fund is named after Ed Polzine who lost his fight with cancer in 1999. Ed loved kids and he would be very happy to know that the mission behind the game feed continues to help these children and their families.





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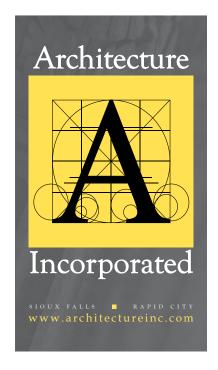
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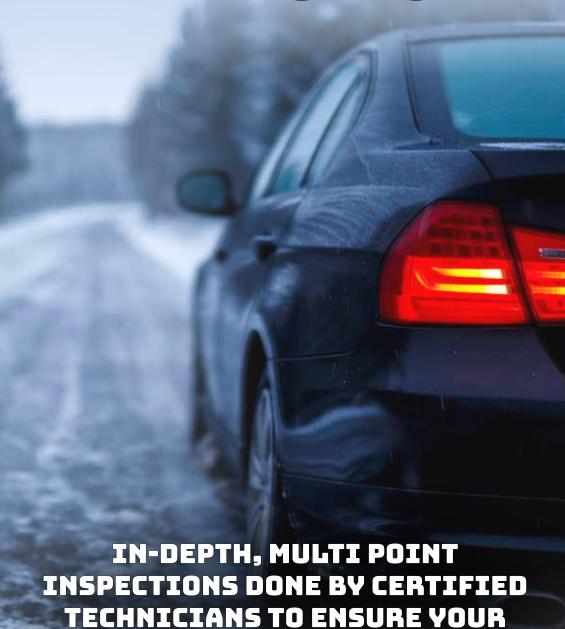
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