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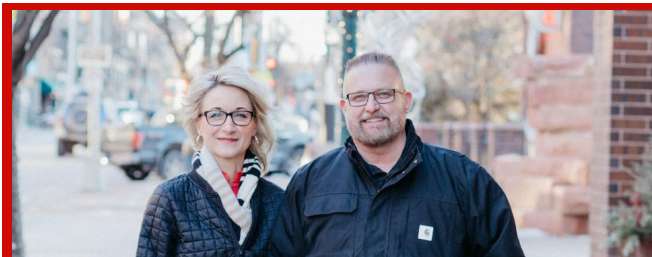
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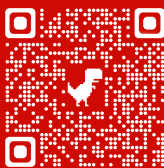


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Hello, I would like to introduce myself. My name is Jeff Shawd and I have been a resident of District 2 for 35 years. I am a Husband, a father and recently a grandpa. My children have all grown up and graduated from the great Brandon Valley School System. I was born and raised on a farm in Letcher SD, and learned from an early age hard work, honesty and what true to your word really means.

I would like to be your true conservative voice for State House District 2. A voice for smart growth and fiscal responsibility. I believe, together we can make a difference and it is time to make our voice heard in District 2. There are many challenging issues that we are faced with, protecting our gun rights, fiscal responsibility, and protecting our election integrity are just to name a few. I would like to take my strength and experience and work for you, make your voice heard!

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Residents should be advised that the change in water flow patterns resulting from hydrant flushing may stir up mineral deposits in home services.

During hydrant flushing, it is not uncommon for residents to periodically experience discolored water, pressure change, and/or an increased chlorine odor. Homeowners are advised to exercise care in their laundry operations and to check the water for clarity before use.

Motorists also are advised to stay clear of the streams of water coming from the hydrants.

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United Recyclers Group Scholarship Foundation is pleased to announce Hailey Pieper as a \$3,000 award winner for 2022. Hailey is the daughter of Scot & Deb Pieper. Scot works for Nordstrom's Automotive, a URG member in Garretson, SD. Hailey is a 3rd year student at the University of South Dakota majoring in Criminal Justice and Psychology. She hopes to one day work in the juvenile justice system in either counseling or the court system. She would like to thank URG for selecting her as a recipient for their scholarship. The funding will help her finish her last year of school.

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Thank you, Gary in Lincoln, Nebraska

Dear Gary,

The first thing to consider when purchasing either one is how it will be used. As a second car you have the luxury of using your other car for long trips. With the Hybrid this would not be a problem but with a fully electric car this would be a showstopper. Hybrid Vehicles all have an internal combustion engine combined with an electric motor that share the load in part to save fuel while Electric Vehicles must be recharged when exhausted. If the Hybrid runs low on electricity it can rely on the engine, which if low on fuel can easily be refilled at the gas station. If you run out of juice on the Electric Vehicle it means a tow. Before purchasing either model we suggest you spend considerable time researching both options. There are many people who swear by their "green" vehicles and would never go back to a conventional car, others swear at them. Research is crucial.

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Dear Motor Medics,

My Dodge Caravan is five years old, and I just don't seem to be able to see the road like I used to. The lenses are still clear, and I've had them adjusted but I don't see well at all. We also have a Cadillac that has those tiny round headlights, and I can see great while driving it. Is there anything I can do to my van to get the same light out of it that the car has? I see cars with those really bright lights that blind me when I drive. Can those be legal? I don't want to blind people I just want to see well.

Thank you, Glenna in Illinois

Dear Glenna,

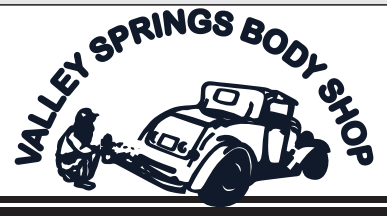
There is a major difference in lighting systems between your two vehicles. The van uses headlight technology that has been used since the Model T; it has been refined a bit with better reflectors and bulbs but still has limits. The Cadillac uses H.I.D lamps. High intensity discharge comprised of special ballasts and bulbs, and a focusing projector lens to send the high-power light to the road immediately in front of you and not into oncoming vehicles eyes. You can upgrade to a better conventional bulb in the van but legally you can't use H.I.D bulbs without the projector type lens because it will blind other drivers. Aftermarket projector lenses are available for some vehicles but not the van as far as we know.

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She's been in the national media spotlight for the "big gulp" she took at her First Communion. *Journal* summer intern Gracie Terrall now puts her story in the local spotlight.

A full-fledged carnival is coming to Brandon later this month. This week's *Journal* gives you the details of who is behind bringing this three-day event to McHardy Park.

VanOverschelde Companies shared their concept plan for Chestnut Ridge at last week's Brandon City Council meeting. Learn more about the 450 "doors" that are planned for this residential development on the city's eastside.

Following up on the issue of ATVs and dirt bike drivers "tearing up the town" in Valley Springs, *Journal* writer Tom Savage talks with Patrol Captain Adam Zishka on the potential consequences violators may face.

Brandon Valley's track and field teams had some great success at the highly-regarded Howard Wood Relays. Find out which student-athletes rose to the top of two-day competition. Plus, we've got the lowdown on how the Lynx baseball, girl's golf and boy's tennis teams fared last week.

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

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You are invited to join us for a real, genuine conversation with one of your neighbors. This podcast will celebrate the people of Brandon, SD and their stories. Each week will feature a guest who will share why they chose to make Brandon their home and what the community means to them. Let us accompany you on your commute, while cooking dinner or winding down for the night. The L.Y.N.X. Podcast is hosted by John Semchenko and can be found on major streaming services.



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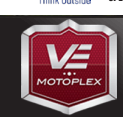
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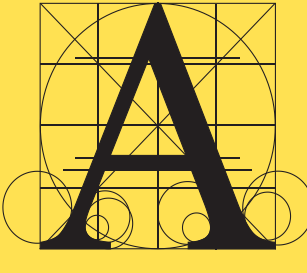
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