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Community Drive for Teacher Supplies

Aug. 1-30 · Bill Thompson State Farm office

Drop off any supplies for Brandon Valley teacher's classrooms and receive a free treat from B&G Milky Way!

On Tuesday's, drop off supplies before you head to Trivia Night at 212 and receive a coupon for a free appetizer.

Cash donations will also be accepted and will be put towards Teachers Pay Teachers gift cards. Bill Thompson State Farm will match the cash donations.

Supplies Needed: Fun pens for correcting Pencils Glue sticks Markers Colored paper

Items for "reward boxes" Stickers Scissors Crayons Book baskets Stamps (ink) Paper

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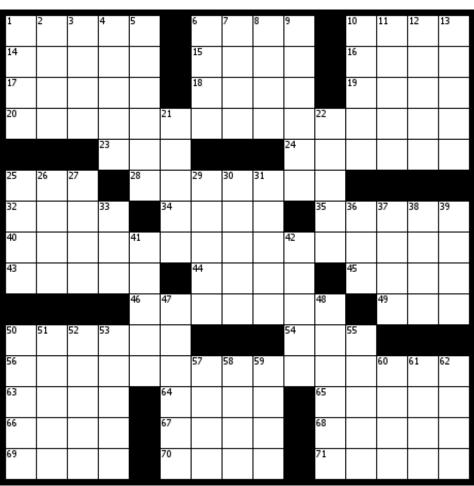




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- 1. African tree snake
- 6. Holding device
- 10. Wring one's hands
- 14. Run --- of the law
- 15. Memorable times 16. Contemporary of Cab and Duke
- 17. Antique starter 18. Ingredient in tailor's
- chalk 19. Ibri locale
- 20. Toy vehicle with an irritating horn?
- 23. Lennon's soulmate
- 24. Some fetes 25. It may have a wide
- body 28. Descent into disorder
- 32. Range or river
- 34. Baseless person, really
- 35. Triple Crown winner,
- 40. Confederate with a disdain for cruise ships?
- 43. Pantheon member
- 44. --- fixe 45. Something about you
- 46. Turned a deaf ear on
- 49. Item that's often picked up
- 50. Empire State capital
- 54. Trig. figure
- 56. Plant eater that's down in the dumps?
- 63. Emulated Quasimodo
- 64. State openly
- 65. Tractor handle?
- 66. Naysayer
- 67. Perry Como's "-- Ma-

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- 68. Language of science
- 69. Velvety tree hugger
- 70. On tenterhooks
- 71. Build, as a monument

Down

- 1. Speed ratio
- 2. Michael Jackson wore
- 3. Bellyacher's emission
- 4. Fleecing operation
- 5. Welding gas
- 6. High-level denial
- 7. Rafsanjani's land 8. Polio conqueror
- 9. Protective
- embankment
- 10. Botanist's concern 11. Storytelling uncle
- 12. Pass, as legislation
- 13. Gas and think, for two
- 21. Having a musical key 22. Words with "Happy
- birthday"
- 25. Wynonna or Ashley
- 26. It's inferior to
- Superior
- 27. Danny DeVito
- vehicle?

- 29. Pudd'nhead's creator
- 30. Musical piece with a repeated theme
- 31. More archaic
- 33. Three sheets to the
- wind
- 36. CEO's wallhanging
- 37. Touch upon
- 38. Juno's counterpart
- 39. Qatari, for one
- 41. Giving the once-over
- 42. Parasitic person 47. Do the hula
- 48. Draw aimlessly 50. James Garfield's
- middle name
- 51. Bolivian plain 52. Tries to move
- someone 90 feet
- 53. Sponsorship
- 55. Word with head or
- mint 57. Rarin' to go
- 58. "Yesterday" or
- "Tomorrow"
- 59. Persuade
- 60. Sneaky guy
- 61. Speed skater Heiden
- 62. It's overhead

be set up for visitors to see the Al-Anon meetings in Brandon Brandon Area Brie moon and maybe even a planet. With hundreds of meteors fall-

Club The Boys & Girls Club of Sioux Empire have teamed up with Taco John's in Brandon and Sioux Falls for the first Burrito Bash. From 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Wednesday, July 31, \$1 from the purchase of every meat and potato or breakfast burrito will benefit the Boys & Girls Club. Patrons may also purchase coupons that are good for one meat and potato or breakfast burrito. The coupons have no expiration

There will also be games and activities at the Brandon Taco John's during the daylong pro-

BV Summer Band, Singers concert

motion.

Brandon Valley Summer Band and Summer Singers will present their final camp concert at 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 1, in the Brandon Valley Intermedi-

ate School gym. The band is under the direction of Laura Schenk and Del Hubers and the Singers are directed by Del Hubers and accompanied by Gingi Hanson.

The concert is free and open to the public. To learn more, contact Del Hubers at (605) 789-1524.

Circuit collects school supplies

Circuit is serving as Brandon Valley's school supply collection headquarters. To make a difference in the life of a local child, please bring school supply donations to Circuit, 1124 E. Holly Blvd., between the hours of 5-6:30 a.m. and 2-7 p.m.

Burrito Bash for Boys & Girls Monday through Friday, and 8-9 be payable to Brandon Valley a.m. Saturdays.

Split Rock Lutheran hosts Pie

and Ice Cream Social Split Rock Lutheran Church will host their annual Pie and Ice Cream Social from 4-7 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 4 at the church.

Back-to-School Bash

Brandon's Hometown Team -Cindy Wills of Keller Williams, Josh Koob of Josh Koob American Insurance, and Amanda Starzl, a mortgage loan officer with American Bank & Trust - are hosting a Back-to-School Bash from 5-8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 6 at Brandon Swimming Pool. The night will offer food, bouncy houses, games and free swimming.

They will be collecting school supplies: Elmer's glue sticks, No. 2 pencils, Papermate rectangle erasers, Dry Erase markers and 16-count packages of crayons.

Sign-up for Pigskin Classic Golf Tourney now open

Registrations are now being accepted for the Brandon Vallev Booster Club Pigskin Classic Golf Tournament on Saturday, Aug. 10. Proceeds support BVHS athletic programs. Cost is \$60 per player. The four-person scramble will tee off at 8 a.m. and check-in is no later than 7:30 a.m. at the Brandon Municipal Golf Course.

Register by emailing gusso@ alliancecom.net or mailing registration form to: Bethany Gusso, 1700 Rushmore Dr., Brandon, SD 57005. Checks should Booster Club.

New summer hours for TOPS Starting Monday, July 22, TOPS summer hours are 10 a.m. (weigh-in), followed by 10:30 a.m. meeting in room 126 at Brandon Lutheran Church, 600 E. Holly Blvd.

Brandon Senior Citizens

The Brandon Senior Citizens meet 12:30 p.m. every Thursday at the VFW for Bingo and cards. All are welcome. The group also lunches together on the third Thursday of each month, with a noon meal catered by Tony's. To reserve a spot, call 605-582-

Brandon Farmers Market

Brandon Farmers Market is open for business two times each week: 4-7 p.m. Thursdays and 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturdays, June through September, in the parking lot at 515 N. Splitrock Blvd.

Vendors are welcome. Call (605) 940-7516 for more information or check out the Farmers Market Facebook page and Instagram @brandonsdfarmersmarket.

Perseid Meteor Shower and **Star Party**

Palisades State Park will host a Perseid Meteor Shower and Star Party starting at 10 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 10

Party-goers should meet on the upper road inside Palisades State Park for a tour of the night sky. The park's telescope will

ing, this is a great event for the

whole family. Lawn chairs or blankets are encouraged. Bug spray is recommended and a park license is required.

Step Big for Parkinson's An-

nual Walk is Aug. 24 The Step Big for Parksinon's Annual Walk is Saturday, Aug. 24 at the Canaries Baseball Stadium in Sioux Falls. Doors open at 8 a.m., where participants can sign in and peruse a variety of vendors set up prior to the walk. There will also be activities for kids, music and food. The walk

begins at 9 a.m. Participants can register day of the event or prior to Aug. 24 by visiting southdakotaparkinson.org and clicking on the event page link. Cost is \$30 per person and free for children 12 and under. Each participant that pays the \$30 fee will receive a t-shirt.

BCF encourages grant applicants, Spirit Award nominees

Brandon Community Foundation reminds 501c3 organizations to apply for BCF grant dollars that are awarded each fall at the Oak & Vine fundraiser, which is Nov. 1. Brandon residents are also encouraged to submit nominations for the Community Spirit Award, also presented at Oak & Vine.

To learn more about both, visit brandoncf.org.

The BCF is a permanent fund of the Sioux Falls Area Community Foundation. Contributions made to the BCF are deductible to the maximum extent allowable, and all funds raised stay in the Brandon area to improve the quality of life for all ages.

Al-Anon meets from 8-9 p.m. every Tuesday at Brandon Lutheran Church, 600 E. Holly Blvd.

Men's Bible Study Tuesday mornings at Brandon Luther-

A Men's Bible Study is held at 6:30 a.m. Tuesdays at Brandon Lutheran Church. Refreshments are served and the Bible Study is led by Jim Heinitz. All men

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are welcome.

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when the pool is closed. Text "Brandon" to 33222 today to sign up.

BAFP's July needs

The needs for July are beef stew, pancake mix, bagged egg noodles, Knorr rice and noodle packets, pie filling, salt and pepper shaker sets, potato chips and laundry detergent.

Before donating food items, please check expiration dates and that cans are not bulging from age and/or freezing. Monetary donations are also appreciated.

The BAFP is also accepting used eye glasses and hearing aids on behalf of the Brandon Lions Club.

The BAFP is open 4 to 6 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at 406 Main Ave. To learn more, call 605-582-7001.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, JULY 31

BVHS Marching Band Camp, 8 a.m. (through Aug. 9)

Boys & Girls Clubs of the Sioux Empire Burrito Bash, Brandon Taco John's, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.

Alliance Communications groundbreaking, 1400 E. Aspen Blvd., 12 noon

Brandon Park Board Advisory meeting, Council Chambers, 5 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 201 Elm St., 8 p.m.

THURSDAY, AUG. 1

Brandon Community Foundation meeting, Scooter's Coffee, 7 a.m.

Brandon Book Club, **Brandon Community** Library, 10:30-11:35 a.m.

Brandon City Council briefing meeting, Council Chambers, 5:30 p.m.

Brandon Planning & **Zoning Commission** meeting, Council Chambers, 6:30 p.m. Alcoholics Anonymous, 201 Elm St., 8 p.m.

FRIDAY, AUG. 2 BVACC Executive meeting, Chamber office, 8 a.m.

Yoga For Kids, Circuit,

11-11:30 a.m.

Lunch Time Yoga, Circuit, 12 noon-12:45 p.m.

SATURDAY, AUG. 3

Alcoholics Anonymous, 201 Elm St., 11 a.m.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4

Alcoholics Anonymous, 201 Elm St., 4 p.m.

MONDAY, AUG. 5

First practice for BVHS competitive cheer & dance, boys & girls soccer, softball

BVHS parking fees due

Brandon City Council meeting, Council Chambers, 6 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 201 Elm St., 8 p.m.

TUESDAY, AUG. 6 BVHS CTE/Dual Enrollment schedule

changes, 8:30 a.m.- 1p.m.

Minnehaha County Commission meeting, Commission meeting room, **County Administration** Building, 9 a.m.

BVACC New Member Luncheon, Pizza Ranch, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

BVHS Senior Retreat, 2-5 p.m.

BV Optimist Family meeting, Pizza Ranch; dine from 6-7 p.m., meeting from 7-8 p.m.

American Legion Post 318 Auxiliary meeting, Brandon VFW, 6:15 p.m.

Trivia Every Tuesday, 212° The Boiling Point, 7 p.m.

American Legion Post 318 meeting, Brandon VFW, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 7

BVACC Marketing Committee meeting, Chamber office, 8 a.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 201 Elm St., 8 p.m.

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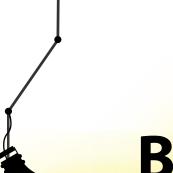
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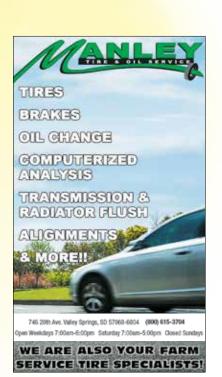
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