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SUMMER

activities guide



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COVER PHOTO: Disc golf is a popular summertime sport in the Yankton area. Photo by Chad Coppess/S.D. Tourism

CITY OF YANKTON DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the City of Yankton is to provide exemplary experiences, services and spaces that create opportunities for everyone to learn, engage and thrive.

COVID-19: PHYSICAL DISTANCING

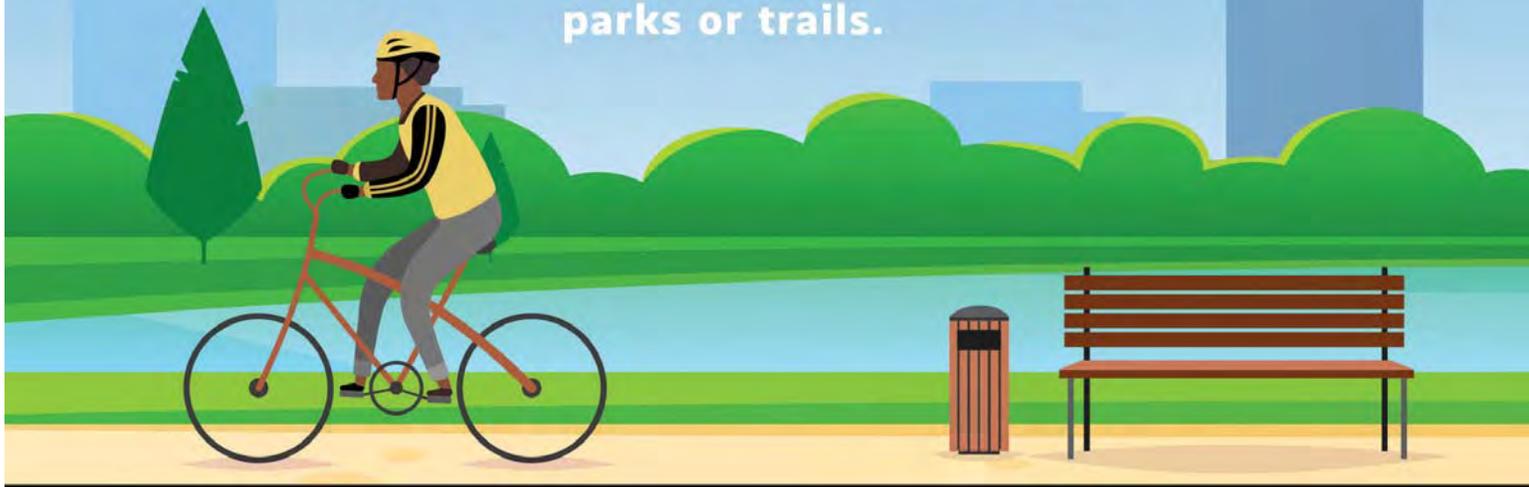


Do not use parks or trails if you are exhibiting symptoms.



Be prepared for limited access to public restrooms or water fountains.

Follow CDC's guidance on personal hygiene prior to visiting parks or trails.



Concerns about the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) outbreak continue to grip our nation. As organizations that support the power of parks and open spaces as essential resources for health and wellness, we understand that people may have questions and concerns about visiting their local parks, trails or open spaces at this time.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has flagged mental health as a top concern associated with the COVID-19 outbreak. We recognize that physical distancing may take a toll on our mental health, especially during high-stress and anxiety-producing global public health emergencies. We also know that parks provide a connection to the outdoors and green space as well as opportunities for physical activity which studies demonstrate reduces stress and improves mental health.

We believe that many parks, trails and open spaces can continue to be used in a safe manner that allows people to enjoy the mental and physical health benefits these spaces provide. In all instances, we recommend people follow local, state and national ordinances and guidelines regarding the use of these spaces and recognize that these vary from community to community.

In places where there are no restrictions on the use of local parks, trails and open spaces, we encourage all users to follow these recommendations:

- Refrain from using parks or trails if they are exhibiting symptoms.
- Follow CDC's guidance on personal hygiene prior to and during use of parks or trails.
- Prepare for limited access to public restrooms or water

IN PUBLIC PARKS AND TRAILS

Share the trail and warn other trail users of your presence and as you pass.



Observe CDC's minimum recommended physical distancing of 6' from other persons at all times.



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- While on trails, warn other users of their presence and as they pass, and step aside to let others pass.
- Follow CDC guidance on the recommended size of social gatherings including outdoor picnicking, pick-up sports and other group hangouts, and maintain proper physical distance at all times.
- Observe CDC's minimum recommended physical distancing of 6 feet from other individuals at all times. If this is not possible, users should find an alternate location or depart that space.
- Consult their local and state ordinances and guidelines for the most up to date recommendations on park and trail use.

The City of Yankton Health Board and City of Yankton City

Commissioners ask for your cooperation in keeping Yankton safe!

Our local parks, trails and open spaces have always served as places where people can find respite and seek peace and restoration. During this time of uncertainty, these places are needed now more than ever. Our nation's park and recreation professionals are working hard to maintain these spaces and keep them safe, accessible and benefiting our communities during these challenging times. Let us all do our part to use them in a way that respects each other and public health guidance.

For more information about NRPA's response to COVID-19 and available resources for park and recreation professionals, as well as download options for the infographic above, please visit the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) webpage at www.nrpa.org.



The Summit Activities Center, 1801 Summit St., features an indoor pool, water slide, two gymnasiums, three multi-purpose rooms, cardiovascular equipment, multi-station weights, free weights and locker facilities. The center also offers fitness classes and adult leagues including volleyball, co-ed Wiffle ball, basketball and co-ed softball. For details visit www.cityofyankton.org.

WEIGHTS & FITNESS

Two lanes for walking, jogging and running surround our upstairs facility. Our weight and fitness room features steppers, rowing machines, stationary bicycles, treadmills, elliptical machines, NuStep and Adaptive Motion Trainers. Choose from a complete inventory of free weights, dumbbells, exercise stations and selectorized weights to meet every fitness goal. Staff is available during evening hours and throughout the day on weekends for supervision and assistance.

COURTS

The main gym has three courts and seats 3,400 spectators. The auxiliary gym also has three courts and is available for open gym or the city’s recreation leagues.

POOL

The SAC features a zero-depth entry, 218,000-gallon, seven-lane pool with a 134-foot water slide and fountain. Open swim times are available along with water aerobics, Red Cross swim lessons and adult lap swimming.

FITNESS CLASSES

Fitness classes are available for SAC members and visitors using a daily pass. Classes include yoga, water aerobics, Workout Express, Early Bird Boot Camp, Zumba®, Power Abs, Tabata, Prime Time for Seniors and more.

EQUIPMENT DEMONSTRATIONS

Free demonstrations of weight and fitness equipment are available to all SAC members. Youth members must be at least 12 years old to use the SAC weight and fitness area.

HOURS OF OPERATION

Summer Hours (tentatively beginning June 1, 2020)

Monday-Friday 5 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Saturday-Sunday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Fall & Winter Hours (beginning September 8, 2020)

Monday-Friday 5 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Saturday-Sunday 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

For more information and rates, visit the SAC at 1801 Summit St., www.cityofyankton.org or call 668-5234.

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HOW TO REGISTER

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Summit Activities Center — Online Registration

View a list of classes and activities, register and submit your payment on our website. It's quick and easy, and you'll receive immediate confirmation via email.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

- Summit Activities Center members may register at the Summit beginning **Monday, June 15** from 5 a.m. to 10 p.m.
- Online registration for summer programs will begin **Tuesday, June 16** at 11 a.m. for the general public.
- If you do not have access to a computer, walk-in registration for summer programs and activities is available at the Summit Activities Center starting **Tuesday, June 16** at 11 a.m.
- All online payments must be made with a major credit or debit card.

REFUND POLICY All refunds must be requested within five business days prior to the start of a program. Refunds are subject to a \$5 administrative fee. Please allow up to six weeks for processing.

PHOTOGRAPHY NOTICE Please be aware that staff members photograph recreation program participants and visitors at parks and the Summit Activities Center. These photos may be used for publicity and may appear in the Parks and Recreation Guide, Parks and Recreation newsletter or other publications. If you have photos of family participating in recreation programs that you wish to donate to the Department of Parks and Recreation for publicity, bring them to the Summit Activities Center or email to borr@cityofyankton.org.

NOTICE The City of Yankton reserves the right to make any necessary changes to the information printed in this publication.

DID YOU KNOW? SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE

Don't let cost keep your child from participating in our summer programs. Scholarship applications are available at the Summit Activities Center front desk or online at www.cityofyankton.org. Children qualifying for a scholarship receive one swim lesson and one city-sponsored summer program per session. (Yankton summer pool passes are excluded from the scholarship program.) Call 668-5234 for more information.

If fees are not a problem, consider donating to help grow our summer youth programs. Your gift will help fund scholarships for families experiencing financial hardship.

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AQUATICS CENTER TAKING SHAPE

SPACE TO SWIM in Yankton will be a little tighter this summer as crews begin work on the new Huether Family Aquatics Center. The 73-year-old Fantle Memorial Park swimming pool was demolished near the end of 2019 and water park construction began in the spring. Completion is tentatively set for April 2021.

In the meantime, swimmers are invited to use the pool at the Summit Activities Center, where staff have created a schedule that balances swimming lessons, open swim and other events (see page 9).

Preliminary artist renderings of the new water park, looking south over the northwest corner of Memorial Park, depict a zero-depth entry leisure pool, a lazy river, water slides, an eight-lane, 50-meter competition pool with diving boards and an adjacent splash pad. A bathhouse entry with a concession stand accessible from both inside the aquatic facility and outside within the park stands on the southeast corner, and a new 148-space parking lot lies to the south.

The push for a new aquatics center gained steam thanks to a group called Dive In Yankton, a grassroots organization of townspeople who saw the need for a new pool, gathered information, held public meetings and raised roughly \$2 million in pledges,



including \$1 million from the Huether Family Foundation, led by former Sioux Falls Mayor Mike Huether and his wife, Cindy (both Yankton natives), and their daughter, Kylie.

Dive In Yankton presented the concept to the Yankton City Commission in 2018. The commission approved \$2 million toward the project along with a \$12 million, 20-year property tax opt-out to help fund the remainder, but the opt-out was referred to a vote. Yankton citizens overwhelmingly approved the project in December of 2018, by a 66 to 34 percent margin. Total cost estimates originally hovered between \$14 million and \$15 million, but Welfl Construction of

Yankton was awarded the winning bid of \$10,386,500 in October 2019. The commission also decided to name the facility for the Huether family in honor of their financial donation.

Yankton families have enjoyed swimming at Memorial Park since 1947, thanks to the generosity of William and Carrie Fantle, who donated 35 acres to the city in 1945 to be used as a park. A condition of the Fantles' gift was that a swimming pool be built and remain part of the park forever. City voters agreed and approved a bond issue that resulted in construction of the pool, which opened two years later and served the community for more than seven decades.

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SUMMIT ACTIVITIES CENTER INDOOR POOL

OPEN SWIM HOURS (tentatively June 1-August 21, 2020)

Monday/Wednesday/Friday 12-5 p.m. & 6:30-7:45 p.m., Tuesday/Thursday 12-3 p.m. & Saturday/Sunday 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

ADMISSION

Any person with an active Summit Activities Center or GreatLIFE membership has access to any scheduled open swim time. Those without a membership will need a summer season pool pass for admission to the SAC indoor pool during scheduled open swim times. Passes are valid from May 1-August 31.

SEASON PASSES: Individual \$30

DAILY PASSES: Family \$14, Adult \$7, Youth \$5

SUMMER ADULT LAP SWIM

The SAC offers lap swimming during regular business hours. Two lanes are available at all times for lap swimming for adults 18 years and older. Regular admission rates apply.

FAMILY/ADULT SWIM

The SAC pool will be open to families Friday evenings from 6:30-7:45 p.m. and Sunday from 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Children must be supervised by a parent/adult (18 or older) at all times. Flotation devices will be allowed, but they must be the appropriate size for the user. No air mattresses or vehicle inner tubes allowed.

PARTY RENTALS

The SAC pool and meeting rooms are available during open swim hours to rent for birthday or private parties. For further information on rentals and pool availability, call 668-5234.

SAC POOL SCHEDULE SUMMER 2020

Time	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
5 a.m.		Yankton Swim Team practice					
6 a.m.		5 – 8:15	5 – 8:15	5 – 8:15	5 – 8:15	5 – 8:15	
7 a.m.							
8 a.m.							
9 a.m.		Water Aerobics 8:30 – 9:30	Water Aerobics 8:30 – 9:30				
10 a.m.	Family Day Open Swim 10 – 3:30	Swim Lessons 9:45 – 11:50	Open Swim 10 – 3:30				
11 a.m.							
12 p.m.		Open Swim 12 – 5	Open Swim 12 – 3	Open Swim 12 – 5	Open Swim 12 – 3	Open Swim 12 – 5	
1 p.m.							
2 p.m.							
3 p.m.							
4 p.m.	Close at 4		Swim Lessons 3:30 – 7:50		Swim Lessons 3:30 – 7:50		Close at 4
5 p.m.							
6 p.m.		Water Aerobics 5:30 – 6:30		Water Aerobics 5:30 – 6:30			
		Open Swim 6:30 – 7:45		Open Swim 6:30 – 7:45		Family Night Open Swim 6:30 – 7:45	
7 p.m.							
8 p.m.		Close at 8					



RED CROSS SWIM LEVELS *ages 2+*

Students learn elementary water skills and build upon them as they progress. Levels include:

Aqua Tots: Have fun in the water while accompanied by a parent or trusted adult. Ages 2-3.

Preschool: Learn beginning water exploration skills and safety. Ages 4-5.

Preschool Plus: Further develop basic skills while improving stamina. Ages 4-5.

Level I: Build skills and learn effective swimming habits and safe practices in and around the water. Ages 6+

Level II: Continue to build skills while laying the foundation for future strokes. Must have passed Level I.

Level III: Further develop strokes with additional guided practice. Must have passed Level II.

Level IV: Develop confidence while improving strokes and other skills. Must have passed Level III.

Level V: Provides further coordination and refinement of strokes. Must have passed Level IV.

Level VI: Polish strokes to swim with ease, efficiency, power and smoothness over greater distances and prepare for water safety instructor and lifeguard training classes. Must have passed Level V.

SUMMIT ACTIVITIES CENTER MORNING SWIM LESSONS

Two sessions of American Red Cross swimming lessons are offered.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center Pool

DAY: Mondays-Fridays

FEE: \$25 plus tax

JULY 6-17

9:45-10:20 a.m.

Preschool Plus (1043)

Level II (1052)

Level III (1063)

Level IV (1072)

Level V (1078)

10:30-11:05 a.m.

Preschool (1046)

Level II (1051)

Level III (1062)

Level V (1079)

Level VI (1082)

11:15-11:50 a.m.

Preschool Plus (1083)

Level I (1045)

Level II (1055)

Level III (1061)

Level IV (1071)

JULY 20-31

9:45-10:20 a.m.

Preschool Plus (1053)

Level I (1044)

Level III (1066)

Level V (1075)

10:30-11:05 a.m.

Preschool (1074)

Level II (1054)

Level III (1065)

Level V (1080)

11:15-11:50 a.m.

Level II (1056)

Level III (1064)

Level IV (1073)

Level VI (1081)

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SUMMIT ACTIVITIES CENTER AFTERNOON SWIM LESSONS

One session of American Red Cross swimming lessons is offered.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center Pool

DAY: Tuesdays & Thursdays

FEE: \$25 plus tax

JULY 7-AUGUST 6

3:30-4:05 p.m.

Aqua Tots (1091)
Preschool (1047)
Preschool Plus (1084)
Level II (1092)

4:15-4:50 p.m.

Preschool (1085)
Level I (1048)
Level III (1067)
Level IV (1076)

5-5:35 p.m.

Aqua Tots (1042)
Preschool (1086)
Preschool Plus (1087)
Level II (1060)

5:45-6:20 p.m.

Aqua Tots (1041)
Preschool Plus (1050)
Level I (1089)
Level III (1070)

6:30-7:05 p.m.

Level I (1049)
Level II (1059)
Level III (1069)
Level IV (1077)

7:15-7:50 p.m.

Level I (1090)
Level II (1058)
Level III (1068)
Level V/VI (1088)



COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

YANKTON SWIM TEAM offers training and practice groups for competitive swimming. The goal of YST is to empower swimmers to grow and reach personal goals. The season runs from May through the end of July.

Contact Cassi Pietz at 661-2046 or swimyst@yahoo.com
Visit SwimYST.com

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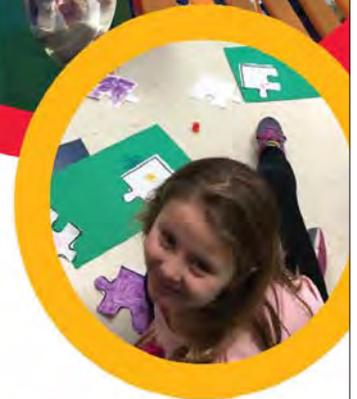
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COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

YANKTON AREA ARTS

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Contact Julie or Craig at
665-9754 or
info@yanktonareaarts.org
Visit YanktonAreaArts.org

KIDS ART FEST JUNE 2

Yankton Area Arts hosts the 28th Annual Kids Art Fest, Tuesday, June 2 from 5-7:30 p.m. at Riverside Park. Hands-on, imaginative art activities will be available and free to youngsters. Families are encouraged to attend. For more information or to volunteer, contact Yankton Area Arts at 665-9754.

CLAY CLASSES *ages 7+*

All classes are held in the Yankton High School art room, accessible by driving behind the Summit Activities Center and going to entrance 23. All participants must bring an empty shoebox and an old T-shirt on the first day. Class size: 15.

CLAY I *ages 7+*

Learn basic techniques of clay construction with fun projects! Make a magnet, pinch pots, pinch box, drop pot, your name on a slab and more.

CLAY II *ages 7+*

Learn advanced techniques of clay construction by creating unique projects! Make a mask, clay origami bowl, coil pots and a slab in a bowl. Must have completed Clay I.

CLAY III *ages 8+*

Learn new techniques of clay construction by creating a red clay pot, monsters, plates and mugs! Must have completed Clay I and Clay II.

POTTER'S WHEEL *ages 8+*

Gain practical experience using the wheel as well as concepts in glazing and painting projects. The first week is used to throw on the wheel, the second week is used to glaze projects. **Limited to 7 participants.** Must have taken two sessions of Clay I, II or III.

JULY 7-30

CLAY I

FEE: \$35 plus tax
Tuesdays & Thursdays
9-9:50 a.m. (1302)
10-10:50 a.m. (1303)

CLAY II

FEE: \$35 plus tax
Tuesdays & Thursdays
11-11:50 a.m. (1304)
12-12:50 p.m. (1305)

CLAY III

FEE: \$35 plus tax
Tuesdays & Thursdays
2-2:50 p.m. (1306)

POTTER'S WHEEL

FEE: \$40 plus tax
Class limit: 7
Tuesdays 3-4:50 p.m. (1307)
Thursdays 3-4:50 p.m. (1308)



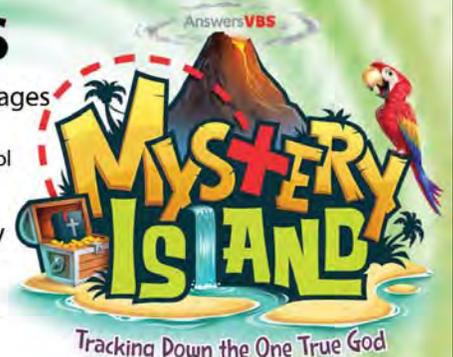
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SUMMER EVENTS

Sundays — 9 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
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Wednesdays: 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study

Vacation Bible School: Aug. 2-6, 6 p.m.
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SUMMER ART WITH SUE HILL & CASEY BAKER

With more than 40 years of art experience, Sue Hill and Casey Baker offer in-depth classes that allow young artists to focus on and improve their skills. Due to limited class sizes, each student receives maximum attention and help. All supplies provided. **Courses are held at the Riverfront Event Center, 121 W. Third St. Please use the Walnut Street entrance. To register for June classes, email Sue at artfun2day@gmail.com.**

BEGINNING ARTISTS *ages 6-8*

Use paint, stencils and one-of-a-kind surfaces to create fun works of art. Class size: 6.

FEE: \$35 plus tax

JUNE 10-24 Wednesdays 11 a.m.-12 p.m.
Wednesdays 3:30-4:30 p.m.

JULY 15-29 Wednesdays 11 a.m.-12 p.m. (1291)
Wednesdays 3:30-4:30 p.m. (1292)

JUNIOR ARTISTS *ages 8-10*

Paint and punch has never been so much fun! Paint and pour with glitter/mica to make lovely works of art on a variety of surfaces. Class size: 6.

FEE: \$35 plus tax

JUNE 11-25 Thursdays 12-1 p.m.

JUNE 12-26 Fridays 12-1 p.m.

JULY 16-30 Thursdays 12-1 p.m. (1295)

JULY 17-31 Fridays 12-1 p.m. (1296)

INTERMEDIATE ARTISTS *ages 11-13*

Paint and punch has never been so much fun! Paint and pour with glitter/mica to make lovely works of art using canvases, artist-quality papers and your own pouring combinations. Class size: 6.

FEE: \$40 plus tax

JUNE 11-25 Thursdays 2-3 p.m.

JUNE 12-26 Fridays 2-3 p.m.

JULY 16-30 Thursdays 2-3 p.m. (1299)

JULY 17-31 Fridays 2-3 p.m. (1300)

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PERFORMING ARTS

TODDLER MUSICGARTEN *ages 16 months-3 years*

Sing, chant, move, dance, listen and play simple instruments, all activities that bridge the natural connection between music and movement. Parent/guardian must accompany child. Class size: 12.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center Meeting Room

FEE: \$15 plus tax

JULY 6-15

Mondays & Wednesdays 11-11:30 a.m. (1156)



PRESCHOOL MUSICGARTEN *ages 3-5*

Build attention and self-expression through singing, chanting, focused listening, musical games, instruments, creative movement and storytelling. Class size: 12.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center Meeting Room

FEE: \$15 plus tax

JULY 20-29

Mondays & Wednesdays 11-11:30 a.m. (1155)

CHILDREN'S THEATRE *ages 5-12*

The City of Yankton's Parks & Recreation Department offers a creative drama program designed specifically for children of different age groups. This unique program focuses on all aspects of theatre, such as the ease of being on stage, stimulating the imagination and building self-confidence — all while having fun! At the end of the four-week session, participants stage a show for family and friends at the Amphitheater in Riverside Park. In case of inclement weather, class will be cancelled.

LOCATION: Riverside Park Amphitheater

FEE: \$25 plus tax

JULY 7-30 Tuesdays & Thursdays 9-10:15 a.m. (1168)

INTRO TO BALLROOM DANCE *ages 10-18*

1-2-Cha-Cha-Cha into the world of ballroom dance! In Introduction to Ballroom, participants will learn the basics for all American ballroom styles: Waltz, Foxtrot, Tango, and more! On the final day of class, Intro to Ballroom Dance will present a "mini-competition" for family.



LOCATION: Summit Activities Center

FEE: \$25 plus tax

JULY 6-29

Mondays & Wednesdays 11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (1262)



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MERIDIAN THURSDAYS

ART, MUSIC, FOOD and a breathtaking river view make Music at the Meridian the place to be on Thursdays throughout summer. Grab friends and a lawn chair and chill out with a different live band every week. Local food trucks offer a variety of sweet and savory treats, and cold beverages from Ben's Brewing Co. are for sale.

Concerts are staged in the parking lot and green space west of the 1924 Meridian Bridge. Artists perform in a variety of genres, including rhythm & blues, Americana, country and world music. Concertgoers are encouraged to bring their own lawn chairs and blankets for seating.

Music at the Meridian is a free family (and dog) friendly event. Now in its fifth year, concerts are attracting ever-larger crowds.

Meridian Mural, the community art project, returns for a fourth year. Throughout the summer, youth and adults paint squares that eventually form a large painting displayed on the western wall of the bridge. Each week, city staff members install the new tiles, and the community watches the picture gradually take shape.

The dates for the 2020 Music at the Meridian concert series



are: July 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30, and August 6, 13, 20, plus a special collaboration with Connecting Cultures on August 27. Each concert begins with a local artist from 5-6 p.m., followed by the main act from 6:30-8:30 p.m. For more information, contact Brittany LaCroix at 668-5232 or visit facebook.com/musicat-themeridian.

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SUMMER BAND CONCERTS

Yankton Area Arts (YAA) will continue the city's annual Summer Concert Series beginning June 2. Area residents and guests are invited to Riverside Park Amphitheatre at 8 p.m. Tuesday evenings throughout the summer to enjoy a free and diverse offering of music. The concert line-up begins with the Yankton Area Summer Band (YASB) on June 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 and July 7. Each week, guest conductors from around the area join the band of 70 to 100 musicians to give each concert a unique flavor. Interested musicians gather at 6:30 p.m. on Tuesday evenings for rehearsal before each scheduled 8 p.m. performance. Following the YASB concerts, YAA will also host noted regional bands as part of a five-week Summer Pops series at the Amphitheatre at 8 p.m. on July 4, 14, 21, 28 and August 4. The entire Summer Concert Series is sponsored by Yankton Area Arts with support by the City of Yankton and the Yankton Parks and Recreation Department. In case of inclement weather, check www.YanktonAreaArts.org, social media and local radio stations or call the YAA office at 665-9754.

ACADEMY OF DANCE: DANCE AND PERFORMANCE FOR GIRLS AND BOYS *ages 3-7*

Does your child love to move? Does your child enjoy music? Then your child needs to dance! Join our lively class of young dancers and experience the joy and freedom of expression through movement while learning dance and choreography in our two cool and spacious professional dance studios.

We explore a variety of dance styles while feeling the rhythms, moving with the music and having fun! At summer's end, we will perform with other Academy of Dance dancers at a beautiful and exciting full performance during Riverboat Days under the direction of Dorota Danenbring and Academy of Dance staff. Class size: 30.

LOCATION: 2914 Piper St.

FEE: \$28 plus tax

JULY 20-29

Mondays & Wednesdays 5:30-6:15 p.m. ages 3-5 (1153)
6:30-7:15 p.m. ages 5-7 (1154)

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HORSEBACK RIDING, ARCHERY, CRITTERS AND MORE AT PONCA STATE PARK *ages 8+*

Travel to Ponca State Park, the eastern gateway of the Missouri National Recreational River, to experience nature at its finest. Participants enjoy an hour-long, supervised horseback ride on the trails and participate in the challenging sport of archery. Participants also take part in the popular “Creepy Critters” program that teaches about critters found in Nebraska and allows campers to touch them if they are brave enough! The day will conclude with going back to the range and shooting slingshots! Parents are required to sign a waiver prior to departure from the SAC for this day camp. Participants must bring sack lunch and snacks. Dress for the weather, hiking and horseback riding. Class size: 22.

FEE: \$50 plus tax

FRIDAY, JULY 17 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. (1182)

ADVENTURES IN KAYAKING *ages 10+*

Learn the basics of kayaking and safety in this clinic led by National Park Rangers in cooperation with South Dakota State Parks. Participants experience a refreshing kayak ride followed by a nature hike around Lake Yankton. This clinic is held on the south shore of Lake Yankton between the boat ramp and the fishing pier. Participants must bring a sack lunch, water and snacks. Dress for an afternoon on the water and bring sunscreen and insect repellent. Life jackets and kayaks are provided. If inclement weather is forecast, the program will be cancelled by noon on Thursday, July 9. Class size: 12.

FEE: \$25 plus tax

FRIDAY, JULY 10 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. (1178)

HIKING AT GAVINS POINT *ages 10+*

Join the staff of the National Park Service for a nature hike in the beautiful area of Gavins Point. Participants will enjoy a 1.2 mile hike on a natural wood chip and dirt surface. This trail winds through native woods, meadows and past scenic overlooks. This hike is located in the Gavins section of Lewis and Clark Recreation Area. After the hike, participants will have the opportunity to cool down with a swim at Lake Yankton. Participants must bring a sack lunch, water and snacks. Dress for hiking and bring sunscreen, swimsuit, towel and insect repellent. Please send a life jacket if needed. If inclement weather is forecast, the program will be cancelled by noon on Thursday, July 23. Class size: 18.

FEE: \$25 plus tax

FRIDAY, JULY 24 8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. (1183)

WILD WATER WEST *ages 10+*

Join us as we head to the largest water park in South Dakota, offering something for everyone in a safe and family-friendly environment. Participants will have access to all waterpark attractions, go-karts, mini golf, batting cages and sand volleyball. So try every waterslide, float down the lazy river or air dry on the fast-action go-karts again and again! Participants will have \$10 on their wristband to use however they would like at the park for lunch, snacks, drinks, etc. Participants must bring sunscreen, swimsuit and towel. Class size: 40.

FEE: \$55 plus tax

FRIDAY, JULY 31 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. (1184)



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DAY CAMPS

NFAA SUPERGIRL DAY CAMP *ages 7+*

Calling all supergirls! Practice archery like a huntress, shoot air rifle like a superhero and craft yourself a super accessory at this fun-filled girls' adventure camp. This is an outdoor activity, so please dress appropriately and bring water, a sack lunch and a snack. All equipment is provided. Class size: minimum 4. To register for the camp on June 3, visit www.neyac.org/summer-programs.

LOCATION: NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center,
800 Archery Ln.

FEE: \$45 plus tax

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

TUESDAY, JULY 14 10 a.m.-2 p.m. (1269)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22 10 a.m.-2 p.m. (1270)

NFAA OUTDOOR ADVENTURE DAY CAMP *ages 7+*

Unplug and recharge by enjoying all that nature has to offer. At this day camp, participants will connect with nature through genuine, hands-on experiences like wilderness survival lessons, archery hiking and outdoor games at the NFAA's expansive 100-acre outdoor campus. Please dress appropriately and bring water, sack lunch and a snack. All equipment is provided. Class size: minimum 4. To register for June camps, visit www.neyac.org/summer-programs.

LOCATION: NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center,
800 Archery Ln.

FEE: \$45 plus tax

FRIDAY, JUNE 5 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

FRIDAY, JUNE 19 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

FRIDAY, JULY 17 10 a.m.-2 p.m. (1273)



NFAA INTERMEDIATE YOUTH DAY CAMP *ages 7+*

Create new memories while building archery skills at this full-experience outdoor day camp, designed to prepare young archers for 3D, field and target archery. Students must have completed an introductory archery class such as Try Archery, After School Archery, Introduction to Archery or Intermediate Archery. This is an outdoor activity, so dress appropriately and stay well hydrated. Please bring water and a snack. All equipment is provided. Class size: minimum 4.

LOCATION: NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center,
800 Archery Ln.

FEE: \$45 plus tax

WEDNESDAY, JULY 15 12-4 p.m. (1274)

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ROSCOE JUNIOR RANGER ACADEMY *ages 10-15*

Join Roscoe's Junior Ranger academy to explore the National Park Service Missouri National Recreational River! The academy is a fun way youth can connect to the park and river through hands-on environmental education, crafts, outdoor play, kayaking and other activities. Young explorers will run wild in the great outdoors as they enhance their sense of adventure and learn about native plants and animals while becoming more acquainted with our local national park. Please call 665-0209 ext. 23 to register. Class size: 12.

What to Bring: Dress for the weather, including hiking/river shoes, sunscreen, bug repellent, sack lunch, water bottle, backpack and snacks.

****Academy Requirement:** Members must attend four of the five activities to become a Roscoe Junior Ranger.

TIME: 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

FEE: Free

JUNE 8

Get Wild on the Missouri River — Learn what it takes to be a naturalist by exploring wildlife and the Missouri River with National Park Service rangers! This introduces academy members to the natural and cultural story of the Missouri National Recreational River. Participants will journal to record nature findings and learn to identify by sight and sound birds that live near or on the river.

JUNE 9

Missouri River Forest — Explore a forest and meet the wildlife that calls the Missouri National Recreational River home. Academy members will hike, explore and identify plants and trees found within the forest and river habitat.



JUNE 10

Wet & Wild — Discover and identify the aquatic underworld of the Missouri River through hands-on interactive activities. We will visit a prairie and find out what's buzzing with monarch butterflies and other pollinators.

JUNE 11

Paddle Day — Get set to get wet and have fun! Paddling is a great way to develop self-confidence, awareness and love of nature while meeting new challenges in a safe environment.

JUNE 12

River Rendezvous — Ready for a boat ride? We will explore the river by boat with the National Park Service.

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A NEW WESTSIDE PARK

YANKTONIANS HAVE COME to love visits to Westside Park, where they can feed the ducks and geese or reel in a fish from the pond. The wildlife will likely be there for years to come, but the surroundings could be changing. After several meetings with neighborhood residents in the spring and summer of 2019, the Yankton City Commission approved a new master plan that calls for several updates and improvements at Westside Park.

“We have some things in that park that need to be replaced sooner rather than later,” says Todd Larson, director of the city’s Department of Parks and Recreation. Those upgrades include new playground equipment and improvements to the bridge that allows access to an island in the pond. That, combined with the long-term goal of moving buildings that were once part of the Dakota Territorial Museum’s campus to their new home near the Mead Building, led city leaders to envision a slightly different Westside Park.

Potential improvements include a flower garden and green space where the museum buildings now stand, a four-season shelter, bocce ball court, a fishing pier, new walking trails and feeding stations for the ducks and geese. The skate park and tennis courts on the park’s north side will remain. A large practice field just north of the park is slated for use by Mount Marty College’s new football team.

The 10.5-acre Westside Park was established in 1883. Its signature pond, fed by an artesian well, was added in 1933 and was intended to replace the public swimming pool in Tripp Park along Broadway. Though it once occupied a quiet part of town, growth has brought Mount Marty, Avera Sacred Heart Hospital and a busy road (Highway 52/Summit Street) that carries both in-town commuters and visitors traveling to Lewis and Clark Lake. Still, Larson says those in the Westside Park neighborhood have come to appreciate its serenity. “Even though Highway 52 wraps around that park on the curve, once you get past the shelter house and up into the hill with the trees, the noise goes away and you can kind of lose yourself in the park,” he says. “You can feel like you’re outside of town even though you’re actually inside. We heard a lot of comments about not losing that aspect, so by adding to the trail system we can add to the park but keep the quiet, natural feel that people have identified and like.”

Changes are likely to come slowly as the city commission reviews its budget annually and prioritizes projects. Larson says the Westside Park master plan is a 15- to 20-year proposal.

THE CENTER

THE CENTER at 900 Whiting Drive offers recreation, socialization and nutrition for adults of all ages. An annual membership, open to ages 18 and up, is \$35 for an individual and \$63 for a couple. Hot home-cooked meals are offered Monday thru Friday, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Meals are open to the public — just call 665-1055 to make a reservation. The recommended meal donation for adults over the age of 60 is \$3.75 and those who are under 60 pay just \$6.50. Meals on Wheels is also an option for those who are over 60 and homebound. For more information call 665-4685 or email chauer@thecenteryankton.org.

Monday

Line Dancing 9:30 a.m.
Exercise 11 a.m.
Pinochle 12:45 p.m.
Hand & Foot 1 p.m.

Tuesday

Table Tennis 8:30 a.m.
Billiards 10 a.m.
Dementia Caregiver Group 10 a.m.
(2nd Tuesday of the month)
Bible Study 10:30 a.m.
Pinochle 12:45 p.m.
Wii Bowling 1 p.m.
Bingo 7-9 p.m.

Wednesday

Line Dancing 9:30 a.m.
Exercise 11 a.m.
Bridge 12:45 p.m.
Rummikub 1 p.m.
Cribbage 1 p.m.
Pancake Feed 4:30-6:30 p.m.
(2nd Wednesday of the month)
Dinner and a Movie 4:30-8 p.m.
(3rd Wednesday of the month)
Evening Meal 4:30-6:30 p.m.
(4th Wednesday of the month)

Thursday

Table Tennis 8:30 a.m.
Wii Bowling 10 a.m.
Billiards 10 a.m.
Pinochle 12:45 p.m.
Dominos 12:45 p.m.

Friday

Line Dancing 9:30 a.m.
Exercise 11 a.m.
Bridge 12:45 p.m.
Bingo 7-9 p.m.



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June 8th - 11th & July 6th - 9th

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HEARTSAVER CPR *ages 8 and up*

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All students who complete the class will receive a course completion card from the American Heart Association valid for two years. For more information, please contact Daniel Preadable with Yankton County EMS at 668-9033 or daniel@co.yankton.sd.us. Class size: 18.

LOCATION: Yankton County EMS, 805 Capital St.
(Please park on west side of building)

FEE: \$48 plus tax

SATURDAY, JULY 11 10 a.m.-1 p.m. (1152)

SPANISH *ages 8-12*

Hola! ¿Cómo Estás? Hello, how are you? In Introduction to Spanish, participants learn basic conversational skills, counting and the alphabet. The class will finish with a fiesta (party) on the last day.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center Meeting Room

FEE: \$22 plus tax

JULY 6-29

Monday & Wednesday 10-10:50 a.m. (1158)

YANKTON MANUFACTURING & ENTREPRENEURIAL ACADEMY *grades 9-12*

At the Yankton Manufacturing and Entrepreneurial Academy, students learn about the many careers available in this dynamic field as they are exposed to engineering and manufacturing processes, production systems, marketing, financial activities related to manufacturing and small business skills. They will gain insight into the inner workings of these industries by touring local manufacturers. The Academy emphasizes teamwork, leadership and communication skills and organization, with a final project which bolsters creativity! Lunch is provided. To register, please call 668-5700 or visit www.rtecedu.org.

Class size: 30.

LOCATION: Regional Technical Education Center Inc. (RTEC), 1200 West 21st St.
FEE: FREE

MAY 26-29 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

JUNE 1-5 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

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YANKTON HAS A WATER TRAIL

The segment of the Missouri River from Gavins Point Dam in Yankton to Sioux City, Iowa, is part of the Missouri National Recreational River Water Trail. This area is one of the last remaining natural stretches of America's longest river. For detailed information about water trail access points, routes and river mile marker information, visit www.mnrrwatertrail.org.



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YANKTON COMMUNITY LIBRARY SUMMER READING PROGRAM

“Imagine Your Story” June 1-July 31

Readers of all ages are invited to come and enjoy the fun as the Yankton Community Library presents its Summer Reading Program, “Imagine Your Story.” Activities include special performers, group games, arts and crafts, STEM programs, story times and more! Registration begins on **Monday, May 11** at the library or online at cityofyankton.beanstack.org. If you have already created a Beanstack account, you can still use that account for this summer — just choose to enroll in the 2020 Summer Reading Program! There is no charge to participate.

Watch for more information concerning online registration, upcoming events, and any possible date or time changes on our calendar or Yankton Community Library’s Facebook page.

SPECIAL PERFORMERS

Monday, June 1: 6 p.m. — Big Bang Bubbles Show

Monday, June 15: 11 a.m. — Rockin’ Red (children’s music)

Monday, June 29: 11 a.m. — Great Plains ZooMobile

Monday, July 13: 2 p.m. — Steve Rokusek (science show)

Monday, July 27: 6 p.m. — Red Beard, Blue Beard (children’s music), followed by Family Dance Party

Kickoff Fun: The 2020 Summer Reading Program kicks off with a fun-filled performance by Absolute Science’s Big Bang Bubbles Show on Monday, June 1 at 6 p.m., followed by more hands-on bubble fun outside!

Story Times: Story time programs run for eight weeks, beginning the week of **June 1**. Story times for preschool and younger are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. There will also be story time on most Monday evenings at 6 p.m., unless a special performer is scheduled.

Preschoolers & Elementary Students: Children can read or be read to and log their minutes to reach their goal by the end of July.

Teens & Adults: Young adults in grades 6-12 and adults are invited to register for the Summer Reading Program and log their reading for a chance to win some awesome prizes! Our summer begins with the annual Cemetery Walk on **Wednesday, June 10**. Watch for tickets on sale at the library in May. Teens are also encouraged to volunteer at Children’s Summer Reading Program events. Contact Amanda Raiche by calling 668-5276 or emailing araiche@cityofyankton.org to fill out a volunteer form.

Closing Party: We are hosting a fun-filled night of music at the City Hall gym on **Monday, July 27**. Enjoy children’s music by Red Beard, Blue Beard followed by a dance party for the whole family!

See you this summer! If you have questions, please call Amanda Raiche, Youth Services Librarian, at 668-5275 or email araiche@cityofyankton.org.

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BABYSITTING CLINIC *ages 12-18*

Does your child have what it takes to be a responsible, caring, trustworthy, competent, capable and safe babysitter? Yankton County 4-H and the Yankton Community Library are offering a 4-H/Army Child & Youth Services Babysitting Course. Our objectives are to familiarize teens with the responsibilities of babysitting, teach skills and techniques to develop competency, boost confidence in problem solving, foster positive attitudes regarding children and prepare teens in the business aspects of babysitting.

Each participant will get a training guide for the 12-hour course and will put together their own babysitting goodie bag to take with them when they babysit. Class size: 15. *Bring a sack lunch. Register at the library by May 15.*

LOCATION: Yankton Community Library

FEE: \$25

MAY 27-28

10 a.m.-3 p.m.



COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

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YANKTON COUNTY FARMERS UNION & 4-H SAFETY CAMP *ages 6-13*

Learn about agriculture, farming, animals and ag safety. Contact Katie Doty at 665-3387 or at yankton.pa@sdstate.edu.

LOCATION: Pine Acres 4-H Grounds,
901 Whiting Dr.

FEE: \$5 plus tax (bring a sack lunch)

JUNE 12

Registration: 8:15 a.m.

4-H camp: 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Farmers Union Camp: 12:30-4 p.m.

YANKTON COUNTY FAIR **JULY 30-AUGUST 1**

Yankton 4-H members exhibit projects they have been working on at the Pine Acres 4-H Grounds. Exhibits are set up for viewing all day, with fun family activities all weekend. Friday: swine show at 9 a.m., rabbit, poultry and companion animal show at 11 a.m., beef show at 5 p.m. and 4-H supper from 5-7:30 p.m. Saturday: sheep and goat show at 9 a.m. For more information and events visit www.yankton4h.com or search for Yankton County Fair on Facebook.



COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

YANKTON COUNTY 4-H is a volunteer-led year-round program that provides opportunities to all urban and rural youth ages 5 to 18 to participate in innovative, fun programs through which they can develop valuable lifelong skills. Registration for state events is May 31.

Contact Katie Doty at 665-3387 or yankton.pa@sdstate.edu
Visit Yankton4H.com

SAFETY CITY PLAY SAFE

Safety City teaches pedestrian safety, bike safety, gun safety, stranger awareness, poison prevention, water safety and much more! Our goal is to help children recognize dangerous situations and react to them appropriately. Children learn through hands-on activities, songs, role-playing, stories, videos and guest speakers. The last day of the session will be a graduation ceremony for parents to attend. (Children must have turned 4 by May 1, 2020.)

LOCATION: Calvary Baptist Church, 2407 Broadway

PART 1: Participants will be at Calvary Baptist during all sessions. Ages 4-6. Class size: 24.

FEE: \$30 plus tax

PART 2: Individuals enrolling in Part 2 must have completed Part 1. Yankton Transit will be used for transportation to and from field trips on Wednesdays. Ages 5-7. Class size: 20.

FEE: \$40 plus tax

JULY 7-23 10:30 a.m.-12 p.m. (part 1) **(1162)**

JULY 7-23 1-3 p.m. (part 2) **(1163)**

Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays (3-week sessions)

SAFETY CITY FOR TOTS *ages 3-4*

Safety City for Tots teaches home safety, outdoor safety, crossing streets, seatbelts, police officers, firemen and much more! Children learn through songs, videos, role-playing, stories and guest speakers. Class will meet for three days in a row for one week only. (Children must have turned 3 by May 1, 2020 and be completely potty trained to attend — no pull-ups.) Class size: 15.

LOCATION: Calvary Baptist Church, 2407 Broadway

FEE: \$20 plus tax

JULY 7-9 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9-10 a.m. **(1164)**

JULY 14-16 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9-10 a.m. **(1165)**

JULY 21-23 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 9-10 a.m. **(1166)**

SAFETY CITY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

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TOTS IN MOTION *ages 2-3*

Let's wiggle and jiggle, laugh and giggle as we play. Each class will focus on age appropriate activities to stimulate growth and learning. Practice listening skills, phonemic awareness and early reading strategies while learning shapes, colors, parts of the body and directionality through kinesthetic games. Each week we will have fun through gross motor exercise using a parachute, music, an obstacle course and fun projects. Child must be accompanied by an adult, guardian or babysitter. Class size: 20.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center

FEE: \$18 plus tax

JULY 14-30 Tuesdays & Thursdays 11:15-11:45 a.m. (1175)



TYKES SPORTS AND FITNESS *ages 4-6*

Introduces and reinforces sports and fitness through age-appropriate warm-up, stretching, sports skill activities, exercise and mind-stimulating games. Class size: 20.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center

FEE: \$20 plus tax

JULY 14-30 Tuesdays & Thursdays 10:30-11:15 a.m. (1187)

ZUMBA® KIDS JR *ages 4-7*

Zumba® Kids Jr. features kid-friendly routines based on original Zumba® choreography! Routines will be broken down to add steps, games and activities to the class structure. These classes help develop a healthy lifestyle and incorporate fitness as a natural part of children's lives. Classes help develop leadership, respect, teamwork, self-confidence, creativity, coordination and balance. Zumba® Kids Jr. is FREE for all active Summit Activities Center members. Call 668-5234 for complimentary registration.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center

FEE: \$15 plus tax

JULY 6-27 Mondays 4:30-5:15 p.m. (1186)



COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

YANKTON FOOD FOR THOUGHT helps school-age children in the Yankton School District achieve by providing food and nutritional education. Sack Packs are available throughout the summer at the Summer Food Program and Yankton Community Library. The School Food Pantry is open to local families in the Yankton School District on the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month.

Contact Deb Overseth at **653-0717** or yanktonfft@gmail.com



Get Your Hands on Local History

Delve into Yankton's rich past at the Mead Cultural Education Center. Their interactive exhibits are fun for kids of all ages.

Summer Hours: Mon.-Sat. 10 a.m.-4 p.m. & Sun. 1-5 p.m.

Admission: \$8 Adults, \$5 Seniors, \$5 Kids (5-17), Kids under 5 FREE

82 Mickelson Dr., Yankton • 665-3898 • MeadBuilding.org



New Yankton State Hospital Exhibit Opening Spring 2020

WALK THROUGH



Officially incorporated in 1862, Yankton is among the oldest cities in South Dakota, and its neighborhoods contain some of the state's oldest homes. Built in a variety of architectural styles, our old houses make wonderful points around which to organize a walking tour. A few special homes are included below, though an interactive map found on the City of Yankton's website includes dozens more. Many of these homes remain private residences, so simply stroll by, marvel at the architecture and appreciate the history that transpired within their walls.

PENNINGTON HOUSE 410 E. Third St.

This Italianate brick home at the corner of Third and Pearl was built in 1875 for Territorial Governor John Pennington, who served from 1874 to 1878, and remains the only territorial governor's home in Yankton. Today, it serves as the publishing headquarters for *South Dakota Magazine*, a periodical that has chronicled life in South Dakota since 1985.

WARD HOME 512 Mulberry St.

The Rev. Joseph Ward and his wife, Sarah, came to Yankton in 1868 to lead the town's new First Congregational

Church. He established Yankton College (now the Federal Prison Camp on Douglas Avenue) in 1881 and became a major figure in the push for South Dakota statehood. Many of those crucial early educational and political meetings were held inside the family's 18-room mid-Victorian home on Mulberry Street.

COULSON HOME 517 Mulberry St.

Sanford Coulson managed the Missouri River Transportation Company and could see his steamboats from the cupola of his Second Empire French home built in 1878. Coulson lived there until he died in 1896.

BEADLE HOME 210 E. Sixth St.

Gen. William Henry Harrison Beadle is considered the savior of South Dakota's school lands. As homesteaders gobbled up every acre they could find, Beadle ensured certain sections were reserved for schools and established a fund to maintain their solvency. That fund still distributes millions of dollars annually to schools around the state. Beadle, who lived for a time in a tiny white house at the corner of Sixth and Pine, went on to serve as president of Eastern State Normal School (Dakota State University) in Madison.

CRAMER-KENYON HERITAGE HOME 509 Pine St.

The Cramer-Kenyon Heritage Home is an Eastlake Stick Style home built in 1886 by James Teller, Secretary of Dakota Territory and a former Yankton mayor. Attorney Nelson Cramer bought the home in 1890 and it remained in the family until 1972. It was opened to the public in 1974. Guided tours are normally offered from Memo-

YANKTON'S PAST



rial Day through Labor Day, although social distancing regulations may affect the home's hours and schedule. Call 665-7470 for details.

GRANT MARSH HOME

513 Douglas Ave.

Grant Marsh captained the *Far West*, a steamboat in the line owned by fellow Yanktonian Commodore Sanford Coulson. Marsh's most legendary adventure came when he carried more than 50 Seventh Cavalry soldiers wounded at the Battle of the Little Bighorn back to Bismarck. He made the 710-mile trip in



54 hours, setting a new speed record for steamboat travel. Marsh lived for a time in this small brick home built in 1877.

SHANNON-OHLMAN HOME

205 Green St.

Peter C. Shannon arrived in Yankton in 1873, when President Ulysses S. Grant appointed him chief justice of the Dakota Territorial Supreme Court. He served until 1881 and presided over the trial of Jack McCall, who was convicted of killing Wild Bill Hickok in Deadwood in August 1876 and was hanged near the present-day Human Services

Center the following March. Shannon lived in a grand Italianate home built in 1871 on Green Street. Later, four generations of the Ohlman family lived there.

BISHOP MARTY HOME

Mount Marty Campus

Another example of Italianate architecture is the home built for Catholic Bishop Martin Marty in 1883. Marty served as the first Bishop of the Catholic Diocese of Sioux Falls from 1889 to 1894 and founded Mount Marty College.



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BUCKS & GAZELLES ACADEMY BASKETBALL *grades 1-8*

Join YHS Boys Basketball Coach Chris Haynes, YHS Girls Basketball Coach Trey Krier and staff and learn the YHS Bucks and Gazelles way of playing basketball. Skills and fundamentals will be taught using the same skills and drills that are utilized daily at all high school practices. The Academy, which is open to all boys and girls who have a serious interest in playing basketball, gets young basketball players ready to be high school players. Appropriate basket heights will be used for the younger division. Wear athletic shoes and bring a water bottle.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center

FEE: Grades 6-8 \$47; grades 3-5 \$42; grades 1-2 \$27 (plus tax)

BUCKS ACADEMY *Boys grades 1-8*

JULY 13-30

Mondays & Wednesdays

10:30 a.m.-12 p.m. (Grades 6-8) (1246)

Tuesdays & Thursdays

9:30-10:45 a.m. (Grades 3-5) (1247)

Tuesdays 11-11:45 a.m. (Grades 1-2) (1248)

GAZELLES ACADEMY *Girls grades 1-8*

JULY 13-30

Mondays & Wednesdays

10:30 a.m.-12 p.m. (Grades 6-8) (1249)

Tuesdays & Thursdays

9:30-10:45 a.m. (Grades 3-5) (1250)

Tuesdays 11-11:45 a.m. (Grades 1-2) (1251)



COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

SOUTH DAKOTA JUNIOR FOOTBALL INC.

teaches the basics of football, sportsmanship and teamwork, helping children in grades 3-6 improve their self-worth and confidence through positive, encouraging coaching. (Kids that turn 13 before September 1 are ineligible to play.) Season runs August-October.

Contact Becky Soucek at (402) 460-7928 or league@sdjuniorfootball.com

Visit sdjrfb.com or [Facebook.com/YSYFootball](https://www.facebook.com/YSYFootball)



GREATLIFE GOLF AND FITNESS PGA JR. LEAGUE *ages 9-13*

PGA Junior League Golf is a group of local golf teams that play a series of games against each other, utilizing a nurturing and social scramble format. The program is available to boys and girls of all abilities. PGA and LPGA professionals serve as captains and create a welcoming environment that encourages skill and character development. *If your youngster can drive, chip or putt, there's room for them on our PGA Junior League Golf team!*

PGA Junior League participants will receive team jerseys, a PGA Junior League Golf Package from Titleist, a minimum of four regular season competitions, instructions from PGA professionals, weekly team practices and/or clinics (number determined by team captain), access to customized website home page featuring rosters, schedules and standings and the opportunity for advancement to postseason play via League All-Star Teams. *For more information about joining a PGA Junior League, contact Matt Drake at Fox Run Golf Course at 668-5205 or email foxrun@joingreatlife.com.*

GREATLIFE JR. GOLF CAMPS *ages 8-17*

Junior Golf Camps are an excellent avenue to get your child involved in golf. We start with basic fundamentals and finish by playing a tournament. Each student has an equal opportunity to learn golf and win prizes while having fun!

Camps include 14 hours of instruction, safety and etiquette quiz, fundamentals of the golf swing, chipping/pitching/putting, fun games and contests and camp championship on the last day. Class size: 24.

For more information about joining a Junior Golf Camp, contact Matt Drake at Fox Run Golf Course at 668-5205 or email foxrun@joingreatlife.com. Cancellations require one week notice for full refund.

LOCATION: Fox Run Golf Course, 600 W. 27th St.

FEE: \$160 includes tax, or two or more kids \$140 each. GreatLIFE members are \$140.

MAY 26-29 Tuesday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-12 p.m.

JUNE 1-4 Monday-Thursday 8:30 a.m.-12 p.m.

GYMNASTICS *ages 3-18*

Ready for some tumbling fun this summer? Boys and girls may sign up for both sessions if there are openings. Instructors may move participants to different classes due to skill levels. Class size: 12.

- Tumbling Tots participants must be potty-trained. General motor skills such as walking forward, sideways and backward along with various jumping activities are covered. Tumbling, rolls and basic skills on balance beams are taught.
- Beginners learn terminology, gain experience on all equipment and work on fundamentals. Strength, form and flexibility will be emphasized.
- Advanced Beginners Class is for individuals who have participated in gymnastics for a minimum of two years. This class features all apparatus and floor exercises to guide children independently through obstacle courses and movement exploration with added levels of difficulty.
- Intermediate/Advanced Class is designed for individuals who have participated in gymnastics for a minimum of three years. Students continue to increase strength, flexibility and skills.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center, Gymnastics Room

FEE: \$28 plus tax

JULY 7-30

Tuesdays & Thursdays

9-9:40 a.m. Tumbling Tots (Ages 3-4) (1208)

10-10:50 a.m. Beginners (Ages 5-7) (1209)

11-11:50 a.m. Beginners (Ages 8-10) (1210)

1-1:50 p.m. Intermediate/Advanced (1211)

2-2:50 p.m. Advanced Beginners (1212)

3-3:50 p.m. Beginners (Ages 5-7) (1213)

4-4:40 p.m. Tumbling Tots (Ages 3-4) (1214)

**COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT****HEALTHY YANKTON COMMUNITY GARDENS**

offer 12' x 18' plots for the gardening season, which runs from around the end of April through October 15. Plots are \$20 each and include tilling and water. Accessible raised garden beds are also available. Located on both the east and west sides of Yankton on West City Limits Road near the dog park and on the Yankton County 4-H Grounds.

Contact Angie O'Connor at **668-8590**

ADULT LEAGUES**SUMMER DISC GOLF LEAGUE**

The Ace Coalition will have disc golf on Wednesday evenings from May 6 through August 8. There is a flexible start time between 5:30-7 p.m. Cost: \$20, plus an extra \$5 from PDGA members to cover sanctioning fee. For more information please call or text Jesse Bailey at (715) 563-3213, email theacecoalition@hotmail.com or visit www.facebook.com/groups/theacecoalition.

FALL DISC GOLF LEAGUE

The Ace Coalition will have disc golf on Thursday evenings from August 8 through October 10. There is a flexible start time between 4-6 p.m. Cost: \$20, plus an extra \$5 for PDGA members to cover sanctioning fee. For more information please call or text Brandon Swenson at (605) 661-4357, email theacecoalition@hotmail.com or visit www.facebook.com/groups/theacecoalition.

**SUMMER FOOD PROGRAM
MAY 26-JULY 31**

The Yankton School District offers a summer food service program May 26 through July 31 for all students through 18 years old at no cost. Lunch is served Monday through Friday at the Yankton Middle School, 2000 Mulberry St., between 11 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., Webster Elementary School Gym, 317 E. Seventh St., between 11 a.m. and 12 p.m. and at Stewart School, 208 W. 21st St., from 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. Students do not have to register, enroll or qualify for free or reduced meal benefits to participate. Adults are also welcome to eat lunch for \$3.80 per meal. An adult does not need to accompany a child. All meals include 2 ounces of meat, 2 servings of fruits and/or vegetables, 1 serving of bread or grain and 1 serving of milk (chocolate or white). For more information call Sandi Kramer, 665-8379. Check www.yzd.k12.sd.us for updates.

TENNIS *ages 4+*

Little Beginners, Beginners, Intermediate and Advanced tennis instruction are offered for youth. Participants must furnish their own tennis rackets. In case of inclement weather, class will be moved to the City Hall gym at 416 Walnut. Class size: 15.

- Little Beginners is for children ages 4-5 and just starting tennis.
- Beginners is for children age 6 and up with no or minimal experience.
- Intermediate is for players age 7 and up who have some tennis experience, but are not yet comfortable playing full court tennis.
- Advanced is for players with a minimum of two years or have significant tennis experience or feel comfortable playing full court tennis.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center Tennis Courts

FEE: \$25 plus tax

JULY 6-31

Mondays & Wednesdays

8-8:50 a.m. Beginners (1230)

9-10 a.m. Advanced (1231)

10:05-10:55 a.m. Beginners (1232)

11-11:50 a.m. Intermediate (1233)

Tuesdays & Thursdays

8:15-9:05 a.m. Intermediate (1234)

9:15-9:45 a.m. Little Beginners (1235)

10-10:50 a.m. Intermediate (1236)

11-11:50 a.m. Beginners (1237)

JUST FOR FUN TOURNAMENT

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center Tennis Courts

Friday, July 31, 8 a.m.

**COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT****YANKTON GIRLS SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION**

teaches girls ages 5-18 about softball and sportsmanship at our new indoor practice complex at 1805 Whiting Drive. Download registration forms and sign up by April 30. The season runs from late May through mid/late July, with a tournament June 20-21.

Contact ygsa@ymail.com

Visit YanktonGirlsSoftball.com

TRACK AND FIELD *ages 7-18*

Experience running, jumping and throwing drills developed from the RunJumpThrow program. The session concludes with a non-competitive track meet during the scheduled class time, where participants apply new skills and celebrate their achievement. In case of inclement weather, class will be cancelled.

LOCATION: Yankton High School Track

FEE: \$22 plus tax

JULY 6-29

Mondays & Wednesdays 9-10:15 a.m. (1191)

“KIDS RUN THE NATION” RUNNING CLUB *ages 5-14*

Participants learn the concepts of running, warming up/cooling down, goal setting, healthy eating, running safety and running a race. After the program concludes, participants are encouraged to continue with the goal of running in the annual Riverboat Days 5K on Saturday, August 22. This program is designed for boys and girls entering kindergarten through grade 8 in the fall. Participants will be divided into groups according to age. In case of inclement weather, class will be cancelled. Wear running shoes and bring a water bottle.

LOCATION: Yankton High School Track

FEE: \$22 plus tax

JULY 7-30

Tuesdays & Thursdays 9-10 a.m. (1193)

DODGEBALL, KICKBALL AND MORE *ages 6-13*

Participants learn sport fundamentals and the importance of sportsmanship and teamwork by playing variations of dodgeball, kickball and other structured games. Participants work together to enjoy activities that promote physical activity, coordination and motor skills. Wear athletic shoes and bring a water bottle.

LOCATION: Summit Activities Center

FEE: \$28 plus tax

JULY 6-30

Mondays & Wednesdays 1-2:15 p.m. (Ages 6-9) (1188)

Tuesdays & Thursdays 1-2:15 p.m. (Ages 10-13) (1189)

FUTURE GAZELLE VOLLEYBALL CAMP*grades 3-8*

Sign up for this great opportunity to work with Coach Heather Olson, the Gazelle volleyball staff and varsity players to enhance your skills! This program is for girls entering grades 3 through 8 in the fall and will focus on improving fundamentals, such as passing, setting, hitting, serving and more. This is a great way for future Gazelles to improve their skills and learn more about the game. This camp is open to all Yankton and surrounding area volleyball players.

LOCATION: YHS/Summit Activities
Center Main Gym

FEE: \$30 plus tax — Grades 6-8
\$25 plus tax — Grades 3-5

AUGUST 3-5

Monday-Wednesday

8:30-10 a.m. (Grades 6-8) (1252)

10:15-11:15 a.m. (Grades 3-5) (1253)

**COMMUNITY
SPOTLIGHT**

YANKTON TRANSIT is a nonprofit service providing transportation in the Yankton area. Summer passes for riders 17 and under go on sale May 4 for \$60 and will be good May 20 – August 21. Passes are good for unlimited rides within Yankton city limits. All riders must be registered and any ride requests must be set up at least one business day in advance.

Contact dispatch at 665-4610
or yanktontransit@iw.net
Visit YanktonTransit.com

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YOUTH DISC GOLF CLASS *ages 6-14*

“Learn to Disc” at this free class presented by The Ace Coalition and the Department of Parks and Recreation. Classes include the basics of disc golf — rules, philosophy, throwing, approaching and putting — and allow a chance to play all four courses in Yankton. On Saturday, June 27, youth can participate in the Mother City Doubles Challenge, hosted by The Ace Coalition, at no cost! Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend, although they do not have to be present. In order to have enough discs for participants, register by Friday, May 29 by sending your child’s name, age and your phone/email to theacecoalition@hotmail.com. For questions, call Jesse Bailey at (715) 563-3213.

JUNE 6-27

Saturdays 10 a.m.-11 a.m.

YOUNG BUCKS FOOTBALL FUNDAMENTALS AND MORE *grades 3-8*

Hit the turf and join football coach Brady Muth, staff and players to improve your catching and throwing skills! This program is for boys and girls entering grades 3 through 8 in the fall and will focus on improving football offensive fundamentals. Open to all Yankton and surrounding area football players. In case of inclement weather, class may be cancelled if indoor space is not available. Please call 668-5234 with questions.

LOCATION: Crane Youngworth Football Field

FEE: \$30 plus tax

JULY 14-30

Tuesdays & Thursdays

10:15-11:15 a.m. (Grades 6-8) (1256)

Tuesdays & Thursdays

11:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m. (Grades 3-5) (1257)



COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

YANKTON SERTOMA FLAG FOOTBALL

helps first and second graders build teamwork, character and good sportsmanship, with an emphasis on football fundamentals, skills, equal participation and fun. Participants play six games during the season, which runs September-October. Register at the SAC Monday, July 20 from 5-7 p.m.

Contact Becky Soucek at (402) 460-7928 or yanktonjuniorleaderfootball@hotmail.com

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FLOOR HOCKEY ages 5-10

Hockey in the summer? Yes, you heard that right! Participants will learn the fundamentals of hockey through skill stations and scrimmages with an emphasis on safety. Playing floor hockey, a modified version of ice hockey, helps develop hand-eye coordination, balance, agility and physical fitness while also requiring teamwork. This program is open to all boys and girls, ages 5-10. Children should wear athletic shoes and bring a water bottle. Class size: 15.

LOCATION: City Hall Gymnasium, 416 Walnut
FEE: \$30 plus tax

JULY 6-29

Mondays & Wednesdays, 2:30-3:15 p.m. (Ages 5-8) (1260)
Mondays & Wednesdays, 3:30-4:15 p.m. (Ages 9-10) (1261)

**COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT**

YANKTON SERTOMA 7 ON 7 PASSING LEAGUE grows and develops young athletes' football fundamentals, proper techniques and skills in a fun and safe environment. This is a minimal contact (touch) league designed for youth in grades 3-6. Participants play six games during the season, which runs September-October. Register at the SAC Monday, July 20 from 5-7 p.m.

Contact Jason Nelson at 660-9701 or yanktonjuniorleaderfootball@hotmail.com
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NFAA INTRODUCTION TO ARCHERY *ages 7+*

Come learn the basics of archery — shooting, safety and equipment — through interactive games, target variation and 3D target shooting. The class is perfect for those interested in bow hunting or other shooting sports. All equipment is included. This class is a prerequisite for many other classes and camps offered through the NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center. Class size: minimum 4. To register for June sessions, visit www.neyac.org/summer-programs.

LOCATION: NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center,
800 Archery Ln.

FEE: \$10 plus tax

MONDAY, JUNE 1	2:30-4 p.m.
THURSDAY, JUNE 11	4-5:30 p.m.
THURSDAY, JUNE 18	4-5:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY, JULY 8	2:30-4 p.m. (1278)

NFAA FIELD ARCHERY *ages 7+*

Explore outdoor field course shooting, 3D target shooting and play fun archery games at the NFAA Yankton Archery Center! This level 1 class, perfect for youth who love the outdoors, teaches outdoor range safety, equipment recognition and how to shoot properly in adverse conditions. All equipment is provided. This is an outdoor activity; please dress appropriately and stay well hydrated. Class size: minimum 4. To register for June session, visit www.neyac.org/summer-programs.

LOCATION: NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center,
800 Archery Ln.

FEE: \$35 plus tax

JUNE 2-23 Tuesdays	1-2:30 p.m.
JULY 7-28 Tuesdays	1-2:30 p.m. (1280)

**COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT**

YANKTON JR. BUCKS WRESTLING CLUB, a volunteer-led non-profit youth wrestling club for ages 5 to 13, teaches both basic and advanced techniques to compete at any level. The season runs from November through March. Register in early/mid-October.

Contact Nick Kisch at 660-3873 or
yanktonjrbucks@gmail.com
Visit [Facebook.com/JrBuckWrestling](https://www.facebook.com/JrBuckWrestling)

**KC/LANCERS FREE YOUTH BASEBALL CLINIC**
JUNE 9

Kids ages 8-18 will learn baseball fundamentals at this annual clinic featuring former professional baseball players with coaches and players from Mount Marty College. The free clinic will be held Tuesday, June 9, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. at Riverside Field. Kids should bring gloves and water and wear athletic-type shoes.

NFAA ADVANCED FIELD ARCHERY *ages 7+*

This program is designed to advance archers to the next level of ability, emphasizing review and practice of foundational shooting steps while adding elements of excitement. Skills taught include proper shooting form, body awareness, body control and equipment maintenance. Students are required to complete one session of Field Archery, After School Archery, or Intermediate Archery with one of our certified staff members prior to this course. All equipment is provided. This program involves outdoor activity; please dress appropriately and bring water. Class size: minimum 4. To register for June session, visit www.neyac.org/summer-programs.

LOCATION: NFAA Easton Yankton Archery
Center, 800 Archery Ln.

FEE: \$35 plus tax

JUNE 8-29 Mondays	12-2 p.m.
JULY 6-27 Mondays	12-2 p.m. (1282)

Classes on this page are offered through an outside agency.

NFAA EXPLORE BOW HUNTING CLASS *ages 7+*

Interested in learning skills that can pay dividends for a lifetime? Explore Bow Hunting teaches youth how to interact with their natural world and relate to the age-old customs and skills involved in bow hunting as they learn how to close the distance with an animal. Students are required to complete an introductory archery class at the NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center prior to this course, such as Introduction to Archery, TRY Archery, After School Archery or Intermediate Archery. All equipment is provided. This is an outdoor activity; appropriate attire is required along with a water bottle and snack. Class size: minimum 4. To register for June session, visit www.neyac.org/summer-programs.

LOCATION: NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center,
800 Archery Ln.

FEE: \$50 plus tax

JUNE 18-19 Thursday & Friday 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

JULY 23-24 Thursday & Friday 10 a.m.-1 p.m. (1284)

NFAA YOUTH EXPLORE BOW FISHING *ages 7+*

Learn one of the fastest-growing summer activities in South Dakota! The Explore Bow Fishing class is an interactive shooting program that introduces kids to a fast-paced, archery-based form of fishing. This class teaches bow fishing basics as well as local and state bow fishing laws. Students are required to complete an introductory archery class at the NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center, such as Introduction to Archery, After School Archery, TRY Archery or Intermediate Archery, prior to this course. All equipment is provided. This is an outdoor activity; appropriate attire is required along with a water bottle and a snack. Class size 4-10. To register for June session, visit www.neyac.org/summer-programs.

LOCATION: NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center,
800 Archery Ln.

FEE: \$45 plus tax

JUNE 9-10 Tuesday & Wednesday 3-5 p.m.

JULY 7-8 Tuesday & Wednesday 10 a.m.-12 p.m. (1286)

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TRY ARCHERY *all ages*

Every Saturday, the NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center has USA Archery-certified instructors to teach you and your friends and family the fundamentals of archery. Learn range safety, equipment basics and explore the beautiful NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center at a discounted rate. All ages and skill levels welcome and all equipment is provided. For more information and to sign up, contact us at 260-9282 or info@neyac.org.

LOCATION: NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center,
800 Archery Ln.

FEE: \$5 per person per session

SATURDAYS (throughout the summer)
11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

NFAA INTRODUCTION TO AIR RIFLE *ages 7+*

Get involved in the ever-growing sport of air rifle! This class will cover shooting positions, basic air rifle safety, range safety and equipment familiarity. All equipment is supplied. This class takes place indoors and outdoors, so please dress appropriately. Class size: 4-10. To register for June sessions, visit www.neyac.org/summer-programs.

LOCATION: NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center,
800 Archery Ln.

FEE: \$35 plus tax

JUNE 5-26 Fridays 5:30-6:30 p.m.

JULY 2-30 Thursdays 5:30-6:30 p.m. (1288)

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CONNECTING CULTURES

CONNECTING CULTURES is a group of Yankton residents seeking to make our city more welcoming for people from other countries. “Our goal is to engage newcomers, connect them with some of our long-term community members and help them navigate and become engaged in their new home community,” says group member Rita Nelson.

Since forming about two years ago, Connecting Cultures has helped to establish host families for international members of the Mount Marty College soccer team and partnered with the United Church of Christ on The Welcome Table, a regular meal to welcome English-language learners. They also created a sign, now displayed in several establishments around Yankton, that says, “Welcome” in 18 languages.

On August 27, Connecting Cultures plans to partner with Music at the Meridian for the second year to celebrate a culture to be determined with food, music and activities.



COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

HEARTLAND HUMANE SOCIETY is the local animal shelter, providing surrender and adoption services, pet merchandise and educational programming. Please consider adopting, donating, fostering, supporting on social media or volunteering. Volunteer opportunities are available for youth 11 and older. Visit the website to learn more.

Contact us at 664-4244
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Visit HeartlandHumaneSociety.net

DID YOU KNOW?

YANKTON IS A TREE CITY

Yankton has been designated a Tree City USA community since 1993 for its continued dedication and commitment to planting trees. The program, sponsored by the National Arbor Day Foundation, is awarded to cities that maintain a tree board or department, have a community tree ordinance, spend at least \$2 per capita on urban forestry and celebrate Arbor Day. You can help add trees to the parks by giving to the Tree Donation Program. Plant a tree in tribute. Celebrate a birth, a wedding, an anniversary or honor the memory of a loved one. The cost of the donation is \$600. For more information, visit the city’s Urban Forestry webpage.

CUB SCOUTS — SO MUCH FUN FOR EVERYONE!

Yankton’s Cub Scouts have a problem — we have too much fun lined up this year!

In addition to our regular monthly program we will be hosting a summertime Cub Adventure Day and a three-day Family Adventure camping experience! You can hike all over, build cool stuff and tell scary stories!

- Archery • Science Experiments • BB Guns
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Want to share in the fun?
Call Will Kennedy at 670-8606 or email will.kennedy@scouting.org. Children in grades K-5 are eligible for Cub Scouts.

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AUGUSTA 2901 Fox Run Pkwy.
1.5 acres, 1 picnic shelter, play structures, basketball courts, green space

AVIATION East 31st St.
3.5 acres, display T38 Jet, green space

CROCKETT 11th St. & Pennsylvania St.
1 acre, play structure, picnic area, green space

FANTLE MEMORIAL
21st St. & Douglas Ave.
40 acres, 3 picnic shelters, play structures, lighted pedestrian trails, public restrooms, 18-hole disc golf course, 4 lighted tennis courts, lighted sand volleyball courts, 2 baseball/softball fields, lighted basketball court, 8 lighted horseshoe pits, 2 Bocce Ball artificial turf courts, Veterans Memorial, green space, ADA accessible

FOX RUN 2810 Adkins Dr.
3 acres, 1 picnic shelter, play structure, basketball court, green space

MARNE CREEK WEST GREENWAY
West City Limits Road
12.75 acres, lighted off-leash dog area (4.5 acres), 229-plot community garden, parking lot. Dog area is open year-round (weather permitting) and free to use. Rules are:

- Dogs must be leashed prior to leaving and upon entering the off-leash area.
- Dogs must be licensed and vaccinated.
- No dogs under 4 months of age or in heat.
- Owners must have a visible leash and be in verbal control of dogs at all times.
- Owners must prevent aggressive behavior, biting, fighting or excessive barking.
- Owners are liable for damage or injury inflicted by their dogs.
- Owners must clean up and dispose of feces.
- Owners shall bring no more dogs than they can control.
- No unsupervised children under age 14.
- Be responsible, use common sense and enjoy the park.

MORGEN 11th St. & Green St.
3 acres, baseball/softball field, green space, play structure and swings, lighted pedestrian trails

RIDGEWAY 29th St. & Ruth St.
1.4 acres, play structure, basketball court, green space, ADA accessible, 1 picnic shelter

RIVERSIDE Douglas Ave. & Levee St.
32 acres, 7 picnic shelters, ADA accessible play structure, play structures, lighted pedestrian trails, public restrooms, ADA accessible park, boat docks, ADA accessible fishing pier, fish cleaning station, softball field, baseball stadium, amphitheatre, Dakota Territorial Capitol replica, 3 art sculptures

ROTARY NATURE AREA
7th St. & Burleigh St.
5.5 acres, pedestrian trail closed indefinitely, native grasses and flowers, outdoor classroom structure, ADA accessible

SERTOMA 15th St. & Ferdig Ave.
28 acres, 4 picnic shelters, play structure, public restrooms, 6 lighted baseball/softball fields, 1 lighted football field, 3 batting cages, outdoor ice rink (weather permitting), green space

SUMMIT ACTIVITIES CENTER
1801 Summit St.
78 acres. Outdoor: 2 picnic shelters, lighted pedestrian trail, soccer fields, football fields, softball fields, batting cage, 8 lighted tennis courts, walk/running track, green space. Indoor:

lap pool, zero depth pool, 134-foot slide, weight and fitness area, walking/running track, 6 basketball/volleyball courts, 2 performing arts theaters, meeting rooms, public restrooms, ADA accessible

TRIPP 8th St. & Broadway Ave.
2 acres, 1 picnic shelter, lighted pedestrian trail, green space, public restrooms, outdoor ice rink (weather permitting), ADA accessible

THE LAWN AT MERIDIAN BRIDGE PLAZA West 2nd St. & Walnut St.
6 acres, Meridian Bridge Plaza with spray jets and fountain, The Lawn, mural, percussion instruments, *USS Scorpion* monument, green space, lighted pedestrian trails, sculptures, ADA accessible

WESTSIDE 5th St. & Summit St.
12 acres, 1 picnic shelter, play structures, lighted pedestrian trail, public restrooms, ADA accessible, fishing pond with ducks and geese, lighted skateboard park, basketball court, 2 lighted tennis courts with pickle ball lines, stone gazebo, green space
The skate park is open year-round (weather permitting) and is free to use. Rules are:

- The skate park is not supervised. Skateboarding and in-line skating accidents may result in serious injury. Use of the Yankton skate park is at your own risk.
- The skate park is used by both experienced and inexperienced skateboarders and in-line skaters. Know your abilities and skate within them. Be courteous and aware of others at all times.
- Users are encouraged to wear safety equipment for skateboarding/in-line skaters, such as helmets, kneepads and elbow pads.
- Use of profanity, tobacco, alcohol or drugs is considered unacceptable.
- Keep the area clean. No glass containers.
- Skating permitted from sunup to sundown.
- No items such as tables, benches, or home-made ramps and obstacles, other than those specifically provided by the Yankton Parks Department are allowed.
- The City of Yankton, associated departments, and staff are not responsible for any losses, damages or injuries resulting from the use of the skate park.



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Lewis & Clark Soccer Complex

Aviation Park

Ridgeway Park

Fox Run Park

Augusta Park

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**Marne Creek West Greenway Dog Park
Community Garden**

Summit Activities Center

Fannie Memorial Park

Morgan Park

Crockett Park

Tripp Park

Westside Park

Rotary Nature Area

Meridian Bridge Plaza & The Lawn

Riverside Park

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Missouri National Recreational River

Legend

- Park
- Airport
- Baseball/Softball Fields
- Boat Ramp
- Golf Course
- Dog Park
- Community Garden
- Soccer Field
- Paved Trail
- On-Road Trail
- Unimproved Trail
- Retail Area
- Historic Downtown
- Missouri River

Lewis & Clark Remission Area - 2 Miles

Steps of Discovery
Piscine Center - 2 Miles

WALK, RUN OR BIKE AT YOUR OWN PACE!

Yankton boasts 10 miles of paved trails, providing opportunities for exercise, family walks, bike riding, leisurely strolls and getting from one place to another without a motorized vehicle. Walking or biking reduces air and noise pollution, protects the environment and saves money since you do not have to purchase gas. While on the trails, enjoy native plants such as blue flax, coneflowers, coreopsis, leadplant and blanket flower.

Arboretum Trail (1.4 miles) follows the perimeter of the Summit Activities Center and Yankton High School grounds. The trail includes an arboretum with native trees, bushes, wildflowers and native grasses.

Auld-Brokaw Trail (3.25 miles) connects the Summit Activities Center and Riverside Park. This trail parallels Marne Creek and links schools, Morgen Park, Tripp Park, the Rotary Nature Area (closed indefinitely), the Chamber of Commerce's Yankton Area Visitors Center (Trailhead) and Paddlewheel Point. The **Riverside Park Trails** (1 mile) provide a wonderful opportunity for exercise while enjoying the beauty of the Missouri River.

Please follow these rules at the Auld-Brokaw Trail:

- *Keep to the right, pass on the left*
- *Bikes yield to pedestrians*
- *Keep pets on a short leash*
- *Clean up after your pets*
- *Ride slowly and carefully*
- *Announce your presence when passing*
- *Be courteous and HAVE FUN!*

Fantle Memorial Park Trail circles around and crisscrosses through the park. The perimeter trail is approximately 1 mile.



James River Trail begins on the east side of Yankton (East Eighth Street) and follows the old railroad bed and roadside ditches to the James River. This is a 3.3-mile primitive trail of grass and dirt. Please note that ATV use is allowed on the trail from November 1 to February 28.

Meridian Bridge is located on the west side of Riverside Park (intersection of Walnut Street and Levee Street). This trail (.5 miles each level) is the historic double-deck Meridian Bridge, dedicated on October 11, 1924 and spanning the Missouri National Recreational River.

Nebraska Primitive Trail is on the south side of the Meridian Bridge in the property west of the old Highway 81 roadway. Parking is available on the south side of the Meridian Bridge. This primitive trail is approximately 1 mile and forms a figure eight amongst the trees. The north loop provides access to the Missouri River.

Westside Park to the Highway 52 Trail. Enjoy strolling through Westside Park and observing the ducks and geese found in the artesian well-fed, man-made pond. Then hop on the trail (.75 miles) and it will take you from the north side of Westside Park to the Highway 52 trail (3.14 miles), which connects to the trails found along Lewis & Clark Lake.

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WASHED AWAY: A LOCAL FAVORITE IN NEED OF REPAIR

On March 13, 2019, 2.89 inches of rain fell in Yankton. It was a soaker of a spring storm, and under normal conditions would have left nothing more than good-sized puddles for a few days. But this storm came on the heels of a bitterly cold winter. The ground remained frozen, and when the strengthening storm — which meteorologists called a “bomb cyclone” — struck, there was nowhere for the water to go. Streets, businesses and homes flooded and Marne Creek, which runs through the heart of Yankton, rushed out of its banks, destroying portions of the popular Auld-Brokaw Trail.

The most significant damage occurred from the Burleigh Street bridge to Paddlewheel Point. About 4 acres of surface land was completely washed away. Portions of the creek bank disintegrated, leaving huge slabs of the concrete trail scattered haphazardly. That portion of the trail remains closed today while crews haul in heavy riprap to stabilize the area around the Burleigh Street bridge. The timetable for its eventual reopening remains unknown, as the city gathers repair estimates and works with agencies such as the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) on possible grant opportunities.

The Auld-Brokaw Trail has become a favorite of hikers, bikers and runners. At 2.7 miles, it begins at Paddlewheel Point and follows Marne Creek to 21st Street. In fact, its popularity as a recre-



ational trail has come to overshadow its intended purpose. “It’s a trail system but it was originally built as a flood hazard mitigation maintenance trail,” says Todd Larson, director of Yankton’s Parks and Recreation Department. “We keep reminding people of that, and we even have to keep reminding FEMA.”

Decades ago, the flood-prone Marne Creek was an eyesore, a jungle of old trees that collected junk. The city took advantage of federal flood mitigation grant money to clean it up. “People who have been in town a long time might re-

member that there was basically a clear cutting that happened,” Larson says. “They got inmates and city workers and they went into the creek and clear-cut trees and pulled out garbage.”

Private fundraising led to the addition of the 10-foot-wide concrete trail. The largest donations came from longtime NBC Nightly News anchor Tom Brokaw and his wife, Meredith (Auld) Brokaw, both Yankton natives, who requested the trail be named in honor of their parents.

A 500-year flood may have temporarily taken a portion of a well-traveled trail, but the Marne Creek flood mitigation project did its job. “It worked like it was supposed to,” Larson says. “If you talk to people who have lived here all of their lives, they’ll tell you they’ve never seen the creek run that full. Water was up to the bottom of bridges, and it was running fast. If the ground wasn’t frozen, would part of the trail system have fallen into the creek? We don’t think so, but we don’t know.”

In addition to searching for grant funds to help repair the trail, the city is beginning to think about its expansion. Plans call for eventually extending the Auld-Brokaw Trail along the creek north of 23rd Street and connecting with newly paved trails on West City Limits Road and Highway 50.

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MERIDIAN BRIDGE

If you are planning an event where you want a scenic view, consider using the Meridian Bridge at Riverside Park. For pricing, please call the Department of Parks and Recreation.

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Rent any of the city's park shelters for \$60. Larger shelters at Riverside Park and Memorial Park are rented for \$75. Reserving a shelter guarantees your choice of a meeting, reunion or picnic site.

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The Territorial Capitol Building is available for meetings, reunions and special events. Building capacity is 65 (using both levels). Rent is \$100.

Reservations for park shelters, amphitheater, Territorial Capitol Building and Meridian Bridge can be made Monday through Friday from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. by contacting the Department of Parks and Recreation at 668-5231.

CITY HALL GYM

The City Hall Gym may be rented for church activities, birthday parties, dances, youth basketball, soccer, indoor tennis and more.

SUMMIT ACTIVITIES CENTER

If you need space to host small or large events, call the Summit Activities Center. We offer a variety of areas to meet your needs, including a 970-seat theater, a commons area that comfortably seats 400 and meeting rooms that seat 10 to 90. We also have gym space and a swimming pool with a water slide that may also be rented.

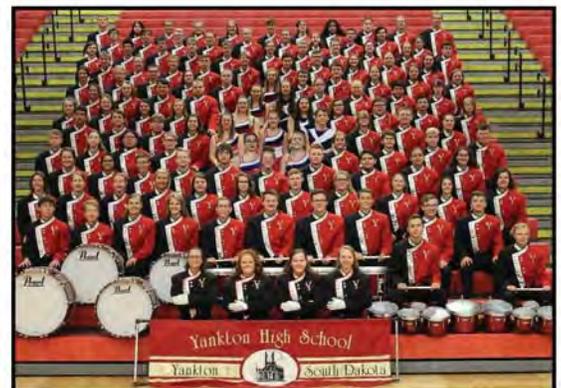
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Homestead Day: Jun 6
Step back in time with pioneer crafts & games at Pierson Ranch Recreation Area.

Zoomobile: Jun 12, Jul 10 & Aug 7
Our friends from the Great Plains Zoo will be at Pierson Ranch Recreation Area.

Lewis & Clark Fun Camp: Jun 25-26 & Jul 23-24 — Two camps this year for ages 4-6 & 7-10.

Games, stories & crafts about the outdoors. Preregistration required.

Red White & Blue Bike Parade: Jul 1

Christmas in July: Jul 18
Celebrate a summer Christmas at Chief White Crane Recreation Area.

Teen Fun Camp: Jul 30
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