

Memory Lane

100 years ago
McClusky third graders have started their studies of Indian life. This week the studied the dress and physical characteristics of the Indians.
Alma Nuernberg from the seventh grade entertained the third grade on Monday with the story of iron. She illustrated the story by pictures she had made.
Monday, October 12th, was Discovery Day. The third grade observed the day by telling stories of Christopher Columbus and his discovery of America.

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Martin Christianson, Goodrich, has moved his restaurant and confectionary to the Mauch building, its new location.

75 years ago
Excavation has been completed and most of the concrete for walls has been poured for four new homes now under construction in McClusky.
Construction of the homes has been started by four young couples including Mr. and Mrs. Don Froehlich, Mr. and Mrs. George Tkach, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Sparrow, and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Finstad.

Three of the couples expect to have their basements completed this fall to provide temporary living quarters and to “beat the high rent,” as they expressed it.

These young people want to own their own homes and will improve their basements for living quarters until such time as they can complete their structures.

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The sewing machine clinics held at McClusky and Goodrich on October 12 and 13 were very well attended and all the women present found this event well worth their time, according to a report by County Agent Banks H. Seiber, sponsor of the clinics.

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Stanley Bierle was elected president of the Happy Hustlers 4-H club at a meeting held recently.

Other officers to serve for the coming year are Gerald Hanson, vice president. Virginia Bergan, secretary, Marilyn Schell, treasurer, and Arnold Schell, reporter.

Other members are Duane Schell, Herb Prince, and Sidney Bergan. Their leaders are Mr. and Mrs. Leanard Hanson.

50 years ago
The McClusky Lions Club ob-

served Lions Project Day, Tuesday, October 8, by conducting a tour of the McClusky Canal for residents of the Sheridan Memorial Home and their friends. The tour-takers were Gust Erdman, Kenneth Avery, Kenneth Kandt, Ernestine Erdmann, Artha Heinle, Ben Reiswig, Martha Rau, Ted Olson, Lena Saueressig, and Viola Ellingson. Lions guiding the group were Brian Tessman, Hillmer Zimbelman, Mrs. Allan Klein, was the driver of the school bus, and Gene Kulwicki of the Bureau of Reclamation served as guide.

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It was easy for the girl Dragons to smile after winning the championship of the McClusky Invitational Tournament on Saturday. They won the crown by knocking off the Anamoose Royals, 35-31 in the title game.
On Thursday night they moved into their slot in the championship contest by ripping Balfour 47-21. The victorious girls are Jerri Rhoads, Joaine Hiller, Gerri Schmidt, Linda Schindler, Faye Brackett, Denise Thiesies, Lynn Axt, Toni Klein, Nancy Hoffer, Sue Cranston, and Margaret Barland.

Legals

ABBREVIATED NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

Relating to the transportation of water; boat safety equipment; initial application for guide and outfitter license; hunting guide and hunting outfitter examination.

TAKE NOTICE that the NORTH DAKOTA GAME AND FISH DEPARTMENT will hold a public hearing to address proposed changes to the N.D. Admin. Code.

ND Game and Fish Department
100 N Bismarck Expressway
Bismarck, ND
Wed., Nov. 19, 2025
11:00 a.m.

The proposed rules are available on the Department’s website at <http://gf.nd.gov/> or a copy may be obtained by calling the Department at 701-328-6300. Also, written comments may be submitted to the above address through Nov. 30, 2025. If you plan to attend the public hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the Department at the above phone number or address at least seven days prior to the public hearing.

Dated this 8th of Oct., 2025.
Jeb Williams
Director

Legals

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE

McLean Sheridan Rural Water District

Wednesday, October 29th, 2025
6:00 pm
Turtle Lake City Hall
Annual Operating Report
Election of Director
A light supper will be provided
(Oct. 2, 9 & 16, 2025)

ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE

Turtle Lake Hospital

Turtle Lake Hospital Association will be holding its annual meeting on October 22, 2025, at the Turtle Lake Ambulance Hall. The meeting will start at 7:00 p.m. and will include updates from hospital staff and election of board members. This meeting is open to the public.
(Oct. 9 & 16, 2025)

Notice to Contractors

The North Dakota Department of Transportation (NDDOT) will receive bids for the construction of the following project(s):
Job No.: 23641
Project No(s): INF- NH-4-052(104)141 & HEN-INF-4-052(101)167
Length: 45.053
Type: HMA MILL, HMA OVERLAY, SUBCUTS, EMBANKMENT, AGGREGATE BASE, CULVERTS RIP RAP & INCIDENTALS
County(s): SHERIDAN, MCHENRY, PIERCE, & WELLS Cos
Location: US 52, NEAR JCT ND 14 TO JCT CMC 5216 (FESSENDEN) & US 52, INTERSECTION OF US 52 & ND 3 (HARVEY)
Bids will be received via the Bid Express on-line bidding exchange at www.bidx.com until 09:30AM, November21, 2025. Bids will be opened at that time at the NDDOT building on the capitol grounds in Bismarck and the bid results will be distributed and posted online at <https://www.dot.nd.gov/business/bidinfo.htm> approximately 30 minutes after bids are opened.
The proposal forms, plans, and specifications are available on the NDDOT website at <http://www.dot.nd.gov> and may be inspected at the Construction Services Division, 608 East Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck, North Dakota.
All bidders not currently prequalified with NDDOT must submit an online Contractor’s Prequalification request to the Department at least ten (10) business days prior to the bid opening. The online application can be found on the NDDOT website at <https://www.dot.nd.gov/business/contractors.htm>
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For disability/language assistance, call 701-328-2978.
Requested by:
Ronald J. Henke, P.E., Director
North Dakota Department of Transportation
(Oct. 16, 2025)

The park board is looking for a trusted roofing service or contractor to fix and replace the shingles on the gazebo.

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