

Rosebud News

TISS JOHNSON

Monday, Shilo Bay-singer and Lynn Frey attended the Southwest Water monthly meeting in Dickinson. Tuesday and Thursday, three hunters from Georgia pursued pheasants on the Frey ranch, leaving just before the snow arrived. Friday evening, Lynn joined the Blowers family for supper at their deer camp north of Haynes and enjoyed it so much he returned Saturday. Kieran, Percey, and Ashton Williams of McLaughlin spent the weekend with Susan Gunn.

Early Monday, Morell Hirning and Tiss Johnson traveled to Glen Ullin to visit Merlyn Opp, then returned home through Elgin. Wednesday morning, Aaron, Terry, and Curt Friedt, along with Josh Wollman, helped them gather, sort, and load calves. Later that day, Morell and Tiss drove to Mobridge, stayed overnight, watched their calves sell Thursday, then headed home by way of Lemmon.

Friday morning, they went to Mott and New Leipzig before enjoying breakfast in Elgin. That evening, Joseph and Jory Stenberg stopped by for a

visit. Saturday, Morell drove Tiss to Glen Ullin for the Guppies Holiday Bazaar, and that night they attended the Veterans supper at the KC Hall in Mott. Sunday morning, they gave Dennis and Arlette Gunsch a ride to Dickinson, then had breakfast in Richardton before returning to the ranch.

Wednesday, Bridget Keller traveled to Bismarck for appointments. Friday, Trinity and Bobby Jo Harris visited the Kellers, and Saturday they attended Terek's basketball tournament in Bison. Sunday, Bridget and the kids helped Duane and Dawn Harris with preg-testing heifers.

Christi and Patsy Miller attended Eastern Star in Bison Wednesday evening. Thursday, Jim and Patsy traveled to Hettinger, Lemmon, and Morristown, and Jim attended Mason's that night. Friday, the Millers made a trip to Dickinson.

MEADOW

The Indian Creek Quilters wrapped up their weekend quilting projects, with the season ending midweek. Thanks to all who donated fabric, sheets, and jeans to support their work.

Grand River Roundup



BETTY OLSON

Reub and I had a wonderful time Sunday evening at Grace Fellowship Church in Bison celebrating the church's 100th anniversary. Our friend Pastor Audie Brockel from Lemmon gave a great speech about the church he grew up in, and Pastor Phil Hahn spoke about his years of service and the wonderful people who have attended through the years. We visited with many folks I knew growing up in Bison.

It was nice and warm Monday morning, so I washed clothes and hung them out to dry while Reub cleaned the chicken coop. The chickens had fun running around while he loaded what he dug out into the tractor to haul to the manure pile. I found four white eggs from the pullets that afternoon, so even though the old hens are not laying much, I am still getting enough to keep us from buying eggs!

It stayed nice and warm Tuesday, so Reub and I cut another batch of firewood and hauled it home in the side by side to stack outside and fill the entry for the woodstove. He finished cleaning the coop and hauled more to the manure pile to fertilize next year's gardens. Casey hauled a load of dry cows to the sale barn in Faith that morning before heading to Buffalo for wrestling practice. That afternoon I went to Reva to pick up Copper, Knox, River, and Beau and Hannah Doll off the school bus, met Kelli Doll at her mailbox to drop off her kids, and brought the rest home. That is always a fun time for this old lady.

I watched the news Tuesday night and saw that Muslim socialist Mamdani won the New York City mayoral race. It is hard to believe people could be so foolish! It has been 24 years since Muslim terrorists killed three thousand people on 9/11, and Mamdani ran on giving everyone free stuff without saying who would pay for it.

Reub and I went to Hettinger on Wednesday and stopped in Reeder for coffee with the Prairie Pioneers. Scott Hanson and I talked about the messes New York City and California have

become. Our daughter Teri Dee McNelis took me to New York a year after 9/11, and it was a nice place to visit then because people remembered what had happened, but it has changed for the worse. My sister and I went with our parents to California as kids to visit my great aunt Cora and Bill Contreras, and California was a great state back then. Scott owns rental houses there, and it has changed for the worse too.

It was 60 degrees Thursday when I harvested the last of the beets, beet greens, and onions to empty my gardens before winter. Our good friend Lyle Sainsbury, 79, of Camp Crook, passed away Monday, November 3, at Belle Estate Assisted Living Center in Belle Fourche. His funeral was Friday, November 7, at the Camp Crook Community Center with burial at Fairview Cemetery. Reub and I joined a huge crowd to say goodbye to this kind man. Our granddaughter Bryce Hesse and her two little boys came up from Rapid City for the funeral and left the boys with Missy until Sunday. Casey left after the funeral to take the junior high wrestlers to Belle Fourche. That evening we had supper at Taz and Amanda's

to celebrate our great granddaughter River Lu's birthday with family and friends. It was a lot of fun.

I called Sen. Sam Marty to wish him happy birthday Saturday morning, and it was cold and windy at his ranch too. When I went out to take care of my chickens, the ground was wet and snowflakes were falling. It rained a little in the night and snow piled a bit on the deck. I do not know about you, but I am not ready for winter. It was only 11 degrees when we got up Sunday and stayed cold all day but did not feel bad with little wind. Tanner and Kelsey Besler brought their new baby girl to church that morning. Little Bellamy Jo was born October 27 in Spearfish, weighing 7 pounds 7 ounces and 19 inches long, joining two proud big brothers. Reub and I went to the Gideon meeting at Coal Springs Church that afternoon and prayed for our veterans and those who have lost loved ones.

November 11 was Veterans Day, and we owe our veterans everything for risking their lives to protect our freedom. Thank God for them and do not forget to thank these veterans for their sacrifices.

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HETTINGER
Elder Care Menu

Friday, Nov. 14: Chicken tenders, macaroni and cheese, southwest zucchini and tomatoes, wheat bread, fresh fruit.

Monday, Nov. 17: Chicken sandwich with mayo, beef barley soup with saltine crackers, corn and black bean salad, blushing pineapple.

Tuesday, Nov. 18: Hamburger on a bun, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, potato wedges, confetti coleslaw, baked apple, ketchup, mustard, mayo.

Wednesday, Nov. 19: Roast turkey with gravy, mashed potatoes, green bean casserole, sage bread dressing, whole grain biscuit, cranberry sauce and fruited pie.

Thursday, Nov. 20: Carnitas, ranchero beans, Pico de Gallo, shredded lettuce, cinnamon pears.

Friday, Nov. 21: Breaded cod, warm German potato salad, green beans with oregano, wheat bread, fresh fruit.

Meals are served at Rusty's Burgers and Ice Cream. Suggested donation for participants over 60 or for the disabled is \$5.00 per meal and under 60 is \$10.50 per meal. Call 701-456-1818 for more information.