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20) and was attending Bethel College in St. Paul, she and friends decided to have a true five-year-old's party. They put her hair in pigtails and went to a Chuck E. Cheese restaurant where they used tokens to play games all evening and ate pizza. For gifts that year she received My Little Ponies, a giant cowboy hat made from foam and Barbie dolls.

Quite the joker her dad! He told Kim she couldn't date until she was 16 in Leap Years. She ignored that advice and is married with two kids as she approaches Birthday No. 8.

Thompson, who is the former Marjoanne Schmidt who grew up in Pierre, said her parents typically wished her a happy

birthday on March 1 in non-Leap Years. "Growing up, I didn't think it was all that different," she recalled, "and I think that was because I did get a birthday party every year with classmates, cake and presents."

Now she is approaching 28 and will be having only her seventh actual birthday. "People seem to get excited when they hear I am a Leap Year baby," Thompson said. "I still celebrate my birthday every year with family and friends."

Nancy Peck in Pierre will be 14 on Feb. 29. She said having a birthday on the 29th is actually fun, "and it is surprising the number of people who remember your birthday that way."

As she was growing up, Nancy's family would always celebrate on the 28th. "But of course when I turned 21, I celebrated on both the 28th and the 1st," she said. "I do remember

that once when there was a Feb. 29, the newspaper had a picture of me and an article about the poor little girl who had a birthday only once every four years."

Black Hills State student Bailey Kusser, who hails from Highmore, celebrated her Feb. 29 birthday with her cousin (Feb. 28) and her older brother (Feb. 18), so the family regularly had one big birthday party for all.

"People who are aware of my birthday are always making jokes about me acting my age, which technically is toddler years," she said. "This year I will be 5!"

This time around Bailey won't even be in the United States on her birthday. Her BHSU women's basketball team will be on a trip to Costa Rica next week. "On the other hand it will be difficult not being with my family on that day," she admitted.

Out in Custer Katie Paulsen remembers celebrating her

brother Mitchell's Feb. 29 birthday every year. "He never liked it when he was a kid," Katie said. "I would often remind him that he was only 1 since officially he had had only one birthday. Now that he has gotten older I think he enjoys it much more since he will always be forever young."

For Mitchell there was one distinct advantage. Because the driver licensing computers would be technologically confused if it listed his 21st birthday as being on a Feb. 29, the state always listed his birthday as being on Feb. 28. "Thus," Katie said, "the year he turned 21 there was no Feb. 29, so he got to turn 21 a day early!"

If you run into people celebrating birthdays next Wednesday, it might be best to wish them "Happy Birthday." And do it four times because they won't have another until 2016.

SH Monastery announces Spring Theology Institute

Sacred Heart Monastery announces its Spring Theology Institute, to be held in the Monastery Chapter Room in Yankton on Saturday, March 24, from 9 a.m. to noon.

Sister Dawn Nothwehr O.S.F. will present "Moral Matters: A Brief Introduction to Key Concepts of Catholic Moral Theology." Nothwehr will introduce us to basic principles of moral decision-making and apply these to the ecological issues that we face today.

This Institute will be the first in the series entitled, "Faith Impacting Action." Sister Jeanne Weber, event coordinator and sub-priess at Sacred Heart Monastery, states "As followers of Christ, we are faced with complex moral issues which require thoughtful decisions informed by our faith. The purpose of this series is two-fold: to present

the foundations of moral decision-making in the Catholic faith tradition and to apply these to particular issues facing us today"

Nothwehr is the professor of Catholic Theological Ethics and Director of the Certificate Program in Healthcare Mission Leadership at Catholic Theological Union of Chicago, where she teaches courses in moral theology and ethics. She holds an M.A. in Religious Studies from the Maryknoll School of Theology and a Ph.D. from Marquette University. Her current area of research is global climate change and environmental ethics. Nothwehr is a member of the Sisters of St. Francis, Rochester, MN.

All are welcome to attend this free event. For planning purposes, please register by e-mailing Weber at jweber@mtmc.edu or calling (605) 668-6000.

FOR THE RECORD

Cases Disposed 2/10-16/2012
Corrderio G. Roebuck, 1555 Collegeway #38, Worthington, MN; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, \$200.00

Crystall Joann Vargas, 1025, Dubuque St., Sioux City, IA; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, \$201.00 plus costs

Danielle McKinley, 703 Annie St., Newcastle, NE; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, \$204.00 plus costs

Darin Dale Fischer, 7001 Whitewater Lane, Lincoln, NE; County speeding, \$39.00 plus costs

Sofia Denise Albayaty, 7816 Southside Blvd., Jacksonville, FL; Driving on wrong side of road, \$54.00 plus costs

Justin Bowker, 833 E. duke Street #121, Vermillion; Disorderly house, \$104.00 plus costs

Christopher Lee Sargent, 215 S. University St., Vermillion; No drivers license, \$54.00 plus costs

Michael J. Anglin, 315 Austin Street, Vermillion; County speeding, \$39.00 plus costs

Sasheen Topa Thin Elk, PO Box 24, Vermillion; No drivers license, \$54.00 plus costs

David J. Bottesini, 719 Cottage Ave., Vermillion; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Emily Anna Vortherms, 800 N. Plum St. #118, Vermillion; Speed on four-lane in rural areas, \$79.00 plus costs

Sean Thomas Coyne, 220 Spruce St. #8, Vermillion; Left turning vehicle failing to yield right of way, \$54.00 plus costs

Joseph Brewer, 604 W. Broadway, Vermillion; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Tina Woodhams, 411 Stanford Street, Vermillion; Renewal registration during assigned month, \$54.00 plus costs

Douglas Dwayne Goodin, 201 Florida St., Centerville; Speeding on state highway, \$39.00 plus costs

Deann Szymonski, 514 S. Norbeck, Vermillion; Speeding on state highway, \$19.00 plus costs

Kevin Erickson, 510 Main St., Concord, NE; Urinating in public, \$104.00 plus costs

Arnold Isom, 434 Franklin Street, Vermillion; County speeding, \$39.00 plus costs

Orin Lyal Abild, 30574 461st Ave., Wakonda; Unauthorized parking in handicapped space, \$56.50, plus costs

Kyle Allen Hinseth, 23 S. Pine St., Vermillion; County speeding, \$19.00 plus costs

Laura Kuschel, 924 Cottage, Vermillion; Renewal registration during assigned month, \$54.00 plus costs

Richard David Dupraz, 109 Richard St., Yankton; County speeding, \$39.00 plus costs

Edward T. McCue, 45530 305th Street, Volin; County speeding, \$39.00 plus costs

Harold Joseph Harnois, 409 Sterling Ave., Vermillion; Speeding other roadways, \$19.00 plus costs

Thomas M. Christensen, 201 E. 17th St., Yankton; Speeding other roadways, \$59.00 plus costs

Kim Kortje, 5 Circle Drive, Crofton, NE; Speeding other roadways, \$39.00 plus costs

Michael Patrick Pardy, 235 Thyme Rd., Helena, MT; Speeding on state highway, \$42.00 plus costs

Brian Jon Huth, 504 W. Elm St., Beresford; Speeding other roadways, \$39.00 plus costs

James Lenny LaFrance, 28 Walnut St., Vermillion; No drivers license, \$54.00 plus costs

Lisa R. McInerney, 47023 322nd Street, Elk Point; County speeding, \$90.00 plus costs

Nathan Lee Garrett, 31169 462nd Ave., Vermillion; Fail to report accident to police officer, \$204.00 plus costs

Judge Tami Bern presiding
Margaret M. Suerth, 804 W. Dartmouth, Vermillion; Driving under influence-1st offense, recharged; Driving under influence-1st offense, \$350.00 plus costs; Five days county jail is suspended based on the conditions of the court

Matthew Sarha, 411 Stanford #41, Vermillion; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage*, \$371.00 plus costs; Use or possession of drug paraphernalia*, dismissed; *This offense may have been previously reported as having been disposed

Michael Glover, 206 S. Pine Street, Vermillion; Driving under influence-1st offense, recharged; Driving under influence-1st offense, \$350.00 plus costs

Richard Anderson, 30895 Frog Creek Road, Vermillion; Driving under influence-2nd offense, recharged; Driving under influence-2nd offense, \$500.00 plus costs, thirty days county jail; Twenty days county jail is suspended based on the conditions of the court

Timothy Walter Jones, 22708 SD Highway 13, Flandreau; Possession controlled substance, recharged; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, recharged; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, recharged; Fail to obey lawful order, \$104.00 plus costs; Possession controlled substance, dismissed; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, \$371.00 plus costs

Cain Knutson, 31275 463rd Ave., Vermillion; Driving with revoked (not suspended) license, recharged; Driving with revoked (not suspended) license, \$450.00 plus costs

Randall Sibson, 2824 Pettersen Rd., Vermillion; Driving under influence-1st offense, recharged; Open alcoholic beverage container accessible in vehicle, dismissed; Driving under influence-1st offense, \$350.00 plus costs

Kelly Person, 1330 Over Dr., Vermillion; Driving under influence-1st offense \$350.00 plus costs; Use or possession of drug paraphernalia, dismissed; five days county jail is suspended based on the conditions of the court

Justin Bowker, 833 E. Duke Street #121, Vermillion; Reckless driving*, \$450.00 plus costs; Fail to stop-accident causing property damage*, \$300.00 plus costs; False report to authorities*, dismissed; Thirty days county jail is suspended based on the conditions of the court; *This offense may have been previously reported as having been disposed

Andrew L. Christensen, 308 Birchwood Circle, Brandon; Driving under influence-1st offense, \$350.00 plus costs

Gregory Marler, 4 Clubhouse Drive, Augusta, KS; Reckless driving, \$350.00 plus costs

Kayla Mellema, 1900 S. Wheatland Ct., Sioux Falls; Driving under influence-1st offense*, \$1,000.00 plus costs, two days jail; Imposition of sentence is suspended based on the conditions of the court, *This offense may have been previously reported as having been disposed

Timothy Walter Jones, 22708 SD Highway 13, Flandreau; Possession controlled substance, recharged; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, recharged; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, recharged; Fail to obey lawful order, \$104.00 plus costs; Possession controlled substance, dismissed; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, \$371.00 plus costs

Avery Douglas Dammann, 801 5th Ave. SE, Pipestone, MN; Reckless driving, \$350.00 plus costs

Jesse James Jastram, 528 Valley view Drive, Vermillion; Reckless driving, \$350.00 plus costs; Renewal registration during assigned month, \$54.00 plus costs; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, dismissed

Leif M. Nygaard, 116 Walnut Street, Vermillion; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, \$371.00 plus costs

Marvin Anderson, 2301 30 1/2 Avenue, Apt. #104, Fargo, ND; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, \$371.00 plus costs; Use or possession of drug paraphernalia, dismissed

Tony Wunder, 1012 Rice Street, Vermillion; Domestic abuse-simple assault, recharged; Domestic abuse-simple assault, \$300.00 plus costs; Thirty days county jail is suspended based on the conditions of the court

Mark G. Iversen, 31697 468th Ave., Burbank; Reckless driving, \$350.00 plus costs; One hundred eighty days county jail is suspended based on the conditions of the court

Michael John Mena, 47502 297th Street, Beresford; Driving under influence-1st offense, \$1,000 plus costs, two days jail; Ingest intoxicant other than alcoholic beverage, \$371.00 plus costs; Possess two ounces of marijuana or less, dismissed; Use or possession of drug paraphernalia, dismissed; Imposition of sentence is suspended based on the conditions of the court

Katelyn Wudel, 327 Walnut St., Elmhurst, IL; Possession of alcohol by minor, \$54.00 plus costs

Justin Bowker, 833 E. Duke Street

#121, Vermillion; Petty theft 2nd degree-\$400 or less*, \$200.00 plus costs, fourteen days jail, twelve suspended; *This offense may have been previously reported as having been disposed

Casandra Moore, 434 Franklin Street, Vermillion; Fail to maintain financial responsibility*, \$64.00 plus costs; Operator assure passengers 5-18 wear seat belts*, \$25.00; Operator assure passengers 5-18 wear seat belts*, dismissed; *This offense may have been previously reported as having been disposed

Brenden Hower, 12 Walker St., Vermillion; Disorderly conduct, \$100.00 plus costs; Careless driving, \$54.00 plus costs

Ryan J. Bartholomaus, 825 Madison Street, Apt. 1, Vermillion; Petty theft 2nd degree-\$400 or less, \$100.00 plus costs; five days county jail is suspended based on the conditions of the court

Blake Allen Guymon, 800 N. Plum St. Olson #421, Vermillion; Possession of alcohol by minor, \$54.00 plus costs

Johnny Alton Brooks, III, 11105 W. Highway 44, Rapid City; Possession of alcohol by minor,

\$54.00 plus costs

Michael Burrus, 400 Carr St. #106, Vermillion; Petty theft 2nd degree-\$400 or less, \$100.00 plus costs; Fourteen days county jail is suspended based on the conditions of the court

Rachel Lyn Poss, 824 W. Dartmouth #3, Vermillion; Possession of alcohol by minor, \$54.00 plus costs

Jonathan Santamaria-Boquet, 728 N. University Street #112, Vermillion; Disorderly conduct, \$100.00 plus costs

Michael Monahan, 106 130th St., Chardan, IA; Possession of alcohol by minor, \$54.00 plus costs

Kaylee R. Prochniak, 3300 S. Hawthorne Ave., Sioux Falls; Possession of alcohol by minor, \$54.00 plus costs

Cassie Schleisman, 901 Rose St. #325D, Vermillion; Possession of alcohol by minor, \$54.00 plus costs

Rhett A. hardy, 5056 Kidney Street, Tempe, AZ; Possession of alcohol by minor, \$54.00 plus costs

Austin M. Moritz, 3600 Golden Eagle Circle, Blair, NE; Possession of alcohol by minor, \$54.00 plus costs

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