

# 2011 Coyote Kick-Off set for Aug. 3

Fans of the South Dakota athletic department can gear up for the 2011-12 season by attending the annual Coyote Kick-Off Auction and Dinner, which is set for Wednesday, Aug. 3 at the Ramkota Inn Exhibit Hall in Sioux Falls.

The social begins at 5:30 p.m. with the dinner to follow at 6:30 p.m. Those attending are asked to RSVP by July 29. Cost is \$60 per person, \$40 per young alumni (age 35 and younger). A table sponsorship for eight will be

available for \$500. Fans are asked to wear red and white apparel in support of the Coyotes.

Those in attendance will hear from South Dakota athletic staff, coaches and student-athletes as they talk about the upcoming 2011-12 season, which will mark the school's first as an official member of the Summit League.

In addition, only individuals attending will have the chance to bid on exclusive items such as steel artwork of the Coyote Logo, a 40" x 40" framed picture of old mail, tickets to Coyote

road games, trips to Coyote games and more.

For more information, please contact Jordan Gillis at (605) 624-5704 or by email at Jordan.gillis@usdfoundation.org. Money raised that evening will go to scholarships for Coyote student-athletes.

The online portion of the auction will commence soon after the Aug. 3 dinner, with a date to be determined.

## Coyote Football mourns loss of Allison

Former University of South Dakota football player, Desmond Allison, was shot and killed outside an apartment complex in Columbus, OH, on Monday, according to reports.

"The Coyote Family is saddened by the loss of our friend and teammate Desmond," South Dakota head football coach Ed Meierkort said. "Dez was always a positive and vibrant person and we are keeping his family in our

prayers." Allison, 31, played two seasons for the Coyotes, helped lead the team to the 2005 North Central Conference championship and a second round berth in the NCAA Division II playoffs in 2006. Prior to arriving to South Dakota in 2005, Allison played basketball for head coach Tubby Smith at the University of Kentucky from 1998-2000.

## Huron College/University All Class Reunion planned

Hundreds of Huron College/Huron University Alumnus from across the country are making plans to make one last trip back to the 122 year old campus on Aug. 12-14, before the wrecking ball begins its work.

Following a prestigious history of academics and athletics, Huron College officially closed its doors in April of 2005. Since then the campus has remained unoccupied and the buildings that once rang with vitality have sustained significant neglect and deterioration.

After six years of deliberation of what the future would hold for this long standing landmark, the Community of Huron announced the construction of the Central Park Project that will soon adorn the entire city block that currently houses the aging campus.

The Central Park will feature water slides, a competition pool, a lazy river, a kiddie pool, picnic shelters, playground, walking trails, basketball/tennis/volley ball courts, and the list continues to the tune of a multimillion dollar facility. In honor of its building site, the designers of the new Central Park have strategically incorporated the cornerstones from the old campus buildings such as Voorhees Hall, McIntire Library, Churchill Hall, Kerr Hall, as well as the school bell into the landscape of the new project.

"I view the conscience effort to commemorate the long history of Huron College into the plans for the new Central Park as a tribute to the thousands of faculty, staff and students that graced the grounds and halls of this historic site," said long time trustee and

college supporter, Marilyn Hoyt.

With the news of the campus' demolition, decades of alumni felt the pull of heart strings and intend to return for one last farewell to their alma mater.

"We have received word from hundreds of alumni from across the country who are saddened by the loss of the campus, but excited to reminisce and see old classmates,"

said Alumni Association Chairman Dr. Frank Palleria. Graduates and attendees from as far away as Colorado, California, Arizona, Washington, Florida, Michigan, New York, Virginia, Illinois, Kansas, Wisconsin and Utah are making the pilgrimage to attend the reunion and walk amongst the college structures that will soon be a page in history. The reunion begins on Friday,

Aug. 12 with registration at 3:30 p.m. at the Crossroads Hotel and Convention Center in Huron and a BBQ social starting at 6 p.m. Saturday the 13th kicks off at 10 a.m. with a golf scramble at Broadland Creek and continue with campus tours and choir rehearsal in the afternoon.

Saturday evening starts at 6 p.m. at the Crossroads with a mixer, followed by a buffet and program honoring the 25 year anniversary of the 1986 HU Championship Football Team and wraps up with a dance by Galaxy 9. A \$45 fee covers the BBQ, buffet, program and dance. Registrations are necessary and will be closing soon so please contact the Alumni Association at hchu.reunion@yahoo.com for your confirmation.

### FOR THE RECORD

#### Cases Disposed 7/18-15/2011

Matthew Sarha, 1401 S. Main Lot 109, Mitchell; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, \$204.00 plus costs

Matthew Sarha, 1401 S. Main Lot 109, Mitchell; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Mark Protzman, 2 West Broadway Ave., Vermillion; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, \$204.00 plus costs

Sean William Frerk, 117 Hideway Dr., Mission Hill; Speeding other roadways, \$19.00 plus costs

Tari Tielke, 416 Locust, Yankton; Speeding other roadways, \$39.00 plus costs

Barbara Iacino, 1909, N. University Rd., Vermillion; Speeding other roadways, \$59.00 plus costs

Quan Nguyen, 1612 Thistle Down Drive, Plano, Texas; Failure to make proper stop at stop intersection, \$54.00 plus costs

Drew Patrick Aman, 811 Burtleigh St., Gayville; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Donna E. Doherty, 9 Procter Street, Ashburnham, Mass.; Speeding other roadways, court costs

Guy Jean Cesar, Jr., 1212 S. Majestic View Pl., Sioux Falls; Speeding other roadways, \$19.00 plus costs

Bill Markve, 940 Quail Hollow Cir., Dakota Dunes; Speeding other roadways, \$59.00 plus costs

Brooke L. Stewart, 88814 573 Ave., Wynot, Neb.; Speeding other roadways, \$39.00 plus costs

Ashley Ann Strong, 941 S. Blaine Ave. #44, Sioux Falls; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

James M. Thompson, 53980 Highway 84, Bloomfield, Neb.; Speeding on state highway, \$19.00 plus costs

Andrew Jackson Owens, 933 Tom Street, Vermillion; Renewal registration during assigned month, \$54.00 plus costs

Mark Owen Zomer, 1946 320th St., Rock Valley, Iowa; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Bobby Blaine Olseth, 4900 E. 15th St., Sioux Falls; Seat belt

violation, \$25.00

Benjamin Samuel Sandstorm, 4501 Saddlewood Drive, Minnetonka, Minn.; Illegal passing no pass zone, \$54.00 plus costs

Patrick R. Gone, 833 E. Duke Street, #22, Vermillion; Speed on four-lane in rural areas, \$39.00 plus costs

Joseph Wingo, 813 Madison St., Vermillion; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, \$204.00 plus costs; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Bradley Alan McCurry, Jr., 225 Prospect, Vermillion; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Collin J. Prosser, 620 Colonial Ct., Vermillion; Speeding other roadways, \$39.00 plus costs

Jenny L. James, 614 E. Main, Vermillion; Speeding other roadways, \$19.00 plus costs

Ana Nesselhuf, 31612 471st Ave., Burbank; Fail to maintain financial responsibility, dismissed

Amber M. Eichmann, 2110 Summit St. Apt. A17 2B, Sioux City, Iowa; Driving with suspended (not revoked) license, \$204.00 plus costs

Joseph G. Brewer, 107 Twin

Street, Elk Point; Driving with revoked (not suspended) license, dismissed

Jennifer Swiftbird, 833 E. Duke #12, Vermillion; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Christopher P. Bellmore, 1529 Ohio Street, Fremont, Neb.; Speeding other roadways, \$39.00 plus costs

Hunter J. Heidesch, 100 S. Locust Street, Marcus, Iowa; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Douglas James Ellison, 30867 S.D. Highway 19, Vermillion; Renewal registration during assigned month, \$54.00 plus costs

Brian Mayer, 32171 Ponderosa Drive, Burbank; License not in immediate possession, \$25.00 plus costs

Alvin L. Anderson, 807 Cottage Ave. #30, Vermillion; County speeding, \$45.00 plus costs

Clint W. Millie, 88348 583 Avenue, Newcastle, Neb.; Seat belt violation, \$25.00

Cody John Wirth, 2363 Sony Loop, Eugene, Ore.; Possession of alcohol by minor, dismissed

## Aug. 3 presentation in North Sioux City: Flooded trees

South Dakota State University specialists will offer information on dealing with flooded shrubs and trees at a meeting in North Sioux City.

The event takes place in the Dakota Valley High School auditorium at 1150 Northshore Drive, North Sioux City, from 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 3.

Landscape trees and shrubs have been inundated with floodwater from the Missouri river and from rising water tables. SDSU Extension Forestry Specialist John Ball will address the factors that play a role in both the short-term and long-

term health of trees in city parks and on private property.

The North Sioux City city office, Superintendent Al Leber of the Dakota Valley School District, and the SDSU Cooperative Extension Service are working together to make the event possible.

To get there, take Interstate Highway 29 south to Exit 4 (the McCook Lake exit). Turn right (west) and follow the road for approximately one mile. The high school will be on the right (north) side of the road. The auditorium is just inside the main entrance.

## Ice cream social set for Aug. 3

An ice cream social will be sponsored by Gayville Lutheran Church at the Gayville Community Center on Aug. 3. This will run from 5 to 7 p.m.

Taverns, hot dogs, coney dogs, pie, bars, ice cream and drinks will be served. Everyone is welcome. Funds will be matched by Thrivent.

## Free youth activity day is Aug. 13

The South Dakota Game, Fish & Parks Department, along with local volunteers, will hold a free youth activity day Saturday, Aug. 13, from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Clay County Trap Shooting Range.

The day is designed for youth ages 8 to 17 years old. They must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Parents/legal guardians must sign a waiver before youth may participate in the day's

events. Planned activities include Archery, Trap Shooting, BB Gun, Trapping, .22 Rifle, Turkey Calling and Waterfowl Calling.

To pre-register, contact Kevin Noble at 605-624-7100. Please leave a message. This event is limited to 70 youth. There is no cost to attend this event.

Pre-registration is required.

## OBITUARIES

### Marilyn Siecke

Marilyn J. Siecke, 72, of Vermillion, passed away Monday, July 18, 2011 at Touchstone Living Center Hospice Unit in Sioux City, IA. Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, July 23, 2011 at First Baptist Church in Vermillion with Reverend Elmer "Sandy" Aakre officiating. Graveside services were in Hillcrest Memorial Park Cemetery in Norfolk, NE at 3 p.m. Saturday, July 23, 2011. Visitation was held from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday, July 21, at Rohde Funeral in Kingsley, IA. Visitation continued July 22, from 5 to 7 p.m. at Iverson-Siecke -Kober Funeral Home in Vermillion, with a prayer service at 7 p.m. followed by an Eastern Star Service.



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She attended Canfield country school through eighth grade and graduated from Stanton High School in 1956. After high school she attended Wayne State Teacher's college in Wayne, NE, receiving a Teaching Certificate. Marilyn taught country school in

Wayne County, Nebraska before getting married.

Marilyn and Alton L. Siecke were married Dec. 28, 1956, in Stanton, NE. After being married 53 years he passed away Aug. 9, 2010. Throughout their married life, Al and Marilyn lived in multiple places, moving back to Nebraska after Al graduated from Mortuary Science College in California. Together in 1981 they purchased the Wagner-Iverson Funeral Home of Vermillion, and the Anderson Funeral Home of Elk Point in 2002. For 27 years she worked alongside Al in the business until they sold it to Lori and Tom Kober in 2008. In May of 2008 she and Al established the Rohde Funeral Home in Kingsley, IA along with their daughter,

Tami.

Marilyn was very involved in the community of Vermillion. She was a long time member of First Baptist Church in Vermillion, and served on the Civic Council Board, Eastern Star and Rebekah's. She was a Worthy Matron of Eastern Star and served as South Dakota's representative several times. Marilyn enjoyed playing cards especially bridge, collecting anything with butterflies, watching sports especially with her family. Also, she enjoyed writing poetry and painting, talents she discovered later in life.

Marilyn is survived by her daughter, Tamera (Mark) Rohde of Kingsley, IA; son, Mark (Bev) Siecke of Decatur, NE; grandsons,

Tyler (Becky) Siecke of Omaha, NE, and Seth (Annie) Rohde of Sioux City, IA and Tate Rohde of Kingsley, IA; granddaughters, Tanna (Nick) White of Omaha, NE and Megan Rohde of Sioux City, IA; great-grandson, Nolan White of Omaha, NE; sisters-in-law, VonDelle Heindold of Pilger, NE and Judy Collins of Sioux City, IA; brothers-in-law, Leon Siecke of Ceres, CA, and Doug (Phyllis) Siecke of Madison, NE;

several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Alton; daughters, Jacqilyn Kay and Sharilyn Sue; her brother, LaVerne Heindold; and brother-in-law, Keith Collins.

Condolences may be posted online at [www.koberfuneralhome.com](http://www.koberfuneralhome.com).

### Duane Ugofsky

Duane Ray (Cheyenne) Ugofsky, 67, of Vermillion, passed away on Sunday, July 24, 2011 at the Prairie Estates Care Center in Elk Point.

Duane was born Oct. 29, 1943 in Yankton County to Ray and Mabel (Rokusek) Ugofsky. He attended Cedar Grove School thru eighth grade before moving to the Yankton School District. Although he never had the chance to receive his high school diploma, he did have a hand in making it possible for others to

have an education by working on the construction of several school buildings for all ages in our state, including USD in Vermillion.

He enjoyed collecting John Deere tractors, watching NASCAR during the entire season and cheering on his favorite driver, Dale Earnhart Jr. He especially enjoyed spending time with his numerous nieces and nephews at any time.

He will be greatly missed by his brother, Dale (Mary) of Harrisburg; a brother-in-law, Dan Goeden; and special friend, Rose

Hirocke of Vermillion; and dear friend, Ella Hirocke of Gayville; and his three generations of nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a stepfather, Louis Binder; and three sisters, Carol, Donna and Mary Lou.

Funeral services were 10 a.m.

Thursday, July 28 at the St. Agnes Catholic Church in Vermillion with burial of ashes following in the BluffView Cemetery in Vermillion.

Online condolences and obituary: [hansenfuneralhome.com](http://hansenfuneralhome.com).

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