

Tanagers hammer Huskies on the diamond

By Scott Bormann

ELK POINT – The Tanagers started a three-day road trip on April 25 by taking on the Elk Point-Jefferson Huskies. Vermillion scored early and often, securing a 10-0 victory, improving their season record to 8-1.

Vermillion's Billy Mount picked up the victory by pitching three innings. Nobody got a hit against him, or even got a walk. He recorded four strikeouts.

Hunter Christopherson finished the game by pitching the final two innings by giving up only one hit, no walks, and getting four strike-outs.

Gregg pitched 2 1/3 innings for the Huskies, while Murphy finished

the final 2 2/3 innings. Gregg was hit for three earned runs, while Murphy was tagged for one. The Tanagers racked up 10 hits, 10 runs, six walks, and only got struck out five times.

The Tanagers were led offensively by Jayce Huska, Jack Brown, Billy Mount, Travis Weber, Brandon Mockler and Jacob Odens.

Huska had three hits, one RBI, and scored two runs. Brown recorded one hit and scored two runs. Mount had two hits and three RBIs to go along with his mastery of the mound. Weber got two hits, two RBIs, and scored one run. Mockler had one hit and scored two runs. Odens had one hit and one RBI.

Applications announced for 'Space School Musical'

Vermillion Community Theatre, in cooperation with Dakota Players, is accepting applications for a production of "Space School Musical."

Applications will be available at the spring sign-up event held by Vermillion Department of Parks and Recreation at the Armory on May 7 from 3:30-6:30 p.m.

Applications are also available online at www.vermillioncommunitytheatre.org.

The program is limited to the first 50 applicants. A talented team will guide the young talent of Vermillion through a fun-filled, motivating week of theatre magic! Space School Musical is designed with suitable

parts for students completing kindergarten through fifth grade. The registration fee is \$30. Scholarships are available.

Five days of intensive rehearsals will be held in which the lines, staging, songs and even dances will be learned, culminating in an unforgettable performance.

In addition to the on-stage roles, older children are needed to assist the directors and learn how to operate sound and lighting equipment to add to the fun-filled, motivating, magical theatre experience.

No experience or advanced preparation is needed.

Kids will join Hannah on a trip through the solar system in this ultra-cool edu-tainment "hip-hopera" that

is out of this world! Move and groove along with the planets, moons, meteors, comets, asteroids and even some rockin' scientists as they sing, dance and serve up the freshest facts in the galaxy. Space is definitely one cool place.

This unique residency is made possible by Vermillion Community Theatre with support provided by the State of South Dakota, through the Department of Tourism and State Development, the South Dakota State Arts Council, the National Endowment for the Arts and a grant from NASA.

For more information, check www.vermillioncommunitytheatre.org or contact Sandy Dickenson at (605) 624-6670.

Jones named Player of the Week

University of South Dakota junior first baseman Matley Jones was named Summit League Player of the Week for the period ended April 27. It is the first such honor for Jones, a junior from Lincoln, NE.

Jones batted .647 (11-for-17) during the week with six doubles, five runs scored and three RBIs. Her week included a pair of perfect performances. She went 4-for-4 with two doubles in a game against Iowa State in Ames on Tuesday. She was 3-for-3 with a double and an RBI in the opening game of the Coyotes' three-game sweep of in-state rival South Dakota State.



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Jones had four multi-hit games during the week. Her slugging percentage was 1.00 and her on-base percentage was .667. Defensively, she had 17 putouts and an assist without committing an error.

Students earn prizes at USD History Conference

Eight undergraduate students of history received awards during the 49th annual Student History Conference at the University of South Dakota on April 24.

Thirty-one graduate and undergraduate students from six colleges and universities throughout the region presented or commented on papers. The winning authors earned certificates and book awards.

Michael Hoff, Hixon-Lied Professor of Art History at the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, delivered the plenary address, "Pirates and Romans: Ancient Cities

and Rough Cilicia."

The conference was sponsored by the USD history department and the local chapter of Phi Alpha Theta, the national honor society in history.

The categories and winners:

Premodern History
Sam Reuland, University of South Dakota

"The Battle of Salamis: How Themistocles and Athenian Politics Influenced Tactics"

Twentieth Century (tie for first place)

Katherine Feller, University of South Dakota
"The Treaty of Versailles: Historiography and Historical Themes"

Zoey Reisdorf, Buena Vista University
"Irrational Behavior or a Rational Reaction?: The Origins of North Korean-South Korean Relations, 1945-1953"

Women's History (tie for first place)

Elizabeth Lynam, University of South Dakota

"The Effects of Advertising on Women and the Emergence of the Problem with No Name in the 1950s Women's Magazines"

Stephanie Anders, Buena Vista University
"An Enduring Answer to 'The Woman Question': How Republican Motherhood Paved the

Road to First-Wave Feminism"

U.S. History

Jason W. Rogers, Creighton University

"Policy, Prejudice, and Protest: A New Look into the History of the 477th Bombardment Group"

Civil War (tie for first place)

Sonia Hernandez, University of South Dakota

"Abraham Lincoln's Liberty"

Hilary van Noort, Creighton University

"Fallen Soldiers, Grieving Fathers, and Failed Systems: The Struggle to Create the U.S. Ambulance Corps During the Civil War"

CLAY COUNTY SHERIFF'S PRESS BRIEFING

04/20/14 11:27 – A deputy investigated a report of an assault that took place at a party in the country. It was determined the assault and party were in Yankton County. The report was forwarded to the Yankton County sheriff for further investigation.

04/20/14 16:41 – A deputy responded along with fire units to a grass fire west of Vermillion.

04/21/14 13:15 – The school resource officer investigated a report of a teenager sending text messages to a girl in violation of his bond conditions. The information was forwarded to court services.

04/21/14 17:18 – A deputy responded along with fire units to a small fire involving burning mulch on the USD campus.

04/21/14 17:25 – A deputy responded to an intrusion alarm at an Irene business. An Irene police officer was also dispatched and he responded, finding the business secured and no problems to address.

04/21/14 18:14 – A rural resident reported a neighbor's dogs often stray to her property and harass her horses. The owner of the dogs was contacted and his obligation to prevent this was explained to him.

04/21/14 19:11 – Deputies responded along with fire units to a grass fire south of Vermillion and provided traffic control due to smoke on the road causing limited visibility.

04/22/14 11:04 – A vehicle was stopped for driving 71 mph in the 55 mph zone north of Burbank. The driver was also found to be wanted for a traffic warrant for a prior speeding violation. Additionally, his car was not insured. The driver was cited for the two new offenses and arrested for the bench warrant. He paid his overdue fine and was released.

04/22/14 13:22 – A deputy responded along with fire units to a grass fire north of Vermillion.

04/22/14 14:24 – A deputy transported two men wanted for Clay County charges to the Clay County Jail from Yankton after they were delivered there by an inmate transport shuttle.

04/22/14 14:48 – A deputy responded along with fire units to a grass fire south of Meckling.

04/22/14 17:46 – A deputy responded to an injury crash east of Vermillion. The highway patrol also responded and conducted an investigation of the crash.

04/22/14 20:05 – A rural resident reported a man who had a tent set up near his residence and the man was screaming profanities. A deputy responded to the area but the man had packed his tent and left the area.

04/23/14 10:22 – The school resource officer investigated a report of a man violating a protection order while picking up a child at school.

04/23/14 13:51 – An inmate was transported to a doctor appointment and then returned to the jail.

04/23/14 14:26 – A patient was transported from Vermillion to the Human Services Center in Yankton for an involuntary mental health committal.

04/23/14 21:14 – A deputy responded to a 911 call from a residence in Wakonda. It was found a child had apparently misdialed the phone.

04/24/14 02:38 – A report was received of an alarm at a Wakonda business. Investigation found that the property owner was present and the alarm was a malfunction.

04/24/14 09:23 – A deputy stopped a car and

cited the driver for speeding after witnessing it go through Burbank at 59 mph in the 35 mph zone.

04/24/14 10:48 – A vehicle was stopped and the driver was cited for driving 71 mph in the 55 mph zone south of Wakonda.

04/24/14 12:52 – A rural resident called reporting he received a call from a man claiming to be from his credit card company and asking for financial information. This was recognized as a scam attempt and no information was given out.

04/24/14 12:59 – A deputy investigated a report of trespassing at a vacant rural residence. The trespassers were apparently dumping refuse on the property until they were interrupted. The deputy passed along instruction that the subjects were not welcome there and to dispose of their trash at the landfill.

04/25/14 15:08 – A deputy investigated an incident where a farm disk had been dropped and caused damage to Highway

50 east of Vermillion.

04/25/14 17:50 – A deputy received a report from a Burbank man who had received a call from someone claiming to be from "Consumer Protection" and mentioning a sweepstakes prize. The caller became insulting and argumentative. The call was determined to be a scam attempt. No money or personal information was given out.

04/25/14 21:16 – A deputy located a person in Vermillion who is wanted on a warrant from Wisconsin. The man was arrested and transported to the jail.

04/25/14 23:53 – A deputy responded to a medical emergency in Wakonda.

04/26/14 17:55 – A deputy located sheep stray near Wakonda. They were herded into a barn and off of the highway. A message was left for the owner.

04/26/14 22:56 – A deputy responded to the jail to investigate an assault of one inmate by another.

04/26/14 23:18 – A caller reported an underage party taking place in Wakonda. A deputy responded but did not locate the party in the reported location.

Total Records: 29

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**Anyone who is interested, please contact:
Rural Office of Community Services, Inc.
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