

Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe Monthly Newsletter

June 2019

Wazusteca Sa Wi -June – Moon of when the wild strawberries turn red .



Upward Bound students

are the first in their generation to go to college

Upward Bound is a federally funded education program to help underrepresented youth prepare for college. These students are the first in their generation to get this opportunity.

Upward Bound helps 9th through 12th graders throughout the school year. It also hosts this 6-week academy in the summer.

"Upward Bound has really helped me in skills I can input in school and even the community," High school senior, Diego Serrano, said.

The program helps the teens get an idea of what kind of career they'd like to pursue, such as soldering or computer programming.



Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe Newsletter is a monthly publication by the

Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe.

Digital photos or sending other original files is encouraged.

Deadline for submission of material is

5 work days before the 15th of each month

Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe

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If inaccurate or otherwise inappropriate information is brought to our attention, a reasonable effort will be made to print a correction in the next month newsletter. We reserve the right to omit submissions if it is felt that the content or subject matter is inappropriate.

NEWSLETTER SUBMISSION

GUIDELINES:

All information submitted for newsletter must be received 5 (five) working days before the 15 of each month. We cannot guarantee inclusion of any submissions after that date in that month's newsletter. Submissions must be made in typewritten (or computer generated) format. They can be submitted directly to Marcie Walker in hardcopy, on disk or via email at:

marcie.walker@fsst.org

The FSST reserves the right to edit submission for content and clarity when appropriate. Additionally, submissions not of a time sensitive nature may be delayed for next month newsletter

Students in upward bound are not only learning about computer skills, but they're also learning how to apply to colleges as well.

"We'll go on college visits, we'll see cultural plays, we talk about goals, we do test prep, things like that. And then, we have after school programming doing tutoring and things like that, a little more focused," Upward Bound Director, Samantha Contarino said.

Students are also learning about financial aid.

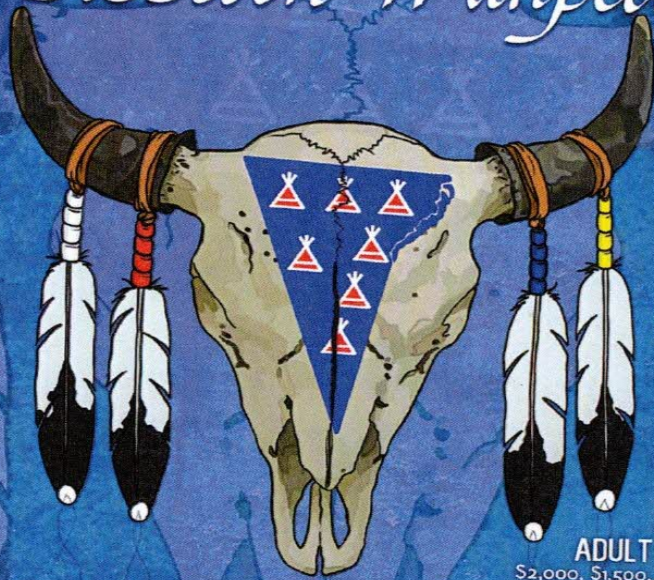
"It's like a really big opportunity now I can get chances that my parents didn't get. Now there's people that know what they're doing and they're helping me and its just... it feels a lot better now I get their support and help," high school junior, Lidiya Goitom, said.

"Try to join Upward Bound they go through two schools in Sioux Falls and two schools in Flandreau. You know, put your application in, see if you can get in too. This is the best thing that happened to me and it might be the best thing to happen to you," Diego Serrano said.

Both **SDSU** and **USD** offer programs.



152nd Annual Sisseton Wahpeton Lake Traverse Contest Wacipi



**WINFIELD THOMPSON
WACIPI ARBOR
AGENCY VILLAGE, SD
JULY 5TH, 6TH & 7TH, 2019
2ND OLDEST WACIPI IN THE NATION!**

HOST DRUM
Dakota Hotain
MASTER OF CEREMONIES
Jerry Dearly, Minneapolis, MN
Harold Blacksmith, Sioux Valley, MB
ARENA DIRECTOR
Clay Crawford, Cass Lake, MN
HEAD DANCING JUDGE
Male - Vernon Paša Renville
Female - Danielle Grey
HEAD SINGING JUDGE
J.T. Seaboy

MOCCASIN TOURNAMENT
\$2,500, \$2,000, \$1,400, \$1,000, \$800
Travis Max (605) 268-0163
5K WALK/RUN
Registration @ 7AM
Starts @ 8AM on Saturday
Sponsored by
SWO Health & Fitness Center
Diabetes Prevention Program
For more info contact (605) 698-3922

SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT
For more info contact
JC Crawford (605) 419-1114
LACROSSE TOURNAMENT
For more info contact Jeremy Redeagle
Phone - (406) 558-9258
Email - jeremyredeagle@yahoo.com

RODEO
Adult & Youth
For more info contact
Danny White - (605) 237-2367
VENDORS
Space is limited - First Come, First Serve
For more info contact
Jerry Eastman (605) 419-1031

ADULT CONTEST
\$2,000, \$1,500, \$1,000, \$750, \$500
Golden Age - (55 & Over)
Men's & Women's Combined
Jr Men's (18-34 yrs.)
Sr Men's (35-54 yrs.)
Traditional - Grass - Chicken - Fancy
Jr Women's (18-34 yrs.)
Sr Women's (35-54 yrs.)
Traditional - Jingle - Fancy

TEEN CONTEST
\$500, \$400, \$300, \$200, \$100
Teen Boy's Fancy, Grass, & Traditional
Teen Girl's Fancy, Jingle, & Traditional

JUNIOR CONTEST
\$200, \$150, \$125, \$100, \$75
Boy's Fancy, Grass, & Traditional
Girl's Fancy, Jingle, & Traditional

TINY TOTS
Will receive day money
TEEN GIRL'S JINGLE
In Honor of Outgoing
Sr Miss SWO Isabelle Morales
\$200, \$150, \$125, \$100, \$75

**JUNIOR GIRL'S
TEAM DANCE SPECIAL**
In Honor of Outgoing
Jr Miss SWO Talia Robertson
1st - \$600, 2nd - 400 Hoodies, 3rd - 200 T-shirts

MEN'S FANCY DANCE
Committee Special

MEN'S TRADITIONAL
In Honor of Andrew Grey Sr.
\$6,000, in Prize Money
A Veteran's Meal will be served
In Memory of SPC Nicole Littlewind-Beaver.

OTHER SPECIALS TBA

GRAND ENTRY
Friday 1pm & 7PM
Saturday 1PM & 7PM
Sunday 4PM

REGISTRATION
Opens Friday
Closes @ 10AM Saturday

SINGING CONTEST
\$10,000, \$8,000, \$6,000, \$4,000, \$2,000

NON CONTEST DRUM SPLIT
Must have 5 singers

ADMISSION \$5/WEEKEND
5 & Under FREE/55 & over FREE

FEED
Friday, Saturday & Sunday
Sponsored by
Dakota Magic Casino
&
Dakota Sioux Casino

FLAG RAISING DAILY
ALL veteran groups welcome
Contact Geri Opsal (605) 698-3388



COMMITTEE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ACCIDENTS, LACK OF FUNDS, INJURY, AND LOST OR STOLEN ITEMS.
24 HOUR SECURITY NO ALCOHOL/DRUGS, FIREWORKS OR FIREARMS ALLOWED.

INTERIM CHAIRMAN - VERLYN BEAUDREAU
VICE CHAIRMAN - FLOYD KIRK JR.
SECRETARY - MYRNA THOMPSON
BIG COULEE - LISA JACKSON
BUFFALO LAKE - LOUIE JOHNSON

OLD AGENCY - MILTON OWEN
ENEMY SWIM - CHERYL OWEN
HEIPA/VIEBLEN - JR. RONDELL
LAKE TRAVERSE - FRANCES CRAWFORD
LONG HOLLOW - CURTIS BISONETTE

RV SPACES AVAILABLE CONTACT:
CHARLENE MILLER (605) 698-8353
CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED
FULL WEEKEND ONLY!

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:
VERNON RENVILLE SR. - (605) 880-5117
DARWIN JAMES - (605) 268-3743
DARRELL DEOITTEAU - (605) 924-0131
JERRY EASTMAN - (605) 419-1017
BONNIE BRANT - (605) 419-1191
DANIELLE GREY - (701) 214-7177
JAY RENVILLE - (605) 467-3066



Gary C. Cochran, Jr.

October 21, 1961 - May 16, 2019



Gary C. Cochran, Jr., 57, of Flandreau, SD, passed away Thursday, May 16, 2019 at his home in Flandreau. Gary was born October 21, 1961 in Sisseton, SD, to Gary and Roberta (White) Cochran. They moved to Flandreau in 1972 where Gary attended school until he moved to Marty, SD, and graduated in 1979 from Marty Indian School. He worked around Flandreau until enlisting in the army March 16, 1982. He was stationed in Germany and received several distinguished ribbons. After Gary's discharge March 15, 1985, he returned to Flandreau where he met his soul mate, Lynn Eastman, in 1989. Gary started working at the Flandreau Indian School in 1991 until 2011 when he retired due to ill health. In high school he was a boxer and in cross country. Gary was a member of Gordon Weston Post and FIS Booster Club where he was an active supporter. He was a Denver Broncos fan, an avid sports fan and enjoyed pow-wows and watching his girls dance.

Gary is survived by his partner Lynn Eastman; four children, twin daughters, Cheyenna and Cayenna and son Chebon, all of Flandreau; June Marshall, Crow Creek, SD; four grandchildren; two sisters, Juanita Wakeman and Roxanne Cochran and two brothers, Jim (Brenda) Cochran, and Joe Blackwolf, all of Flandreau. Gary was preceded in death by his parents, brother Jeff, two nieces, Danielle Budack and Cassandra Blackwolf, two nephews, Leland Thompson and Jeffrey Marshall Allen; and special grandmother Bertha Eastman.

NOTICE CHANGE OF LOCATION

Funeral services will be 11:00 am Monday, May 20, 2019 at Wicaicago Otipi Community Center, with burial in First Presbyterian Cemetery. Visitation will be 3:00 pm Sunday with a 5:00 pm prayer service followed by an all night wake at the community center.



Inkpa Duta Apartments Coming Soon!!

Contact Shelli Marshall at housing office for more information

997-2194



Brookings School District apologizes for taking eagle feather from student at graduation

By Trevor Mitchell Brookings, SD – Sioux Falls Argus Leader – May 29, 2019 – he Brookings School District has apologized to a Native American high school student who was told by a principal — in violation of state law — that he could not wear an eagle feather during his graduation. Miles Livermont said he was already getting pushback about the eagle feather attached to his graduate cap as he waited to walk into the Swiftel Center on Sunday. “One girl said, ‘It’s the school, they have the right to tell you to take it out,’ “ said Livermont. He replied that they don’t have that right. And he’s correct. While the school district has a rule stating that no modifications may be made to a graduate’s caps or gowns, it’s been partially overwritten by state law since July of 2018. New law took effect last year South Dakota Codified Law 13-166 states that “The state, any of its political subdivisions, municipalities or subdivisions thereof shall not prohibit any person from wearing traditional tribal regalia or objects of cultural significance at a school honoring or graduation ceremony. For purposes

of this section the term, tribal regalia or object of cultural significance, means an eagle feather or eagle plume.” The Associated School Boards of South Dakota had even posted

on their website a month prior, reminding schools that students choosing to wear the feathers or plumes must be allowed to do so. And yet, Livermont said, before he entered the auditorium he was informed by Brookings High School principal Paul von Fischer that he couldn’t wear the feather and walk across the stage to receive his diploma. Miles Livermont is presented with a star quilt before his graduation by Mona DuBray, Ross DuBray and Donita DuBray Fischer. Brookings School District

officials declined comment Wednesday. In Native American culture, eagle feathers are presented to those who have reached a milestone or something worthy of recognition, said Livermont’s mother, Tasiyagnunpa Livermont Barondeau, who had watched him receive the feather earlier Sunday morning at a family gathering. Barondeau began receiving text messages from her son, asking what he should do. While frustrated with the situation, she told him he should walk, assuming they would allow him to keep the feather on his person. But, she said, he was told he had to give it to von Fischer, after which it traveled through the hands of several other people before it was somehow decided it would be returned to him as he received his diploma.

This raises further issues, Barondeau said — namely that it’s against federal law for anyone other than Native Americans to possess an eagle feather. A security guard eventually returned the feather to them, she said, at which point she found her son and gave the feather to him before he walked across the stage. As he did so, Livermont said, von Fischer pointed at the feather and said “I see what you did there.” Thousands signed petition calling for apology



Miles Livermont is presented with a star quilt before his graduation by Mona DuBray, Ross DuBray and Donita DuBray Fischer. (Photo: Tasiyagnunpa Livermont Barondeau)



Miles Livermont at Brookings High School graduation with an eagle feather attached to his graduation cap on May 26, 2019. (Photo: Tasiyagnunpa Livermont Barondeau)



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MEMORANDUM

To: All FSST Employees
From: Tony Reider, FSST Executive President
Date: May 10, 2019
RE: SUMMER HOURS EFFECTIVE MAY 27TH, 2019

EFFECTIVE MONDAY, MAY 27TH, 2019, THE FSST TRIBAL OFFICE AND PROGRAMS WILL CHANGE TO SUMMER HOURS.

SUMMER HOURS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

MONDAY – THURSDAY	7:30 AM – 4:00 PM
FRIDAYS	7:00 AM – 3:30 PM



Signed: _____

Anthony Reider, FSST Executive President



When Mama's Not Happy, Nobody's Happy

By Richard P. Holm MD

Nurture versus nature is a question often bandied about. Is it the environment in which the child is raised, or is it the genetics provided by the biological parents, that most influences what kind of person a child will grow to be?

We have known for a long time that if a parent is depressed, their children are at higher risk for having anxiety, depression, and disruptive behavior. Indeed, the offspring of depressed parents have up to a three-times higher risk of these problems when compared to the children of parents who are not depressed. So, is it because of the environment; or is it genetics?

Research published in the Journal of the American Medical Association brings us closer to an answer. It is important to note that the study consisted primarily of mothers with depression, as they are far more likely to report symptoms and come in for treatment than fathers with depression. However, researchers believe that their discovery applies to whichever parent has depression, regardless of whether they are male or female. The results were fascinating: effective treatment of the mother lead to resolution of psychiatric problems in the child.

Study author Myrna Weissman, professor of psychiatry and epidemiology at Columbia University, said "while depression may be a genetic disorder, [this study showed that] a parent's illness has a very strong environmental effect on her child." In other words, when mama's not happy, nobody's happy. Weissman also pointed out "if you have a depressed mother, you ought to do everything you can to get her better, because there's a double effect that will impact their children."

I think the message from this research is very powerful, and should be taken to heart by any mother or father. If you as a parent are having psychological trouble, get help and your child will be better for i



Judge denies tribe's motion to grow industrial hemp



Flandreau, SD – KSFY – June 6, 2019 –A federal judge has denied Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe's request for a preliminary injunction to get the United States Department of Agriculture to rule on a plan to grow industrial hemp.

Federal Judge Karen Schrier denied the request Thursday.

The tribe must now wait until the case concludes or until the USDA approves the tribe's proposed hemp production plan.



Alma M. Rederth

January 12, 1940 - June 08, 2019

Alma M. Rederth, 79, Flandreau, SD, passed away, Saturday, June 8, 2019 at Riverview Healthcare Community, Flandreau. Alma was born on January 12, 1940 at Hazelwood, PA to George and Nellie (Brothers) Locke. She received her education in Pennsylvania and then worked at various jobs in Pennsylvania. She moved to Flandreau and married Arthur Daniel Rederth on December 21, 1981. He passed away on May 25, 1982. Alma worked at Kneebone Liquor Store, Casey's and then for many years at the Tribal Motel. She worked as a receptionist at the Royal River Hotel for many years before retiring in 2017. Alma was a lifetime member of the VFW Auxiliary. Alma is survived by several nieces and nephews and special friends. She was preceded in death by her husband, parents, brother and sister-in-law.

Funeral services will be 2:00 pm Thursday, June 13, 2019 at Skroch Funeral Chapel, Flandreau, with burial in First Presbyterian Cemetery, Flandreau. Visitation will begin one hour preceding services at the chapel.

Visitation

Thursday, June 13, 2019
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Skroch Funeral Chapel, Flandreau
409 2nd Ave E
Flandreau, SD 57028

Funeral Service

Thursday, June 13, 2019
2:00 PM

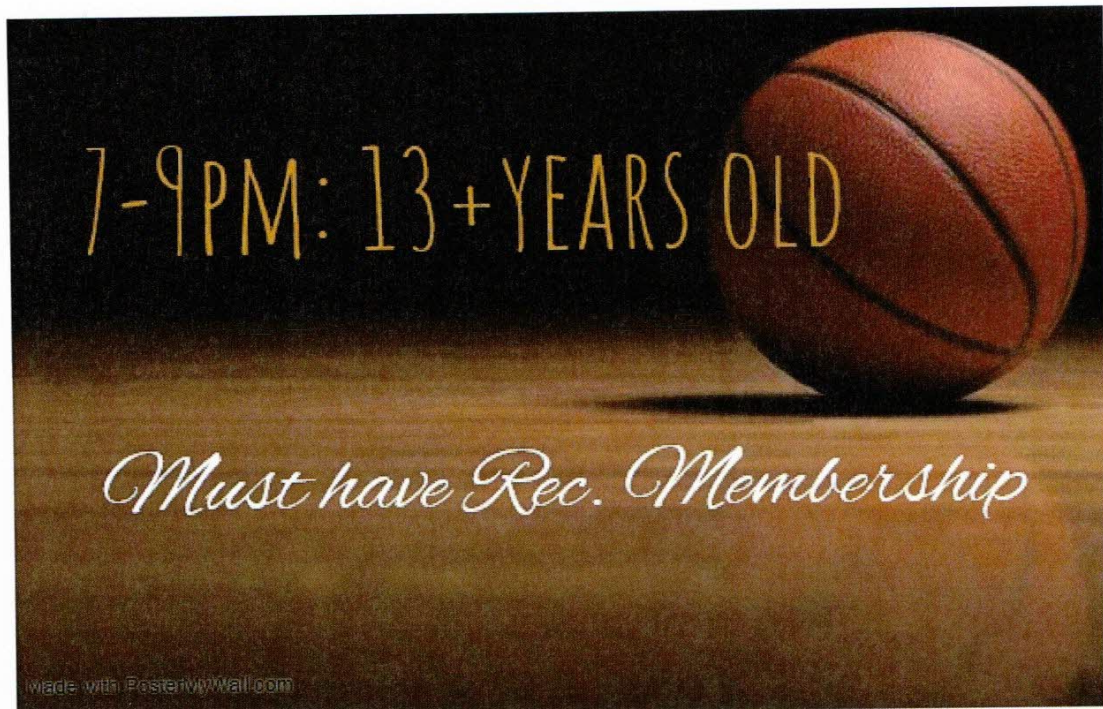
Skroch Funeral Chapel, Flandreau
409 2nd Ave E
Flandreau, SD 57028





OPEN GYM

Monday Nights
MAY 20 JUNE 3, 10, 17



7-9PM: 13+ YEARS OLD

Must have Rec. Membership

FSST Recreation Presents: *Healthier Lifestyle Challenge*

June 17th to August 9th, 2019

10 to enter Challenge. You will be given an Active Lifestyle Activity Log that you will use during the Challenge. You will have a Healthy Eating Goal and a Physical Activity Goal. If you do not meet both your goals, \$5 will be charged to continue the Challenge. Prizes are included for top participants. All monies collected will go to the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. No weight or waist measurements will be taken. We just want to see you make healthier choices and this Challenge will be here to help guide us into making permanent healthy choices. Recreation Programs are available for Physical Activity. PRIZES INCLUDE: Better Health, Fitness Exercise Packs, Hats, Jackets and potential

to anyone wanting to make Healthier Lifestyle Changes. Join Us!
Call: (605)573-4195 or e-mail: sylvia.roy@fss

Wicomicaga Otipi Community Center

BIG SIOUX IRON 5 TOURNEY

in Flandreau, SD

JULY 19-21

ENTRY FEE: \$250

1ST PLACE: 60% ENTRY FEES & JACKETS &
TEAM'S BANNER HUNG IN W.O.C.C. GYM

2ND PLACE: 30% ENTRY FEES & SWEATERS

3RD PLACE: 10% ENTRY FEES & SHIRTS

PLUS INDIVIDUAL & MVP AWARDS

5 PLAYERS MAX PER ROSTER

ALL PLAYERS MUST HAVE

SAME COLOR JERSEY

OPEN TOURNAMENT

18+ YEARS OLD

3 POINT CONTEST

(FREE FOR PLAYERS ONLY)

\$100 + SHIRT

WACIPI WEEKEND!!



CONTACT SYLVIA @
(605) 573-4195 TO
REGISTER



FSST RECREATION PRESENTS

BEAN BAG ♥ LADDER BALL
LEAGUE
wednesdays

september 4 to october 9

Matches start at 6:30pm

RULES OF LEAGUE:

Team of 2 people.

Adult & Child.

Alternates may be used.

Prizes for Teams who
participate every week.

Must have fun.

3 Ages Brackets: 5-8, 9-12 & 13-17

Tourney at end of league.



CONTACT SYLVIA TO SIGN UP 573-4195 OR
E-MAIL SYLVIA.ROY@FSST.ORG

FSST Recreation PRESENTS:



MONDAYS & THURSDAYS 7-9PM
June 17 to July 25 EXCLUDES: July 4th

**WALK BIKE
RUN**

OUR BLOCK

INCENTIVES INCLUDED

CHECK IN AT W.O.C.C.

FOR MORE INFO: SYLVIA ROY (605)573-4195
OR SYLVIA.ROY@FSST.ORG

FLANDREAU SANTEE SIOUX TRIBE 57TH ANNUAL

Wacipi



FREE ADMISSION

DAY PAY

JULY 19 20 21, 2019

FIREWORKS SATURDAY AT DUSK

DRUMS & DANCERS

Eyapaha
Arena Director
Color Guard
Host Drum
Princess Contest
Location
Meals

Butch Felix
Chaske LeBlanc
Gordon Weston Post
Sharp Shooter Turtle Island, NA
Miss FSST & Jr Miss FSST
North of Flandreau on Hwy 13
Provided Saturday & Sunday



If Flooding occurs alternate venue South of RRC behind First American Mart

NO DRUM HOPPING

NO DRUM GROUP LESS THEN 5 SINGERS

Teresa Amesoli Give away & woman
Tradional Honoring her mother Joyce
Pease & Aunt Mert Howard

Grand Entries Friday 7pm Saturday 1pm & 7pm Sunday 1pm

Flag Raising Friday 9am Saturday 9am Sunday 9am

Registration Friday 4pm Saturday 10am-1pm & 4pm-7pm

Contacts: Mike Wakeman 605-530-0236

Laura Rederth 605-997-3891

Accommodations Royal River Casino 1-877-912-LUCK



No Alcohol, Drugs or Weapons, Security will Be Provided. FSST
Is Not Responsible For Accidents, Injuries, Theft and/or Damage

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Attention All Wacipi Participant, Dancers, Drum group, Spectators And Attendees
The Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe Has Enacted Title 24 Of The Tribal Law And
Order Code Entitles "Sex Offender Registration Ordinance". The Ordinance
providesthat certian individuals who are convicted of registerable sex offenses are
required to notify the Flandreau Police Dept. of their presence.

Prayer For Healing

Lord, You invite all who are burdened to come to you. Allow your healing hand to heal me. Touch my soul with your compassion for others. Touch my heart with your courage and infinite love for all. Touch my mind with your wisdom, that my mouth may always proclaim your praise. Teach me to reach out to you in my need, and help me to lead others to you by my example. Most loving heart of Jesus, bring me health in body and spirit that I may serve you with all my strength. Touch gently this life which you have created, now and forever. Amen.



Free Food for Families in Need



**Are you struggling with providing nutritious foods for your family?
Having to choose between groceries and rent, or other bills each month?**

Feeding South Dakota is bring a mobile food distribution to your area.

Food distributions provide an assortment of food that may include frozen and fresh produce, frozen meats, assorted breads and/or assorted canned and boxed items.

Please bring something to carry your food (cooler, bags, totes, etc.)

Next Food Giveaway Near You:

FLANDREAU

Mondays: July 15, August 19, September 16

2:00 to 3:00

Parking lot south of Maynard's, 108 N. Crescent

Feeding South Dakota is a statewide organization with locations in Pierre, Rapid City, and Sioux Falls. Their mission is to eliminate hunger in South Dakota. For more information or to make a donation to support food giveaways, please visit feedingsouthdakota.org.



Happy Flag Day!!



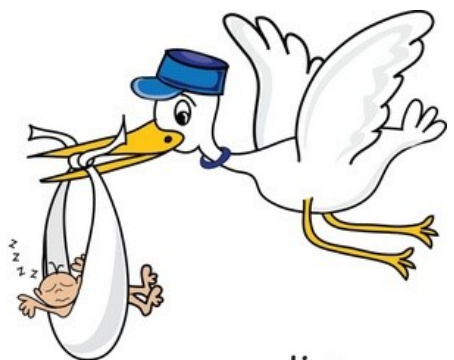
June Birthdays

Pam Byrd 6/9

Darrel Decoteau 6/8

Roberta Williamson 6/23

John Crow 6/30



Special Delivery!

Born: 4/18/19

Name: Kawhi Joseph Eastman

Weight: 4lbs. 2oz.

Parents: Francis Eastman, FSST and Jordyn Feather, SWO

Grandparents: Kassandra Wakeman, FSST

Great Grandson of: Francis Wakeman Jr and Marilyn Wakeman, FSST

FATHER'S DAY WORD SEARCH

Happy Father's Day!



Celebrate
Relaxation
Inspiration
Appreciate
Grandfather
Devoted

Gift
Son
Wise
Laugh
Kiss
Card

Home
Hugs
Sunday
Happy
Fun
Cake

Caring
Holiday
Giving
Love
Family
Strong

Honor
Hero
Daddy
Loyal
Friend
Father

Daughter
Gentleman
Children
Encourager
Provider
Greatest

Seventh Day Adventist Church
 Summer 2018
 Fruit Order Information



Order by	Pick Up On	Variety	Size	Price
<u>July 8</u>	<u>July 21</u> 2:00 - 6:00 pm	<u>Dark Cherries</u>	<u>Approx. 18 #</u>	<u>\$62.00</u>
		<u>Rainier Cherries</u>	<u>Approx. 15 #</u>	<u>\$72.00</u>
	<u>July 22</u> 10 am-2:00 pm	<u>Apricots</u>	<u>Approx. 20 #</u>	<u>\$34.00</u>
		<u>Blueberries</u>	<u>12 pts</u>	<u>\$41.00</u>
<u>July 29</u>	<u>August 11</u> 2:00 - 6:00 pm	<u>Peaches</u>	<u>Approx. 20 #</u>	<u>\$34.00</u>
		<u>Gingergold Apples</u>	<u>Approx 18 #</u>	<u>\$29.00</u>
	<u>August 12</u> 10 am-2:00 pm	<u>Nectarines</u>	<u>Approx. 20 #</u>	<u>\$34.00</u>
		<u>Bartlett Pears</u>	<u>Approx. 20 #</u>	<u>\$24.00</u>
		<u>Blueberries</u>	<u>12 pints</u>	<u>\$41.00</u>
<u>August 19</u>	<u>Sept 1</u> 2:00 - 6:00 pm	<u>Peaches</u>	<u>Approx. 20 #</u>	<u>\$34.00</u>
		<u>Bartlett Pears</u>	<u>Approx. 20 #</u>	<u>\$24.00</u>
	<u>Sept 2</u> 10 am-2:00 pm	<u>Gala Apples</u>	<u>Approx. 16 #</u>	<u>\$29.00</u>
		<u>Italian Prunes</u>	<u>Approx. 22 #</u>	<u>\$33.00</u>
		<u>Nectarines</u>	<u>Approx. 20 #</u>	<u>\$34.00</u>

If you received bad fruit, you must report it to us within 24 hours and return the fruit.

Contact:

Janet Ross: 605-864-0853
 Duane Ross: 605-270-1674
 John Paulsen: 507-350-9146
 Tito Bagunoc: 605-633-1401

Please call your order in by the "Order By" date by 3:00 pm. Please do not call between sundown Friday night and sundown Saturday. Thank you

We must have two pallets each time, there may be not enough to order. We will make every effort to order each time.

Please pick up your fruit on "Pick up dates" – They will be in on Sunday after 2:00 pm to 6:00 pm and Monday from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. If you give us a telephone number, we will call when the fruit is in, sometimes it is in earlier. We will leave a message but if you haven't heard from us by 2:00 pm on Sunday please call. Thank you.

If you need to pick up your fruit at a different time, call and we will try to make accommodations.

Please make checks payable to "SDA Church"

Thank you for your patronage. We do appreciate your kindness

FSST Education Department Quarterly Newsletter

Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe Education Department

Higher Education, Community Education, Johnson O'Malley Program

Education Office: Toksa Ake!

It seems that each time I say "toksa ake" I end up coming back. The students tease me when I say toksa to them because they don't believe me... However, jokes aside, I feel this time around may be different. And it's not because I don't want to return but I learned that there is not much more I can give. With all things in my life, I have learned a lot of different lessons. One of those things I learned is allowing for change to happen and for new ideas to come. I believe, if I were to stay, I would become stagnated in my ideas and then ultimately, become less effective with my work in education. At this point, I feel I hit a limit in my growth as a professional, so I need to keep learning.

And that is a part of my next journey, accepting my limitations and creating the space I need to grow. So I hope that in my next adventures, that I continue to find new ways to expand my skills and my mind by sharing ideas and connecting with others.

The second thing I learned was

regarding my experience this last year. It has been pivotal in shaping my idea of what community means. Not only have I shared in others' joys and successes, watching students graduate and go on, but I also witnessed a lot of heartache. This year was especially hard for many of our current and past students' and families. My heart is with them all. However, I also witnessed togetherness and how that can bring healing. My request is that as a community, continue to work together for the youth, welcome new ideas for growth, and continue to be there for each other in the joys and hard times. I learned the difference from working in a community and really knowing a community, which is being there when needed.

As always, I am grateful I received an opportunity to work with your children, and grateful to this community for helping me grow. Han, Wopila eciciyapi.

Kellyn James



FSST & JOM students had the opportunity to participate in a college visit to the University of Minnesota-Twin Cities. The students visited with college students and professors, and even sat in during a college class! Thank you to

May 2019
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Upcoming Events & Deadlines

MAY

New Education Coordinator, Thomas Williams, Started
May 15

Last day of School/End of 2nd Semester (FPS)
May 23 | 1:30 pm Early Dismissal

Last day of After-School Program
May 23

JUNE

Summer Program Starts
June 4 @ 9 am
Open: Mondays-Thursdays from 9 am – 1 pm
Closed: June 24-28; July 4

School Board Meeting (FPS)
June 10 @ 6 pm | HS Lunchroom

JOM Parent Committee Meeting
June 12 @ 5:30 pm | WOCC

JULY

School Board Meeting (FPS)
July 8 @ 6 pm | HS Lunchroom

JOM Registration Packets will be mailed out mid-July

AUGUST/SEPTEMBER

JOM Registration
1st week of August

School Board Meeting (FPS)
August 12 @ 6 pm | HS Lunchroom

Tentative JOM Parent Meeting
August 14 @ 5:30 pm | WOCC

2019-2020 Back to School (FPS)
August 21 | 1:30 pm Early Dismissal

Welcome Back To School Event/JOM Elections
End of August/Early September

SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINES

American Indian College Fund – Full Circle Scholarship Program
Deadline: May 31

American Indian Graduate Center Fellowship
Deadline: June 1

Association on American Indian Affairs Scholarships

Welcome Thomas Williams, Education Coordinator!

Hau to everyone in the Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribal Community. First off I would like to thank the FSST for allowing me the opportunity to be a part of such an outstanding community and organization I would also like to give a huge thank you to Kellyn James for staying and helping me to get introduced to the position and showing me all the ropes. I know from what I've seen of her she will be a very hard person to replace but I promise I will do my best to follow in her awesome shoes.

Ok I will do my best to make this very short. My name is Thomas and I am the new Education Coordinator. I have had the pleasure to work with the 11 Minnesota tribes and over 30 tribes across the country as well as in Canada in various capacities, over the past 23 years and I am very excited to being my new role. I still feel that having the opportunity to

work with the students at the Flandreau Indian School was one of the highlights of my career. My passion is helping students with their educational needs and goals. It is very rewarding to watch students work hard and achieve success. I am still in contact with several of the students I have been fortunate enough to work with and I am proud of all their accomplishments!

I am originally from Ft Myers, FL, but moved to Minnesota to attend college. I am an alumni of both Southwest Minnesota State and Worthington Community College. I also received my Masters from SDSU in Brookings, SD. My wife, Barb and I, recently became empty nesters which will take some getting used to! We have 3 grown children – Josh (lives in Minneapolis), Haley (lives in Marshall) and Camron (attending Lake Area Tech in Watertown, SD). I enjoy politics and football. I

love getting to know students and assisting them in their academic careers. So, if you ever have any questions or just want to debate politics or football...let me know and I would be happy to oblige!



2019 8th Grade Recognition & Senior Honoring

We finished hosting the 8th grade Recognition & Senior Honoring on Saturday, May 11th at 2 pm at the Wicoicaga Otipi Community Center. This year was our biggest turnout yet! We generally project for around 150 people, but we had well over 200 attendees. We are so proud of the turnout from the families and community on your support for our youth. We will make sure to adjust our numbers for next year to help accommodate the growth that the honoring has experienced the last few years!

During the honoring, the students had an opportunity to hear from several speakers, including Nichole Herzog, and Rick Williams, a longtime educator. The students also received sweetgrass and star quilts as part of the honoring. We would like to congratulate the students on a job well done!



We would like to express our gratitude to the FSST Executive Committee for their continual support, including the donations for the star quilts. We would also like to thank the Royal River Casino for the meal donation, to all of the families for their potluck items, to the Wakpa Ipaksan Dakota Language Program singers, Elisabetta Giomo-James, Kaylen James, and Christin Weston for helping motivate students, to all of

the departments in the tribal organization for their assistance with planning, including Maintenance, Finance, Recreation, Dakota Language, and anyone else we may have forgotten. We would like to thank the school district employees who helped assist and motivate our students as well! Lastly, we would like to thank the families for your continual support in the recognition and honoring for the students!

Tutoring Support

Starting the next academic year, tutoring will be continue to be available as needed and by appointment with the JOM program (due to the limited number of staff). However, there are other resources for support that the Education Department can assist with, including: the SDSU volunteer tutors who will be available to tutor on a select number of days after-school at the community center, the school liaisons/Title programs staff will also be available as resources during the school day to help with academic intervention and support.

Pilamayaye Liz & Kaylen

We would like to express our deepest gratitude to Elisabetta Giomo-James for all of her hard work shaping and defining the Title VI program and what she has done for Native youth. Elisabetta really helped expand the meaning and potential of the Title VI position at the school. We wish her the best of luck in her next adventure!

And pilamayaye to Kaylen James for her work with the Demonstration Grant, including her college prep and revising the JOM incentive program! Best of luck to Kaylen and her future plans!

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IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS

JOM Registration will be the 1st week of August

JOM Parent Committee Elections will be held in August/September 2019

Flandreau Elementary and Middle School: 3rd Quarter Honor Roll & Perfect Attendance

Straight A: Kaden Burshiem, Erika Bien, Isabell Gourneau

A: Xavier Bien, Gary Moose

B: Rihanna Holy Bull, Sakowin Weston, Jon Burshiem, Diamond Roy, Jonathan Schrader, Jr., Jacey Sundermeyer, Saraya Weddell, Asa Eastman, Tiffany Taylor, Cadance Zephier

Perfect Attendance: Nevaeh Burshiem, Jack Linenberg, Kenneth Burshiem, Candace Metcalf, Jake Shortman, Fawn Frias, Elmer Weston, Dreamer Cournoyer, Shannon Roubideaux, Sheyenne Roubideaux, Harley Linenberg, Katrina Linenberg, Terence Manwarren, Masen Schipper, Isabell Gourneau

JOM Parent Committee & Programs Updates

JOM Parent Meeting
Wed, June 12 | 5:30 pm
Wicoicaga Otipi
Community Center

Please join me in welcoming the JOM Parent Committee:
Cynthia Johanson, Chair; Jesse Bien, Vice-Chair; Becky Cramer, Secretary; Parent Representatives: Kendra Burshiem and Lacy Neuenfeldt; Alternates: Brittany Frias and Katie Estrada. Starting in the fall of 2019, we will be hosting elections again for 2 open positions, so please consider contact current members or Thomas Williams if you are interested.

Members of the parent committee, the Education Department, and the FPS superintendent met to discuss

and make recommendations for the Memorandum of Goodwill (formerly known as the Interagency Agreement) in April. This document is intended to build a non-legal binding relationship that will help build communication and collaboration. This will include establishing the responsibilities for each entity for the betterment of Native youth. The memorandum has completion date projected soon after the School Board makes their review and recommendations.

The FIEC finalized and approved the Education Plan for 2018-2019 at the April meeting. The Education Office updated the Education Plan in order to be in compliance with the Johnson O'Malley grant's

recommendations for each JOM program's education plan. This template was forwarded to Thomas Williams, who will be submitting the 2019-2020 Education Plan to the FIEC in August for review and approval. The Education Plan includes goals, objectives, evaluations, and the timeline for JOM programming and services.

Lastly, JOM registration for eligible Native children will open the 1st week of August. Exact dates and location will be determined, but expect registration to take place at the Flandreau Public School. Families must submit proof of tribal enrollment or eligibility along with the JOM application, a needs assessment survey, a request for services form, and a release of information form.

FSST Education Department **JOM Newsletter**

Physical Address:
Wicoicaga Otipi Community
Center (East Entrance)
503 W. Broad Avenue
Phone: 605-997-2859
Fax: 605-573-0310
Website: <https://santeesioux.com/programs/>



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FSST Education Office
PO Box 283
Flandreau, SD 57028



 DELTA DENTAL

Dental Care for Your Kids!

**The Delta Dental Mobile Program
is coming to Flandreau!**

- *Dental care for all ages 0-21*
- *No insurance is needed*
- *No cost to the child or family*
- *Appointments necessary*

Dates: August 12-16, 2019

Location: 600 W Community Drive

***Offered in
partnership with:***



Interlakes Area United Way



***Call Mendy at (605) 256-6518 Ext. 121
to set up your appointment!***



Han mitakuyapi!

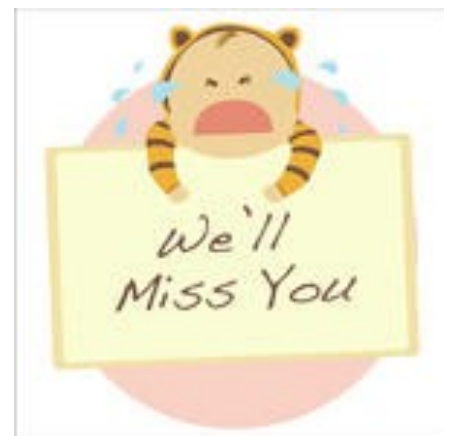
I just wanted to introduce Thomas Williams, he started yesterday as the new Education Coordinator. We are currently working to help him transition into the position, including making our introductions and transferring contact information. He will be available at the same number: 605-997-2859, his email is thomas.williams@FSST.org; at the same office with his work hours from 8 am – 5 pm, Monday through Friday until summer hours begin. I hope you all come stop by, welcome, and meet him when you get a chance!

My last day in office will be Friday, May 24th. I wanted to express my gratitude to all of you for all of your support and assistance over the years. Thank you all so much from the bottom of my heart for all that you've done to support education in the community, and I am really excited and look forward seeing the new things to come from the Education Office. Thank you again!

Wopila eciciyapi,

Kellyn and Thomas

Best wishes Kellyn!!!



Come celebrate FSST employees' Birthdays this month!

Wednesday, June 12th at Noon

June Birthday Cake

Derrick Bose	4th
Lindsey Morrow	5th
Tess Enstad	6th
Brooke Wagner	7th
Vicki Anderson	13th
Mike Tollefson	16th
Kaitlin Rice	18th
Kristine Van Dam	20th
Wendy Gilbert	23rd
Gina Johanson	23rd
Angeline Eastman	26th
Damian Bearshield	26th



Wish our June Birthday Employees a Happy Birthday and enjoy a slice of birthday cake with them. A birthday cake will be placed in both the Tribal Office and the Tribal Health Clinic Breakrooms at noon. FSST Management would like to wish those of you with birthdays in June a

Happy Birthday!

Paha Sapa Oicimani Summer Black Hills Trip

This trip serves as an opportunity to enrich our youth, as well as to instill values and knowledge relevant to Dakota culture and our way of life

Camping @ FSST land near
Cheyenne Crossing, SD

Contact for more information

June 23 -28

Ages 10-18

Dusty Beaulieu

(605) 864-8887

dustin.beaulieu@FSST.org

Mandatory Orientation Meeting

May 30th | 5:30 - 6:00

June 6th | 5:30 - 6:00

or

Stop in to the
Wicoicaga Otipi
Community Center

by June 7th to

Sign up

Devin Drapeau

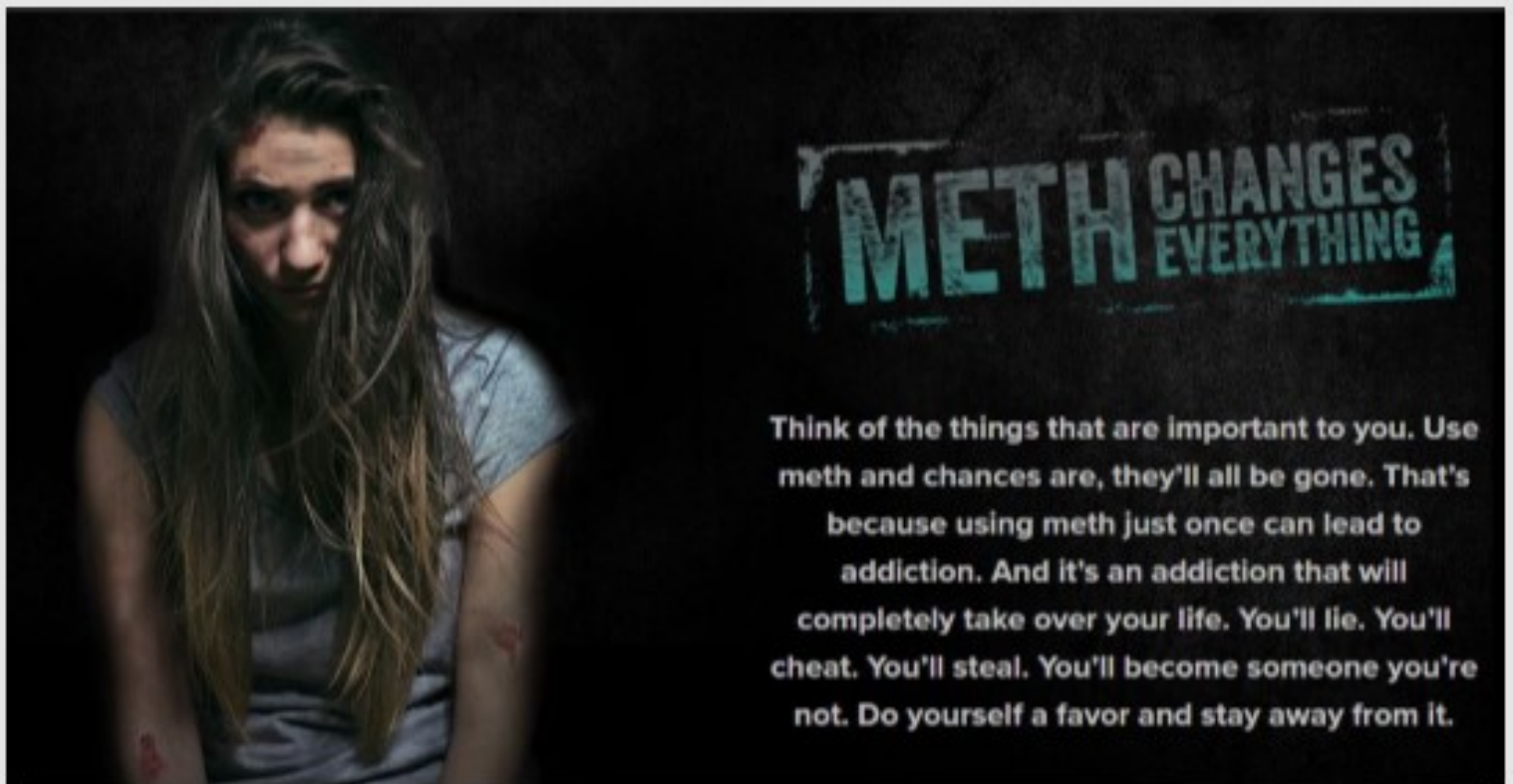
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devin.drapeau@FSST.org

Eric Kills a Hundred

(402) 706-8156

eric.killsahundred@FSST.org



Think of the things that are important to you. Use meth and chances are, they'll all be gone. That's because using meth just once can lead to addiction. And it's an addiction that will completely take over your life. You'll lie. You'll cheat. You'll steal. You'll become someone you're not. Do yourself a favor and stay away from it.

Knowing the signs of meth abuse might help you save someone's life.

Certain behavioral and physical changes are common among meth users. Signs of meth abuse include:

- Hyperactivity
- Drastic weight loss
- Dilated pupils
- Talkativeness
- Increased distractibility
- Tooth decay and loss of teeth
- Aggression
- Irritability
- Agitation
- Grandiose behavior
- Twitchiness
- Loss of interest in normal activities, such as food, water, sex, and sleep
- Getting "sketched out," or becoming agitated, nervous, moody, irritable, paranoid, and/or aggressive.
- Jumpy eyes
- Scratching, itching, or picking at skin
- Financial difficulties
- Not meeting financial obligations
- Absenteeism or tardiness at school or work
- Noticeable changes in behavior
- Cravings
- Social and interpersonal problems
- Impulsive behaviors
- Memory loss
- Bizarre and erratic behavior
- Repetitive behavior patterns that can last for hours, also called "tweaking" or "geeking."
- Sleep deprivation, resulting in hallucinations, delusions, extreme paranoia, or violence

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Wicoicaga Otipi Community Center

BIG SIOLIX IRON5 TOURNEY

in Flandreau, SD

JULY 19-21

ENTRY FEE: \$250

1ST PLACE: 60% ENTRY FEES & JACKETS &
TEAM'S BANNER HUNG IN W.O.C.C. GYM

2ND PLACE: 30% ENTRY FEES & SWEATERS

3RD PLACE: 10% ENTRY FEES & SHIRTS

****PLUS INDIVIDUAL & MVP AWARDS****

5 PLAYERS MAX PER ROSTER

ALL PLAYERS MUST HAVE

SAME COLOR JERSEY

OPEN TOURNAMENT

18+ YEARS OLD

3 POINT CONTEST

(FREE FOR PLAYERS ONLY)

\$100 + SHIRT

WACIPI WEEKEND!!



CONTACT SYLVIA @
(605) 573-4195 TO
REGISTER

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Native American 10 Commandments

1. The earth is our mother, care for her.
2. Honor all your relations.
3. Open your heart and soul to the Great Spirit.
4. All life is sacred; treat all beings with respect.
5. Take from the earth what is needed and nothing more.
6. Do what needs to be done for the good of all.
7. Give constant thanks to the Great Spirit for each new day
8. Speak the truth; but only of the good in others.
9. Follow the rhythms of nature; rise and retire with the sun.
10. Enjoy life's journey, but leave no tracks.



Tribal Office Summer Hours

Monday– Thursday 7:30-4:00

Friday 7:00– 3:30



Holiday's

Flag Day	14 th
Father's Day	19 th
1st Day of Summer	21 ^h
Victory Day	25 th



Free Food for Families in Need



**Are you struggling with providing nutritious foods for your family?
Having to choose between groceries and rent, or other bills each month?**

Feeding South Dakota is bring a mobile food distribution to your area.

Food distributions provide an assortment of food that may include frozen and fresh produce, frozen meats, assorted breads and/or assorted canned and boxed items.

Please bring something to carry your food (cooler, bags, totes, etc.)

Next Food Giveaway Near You:



FLANDREAU

Mondays: April 15, May 20, June 17

**2:00 to 3:00 Parking lot south of
Maynard's Foods, 108 N. Crescent**

Feeding South Dakota is a statewide organization with locations in Pierre, Rapid City, and Sioux Falls. Their mission is to eliminate hunger in South Dakota. For more information or to make a donation to support food giveaways, please visit feedingsouthdakota.org.

June 2019 Menu

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Sausage Gravy Over Biscuits Scrambled Eggs Mixed Fruit	Taco Salad Spanish Rice Brownies	Tator Tot Hotdish Confetti Cottage Cheese Cherry Dump Cake	Salmon Patties Creamed Peas Boiled Potato's Cinnamon Baked Apples	Chili Fried Bread Wojapi
3	4	5	6	7
Goulash Tossed Salad Garlic Biscuits Pears	Chili Dogs Fries Rice Krispy Bars	Pizza Crunchy Veggie Salad Ice Cream Kupp	Fish Sandwich Potato Wedges Sliced Tomato Honey Apple Salad	FATHERS DAY MEAL Pork Chops Stuffing/gravy Brussel Sprout Bake Apple Pie
10	11	12	13	14
Chicken Salad On Croissant Hard Boiled Eggs Wild Berry Tart	Chicken Cordon Blue Rice Pilaf Mixed Veggies Frosted Lemon Jello	BIRTHDAY MEAL Oven Baked Chicken Mashed Potato/gravy Cucumber Salad Peach Pie	Chef Salad Bread Stix Apricots	 CLEANING DAY CENTER CLOSED
17	18	19	20	21
Hamburgers Baked Beans Chips Sherbert Kups	 Native American Day Center Closed	Baked Potato With Toppings Mandarin Salad Cranberry Bar	Spaghetti/meat Sauce Garlic Toast Straight A Salad Rhubarb Dessert	Tomato Bisque Soup Grilled Cheese Veggies w/ dip Pudding
24	25	26	27	28

Grace Moore Senior

Citizens Center 997-2924

*Menu subject