

# Golden Valley Manor News

## Mary Barthel

May 5 - Happy Monday!  
May 6 - Exercises were held in the activity room Tuesday morning with Mary and the residents. In the afternoon we played card poker. Don, Colleen and Fern were the lucky winners. Don made chocolate cake out at his farm and brought it to share with us at coffee time. It was delicious.  
May 7 - The community van took our resident shoppers downtown for their weekly shopping. In the afternoon bingo was held. Our hosts were the ladies from St. Mary's, Mary Ann and Sheryl. Karen was the lucky blackout winner. Sour cream chocolate chip Bundt cake with hot fudge topping and ice cream was served with coffee.  
May 8 - Happy Birthday to Don today, who turned 90 years young! He spent the afternoon at his home in Golva, fine tuning his golf course by mowing and getting ready for family to join him on the weekend for his birthday bash.  
May 9 - Friday is Hair Day. This week's vol-

## Notice to Contractors

**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**  
The North Dakota Department of Transportation (ND-DOT) will receive bids for the construction of the following project(s):  
Job No.: 24606  
Project No(s).: H-9-999(548)  
Length: 0  
Type: SIGNING  
County(s): GOLDEN VALLEY, BARNES, BILLINGS, BURLEIGH, CASS, GRAND FORKS, KIDDER, MORTON, PEMBINA, RICHLAND, STARK, STUTSMAN, TRAILL, & WALSH Cos  
Location: VARIOUS LOCATIONS I-29 & I-94  
Bids will be received via the Bid Express on-line bidding exchange at [www.bidx.com](http://www.bidx.com) until 9:30 a.m., June 13, 2025. Bids will be opened at that time at the NDDOT building on the capitol grounds in Bismarck and the bid results will be distributed and posted online at <https://www.dot.nd.gov/business/bidinfo.htm> approximately 30 minutes after bids are opened.  
The proposal forms, plans, and specifications are available on the NDDOT website at <http://www.dot.nd.gov> and may be inspected at the Construction Services Division, 608 East Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck, North Dakota.  
All bidders not currently prequalified with NDDOT must submit an online Contractor's Prequalification request to the Department at least ten (10) business days prior to the bid opening. The online application can be found on the NDDOT website at <https://www.dot.nd.gov/business/contractors.htm>.  
NDDOT reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, waive technicalities, or to accept such as may be determined in the best interests of the state.  
For disability/language assistance, call 701-328-2978.  
Requested by:  
Ronald J. Henke, P.E.,  
Director  
North Dakota Department of Transportation  
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unteers were Mary and Judy. In the afternoon we celebrated the ladies with a Mother's Day party in the activity room. The ladies were given a chance to tell their story about their life after they filled out a brief interview paper helping to get the discussions underway. Our theme for the party was "M"arvelous & "M"agnificent utilizing M&M décor. Every lady got their picture taken and received a goodie box filled with chocolates and other essentials to help our "moms" out. M&M cookies were served with coffee when the stories were done. We have some fantastic ladies here at the Manor and we hope they feel special and loved for the many sacrifices they have given through the years.  
May 10 - Happy Birthday to Jim today! Turning 91 does not slow this gentleman down. Family scooped up Jim and Marci for the weekend and off they went, heading west to enjoy his birthday with all his loved ones. They also celebrated Mother's Day with family. Reading Hour was held in the afternoon with Bonny filling in for Jo. Pinochle was played at 1:30 p.m. with Magdalene and Florence helping to fill the tables. Don and Marie had a fun family gathering in Golva with a 90th birthday party at the WP Building in the park, given by their children. Tom, Mary Ann, Patsy, Pat, Perry and Peggy, grandchildren and even some great-grandkids were there to help celebrate the big event. An open house was held starting at 2 p.m. and everyone who stopped by was invited to stay and enjoy supper with the family.  
May 11 - Happy Mother's Day! Delores went with family to Glendive to enjoy the Mother's Day buffet at the Yellowstone Inn. Don and Marie enjoyed another celebration at St. Mary's Church in Golva. Their family helped with the ministries at Sunday morning Mass, and they served rolls and coffee following Mass. A BBQ chicken dinner was served at noon at the Manor, which included a baked potato, carrots, green beans, tossed salad, bun and a piece of rhubarb pie. FFA hosted bingo in the evening. Marty and Taya were our hosts. Mae was the lucky blackout winner. Cookies were served with coffee when the games were done.

## SENTINEL BUTTE CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

**SENTINEL BUTTE CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**  
**Unofficial Minutes**  
**Subject to Council Review**  
**May 12, 2025**  
Mayor Jason Lee called the meeting to order May 12, 2025, at 8:04 p.m. Present were Mayor Jason Lee, Auditor Faith Van Horn, Alderpersons Burt Cook and Jennifer Morlock, and guest Gary Howard. Absent was Alderperson Denise Dietz.  
City Council meeting minutes from April 14, 2025, were read and approved as written.  
**Department Reports**  
Lagoon/Landfill/Streets - Street signs need to be replaced. Discussion of roads that need repaired in city limits.  
Grounds - Nothing new to report.  
Water/Sewer - Waiting on new water meters to be replaced.  
Buildings - Water will be turned on at pavilion.  
**Discussion**  
• Burt Cook made motion to spend additional \$50 at GVC garden club sale on flowers for the city hall. Jennifer Morlock seconded. Motion passed.  
• Discussion of election. Burt Cook made motion to pay

\$20/hour to the inspector and judge, and \$25/hour to city auditor for the election on May 16, 2025. Jennifer Morlock seconded. Motion passed.  
• Discussion of canvas board meeting.  
• Discussion of blasting sand. Burt Cook made motion to sell \$10/bag, or \$8/bag if you purchase 10 or more. Jennifer seconded. Motion passed.  
• Discussion of dead trees in city limits.  
**Bills**  
Auditor Wages ..... \$794.21  
MDU ..... \$930.57  
Farmer's Union ..... \$15.75  
City of Beach ..... \$108.50  
Olson Service ..... \$247.00  
RTC Networks ..... \$146.00  
SW Water Authority ... \$782.48  
SW District Health ..... \$25.00  
Mackoff Kellogg ..... \$75.00  
SB Waterworks ..... \$34.67  
Jennifer Morlock motioned to approve payment of bills. Burt Cook seconded. Motion carried.  
Burt Cook motioned to adjourn meeting. Jennifer Morlock seconded. Meeting adjourned at 8:36 pm.  
Respectfully submitted,  
Faith Van Horn, Auditor  
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## NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 10th day of June, 2025, at the polling place of Beach High School, City of Beach, Golden Valley County, an election will be held for the election of one school board member, and which the election polling place will be open at 9 o'clock (9:00) a.m. MDT and will close at 7 o'clock (7:00) p.m. MDT of that day.  
Dated at Beach, North Dakota this 9th day of May, 2025.  
Misty Farnstrom, Business Manager  
Beach Public School District #3  
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# State bound



Zoey Zook



Justus Baker



Lucas Brown

Senior Justus Baker, sophomore Lucas Brown and 8th grader Zoey Zook qualified to compete in the 2025 ND State Track & Field Meet. The meet is set for May 22nd through the 24th at the MDU Resources Community Bowl on the Bismarck State College campus in Bismarck. Coach Mike Zier confirmed that Baker will compete in the 400 and 800 meter runs, Brown in the triple jump and Zook

in the 100 meter dash. A personal record of 52.08 seconds in the 400 meter run qualified Baker for state in that event during the Trinity Booster meet on May 2nd at Dickinson State University (DSU). Zook and Baker qualified for state during the Trinity Last Chance meet held May 13 at (DSU). Zook's qualifying time of 13.04 seconds in the 100 meter dash was also a personal record for her this season.

Baker's qualifying time of 2:02.85 in the 800 meter run was another personal record for him. The South West Region meet held at DSU on May 17th was the last chance for state qualifications. This meet was postponed from the 16th due to the cold, rainy weather. Brown didn't waste this chance as he flew 40' 8" in the triple jump, which earned him 2nd place and a trip to Bismarck.

## A Step Back in Time

### Troy Tescher

#### 100 Years Ago - Sentinel Butte Review May 15, 1925

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the large barn and silo located on the J.A. Paxton farm on the eastern edge of the village along with 10 ton of hay, considerable ground feed and four sets of harness. The farm is occupied by the Charles Kirkpatrick family. Mr. Kirkpatrick carried \$100 insurance on the contents of the barn, with loss estimated in

excess of \$2,000. The barn was destroyed by fire Friday afternoon along with feed, harness and saddle. William Adams lives on the farm as a renter. George Gardner of the Elkhorn Ranch payed us a visit on Wednesday with some information with the badlands trip including a visit of Mr. Torrey of the National Parks Service. According to Mr. Gardner, the

#### 75 Years Ago - Golden Valley News May 18, 1950

Members of the Golden Valley Potato Growers shipped 102 carloads of certified potatoes during 1949 as reported by the USDA. Larry Jandt, a senior in the local high school and FFA member, was the high individual in North Dakota in judging

Duroc hogs. The contest is an annual affair with over 13,000 people from 41 states participating. Larry's score of 504 points topped all individuals, adult and juniors, by a wide margin. J.P. Reeves, long a prominent member of this community,

#### 50 Years Ago - Golden Valley News May 22, 1975

Thirty-nine Beach High School seniors will receive diplomas at commencement exercises on Thursday, May 29 with 15 designated as honor students having a 92 or above for their four years of scholastic endeavor. Dr. Clyde Schwartz, his wife Ruth and their two daughters of Prairie Village, Kansas arrived in Beach this week and are becoming settled in

their new home here, the former Einar Dahl residence. Dr. Schwartz will open a dental practice here with offices in the new business complex presently being completed in downtown Beach. Five young men from this area have been selected by the American Legion to attend ND Boys State in Fargo in June. Those representing our community are: John

#### 25 Years Ago - Golden Valley News May 18, 2000

Over 250 people gathered at Lincoln Elementary to watch the presentation of awards to both students and employees of the school district. Engraved plaques were presented to Viki Van Horn as Lincoln Elementary Classified Employee of the Year; Kathy Pauley as Lincoln

Elementary Teacher of the Year; Jim Muckle as BHS Classified Employee of the Year; and Andrea Holton as BHS Teacher of the Year. Mary Kannenberg, a 40 year employee of Beach School District #3, received a standing ovation as she was the recipient of the Superinten-

dent's Award. Receiving plaques for 20 to 24 years of service: Jean Hardy, Maria Ross, Judy Ridenhower, Kathy Pauley, Florence Ross, Sandra Short and Brant Gaugler. For 25 to 29 years was Yvette Zimdars. For 30 years: Janet Keohane and Don Meyers.

#### Quote of the Week

"If you think you are too small to make a difference, try sleeping with a mosquito." - Dalia Lama