



McPherson County News

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**TEN YEARS AGO
OCTOBER 17, 2013**

Brenda Cochran was pictured with Judge Turnbull with her 10 years of service award. Cochran began working as deputy clerk magistrate and registrar in McPherson, Hooker, Thomas and Logan counties, on August 1, 2003.

Mr. Brost has been hired by McPherson County Schools as a full-time substitute teacher and athletic director.

Senior cross country, volleyball and football team members honored at the 2013 Parent's Night were: Kellie Main, Kayla Klosen, Jayla Trosper, Isaac Ascherl, Sammie Riedel, Kadee Cutler, Alyssia Johnson, Zach Hasenauer, Trevor Hanna, Ross Johnson, Alex Hinkle, Clay Seifer, Jon Sonnenfeld and Jesse Paxton.

Donna Jean Keyser, age 90, of Arnold, died October 9, 2013, at Linden Court in North Platte.

**TWENTY YEARS AGO
OCTOBER 23, 2003**

Shalee Paxton showed her horse, Sissy Wood, to grand champion aged mare, grand champion broodmare, and reserve champion overall mare at the FQHR World Show, September 6 at Fonner Park's Thompson Arena in Grand Island.

An enrollment report was recently received from Elnora Neal, who teaches at School District No. 28 west of Tryon. Children attending were: Clay Seifer, second grade; Katee Daly, fourth grade; Mara Seifer, fifth grade; Kate Seifer, seventh grad and Matt Daly, seventh grade.

Fay Leonard Wilson, 84, of Arnold, passed away October 14, 2003 in Callaway.

The Natural Resources Conservation Service has scheduled a remapping of the McPherson County area starting in October, 2003.

**THIRTY YEARS AGO
OCTOBER 21, 1993**

The Carl Rundback Ranch of Tryon received the aerial photo award in Subdistrict V. Pictured accepting the award was Kenneth Rundback, Carl Rundback, Wayne Rundback, Bill Rundback, Daisy Rundback and Frank Rundback. The award was given during the Upper Loup Natural Resources District awards banquet. Marian McPherrin received the "Outstanding Director" award.

Judy Dailey, County Clerk, was shown with the original Charter of the State Bank of Tryon issued July 1, 1911, by the Chairman and secretary of the State Banking

Board of the State of Nebraska. The charter now hangs in the County Treasurer's office, compliments of Wayne and Eva Connell who restored the frame.

Memorial services were held Monday, October 18, 1993 at Odean Colonial Chapel in North Platte, for Ruth Martha Johnson, 78, resident of North Platte.

**FORTY YEARS AGO
OCTOBER 20, 1983**

McPherson County's 4-H Achievement Night and Chuck Wagon Feed was attended by approximately 235 people Friday evening, October 14 at the Fair Building in Tryon. Arlen Connell was awarded "Outstanding 4-H Member for 1983.

The Senior Citizens group met at the Tryon Lodge on October 18. Wayne and Dorothy Kramer were honored for having birthdays in October with a cake decorated by Eithel Dahlin.

John and Janet Ireland of Peabody, Kansas, are the proud parents of a baby daughter Josie Maurice, born October 13.

**FIFTY YEARS AGO
OCTOBER 18, 1973**

Mr. and Mrs. Don Mowers of North Platte have purchased the David Store from Eva Haddy. The Mowers are commuting back and forth between North Platte right now until they can find housing in Tryon.

Students making the honor roll from McPherson County High School are: Edwin Bullington, Kent Correll, Stanley Munson, Shareen Nicholson, Billie Smith, Karen Lutes, Kelvin Sharp, Bruce Correll, Terry Correll, Rodney Trumbull, Duane Wilke and Nancy Gragg.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Shimmin of Livingston, Montana were the parents of a baby girl, born October 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kemp are the proud parents of a baby boy. Travis Jay was born October 11.

**SIXTY YEARS AGO
OCTOBER 17, 1963**

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Neal returned home last Thursday from attending the 59th Annual Convention of Postmasters of the United States, held in the Hilton Hawaiian Village Hotel in Honolulu, Hawaii October 3-7.

Mrs. Don Bullington of near Whitman had the misfortune of breaking a small bone in her foot when she stepped off the edge of the sidewalk and turned her ankle. She is now wearing a cast on her foot.

Mrs. Ruth O'Mara Parkhurst died Sunday, September 22, 1963 at the

Gordon Hospital.

**SEVENTY YEARS AGO
OCTOBER 22, 1953**

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of North Platte are the proud parents of a son, born Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nicholson and family were Tryon visitors last Friday night. They are the owners of a new Chevrolet.

Maudie Haskell underwent an appendectomy in St. Mary's hospital Tuesday.

**EIGHTY YEARS AGO
OCTOBER 21, 1943**

Several Tryon lads had a real scare one evening last week, when a 12 gauge shotgun they were attempting to operate was discharged in the kitchen on the B.D. Hunn home. Luckily no one was injured and the only damage was to a corner of a table and the window through which the charge passed.

Funeral services will be conducted from the Tryon church Friday afternoon for Allan Kinsman, who passed away in Omaha Tuesday, October 19.

Thursday evening, October 14, in the Methodist parsonage in Sutherland, Miss Marvel Sanders became the bride of DeWayne Magnuson.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Rundback of Ringgold announce the birth of a daughter born October 17. She was named Irene Ann.

**NINETY YEARS AGO
OCTOBER 19, 1933**

Billy Neal has taken over the service station at the Heldenbrand Garage. He has charge of the gasoline, oil, tires and tubes, accessories and tire repair.

Artie French left here early Tuesday morning with a large truck load of sandhill potatoes, bound for east central Kansas. He will haul back a truck load of stock salt.

Beve Neal took Mrs. Neal and her sister, Miss Rose Witt, to North Platte Sunday where they took the train to Chicago to see the World's Fair.

Cal Hill had the misfortune to have a smash up with a truck load of watermelons on the highway east of town late Thursday. The truck hit some soft sand on the road and went into the ditch, turned over and spilled the melons out on the roadside. The melons were damaged, but Cal was uninjured.

**ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO
OCTOBER 25, 1923**

A band was being organized in Tryon and the following notice appeared in the columns of the Graphic. "Notice: All those interested in starting a band in Tryon should be present at the meeting to be held in Tryon on October 30th."

From West Side Items: Ethel Winder and Joe

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Quote: "True motivation comes from within - from the willingness to see a dream fulfilled - from the desire to leave the world better than you found it." - Steve Brunkhorst

Charlie Chaplin died aged 88.

He left us 4 statements:
(1) Nothing is eternal in this world, not even our problems.

(2) I like to walk in the rain, because no one can see my tears.

(3) The most wasted day in life is the day we don't laugh.

(4) The six best doctors in the world...

1. Sunshine,
2. Rest,
3. Exercise,
4. Diet,
5. Self-esteem
6. Friends.

Keep them in all stages of your life and enjoy a healthy life...

If you see the moon you will see the beauty of God.....

If you see the sun you will see the power of God..

If you look in the mirror, you will see God's best creation.

Believe it then.

We are all tourists, God is our travel agent who already made our itineraries, bookings and destinations...

Trust him and enjoy LIFE.

Life is just a journey! Live today!!!!

Judith Basin Co. Sheriff's Office Makes Arrests

Editor's Note: This news release was taken from the Judith Basin County Sheriff's Office Facebook page.

On October 2, 2023 at approximately 4:32 p.m. the Judith Basin County Sheriff's Office deputies were dispatched to help locate a 35-year-old male at his residence near Hobson, Montana. Upon arrival, deputies found the resident deceased inside his home. At the family's request, the Judith Basin County Sheriff's Office will not be releasing the victim's name at this time.

Tyson Kolar (40) and Megan Fiechtner (33) were taken into custody at the scene. Kolar is charged with deliberate homicide. Fiechtner is charged with deliberate homicide by accountability and obstructing a peace officer. Both parties are being held at the Fergus County Detention Center on Judith Basin County charges.

The Sheriff's Office is

J.R. Trumbull

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When will your bell toll?
When will it be your time?
The seasons of life
Have no reason or rhyme.

It's not really your choice
Be it easy or slow
Your time is appointed
For only God to know.

Some take their own life
Or that's what they think.
God could stay their hand
In the space of a blink.

We are allowed free will
Based in His constraints.
Sometimes what we think is-
Is something it ain't.

Live each day for the Lord
Through joys and trials on the way
And remember one thing-
He has the final say!

I'm not joking or preaching
When I say "Turn to Him".
Because following Jesus
Isn't a fanciful whim.

I want you all with me
When we reach the other side....

*J.R. Trumbull
19 March 2009*

Senior Lunch At Prairie Hills Cafe, Tryon

*Serving Begins
@ 11:30 a.m.*

Thursday, October 19:
Chicken and noodles,
mashed potatoes, corn,

dinner roll, mandarin oranges

Friday, October 20:
Chili soup, ham sandwich, lettuce salad, peaches, crackers

Monday, October 23 -
Pork chops, baked potato, carrots, stuffing, pineapple

Tuesday, October 24 -
Fish planks, coleslaw, hashbrowns, orange slices

Wednesday, October 25 -
Chili burger, French fries, pears

Thursday, October 26 -
Beef enchiladas, lettuce salad, refried beans, tortilla chips, fruit cocktail

Friday, October 27 -
Chicken fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn.

We Appreciate Your Local News!



Blood Mobile

Tryon Bloodmobile

Friday, November 10, 2023

**McPherson Co. Fairbuilding - Tryon
8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**

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