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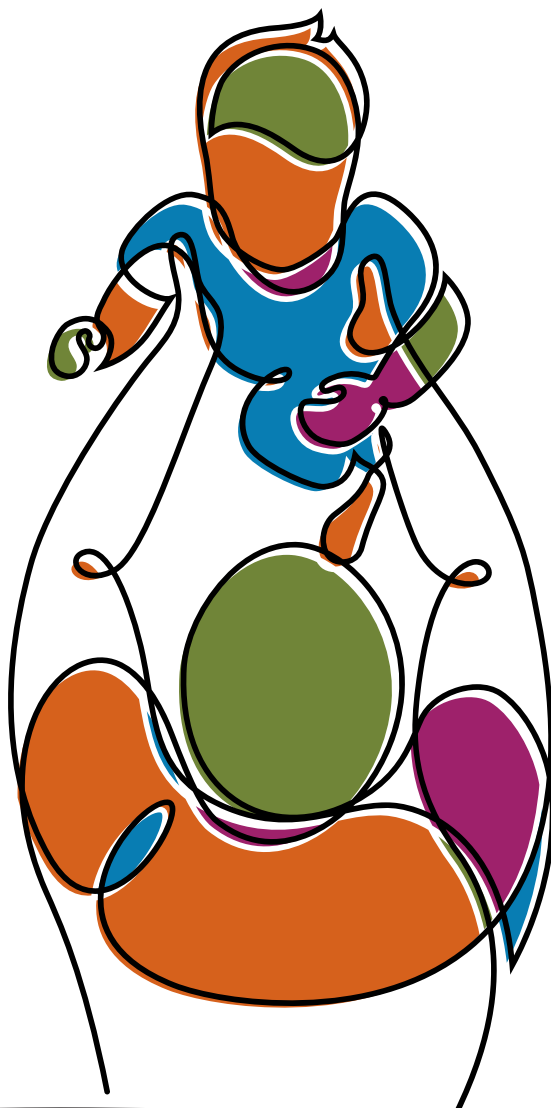
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A Prairie Christmas tickets on sale

Tickets are on sale for "A Prairie Christmas," which brings Jeff Gould to Brandon on Saturday, Dec. 16 to share his heartwarming and hilarious stories. Social hour begins at 6:30 p.m. and the show begins at 7:30 p.m. at the Brandon Holiday Inn.

Tickets, which are \$40 per person or \$350 for a table of eight, may be purchased online at brandonvalleychamber.com or at the BV Chamber office.

To learn more, call the BVACC at (605) 582-7400.

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Brandon Area Briefs

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BAFP executive director Linda Weber asks groups that conduct food drives to contact the Pantry prior to dropping off donations.

Used eye glasses and hearing aids for the Brandon Lions Club may also be dropped off at the BAFP.

MCAP to stage December show

The Mighty Corson Art Players will present Pat Cook's "Those Crazy Ladies in the House on the Corner" at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 15 and 16 and 2:30 p.m. Dec. 16 and 17 at the Corson Playhouse.

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The play is the story of three geriatric sisters who are patients and all they want to do is sit at home and talk to one another – all at the same time. The hard part is convincing the sisters they need a roomer. Doc Lomax has a new nurse – with a secret – that needs a place to live.

In no time, however, Nurse Jean has them planning parties, pulling Halloween pranks and wearing jogging suits while they race each other to the corner. But when the nephew shows up with a plan to sell the family house, complication arises, especially with Christmas just around the corner.

This heartwarming piece is loaded with wisecracks

and one-liners that is sure to keep the laughter flowing.

For tickets, visit mightycorson.com.

Brandon Senior Citizens

The Brandon Senior Citizens meet at 12:30 p.m. every Thursday at the VFW for Bingo, cards socializing and coffee. All seniors are welcome.

Al-Anon meetings in Brandon

Al-Anon meets from 7:30-8:30 p.m. every Tuesday at Brandon Lutheran Church, 600 E. Holly Blvd.

Ed Polzine Wild Game Feed seeks donations

The Ed Polzine Wild Game Feed committee is seeking donations for its annual event on Saturday, Feb. 10, 2024.

The committee welcomes donations of wild game and items for silent and live auctions and raffle prizes.

To learn more, contact Stan Schoeneman at (605) 366-7842, Harry Buck at (605) 366-0221 or Jill Meier at (605) 321-8423.

AWANA Club meets Wednesdays

AWANA meets each Wednesday at 6 p.m. at Brandon Valley Baptist Church, 400 N. Splitrock Blvd. AWANA is a weekly, non-denominational Christian club for children from 3-years-old through eighth grade. It is free to join and scholarships are available to cover the cost of books and uniforms. A free meal is served at 6 p.m., followed by AWANA at 6:30 p.m.

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Thank you, Belinda in Friendly Minnesota

Dear Belinda,

The dealership would love to have you back for all your service work. They can assure that you can get all the services that you need to take care of your car, however, so can almost any independent repair facility out there. You could choose to have your non-warranty work performed anywhere if the parts used meet or exceed factory specifications.

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Thank you, John in Owensboro, KY.

Dear John,

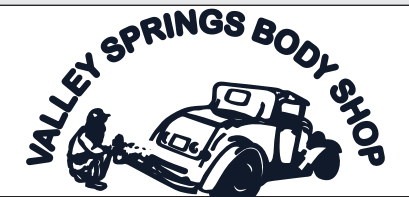
I know what you mean. I too own a car that I've had to pay for repairs on myself many times over and I felt the parts should have been designed better. For a recall to be issued complaints must be filed with the government safety office and then they are investigated to determine if they are safety related which could cause consumer harm. Recalls are not usually issued if there is no safety concern. A manufacturer does not have to repair a vehicle out of its warranty period unless a repair is deemed to be a safety hazard and a recall has been started. On occasion, some manufacturers have extended warranty coverage as a good faith measure to retain customers.

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A special young man has captured the hearts of the community. Jill Meier brings you reflections from Spencer Thorsland's three-year cancer journey.

The Brandon City Council was in session Monday evening, and we've got the latest news from City Hall.

Isabella Savage tells us how employers are helping Brandon Valley High School students with disabilities have a role in today's work world.

It's that time of the year to highlight Brandon Valley's winter season sports programs. In our 10-page preview, you'll find reports on boys' and girls' basketball, wrestling, bowling and powerlifting.

The Lynx wrestling teams' first competitions of the season are now in the books, and we've got the results for both the girls and boys weekend events. Plus, Tom A. Savage brings you the story of two brothers attending rival schools and competing in different athletic programs.

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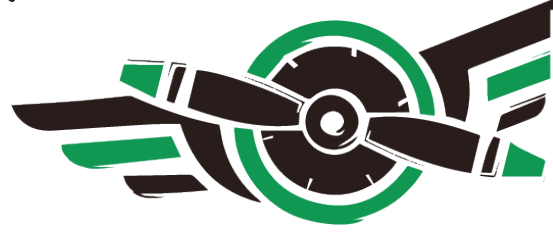
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- Across
1. It may be an even one

5. Terminate

9. Is obligated

14. Lecture room

15. Terminated

16. Daisy Mae's catch

17. A couple of greats

20. Welcome sound for Little Bo Peep

21. Mix in

22. MBA's goal, perhaps

23. A few greats

29. Rational self

30. Fortitude

31. Alexander Hamilton locale

32. Wild West bunch

34. Avoids a burn

36. Newborn's acquisition

40. Junkets

41. ____ mode

42. Backwoods

43. Fabled loser

44. Smooth-talking

45. Standoffish

46. Sanders, notably

48. Poultry pen

50. CAT scan alternative

51. Three greats

56. Female cells

57. "To Kill a Mockingbird" author

58. Decay-fighting org.

59. A couple of greats

66. Glove flub

67. Math class

68. Be positive about

69. Some pens

70. Word with fire or white

71. What's needed for walking the dog

- Down
1. Adventure novel of 1887

2. Protective coating

3. Big tip?

4. Lowly cadet

5. Lift for the Montgolfiers

6. Actress Gardner

7. Tennis replay

8. Musical chord

9. Deal with

10. Exerciser's targets

11. Collation

12. Home of a brave, once

13. Sandwich indulgences

18. Sponges

19. "Waiting for Lefty" playwright

23. Oceanographer's measurement

24. Town square of old

25. Recruit's denial

26. Word with organ or sign

27. Title type

28. Invalidate

33. Jot

35. Man of means

37. Incense result

38. Native New Zealander

39. Fairylike

42. Rafting thrill

44. Forms an attachment?

47. Flirts

49. Food that comes in slices

51. Swellings

52. Three-time Wimbledon winner

53. Bay of Naples attraction

54. Ornithologist's finds

55. Gauche

60. Fishy delicacy

61. Plan for later yrs.

62. Friction reducer

63. Beatle lover, really

64. Canine classification

65. Neil Simon's chapter

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Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. Digits cannot repeat within the same row, column or box. **Solution on page 2**

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