

REFLECTIONS FROM OUR FILES

October 24, 1974

50 Years Ago

Parade, Game, Dance Cap Homecoming Fete

Homecoming Week activities reach their climax today and Friday with a big bonfire, parade, with a big bonfire, parade, football game and dance on tap.

Seniors Vince Crow and Jamie Berger were selected by Platte Valley high school students earlier in the week to reign over the festivities. Their court includes Vanida Savage and Ricky Hughes, freshmen; Pam Mings and Walter Freshman, sophomores; and Lisa Freshman and Charley Davis, juniors.

PVHS, and a bonfire planned on the football field at 8 p.m. tonight.

The Homecoming Parade starts at 11 a.m. Friday with the route running from the north side of Cal-Gas, north through the downtown area to the Trail Inn, where it turns left and travels one block west on Rochester St. The parade will then turn south at 2nd St., and continues south back to Bridge St. It will travel west on Bridge to the northeast corner of Zeiger park, where the floats will be parked.

V.C. Davis has donated \$50 for parade prize money to be distributed as follows: \$20, first place float; \$15, second place float; \$10, third place float; and \$5 fourth place float.

There will also be a pep assembly downtown in front of Donelan's Pharmacy.

The game kickoff is scheduled for 2:30 p.m. with the No. 1 Panthers aiming to make it a perfect season with a win over conference for Pine Bluffs. Twenty-six Saratoga businesses will close from 2 to 4:30 p.m. to boost game attendance.

October 23, 1924

100 Years Ago

Must Have Special Permit To Hunt Bear On Forests

Recent Cases of Infractation of Law Being Investigated and Guilty Parties Will Answer.

The forest office at Laramie has recently issued a bulletin reading as follows: Within the last several days it has come to the attention of the forest office at Laramie that there is some misunderstanding with reference to the hunting of bear on the national forests. Last year a case came up on the Medicine Bow forest wherein a man was fined \$100 for killing a bear without permit and at that time considerable publicity was given to the matter. Section 79 of the Wyoming game laws provides that to hunt bear on the national forests, a permit in addition to the regular game license is necessary. This permit

is good for one year, costs \$5.00 and is secured by making a written application to the State Game and Fish Commissioner at Cheyenne, Wyoming, and submitting it through the forest supervisor's office of whatever national forest it is proposed to hunt bear upon.

Attention is particularly directed to the fact that it is illegal to trap bear in any way, since section 2 of the state game law defines bear as a game animal and it is illegal to trap game animals. Therefore, bear may be hunted only in the same manner as, for instance, deer. Anyone found hunting bear without this permit will be arrested forthwith and several cases where bear were killed recently on the national forests are now under investigation.

PUBLIC NOTICES

Request for Bids Town of Saratoga Equipment for Sale

Pursuant to Wyoming Code; notice is hereby given that the Town of Saratoga will be accepting bids for certain properties described below.

Purpose: The Town of Saratoga is requesting sealed bids for properties described below, primarily vehicles. Bids will be received until November 15, 2024 at 2 p.m.; at which time bids will be opened. The highest responsive bidder will be identified and notified. Winning bidders have 14 days to pay and pickup the property after being notified. If winning bidder fails to comply, the property will be offered to the next highest bidder. Vehicles can be seen in front of the Water Department at 305 S. River St. All vehicles are being sold **AS IS**. **Bidding instructions:** Bids shall be in a sealed non-transparent envelope with the item Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) written on the front of the envelope. VIN number can be seen below or in person at the physical address listed above. Bids must be mailed or delivered in person. Mailed bids must arrive prior to the bid opening date identified in the notice.

Make	Year	Model	VIN
GMC	2003	3/4 Ton 4WD	1GTHK29U33Z181917
Chevrolet	1990	1/2 Ton 4WD	2GCEK14KOL1259081
Dodge	2006	Dakota 4WD	1D7HW28KX6S689969
Chevrolet	1996	Tahoe	1GNEK13R2TJ339834
Chevrolet	1991	1/2 Ton 4WD	2GCEK19K7M1127784
Chevrolet	1995	S10	1GCCS1443S8243560
Chevrolet	1997	1/2 Ton 4WD	1GCGK29J3VE111751
Chevrolet	2001	3/4 Ton 4WD	1GCHK24U21Z265490
Chevrolet	1998	Pick Up	1GCDK14K0JZ313530
Chevrolet	2012	1/2 Ton Pick Up	1GCPKSE73CF192302
Chevrolet	2009	1/2 Ton Pick Up	3GCEK23319G111408
Chevrolet	2008	1/2 Ton Pick Up	2GCEK13CX81153450
Poulan Pro Mower		PDGT26H54A	
Brush Hog			

Bids must be delivered in person to:
Town Hall
110 E. Spring Ave.
Saratoga, WY 82331

Bids must be mailed to:
Town Hall
Public Works Department
P.O. Box 486
Saratoga, WY 82331

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Difference of opinion?
Write a Letter to the Editor

Saratoga Sun
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EVERYONE IS ENTITLED TO MY OPINION

Letters to the Editor may be edited for clarity or length.
Letters to the Editor must not contain any slanderous or libelous statements.
Anonymous letters will *not* be published.

Saratoga Police Report

Report from October 21, 2024 to October 27, 2024

CAD Calls
Animal Complaints (8); As-

sist Other Agencies (1); Business Checks (32); Citizen Assists (13); Code Enforcement (3); Crash (1); Found Property (1); Fraud (1); Larceny (4); Noise Complaints (1); Prop-

erty Checks (2); Suspicious (5); Traffic Complaints (2); Vandalism (1); Welfare Check (1).
3 Traffic Stops
7 Citations Issued
4 Warnings Issued

Carbon County Sheriff's Office Arrest Record

October 19, 2024 to October 24, 2024

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| <p>October 19</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stephanie Bergwerff of Rawlins, Wyoming was arrested for felony aggravated assault and battery with threatening with a drawn weapon. Chance Smith of Rawlins, Wyoming was arrested for breach of peace due to public intoxication. <p>October 20</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Daniel Craig of Hanna, Wyoming was arrested for breach of the peace/disturbing the peace and unlawful contact using rude, insulting, and angry language without injury. Sean Payne of San Jose, California was arrested for felony kidnapping without parental consent of a child under the age of 14, fleeing or attempting to elude police, interfering with a peace officer, reckless endangerment, vehicle exceeding 20 MPH in a school zone, reckless driving and interference with a peace officer. <p>October 21</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Andrew Maes of Rawlins, Wyoming was arrested for DUI due to alcohol - 1st offense within 10 years, speed exceeding 75 MPH on the interstate, and driving a vehicle within a single lane. | <p>October 22</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dakota Gallant of Rawlins, Wyoming was arrested for expired/improper registration, DUI due to alcohol - 3rd offense within 10 years, and driving while license canceled/suspended/revoked. Hailey Keller of Rawlins, Wyoming was arrested as a sentenced inmate. <p>October 23</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vincent Apodaca of Rawlins, Wyoming was arrested on a warrant. Adrienne Flores of Rawlins, Wyoming was arrested on a warrant and for use of/or under the influence of drugs. Ricardo Muniz of Greeley, Colorado was arrested for a felony probation/bond revocation. Malia Qualley of Rawlins, Wyoming was arrested for possession of drugs in plant form and in liquid form - 3 oz or less and .3 grams or less. <p>October 24</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Macrina Ruiz Bernardina of Seaside, California was arrested on felony possession of drugs. Nicholas Martinez of Longmont, Colorado was arrested for signal required for turning movements and DUI due to alcohol - 2nd offense within 10 years. |
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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE WYOMING CONSTITUTION TO BE VOTED ON AT THE GENERAL ELECTION NOV. 5, 2024

Underlined words would be added to existing law. Words stricken through will be removed.

A JOINT RESOLUTION to amend the Wyoming Constitution by providing for the assessment of residential real property as a separate property class for the purpose of taxation.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING, two-thirds of all the members of the two houses, voting separately, concurring therein:

Section 1. The following proposal to amend Wyoming Constitution, Article 15, Section 11 is proposed for submission to the electors of the State of Wyoming at the next general election for approval or rejection to become valid as a part of the Constitution if ratified by a majority of the electors at the election:

Article 15, Section 11. Uniformity of assessment required.

(a) All property, except as in this constitution otherwise provided, shall be uniformly valued at its full value as defined by the legislature, in ~~three (3)~~ four (4) classes as follows:

- (i) Gross production of minerals and mine products in lieu of taxes on the land where produced;
- (ii) Property used for industrial purposes as defined by the legislature; ~~and~~
- (iii) Residential real property; and
- (iv) All other property, real and personal.

(b) The legislature shall prescribe the percentage of value which shall be assessed within each designated class.

All taxable property shall be valued at its full value as defined by the legislature except agricultural and grazing lands which shall be valued according to the capability of the land to produce agricultural products under normal conditions. The percentage of value prescribed for industrial property shall not be more than forty percent (40%) higher nor more than four (4) percentage points more than the percentage prescribed for residential real property or more than forty percent (40%) higher nor more than four (4) percentage points more than the percentage prescribed for all other property other than minerals.

(c) Except as provided in this subsection the legislature shall not create new classes or subclasses or authorize any property to be assessed at a rate other than the rates set for authorized classes. The legislature may create a subclass of residential real property for owner occupied primary residences.

(d) All taxation shall be equal and uniform within each class and subclass of property. The legislature shall prescribe such regulations as shall secure a just valuation for taxation of all property, real and personal.

Section 2. That the Secretary of State shall endorse the following statement on the proposed amendment:

The adoption of this amendment would separate residential real property into its own class of property for purposes of property tax assessments. The amendment would authorize the legislature to create a subclass of owner occupied primary residences.