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IT'S ROUNDUP WEEKEND — The annual Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup will take place this Friday morning at the Buffalo Corrals in Custer State Park. There are two viewing areas from which spectators can view the roundup, both located near the corrals on Wildlife Loop Road. The weekend also includes the annual arts festival and the Crazy Horse Memorial Fall Volksmarch. [Submitted Photo]



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SEARCHING FOR THAT SPECIAL PLACE TO BUILD? This 5 acre parcel offers that! Nice mix of pine and cedar trees, nice buildable areas, privacy to enjoy the starry nights -- with minimal light pollution, easy access & electric close to lot. For the adventurer there is plenty of wildlife to view and perfect country for exploring with a short distance to the National Forest Service. Newcastle Wy. is approx. 15 miles for your basic needs. Approx. only 3 hours from the Big Horn Mountains. Covenants are very agreeable. Call or Text Anne @ 605-673-1177 for more information. MLS#81811 \$71,250.00



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The Board of Directors of the Custer County Historical Society and the Director of the 1881 Courthouse Museum would like to thank everyone who helped make the 2024 Museum season a success. We especially thank the dedicated staff and volunteers without whose help the day-to-day operations, welcoming of visitors, bookstore operations, exhibit management, and collection sorting, cataloging and filing just would not happen. We also thank our generous donors and the support of the local community. Everyone involved has helped ensure the Museum remains the cultural and historical heart of Custer. To that end, everyone involved with running and maintaining the Museum this summer is invited to an end-of-season party in the Museum Courtroom on Monday, September 30th from 2:00-4:00 pm.

Our faithful staff and volunteers include:

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October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month
Every 8 seconds a woman is beaten by someone who says he loves her.
Every 2 hours a woman is killed by someone who says he loves her.

To bring awareness to domestic violence, during Domestic Violence Awareness Month, WEAVE will host a

"Meet & Eat"

Tuesday, Oct. 8 • 5 pm • Custer Community Church
547 Harney St, Custer

Join us Thursday, October 3rd at 5:15 p.m. for a
Walk Against Violence • Candlelight Vigil
for W.E.A.V.E.
(Women Escaping A Violent Environment)

Please come and light a candle to show support for survivors and loved ones who are victims and the women who die every day of domestic violence.

 Kathy endured Domestic Violence over 25 years and died in April, 1983.

 Catherine Tornquist was killed by her son in October, 2011.

 Julie Doncheske murdered by her ex-boyfriend July 2006. She was 39 years old.

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YARD SALE: 25125 Harbach Lane, Custer. Saturday, Sept. 28. 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. No early sales. 236 39p

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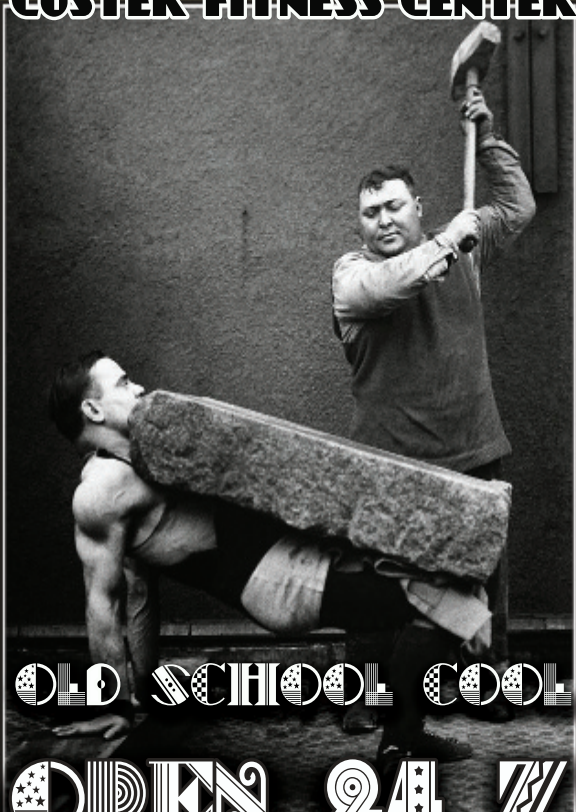
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Tag the Park in your Round-Up Adventure on
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Each post using this hashtag will be entered into
a raffle for a unique Custer State Park Prize. The
drawing will happen on Friday, Oct 4th and we will
reach out through social media messaging.



For More Park
Information

Welcome to the 31st Annual Arts Festival hosted
by Custer State Park and Custer State Park Resorts.
Please enjoy all the vendors, listen to the music
under the Big Top Tent or stop by the Education
Tent to discover more about South Dakota.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
CALL

605.394.2693
or visit
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PARK ENTRANCE LICENSE REQUIRED
Except on Roundup Day Sept 27th

ARTS FESTIVAL HOURS

Thursday, Sept 26 - 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Friday, Sept 27 - 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, Sept 28 - 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.



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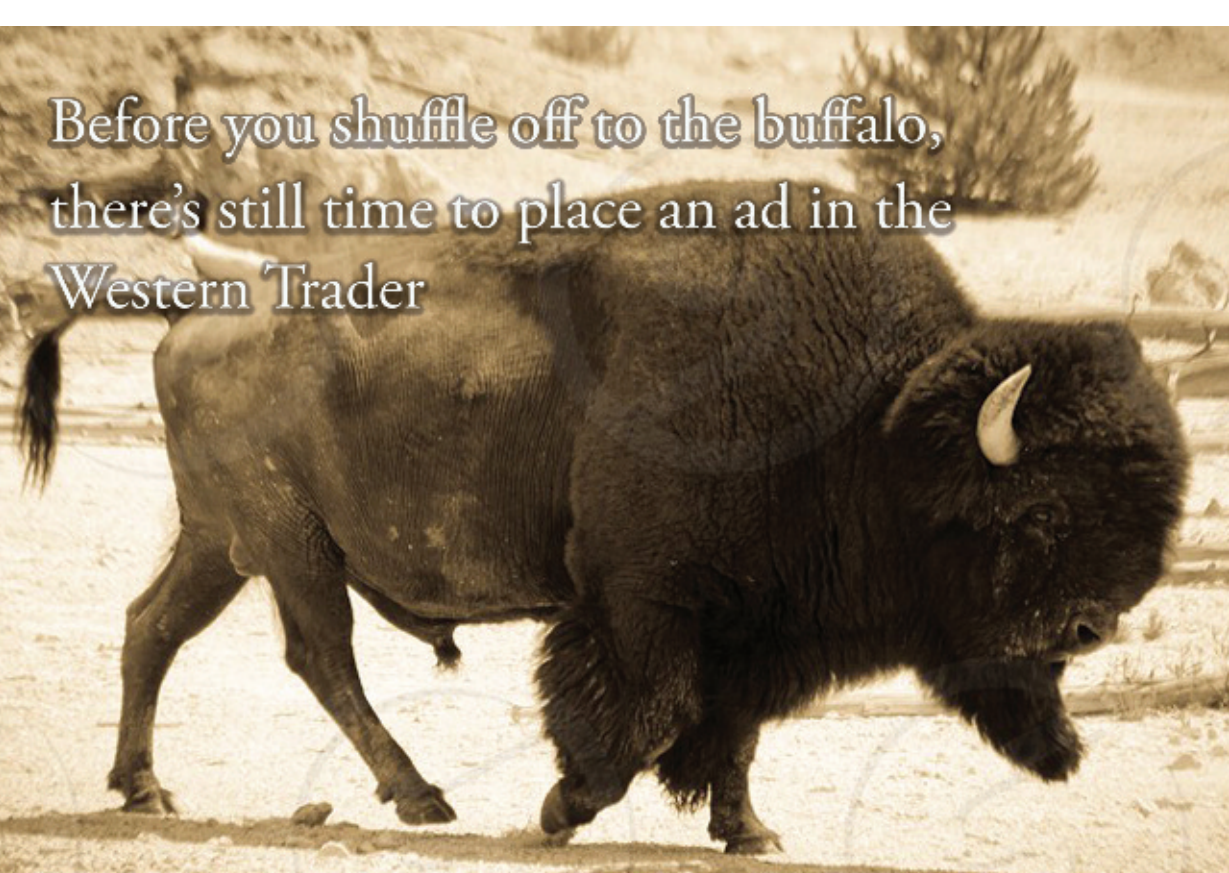
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- An average of 24 people per minute are victims of rape, physical violence or stalking by an intimate partner in the US.
- More than 12 million women and men are abused every year in the US.
- Women ages 18 to 24 and 25 to 34 experience the highest rates of intimate partner violence.
- Always Remember, Violence is a Choice
- You can Not Change Anyone but yourself and your Circumstances.
- No One Deserves to be Abused
- HELP Stop the Cycle of Violence

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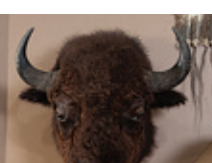
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LIVE MUSIC - LOCAL EVENTS

Wednesday 9-25

Men's Breakfast Bible Study
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
7:30 AM

Custer County Commission
1881 Courthouse Museum
Custer, SD
8 AM

Seniors Functional Fitness
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
9 AM

Badger Clark Home Tour,
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
9-10 AM

Women's Study
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
10 AM

Seniors Bridge Card Games
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
10 AM - 3 PM

Buffalo Corral Tours
Buffalo Corrals
Wildlife Loop Road,
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
11 AM and 1 PM

Garden Club Meeting
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
1 PM

Kidzlife
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
3:15-5:15 PM

The Landing - Youth CR
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
4:30 PM

Youth Group
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
5-8 PM

Life With Christ Adult Study
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
6 PM

Crossroads Church Xtreme Youth Group
Edward Jones (27 N 6th)
Custer, SD
6:30 PM

Open Jam Night *LIVE*
Heartland RV Park
Hermosa, SD
6:30 PM

Trivia Night
Custer Beacon
Custer, SD
6:30 PM

Elk Bugling Program
Wind Cave National Park
Visitor Center
Custer County, SD
7 PM

Pringle AA Group
Pringle Community Center
Pringle, SD
7 PM

Women's Bible Study Fellowship
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
8:30 AM

Seniors Stretch and Flex
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
9 AM

Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival Begins
Across from Peter Norbeck Education Center
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
10 AM to 6 PM

Stringbean & Svenson Family *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
10-11:30 AM

Seniors Mahjong
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
10 AM - 12 PM

Buffalo Roundup Info Booths at North & South Parking Spots
Buffalo Corrals
Wildlife Loop Road,
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
10 AM to 5 PM

Jalan Crossland *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
Noon to 1:30 PM

Seniors Hand & Foot Card Games
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
1 PM



ARTS FESTIVAL ENTERTAINMENT — Allen and Jill Kirkham are among the artists who will perform this weekend at the Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival. There will be musicians performing under the big top tent all weekend. The Kirkhams will take to the stage Friday afternoon from 4-5 p.m. [Submitted Photo]

Two Tracks *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
2-3:30 PM

The Wilt Brothers *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
4-5:30 PM

Friends of Bill W. AA Meeting
Bethesda Lutheran Church
Hot Springs, SD
6 PM

Life Struggles Suicide Prevention Group
Custer VFW
Custer, SD
6 PM

Custer AA Group
Custer Alano Club
Custer, SD
7 PM

Civil Air Patrol
Custer County Airport
Custer, SD
7 PM

Ryan Little Eagle *LIVE*
Custer Beacon
Custer, SD
7-9 PM

Friday 9-27

Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Pancake Breakfast
Custer State Park Bison Center
Wildlife Loop Road
Custer, SD
6:15-9 AM

Seniors Coffee Club
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
9-11 AM

Community Food Pantry
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
9-11 AM

Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup
Custer State Park Buffalo Corrals
Wildlife Loop Road
Custer, SD
9:30 AM

Story Time
Hill City Public Library Kids' Annex
Hill City, SD
9:30 AM

Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival Continues
Across from Peter Norbeck Education Center
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
10 AM to 7 PM

Story Time
Custer County Library
Custer, SD
10 AM

Badger Sett Band *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
10:30-11:30 AM

The Lonely Rangers *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
Noon-1:30 PM

Wild Horses *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
2-3:30 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Presentation A
The Journey Museum
Rapid City, SD
3:30-5 PM
Reservations required

The Kirkhams *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
4-5 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Reception
The Journey Museum
Rapid City, SD
5:30-6:30 PM
Reservations required

Greg Hanson & The Backroads *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
5:30-7 PM

Hill City Antiques, Railroad & Collectibles Show Evening Social
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
6-8 PM

Brent Morris *LIVE*
Chute Rooster
Hill City, SD
6 PM

Friday Nighters *LIVE*
Heartland RV Park
Hermosa, SD
6:30 PM

Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Hot Air Balloons Night Glow
Across From Peter Norbeck Outdoor Education Center,
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
7 PM

Alex Massa Quartet *LIVE*
Custer Beacon
Custer, SD
7-10 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Presentation B
The Journey Museum
Rapid City, SD
7-9:30 PM
Reservations required

Saturday 9-28

Oktoberfest Express
1880 Train
Hill City, SD

Benefit Breakfast
Buffalo Gap Community Center
Buffalo Gap, SD
7-10 AM

Pancake Feed
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
8-10 AM

Custer Farmer's Market
Way Park
Custer, SD
8 AM to 12:30 PM

Farmers Market
Centennial Park
Hot Springs, SD
9 AM

Free Yoga Class
Centennial Park
Hot Springs, SD
9 AM

Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival Continues
Across from Peter Norbeck Education Center
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
9 AM to 4 PM

Ted Emmons *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
9-10 AM

Fall Festival
Addie Camp General Store
Hill City, SD
9 AM - 4 PM

Hill City Antiques, Railroad & Collectibles Show and Sale
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
9 AM - 4 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Lighting Workshop by Doug Lee
Hill City High School Commons
Hill City, SD
9 AM - 12 PM
Free

Farewell Party for Warrior's Work & Ben West Gallery: Closing after 28 years
Warrior's Work & Ben West Gallery
Hill City, SD
10 AM - 5 PM

Friends of Bill W. AA Meeting
Bethesda Lutheran Church
Hot Springs, SD
10 AM

Custer AA Group
Custer Alano Club
Custer, SD
10 AM

Catholics Returning Home
St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
Custer, SD
10-11:30 AM

Kerry Grombacher *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
10:15-11:30 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Session C Family Friendly Program
Hill City High School Theater
Hill City, SD
11 AM - 12 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Equipment Swap Meet
Hill City High School Commons
Hill City, SD
12 PM

Ramblin' Rangers *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
Noon-1:30 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Session D South Dakota Films
Hill City High School Theater
Hill City, SD
1-2:45 PM

Quinlan Valdez *LIVE*
Under the Big Top Tent,
Custer State Park Buffalo Roundup Arts Festival
Custer State Park
Custer, SD
2-3:30 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Session E
Hill City High School Theater
Hill City, SD
3-5 PM

Chess Club
Pringle Community Center
Pringle, SD
5-7 PM

Greg Johnson *LIVE*
Heartland RV Park
Hermosa, SD
6:30 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Session F
Hill City High School Theater
Hill City, SD
5:15-6:50 PM

Jalan Crossland *LIVE*
Custer Beacon
Custer, SD
8-10 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Session G
Hill City High School Theater
Hill City, SD
7-9:15 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: After Party
Lemongrass Bar & Kitchen
Hill City, SD
9:30-11 PM

Sunday 9-29

Crazy Horse Memorial Fall Volksmarch
Crazy Horse Memorial
Custer, SD
Registration 7 AM to 1 PM
Hike 8 AM to 1 PM

Hill City Antiques, Railroad & Collectibles Show and Sale
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
10 AM - 3 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Session H Family Friendly Program
Hill City High School Theater
Hill City, SD
11 AM - 12 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Presentation by Actor Sam Shoulder
Hill City High School Theater
Hill City, SD
1-1:30 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Session J Native American Films
Hill City High School Theater
Hill City, SD
1:30-3:30 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Session K
Hill City High School Theater
Hill City, SD
3:45-5:45 PM

KISS AA Meeting
Keystone Community Center
Keystone, SD
6 PM

Black Hills Film Festival: Film Session L
Hill City High School Theater
Hill City, SD
7-9:15 PM

Monday 9-30

Seniors Functional Fitness
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
9 AM

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Community Food Pantry
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
9-11 AM

Custer Rotary Club
Custer Senior Center
Custer, SD
Noon

Book Club: Discussing Favorite Summer Reads
Hill City Public Library Kid's Annex
Hill City, SD
5 PM

Fall Life INC Life Skill Class: Canning
Community Lutheran Church
Hill City, SD
Dinner 5:30 PM
Class 6:15 PM
Childcare Provided by Life INC Kids Ministry

Fall Life INC Prayer Life Class: Reflecting on the Day with God
Community Lutheran Church
Hill City, SD
Dinner 5:30 PM
Class 6:15 PM
Childcare Provided by Life INC Kids Ministry

Brent Morris *LIVE*
Mount Rushmore Brewing Co.
Custer, SD
6 PM

Young Life Bible Study
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
6 PM

Chick Chat and Crafts
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
6:30 PM

AA Meeting
Lighthouse Assembly of God
Hill City, SD
7 PM

Tuesday 10-1

Seniors Beginning Line Dancing
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
9 AM

Seniors Hand & Foot Card Games
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
1-3 PM

Seniors Knitting & Crocheting Group
Hill City Center
Hill City, SD
1-3 PM

Custer Piecemakers Quilt Guild
Custer Lutheran Fellowship
Custer, SD
1:30 PM

Custer County Republicans
Custer County Courthouse Annex Pine Room
Custer, SD
5:30 PM

Celebrate Recovery
The Little White Church
Hill City, SD
5:45 PM

Hermosa Town Board
Hermosa Town Hall
Hermosa, SD
6 PM



FILM FESTIVAL WEEKEND — The 15th annual Black Hills Film Festival is set for this weekend, with a variety of films and other activities to take place over the course of the weekend. Movies and events will take place both in Rapid City and in Hill City. See the schedule on this page for the full list of showings and events. [Submitted Photo]

Pet of the Week



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