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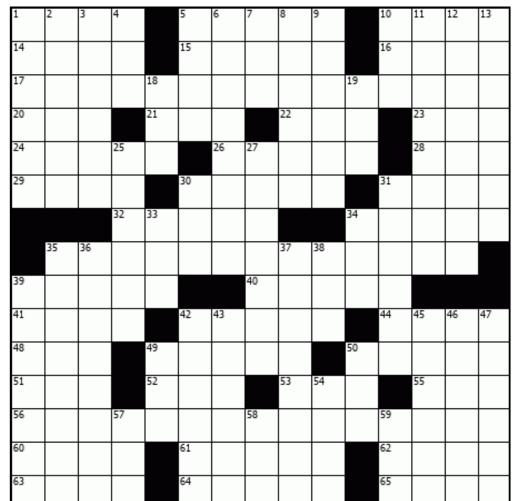


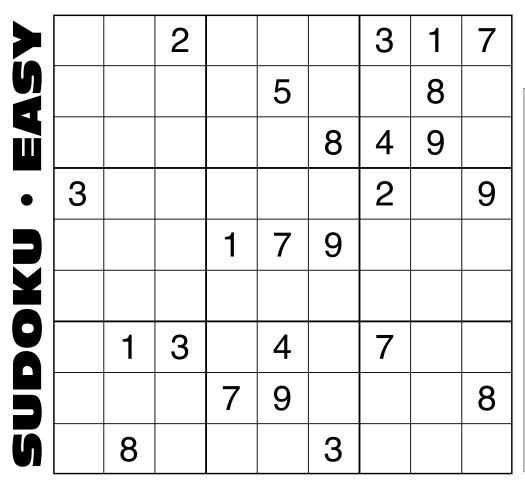
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Robert in Sheldon Iowa

#### Dear Robert,

Your car is smoking... There is no way we would let that go without a thorough check out for safety. Without seeing the car hands-on it's hard to say but we have seen smoke generated in this way due to failing turn signal switches. The switch can fail simply because it is old or it can be stressed by things like shorted wiring, failed bulbs or adding an extra load to the system such as a trailer which has an added load of extra lighting that has to be carried by the cars wiring. The first step will be verifying where the smoke is coming from. That will require someone experienced with the system to open it up and inspect the parts. If any parts are found to be burnt they will need to be repaired then the rest of the effected system will need to be diagnosed to make sure that what caused the first failure does not happen again.

Take care. The Motor Medics

#### Dear Motor Medics.

I listen to your Under The Hood radio show here in Branson almost every week and you guys have some of the most useful car advice I have ever found, and it's free which is the best kind in my book. I read your column each week too and a while back you had talked about readers car that had a fueling issue. When the car was being filled with gasoline it would not fill quickly, it would fill for a few seconds then click off the pump and it would do this over and over again. My 2008 Impala is doing this now. What was it and could it be the same thing with my car?

Doug in Branson Missouri



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#### Dear Doug,

It is common on many cars especially GM cars and trucks to have this happen and it is often caused by a failure in what is called the evaporative emissions system. The fuel system is a closed system which prevents fuel from evaporating into the atmosphere which would cause pollution and also be a waste of your money as your fuel would simply disappear over time. The system does need to vent at times for things like filling the tank and also when fuel is being consumed by the engine or it would back up like yours does. Also, in the case of the engine using fuel the tank would eventually collapse. This is just one possible problem.

Take care, The Motor Medics

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#### **Comedian at the Brandon**

Aubree Sweeney is making a return appearance at the Brandon VFW at 7 p.m. Friday, June 25. Tickets are \$10 per person at the door. The lounge will be closed to the general public during the performance.

Brandon P&Z **Commission meets Thursday** 

Brandon Planning & Zoning Commission will meet at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, July 1 in the city council chambers. The agenda and packet may be viewed by visiting cityofbrandon.org.

#### Grab & go summer lunch program

Brandon Valley School District's 2021 summer lunch program has been approved for June and July. The format will be "grab & go" every Tuesday (five breakfasts/lunches) from June 1-July 27. Lunches may be picked up at the following locations and times: Brandon Elementary, pick up from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.; Valley Springs Elementary, pick up 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.; Corner of East Renee and North Cory Place, pick up at 11 to 11:45 a.m.; and Granite Valley Park (6101 N. Gold Nugget Ave., Sioux Falls), pick up from 12:15 to 1 p.m.

On-site service will be available for EL Summer School and Boys & Girls

#### Farmer's Market open weekly in Brandon

Club summer programs.

The Farmer's Market in Brandon is open for the season in Brandon on Saturdays from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. in the parking lot at 515 N. Splitrock Blvd. The event features local vendors, food trucks and live music every Saturday through October. Beginning in July, the Farmer's Market will also be open Thursdays from 5-7 p.m.

#### June needs at the BAFP June needs at the Bran-

don Area Food Pantry are brown sugar, mustard, single-packaged toothbrushes, toothpaste, instant mashed potatoes, cake mix, frosting, Knorr Sides (rice and noodles), Suddenly Salad.

Due to recent large-scale donations, the BAFP has no need for canned vegetables (i.e., peas, corn, carrots, all varieties of beans) and soups, both cream and other varieties.

In respect to COVID-19, Pantry clients will receive items that have been prebagged by BAFP volunteers. To make appointments for either pickups or donations, call 582-7001. The BAFP is open from 4-6 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. BAFP executive director

Linda Weber asks groups staging a food drive 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.

### TOPS open to all

The Brandon chapter of TOPS, "Take Off Pounds Sensibly," meets at 9 a.m. Mondays at Brandon Lutheran Church, 600 E. Holly Blvd. Participants should park in the east parking lot and use the main entrance, far right door. Once inside, turn right and follow the positive and uplifting conversation.

TOPS is for both men and women, and the group's purpose is to encourage, motivate and support one another.



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- Gregg Ode

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# Coming in tomorrow's





Summer is in full swing and with that comes a variety of fun family events. This week, the Journal takes you to the Ode family-hosted Breakfast on the Farm, the Brandon Valley Hockey Association's first ever rib cookoff and gives you the lowdown on Saturday's Midsummer Festival at Beaver Valley Lutheran Church.

The Brandon City Council met Monday evening, and we'll have details from the meeting, plus last week's Minnehaha County Commission meeting.

We've also got the results of last week's Brandon Valley Board of Education election, how the interview process went in the search for Valley Springs' next City Finance Officer and the new self-checkouts at Sunshine Foods.

On The Rocks Valley Springs is on its way, and last week, Journal editor Jill Meier sat down with the new owner for the scoop on all of the details of the combined bar-restaurant-C store.

A young woman with family ties to the community has ventured into the pro beach volleyball scene, and the Journal brings you the story, plus a whole lot more.

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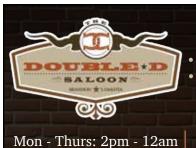


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