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Getting this 'Sister Act'...

...on the road again

Aitkin High School produces "Sister Act" a year after pandemic shut down "The Music Man."



City plans to raze skate park to build park amenities

Aitkin's skate park was built about 10 years ago, in collaboration with families in Aitkin. Changing demographics and plans prioritize need for pickleball, basketball courts, community room and warming house.

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Over a million pounds of milk produced by local farm

2001 Aitkin County Farm Family of the Year - Colleen Kent-Chute and Phil Chute. The farm produces over one million pounds of milk each year.

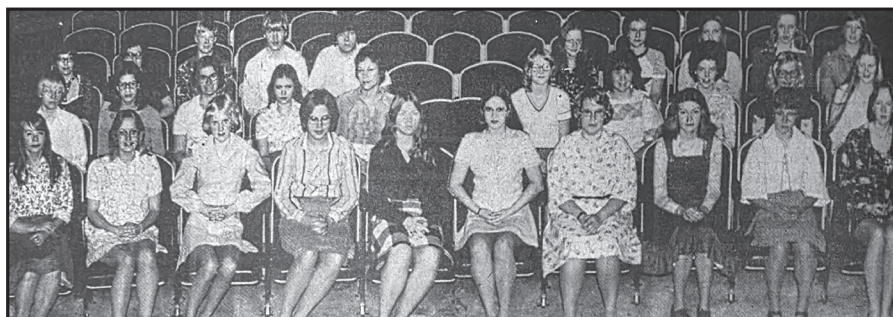
McGregor banquet honors girls' basketball



Left to right - senior Merc players: Sarah Staum, Teresa Serfling, Jackie Anderson, Becky Sather and Brittany Cummings.

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Aitkin wins district speech title



Members of the Aitkin High School speech squad competing in the District 18 speech tournament were, front, from left: Katie McMunn, Judy Slette, Jan Williams, Mary Wettstein, Laurie Watson, Carol Wikelius, Beth Ahlcrona, Patty Copley, Jan Hyytinen, Lynn Lundberg; middle: Randy Johnson, Beth Welshons, Maria Wyant, Jeanne Peterson, Kim Hansen, Sue Rued, Kris Carlson, Nancy Dotzler, Linda Forsberg, Jennifer Knutson; back: Roberta Hoge, Jennie Hurd, Brad Erickson, Mark Erickson, Greg Wettstein, Alice Weimer, Chris Meyer, Betty Haworth, Caroline Hillman, Jan Torgerson (Becky Just and Jeanne Williams not pictured).



McGregor Jaycees forming Temporary officers for the McGregor Jaycees are (seated) Brad Bodie, left, president and Larry Paukert, right, secretary-treasurer. Shown with them, from left: Jim Jurek, Dave Dickey and Steve Van Epps.

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