

# BELLE FOURCHE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Northern Lights – Orman Dam Belle  
Eric Selchert



## Hometown Thursday William & Wright Experience

June 6, 2024

Time: 6:00 9.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Location: Tri-State Museum &  
Center of the Nation Visitor  
Center

## BFDC Board of Directors Meeting

June 19, 2024

Time: 7:00 a.m.

Location: BFDC Conference  
Room - 5th & Grant Plaza, 608 5<sup>th</sup>  
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# BELLE FOURCHE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT LEADERSHIP



The 2023/2024 Leadership Belle Fourche class attended the Day of Excellence in Rapid City, SD at The Monument Fine Arts Theater. The 'Day' is a high energy event offering the region an opportunity to hear from nationally renowned speakers, with expertise in a number of personal and professional related topics.

Day of Excellence is the legacy project created by the Leadership Rapid City Class of 2009 with a desire to provide a legacy project that makes our community better tomorrow than it is today.

Today, they are an organization of volunteers who are PASSIONATE about helping the people in our community thrive and grow. We LOVE Day of Excellence and BELIEVE in the mission:



**Mission:** To promote a culture of excellence through personal and professional development resulting in stronger communities.

**Vision:** To become a nationally acclaimed organization, instrumental in providing world-class personal and professional development for the betterment of the communities we serve.



The purpose of this day is to inspire and motivate you to reach your full potential through top-notch speakers presenting on topics such as attitude, goal setting, personality differences, and work-life balance. Day of Excellence will leave you positively transformed.

In its 13-year span with nearly 50 renowned speakers, Day of Excellence has established itself as the area's premier event for personal and professional development.

When you invest in self development and dedicate time to make positive changes, you transform into a better parent, friend, and employee - in other words, a better version of you!

This change starts from within and Day of Excellence can spark this change!

- Rediscover your drive
- Reconnect with your strengths
- Network with others on the same journey
- Find your dream
- Re-energize your daily life



**James E Dixon**

- Amputee Advocate
- 1.4 million YouTube followers
- 321k Instagram followers
- Author



**Dr. Amber Selking**

- High performance consultant - Denver Broncos, LSU Football
- Author
- Podcast Host
- TEDx speaker



**Devin Henderson**

- Podcast Host
- Certified Speaking Professional (CSP)
- Magician
- Comedian



**Joel Zeff**

- Communications Specialist
- Author
- Comedian
- Actor



## Buddy's Early Learning Expedition Kick Off Event!

**Come celebrate with SDPB's Buddy and fun family activities!**

**Friday, May 17  
Open house, 3-6pm**

**Tri-State  
Museum and  
Visitor Center**      **415 5th Ave  
Belle Fourche, SD  
(605) 723-1200**



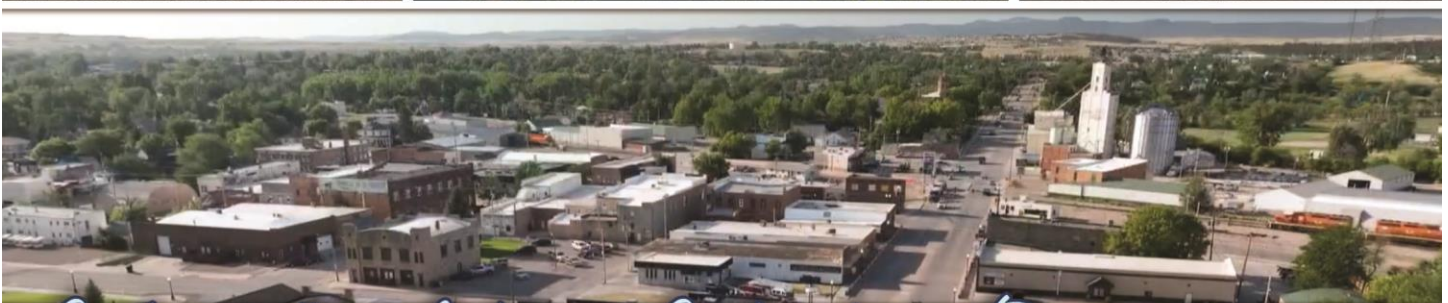
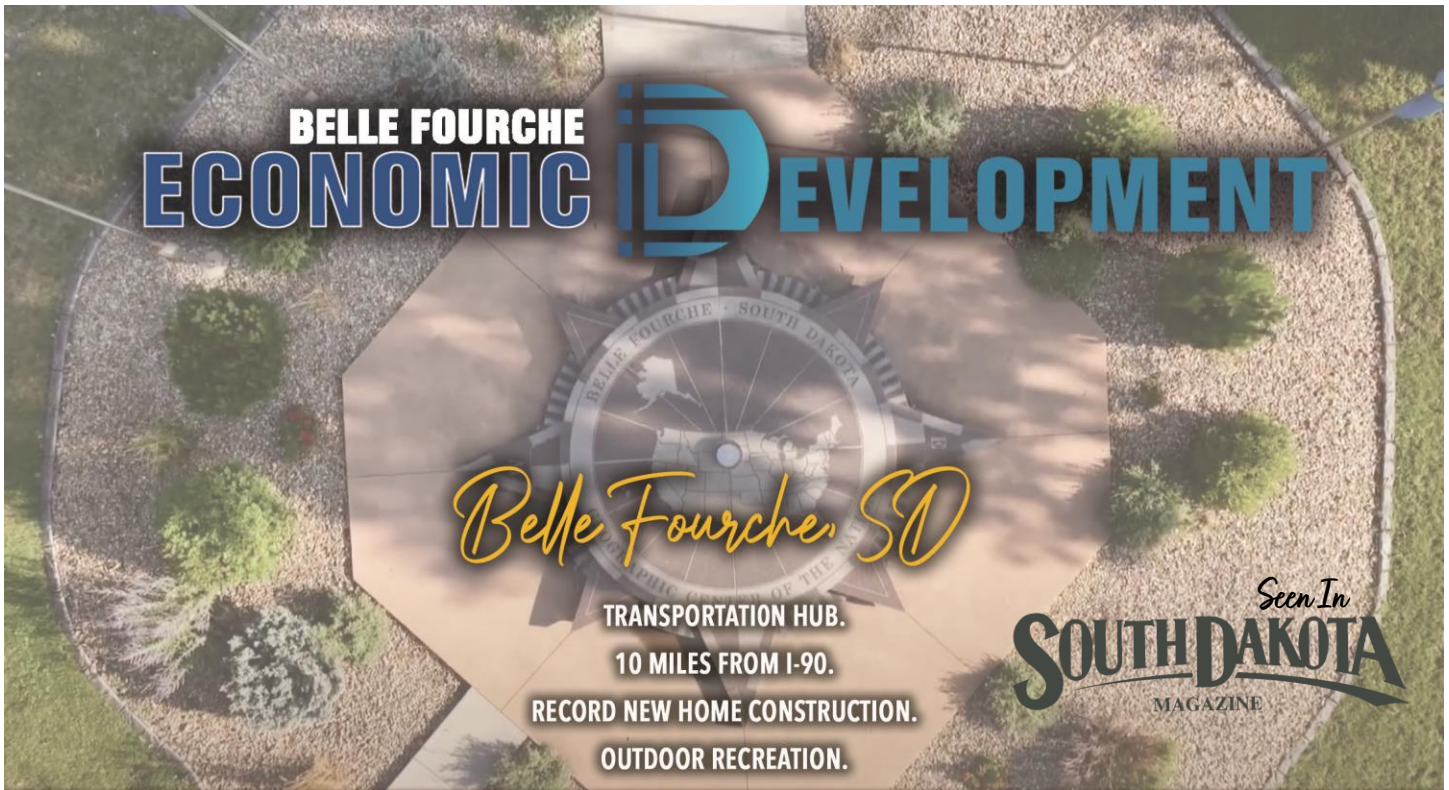
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## Center of the Nation - Centered on Progress!

Belle Fourche is a community with strong leadership and alliances to help make the development process seamless. We are focused on aligning with companies to build community.

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# Birds, Bees, and Bison

## 777 Bison Ranch

Join us for a day to tour the 777 Bison Ranch near Hermosa, SD. We will hear from experts and program managers about creating, monitoring, and maintaining great habitat!

**May 20th, 2024**  
**7am-3:30pm MST**

**Preregistration is required by May 10th, 2024 at the links below. Limited space available. Lunch will be provided.**

### Schedule of Events:

- 7-8am—Optional Bird Walk**
- 8-8:30am—Registration**
- 8:30-10:30—Field Observations—**  
pollinators, plants, dung beetles, and birds
- 11-12pm—Program Updates (NRCS, SDGFP, PF)**
- 12-12:30pm—Lunch Break (provided)**
- 12:30-3pm—777 Ranch Management Discussion and**  
**Overview/Bison Viewing**



**Scan to register:**



or visit <https://pfaf.myeventscenter.com/event/777-Birds-Bees-And-Bison-91133>





SD SOCIETY FOR RANGE MANAGEMENT

# SD RANGE MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP

**JUNE 25-27, 2024**  
**2024 THEME: FOUNDATIONS OF  
RANGE MANAGEMENT**

## EVENT DETAILS

**Registration:** \$150

**Location:** Belle Fourche, SD

**Audience:** Agency staff - USFS, BLM, BIA, NRCS, NGOs, etc.

**Topics:** range soils, ecological sites, state and transition models, plant ID, prescribed burn as a management tool

**Agenda:** detailed agenda emailed out the week prior

**\*\*Registration will go live on March 15 at  
[sdrangelands.com](http://sdrangelands.com)\*\***

**\*\*Registration limited to 35-40 people.\*\***

**For more information:**

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*You're  
Invited!*

# WOMEN ON THE RANGE

## GRAZING WORKSHOP

**JULY**  
**8-10**

Cost: \$175

Includes meals: 7/8 = lunch, supper; 7/9 = lunch, supper; 7/10 = lunch

Location: Wedge Tent Ranch, Faith, SD

Come join us to learn more about grazing ecology and management, with our host, Shannon Carmichael!!

*Emphasis of this workshop will be on understanding your system, and not just the parts.*

Topics will include, but are not limited to:

- Range health
- How to graze more efficiently
- Principles of grazing
- Ecosystem processes
- The importance of supply and demand in your stocking rates
- Range ecology - the intersection between plants and grazing ruminants

**Registration will be live April 15, 2024 on the SDSU Extension Events Page.**

**For questions and more information:**

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