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GRAND GIVEAWAY

Congratulations to Dave & Marcy
Blackmun, who won \$200 "Back to
School" cash in our Grand Giveaway!
Dave is pictured.

Wondering how to register? No
problem, because there's no purchase or
registration, just winners! Each month we
will randomly select one of our "grand"
residential customers to win. Maybe our
next winner will be you!



SLEEP IN HEAVENLY PEACE

JVT Sales and Marketing Manager Jeff
Evenson and Sanford RN - Infection
Preventionist Brady Carda are the co-
presidents of the Aberdeen chapter
of Sleep in Heavenly Peace. SHP is a
volunteer organization that builds beds
for kids who are sleeping on the floor.
Child bedlessness is a national problem,
and as a national nonprofit, SHP has
provided the solution.

SHP was started in 2012 and now has
over 200 Chapters in cities throughout
the United States. South Dakota now
has six chapters with Aberdeen being the
newest one. Since starting the Aberdeen
Chapter, 22 children have received beds
and are no longer sleeping on the floor.

If you'd like to volunteer, donate or
sponsor a build day check out their
website at [www.shpbeds.org/chapter/
sd-aberdeen](http://www.shpbeds.org/chapter/sd-aberdeen). You can also check out the
Aberdeen Chapter's Facebook page to see
about needs and upcoming builds.

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★ GET INVOLVED TODAY ★

CELL PHONES FOR SOLDIERS

We are a drop off location for Cell Phones for Soldiers! Drop off your used phones (working or not) and we will send them in to be recycled or refurbished.

All proceeds benefit the CPFS mission, which provides free calling cards to active-duty military members to connect with loved ones!

RETAIL STORE RIBBON CUTTING

On August 26, the Aberdeen Area Chamber of Commerce Ambassador committee visited our new retail location in Aberdeen for a tour and ribbon cutting.



Thank you to the Ambassadors and the Chamber for celebrating our new store with us!

NVC POWER OF HOPE RADIOTHON

We're proud to once again sponsor the NVC Power of Hope Radiothon for Children's Miracle Network September 30 - October 1.

Tune in to hear stories of struggle and hope from kids in our area. As always, 100% of funds raised here stay here! Stay tuned to our Facebook page for updates during the radiothon.

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A close-up, low-angle shot of a person's hand holding a smartphone, with a gold watch visible on their wrist. The background is a warm, out-of-focus sunset or sunrise scene.

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TAG A TEACHER

Sanessa Lindemann won a \$250 Walmart gift card to prepare her classroom in our Tag a Teacher Facebook promotion.

Congratulations Sanessa!



NVC AWARDED CONNECT SOUTH DAKOTA AND CARES ACT FUNDS

NVC was recently awarded one of 14 broadband projects to better connect underserved and unserved communities in South Dakota.

NVC will also be allocated federal CARES (Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security) Act funds for another project.

In 2019, South Dakota legislators approved \$5 million in matching funds for broadband improvement, creating Governor Kristi Noem's Connect South Dakota program. Earlier this year, legislators approved another \$5 million to continue broadband upgrades in South Dakota. Funding is strictly for capital expenditures of building out the network, and the program does not intend to overbuild areas that are

currently being served by 100/20 broadband.

NVC was awarded close to \$1 million in funds received from the Connect South Dakota broadband initiative. The funds will be used in the rural Mina area covering over 250 homes. The project will be completed by June 2021.

NVC was also awarded close to \$1.5 million in CARES Act funds for rural Redfield. That project will cover 400 homes. Work has started and will be completed by December of 2020.

"Bringing fiber optic broadband to underserved areas is part of our overall mission, and it's something we feel is vital to the communities we serve," said NVC CEO James Groft. "Internet speed is even more important this year for business, school, personal connection and life in general."

T-SHIRT FOR A CAUSE

Our employees donated \$100 to schools in our serving area through our T-Shirt for a Cause Program.

Employees pay to wear a t-shirt each Friday of every month. August was the Back to School t-shirt.



Worry-Free WiFi no more dead spots!

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FALL PREMIERES

Television production was put on hold in the spring with COVID, halting some of your favorite shows. Finales were altered and season premieres were unknown.

A handful of shows are in pre-production or production as of print. Below is a list of shows that maybe you're aware of and a few new ones. Maybe it's time to check out something new.

September 11
The Duchess - Netflix
Family Business - Netflix

September 14
Dancing with the Stars - ABC

September 17
Keeping Up With the Kardashians - E!

September 18
World's Funniest Animals - The CW

September 21
Filthy Rich - FOX

September 25
Utopia - Amazon Prime

September 27
The Simpsons - FOX
Family Guy - FOX
Fargo - FX

September 29
Little People Big World - TLC

And never fear, here is a list of shows that have confirmed they will return, although when is uncertain.

ABC
American Idol, The Bachelor, The Bachelorette, black-ish, The Conners, The Good Doctor, Grey's Anatomy, The Rookie, Shark Tank, Station 19

Amazon Prime

Absentia, Jack Ryan, Homecoming, The Marvelous Mrs. Maisel

CBS

All Rise, The Amazing Race, Big Brother, Seal Team, Survivor, Young Sheldon

FOX

Hell's Kitchen, The Masked Singer, The Resident, So You Think You Can Dance

NBC

The Blacklist, Chicago Fire, Med and P.D., New Amsterdam, Superstore, This is Us, The Voice, World of Dance

Netflix

Cable Girls, The Crown, The Haunting, Kingdom, Ozark, Stranger Things, Sweet Magnolias, The Umbrella Academy