Graduate Seminar – Anna Grazul-Bilska, Coordinator
There is no seminar this week. The first seminar of the semester will be next week.

Meet Alison Crane
Alison Crane is a new graduate student in Animal Sciences. She will be completing an M.S. degree under the direction of Dr. Reid Redden.

Alison is from Warrior, Alabama. She attended Berry College in Rome, Georgia, where she received a B.S. degree in Animal Science. In her spare time, Alison enjoys team roping, barrel racing, and spending time with her family and blue heeler, Raz.

Faculty and Alumni Participate in Boy Scout Jamboree – Greg Lardy
Several ANSC faculty members participated in the Boy Scout Jamboree which was held in the FM area on August 18. Special thanks to Carl Dahlen, Carrie Hammer, David Newman, Reid Redden, Cole Rupprecht, and Charlie Stoltenow for their involvement with the ANSC portion of the program. For full details, see the InForum article noted below.

http://www.inforum.com/event/article/id/371444/publisher_ID/1/

Summer 2012 Dean’s List
Alyssa Kittelson – Animal Science
Laura E. Larson – Vet Tech
Animal Sciences Welcome Back Event a Success
Approximately 115 Animal Sciences students and a number of graduate students, staff, and faculty came out for the Ag Olympics Welcome Back Event held Monday, August 27, on the south lawn of Shepperd Arena. Students participated in an Ag Olympics event, played games, and enjoyed snacks. The winner of the Grand Prize, a new IPAD, was Allison Mustonen.
Alumni Updates – Bison Briefs, Summer 2012

James Gemmill, BS ’77, animal Science, was named to the prestigious Century Club by ING Financial Partners of Edina, MN. The club honors achievement in the financial services industry.

Dale Patten, BS ’77, animal science, was promoted to president of McKenzie County Bank in Watford City, ND. He also served as a McKenzie County Commissioner for the past 11 years. He and his wife, Joy, have two children, Kendra and Austin, and live in Watford City.

Kenton Carlson, BS ’86, animal science, is an agriculture and commercial loan officer for First Community Credit Union in Bismarck, ND.

Jeff Petersen, BS ’88, animal and range sciences, is an agent for Starion Insurance at the Starion Financial Bank in Oakes, ND.

Kevin Jordre, BS ’95, animal and range sciences, was named vice president for business banking at Bremer Bank in Fargo.

Diandra (Bauer) Gallagher, BS ’01, veterinary technology, works in the NDSU Veterinary Diagnostic Laboratory as the necropsy technician. She lives in Fargo.

Allison Meyer, PhD ’11, animal sciences, is an instructor in the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources at the University of Wyoming.

Obituaries

Frank Dietz, age 65, BS ’68, MS ’71, animal science, earned a patent for his work with cows. He lived in Fargo.

Delbert Moore, age 79, BS ’84, animal and range science, was a ranch and feedlot operator near Ellendale, ND. He was past president of the North Dakota Stockman’s Association from 1973 to 1975. He also was chair of the North Dakota Range Advisory Committee, president of the North Dakota Chapter of the Society for Range Management, member of the N.D. Beef Commission, and chair of the Central Grassland Station Advisory Committee.

Robert Mountain, age 75, BS ’58, animal science, co-founded Midland Investment where he worked with land management and agriculture consulting. He later worked with the Village Family Services in Fargo as a financial counselor. He lived in Jamestown, ND.

Jerry Schnell, age 73, BS ’61, animal science, was a retired pilot for Delta Airlines. He lived in Vienna, VA.
**Gregory Steffes**, age 51, BS ’83, animal science, farmed near Arthur, ND. He was a member of the Polar Telephone board of directors, Amenia Township Board, and Arthur United Methodist Church Council.

**Richard Tewksbury**, age 81, BS ’54, animal science and agricultural education, had a dairy and crop farm near Edgeley, ND. An officer for Zion Lutheran Church, Edgeley Creamery and Farmers Union Oil Co., he retired from farming in 1998. He lived in Fargo.