Special Seminar
Speaker: Julie Schaff Ellingson, Executive Vice President, North Dakota Stockmen’s Association
Topic: Telling Agriculture’s Story to Assorted Audiences
Date/Time: Friday, November 14, 2014; 3:00 p.m.
Location: Hultz Hall 104

Julie Schaff Ellingson has been the executive vice president of the North Dakota Stockmen’s Association since 2009. Before that time, she was the organization’s communications director for 13 years. A native of St. Anthony, ND, Julie attended Mandan High School, Bismarck State College, and North Dakota State University. She graduated with honors with a communications and agriculture degree. She and her husband Chad and their five children – Stetson, Jameson, Sierra, Medora, and Sheridan – continue in the Angus business on the ranch where she grew up.

Graduate Defense Seminar
Speaker: Loren Baranko, NDSU ANSC Graduate Student
Topic: Circulating Risk Factors for Obesity-Related Metabolic Disorders Associated with a Low-Glycemic Beef Diet Fed Via a Swine Biomedical Model
Date/Time: Thursday, November 13, 2014; 9:00 a.m.
Location: Hultz 104

Loren Baranko grew up on a farm near Fairfield, ND. She received her B.S. degree in Animal Sciences from NDSU in May 2013. She is currently working on her M.S. degree in meat science under the direction of Dr. Eric Berg. Her research focuses on the role of red meat in the diet and its effects on circulating risk factors for obesity-related metabolic disorders in the swine biomedical model.
Allison Kay Carlin

Born – Friday, November 7, 2014
Statistics – 5 pounds, 18 inches long
Proud Family – Parents Kasey and Wade Carlin and big sister Regan

Allison is doing great. She will have a short stay in the NICU due to being born a few weeks early!

Congratulations on your precious new Bundle of Joy!

**Hunt Seat Team Results (Correction) – Mattia Gunkelman, Coach**
The Hunt Seat Team competed in River Falls, WI, on NOVEMBER 1 and 2. The team tied for high point team on Saturday and Kayla Young was the high point rider. The team received reserve high point team on Sunday.

**Richard Tokach (11/9/14-10/13/32)**
Richard M. Tokach of St. Anthony passed away Sunday, November 9. Richard and his family were strong supporters of the department and were lead donors who helped create the Russ and Helen Danielson Scholarship Endowment. He received the Saddle and Sirloin Club’s Agriculturalist of the Year award in 1993. Richard and his family have been heavily involved in North Dakota’s cattle industry for many years and he had a strong record of service at the local, state, and national level. Several members of his family attended NDSU, majoring in Animal Science, Veterinary Technology, and participating in a variety of departmental clubs and organizations. Richard was an active member of North Dakota’s Angus breeders.

You can view his complete obituary at this link:

**Last Day to Drop**
**Last Day to Withdraw to Zero Credits**
**Friday, November 14**
College of Agriculture Scholarship Luncheon
November 6, 2014
Congratulations Animal Sciences Scholarship Winners
(photos from CAFSNR Facebook page)