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**Welcome to the City of Alliance Activity Report**

Final bids for the Read Around the Posies Silent Auction will be taken on Saturday, May 11<sup>th</sup> at noon! Auction proceeds will be used to enhance library technology. Don't miss this opportunity to purchase a beautiful flower pot arrangement to give as a gift or enjoy on your own patio!

The 2013 Nebraska Passport Program has begun and the Knight Museum and Sandhills Center is featured in the "Seeing is Believing" section! The program created by the Nebraska Tourism Commission, encourages travelers to explore Nebraska! Passports are available at the museum, Box Butte Central and many local attractions!

Today is the last day to sign up for Red Cross Swimming lessons at the Knight Museum and Sandhills Center! The cost is \$30.00 per child and payment is required at the time of registration. No registrations will be accepted after 5:00 p.m. today.

Season passes for the 2013 swimming season will be available beginning Monday, May 13<sup>th</sup> from 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Knight Museum and Sandhills Center only. Please bring a 1"x1" photo of each individual pass holder. If you do not have the necessary photos, they may be taken for a \$2.00 fee per photo. Prices for season passes are as follows: Household pass - \$130.00; 17 and under - \$50.00; 18 and older - \$70.00; Lap swim only - \$35.00. Big Blue Bay is scheduled to open Saturday, May 25<sup>th</sup> if weather conditions and water temperature permits. For more information, please contact the museum at 762-2384.

Applications and agreements for Community Garden plots are available in the City Clerk's office located at 324 Laramie. All applications must be submitted with payment in full. The prices are \$30.00 for a 200 square foot plot and \$50.00 for a 400 square foot plot. The Community Garden is located on the 2700 block of Big Horn Avenue. Garden plots are limited and will be assigned on a first come basis.

This concludes the Activity Report brought to you by the City of Alliance and KCOW, working together to **"Build the Best Hometown in America!"**

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Have a great weekend!