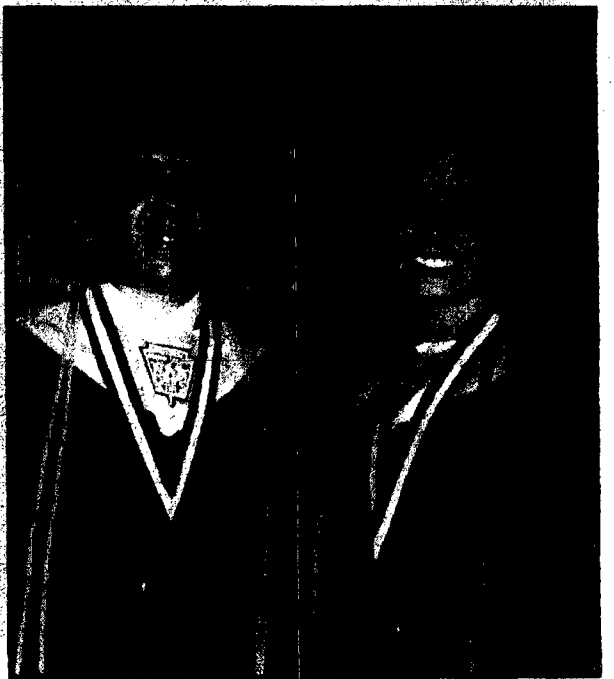
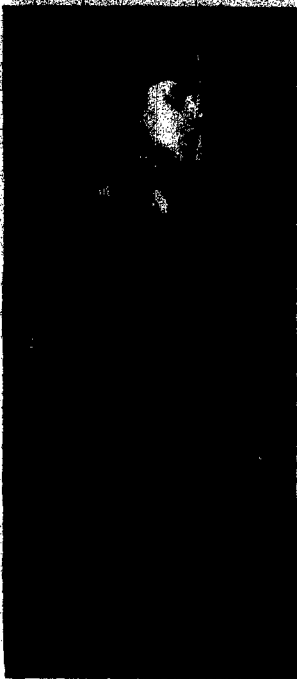


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Northeast Nebraska graduates march into the new millenium

Top students were recognized at three area high schools during commencement exercises over the weekend. From left to right, At Wayne High School Elizabeth Campbell gave the Salutatory Address and Sarah Holstedt gave the Valedictory Address. Allen High School's

Salutatorian this year was Stacey Martinson while Jessica Bock and Alaina Bupp were Valedictorians. The Valedictorian at Laurel-Concord High School was Rik Smith and the Salutatorian was Betsy Sohler.

A Quick Look



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Chamber coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, May 19 at the Bank of Norfolk.

The coffee begins at 10 a.m. with announcements at 10:15.

Paper drive

WAYNE — Boy Scout Troop #174 will be picking up newspapers on Saturday, May, 20. Papers should be bundled in paper sacks or cardboard boxes and to the curb by 8 a.m. No plastic bags or magazines can be accepted. Empty aluminum cans will also be accepted.

Hospital auxiliary

WAYNE — The Wayne Hospital Auxiliary will meet Friday, May 19 at noon at the hospital. Those attending are asked to bring a brown bag lunch.

Daycare providers

AREA — The Wayne Area Daycare Providers will meet Tuesday, May 23 at 7 p.m. at the Bank of Norfolk. Jill Woodward, family counselor, will be the speaker. For more information, contact Pam Henderson at 375-2950.

Weather

FORECAST SUMMARY: A cold, wet day ahead in the wake of last night's storm system. Dry and pleasant weather is expected for the weekend.

Day	Weather	Wind	Range
Thurs.	Showers	NE 35	55/58
Fri.	Ply cloudy	NE 20	42/68
Sat.	Sunny	S 15	42/75
Sun.	Ply cloudy		48/80
Mon.	Ply cloudy		53/84

Wayne weather forecast is provided by



Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
May 11	77	55	—	—
May 12	83	59	—	—
May 13	NA	NA	—	—
May 14	NA	NA	—	—
May 15	NA	NA	—	—
May 16	NA	NA	—	—
May 17	NA	NA	.08	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24-hour period
 Precip./mo. — .38"
 Year To Date — 4.53"

Family strives to fulfill foster care needs

By Lynn Sievers
 Of the Herald

So many children, not enough foster care families. That's the sad truth in Nebraska and in this area. There are 4,200 children out of home placement in Nebraska, many locally, needing a safe place to go. One family is doing all they can to help with that situation. Bert and Karla (Kay) Moore of Laurel have opened their home to 113 children since 1989.

Sparked with interest through

babysitting with a foster child when living in Oregon, Karla and Bert took training classes and have been active foster parents ever since. The requirements to become foster care parents includes background check, home inspection, and 21 hours of training to start plus 12 hours each year thereafter from the Department of Health and Human Services.

Since starting to take in foster children, Moores' have had every age from newborns to teens aged 18

years old. Some children have only been with them overnight but one was with them for six years. The average length of time they stay, though, is around six to nine months. Foster care parents can request certain age groups. The Moores' now mainly take in teenage boys.

Karla's outlook on foster care is, "It's like longterm babysitting. We love them, meet their needs, give them food, clothe them," Karla said. "There are lots of happy moments and lots of heartbreaking moments."

You have to think what resources do I have to make a difference in their lives?"

Bert notes that children often come with a suitcase but some only come with baggage full of problems. Often they're victims of circumstances and are discriminated and picked on in school. They want to be real, be in real family situations without labels being put on them. Many foster children are in group homes and don't get a family atmosphere. Some of the children the Moores'

have had were abused. They say that you must win their trust and that sometimes takes awhile.

The Moores are licensed to have five foster care children at a time. The most they have had at one time is 10 and that included their own four biological children, Jeremiah, 18, Amanda, 17, Melissa, 14, and David, 7. There are six children living with them now and that includes their own. As Moores' put

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Long time Winside superintendent to retire

By Lynn Sievers
 Of the Herald

Planning on retirement after 29 years as superintendent at Winside Public Schools, Don Leighton, looks forward to learning how to relax.

"I've never regretted my decision to come to Winside and wouldn't trade my 40 years in education for anything," Leighton said. "I do want to play golf more, fish more, play cards and dominos downtown more, and in general enjoy myself."

He mentions that he wouldn't mind becoming a part time tour

guide in the years to come as he has always enjoyed traveling. He notes that his wife, Marilyn, is continuing to teach in Winside.

Leighton came to Winside in 1971. In addition to his superintendent duties at Winside, he has coached volleyball for five years and girls basketball for two years. Also, in the summer he has coached softball and baseball for years in Winside.

Having good words for the Winside community, Leighton says everyone is progressive minded; they all want what is good for the



Donavon Leighton

students. Education is foremost in the eyes of the school and of the community.

Through the years, he has seen

ary and high school have computer labs. Leighton notes there are between 80-85 computers in the school system now.

"Technology has boomed and I don't think we have seen anything yet," Leighton said.

He notes that being able to converse over the Internet and teaching classes through Distance Learning are just a couple of examples of how far the computer age has come.

On projects completed since his arrival at Winside, the High Achievers program and full time Special Education for both elementary and high school, are at the top of the list.

Winside Public Schools has a total of 310 students with 138 in grades Kindergarten through sixth and 172 in seventh through twelfth. There are 30 teachers on the staff in the Winside schools system.

Leighton was born and raised in

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Tradition goes on for German family

By Clara Osten
 Of the Herald

Twenty-eight years ago Tom Buechter spent the school year at Laurel-Concord High School as an exchange student.

This past year his son Leo was able to experience life in Nebraska while attending Wayne High School.

The 17-year old from Steinheim, Germany lived with Mike and Kim Dunklau northwest of Wayne.

During the 1971-72 school year, Tom lived with Kim's family at Laurel. He and Kim's brother, Gary Chace, graduated together. After he returned to Germany he kept in contact with members of the family and has returned to the U.S. several times.

On a 1997 trip to Canada, New York and the Black Hills, the family visited with the Dunklaus and Leo was able to tour Wayne High School at the same time.

Plans were made for the Dunklaus to take legal guardianship of Leo so he could attend school here.

Tom indicated that when foreign students attend school here there is more paperwork involved than when they are part of an organized exchange program.

Leo arrived in Wayne on Aug. 6 and was able to experience the Wayne County Fair before school began.

During his stay here he has been able to travel with the Dunklaus to Texas to visit relatives and to Indiana where he attended an NBA game and toured a Pepsi plant.

Tom currently works in the tounst industry in Spain. His wife Wilma, is a housewife. The couple has two other sons, Lorenz, 14, and Lukas, 15. Lukas is planning to spend next year in Iowa.

Leo said there are a number of differences between the school system in Wayne and the one in Germany.

"We start school at six years of age. We are able to get a diploma after the 10th grade, but continue on for three more years," he said.

The school day in Germany begins at 8:05 a.m. and ends at 1:10 p.m.

He said he likes school here in Wayne better and will miss his friends here, recreational activities and Mr. Murtaugh.

At Wayne High, Leo took Band, Algebra II, Government, Spanish II, Weightlifting, Keyboarding and English 12.

He compared that to the classes he will be taking when he returns to Germany. They include, Chemistry or Biology, P.E., Music Appreciation, Religious Education, a foreign language (Leo speaks Spanish, French, English and German), and a math

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Public Works Week is May 21-27

Sheryl Lindau, mayor of Wayne, has proclaimed the week of May 21-27 as National Public Works Week in the City of Wayne.

In accordance with the tradition of the American Public Works Association, those who work in professions that provide and maintain public facilities and services will be honored during National Public Works Week, May 21-27. This week will celebrate the contributions of public works professionals as well as the communities they serve.

Communities are valued and also the role public works professionals play in keeping them safe and functioning smoothly, reports the American Public Works Association, sponsor of National Public Works Week. The objective is designed to increase public awareness of their

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Practicing

The Wayne Volunteer Fire Department was involved in a controlled burn recently. The Department "fought" a house fire south of Wayne in an effort to learn techniques needed to extinguish a real fire.

Family

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it, "There's no labeling, they're all our kids."

There's good help for foster care parents. There are foster care meetings in Norfolk for foster care families to attend and discuss problems with, two training seminars in Lincoln and one in Kearney each year, and good social workers who will come right away to assist if needed.

Moore's note there are few foster families in the area, though. If there were more, children wouldn't have to be uprooted and moved to other areas as often happens. Moore's realize they can't help all the children in need by themselves.

Bert notes, "Once we start giving from the heart to kids there's something that changes; something beautiful blooms. There's nothing more we should be investing in than children."

Bert gives an example of how priorities are messed up. The government spends billions of dollars trying to save frogs, lizards, and other endangered species but what about kids?

Having extra children around can mean more work around the house, though. At least six loads of laundry is done each day and at least five pounds of potatoes are used each meal. Each child at the Moores' home has chores to do. Karla has a chart on the refrigerator with the children's photos next to chores assigned. The list rotates weekly.

Written at the bottom of the list is "If chores aren't done, don't ask for privileges." She notes that raising foster children is the same as raising your own. They want to be treated the same, have guidelines, consistency, and be part of a typical family.

Karla notes it's a matter of attitude. Their situation works well as Bert is self-employed as a carpenter and he sells long distance tele-



Bert and Karla Moore

phone service. Karla is at home. For them, it works well.

"So many people go to work each day and then have to come home and give their kids second best," Karla said.

Bert mentions, though, that people interested in foster care should not go into it for the money as the pay is on a scale by ages of those taken in and money can fall short of what is actually needed. He said if people want to get into foster care they should do it for the love of children.

"The state pays for the necessities but not the extras that often come into play having children live with you," Moores' said.

The couple gives examples such as prom dresses, tuxedos, class rings, etc.; things foster care children want the same as other children. There are volunteer organizations such as "Friends of Foster Children," in the area helping with special expenses that the state doesn't cover which is supported by donations from the public.

Bert says the rewards are shown especially during holidays. Often they hear from children they've opened their home to in the past some of them phone and have children of their own and they call them Grandpa and Grandma. Often it's the teens they've taken through the years that remember them. The little ones they've taken

in along the way have been away from them too long and forget them.

Moore's emphasize the fact that there's a great need for foster care locally, regionally, and nationally. The main focus of the Department of Health and Human Service foster care is to reunite families.

Bert and Karla are mentors to new families going into foster care. They mention they're happy to answer questions anyone who's interested in becoming foster parents may have or people can call 1-800-7-PARENT to receive answers to their questions.

Mary Burt of NEAPA, the Nebraska Foster and Adoptive Parent Association, says the association disbanded over 15 years ago when 20 years of service to foster and adoptive parents.

The purpose of NEAPA is:

- To encourage the formation and retention of local foster and adoptive parent associations and support groups.
- To promote cooperation and communication among foster parents, adoptive parents, and human service agencies in improving foster care services and adoption processes.
- To encourage training and education of foster parents and adoptive parents.
- To encourage the recruitment and retention of foster parents and adoptive parents.
- To promote community education and awareness of foster care and adoption issues.

NEAPA's first program to support foster parents and adoptive parents is the Mentor Program. The Mentor Program is NEAPA's response to its commitment to support foster and adoptive families with the daily challenges of parenting a foster or adoptive child.

Mentors in the Northeast Nebraska area include Dennis and Colleen Beltz of Norfolk and Carol Moore of Dakota City.

According to State President Mary Burt, the Nebraska Foster and Adoptive Parent Association, foster parents are dedicated individuals who help children who may have been abused or neglected and help develop the self-confidence and the skills necessary to cross the bridge into young adulthood. Moreover, foster parents are the glue that connects foster youth to the programs that help these young people become independent, productive citizens.

"I know the challenges and rewards to come with being a foster parent," remarked Mary Burt. "That is why we encourage other caring adults in the Wayne community to become foster parents. The need is great. It is challenging work. But the satisfying experience lasts a lifetime. Now is the time to make a difference in a child's life!"

Anyone interested in obtaining more information about becoming a foster parent can call 1-800-7-PARENT.

Parker named award winner

Brett Parker of Wayne has been named a United States National Award Winner in English and Math and has also been recognized as a member of Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Brett attends Wayne-Carroll High School and was nominated by Sylvia Ruhl, an English teacher at the school, and Rocky Ruhl, a math teacher and athletic director at

Wayne High School.

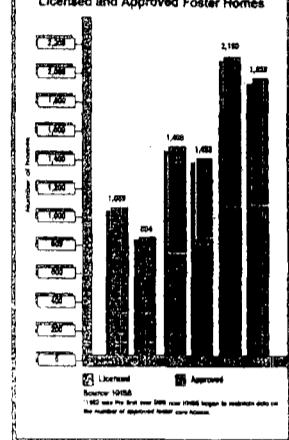
Brett is a sophomore and his activities include varsity band, marching band, jazz band, pep band, cross-country, basketball, golf, Spanish Club, W-Club, Future Business Leaders of America, Methodist youth group, Methodist Minstrels and the church band.

He is the son of Rusty and Denel Parker of Wayne.

Licensed and Approved Foster Homes

On June 18, 1998, there were 1,168 licensed foster homes, a decrease from the 1,194 licensed homes in 1997. However, the number of approved foster care homes has increased slightly from 740 in 1997 to 770 on June 18, 1998, according to data provided by HHSS. The increase in approved foster homes has helped make up for the loss of licensed providers, however approved providers are not required to meet the same standards as licensed providers. Licensed foster care providers must pass background checks consisting of reference checks, a local criminal record check, and child abuse registry checks. Approved providers must also participate in a series of interviews and complete initial and ongoing training. Approved providers are usually relatives or individuals who have known the child or family prior to placement. These individuals are approved to provide care for the child or children from one family only. They receive an evaluation of their home and must pass the child abuse registry check and a local criminal record check, however they are not required to complete pre-service or ongoing training.

Licensed and Approved Foster Homes



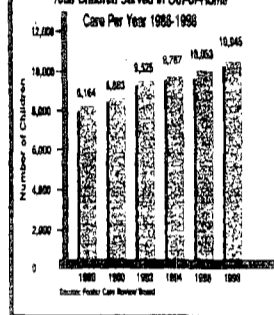
Number of Placements Experienced by Children in Out-of-Home Care

Number of Placements	In Care on Dec. 31, 1998	In Care on Dec. 31, 1999
4 or more	33.8% (1444 of 4275)	47.3% (2554 of 5402)
6 or more	19.5% (831 of 4275)	33.4% (1758 of 5402)
10 or more	7.1% (313 of 4275)	13.6% (741 of 5402)

Lack of Foster Care Homes

A total of 1,938 approved and licensed foster homes were available in Nebraska in 1998, according to HHSS. The lack of foster care providers presents a problem considering there were 5,402 children in out of home care in December of that same year needing a variety of placement types including foster homes.

Total Children Served in Out-of-Home Care Per Year 1985-1998



Members of the Dunklau and Buechter family pose for this photo. They include, front row, left to right, Leah, Kim and Allssa Dunklau. Back row, Tom and Leo Buechter and Mike Dunklau. Ryan Dunklau was not present for the picture.

German

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class.

Leo was involved with basketball this year and said "it was hard."

He also was a member of the track team where he anchored the 4 x 1 relay and participated in high jump and shot put.

He said extracurricular activities such as sports and band are not connected with the schools in Germany.

Leo hopes to do something with business management when he finishes college. Plans call for him to be drafted into the military for 12 months following high school and then he intends to spend two years in college in Germany and one in Britain.

He also intends to get his driver's license when he turns 18. In Germany the cost to obtain a license is approximately \$1,500.

Tom, who was able to be in Wayne when Leo graduated with the class of 2000, said some things have changed since he was a stu-

dent here but many things have remained the same.

"I came here to improve my language skills and have gotten a different vision of the world. Most of the country is ruled by a social government. It is good to see how others live," he said.

Leo will leave for Germany on May 22 with Tom remaining in the U.S. until June 7 to visit with friends in Chicago.

Kim said having another person

in the household was a big adjustment at first but the family adjusted over time. She also said that it was easier knowing Leo and his family before hand.

When asked, Leo said that Dairy Queen Blizzards were his favorite food, followed by sandwiches of all kinds and steaks.

Leo said that "everyone in Germany wants to come to the U.S. I hope to send my children here someday."

Relay for Life updates

A bank night will be held May 25 at 5:30 at The Max in Wayne for team captains, committee members, and anyone interested in attending. A second bank night will be held on June 6. There are a total of 428 walkers signed up for the Relay for Life event to be held Friday, June 9 and Saturday, June 10 on the WSC Campus and 50 are cancer survivors. The Relay for Life quilt made by Wayne Senior Citizens and others is on display at the Wayne Senior Center in Wayne. Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5 and can be obtained at the Center, from committee members, or by calling Vicky Skokan at 375-3406. Luminaries will be lit in honor of loved ones during the June 9, 10 event. Suggested donations are \$5 for each luminary and can be given to committee members, Relay for Life Corporate Sponsors, or by calling Connie Meyer at 375-3882. Relay for Life Corporate sponsors include: Village Inn of Allen; Wayne businesses: Arnie's Ford Mercury, Quality Foods, Tacos & More, Providence Medical Center, State National Bank and Trust Company, Sav-Mor Pharmacy, Pizza Hut, Inventive Communications, Pac n Save, First National Bank of Omaha, Copy Write Publishing/Keepsake Video, Runza Restaurants, Dairy Queen, The Wayne Herald, and KTCH. Friendship sponsors are First National Bank and The Max, both of Wayne.

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Yearbooks on sale through May 26 at Wayne High

Final yearbook sales are taking place through noon on Friday, May 26 at Wayne High School. Each Devil Daze order is \$40, payable to Wayne High School Yearbook. Any staff member, Lauren Walton or the high school office can take orders. Orders after school dismissal on May 26 will be \$45 and will not be guaranteed. For information, call the school at 375 3150.

Medicine Minute!

Will Davis
Sav-Mor Pharmacy

Readily Available Nutrients Help Arthritis

Both glucosamine and chondroitin are animal products that, in the U.S., are marketed as food supplements. During the past decade both have gained popularity in Europe and the U.S. as aids to pain relief from the most common arthritis type - osteoarthritis. As we age osteoarthritis tends to occur in most of us. For reasons that are not completely understood, some individuals are affected by this incurable condition more severely than others.

Researchers reporting in *The Journal of the American Medical Association* analyzed 15 studies of the effects of glucosamine and chondroitin on osteoarthritis. It was concluded that the effectiveness of these nutrients is somewhat less than most studies indicate. Nevertheless, the studies suggest a moderate benefit from glucosamine treatment and a large benefit with chondroitin.

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Opinion

The Wayne Herald



The Library Card

This column is written occasionally to inform the Wayne area as to what types of reading material and other items are available at the Wayne Public Library.

"All life is an experiment. The more experiments you make the better" — Ralph Waldo Emerson

"Cosmic Connections!" That is the theme of this year's Summer Reading Program (SRP) at the library. Children from preschool to sixth grade are invited to join the cosmic reading festivities on Wednesdays in June. Registration for the SRP begins on May 24 and extends through May 31. Children may not register before or after these dates.

The official launch of the SRP will begin with a Blast Off Party on Wednesday, May 31. This year's weekly themes include Moon & Space Crafts; Planets, Constellations & Galaxies; Pollution & the Environment, not to mention lots of fun activities with pop and water rockets, CD crafts, visiting the planetarium and many other cosmic pleasures! Visit the library in the next few weeks and examine the alien with no name. Write a name for this poor nameless alien on a slip of paper and put it in the orange box at the circulation desk. The alien's name will be announced at the Blast Off Party.

Do you need a space for a meeting in a hurry? Would your book club like to meet regularly at a neutral spot where no housecleaning is required? Think of the Conference Room located at the Library/Senior Center. The policies for using this room have recently been re-vamped to make the room more accessible to the public. Reservations should be made through the library by calling 375-3135 or stopping by. Two day's notice would be nice but next day notice is possible. The hours for rental are 9 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. or the opening hours of the Library/Senior Center. Non-profit groups will be required to make a \$25 deposit, completely refundable once the room has been favorably inspected. The rental fee is \$25 non-refundable for for-profit groups. So, whether you'd like to meet regularly or at the last minute, keep the Library/Senior Center Conference Room in mind.

NEW, NEW, NEW! Beginning May 31, the library will offer morning hours on Wednesdays. The library will be open for business at 9 a.m. We are responding to the pleas of our business patrons, daycare providers, seniors, preschoolers who love to play with our train and several other groups of early risers who have been requesting morning hours for years. Come and enjoy the library while the dew is still on the grass.

The library's "Seniors Surfing the Net" program concluded May 10. This program, designed to help novice Senior users through their beginning basic computer access and Internet paces, was intended to last two weeks in February, but demand kept the program steaming ahead for three more months. Our goal was to educate and make beginners feel comfortable with computers so that they might ultimately become independent learners. If you (Seniors and other adults) are interested in participating in future beginning computer classes, contact Maureen Kingston at 375-3135. The computer revolution has happened. Let us help you cope with the adjustment.

The library's Winter hours will remain in effect until May 27 (Monday through Friday, 12:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.). The library will be CLOSED May 28-29 for the Memorial Holiday.

Summer Hours Alert: Summer hours begin May 30 and extend through Labor Day. They are as follows: Noon to 8 p.m., Monday, Tuesday and Thursday; 9 a.m. (new morning hours) to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, noon to 7 p.m. Fridays, 19 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays. Closed Sunday. Our phone number is (402) 375-3135, fax number (402) 375-5772 (sending or receiving fax charge is \$1 per page).

Capital News

Stenberg's sour looks and Nelson's loud voice leave bad taste in mouth

By Ed Howard
Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association

For the sake of potential amusement, keep this in mind. Nebraska's two Senate candidates have at least one thing in common.

Whatever the public persona they present, they are both known to have skin that is sometimes thinner than a slice of turkey at a bad deli. We're talking water thin. We're talking potentially short fuses. And, we mean it.

Republican Don Stenberg has contented himself over the years, generally, with just making faces at people. The people are usually reporters and the situations usually involve news conferences. Since news conferences can be taped, whenever the attorney general scrunches up his face and looks like he wants to take his toys and go home, there's the potential that it can come back to haunt him.

Stenberg's microphone-camera image has improved over the years. When he was first elected attorney general, any question that he didn't like had the potential of putting a look on his face that would make you think he had been eating lemons and sour pickles. Stenberg, as we've said before, had a brilliant academic career, but he clearly didn't major in communications.

Call him retiring if you like him, or a nerd if you don't like him, but either way he needs to work on his personal style mode. The good news for Stenberg fans is that he wants the Senate job just about as much as he wants his next breath, and he is entirely capable of working 26 hours a day to improve his campaign style.

Democrat Ben Nelson has his sense of humor at the ready on virtually every appropriate public

occasion, and most private ones. However, Nelson's ire can be raised sky high when he believes that dirt has been tossed in his general direction. What he perceives as mud has an even more discombobulating effect on him.

The former governor has been known to make telephone calls to political operatives, notably those on the other side, and speak in such a way that they, and anyone in the immediate vicinity, will be able to hear him. Nelson is inclined in such situations to take his case, as it were, to the opposition. He should remember that the opposition doesn't care about his view of reality.

In politics, perception is reality, and that's that. Nelson's best-ever political ad probably was the one where he was winking, smiling, and straightening a picture on a wall — sort of showing the folks that he wanted everything "just right."

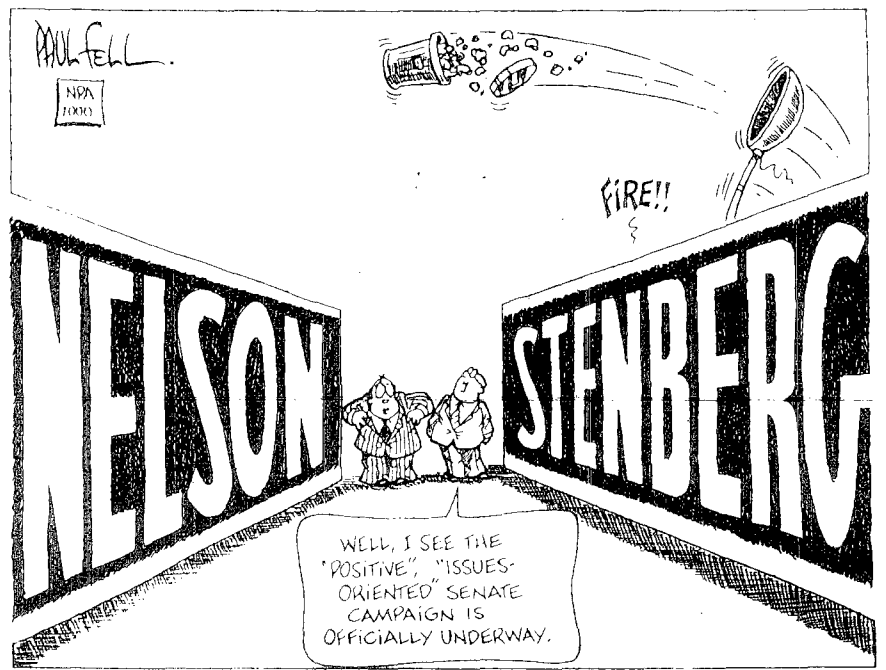
No good will accrue to Nelson by calling, say, GOP Chairman Chuck Sigerson on the phone, and telling him that some Republican ad is unfair. Well, it might give Sigerson a giggle, but that's about it.

In politics, points are awarded for lots of things, usually on a sliding scale. And, usually, fairness is very, very, very low on the scale. It's an easy thing to miss. That's probably

because the public seldom expects it.

One thing should be added here. The references above to the hot buttons of Stenberg and Nelson are legitimate, but I want to make it clear that neither man has ever been publicly accused of being profane, or unduly abusive (in the context of politics) toward folk.

Like most of us, they just hate to get bit in areas of their anatomy which are sensitive to violent trespass. It's not hard to understand. But, when you're running for office, you have to be careful about how you let it show.



Letters

Missing Riley's

Dear Editor,
The closing of Riley's leaves us all with a sense of loss not only for the loss of a first rate restaurant but also for the most adequate convention and meeting place in the area.

A special word of thanks to Rod and Loreta Tompkins for their untiring efforts to bring about such a first class facility to the community as well as their loyalty to Wayne in so many other fine endeavors to the cultural betterment of our town.

We indeed share with others our personal sadness in the closing of Riley's. We also hope that our city leaders will strive to provide this facility for the community of "fine dining" with class and that special feeling of a restaurant rather than the "let's get in and get out" that comes with "fast food outlets" that we seem to be saturated with.

Thanks again, Rod and Loreta for the wonderful memories of Riley's.
Ted and Lois Youngerman,
Wayne

'Every Woman Matters,' get a cancer checkup right away

Every Woman Matters says Celebrate Life Get a Checkup! A reminder to get a mammogram and Pap test just might provide the gift of life according to the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS).

Whether you're a grandaughter, a wife, a daughter, a grandmother, a wife, a daughter, you deserve good health. Do something very important for yourself and those who love you. Call your doctor to schedule your health exam and mammogram. Early detection of breast cancer can save your life.

"Ask the woman in your life not to put it off another day," said Melissa Leypoldt, Program Manager of the HHS Every Woman Matters Program. "Simply by growing older,

a woman's risk of having breast or cervical cancer gets higher."

Since the Every Woman Matters program began in September, 1992, around 28,880 women have been screened. Of those, 179 breast cancers and 18 cervical cancers were detected according to Leypoldt.

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Call Goldenrod Hills Community Services, Michelle Wiese, at 1-402-529-3533 ext. 26 to obtain an Every Woman Matters enrollment packet.



Waterfun

Wayne Fifth graders participated in a water program designed for middle school students in northeast Nebraska. The event was held on the Wayne State College campus. There were around 475 students from 18 schools registered for the event. Julie Negas and Paul Hagar of KCAU-TV were keynote speakers.

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Karen Meyer

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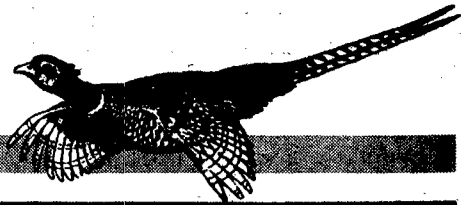
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Honor students

A number of junior high and high school students were recognized recently during the 37th annual Scholastic Achievement Banquet. The event included dinner, an address by Dr. Sheila Stearns and presentation of the honor students by Terry Munson, Guidance Counselor at Wayne High School and Richard Metteer, Middle School Principal. Seniors recognized included, front row, left to right, Jessica Washler, Kinton Keller, Dustin Schmelts, Jon Gathje and Sarah Holstedt. Back row, Amy Magnuson, Noel Sunderman, Caitlin Blaser, Kristin Wilson, Elizabeth Campbell and Erin Simpson.



Wayne sprinters dominate districts

The Wayne boys track team placed fourth at the B-4 District Track Meet last week in Pierce, scoring 62 points.

The Blue Devils qualified for state in seven events with senior Gabe Hammer leading the way, qualifying in four events.

Hammer re-wrote the school record books with his winning times of 10.7 in the 100 and 22.1 effort in the 200.

He also placed second in the 400 at 50.7 and was on the second place 4x400 relay, timed in 3:29.7 with teammates Dustin Schmeits, Brad Hochstein and Brad Hansen.

Schmeits also qualified for state in the 400 with a fourth place time of 53.3 while Brad Hansen earned a trip to state with a third place time of 2:07.9 in the 800.

Devin Bethune placed third in the 3200 to earn a trip to state in 10:37.7 and the 4x800 relay team placed second to qualify for state in 8:28.2 with Brandon Garvin, Brad Hansen, Brad Hochstein and Dustin Schmeits.

Wayne's final two points at districts came from sixth place finishes by Jeff Ensz in the 3200 with a 11:01.2 effort and Bethune in the 1600 in 4:56.5.

North Bend Central captured its fourth consecutive district title with 133 points while Albion/Petersburg

was second with 90 and Pierce, third with 76.

O'Neill, Columbus Lakeview, Madison, West Point, Columbus Scotus, Schuyler and Logan View rounded out the field of teams in order.

"The boys competed very well despite the tough district," coach Dale Hochstein said. "It was very windy but there were still a number of personal bests."

Wayne's girls tied for fifth place with 48 points with Columbus Scotus. Pierce won the title with 100 points while Madison scored 75 and Logan View, 66. North Bend was fourth with 60 points.

O'Neill, Albion/Petersburg, Columbus Lakeview, West Point and Schuyler rounded out the field of teams in order.

The Lady Blue Devils qualified for state in four events including Amanda Maryott's efforts in the sprints.

The junior won the 100 meter dash in 12.2 while placing second in the 200 in 26.0.

Leah Dunklau earned a state berth with a second place time of 15.5 in the 100 hurdles and the 4x100 relay team placed second in 51.4 with Maryott, Dunklau, Sara Ellis and Monica Novak.

The girls 4x800 relay just missed a

trip to state with a third place time of 10:20.9 with Andrea Bethune, Sara Ellis, Jess Murtaugh and Katie Walton.

The 4x400 relay team placed fourth in 4:21.4 with Mandy Hansen, Sara Ellis, Amanda Maryott and Heather Zach.

Murtaugh finished fifth in the 800 in 2:35.5 with Zach placing sixth in the 400 in 66.3. Novak was sixth in the 100 in 12.7.

"Once again the girls competed very well against some of the best competition in northeast Nebraska," Hochstein said. "We just missed state berths in several events."

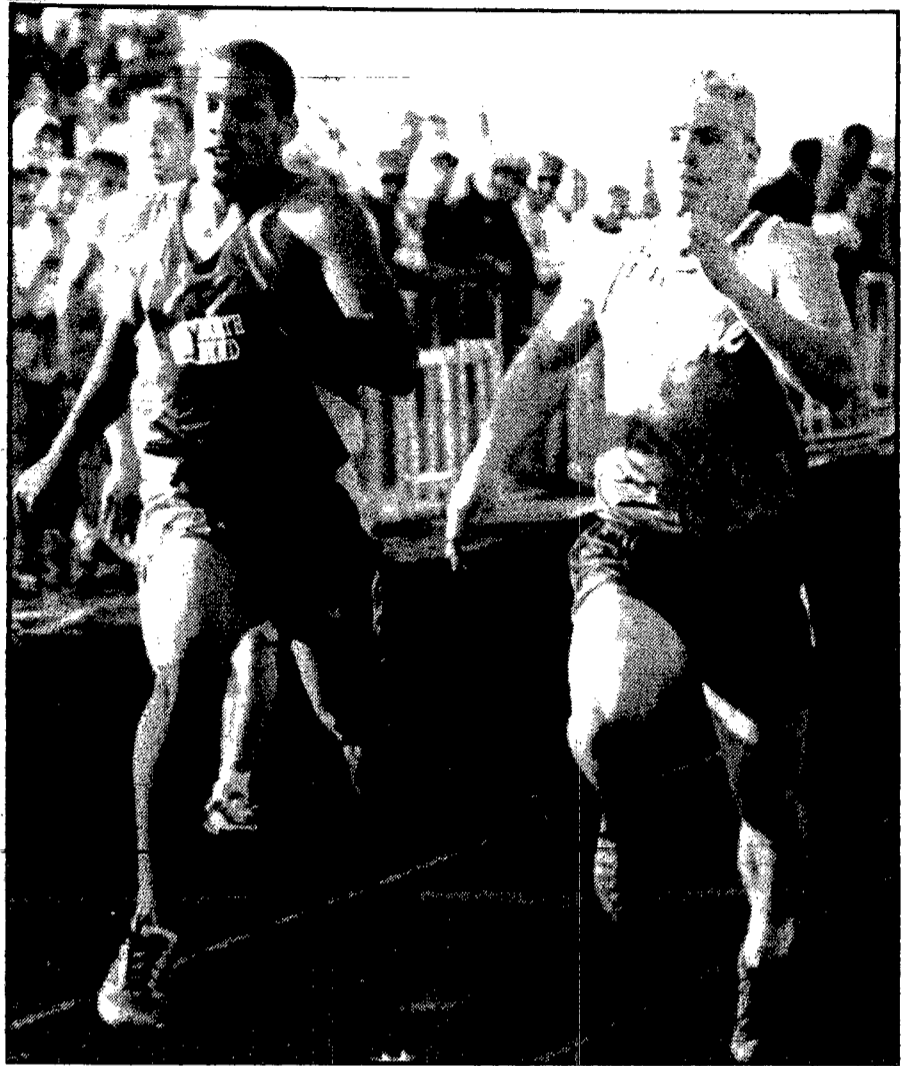
Wayne will take part in the first session of the State Track Meet on Friday at Omaha's Burke Stadium at 9 a.m.



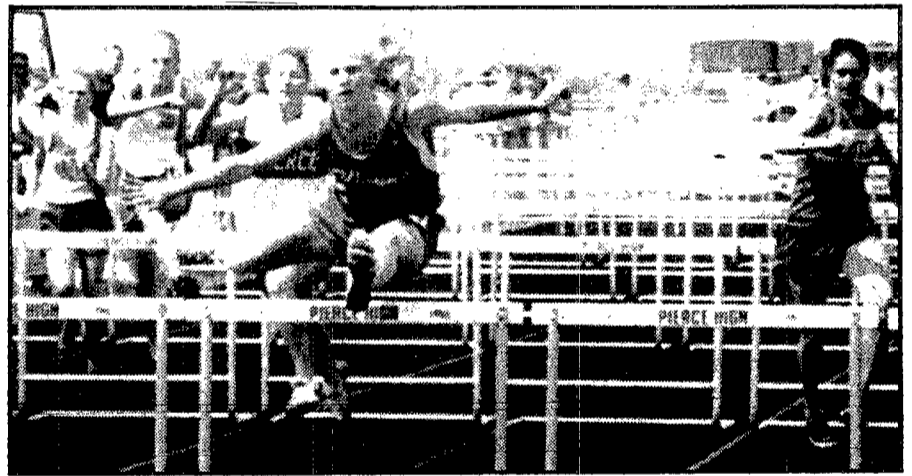
Devin Bethune and Jeff Ensz keep pace in the 3200 meter run. Bethune qualified for state.



Gabe Hammer and Jeff Fisher of North Bend Central congratulate each other after the 200 meter dash finals.



It was nearly a photo finish in the finals of the 200 meter dash but Gabe Hammer edges North Bend Central's Jeff Fisher.



Leah Dunklau cruises ahead of the rest of the field in the prellims of the 100 meter hurdles. Dunklau placed second in the finals.



Amanda Maryott sprints to the finish line in first place during her 100 dash prellims at districts.

WSC baseball team ends season

The Wayne State baseball team suffered a disappointing end to an other wise solid season, dropping back-to-back games at the Northern Sun Conference Tournament last weekend.

John Manganaro's team fell to Southwest State, 3-1 in the first round before falling to Minnesota-Duluth in the loser's bracket, 6-5, thus ending the year at 31-19.

Brady Borner was tagged with his second loss of the season against 10 wins in the opening loss to Southwest State.

Borner struck out 11 and scattered five hits while allowing three runs.

WSC meanwhile, managed just four hits, all singles from Rob Watt, Joey Baldwin, Brian Zimmerman and Mike Blohm.

Borner did retire 13 consecutive batters but so did Mustangs pitcher Jeremy Hebl.

WSC's loss to the Bulldogs was especially tough to swallow since they allowed three runs in the bottom of the final inning with the winning run being walked in.

Adam Walkenhorst was the losing

pitcher in relief of Aaron Hyde.

WSC was out-hit, 8-7 with Brian Zimmerman lacing a pair of singles to lead the way. Eric Fitch blasted his 11th homerun of the year and Andy Schultz doubled while Joel Tremblay, Rob Watt and Gary Redden each singled.

THREE WSC PLAYERS were selected to the 2000 All-Northern Sun Intercollegiate Baseball Team. Two others were named to the honorable mention list.

Pitcher Brady Borner, outfielder Brian Zimmerman and first baseman Eric Fitch were first team selections. Borner was named the NSIC Pitcher of the Year.

In addition, shortstop Joel Tremblay and pitcher Aaron Hyde received honorable mention recognition.

Borner, a junior from Chaska, Minnesota was the most dominant pitcher in the league. In five league games, he compiled a 4-0 record with three complete games and two shutouts.

In 31 2/3 innings, he compiled a 1.99 earned run average to go along with 54 strikeouts.

Zimmerman, a junior from

Omaha, was a key figure in the Wildcat offense. In 16 NSIC games, Zimmerman had a .379 batting average with 22 hits, 19 runs scored, six homeruns and 15 rbi.

Fitch, a junior from Blair enjoyed a strong season after sitting out the 1999 season with an injury. Named to the All-NSIC team as a utility player, Fitch had a .420 batting average in 16 league contests. He collected 21 hits, 19 runs, six doubles, four homeruns and 15 rbi. He also drew 12 walks. In addition, he committed just one error in 111 fielding chances for a .991 fielding percentage.

Tremblay, a junior from Calgary, Alberta ignited the Wayne State offense. The team's leadoff hitter, Tremblay posted a .379 batting average with 22 hits, 14 runs, six doubles, one homerun and 16 rbi.

Hyde, a sophomore from Hastings, was the 'Cats number two pitcher. In three starts, Hyde compiled a 2-1 record with a pair of complete games. In 18 2/3 innings pitched, Hyde struck out 17 batters and walked only two, to go along with a 4.34 earned run average.

Allen has two state qualifiers

The Allen track teams competed at districts last week with the girls placing sixth with 51 points.

Newcastle won the team title with 126 points with Bancroft-Rosalie netting 125.5.

Stacey Martinson led the Eagles, winning the 100 meter dash in 13.0 while placing third in the 200 in 27.5.

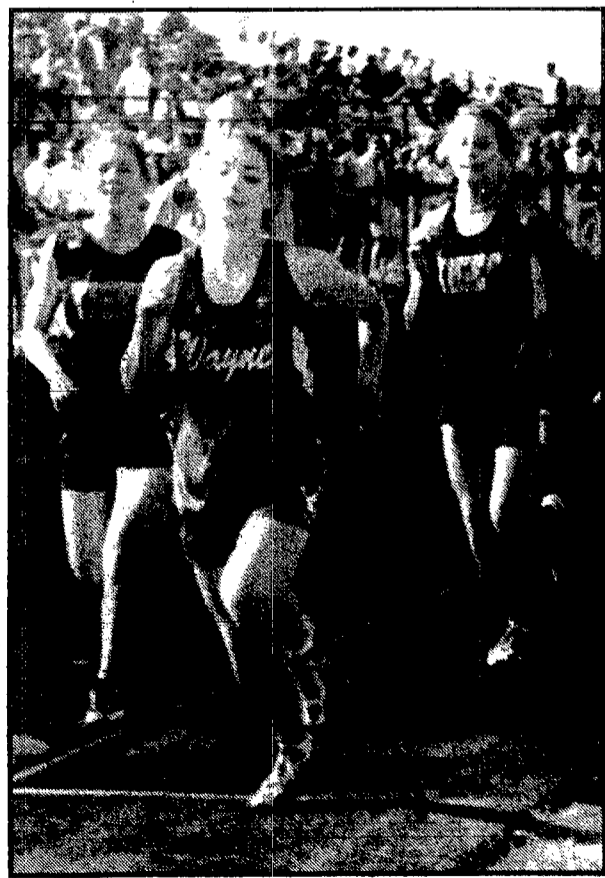
The Eagles 4x800 relay finished second in 10:54.9 with Katie Koester, Melissa Wilmes, Angie Sullivan and Elizabeth Bock.

Alicia Liebsch was third in the 400 in 65.1 and the 4x400 relay was third in 4:31.4 with Melissa Wilmes, Elizabeth Bock, Martinson and Liebsch.

The Eagles 4x100 relay team was fourth in 55.9 with Jesse Bupp, Mindy Smith, Martinson and Liebsch.

On the boys side, Allen placed seventh with 36 points. Bancroft-Rosalie was the district champs with 122 points while Newcastle was second with 89.

Joe Sullivan paced the Eagles by winning the triple jump at 42-1 while placing second in the high jump at 5-8 and long jump at 19-9.5.



Jessica Murtaugh stays ahead of the pack in the 800 meter run as they begin the second lap during district track action last week. Murtaugh finished fifth in the race and just missed qualifying for State.

Wayne golfers earn another trip to State

By Kevin Peterson
Of the Herald

The Wayne boys golf team hung on for a third place finish at the Class B-1 District Golf Meet, Tuesday in Wayne—thus earning a trip to next week's State Golf Tournament in Lincoln.

Terry Munson's team held a two-stroke lead at the half way point with a 155 aided by senior Joel

Munson's even par 36 and defending state champion Klinton Keller's 37.

However, Wayne struggled on the back and basically limped in with a 164 and a 319 total.

Omaha Skutt and Schuyler tied for first place in the team standings with a 318 with defending state team champs, Elkhorn finishing fourth with a 321. Elkhorn will not get the chance to defend its state

title for failure to qualify for this year's State Meet.

Wahoo finished fifth at 324 followed by Omaha Gross, 327. Blair and Pierce carded 340's and Madison, 341 with Omaha Roncalli netting a 351 and Elkhorn Mt. Michael, 363. Wisner-Pilger-Beemer was last at 365.

Jason Petersen of Madison was fourth at 77 with Troy Schwartz of Wahoo placing fifth at 77. Adam

Dawson of Skutt was sixth at 77 and Brian Jakubowski of Schuyler was seventh at 78.

Phil Roth of Elkhorn placed eighth with a 79 and Wayne's Joel Munson was ninth at 79 while Skutt's Dan Yelick was 10th with a 79.

The top 10 individuals also qualify for state.

Munson expressed his appreciation for the administration in the hosting of the event.

"The field was as tough as it was advertised to be," Munson said. "A total of nine strokes separated first from fifth. Conditions were ideal."

Munson said the added pressure on his kids for hosting the district meet may have taken a toll.

"We were leading the field at the turn and we usually play better on the back but not today," Munson said. "I am very proud of this team

for earning Wayne's 14th trip to state in the past 15 years. I also believe this team can make some noise at next week's state tournament."

Individually, Schuyler's Nick Muller was medalist with a 73 while Elkhorn's Justin Schmidt was second at 74.

Wayne's Klinton Keller finished third with a 75 despite a bogey on the final two holes.

"Wayne Country Club and staff did a great job with is nothing unusual," Munson said. "The grounds crew did a super job and the score keepers and markers were all on time and did a great job. Rocky Ruhl, Dave Hix and Jeremy

Sievers were in charge of the scoring at the head table."

State will take place on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Wayne placed third a year ago and sixth in 1998. The Blue Devils tied for fifth in 1997 and placed seventh in 1996 while placing fifth in 1995.



The Wayne golf team is state bound for the 14th time in 15 years. Pictured from left: Jason Parks, Mike Varley, Klinton Keller, coach Terry Munson, Joel Munson, Adam Ellingson.



Joel Munson hits his second shot on number nine during his even par front score of 36.



Mike Varley chips out of the sand on hole 17 during district action, Tuesday.



Klinton Keller keeps his head down on his approach from 80 yards out on hole 15. Keller birdied the hole.



Jason Parks tees off on hole 18 as Wayne's number five golfer.



Adam Ellingson rolls his putt up the tier on hole number nine.



Mike Varley clenches his fist in excitement after saving his par on the par three 17th after being in the sand on his tee shot. Varley fired an 82 and the senior will join fellow seniors Klinton Keller, Joel Munson, Adam Ellingson and Jason Parks at the State Golf Meet.

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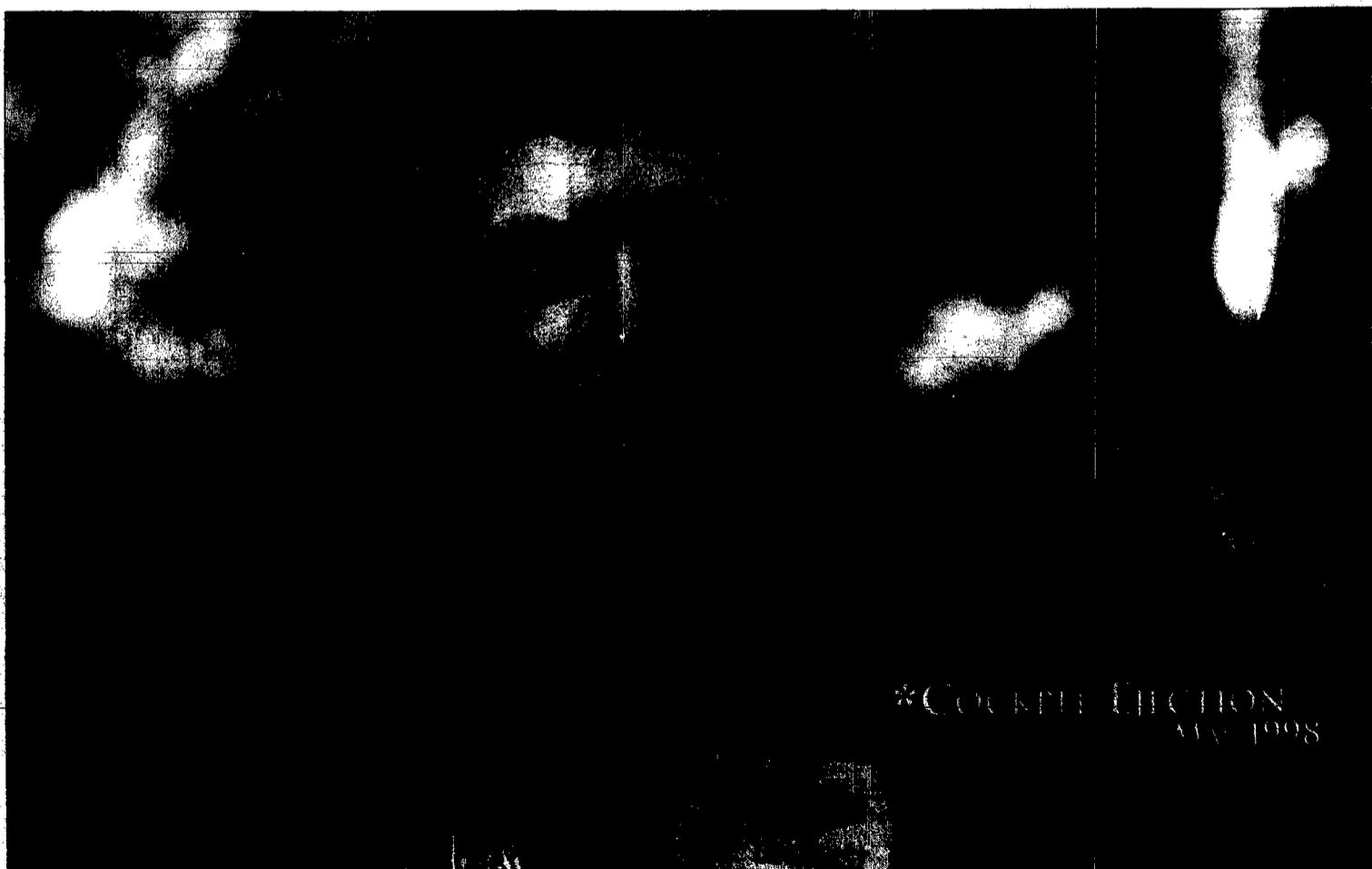
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Wayne Town Team baseball returns; Win opener by 10

Wayne's Town Team Baseball squad began season play last week with a 14-4 victory at Hartington.

Ryan Stoltenberg earned the pitching victory for the locals in their first town team game since the mid 1980's.

Craig Wetterberg pitched the final two innings which ended after seven due to the 10-run rule.

Rusty Hamer paced the offense with four hits including a pair of doubles and two singles while Dusty

Jensen blasted a homerun and double.

Robbie Sturm doubled and single with Matt Clausen notching two base hits. Shannon Dorcey, Jeremy Lutt and Robbie Nelson each singled.

The infield turned two double plays.

Tuesday in Wayne the locals lost an 8-5 decision to Wakefield. Darin Jensen was the losing pitcher, giving up six runs in the first two innings.

Chad Metler came in to pitch the final seven innings and allowed just two unearned runs while pitching a solid game.

Wayne out-hit the visitors, 8-7 with Rusty Hamer notching two base hits to lead the way.

Brian Lentz belted a triple with Shannon Dorcey, Robbie Sturm, Dusty Jensen, Ryan Stoltenberg and Matt Clausen each netting base hits.

Wayne is playing in the Cedar County League which is beginning

its 70th year of play.

Teams in the league include Wakefield, O'Neill, Wynot, Fordyce, Crofton and Hartington. The team is currently being sponsored by Wayne East, White Dog Pub, State National Bank and Trust Company, State National Insurance Agency, First Source Title & Esrow and Stadium Sports.

Wayne will play at Crofton on Saturday.

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State bound

Brad Hansen sprints to the finish line in the final leg of the 4x800 relay in which Wayne qualified for state. Hansen and teammates will compete in the State Track Meet's first event on Friday morning.

Athletic Banquet slated

Wayne High School's annual Spring Athletic Banquet will be held on Thursday, May 25 at 6:45 p.m. in the Frey Room in the Student Center on the campus of Wayne State College.

The cost is \$9 per ticket and tick-

ets can be purchased at First National Bank, State National Bank, Farmers & Merchants Bank and the high school.

The keynote speaker will be Ryan Williams, head women's basketball coach at Wayne State.



Progress continues

Members of the Softball Association put up signs along the new fence at the softball complex. A number of improvements have been made at the complex this spring after a \$50,000 grant was received.

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Sports Briefs

Wayne Men's Amateur Golf Open May, 28

WAYNE—Wayne's annual Amateur Golf Open is slated for Sunday, May 28 at the Wayne Country Club. Tee times can be reserved by calling 375-1152. The tournament is flighted by handicap and then played scratch within your flight. The championship flight will play 27 holes with the low 24 scores from the first 18 included. All ties will be included for the championship nine.

Future Stars baseball camp set for May, 30

WAYNE—Wayne Baseball's Future Stars Camp will be held on Tuesday, May 30 at Hank Overin Field in Wayne. Wayne T-Ball, Little League and Pony League players ages 10-14 are eligible to attend.

The camp, \$15 per person, goes from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. with a one-hour lunch break from noon-1 p.m. The cost includes a T-shirt. Pre-registration is required by Tuesday, May 23.

Stars from the past will instruct the stars of tomorrow. Those planning on instructing include Rusty Hamer, Jess Zeiss, Mike Meyer, Justin Thede, Rob Sturm, Jamey Holdorf along with the current coaching staff of Chad Metzler, Jeff Zeiss and Brian Lentz.

For further information call 375-4803.

High school track sweats to be ordered

WAYNE—The Wayne High Track Sweats will be ordered June 2. Wolf Sportswear will again custom make the sweats as in the past. Full sets will cost \$102. Individual tops cost \$60, while pants are \$50. This includes the Wayne High insert in the pants, "Wayne High" sewn on the back of the jacket, and your name printed on both items. Fifty percent down is requested upon ordering with the balance due upon arrival in August.

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Baseball Association to hold pancake feed

WAYNE—The Wayne Baseball Association will be holding its annual pancake feed on Sunday, May 21 at the Wayne Vet's Club from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. The cost is \$3.50 for adults and \$2 for children under 13. All proceeds will go to the Wayne baseball teams.

Wayne High Golf Standout Signs with WSC

WAYNE—Wayne High School golf standout has signed a national letter of intent to attend Wayne State College and participate on the men's golf team.

Keller shot a record 139 to win the Class B state championship last year. He also helped lead Wayne to a third-place finish in the team standings. After averaging a 75 during the 1999 season, Keller also won the individual crown at the district championships. In addition, he was the 1999 Cornhusker State Games champion, and he participated in the Optimist International Junior Tournament in Florida.

A standout football and basketball player, Keller was a two-time academic all-state selection in all three sports. In addition, Keller was an honorable mention all-state quarterback in 1999 after he set six school passing records.

Wayne State placed among the top four teams at every meet last fall. The Wildcats won the Dordt invitational and placed third at the Northern Sun Intercollegiate Conference Championships with a team score of 632.



State qualifiers

The Allen Track teams participated in the District D-3 track meet held at South Sioux City on May 10. State qualifiers are Joe Sullivan and Stacey Martinson.

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Traditional Wayne State graduation

Wayne State College graduates were able to have a traditional graduation ceremony on May 6. Many people were on hand to enjoy the nice weather and beautiful setting of the Willow Bowl located on the Wayne State College campus. More than 400 students participated in commencement exercises. U.S. Congressman Doug Bereuter was speaker. Several Wayne State faculty were recognized for their years of service.

Teacher recognized with award from Dana College

In a ceremony held at Dana College, Edith Zahniser was presented the Duden Award in recognition of her outstanding efforts and achievement in the teaching of German. This national award is administered by the American Association of Teachers of German for the German publishing house of Bibliographisches Institute and F.A. Brockhaus AG. Ms. Zahniser received a certificate and a Duden Dictionary. Edith Zahniser is the German teacher at Wayne High School. Klaus Hinnichs, director of Bibliographisches Institute and F.A. Brockhaus AG explains, "We wanted to honor German instructors in the United States. Their role in preparing students to participate in the International marketplace is critical, and often overlooked. This preparation is increasingly important given recent events and current economic and political trends." Duden is a name well-known among German instructors, since the publication of their first German dictionary in 1880. Duden published by the Bibliographisches Institute and F.A. Brockhaus AG, has been recognized as the worldwide authority for questions of German grammar, orthography and word usage. The company is represented in the United States by Langenscheidt Publishers, Inc.

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SUN & MOON

Sunrise: Fri 6:03 a.m. Sat 6:02 a.m.

Sunset: Fri 8:41 p.m. Sat 8:48 p.m.

Moonset: Fri 10:10 p.m. Sat 11:04 p.m.

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May 26 Full Moon

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Berlin	64 46 pc	57 47 sr	61 52 sh	62 48 c
Buenos Aires	51 44 sr	64 46 pc	66 48 pc	64 46 c
Caracas	90 56 s	89 57 s	89 57 s	87 59 s
Jerusalem	74 47 s	75 48 s	73 48 s	75 49 s
Los Angeles	72 43 s	70 47 pc	73 47 pc	72 47 pc
London	60 41 c	55 48 f	57 45 pc	60 54 c
Madrid	83 52 s	81 54 s	76 49 pc	78 52 pc
Mexico City	75 48 sh	76 51 s	74 51 sh	78 56 c
Moscow	57 34 pc	70 46 pc	61 57 pc	71 52 c
Paris	58 40 pc	55 47 sh	60 41 pc	60 48 pc
Rio de Janeiro	71 59 pc	73 60 pc	75 65 pc	78 66 pc
Rome	75 52 s	77 55 s	75 58 pc	77 55 s
San Juan	86 73 pc	87 73 s	87 72 s	85 73 s
Seoul	73 57 pc	70 57 pc	77 59 pc	80 62 pc
Sydney	67 53 s	70 54 pc	64 52 pc	68 53 s
Tokyo	68 58 pc	72 62 f	71 60 s	73 64 pc
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Wayne High students receive scholarships to attend Wayne State

Kristin Hochstein, Amanda Hansen, Tanya Schwanke, and Rebeca Brumm, all of Wayne, have received scholarships to attend Wayne State College in the fall. All graduated from Wayne High School this spring.

She is a member of the varsity and pep bands and the softball team.

Brumm is the daughter of Janet and Michael Brumm. She plans to



Kristin Hochstein

enroll in the pre-physical therapy program.

Her high school activities include National Honor Society, Tri-M Music Honor Society, band, choir, W Club, and Spanish Club. She is a member of the cross country, basketball, track and softball teams and the WINGS Youth Group.

Hochstein has received a Dr. Walter and Phebe Benthack Scholarship. Hansen has received a James A. Bracken Memorial Scholarship. Schwanke and Brumm have each received a Pac 'n' Save Scholarship.

Hochstein is the daughter of Dale and Laura Hochstein. She plans to major in secondary education and history.

Her high school activities include National Honor Society, Tri-M Music Honor Society, band, choir, W Club, and Spanish Club. She is a member of the cross country, basketball, track and softball teams and the WINGS Youth Group.

Hansen is the daughter of Gene and Karen Hansen.

Her high school activities include National Honor Society, Spanish National Honor Society, band, Spanish Club, and student council. She is a member of the dance squad and the volleyball and track teams.

Schwanke is the daughter of Roger and Maxine Schwanke.



German Club happenings

Top photo, the Wayne High School chapter of Delta Epsilon Phi, the National Honor Society for Students of German, recently welcomed four new members: Caitlin Blaser, Jeff Ensz, Sarah Holstedt and Roy Ley. Erin Simpson, who was inducted last year, officiated and read the ceremony which was held in conjunction with the German Club breakfast. The organization is sponsored by Edith Zahniser. Bottom photo, two weeks ago Dana College was the site for the awards ceremony honoring those Nebraska high school students who excelled on the National German Test given in January of this year. Two Wayne High students, Caitlin Blaser and Sarah Holstedt, and their teacher, Edith Zahniser, attended the event. Other honored students from Wayne unable to attend were Kristin Echtenkamp, Kenneth Kopperud, Kathryn Taber, and Ann Temme. All received certificates from the National Association for Teachers of German. Ann Temme placed seventh in the state on Level 2, and Caitlin Blaser fifth on Level 3. E. Zahniser was presented the Duden Award, a national award administered by the AATG for the German publishing house F.A. Brockhaus AG for "her outstanding efforts and achievement in the teaching of German."



Holstedt selected for honors program at Oklahoma State

Sarah Holstedt, daughter of Craig and Susan Holstedt of Wayne, has been selected for the CEAT Scholars Program in the College of Engineering, Architecture and Technology at Oklahoma State University.

Holstedt is one of only 20 students selected from over 200 qualified applicants. She plans to major in architectural engineering.

The purposes of the CEAT Scholars Program are to accelerate professional and leadership development, stimulate intellectual growth, develop career awareness and cultural perspectives and develop interpersonal skills. The

approaches used include foreign travel, regional and national tours, personal contact with industry leaders, special lectures and personal development.

The enrichment activities include a 10 to 12-day summer tour within the United States after the second year and a 12 to 14-day summer tour abroad after the third year. These tours include visitations of major firms and historical sites.

Sarah has also received Oklahoma State's Non-Resident Incentive Scholarship which covers out-of-state tuition and the Dean's Academic Excellence Scholarship.



Jennifer Nelson, far left, Eagles Auxiliary President, representing the Wayne Fraternal Order of Eagles Auxiliary, awarded PROJECT ACCESS of Norfolk a \$1000 grant from the Jimmy Durante Foundation. Accepting for PROJECT ACCESS is John Sievers, far right. Standing next to Sievers is Karen Shattuck, PROJECT ACCESS Youth Specialist and standing in between Shattuck and Nelson is Erin Arneson, executive board member of the Northeast Nebraska RYDERS regional drug-free group and member of FRIENDS drug-free group in Wayne.

Eagles Auxiliary awards grant to Project ACCESS

The Wayne Fraternal Order of Eagles Auxiliary awarded PROJECT ACCESS of Norfolk, a \$1000 grant from the Jimmy Durante Foundation at their May 15 meeting.

PROJECT ACCESS, the Northern Nebraska Education and Resource Center for the Prevention of Problems Associated with Alcohol and Other Drugs, is one of seven state certified prevention centers in Nebraska. PROJECT ACCESS provides prevention programming in a 22 county area known as Region IV Mental Health and Substance Abuse Services District.

PROJECT ACCESS will be changing its name to Prevention Pathways effective July 1, 2000.

"We needed a new name that more clearly describes what it is we do," said John Sievers, Executive Director. "Our agency helps individuals, families, organizations and communities create conditions and foster attributes that promote, protect and enhance the health and well-being of people. Prevention is a proactive process. Our agency can help people get on a healthy pathway and reduce the risks for problems associated with alcohol, tobacco and other drugs."

The staff of PROJECT ACCESS provides technical assistance through prevention education, information dissemination, community organizing, youth services, and early intervention.

PROJECT ACCESS operates a clearinghouse and library with over 3,500 books, videos, and other print material on topics ranging from par-

enting issues to alcohol and other drug abuse prevention curricula.

One of the agency's most successful initiatives is the Parent Connection that has developed a media program called "Growing a Healthy Community." It provides weekly messages on how to cultivate and support a nurturing environment for children, youth and families. "Growing a Healthy Community" is broadcast daily on six area radio stations and printed in several local newspapers.

In March of this year, PROJECT ACCESS and its youth advisory board (RYDERS-Region IV Youth Board Directing Efforts to Reach Success) sponsored the third Annual Drug Free Regional Mini-Retreat at Wayne State College. Funds from the Jimmy Durante Grant will be used to defray expenses from the retreat. This year's retreat had over 150 participants and included activities such as motivational speakers, energizers, mixed family groups, a dance, food and overall fun.

Wayne youth who are members of RYDERS are Erin Arneson and Kristin Ewing. The adult sponsor for the group is Herald Reynolds of Wayne. Technical assistance for the board is provided by PROJECT ACCESS Youth Specialist, Karen Shattuck, of Wayne.

The young people who serve on the board represent their local drug-free youth groups, as well as other drug-free youth from northern Nebraska. The Jimmy Durante Grant will not only help the youth board cover costs for the retreat, but it will allow them to provide even more support for all the drug-free youth in northern Nebraska.

For more information about prevention, the drug-free youth programs, or the retreat, please contact PROJECT ACCESS at 402-370-3113.

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Ms. Jeanne Galend

WEEKLY Health TIP

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Arneson chosen to attend National Youth Summit

Erin Arneson, 17, of Wayne has been selected to represent the First Congressional District of Nebraska as its youth delegate to the National Youth Summit, hosted by Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD).

This event will be held from Sept. 29-Oct. 4, in Washington, DC, in

youth and discuss and develop proposed solutions to underage drinking. The summit delegation will travel to Capitol Hill for a briefing on the floor of the House of Representatives, followed by a news conference on the steps of the Capitol.

She will also meet personally with Congressman Doug Bereuter of Nebraska to discuss the problem of underage drinking in Nebraska and possible solutions. Upon returning home, Arneson will also share the results of the National Summit and her discussion with Congressman Bereuter with Nebraska legislators in Lincoln.



Erin Arneson

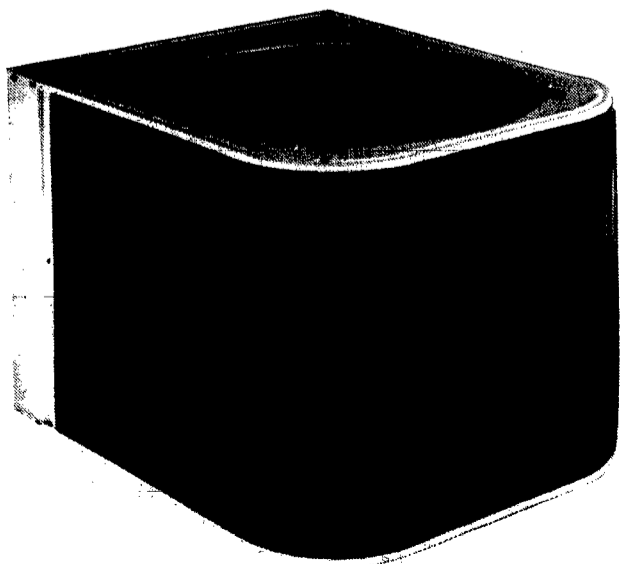
conjunction with MADD's 20th anniversary.

The National Youth Summit deals specifically with the problem of underage drinking and issues related to youth access to alcohol.

Throughout the five-day event, youth delegates will explore the issues surrounding alcohol, the number one drug problem in

Arneson, a Junior at Wayne High School, was selected for this honor based on her demonstrated leadership, character, scholarship, commitment to addressing the problem of underage drinking and willingness to work with MADD chapters locally and nationally.

She is an executive board member of the Northeast Nebraska RYDERS regional drug-free group, member of FRIENDS drug-free group in Wayne, as well as active in Future Business Leaders in America, Spanish Club, band and choir and a variety of volunteer roles, including involvement in Habitat for Humanity and related mission projects at Oklahoma and Montana Indian reservations. She was also selected as Girls State alternate this year. She is the daughter of Marion and Pat Arneson of Wayne.



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Goldman named finalist

Casi Goldman, 9, daughter of Chad and Lisa Goldman of Wayne has been selected as a state finalist in the Miss Nebraska American Coed Pageant to be held July 14-16. The pageant will be held at the Downtown Double Tree Hotel in Omaha.

The pageant is held for girls ages three through 17, each competing within their own age division. The winner of each division will receive a cash award, a full modeling scholarship, the official crown and banner, transportation and trip to Florida where she will enjoy a day in Disney World and compete in a five-day event with other state winners for the national title.

According to pageant officials, since 1983 the American Coed Pageant System has awarded more than eight million in scholarships and awards to deserving young

ladies.

The pageants are for "Tomorrow's Leaders", with goals and dreams based on inner beauty, as well as poise, appearance and an "all-American spirit for the family, fun and friends."

Emphasis is placed on the importance of gaining self confidence, learning new skills, learning good attitudes about competition and setting and achieving personal goals.

The pageant seeks to recognize the accomplishments of each girl while encouraging her to set goals for the future.

Casi is involved in Girl Scouts, softball and swimming. She also enjoys sewing, her cat and being with her family.

Miss Goldman is not being sponsored at this time.



Loetscher on Dean's list

Jolene Loetscher of Wayne has been named to the Dean's List at Northwestern University for the winter quarter 2000.

Jolene is a junior majoring in broadcast journalism at

Northwestern's Medill School of Journalism in Evanston, Ill.

She is the daughter of Eliene Loetscher of Wayne and granddaughter of Eldon and Bernice Loetscher of Emerson.

The Principal's Office

by Dr. Don Zeiss, Wayne High Principal

Under Pressure — Helping Your Teen Cope

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Share Your Experience — Talk to your teen about the pressures you face. Explain how you respond when others want you to do something you don't agree with. Examples: A friend wants you to call in sick to work and spend the day with her instead. A co-worker asks you to lie to your boss about a mistake he made.

Reward Good Decisions — When your high schooler makes a good decision under pressure, reward him with added responsibility. Examples: You kept your curfew for three months, so I'm extending it a half hour." "Since you've studied hard and brought up your grades, you can get a part-time job."

Digging up the past

Casey Daehnke, a senior at Wayne High School, returned to St. Mary's Elementary School last week to participate in several reading activities and to dig up a time capsule that members of his class had buried while they were students at the school. Among the items that were buried were a pop can and prayer cards.

Erin Milander is awarded Horatio Alger scholarship

Erin Milander of Wayne has been awarded the Horatio Alger Nebraska Scholarship valued at \$2,500 to be used for up to four years.

Horatio Alger Nebraska Scholarships are awarded on the basis of a student's integrity, self-reliance, determination, and perseverance in overcoming adversity; critical financial need; personal potential; academic achievement; school and community involvement; work history; character; and promise of contribution to society.

Milander is the daughter of Dean and Karen Milander and grand daughter of Julia Stuthman of Wayne and Wendell and Lois Milander of Hartington. She is a senior at Wayne High School. She is enrolled at Wayne State College for the fall of 2000 and will double

major in Criminal Justice and Psychology.



Discovery camper

Emily Ramold, a fifth grade student at Wayne Middle School, will be attending the National Arbor Day Foundation's Discovery Camp June 18-24 in Nebraska City. The Wayne Rotary Club is helping to sponsor Emily's participation in the camp which focuses on environmental stewardship principles and nature investigation. With Emily is Rotary President Lance Webster.

Children's Theatre planned

A Children's Theatre will be held in Wayne during the month of June. Rehearsals will be held June 5-8 and June 12-16 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

A dress rehearsal will be held June 22 with the play to be presented at 6:30 p.m.

Directing this year's theatre will be Emily Lutt, a junior at Wayne

High School. She has been involved in a number of theatre productions for more than five years.

Children completing second through eighth grade are invited to participate in the theatre.

Information will also be distributed to area school students.

To register, call Mick Kemp at 375-1936.

News briefs...

Eagles auxiliary presents check

AREA — The Wayne Eagles auxiliary met May 15 with Madam President Jennifer Nelson presiding.

Madam President Nelson presented a \$1,000 grant to John Sievers and Karen Shattuck of Project Access, a drug use prevention program throughout northeast Nebraska. Erin Arneson was also on hand for the presentation and spoke briefly on the RYDERS group.

Both groups target Middle School and high school youth.

The Eagles Club scholarship winner was Joel Munson and the Eagles Club Auxiliary scholarship winner was Darci Bargholz.

The Mother's Day Tea is scheduled for Sunday, May 21 at 2 p.m. It will include a short program.

Installation of officers will be held Thursday, May 25 at 8 p.m. Lunch will be served following the installation.

The public is invited to attend a Steak Fry scheduled for Saturday, June 2 from 6 to 9 p.m. Steak, baked potatoes and an all-you-can-eat salad bar will be included.

Mardella Olson served lunch.

The next regular meeting will be Monday, June 5 at 8 p.m. Jan Gamble will serve.

P.E.O. Chapter meets at Wayne State College

WAYNE — Chapter ID P.E.O. met May 11 in the Family and Consumer Science laboratory on the campus of Wayne State College. Co-hostesses were Sandra Metz and Judy Lindberg, who also presented a program on educational technology.

Rita Keller and Glenda Reinert presented an update report on the P.E.O. Educational Loan Fund program and Scholarship Chair Susan Holstedt reported that the recipient of the Chapter ID P.E.O. local scholarship is Darci Bargholz, who will attend Northeast Community College this fall.

President Pat Arneson reported on the regional officers workshop held on April 27 and attended by President Patricia Arneson, Corresponding Secretary Donna Ewing, Recording Secretary Judy Lindberg, Treasurer Susan Holstedt, Guard Marilyn Yates and Chaplain Judy Lindberg.

The next meeting will be held Thursday, June 8 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Claudia Koeber.

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Students in Mrs. Benshoof's class attending Junior Fire Patrol included, front row, left to right, Andrea Pleper, Maddie Jager, Faye Roeber, Kelynn Cyr, Casi Goldman and Reggie Ruhl. Back row, Taylor Racely, Michelle Jarvl, Josh Barker, Josh Stuber, Christopher Petite, Bianca Garlick and Sam Kurpgweit.



Students in Mr. Reikofski's class attending Junior Fire Patrol included, front row, left to right, Jasemine Woldt, Olivia Orwig, Kaitlyn Centrone, Mellssa Heggemeyer and Mirisa Carroll. Back row, Ashley Kudrna, Matt Pohlman, Bill Smith, Sheldon Onderstal and Max Stednitz.



Those in Mrs. Ruskamp's class involved with Junior Fire Patrol included, front row, left to right, Jordan McDonald, Cheyane Mrsny, Courtney Preston, Jessica Kranz, McKenzie Stouffer, Erica Brenner and Brittany Lozano. Back row, Nick McDermott, Eric Carstens, Lucas Ruwe, Brooke Stowater and Makayla Schmolli.

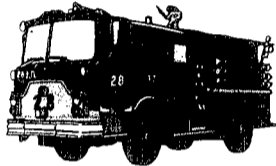


Carroll Elementary fourth grade students involved in Junior Fire Patrol included, front row, left to right, Elizabeth Shulthels, Katie Claussen and Abigail Kenny. Back row, Shawn Jenkins, Megan Loberg, Kendall Jones and Becca Dowling.

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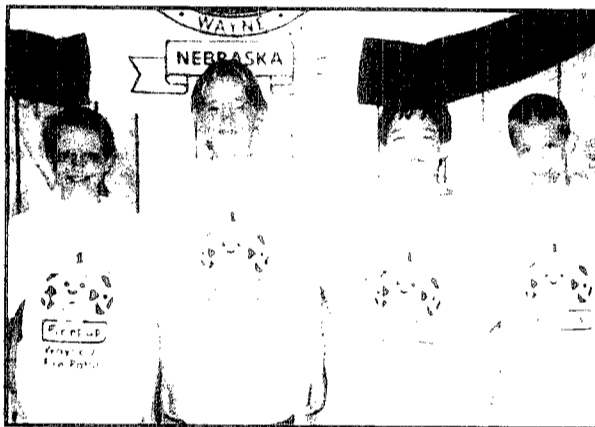


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Samantha Dunklau of District #51 attended Junior Fire Patrol this year. With her is her teacher, Geneva Broomfield.

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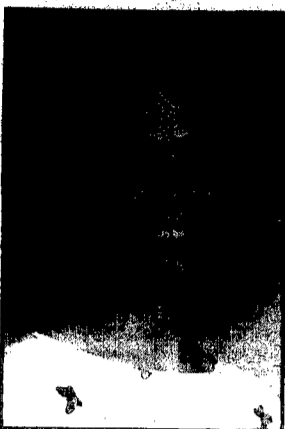
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Harm receives nursing degree from Clarkson

Kevin Harm of Wayne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harm of Yankton, S.D., graduated with a Master of Science in Nursing degree from Clarkson College in Omaha on April 29.

Harm is a member of the Omicron Epsilon Chapter of Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing.



Amy Kemp

Kemp named award winner

Amy Kemp of Wayne has been named a United States National Award winner in Physical Education. She was nominated for the award by Mrs. Novak, a teacher at the school.

Kemp's name will appear in the United States Achievement Academy Official Yearbook, which is published nationally.

The Academy selects USAA winners upon the recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy.

The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude, cooperative spirit, and dependability.

Junior wrestlers compete at several meets

Winside junior wrestlers participated in several different wrestling tournaments over the weekend of March 3-5.

On March 3, Creighton hosted a tournament with 11 Winside wrestlers from preschool through 8th grade winning.

First place winners were Katlin Pokorny, 8th grade, and Destiny Nelson, Kindergarten (K).

Second place winners were Eric Morris, 8th, Jarad Thies, 6th, Josh Staub, 6th, and Anthony Nelson, 1st.

Winning third place were Nathan Stevens, 8th, and Christopher Anderson, K.

Fourth place went to Daniel Morris, 7th, Justin Tino, 5th, and preschooler Kevin Anderson.

On March 4, Wayne hosted a tournament for 4th through 12th grades. Winside wrestlers placing at Wayne were Josh Staub with a first place win, Jarad Thies and Kassius Holdorf with second place and Justin Tino with fourth place.

Also on March 4, Katlin Pokorny placed first at Aurora.

Norfolk Catholic Takedown Club held their wrestling tournament on March 4. Taking first place wins at Norfolk were Bo Brummels and Chase Langenberg.

Second place went to Eric Morris, Mark Hawkins, Tucker Bowers and Jordan Brummels.

Placing third were Nathan Stevens, Jesse Thies, Dewey Bowers, Jared Roberts, Travis Brockman, Ethan Thies, Anthony Nelson, Christopher Anderson, Destiny Nelson, and Kevin Anderson.

Winning fourth place were Bryce Roberts and Chris Thies.

On March 5, Winside had three wins at Howells. Nathan Stevens placed second and Katlin Pokorny and Mark Hawkins placed fourth.



Recognizing the nurses

Residents of The Oaks provided lunch for staff nurses last week during National Nurses Week. The nurses were presented with "I Care" pins and a thank you poem was read. Nurses at The Oaks include, left to right, Londa Stowater, Mary Nichols, Valerie Koeber, Julie Frye and Kim Haglund. Not present were Kathy Berry and Linda Morris.



Preschool graduates recognized

Allen preschool graduates this year include Cody Beldin, Dylan Roland, Jacob Dolezal, Jacob Stewart, Seth Malcolm, Jordyn Jensen, Amber Benstead, Cadelyn Leibhart, Kyle Ernst, Brandon Sullivan.

Local students initiated into UN-L honor society

Ryan Junck and Krista Magnuson of Carroll were initiated recently into Phi Beta Kappa honor society at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Junck, son of Dennis and Nancy Junck of Carroll, graduated May 6 with highest distinction. He majored in political science and is a member of Alpha Lambda Delta and Phi Eta Sigma honor societies. He was on the dean's list and is an aide to state Sen. Dwite Pederson.

Magnuson, daughter of Ronald and Karma Magnuson of Carroll,

graduated May 6 with high distinction. She majored in English, is editor of Laurus Magazine and is a Peter Kiewit Distinguished Scholar.

Phi Beta Kappa, founded in 1776, is the oldest and most eminent undergraduate honors organization in the United States. The University of Nebraska chapter was chartered in 1895 and has since then annually initiated undergraduate students with outstanding academic records in the College of Arts and Sciences.

WITCC announces grads

Jenny Thompson of Laurel, Joyce Zulkosky of Wakefield, and Christina Workman of Wayne are among the spring 2000 graduates at Western Iowa Tech Community College (WITCC). Commencement was held May 9 at the Sioux City Auditorium.

Thompson is the daughter of Chuck and Connie Thompson of Laurel.

WITCC conferred degrees in the areas of Business, Office and Engineering Technology, Health and Public Service, and Science, Technology, and Humanities. An ice cream social for WITCC students and their families, faculty, and staff followed the ceremony at Anderson Pavilion.

Note: An asterisk (*) denotes stu-

dents graduating with honors and a plus sign (+) sign denotes Phi Theta Kappa honor society members.

Graduation planned for Stepping Stones

Stepping Stones Preschool will hold its last graduation on Saturday, May 20 at the Wayne High Lecture Hall.

There will be three graduation presentations. Times for the graduations are 1 p.m., 2 p.m. and 3 p.m.

The graduating students will present songs and finger plays they have learned throughout the year. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

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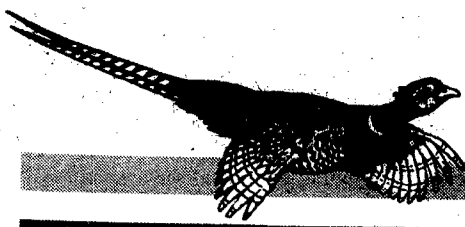
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AWANA awards given

The Awana Awards Ceremony was held April 30 at the Concord Free Church pork sandwich supper served to clubbers, parents and church members.

Children were awarded "Good Workmen Certificates" for participating in the program. Others received ribbons, plaques and trophies for completing one or more

Bible handbooks.

Those children recognized for completing handbooks included:

Cubbies (ages 3-4): Dacia Dickey, Cheyenne Could, Kyle Kardell, Nathan Lunz, Christian McCoy, Jacob Oswald, B.J. Schoning and Jaden Wamstad.

Sparks (grades K-2): First book ribbon — Corrie Dahlquist, Ellie Fick, Kyle Koester, Jared Schoning and Mica Wamstad. Second book ribbon — John Burmester, Matthew Maxon, Dalcy Sherman, Megan Showen and Seth Vanderheiden. Third book plaque — Taryn Dahlquist, Tyler Hansen, Ezra Schantz and Zach Schoning.

Pals (boys, grades 3-4): First book ribbon — Tanner Maxon, Tyler Sherman and Clayton Wamstad. Second book trophy — Charley Green, Nick Hansen, Shaun Kardell and Ben Vanderheiden.

Chums (girls grades 3-4): First book ribbon — Brittany Folkers and Amanda Troyer. Second book trophy — Kacie Gould.

Pioneers (boys, grades 5-6): Third book plaque — Henry Fick, Cody Hartman and Michael Patetheld. Fourth book trophy — Chad Oswald and Breland Ridenour.

Guards (girls, grades 5-6): First book ribbon — Keeley Niemann, Samantha Turney. Second book trophy — Alissa Koester. Third book plaque — Carie Cullison, Katlyn Dahlquist, Michelle Fick and Ashley Maxon. Fourth book trophy — Jessica Dickey and Vicky Green.

JV (grades 7-8): Medalist Award Plaque — Whitney Bloom, Tiffany Erwin, Makayla Hansen and Dena Kardell.

High School Citation Plaque: Daryl Folkers, completed 10 books. Concord Awana Clubs will begin again Wednesday, Aug. 30.



Left to right, Charley Green, Shaun Kardell, Ben Vanderheiden, Tyler Sherman, not pictured, Nick Hansen



Left to right, Whitney Bloom, Tiffany Erwin, Dena Kardell, not pictured, Makayla Hansen



Left to right, Ashley Maxon, Katlyn Dahlquist, Carie Cullison, Jessca Dickey, Vicky Green, and Alissa Koester.

St. Paul ladies hold brunch

The St. Paul Lutheran Ladies Aid & LWML of Carroll met May 10 for a morning brunch with Ellette Schnoor as hostess.

The meeting opened with the League Pledge. Seven members responded to roll call. John Peterson is recovering from cancer surgery. He is to be remembered with a get

well card. The LWML Convention will be held at Lutheran High Northeast in Norfolk June 23-24.

Church cleaning is to be done by July 30. A list of our duties can be found on the bulletin board in the narthex.

The Christian Life Leader included a paradox as written by Pat Meierhenry.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, June 14 will be at 1:30 p.m. A Pot Blessing will be served. Pastor Kihne and Engebretsen are to be invited.

Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

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Monday: Pork cutlet, baked potato, spinach & sauce, rye bread, fruit cocktail.
Tuesday: Beef tips over rice, beets, Top Hat salad, spring cake.
Wednesday: Oven fried chicken, whipped potatoes & gravy, mixed vegetable, broken glass salad, pears.
Thursday: Fish on a bun, tartar sauce, tater tots, peas, coleslaw, cherry crunch.
Friday: Meatloaf, herb baked potato, California blended vegetable, apple Snicker salad, pumpkin bar.

Driving class upcoming

A '55 ALIVE mature Driving eight hour course' will be held locally in June. A schedule for upcoming classes is given.

Class #3 will be held June 8-9 at the Wayne Senior Center. The telephone number is 375-1460.

Class #4 will be held June 15-16 at the Petersburg Senior Center. The telephone number is 386-5211.

Class #5 will be Aug. 24-25 at the Norfolk Senior Center. The telephone number is 371-8299.

Class #6 will be held Oct. 5-6 at West Point Sunshine Senior Center. The phone number is 372-3800.

Each program is a two day class room course at each location consisting of four hours each day from 10 a.m. to noon (lunch) and then from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m., except in

West Point where lunch will be from 11:30 a.m. till 12:30 p.m. each day.

There is no driving involved and there are no tests. The course is designed for those individuals 50 years of age and older and focuses on improving their driving skills.

There is a \$10 fee that enables the program to remain operational nationwide. Certificates will be presented upon completion of the course.

Anyone wanting more information or having questions can contact Richard Richardson, Northeast Nebraska AARP coordinator and instructor for the 55 ALIVE Mature Driving course, at 920 S. 5th St., Norfolk, NE 68701, telephone number: 402-371-4523, or e-mail: rrr@cableone.net

Methodist women hold general meeting

The Wayne United Methodist Women's general meeting was held May 10 with 25 members present.

President Helen Rose called the meeting to order by reading "Talk About Living in Cities" from Response Magazine.

Thank you cards were read from Wayne and Elma Gilliland, Margaret Kenny, District Vice President and Charlotte Reed, District Chairman on Nominations.

Donna Shufelt reported that anyone reading books for the reading program should let her know what books they have read. Marj Porter reported that there would be no mission trip to Kansas City but a monetary gift would be welcome.

School kits, health kits, flood buckets or money can be brought to the church or given to Marj Porter.

Pearla Benjamin reported on table cloths or kitchen carts for the kitchen. The nomination committee reported that a volunteer is needed for secretary to replace Dottie Wacker.

Mona Claybaugh reported on Water & Soil Stewardship.

The group voted to send \$50 to the Kansas City Mission and to give \$5 for mission in honor of the five Wayne high school graduates. The \$100 UMW Candidate Award was awarded to Kim Reinhardt.

The next meeting will be "Guest Day" on June 14 inviting all the in town churches. The Wayne Care Centre needs volunteers on Friday afternoons to help with bingo and other activities.

The July UMW meeting has been changed to 2 p.m. Nominations for outstanding women of the church need to be given to Norma Ehlers before June 1.

Corsages for Mission were given to Dora Stipp and Pauline Merchant in honor of their May birthdays.

Prayer concerns were for Jocell Bull, Joy Gettman, Don Wacker, Orval and Dorothy Brandstetter, Lila and Lloyd Brown, Betty Addison and Al Ehlers.


A program on "Humor" was given by Donna Goosen of Norfolk and Maxine Preston.

The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.


Wayne Care Centre May Birthdays

Residents:	
Dora Claussen	May 2nd
Marie Lebsock	May 7th
Clarence May	May 9th
Lena Wagner	May 18th
Lenora Davis	May 22nd
Ida Chadwell	May 28th
Staff:	
Stella Wamni	May 1st
Matt Nealeigh	May 1st
Gail Elsasser	May 15th
Sara Podany	May 16th
Arlene Watteyne	May 28th
Tamara Rees	May 30th

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ACCEPTED AT MEDICAL CENTER

Andrea Lundahl of Wakefield has been accepted into the School of Allied Health Professions at the University of Nebraska Medical in Omaha. Andrea will pursue a degree in physical therapy.

She graduated from Wayne State College, Summa Cum Laude, earning a Bachelor of Science Degree in Psychology and a minor in Biology in Ceremonies on May 6 at the Willow Bowl.

Andrea is a 1996 graduate of Wakefield High School and the daughter of Bruce and Deborah Lundahl. In addition to attending College classes, Andrea works at Wakefield Health Care Center.

GRADUATES

Austin Lueth of Wakefield was among around 640 students at Northeast Community College to receive degrees and diplomas during ceremonies May 13. He has earned his Associates of Arts degree.

ADDS VACUUM SUPPLIES

Peters Distributing of Sioux Falls, SD announced recently that the Fair Store in Wakefield has been named an Authorized Vacuum Center Outlet. The store will offer vacuum bags and belts for Kirby, Electrolux, Hoover, Eureka and other brands.

SCHOLARSHIP

Ryan Hoffman was the recipient

of a \$500 Gary Pick memorial Scholarship to Southeast Community College, Milford. The school has established a scholarship program to encourage interest in vocational technical education. It recognizes upper classmen demonstrating academic achievement in their program to study at the Milford campus.

Ryan is the son of Terry and Bonnie Hoffman and is a graduate of Wakefield High School.

STATE PATROL PROMOTION

Thomas Schwarten has been promoted to Lieutenant in Nebraska State Patrol's traffic division of Troop A in Omaha. He began his new duties May 8.

Tom's wife, Kim, and two children will be joining him in Omaha as soon as school is out. Tom has been Sergeant of Investigative Services with Troop D in North Platte, the post, five years.

He is a 1983 graduate of Wakefield High School and received his bachelor degree in Criminal Justice from Chadron State College in 1987. He is the son of Weldon and Betty Schwarten.

RECOGNIZED FOR POEMS ON LETTER

Keep Northeast Nebraska Beautiful consisting of 11 counties which includes numerous communities and school, just finished celebrating "the Great American Cleanup" according to coordinator

Linda Kasting.

One of the activities during March and April was a poem/story contest for third through sixth grade students. Over 250 entries from 21 different schools were received and judged.

Wakefield fifth graders dominated that age level. Emily Henderson was judged first, Eric Bodlak, second and Dick Driskell, third.

The winners received t-shirts and monetary gifts for their efforts. Other winners were from Creighton, South Sioux City Cardinals, Wausa, Jackson, Chambers, Lunch, and Randolph.

STATE YOUTH CONFERENCE

Nikki Kay, Brittany Peters and Kala Henschke, all of Wakefield, along with Jessica Bock of Allen attended the Nebraska Development Youth Network State Convention in Lincoln in March.

The purpose of the Conference is to bring to light one of the most important growing problems facing rural communities the loss of their young people. The conference served as a kick-off to the State expansion of the Nebraska Development Youth Network, an organization dedicated to the ideals of getting young people actively involved in their community.

These ideals are achieved by giving young people ownership in the place where they live and opportu-

nities to assume community leadership positions.

The Youth Network also strives to teach young people about entrepreneurial opportunities and to connect them with private businesses and governmental agencies that can help them realize their goals.

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Sunday, May 21: Graduation, 2:30 p.m.

Monday, May 22: Sports Physicals; All-Star program, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, May 23: Dismissal, 11:44 a.m.; State Boys Golf tournament.

Wednesday, May 24: Dismissal, 11:44 a.m.; Last day of school; State Boys Golf tournament

Friday, May 26: Pick up report cards, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Gathje chosen for Scarlet and Cream

Jon Gathje of Wayne is part of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Scarlet and Cream Singers. The University of Nebraska-Lincoln's Scarlet and Cream Singers announced its roster for the 2000-2001 performing season.

Sponsored by the Nebraska Alumni Association and the NU School of Music, the singers are goodwill ambassadors for the university.

The group, which was founded in 1973, includes 16 singers, four musicians and a technical crew. The students will begin rehearsing in August and perform throughout the academic year for university and alumni events, business functions and schools across the state.

Steer and heifer show planned

The Annual Steer and Heifer Show will be held Saturday, June 10 at the Wayne County Fairgrounds.

Registration will be from 9 to 11 a.m. with the show starting at 1 p.m.

The event is sponsored by the Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce Agrribusiness Council. Entry fee is \$15 per head and registration papers are required on all purebred heifers.

There is a \$500 Added Purse and 70 percent payback per class.

On Sunday, June 11 the Nebraska Junior Chianina Association will hold their show.

Entry fee is \$10 and registration deadline is at 8:30 a.m. on June 10.

For more information, contact William J. Claybaugh at (402) 585-4867, Mark Sorensen at (402) 371-1130 or Kristen Sievers at (402) 375-2240.

Briefly Speaking

Country Club holds luncheon

AREA — The Wayne Country Club ladies luncheon was held May 16 with 28 attending. Bridge was played at seven tables.

Hostesses were Dorothy Trautman and Emma Willers. Winners last week were Twila Wiltse, high; Aggie Weber, second high and Phyllis Hix, third high.

Hostesses next week will be Mary Tiernan and Norma Backstrom. For reservations call 375-5680 or 375-2302.

Minerva Club travels to Sioux City

AREA — Eleven members of the Minerva Club traveled to Sioux City on May 8.

The group at lunch at Minerva's Restaurant in Sioux City as their final meeting for the season.

Meetings will resume in September.

Merry Mixers Club holds May meeting

AREA — The Merry Mixers Club met May 9 with Faye Mann for the annual Birthday party for all members.

Nine members answered roll call with "What are your plans for Mother's Day?" Helen Beckman was a guest.

The Birthday song was sung for members who had a birthday and a gift exchange was held for everyone.

There was no old business or new business.

The afternoon was spent playing bingo. Lunch was served at the end of the afternoon.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, Sept. 12 with a tour near Allen.

Roving Gardeners plant flowers

AREA — The Roving Gardeners met at the home of Pearl Youngmeyer on May 11 with nine members present. Roll call was "What was the Best Mother's Day gift ever?"

Pearl read a poem, "I'm doing well for the shape I am in!"

Darlene Topp conducted the meeting. New business included planting flowers in the planter at the Care Centre. There was no old business. The next meeting will be Thursday, June 8 with a tour in different places.

Following the meeting, the group played 10 point pitch. The afternoon closed with the exchange of plants.

Women's Club meets for brunch

WAYNE — The Wayne Women's Club met May 12 at Tacos & More for brunch. Seventeen members and one guest, Jettie Morris, present.

Roll call was "What is your worst fault?"

This was the group's last meeting until fall. They will meet again on Friday, Sept. 15.

Klick and Klatter Club plans yearly tour

WAYNE — The Klick and Klatter Club met May 9 at Grandma Butch's Bed and Breakfast with Marcella Larson as hostess.

Chairman Joyce Niemann opened the meeting with the flag salute. She also read a short quote about Mother. Members answered roll call with "something I remember about my Mother."

Music leader Irene Victor read a humorous "Medical Glossary Terms" article.

Social Leader Pauline Lutt reported that the club is invited to an after Baccalaureate reception for Leonard Buechter.

Viola Meyer was in charge of the program and she had a film on entertainment from Branson, Mo.

Irene Victor and Joyce Niemann received the hostess gifts.

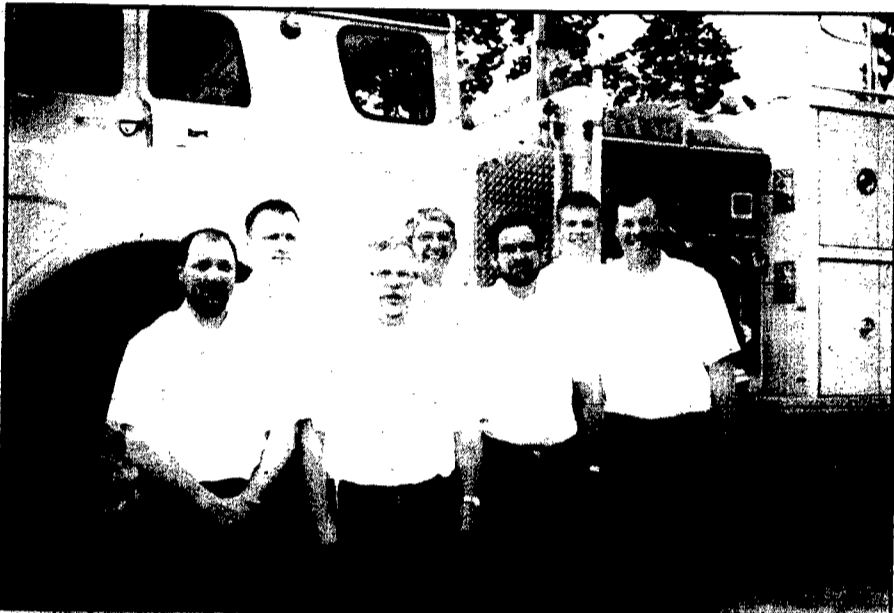
The next meeting will be Monday, June 19. This will be the yearly tour. Members are to meet on the west side of the courthouse at 10:30 a.m. They will have lunch at JD Brothers in Norfolk.

Nelson accepted at William Penn

Dan Nelson of Wayne has been accepted for admissions to William Penn University.

William Penn University is located in Oskaloosa, Iowa and is a four year

liberal arts university. Students are offered a choice of 17 majors and over 1,250 students are enrolled at William Penn from 34 different states and foreign countries.



New officers

New officers were elected for the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department. They are, left to right, Don Forney, Rescue Captain, Shawn Pearcey, President, Tom Mitzel, Treasurer, Robert Woehler, Chief, Tom Schmitz, Secretary, Drew Endicott, Vice President, and Tom Slevers, Second Assistant Chief. Not present, Jim Granquist, First Assistant Chief.

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From Oliver Reservoir in the southwest to Buckskin Hills Wildlife Management Area in the northeast, the new brochure contains detailed information featuring NRD facilities. Charts on each area indicate the availability of fishing, hunting, boating, snowmobile trails, dump stations, showers and much more. It also contains written and mapped directions on how to get to each area, plus color photos of many of the facilities. The new brochure is the first of its kind in Nebraska.

Lower Elkhorn NRD Information and Education Coordinator Julie Wragge said, "The brochure was produced in response to high demand for information about the recreational areas. It is our hope that the interest generated from these brochures will spark increased visitations across the state." She added, "The publication provides quality information to those who enjoy the outdoors."

The brochure was produced with help from a grant by the Nebraska Division of Tourism and Travel. Free copies are available by contacting Julie Wragge at the Lower Elkhorn NRD, P.O. Box 1204, Norfolk, NE 68702-1204 or call (402) 371-7313 or e-mail jwragge@lenrd.org or simply stop by the NRD office in the Lifelong Learning Center on the campus of Northeast Community College in Norfolk.

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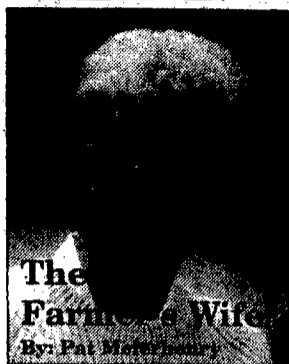
Visitors spend time in familiar surroundings

It's Sunday evening, Mother's Day, and I'm about ready to collapse in bed. It's been another full week. Aren't they all? Right now, I'm waiting for my two guests to check in. They are two sisters, Carol and Claranore, who lived on Church Road in the 30s because their father was the pastor at the church west of us. Clara was a nurse, and I worked with her in Norfolk. She is retired and living in Omaha, and her sister is here from Canada.

They have had a ball, renewing old acquaintances and checking familiar places. Yesterday, they ate at the Murdock Bar and Grill; which, they tell me, was the mercantile then. This morning, they went to church in the old church and to Mahoney for lunch. They even followed the old creek where they played with the little girls who lived in this house.

Those little girls visited here about five years ago. It's been fascinating for me to have former occupants come and reminisce about this place. There have been several families in it since the original owner sold it.

Next month, we'll be having Murdock High School alumni; one,



The Farmwife
By: Pat Mansfield

in her 80s, remembers some of these folks. So, we'll hear some more stories.

For me, this week's high spot has been my niece Sarah's pinning ceremony. I'd never seen one before and it's very impressive. There were 30 nursing graduates at Northeast College; three were men, two were husband and wife. Pins were given by parents, siblings, husbands, and

boy friends, and children! I could only imagine how hard these two years have been, especially for those with part-time jobs and/or families. I don't think I could have done it.

Today, I drove to Utica for the high school graduation of a cousin's son. This cousin lived with us and worked for us for more than two years, and so has always been special to us.

Centennial High school is made up of six communities: Beaver Crossing, Cordova, Gresham, Thayer, Utica, and Waco and was consolidated into one school district in 1967, Nebraska's centennial year. Even though I've had many friends and relatives involved with this school, I had never been in it until today.

There were 77 graduates, more than our entire high school combined. It's just a nice size; not too big, either.

Between retirement, nurses' day, Mother's Day and a birthday, I've been cleaning up like gang busters! Hallmark has profited handsomely, and I have a bunch of thank yous to write. Think I'll do that tomorrow.



Fifth graders volunteer

Wayne Fifth graders recently volunteered their services by planting trees donated by the Wayne Logan Creek Chapter of Pheasant's Forever at the Thompson-Barnes Wildlife Management Area northwest of Wayne.

Low cost loans available for on-farm storage facilities

Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman has announced that USDA will begin making seven-year, low-cost loans to farmers to help build or upgrade commodity storage and handling facilities.

"To get the best price for their crops, farmers need marketing flexibility," Glickman said. "On-farm storage gives farmers the control they need to segregate their crops and decide when to sell them."

USDA's Farm Service Agency will implement the program to provide seven-year financing for on-farm storage of wheat, rice, soybeans, sunflower seed, canola, rapeseed, safflower, flaxseed, mustard seed, crambe, other oilseeds to be announced, corn, grain sorghum, oats and barley.

The interest rate charged will be

the same as the rate charged on comparable Treasury securities in effect during the month the loan is approved. The rate will remain in effect for the term of the loan.

Farmers may file loan applications starting on May 30, 2000. Farmers who bought or built storage facilities between Feb. 2, 2000 and May 30, 2000 may apply for a loan and may be approved if they meet eligibility and loan security requirements.

USDA will publish the draft regulations for this program in the

Federal Register this week. A 30-day comment period will follow. A final rule will be published and codified after comments have been considered on the Farm Storage Facility Loan Program and USDA financing for storage structures for commodities other than grain, such as silage, alternative types of storage, such as condominium storage; and storage facilities for other agriculture products.

Additional information can be found on website: www.fsa.usda.gov

LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

The Norfolk Livestock Market fat cattle sale was held on Friday with a run of 644 head. Prices were steady on all classes.

Strictly choice fed steers were \$73 to \$80. Good and choice steers were \$71 to \$73. Medium and good steers were \$70 to \$71. Standard steers were \$57 to \$63. Strictly choice fed heifers were \$72 to \$78.50. Good and choice heifers \$70 to \$72. Medium and good heifers were \$69 to \$70. Standard heifers were \$57 to \$63. Beef cows were \$38 to \$44. Utility cows were \$38 to \$44. Cannons and cutters were \$33 to \$38; bologna bulls were \$50 to \$60.

Stocker and Feeder sale was held Friday with 509 head sold. The market was steady.

Good and choice steer calves were \$95 to \$115. Choice and prime lightweight calves were \$100 to \$125. Good and choice yearling steers were \$75 to \$85. Choice and prime lightweight yearling steers were \$90 to \$100. Good and choice heifer calves were \$90 to \$100. Choice and prime lightweight heifer calves were \$95 to \$120. Good and choice yearling heifers were \$74 to \$84.

There were 46 fed cattle sold at the Norfolk Livestock Market on Tuesday. Prices were steady on all

classes. Good and choice steers, \$72 to \$78. Good and choice heifers, \$72 to \$78. Medium and good steers and heifers, \$70 to \$72. Standard, \$57 to \$63. Good cows, \$38 to \$44.

Prices for dairy cattle at the Norfolk Livestock Market on Wednesday were steady.

Top quality fresh and springing heifers were \$950 to \$1,250. Medium quality fresh and springing heifers were \$700 to \$900. Common heifers and older cows were \$500 to \$750; 300 to 500 lb. heifers were \$275 to \$475; 500 to 700 lb. heifers were \$475 to \$675. Good baby calves — crossbred calves, \$150 to \$230 and holstein calves, \$100 to \$150.

The sheep sale was held at the Norfolk Livestock Market Monday with 204 head sold. Prices were steady on all classes.

Fat lambs: (spring crop) — 100 to 150 lbs., \$93 to \$107 cwt. Feeder lambs: 40 to 60 lbs., \$120 to \$145 cwt.; 60 to 100 lbs., \$100

to \$120 cwt. Ewes: Good, \$50 to \$70; Medium, \$35 to \$50; slaughter, \$25 to \$35.

There were 175 feeder pigs sold at the Norfolk Livestock Market on Monday. Prices were steady.

10 to 20 lbs., \$15 to \$33; steady; 20 to 30 lbs., \$27 to \$40; steady; 30 to 40 lbs., \$38 to \$60; steady; 40 to 50 lbs., \$48 to \$63; steady; 50 to 60 lbs., \$52 to \$65; steady; 60 to 70 lbs., \$60 to \$68; steady; 70 to 80 lbs., \$65 to \$70; steady; 80 lbs. and up, \$70 to \$80; steady.

Butcher hog head count at the Norfolk Livestock Market on Tuesday totaled 350. Butchers and sows were steady.

U.S. 1's + 2's, 220 to 260 lbs., \$49 to \$49.90; 2's + 3's, 220 to 260 lbs., \$48.50 to \$49; 2's + 3's, 260 to 280 lbs., \$47.50 to \$49; 2's + 3's, 280 to 300 lbs., \$43 to \$47.50; 3's + 4's, 300 + lbs., \$40 to \$43.

Sows: 350 to 500 lbs., \$39 to \$41.50; 500 to 650 lbs., \$41.50 to \$45. Boars: \$15.50 to \$35.

4-H News

COMBINATION KIDS 4-H CLUB

The Combination Kids 4-H Club cleaned road ditches on April 17.

The next meeting will be Sunday, May 21 at 1 p.m. in the Red Cross office. The Nolte and Poehlman families will serve. Sarah Ekberg, news reporter

CITY SLICKERS AND COUNTRY MIXERS 4-H CLUB

The City Slickers & Country Mixers 4-H Club met April 30 at the Bank of Norfolk with nine members and one guest in attendance.

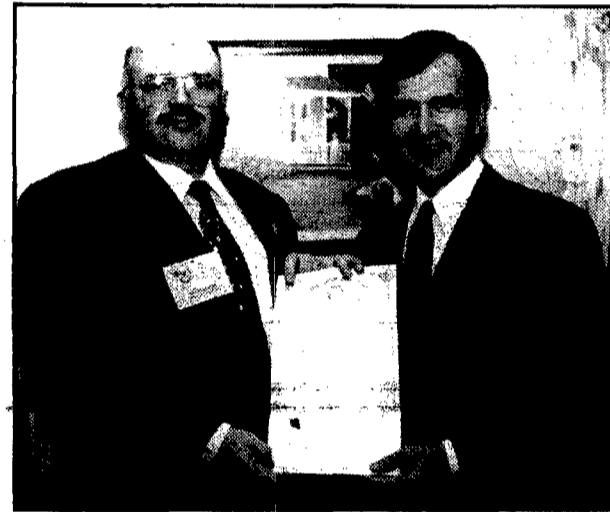
President Erin Jarvi called the meeting to order. A report was given on the club tour to the Sioux City Art Center on April 9.

The leaders checked mid-year enrollment forms with all members and will turn those in to the extension office by June 1.

Newsletter items of interest including camp information was discussed and calendar dates noted. Club members completed their community pride record books for the community service project.

The next meeting will be in June. Erin and Val Palu will check on a tour to the newspaper office and a date that will work for them.

Members will be notified of date and time of the June meeting. Michelle Jarvi, news reporter



May is Egg Month

Nebraska's Gov. Mike Johanns, right, proclaimed May as Egg Month in Nebraska at an industry-sponsored Department of Agriculture, and egg producers at the Governor's Mansion in Lincoln on April 10. Accepting the proclamation is Bill Claybaugh, left, of Nebraska Eggs Ltd., Carroll, and President of the Nebraska Egg Council.

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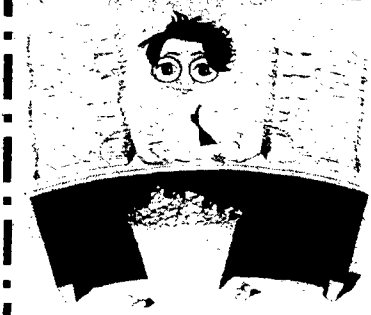
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Office Assistant III, Wayne State Foundation. Hiring Rate \$1580/month, plus benefits. Job description and application procedures are available by writing to the Administrative Services Office, Hahn 104, Wayne State College, 1111 Main Street, Wayne, NE 68787, or by phoning 402-375-7485 between 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Review of applications for each position will begin on Monday, May 22, 2000, and continue until that position is filled. Wayne State College is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.
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Budget Manager. Wayne State College seeks an experienced budget manager. This position reports to the Vice President for Administration and Finance and assists with the preparation and management of a \$25 million annual budget. The Budget Manager prepares numerous internal and external reports, including revenue and expenditure forecasts, comparative and historical analysis and various reports for the Board of Trustees. This position is responsible for budget entries and other balancing entries in state and internal accounting systems and is responsible for reconciliation of expenditures for the two systems. The Budget Manager tracks position and personnel. In addition, this position also provides grant preparation assistance (budgeting and policy/ regulation compliance) to others on campus and provides oversight in administering grants received by the College. A Bachelor's Degree in Business or related field is required. Related experience and/or additional coursework helpful. Requires experience in computerized spreadsheet preparation and analysis. Experience working with accounting system, payroll systems and reports generation programs is desirable. Candidates should possess excellent written and verbal communication skills, and have the ability to work closely with campus leaders, and work within formal policies, procedures, and guidelines. Salary is commensurate with qualification and experience. An attractive and comprehensive fringe benefit package is available. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled, but to be assured full consideration, resumes should be received by May 26, 2000. During the initial phase of process, applicant names will be kept confidential. Send letter of application, resume, and names and telephone numbers of three professional references to: Dwayne Johnson, Administrative Service Office, Wayne State College, 1111 Main Street, Wayne, NE 68787, FAX (402) 375-7204, or e-mail: djohnson@wscgate.wsc.edu
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THE WAYNE ELEMENTARY BOOSTERS would like to thank the following businesses for their contribution to our annual carnival. The proceeds from this years carnival will buy a climbing wall for the elementary physical education department. These donations helped purchase the prizes that were given at the carnival:

We raised approximately \$1,800.00

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The Booster also thank:

- The parents who chaired and worked in booths and baked cakes for the cake walk.
- Louise Matthes, Bill Wilson, Robert Porter and Kevin Roberts for setting up and tearing down the booths.
- Mr. Lutt and the teachers who helped haul the games to the school from the track.
- Mr. Lutt for helping to sell tickets and overseeing the days activities on behalf of the elementary school.
- Kevin Roberts, Elementary Custodian, for EVERYTHING you did to help out on Friday and Saturday.
- All the kids, parents and teachers who came to the carnival and helped to make it a success.

THANK YOU

I would like to express my gratitude to the people of the 18th District for all of your support and kind words throughout the primary election. We tried to meet as many of you as we could in the last nine weeks. For those of you we didn't have the opportunity to meet, we look forward to seeing you in the near future.

Thanks again for your support!
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The family of Helen Luschen wish to express their heartfelt thanks to everyone during their time of loss. Helen was a loving wife, mother, and grandmother and will be greatly missed. To the PMC doctors, nurses, and ambulance crew, Thank You, for their quick response. To the pastors Russel, Koeber, and Judson and everyone at Our Saviour Lutheran Church, Thank You, for the comforting words. To all the ladies of Our Saviour Church, Thank you for the wonderful meal after the service. To everyone at Tacos and More, Thank You, for all your help. To everyone who sent cards, flowers, and well wishes, Thank You, it was comforting.

Herman "John" Luschen
Sandra and Rick Gathje and family

Don and Anita Luschen and family
Mary and Rex Burt and family
Carolyn Roberts and friend Jim Gronemeyer

TO ALL who remembered me with prayers, visits, cards, flowers and food while I was in the hospital and since returning home I want to express heartfelt thank you. Betty Addison.

FOR A biography of Nebraska poet laureate John G. Neihardt, author would like to hear from anyone who has letters to or from Mr. Neihardt or other information regarding the years he lived in Wayne or attended Nebraska Normal College. Especially interested in finding a copy of the Nebraska Democrat newspaper that published an early Neihardt poem, "The Tentid." Tim Anderson, 818 Hampton Court, Westbury, Ny 11590.

I want to thank the staff of PMC, Dr. McCorkindale, Felber & Adams, for the excellent care and the attention I received while I was hospitalized. A Special thank you to the pastors of Our Saviour Church for prayers & visits. Thanks to all my friends for visits especially Malchows, Ehrhardts & Lentz families.

Linda Young

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