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## January 25 - 31, 2004

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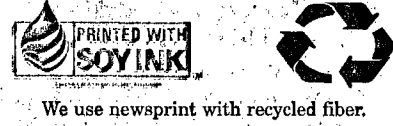
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### A Quick Look



#### Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Jan. 23 at St. Mary's Elementary School. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. with announcements at 10:15 a.m.

#### Fund raiser

WAYNE — The Wayne High School FBLA group will be raising money for the March of Dimes.

They will be selling baby hospital hands at basketball games, which can be dedicated to a baby or other member of the community. The group's goal is to sell enough hands to span the length of the basketball court.

Anyone wishing to contribute but unable to attend a game is asked to contact Annette Rasmussen at (402) 375-3150.

#### Winter Story Time

AREA — This week's Winter Story Time at the Wayne Public Library will focus on the Snowman theme. Story Time is held on Saturdays at 10:30 a.m. and is designed for preschool and early elementary age children. All are welcome.

#### Interviews conducted

WAYNE — Interviews for the four candidates for the position of President of Wayne State College will be conducted Monday, Jan. 26 and Tuesday, Jan. 27. The candidates will be meeting with various individuals and groups on those two days.

#### Legion Auxiliary

CARROLL — The Carroll American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the Carroll Fire Hall on Tuesday, Jan. 27 at 2 p.m.



#### Weather

Joe Burrows, Wayne Schools  
FORECAST SUMMARY: Above average temperatures continue.

Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Jan. 15	39	14		
Jan. 16	51	18		
Jan. 17	45	22		
Jan. 18	35	4		
Jan. 19	12	0		
Jan. 20	20	0		
Jan. 21	29	14		

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period  
Precip./mo. — .11" Snow/ mo. — 3.1"  
Year/Date — .11" Snow/season — 7.8"

## First of Lewis and Clark presentations set for Jan. 26

The libraries of Wayne are pleased to host Selene Phillips and Jerome Kills Small as the kick-off program for a year-long observance of "A Meeting of Two Cultures: The Lewis and Clark Expedition."

Portraying Sacagawea and Tecumseh, Phillips and Kills Small will share with the audience "Indian

Observations about the Lewis and Clark Voyage" in Ley Theatre on Wayne



State Campus. On Monday, Jan. 26, there will be a 12:30 p.m. program for

area schools and a 7 p.m. program for the general public.

Dr. Selene G. Phillips, Wabigonikewikwe, is a member of the Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Ojibwe Nation. She was selected by the Great Plains Chautauqua to present a first-person characterization of Sacagawea, the Shoshone woman who traveled with the Expedition. She was awarded a Ph.D from Purdue University where her research focused on Sacagawea and the myths surrounding her. She has worked as a television news anchor, a radio and television news reporter and producer, as a communications special-

ist and business writer, and as a vocational counselor and job developer for the American Indian Business Association.

Selene Phillips currently lives in Lafayette, Ind.

Jerome Kills Small is an Ogalala Lakota from Porcupine, S.D., on the Pine Ridge Reservation. A 1997 graduate of the University of South Dakota with an M.A. in selected studies, he stayed to teach at USD, where he teaches Lakota language, American Indian thought, Siouan tribal culture, and Lakota history. He also teaches the

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## Habitat for Humanity to hold fundraiser

The Wayne Area Habitat for Humanity will be hosting their first annual celebration dinner on Thursday, Feb. 5 from 4:30 to 8 p.m. at the Wayne City Auditorium.

"The purpose of this dinner is to celebrate our first build, which this last summer, gave the McCoy family a new home," said Ann Witkowski, President of the the Wayne Chapter of Habitat for Humanity.

The Habitat organization wishes to thank all of those who made this home possible.

The general public is invited to this hot sandwich dinner, which will include entertainment and is designed as a kick-off fundraising event with a silent auction.

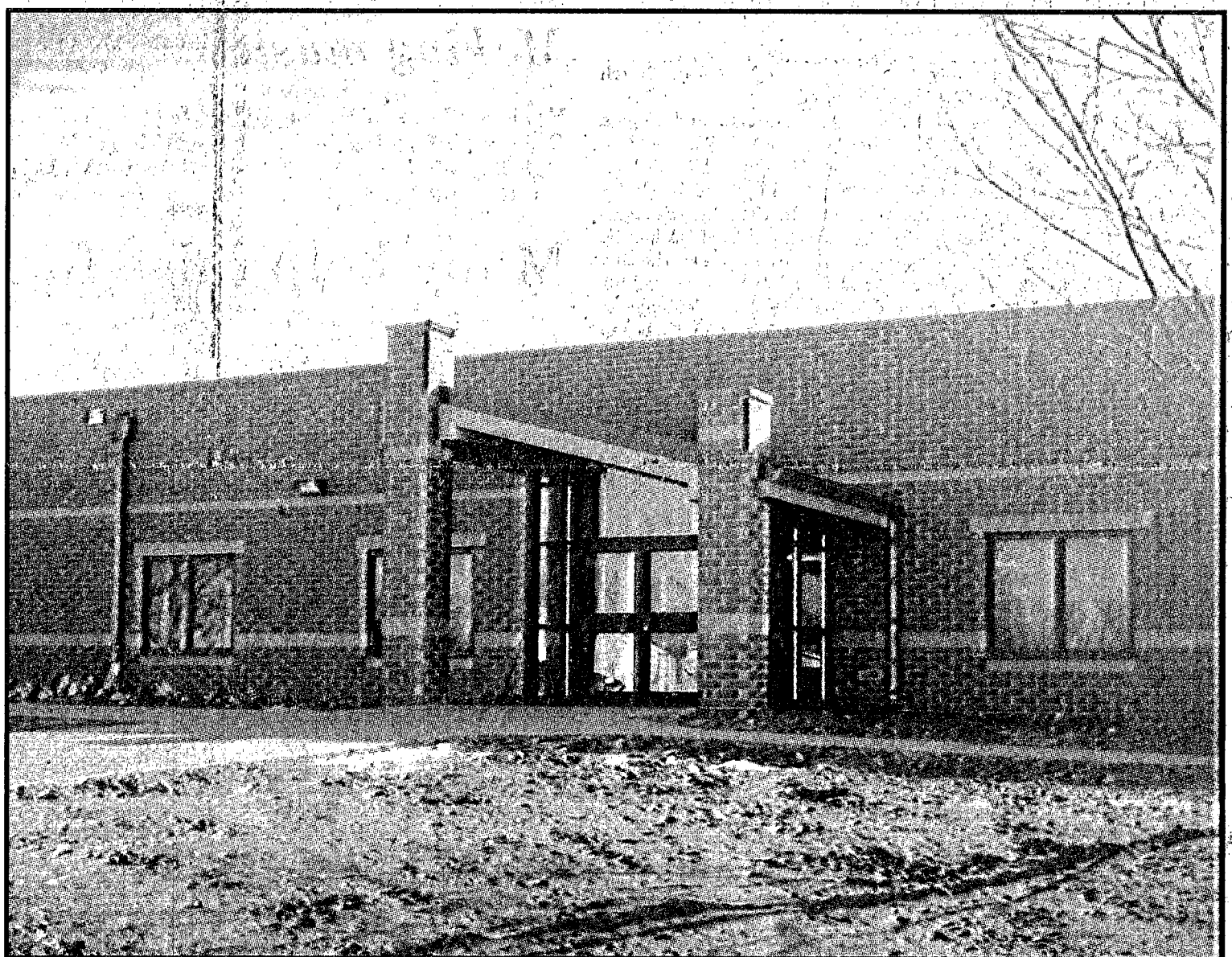
The cost of the dinner is \$6 for adults and \$3 for those 12 and under. Two adult tickets may be purchased for \$10.

Habitat is encouraging advance ticket purchases at any of the local banks.

The organization is also looking for donated items for this auction. Anyone wishing to contribute is asked to call 375-4509 or 375-1162. Persons may also call these numbers with any questions or to have someone pick up donated items. These items may also be brought to the auditorium the evening of the dinner.

The Wayne Habitat Chapter is making preliminary plans to build another home in Wayne in 2005.

"The Wayne Area Habitat for Humanity wants to extend their sincere appreciation to Wayne and the surrounding communities for all their support. We invite everyone to come join us for our celebration," Mrs. Witkowski said.



## Celebrate new facility

A large crowd gathered Sunday for the dedication and open house of the Allen School District's new facility. A story and photos of the event can be found in this issue.

## Pastor Cal Kroeker travels to Russia

By Clara Osten  
Of the Herald

Cal Kroeker, Pastor of Calvary Bible Evangelical Free Church in Wayne, traveled to Russia for two weeks in October.

Pastor Kroeker was part of a group made up of two pastors, two lay persons and a host and hostess, which traveled to Russia to teach people in Russia how to study the Bible.

"The country was really poor with a depressed economy. Many of the people are discouraged with very little hope for the future," Pastor Kroeker said.

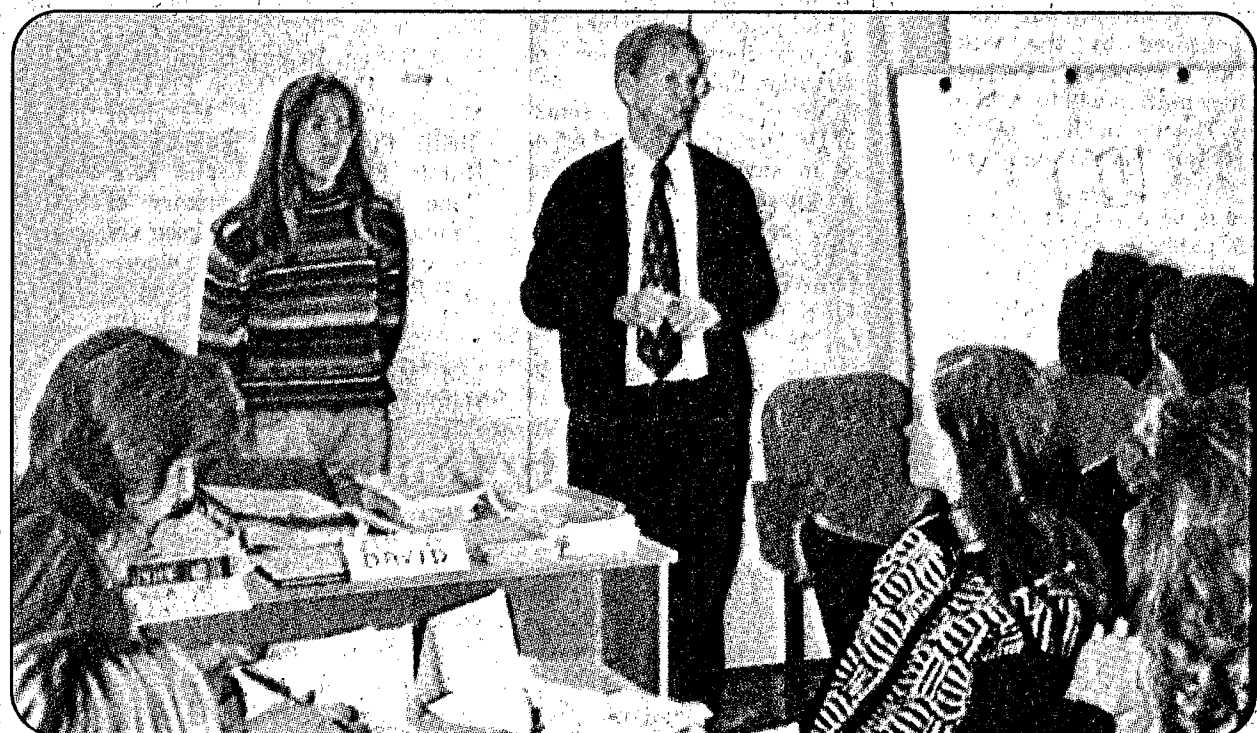
The group first flew into Moscow where they rode the subway, which Pastor Kroeker described as "huge, with people shoulder to shoulder."

Among the places the group visited was the Red Chocolate Factory.

"In Russia, red means beautiful and there were a number of red buildings and other things in the country," Pastor Kroeker said. He said that it cost \$20 to tour the chocolate factory, but the group was able to sample a number different kinds of chocolate and brought home samples as well.

During the group's time in Russia, they had sever-

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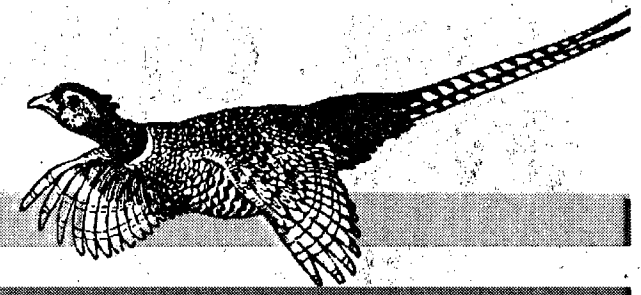


Pastor Cal Kroeker, center, works with Margarita, a Russian interpreter, to teach Russian students how to study the Bible. Pastor Kroeker spent two weeks recently in Russia.

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# Record

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## Obituaries

### Nina Carlson

Nina Carlson, 90, of the Wakefield and Concord area, died Sunday, Jan. 18, 2004 at the Wakefield Health Care Center in Wakefield.

Services were held Wednesday, Jan. 21 at Concordia Lutheran Church in Concord. Pastor Karen Tjarks officiated.

Nina Lucille Carlson, daughter of Henry and Bertha (Johnson) Anderson, was born Aug. 29, 1913 on a farm in Dixon County, northwest of Wakefield. She was baptized and confirmed at Salem Lutheran Church in Wakefield. She grew up on a farm southeast of Concord, attended country school near her home and was a member of the first graduating class of Concord High School in 1931. On Sept. 1, 1940 she married Vern Carlson at Salem Lutheran Church Parsonage at Wakefield. The couple farmed northwest of Wakefield. She was a member of Concord Lutheran Church at Concord, Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America, Ruth Circle and a charter member of Pleasant Dell Club where she held many offices. She enjoyed making quilts for the Lutheran World Relief. She served as a substitute Sunday School Teacher and Junior Missionary Leader. She entered the Wakefield Health Care Center in June of 2003.

Survivors include two sons, Randall Carlson of Wakefield and Lyle and Carol Carlson of Allen; one daughter, Kathryn and Thomas Gannon of North Platte; five grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two sisters-in-law, Minnie and Opal Carlson, both of Wakefield; nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Vern, in 1991; two brothers, Richard and Robert and one sister, Helen.

Pallbearers were David Anderson, Derald Rice, Paul DeBoer, Mark McKain, Jack Gannon and Mark Gannon.

Memorials may be made to Concordia Lutheran Church of Concord.

Burial was in the Concord Cemetery in Concord. Schumacher-Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne was in charge of arrangements.

### Louie Henschke

Louie Henschke, 89, of Wakefield died in Albuquerque, N.M. on Friday, Jan. 16, 2004.

Services were held on Thursday, Jan. 22, at Salem Lutheran Church in Wakefield. Pastor Jerome Cloninger officiated.

Louie Fred Henschke, son of Ernst Otto Henschke and Sophia Wilhelmina Katrina Buckendahl Henschke, was born in Wakefield on August 28, 1914. He was a life-long resident of Wakefield. He was baptized and confirmed at Salem Lutheran Church. He played sports for Wakefield High School and graduated in 1933. In 1941, he was drafted into the U.S. Army and shortly after the attack on Pearl Harbor, he was sent to the South Pacific. He spent the next five years on the tiny little island of Eniwetok. When he returned from overseas, he and his brother, Elmer, moved to Southern California. He later returned to Wakefield. He took care of his mother until her death in 1955. He began working with the Wakefield plumber. About 1957, he received his Lennox certification and he founded Lou's Plumbing & Heating. He continued in that profession until his retirement in 1982 when he sold his plumbing and heating business to John Addink. He enjoyed sports.

Burial was in the Wakefield Cemetery. The Bressler-Munderloh Funeral Home in Wakefield. Burial was in the Wakefield Cemetery.

## Book fair planned

St. Mary's Elementary School in Wayne will be conducting a book sale.

The books are from the Scholastic Company. There are books for all ages. Among the books are the Harry Potter series, Arthur, Scooby Doo and lots of other kids' books, posters, computer software and much more.

The proceeds will add to the library of St. Mary's school.

Book fair hours:  
Sunday, Jan. 25, 2004 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.  
Monday, Jan. 26 through

Thursday, Jan. 29: 8 a.m. until 3:15 p.m.

The book sale will be held at St. Mary's School, 420 E. Seventh Street in Wayne.

"By the time children enter kindergarten they have already achieved 50 percent of the intelligence they will have as adults. The first four years of life are the peak learning years." Parent's Guide to Children's Reading by Nancy Larrick

For further information, contact Jean Loberg, phone 375-5032.

## President's Lecture Series to feature Dr. David Orr

Dr. David Orr, nationally-known environmentalist and professor of environmental studies at Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio, will be the featured speaker for the Sheila Stearns President's Lecture Series on Public Affairs at Wayne State College on Wednesday, Jan. 23.

Co-sponsored by the WSC American Democracy Project, Orr's presentation will be held in Ramsey Theatre in the Peterson Fine Arts Building beginning at 7 p.m.

There is no admission charge, and the public is encouraged to attend.

Orr is perhaps best known for his pioneering work on environmental literacy in higher education and his recent work in ecological design. He raised funds for and spearheaded the effort to design and build a \$7.2 million Environmental Studies Center at Oberlin College, which was described by the New York Times as "the most remarkable" of a new generation of college buildings and selected as one of 30 "milestone buildings in the 20th century" by the U.S. Department of Energy.

Orr holds three honorary doctorates and has been a distinguished scholar in residence at Ball State University and Westminster College. The Cleveland Plain Dealer described him as one of those who will shape our lives. He has received numerous national awards, including a National Achievement Award by the

National Wildlife Federation in 1993 and a Bioneers Award in 2002.

The author of three books—The Nature of Design, Earth in Mind, and Ecological Literacy—Orr has published 120 articles in scientific journals, social science publications, and popular magazines. He is a contributing editor of Conservation Biology.

"We are pleased to have someone of Dr. Orr's stature and experience in environmental studies as a guest at Wayne State College," said Interim President Curt Frye. "I hope that people from throughout the region will be able to attend his presentation on Jan. 23."

For more information, call 402-375-7325.

## Wayne County Court

### Traffic violations

Ann O'Donnell, Wichita, Kan, spd., \$116.50; Bryce Leapley, Stanton, spd., \$66.50; Agnes Barrers, Pender, allowing unauthorized use of motor vehicle, \$91.50; Maria Ramirez, West Point, improper passing, \$66.50; David Bohner, Wayne, spd., \$66.50; Kimberly Cloninger, Wakefield, spd., \$66.50; Kevin Koenig, Wayne, spd., \$66.50; Daniel Broz, Norfolk, spd., \$116.50.

Shannon Jahnke, Norfolk, spd., \$166.50; Glendon Meyer, Pender, spd., \$91.50; Alecia Kimbrough, Lincoln, improper passing, \$66.50; Thomas Giesell, South

### Jacquelyn 'Jackie' Bergt

Jacquelyn "Jackie" Bergt, 59, of Wayne died Tuesday, Jan. 20, 2004 at Wakefield Health Care Center in Wakefield.

Services will be held Saturday, Jan. 24 at 10:30 a.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne. The Rev. William Koerber will officiate. Visitation will be from noon to 8 p.m. on Friday, Jan. 23 at Schumacher-Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.

Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne. Schumacher-Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne is in charge of arrangements.



## Making music

Music students at Wayne Middle School Presented a Winter Band Concert on Monday. Groups performing included the fifth grade band, sixth grade band and seventh and eighth grade band. Several selections were also played by the combined sixth through eighth grade band. The students are under the direction of Keith Kopperud.

## Many help raise funds for library in Wakefield

Many in the area contributed to the amount of \$955,277.20 raised for far for the library in Wakefield. There were 119 "builder" donors (up to \$249); 24 "patron" donors (from \$250 to \$499); 13 "sponsor" donors (\$500 to \$999); 18 "benefactor" donors (\$1,000 to \$9,999); 14 "grand benefactor" (\$10,000 to \$49,000); one "visionary" donor (\$50,000 to \$100,000) and one "living legacy" donor (above \$100,000)—(government grants also fit into this category).

Among those contributing include: **Builder Contributors:** Audrey Anderson; Anonymous donors; Anonymous donor (in memory of Christa Jeffries); Evangeline Bark; Sandra Benson; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bichel (in honor of Dr. Marvin Bichel); Mr. and Mrs. Mike Blessing; Arlene Bloomquist; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bodlak; Ruth Boeckenhauer; Rod and Dee Borg; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Borg; Mrs. Verl Borg; Ann Bostrom; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brazie (in memory of Millie Schnasse); Evonne Burkink (in memory of Vivian Andrews and Robert Felt); Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carlson (in memory of John Vrana); Mr. and Mrs. Don Cattle; Elaine Christiansen (in memory of Densil Christiansen);

Country Nursery, Inc.; Julie Dolen; Mr. and Mrs. Jason Erb; Bob Erickson; Janelle Erickson; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Erlanson; Mr. and Mrs. Al Fey (in memory of Martin and Mabel Thomsen); Fifth Grade (2003) Business Fair; First Edition Beauty Salon; Dan and Don Fischer; Devon Fischer; Margaret Fischer; Margaret (Prill) Fischer (in memory of Harold Fischer); Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fischer (in memory of Emma Harding); Fredrickson Oil Co.; Nancy Fredrickson (in memory of Preston and Vivian Turner); Garden of Weeden' Club (in memory of Eugene Johnson); Mr. and Mrs. Rod Garwood; Gill Hauling, Inc.; Girl Scout Troop 98;

Philip, Kathryn (in memory of Wilma Reed); Mr. and Mrs. John Portwood; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pospisil; Phyllis Rhodes; Harvey and Irene Rhodes; Merle and Donna Ring; Marilyn Robinder; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Rose; Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Samuelson; Merle Schines; Mr. and Mrs. Greg Schnasse; Schroeder (in memory of Clarice, from Marlene, Bob, Terri, and Cindy); Jean Seldin; Mr. and Mrs. Randy Shaw; Lynnelle Sievers; LaVern Grose; Kenneth Gustafson (in his memory); Peggy Gustafson; William Gustafson; Mr. and Mrs. James Hanson;

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harling (in memory of Nina Borg); Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Heier; Terry Henschke (in memory of Dan Gardner); Historical Banner Fundraiser; Al Hitz; Morris Jacobsen; JEO Consulting Group, Inc.; Adelyn Johnson (in memory of Erick and Mildred Johnson); Lillian Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Randall Johnson; Ruth Johnston; Janis (Puls) Jordan; Col. Julius and Marjorie

Jorgensen; Dorothy Kellar; Brad Kellog; Kim and Debra Kline; Koski Professional Group (in honor of staff at WHC); Mr. and Mrs. John Krebbiel; Russell Lang; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Soderberg; State National Bank & Trust, Wayne; Myron and Logene Strathman (in memory of Lois Schlines); Marion Suter; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Swenson; Janice (Olson) Tafoya (in memory of Martha Koester-Olson-Mortensen; Doug Tabor; Alfred Thomsen; TOPS Club; Tri-County Insurance Bowling Team (in memory of Darold Lundin); Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Trullinger; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Tullberg; Frances Turner; Mrs. Elaine Turnquist; Wakefield Community Club; Wakefield FBLA Talent Fundraiser; Wakefield Tree Board & Peggy Gustafson (in memory of Violet Brummund); Wayne Mercy Medical Clinic; Mr. and Mrs. Monard Weems; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Witt; Zach Propane Service, Inc.

**Patron Contributors:** American Bank of Lemars (Richard Magnuson); Anonymous donor; Laura Barelman; Dee Borg and family (in memory of Verl Borg); Mr. and Mrs. Joey Bord; BP Foundation Match; Diamond Dig Fundraiser (Mines Jewelers-Gary VanMeter); Gene Carlson (in memory of Skiv Carlson); Ruth Felt; First National Bank of Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hitz; Hunte Cablevision; Indian Head Fundraiser; Alice Johnson (in memory of Lyle Samuelson, Dan Gardner, Mardella Olson, Harold Fischer, and Lois Schlines); Ruth Johnson (representative); Ruth Johnson (in memory of Kermit Johnson); Gerald King (in memory of Betty Lou McQuistan-King); Jan McQuistan; Peoples Natural Gas; Dean Pierson (in memory of Charles & Florence Pierson); Mr. and Mrs. Doug Soderberg (in memory of Kevin Soderberg); Mr. and Mrs. Norman Swanson; Trio

Travel; Textron Charitable Trust. **Sponsor Contributors:** Anonymous donor; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Berns; Pat Berry (in her memory); Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brazie; Margareta Lundahl; Robert Lytle (in memory of Mildred Caroline Lytle-Schnasse; Esther Oberg; Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Ekberg; Edna Gustafson (in memory of Berneal Gustafson); Garage Sale Fundraiser; David Peterson; Sav-Mor Pharmacy; James Warner (in memory of Barbara Warner).

**Benefactor Contributors:** AAL Fundraiser (BRAN); AAL-Soup Supper Fundraiser; Bernard and Norma Heuermann Foundation; Marvin Bichel; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carlson; Dolph (children of Don, in his memory); Charlotte Ekeroth; Carroll and Barbara Fredrickson; Marjorie Johnson (in memory of Alden Johnson); Darold Lundin; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Munderloh; David Nelson, Jr. (in memory of Eleanor Borg-Nelson); Mr. and Mrs. Dean Nuernberger (in memory of Louis C. Nuernberger); Omelet Feed Fundraiser; Pamida Foundation; Quilt Fundraisers; Lloyd and Donna Roebor; Ed Schnasse (in memory of Mildred Schnasse); Wakefield Care Center.

**Grand Benefactor:** Darold Lundin Foundation; Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Olson; Margaret Patterson; Raymond Paulson.

**Visionary:** Ellis Johnson estate

**Living Legacy:** Gardner Foundation

**Learning Legacy (donors under age 18):** Bethany, Benjamin, and Billy Barelman; Andrea, Jessica, Katie, Laura Berns; Austin, Kelli, and Tracy Lueth; Morgan Lutz.

**Government Grants:** U. S. Dept. of Agriculture; Community Development Block Grant.

**Volunteering services:** KTCH; Wakefield Republican; Bud Erlanson; Quilt Shop; Barb Brazie; Donna Roebor; Michael Foods; Wakefield Community School; Mrs. Rossiter and Advanced Computer students; Karen Kluthe and Graves Summer Reading students; AAL Branches and workers; Diamond Dig Gary Van Meter - Mines Jewelry; Jim Bierbower;

Mike Pommer; Laura Barreman; Janet Sievers; The Wayne Herald; Wakefield Iowa - Nebraska Bank; Wakefield Community Club; Nancy Fredrickson; A.J., Diane and Amber Johnson; Eileen Pettit; Kristi Foote; Eugene and Phyllis Swanson; Vicky Foote; Lori Nicholson; Carolyn Baier; Leland and Theresa Miner; Omelet Feed workers; Marci Roebor; Max Kathol; Wakefield city staff and council.

## Fire prevention tips offered

The following fire prevention tips have been made available by the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department and the Nebraska Forest Service/ Fire Control Section.

Never leave a meal cooking on the stove when you leave your

home.

If a grease fire erupts, put a lid on it and turn the heat off. Never use water on a grease fire.

Fire in the oven, shut the door and turn off the heat. Call the Fire Department in either case of a grease or oven fire.

Always keep matches and lighters far out of the reach of children. Teach children to tell an adult if they find matches or lighters lying around.

**Space Heaters / Wood Stoves**  
Keep children away from space heaters and wood stoves.

Always dispose of ashes from a fire place or wood stove in a tightly sealed metal container.

Refuel your kerosene space heater only after it has cooled and outside of buildings.

Refuel your space heater only with the approved fuel.

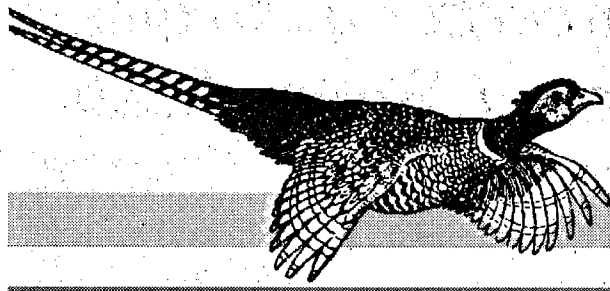
Keep a window open for proper ventilation whenever your kerosene heater is in use.

**Electric Space Heaters**  
Keep combustibles at least three feet away from heaters.

Check for frayed wires and replace them immediately. Never use extension cords on space heaters.

Unplug your space heater when not in use and never use them in bathrooms, near water or in damp basements.

Purchase electric space heaters that have a tipover switch that turns off the heater if it is knocked over and shuts it off if the heater gets too hot.



Letters

Thanks given from families

Dear Editor,  
The Gifts for Kids Program benefits local Wayne area families at Christmas time. The number of children requesting gifts was up from 48 last year to 103 this year. The community made the requests happen for these children.

On behalf of the families participating I would like to thank the individuals, families, businesses, churches, and organizations that took tags from the tree in Pamida and gave a gift.  
Sincerely,

Kathy Berry  
Gifts for Kids Coordinator

Blood drive is successful

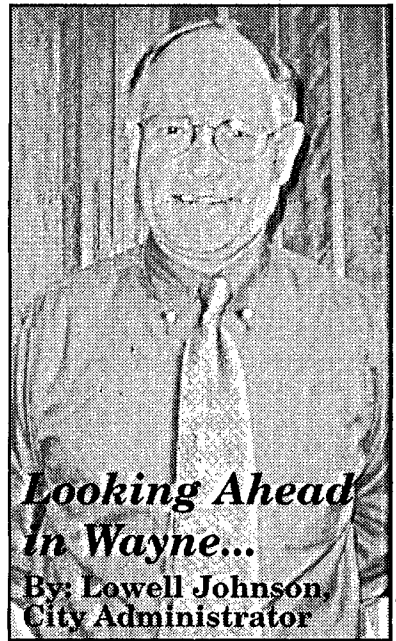
Dear Editor,  
We would like to thank the 46 people who registered to give blood Jan. 13 at Grace Lutheran Church.  
Thirty-eight life-saving units of whole blood were collected. The following people reached gallon

milestones at this drive: Bonnie Fluent, four gallons; Lowell Schardt, Casey Junck and Veronica Jaqua, one gallon.  
We also want to thank the people who supplied the snacks.  
The Siouxland Bloodbank Committee

Property taxes for the city explained

**Property Taxes in Wayne:** Taxes are the subject of much conversation with the legislature facing additional revenue shortfalls, the presidential election beginning and with local property owners receiving our real estate tax statements for the year.  
Several area newspapers have published comparisons of total consolidated tax rates for a list of Nebraska cities. Wayne (\$2.40 per \$100 valuation) has one of the highest consolidated tax rates depending on what list you look at. Some other communities are Norfolk (\$1.78), Fremont (\$1.87), Columbus (\$1.92), Seward (\$1.96), Beatrice (\$2.01), South Sioux (\$2.17), Grand Island (\$2.25), Chadron (\$2.28),Ralston (\$2.39), and Hastings (\$2.39).

tenance, insurance and utilities that we didn't have 15 years ago.  
2) Norfolk, Fremont, Columbus and other communities have voted for a permanent local sales tax to be used to reduce local property tax. Wayne has approved local sales tax only for building projects like the library/senior center and the community activity center.  
3) All of our local tax entities have a limit on the levy we can tax. The levy limit for cities is 45 cents per \$100 valuation for general operation and cities can levy additional taxes to pay off con-



Looking Ahead in Wayne...  
By: Lowell Johnson, City Administrator

What is the consolidated rate? That is the total of the tax rates on our property for the city, school, county, airport board, natural resources district, Educational Service Unit and County Fair. The 2003 consolidated tax, which we will pay in 2004, is \$2.40 per \$100 of valuation or \$2,400 per year on a \$100,000 house in Wayne. In round numbers \$1,308 of this will go to the school, \$536 goes to the city, \$417 to Wayne County, \$35 to the Natural Resources District, \$81 to Northeast Community College, \$18 to Educational Service Unit #1 and \$6 to the county fair board.

Is this a good deal? For \$200 per month if you have a child or grandchild in the local school or if you are eligible for the homestead exemption this could look like a bargain. If you own a business and have employees with families this could also look like a bargain if it helps keep employees here by having quality and stable law enforcement, fire protection, libraries, senior center, parks and swimming pool and high quality public education and good roads into the county. If you own a lot of property and have little or no family here then this won't look like a bargain to you.

How is the city portion spent? Our major general fund expenditures are as follows:

Police	31%
Streets	15%
City Rec/Activity Center	12%
Senior Center	8%
Public Buildings	
incl. Auditorium	7%
Library	6%
Parks	6%
Office Staff and Operations	6%
Fire Dept.	6%

Why do we pay more in Wayne than the other communities? Among the most important:

1) During the S.T.A.R.T. program in Wayne in the 80's the community set goals to improve a number of community facilities and services. Since that time much of that has been successfully completed including the library/senior center, renovating the school, the community activity center, renovation of the city auditorium and new fire hall. The city also built a new water well field north of town, added a new street shop and power plant expansion. The total costs of these projects is roughly \$20 million. These have each been good decisions and will pay in the long run. They have added greatly to our community and quality of life but also bring added costs in debt service, main-

struction bonds for streets and storm sewers. Wayne levies an additional 7 cents per \$100 to pay off bonds from the public portion of Vintage I & II, 10th Street and Grainland Road projects.

4) Beginning in 2001 the legislature required that the \$43,000 in annual taxes levied to support the airport had to be merged with the city tax levy under the levy limit.

5) The amount property valuation per capita in the city of Wayne is less than the other cities listed.

What similar budget problems are all cities facing?

1) In the past, Wayne has relied on interest revenues to help pay costs of city operations and these interest revenues have dropped significantly in the last three years.

2) In the past, Wayne and other cities received state funding for projects and operations, Wayne revenues from the state have dropped by \$70,000 per year and will be reduced again.

3) Costs of group health insurance and property and casualty insurance have risen dramatically as they have for business and individuals.

What are we in the city doing to reduce our costs of operation? While much of our costs for buildings are permanent, we have eliminated purchases of vehicles and equipment for three years and started self insuring more of our insurance costs. We have reduced the number of full time employees by seven, and have frozen wages and reduced employee benefits this year. Department employees continue to come up with additional ways to share help and cut operating costs and the mayor and council have cut other numerous budget costs. This is a work in progress.

How can you get more information? All of our information is public and available during business hours.

Capitol View

Reporters are kept busy

By Ed Howard  
Statehouse Correspondent  
The Nebraska Press Association

The Legislature has begun and the NU football controversy continues.

That means a great many reporters won't have to worry about finding a story today. Or for a lot of tomorrows.

The Unicameral got off to a headline-grabbing, hot-button issue start. It debated repeal of a state law requiring schools to tell students (grades 7-12) how they can avoid telling their parents about a planned abortion.

You can't touch a button that's too much hotter than that one.

Interestingly, it led to the first confrontation between Omaha Sen. Ernie Chambers and his colleagues. He opposes repeal of the law, joining other proponents who say it can be invaluable to girls in abusive domestic situations.

The measure got initial approval by an overwhelming margin, and Chambers promised to filibuster other bills in retaliation. And, what do you suppose came up next?

It was a proposed constitutional amendment to put the right to hunt and fish in the state charter. Six other states have similar constitutional provisions.

Critics said the thing isn't needed because no Nebraska Legislature would ever dare consider banning hunting and/or fishing. It's hard to argue with the latter argument.

A constitutional amendment worth keeping tabs on was offered by Sen. Chris Beutler of Lincoln. It would repeal the term limits now applicable to state senators. They are limited to two, four-year terms.

Beutler's proposal offers an alternative. While term limits would be repealed, voters would gain the right to recall their state senators after eight years in office.

Currently state senators are not subject to recall. Did you know that?

Notes around the Capitol campfire:

- Did you note those stories about how NU Athletic Director Steve Pederson chose not to visit his dad, Sen. Don Pederson of North Platte, on the opening day of the 2004 session?
- Don Wesely, former mayor of

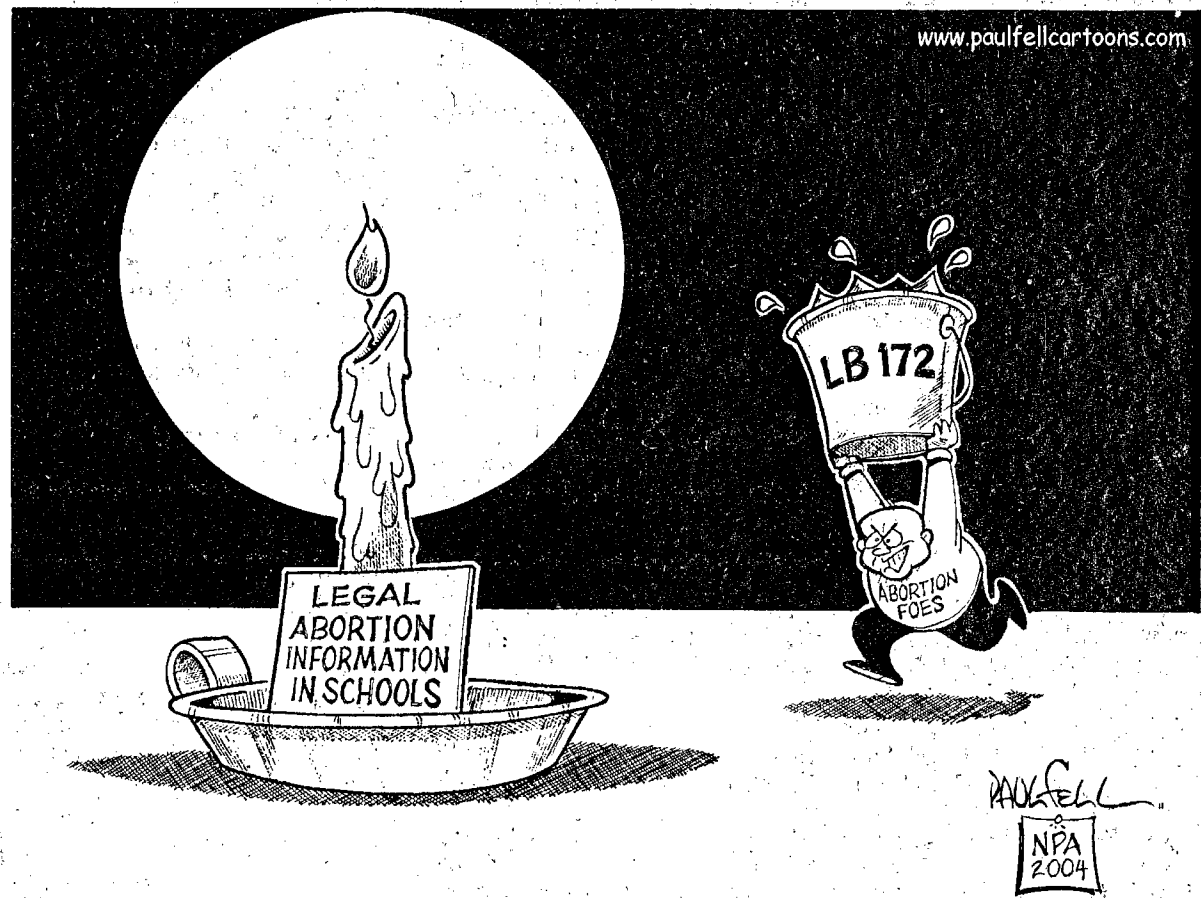
Lincoln and a former state senator, has a new job. He will lobby against the efforts of Gov. Mike Johanns to close the state mental hospitals in Hastings and Norfolk. You can bet the fight on that issue, if it gets to the full Legislature, will be worthy of comparison of any imbroglio that ever graced a public house in Donnybrook.

The last batch of income from the state's tax system wasn't as good as expected. The view from here: Lawmakers might be confronted with the need for even more budget cuts this year. It's an election year, so you don't need to

worry about your state tax rates going up.

If new NU Coach Bill Callahan has good success with next year's Huskers, you can bet he'll likely be invited to every celebration in every town that bills itself as Nebraska's "Irish Capital."

Republican Rep. Tom Osborne has again indicated he will likely bid for the governorship. If he decides to go for it, you can be sure that the GOP won't have a crowded primary! The former Husker football coach would make your average shoo-in look like a long shot.



Legislature begins debate of bills

By State Senator Pat Engel  
District #17

The second week of the 2004 legislative session started with a contentious debate on LB 172, which would eliminate a requirement for school districts to provide information to students about how to obtain an abortion without a parent's consent. Most schools were in favor of the bill, and I also supported it. It was advanced after a closure vote, and will be debated again in the coming weeks.

The Governor gave his annual State of the State address to the Legislature on Thursday. Unlike

last year, the tenor of the speech was not entirely budget-related.

The Governor started by expressing his gratitude to the more than 1200 Nebraskans who have served since September 11th; especially those eight who have given their lives to protect our freedom. I know we all share in this gratitude and extend our deepest sympathies to those families who have lost loved ones.

The Governor's budget provides "balance with no tax increases." It also includes funding for several priorities that the Governor has earmarked for this legislative ses-

sion, namely behavioral health reform, a change to the state aid formula for public school funding, the reform of Initiative 300, water policy reform, and child welfare reform. I think these are extremely important issues that must be dealt with this session. My colleagues and I will do all we can to advance these issues to a satisfactory resolution.

After this week, full-day debate of the bills will cease, and we will begin committee hearings to deal with bills that have been sent to the various committees.

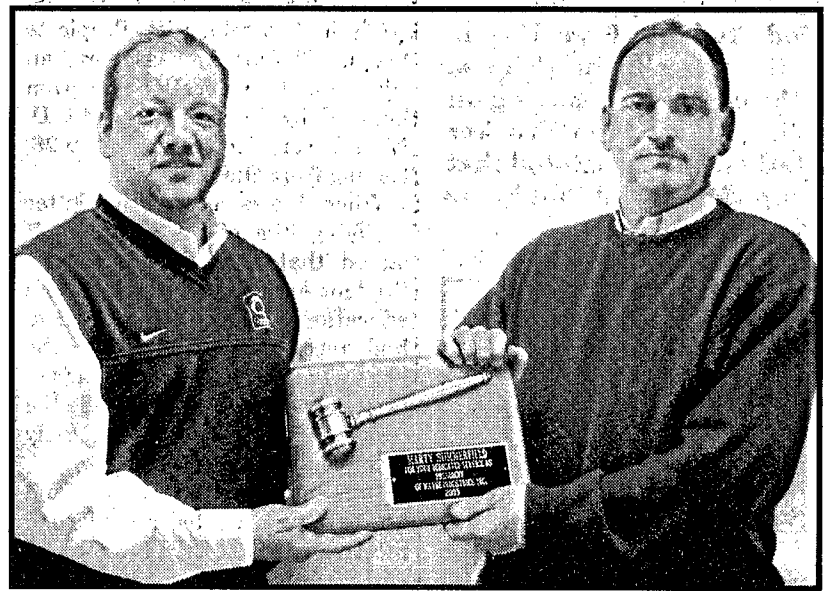
As the Chair of the Reference Committee, my colleagues and I decide which standing committee each introduced bill will wind up in. Thus, the Reference Committee has met daily to refer the over 300 bills that have been introduced in the first eight days of session. There are only two days left next week to introduce bills, so the Reference Committee will stop meeting once those bills are referred to a standing committee.

I have introduced a bill this session, LB 1082, which amends the Motor Vehicle Operator's License

Act to provide for Selective Service registration for males ages 18 to 26. It is a federal law that they sign up for the Selective Service. If they fail to register, they will lose the benefits of federal loans and federal jobs. I thought it was important to ensure they receive the full range of benefits they are entitled to.

The applications for operator's licenses and state identification cards will include a statement giving the applicant's consent to registration with the United States Selective Service System. The applicant's signature on the application will authorize the Department of Motor Vehicles to forward to the U.S. Selective Service System the necessary information for the registration.

I'm sure that issues will continue to be debated in the coming weeks, and I will be sure to keep you updated. If there is anything I can do for you, please do not hesitate to contact me at my Lincoln office: Sen. Pat Engel, District 17, State Capitol, P.O. Box 94604, Lincoln, NE 68509; (402) 471-2716; or lengel@unicam.state.ne.us.



Randy Brenner, left, presents Marty Summerfield with a plaque for his service to Wayne Industries.

Brenner is new Industries head

Randy Brenner, Owner/Operator of Quality Food Center has been elected as the president of the Board of Directors of Wayne Industries.

Brenner will lead the activities of the board and organization, a group of individuals with a common interest in retaining, expanding, attracting, creating and enhancing the economic vitality of the Wayne area. Brenner replaces outgoing president Marty Summerfield of State National Insurance.

Other officers elected by the board for 2004 are President-elect Dennis Linster of Wayne State College; Treasurer David Ley of State National Bank and Executive Director Bill Trick of the Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce and Wayne Industries.

"We will continue our focus on several key area that definitely benefit the Wayne area community," Brenner said, "such as reviewing revolving loan fund applications; expanding affordable housing for new employees looking to relocate; and pursuing economic development funding for start up, existing and expanding businesses."

In addition, the Wayne Industries organization each year hosts the Wayne Vendor Gold Invitational that recognizes the contributions that outside vendors make to the quality of products and services created in Wayne.

For more information on activities of Wayne Industries, contact the office for Wayne Industries and the Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce at (402) 375-2240

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 Dakota language and American, Indian cultures at the Nebraska Indian Community College at



Santee, and South Sioux City, Iowa. He sings with the Oyate Singers of Vermillion, S.D.

In the Great Plains Chautauqua, he portrays Dr. Charles A. Eastman, the first medical doctor of the Santee people of the Dakota Tribe; and Tecumseh, a Shawnee chief and British general. He lives in Vermillion, SD.  
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this or future programs, please contact Wayne Public Library at 402-375-3135.

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Dr. Selene Phillips

# Russia

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al tour guides.

"Andre, our first guide, was an engineer. His earned \$150-\$200 a month at his job and often worked as a night watchman where he earned more. Another guide, Natasha, was a teacher and made \$100-\$150 a month. The cost of living in Russia was similar to that in our country," Pastor Kroeker said.

The group also visited a Russian Orthodox Church which was completely open inside, with no seats. Kroeker noted that the church service used a lot of ritual.

"We also visited the Kremlin which has a number of government offices. These buildings are surrounded by cannons which were left by Napoleon's army when they tried to take over Russia," Kroeker said.

In addition, there are four churches at the Kremlin, each for a different purpose. One church was

used for baptisms, one for confirmation, one for marriage and one for burial.

After several days of adjusting to jet lag and cultural differences, the group boarded a train for a 12-hour train trip to Kazan, the capitol of Tartarstan, a province of Russia. The city has a population of one million people. There the group worked with the Evangelical Free Church's sister churches.

At a church service on Sunday, there was no heat or lights in the church as they were trying to save money.

"There were 18 people in our class. The average age of our students was approximately 19 years. Most were students who had recently accepted the Lord. Several of the others were workers who were able to take off the two weeks the class lasted," Pastor Kroeker said.

There are not many Evangelical pastors in Russia and no government recognition of the church. Kroeker noted that there is a great

deal of prejudice against the church.

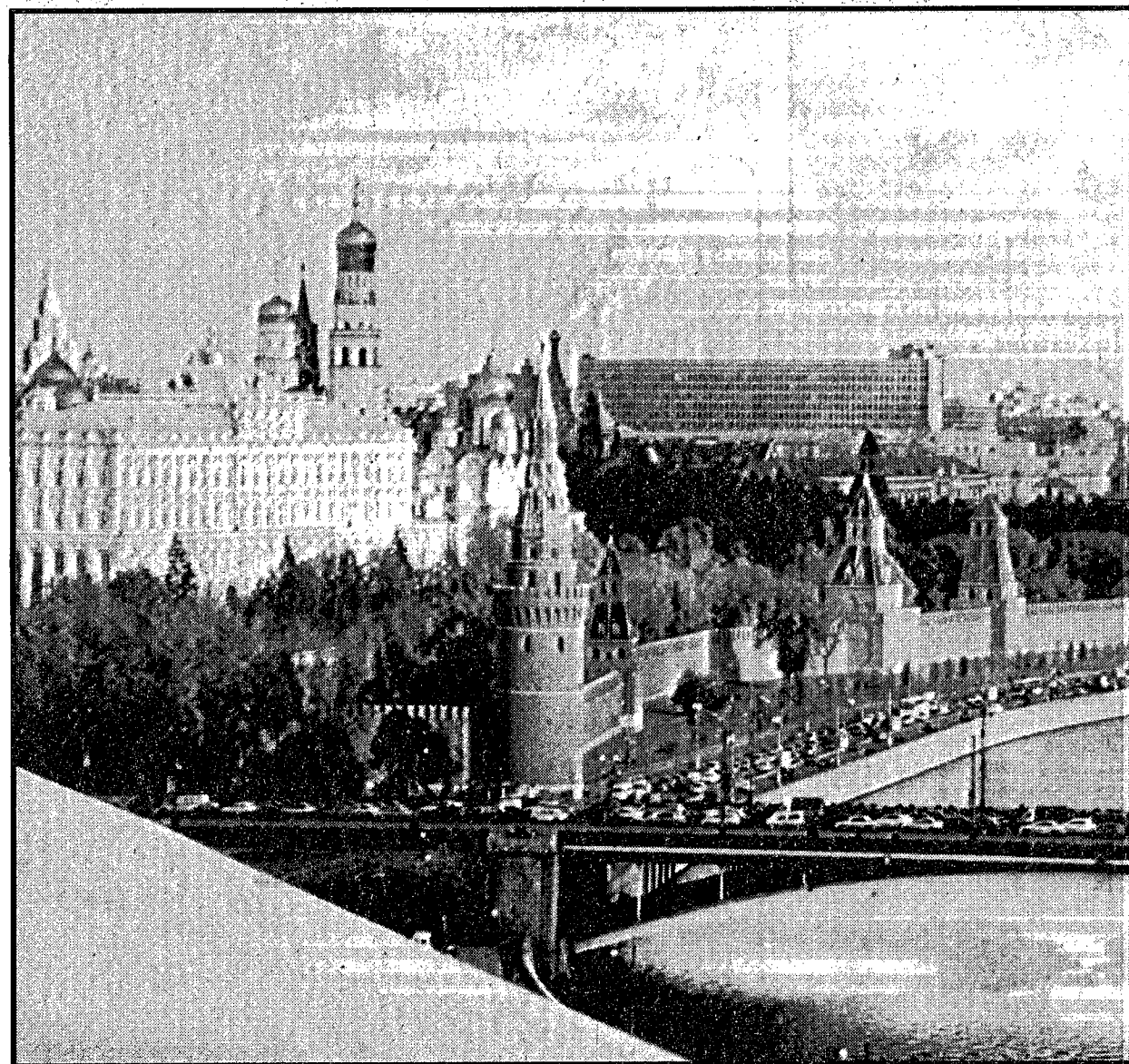
Pastor Kroeker noted that during the two weeks of classes, the group had lunch and supper at the church. Meals generally consisted of starches and not a lot of meat. Some chicken and fish were served, as was lots of cabbage and borscht, a beet soup served with sour cream. Russians do not eat a lot of sweets as they are too expensive.

"It was cold and snowy while we were in Russia. We had to walk a mile each day from our hotel to the church. The people in Kazan had mini-van type buses but often hitch-hiked. It was cheaper and a normal mode of transportation. There was no fear among the hitch-hikers or those giving rides," he said.

Kroeker said the trip was a great experience and that even though there was a lot of bureaucracy, he was treated well during his time in Russia.



Pastor Cal Kroeker, second from the left in the third row, poses with the group of students and teachers in Kazan, Tartarstan, Russia. The group included students from Kazan, interpreters and six Americans. Below, a red wall surrounds the Kremlin in Moscow. Pastor Kroeker's group was able to spend several days touring the city before moving on to the main purpose of the trip, teaching students how to study the Bible. Pastor Kroeker noted that Russia, Lenin is still revered and is known as "Grandfather." He also noted that there is a great deal of industry in the part of Russia that his group visited and that home ownership is rare, as most people live in flats.



# Davidson and Nuernberger awarded for extra-effort service at Wayne State

Two familiar Wayne State College Conn Library individuals, June Davidson and Lois Nuernberger, have earned "Pat-on-the-Back" awards from the Northeast Nebraska Library System Board.

"June Davidson earned the award for many years of service in providing interlibrary loan service to not only the students and faculty at WSC, but also to supplying materials from the WSC library to the libraries in the Northeast system. Lois Nuernberger was awarded for many years of providing materials and service to the students, future teachers and libraries of Northeast Nebraska," said Dr. Stan Gardner, library director.

Gardner nominated the two individuals following Davidson's retirement from the library in 2003. Davidson served patrons at the library for 17 years. Davidson said she enjoyed finding materials for loan requests.

"I learned you can't do everything, but you can try," she said.

Both librarians said the best aspect of their jobs was working people through the library. Davidson and Nuernberger credited their WSC student workers in particular.

"We have always had good students to work with. They do well during training, have high expectations and good work ethics. Our student workers also deserve a 'Pat-on-the-Back' award. I should also be sharing this award with my fellow workers," Nuernberger said.

Nuernberger began working at Conn Library in February 1990. She works as Instructional Technology Center (ITC) manager. A few of her duties include hiring, training, scheduling and supervising student workers. She also

oversees ITC production work and the maintenance of ITC library

largest of the six systems throughout Nebraska that were formed in



June Davidson, left, and Lois Nuernberger earned awards from the Northeast Nebraska Library System Board.

collections. She provides assistance with ITC resources/ equipment, videos and films.

"Pat-on-the-Back" awards are given to individuals who have made a difference within northeast Nebraska libraries. Individuals who have been particularly supportive in the promotion of a library or media center are eligible for the award as acknowledgment of the extra-mile efforts of library promotion and commitment to making libraries the best they can be.

The Northeast Nebraska Library System (NELS) is the

1986 to improve and promote the library services in Nebraska. It is a non-profit organization governed by a board of library professionals and patrons from participating libraries.

The System contracts with Wayne State College to be the resource library for public, school, academic and Educational Service Unit (ESU) libraries in the region. Some of these services include reference, interlibrary loan, book exam center, database of large print books and continuing education in technology.

# Speech team begins new season

The Wayne High School Speech team opened its season by competing at the Pierce Invitational in Pierce on Jan. 17.

The Wayne team placed second with 31 points. Wakefield was the first place team at this meet.

Individual results include:  
 First place - Adam Wert, junior varsity, extemporaneous; Brady Garvin, varsity extemporaneous and Charity Kroeker, poetry.

Second place - Chad Jensen and Charity Kroeker, duet and Emily Brufat, junior varsity poetry.

Third place - Chad Jensen,

Jeff Meyer, Brady Garvin, Ashley Gentrup and Blair Sommerfeld, oral interpretation of drama.

Fourth place - Karissa Dorsey, informative.  
 Sixth place - Blair Sommerfeld, humorous prose; Ashley Gentrup, serious prose.

Other members of the Wayne High Speech team are Katie Osten, Ryan Lewon, Charles Holm, Adem Rudin, Deniz Rudin and Dustin Hurlbert.

Coaches for the group are Dwaine Spieker and Amy Jackson. They are also assisted by Traci Coover.

The schedule for the team

includes:  
 Friday, Jan. 23 - Fremont Invite at Fremont.

Saturday, Jan. 31 - Stanton Invitational at Stanton.  
 Saturday, Feb. 7 - West Point Central Catholic Invitational at West Point.

Saturday, Feb. 14 - Wisner-Pilger Invitational at Wisner.  
 Saturday, Feb. 21 - Battle Creek Invitational at Battle Creek.

Saturday, Feb. 28 - Mid-States Conference at Hartington Cedar Catholic.  
 Tuesday, March 2 - Districts at North Bend.

Thursday, March 18 - State Speech meet at Kearney.

# Neel invited to travel and study in Australia with People to People

James Neel, a junior at Winside High School, will be embarking upon a once-in-a-lifetime adventure. In August, 2003, he received a letter inviting him to travel and study in Australia with People to People Student Ambassadors, an educational exploration program founded by President Dwight D. Eisenhower. The trip is July 9-26, leaving from Omaha.

When James received his letter notifying him of the selection, it stated that a teacher, a former Student Ambassador or a national educational listing organization, had recommended him for the honor. To date, he notes, he has not been able to find out who made the recommendation but he is truly honored and appreciative.

In September, 2003, James and his parents attended an informal meeting in Sioux City, Iowa, along with at least 300 plus others. The interview narrowed the field to 30 to 40 students and he believes there are 34 from the Siouxland area. Traveling with his delegation will be certified teachers from South Sioux City.

Students and parents have a three-hour meeting each month through June, 2004, to learn what is expected of the student in conduct, dress code, etc. and what the trip itinerary entails.

In preparation in raising his own funds, as he did not want to depend upon his parents for everything, he wanted to make this an earning/learning/working effort. His parents helped him organize a bake sale, create a fundraising letter campaign and get in touch with other areas of sponsorship.

On Nov. 1, James letter campaign got underway with a personal goal to raise \$3,500 (58 percent of the cost) by Jan. 31, 2004. He did not simply seek donations but stressed a willingness to assist in any event and/or project, volunteering his time for the next year,

and give a talk of his travels once he returned home.

To date, he has raised 71 percent of his goal with more fundraising in the future. He will have a Sunday noon meal at the Winside Legion Post on March 14 and another spring event in conjunction with the Wayne Chamber of Commerce (details are not fully known at this time).

"So I have time to reach my personal goal and more," James said. "I know that I will succeed. I am always looking for additional sponsors."

James notes there have been some very special moments in his fundraising. He knew when he sent letters to area merchants, friends, and organizations, etc. that not all would be able to contribute or their policies would not allow it. That was okay. He said he simply wanted his community to know what an honor it is to be selected to participate in this program.

Although some have not sent financial support, their words of congratulations and support are worth more than gold. Then there are those who made personal donations because their related group could not; namely, Dean and Debbie Janke; Dean and Barbara Junck; David and LeNell Quinn; Terry and Sandra Bartling; Dean and Daisy Janke.

Other sponsorships have been received from TWJ Feeds, Carroll; The American Legion, Winside; Herb and Kathy Albers and Wisner West, Wisner; Elkhorn Valley Bank, Norfolk/Hoskins; Mike and Mary O'Dell, Dakota City; State Troopers Association of Nebraska, Troop B; Lester and Greta Grubbs, Winside; Northwestern Life, Norfolk; Farmers Coop, Winside/Pilger; Schumacher-Hasemann Funeral Homes, Quality Foods, McDonald's, Pac-N-Save, Wayne County Ag Society, Midland

Equipment, Zach's Propane, Arlene Bargholz, Lions Club, Eagles Club, AM Vets, all of Wayne; and Anonymous, Norfolk (who, as James said, "my mom thinks she knows who you are.")

James also noted he is pledged to the Winside Legion Auxiliary to assist with their Poppy Distribution Day at Hoskins and Memorial Day Dinner in May as well as assist the Wayne Lions Club in the future.

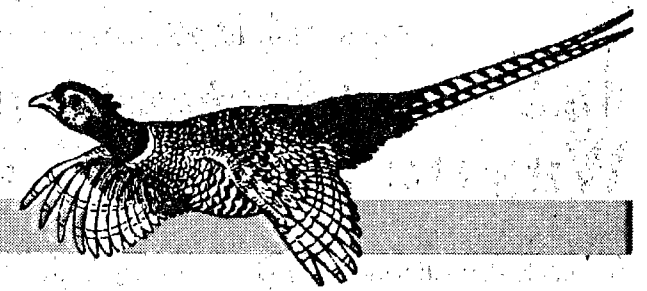
"Preparation means discipline and consequences," James said. "I have given up a wrestling tournament to volunteer and learned to get my 'thank-you' cards sent within two days or my parents offer the consequences. Additionally, the students have homework to complete between their monthly meetings. Students may earn high school and college credits; apply for a \$500 interest-free loan to be paid back after our trip with monthly payments and apply for a trip scholarship based on need.

A few highlights of the trip will include visiting with government officials, home stay with an Aussie family in Queensland or New South Wales; snorkeling the Great Barrier Reef; touring Sydney, its Opera House, site of the 2000 Olympics, cruise the Sydney Harbour; and explore the Outback, sunrise at Ayers Rocking, hiking the majestic King's Canyon, camping out as well as participating in the emu dance with Aborigines at Alice Springs.

"This adventure is something I will not take for granted and will do my best to come back a better person having experienced cultural differences, meeting and making new friends, and being able to share America with others," James said. "I am glad I have this opportunity and would recommend it to any student if so offered. Thanks for all the support."

# Sports

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11-0 Eagles roll over Wynot, Bancroft-Rosalie

## Top-ranked Allen boys chalk up two more wins

by Mike Grosz  
Of the Herald

The Wynot Blue Devils were supposed to give the top-ranked Allen boys basketball team a run for their money Tuesday evening in Wynot. Allen, pardon the pun, took defense to that.

The Eagles (11-0) swarmed Wynot with a stellar defensive effort to top the 8-4 Blue Devils 48-30.

Allen jumped out to a quick 7-2 lead early in the first quarter. Highlighting the fast start was a steal at midcourt by 6'7" senior Corey Uldrich, leading to a thundering two-handed dunk that ignited the Allen crowd. The Eagles would lead 13-8 after one quarter.

The Eagles pressure defense continued to affect Wynot as Allen held the Blue Devils to four points while scoring 13 of their own to lead 26-12 at halftime.

In the third quarter, Allen played even harder and expanded their lead to 40-17. The Eagles then controlled the ball in the fourth quarter to coast to the 48-30 win.

"I tip my hat to the tremendous effort this team gave at Wynot," said Allen head coach Dave Uldrich. "It is a very difficult place to play and our defense set the tone."

The Eagles had two players in double figures. Corey Uldrich

dropped in 19 points and Scott Blohm added 10. Aaron Smith and Bart Sachau scored five apiece, Andrew Sachau four, Duane Rahn three and Brett Koester two.

"Scott Blohm took pressure off Corey Uldrich with a good offensive game and I thought Aaron Smith and Andrew Sachau really did a great job coming off the bench with their defense and rebounding," added Coach Uldrich.

Allen made 18 of 41 field goals in the game compared to 14 of 45 for Wynot. The Eagles converted 11 of 18 free throws while Wynot was just 1 of 4.

The Eagles won the rebounding battle 28-27. Uldrich grabbed nine boards for Allen with Koester adding five. Koester handed out six assists in the win.

The Eagles ran past Bancroft-Rosalie in Allen on Friday evening 79-40.

Allen opened a quick 8-0 lead on the Panthers, only to find the Panthers closing that lead to 17-11 at the end of the first period.

The Eagles stepped up their intensity in the second quarter, outscoring B-R 28-8 to build a 45-19 halftime lead. Allen held a 14-11 scoring margin in the third quarter and outscored the Panthers 20-10 in the final period to push the final to 79-40.

Allen head coach Dave Uldrich said he was especially pleased

with his team's defensive effort in the win.

"We created a lot of opportunities for transition and that allowed us to break the game open early," remarked Coach Uldrich. "I thought the execution of our offense was very good."

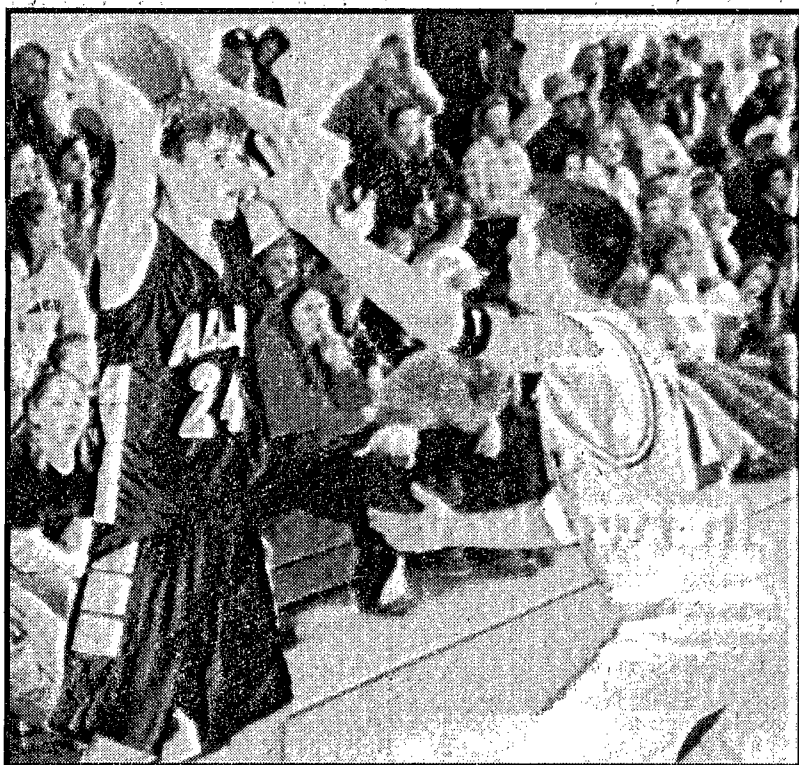
Four Allen players hit double figures on the evening. Uldrich dropped in a game-high 23, Koester and Bart Sachau hit for 15 each and Aaron Smith added 10. Other scorers included Andrew Sachau and Duane Rahn with four each, Scott Blohm and Derick Nice had three apiece with Nathan

Sturges adding two.

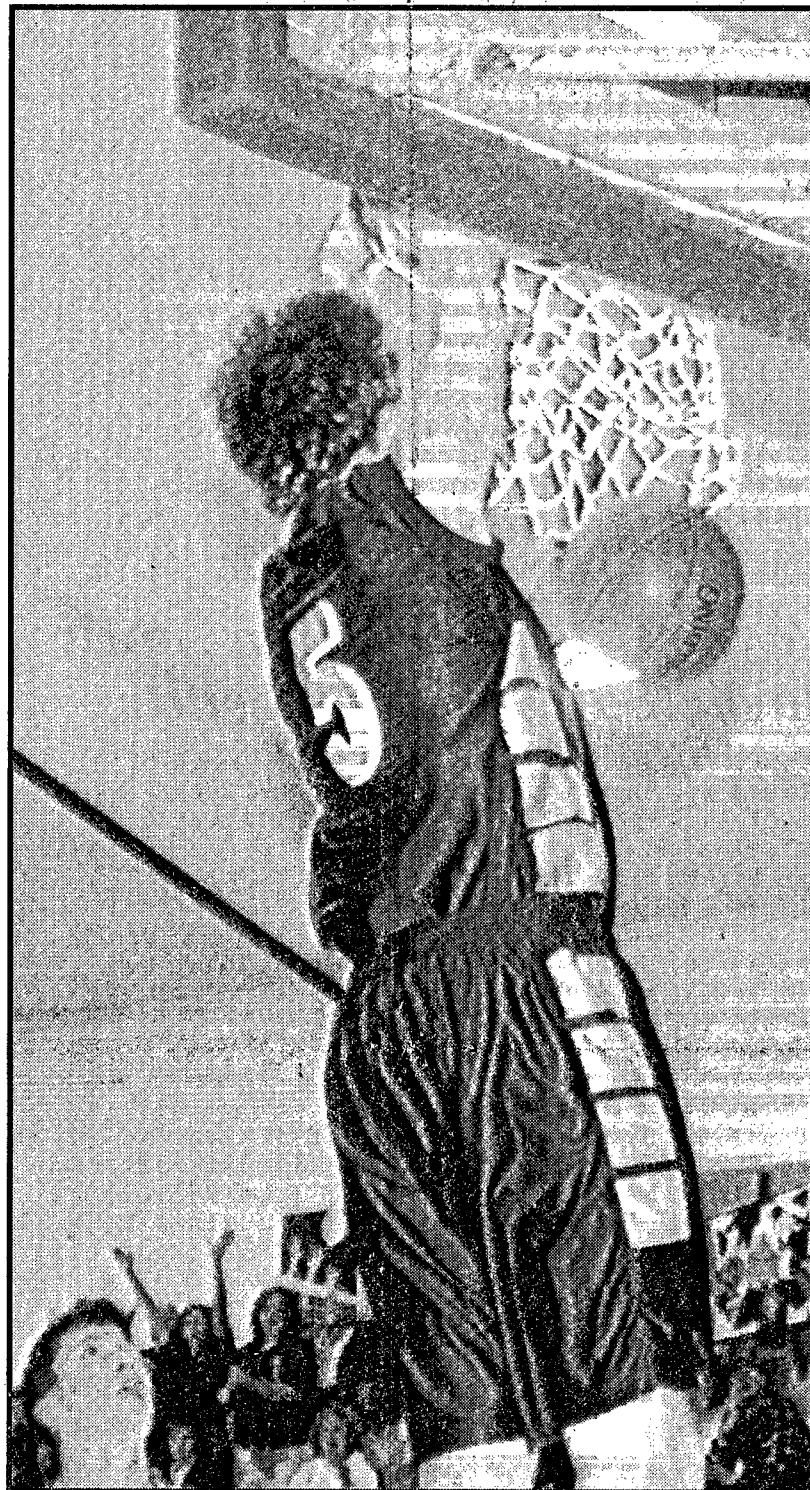
The Eagles hit 26 of 57 shots from the field and 19 of 30 at the charity stripe. B-R was 14 of 46 from the field and 11 of 15 from the free throw line.

Allen held a 22-19 rebounding advantage thanks to eight boards from Uldrich. Koester led the Eagles in assists and steals with four and three respectively.

The Eagles are scheduled to play at Wausa tonight (Thursday) in a rematch of last year's district final, host Walthill on Friday evening and travel to Emerson-Hubbard on Friday, Jan. 30.



Allen junior guard Brett Koester looks to pass the ball against a Wynot defender during Tuesday's game at Wynot. Koester had six assists in the 48-30 win.



Corey Uldrich of Allen dunks the ball after making a steal in the first quarter of Tuesday's 48-30 win at Wynot.

## Wayne State men win triple overtime thriller at Crookston, fall to league-leading Bemidji State

The Wayne State men's basketball team survived a triple overtime thriller at Minnesota-Crookston Saturday evening, 118-111, to salvage a split on the road last weekend.

The Wildcats suffered through its worst shooting night of the season one night earlier, 36.8 percent, in an 84-66 loss at league-leading Bemidji State.

Friday night's meeting in Bemidji matched the top two teams in the Northern Sun Conference, but the host Beavers applied a swarming defense that shut down the Cats allowing Bemidji State to win.

Wayne State entered the road trip as the top three-point shooting team in the country (.482) and the third in field goal percentage (.524), but the Wildcats hit just 25 of 68 shots from the field (36.8 percent) and 2 of 15 three-pointers (13 percent) in the loss.

"They played a great game," said WSC head coach Rico Burkett. "Anytime we got within striking range, they had an answer. Our shooters also had a hard time with their athleticism."

Wayne State enjoyed the lead briefly early in the game, holding an 8-5 lead with 16:42 left in the first half. But the Beavers went on a 15-2 run to take a 20-10 lead at the 11:46 mark. Bemidji State held a 40-33 lead at halftime.

The Wildcats would get as close as four points in the second half, 52-48 with 13:44 remaining, but a 12-3 run by Bemidji State gave the Beavers a 64-51 lead at the 9:13 mark to put the game away.

Junior center Brett Cain poured in 21 points to pace Wayne State in scoring. Brett Watson was the only player in double digits with 18.

NSIC Pre-Season Player of the Year Charles Hanks scored a game-high 31 points to lead Bemidji State. The Beavers shot 53.4 percent from the field, making 31 of 58 shots.

The Beavers outrebounded Wayne State 41-34. Cain hauled in seven boards for the Cats with Watson adding six caroms.

Saturday evening in Crookston, the Wildcats rallied from a nine-point deficit in the final five minutes of regulation and came back from seven down in the second overtime to win a marathon battle over the much-improved Golden Eagles.

Wayne State led the see-saw affair 40-33 at halftime, but the host Golden Eagles stormed back in the second half to take a 72-63 lead with 5:17 left.

Thanks to a trio of three-pointers by sophomore guard Dusty Smith along with a three pointer and four key free throws from freshman guard Dallas Hodges, the Wildcats were able to tie the game at the end of regulation at 84-84.

The Wildcats trailed 92-87 with 2:40 left in the first overtime, but rallied to tie the game at 94-94 to force a second overtime. Watson's three-pointer with :48 left in the first overtime helped tie the game.

It was Crookston's turn to rally in the second overtime as WSC built a 101-94 lead with 3:00 remaining. But the Golden

Eagles rallied to tie the score at 103-103 to force a third overtime.

Wayne State would finally put the Golden Eagles away in the third overtime as the Wildcats outscored UMC 15-8 to win 118-111. Smith scored nine of the Wildcats' 15 points in the third overtime.

"We didn't play well defensively, but got stops when we needed them," commented Burkett. "I credit the team for staying focused and hitting some big shots to get the win."

Watson scored 29 points for Wayne State to lead six double-figure scorers. Smith added 22, Hodges scored a career-high 20, Archer had 15 with Cain and Tim Gesell adding 12 apiece.

WSC made 37 of 86 field goals (43 percent) compared to Crookston's 38 of 76 (50 percent).

The Wildcats hit 12 of 24 three-point shots and made 32 of 40 free throws. The Golden Eagles shot a sizzling 87 percent from the charity stripe (27 of 31) and hit 8 of 20 three-point shots.

Minn-Crookston held a 51-41

## Santa Fe Grille to host Wayne State 'Cat Club' luncheon Friday

The next Wayne State College 'Cat Club' luncheon will be held on Friday (Jan. 23) beginning at noon at the Santa Fe Grille in Wayne. Please note the new location!!!

Scheduled speakers for the luncheon include WSC Men's

Edge in rebounding over Wayne State. Colin Tague grabbed a team-high 11 boards for the Cats. Smith dished out eight assists.

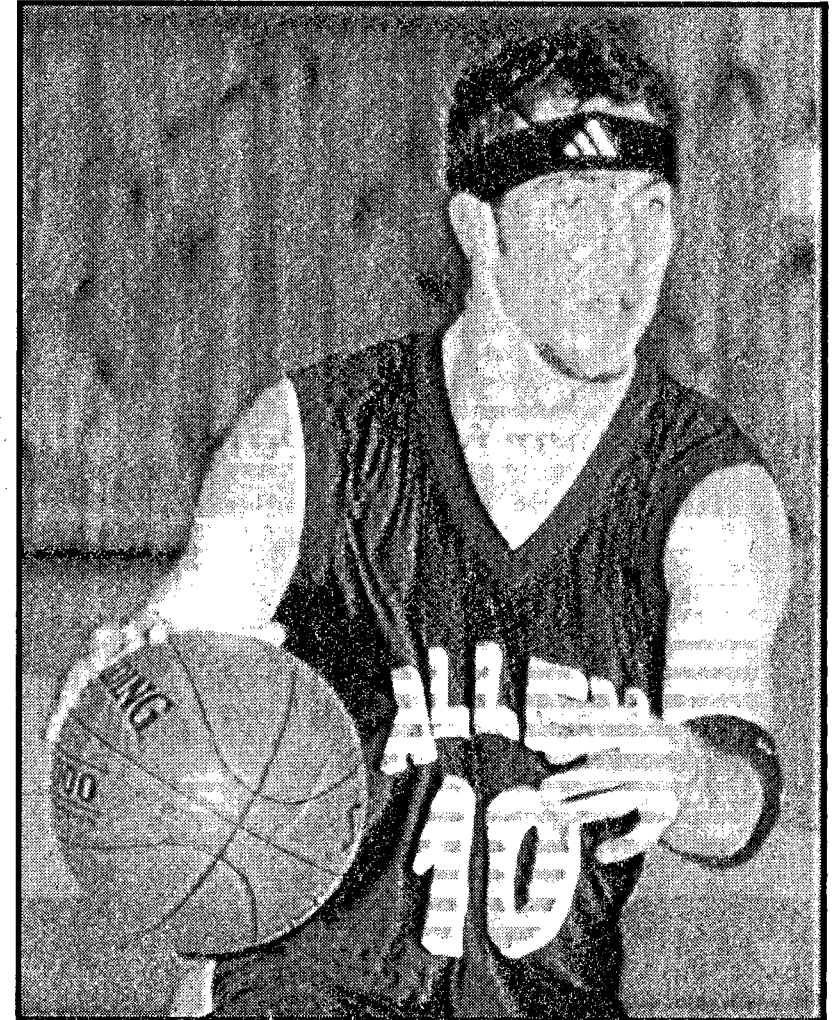
After a grueling three-week stretch to start the NSIC schedule, the Wildcats sit in second place with a 5-2 mark and 11-7 overall.

"It was a difficult run with some tough road games," remarked Burkett. "With our next three games at home, we are in a great situation to keep ourselves near the top of the league."

Wayne State hosts Southwest State on Saturday, then welcomes Northern State on Friday, Jan. 30 and MSU-Moorhead on Saturday, Jan. 31.

**Bemidji St.-84 WSC-66**  
WSC: Brett Cain 21, Brett Watson 18, Derek Archer 7, Dallas Hodges 6, Colin Tague 6, Dusty Smith 5, Tim Gesell 3.  
FG's: 25/63 36% FT's: 14-22 63%

**WSC-118 UM-Crookston-111**  
WSC: Watson 29, Smith 22, Hodges 20, Archer 15, Cain 12, Gesell 12, Tague 6, Troy Malone 2.  
FG's: 37/86 43% FT's: 32/40 80%



Allen senior point guard Bart Sachau scored 15 points in Friday's 79-40 win over Bancroft-Rosalie.

## Mardi Gras Night at Wayne State basketball doubleheader Saturday

The Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce and Wayne Industries will each be sponsoring a halftime contest as part of Wayne State's home basketball doubleheader on Saturday, Jan. 24.

As part of the Mardi Gras Night festivities, a Wayne State student will have a chance to win a trip for two to New Orleans and a Wayne State fan will have a chance to win a trip for four to Kansas City. Sign up for this contest will take place at the Southwest State game only.

The four-night trip for two to New Orleans will include airfare and rooms and will be sponsored by the Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce. The four-night trip for four to Kansas City will include tickets to Worlds of Fun, Oceans of

Fun along with four nights of lodging and will be sponsored by Wayne Industries.

The two contestants will attempt to make a layup, a free throw, a three-point shot and a half-court shot in 25 seconds. The contest will take place at halftime of the men's game.

As part of the festivities, Mardi Gras beads and masks will also be sold at all 'entrances' to Rice Auditorium for a cost of \$2. Proceeds will go to the local chapter of the American Red Cross and the first-ever WSC Roll For Cash Contest to be held on Spirit Night scheduled for Friday, Feb. 20.

The Wayne State women's game against Southwest State begins at 6 pm with the men's game to follow at 8 pm on Saturday, Jan. 24.

## Sports Briefs

### Two WSC track athletes earn honors

WAYNE—Two Wayne State College track and field athletes were honored this week by the Northern Sun Conference for their performances in Saturday's Wayne State Open at the WSC Rec Center.

Jeremy Eickman, a freshman from Deshler, was named the NSIC Men's Field Athlete of the Week. Eickman won the shot put at the WSC Open with a throw of 45-2 1/2.

Katie Malander, a sophomore from Fullerton, received the NSIC Women's Field Athlete of the Week after setting a new school record by clearing 10'2" to win the pole vault.

### Youth basketball tourney at Wayne St.

WAYNE—The annual Affiliated Foods/Wayne State College Youth Basketball Tournament is scheduled for April 2 and 3 at Wayne State College.

The tournament is open to boys and girls teams in the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grade divisions.

For tournament information, contact WSC Women's Basketball Coach Ryun Williams at (402) 375-7311.

## Winside wrestlers dominate Battle Creek Invitational

The Winside wrestling team had all 12 wrestlers medal en route to winning the Battle Creek Invitational Saturday.

The Wildcats scored 190 points with Stanton placing second at 115. Tilden Elkhorn Valley was third with 111.5 points, Oakland-Craig fourth at 102 and Pierce fifth with 74.5 points.

Rounding out the team scoring were Randolph (72), Osmond (65), Scribner-Snyder (44), Battle Creek (39) and Wakefield (14).

Winside sent 10 wrestlers to the finals, helping the Wildcats build an 80-point lead entering the finals. However, only three wrestlers brought home individual titles.

Winside coach Paul Sok said his team had an excellent semi-final round, but added winning four of the final 12 matches put things a little on the down side for the day.

"In some cases the kids lost a little intensity, there was a little lack of proper technique and from the

coaching standpoint I think a couple of position decisions could have been more sound," remarked Coach Sok. "On the other hand, there were some exciting matches in the finals."

Kass Holdorf (145), Josh Sok (160) and Bryce Roberts (215) each claimed individual titles for the Wildcats.

Seven other wrestlers placed second—Jesse Thies (103), Josh Staub (112), Andrew Sok (119), Dan Morris (135), Dewey Bowers (152), Eric Morris (171) and Cody Lange (275). Nathan Stevens earned a third place finish at 130 pounds while Brandon Bowers finished fourth at 140.

Winside also sent two wrestlers to the Pender 9th and 10th grade meet Saturday. James Neel placed first at 130 and Chris Thies finished second at 112 pounds.

The Wildcats will compete at the Oakland-Craig Tournament on Saturday, then host Wayne for a dual on Tuesday evening.

# Wayne State women snap five game skid with win at Crookston

The Wayne State College women's basketball team snapped a five-game losing skid with a key road victory at Minnesota-Crookston Saturday evening, 70-58.

The Wildcats led for much of Friday evening's game in Bemidji before falling late 68-60 to come home with a weekend split.

Friday's game at Bemidji saw 15 lead changes between the two teams before the host Beavers went on a 34-17 game-ending run to down the Wildcats.

Bemidji State held a slim 31-30 lead at halftime, but Wayne State opened the second half with a 13-1 run to open an 11 point lead, 43-32 with 15:54 remaining.

The Wildcats, though, suffered through a seven-minute span without a basket, allowing Bemidji State to take control of the game.

"We played well in the first half and early in the second half, but that seven minute stretch was the key to game," stated WSC head coach Ryan Williams. "We got back on our heels and never matched their intensity. They were the aggressor."

Kristen Humphries was one of four players to reach double figures for the Wildcats, scoring 13 points. Karoline Salazar, Lauren Gustafson and Kim Hefner added 10 points each.

WSC made 22 of 48 field goals in the game (45.8 percent) and was 9 of 11 from the free throw line. BSU was 21 of 47 from the field (44.7 percent) and 19 of 26 at the charity stripe.

Bemidji State won the rebounding battle over the Wildcats 31-26. Salazar grabbed 10 rebounds for WSC. The Wildcats had 21 turnovers in the game compared

to Bemidji's 17.

The Wildcats rebounded Saturday with what Coach Williams called "a much needed, well deserved win" in Crookston.

Wayne State led for much of the game over the Golden Eagles, holding off a pair of charges by the host team to pick up the road win. The Wildcats built an 11-point lead in the first half, 39-28, before Minn.-Crookston scored the final seven points to make the score 39-35 at halftime.

Minn.-Crookston cut the WSC lead down to one point, 44-43 with 16:10 left in the game. But WSC scored eight of the next nine points to take a 52-44 lead at the 9:56 mark. The Wildcats iced the game by making several key shots and 7 of 9 free throws late in the contest. "That was a nice win," stated Coach Williams. "You could tell from the opening tip that our team

picked it up a notch, they were tougher than the other team."

Humphries poured in a game-high 23 points to pace Wayne State in scoring. Ashley Arndorfer added 13 points and Hefner contributed 12.

The Wildcats shot a respectable 49 percent from the field, making 26 of 53 shots. WSC was 12 of 14 from the free throw line. Minn.-Crookston hit just 31 percent from the field (19 of 60), but was 18 of 25 at the charity stripe.

The Golden Eagles held a slight 39-37 rebounding advantage over the Wildcats. Humphries hauled in nine boards to lead WSC with Allison Steffen adding six.

Both teams had 16 turnovers in the game. Steffen dished out five assists for the 'Cats.

"We got the game we were looking for," added Coach Williams. "We shot the ball well, took care of

the ball and played solid defense."

Wayne State, now 9-9 overall and 2-5 in the NSIC, will host Southwest State Saturday evening with tipoff set for 6 pm. The Wildcats will also be home the following weekend, hosting Northern State on Friday, Jan. 30 and MSU-Moorhead on Saturday, Jan. 31.

**Bemidji St.-68 WSC-60**  
WSC: Kristen Humphries 13,

Lauren Gustafson 10, Kim Hefner 10, Karoline Salazar 10, Kari Belak 7, Allison Steffen 4, Ashley Arndorfer 3, Nicole Gesell 3.  
FG's: 22/48 45% FT's: 9/11 81%

**WSC-70 UM-Crookston-58**  
WSC: Humphries 23, Arndorfer 13, Hefner 12, Gesell 9, Belak 6, Steffen 5, Gustafson 2.  
FG's: 26/53 49% FT's: 12/14 85%

## Wayne High grapplers down South Sioux City

The Wayne wrestling team improved to 3-2 in duals last Thursday evening with a 38-30 victory at South Sioux City.

Wayne won five of the eight matches wrestled with three victories coming by pin. The Blue Devils rallied from a 30-20 deficit with three straight pins to earn the dual win.

"It was an exciting dual," said head coach Kevin Finkey. "We wrestled well with some wrestlers having a big night for us."

Matt Nelson (140) and Jacob Kay (145) both posted first period wins by pin while 152-pounder Matt Roeder recorded a pin in the second period.

"From a coaching standpoint, it was great to put the outcome of the dual in the hands of your seniors and they answered the challenge," added Coach Finkey.

Dana Schuett won by technical fall (17-2) at 189 pounds while Josh Widner earned a 10-3 win by decision in his 112 pound match. Dan Reinhardt (160) and David Loberg (171) won their matches by forfeit.

The lone JV match of the dual saw Nick Klassen win by pin at 140 pounds in the first period.

The Wayne varsity team traveled to the Elkhorn Invitational on Saturday while another group of wrestlers competed at the Pender 9th and 10th grade meet.

At the Elkhorn Invitational, Wayne placed ninth out of 13 teams with 80.5 points.

Aurora won the 13-team tournament with 219.5 points. Gretna came in second (172.5) and Elkhorn was third with 144. Falls City scored 125 points. Grand

Island was fifth at 122.5, followed by Plattsmouth (115), Valentine (102), Lexington (102), Wayne (80.5) and Crete 10th with 74 points.

Rounding out the team scoring were O'Neill (72), Bennington (41.5) and Nebraska City (37).

"This was the toughest tourney so far this season," remarked Coach Finkey. "Due to injury and illness, the varsity only wrestled with seven participants but we still finished well."

Wayne had four wrestlers earn medals at the tournament, led by individual champion Matt Nelson at 140 pounds.

"Matt pinned his way through the tournament and was named the outstanding wrestler by the coaches," added Finkey. Nelson is now 21-0 on the season.

Dana Schuett finished second at 189. A nagging injury forced a default in the finals.

"Dana's injury is a concern to me, but I have high hopes of seeing him on the mat again real soon," Finkey commented.

Dan Reinhardt was fourth at 160 and Matt Roeder fifth at 152.

The Blue Devils had four wrestlers place at the Pender 9th and 10th grade meet. Bren VanderWeil captured first at 189 pounds with a 3-0 record, Brandon Pilger finished second at 140 pounds with a 2-1 mark while Curtis Pilger and Adam Reinert each placed third at 125 and 171 pounds respectively.

Wayne was scheduled to visit Madison for a dual tonight (Thursday), then visit Winside for a dual on Tuesday. Both duals begin at 7 pm.

## Hartington hands Laurel girls second loss, Bears win two boys games

Hartington High (9-2) handed the Laurel-Concord girls basketball team their second loss of the season (11-2) Tuesday evening, 64-53 in Hartington.

The host Wildcats jumped out to a commanding 18-7 lead after the first quarter with the two teams playing even the rest of the game. Hartington High led 30-19 at halftime and 44-33 after three quarters.

Senior forward Maggi Recob led the Lady Bears in scoring with 16 points. Tiffany Erwin added 14 and Angie Peters finished with 12.

Other scorers included Bridget Haahr with five while Camela Promes and Ashley Patefield contributed three apiece.

In the boys game, Eric Nelson drained a three-pointer with 3.6 seconds remaining to lift Laurel-Concord over Hartington High 46-45.

Laurel-Concord rallied from a nine-point deficit after three quarters to get the win. After the two teams were tied 13-13 after one quarter, Hartington High led 20-16 at halftime and 35-26 after three quarters before the Bears mounted their comeback, outscoring the Wildcats 20-10 in the fourth quarter.

Nelson finished with a game-high 23 points for the Bears, now 7-5 on the season. Neuhalfen finished with nine points, Brent Hoising had seven, Jeff Knudsen three and Chance McCoy one.

The Laurel-Concord girls and boys defeated Creighton in NENAC games played in Laurel last Friday evening.

The Lady Bears used a balanced scoring attack to top the Lady Bulldogs 53-37 while the Laurel-Concord boys snapped a three-game losing streak with a strong 62-46 win over Creighton.

In the girls' contest, L-C held Creighton to 18 percent field goal shooting in posting the win. The Lady Bears led 11-7 after the first quarter, 25-12 at halftime and 37-21 after three quarters.

"The girls played a good overall game," remarked L-C Head Coach Mike Halley. "We limited our turnovers and rebounded well."

Erwin dropped in 14 points to lead Laurel-Concord in scoring. Recob and Peters each added 10 points, Bridget Haahr had nine, Ashley Patefield four with Lori Pritchard, Camela Promes and Megan Sohler contributing two points each.

L-C shot 34 percent from the field, making 19 of 56 shots. The Bears connected on 14 of 16 free throws (87.5 percent) while Creighton hit 17 of 24 from the line.

The Lady Bears outrebounded Creighton 42-33. Recob hauled in 11 boards with Promes adding eight. Patefield handed out a team-high five assists.

The Laurel-Concord boys jumped out to a 27-11 lead in the first quarter and never allowed the visiting Bulldogs back in the game.

The Bears, held to just five points in the second quarter, still held a 32-25 halftime lead and was up 46-36 after three quarters before ending up with a 62-46 win.

Eric Nelson drilled five three-pointers and scored a game-high 28 points for the Bears. Neuhalfen also hit double figures with 10 points. Brent Hoising had eight, McCoy six, Philip Nelson five, Knudsen four and Dickey one.

Eric Nelson led the Bears in rebounding with seven. Neuhalfen produced a team-high five steals.

Laurel-Concord will host Bloomfield on Friday evening, then welcome Wakefield for girls and boys games on Thursday and Friday, Jan. 29 and 30.

## WSC indoor track teams resume season with strong showing

Wayne State's indoor track and field teams turned in several outstanding performances at the Wayne State College Open held Saturday at the WSC Rec Center.

Five teams competed in the meet-Wayne State College, York College, Dakota State University (SD), Mount Marty College (SD) and Bethany College of Kansas.

"I thought this was a very good meet for our team to get the rust off after the long Christmas break," said WSC Head Coach Marlon Brink. "We needed to see where our athletes were in terms of conditioning, technique and competitive attitude and I think we accomplished that at this meet."

The Wildcat men won seven events while the women's team also pocketed seven first place finishes, including one new school record.

Sophomore Katie Malander (Fullerton) set a school record in the pole vault with a mark of 10-2 to win the event.

"Katie had been stuck at the 10 foot barrier for a while, so it was nice for her to reach a new level," remarked Coach Brink.

Lindsay Stockwell, a sophomore from Geneva, won the 20-pound weight throw with a personal best toss of 45-0 and was second in the shot put with a mark of 36-2.50.

Other women's winners included Aurora freshman Erin Oswald in the 400 meter dash (1:02.72); Angie Kraus, a junior from Broken Bow, captured the 600 meter run in 1:45.20; Ashley Smith, a freshman from Thurston, won the 800 meter run (2:30.18) and Nicole McCoy, a sophomore from Lincoln Pius, winning the 3000 meter run in 11:49.14.

The 4 x 400 meter relay team of Kraus, Jodi Rhodig, Smith and Oswald finished in first place with a time of 4:15.32.

Tanna Walford, a freshman from York, tied for first in the high jump with a leap of 5-4; Stapleton sophomore Tiffany Schacher placed second in the 55 meter hur-

dles (9.16) and was second in the long jump (16-2.25); Rhodig finished second in the 200 meter dash (27.01) and McCoy placed second in the one mile run (5:51.6).

Leading the Wayne State men was junior sprinter Zach Molacek of Stanton, winning the 55-meter dash in 6.67 seconds. Other winners included Brian Dixon in the 55 meter hurdles (7.7); Matt Schaffer, a sophomore from Nebraska City, in the 600 meter run (1:24.20); Nate McIntire in the 800 meter run (2:06.94); Ben Crabtree in the 3000 meter run (9:22.24) and Jeremy Eickman in the shot put (45-2.5).

The 4 x 400 meter relay team of Dixon, McIntire, Korey Kriz and Schaffer also took first place with a

## Wayne City Recreation Adult Basketball League Results

**Women's League Jan. 15**  
Team 1-56 Team 3-44  
Team 1: Monica Novak 25, Tara McClarnen 16, Susan Metzler 9.  
Team 3: Heidi Keller 17, Stacey Alexander 8, Robin Gamble 6.

**Team 4-60 Team 2-28**  
Team 4: Julie Melena 19, Mary Boehle 15, Toni Hytrek 8.  
Team 2: Steph Hansen 8, Laura Gamble 7.

**Men's C League Jan. 14**  
Team 6-52 Team 1-43  
Team 6: John Sinniger 16, Craig Walling 11, Bill Melena 9.  
Team 1: Brad Jones 11, Rich Poeselman 10, Doug Pieper 7.

**Team 4-43 Team 3-41 OT**  
Team 4: Doug Carroll 16, John McClarnen 11, Dave Lutt 6.  
Team 3: Mike Grosz 17, Chuck Parker 11, Brendan Dorsey 9.

time of 3:35.12.

"I thought Matt Schaffer looked very strong in his races, Brian Dixon had an outstanding day and Jeremy Eickman had good consistency in most of his throws in the shot put," said Coach Brink when asked to comment on the performance of the men's team.

Other top finishers for the WSC men included Teddy Young, second in the 200 meter dash (24.01); Jeremiah Herron, second in the one mile run (4:50.1); Ryan Leger, second in the long jump (21-7.5) and Phil Esslinger, second in the pole vault (12-6).

The Wildcats will travel to the UNL Invitational on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 24-25 at the Devaney Sports Center in Lincoln.

**Team 2-54 Team 5-31**  
Team 2: Brad Roberts 18, Bob Keating 15, Al Nissen 10.  
Team 5: Troy Young 8, Justin Swanson 6, Mark Moser 6.

**Men's A/B League Jan. 12**  
Team 5-64 Team 1-49  
Team 5: Ric Volk 21, Nathan Wacker 12.  
Team 1: Jeff Piper 21, Chad Metzler 10.

**Team 2-63 Team 3-56**  
Team 2: Brad Hoskins 15, Brady Heithold 15, Lee Stegemann 13.  
Team 3: Austin Lueth 29, Nick Muir 10.

**Team 6-59 Team 4-51**  
Team 6: Nick Hochstein 18, Ben Meyer 16, Cory Buck 13.  
Team 4: Ryan Stoltenberg 18, Drew Wagner 14, Jeff Pippitt 12.

## Wayne High Athletic Hall of Fame nominations are due March 1

Nominations are now being accepted through the end of February for the Wayne High School Athletic Hall of Fame.

A period of 15 years since graduation must have passed before an athlete is eligible for consideration to the Hall of Fame.

Coaching nominees must have a five-year grace period before being considered for the honor.

Three inductees will be selected for the Wayne High School Athletic Hall of Fame and will be honored at the Wayne High School Athletic Banquet in May.

Nomination forms can be picked up at Wayne High School. For more information on the Wayne High Athletic Hall of Fame, contact Rocky Ruhl at 375-3150 or Dan Johnson at 375-0501.

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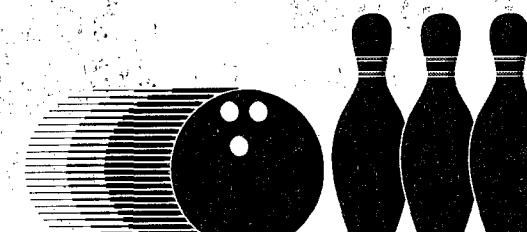
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# Allen girls fall to state-ranked Wynot, Bancroft-Rosalie

The Allen girls basketball team is used to facing state ranked teams.

The Lady Eagles game at Wynot Tuesday evening, ranked fifth in Class D-2, was the seventh ranked opponent Allen has faced in 13 games this season.

The host Blue Devils used a full court press to fluster the Eagles on their way to a 49-42 Lewis and Clark Conference win.

"We just made too many errors to keep ourselves close enough in the game," said Allen head coach Lori Koester. "We have to take better care of the ball and work on some of the little things that make a big difference."

Wynot led the entire game, enjoying a 13-8 after one quarter, 22-14 at halftime and 33-22 after three quarters.

Senior forward Alycia Stewart had 20 points to lead Allen in scoring. Alissa Koester also reached double figures with 10 points. Kelli Rastede had six, Andrea Liebsch four and Codi Hancock

two to round out the Eagles scoring.

Both teams were similar in field goal shooting with Wynot canning 17 of 51 shots and Allen making 17 of 48 attempts. Wynot won the rebounding battle 25-24.

Bancroft-Rosalie, ranked eighth in Class D-1, used a big third quarter, to knock off the Allen girls last Friday evening in Allen 64-40.

The Eagles were down 12-8 after one quarter and 27-21 at halftime, but the visiting Panthers outscored Allen 25-8 in the third quarter to take a commanding 52-29 lead.

"We played three competitive quarters, but we really let that third quarter get away from us and that was disappointing," said Coach Koester. "We played a poised first half, moved the ball well and got some very good shots, but we needed to keep that same composure in the second half."

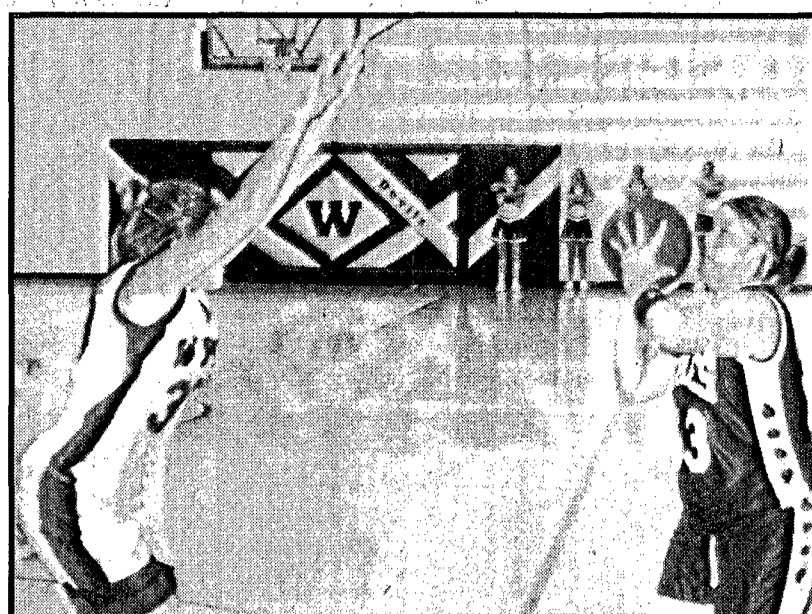
Uldrich scored a career-high 11

points to lead Allen in scoring. Stewart also hit double figures with 10. Alissa Koester finished with eight points, Kelli Rastede six, Liebsch two and Bock one.

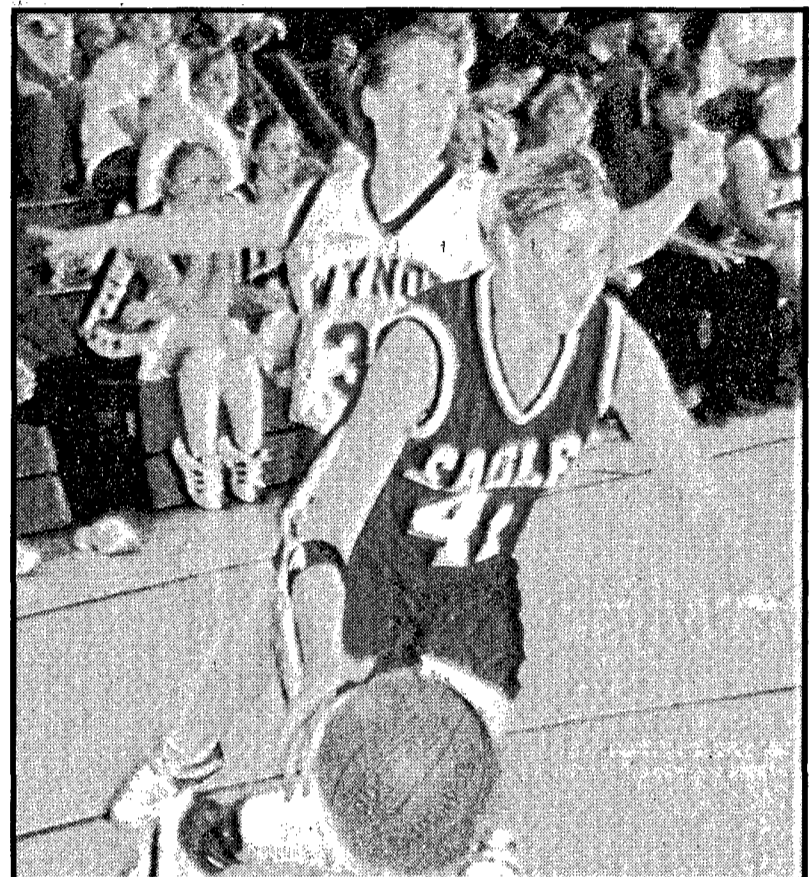
The Eagles made 17 of 45 field goals compared to 27 of 64 for the Panthers. Allen was 4 of 7 at the free throw line with B-R connect-

ing on 7 of 14 charity tosses. Bancroft-Rosalie won the rebounding battle 24-18.

Allen, now 6-7 on the year, was scheduled to play at Wausa tonight (Thursday) and host Walthill on Friday evening. The Lady Eagles will then travel to Emerson-Hubbard on Thursday, Jan. 29.



Allen sophomore guard Alissa Koester prepares to shoot over Wynot defender Jackie Wieseler during Tuesday's Lewis and Clark Conference game in Wynot.



Alycia Stewart of Allen drives to the basket after beating a Wynot defender during Tuesday's game at Wynot.



Samantha Bock (35) and Andrea Liebsch (43) of Allen reach for a loose ball against Wynot.

## Winside boys notch win over Clarkson, Wildcat girls drop two games

Clarkson jumped out to a 26-9 halftime lead and went on to top Winside 49-29 in girls high school basketball Tuesday evening in Clarkson. With the loss, Winside falls to 2-10 on the season.

The Wildcats trailed 11-6 after one quarter, then watched the host Red Devils outscore Winside 15-3 in the second quarter to take a sizeable lead.

"We struggled in our half court offense most of the first half," stated Winside head coach Tim Stubbs. "We handled their press really well, but then turned the ball over trying to get into our offensive game."

Melissa Deck had 10 points to pace the Wildcats in scoring. She also led the team in rebounding with five.

"Melissa Deck turned in another solid game and did a nice job of taking the ball to the basket and getting to the free throw line," added Coach Stubbs.

Katie Behmer contributed seven points and four rebounds with Jessica Hansen adding five points off the bench. Rachel Peter, Kim Deck and Jessica Janke added three rebounds apiece.

The Wildcat girls lost at Wakefield last Thursday evening 32-15. The host Trojans led 9-2 after one quarter, 17-4 at halftime and 25-7 after three quarters.

"Wakefield played the best man to man defense we have faced all season," remarked Coach Stubbs. "We really struggled from the field, shooting just 23 percent, but I thought we played well defensively."

Annette Boelter and Katie Behmer scored four points each to lead Winside. Melissa Deck had

three points with Rachel Peter and Jessica Hansen adding two each.

Peter led the Wildcats in rebounding with 10 caroms. Behmer added seven boards with Melissa Deck contributing six.

The Winside boys won their fourth game of the season (4-7) Tuesday evening, 56-53 at Clarkson.

The Wildcats trailed 11-6 after one quarter and 31-26 at halftime, but outscored the host Red Devils 16-6 in the third quarter to take a 42-37 lead.

Adam Pfeiffer produced a game-high 20 points to lead Winside in scoring. Nate Wills also reached double figures with 15. Russ O'Connor added eight points, Taylor Suehl had five, Justin Nathan and Mark Hawkins added three apiece with Colby Langenberg scoring two.

O'Connor topped Winside in rebounding with nine caroms and he also led the team with six assists. Pfeiffer and Wills added five rebounds each.

The Winside boys lost to Wakefield Friday evening in a game played at Winside 62-36. No quarter scores were available.

Suehl scored 10 points to lead the Wildcats. Pfeiffer and Hawkins added eight each, O'Connor had three points, Wills and Jared Roberts scored two each with Nathan, Langenberg and Justin Tullberg contributing one apiece.

The Winside teams travel to Wausa Friday evening, then hit the road again on Thursday, Jan. 29 for games at Hartington High. The Winside boys are also scheduled to host Homer on Friday, Jan. 30.

### Sports Briefs

#### Wayne 7th grade boys open with loss

WAYNE-The Wayne seventh grade boys basketball team opened the season with a 30-19 loss at Pierce Saturday.

"The team played hard and realize where they need to improve," said coach Dale Hochstein. Pierce's two large posts scored 22 of their 30 points according to Hochstein.

Jacob Triggs and Zach Braun scored six points each for Wayne. Ryan Pieper added three with Andi Diediker and Drew Workman scoring two each. Pieper led the Blue Devils in rebounds with nine. Braun added six.

Wayne was scheduled to play at Battle Creek tonight (Thursday), then host Hartington CC Saturday at 11 am.

#### Wayne eighth grade boys win opener

WAYNE-Wayne's eighth grade boys basketball team defeated Pierce in Saturday's season opener 29-22.

Max Stednitz had 11 points to lead the Blue Devils in scoring. Jesse Hill added seven, Cory Harm five, Shaun Kardell four and Lucas Ruwe had two points. Kardell and Harm led Wayne in rebounding with five each.

"We played well for the first game of the year," said coach Dave Hix. "The players have grown and become stronger. We are going to play very aggressive and look to run."

Wayne was scheduled to play at Battle Creek tonight (Thursday) at 6 pm, then host Hartington Cedar Catholic on Saturday starting at 11 am at the Wayne Activity Center.

#### Wayne to host annual rec tourney

WAYNE-The 16th annual Wayne Recreation Youth Basketball Tournament will be held on Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 28 and 29. Games will be played at the Wayne Community Activity Center, Wayne High School and Wayne Middle School gyms.

There will be divisions for boys and girls in the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades. For entry information on the tournament, contact the Wayne City Recreation Department by calling (402) 375-4803.

## Wayne girls fall to Crofton, Norfolk Catholic

Crofton, ranked ninth in Class C-1, overcame a slow start to defeat Wayne in girls high school basketball Tuesday evening in Crofton 50-34.

The Blue Devils held a 10-2 lead in the first quarter, only to see the host Warriors scored the next 11 points to take a 13-10 lead.

Crofton outscored Wayne 15-8 in the second quarter to lead 28-18 at halftime. The Warriors led 39-25 after three quarters.

Two players reached double figures for Wayne with Kari Hochstein scoring 13 points and Allison Hansen adding 10. Stacie Hoeman poured in four points, Micaela Weber, Rachel Jensen and Jean Pieper contributed two points apiece with Ashley Carroll scoring one.

"I thought Allison Hansen and Ashley Carroll played well defensively," remarked Wayne head coach Matt Schaub. "Micaela Weber and Jenny Raveling also did a nice job handling their press."

The Blue Devils suffered a heartbreaking 40-39 loss at home to Norfolk Catholic Friday evening.

The see-saw affair saw both teams hold the lead in the fourth quarter before the visiting Knights hit a shot with 10 seconds remaining to escape with a one point win.

Wayne held a 10-7 lead after one quarter and was up 18-17 at halftime. The Blue Devils held a 27-23 lead entering the fourth quarter before the Knights outscored Wayne 17-12 in the final quarter to notch the win.

The Blue Devils trailed 38-34 with 1:10 remaining, but a Renee

Theobald steal and layup made the score 38-36. Following a missed Norfolk Catholic free throw, Wayne's Sarah Jensen drained a three-pointer with 27 seconds left to put the Blue Devils up 39-38.

However, Norfolk Catholic's Emily Nedrow hit the game-winning shot with 10 seconds to go to give the Knights the win.

Wayne had two players in double figures-Hochstein with 11 and Hansen 10. Raveling added nine points, Sarah Jensen three with Weber, Hoeman and Theobald adding two points apiece.

The Blue Devils outrebounded Norfolk Catholic in the game 25-21. Sarah Jensen and Hochstein grabbed five board each.

The Wayne JV team won both games played in the last week. Wayne defeated Crofton Tuesday evening in Crofton 52-34.

Jean Pieper accounted for 15 points to lead Wayne. Robyn Heithold and Natalie Fendrick added eight points each, Renee Theobald scored seven, Carly Wacker six, Kayla Hochstein four and Sarah Jensen and Emlyn Mann finished with two apiece.

The Blue Devils edged Norfolk Catholic on Friday evening at the WHS gym 35-34. Keeley Niemann had 12 points for Wayne. Pieper scored eight, Natalie Fendrick six, Theobald three with Sarah Jensen, Emlyn Mann and Kayla Hochstein scoring two apiece.

Wayne, now 6-7, was scheduled to host Class C-2 top-ranked West Point Central Catholic tonight (Thursday), entertain O'Neill Saturday at 3:30 pm and host Tekamah-Herman Monday evening.

## Hochstein signs with Doane College to play volleyball

Karissa Hochstein, a second-team All State middle hitter from Wayne, signed a letter of intent Saturday to play volleyball for Head Coach Cindy Meyer's Doane Tigers next fall.

Hochstein, daughter of Dale and Laura Hochstein, was named to the Class C-1 All-State Tournament Team her junior and senior seasons.

She is on the honor roll at Wayne High School and received

the Kiwanis Award. Hochstein joins her brother Brad, a member of the men's basketball squad, at Doane. She currently intends to pursue a degree in business administration.

The Doane College Tigers were second in the 13-team Great Plains Athletic Conference and narrowly missed a national tournament bid in the NAIA Region IV Tournament. They finished the 2003 season with a 27-9 record.

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# Wakefield sweeps Winside, loses at Lyons-Decatur

The Wakefield girls and boys basketball teams swept Winside, but lost to Lyons-Decatur in games played during the last week.

The Trojan girls squad won a Lewis and Clark Conference battle with Winside last Thursday evening in Wakefield 32-15, then

lost a non-league game at Lyons-Decatur Saturday evening 33-24.

Wakefield held Winside to just four points in the first half to win easily. The Trojans led 9-2 after one quarter, 17-4 at halftime and 25-7 after three quarters.

"We played great defense but again continue to struggle on the

offensive end of the floor," said Wakefield head coach Matt Brenn.

Regina Dutcher scored 10 points and had four steals to lead Wakefield. Amanda Brown added six points, seven rebounds and four steal. Amanda Nelson and Kari Erwin produced five points each while Nikki Greve, Alissa Bressler and Sara White scored two apiece.

Erwin was the team's leading rebounder with nine. White contributed five caroms.

Missing three starters, Wakefield lost at Lyons-Decatur Saturday evening 33-24.

The Trojans trailed 6-2 after one quarter, 18-14 at halftime and 26-16 after three quarters.

"Continuity on offense has been tough all year, but when you take three starters out its even tougher," commented Coach Brenn.

Brown paced Wakefield offensively with 12 points to go with a team-high 10 rebounds. Shay Tullberg contributed six points and four rebounds off the bench. Dutcher added four points and six steals with Bressler scoring two points. White added six rebounds.

Wakefield, now 6-5 on the season, was scheduled to visit Norfolk Catholic tonight (Thursday), host Wynot Friday evening and travel to Homer Tuesday evening. The Trojans will also play at Laurel-Concord on Thursday, Jan. 29.

The Wakefield boys used a 22-4 third quarter spurt to pull away from Winside in a game played at Winside Friday evening 62-36.

The Trojans held a 16-10 lead after the first quarter and a 26-18 halftime lead before breaking the game open with the big third quarter.

Taylor Peters and Luke Hoffman scored 14 points apiece to lead Wakefield in scoring. Kayla Anderson also reached double figures with 11 points. Aaron Klein poured in eight, Kyle Gardner six, Cory Gustafson five and Cody Miller two to round out the Trojan scoring attack.

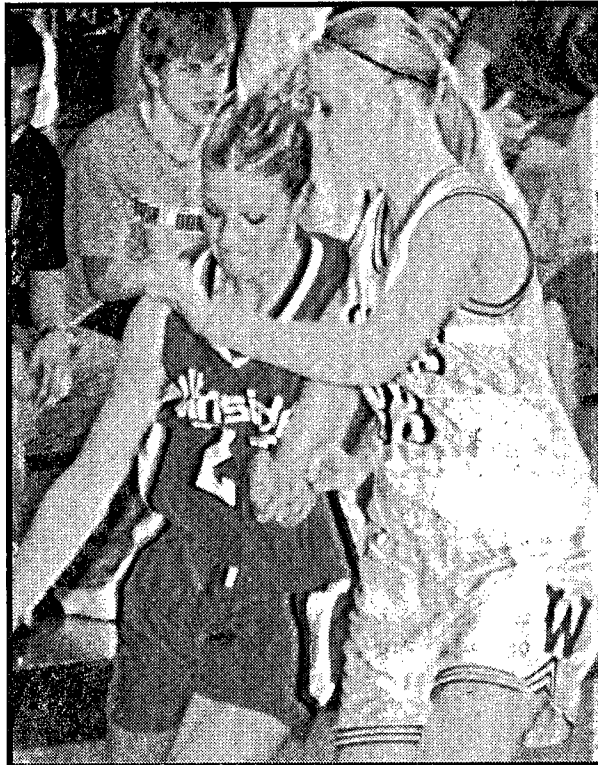
However, the Trojans had the tables turned on them in Saturday's game at Lyons-Decatur when the host Cougars used a strong second half to knock off Wakefield 40-34. The loss snapped Wakefield's four-game win streak.

Wakefield controlled the first half, leading 11-10 after one quarter and 22-15 at halftime, but the Cougars outscored the Trojans 12-6 in the third quarter and 13-6 in the fourth period to rally for the win.

"Defensively, we did a pretty good job but we didn't shoot very well from the field," stated Wakefield head coach Mike Clay.

Anderson had 10 points to pace Wakefield in scoring. Hoffman added eight, Klein six, Gardner and Gustafson four each and Miller two.

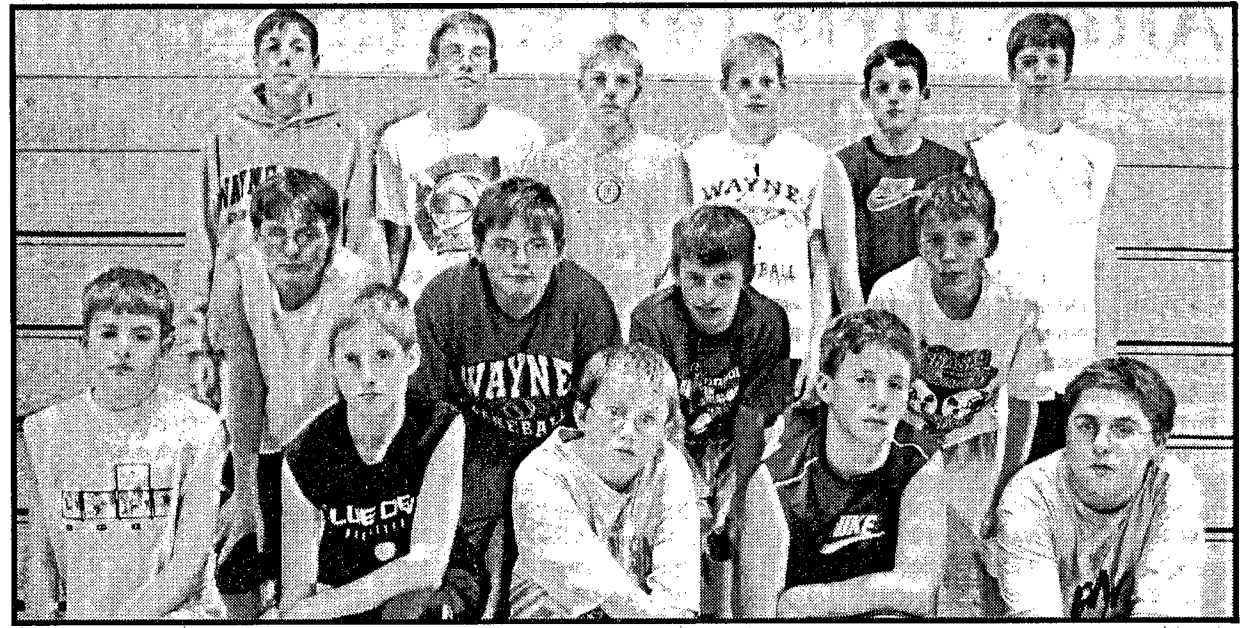
The Wakefield boys, now 8-5 on the season, host Wynot Friday evening, then visit Laurel-Concord on Friday, Jan. 30.



Wakefield's Nikki Greve applies defensive pressure against Winside junior guard Melyssa Deck as Deck drives to the basket in last Thursday's Lewis and Clark Conference game in Wakefield. The Trojans won the game 32-15.

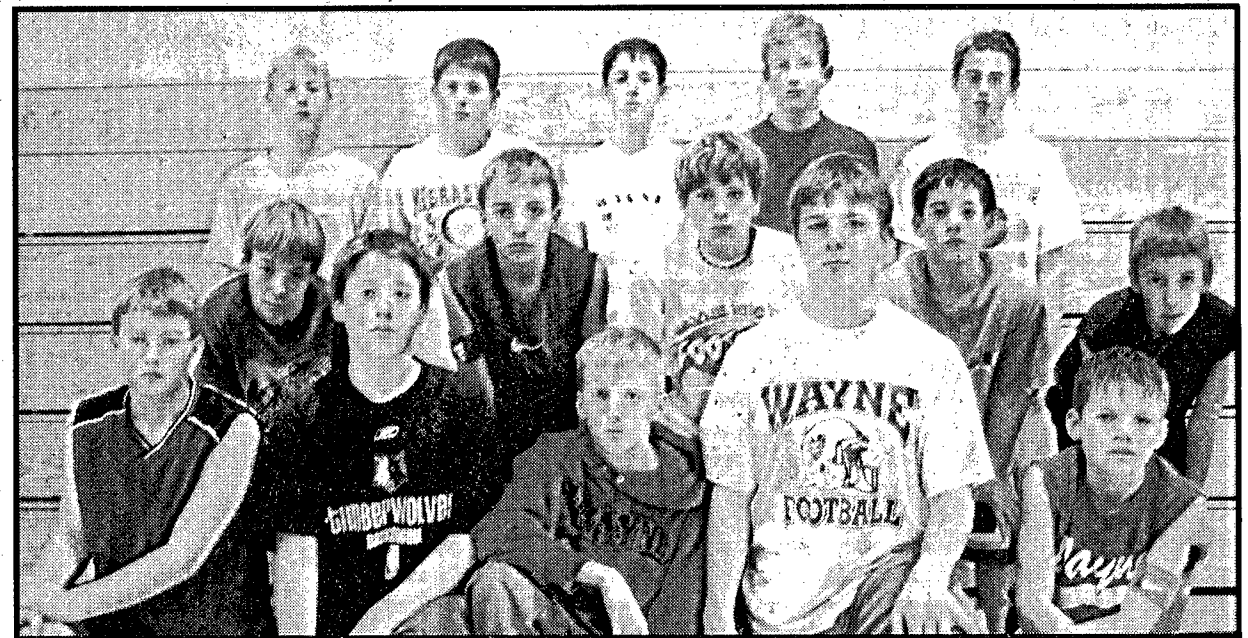


Winside guard Lindsay Harmer looks to pass the ball against Wakefield's Sara White.



## Wayne 8th grade boys

Members of the 2004 Wayne eighth grade boys basketball team include: front row, left to right: Reggie Ruhl, Jesse Hill, Owen Rickner, Taylor Racely, Tyler Wieseler. Middle row: Derick Dorsey, Brett Dorsey, Cory Harm, Sam Kurpgeweit. Back row: Ray Hansen, Eric Carstens, Shaun Kardell, Lucas Ruwe, Shawn Jenkins, Max Stednitz. Not pictured is coach Dave Hix.



## Wayne 7th grade boys

Members of the 2004 Wayne seventh grade boys basketball team include: front row, left to right: Michael Denklauf, Kendall Jones (mgr), Andy Hoffman (mgr), Matt Poehlman (mgr), Jason Olmes. Middle row: Drew Workman, Jacob Triggs, John Murray, Tyler Holcomb, Andi Diediker. Back row: Ryan Pieper, Zac Braun, Joe Whitt, Mikey Kay, Zach Long. Not pictured is coach Dale Hochstein.

## Wayne freshmen girls win two out of three games

The Wayne freshmen girls basketball team defeated Crofton Tuesday evening in Crofton 36-26.

Coach Josh Johnson reported the game was close until the final two minutes when the Blue Devils pulled away for the victory.

Sara Frerichs had a big game for Wayne, pouring in 20 points. Kara Hoeman and Regan Ruhl led the Blue Devils in rebounding with four each. Ruhl also led the team in steals and assists.

Wayne lost a heartbreaker to

Laurel-Concord on Monday evening at the WHS gym 22-20.

The two teams traded leads throughout the game according to Coach Johnson, but Wayne could not get a score at the end.

Frerichs had nine points to lead Wayne in scoring. Ruhl chipped in with five and Elizabeth Baier had four. Ruhl and Frerichs had four rebounds each and with Ruhl also contributing a team-high five steals.

The Blue Devils picked up a vic-

tory at Lutheran High Northeast last Thursday evening in Norfolk 52-45.

Frerichs dominated the inside for Wayne and scored 29 points in the win. Baier contributed nine points and five assists for the Blue Devils. Ruhl led the team in rebounding with seven and also made four steals.

The Wayne freshmen girls team, now 3-5, will play at Norfolk Catholic in Monday, Feb. 2 at 4 pm.

## Blue Devil ninth grade boys go 1-2

The Wayne freshmen boys basketball team had a busy week, playing three games.

Wayne lost at Crofton Tuesday evening 41-38. The game was tied at 33-33 after three quarters, but the host Warriors outscored the Blue Devils in the final period 8-5 to get the win.

Nathan Summerfield scored 17 points to lead Wayne. Matt Sharer

added six while Nate Finkey, Josh Fink and Ransen Broders produced five points each.

The Blue Devils traveled to Lutheran High Northeast last Thursday and brought home a 55-32 victory.

Summerfield scored 21 points to lead Wayne. Fink also hit double figures with 10. Broders contributed nine points and eight

rebounds, Finkey had five points and four steals, Ben Poutre scored four points with Sharer, Jason Carollo and Max Wyrick adding two points apiece.

Wisner-Pilger defeated Wayne on Jan. 12 in Wisner 63-47.

Summerfield had 15 points and seven rebounds for the Blue Devils. Finkey contributed 14 points and six steals, Sharer scored seven points, Fink six, Broders three and Ronnie Backman two.

Wayne, 5-3 on the season, was scheduled to host Ponca tonight (Thursday) at 4:30pm, then entertain Norfolk on Tuesday at 4 pm.

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## Honor students named at Wayne Middle School

The second quarter honor roll for the 2003-2004 school year has been released at Wayne Middle School.

The honor roll is based on students' grades in the four core class, English, math, science and social studies.

Eighth graders named to the first quarter list with all A's include:

Micah Agler, Renae Allemann, Eric Carstens, Kaitlyn Centrone, Heidi Garvin, Cory Harm, Jesse Hill, Jennifer Holm, Maddie Jager, Michelle Jarvi, Shawn Jenkins, Shaun Kardell, Abigail Kenny, Jessica Kranz, Reggie Ruhl, Bill Smith and Max Stednitz.

Seventh graders named to the first quarter list with all A's include:

Andi Diediker, DJ Dunklau,

Jason Olnes, McKenzie Sommerfeld, Kalie Sprouls, Andrea Wert and Joseph Whitt.

Eighth graders named to the honor roll with A's and B's include:

Erica Brenner, Jonathan Carranza, Justine Carroll, Mirisa Carroll, Katie Claussen, Staci Daum, Brett Dorcsey, Derick Dorcsey, Samantha Dunklau, Dacia Gansehom, Kendall Jones, Sam Kurpogweit, Megan Loberg, Elisabeth Lofgren, Araelle Miller, Maddy Moser, Sheldon Onderstal, Andrea Pieper, Matt Poehlman, Courtney Preston, Lucas Ruwe, Christopher Sherry, McKenzie Stauffer, Kendall Stewart, Brooke Stowater and Lesli Sturm.

Seventh graders named to the honor roll with A's and B's include: Michaela Belt, Liz

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Monahan, John Murray, Amber Nelson, Megan Nissen, Ryan Pieper, Meg Pierson, Nicole Rauner, Ambre Ruzicka, Nathan Sieler, Holly Smith, Anna West and Drew Workman.

## Mount Marty College students named to dean's list

The following students were named to the Dean's List at Mount Marty College for the Fall 2003 semester.

To be eligible, students must have carried a full-time schedule of at least 12 hours and have earned a 3.5 grade point average.

Undergraduate students who achieved a 4.0 GPA are denoted with an asterisk (\*).

Tara Christensen of Laurel; \*April Thede of Pilger; Jennifer Cleveland and \*Heather Rabe, both of Winside.

## WHS One-Act team recognized at honor coffee

The Wayne High One-Act team was honored by the Wayne Community Schools Board of Education, at their monthly coffee. The cast and crew were noted for their accomplishments.

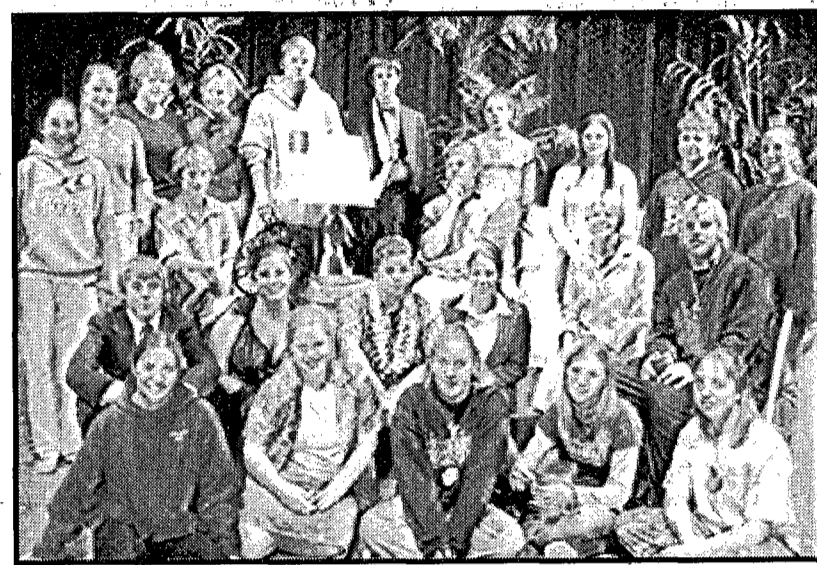
Special recognition was given to students Charity Kroeker, Chad Jensen, Jordan Elfers and Marissa Roney for their outstanding performances at Mid-States Conference One-Act Festival; Charity Kroeker as outstanding actress at Mid-States Conference; Chad Jensen as outstanding supporting actor at Mid-States Conference.

Also recognized were Charity Kroeker, Chad Jensen, Jeff Meyer, and Alex Wieland as outstanding performers in District One-Act competition.

Charity Kroeker, Chad Jensen,

and Jordan Elfers were outstanding performers at State One-Act competition. The team received fifth place at state contest in Kearney on Dec. 11, 2003 where they performed the production of "The Attempted Murder of Peggy Sweetwater."

Recognized, too, were parents for driving (Mr. and Mrs. Cal Kroeker, Wendie Meyer, and Patty Roney, and Mr. and Mrs. Cap Peterson). Also, Mr. Spieker, English teacher at W.H.S., for driving the set to Kearney and for his critiques during the season; and Dr. Gwen Jensen, arts and humanity instructor at W.S.C., for critiques and staging/blocking help.



Wayne High School One-Act team members were recognized for high achievement at a recent honor coffee.

## Honor roll is announced at Winside High School

The honor roll for the second quarter and first semester of the 2003-04 school year have been released at Winside High School.

Named to the Principal's All A List for the second quarter were seniors Annette Boelter and Melissa Heberer; eighth graders Virginia R. Fler, Teresa Hansen, Jessica Peterson and Michaela Staub and seventh graders Katie Gray, Aaron Mangels and Jaycie Woslager.

Named to the Honor Roll (A's and B's) for the second quarter were:

**Seniors:** Stacey Gnirk, Andrew Peterson and Adam Pfeiffer.

**Juniors:** Brandon Bowers, April Darnall, Kimberly Deck, Lindsay Harmeier, Christina Jaeger, Katie Lage, Monica Marquardt, Stephanie Petersen, Bryce Roberts, Taylor Suehl and Tamarie L. Vogt.

**Sophomores:** Jessica Hansen, Jessica Janke and Korrine Stubbs.

**Freshmen:** Dewey Bowers, Kristy Doffin, Josie Longnecker and Jared Roberts.

**Eighth graders:** Samantha Harmeier, Aleisha Perkins, Amanda R. Pfeiffer, Sally Schwedhelm, Lara Sok and Mashala J. Thies.

**Seventh graders:** Amanda Backstrom, Betty Cushing, Chelsey Milenkovich, Andrew Mohr and Caitlyn Prince.

Those receiving Honorable Mention (A's, B's and no more than one C) recognition included:

**Seniors:** Samantha Bussey and Lee Doffin.

**Juniors:** Linden Cushing, Melyssa Deck and Jamie Sellin.

**Sophomores:** Colby Langenberg, Justin R. Nathan and Andrew Sok.

**Freshmen:** Sam Barg and Zachary Jaeger.

**Eighth graders:** Tucker Bowers, Dean W. Janke, Nicole J. Jensen, Chase Langenberg and Heather Wylie.

**Seventh graders:** Casey Lange, Hillary Lienemann and Shelby Meyer.

Named to the Principal's All A List for the first semester were seniors Annette Boelter and Melissa Heberer; juniors Kimberly Deck and Lindsay Harmeier; freshmen Josie Longnecker and Jared Roberts;

**Eighth graders:** Tucker Bowers, Virginia R. Fler, Teresa Hansen, Amanda R. Pfeiffer, Sally Schwedhelm and Michaela Staub and seventh grader Aaron Mangels.

Named to the Honor Roll (A's and B's) for the first semester were:

**Seniors:** Samantha Bussey, Lee Doffin, Stacey Gnirk, Andrew Peterson, Adam Pfeiffer, Nathaniel Stevens and Michael Tomasek.

**Juniors:** Brandon Bowers, Linden Cushing, Melyssa Deck, Ashley Jaeger, Christina Jaeger, Katie Lage, Monica Marquardt,

Stephanie Petersen, Bryce Roberts, Taylor Suehl and Tamarie L. Vogt.

**Sophomores:** Jessica Hansen, Jessica Janke and Colby Langenberg.

**Freshmen:** Dewey Bowers and Kristy Doffin.

**Eighth graders:** Samantha Harmeier, Dean W. Janke, Nicole J. Jensen, Aleisha Perkins, Jessica Peterson, Lara Sok and Mashala J. Thies.

**Seventh graders:** Amanda Backstrom, Betty Cushing, Katie Gray, Shelby Meyer, Chelsey Milenkovich, Andrew Mohr, Caitlyn Prince and Jaycie Woslager.

Those receiving Honorable Mention (A's, B's and no more than one C) recognition included:

**Seniors:** Joshua Sok and Christine Yosten.

**Juniors:** April Darnall, Lisa Doffin, Daniel Morris, Amanda Thies, Jesse Thies and Katie Yosten.

**Sophomores:** Michael Janke and Justin R. Nathan.

**Freshmen:** Sam Barg, Zachary Jaeger, Brittni Marotz and Shayn

Story.

**Eighth graders:** Chase Langenberg and Heather Wylie.

**Seventh graders:** Jared Brockmann, Casey Lange and Hillary Lienemann.



## New Year's celebration

New Year's Eve at The Oaks was celebrated with the Wayne State College basketball team and their coach, Eric Henderson. The men joined 30 residents for an afternoon of refreshments, snacks and games. The group enjoyed several games of Bunco, after which the group socialized and wished each other a good year and basketball season.



## Receives award

John McClarnen, Wayne Middle School principal, recently received the Friend of the Rotary award from the Wayne Rotary Club. He was chosen because he has been instrumental in helping develop and continue the seventh and eighth grade Rotary Student of the Week awards program. The Friend of Rotary award is given, on occasion, to Wayne area individuals who support the ideals of Rotary through their actions, words, and deeds.

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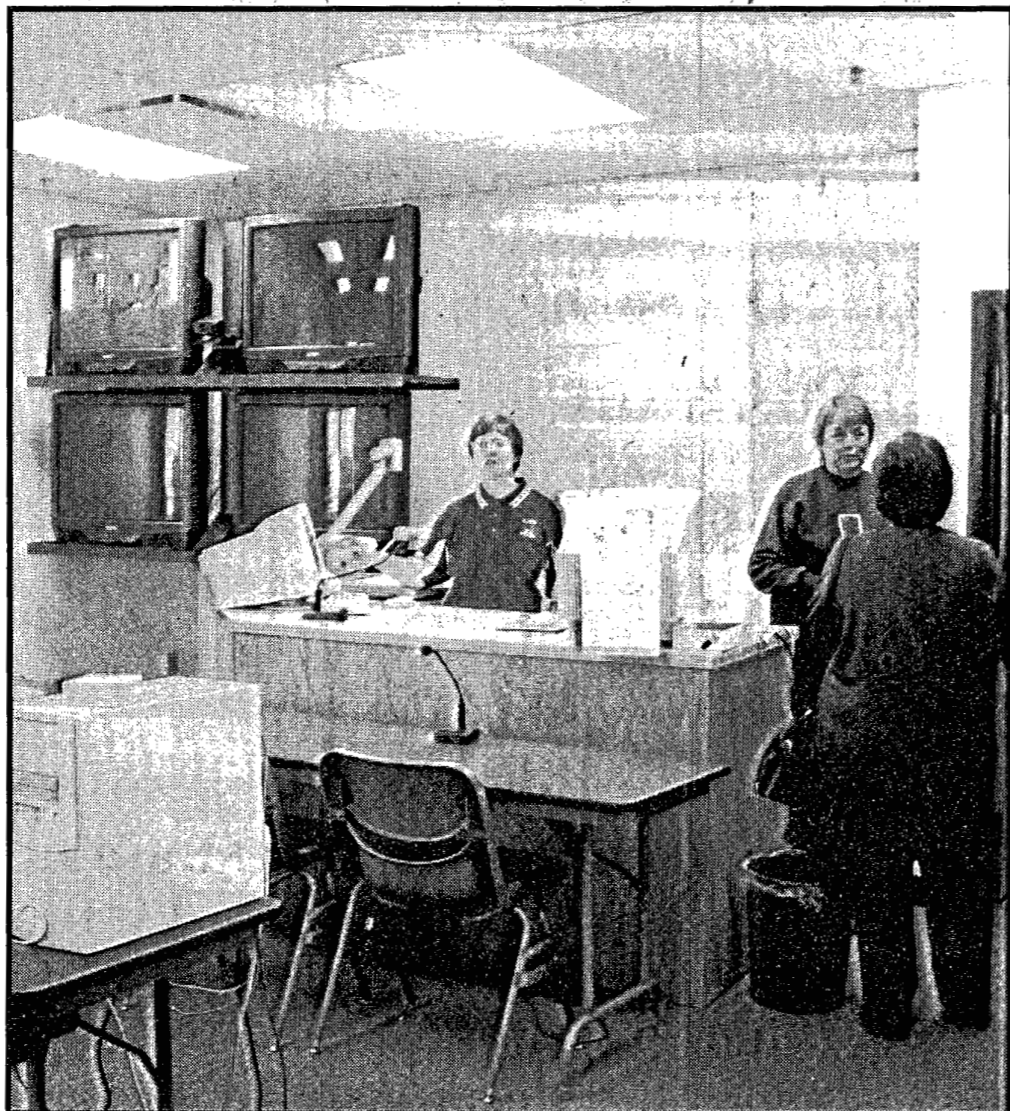
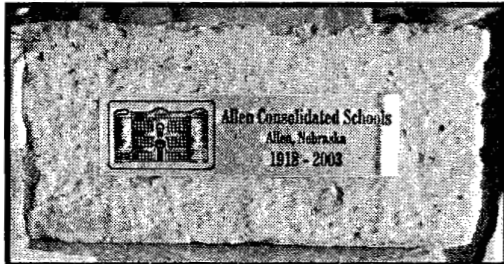
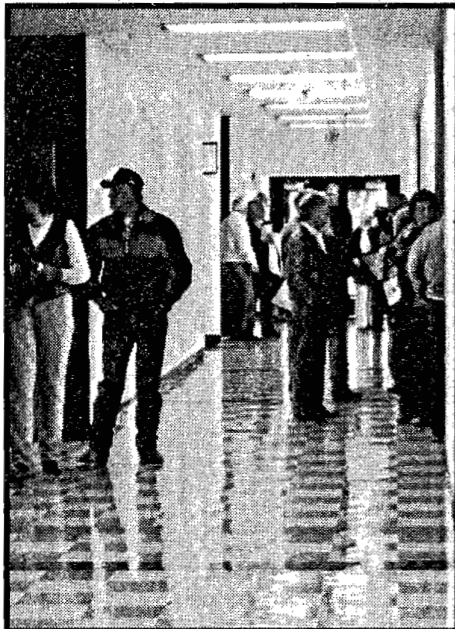
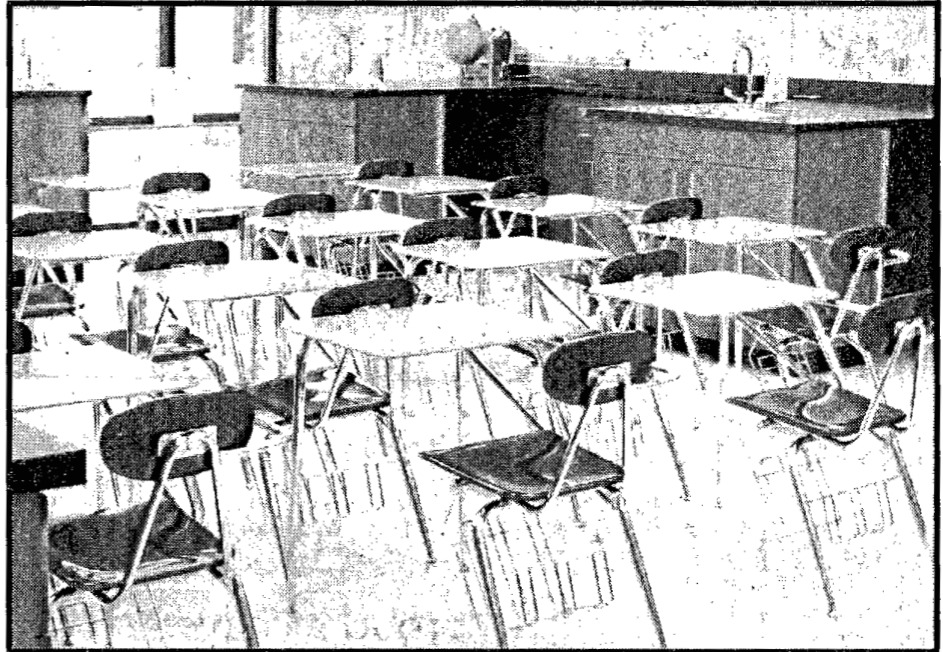
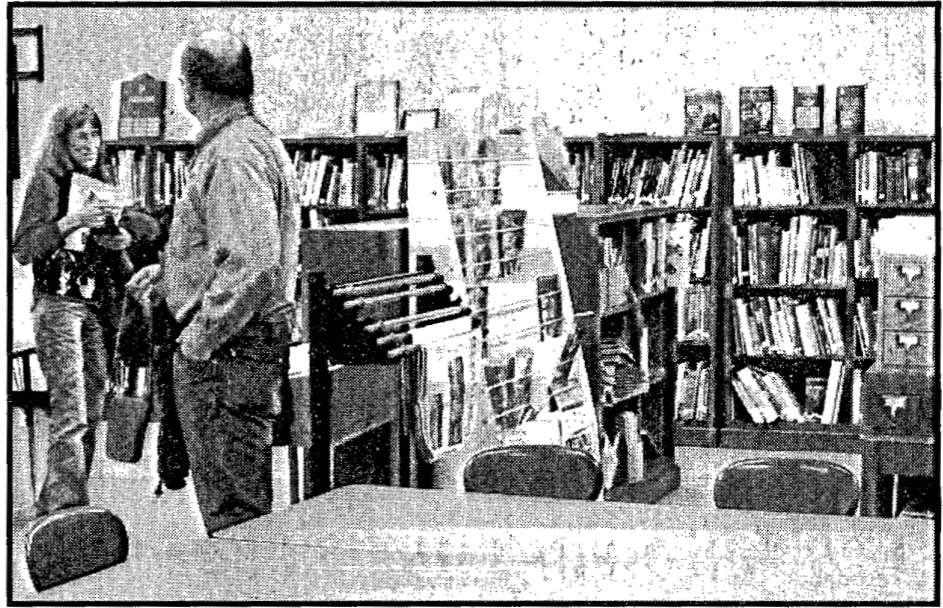
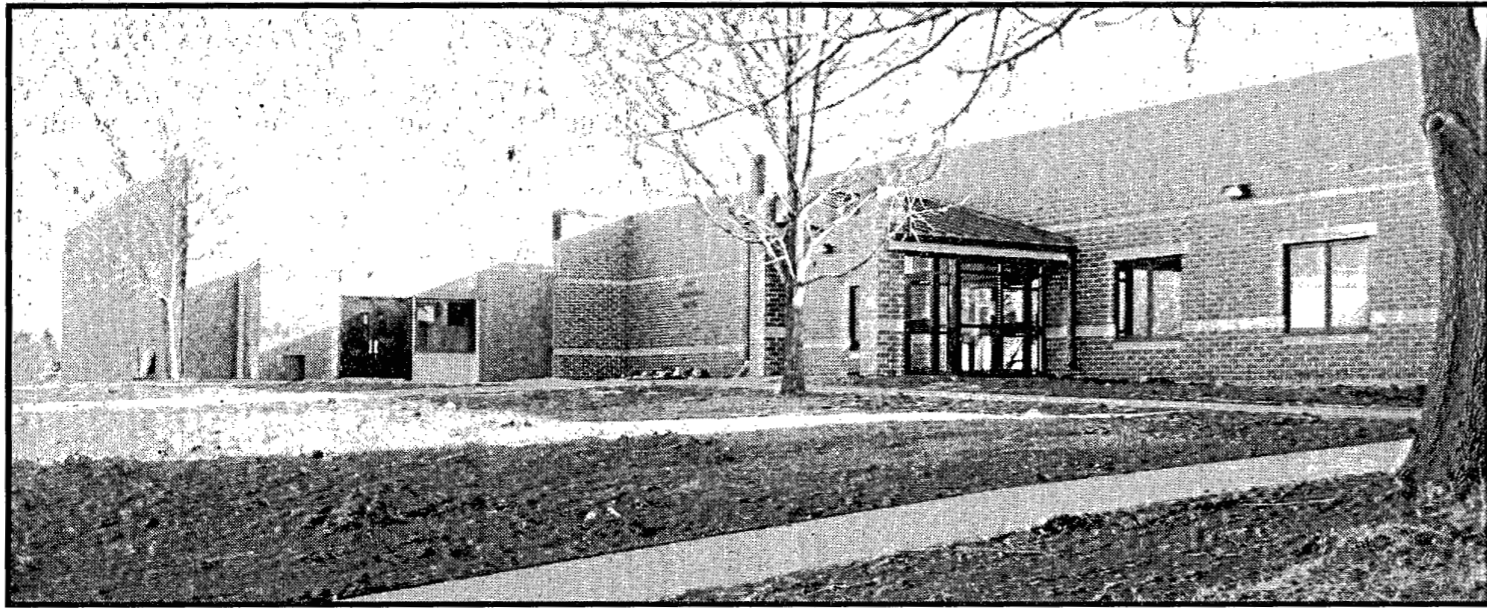
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# Congratulations to the Allen School District on the grand opening of their new facility



# Dedication and open house held of Allen School District's new facility

By Lynn Sievers  
Of the Herald

A dedication/open house of the Allen Consolidated Schools 2003 construction was held Sunday. As a result of the construction, new classrooms and offices were connected to the existing gymnasium and shop building.

Monty Miller, principal, welcomed nearly 200 people who attended the event.

Don Schmidt, superintendent, commented on what seemed like gloom and doom for small schools recently was now being celebrated with the dedication of the new facility. He noted school is a learning process that goes on and on. He also introduced several guests who gave comments.

Sen. Pat Engel congratulated everyone and commented that the open house was a result of the dedication of all the people. And, having been on the school board at South Sioux City for a number of years, he recognized the Allen Consolidated School Board for

their hard work on the project.

Dr. Doug Christensen, state board of education commissioner, stated the dedication of new classrooms is a celebration of what it means to be a community. He noted what is important in life is raising and educating of children.

Dale McKinney, project architect of InVision Architecture wished everyone success for the future in the new facility.

Rod Garwood, ESU#1 administrator in Wakefield, noted that with the success of Allen Consolidated School students and their new facility, northeast Nebraska is amazed at what the people of Allen have done.

Rex Holtze, project manager of Sioux Contractors, gave comments and presented the building to the Allen School District. Holtze reminisced about Sioux Contractors building the gym and classrooms in 1961 and thanked everyone for the opportunity to construct the new facility. He

noted the new building was a complex project consisting of two phases; tearing down the 1918 school and tying in the new structure with the older sections. Holtze mentioned there were difficulties for the students and staff through this because at times there were 30-40 people working on the building at one time.

Rob Bock, president of the Allen School Board of Education accepted the presentation of the building and turned the program over to the rest of the board members who opened the 1918 time capsule.

A number of items were taken from the air proof copper box which had to be cut open. Some of those included a 1918 penny, daily attendance record of the students, and teacher contracts.

Also found was a copy of the Aug. 1, 1918 newspaper, "The Allen News." In it was an article about the original school which was built in 1895 and sold at public auction in 1918 for \$330. Children then went to school at

church until school was built.

Another article mentioned that the original amount of bonds needed to build the 1918 school was \$50,000 but a mass meeting was held later as it was going to cost over \$70,000 to complete the project. A special election was held in May, 1918, which passed and \$65,000 in bonds were secured at 5 1/2 percent interest annually.

Attendees could also view old photographs and programs that were on display. One item was a letter handwritten by P.P. Gaughran, Real Estate Loans and Insurance dated Aug. 3, 1918, and original papers kept by the school.

As for the 2003 time capsule, Darlene Fahrenholz showed where it will be placed which is in the wall by the ADM offices. The square hole will be covered with a bronze plaque bearing the names of the board of education, administration, and contractors.

Principal Miller gave closing remarks and invited everyone to tour the facility and have refresh-

ments served by Student Council bricks from the 1918 school with members. A drawing was held for Darlene Roberts and Steph two engraved commemorative Brentlinger's names drawn.



Over 200 people attended the dedication and open house for the Allen School District's 2003 construction. Several dignitaries were on hand for the program which began at 2 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 18. Later attendees were able to tour the new facility.

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# Honor roll released at Wakefield

Wakefield Community Schools has released the list of those students named to the honor roll for the second quarter and first semester of the 2003-04 school year.

To be named, a student must earn at least a 94 percent in two or more solid subjects and no grade below 87 percent.

Students named to the second quarter honor roll include:

**Seniors:** Jacoby Albrecht, Kayle Anderson, Katie Berns, Mindy Boeckenhauer, Amanda Brown, Lori Brudigam, Jenny Davis, Janna Erickson, Kari Erwin, Molly Evers, Traci Fendrick, Christian Harder, Ryan Henschke, Luke Hoffman, Maria Fernanda Joya, Rachel Kaufman, Tanya Kay, Blake McAfee, Vanessa Nelson, Peter Patzt, Kami Roberts, Ashley Schultz, Veronica Vargas, Dario Vazquez, Erica Vega, Amber Waln and Lacey Wurdeman.

**Juniors:** Jaimy Albrecht, Ashley Anderson, Megan Barge, Andrew Contreras, Regina Dutcher, Katie Jensen, Bonnie Kluthe, Cody Miller, Marion Miner, Lisa Moody, Keri Odens, Taylor Peters, Laura Salmon, Kristi Schroeder, Kelsey Skinner

and Sara White.

**Sophomores:** Theresa Foote, Garrett Gustafson, Luke Henderson, Matt Henderson, Jessica Lunz, Karissa Meyer, Amanda Nelson, Andy O'Neill, Brellynn Puckett, Courtney Rouse, Tisean Schulz, Tanner Soderberg, Anthony Storm and Jessica Wageman.

**Freshmen:** Jamie Barge, Evan Bartels, Garek Bebee, Eric Bodlak, Alissa Bressler, Dexter Driskell, Tim Haglund, Emily Henderson, Kyna Miner, Mark Schroeder and Shaylyn Tullberg.

**Eighth grade:** Kelsey Bard, Anna Brownell, Lane Clay, Nick Curnyn, Desiree Driskell, Wes Erickson, Matt Erwin, Caitlin Gustafson, Colby Henderson, Taysha Hingst, Maria Ibarra, Ryan Klein, Stephanie Klein, Rachel Kluthe, Kristina Lunz, Lexi Nelson, Brady Nicholson, Sherry Ramirez, Whitney Rouse, Aubrey Schultz, Chelsey Victor, Becky Vraspir and Kristina Wageman.

**Seventh grade:** Seth Allemann, Jessica Berns, Jacob Blessing, Zachary Blessing, Joshua Dorsey, Tyler Foote, Carly Gardner, Erin Johnson, Joshua Kai, Cassandra Kay, Seb Kramer, Steven Odens, Kelly Schroeder,

Alissa Stark and Brianda Zapata.

Sophomore Chase Cleveland; eighth grader Isidro Jimenez and seventh grader Nancy Avila were named to the Honorable Mention list with no grades below 87 percent.

Students named to the first semester honor roll include:

**Seniors:** Jacoby Albrecht, Kayle Anderson, Katie Berns, Mindy Boeckenhauer, Amanda Brown, Lori Brudigam, Jenny Davis, Janna Erickson, Kari Erwin, Molly Evers, Traci Fendrick, Christian Harder, Ryan Henschke, Luke Hoffman, Maria Fernanda Joya, Rachel Kaufman, Tanya Kay, Kelli Lueth, Vanessa Nelson, Clinton Roberts, Kami Roberts, Ashley Schultz, Veronica Vargas, Dario Vazquez, Erica Vega, Amber Waln and Lacey Wurdeman.

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Senior Spencer Tullberg, sophomore Chase Cleveland; eighth graders Isidro Jimenez and Jade Olsufka; and seventh graders Nancy Avila and Brianda Zapata were named to the Honorable Mention list with no grades below 87 percent.

# Wakefield wins Pierce Speech meet

Wakefield High School won the Pierce Invitational Speech Contest with 40 points on Jan. 17.

Wayne was the runner-up with 31 points. Tying for third place were Battle Creek and West Point Central Catholic with 28 points. Osmond was fifth with 24 points. Tying for sixth were Lutheran High Northeast and Pierce with 16 points; eighth was Humphrey with three points; ninth was Madison with two points; 10th Hartington Cedar Catholic with one point and 11th Orchard.

Individual results for Wakefield High School Varsity team members include:

First Place: Duet—Janna Erickson and Bonnie Kluthe; Janna Erickson—Informative Speaking; Adam Hansen—Entertainment Speaking; Rachel Kaufman—Serious Prose

Second Place: OI D (Oral Interpretation of Drama)—Adam Hansen, Bonnie Kluthe, Ashley Anderson, Dakota Roberts, and Aaron Klein; Kristi Schroeder—Persuasive Speaking

Fourth Place: Bonnie Kluthe—Humorous Prose

Fifth Place: Megan Barge—Poetry

Sixth Place: Lisa Moody—Poetry

The Junior Varsity Team Standings are as follows — West Point Central Catholic, first; Pierce, second; Hartington Cedar Catholic and Lutheran High Northeast, tie for third; Orchard, fifth; Wakefield, sixth; Wayne, seventh and; Osmond, eighth.

Individual results for Wakefield High School in the junior varsity are as follows:

Third Place: Rachel Kaufman—Persuasive Speaking; Aaron Klein—Extemporaneous

Fourth Place—Karissa Meyer—Poetry

Fifth Place—Marion Miner—Extemporaneous

Zoe Vander Weil, serves as head coach of the Wakefield Speech Team. She is assisted by Jenna Paulson.

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48	21	45/21	34/13	18/4	21/4	23/6	31/12

THE WEEK AHEAD...  
 Bitterly cold air will dominate the northern Rockies, northern Plains and Northeast during the period. Temperatures across these regions may average 5 to 15 degrees below normal. Storms will spread precipitation from the central Rockies eastward to the Tennessee Valley. High pressure will bring mild and dry weather to Florida.

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U.S. TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
Atlanta	46 32 s	52 38 pc	52 42 c	56 44 c
Boston	23 10 pc	20 8 s	20 14 pc	24 16 pc
Chicago	24 20 c	34 24 c	32 22 c	32 20 c
Cleveland	15 13 s	22 19 c	31 25 c	28 24 c
Denver	53 22 s	50 30 pc	42 19 pc	34 15 c
Des Moines	45 23 c	41 27 pc	36 19 c	23 5 c
Detroit	18 10 s	24 16 c	28 20 c	28 20 c
Houston	56 46 c	58 48 c	62 48 c	68 52 pc
Indianapolis	23 23 c	38 33 c	47 32 c	43 24 c
Kansas City	32 35 pc	55 35 pc	48 27 c	33 15 c
Los Angeles	74 50 s	68 50 pc	62 48 c	64 48 pc
Miami	70 58 pc	73 63 s	80 65 pc	81 68 pc
Minneapolis	18 10 c	17 9 s	17 5 c	11 5 c
New Orleans	62 44 pc	64 50 c	68 54 pc	72 51 c
New York City	28 18 pc	27 18 c	28 28 c	34 27 c
Omaha	40 27 c	44 26 pc	32 15 c	21 10 c
Phoenix	65 43 s	68 45 pc	61 44 c	61 43 r
San Francisco	58 46 pc	58 44 c	56 42 pc	57 45 pc
Seattle	48 35 c	40 28 c	38 30 pc	44 35 c
Washington	30 18 s	32 22 c	34 28 c	34 28 c

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WORLD TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
Amsterdam	46 39 sh	44 34 pc	41 33 sn	39 27 c
Beijing	26 20 pc	26 23 sn	26 23 sn	26 18 sn
Buenos Aires	80 61 s	80 65 s	88 65 s	88 64 s
Cairo	59 34 s	55 38 pc	61 33 pc	54 39 pc
Jerusalem	47 29 s	45 29 c	47 31 pc	44 32 c
Johannesburg	77 59 r	64 64 pc	66 59 pc	61 58 pc
London	50 44 c	47 38 pc	41 30 pc	37 24 pc
Madrid	59 43 c	58 44 pc	55 39 pc	49 31 pc
Mexico City	67 43 pc	67 43 pc	67 44 pc	67 43 pc
Moscow	15 14 sn	28 13 pc	23 9 c	21 8 c
Paris	45 37 c	48 40 pc	41 25 pc	33 21 sn
Rio de Janeiro	79 70 r	82 71 c	81 68 c	82 68 c
Rome	39 29 sn	43 34 pc	49 41 sh	47 33 pc
San Juan	89 71 s	82 71 s	83 71 s	84 70 pc
Seoul	15 4 c	17 2 pc	22 9 pc	28 17 pc
Sydney	74 60 c	63 57 pc	78 58 c	69 62 pc
Tokyo	41 32 pc	43 28 pc	40 28 c	40 32 c
Toronto	10 2 s	14 8 c	18 10 c	17 13 c
Winnipeg	-5 16 s	-2 13 pc	-4 18 c	-8 22 pc
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# Goodwill trailer to be in Wayne for donations

Goodwill's Ambassador trailer has been coming to Wayne as a regular visitor for the past several years in order to receive donations.

The trailer will be in Wayne Monday, Jan. 26 through Sunday, Feb. 1.

Donations are to be placed in the Ambassador trailer located at Pac 'N' Save parking lot.

Donations are to be placed as far to the front of the trailer as possible. Furniture and large appliances cannot be accepted. Goodwill will accept donations of sellable clothing, usable working small appliances and household goods, sporting goods and toys.

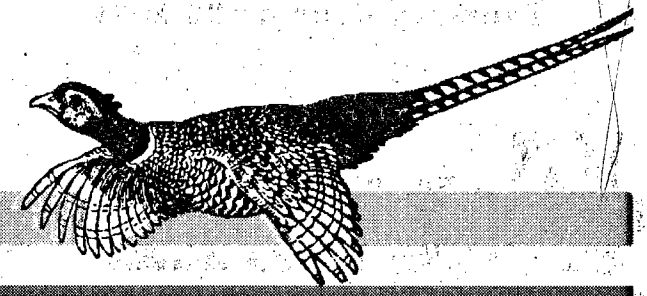
Donations are processed and sold in the Goodwill stores to support the programs and services provided for people with disabilities and disadvantaged conditions.

Goodwill is a non-profit organization and through its many programs, provides services to hundreds of people with employment barriers.

With the help of Goodwill, they are able to receive training, which will enable them to become productive wage earners and tax-paying members of our communities.

# Lifestyle

The Wayne Herald



## Armstrong joins extension staff

Greetings to the Wayne area readers!

I appreciate being included as a University of Nebraska Cooperative Extension contributor to the Wayne Herald. I have been with the UNL Extension Office in Cedar County since July of last year as the Extension Educator and my focus areas include 4-H and Youth Development along with Community Development.

Before joining the UNL Cooperative Extension Service, I served as Tech Prep Coordinator, TeamMates Coordinator and classroom teacher with the Norfolk Public Schools.

One of my priority areas will be that of Youth Adult Partnerships. Congressman Tom Osborne has emphasized the importance of communities involving youth in leadership roles. We hear concern about the "brain drain" which occurs in Nebraska. Many of our young people leave the state to pursue their careers. We all recognize the advantages of living in rural Nebraska and appreciate the quality of life.

We need to communicate this to our youth so they, too, can identify all the advantages we enjoy. We also need to help them identify career opportunities available in the area. With the expansion of technology and the many programs offering assistance in starting new businesses, there are many possibilities for rewarding and exciting careers in our area.

One of the keys to helping young people consider a future here in rural Nebraska is to

include them in leadership roles within the community. When we



Jane Armstrong  
Cedar County

invite youth to serve as active participants on Chamber boards, library boards, church boards or economic development boards, they learn valuable leadership and trusteeship skills. More importantly, they serve with the leaders in the community who know how to maintain successful businesses and contribute to progressive community activities. These community leaders serve as role models or mentors to the youth. The community boards benefit as well because when youth serve on boards, they offer a new perspective and are able to give important insights.

A "win-win" situation results. There are also many other things we can do to encourage youth to either remain in the community or to make long range plans to return

as contributing professionals and family members.

The National 4-H Foundation along with Land O' Lakes also recognizes the importance of youth adult partnerships and youth civic governance activities. They have sponsored grants to help communities begin these important partnerships. States were asked to initiate programs within four communities in the state.

Nebraska's proposal was selected for funding. The communities identified in the grant are Wakefield, Hartington, Hayes Center and Stromberg. Each of these four communities will be working under the direction of their Extension Educator or assistant to begin leadership activities for youth and adults to work together in meeting needs in their community. Each community will receive some funding to assist them in working toward a priority goal.

The grant requires communities to provide activities to continue the process of training for youth adult partnerships in civic governance after the grant time has expired. Cedar county plans to form a Cedar County Youth Governance Council to continue this work during the 2004-2005 school year.

If you would like information on training youth to work in governance activities or in training adults to work effectively with youth, please contact me at the Cooperative Extension Office in Cedar County. You can reach me at 402-254-6821 or by e-mail at jarnstrong3@unl.edu. You may also contact Amy Topp at the Wayne office, 402-375-3310.



Mr. and Mrs. Simpson

## Simpsons to note anniversary

Bud and Jean Simpson of Wakefield will observe their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, Jan. 31.

An open house will be held at the Gardner Senior Center Conservatory in Wakefield from 7 to 9 p.m.

Hosting the event will be the couple's children, Teri and Steve Brown of The Colony, Texas and Greg and Denise Simpson of Wakefield. The couple also has six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Bud Simpson and Jean Fredrickson were married Jan. 30, 1954 at the Covenant Church in Wakefield.

The honorees request no gifts. Cards may be sent to the couple at 57925 860 Road, Wakefield, Neb. 68784.

## Open house to honor Shermans

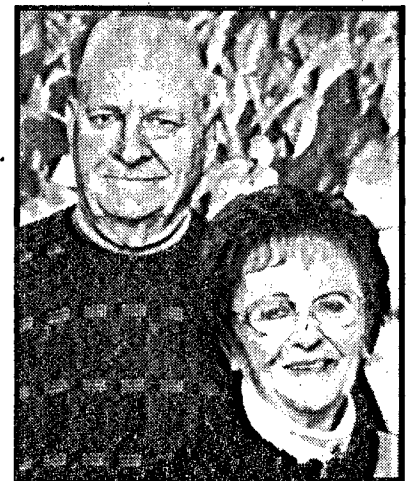


Mr. and Mrs. Sherman

Les and Marilyn Sherman of Wayne will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house at the Laurel Veterans Hall on Saturday, Jan. 31.

The event will be held from 1 to 5 p.m.

Hosting the celebration will be the couple's four children, Mark and Colleen Sherman of Laurel,



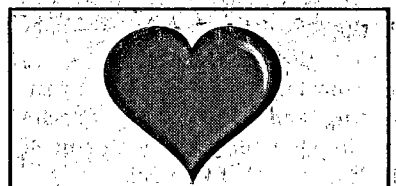
Deb Wiemers of Vermillion, S.D., Scott and Laura Sherman of Sioux City, Iowa and Lori and Doyle Shass of Sioux Falls, S.D. They also have six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Lunch will be served and the couple request no gifts.

Cards may be sent to the couple at 825 East Sixth Street, Apt. 5, Wayne, Neb. 68787.

## Valentine's dinner planned

Crossfire, a contemporary Christian band made up of youth and adults from the United Methodist Church parish of



Pierce-Winside-Osmond, will be entertaining, with a Valentine dinner show on Sunday, Feb. 15. The event will be held in the

downtown Pierce High School Auditorium at 203 East Florence (two blocks south of Main Street) at 6:30 p.m.

A Windsor Loin dinner with all the trimmings will be served along with an entertaining evening of Motown, Elvis, Country and Contemporary Christian music.

Reservations for the dinner must be made by Monday, Feb. 9. There is a charge for the dinner and reservations may be made by calling Cheryl Canaday at (402) 329-4325.

Shari's Photography of Pierce will be available from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. for anyone who would like a professional Valentine Portrait prior to the supper.

## Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

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**Monday:** Barbecue meatballs, baked potato, squash, lime pear jello, whole wheat bread, mandarin oranges.

**Tuesday:** Chicken Mexican casserole, green beans, mixed fruit salad, biscuit, brownie dessert.

**Wednesday:** Salisbury steak, French baked potato, spinach with sauce, dinner roll, sherbet.

**Thursday:** Cod nuggets, tri taters, cauliflower, red hot apple-sauce salad, whole wheat bread, peaches.

**Friday:** Scalloped potatoes & ham, mixed vegetables, top hat salad, white bread, moon cake.

## Senior Center Calendar

(Week of Jan. 26 - 30)  
**Monday, Jan. 26:** Shape up, 10:30 a.m.; Cards, quilting and pool, 1 p.m.

**Tuesday, Jan. 27:** Cards and quilting.

**Wednesday, Jan. 28:** Shape up, 10:30 a.m.; Cards, quilting and pool, 1 p.m.

**Thursday, Jan. 29:** Pitch party, 1:15 to 3 p.m.; Quilting and bowling.

**Friday, Jan. 30:** Shape up, 10:30 a.m.; Pool, cards, quilting and bingo, 1 p.m.

## Weddings

The Wayne Herald welcomes news accounts and photographs of weddings involving families living in the Wayne area.

We feel there is a widespread interest in local and area weddings and are happy to make space available for their publication.

Wedding photos to be returned should include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.



Members of the Red Hat Sugar Dolls gathered at The Coffee Shoppe in Wayne recently. Bob Fritschen, back, right, was their guest speaker.

## Bob Fritschen speaks to Red Hat Sugar Dolls

Robert Fritschen of Laurel was the guest speaker at the Jan. 10 Red Hat Sugar Dolls gathering in The Coffee Shoppe in Wayne.

Fritschen gave an informative talk on teas, including their origin, the differences and the health benefits. He also displayed several varieties as well as samples.

Sixteen ladies were present and several new members were welcomed.

The next meeting will be Friday evening, Feb. 13 for a 5:30 p.m. supper at the Santa Fe Grille, followed by attending the Wayne State College play in Ramsey Theatre at 7:30 p.m.

On Saturday, March 6 the group

will meet at Tacos & More for a 1 p.m. luncheon with Guest speaker Linda Morris of Cedar Knoll Farm. She will speak on herbal teas.

Anyone interested in being part of this Red Hatter group can attend the next gathering or call Jo Krenk at 375-2008 for more information.

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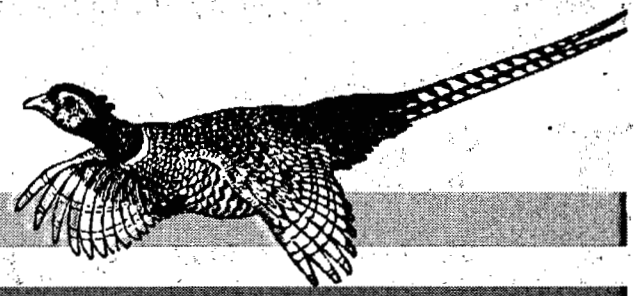
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Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.; Prayer, 8. Thursday: "Freedom for Mothers" Bible Study for mothers of all ages and faith, 9:30 a.m. (this group meets the first and third Thursday of each month).

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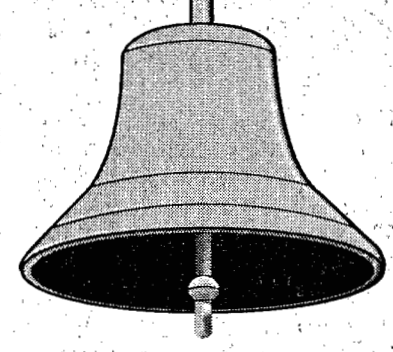
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Tuesday: Bible Study at Tacos & More, 6:45 a.m.; Staff Meeting, 9; Church Directory Team, 6:30 p.m.; Property Committee, 7; Youth Ministry Committee, 7:30. Wednesday: Men's Bible Study at Popo's, 7 a.m.; Oaks Bible Study, 3:30 p.m.; God's Music Makers, 6; Joyful Noise, 6; Confirmation, 6:30; Choir, 7; GPS, 7; Charity Circle, 8. Thursday: Prayer Partners, 7 p.m.

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Mass; Mass, 6 p.m. Sunday: Third Sunday in Ordinary Time, Confessions one-half hour before each Mass; Mass, 8 and 10 a.m.; Spanish Mass, 6 p.m. Monday: No Eucharist. Tuesday: Mass, 8 a.m. Wednesday: Mass, 8:15 a.m.; Religious Education for K-12, 7 p.m. Thursday: Mass, 8 a.m.; Mary's House, 7 p.m.

**Allen**  
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Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.  
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Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 9.

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Sunday: Worship Service, 8:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30. Thursday: Confirmation class, 6 p.m.; Adult Bible Class, 7:30.

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Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11.

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Sunday: Sunday School, (AMF), 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30; Choir, 6 p.m.; Youth Group, Evening Bible Study, and Children's Choir, 7 p.m. Monday: "Purpose Driven Life" at Donna's, 7 p.m. Wednesday: AWANA and J.V. "Jogger's Nite Out," 7 p.m. Saturday: Men's Breakfast, 6 a.m.

**Dixon**  
**ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC**  
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Sunday: Mass, 10 a.m. Tuesday: Mass, 8 a.m. Wednesday: Religious Education classes for K-12 students, 7 p.m.

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Saturday: Catechism Class Field Trip to Lewis & Clark Center in Sioux City, Iowa, meet at church at 9 a.m., return at 5 p.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. Tuesday: Adult Bible Study, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Catechism class, 5 to 6:30 p.m.

**PRESBYTERIAN**  
216 West 3rd  
(Susan Banholzer, pastor)  
Sunday: Church School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.

**ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN**  
West 7th & Maple  
Sunday: Worship, 8:15 a.m.; Sunday School and High School Bible Class, 9:15.

**Grace Evening Circle holds January meeting**  
Grace Lutheran Evening Circle met Jan. 13 with six members present and eight members absent. President Bea Kinslow called the meeting to order. Carol Rethwisch, Christian Growth Leader, gave the opening devotions on "Ring Out the New Year." Secretary Lanora Sorensen read the December minutes which were approved. Treasurer Lee Larsen presented the 2003 Report which was compiled by the 2003 Treasurer Jan Casey. The drawing for Secret Sisters was tabled to the Feb. 10 meeting and a list of Grace "Shut-Ins to Remember" on Valentines Day will be presented at that time. Project Committee members Lee Larsen and Marilyn Rethwisch displayed "sale cards," new cards, napkins and dish

**SALEM LUTHERAN**  
411 Winter Street  
(Jerome Cloninger, pastor)  
Saturday: Worship with Communion, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship with Communion, 10:30. Tuesday: XYZ meeting. Wednesday: Tape/ Video, 9:30 a.m.; Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Council, 7. Saturday: Council Retreat, 9 a.m.; Worship with Communion, 6:30 p.m.

**Winside**  
**ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN**  
218 Miner St.  
(Pastor Timothy Steckling)  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Adult Bible Class, 9:15; Worship, 10:30; Youth Bible Study, 7 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Midweek school, 4 to 5:30 p.m.

**TRINITY LUTHERAN**  
(PMA Glenn Kietzmann)  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30.

**UNITED METHODIST**  
(Carol Jean Stapleton, pastor)  
Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a.m.; worship, 11:15 a.m.; Land Development Committee meeting after worship. Tuesday: United Methodist Women, 2 p.m. Wednesday: SPPRC at Winside, 7:30 p.m.

## Carroll Ladies Aid and LWML gather

The Carroll Ladies Aid and LWML met Jan. 14 for the regular monthly meeting. Pastor and Mrs. Kihne, five members and one guest, Barbara Sprague of Lincoln, attended. The Bible Study, "Fruit of the Spirit - Patience," was conducted. The Blessing and Power of a Patient Life was led by the Pastor. The League Pledge was recited and mites were collected. The meeting was called to order by the president. Roll call was taken by the secretary and minutes of the December were read, followed by the resume of the previous year. The treasurer gave her reported and presented the yearly report. Dues for the upcoming year are due. A Lifetime Membership was granted to Dora Stolz. Several bills were paid. The Financial Secretary, Marianne Slama of Scribner, will be paid for this year's Quarterlies. Zone President Linda K. Risor of Mission Support was given money

cloths which have arrived and are for sale. In new business, the Wayne Zone LWML Executive Board meeting was scheduled for Jan. 19 at the Lutheran Campus Center in Wayne. Secretary Lanora Sorensen will attend. Mites were collected and President Kinslow adjourned the meeting. For the program Lorraine Johnson led the group in a hymn reading and Pastor John Pasche led the Quarterly lesson "Fruit of the Spirit - Self Control." Lunch was served by Lee Larsen. The next meeting will be Tuesday, Feb. 10 with Carol Rethwisch in charge of the program and Lorraine Johnson serving lunch.

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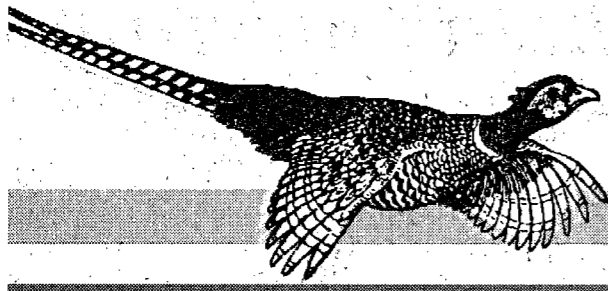
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**Methodist Women gather**

Wayne United Methodist Women met Jan. 10 for a general meeting. President Norma Ehlers welcomed 37 members and two guests and read from "Color My World." Hostesses were Kathy Gardener and Sue Buryanek. Claudia Koeber gave devotions from Psalms and introduced the Treble Clef Singers. The President introduced Cynthia Stewart, Pastor at Pilger and Stanton, who spoke on her experiences and spiritual growth in the ministry. The business meeting was called to order. The secretary read communications. There was no business meeting in December. Treasurer Doris Stipp reported a successful Christmas Fair. Coordinators' reports were

given by Donna Shufelt, Donna Hansen and Pauline Merchant. There will be a Mother-Daughter Banquet on Sunday, June 6 at 1 p.m. Linda Teach and Sue Schroeder are chairpersons. President Ehlers explained the purpose of Mission Corsages. Six members indicated an interest in forming a new Interest Group. Expenses will be paid in full for one person attending the School of Missions in Grand Island. One-half of the expenses will be paid for other who wish to attend. Pam Shanks will be the Christmas Fair Chairperson for 2004. The next Saturday meeting will be May 8 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. with Mission Study with Hallie Sherry. It will be on Exodus. The February meeting will be Wednesday, Feb. 11 at 1 p.m.



**Red Hat gathering**

The Red Hat Belles hosted a Red Hat Gathering on Dec. 21. Hosting the event were members Sharon Redding of Omaha, Anne Wiseman and Karen Marra. Those attending included, seated at left, Queen Gerrie Christensen. Front row, Terry Hamilton, Kathy Mueller, Georgia Janssen, Joann Proett, Marilyn Yates, Jean Lutt, Kathleen Conway and Kaki Ley. Back row, Sandra Bartling, Mary Janke, Donna Tjetsort, Dianne Jaeger, Donna Ewing, Claudia Adams, Wilma Moore, Karen Marra and Babs Middleton. Attendees not pictured were Linda Weible, Jane O'Leary, Nancy Powers and Diane Wurdinger. The Red Hat Society is a group of women celebrating 50 years of age. Members under 50 wear pink and are called Postulates. There are no rules, no official officers or scheduled meetings. During the gathering, the members tasted Red Hat Cookies, Red Hat Punch and Red Hat Cake. The theme of the group is "Matriarchs Unite."



Sandra Braasch

**New campus minister is named at Wayne State**

Sandra Braasch is the new Wayne Lutheran campus minister, a ministry of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America among students, faculty, staff and administrators at Wayne State College.

Braasch received a master of arts in Biblical studies from Wartburg Theological Seminary in Dubuque, Iowa. Prior to seminary, she was a rangeland management specialist/wildland fire fighter for the United States Forest Service in the western United States.

She received a bachelor of science in forest resources and conservation and a minor in environmental studies from the University of Florida. She also was a track and field student athlete for the UF Lady Gators.

"I am happy to be living in Nebraska where the spirit is modest, yet confident," Braasch said, "I look forward to visiting with folks over the next couple of months."

Braasch's office is located in the Welcome House across the street east of the WSC student center. The phone number is 375-1234.

**Wayne ministers will sponsor two workshops**

The Wayne Association of Churches and Ministers will sponsor two workshops "Love All That & More" (Healthy Relationships/Prevention of Dating Violence) and "Bully Proof" (preventing bullying behavior) on Sunday, Feb. 8 from 2 to 8 p.m. at the Wayne United Methodist Church with supper included.

There is no cost to attend. Funding was received from a grant with the Nebraska Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Coalition in cooperation with Haven House.

These workshops are especially for Sunday School teachers, youth leaders, residence hall counselors, campus peer ministers, parents, teachers and ministers.

Three copies of the "Bully Proof" curriculum were purchased for the community through the grant. This workshop is designed for those working with K-6. It includes an overview of domestic violence and its effects on children; responses to make to children and reporting requirements when abuse is suspected; Bullying - What is it? How to Identify it? A review of the curriculum and "working with children - what's

important?" will conclude the workshop.

Two copies of the curriculum including videos of "Love All That & More" were purchased by the grant. This workshop for those working with youth and young adults includes an overview of domestic and dating violence; responses to victims and batterers; reporting requirements; boundaries, respect and equality, gender roles, media and peer influences.

Trainers for the event are Pat Brown of Interchurch Ministries of Nebraska, Domestic Violence Project Coordinator; Meg Johnson, Project Coordinator, Faith Community Outreach Project, Family Violence Council of Lincoln/Lancaster County and Michelle Zinke, Children's Services Coordinator/ Training Specialist, Nebraska Domestic Violence Sexual Assault Coalition.

For more information, contact the Rev. Mary Browne (375-2231); Ilene Nichols or Brooke Jech (375-4633); Sister Cynthia Hruby (375-1155) or the Rev. John Pasche (375-1905). To register for the event, contact Rev. Browne.

**Circles meet at Our Savior**

Faith and Joy Circles of the Women of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Wayne met in the church's Social Room on Jan. 14 with approximately 25 ladies present.

President Phyllis Rahn gave devotions. Various members told what volunteer work they had done during the past year and over the years.

Several persons asked for prayers for people close to them, who were ill or in need of help at the present time and also presented the names of persons from the congregation who were hospitalized at the present time.

January birthdays of Viola Meyer and Janice Barelman were recognized as was the wedding anniversary of Bob and Eva Nelson. The birthday song was

sung by those present.

Mrs. Rahn conducted a short business meeting. Those present were given a treasurer's report and the secretary's report of the Executive Board meeting which was held Jan. 12.

Members of Faith and Joy Circles will be serving the Campus Ministry supper at Wayne State College on Monday, Jan. 26 at 6 p.m. Mrs. Rahn asked that members volunteer to bring bars, salad or money needed to furnish supplies for this supper. She also asked for one person to consent to helping her at the supper. She emphasized that the group was highlighting "Care, Share and Prayer" throughout the year 2004.

She then introduced Ann Witkowski, President of the Wayne Chapter of Habitat for Humanity. She presented a talk on what purpose they serve in the Wayne community and how the organization worked. She showed a film of volunteers building the home for the McCoy family in Wayne. Malisa McCoy spoke to the group expressing gratitude for all the work done.

Hostesses were Freida Jorgensen and Margaret Korn.

The next meeting of WELCA will be Wednesday, Feb. 11. Faith Circle will meet at 9:15 a.m. with Ruth Grone presenting the program by showing a Tony Campola video. Hostess will be Dorothy Grone. Joy Circle will meet at 2 p.m. with Ruth Grone presenting the Campola video and hostess will be Mylet Bargholz.

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## Winside Legion Auxiliary holds meeting

Roy Reed #252 American Legion Auxiliary of Winside met Jan. 12 with eight members and one guest, DaLana Marotz, president.

President Pat Miller presided. Members recited the Pledge of Allegiance and Preamble to the Auxiliary Constitution and sang "God Bless America."

Membership certificates of achievement were presented for having reached 100 percent membership by Nov. 10, 2003, the American Legion Auxiliary's birthday and the New Years' Angel Award for reaching 100 percent membership by Dec. 26, 2003. With the Auxiliary Birthday certificate was received an Uncle Sam tree ornament and with the Angel Award, Membership Chairman Greta Grubbs received an angel pin from the Department Membership Chairman Mary Ann Otte.

These rewards were presented at the Mid-Year Conference held at the Ramada Inn in Norfolk Jan. 9-11.

Judy Jacobsen reported that she and Ray Jacobsen, Bob Koll and Virgil Rohlf did have the flag folding demonstration for the sixth graders at Winside Public School with teacher Lynn Wacker. The program was well received and the students were very atten-

tive to the Veterans' remarks regarding their time of military service.

Beverly Neel, Department Leadership Chairman, and member of Unit #252 reported on the Mid-Year Conference held Jan. 9-11 at Norfolk.

National Commander John Brieden III and President Katherine Morris, both of Texas, were present throughout the weekend and provided insight into the Legion, Auxiliary and Sons of the American Legion programs and accomplishments. They also each spoke on their national and international travels since being elected to the National offices in August of 2003.

Commander Brieden advised that the number one task of the Legion Family at this time, in addition to all the other programs for veterans, children and the community, is support of the military and their families. Members are to be there when soldiers are deployed and when they return, and should take care of their families when the soldiers are gone.

The local unit would like to obtain the names and addresses of the local military personnel deployed so they can lend support in various means. Names and addresses of the military and his/her family may be directed to Unit

President Pat Miller at Winside.

The unit is promoting the Americanism Essay Contest, which has cash prizes at the local, Department, Division and National levels. The contest is open to any third through 12th grade student. The theme for the essay is "Every Heart Beats for the Red, White and Blue - Old Glory." Rules and guidelines for the essay have been made available through Guidance Counselor Julie Volwiler.

Deadline for having the essay completed is Friday, April 2, 2004.

Any questions may be directed to Beverly Neel (402) 529-3593 or (402) 379-4570. Parents are encouraged to have their students get involved.

Additionally, numerous Veteran-connected scholarships are available through the American Legion Auxiliary. Application forms are available through Guidance Counselor Julie Volwiler. The National scholarships are due to the local unit by March 1, 2004. The Department scholarships are due to the local unit by March 15, 2004. Any questions should be directed to Beverly Neel or Pat Miller, (402) 286-4262.

Mrs. Neel noted that students should read instructions carefully and submit a complete package to the local unit. Students should not rely on teachers to provide refer-

ences for the scholarship but should instead seek out businessmen and women.

The Unit will donate to the fundraising efforts of James Neel for his trip to the People to People Student Ambassadors to Australia July 9-26. James will assist the unit with Poppy Distribution Day in Hoskins, the Memorial Day Dinner and give the unit a report after he returns from Australia.

The unit will purchase six Auxiliary memorial grave markers to have on hand. Each deceased Auxiliary member's family is given the grave marker to be placed at the gravesite.

The Cornhusker Girls State program has been announced. All junior class females are eligible for consideration for selection to be the unit's Girls State Citizen. Information on this program may be secured from Pat Miller (402) 286-4262.

All costs related to this program are borne by the unit except any personal expenses incurred by the Citizen. All junior class females are encouraged to consider selection for this honor.

January hostesses were LaJeane Marotz and Doris Marotz.

The next meeting will be Monday, Feb. 9 at 7:30 p.m. Hostesses will be Greta Grubbs and Marcella Schellenberg.

## One thousand cans are collected

The competition within the school helped Winside Public push the envelope of donation. The Youth Leadership Council initiated a canned food drive for The Wayne Food Pantry on Dec. 12. The food drive has been an annual event at Winside for approximately five years, but no one ever expected the students to give over 1,000 cans. The food drive was conducted in grades K-12.

Mrs. Volwiler, the guidance counselor stated, "I didn't think we would get half of it." The junior and senior classes both started off slow, but by Monday the 22nd a competition had been started. The junior and senior classes were tied most of the day. Every time one of the classes brought in food, the other would go to their homes and get more.

The competition was a good way to get people interested and cans brought in. The drive in the elementary also went very well. The fourth graders ended up bringing in the most cans. They had four large boxes full of cans and non-perishable food items. The whole school pulled together making this annual event a great success.

## Local student inducted into WSC Honorary

Kelly R. Kenny of Carroll is among 15 Wayne State College students inducted into the Theta Sigma chapter of Alpha Sigma Lambda.

Kenny, a junior business education major, is a 1977 graduate of Norfolk High School. She is married to Joseph Kenny.

Alpha Sigma Lambda National Honor Society is a nonprofit organization devoted to the advancement of scholarship and to the recognition of nontraditional/adult college students.

The Theta Sigma chapter is one of approximately 250 chapters throughout the United States.



Kneeling are seniors, left to right, Melyssa Deck, Chrissi Jaeger, Lindsay Harmeier, Stacey Gnirk, Ashley Jaeger, Stephanie Petersen and Katie Lage. Back row are Ashley Frevert, Kim Deck, Kassius Holdorf, Jessica Janke, Annette Boelter and Melissa Heberer.

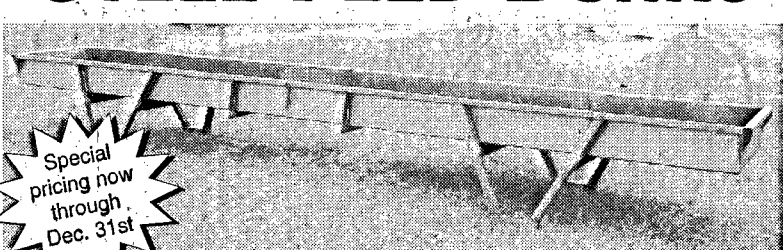


The food collected at Winside Schools was donated to the Wayne Food Pantry. Involved in the donation were, left to right, Nancy Powers and Julie Volwiler of Winside Public Schools and Martha Svoboda, an assistant with the Food Pantry located in the First Presbyterian Church.

## Magnuson on dean's list

Amy Magnuson of Wayne is on the Augustana's 2003 fall semester dean's list. She is among 536 full-time students named to the list. Perfect grade point averages of 4.0 were posted by 82 students, while 454 students earned grade point averages of 3.5 or better.

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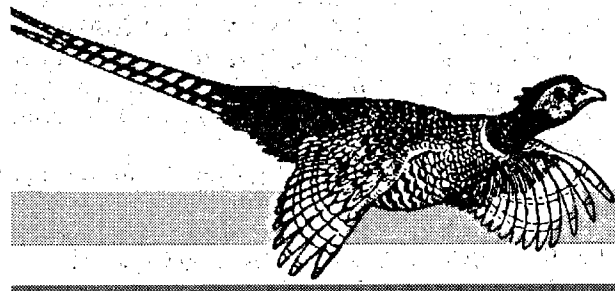
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## The cow that stole Christmas

Twenty years ago, with 200 stock cows getting ready to calf, and 200 yearlings ready to fatten for market, housewives were boycotting beef. They said it was too expensive. We responded, as compared to what?

We've been off the farm for 12 years now and we've sold the last of the cows. Thank goodness for MK Feed Lots, or we would be buying our beef over the counter! I admit we are spoiled.

Last year, beef prices were at an all-time high; prices I never expected to see in my lifetime. And producers could finally start to make up for all those short-fall years.

Some think a cow with BSE in Canada helped get those prices up because there was an immediate embargo on beef from that country.

We have a good friend who is retired from USDA and worked most of his career at the Omaha Stock Yards. He says it's demand, pure and simple. Consumers like beef.

As a wife who has worked outside the home for years, I listen to my co-workers and I tend to give a lot of credit to the check-off program that produced all those great ads.

It has also produced some extremely convenient cuts and

packages. This is what American families want. The latest is something called a cheeseburger fry. We still get the *Nebraska Farmer, Successful Farming, and Nebraska Cattleman.*



**The Farmer's Wife**  
By: Pat Meierhenry

Lately, there has been a push for implementing COOL. This doesn't mean keeping the animals colder. It stands for Country of Origin Labeling. I believe the Holstein in Washington has confirmed the need for this.

World-wide, there have been 150 deaths from the variant form of Cruetzfeld-Jakob. Granted, it's a bad disease; but that's not a significant number. Many were in

England, and my heart ached for all those farmers who had to slaughter their herds. We do have to stop the spread. But not eating beef is an extreme response.

There was a letter in a local newspaper from a character who claimed we should be much more concerned about red meat clogging our arteries. Not so! Folks on the Atkins diet have lowered their cholesterol levels, significantly. (And that diet has surely contributed to increase demand.)

The Beef Councils have engaged in extensive research showing that beef, in moderation, is good for you! It contains many more nutrients, and very few more calories, than chicken.

And guess what? Studies in Georgia, Colorado, and Australia have shown that serene cattle gain weight faster and provide more tender meat than cranky cattle. The University of Georgia actually uses sensors to determine the calf's disposition by how fast the calf leaves a chute.

That makes a very good case for culling those cows who want to take you when you get near their calf. Apparently, temperament is inherited.

We had one cow we called San Diego because she was a Charger! We would have been happy to ship her. Now, we know we should have.

## Livestock Market Report

The fat cattle sale was held Friday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. There was a run of 1,050 fat cattle. Prices were \$2 higher on fat cattle and \$2 lower on cows.

Strictly choice fed steers were \$80 to \$83.10. Good and choice steers were \$78 to \$80. Holstein steers were \$67 to \$75. Strictly choice fed heifers were \$80 to \$83.50. Good and choice heifers were \$78 to \$80. Beef cows were \$44 to \$48. Utility cows were \$44 to \$48. Canners and cutters were \$37 to \$44. Bologna bulls were \$55 to \$65.

Prices for dairy cattle at the Norfolk Livestock Market on Monday were untested. There were six head sold.

Top quality fresh and springing heifers were \$950 to \$1,250. Medium quality fresh and springing heifers were \$750 to \$950. Common heifers and older cows were \$500 to \$750; 300 to 500 lb. heifers were \$300 to \$500; 500 to 700 lb. heifers were \$475 to \$700.

Crossbred calves were \$150 to \$220. Holstein calves were \$100 to \$150.

The sheep sale was held at the Norfolk Livestock Market Monday with 185 head sold. The market was higher.

Fat lambs: 110 to 150 lbs., \$85 to \$92.

Feeder lambs: 40 to 60 lbs., \$100 to \$125. 60 to 100 lbs., \$85 to \$110. Ewes: Good - \$60 to \$90; Medium - \$40 to \$60; Slaughter - \$30 to \$40.

The feeder pig sale was held Tuesday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. There were 116 head sold. The market was steady.

30 to 40 lbs., \$25 to \$35; steady; 40 to 50 lbs., \$33 to \$41; steady; 50 to 60 lbs., \$38 to \$45; steady; 60 to 70 lbs., \$40 to \$48; steady; 70 to 80 lbs., \$42 to \$50; steady.

Butcher hog head count at the Norfolk Livestock Market on Tuesday totaled 46. Butchers were \$2 higher. Sows were untested.

U.S. 1's + 2's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$40 to \$41.90; 2's + 3's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$39.50 to \$41; 2's + 3's, 260 to 280 lbs., \$39 to \$40; 2's + 3's, 280 to 300 lbs., \$35 to \$39; 3's + 4's, 300 lbs. +, \$30 to \$35.

## Extension programs to be offered in January

There are two local extension programs coming in January that offer opportunity for several of interests.

The first is Master Gardener training for those interested in becoming a master gardener and serving as a volunteer for the

Drought has a direct impact on the availability of adequate forage for livestock, so learn the techniques on how to plan the availability of feedstuff through-out the year as a key to be successful. Come to this program and let it be guided by your input. Bring your questions about testing techniques for nitrates, seeding rates for various forage crops, types of crops that can be used as forage and timing considerations in planting time to have a harvest to meet livestock needs. There is no cost for this program and refreshments will be available.

Pesticide training for Private

Applicators will begin in February at several locations around the area. All applicators whose license is expiring in 2004 should have received a letter from the NDA about their need to attend an extension sponsored training session to update the license.

The first session in February is on Thursday, Feb. 5 at the Haskell Ag Lab near Concord at 1 and 6 p.m. Producers can attend either time to recertify. If a producer has a question about educational opportunities, call the local extension office for a list of programs in this immediate area or for programs offered statewide.

## 4-H News

### CITY SLICKERS AND COUNTRY MIXERS

The city Slickers and Country Mixers 4-H Club met Jan. 4 at BankFirst in Wayne.



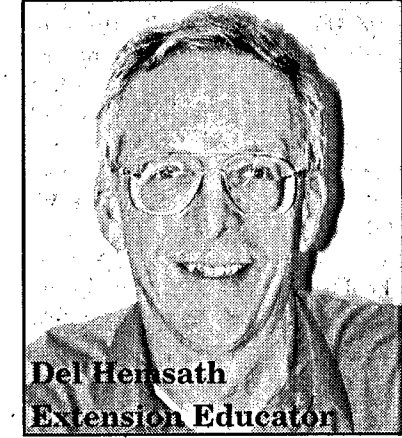
Installation of new officers took place at this meeting. Jaci Alexander, Megan Hoffart and Martha Mitiku were initiated into the 4-H Club.

The enrollments were discussed and must be handed in by Jan. 26.

It was decided that the group

would go ice skating at the next meeting in February. A date will be chosen and members will be notified prior to this event.

Jordan Alexander, News reporter



Del Hemsath  
Extension Educator

University of Nebraska in the lawn and garden area.

This program will begin on Tuesday, Jan. 27 at 6 p.m. at Haskell Ag Lab located near Concord.

The classes offered will cover a wide range of topics in the horticulture area. Anyone who is interested in the class can call the Dixon County Extension Office and visit with Del Hemsath about the program. There are several weeks of classes plus an exam at the end of the training. There is a cost for the program depending upon the number to classes being taken.

The second educational program will be held on Thursday, Jan. 29 at the First Nebraska Bank in Emerson at 1:30 p.m.

Bruce Anderson, extension forage specialist, will be present to have a round table discussion of general topics guided by producer questions in reference to forage production.

## School Lunches

### ALLEN SCHOOLS (Jan. 26 - 30)

Monday: Breakfast - Turnovers & cereal. Lunch - Pizza, green beans, peaches, cake.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Bagels & cereal. Lunch - Turkey melt, cheetos, California vegetables, strawberries, cupcake.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Long Johns & cereal. Lunch - Crispyitos, cheese, lettuce, corn, cake.

Thursday: Breakfast - Cinnamon rolls. Lunch - Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, gravy, glazed bananas, rolls.

Friday: Breakfast - Coffee cake. Lunch - Taco salad, lettuce, grapes, garlic buns, brownie.

### LAUREL-CONCORD SCHOOLS (Jan. 26 - 30)

Monday: Breakfast - Cereal. Lunch - Walking taco, lettuce, dressing, fruit, dessert, bread.

Tuesday: Breakfast - French toast. Lunch - Ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, fruit, tea roll, jello.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Donut. Lunch - Sub sandwich, peas, fruit, chips.

Thursday: Breakfast - Breakfast

pizza. Lunch - Chili soup, carrots, celery, fruit, bread, cinnamon roll.

Friday: Breakfast - Egg biscuit. Lunch - Hot turkey on bun, green beans, lettuce, dressing, fruit, pudding.

Milk and juice available for breakfast. Milk, chocolate milk, orange juice available each day.

### Wakefield (Jan. 26 - 30)

Monday: Breakfast for Lunch.

Tuesday: Mini corn dogs, corn, bread basket, pineapple.

Wednesday: Vegetable beef soup, garlic bread, peaches.

Thursday: Creamed chicken, mashed potatoes, homemade bun, fresh fruit.

Friday: Beef stroganoff, pears, bun, applesauce. Milk served with every meal.

### WAYNE (Jan. 26 - 30)

Monday: Sub sandwich, lettuce, peaches, cake.

Tuesday: Burrito OR taco salad, cheese sauce, tater rounds, raisins, corn bread.

Wednesday: Creamed turkey, wheat dinner roll, mashed potatoes, fruit cocktail, cookie.

Thursday: Chili, crackers, celery, applesauce, cinnamon roll.

Friday: Hot dog with bun, baked beans, pears, cake. Milk served with each meal. Also available daily: chef's salad, roll or crackers, fruit or juice, dessert.

### WINSIDE (Jan. 26 - 30)

Monday: No School - Staff development.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Waffles. Lunch - Pork steak, potatoes, peas, roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Donut. Lunch - Chili, crackers, cinnamon roll, mandarin oranges.

Thursday: Breakfast - Scrambled eggs. Lunch - Macaroni & cheese casserole, corn, roll, peaches.

Friday: Breakfast - Cereal. Lunch - Baked chicken, potatoes, lettuce, roll.

Yogurt, toast, juice and milk served with breakfast. Milk served with each meal. Grades 6-12 have choice of salad bar daily.

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Landowners have many management options they can implement using WHIP. Habitat restoration is a prime example of these programs. Some options open to landowners include:

- Replanting farm fields with grass and wildflower species native to that given area.
- Planting buffer strips and/or trees and shrubs in riparian areas.
- Restoration of aquatic plants, hydrologic processes in aquatic habitats.

Assistance is also available for prairie and wetland habitats to maintain these sites as they are or to improve their current status.

WHIP is a continuous sign-up program, so those persons who are interested can fill out an application at any time. Although no annual rental payments are made with this program, cost-share is available, with most projects having 75% cost-share paid. As with other NRCS programs, WHIP requires landowners to enter into a contract. Most commonly, landowners sign up for five or ten years contracts, but it is also possible to enter into contracts of fifteen years or longer. These longer-term contracts are used primarily in regions of the state containing critical habitat.

As with other programs, there are restrictions with the WHIP program for private lands. Those individuals whose land is currently enrolled in Wetland Bank Reserve, Conservation Reserve, Environmental Quality Incentives, Wetland Reserve, Grassland Reserve or Emergency Watershed programs cannot enroll that same property in WHIP. Also, sites to be considered for maintenance or restoration with permanent vegetation must be at least ten acres in size.

For further information on the Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program, please contact the following individuals or your local NRCS office.

Shelley Stoley, NGPC/NRCS Farm Bill Habitat Biologist  
Clayton Stalling, NGPC Private lands Wildlife Biologist  
Scott Wessel, NGPC Private lands Wildlife Biologist

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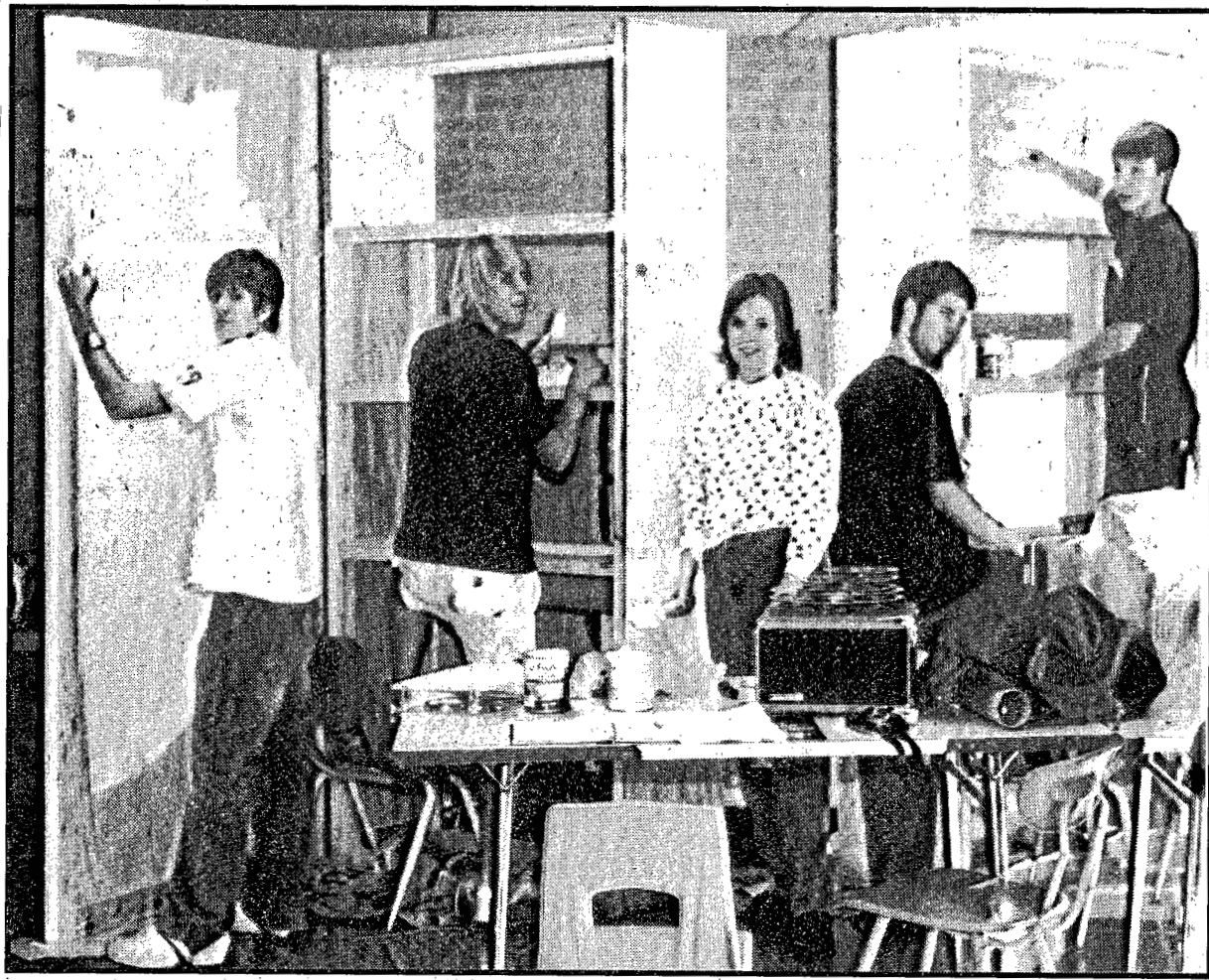
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Mrs. Evans, center, with a few of the students who worked on the cabinets. Present, left to right, Mark Hawkins, Russell O'Connor, Andrew Peterson, Andrew Sok.

### Willy's Retail store open at Winside High

Winside High School has its very own store. If Winside students are wondering what they can purchase at this new store, the items they are currently selling include: chips, candy, ice cream bars, juice, milk, school supplies, and school spirit items. Willy's is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and is located by the high school office. Prices range from 25 cents to \$20. Mrs. Evans economics class conducted a survey at the beginning of the school year to see what products the students would want to buy.

Looking back to when everything started, 10 years ago Mrs. Evans student-taught at Wakefield High School, saw their school store and decided her Winside economics class should have the same hands-on experience. The construction class helped build the cabinets while the economics class set up the supplies. Everyone worked well together and is learning different aspects of owning a business. The profit made by this school store will benefit the Winside W-Club and Student Council. Some of the money will go to the high school to repaint the Wildcat in the high school gym and to buy a new mascot costume.

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Friday, Feb. 13: United Presbyterian Church, Laurel, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 17 and Wednesday, Feb. 18: Wayne State College Student Union, Wayne, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 26: Providence Medical Center, Wayne, 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.

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### Allen News

Missy Sullivan  
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#### ALLEN ALUMNI

The next all-school Allen Alumni Reunion will be held July 3, 2004 at the Marina Inn in South Sioux City. An Allen Update will be sent in February reminding alums of the reunion date. If you or your class would like to submit an article for the February mailing, please contact Kathy Boswell.

#### VALENTINE'S COFFEE

Join us on Friday morning, Feb. 13 for the annual Valentine Coffee at Security National Bank from 9 am until noon. Stop in an enjoy valentine treats.

#### CLASSIC CLUB

On Tuesday, March 30, 2004, the Classic Club will attend a musical show at the Orpheum Theatre in Sioux City, Iowa. They will be attending the Plummer Family Music Show which begins at 6:30 pm with the pre-show talent of Harry Hart, whose uncle was the famous Al Capone, the number one Chicagoland gangster during the prohibition.

The Plummer Family Show combines a variety of musical talent to the instrumental and vocal renditions. The comedian "Nearly Famous" (also known as Tony Hampton) is full of antics. The Plummer Family Show is what Branson and the beautiful Ozark hills are all about. This family show was the third show to open on the now famous "76 Country Boulevard" in Branson, Mo.

Playing in the newly remodeled Orpheum Theatre in downtown Sioux City, this show is sure to appeal to all ages - so bring a friend, relative or neighbor. Admission is by groups only so this will be your opportunity to enjoy the Plummer Family Show. Prior to the show, the group will enjoy a buffet meal in Sioux City beginning at 5 pm. The motor coach will depart from the bank in Osmond at 3:30 pm, Laurel Methodist Church at 4 pm, and the Security National Bank in Allen at 4:20 pm. The main show will conclude at approximately 9 pm and the group will return home following the show. The cost for the show, evening meal, tips and motor coach transportation is \$49. Please let your Classic Club directors know of your interest soon so they can confirm tickets. Final reservations and payment will be due March 12.

**SENIOR CENTER**  
**Friday, Jan. 23:** Beef stroganoff over noodles, broccoli, 5 fruit salad, and lemon pie.  
**Monday, Jan. 26:** Beans and Weenies, coleslaw, fruit, cake.  
**Tuesday, Jan. 27:** Cream chicken over biscuits, seasoned beets, spinach salad, raisin cream bar.  
**Wednesday, Jan. 28:** Biscuits w/gravy, hash browns, fruit, ham, cinnamon rolls.  
**Thursday, Jan. 29:** Glazed ham balls, mashed potatoes/gravy, peas & onions, cherry fluff salad.  
**Friday, Jan. 30:** Broccoli-cheese soup, ham and cheese sandwich, celery and carrots, fruit and bar.

#### COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

**Friday, Jan. 23:** Daniel Johnson, Merle and Deannette Von Minden (A), Richard & Sharon Puckett (A).  
**Saturday, Jan. 24:** George and Diane Sullivan (A).  
**Sunday, Jan. 25:** Laura Creamer, Diane Stewart.  
**Monday, Jan. 26:** William Sachau, Chantel Stapleton, Dean and Marlene Smith (A).  
**Tuesday, Jan. 27:** Ross Rastede, Amber Rastede, Rhonda Reuter, Lathan Kraft, Myrna Gotch, Bobby Koestser.  
**Wednesday, Jan. 28:** Dan Hamil, Mariah McCoy, Brandon Kelly.  
**Thursday, Jan. 29:** Domonick Kennelly, Alycia Stewart.  
**Friday, Jan. 30:** Tatam Smith, Katie Olesen.

#### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**Saturday, Jan. 24:** Conference Instrumental Clinic at Wayne State College, 7 am - 7 pm  
**Sunday, Jan. 25:** First Lutheran Church Council Retreat  
**Monday, Jan. 26:** JHB at Homer, 2:45 pm - Somerset at Senior Center, 7 pm  
**Tuesday, Jan. 27:** Somerset at Senior Center, 1:30 pm- Jesus' Kids meet at United Methodist Church- M.A.G. Meeting at Homer, 7 pm  
**Wednesday, Jan. 28:** Bible Study at United Methodist Church-UMC Steering Committee meets - First Lutheran Church Confirmation, 4:30 - 6:30 pm  
**Thursday, Jan. 29:** JVG/VG at Emerson, 6:15 pm  
**Friday, Jan. 30:** JVB/VB at Emerson, 6:15 pm



Pictured are students in Mr. Jaixen's second grade class. The class was selected as the Homeroom of the Month for December.

### Character Train students recognized

A program was held recently at Wayne Elementary School to recognize the December Character Train Students of the month.

Our December word was caring and students and teachers collected lots of food for the food pantry with the giving tree.

The word for January is responsibility. Second grade is learning (in Guidance class with Joan Sudman) about responsible behavior when home alone.

Refrigerator magnets for displaying important phone numbers were donated by Rusty Parker of State Farm Insurance.

Character Train December Students of the Month are as follows:

Kindergarten: Jenkins - Micah Sprouls; Tiedtke - Jasen Davis; Heikes - BrookLynn Polenske.  
 First Grade: Colleen Janke - Austin Hammer; Kris Janke - Reed Trenhaile; Ostrand -

Jackson Belt.

Second Grade: Suehl - Seth Trenhaile; Fredrickson - Evan Lubberstedt; Jaixen - Ashton Schweers.

Third Grade: Garvin - Austin Frideres; Thomas - McKenna Frevert; Hansen - Nicolle Francis.

Fourth Grade: Lutt - Jenna Pieper; Spethman - Megan Bessmer; Ruskamp - Megan Stalling.

The December Homeroom of the Month was Mr. Jaixen's second grade students.

### Inducted into Wayne State honorary

Brandon Bruckner, son of Jennifer Bruckner of Wakefield, is among 15 Wayne State College students inducted into the Theta Sigma chapter of Alpha Sigma Lambda.

Bruckner, a junior graphic design major, is a 1996 graduate of Norfolk Senior High School.

At Wayne State, he has been a member of Alpha Lambda Delta, freshman honor society, and has participated in service-learning projects.

Alpha Sigma Lambda National Honor Society is a nonprofit organization devoted to the advancement of scholarship and to the recognition of nontraditional/adult college students. The Theta Sigma chapter is one of approximately 250 chapters throughout the United States.



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 Third and Fourth Grades - Mrs. Anne Sty

Fifth and Sixth Grades - Mr. Scott Olson  
 Language Arts - Mrs. Michelle Carlson  
 Music - Mrs. Monica Jensen  
 School Secretary - Mrs. Lisa Lindsay

# Catholic Schools Week

January 25th - 30th

#### Catholic Schools Week Activities:

**January 23rd:** Chamber Coffee-school basement/Book Fair Begins  
**January 25th:** 10 a.m. School Mass/Knights of Columbus breakfast in Holy Family Hall after 8:00 and 10:00 mass/School Open House-Book Fair 11-1  
**January 26th-January 30th:** special activities scheduled for each day  
 Book Fair: Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. to 3:15 p.m. - open to the public



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**100 WORKERS NEEDED:** Assemble Crafts, wood items. Materials provided. To \$480+ wk. Free info. 24 hr. 801-428-4731.

Seeking a motivated individual for the position of Early Childhood Community Specialist. The candidate will collaborate with the families of children with special needs (birth-three and 3-5), the Early Childhood Network Parent Support Group, and community resource partners in primarily the Early Childhood Network (Planning Region Team #29). This hourly, part-time position (20 hours) requires limited evenings and weekends, along with some travel. B.A. and/or experience preferred in Early Childhood Education/Development or Family Consumer Science (will consider a graduate student). Apply to: Human Resource Manager, Prevention Pathways, Inc., 504 Prospect Avenue, Norfolk, NE 68701-4022, by submitting a letter of interest and resume high-lighting your skills, education, and experiences by February 2, 2004. EOE

**WANTED**

Full-time and Part-time CNA for 10 p.m. - 6 a.m. shift  
Excellent wages and benefits

Apply in person at:  
811 East 14th Street • Wayne, NE  
or Call: 402-375-1922

PREMIER ESTATES  
SENIOR LIVING COMMUNITY

Providence Medical Center in Wayne, NE has an opening for a full time **Director of Pharmacy/Staff Pharmacist**. Two years hospital pharmacy experience preferred, and excellent verbal and written communications skills. Providence Medical Center offers very competitive wages and a generous benefit package. Quality patient care is our priority. If interested in becoming a member of the Providence Team please contact Kari Hamer, Director of Pharmacy or Sonja Hunke, Director of Human Resources at 402-375-3800. Providence Medical Center is an Equal Opportunity Employer

Northstar Services in Wayne has several part-time positions available on the evening, weekend, and overnight shifts. We are looking for dependable, self-motivated, organized people with the ability to positively interact with persons with disabilities. Must be able to provide supports and training of specific skills that will assist the persons served to actively participate in their daily lives. **All applicants must be at least 18 years of age, have a valid drivers license, the ability to lift 75 lbs., possess a high school diploma or GED, and be able to read, write, and comprehend the English language.** Applicants should have good interpersonal skills and the ability to work with a wide variety of people. Positions are up to 30 hours per week. Starting wage is \$8.25 per hour with a wage increase to \$8.50 after completion of training. Interested persons should apply at **Northstar Services 209 1/2 Main Street • Wayne, NE 68787**

If you like being part of a winning organization with great growth potential, a modern work environment and you like being appreciated and rewarded for your efforts to help the team continue to win, you should be a Great Dane Employee. Terrific benefits. Great opportunities for salary and job advancement and a generous bonus plan, all make Great Dane a family you should join. Three different shift options are available (depending upon openings at time of application).

**First Shift**  
\$10 per hour  
Four Days (10 Hour Shifts): Monday - Thursday

**Second Shift**  
\$10.40 per hour  
Four Nights (10 Hour Shifts)  
Monday - Thursday

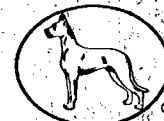
**Weekend Shift**  
Work 36 hours and Get Paid For 40 Hours  
(Equates to \$11.11 per hour)  
\*Work Three Days (Friday-Sunday) and be off four days (Monday-Thursday)  
\*3 Twelve Hour Shifts

One of the best wage and benefit packages anywhere in Northern Nebraska, and all training provided

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- Competitive Wages
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- Company Paid Pension Plan
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- Prescription Drug Insurance
- Vision Insurance
- Optional Universal Life Ins.
- Gain Sharing
- Bonuses
- Up to 4 Weeks Vacation
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Individuals interested in joining a leader in the manufacturing of truck trailers should apply now at



**Great Dane Trailers**

1200 N. Centennial Road • Wayne, Nebraska 68787

A Division of Great Dane Limited Partnership  
EOE

**HELP WANTED:** Part time truck driver. CDL required. Ph. 402-584-2662.

**PART-TIME HELP WANTED:** Family owned 700 sow farrowing unit. Ph. 402-585-4463.

**WANTED: DRIVER** to haul livestock, local and long distance. Class A CDL. Cattleman's Express, Wisner, NE 402-529-3388, 402-640-4198, 402-380-0555

## Help Wanted

Small family owned trucking company is looking for over the road drivers to pull reefer or dry van. Need clean driving record with at least 2 years experience. Pay based on experience. Call 1-888-433-4222 or 1-402-375-5476. Ask for Steve or Paula.

## SPECIAL NOTICE

NEW CLASSIFIED RATE PLAN for the Wayne Herald and Morning Shopper combination. \$20 for a month worth of ads! Call Jan for details. 375-2600

**PUBLISHER'S NOTICE:** All real estate advertised in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968 which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation, or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex or national origin, or an intention to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination." This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis.



EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

## MISCELLANEOUS

Make your snap ad in the Morning Shopper or Herald really stand out, add a dingbat! Several to choose from. Call Jan at the Wayne Herald for all the details! 402-375-2600 or 1-800-672-3418.

**READERS BEWARE!** Job opportunities being offered that require cash investment should be investigated before sending money. Contact the Better Business Bureau to learn if the company advertised is on file for any wrong doing. The Wayne Herald/Morning Shopper attempts to protect readers from false offerings, but due to the heavy volume we deal with, we are unable to screen all copy submitted.

**TIRED OF WRITING OUT YOUR NEW 911 ADDRESS?** order a Return Address Self-inking Stammer at the **WAYNE HERALD** PRICES START AT \$13.50 (plus tax) See Connie at 114 Main, Wayne or call in your order at 375-2600.

**MAKE MONEY** from stuff you don't want any more! Did you just read this ad? Then so did hundreds of other people! Snap ads are cheap and effective, call the Wayne Herald-Morning Shopper today @ 402-375-2600 and start making money from your old stuff today!

**NEED A new roof, vinyl siding, house painting or new deck?** Booking jobs now. 15% down gets you 10% off on your final bill. Also, do interior painting, wallpapering, gutter cleaning, hardwood refinishing and small remodeling jobs. Call 841-2609.

**TRAILER HITCHES,** wiring, and RV repair, sales and service. Jeff @ 287-3019. Logan Valley Hitch & RV repair.

## FOR SALE

## Pierson Farms 1,200 Acre Auction

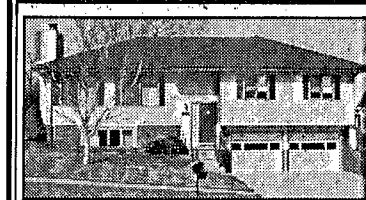
February 19th at Wayne Auditorium.

Table and Bottom Land located near Wakefield, Nebraska offered as 5 separate tracts and a total unit! See it now!! Contact Marion or Dave for pre-sale inspection & data sheets.

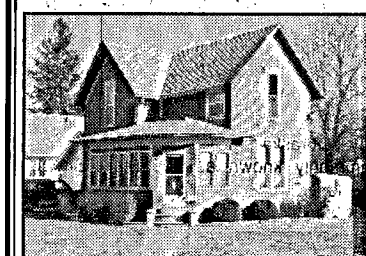
**MIDWEST**  
Land Co.

206 Main  
Wayne, NE  
375-3385

## New Listings!



1002 2nd Ave.



302 E. 4th

**PROPERTY EXCHANGE PARTNERS**

112 WEST 2ND ST.  
WAYNE, NE  
OFFICE: 375-2134  
800-457-2134



DARREL FUELBERTH - BROKER  
DALE STOLTENBERG - BROKER

**FOR SALE:** 2001 Grand Am, 41,000 miles, keyless entry, remote start, CD player, \$8700 OBO. Call 375-1699 after 4 p.m.

**FOR SALE:** Doll House, 3 yrs. old. Very good shape. New Price \$250. We're wanting \$200. Price is firm. Call 375-4969 after 5 p.m. Ask for Jim or Pam.

**FOR SALE:** Seasoned firewood, \$55/1/2 cord, \$100 full cord. Call Dave at 375-3638.

**FOR SALE:** Silencer to fit '98-present Yamaha. Triples for. Good condition. Adds 8-12 HP. \$85. Call 402-375-2600. M-F 8-5 p.m. Ask for Jim

**INVENTORY REDUCTION SALE: 20% OFF ANY IN STOCK TUPPERWARE IN MY CLOSET. DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE ON ANY CATALOG ORDER. PHONE 375-2600, ASK FOR CLARA OR 585-4232 AFTER 7:00. WH**

**JANUARY SAVINGS—CASUAL** shirts, 30% off; sweaters, 25% off; winter coats/leather jackets, 25% off; in regular/Big & Tall sizes. Save 50% or more off special sale racks—Legend's Men's Clothing, downtown Wayne.

## WANTED

**FEMALE ROOMMATE** wanted to share, big apartment, 1/2 block from campus. Call 402-375-4721. If no answer, leave message.

**"LOOKING FOR WORK AROUND WAYNE** and surrounding areas. Willing to tear out, check or rebuild pasture fences. Call (402) 375-1271 or (402) 369-0747.

**WANTED TO buy** International and John Deere tractors or others from 1950-1980 models. ALSO, for sale, Koyker loaders. Ph. 402-358-5513 or 402-640-2420.

**WANTED:** 30-40 acres of pasture to rent in 2004. Ph. 402-584-2293. Ask for Jack.

**WANTED: LAND TO RENT:** Dry land or irrigated. Cash or share. Carroll. Ph. 369-2534 or 585-4545.

## FOR SALE



**1994 Chevy S-10 Pickup**

Ext. Cab, 73K Air, Cruise, V-6, 6 ft. box, 1/2 ton, very sharp

**402-385-3437**  
Call after 6 p.m.

## 80 ACRES FARMLAND FOR SALE

S 1/2 of NW of Section 35, Township 28 Range 3 E of 6th PM

Cedar County

Accepting sealed bids  
Bidding deadline 1-31-04  
Owners have the right to refuse any or all bids

Dan Klinetobe  
2168 230th Avenue  
Milford, IA 51351  
712-338-2617  
dklineto@ncn.net

**ACREAGE** for sale by owner: 16+ acres with large, updated home, attached 2-car garage, sided barn, Morton building, grain bins, and only one well-maintained mile off Highway 35 for easy commute. Private country living with convenient location to larger cities. Please call (402)-287-9184 for further details.

**CLEAROUT 41 PLUS** glyphosate: Pre-season, \$14/gal. or \$3.50/acre. IFC, Inc., ph. 375-4088.

**FOR SALE:** 1977 5th wheel camper, 27 ft. Needs some work, \$1500. Ph. 402-635-0011

**FOR SALE:** 1989 Ford F-150, 4 wheel drive, 6 cyl., 5 speed, PL, PW. Call 287-9085 after 6 p.m.

**FOR SALE:** 1992 Jeep Cherokee, 6 cyl. A/C, electric windows and doors, good condition. Southern car. \$2,350. Ph. 375-2903.

**FOR SALE:** 1994 Olds Cutlass Supreme, red, good condition. Call 375-1335.

**FOR SALE:** 2-bedroom home in Emerson, 311 N. Main, newly remodeled, central air, new furnace. Ph. 402-695-2263.

**FOR SALE:** JD60 with F-11 loader, good condition. Call 375-4290. Leave message if no answer.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Nice 2-bedroom family home. No pets. Stove and refrigerator furnished. New furnace. Deposit and lease required. Call 375-1527; after 6 p.m., call 375-1453. If no answer, leave a message.

FOR RENT: Nice, large, furnished apartment. Heat also furnished. Downtown Laurel, walking distance to everything. Deposit and references required. Ph. 402-256-9231.

FOR RENT: Small, one bedroom, basement apartment. Furnished and includes utilities. No parties, no pets, no smoking. Would best accommodate a college student. Available January 1, 2004. Call 375-1701.

GRAIN VAC for rent. Call Luit Trucking, (402) 375-1809.

ONE-BEDROOM WHEELCHAIR accessible and two bedroom apartments for rent in Wayne. Rent based on adjusted income. Call 375-3374 or 800-658-3126. This institution is an Equal Opportunity Provider.

STORAGE UNITS available. Size 14' x 31', \$50 per month. If you wish to store a single boat or car, \$20 per month. Please contact Dave Zach at 375-3149 or Jon Haase at 375-3811.

FOR RENT: 3-bedroom house across from golf course. New furnace/central air, washer/dryer hookup, stove/refrigerator furnished, 2-car garage. Available immediately. Ph. 375-4905 after 6:30 p.m.

FOR RENT: 3-bedroom, 2 bath trailer house. Appliances furnished. Deposit required. Call 375-2471.

FOR RENT: 4 bedroom house at 317 Pearl Street in Wayne. Ph. 375-4218.

FOR RENT: 4-bedroom house, 1/2 block from campus. Appliances furnished. Call after 7 p.m. Ph. 375-3663.

FOR RENT: Furnished and unfurnished, 1 & 2 bedroom apartments in Laurel. Short term rental available. Ph. 256-9126.

FOR RENT: newly remodeled 3-bedroom house located in Pilger. Heated, enclosed porch, carpet, large backyard. Ph. 402-396-9212.

FOR RENT: Nice 2, 3, and 4 bedroom apartments. All new heat pumps and central air. No parties. Call 375-4816

HOUSE FOR RENT: 2-bedroom ranch with full basement, includes appliances. \$200/month. Ph. 375-9417.

FOR RENT in Wakefield: One bedroom apartment and two bedroom basement apartment. References and deposit required. For details, call 402-287-2027.

FOR RENT in Winside: 3-bedroom, 2 bath home, central air, off street parking. No smoking or pets. References and deposit required. Call Bill Burris at 286-4839 after 6 p.m.

FOR RENT in Winside: Nice 2-bedroom apartment. Stove, refrigerator and central air. Off street parking. Close to school. No smoking or pets. References and deposit required. Call Bill Burris at 286-4839 after 6 p.m.

FOR RENT in Winside: one-bedroom apartment. Stove, refrigerator and washer/dryer furnished. Off street parking. No smoking. No pets. References and deposit required. Available immediately. Phone Bill Burris at 286-4839 after 6 p.m.

FOR RENT: 2 bedroom trailer, 1/4 mile north of town, \$275/month, plus utilities. Ph. 375-1532.

THANK YOU

Thank you to all who provided us with gifts for the first baby of the year in Wayne, Olivia Donner. Ben, Wendy & Evan Donner

I want to thank my family and friends for all the cards and gifts I received for my birthday and to my daughters for all the surprises. Helen Fuoss

I would like to thank all my relatives and friends for remembering me on my 90th birthday. A special thank you to those who sent gifts, flowers, beautiful cards, and came to my open house. Many thanks to my family for all the nice things they did for me on this special day; a day that I shall never forget. God bless you all, Vera Brogie

We would like to thank family and friends for all the many beautiful cards, flowers and gifts. Special thanks to our family for the card shower for our 60th anniversary. Blanche and Lawrence Backstrom

Classified deadlines for The Wayne Herald are: Display Ads Monday at 5 p.m. Snap Ads: Tuesday at 10 a.m.

See Our HUGE Inventory Online www.huberhammer.com www.hubercadillac.com www.huberchevrolet.com HUBER AUTOMOTIVE 402-496-0220 Omaha, NE

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF RENEWAL OF RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSE. Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Section 53-135.01, the liquor license may be automatically renewed for one year from May 1, 2004, for the following retail liquor licenses, to wit:

Roger William Fredrickson dba Fredrickson Oil Company, Wayne, NE 68787. Notice is hereby given that written protests to the issuance of automatic renewal of license may be filed by any resident of the County on or before February 10, 2004 in the office of the County Clerk.

THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk (Publ. Jan. 22)

VILLAGE OF WINSIDE BOARD PROCEEDINGS January 5, 2004 Winside, Nebraska

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska met in regular session on January 5, 2004 at 7:30 p.m. in the library meeting room. Present were Chairman Janke; Absent was Weible. Visitors were Myron Miller, Daisy Janke, Paula Pfeiffer, Pat Wurdeman, Don Skotan, Kevin Cleveland, Dennis VanHouten, Louis Pofahl, and Jeff Hrouda.

- Action taken by the Board included: 1. Approved December meeting minutes. 2. Accepted December treasurer's report. 3. Agreed to waive the auditorium rent for Post From Party and Library Foundations German Dinner.

- 4. Agreed to lease a bin site to the county for ten years at \$150.00 per year. 5. Agreed to get the income surveys out before the end of January. 6. Recommended to property owners to discuss with the village building inspector repair progress on sited buildings. 7. Agreed to get costs on the removal of a sited brooder house. 8. Agreed to have village attorney meet with the building inspector to continue with the next steps in sited building process.

Attest: Carol M. Brugger, clerk (Publ. Jan. 22)

NOTICE OF AMENDMENT ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION Gatz, Fitzgerald, Vetter, & Temple, Attorneys, Norfolk, Nebraska

Notice is hereby given that Articles of Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of Carhart Lumber Company, a Nebraska Corporation:

CARHART LUMBER COMPANY, a Nebraska Corporation (Publ. Jan. 22, 29, Feb. 5, 2004) 2 clips

WAYNE CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS December 30, 2003

The Wayne City Council met in special session at 5:00 p.m. on December 30, 2003. In attendance: Mayor Lindau; Councilmembers Sparkes, Reese, Slum, Fuetterli, Shelton, and Wiseman; Attorney Pipser; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire. Absent: Councilmembers Linster and Buryanek.

APPROVED: Award base bid plus alternate A on the Wayne Trail Project to ME Collins in the amount of \$518,162.56, and to request that the Nebraska Department of Roads approve the same.

THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA By Sheryl Lindau, Mayor

ATTEST: Betty A McGuire City Clerk (Publ. January 22, 2004)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

You are hereby notified that the following described property will be sold by Camille R. Hawk, Attorney at Law, Successor Trustee, at public auction to the highest bidder in the lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street, in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska on February 5, 2004 at 10:00 A.M.

Lot 9 and the North half of Lot 8, Block 2, School First Addition to Wakefield, Wayne County, Nebraska. Copromisor known as 809 Main Street, Wakefield, NE.

CALL ORDER F08 FEDERAL PROJECT NO. STDP-35-4 (115) LOCATION: N-35, WAKEFIELD NORTH AND SOUTH.

COUNTIES: DIXON WAYNE The Nebraska Department of Roads will receive sealed bids in Room 104 of the Central Office Building at 1500 Hwy. 2 in Lincoln, until 1:30 P.M. on January 29, 2004. At that time the bids will be opened and read for GR CULV GDRL BIT.

BIDDING PROPOSAL FORMS WILL BE ISSUED AND A CONTRACT AWARDED TO A CONTRACTOR WHO IS QUALIFIED FOR BITUMINOUS. Start Date 7/12/2004 Working Days 65. Price Range \$1,000,000 to \$3,000,000. Plans and specifications may be seen beginning January 6, 2004 at the Lincoln Central Office and January 12, 2004 at the District Engineers Office at NORFOLK.

Additional letting information may be found at the Nebraska Department of Roads Web Site at http://www.dor.state.ne.us/letting/. This project is funded under the Federal-Aid Highway Act, all appropriate Federal requirements will apply.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS To be eligible for the award of this contract, bidders shall submit a completed bidding proposal for Call Order No. N14, [Project No. PEP-20-8 (1013)], Call Order No. N15, [Project No. PEP-116-4 (1001)], Call Order No. M16, [Project No. PEP-526B (1003)], and Call Order No. F08 [Project No. STDP-35-4 (115)].

NOTICE OF HEARING TO ALL RESIDENTS OF THE VILLAGE OF WINSIDE, NEBRASKA, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS

You are hereby placed on notice that the Village Board of the Village of Winside, Nebraska, shall hold a public hearing at the Village Office on the 2nd day of February, 2004, at 7 p.m. The purpose of this hearing is to hear testimony in favor of, opposition to, and to answer questions in relation thereto the proposed one year and six year street improvements program for the Village of Winside, Nebraska. A copy of the program is on file with Anita Saunders, Village Clerk, and are subject to public review and examination.

VILLAGE OF WINSIDE, NEBRASKA Jeff Hartung, Chairman ATTEST: Anita Saunders, Clerk (Publ. Jan. 22, 2004)

NOTICE OF MEETING The Wayne County Board of Commissioners will meet in regular session on Tuesday, February 3, 2004 at 9:00 a.m. at the Wayne County Courthouse. The agenda for this meeting is available for public inspection at the County Clerk's office.

Debra Finn, County Clerk (Publ. Jan. 22)

NOTICE OF MEETING There will be a meeting of the Planning Commission, Monday, February 2, 2004, at 7:30 P.M. in the Wayne City Hall. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

Betty McGuire, City Clerk Planning Commission (Publ. Jan. 22)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING The Village of Winside, Nebraska, will hold a public hearing at the Library in Winside, Nebraska, on the 2nd day of February 2004, at 8:00 p.m. for the purpose of presenting and adopting a One and Six Year Street Improvement Plan for said governing body.

Carol M. Brugger Village Clerk (Publ. Jan. 22, 2004)

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION BEHMER TRUCKING, INC.

Notice is hereby given that Behmer Trucking Inc. has been incorporated under the business Corporation Act, with the address of the registered office at 56890 849th Road, Winside, NE 68790.

The affairs of said corporation are to be conducted by the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and the Board of Directors. Dated this 12th day of January, 2004.

Behmer Trucking, Inc. Jan. L. Einspahr, P.C. Attorney at Law 601 S. 13th Norfolk, NE 68701 (Publ. Jan. 22, 29, Feb. 5, 2004) 2 clips

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING The Wayne Planning Commission will meet on Monday, February 2, 2004 at 7:30 p.m. in Council Chambers of the Wayne Municipal Building, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska.

All oral or written comments on the proposed matter received prior to and at the public hearing will be considered. (Publ. Jan. 22, 2004)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING Wayne County, Nebraska, will hold a public hearing in the upstairs Conference Room at the County Courthouse in Wayne, Nebraska, on the 3rd day of February, 2004, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of presenting and adopting a One and Six Year Road Improvement Plan for said county. Anyone living in said county may appear in person or by counsel and be heard.

Sidney A. Saunders Wayne County Highway Superintendent (Publ. Jan. 22, 2004)

NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF MYRTLE JESSIE NIELSEN, Deceased.

Estate No. PR04-1 Notice is hereby given that on January 14, 2004, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Lois I. McKeown, whose address is 110 Vista Road, Norfolk, NE 68701 was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of this Estate.

Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before March 22, 2004 or be forever barred. Carol A. Brown Clerk of the County Court 510 Pearl Street Wayne, Nebraska 68787

Timothy E. Brogan #19194 Timothy E. Brogan, P.C., L.L.O. P.O. Box 1901 Norfolk, NE 68702-1901 Phone: (402) 644-7242 (Publ. Jan. 22, 29, 5, 2004) 2 clips

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Wayne, NE (Opens 1/14/04) Wayne Activity Center 901 W. 7th Street Wed. 12:15 p.m. WeightWatchers

For Your Convenience We Are In Wisner As a Feidler Eye Clinic doctor, Dr. Jeff Klein is now accepting appointments for eye exams, contact lens fittings, cataract and glaucoma screenings. A large selection of eyewear is available for your prescription. Dr. Klein is proud to be associated with Feidler Eye Clinic, the finest eye clinic in Northeast Nebraska. To Schedule your Appointment, Call Today Herbert Feidler, M.D. • Jeff Klein, O.D. • Ann Feidler, O.D. Feidler Eye Clinic 402-371-8535 or 1-800-582-0889 In Wisner at 1000 Avenue F, Wisner, NE

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