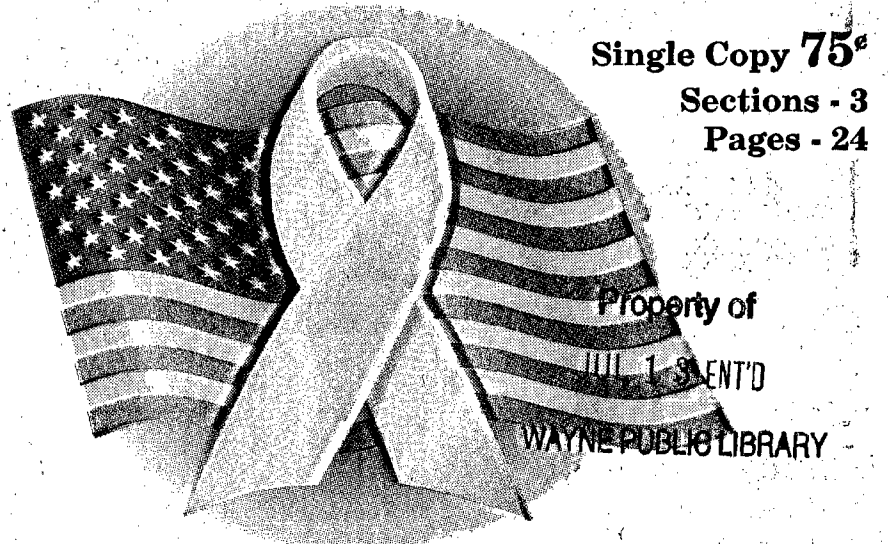


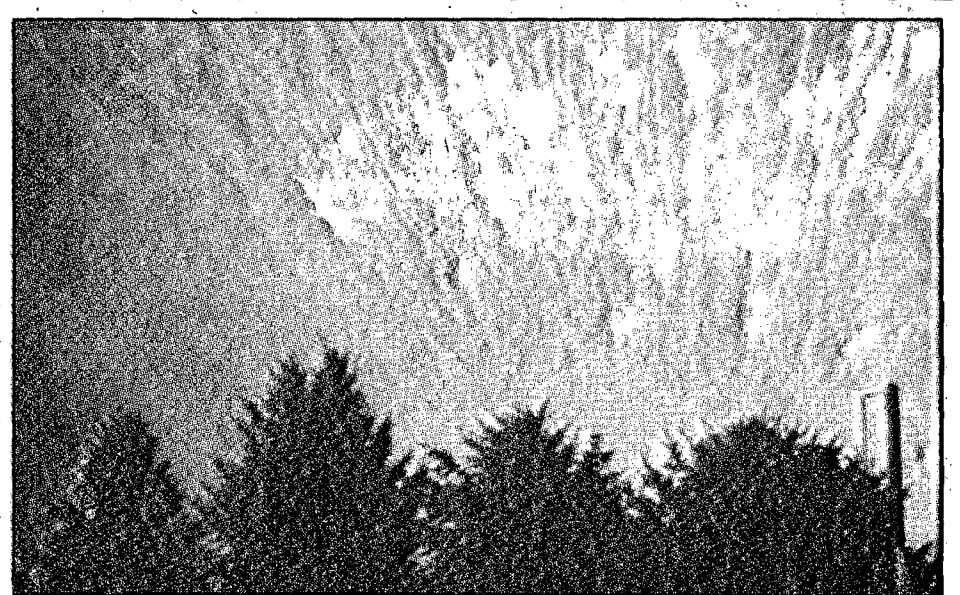
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Chicken Show 2006

From start to finish, Henoween and the 2006 Chicken Show, focused on this year's theme, "Our Coop Supports the Troops." Above, left troops landed at Overin Field on Friday Night. Top right, the sky was filled with fireworks. Directly above, "The Chicken" was part of the weekend's festivities and at left, the crowd at Overin Field watch as the helicopter landed



Fire alarms, redevelopment discussed

By Clara Osten
Of the Herald

Efforts continue to be taken by Wayne State College to find a way to curb the number of false fire alarms at the college. This was the message heard by members of the Wayne City Council during

Tuesday's meeting. WSC President Dr. Richard Collings presented the council with a list of actions being taken to help alleviate the problem, including informing the police department on a daily basis when work was being done in various buildings and re-wiring one of the dorms.

Dr. Collings told the council he had apologized to members of the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department for the increased number of calls in recent months and said all those involved are continuing to work together to find a solution to the problem.

"We have to solve this issue for the safety of our students, staff and others," he said.

Prior to the regular meeting, the council met as a Community Development Agency (CDA) to review a draft of a redevelopment plan for property located west of Greenwood Cemetery.

The CDA talked about the need for goals and the desire to "make this development different than others."

Among the goals was to develop this area with affordable, single-family dwellings, while still allowing other types of housing (multiple family) dwellings to be placed on larger lots.

City Planner George Ellyson presented a rough draft with lots of various sizes and preliminary street locations. He noted that the plan could be changed fairly easily.

Following an hour-long discussion, the CDA requested the information from the meeting be put together for future council consideration.

In other action, the council approved Resolution 2006-52, approving an agreement with Olsson Associates for the Wayne Wastewater Treatment Plant project.

Consultants will look at the options available to the city "to find the best solution." They anticipate having results back by October of this year.

Council approved the sale of one piece of real estate and the purchase of another during the meeting.

Ordinance 2006-15 was passed and the three readings waived, directing the sale of real estate to Felix Industries, Inc. The property is adjacent to property currently owned by Felix Industries and will allow for future expansion.

Following a public hearing, Resolution 2006-50 received unanimous approval. It will allow for the purchase of property at 319 South Nebraska Street.

The property will be purchased for \$1 and the cost of taxes. The city then intends to sell it to the Wayne Community Housing

Development Corporation to demolish it. Parking was again debated during the meeting.

Additional changes were made in the ordinance language and the ordinance will now be sent to the Planning Commission for their input and consideration.

Also during Tuesday's meeting City Attorney Mike Pieper discussed the changes taking place in the state's Open Meeting Laws.

Pieper noted that the Nebraska Legislature recently passed legislation, which takes effect July 14, that will define

language in agenda items that are discussed during executive session. He noted that the goal is to minimize executive session. A copy of the new Open Meeting Law is posted in council chambers and will be made available on the city's web page.

Mayor Lois Shelton made three appointments to the Planning Commission. They include Derek Hill and Kyle Nelson, four-year terms and Darryl Miller, a one year term.

The council will next meet in regular session on Tuesday, July 25 at 7:30 p.m. in council chambers.

'In Wayne' project update presented

Scott Brummond, Project manager for the Highway 15 "In Wayne" project, has provided the following update of work completed in the last week and work to be completed within the next week.

"As always, the description of future work is weather permitting and can change," Brummond cautioned.

Work completed includes:

Wednesday through Friday, July 7:

- Continue Storm Sewer Installation.

Monday, July 10:

- Continue Storm Sewer Installation at Fifth Street.
- Began rough grading from Fairgrounds Avenue to Third Street.

Tuesday, July 11:

- Continue Storm Sewer Installation between Fifth and Sixth Streets.
- Pour Storm Structures (Manholes & Curb Inlets) at Third and Fifth Street.

Wednesday, July 12:

- Subgrade Preparation (Dirt Compaction) from Third Street south.
- Continue with Storm Sewer installation between Fifth and Sixth Streets.

Thursday, July 13:

- Changed Cross Over (Open Street) to Third Street.
- Subgrade Preparation (Dirt Compaction) from Third Street south.

Thursday through Tuesday, July 19:

- Continue Storm Sewer installation at Fourth Street and from Fifth through Sixth Street.

Friday, July 20:

- Trimming Dirt to grade, placing 4" Crushed Concrete Foundation Course, and setting approximately 1,000 feet of paving pins for trimming and paving.

NOTE: The Wayne North job Phase #1 work continues the past week, which is from Highway 15 north from 13th Street to 21st Street (Country Club Road). Work the past week included paving a driveway, some sidewalks, some temporary surfacing near Discount Furniture for a shoofly, cleaning and sealing the pavement joints, and placing permanent centerline striping. The Phase #1 portion of the North project, as described above, should be opened back up to traffic Thursday July 13 (Weather Permitting).

ROAD CLOSED

July 13, 2006

Results announced for Chicken Show contests

Results from the various contests held in conjunction with the 26th annual Wayne Chicken have been announced.

Winners include:

Pizza Hut Hard Boiled Egg Eating Contest

First - Eric Smith of Wayne, 12 eggs in 2 minutes; second - Henry Vender Streek of Rock Rapids Iowa, 10 eggs in two minutes and seven eggs in eat off; third - Brandon Timmerman of George, Iowa, 10 eggs and six eggs in eat off; fourth - Lloyd Mobley "Eggman" of Castle Rock, Colo., 10 eggs and four eggs in eat off.

National Cluck-Off

13 and Under: First - Jzar Templin of Sioux City, Iowa; second - Ben Hoskins of Wayne; third - Cloe Thomas of Sioux City Iowa.

14 and Over: First - Del Hampton of Fort Smith, Ark.; second - Nick Wieman of Howells; third - Lane Carter of Van Buren Ark.

National Champion - Del Hampton Egg Drop

First - Michael Eynon of Omaha; second - Chris Combs of Norfolk; third - Paul Hollowell of Bronson, Iowa.

Rooster Crowing (20 Minutes)

First - Emilie Osten of Carroll (32 crows); second, Anna Osten of Carroll (27 crows); third - Clara Osten of Carroll (22 crows); fourth - Agnes Buresh of North

Bend (15 crows).

Chicken Flying

Sponsored by Trio Travel and Citgo

Featherweight: First - Bruce Gilliland of Blair.

Bantam Weight: First - Billy Jackson of Omaha; second - Taylor Sehl of Neligh; third - Dylan Rork of Grand Island.

Medium Weight: First - Cole Moes of Osmond; second - Cameron Moes of Osmond; third (tie) - Eric D Olive of Norfolk; Jasmine Martin of Sioux City, Iowa.

Heavyweight: First - Kendyl Wiecezorek of Grand Island; second - Anna Osten of Carroll; third - Mitch Osten of Carroll.

Parade: Children's Division

First - Treasure Island - Praise Assembly of God Church; second - Providence Medical Center Therapy Department.

Open Division

First - 189th Readiness Unit - Letters from Home; second - Wayne Senior Center; third - Big Red Husker Hens-Red Hat Society.

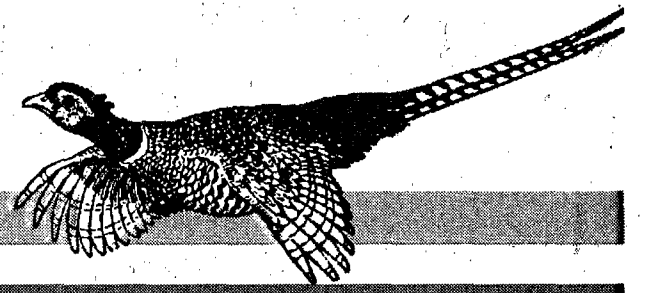
Chicken Song 13 & under

First - Jzar Templin of Sioux City, Iowa; second - Wayne's Dixie Chicks: Morgan Keating, Hanah Belt and Brena

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Obituaries

Harley Heithold

Harley Heithold, 72, of Bancroft died on Tuesday, July 4, 2006 at his home in Bancroft.

Memorial services were held on Friday, July 7 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Bancroft, with the Rev. Terry Daberkow officiating.

Harley William Heithold, son of Dan and Rose (Dorman) Heithold was born Aug. 20, 1933 on a farm in Dixon County. He was baptized at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Wakefield. He attended Lutheran Parochial School. On Aug. 23, 1953 he married Madelyn Derry at the Congregational Church in Neligh. The couple made their home on a farm near Wakefield until 1968 when they moved to Wayne, where he drove truck for Schmoldt Trucking, Wayne Distributing, and Crete Carrier of Lincoln until his retirement in August of 1995. The couple moved to Bancroft in 1994. He was a member of Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne, and St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Bancroft.

Survivors include his wife, Madelyn, three children, Richard Heithold of Sherman Oaks, Calif., Nancy and Doug Edwards of Bancroft and Jeanne and Henry Battistone of Ashville, N.C.; three grandchildren; a brother, Delmar and Betty Heithold of Wakefield; a brother-in-law, Vance Derry of Denver, Co, a sister-in-law, Ellen Derry of Arvada, Colo. and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and a brother, Larry Heithold of Smyrna, Ga.

Burial will occur at a later date. Munderloh Funeral Home in Bancroft was in charge of arrangements.

Merle Eksman

Merle Eksman, 80, of Mason City, Iowa died Dec. 22, 2005 at Mason City.

Inurnment services were held, with military rites, at Arlington National Cemetery Columbarium in Virginia.

Merle Eksman, son of Henry and Ethel (Montgomery) Eksman, graduated from Carroll High School in Carroll and then served in the U.S. Army from 1943-46. He attended Norfolk Junior College from 1946-48 while working for Graham Ice Cream Company. He began his railroad career in May of 1957 with Chicago and North Western Railroad in Norfolk and retired from the railroad in Mason City, Iowa in August of 1985.

Survivors include his wife, Jane, four children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, one niece, one nephew, grand nieces and nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Verla Jurgens Eksman.

Gladys Fork

Gladys M. Fork, 89, of Sioux City, Iowa, died Friday, July 7, 2006 at a Sioux City hospital.

Services were held Monday, July 10 at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Sioux City. The Rev. David N. Zirpel officiated.

Gladys M. Fork, daughter of Edward and Anna (Boch) Fork, was born Nov. 10, 1916 at Carroll. She attended rural school District #71 in Wayne County. She lived on a farm with her brother, Ernest, at Laurel. In 1964 she attended Western Iowa Tech at Sioux City, Iowa, taking training for Licensed Practical Nursing. She was employed for 19 years for the former Dr. H.E. Rudersdorf office. She was a member of Redeemer Lutheran Church and a member of the Ladies LORL, Altar Guild and quilting group which made quilts for World Relief.

Survivors include three brothers, Ernest Fork of Laurel, Edward and Irene Fork of Carroll and Kermit and Frances Fork of Battle Creek, Iowa; nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; sisters, Helen Fork, Laura Fork, Esther Vollerson and Ruth Winters; a brother, Arthur Fork; three sisters-in-law, Agnes Fork, Leona Fork and Martha Fork and brothers-in-law, Peter Vollerson and Fred Winters.

Pallbearers were Steve Uthe, Lonnie Fork, Regg Gadeken, Ron Gadeken, Herman Vollerson and George Schroeder.

Graveside services and burial were held at Elmwood Cemetery in Carroll. Meyer Brothers Morningside Chapel of Sioux City, Iowa was in charge of arrangements.

Irene "Dolly" Warnemunde

Irene "Dolly" Warnemunde, 100, formerly of Winside, died Tuesday, July 4, 2006 at Heritage of Bel-Air in Norfolk.

Services were held July 11 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Winside.

Frances Irene "Dolly" Warnemunde, daughter of David and Mary Elizabeth (Prince) Render, was born March 3, 1906 in Winside. She attended Winside High School. On Jan. 7, 1926 she married Erwin Warnemunde, also of Winside, in Omaha. She worked as a telephone operator in Winside for several years. She was a long-time member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Winside and was active in the church choir and frequently played the church organ at worship services. She enjoyed playing bridge, traveling, flower gardening and music. She was a resident of Winside until 1993 when she moved to The Meadows in Norfolk. In 2004 she moved to Heritage of Bel-Air.

Survivors include three sons, Brad and Mary Warnemunde of Cincinnati, Ohio, David and Nancy Warnemunde of Winside and Dennis Warnemunde of Phoenix, Ariz.; five grandsons and one granddaughter; 16 great-grandchildren and three great-great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Erwin, in 1977, four sisters, two brothers and one granddaughter.

Burial was in Pleasantview Cemetery in Winside. Schumacher-Hasemann Funeral Home in Winside was in charge of arrangements.

Audrey C. Lauck

Audrey Lauck, 79, of Wausa, died Wednesday, July 5, 2006, at Mercy Medical Center in Sioux City, Iowa.

Services were held Saturday, July 8 at Golgotha Lutheran Church in Wausa. Pastor Dan Gifford officiated.

Audrey Corrine (Frevert) Lauck, daughter of Carl and Emma (Wrick) Frevert, was born Feb. 5, 1927, near Wausa. She was baptized and confirmed at Golgotha Lutheran Church. She attended rural elementary school and graduated from Wausa High School in 1944. She attended CE School of Commerce in Omaha before returning home to help on the family farm during WWII. On Aug. 28, 1949, she married Lawrence Lauck of Bigelow, Minn. at Golgotha Lutheran Church. They lived and farmed at Bigelow, Minn. before settling at their current farm southwest of Wausa. She was active in her church through Sunday School, Ladies Aid, and LWML. Her children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren were the pride and joy of her life. She and her husband shared a hobby of loom rug making.

Survivors include her husband, Lawrence, of Wausa; six children, Brenda and Richard Lind of Osmond, Barbara and Gary Kliment of Lincoln, Loren and Kathryn Lauck of Bloomfield, Carla Shearon of Overland Park, Kan., Kevin and Corolla Lauck of Bloomfield and Kristine and Jerry Robinson of Wayne; 16 grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; a sister, LaVonne and Luther Peters of Wood River; a sister-in-law, Lois Frevert of Bloomfield, nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her sister and brother-in-law, Arlynn and Herman Lauck; her brother, Clifton Frevert; grandson Jeffrey Kliment; and granddaughter, Susan Lind.

Memorials are designated for the church building fund or cemetery fund.

Pallbearers were Steven Lind, Michael Husted, Tyler Robinson, Timothy Lauck, Joshua Lauck, Jared Lauck, Derek Lauck and Sp. Benjamin Lauck.

Honorary pallbearers were Jennifer (Lind) Matthes, Corrine Kliment, Jolene Kliment, Rita (Husted) Scott, Elisa Robinson, Kyah Lauck, Emily Lauck and Heather Lauck.

Burial was at Golgotha Lutheran Cemetery. Brockhaus-Scott Funeral Home in Wausa was in charge of arrangements.

Maurice Anderson

Maurice Dean Anderson, 71, died Dec. 21, 2005 in Casa Grande, Ariz.

Memorial services will be held Friday, July 14 at 10:30 a.m. at First United Methodist Church in Wayne.

Maurice Dean Anderson, son of Roy and Grace Anderson of Laurel, was born Aug. 1, 1934. He graduated from Wayne State College in 1956 and received a master's degree from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 1958. He returned to WSC in 1962 where he was a professor of mathematics. He was also a long-time director of the computer center at WSC, retiring in 1994. He was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Wayne and active in the Wayne Community Theater. His hobbies included hunting, fishing, wine making and stained glass. He served in the Army National Guard, 34th Quartermaster Company, 34th Infantry Division from 1952 to 1958.

Survivors include his wife, Elaine; a brother, Darrell and Violetta Anderson of New Mexico; two sons, David and Lottie Anderson of California and Greg and Sally Anderson of Grand Island; one daughter Maureen and Duane Smith of Idaho; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and a son, Larry. Memorials may be made to the Clifford Wait Scholarship at Wayne State College.

Marilynn Goetowski

Marilynn Goetowski, 86, of Lincoln, died Friday, July 7, 2006.

Services will be held Saturday, July 15 at 11 a.m. at First Christian

Church, 430 South 16th Street in Lincoln. The Rev. Dr. Dennis Pattence will officiate.

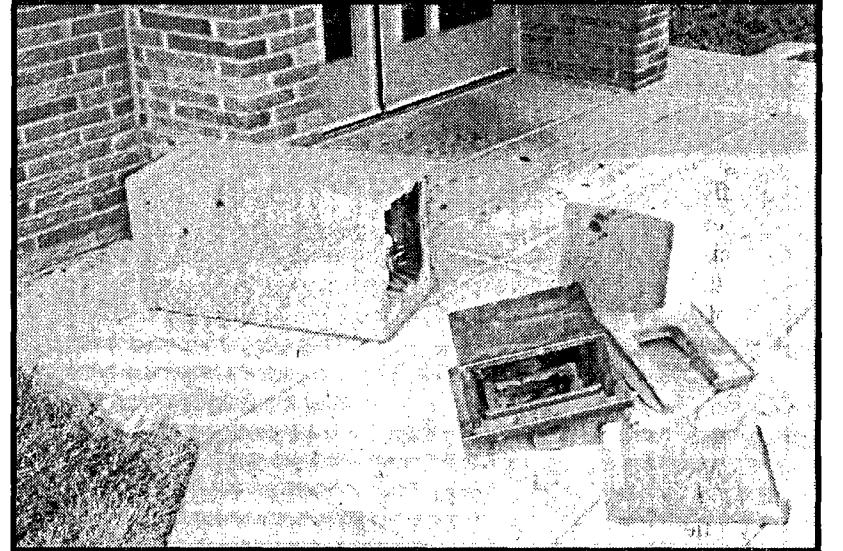
Marilynn Goetowski, daughter of Charles Richard and Georgia (Bush) Glenn, was born Sept. 23, 1919 in Omaha. She was raised in Wayne and graduated from Wayne High School in 1939. She was a registered nurse at Methodist Hospital and a member of First Christian Church. She was a former Deaconess of the church, Study Leader for Women's Church Group for 25 years and a member of the Lancaster County Medical Alliance and Chapter FW of P.E.O.

Survivors include one son, Dr. Paul and Sheila Goetowski of Myrtle Beach, S.C.; two daughters, Mary Jo "Jody" Johnsen of Wilber and Susan D. and Robert Covolik of Omaha; 12 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Dr. Paul Goetowski; a son, Charles R. and her parents.

Memorials may be made to the church or donor's choice.

Roper and Sons Funeral Service, 4300 "O" Street in Lincoln was in charge of arrangements.



The trash receptacle at the Wayne Public Library was vandalized this past weekend.

Chicken Show Saturday busy for police department

The Wayne Police Department was busy on Chicken Show Saturday but not because of the Chicken Show.

Police Chief Lance Webster said the Chicken Show went off "without a hitch" from his perspective. He said that even though the parade route was changed, the parade went off without a hitch. Webster said some of the political candidates in the parade liked going up a residential street.

After the parade, officers investigated two residential burglaries and one criminal mischief complaint. None of these calls were related to the Chicken Show.

A tenant of 617 Pearl Street reported that sometime between Friday night and Saturday afternoon an unknown person broke into his house by kicking the front door. Investigating officers found

significant damage to the door and door jamb but the suspect(s) apparently fled the scene before stealing anything. Neighbors were contacted to see if they saw or heard anything.

The second burglary complaint of the day came from an apartment at 208 West 13th Street. The victim reported that someone had stolen cash from her apartment and she provided the police with a possible suspect.

The Wayne Public Library was the victim of vandalism. An unknown person knocked over and smashed a decorative refuse container in front of the library. This crime happened between 10:30 p.m. on Friday night and 9 a.m. on Saturday morning. There are no suspects at this time. The trash can was valued at \$443.

Wayne Police Department investigates two accidents

On July 5, shortly before 5 p.m., Wayne Police Department officers were called to the intersection of Sixth and Logan Streets to investigate an injury accident.

Lawrence Smith, age 80 of Wayne, had been northbound on

Logan Street and was turning west onto Sixth Street. Smith apparently did not see the southbound vehicle driven by Brian Shelton, 30, of Webster City, Iowa. Both men were transported to the Providence Medical Center for treatment of their injuries.

Brian Shelton was cited for Fictitious License Plates, No Valid Registration and No Proof of Insurance.

On July 6 at 3:30 p.m., officers were called to a motorcycle pedestrian accident at Seventh and Main.

An eastbound motorcycle driven by 18 year-old Jacob Nissen, of Wayne, struck 42 year-old Diane Glass, of Wayne, while she was crossing the intersection. Neither suffered serious injuries.

Berry files motion to have vulnerable adult abuse case thrown out

Ross Stoffer of Norfolk, attorney for Albert "Dick" Berry, 72, of Wayne filed a motion in court last Friday to quash Berry's abuse against a vulnerable adult case. If the motion to quash is sustained, the state will have to re-file before the case can continue. A hearing will be held on the motion on Friday, July 21.

The abuse against a vulnerable adult charge is a Class 3A felony, punishable by a possible maximum sentence of five years in prison and a 10,000 fine.

A vulnerable adult, as defined by the state, is any person 18 years of age or older who has a substantial mental or functional impairment or for whom a guardian has been appointed.

One-vehicle rollover accident occurs by Winside

At about 7:45 p.m. on July 2 a southbound vehicle driven by Kristi Edwards of Winside was involved in a one-vehicle rollover accident when she attempted to make a U-turn on Wayne County Road # 568 about one and one-half miles south of Winside. The vehicle got too close to the edge of the road at that location and rolled into the ditch onto its top.

No injuries were reported and the vehicle is considered a total loss at this time.

Bus forms available

Anyone who hasn't received a bus form and would like to use the bus service for the 2006-07 school year is asked to contact Pam Anderson at Wayne High School.

This includes Wayne city, country or Carroll students who wish to ride the bus.

Town stops include Muhs Acres, north side of Sunnyview Park, Bus Barn on First Street, Hank Overin Baseball Field and the Carroll City Auditorium.

For more information, call 375-3150.

A Quick Look

Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
July 6	80	53	—	—
July 7	83	53	—	—
July 8	86	63	.04"	—
July 9	89	63	—	—
July 10	91	66	—	—
July 11	79	66	—	—
July 12	83	61	—	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — .16
Yr./Date — 11.37"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, July 14 at the USDA Service Center at 709 Providence Road. It will be hosted by the Farmer's Market. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15.

Scout Paper Drive

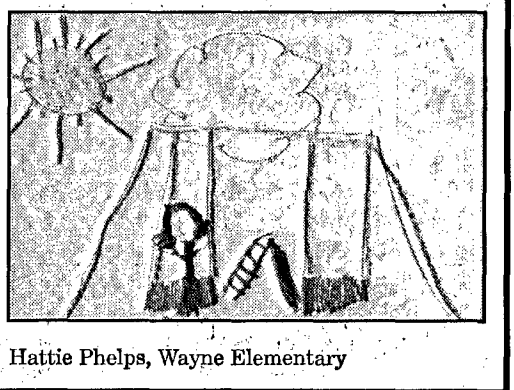
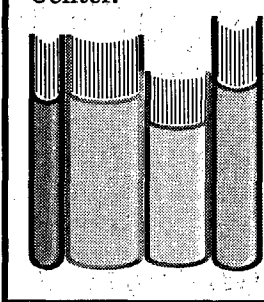
WAYNE — Wayne Boy Scouts will conduct their monthly paper drive on Saturday, July 15. Newspapers, magazines, office/copy paper, and aluminum beverage cans should be separated, bagged and placed at the curb by 8:00 a.m. For more information, contact Jeff Carstens 375-3840.

Farmers' Market

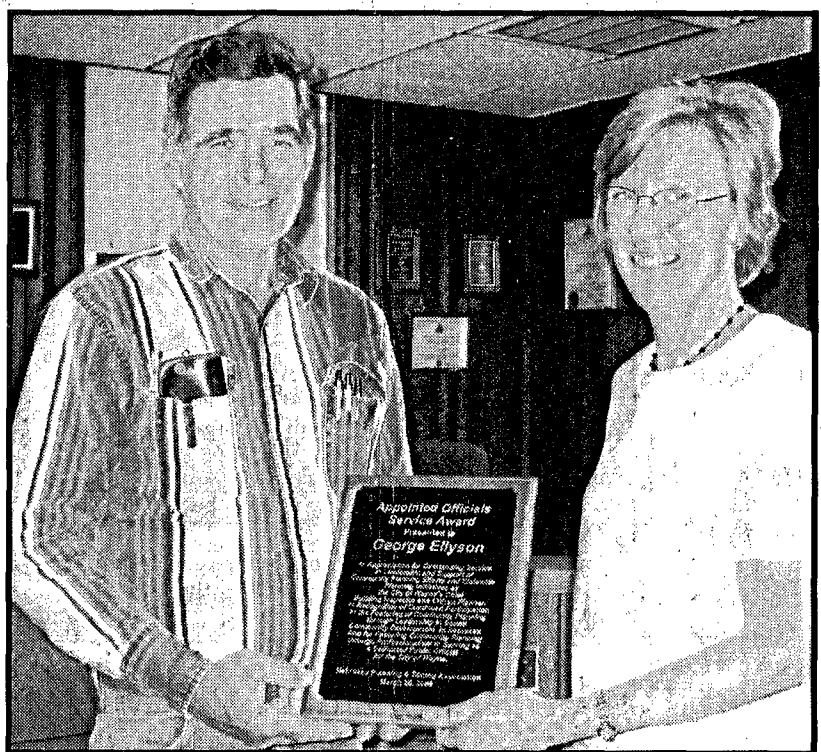
AREA — A Farmers' Market with a variety of produce and other items available from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday, July 15 at the USDA Service Center, 709 Providence Road.

Awards program

AREA — The Awards Program for the second session of the Wayne Public Library's Summer Reading Program will be held Saturday, July 15 at 10:30 a.m. at the Library/ Senior Center.

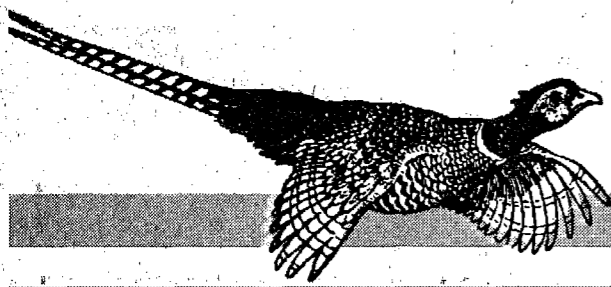


Hattie Phelps, Wayne Elementary



Dedicated official

Wayne Mayor Lois Shelton, right, presented a plaque to City of Wayne Zoning Administrator George Ellyson at Tuesday's council meeting. The award was for Ellyson's "outstanding service and professionalism to the community."



This community showed class Capitol View

The Webster's New College Dictionary defines the term "COMMUNITY" as a group of people residing in the same locality and under the same government. It also says it represents a group of class having common interests.

I came to appreciate that definition last weekend and in sharing the reasons why I want you to keep in mind two words that come from the above mentioned description...Community and Class.

Folks from Wayne and the surrounding area showed up in droves in support of a benefit held for Wayne business owner Vel Temme.

The event was held at the Wayne Firehall from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. with omelets, pancakes, sausages served, with a bake sale and silent auction also in motion.

The word impressive doesn't even come close to the number of people who wandered through the Firehall that day in support of a most generous person who has been suffering from a rare disease that affects the autoimmune system.

The exact number of dollars raised and matched by Thrivent Financial Wayne-Dixon Chapter is not relevant for the purposes of this column, rather the style and generosity of many, many hundreds of people that went through the lines dropping ones, fives, tens, twenties, and personal checks into the good will offering jar.

It was also rewarding for those attending to see the Man of the Hour in person as Vel sat quietly with his family at his side including wife Sue, and children Nathan and Melissa — three more of your unsung hero's of this story.

Vel is a very modest man, trying to stay unassuming while he battles fiercely against the disease that has afflicted him. However, after witnessing the amount of support from our community, Vel would be the first to say Wayne and our surrounding area is a community with CLASS.

On another note, beginning in August the Wayne Herald will introduce a new feature each week with the public's input. In fact, we're going to call it Street Talk.

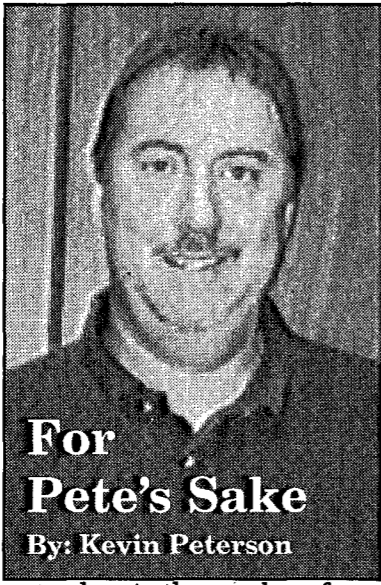
It allows the community and surrounding area to voice opinions, concerns, complaints, compliments (those are always welcome) and other topics heard on the streets.

Here's how it works. You simply email us at one of the following addresses: clara@wayneherald.com; lynn@wayneherald.com; kevin@wayneherald.com or melissa@wayneherald.com with your comments. The best part is they don't need to be signed. That's right, you have free rein to say what you want without signing your name.

Oh yes, there are rules and they must be followed. The Wayne Herald will be involved with editing if the material warrants it. Obviously, libelous comments will not be accepted and you must, I repeat must, keep your comments limited to no more than three sentences.

You are allowed to write as many times as you want. We hope you enjoy our efforts to hear more people sound off on topics ranging from the local to national and global concerns.

For additional information on this or any other topic, give me a call.



For Pete's Sake
By: Kevin Peterson

Could state benefit from a 'Petting Amendment'?

By Ed Howard
Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association

How would you feel about a constitutional amendment to require animal-petting therapy for incumbent state senators, and candidates for statewide office?

The view from here: Let's go for it. Some good could come of such a mandate. It certainly wouldn't do any harm.

It is well established that countless people who are ill, aged or otherwise distressed have benefited from contact with dogs and horses. (Cats probably could offer some therapeutic value. The problem is that you can never tell what mood they will be in.)

History bears out that all manner of emotional and physical ailments in the Unicameral, and on the statewide campaign trail, contribute to lamentable results.

Think of goofy laws and ridiculous campaign promises, and how you have thought they reflected a personality in need of help.

Show us a candidate for governor and we'll show you sometimes-phantasmagoric promises for cheaper government, mostly vague references to "economic development," and the occasional doling of rhetoric to the "So's yer old man!" sort of thing.

Putting the "petting amendment" before voters might be the wisest use of the initiative petition process in many years. By the way, the initiative petition route represents the only hope for putting this worthwhile notion into the state charter. Legislators certainly wouldn't do it. Lobbyists demanding the inclusion of cats, raptors, hogs and cattle would prevent the

thing from advancing.

The must-do animal therapy should probably be accompanied with music appropriate to the needs of each human participant. Something lively for one with a do-nothing record. For the overly rambunctious type, something along the lines of Brahms.

Why must voters take it upon themselves to designate dogs and horses as exclusive ambassadors from the animal kingdom? That's easy and obvious.

Canines and equines have established success records in the touch-me-and-feel-better field of therapy.

For another thing, allowing lawmakers to choose the appropriate critters would be disastrous. The debate itself would further prove the need for the therapy. It is easy to envision:

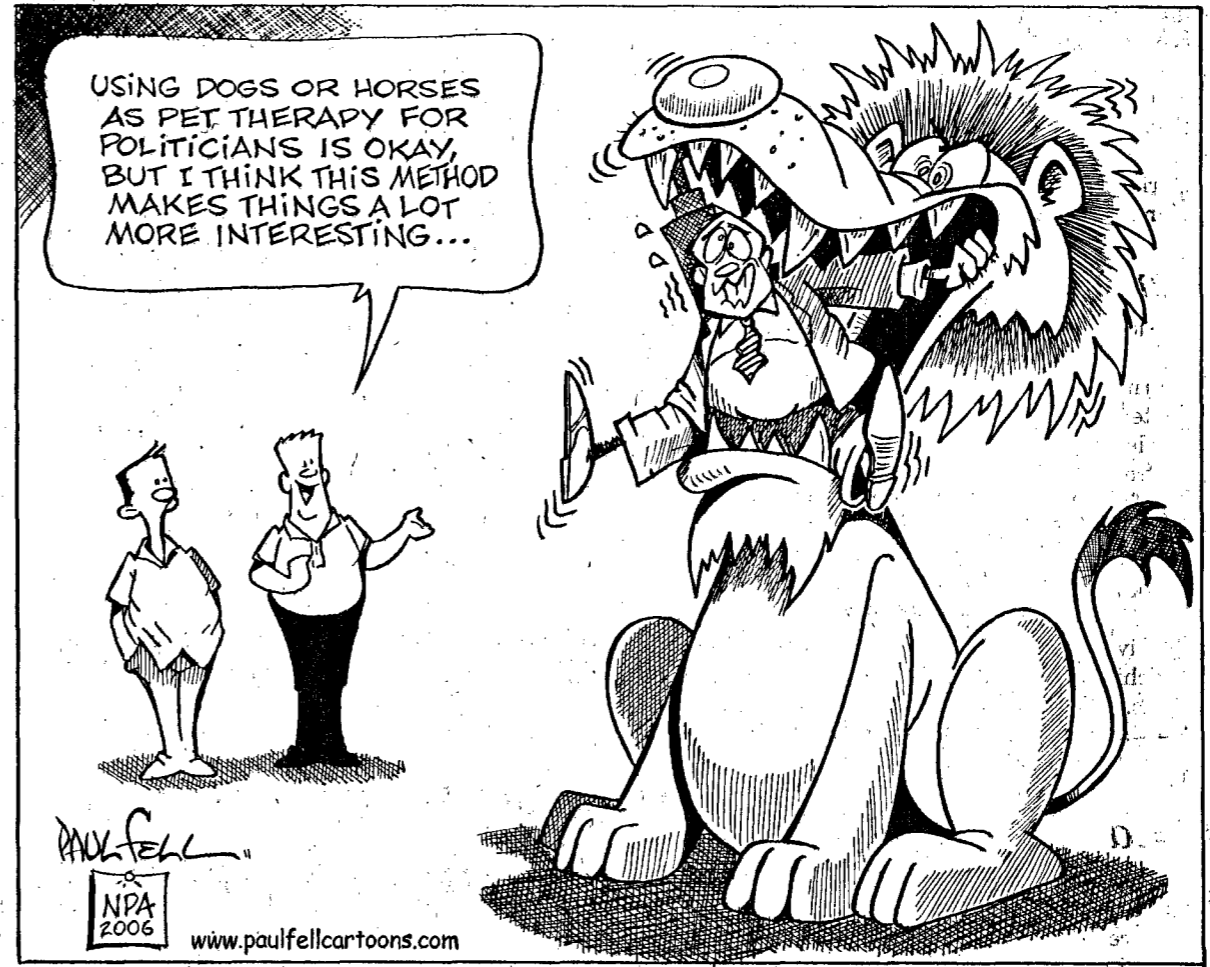
"I move to require the use of pit vipers, psychotic skunks or rabid gerbils in petting therapy for any senator who has missed voting on a resolution praising our great

Cornhuskers, or ethanol, or my last proposal to build a new state college in my district!"

Such would surely be followed by amendments relating to which end of a horse should be petted, and whose family tree might include critters noted for a loud bark.

It must be left to the voters, then, to enact a proper, useful and dignified program.

Heck. It could turn out to be the best dog and pony show in politics!



Town hall meeting planned

Town Hall Meeting

A Town Hall Meeting for New Wayne Area 20 Year Comprehensive Plan 6 p.m. on Thursday, July 13 at the new fire hall.

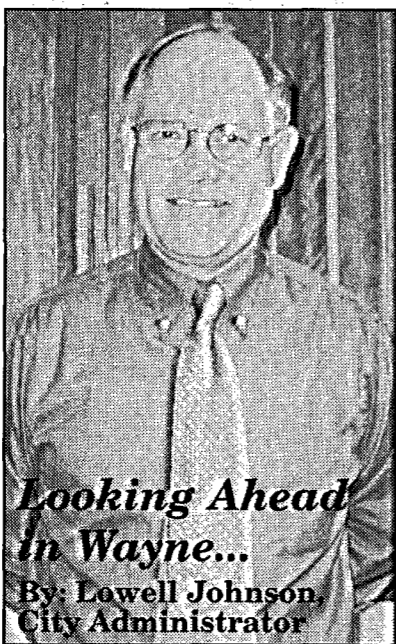
Problems or Opportunities?

The new Wayne Comprehensive Plan draft contains responses from a large number of steering committee and community focus group participants. The focus on community weaknesses listed the following:

- 1) ability to retain young people
- 2) tax levels
- 3) affordability of housing
- 4) retailing
- 5) job creation and growth and
- 6) tourism potential

A major purpose of the comprehensive plan is to establish goals and a plan of action to deal with these weaknesses. Thursday night July 13 at 6 p.m. in the new fire hall, the Planning Commission is holding a town hall meeting to present the findings and a plan of action for the next 20 years. This is a great opportunity to be a part of the process and have some input.

For a copy of the plan ahead of time stop in the city billing office or down load it from www.waynene.org



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

Quote

"We came to the inescapable conclusion that our towns are what their people make them; the responsibility for our future is our own. Phil Hockenberger, Sr (Phil was a banker at Columbus in the 1930's).

Questions or comments? Call Lowell Johnson, City Administrator at 375-1733 or email me at cityadmin@cityofwayne.org.

Letters

Thanks donors

Dear Editor:
The Siouland Community Blood Bank needs donors now more than ever. With the summer months upon us we need to be prepared not only for accident victims but also those who depend on blood as part of their recovery process—cancer patients, patients undergoing surgery, premature babies, etc. We are asking everyone to find the time in their day to make a donation that will literally save countless lives. Don't put it off until tomorrow—do it today!

The Siouland Community Blood Bank wishes to thank everyone who gave the gift of life during our visits to the Wayne area in June. We registered a total of 99 donors and collected 101 units of life saving blood. We also recruited five new donors!

Congratulations to the following for reaching gallon milestones: Margaret Brugger and Michael Beiermann—six gallons; Dave Hintz—four gallons; Jennifer Torczon and Michelle Vanderheiden—two gallons; DeAnn Behlers, Stacey Kai, Kasey Moffett and Rod Tompkins—one gallon.

A special Thank You to the following businesses and churches for allowing us the use of their facilities: Great Dane, Ameritas and Wayne Fire Hall.

Donating blood regularly is the only way to guarantee that it will be available when needed. Your participation in the blood drives is greatly appreciated!

Sincerely,
Heather Marree
Donor Consultant

Happy chicken

Dear Editor,
I just want to thank the community for all the work they did to put Chicken Days together.

I am so proud that people flock from about every state around to come join me for my celebration. It was really something to cluck about—the fact that we pulled it off. The success of the event was truly amazing with all the changes due to construction.

Wayne's coop is the greatest.
The hot, tired Chicken

Appreciates troop support

Dear Editor,
I would like to publicly thank the people of Wayne for their kindness and support shown to me during my deployment in Iraq.

Thanks for including me in the recognition of the 189th at the Friday night ceremony. I thank the Wayne VFW for the support packages they have sent me in Iraq. And a special thank you to SFC Brad Wieland and the Wayne Jaycees for arranging the helicopter fly-in with Adjutant Major General Lempke and Chief Warrant Officer Meyer.

A special thank you to the First Methodist Church of Wayne for your spiritual support. I hope to be back soon.

SPC J. Cedric McPherson, Jr.
HHT/B Troop, 1-167 CAV (RSTA)

Candidate filing deadlines near for November election

Nebraska Secretary of State John Gale issued a reminder that candidate filing deadlines are fast approaching for certain offices for the Nov. 7 general election.

Offices affected include township positions, village boards, reclamation district boards, county weed district boards, small public power district boards, Class II school district boards and educational service unit boards.

The filing deadline for incum-

bents is Monday, July 17, and the deadline for non-incumbents is Aug. 1. The incumbent deadline applies to a person who holds any elected office.

The affected offices are ones that were not on the May primary election ballot.

For further information, interested individuals should contact the Secretary of State's Office at (402) 471-2555 or their county election office.

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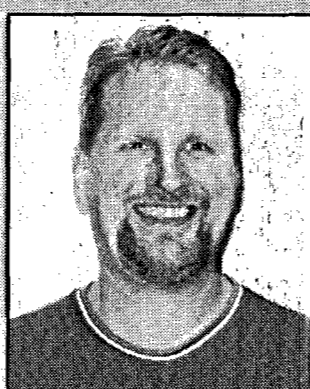
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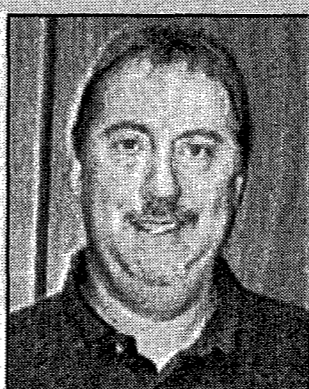
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Vovos of Wayne; third — Emily and Alexandra Davis of Tampa, Fla.

Chicken Song 14 & Over
 First (Tie) — Lloyd Mobly 'Egg Man' and Trio: Dr. Jim Lindau, Dr. Alan Bruflat and Brenda Nissen of Wayne; second — Pat Cook of Wayne.

Biggest, Smallest, Most Unusual Eggs

Biggest: First — Mitch Osten; second — Amber Rosche of Hoquiem, Wash.; third — Angeliqe Roche of Hoquiem, Wash.

Smallest: First — Anna Osten; second — Ben Novotny of Stanton; third — Emilie Osten.

Most Unusual: First — Jacob Rosch of Webster Groves, Mo.; second — Christine Rosche of Hoquiem, Wash.; third — Ben Novotny of Stanton.

Most Beautiful Beak

First — Nate Thompkins; second — Brian Langfeldt; third — Katie Langenfeldt.

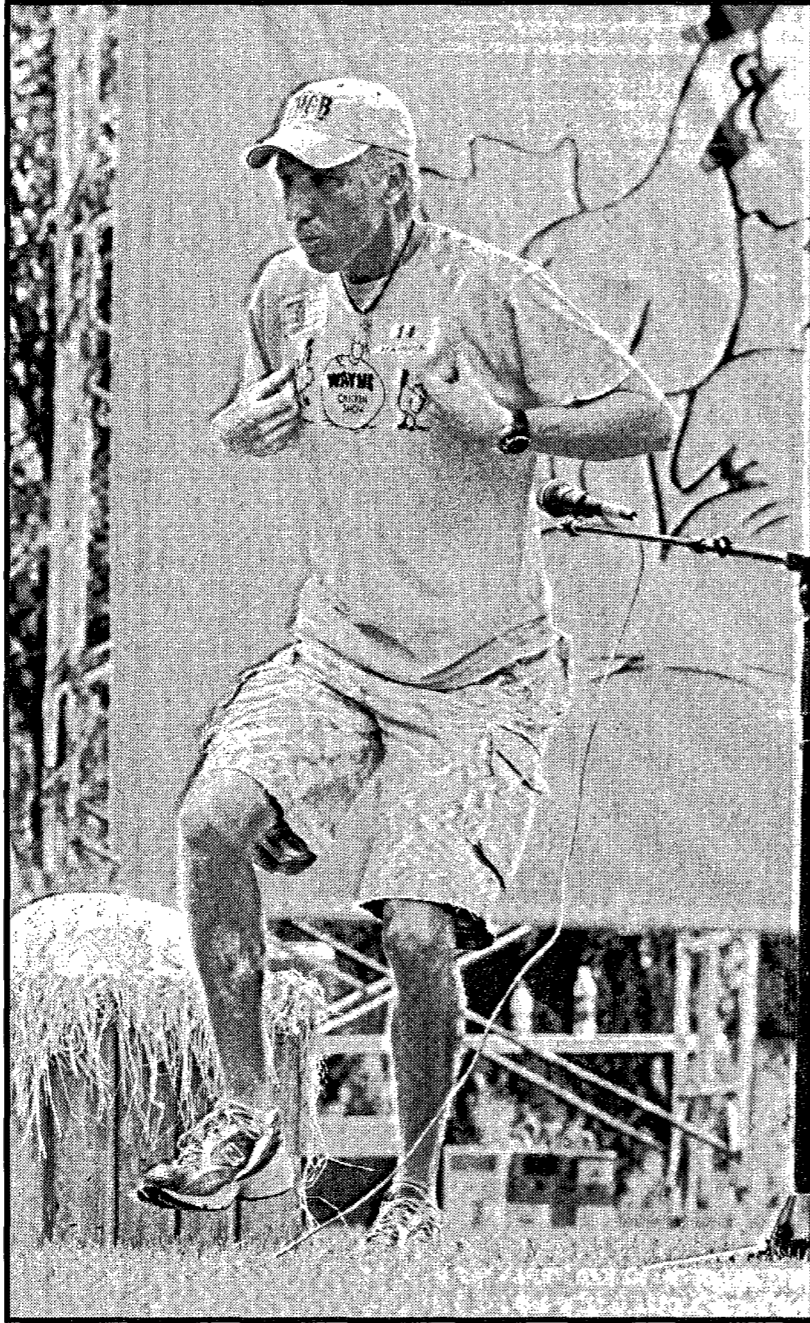
Chicken Legs —

Men and Boys Division

First — Trey Hochstein; second — Rodney Lavalais; third — Zach

Keating.
Chicken Legs —
 Women and Girls Division

First — Sydney Burke; second — Martha Mitiku; third — Jennifer Blank.



Del Hampton of Fort Smith, Ark., cackled his way to becoming an eight-time champion during the National Cluck-Off.

Chicken Walk results released

The 2006 Chicken Walk took place on July 6 on the Wayne State College Fitness Trail and Wayne Pedestrian Trail.

Those who walked 1.5 miles did so on the Fitness Trail and those who walked three miles did so on both trails.

There were 21 participants who registered ahead of time, putting down a time estimate for their proposed walk.

Winners included the following:
 15 and under (both 1.5 and 3 mile) — Andrea Wert, first and Amanda Jareske, second. Both are of Wayne.

16 - 50 (1.5 mile) — Lynn Kratke of Wakefield, first, Candace Jarekse of Wayne, second and Barb Hochstein of Wayne, third.

16 and over (3 mile) — Jan Magnuson of Wayne, first, Terry Wert of Wayne, second and Michelle Anson of Winside, third.

51 and over (1.5 mile) — Pat Cook, first, with a time difference

Paving to begin soon on Highway 15 project

Highway construction in the central business district remains on schedule. All underground work has been completed through Third Street and grading in preparation

of the four-inch base layer of crushed cement is being done this week and next.

The paving of all three lanes is anticipated to start on Monday, July 24, with paving of all three lanes totaling 37 feet in width, starting at Fairgrounds Avenue and ending at Third Street.

Following the paving, a two-week cure time will be necessary before regular traffic is allowed on the new surface. Gutter and curb work will follow shortly afterward, with intersections being completed next.

Third Street will continue to remain open as a through street for east-west traffic.

Highway 15 from 14th Street to 21st Street will be open for regular traffic beginning this Thursday, eliminating the Centennial Road detour.

Motorists are urged to keep an eye on the traffic light at Seventh and Main Streets. Signals may change from flashing to regular operation, depending on traffic congestion.



Pulling for the troops

Children of those currently stationed overseas with the 189th Transportation Company were among those who participated in this year's Chicken Show Parade.

Kopperud receives achievement award at school board meeting

Keith Kopperud, long-time band instructor at Wayne Middle School, received an achievement award Monday night from Wayne Community Schools Board of Education for his 32 years of service. Keith and Cheryl recently resigned from their teaching positions and will be moving to Minnesota to teach.

A special meeting to amend the 2005-06 budget was held prior to the regular school board meeting. The public hearing was for exceeding the basic allowable growth rate of 2.5 percent to 3.5 percent. The board voted to exceed the \$1.05

levy limit due to reduction in State aid. The amendment was approved.

Reports were given by administration. Mark Hanson, high school principal, noted he is working on the school handbook; Tim Krupicka, middle school principal, is also working on the school handbook; Darrell Schunk, new elementary principal is still in the process of getting settled in and Rocky Ruhl, athletic director, reported on the gym floor which is complete. Bubbles in the blue paint of the Blue Devil logo were found so Ruhl contacted Chris Kidoo

Company to fix the problem.

Ruhl also told the board that Andrew Long is working on the flag poles at the track. The Eagle Scout project was finished on Tuesday.

Ruhl added that he accompanied three students to basketball camp in Indianapolis.

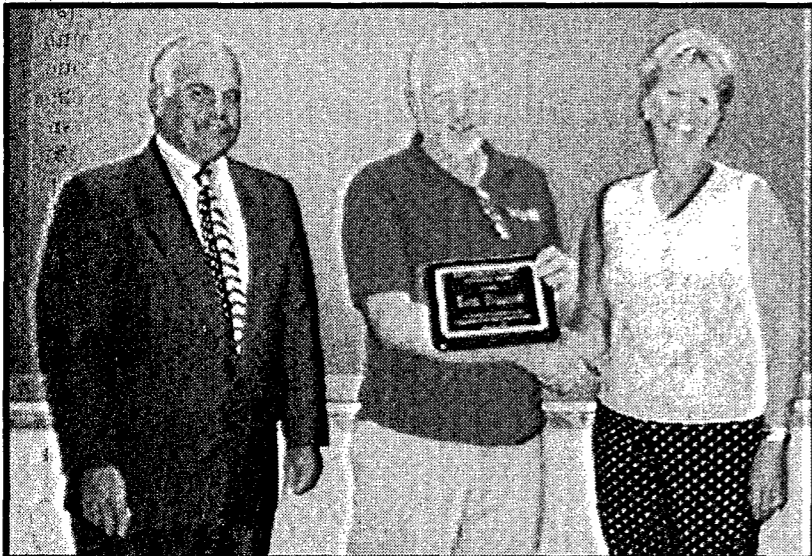
Dr. Joe Reinert, superintendent, discussed the State of the School Report, a mandatory report (Rule 10) that the school fills out each year on student testing. He noted the school is accredited for the 2006-07 school year.

Dr. Reinert also noted air conditioning has been installed in rooms 207, 208 and 209 in the high school building. He said there were three tours held during Chicken Show weekend, one at the high school and two at the middle school. The Foundation handed out brochures they made to alumni who were back for reunions.

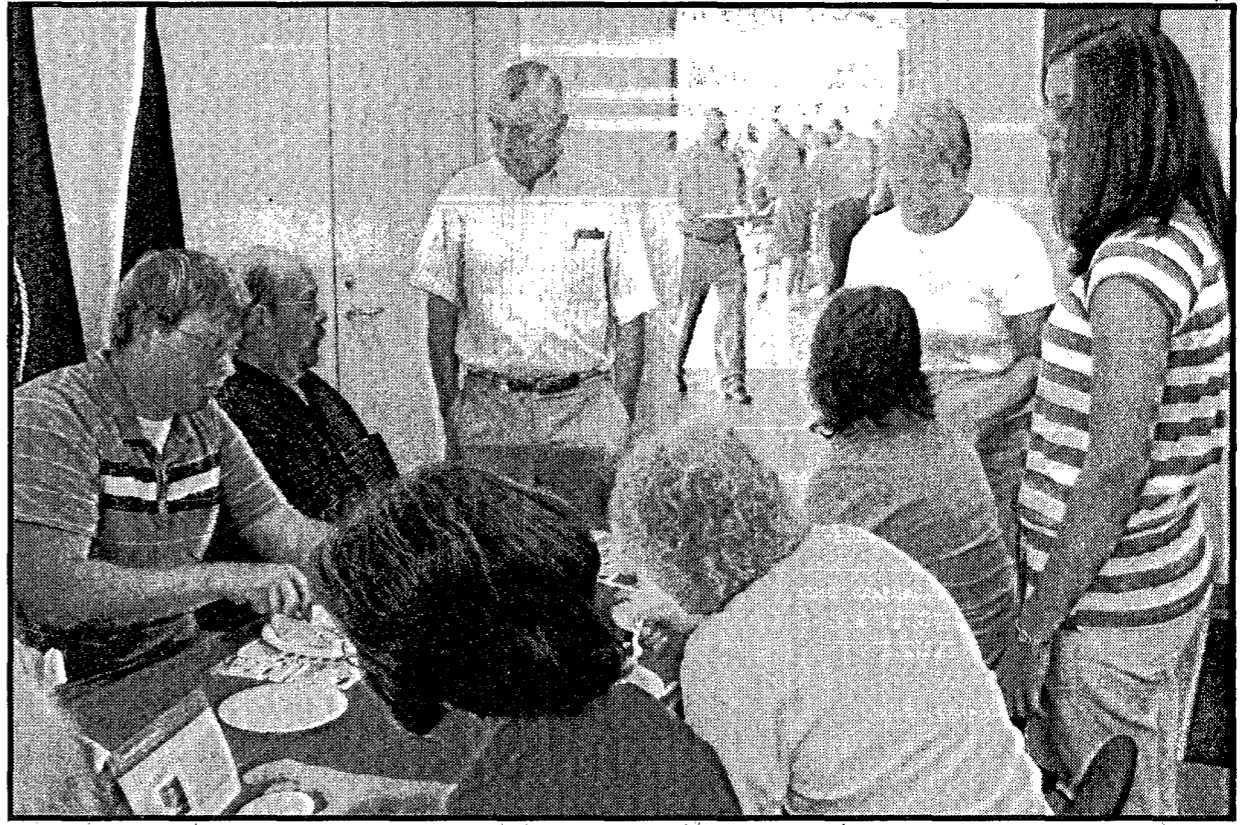
Dr. Reinert added that new computers and tables are set up in the technology classroom.

Future agenda items will include policies 5004 (full time and part time student enrollment) and 5605 (school wellness). Also, budget and negotiations issues will be discussed.

The next regular meeting of the Wayne Community Schools Board of Education will be held on Monday, Aug. 14 at 7 p.m. at the elementary school in Wayne.



Dr. Joe Reinert, left, and Kaye Morris, right, present Keith Kopperud with an Achievement Award.



Show support

Many residents in the community attended an omelet and pancake brunch benefit for Vel Temme, who is battling a rare autoimmune disease that affects the muscles. The event was held at the Wayne Firehall on Sunday. Over 1,000 people attended the benefit that was hosted by Grace Lutheran Church, Main Street Wayne, Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce, Wayne Volunteer Fire Department and friends of Vel. Proceeds will go towards helping defray medical expenses. Supplemental funds were provided by Thrivent Financial, Wayne-Dixon chapter. In the photo above, Larry and Judy Echtenkamp of rural Wayne visit with Vel, Sue, Nathan and Melissa Temme. Photo below, many people attended the benefit.



weekly spotlight

Fredrickson Oil part of community for nearly 70 years

By Clara Osten
 Of the Herald

In the fall of 1937, Bill and Rose Fredrickson opened a gas station 1 3/4 miles north of Wayne.

Today, their son, grandson and great-grandsons are keeping the family tradition alive at Fredrickson Oil.

"When it first opened, the only thing sold here was gas. Later they added tires and a tank wagon service," said grandson Roger, current owner of the business.

Through the years, the products and services provided have been expanded to meet customers' needs and the changing make-up of vehicles.

The Fredrickson's son, Gene "Swede" worked in the business while he was growing up and after serving in the military, returned to Wayne to work full-time.

In the early 1970's, the Fredricksons expanded the shop for general repair work and built a new building for an alignment shop.

Roger said he has been part of the business his "whole life," but officially started after graduating from high school in 1974.

Great-grandsons Todd and Craig are now working at the business and have been doing so for several years.

Products available include gas, farm tank wagon delivery of fuel and bulk oil within a 20 mile radius

of Wayne. B.F. Goodrich, Uniroyal and Michelin tires for cars, pickups, SUVs, semi tractors, trucks and tractors are available. Belts, hoses, oil, wiper blades and headlights can also be purchased.

In addition, Fredrickson Oil has a wholesale tire and oil business, serving northeast Nebraska, western Iowa and parts of South Dakota.

The convenience store has sandwiches, candy bars, chips, pop, ice, cigarettes, fountain pop, rolls, coffee and beer.

Services provided include brake work, exhaust work, tune-ups, electrical repair, air conditioning, front-end alignments, suspension work and diagnostics.

Roger noted that the "business is much more complicated with all the electronics on vehicles today."

He praised those who his business serves. "This is a nice community with good people. We have lots of loyal customers who have been with us from generation to generation," Roger said.

Fredrickson Oil is open from 6:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m., seven days a week. The shop end of the business closes at 6 p.m., while the convenience portion remains open until 9:30 each day.

Fredrickson Oil has nine full-time employees and several part-time persons.

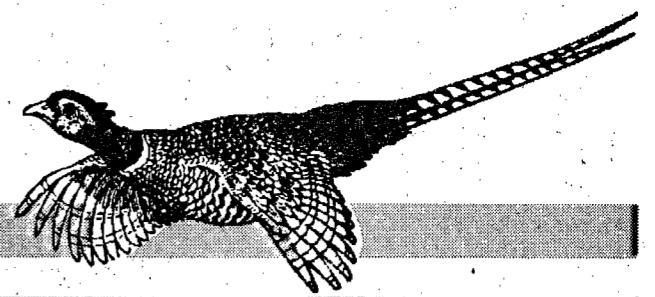
For more information on Fredrickson Oil, call 375-3535.



Employees at Fredrickson Oil include, left to right, Brandon Pilger, LeAnn Miner, Craig Fredrickson, Todd Fredrickson, Lance DeWald, Roger Hammer, Dennis Beckman, Roger Fredrickson, "Swede" Fredrickson and Cheryl Henschke.

Sports

The Wayne Herald



Repeat State Champions

Laurel softball wins its second consecutive Class C state title

By Diane Schroeder
For the Herald

Twice is incredibly nice. The Laurel 18-under softball team claimed its second consecutive state title at the state tournament in Auburn last weekend after sweeping each team en route to the championship trophy. The team finished 20-2 on the season and outscored opponents 217-67 on the summer campaign.

Laurel 12, Exeter 0

The girls opened tourney play on Saturday morning, July 8, with a 12-0 shutout over Exeter in a 38-minute contest that featured 11 hits and the same amount of runs batted in.

Leadoff batter Jenny Schroeder got things rolling early for Laurel in the first game when she opened with a triple.

Kacie Gould was put on base with a hit pitch and Kari Schroeder then stepped up and drove them both home with her double into left field.

Kari Schroeder went on to score and the final Laurel run of the inning was tallied when Ann Brandow hit a single into left field that scored Nikki Lubberstedt.

The first Exeter batter singled into right field for the first of Exeter's two hits of the game and the next two batters were sent back to the dugout when they hit the ball back to pitcher Kacie Gould, who promptly threw them out at first.

The next batter hit a fly ball that short stop Jenny Schroeder snagged to retire the inning.

Schroeder, who had a

tremendous game at the plate, started the second inning with another triple.

Gould's double into left field brought Schroeder home. She was then able to score on Kari Schroeder's double into right center.

The Exeter team was shut down again in the second inning when second baseman Kim Lubberstedt threw out the first batter and then caught a fly ball to sit down the second batter.

The third and final batter of the inning hit a grounder back to Gould who made the play.

Brandow started the offense for the third inning with her single into center field.

Beth DeLong was put on first base with a walk.

Jenny Schroeder continued her hitting streak with a single into left center that scored Brandow.

Kim Lubberstedt reached first base on her grounder to the short stop. Gould's double into left field scored both DeLong and Jenny Schroeder.

Kari Schroeder then delivered a hard hit line drive that hit the pitcher and scored Lubberstedt.

Jessica Pigg's double into left center that scored both Gould and Kari Schroeder concluded Laurel's hitting exhibition for the game.

The game ended moments later when a line drive was brought in by Kim Lubberstedt who then turned the double-play with Pigg at first base.

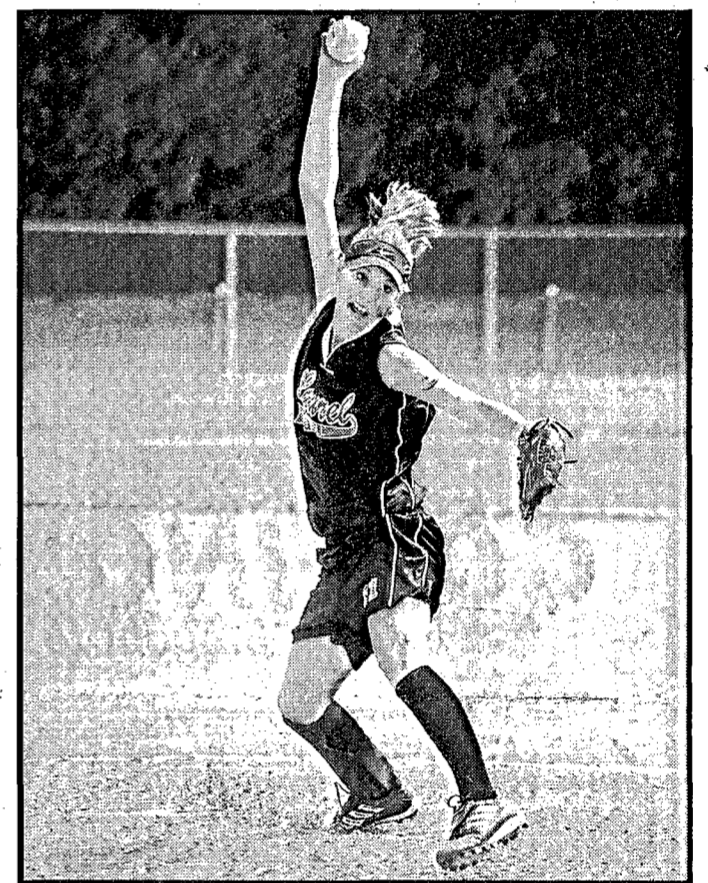
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Laurel 18-under team members pose with their championship trophy following last weekend's state tournament in Auburn. Front row, left to right: Kim Lubberstedt, Sarah Jelinek, Kacie Gould, Becky Hoelsing and Sami Urwiler. Back row: Coach Jerry Schroeder, Coach Djane Schroeder, Jenny Schroeder, Beth DeLong, Jessica Pigg, Nikki Lubberstedt, Kari Schroeder, Coach Noreen Gould and Coach Keith Gould. Not pictured: Ann Brandow.



Sami Urwiler (above) steps up to the plate for Laurel at the state tournament, while Kacie Gould (right) carried pitching load for the team during its undefeated tourney run.



Brooke Bredenberg

New soccer coach joins WSC staff

Another Wayne State College coaching vacancy has been filled.

WSC director of athletics Eric Schoh announced last week that Brooke Bredenberg has been named head women's soccer coach at the college.

Bredenberg is a former University of Nebraska soccer player who coached Beatrice High School to a 7-7 record in girls' soccer last spring and a Class B-4 district runner up finish.

A native of Dayton, Minn., Bredenberg played three different positions in her career at Nebraska from 2001-2004.

She started her career as a midfielder, then switched to goal keeper as a junior and was the Huskers' third-leading scorer during her senior season, scoring six goals with two assists while playing the forward position. Bredenberg was 11-6-1 as a goal keeper with a 1.39 goals against average as a junior with the Huskers.

"We are excited to have Brooke join our staff," Schoh said. "Her success as a player and her ties to Minnesota will help us with recruiting in the Northern Sun Conference and I'm confident that her energy and enthusiasm for women's soccer will benefit our soccer program at Wayne State."

Bredenberg is a graduate of the University of Nebraska with a bachelor's degree in K-12 art education. She was a two-time all-state soccer player at Champlin Park High School in Minnesota.

Bredenberg also placed second in the 300 meter hurdles at the 2001 Minnesota Class AA State Track Meet and was a three-time MVP in track and field along with a three-time letter winner in basketball.

"I am very excited to be a part of the Wayne State College athletic family and begin this new chapter in my life," Bredenberg said. "I look forward to taking the next step in getting Wildcat women's soccer contending for a conference championship and a berth in the NCAA regional tournament."

Bredenberg replaces Oliver Twelvetees, who left WSC to take a men's soccer coaching position at Barton Community College in Kansas last month.

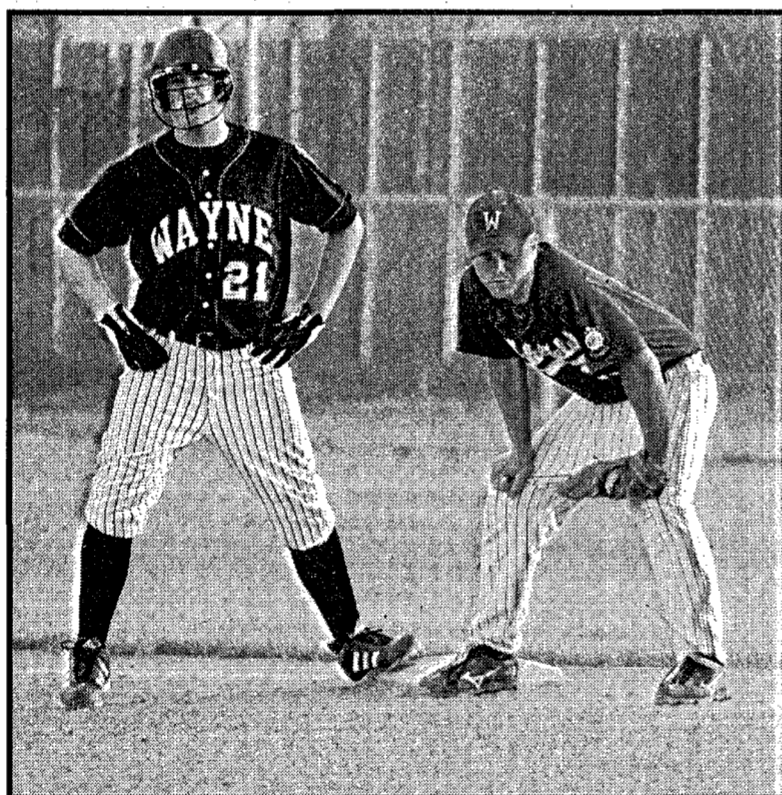
Carroll pull celebrates 20 years

Final preparations are under way this week for the summer tradition of the Carroll Grand National Truck and Tractor Pull set for Saturday, July 15, starting at 7 p.m. in Carroll.

The pull, which has been voted the best pull event for five of the past nine years, will feature Super Stock 5,700-hp and 8,200-hp classes, a modified 7,200-hp division, 10,000-hp pro stock and super farm stock tractors, plus modified two- and four-wheel drive pickups.

Longtime event organizer Dennis Rohde said this year's pull will bring something new to the track with the addition of an unlimited horsepower, alcohol-powered super stock tractor class.

"Imagine tractor tires going 80 miles per hour, that's what it will be like," Rohde said about the new class that's expected to draw pullers from several states. "It's really going to be something to see."



Wayne Senior Legion player Jon Pieper looks to steal first base, while Wakefield's Max Greve maintains eye contact with pitcher Luke Henderson in Ralph Bishop League Tournament action in Wayne last Thursday.

Wayne teams fall early in tourney

Both Wayne Legion baseball teams made an early exit from last week's Ralph Bishop League Tournament in games played at Wayne's Hank Overin Field.

The Junior Legion squad entered the tournament ranked as the top seed, however Wakefield exploded with seven runs in the seventh inning to break away for a 10-4 win to eliminate Wayne on July 5.

Jesse Hill took the loss on the mound for Wayne, while Shawn Jenkins recorded two runs for the offense.

Wakefield downed Wayne 9-1 in the division semi-final game at Wayne.

Wakefield hitter Tanner Soderberg got things rolling for his team with a three RBI double as he went 2-for-3 at the plate for his team.

Nate Milander led Wayne at the plate, going two for three with a double and Wayne's only score of the game came in the third inning when Hill scored Jon Pieper off an RBI double.

Milander was the losing pitcher for Wayne, now 10-11 on the season.

The Wakefield Seniors and West Point Juniors each claimed league championship honors after finals games in Wayne on Saturday.

The Wayne Juniors enter district play in Blair on Saturday, July 16, with the Seniors opening districts, also at Blair, on July 21.

Wayne, Winside teams play in Nebraska softball tournaments

Softball teams from Wayne and Winside both made appearances at state tournament sites around the Cornhusker State last weekend.

Wayne's 18-under team traveled to Auburn, in the Class C tourney, where Laurel emerged as the top team in the 28-squad event. Wayne's 14-under team went 3-2 in its games played at North Platte.

The Wayne 12-under Blue team was also in action last weekend as they competed in the 12-under regional softball tournament played at South Sioux City. Winside's 12-under girls played at the Class C tourney site in Hastings and finished 1-2 in games played on July 8.

The Wayne 18-under team opened play at the Class C tourney with a 6-5 victory over Hartington on July 7.

In the first round, Wayne held a 3-1 advantage over Hartington after three innings, thanks to third frame runs plated by Jean Pieper, Kayla Hochstein and Stevie Richmond.

Hartington responded with two runs in the next inning, but scores by Genny Graf, Leslie Backstrom and Britni Sprouls sealed the win for the locals in the sixth inning.

Wayne slipped in the second game of the tourney in a 10-0 shutout by the Falls City Travelers.

The girls responded in the third game on Saturday in a 9-2 victory over Lincoln Blaze.

Wayne built a comfortable 6-1 lead after three innings of play in an offensive effort that was paced with two runs apiece from Sara Frerichs, Sam Denklau and Sadey Bessmer.

The girls were eliminated from the tourney by Atkinson in an 11-1 loss that saw Pieper record Wayne's sole run.

The 14-under Wayne team opened its tournament with a 13-2 dismantling of the Crete Diamonds on July 7.

Shannon Jarvi and Bayli Ellis combined for a no hitter and the offense was paced by Jessica Calhoon who went 3-for-3 and drove home four runs.

Wayne played four games the following day, starting with a 4-3 loss to the O'Neill Spartans.

The team rebounded with a 7-0 win over Spalding and a 4-2 victory over the Hebron Rebels. They were eliminated from the tourney following a 4-2 defeat by Columbus Lakeview Blue Lightning.

The Wayne 12-under Blue team earned a qualifier to the regional tourney in South Sioux City on July 7-8 following their appearance in the

Nebraska tourney the previous week.

The team took seventh overall in the 20-team field that featured squads from three states.

Wayne won its first game with 7-0 shutout of Manhattan, Kansas, in a game pitched by Kristin Carroll.

The girls dropped the second game to Johnston, Iowa, 3-0, and rebounded in Game 3 with a 6-5 extra-inning victory over Omaha Sizzle.

The team added two more wins on Saturday with a 6-1 win against Kearney Hogan's Heroes and an 8-0 shutout against Gretna.

The girls were eliminated following a 4-1 loss to the Des Moines Tiger Hawks.

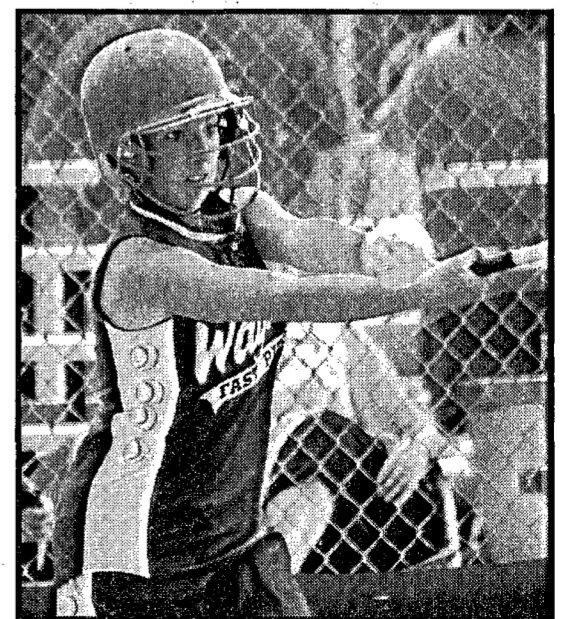
Leading hitters for the tourney included Lindsay Frahm and Cassie Harm with five hits apiece. Hannah Gamble recorded five bunts and four walks.

Winside's 12-under team went 1-3 last weekend at Hastings in Class C state play.

Winside played Arlington even up until giving the visiting team 6 runs in the fourth inning en route to an 11-3 loss in the opener.

Winside spotted the Holdrege Heat seven runs in the opening inning but came back to take a 19-7 win in the second game to avoid elimination.

The girls slipped in their final game of the tourney in a 9-4 loss to Battle Creek.



Courtney Steenken just misses the ball in last Saturday's 14-under state tournament game in North Platte.

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Laurel 5, Twin River Diamonds 1
 Laurel's second game proved to be one of their toughest of the tournament. The contest was scoreless through the third inning when a double play by the Lubberstedt sisters, Kim and Nikki got things rolling. Nikki caught a line drive and then threw to Kim at second base to

get the runner. Laurel managed to finally put a point on the board in the fourth inning when Kari Schroeder reached first on a single and then scored on Pigg's hit. The sixth inning proved a little more productive for the Laurel girls. Schroeder started things off with her grounder to center field and was again brought home with a hit by Pigg. Pigg and Tarah Jelinek also made it across home plate in the inning. It looked like Twin River had the start of a rally going in the sixth inning when the Diamonds scored a run and had two runners on base with only one out. Jelinek made a key catch in left field that saved several runs. Twin River had the bases loaded when catcher Becky Hoelsing made the play at home plate to retire the inning.

Laurel's final run came in the seventh inning when Schroeder's sacrifice hit to the short stop scored Gould, who gave a solid pitching performance striking out four batters and not allowing any walks in the 5-1 win.

Laurel 12, Creighton 1
 Laurel's next opponent was a familiar foe as the team faced Creighton on Saturday evening. Laurel previously played Creighton in their regular season in a marathon game that went 11 innings, but this contest didn't last nearly as long with Laurel taking command of the game in the first inning and never let up in the 12-1 victory.

The team put on another hitting showcase as they produced 14 hits and 12 RBIs in the victory. The first four Laurel batters (Jenny Schroeder, Kim Lubberstedt, Kacie Gould and Kari Schroeder) all crossed home plate in the first inning setting the tone for the game.

Kari Schroeder, Nikki Lubberstedt and Pigg each had three RBIs in the victory.

Gould earned a pair of RBIs and Tarah Jelinek added another to her total during the game.

Every player managed at least one hit with Nikki Lubberstedt leading the way with two singles and a double.

Laurel's defense was once again impressive in shutting down their opponent. Creighton's lone score came in the third inning and the game ended after four innings.

Laurel 8, Madison 2
 Sunday morning's first contest matched the only two undefeated teams in the tournament as the team faced Madison.

A slower pitching style from Madison hindered Laurel's hitters early in the contest and Madison scored first when they earned a run in the bottom of the second inning.

Laurel matched the score with a run at the top of the third, however Madison came back with another run in the bottom of the third inning.

Once again, Laurel matched it

with a run of their own in the top of the fourth inning.

With the score tied at 2-2 at the start of the sixth inning, the Laurel girls tightened up their timing and unleashed seven hits producing six runs and five RBIs, while the defense completely shut down the Madison batters in the last four innings to secure the win.

Jessica Pigg led all hitters in the game with a double and two singles. Jenny Schroeder, Kim Lubberstedt, Kari Schroeder, Jelinek and Sami Urwiler all produced two singles.

Nikki Lubberstedt and Beth DeLoong also were able to come up with a single in the victory and Hoelsing continued her solid performance at catcher for the Laurel team.

Laurel 10, Madison 2
 Madison made their way back from the loser's bracket to face Laurel in the championship game.

Laurel's batters didn't waste any time going to work.

Jenny Schroeder, Kim Lubberstedt, Kari Schroeder, Pigg and Urwiler all singled in the first inning, once again setting the tone for the game early.

Four Laurel runners crossed home plate in the first inning. Madison managed a good hit down the left field line that scored their lone run of the inning.

Both teams went scoreless in the second inning and both teams put up a single run in the third inning.

The fourth inning was another scoreless inning for both teams. The fifth inning started with the score at 5-2.

The Laurel bats were on fire in the fourth as Nikki Lubberstedt started things with a single.

Other players picking up singles in the inning were: Pigg, Jelinek, DeLoong, Gould and Kari Schroeder.

Gould, Schroeder and Jelinek all earned a RBI that inning while DeLoong picked up two.

Scoring for Laurel in the fifth inning were Nikki Lubberstedt, Jelinek, Urwiler, Jenny Schroeder and Kim Lubberstedt.

With the run rule in effect, all the Laurel team had to do was to hold the Madison team scoreless in the bottom of the fifth inning for the victory.

The first batter hit a fly ball toward second base. Kim Lubberstedt made a difficult catch on the run to get the first out.

The second batter hit to center field for the second out. The third batter was able to reach first, however the next Madison at-bat say a hit to shallow centerfield that was caught by Kari Schroeder to seal the 10-2 championship victory.

Gould continued to dominate from the mound and pitched all five tournament games for Laurel.

Of the 103 batters she faced during the tournament, she struck out 12 and only allowed a pair of walks. Laurel tallied and outscored their opponents 48-6 to in tourney play.

Championship team members were: Bethany DeLoong, Jenny Schroeder, Kim Lubberstedt, Tarah Jelinek, Sami Urwiler, Kacie Gould, Jessica Pigg, Nikki Lubberstedt, Kari Schroeder, Ann Brandon and Becky Hoelsing.

The team was coached this season by Jerry Schroeder, Diane Schroeder, Keith Gould and Noreen Gould.

Sports Notebook

New WSC signees announced

WAYNE — Wayne State College men's golf coach Matt Murken and WSC baseball coach John Manganaro announced the names of recent signees for the Wildcats.

Adam Fields from Sioux City Heelan High School in Iowa to a national letter of intent to join the Wildcat men's golf program and Joshua Wise of Wymore became the 12th member to sign with Wayne State and join the Wildcat baseball program for the 2007 season.

Fields is a three-year varsity letter winner in golf and baseball at Heelan High School. He recorded a 76.2 scoring average during his senior season, placing runner up in the Mighty Mo and Ex-Sioux Interstate Conference Tournaments. As a junior, Fields notched a 78.4 scoring average and won four tournaments, including the Mighty Mo, CYO Tournament and the city championship in Sioux City.

"Adam is a very talented golfer who will contribute right away at Wayne State," Murken said. "He is one of the best high school golfers in this area and he has the ability to make some great improvements. I look for Adam to have a very successful career at Wayne State."

Wise, a 6-6, 170 pound right-handed pitcher, is having a stellar season for the Wymore Senior American Legion Team.

As of July 5, Wise had a 5-1 record with one save and a 1.79 ERA. He struck out 83 batters in just 47 innings pitched, including 15 in a 6-1 win over Sebeha, Kansas, on June 30.

"We are excited to have Joshua join the Wayne State baseball program," Manganaro said. "He is 6-6 with an above average fast ball and has the potential to be a successful pitcher with the Wildcats. We look for him to have the opportunity to pitch for us as a freshman."

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MEN'S Total Points standings for season

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01 16.5	32 15.5
Brad Hansen	Gary Volk
Gene Casey	Dan Bowers
Rod Hunke	Bob Foxhoven
03* 14	36* 15.5
20 13.5	38 14
11 12	37 13
06 11.5	41 13
07 11.5	28 12.5
04 11	31 11
18 11	30* 10
13 10	35 10
19 10	26 9
21 10	27 9
05 8	34* 9
09 7.5	40 8.5
15 7.5	42 8
02 7	23* 7
12 6.5	25 6.5
14 6.5	33 6
22* 6.5	24 4.5
10* 5.5	39 4
08 5	44 3.5
16* 4.5	43 2
17 2.5	29 5

Teams 29,39 finished with no points for week due to unsubmitted scorecards

* First half-season qualifier

WEEK 13 Low Scores: (July 5)
A players: Mike Varley 32, Doug Rose 34, Brad Hansen 36, Kim Lindau 36, Rusty Parker 37, Don Preston 37, Randy Simonsen 37, Doug Carroll 38, Ben Martin 38.
B players: Pat Riesberg 38, Bob Backman 43, Gene Casey 42, Mic Daehnke 42, Mark McCorkindale 43, Doug Mohl 43, Steve Muir 43, Kyle Nelson 43, Glen Nicols 43, Bill Sharpe 43.
C players: Kevin Armstrong 40, Monte Sutak 41, Donovan Doescher 43, Rod Hunke 43, Rico Burkett 46, Brad Jones 46, Lowell Olson 46, Scott Johnson 47, Ken Loberg 47, Kent Pulfer 47.

Women's league standings

No results for last week's play due to the July 4 holiday.

Standings to resume in next week's Wayne Herald.

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This week's clue:
 Dwayne is having a hair raising experience, a short walk from his bowl of willows.

Find D'Wayne at this participating business, drop your registration in the hard hat and wait to see if your name is drawn Friday.
 Last week's winner of \$25 in Construction Bucks was Alissa Johnson — D'Wayne was at Antiques on Main

Doug Brown takes over as athletic director at Northeast Community College

Long-time Norfolk educator Doug Brown has begun his duties as athletic director at Northeast Community College in Norfolk. As Northeast athletic director, Brown is responsible for the management and operation of all athletic programming, including athletic fund-raising, promotion, and sports information. His responsibilities also include coordination of intercollegiate athletics and high school tournaments scheduled on the NECC campus. Brown was chair of the social studies department at Norfolk Senior High School from 2000-2006 and taught American history there from 1978 until his retirement this spring. He was also girls' varsity basketball coach for 18 years, boys' tennis coach for nine years, and girls' track coach for one year at Norfolk Senior High School.

He also taught American history, social studies, and physical education in the Genoa Public Schools from 1973-1978. He was boys' varsity basketball and girls' varsity volleyball coach in Genoa. He has also refereed basketball for 10 years and volleyball for 31 years. He has officiated coed volleyball for 23 years and served as camp director of summer basketball camps for 16 years at the Norfolk Family YMCA. He has also been camp director of girls' basketball summer league for the City of Norfolk for the past 10 years. As camp director for the City of Norfolk, he oversaw 28 to 40 girls' basketball teams each summer. A member of the National Education Association, he was named Coach of the Year by the Nebraska Coaches Association in

1990 and Teacher of the Year in 1985 by the American Legion Auxiliary. He also was honored with the "Friend of Coaches" Award from the Norfolk Coaches Association in 2004. He has also been active in church and civic organizations. Brown graduated with honors from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln (UN-L) with a bachelor's degree in business administration. He received a teaching certificate in social studies from UN-L in 1973. He graduated with honors from Wayne State College in 1990 with a master of science degree in education. He and his wife, Gloria, have three adult children, Ben and Lindsay, both of Lincoln, and Natalie of Norfolk. Brown succeeds Jerry Holmberg as athletic director at Northeast Community College.



Farewell reception held

Wayne State College President Dr. Richard Collings, left, bids Judy Johnson, director of College Relations, farewell as she is pursuing a career in the ministry. Many staff members and friends attended a farewell reception for her on Monday at the college.

Briefly Speaking

Bridge played at Country Club

AREA - The Wayne Country Club ladies luncheon was held Tuesday, July 11 with 20 attending. Bridge was played at five tables. Hostesses were Doris Stipp and Zita Jenkins. Ardyce Mayberry was a guest. Winners last week were Twila Wiltse, high, and Erna Sahs, second high. Hostesses on Tuesday, July 18 will be Erna Sahs, Kathy Becker and Loreene Gildersleeve. To make reservations, contact Erna at 375-1292, Kathy at 375-2131 (work) or 396-3000 (home) or Loreene at 375-3484 before 5 p.m. on Sunday, July 16.

Warning given for IRS scheme

Nebraska Public Service Commissioner Anne Boyle of Omaha warned the public Tuesday of a phishing scheme using the name of the Internal Revenue Service.

Boyle said at the June 27 meeting of the Commission that she had received a bogus contact purportedly from the Internal Revenue Service saying that she had a tax refund available and to respond with personal identification information.

The commissioner noted, "The IRS does not initiate communication with taxpayers through email." If anyone suspects that they have been contacted in a fraudulent scam attempt, they may report it through the website: www.irs.gov (keyword: identity theft).

"The Treasury Inspector General for Tax Administration can use the information plus links in the bogus emails to trace the hosting web site and alert authorities to help shut it down," she said. Misuse of the IRS name, logo, forms, or other IRS property may be reported to the Internal Revenue Service also by toll-free telephone at 800-366-4484.

Boyle warned, "Do not open or respond to links and pop-ups associated with phishing scams. Be

alert to fraudulent emails that may have been sent to your email address."

Scholarship winners are announced

Jack Warrick of Meadow Grove, chairman of the Northeast Community College Board of Governors, has released the names of incoming freshmen awarded the Board of Governors. The scholarships of half tuition for four consecutive semesters, excluding summers, are available to one graduate from each high school in the 20-county area served by Northeast. The scholarship winners are selected by faculty/staff at each high school.

Those incoming freshmen awarded Board of Governors Scholarships include:

Mindee Haahr of Laurel, Laurel-Concord High School, Liliana Casilas of Wakefield, Wakefield Community School, and Brooke Anderson of Wayne, Wayne High School.

Michelle Murray named to National Dean's List

Michelle Murray has been notified of her acceptance to The National Dean's List for 2005-06.

Only one percent of the students from the nation's colleges and universities are honored each year.

Michelle is a junior at Creighton University, where she is in the honors' program.

Her biography will be published in The National Dean's List for 2005-06.

Michelle is the daughter of Dennis and Linda Murray of Wayne.

Poehlman attends Nutrition Conference

"It's Time to Take Action for Healthy Kids!" was the theme at the Nebraska School Nutrition Association's 49th Annual State Conference June 26-29 at Kearney. Judy Poehlman of Wayne was among those in attendance. Connie Stefkovich, Nutrition Services Administrator with the Nebraska Department of Education, installed the new state officers.

They include Peggy Johnson of Beatrice, President; Cindy Brunkhorst of Palisade, President-elect; Elaine Burda of Wilbur, Vice President; Sharon Wragge of

Pierce, Secretary and Mary Goebel of Franklin, Treasurer.

The 300 conference attendees attended workshops consisting of interpersonal skills and leadership training. Some of the sessions included Stress Management, Making Connections Count, Childhood Nutritional Problems, Healthier School Challenge, HACC and Fit, Healthy and Well-Nourished Students.

Joel Weintraub, a comedian, humorist and motivational speaker, led several general sessions dealing with creativity, productivity, memory and reducing the inci-

dence of disease.

An interactive dinner theatre by the Beatrice Senior High Theatre students was this year's entertain-

ment. Next year's conference will be held in Grand Island.

Pilger alumni banquet planned

The Pilger Alumni Banquet will be held Friday, July 28 at the Wisner City Auditorium in Wisner.

Registration and social hour will begin at 5 p.m. The meal will be served at 7, catered by the Village Cafe of Pilger. This will be followed by a business meeting and reminiscing.

Advance tickets are available at Elkhorn Valley Bank in Norfolk, Midwest Bank in Pilger, Pilger Store, Pilger Senior Center and the Village Cafe.

The auditorium will be available for class gatherings after 3 p.m. at day.

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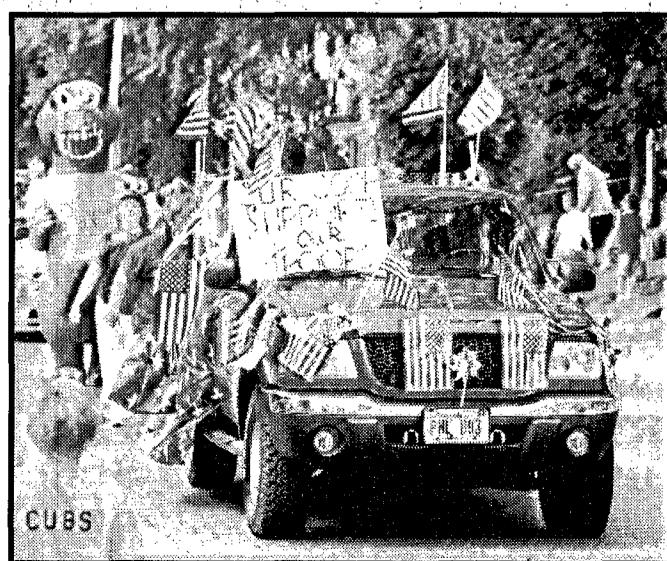
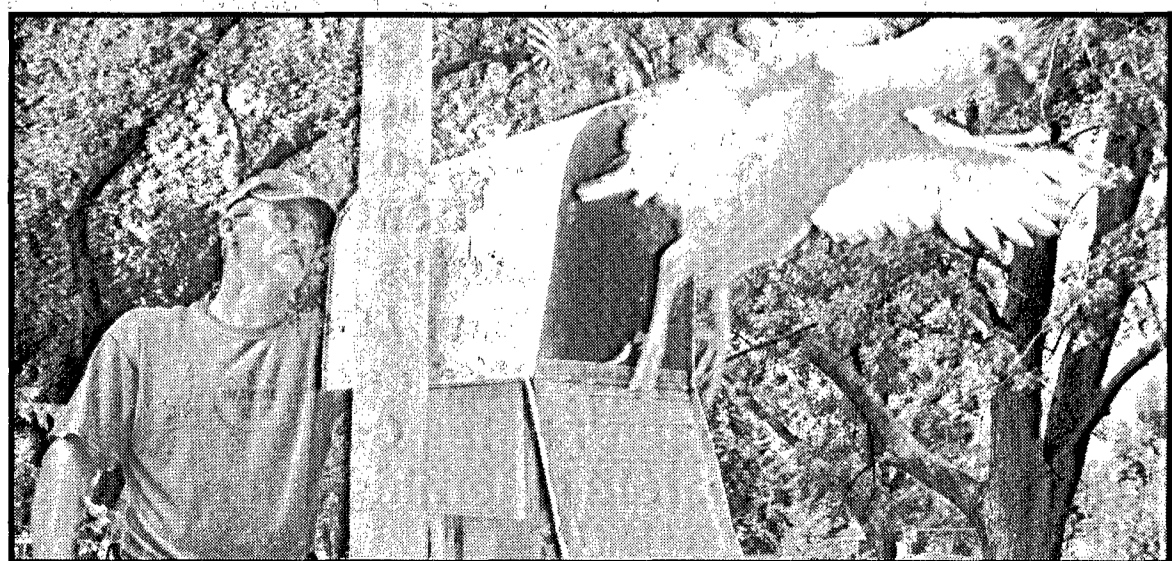
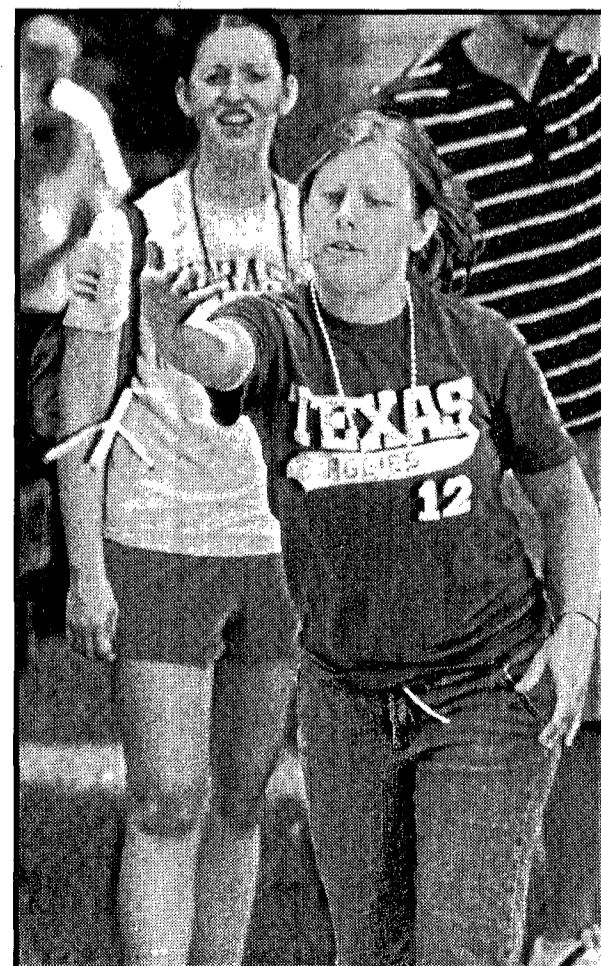
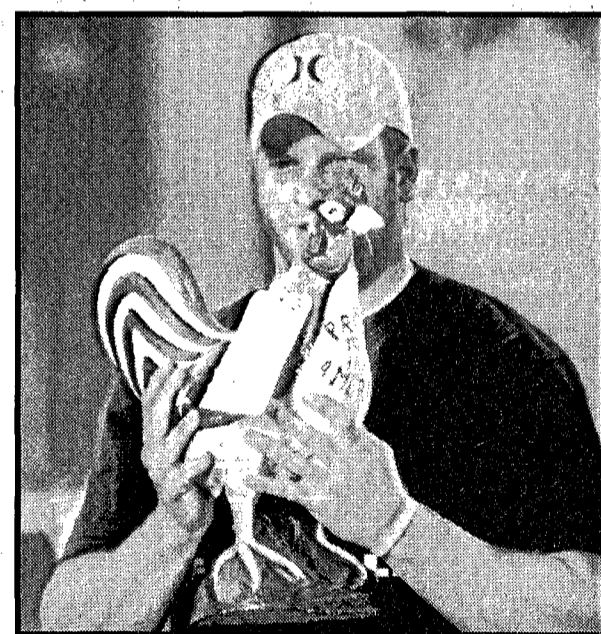
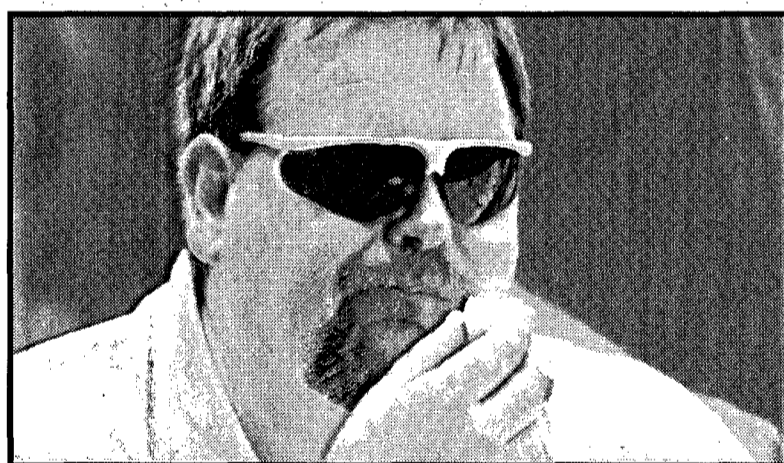
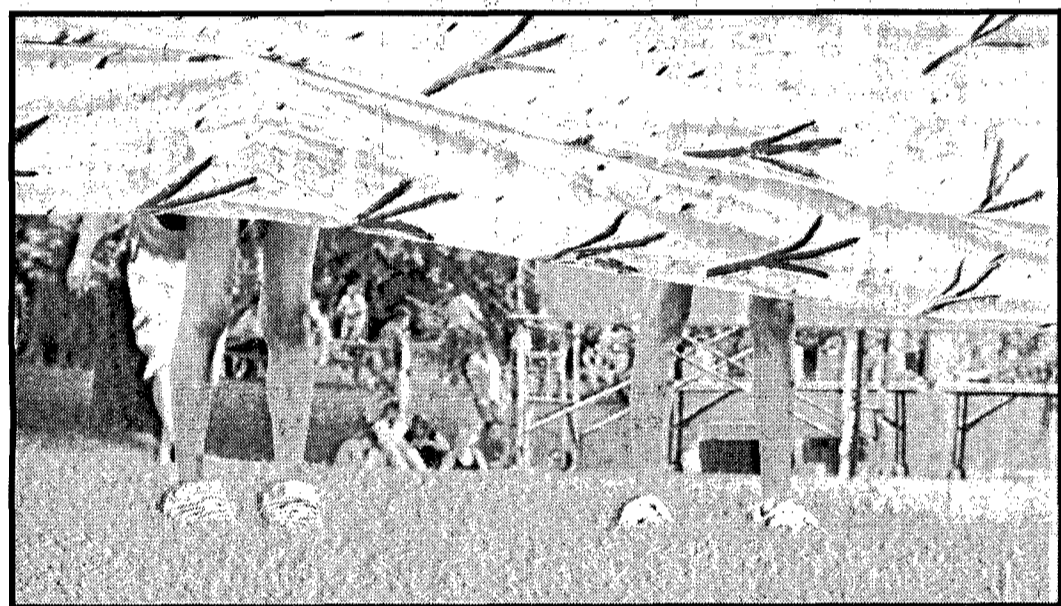
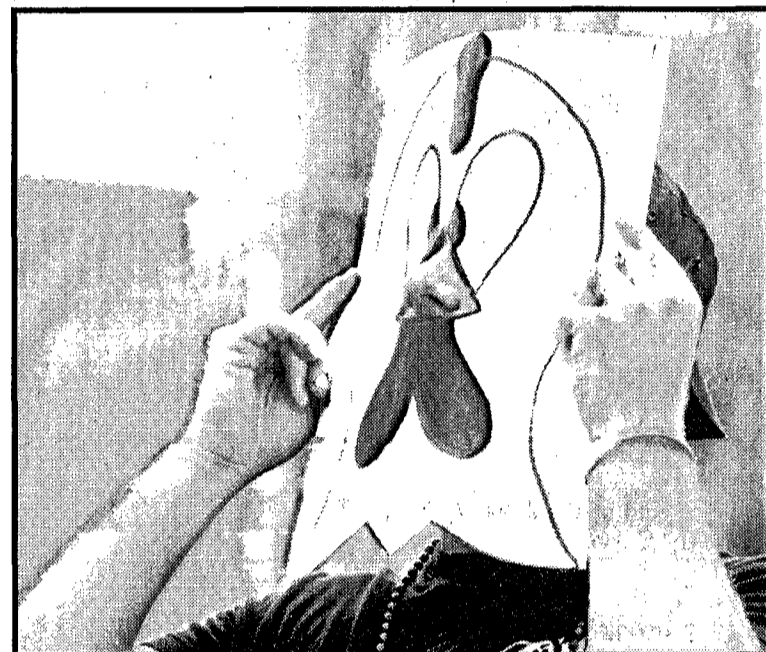
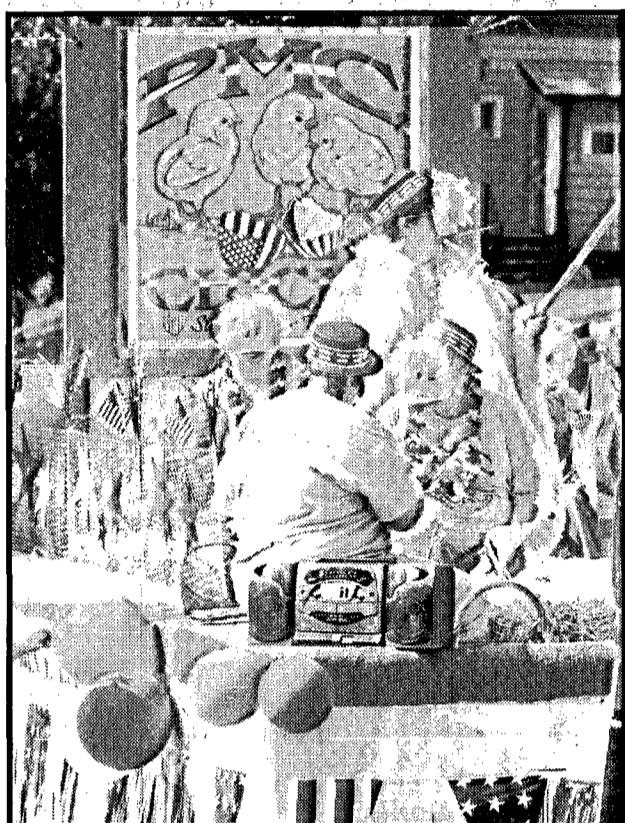
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Pitcher
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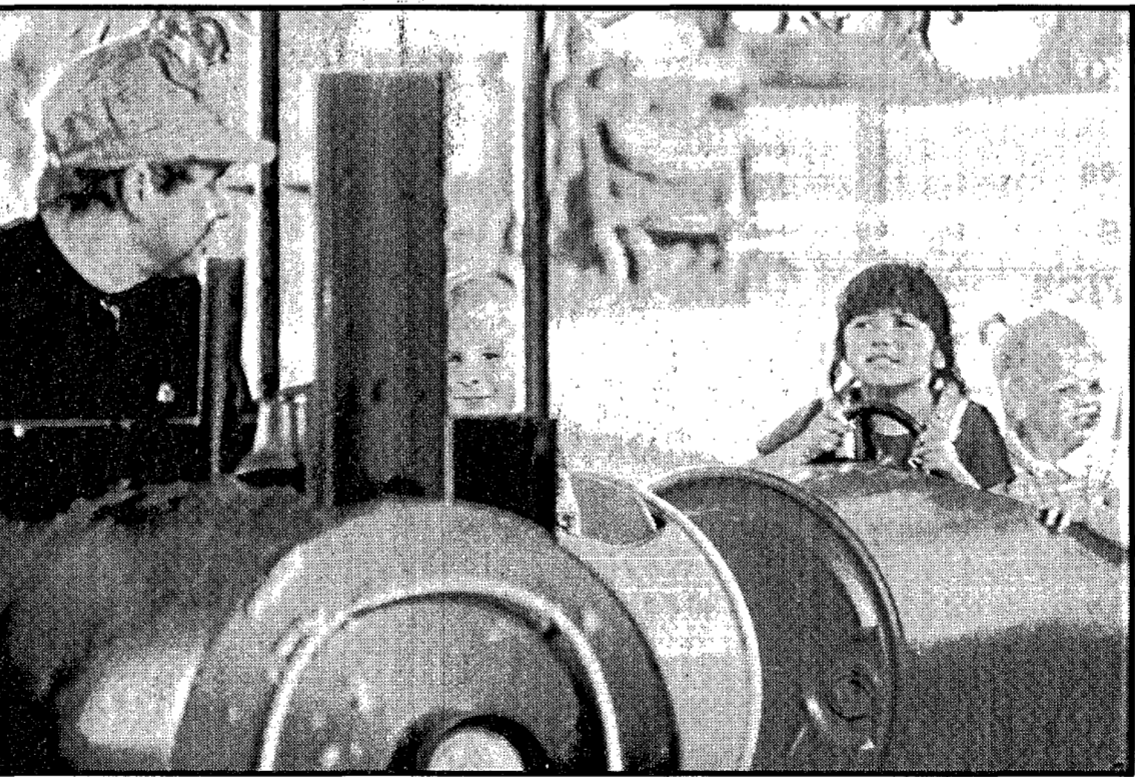
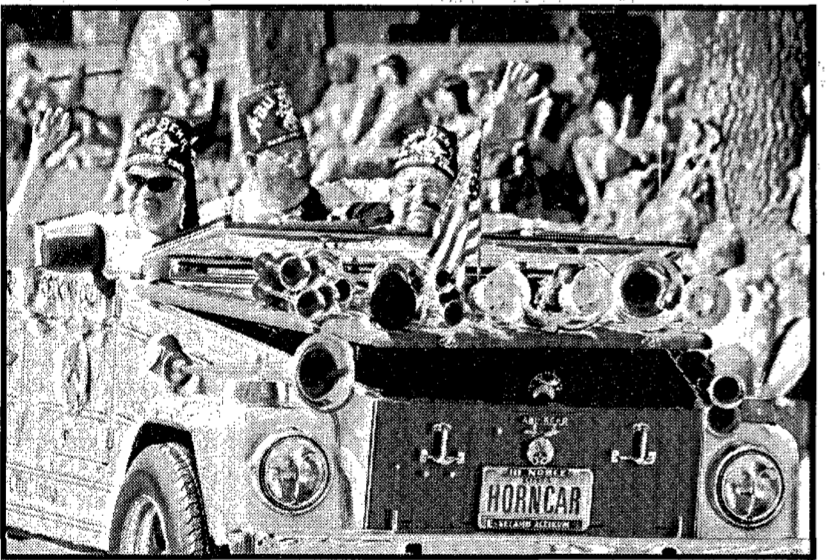
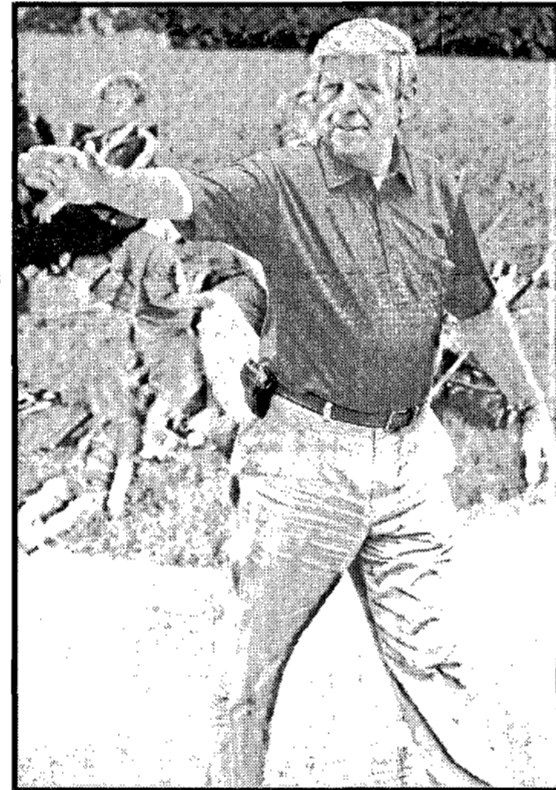
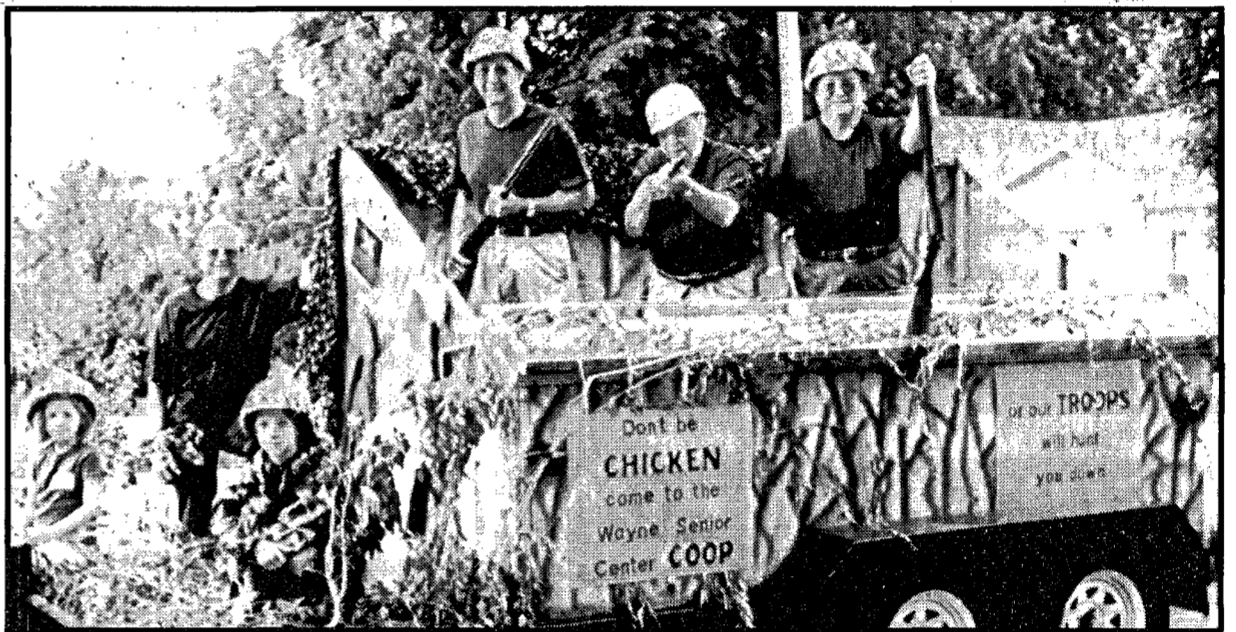
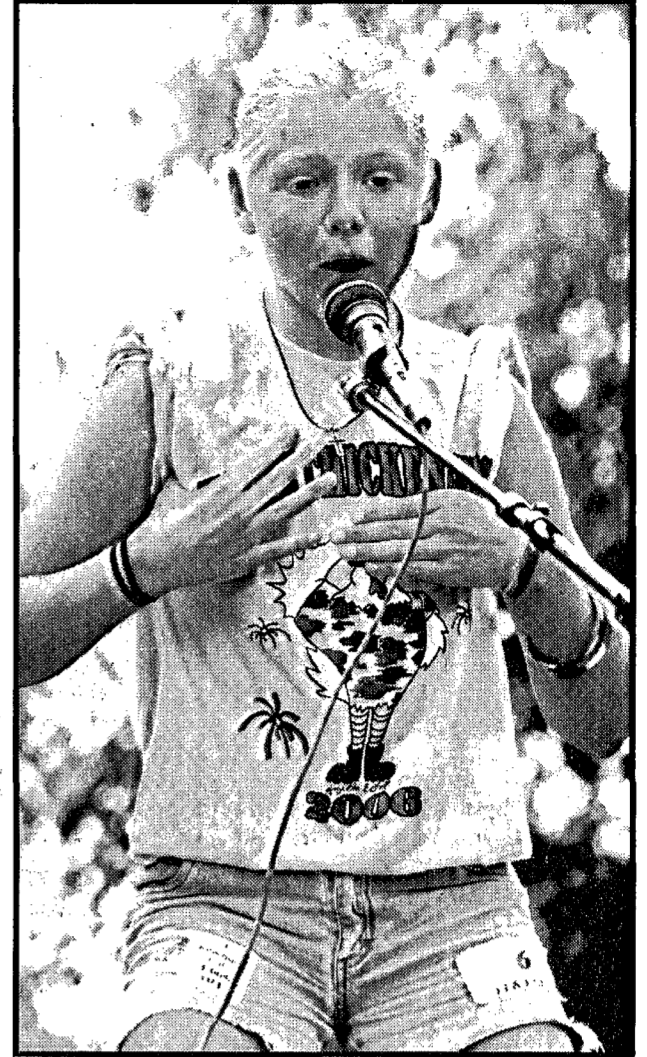
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- Laurel-Concord Public School

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- Northland Transportation
- Family 1st Dental
- Lee A. Dahl, DDS
- Urwiler Oil & Fertilizer / Corner Mart
- Laurel Mercy Medical Clinic
- Laurel Sales Co.
- Wayne Herald / Morning Shopper

Our Coop Supports The Troops - Wayne Chicken Show 2006





The 26th annual Wayne Chicken Show was held on Saturday with many people turning out for the fun. Some of the activities included Henoween on Friday night. On Saturday, activities included Kiwanis Club sponsored Omelet Feed, quilt show, parade, Rotary Club assisted chicken feed, contests: rooster crowing, live chicken flying, chicken hat, biggest, smallest, most unusual chicken egg, most beautiful beak, best chicken legs, best chicken song, hard boiled egg eating contest, national cluck-off, chicken shoe chucking, egg drop and childrens games and contests, free entertainment, arts, crafts and food vendors. Both Henoween and the Chicken Show involve over 1,000 volunteers who donate time, talents and financial support.

Childcare conference planned

The 18th Annual Child Care/Early Adult Childhood Conference will be held Saturday, Aug. 5 at the Lifelong Learning Center at Northeast Community College in Norfolk.

This year's conference will revolve around helping parents, teens and children break the cycle of violence caused by bullies. Featured speaker will be Barbara Coloroso, an internationally recognized author and expert in the areas of parenting, teaching, school discipline and non-violent conflict resolution.

The conference will feature three informative and entertaining keynote presentations by Ms. Coloroso. She has served as a classroom teacher, a laboratory school instructor and a university instructor.

She is the author of three international best sellers: "Kids are worth it! Giving Your Child the Gift of Inner Discipline," "Parenting Through Crisis: Helping Kids in Times of Loss, Grief and Change" and "The Bully, the Bullied and the Bystander: From Preschool to High School-How Parents and Teachers Can Help Break the Cycle of Violence."

Barbara's latest book, "Just Because It's Not Wrong Doesn't Make It Right" is now available.

Keynote presentations will be on breaking the cycle of violence in homes, schools and communities by examining the "why" and "how" a child becomes a bully or the target of a bully as well as the role the bystanders play in perpetuating the cycle. A deadly combination is a bully who gets what he wants from his target, the bullied child who is afraid to tell, bystanders who

watch, participate, or look away and adults who see these incidents as simply "teasing" not tormenting, as "boys will be boys" not the predatory aggression that it is. Ms. Coloroso will give parents, caregivers, educators and most of all, kids, the tools to break this cycle of violence. According to Ms. Coloroso, "It is necessary that we as individuals, families and entire communities create safe harbor for all our children. We need to give kids the tools to be able to stand up for their own rights while respecting the rights and legitimate needs of others."

Also featured at the conference is R.E.S.P.E.C.T. who will present a short, lively skit entitled "Fun and Games" about bullying, name calling and spreading rumors. RESPECT, based in Omaha, stands for Relationship Empowerment for Students, Parents, Educators and Community through Theater. Founded by Patricia Newman, Ph.D. in Child Psychology and professional actress and director, Pat Kies, the group has presented programs at grade and high schools across Nebraska and Iowa.

Registration for the conference is \$20, if received by July 28 or \$25 after that date.

Refreshments, brunch and lunch are included in the fee. The complete brochure, including registration form is available online at: www.madison.unl.edu/family

In-service hours will be awarded to child care and preschool workers.

The conference is sponsored by the Northeast Early Childhood Professional Development Partnership Northeast Community

College, UNL Extension Madison County, Nebraska Health and Human Services, Family Services of Lincoln, Northeast Nebraska Child Care Association, Prevention Pathways, the Northeast Chapter of NAEYC, ESU #8 Early Childhood Interagency Planning Regional and Prevent Child Abuse Nebraska.

For more information about the conference, contact Jeann Granstra, HHS at (402) 370-3126, Nancy Carley at (402) 387-2523 or Madison Count Extension at (402) 370-4040.

The Lifelong Learning Center is located at 801 East Benjamin Avenue on the west side of the Northeast Community College Campus.

Nurse aide course to be offered in Wayne

Northeast Community College has scheduled another three-credit-hour Basic Nurse Aid course to begin Monday, July 17 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Basic Nurse Aid, with course number HLTH1110-31/06B, will meet Monday and Tuesday evenings from 6 to 10 p.m. through Sept. 11 and Saturdays July 29 and Aug. 12 from 8 a.m. until 2:30 p.m.

Danette Frahm is the instructor. Students in this three-credit-hour class will learn the skills necessary to administer responsible health care to the ill and elderly in nursing homes and long-term care facilities under qualified supervision. Basic patient care and introduction to aging and disability, personal hygiene, body activity skills, fire prevention and safety, basic communication and charting, planning patient care and vital signs will be reviewed. Nutrition, elimination needs, death, dying, anatomy and physiology will also be studied.

Cost of this three-credit-hour Basic Nurse Aide class is \$196.50 for Nebraska residents or \$239.25 for non-residents. Books are not included and may be ordered by calling the NECC Bookstore at (402) 371-2020, Ext. 7140.

For more information or to register, call the Northeast Community College East Region Office at 1-888-794-6322.

McDonald attends state workshop

Karen McDonald, Wayne County Treasurer, completed a three-day workshop conducted in Grand Island June 21-23.

The workshop was designed for county clerks, election commissioners, registers of deeds and treasurers.

The annual workshop, attended by approximately 200 county officials and employees, is part of a continuing education and leadership development series sponsored by the Nebraska Association of County Officials.

The workshop updated county officials on recent changes in state laws and provided extensive training on the responsibilities of their respective offices.



Water Day

Activities centering around water were conducted recently at Rainbow World Child Care in Wayne. The children played with hoses and squirt guns. The older children held a water war, while the younger children played on the slide. During the day, the school age students also had the opportunity to get staff members wet. Water Day has become a much-anticipated event at the facility.

Nebraska to receive \$246,500 in Wachovia settlement

A settlement was announced between state securities regulators and Wachovia Capital Markets, LLC (Wachovia Capital), based in Charlotte, North Carolina. Under the settlement, Nebraska will receive \$246,500 said Director John Munn, Nebraska Department of Banking and Finance (NDBF).

Munn made the announcement following an investigation of the firm led by Nebraska state securities regulators with assistance from regulators in Virginia, North Carolina and other states. The settlement results from allegations of potential conflicts of interest between Wachovia Capital's research analysts and investment bankers.

The allegations include the following charges: State investigators allege that Wachovia Capital failed to supervise its employees in connection with potential conflicts of interest between equity research and investment banking.

Wachovia Capital did not keep certain electronic communications as required by state securities laws: Wachovia Capital's e-mail system and procedures were inadequate to ensure all electronic mail communications were retained and readily accessible.

As a result, 20 percent of the e-mail folders requested in November 2002 could not be produced and 42 percent of the e-mail folders requested in January 2003 were not produced promptly for state investigators. Wachovia Capital also failed to maintain a system that allowed it to locate and retrieve back-up tapes for its e-mail system.

Wachovia Capital Markets, LLC, neither admitted nor denied the allegations.

According to NDBF Legal Counsel Sheila Cahill, lead attorney for the multistate case, the settlement effectively resolves a multistate investigation of Wachovia Capital Markets, which operates Wachovia Corporation's institutional brokerage and capital markets businesses. "The investigation and the corrective actions we took were necessary to protect Nebraska's investors," Cahill said. "Sound capital markets require an environment of trust and transparency between brokers and investors."

The multistate settlement is related to the April 2003 Global

Settlement that 12 other investment banks have reached with state, federal and industry regulators.

Under the terms of the settlement, Wachovia Capital will pay all 50 states, the District of Columbia and Puerto Rico a total of \$25 million, including: \$20 million in penalties for failing to supervise its employees in connection with potential conflicts of interest between equity research and investment banking; \$1.65 million in penalties for failing to preserve required books and records; \$3 million to be used for investor education, as designated by the Board of Directors of the North American Securities Administrators Association, Inc. (NASAA); and \$350,000 for costs associated with the investigation, which will be paid to NASAA. The money will be divided based upon total population of each jurisdiction.

NDBF Securities Bureau Assistant Director Jack E. Herstein said, "The investigation of Wachovia Capital Markets is part of a comprehensive regulatory effort to safeguard the relationship between investment banking and research and to manage appropriately conflicts of interest." Herstein continued, "Today's agreement is a major step in our ongoing efforts to help maintain investor confidence by ensuring that all investors are provided with objective research and treated with fairness and honesty."

"I'm pleased with how this issue was resolved and am especially proud of Nebraska's role in the investigatory process. NDBF, and in particular Lead Attorney Sheila Cahill, kept this massive undertaking on course. Ultimately, this outcome encourages a more transparent investing environment," said Munn.

4-H Cyber Fair recruiting Entrepreneurs for 2006 Nebraska State Fair

Entrepreneurs from across the state are encouraged to share their stories and expertise at the 4-H Cyber Fair during weekends of the 2006 Nebraska State Fair.

Entrepreneurs — youth or adult — will be featured in the 4,800 square-foot Farmland Building, inspiring others while gaining free exposure for their product or business, said Michelle Garwood, graduate assistant coordinating the entrepreneur component of the Cyber Fair.

The idea to add entrepreneurs to the 4-H Cyber Fair came about since 4-H is working on an entrepreneur curriculum, said Patricia Fairchild, University of Nebraska-Lincoln 4-H curriculum design specialist. Entrepreneurs will show how they use technology as part of doing business, she said.

"Cyber Fair is a great place to showcase technology as an educational tool," said Nikki Huckins, Cyber Fair coordinator.

The curriculum CD-ROM will be showcased during Cyber Fair.

"We hope that showcasing entrepreneurs at the Cyber Fair generates interest in the new curriculum," Huckins said.

In addition to the entrepreneur

showcase, the 2006 Cyber Fair also will offer games and activities on how to develop a business around a product and again will offer new computers, high-speed Internet access and other activities that forge a connection between 4-H, UNL and future career options, Huckins said.

Other UNL departments and displays also will be available in the Farmland Building.

Partners at the entrepreneur event include the Nebraska Department of Education, Home Town Competitiveness and Rep. Tom Osborne's office.

For more information about the Cyber Fair contact Huckins at (402) 472-9184 or e-mail kncoop@unlnotes.unl.edu. To be a featured entrepreneur at the Nebraska State Fair, contact Garwood at (402) 472-5788 or e-mail mgarwood2@unlnotes.unl.edu by Aug. 4.

Special preference will be given to 4-H members and 4-H alumni, but members of other organizations, such as FFA, FBLA, FCCLA, etc. and independent entrepreneurs are invited to participate.

The Nebraska State Fair is Aug. 25-Sept. 4.

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Rotary International District Governor visits Wayne Rotary Club

On July 12, Jim Mastera, Governor, Rotary International District 5650, visited the Wayne Rotary Club.

Mastera presented the Rotary International 2006-2007 Theme-Lead The Way. The Lead The Way theme is an affirmation of Rotary International President William B. Boyd, that Rotarians can change the world, "one positive act at a time," by living as role models of tolerance, unselfishness and integrity.

Rotary International is a worldwide organization of more than 1.2 million Rotarians, 32,400 clubs located in 168 countries. Membership worldwide is remaining stable largely due to the chartering of new Rotary Clubs. Mastera reminded the Rotary Club that membership is the foundation of the Club and asked for renewed efforts to seek new Rotarians.

He also encouraged the Rotary Club to continue its involvement in humanitarian efforts, including potable water and wells, health care, health care education, medical treatment and hunger related projects. He announced that Rotary



Jim Mastera, governor, Rotary International District 5650, visited the Wayne Rotary Club Wednesday morning during their regular meeting at Tacos and More.

District 5650 has embarked upon a five-year program endorsing the Zambian Humanitarian Project that addresses medical needs, as well as potable water and related educational needs. Mastera spoke of how any club within the district

may participate in this project through matching fund grants available from both District 5650 and The Rotary Foundation.

John Murray named to Who's Who

John Murray of Wayne has been notified of his acceptance to Who's Who Among American High School Students for the 2005-06 school year.

John will be a sophomore in the fall. He is involved in football, wrestling, track and band at Wayne High School.

His biography will appear in the 2005-06 edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students.

The Who's Who publication commemorates the accomplishments of students, honoring only five percent of the nation's high school students.

John is the son of Dennis and Linda Murray of Wayne.



Darrell Miller, Wayne Rotary Club president, presented Chicken Show memorabilia to Mr. and Mrs. Mastera.

VOLVO searches for top community heroes

Do you know a local hero - a person who is seeking to improve the safety, quality of life or environment in your community? If so, Volvo is calling on people in the next two months to nominate a community hero they know in the nation's largest annual search for and celebration of everyday heroes. The grand winner, "America's Greatest Hometown Hero," will receive a Volvo car for life.

The fifth anniversary Volvo for life Awards is a national public service program that honors hometown heroes with \$1 million in financial contributions. Volvo calls on people to nominate a hero that they know doing the extraordinary in the areas of safety, quality of life or environment. Through July 31, 2006, visit www.volvofor-lifeawards.com to nominate a hero. The initiative has recognized nearly 13,000 individuals from all 50 states for their extraordinary service since its inception in 2001.

Volvo is conducting this program to bring attention to the outstanding contributions individuals make to their communities and to inspire others to do the same. Hundreds of past hero nominees and winners have been profiled and highlighted for readers on www.volvofor-lifeawards.com. In August, Volvo will select 250 semi-finalists, five from each state from the past five

Smith named to Dean's List

Rik Rimel Smith of Laurel, V M, Veterinary Medicine was among more than 4,200 Iowa State University undergraduates who were recognized for outstanding academic achievement by being named to the 2006 spring semester Dean's List.

Students named to the Dean's List must have earned a grade point average of at least 3.50 on a 4.00 scale while carrying a minimum of 12 credit hours of graded course work.

years' pool of nominees.

Nine finalists will be named in February 2007, three in each category. A panel of distinguished judges representing some of the world's foremost experts on conscience, care and character - including Hank Aaron, Sen. Bill Bradley, Carolin Kennedy, Maya Lin, Paul Newman, Sally Ride, Eunice Kennedy Shriver and the four previous Volvo for life Awards top winners will name one winner for each of the three categories. The category winners will each receive \$50,000 to be donated to the charities of their choice. The remaining six finalists will each receive a \$25,000 charitable donation.

Campaign in full swing

With the "Heroes Unite, It's About Life" campaign in full swing at the Siouxland Community Blood Bank, many towns are hosting community or employee blood drives and recruiting donors to ensure patients in their area will have blood products when needed.

The "Heroes Unite, It's About Life" campaign began May 1 and will run through Sept. 30. With three months of the campaign yet to go, many communities still have the opportunity to hold additional blood drives and potentially affect their ranking a great deal. Community support and participation is integral to the success of this program, as blood donors are working hand in hand with fire, rescue and police units in town to save lives.

To date, the top 25 communities include: Nebraska: Wayne, Hartington and Pender; Iowa: Boyden, Carroll, Cherokee, Coon Rapids, George, Hull, Ida Grove, Le Mars, Manning, Mapleton, Merville, Onawa, Orange City, Pocahontas, Remsen, Spencer, Storm Lake, Sutherland; South Dakota: Mitchell, Tyndall, Wagner and Yankton.

The top three communities with the highest percentage of blood

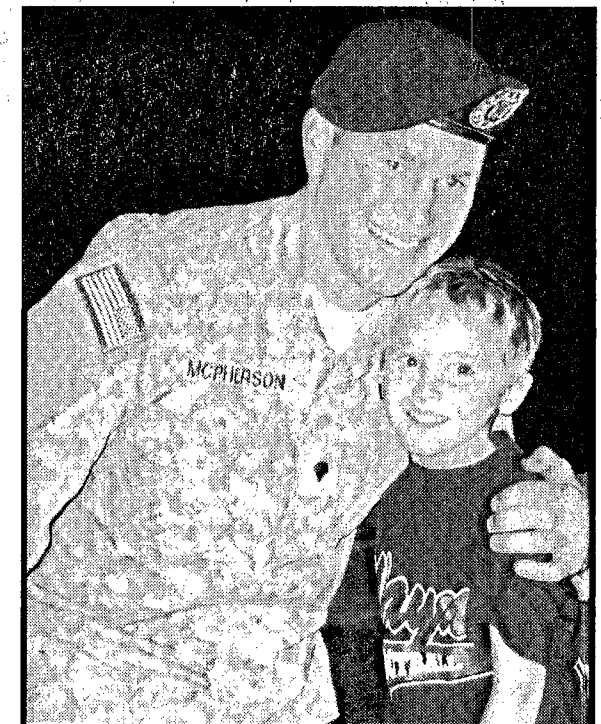
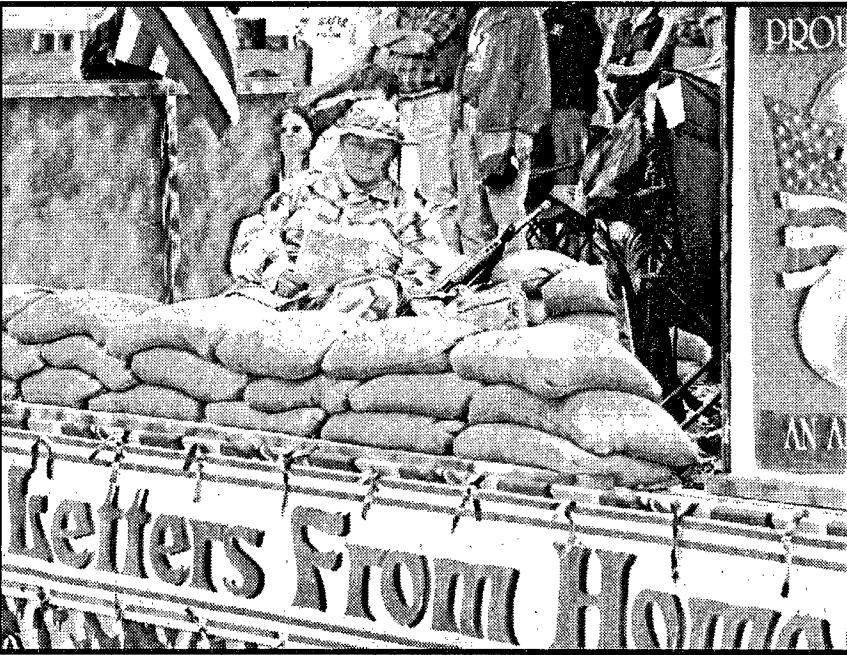
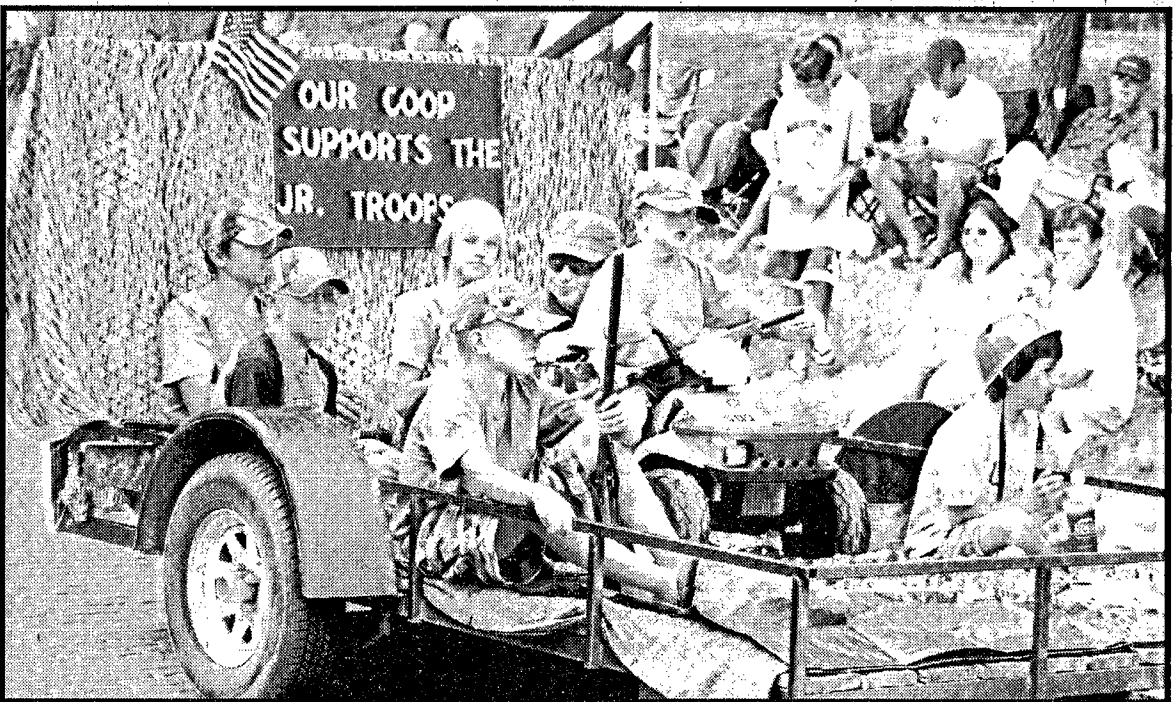
donors registering to donate in comparison to the combined size of their fire, police and rescue squads combined will win a sponsored donation towards community fire and rescue equipment. Cash awards for "Heroes Unite, It's About Life" are provided through corporate sponsorship from Cargill Inc., Prestige Collision Repair and McClintock Insurance.

The next opportunity to donate in Wayne is on Thursday, July 27 from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Wayne Fire Department sponsored by the Wayne County Fair Board. Anyone who registers to donate will be eligible for a giveaway.

To be eligible to donate blood, individuals must be at least 17 years of age; however there is no upper age limit as long as the donor is in good health. In addition, donors need to weigh at least 110 pounds and have not donated whole blood in the past 56 days. A photo I.D. is required at the time of registration.

For more information about "Heroes Unite, It's About Life," the Siouxland Community Blood Bank or blood drives in your area, call 712-252-4208 or 800-798-4208 or visit their website at www.siouxlandbloodbank.org

Our Coop Supports The Troops - Wayne Chicken Show 2006



In keeping with this year's Chicken Show theme, several activities were held to show the community's support for those troops currently serving overseas. A special ceremony honoring the troops was held Friday evening at Hank Overin Field when a Blackhawk helicopter, carrying soldiers with ties to the Wayne community, landed. Major General Lempke spoke to the crowd and praised those who are serving. He was presented with gifts from the Chicken Show Committee. On Saturday, a number of family members, as well as the soldiers, participated in the Chicken Show Parade.



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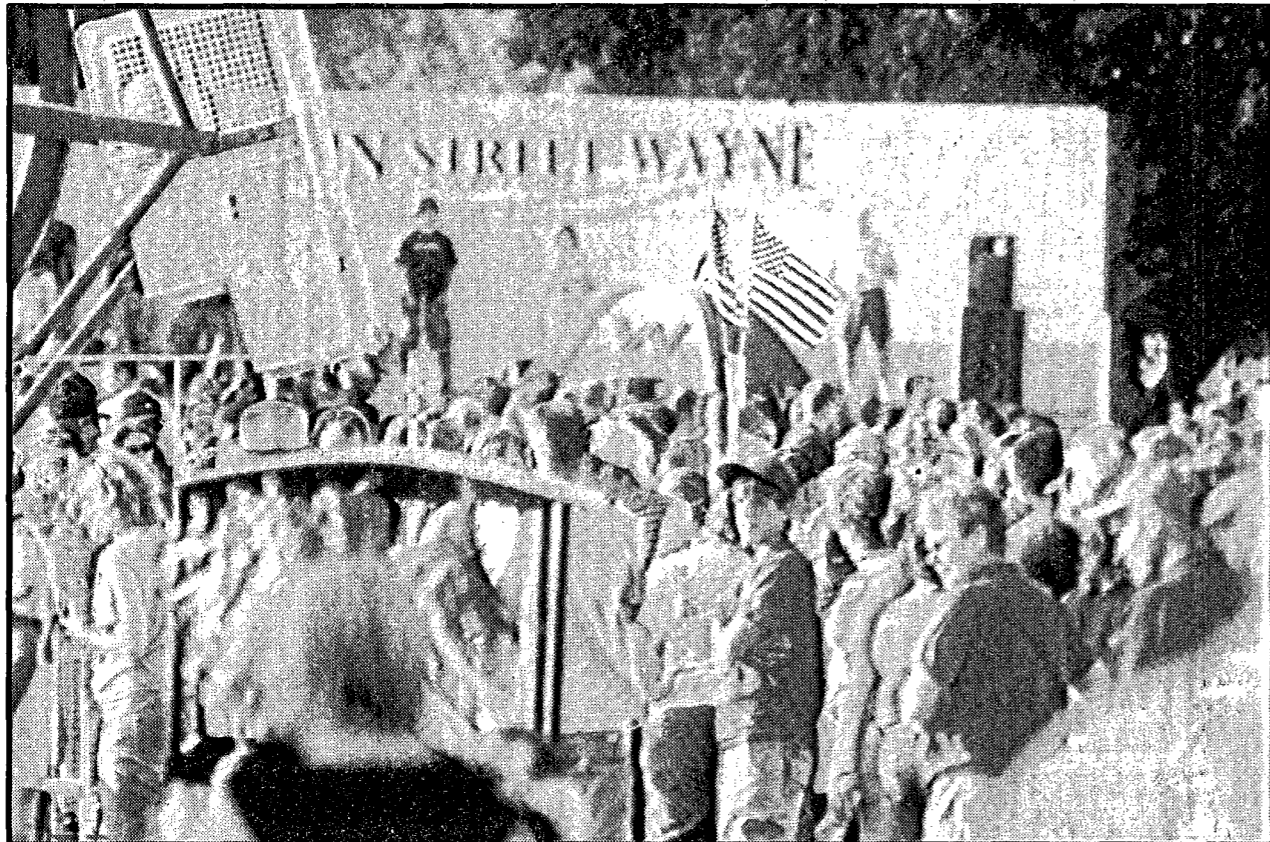
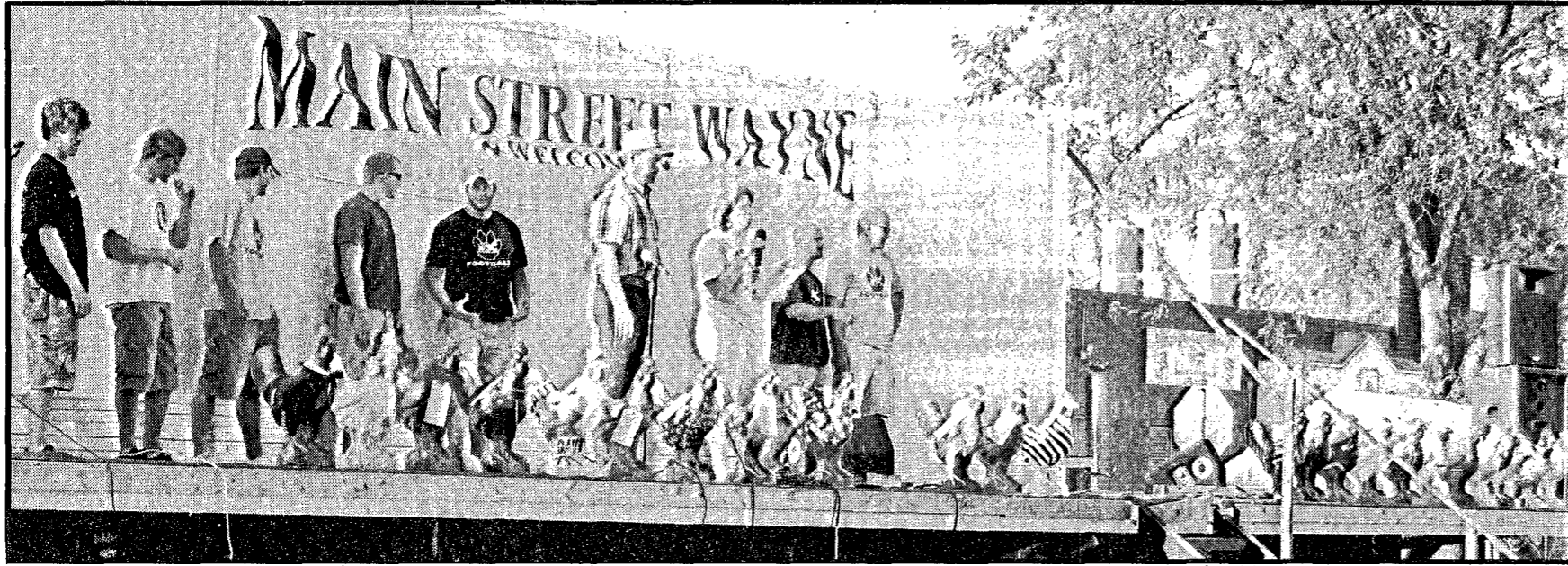
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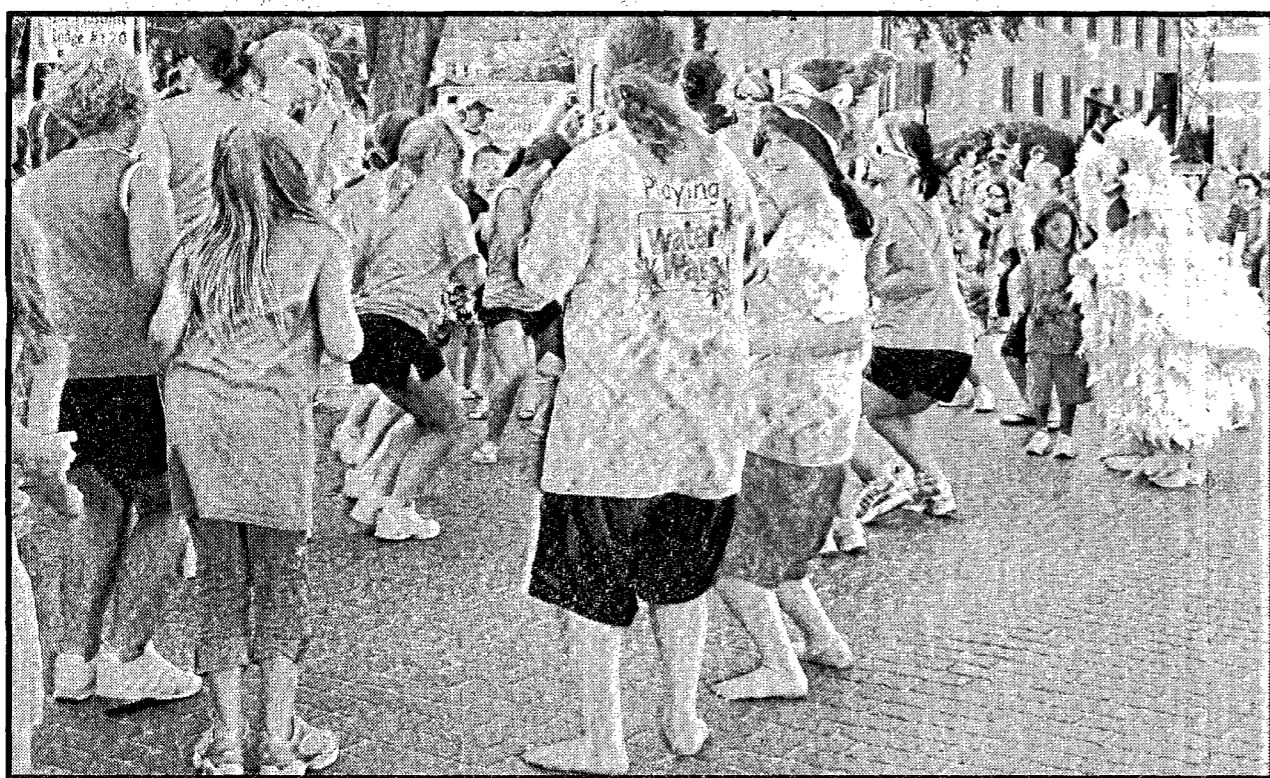
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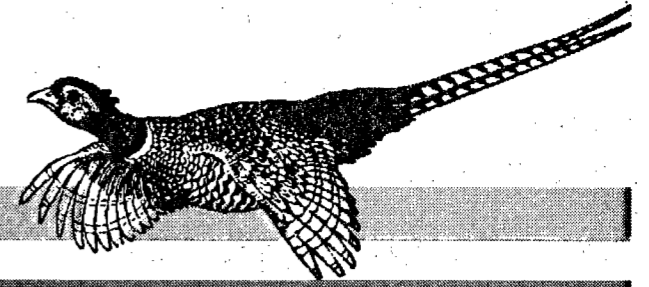
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Lifestyle

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Nice weather is incentive to be more physically active

With sunny weather, there's no excuse for being inactive. There are plenty of ways to be physically active and get that daily dose of exercise.

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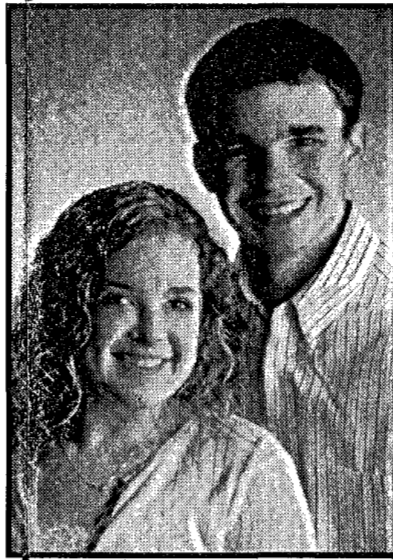
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manage weight. Physical activity is a good way to burn calories.

There are three types of physical activity: aerobic, resistance or weight-bearing and balance or strength.

Aerobic exercises speed up the heart and breathing. Activities could include walking, jogging, biking and swimming.

Resistance or weight-bearing activities maintain and build bone and muscles. Activities could include walking and lifting weights.

Balance or strength activities enhance stability and flexibility. Activities could include stretching, yoga, pilates, tai chi and martial arts.

Perform a variety of these types of activities daily and gradually increase their intensity. Thirty minutes is the minimum amount of physical activity needed daily. To prevent weight gain adults should participate in 60 minutes of physical activity. Children and teenagers also should perform 60 minutes of physical activity.

To keep on track with physical activity consider forming a walking group with neighbors or have family bike rides on the weekends. Use a pedometer to keep track of your steps. The goal should be to have at least 10,000 every day. Every little bit helps in staying active. Pulling weeds, washing a car and parking away from entrances are good ways to sneak in physical activity. Enjoy the summer and be active.

SOURCE: Wanda Koszewski, Ph.D., nutrition specialist

Cara Mlady Boecker of Battle Creek and Vincent Alan Hoehne of Stanton are planning an Aug. 26, 2006 wedding at Faith Lutheran Church in Stanton.

Parents of the couple are Leon and Terry Boecker of Battle Creek and Alan and Kim Hoehne of Stanton. The future groom is the grandson of Ardyce Kniesche and great-grandson of Lydia Thomsen, both of Wayne.

The bride-to-be is a 2002 graduate of Battle Creek High School and a 2006 graduate of Wayne State College with a bachelor's degree in Public Accounting. She is a Financial Analyst at Gateway in North Sioux City, S.D.

Her fiancé is a 2002 graduate of Stanton High School and a 2006 graduate of Wayne State College with a bachelor's degree in Public Accounting. He is a Staff Accountant at Henjes, Conner and Williams P.C. in Sioux City, Iowa.

Senior Center Calendar

Monday, July 17: Morning walking; Cards, quilting and pool, 1 p.m.; Board meeting, 1:15 p.m.

Tuesday, July 18: Morning Walking; Cards, quilting and bowling; Barb Leuschen speaker.

Wednesday, July 19: Morning walking; Cards and quilting; Pool, 1 p.m.; Special meal, hearing, blood pressure and sugar screens.

Thursday, July 20: Morning walking; Quilting; Pitch party, 1:15 to 3 p.m.

Friday, July 21: Morning walking; Pool, cards, quilting, bingo, 1 p.m.

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Danielle Nelson and Dustin Wells, both of Fremont, are planning an Aug. 5, 2006 wedding at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Winside.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Terry and Phyllis Nelson of Winside. She is a 2001 graduate of Winside High School. She received her Cosmetology and Barbering license from Bahner's College of Hairstyling in Fremont in 2003. She is currently employed at Cost Cutters in Fremont.

Her fiancé is the son of Roger and Pam Wells of Randolph. He is a 2000 graduate of Randolph High School and received an Associates of Applied Science degree from Northeast Community College in 2002. He is currently employed in sales for Fastenal Company in Fremont.



Lubberstedt-Boettger

William and Jane Lubberstedt of Wayne have announced the engagement of their daughter, Kellie Lubberstedt to Robert Boettger, both of Denison, Iowa.

The bride-to-be is a 1997 graduate of Wayne High School and a 2004 graduate of Creighton University. She is the Pharmacy Manager at Hy-Vee Pharmacy in Denison.

Her fiancé is the son of Dawn and the late Henry "Butch" Boettger of Denison. He is a 1996 graduate of Denison Community High School. He is employed with Vetter Equipment and Denison Livestock Auctioneers.

The couple is planning a Sept. 23, 2006 wedding at Zion Lutheran Church in Denison.

Larry and Sharon Johnson of Centerville, S.D. have announced the engagement of their daughter, Rachel, to Cody Carstensen, son of David and Leanne Carstensen of Laurel.

The bride-to-be is a 2000 graduate of Centerville High School. She received a Cardiovascular Technology degree in 2003 from Southeast Technical Institute in Sioux Falls, S.D. and is currently employed by Mobile Sonographers Inc. in Sioux Falls as a Vascular Sonographer.

Her fiancé is a 1995 graduate of Laurel-Concord High School. He graduated from the University of Nebraska Medical Center in 2002 with a Doctor of Pharmacy Degree. He is currently employed by Pioneer Memorial Hospital as the Director of Pharmacy in Centerville, S.D.

A Sept. 16, 2006 wedding is being planned at Scandia Lutheran Church in Centerville.



Gall - Rowe

Jessica Gall of Norfolk and Andrew Rowe of Omaha will exchange vows in a July 22, 2006, wedding at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Norfolk.

Parents of the couple are Deborah and David Gall of Norfolk and Ann and Kenneth Rowe of Omaha.

The bride-to-be, a graduate of Norfolk Catholic High School and Wayne State College, has a degree in Business Management and Radio Broadcasting. She is employed by Midwest Eye Care in Omaha.

Her fiancé, a graduate of Millard South High School and Wayne State College, has a degree in Mass Communications. He is employed by Pentagon Federal Credit Union in Omaha.

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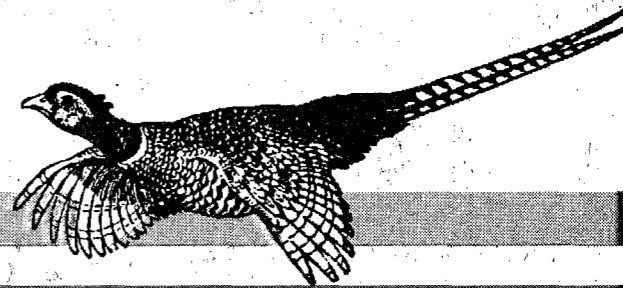
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Friday: Memorial Service for Maurice Anderson, 10:30 a.m. Sunday: Sixth Sunday after Pentecost. Worship service, 8:15 and 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship after each service. Monday: Newsletter deadline. Tuesday: Finance, 5:15 p.m.; Disciple Bible Study, 7 p.m. Wednesday: 4-H Contest Day. Thursday: Habitat for Humanity at Calvary Bible Evangelical Free Church in Wayne, 7 p.m.; WOW, 7. Friday: Wedding rehearsal at Willow Bowl. Saturday: Wedding at the Willow Bowl, 5:30 p.m.

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Sunday: Lutheran Hour on KTCH, 7:30 a.m.; Worship, 8 and 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School and Bible Class, 9:15. Monday: Worship with Holy Communion, 6:45 p.m.; Sunday School Teachers' meeting, 7:30. Tuesday: Adult Class, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Men's Bible Study, 6:30 a.m. Thursday: Stephen Ministry, 7 p.m.

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Allen

FIRST LUTHERAN
(Karen Tjarks, TEEM)
Sunday: Worship Service, 9 a.m.
UNITED METHODIST
(Pastor Sara Simmons, pastor)
Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship, 10:30. Sunday through July 29: Pastor attending school. Thursday: Picnic at Deanna Stark's, noon; UMW meeting, 1:30 p.m.

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BETHANY PRESBYTERIAN
(Gail Axen, pastor)
Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.
ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
(Rev. Timothy Steckling, pastor)
Sunday: Worship Service, 8 a.m.
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
(Rev. Mary Tyler Browne,

pastor)
Sunday: Sixth Sunday after Pentecost. Worship Service, 11 a.m. Tuesday: Carroll Advisory Board, 6:30 p.m. Thursday: Habitat for Humanity at Calvary Bible Evangelical Free Church in Wayne, 7 p.m.

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Sunday: Sweet Corn Sunday. No Services at St. Paul, Worship at Immanuel at 10:30 a.m. Thursday: St. Paul Voters' meeting, 7:30 p.m.
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Friday: Gospel Mission, 7:30 p.m. Saturday: Three-man team golf outing to Wayne Country Club, 9 a.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30; Senior High Youth Group, Evening Bible Study and Children's Choir, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Adult Bible Study/Prayer, 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday: Mass, 8 a.m. Tuesday: Mass, 8 a.m.

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Sunday: Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.

TRINITY EVANG. LUTHERAN
(Rodney Rixe, pastor)
Sunday: Worship with Lord's Supper, 10 a.m.; Church Council meeting, 11. Monday: Elders meeting, 8:30 a.m. Tuesday: Worship at Heritage of Bel Air, 1 p.m.; Quarterly Voters' meeting, 8 p.m. Thursday: Worship at St. Joseph's, 1:30 p.m.

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(Dennis Wood, Minister to Youth)
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Saturday through Saturday, July 22; CHIC. Sunday: Morning Worship, 10 a.m. Tuesday: Ladies meet for prayer, 9 a.m.; Video on Local Cable, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Thursday: Men's Bible Study at Tacos & More, 7 a.m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
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(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: Sweet Corn Sunday. Worship at Immanuel, 10:30 a.m.; No Services at St. Paul. Thursday: Immanuel Ladies Aid, 2 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN
216 West 3rd
(Susan Banholzer, pastor)
Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN
West 7th & Maple
(Rev. Terry L. Buethe, pastor)
Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School and Adult Bible Study, 10:15; Youth Bible Study, 7 p.m.

SALEM LUTHERAN
411 Winter Street
(Jerome Cloning, pastor)
Saturday: Worship service with Communion, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Worship with Communion, 10:30 a.m. Monday: Spire Deadline. Tuesday: Meeting God in Prayer, 9 a.m.; WOW, 6:30 p.m.; NCD Health Team, 7. Wednesday: Tape/ Video, 9:30 a.m.; Church Council, 7:30 p.m. Thursday: Video on local Cable, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Saturday: Worship service with Communion, 6:30 p.m.

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
218 Miner St.
(Pastor Timothy Steckling)
Sunday: Bible Study, 9:15 a.m.; Sunday School and fellowship, 9:30; Worship, 10:30. Wednesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.; Biblical Greek, 8.

TRINITY LUTHERAN
(PMA Glenn Kietzmann)
Sunday: Coffee fellowship, 9:30; Worship Service, 10:30.

UNITED METHODIST
(Carol Jean Stapleton, pastor)
(Parish Assistants - Freeman Walz, CLS and Judy Carlson, CLS)
Sunday: Worship service, 8:30 a.m.; Fellowship time to follow; UMW Sunday. Wednesday: Pastor in Pierce Office, 1 p.m.

Jerry & Pat (Harms) Malcom will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary with an open house on July 23rd from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Evangelical Free Church, 20th and Lincoln Streets, Fremont, NE. Jerry & Pat were united in marriage in 1981 in Wayne, NE. They moved to Fremont, NE in 2003. The couple's children are: Shelly & Dale Ronfeldt, Hornick, IA, Cathy Nelson, Fremont, NE, Amy & Mike Backstrom, David City, NE, and Katy Anderson, Lincoln, NE. They have 9 grandchildren. The couple request no gifts - your presence is present enough. Cards may be sent to 2820 E. Sunburst Dr., Fremont, NE 68025.

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Schmidt family

The triennial summer reunion of the Friedrich & Henrietta (Anton) Schmidt family was held at the Beemer Ballroom on July 1. Approximately 95 people were in attendance from 20 cities and towns in Nebraska, and from six other states - Arizona, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Oklahoma and Texas. Larry Beerbohm of Fairbury served as Schmidt reunion chairman - these three years; Jane Tillman of Lincoln, was secretary

Retired School Personnel meet for picnic

The Wayne County Area of Retired School Personnel met July 3 for a potluck picnic at the Fellowship Hall of the Wayne United Methodist Church. Thirteen members and five guests were present.

A program was given by Captain Debra Bodenstedt of the United States Navy. Captain Bodenstedt is a Wayne native. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bodenstedt, live in Wayne. Entering the service in 1983, she told of her various assignments, degrees of education and personal decorations. Currently, she is serving in the United States Pacific Command.

The group's next meeting will be held Tuesday, Sept. 5 at Toties' Restaurant in Hartington. New officers for the coming year will take over at this meeting.



Donella Johnson

Card shower requested for Donella Johnson

A card shower is being requested for Donella Johnson in honor of her 80th birthday, which is Tuesday, July 18.

Her family includes Elden and Toots Johnson of Lakeland, Fla., Alden and Kathy Johnson of Omaha and Bernita and Kent Pigg of Laurel. She also has 12 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Cards may be sent to her at 1120 Lincoln Street, Wayne, Neb. 68787.

Deanery meeting being planned

The Rural Northeast Deanery luncheon meeting will be Tuesday, July 18 at noon at Tacos & More in Wayne.

The restaurant is located in the eastern part of Wayne, just south of Pamida, on Dearborn Street.

A meeting will follow the luncheon.

All women of the Rural Northeast Deanery and parish priests are invited to attend.

and Dennis Engelbart of Fort Calhoun, treasurer. The reunion committee for this triennial event was Claudia Cordes of Omaha, James Daberkow of Lincoln, Judy Longe of Lincoln and John Rebersdorf of Wayne.

The oldest person in attendance was 92-year-old Laura Beerbohm of Beemer; the youngest was one-year-old Helena, daughter of John and Bernadette Daberkow of Bellevue; married the longest were Ervin and Agnes (Schmidt) Stuckenschmidt of Omaha, 72 years; coming the greatest distance was Elizabeth Babb of Yarmouth, Maine.

All first time attendees, and the present and past military personnel, were recognized. Brothers Ervin Schmidt of Beemer, on the accordion and Walter Schmidt of Lincoln, playing drums, provided the group with their usual musical entertainment.

James Daberkow is the new reunion chairman; Jane and Dennis will continue as secretary and treasurer. The reunion committee for 2009 is Sherry Burton of Lincoln, Jean Hansen of Omaha, Virgine Jensen of Pilger and Jena Paulsen of Beemer.

Mother-to-Mother support group to meet

The next meeting, "The Art of Breastfeeding and Avoiding Difficulties" will be held July 17, 2006 at noon at 410 Main in Wayne.

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Anyone with questions can contact local LLL Leader, Karen, at 402-254-6724 karenheimes@yahoo.com.

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READING PROGRAM FINALE

To conclude the PAWS, CLAWS, SCALES, AND TAILS Summer Reading Program, a potluck supper will be held for all the readers and their families. The finale will be on Monday, July 17th at 7 p.m. Please note that the supper will be at the Winside Legion Hall.

If you plan to attend, please bring a dish to share. Table service and drinks will be provided. Prizes and awards will be presented at this time.

Wanted... Church news

The Wayne Herald would like to print information and schedules from area churches.

All information submitted to the Herald by Monday at 5 p.m. (delivered to the Herald office) or emailed by 8 a.m. on Tuesday will be included in that week's edition of the paper.

Articles may be mailed to P.O. Box 70, Wayne, Neb. 68787 or emailed to clara@wayneherald.com

The Herald thanks its readers and area ministers for their cooperation in our effort to keep informed on the happenings at various churches.

Iversen-Nielsen family

The Iversen-Nielsen family reunion was held the first weekend in July.

On June 30, a total of 60 family members and guests attended a wiener roast and fireworks at the Linda Nielsen farm place near Stanton.

On July 1, 85 relatives and friends gathered at the Winside Legion Hall for a carry-in meal and afternoon of visiting.

Seven states were represented,

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Tuesday: Pizza burger, potato salad, baked beans, dill pickle, pears.

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Thursday: Pork chops, scalloped potatoes, Harvard beets, applesauce, Rice Krispie bar.

Friday: Baked chicken, rice pilaf, squash, tomatoes, Royal Anne cherries.

Thompson hosts Legion auxiliary

The Irwin L. Sears Auxiliary met July 3 at the Eveline Thompson residence.

The meeting was opened with colors in place. The POW/MIA flag was placed on the empty chair for those who died bravely in defense of liberty and in honor of those missing.

Prayer was given, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag and the reading of one verse of the "Star Spangled Banner." The Unit Citation Preamble to the Constitution of the American Legion Auxiliary was read.

The treasurer's report was read. Eveline Thompson attended the 86th annual convention at North Platte. Newly elected president was Gertrude Johansen of Bennington. Her theme is "Family," her colors are red, white and blue and her symbol is the star. The National Membership theme is "Shoot for the Stars - The Sky's the Limit."

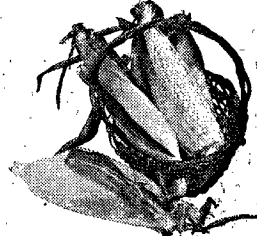
Membership Chairman Eveline Thompson picked up membership cards at the convention. The first target date is Aug. 25 with 55 percent of memberships to be in at that time. Members are encouraged to send their memberships in as soon as possible so that goal can be met. Currently, there are 10 paid up members.

The closing prayer was recited to end the meeting.

The next meeting will be held Monday, Aug. 7 at 2 p.m. at the Eveline Thompson residence.

Following the meeting, Eveline Thompson served lunch.

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including Missouri, Wisconsin, Tennessee, Alabama, California, Iowa, Colorado and nine towns in Nebraska - Norfolk, Lincoln, Stanton, Winside, Kearney, Hoskins, Omaha, Silver Creek and Fort Calhoun. Approximately 30 people played golo-ball golf at El Dorado in Norfolk on Saturday evening.

The oldest in attendance was Jean Hansen of Bristol, Wis. The youngest was Mason Raymond, three-month old son of John and Karen Nielsen Jarecki of Omaha.

The next reunion will be held the first Saturday in July in 2009 in Winside.

New Arrivals

SEDAGHAT - Jennifer and Ahmad Sedaghat of Greeley, Colo., a daughter, Ellie Marie, 7 lbs., 11 oz., 20 1/2 in., born May 9, 2006. Grandparents are Jon and Dianne Wilson of Greeley, Colo. and Hosein and Soghra Sedaghat of Tehran, Iran. Great-grandparents are Leslie and Pearl Youngmeyer of Wayne and Shahrabano Rahimi of Tehran.

CALHOON - Katie Calhoun of Wayne, a daughter, Kayle Jo Calhoun, 7 lbs., 13 oz., 21 1/2 inches, born July 3, 2006. Grandparents are Marti and Louise Calhoun of Wayne. Great-grandparents are Harry and Veronica Calhoun of Laurel and Mert and Alice Marshall of Wayne.

BORNER - Brady and Carrie Borner of Omaha, a daughter, Anna Kay, 6 lbs., 10 oz., born June 26, 2006. She joins a brother, Drew, 2. Grandparents are Ron and Kathy Fink of Crofton and Bob and Arlene Borner of Chaska, Minn. Great-grandparents are Olga and the late Frank Fink of Wayne and Evelyn (Mike) and the late Elmer Klein of Fordyce.

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Attorney General Bruning reacts to Hergert conviction

Attorney General Jon Bruning reacted to the conviction and removal of former University of Nebraska Regent C. David Hergert.

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The integrity of the electoral process is the foundation of our democracy. The investigation, the Legislature's impeachment and the Nebraska Supreme Court's ruling have served to restore that integrity," Bruning said.

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Clean up project

As has been the tradition for the past several years, members of the Hi-Raters 4-H Club and their families cleaned road ditches in the vicinity of the Wayne County Fairground. The group completed the project just prior to their July meeting, which included discussion of the upcoming fair and a watermelon feed.

HHS cautions against Medicare Part D fraud scams

According to the Department of Health and Human Services

(HHS), unsavory individuals have targeted vulnerable adults in the state, preying on concerns about making correct choices on their Medicare drug plan and avoiding penalties. Reports of Medicare drug plan-related scams have been received from individuals living in Omaha and Lincoln and from residents of smaller towns like McCook, Fairbury and Clay Center.

Cindy Kadavy, HHS State Long Term Care Ombudsman, says that in the most recent and prevalent scam, callers identify themselves as representing a legitimate-sounding organization. Examples of these nonexistent groups include "Pharma Corp" or "Pharma Express," "National Medicare

Office," or "National Medical Office."

The caller then provides personal information about the individual, such as their name, their bank's name or their doctor's name. This ruse helps reinforce the notion that the caller is legitimate.

Callers offer to "help" the individual by making the Medicare D enrollment process easier, simplifying their choices or helping them to access benefits or save money. Then they ask for personal information from the individual, such as their Medicare number, banking information, credit card number or payment of a few hundred dollars.

The caller usually explains that this one-time fee, typically \$299-399, will ensure that their premiums will be paid for several years or for their lifetime. Callers can be very persuasive or even become quite aggressive in their attempts to convince individuals that they must provide requested information.

"Legitimate Medicare drug plans will not ask for payment over the phone or Internet," Kadavy reminds everyone. "The best defense against such tactics is to remember that - like bad meat - if something doesn't smell right, don't buy it!" Kadavy also coordinates the ECHO Project (Educating and Empowering Consumers of Healthcare Organizations), where staff and volunteers work to provide education and assistance to consumers on identifying, reporting and preventing Medicare fraud and error.

If you receive this type of call, ask for the caller's name and number and say you'll call them back. If they become rude or intimidating, hang up the phone. You can then call Medicare at 1-877-7SAFERX or the Nebraska HHS ECHO Project at 800-942-7830 to discuss or report the situation.

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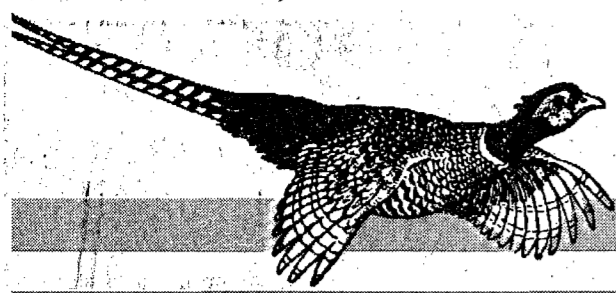
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Reports of law enforcement activities humorous

My friend Vonnie is working near Glacier National Park in Montana this summer, and sends weekly e-mail reports about snow blocking highways, black bears, and beautiful scenery. She also has mentioned the newspaper reports of law enforcement activity.

Last week, I received some examples. Apparently, their reports get in the local daily paper immediately, before there is any court action. That way, there are no names mentioned. An interesting routine. Here are some examples from the The Daily Inter Lake.

Whitefish police were called Thursday night about four or five youths drinking at Riverside Park. Two reportedly were taken to the hospital for treatment of alcohol poisoning. Someone left potato chips on a vehicle, cigarette butts under the wiper blades, and other trash on Edgewood Place. Money is missing from a home on West Ninth Street. A bear was spotted on North Prairie Smoke Circle.

Kalispell police fielded a number of oddities Friday. Among them was a report of an intoxicated man in a shirt that said "Southern Style", scampering back and forth across the highway in front of Wendy's. He was warned, like countless children before him, not to play in traffic.

An elderly man with a cane and an oxygen tank perched on top of a suitcase at Sawbuck's. He said he was looking for a ride. A man and

woman who were naked in sleeping bags near Sheppard's pawn shop made loud, obscene noises. An officer told them to take the floor show somewhere else! At Woodland Park, a man was told not to come back after he made lewd sugges-

a residence. He resurfaced the next day at Woodland Park Pool and caused another complaint. Someone drove through a ditch and into a field on Whitefish Stage Road Wednesday night. The driver was arrested after trying to get out of the ditch, dragging cables and wire behind him.

A woman keeps showing up at Lake View Care Center where she wanders the grounds and isn't all that welcome. On Trap Road, there was a complaint of a man shooting off his cannon again. It turned out to be a different kind of explosion (?). A canoe was found stuck under the old bridge in Bigfork. No one was hurt. On Cynthia Drive, there lives a person who keeps yelling at Neighbor kids just for being kids, by one account. The volume of music was lowered at a deputy's suggestion and peace was restored to the neighborhood.

These are just for Friday, June 30. One that stands out from the preceding day says that on Meridian Road a white compact car contained a female driver and a female passenger while a man was plastered on the top of the vehicle.

The sheriff's office soon received three reports of the same evulsion-defying act west of town, where the car was reportedly going 60 mph. Anyway, you get the idea. I don't know who writes these, but he or she definitely has a sense of humor!



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Melehenry

tions to the pool staff. It's not the only location where his presence is not welcome.

The Flathead County Sheriff's Office took reports of a moose hit by a vehicle on Many Lakes Drive and a bear hit by a vehicle on US 93 near Whitefish. A man who was kicked out of Lucky Logger casino was not welcome either at Town Pump. An officer gave him a ride to

Estimate soil moisture before irrigating

The pivots seem to run nonstop when it's dry. Or at least when we think it's dry.

Estimating soil moisture can dramatically increase your ability to schedule your next irrigation. So why not just turn the pivot on when it starts to look dry? The answer is the \$5-\$8 dollars per acre per inch cost. Which translates to \$700-\$1000 per inch. Reduction of one or two rounds with the pivot can save up to \$2000 dollars.

The trick to making those savings a reality is putting on water only when the soil says it needs it. And because soil can't talk that means it is up to you. Some popular methods include the checkbook method, sight and feel, or to a lesser extent electronic gauges. The checkbook method takes some time but is fairly easy. Simply start with a knowledge of how much moisture is in the soil such as two inches per



F. John Hay
Extension Educator

foot in silt loam soils at field capacity. Then subtract the crop water used each day and add rain (crop water used can be found online at cropwatch.unl.edu, or on your local radio station).

For example, if you are trying to maintain the water above 50 percent holding capacity you would irrigate when soil moisture is less than one inch per foot to a three foot depth (surface may be drier). Remember to consider the forecast for upcoming rains, rooting depth, as well as leave a little room for rain after irrigation.

Another method is the sight and feel method where by using a shovel or probe you actually dig some soil, look at it and feel it to determine the moisture level. This method is very fast and quite accurate after some hand calibration (getting used to what different moisture levels feel and look like). For example, you visit your fields once a week and feel the soil, if your loamy sand soil forms into a ball in your hand and crumbles when let loose the soil is near 50 percent available moisture. Look and feel can be the fastest way to determine soil moisture and tell you how much moisture is at deeper depths. Even when surface soil is dry, 2-3 feet below may have adequate moisture to last a week or more.

Using these strategies to determine soil moisture will let you irrigate when the soil says so and not because everyone else is running. Save that one or two rounds this year and pocket the \$1000 to \$2000 dollars. Fields are very different and producers will have to rely on their own observations for when to irrigate. But the soil always knows best.

John Hay can be reached by phone at 402-329-4821 or by email at JHay2@unl.edu

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Livestock Market Report

The Norfolk Livestock Market had a run of 900 fat cattle at Friday's sale. The market was steady on all classes. Strictly choice fed steers, \$82 to \$85. Good and choice steers, \$80 to \$82. Medium and good steers, \$78 to \$80. Standard steers, \$70 to \$78.50. Strictly choice fed heifers, \$82 to \$85.70. Good and choice heifers, \$80 to \$82. Medium and good heifers, \$78 to \$80. Standard heifers, \$65 to \$75. Beef cows, \$48 to \$55. Utility cows, \$50 to \$56. Cannors and cutters, \$45 to \$50. Bologna bulls, \$62 to \$73.50.

The dairy cattle sale was held Saturday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. The market was higher on the 18 head sold. Crossbred calves, \$225 to \$350. Holstein calves, \$175 to \$250.

The sheep sale was held Saturday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. There were 619 head sold. The market was steady on all classes.

Fat lambs - 115 to 150 lbs., \$93 to \$97.50. Feeder lambs - 40 to 60 lbs., \$90 to \$100; 60 to 115 lbs., \$80 to \$90. Ewes - Good - \$50 to \$70; medium - \$35 to \$50; slaughter - \$20 to \$35. Feeder pigs were sold Saturday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. The market was lower on the 259 head sold. 20 to 30 lbs., \$15 to \$25, lower; 30 to 40 lbs., \$25 to \$35, lower; 40 to 50 lbs., \$35 to \$45, lower and 50

to 60 lbs., \$45 to \$52, lower. Butcher hog head count at the Norfolk Livestock Market on Saturday totaled 611. Butchers were steady to \$1.50 lower and sows were \$1 lower. U.S. 1's + 2's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$49 to \$50.15; 2's + 3's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$48 to \$49; 2's + 3's, 260 to 280 lbs., \$45 to \$48; 2's + 3's, 280 to 300 lbs., \$38 to \$45; 3's + 4's, 300 lbs. +, \$32 to \$38. Sows - 350 to 500 lbs., \$31 to \$33. 500 to 650 lbs., \$33 to \$34. Boars - \$15 to \$25.

4-H News

COUNTRY CLASSICS 4-H CLUB
The 4-H group Country Classics met on June 21 at Amy and Brian Bowers' place. First, the Pledge of Allegiance and the 4-H Pledge were recited. After the minutes were read and the treasurer's report was approved, the club talked through the items of old and new business. Then Amy Topp gave a demonstration video on "Great Fans, Great Sports." Maddie Jäger demonstrated how to construct a pinata. Emma Loberg showed the club how to present a speech. Derek Schardt told about his trip to the Pentagon and Jason Youngmeyer gave a presentation about and shared pistachios with the club. After the demonstrations, the club members completed their hospital tray favors. The 4-Hers voted on their summer trip and then decided their Chicken Days Float. The meeting was then adjourned.

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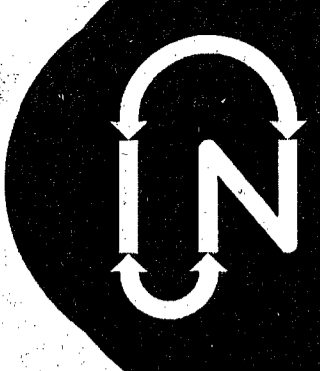
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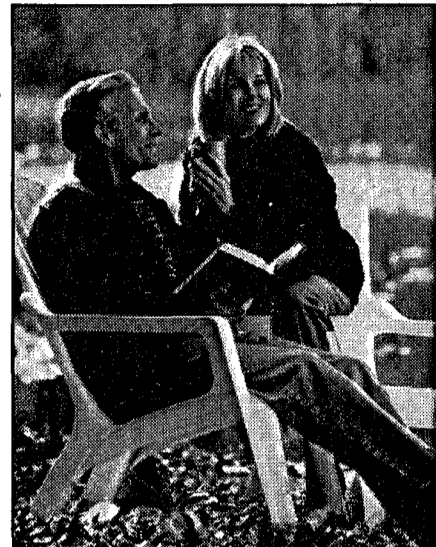
4-H Project Day held at Concord

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Nearly 30 4-H members from five counties participated in the 2006 Project Day was held at the Haskell Ag Lab near Concord on July 6. Seven different workshops featured skills that could be used by 4-H members used as they worked in their project areas.

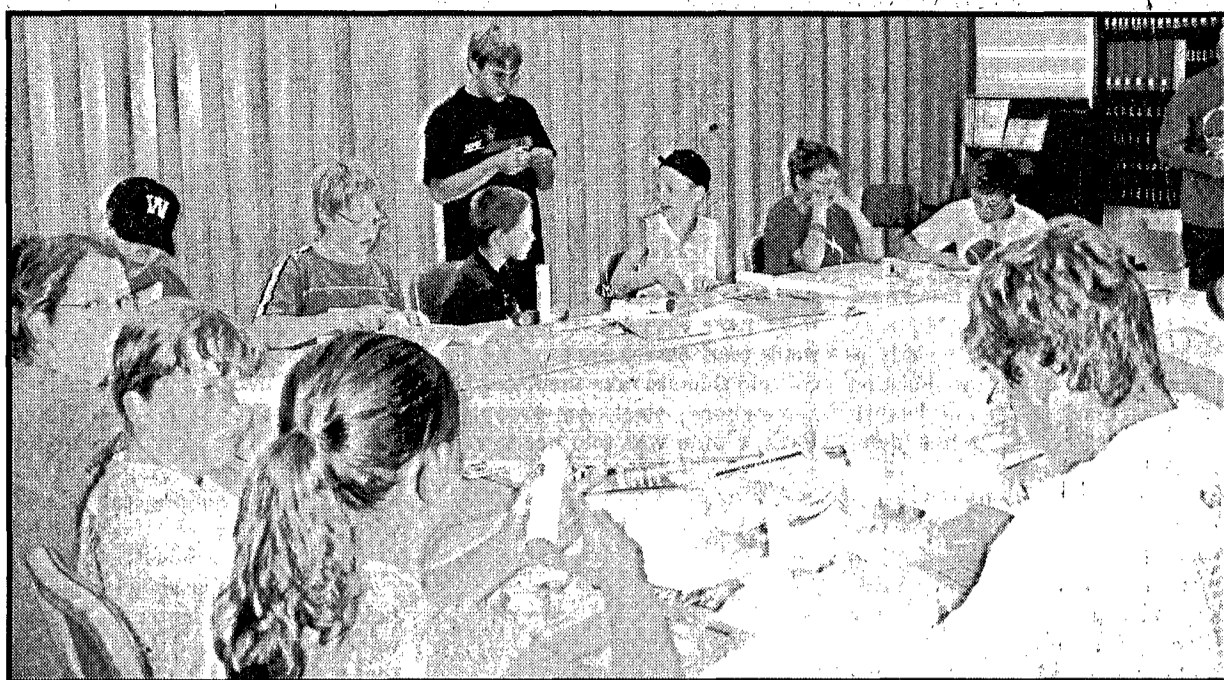
Kim Bearnes, UNL Extension Educator in Thurston County helped those attending refinish a coat rack in one of the workshops. Ina Glaubius, former state fair photography superintendent, worked with youth in taking pictures.

Amy Topp, UNL Extension Educator in Wayne County, help youth make a yo-yo angel that could be used as a room accessory for the home environment projects. Michael Krusemark of Waterbury, a long time rocket exhibitor, worked with youth in getting started on their rocket projects. 4-H Leader, Deb Bearnes, and her daughter Heather of Laurel, worked with youth getting started in a knitting project.

Del Hemsath, UNL Extension Educator in Dixon, Thurston and Dakota Counties and Ronda Pitt, Extension Assistant for Little Priest Tribal College, helped youth make birdhouses and birdfeeders. Sandy Preston, UNL Extension Educator in Dixon County worked with youth in making bread, scones, biscotti and cream puffs.

Local 4-H members attending the project day were:

Anamarie York, Griffin York and Kellen York, all of Cedar County; Aliah Nelson, Alison Davey, Brook McCluskey, Devin Jacobs, Edie Billiar, Elizabeth Ebmeier, Elizabeth Nelson, Jennifer Davey, Katlin Todd, all of Dixon; Colin Loberg, Emily Gubbels, Emily Ramold, Emma Loberg, Heath Greve, Henry Greve, Keegan Young, Kendra Liska, Samara Evans, Sawyer Jager, Syla Jager, all of Wayne.



Michael Krusemark works rockets during the 4-H Project Day at Concord July 6.



Heather Bearnes, Laurel, can be seen helping youth begin their knitting project at the 4-H Project Day in Concord.

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Accepting entries for Beef Backer awards

The Nebraska Beef Council is now accepting entries for the 2006 Beef Backer awards. This award program honors independent and chain restaurants whose extraordinary leadership in menuing and marketing beef sets them apart from their foodservice peers.

Operators and chefs from the state of Nebraska are encouraged to enter innovative beef menu items, sensational beef promotions, exemplary waitstaff training programs and more as examples of their success in trailblazing new ways to meet customer demand for beef.

"The Beef Backer program is our way of identifying and giving recognition to innovators who demonstrate passion for the power of beef on the menu," said Ann Marie Bosshamer, Director of Marketing for the Nebraska Beef Council. "There's no one criterion for what

makes a Beef Backer. It might be volume of beef sales, creative ways of serving beef, special promotional activities, or a combination of all of those things. We encourage opera-

Seminar for beef producers to be offered

In a collaborative effort between Nebraska Beef Council, Nebraska Cattlemen and the University of Nebraska, a Beef 706 course will be held Aug. 8-10 at the University's Animal Science Complex in Lincoln.

The three-day workshop will involve approximately 35 participants representing all segments of the beef business and allied industries. Participants evaluate live animals, and then follow the same animals through the fabrication process to thoroughly evaluate the carcasses. To date, over 500 participants have taken advantage of this opportunity.

It is a highly participatory course that focus's on quality and yield grade differences among carcasses, sources of beef quality and consistency defects, value differences related to yield grades, quality grades and consistency defects, techniques for measuring beef palatability and quality, technologies for enhancing quality and consistency during production and processing and Beef Quality Assurance seminars.

Beef 706 is funded in part through beef checkoff dollars and is open to anyone involved in Nebraska's cattle industry. If you are interested in this course, contact Misty Mattox at the Nebraska Beef Council at 800-421-5326 or Melody Benjamin at the Nebraska Cattlemen at 308-762-3005 for an application. Applications are due by July 28.

tions of all sizes, from chains to independents, to enter."

As an entrant, you are encouraged to showcase your excellence in the following areas: creativity, cuts, quality, quantity, communications, coaching and cooperation. Winners receive an award plaque to display in their restaurant, publicity in

local and national media, industry recognition and prestige, immeasurable bragging rights and an opportunity to be considered for the National Beef Backer award. Entry deadline is Sept. 1, 2006.

For more information or to enter, contact Ann Marie Bosshamer at the Nebraska Beef Council office at



Champion exhibitor

Nate Hanson of Wayne exhibited the Middle Weight Champion Swine at the Wisner Livestock Show held over the weekend in Wisner. He was also named the Intermediate Showmanship Champion at show. He is the son of Mark and Connie Hanson of Wayne.

WAYNE NEBRASKA IN THE YEAR 2025.... WHERE WILL WE BE?

With a fresh new downtown area coming soon... what is on the horizon for Wayne? Come and find out what the blueprint for Wayne will be over the next 10 to 20 years. After months of interviews and gathering information from various resources, RDG Planning and Design and the City of Wayne are hosting a public open house to present the new draft version of the Comprehensive Development Plan.

The Comprehensive Plan is developed through a community input process and will provide the vision and guidance for Wayne's future growth.

Now it is your turn to view the proposed plan and to provide further insight as to where Wayne will be in the year 2025.

PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE | 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM
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The annual 4-H Occupational Tractor Safety training was conducted during the month of June at the Wayne County Fairgrounds.

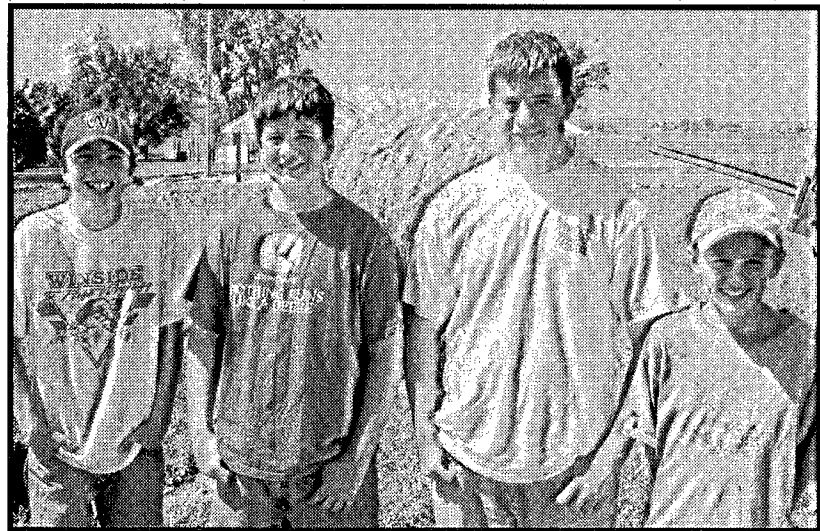
This tractor safety training allows 13 through 15 year olds who operate farm machinery on Nebraska roadways to obtain a certified special operator's permit. Tractors, skid loaders and pull-type PTO farm equipment were also on display for safety training and a final tractor driving test was given to those participating.

Area county extension educators Delroy Hemsath from Dixon County and John Hay from Pierce/Wayne Counties coordinated the training. Alan Finn from Northeast Equipment and Gary Schmeckpeper, Customer Support Representative from Gerry Miller Implement in Bloomfield helped with the 4-H Tractor Safety classes all three days.

Eleven youth attended this year's event.



Those involved with the 4-H Tractor Safety Training included, front row, left to right, Eric Haselhorst of Randolph, Cody Allen of Bloomfield, Jarret Warner of Allen, Alan Finn of Wayne, Ryan Burbach of Carroll and Gary Schmeckpeper of Bloomfield. Back row, Ben Braun of Wayne.



Others attending the Tractor Safety Training training included, left to right, Peter Hansen, Seth Mangels, Aaron Mangels and Paul Hansen, all of Winsde.



Gary Schmeckpeper works with Ryan Burbach, driving a John Deere 5520 tractor during the two-wheeled driving test.

Attorney General Bruning releases opinion on gambling initiatives

Attorney General Jon Bruning released a formal opinion stating that gambling initiatives submitted for the November election cannot be placed on the ballot. The opinion was requested by Nebraska Secretary of State John Gale.

"After taking a careful look at the issue, it is clear these gambling initiatives violate the Constitution," Bruning said.

The attorney general's opinion cites the resubmission clause of the Nebraska Constitution, which bars the same petition measure from being submitted to Nebraska voters more than once every three years. Because several gambling proposals were considered in 2004, these latest initiatives violate the resubmission provision.

"Nebraska voters sent a clear message against gambling two

years ago, and they cannot legally be subjected to another round of initiatives this year," Bruning said.

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NEXT BOOK DISCUSSION MEETING

Allen's book discussion group will be meeting again at the end of the summer. Copies of the next book, Old Jules by Mari Sandoz, are now available from Kathy Boswell.

Fifteen copies of the book were delivered to Allen this week by Kathy Ellerton of the Northeast Nebraska Library System. Interested community readers will meet to discuss Old Jules in late August or early September. Look for more specific information at a later date.

HELP FIGHT CANCER

As we think about summertime activities, please consider a worthy event occurring in cities across the country - Relay for Life. Cancer touches so many of our friends and family members and the American Cancer Society Relay for Life is a great way to help fight this terrible

disease.

Relay For Life is much more than a walk around a track. It is a time to remember those lost to cancer and celebrate those who have survived. It is a night for people who have shared the same experience to comfort and console one another. Relay gives you the power to help accelerate the Society's progress toward a future where cancer doesn't take the lives of our friends and family.

So what happens when you support the American Cancer Society through Relay For Life? You help them save lives, you help those who have been touched by cancer, and you help empower individuals to fight back against this disease. Together, we can make a difference in the lives of people facing cancer - and in the lives of the people who love them.

For more information about the American Cancer Society and Relay For Life visit them online at www.cancer.org.

Dawn Oswald will be walking on the "Wise Walkers" Relay For Life team participating in the Woodbury County Relay for Life at Heelan High School Memorial Field in Sioux City, Iowa, July 14-15. She is making beaded Cancer Awareness bracelets to raise money for her team. Bracelets are a \$5 donation with proceeds going directly to the American Cancer Society. To see a sample bracelet or to place an order call Dawn at (402) 635-2517.

CORNHUSKING FUN DAY

A new fun event will take place on Oct. 15 - the Dixon County Hand Cornhusking Fun Day. The Allen FFA chapter along with the Dixon County Historical Society and the Allen Community Club will jointly sponsor the event. The Dixon County Historical Society will have items relating to the corn picking on display at the site. Watch for more information.

COMMUNITY POTLUCK

All town and country residents of the Allen area and new comers to Allen are encouraged to attend the community potluck picnic to be held at 6 p.m. at the town park on Aug. 21. The drinks and paper products will be provided by the Community Club. There will be good food, fellowship, and entertainment as we mark the end of summer and beginning of the 2006-07 school year.

BASKETBALL CAMP BEGINS

Allen boys are sure send in your registration for the 2006 basketball camp that will be held July 17 - July 20. Boys in grades 3-6 are invited to attend 2 days - Monday, July 17 and Tuesday July 18. Grades 7-12 camp will be held on Wednesday and Thursday (19 and 20). The camp will feature two Doane basketball players along with High School Coach Matt Hingst. For more information please call Matt Hingst.

COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

Friday, July 14: Devin Hoosing, Sharon Puckett, Chad Oswald, Joy Smith, Dean and Sandy Chase (A), Lynn and Kerri Stallbaum.
Saturday, July 15: Kurt Logue,

Kyle Cullison.

Sunday, July 16: Leah McCoy, Kenneth and Lacey Rahn (A).

Monday, July 17: Todd and Missy Sullivan (A).

Tuesday, July 18: Valdemar Grimaldo, Carla Logue, Taylor Boyle, Trish Swetnam, Cody Swanda.

Wednesday, July 19: Julie Batke, April Moore, Rayme and Gloria Dowling (A).

Thursday, July 20: Mary Jacobsen, Dean Smith, Donald Davenport, Thomas M Mason, Shirley Moore, Cheri Twohig, Randy and Laura Sullivan (A).

Friday, July 21: Lane and Jaime Anderson (A), David and Jean Rahn (A).

SENIOR CENTER

Friday, July 14: BBQ pork, mashed potatoes, mixed fruit, lettuce salad.

Monday, July 17: Salmon, baked potatoes, corn, mandarin oranges.

Tuesday, July 18: Chicken, mashed potatoes, beets, cinnamon applesauce.

Wednesday, July 19: Lasagna, coleslaw, peas, cherries.

Thursday, July 20: Roast beef salad, 3 bean salad, potato salad, pears.

Friday, July 21: Swiss steak, mashed potatoes, green peppers and onions, and rhubarb sauce.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Friday, July 14: Exercise at Senior Center, 9 am

Saturday, July 15: Reception and Dance at the Allen Fire Hall for Amy (Sullivan) and Loren Bymr

Monday, July 17: Exercise at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Basketball camp, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Tuesday, July 18: Somerset at Senior Center, 1:30 p.m.; Basketball camp, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Wednesday, July 19: Exercise at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Basketball, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Thursday, July 20: Message Day at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Basketball camp, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Friday, July 21: Exercise at Senior Center, 9 a.m.

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NDA reminds seniors of nutrition program

The Nebraska Department of Agriculture (NDA) is reminding Nebraska seniors of a current program that allows them to receive fresh fruits and vegetables at no cost. The Seniors Farmers' Market Nutrition Program (SFMNP) is operated with \$228,731 in U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) grant money awarded to NDA earlier this year.

"The Seniors Farmers' Market Nutrition Program helps improve the nutrition of Nebraska's low-income senior citizens, along with providing Nebraska's farmers with an additional market for their produce," said NDA Director Greg Ibach. "Around 6,300 seniors are expected to utilize the program this year."

The SFMNP, established as a pilot program in 2001 and authorized in the 2002 Farm Bill, provides low-income seniors with coupons that can be exchanged for fresh produce at farmers' markets, roadside stands, U-pick operations and community-supported agriculture (CSA) programs. The SFMNP is intended to provide fresh, nutritious, locally grown fruits, vegetables and herbs to low-income seniors and to increase the consumption of agricultural commodities by expanding or aiding in the development of farmers' markets and other outlets.



Nebraska's SFMNP is a joint effort including the Nebraska Department of Agriculture, Nebraska Health and Human Services - State Unit on Aging, the Nebraska Farmers' Market Association and the University of Nebraska - Lincoln Department of Agronomy and Horticulture. Coupons are available to low-income seniors during the months of June, July and August from their local senior centers. Free copies of the "Your Guide to Nebraska Fresh Produce," which identifies the locations of Nebraska Farmers' markets, roadside stands, U-pick operations and CSA's are available from the Nebraska Department of Agriculture by calling 800-422-6692 or visiting www.agr.ne.gov.

Low-income seniors interested in more information about the SFMNP coupons or local producers interested in registering to accept SFMNP coupons should contact the Nebraska Department of Agriculture at 402-471-4876 or 800-422-6692.

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New books are in at Wayne Public Library

There are a number of new books in at the Wayne Public Library. The list is as follows:

Fiction: Allston, Aaron, Star Wars: legacy of the force: betrayal; Baer, Robert, Blow the house down; Cadbury, Deborah, Space rent: the epic battle between America and the Soviet Union for dominion of Space; Cornwell, Patricia Daniels, At risk; Deaver, Jeffrey, The Cold Moon; Dunning, John, The book-woman's last fling; Evanovich, Janet, Twelve Sharp; Ian Flaconer, Olivia forms a band; Freedman, Dave, Natural Selection; Finder, Joseph, Killer Instinct; Glass, Julia, The whole world over; Gregson, J.M., Witch's Sabbath; Griffin, W.E.B., The saboteurs; Hart, John, The king of lies; Hyde, Elisabeth, The abortionists daughter; Johansen, Iris, Killer dreams; Karp, Marshall, The Rabbit Factory; King, Laurie R., The Art of Detection; Koontz, Dean, The husband; Lasher, William, Marked man; Lowell, Elizabeth, The Wrong Hostage; McCullough, Colleen, On, Off; McMurty, Larry, Telegraph Days; Michaels, Fern, Sweet Revenge; Moore, Christopher, A dirty job; Moore, Jane, The second wives club; Parker, Robert B., Blue screen; Pearl, Matthew, The poe shadow; Pickard, Nancy, The virgin of small plains; Preston, Douglas, The book of the dead; Rothe, Philip, Everyman; Turtledove, Harry, Fort Pillow; Updike, John, Terrorist.

Non-fiction: Ehrman, Bart D., Peter, Paul and Mary Magdalene; Bible, N.T. Gospels English Authorized, Selections 2005; Chesterson, G.K., Orthodoxy; Wisdom of our fathers, Lessons and letters from daughters and sons; Courtney, Richard, Buyers are liars and sellers are too; Giford, Allen L., Living well with HIV & Aids; Dreyer, Danny, ChiWalking; Doyle, Brian, The Grail; Hessler, Peter, Oracle bones; Kohut, Andrew, America against the world: how we are different and why we are disliked; Brinkley, Douglas, The great deluge.

Biography: Angell, Roger, Let Me Finish; Secrest, Meryle, Leonard Bernstein: a life.

Large print fiction/non-fiction: Cornwell, Patricia Daniels, At risk; Goudge, Eileen, Immediate family; McCullough, Colleen, On, Off; Parker, Robert, Blue screen; Robards, Karen, Vanished; Sandford, John, Dead watch; Quick, Amanda, Second sight.
Juvenile Biography: Borden,

Louise, The Journey that saved Curious George; Johnson, Dolores, Onward.

Juvenile Non-fiction: Turner, Pamela S., Gorilla doctors: saving endangered apes; Collard, Sneed B., The prairie builders: reconstructing America's lost grasslands; Cowley, Joy, Chameleon chameleon; Hatkoff, Isabella, Owen and mzee: the true story of a remarkable friendship; Helfer, Ralph, The world's greatest elephant; Karas, Brian, On earth; Pearson, Susan, Who swallowed Harold; And other poems about pets; Stafford, William, The Mozart myths: a critical reassessment; Turner, Pamela S., Gorilla doctors: saving endangered.

Nebraska: Sandlin, Lisa, In the river province.

Juvenile fiction: Capucilli, Alyssa Satin, Little spotted cat; Armstrong, Alan W., Whittington; Broach, Elise, Shakespeare's secret; Bruchac, Joseph, Code Talker; Dowell, Frances O'Roark, Chicken boys; King-Smith, Dick, The catlady; Lupica, Mike, Heat; Nolan, Lucy, Down girl and sit; Park, Barbara, Junie B. first grader aloha-ha-ha; Stauffacher, Sue, Harry Sue; Wersba, Barbara, Walter: the story of a rat; Wilson, Diane L., Black storm coming; Beaumont, Karen, I ain't gonna pinat no more; Bennett, Kelly, Not Norman: a goldfish story; Del Negro, Janice, Willa and the wind; DiCamillo, Kate, Mercy Watson to the rescue; Ehler, Lois, Leaf Man; George, Jean Craighead, Luck; Handford, Martin, Where's Waldo? The great picture hunt; Haseley, Dennis, The invisible moose; Herman, R.A., Gomer & Little Gomer; King, Stephen Michael, Mutt Dog!, Kotzeinkle, William, Walter the farting dog goes on a cruise; Leaf, Munro, Noodle; Monks, Lydia, Aaaargghh! Spider!; Mora, Pat, Dona Flor: a tall tale about a giant woman with a great big heart; Richardson, Justin, And Tango makes three; Robinson, Fay, Faucet fish; Rohmann, Eric, Clara and Asha; Scotton, Rob, Russell and the lost treasure; Wilson, Karma, Moose tracks.

Books on Tape/CD: Capte, Truman, In cold blood; Cornwell, Patricia, At risk.
Video/DVD: National Geographic Asteroids' deadly impact; The sixth of the traveling pants; Indiana Jones and the last crusade; Basic yoga workout for dummies.

Wayne State students take fourth place in national competition

Four Wayne State College students received fourth place in the Teamworks event at the 2006 Skills USA competition held in Kansas City, Mo. June 19-23.

The four students, Brett Forsman (graduate assistant, Technology & Applied Science Department), T J Hilsinger (senior, Industrial Technology Education), Dan Hayes (senior, Construction Management) and Shane Hafke (sophomore, Construction Management and Planning and Design) won the Nebraska Skills USA competition held in Columbus on March 26-29, making them eligible to represent Nebraska at the national competition.

This year's Teamworks project was a bathroom. Competition consisted of teams of four individuals who were to lay block and brick, frame a floor system, frame a wall

system (with wood and steel), set a window, install siding, rough-in and install plumbing and electrical. The teams had two eight-hour days to complete the task. The students were then judged on percentage of the work done, quality of the work, team work and safety.

"I was very impressed," said Jason Novotny, student adviser. "I was hoping we would do well but didn't know what to expect. The students hung in there with the best students from all over the United States. Most of our competitors were students from one- or two-year certificate programs so it was really exciting to see four-year students so technically skilled."

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Blue Ox announces organizational changes

Blue Ox has announced organizational changes in the Human Resources and Marketing teams to better serve their customers by strengthening its foundation and continually exceed customer expectations.

The Human Resources team will now be reporting directly to Gerald Karlen, Vice President of Finance. Karlen has overseen this area in years past and has considerable experience and knowledge that will be invaluable in the management of personnel as well as policy coordination with governmental agencies. He has been with the company for 39 years and lives in Pender with his wife Jean. Their three children (Julia, Jaima, and Jacki) are married with Julia and Jaima having children of their own. Jaima (Geisert) is the Treasurer for Blue Ox.

Ellen Kietzmann has assumed additional responsibilities and has been named Vice President of Sales and Marketing. Previously, she oversaw Human Resources and Sales. Kietzmann has a vast amount of experience in these areas and has been largely responsible for the continued growth and

excellence these teams have generated in recent years. She has been with Blue Ox for 12 years this coming August.

Prior to Blue Ox, Kietzmann worked for Michael Foods, headquartered in Minneapolis, Minn. as well as was interim professor at Wayne State College. She graduated from Iowa State University with a Masters in Business Communications earning her bachelors at South Dakota State University.

Kietzmann has been an active member of the RV industry since 1998 serving in a variety of capacities. Most recently she is serving as Task Team Leader for RVIA's Committee of Excellence Customer Warranty Task team. Additionally she has served in a variety of capacities for RVAA (Recreational Vehicle Aftermarket Association) and most recently was elected as the first woman President of the Association holding a two-year term. She is also actively involved with RVDA (Recreational Vehicle Dealer Association) serving on the Conference and Education Committees. In September of 2005 and 2002, Kietzmann was honored

with receiving the RVDA Chairman's Service Award at their convention in Las Vegas.

Kietzmann resides in Wayne with her two daughters, Miranda and Kaitlan. Miranda has also worked at Blue Ox as a part time associate on the marketing team.

Jason Erb has accepted the position of Marketing Manager, and will be working directly with Ellen Kietzmann. Jason received his bachelors from Wayne State College with a double major in Management and Marketing. He will be responsible for overseeing the marketing, motor sports, Park and Resort teams, and the Destination America Rally sales and service teams.

Throughout his tenure he has worked in numerous capacities. For the past two years, Erb has provided educational seminars, meetings, and conducting trainings

while functioning as the Blue Ox Corporate Trainer. He also managed the coordination of Blue Ox Presidents Club Technical trainings. In prior years, he has served as a territory manager, provided direct assistance to our customers, as well as overseeing our Road to Excellence seminars. Erb brings a wealth of knowledge of our company and products to the table.

Erb has been with Blue Ox for nearly 10 years. He and his wife, Denise, live in Wakefield with their three year old son, Justin. In his leisure time, Jason enjoys spending time with his family, golfing, camping, snowmobiling, and is an avid motorcycle enthusiast and is a dedicated Husker fan.

For further information or questions contact Blue Ox; One Mill Rd., PO Box P, Pender Neb. 68047; phone (402) 385-3051; Fax (402) 385-3360; e-mail info@blueox.us

Care needed for new and established trees to maintain health during drought

Continued drought across Nebraska is causing community tree inventories to decline, a Nebraska Forest Service expert said.

Nebraskans should pay particular attention to their trees and thoroughly water them if they begin to show signs of leaf droop or drying of foliage, especially at leaf edges, said Eric Berg, Nebraska Forest Service community forestry program leader.

"Extended dry periods can result in tree decline or even death," Berg said. "Community tree inventories conducted during the last 30 years indicate a decline in the total number of community trees across the state. This is due in part to severe weather but also due to drought."

When trees are unable to take up enough moisture, they may begin to show signs of stress and become more susceptible to insect and disease infestation.

Newly planted trees are particularly at risk during prolonged dry periods. Some water stress may be impossible to avoid.

"Extremely hot, windy weather can cause wilting or browning of foliage, even when soil moisture is normal," Berg says. "If severe weather is short lived, healthy trees can recover on their own. During a prolonged drought though, watering should be done to help reduce the effects of stress."

To check soil moisture in the tree's root zone, push a long screwdriver or similar object into the soil. If soil moisture is adequate, it should be fairly easy to push the screwdriver into the ground six to eight inches, Berg said. If the ground is dry and in need of watering it typically is very difficult to push the screwdriver in beyond a couple of inches.

Deep, thorough watering will provide the most benefit to trees. Excessive watering, especially in heavy soils, may force air from the soil and cause roots to suffocate. Soil should be kept moist but not soggy.

"Infrequent deep watering, equivalent to one or two inches of rain, is most beneficial for trees because it promotes healthier root systems, which are better able to sustain trees during times of drought," Berg says. "Frequent shallow watering will only favor grass growth."

One of the best methods for deep, slow watering is to set a hose on the ground somewhere under the outermost edge of the tree's canopy. This area is known as the drip line. A tree's root system typically spreads beyond the width of its

canopy. If trees are watered only around the trunk, their root system may not fully develop. Watering in the drip line will promote healthy root system development, Berg said.

Run a trickle of water low enough to allow the water to sink into the soil and let it run for a couple of hours, periodically moving the hose around the drip line.

Homeowners should keep in mind that root damage, soil compaction, wilt diseases and insect infestations also can cause symptoms similar to those of water stress.

"If the tree does not respond to watering it may be an indication that something else is wrong," Berg said. "In these cases, a certified arborist should be contacted to help identify and manage the problem."

More information about locating a certified arborist may be found by visiting <http://www.nfs.unl.edu/CFA/ARBLIST.HTM> or contacting the Nebraska Forest Service.

The Nebraska Forest Service is a part of the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Looking for correspondents

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Down payment assistance available

Are you thinking about buying your first home and the house needs some repair and you don't have a down payment? Wayne Community Housing Development Corporation has a program that may help you buy the house you never thought you could afford.

The Home Purchase/ Rehab/ Resell (HPRR) utilizes HOME funds from the Department of Housing and Urban Development to provide up to 20 percent down payment assistance to any homebuyers who meet the income eligibility requirements and wish to purchase an older single-family residence needing some rehabilitation.

The Wayne Community Housing Development Corporation (WCHDC) works with eligible homebuyers to identify older housing stock that needs improvement

to bring them in line with current housing standards. WCHDC will purchase the property, perform the necessary improvements in cooperation with the family's wishes, and resell the residence to the family with up to 20 percent down payment assistance to help make the first mortgage financing possible.

Incomes for households for one person - \$37,800, 2 persons - \$43,200, 3 persons - \$48,600, 4 persons - \$54,000, 5 persons - \$58,300, 6 persons - \$62,600, 7 persons - \$67,000, 8 persons - \$71,300.

This program has limited funding and assistance will be granted on a first-come first-serve basis.

If you are interested in any of these programs, please call Della Pries at the Wayne Community Housing Development Corporation at 375-5266.

Concord News

Suzie Johnson
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MAGNUSON REUNION
The Carl Johan and Jenny Rosetta Otelia (Johnson) Magnuson descendants held their annual family reunion at the Laurel City Auditorium on July 2.

Forty-two members were in attendance. Guests were from Gretna, Omaha, Schuyler, Tecumseh, Wayne, Laurel, Concord and the state of Indiana. Hosts for the day were the Oscar Johnson daughters, Vandelyn Hanson of Concord and Blanche Backstrom of Wayne and their families. The day was spent visiting.

Hosts for the July, 2007 reunion will be the family of Arvid Peterson, to be held on the first Sunday at the same place.

GOLDBERG REUNION
The Family of Swan Lars and Albertina (Kampe) Goldberg gathered for their annual family reunion in the home of Kristi and Mike McKamy in Omaha. It was held on July 4 with 52 descendants attending from Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, Iowa, Indiana and Texas.

The highlight of the day was the celebration of Luther Goldberg's 104th birthday (Aug. 29) and his brother Wymore Goldberg's 93rd birthday (July 23). A birthday cake and ice cream were served in their honor. Those attending from the local area were: Ardyce Johnson, Laurel, Lee and Joyce

Johnson, Dixon, and Ernie and Lyla Swanson of Wayne.
SENIOR POTLUCK
The Concord/Dixon Senior Potluck was held at the Senior Center in Concord on July 7 with 24 in attendance. Vicar Karen Tjarks gave a devotion. President Roy Stohler conducted the business meeting and told about the Area Agency on Aging matching 41 percent of supplies needed for the Center.

Reports were accepted from the Secretary and Treasurer. Bills for the carpet cleaning, new furnace, air conditioner, and telephone were paid.

Two 'thank you's' were signed for the Gardner Foundation and the Area Agency on Aging for the new computer, fax machine and printer. Roy received a certificate of recognition at the meeting in Norfolk. A 'pie day' will be held in September. Betty Bothwell and Dolores Erwin will bring cakes for the bingo day on Aug. 4.

A motion was made, seconded and carried to keep the current slate of officers: Roy Stohler - Chairperson; Frances Borg - Vice Chair; Shirley Stohler - Secretary; Treasurer - Dolores Erwin.

They plan to travel to Emerson for noon lunch on Friday, Sept. 1 with an early meeting before hand.

Betty Anderson gave a health report about Alzheimers. The next 'potluck' day will be held on Friday, Aug. 4 at noon.

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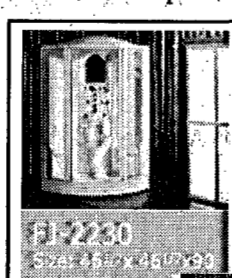
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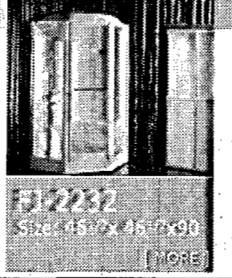
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The family of Kathleen (Kay) Kemp wants to express their sincere thanks to everyone who was a part of our mother, grandmother's and great grandma's life.

To Denny, Dave, Mark, Tom and all the EMT'S and Nurses who dropped everything they were doing at a moment's notice at all hours of the day or night when called.

To Dr. Martin and all the Drs., nurses, technicians and staff at Wayne Mercy Medical. To Providence Medical Center and it's staff who made each of her stays there as pleasant as possible. To the volunteers who delivered meals on wheels and to the businesses in Wayne that delivered groceries and prescriptions that made it possible for her to continue to live at home for so long. Thank God for small town living.

To Susan, her wonderful staff and to all of the friends she made at the Oaks for making it feel so much like "home". To Pastor Mary Browne for her prayers, many visits and kind words. To Pastor Scott Evans for the wonderful service. To all her friends who came to visit her. To the Naomi circle group. To everyone at KTCH.

And to our many friends who have offered sympathy, kindness, flowers, food, memorials or just a shoulder and a hug. Thank you. We are truly blessed to live in such a wonderful community.

Mick Kemp, Carla, John, Christian and Benjamin Fritz, Brian Kemp, Amy and Aaron Strawn and Ron Surber.

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Thank you to everyone who has shown concern since Tyler's accident. A big thanks to Gary West P.A., Dr. Lindau and the staff at FMC!

You were all great to us during Tyler's stay. Thanks to Tyler's grandparents for your wonderful support.

Rich, Judy & Tyler Poehman

THANK YOU to the Amazing Grace Relay for Life team and Ron Sebade for the 1/2 hog I won in their raffle. Kathleen Frevert

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