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Commissioners approve

Health and Human Services building to close during inclement weather

By Lynn Sievers Of the Herald

Wayne County Board of Commissioners met in regular session Tuesday at the courthouse in Wayne. On the agenda were two social services issues; one was the closing of the Health and Human Services building east of Wayne during inclement weather when the Wayne courthouse closes, which the commissioners approved. Also approved was a quote of \$161 to replace the door threshold and weatherstripping and \$298 to replace the storm door on the west side of the Health and Human Services building.

Final action was taken on the Rugby Tournament Lodging Tax application. Also approved was the resolution for Livestock due to the new docket program that is Friendly County designation for Wayne

County. Discussion was held on a justice system data line to the court services building. Installation of the data line would allow the district court judge to communicate with the justice system. It was noted that the State would pay to bring the connection to the courthouse. The additional connection to the court services building must be paid for by the county. If the data line is not installed, the charge for a separate line will be \$1,000 a month. Commissioner

Kelvin Wurdeman said it would be less expensive to put the line on the west side of the courthouse as there is less concrete there. The commissioners gave authorization to get an estimate for the work, which should be brought to the next meeting.

Action on road and bridge business items was taken. Highway Superintendent Elizabeth Carlson noted two bids were received for a new dump truck for district 3. Approval was given for a freightliner for \$85,940 from Norfolk Truck Center in Norfolk.

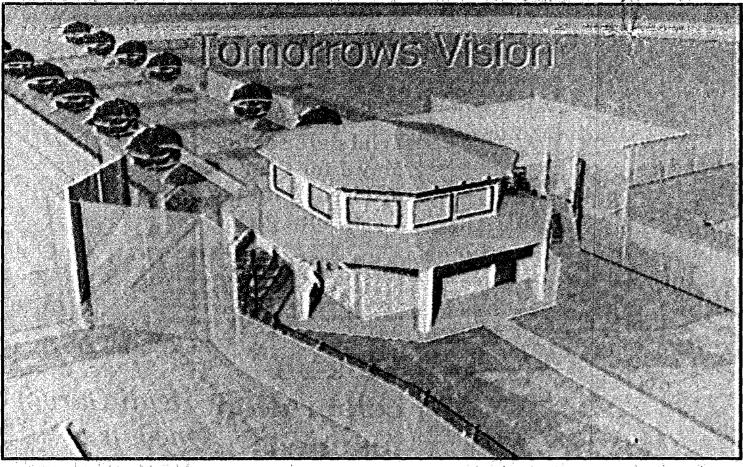
KimBerly Hansen, clerk magistrate, spoke to the board about having a courtroom desk built and wiring installed for the county court. The need for the desk is mandated by the Supreme Court. Because of keyboards and monitors needed on the bench and the desk the board was presented with two quotes for the desk project. No special funds will be allocated for the project as Hansen has the money in her budget. The desk will be used by both county district court. The project was approved by the board.

The next meeting of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners will be on Tuesday, April 3 at 9 a.m. at the court-



Bidding for the birds

A large crowd was on hand for the annual Logan Creek Chapter of Pheasants Foreyer Banquet on Friday. Those in attendance were able to learn of the work done by the local chapter in promoting pheasant hunting throughout the area. In addition, both a live and silent auction were held for a variety of items and several games were conducted.



This drawing shows the proposed concession/restroom facility at the Summer Sports Complex.

Sports Complex to benefit from fundraiser

By Clara Osten Of the Herald

Approximately 18 months ago, a group was formed to work on the upgrade of the restroom and concession stand at the Wayne Summer Sports Complex.

Since that time the group has developed a plan for a building to replace the deteriorating facility currently being used by youth and adults throughout community.

Operating under a mission statement that notes "the Wayne Summer Sports Complex will provide a facility that will promote wholesome activities that address the needs, interests and expectations for families and Wayne area citizens for generations to come," the committee came up with a plan to address a number of issues that would help make the facility reach its economic potential for the community.

The cost for the construction of a twostand, handicap accessible bathrooms and a second level for multi-use is \$125,000.

"At the present time, approximately \$40,000 in cash contributions and pledges have been received. This includes a \$10,000 pledge from the Wayne Blue Devil Booster Club over a two-year period, \$5,000 from First National of Omaha and \$2,000 over two years from BankFirst," said Doug Carroll, a member of committee.

Other contributors have included the

received and the City of Wayne plans to upgrade the utilities to the complex this summer. This will include new water lines and power lines, which will accommodate lighting to the four fields.

In addition to local fundraising efforts, a grant committee is looking into a number of grant funding opportunities.

The committee hopes to meet its \$125,000 goal by October so Phase I of the project can begin. Phase I includes the concession stand/ restroom upgrade and Phase II will involve additional/improved lighting to the fields.

Committee members note these improvements will have a positive economic impact to the community.

"At the present time, there are approximately 25 adult teams that use the facility for a tournament during the Chicken story building containing a new concession. Show, but that is the only major event there. We can't bid for tournaments the way things are now. Hopefully, with these improvements we will be able to bring additional tournaments to town, which will benefit the community," said Laura Gamble, another member of the Complex committee.

A major fundraiser has been scheduled for Sunday, April 1 at the National Guard Armory in Wayne.

The event includes a pancake/ omelet Wayne Softball Association, the Wayne feed being served from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. A Kiwanis Club and the Wayne County free-will donation will be accepted. In addi-

Jaycees. In-kind donations have been tion, a Live Youth Labor Auction begins at noon with 11 groups of youth available for "purchase." The youth will perform spring cleaning, yard work or other tasks for a three-hour time period.

A silent auction will be conducted for theme baskets donated by local families throughout the event.

Organizers stress that the April 1 event is a kick-off to get everyone in the community involved in "creating an improved facility which will benefit the entire community."

The fundraising committee has also established a raffle to be held the first day of each month, with a grand prize to be given away in October during demolition of the current concession stand/ restroom.

As part of the fundraising effort, levels of giving have been established and naming opportunities patterned after a similar facility the group toured in Arlington.

Those contributing \$20,000 will have the opportunity to name one of the four fields, while anyone contributing \$75,000 will be able to name the entire complex.

Other levels of giving include - \$150 to \$249, Single; \$250 to \$499, Double; \$500 to \$749, Triple; \$750 to \$999, Home Run; \$1,000 to \$4,999, Grand Slam and \$5,000 and up, Hall of Fame.

The number of persons using the Complex has grown considerably since it

Celebrating America's Hometown Heroes with the American Red Cross

Heroes...you could be sitting next to a best when times are at their worst. They hero, right now. Every year, the President are disaster responders. They help the of the United States declares that March is Red Cross provide food, shelter, comfort Red Cross Month. But maybe what they've been saying all along is that March is "Hero Month," because that's what the American Red Cross is all about-heroes. The Red Cross is where ordinary people become real life, hometown heroes.

president since Franklin Roosevelt? Why would each one of them declare that March is Red Cross Month? Maybe Ronald Reagan said it best when he said: "The spirit of volunteerism is deeply ingrained in us as a nation. The American people understand that there are no substitutes for gifts of service given from the heart." Or as he put it more succinctly, "We don't heroes. They're all around us."

Today, heroes are still all around us. They're the volunteers, employees and donors of the Red Cross-our own hometown heroes.

In March, join the Red Cross in celebrating our hometown heroes-and not just those connected to the Red Cross, but all our hometown heroes...our firemen, police officers, teachers, nurses and anyone whose spontaneous display of compassion and courage earns them the right to be called a hero! Tell them how much they mean to our community. Say "thanks" for all they do to make our towns a safer, healthier and better place to live. And thank them for showing us that our neighbors in need aren't only down the block, but are also across the country or around the globe.

Every year across the country and right here in Northeast Nebraska, the Red Cross gives ordinary people the chance to ask extraordinary? Many of them discover that they have the power to be at their very

and hope for people whose lives are disrupted by disaster. In 2006 the Red Cross reached a historic

mark. It was 125 years ago that the famous Clara Barton became the ultimate Hometown Hero when she founded the But what is it about the Red Cross that American Red Cross. Since then, neighcould earn the unanimous support of every bors helping neighbors has grown to become part of the fabric of America. What's most remarkable, is that most of this work-96 percent-was done by volunteers-our own hometown heroes-who generously gave their time to help others.

Most people think of the Red Cross as responding to major disasters like hurricanes Katrina and Rita, or international disasters like the tsunamis. And they're have to turn to our history books for right, But we also respond to the immediate human needs, like food, water and shelter that result from more than 70,000 disasters each year-most of them single and multi-family home fires.

When disasters strike, we understand that first responders need care too, so we always provide support and comfort to those most important hometown heroes, our fire fighters, police officers, emergency medical personnel and other first responders.

That is why this year the Red Cross is placing special emphasis on house fires. Ask yourself: are you prepared? Do you have smoke alarms in your home? Do you have a family plan for what to do if your home catches fire? If your answer to any of those questions is "no" then please, contact the Red Cross. We can help you prevent and prepare for a potential fire in your home. You will be safer, your family will be safer and so will your community.

Following the unimaginable impact of themselves those same questions: What is Hurricanes Katrina and Rita, and the termy special ability? What can I do that's rible tornadoes that struck Florida in early

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WSC to host Legislative Forum

Legislative Forum, co-sponsored by Wayne (District 16) will be present to answer State College and the Wayne Area questions about the Legislature in general Chamber of Commerce Legislative Task Force, will be held Friday, March 23.

The forum, which will run from 11 a.m. to noon, will be held in the Gardner School) on the Wayne State College campus. Speaker of the Legislature Mike Flood from Norfolk (District 19), Senator Pat See BENEFIT, Page 4A Engel from South Sioux City (District 17) WAEDI Office at (402) 375-2240.

The 16th Annual Northeast Nebraska and Senator Kent Rogert from Tekamah and specific questions relating to the 2007 session.

The forum will be preceded by the weekly Wayne Chamber of Commerce coffee in Auditorium in Gardner Hall (Business the Gardner Hall lobby beginning at 10

> The public is encouraged to attend both events. For more information: Call the



Obituaries

Heino Siefken

Heino Siefken, 91, of Columbus, died Tuesday, March 13, 2007 at the Columbus Community Hospital.

Services were held Saturday, March 17 at St. John's Lutheran Church near Columbus with the Rev. Brad Birtell officiating.

Heino Siefken was born Oct. 22, 1915, on a farm south west of Leigh, to Fred and Louise Wilhelmina "Minnie" (Rosche) Siefken. He was baptized at Christ Lutheran Church and confirmed at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Columbus. He also attended Immanuel Lutheran Grade School. He worked on the family grain and dairy farm with his father and would deliver the milk to the neighbors. He joined the US Army on May 18, 1942, and was honorably discharged because of medical reasons on July 28, 1943. He married Esther Kapels on Oct. 24, 1943, at St. John's Lutheran Church, They moved to Wayne where they farmed for a couple of years. In 1945 they moved back to the Columbus area where, they continued farming until retirement. For many years he sold Hoegemeyer Seed. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, where he served as secretary and trustee for several years. He was a charter member of the St. John's Lutheran Laymen League and a member of the American Legion Pieper Post #306 in Creston. He enjoyed fishing, playing cards, and welding.

Survivors include sons, Merlin and Nancy Siefken of West Des Moines, Iowa, Harlen Siefken of Homosassa, Fla. and Fred and Kathy Siefken of Columbus; daughter-in-law, JoAnn Johnson of Lincoln; eight grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; five step-great-grandchildren; two brothers, Arnold and Lois Siefken of Wayne and Emily and Betty Siefken of Fort Collins, Colo.; two sisters, Elna and Elmer Janssen of Columbus and Lillian and Norbert Wieting of Delmont, S.D. and one sister-in-law, Helen

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Esther; one son, Delbert Siefken; one brother, Ernest Siefken and one sister, Edna

Memorials are directed to the St. John's Lutheran School. Condolences may be sent to www.gasshaney.com

Burial was in the parish cemetery. Military honors were presented by The American Legion Honor Guard, Pieper Post #306. The Gass Haney Funeral Home in Columbus was in charge of arrangements.

Alma Eakin

Alma Eakin, 99, of Wayne died Tuesday, March 13, 2007 at Premier Estates Senior Living Community in Wayne. Services were held Friday, March 16 at Hasemann-Schumacher

Funeral Home in Wayne. Merton Marshall officiated.



Alma Sorine Eakin was born July 2, 1907 in Denver, Colorado to Hans and Kirstine (Olesen) Thomsen. The family homesteaded on the prairie in Sansarc, S. D. before moving to Pierre. Following World War I, Alma moved with her family to Norre Nebel, Denmark. She later returned to the United States to live in Elgin, Ill., where she assembled Elgin watches for 15 years. She married Charles Eakin on Oct. 10, 1942 at Brookings, S. D. The couple lived in Pierre until 1978 when they retired and then moved to Wayne to be closer to their daughter and grandchildren. She attended Faith Independent Baptist Church in Wayne. She enjoyed playing the piano, gardening, and most of all,

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camping and spending time with her grandchildren.

at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15.

Relay For Life Events

Legion birthday party

School/Community meeting

Mar. 15

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WAYNE - This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday,

WAYNE - The Wayne County Relay For Life meeting will

be held Tuesday, March 27 at 5:30 p.m. at Uncle Dave's in

Wayne. All interested persons are encouraged to attend, espe-

cially those interested in forming a team for this year's event.

The meeting will be followed by committee meetings at 6:30.

Also, a basketball game is being planned between the Wayne

Community School faculty and staff and the K-MEG All-Stars.

The event will be held Sunday, April 1 at 2 p.m. at the Wayne

Community Activity Center. A free will donation will be

accepted with all proceeds going toward school's Relay team,

CARROLL - The annual Carroll Legion Birthday Card

party will be held Tuesday, March 27 at 2 p.m. All

Legionnaires, spouses and auxiliary members are invited to

LAUREL - A School/Community meeting will be held

Tuesday, March 27 at the Learning Center in Laurel, begin-

ning at 7 p.m. with participants from the Feb. 27 Board/

School/ Community Innovation Labs Workshop will meet, fol-

lowed by a community meeting at 8 p.m. which is open to all

March 23 at Gardner Hall on the Wayne State campus in con-

junction with the annual Legislative Forum. The coffee begins

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attend.

district patrons.

Survivors include her children, Loren and Marilee Eakin of Mesa, Ariz. and Selma and John Addison of Wayne; three grandchildren; three greatgrandchildren; one brother, Ejnar Thomsen of Elgin, Ill. and three nieces. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Charles in 1996; infant son, Arthur Richard and one sister, Emma Thomsen

Honorary pallbearer was Thor Flatmoe. Active pallbearers were Davin Flatmoe, Kevin Addison, Sean Addison, Bill Wilson, Al Heikes and Mert Marshall.

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

Veryl Jackson

Veryl J. Jackson, 78, of Winside, died Monday, March 19, 2007 at Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk.



Services will be held Friday, March 23 at 10:30 a.m. at the New England Congregational Church at Stanton, The Rev. Mary Beth Cross and the Rev. Gail Axen will officiate. Visitation will be from 3 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, March 22 at Schultz-Vogel-Johnson Mortuary in Stanton.

Veryl Jean Jackson was born March 1, 1929 the daughter of Harold and Hazel (Pont) Schellpeper at the farm home of her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pont near Stanton. She was raised on a farm in northeast Stanton County. She attended grade school at Schellpeper District #23 and graduated from Stanton High School in 1946. She attended Commercial Extension School in Omaha, graduating in 1947. For the next three years she worked in the Stanton County

Clerk's office. On March 12, 1950 she married Charles Jackson at the New England Congregational Church in Stanton. For 17 years they farmed in the Winside area and in 1967 they moved into Winside. She was an active member of Wayne Chapter #194 Order of Eastern Star, she was initiated into the Order on Dec. 20, 1954, held the office of Worthy Matron in 1972 and held several offices until 2000. She was a member in good standing at the time of her death. She was employed by Winside Public School 95R as a bus driver for 21 years, retiring in December 1988. She was a member of the Winside Lutheran Hospital Service Guild, Co-Chairperson of Winside Centennial Committee, Member of the Winside Historical Museum Society and Charter member of the Scattered Neighbors Home Extension Club. The family belonged to the Winside Saddle Club in the 1960's and were in partnership in operating Winside Roller Rink from 1964 to 1969. Bridge Club, dancing and visiting relatives and friends were some of her favorite hobbies.

Survivors include her husband Charles Jackson of Winside; children Barbara Jackson of Norfolk; Bob Jackson of Omaha; Scott and Patty Jackson of Winside; daughter-in-law, Julie Jackson of Lincoln; three grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; one brother Ronald and JoAnne Schellpeper of Stanton.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one brother Daryl; one son, James in 2006 and one grandchild, Mark Jackson.

Honorary pallbearers will be members of the Scattered Neighbors Home Extension Club and close friends, Lois Krueger, LaJeane Marotz, Verna Miller, Lois Miller, Mary Ann Thies, Rosalie Deck, Doris Marotz, Marse Langenberg and Evelyn Hoeman.

Active pallbearers will be Robert Stassen, Robert Schellpeper, Brad Schellpeper, Matthew Jackson, Nathan Jackson and Scott Jackson. Burial will be in the Stanton Cemetery in Stanton. Shultz-Vogel-

Johnson Mortuary in Stanton is in charge of arrangements. Online sympathies may be made at www.johnsonfuneralhomes.net

Gordon Starks

Gordon Starks, 81 of Wayne died Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at Premier

Estates Senior Living Community in Wayne.

Services will be held Friday, March 23 at 10:30 a.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne. The Rev. Kim Stover and the Rev. William Koeber will officiate. Visitation will be Thursday, March 22 from 3 to 8 p.m. at Hasemann Schumacher Funeral Home in Wayne.

Gordon Kenneth Starks was born March 22, 1925 on a farm near Coleridge, Nebraska to Stanley and Virgie (Hutchings) Starks, He was baptized and confirmed at the Methodist Church in Allen. He graduated from Coleridge High School. On July 25, 1945 he married Alice Irene Kastrup at the Methodist Church Parsonage in Allen. He worked on the farm when they were first married then was employed in the electric and appliance business for many years. The couple lived in various communities in northeast Nebraska, moving into Wayne in 1983. They owned and operated Starks Electric until retiring. He was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne and International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. He moved to Premier Estates in 2004. He enjoyed fishing and hunting, but most of all working on small appliances.

Survivors include four sons, Jerry and Peggy Starks of Sioux City, Iowa, John Starks of Valley, Jack and Trudy Starks of Concord, and Jule and Debra Starks of Salt Lake City, Utah; two daughters, Jane and Bill Lubberstedt and June Resso, all of Wayne; 10 grandchildren; 14 greatgrandchildren; four brothers, Don and Sandy Starks of Elkhorn, Darrell and June Starks of Waterloo, Jim and Carol Starks of Dakota City, and Virgil and Bing Starks of Omaha; two sisters, Norma Linafelter of South Sioux City and Barbara and Delmar Holdorf of Wayne; nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, wife, Alice in 1997, and one infant sister, Judy.

Memorials may be made to Our Savior Lutheran Church and Premier Estates Senior Living Community.

Honorary pallbearers will be Gordon's granddaughters Ketta, Krissy, Kellie, Tammy, Tonia, Carrie, Amy, Lindsay and Molly.

Active pallbearers will be Gerald Klinetobe Jr., Jay Kohl, Ross Palmer, Robert Boettger, Mike Kurtz and Rick Holdorf.

Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne. Hasemann-Schumacher Funeral Home in Wayne is in charge of arrangements. Memorials to Our Savior Lutheran Church and Premier Estates Senior Living Community.

Elsie Berry

Elsie D. Berry. 86 of Wayne, formerly of Omaha, died Tuesday, March 20, 2007 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Private family graveside servcies will be held at Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne. The Rev. Mary Tyler Browne will officiate. Public visitation will be held Friday, March 23 from 10 a.m. to noon at Hasemann-Schumacher Funeral Home in Wayne.

Hasemann-Schumacher Funeral Home in Wayne is in charge of

Virginia Preston

Services for Virginia Preston, 87, of Wayne will be held Friday, March 30 at 11 a.m. at First United Methodist Church in Wayne. The Rev. Mary Tyler Browne will officiate.

She died Jan. 5, 2007 in Arizona.

Janice Hartman

Janice Hartman, 72, of Dixon died Saturday, March 17, 2007 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Services were held Tuesday, March 20 at Evangelical Free Church in Concord, The Rev. Todd Thelen offici-



Janice Anne Hartman was born Aug. 5, 1934 to Frank and Margaret (Davidson) Lisle in Sioux City, Iowa. She lived her entire life in Dixon County. She attended Dixon Public School, graduated in 1952, and Wayne State College where she earned her elementary teaching certificate. Janice taught school for a total of seven years at Morning Glory Country School and Dixon and Concord Public Schools. On Dec. 26, 1955, she married Marvin Hartman at the Dixon United Methodist Church. They celebrated 50 years of marriage in December of 2005. The couple farmed north of Dixon and she was employed at Hillcrest Care Center for several years. Janice was a 50-year member of the United

Methodist Church in Dixon. She served as pianist, organist, youth sponsor, and was a member of the United Methodist Women and Gideon Auxiliary. At the time of her death she was a member of the Concord Evangelical Free Church.

Janice is survived by her husband, Marvin; son, Clayton and Sandy Hartman of Laurel; daughter, Lori and Bill Johnson of Broken Arrow, Oklahoma; seven grandchildren; two sisters, Thelma and Jens Kvols of Laurel and Marge and Don Holcomb of Rockwall, Texas; many nieces and

She was preceded in death by her parents; two brothers, John and Everett Lisle, and a sister, Florence Williams.

Active pallbearers were Janice and Marvin's grandchildren.

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

'More Than Meets The Eye' is plantetarium presentation

Wayne State College will begin and data provided by spacecraft The Eye" at the planetarium on Sunday, March 25. The show will be presented each Sunday at 3:30 p.m. until April 29 with the exception of Easter Sunday on April 8.

This program begins with a survey of objects currently visible in' objects are viewed as they might h planetarium. appear through binoculars and small telescopes, with final closeup images from observatories and various spacecraft. Weekly updates are included based on images

Trial date set for May 7 for man accused of taking West Point girl

South Dakota resident, Jamie Davis, 31, who is accused of taking an 11-year-old girl from her West Point home in January entered a plea of not guilty to a kidnapping charge. Davis is facing a trial on

Kick-off celebration planned

The Wayne Area Habitat for Humanity 'kickoff' celebration has been rescheduled for Thursday evening, March 29.

Between 5:30 and 6 p.m. individuals can drive by the building site at 1014 Douglas Street and talk to members of the construction committee. At 6 p.m. an indoor "picnic: supper of hot dogs, brats and fixings will be served at Praise Assembly of God, 1000 East 10th Street. A short program will outline the building process, and there will be information about volunteer opportunities.

For more information call Mark Hammer at 375-4768.

WSC Dress for **Success Fashion** Show to be held

Wayne State College Career and Wells Fargo Services Financial, Inc. are sponsoring 'Dress for Success" fashion show on Wednesday, March 28 at 7 p.m. at the Frey Conference Suite in the Student Center on the WSC campus. Business professional and business casual attire will be featured. There is free admission to the event. Door prizes will be given away.

Clothing for the fashion show will be provided for by Swans' Apparel in Wayne and J.C. Penney's Company. WSC students and faculty will be the models.

presentations of "More Than Meets currently studying the planets and deep space objects.

The planetarium is located at the south entrance of the Carhart Science Building on campus. Special showings may be arranged for school groups and other organi-'zation's by calling (402) 375-7343 to evening skies. These celestial contact Carl Rump, director of the



Heidi Garvin

Heidi Garvin medals at State Speech Tournament

Heidi Garvin, a junior at Wayne High, finished third in Class B Extemporaneous Speaking category at the State Speech Tournament held last week in Kearney.

This is the best finish for a Wayne speaker in the state tournament in over seven years.

"I'm very proud of Heidi," Head Coach Dwaine Spieker said. "Like many other people on our team, her season did not start off well. But thanks to her hard work throughout the season, it sure ended well."

Garvin's speech in the final round of the state tournament dealt with John Edwards' candidacy for the 2008 Democratic presidential nomination.

In Extemporaneous Speaking, students study current events, draw a topic at the meet, and are given one hour to prepare a five to seven minute speech.

Garvin received high placings in two previous rounds to qualify for finals.

Other Wayne students who competed in the tournament were Erin Zink (Informative), Maddie Jäger (Informative) and Joe Whitt (Persuasive).

"Each of the Wayne participants received at least one superior rating at the state tournament." Spieker continued. "That's something for each of them to be proud

Summer rec CARROLL Those interested in being a part of the Carroll Rec summer ball program are asked to call Robyn at (402) 585-4846 or (402) 375-4884.

Destiny Bernal, Wayne Elementary



Letters

Dear Editor,

We would like to thank the 34 donors that came to Grace Lutheran Church March 13.

collected, we recruited one new donor and the following donors reached milestones in their giving: Marlin Schuttler, 14 gallons, Mary

Temme, eight gallons, Mardelle Hallstrom, five gallons and Joyce Voyles, one gallon.

We also want to thank the ladies Thirty four units of blood were who brought and served the snacks.

Grace Lutheran Blood Bank

-Editorials

March recognizes contributions of individuals with developmental disabilities

By Cheri Matthews

Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month, observed in March, reminds us that all citizens wish to fully participate in community life, recreation, employment and education. This observance serves as an opportunity to encourage Nebraskans and all Americans to join people with developmental disabilities in working to overcome barriers that affect such basic desires as education, housing and employment.

Individuals with disabilities are valuable, contributing members of our communities. This month's tribute recognizes that people with developmental disabilities - our neighbors and friends vote, self-advocate, volunteer and work.

· A proclamation signing by Governor Heineman earlier this month commemorated March as Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month in Nebraska. Heineman urged all Nebraskans to ensure that people with developmental disabilities have the chance to learn, develop skills, work, make choices about their daily lives and be included in the community.

The most effective methods for helping improve the lives of individuals with developmental disabilities are public awareness, understanding and inclusion in the community. You can make a difference in your own neighborhood by participating in activities and organizations that promote disability awareness and inviting people with disabilities to take part in community activities and join civic organizations.

There are more than 28,000 people in Nebraska with developmental disabilities, which include individuals with mental retardation, cerebral palsy, autism, epilepsy and other seizure disorders, sensory impairments, congenital disabilities, traumatic injuries or conditions caused by polio or muscular dystrophy.

Cheri Matthews is a Regional Council Chairperson for the Nebraska Planning Council on Developmental Disabilities, which undertakes advocacy, capacity building and systemic change activities on behalf of persons with developmental disabilities and their families. Matthews' region includes the following counties: Cherry, Keya Paha, Boyd, Brown, Rock, Holt, Knox, Cedar, Dixon, Dakota, Antelope, Pierce, Wayne, Thurston, Boone, Madison, Stanton, Cuming, Burt, Platte, Colfax and Nance.

Looking Ahead in Wayne

By Lowell Johnson, City Administrator

Next City Council Meeting

The next regular meeting of the Wayne City Council will be Tuesday, March 27 at 5:30 p.m. in the city office building at 306 Pearl

New Council meeting time

Regularly scheduled Wayne city council meetings start at 5:30 p.m. Tax Increment Financing Success Story (TIF)

One of the city auditor's three suggestions for reducing property taxes is the use of TIF. The Oaks is a Wayne example of how TIF looks at the receiving end of a project.

• 1996 — \$250,000 in bond funds were loaned to The Oaks as a TIF incentive to the owners to construct a retirement center in Wayne. The project would not be built here without the TIF incentive. The new property taxes the new building generates would be used to pay off the bonds. A \$2 million building

• 2006 — The property taxes since 1996 on the new building have been used to pay off the original TIF incentive. The Oaks now generates \$63,000 real estate taxes each year, including \$34,000 to the school, \$14,000 to the city and \$11,000 to the county.

• 2007 and Beyond — The Oaks will permanently pay taxes here instead of somewhere else because

of the TIF incentive to private investors. The new property taxes used to pay off the bonds from 1996 to 2006 were not lost because they would have never been here in the first place if the building had not been built.

Goals for 2007

The top three goals from the 2007 mayor/council retreat. • Reduce the property tax level

in Wayne.

1. Meet with school and county officials to evaluate the combined effect on total property taxes.

2. Set a lower tax rate first and then solicit public participation to prioritize the use of that revenue level

• Evaluate a local sales tax after the Activity Center bonds are paid off to reduce property taxes.

1. This would need a financial analysis to determine the benefit. 2. Voter approval would be required

· Review and update rental policies for various city owned proper-

The city auditorium, activity center, fire hall and senior center all have slightly different policies and rate structures. Quote

"Those who dare to fail miserably can achieve greatly" JFK Questions or comments?

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

Capitol View

Health and Human Services like slippery critter

By Ed Howard

Statehouse Correspondent The Nebraska Press Association

A law has been enacted to revise the state's Health and Human Services System in hopes of making it more efficient.

It is altogether inappropriate for cynics, skeptics and/or taxpayers to joke that such a move should be subject to the waterlogged joke about rearranging deck chairs on the Titanic.

After all, what was decades ago referred to as the "department of welfare" is not going to disappear under the waves of government so, you can forget that "rearranging deck chairs" business.

On the other hand, it might be reasonable to say the latest reorganization of the state's biggest agency is akin to using a new brand of grease at a hog-wrestling contest, in hopes of making it a little easier to hold on to those big, slippery critters.

And have no doubt of it: The Health and Human Services System is the biggest, most slippery thing among state government's bureaucratic livestock.

It is easy to understand why the Nebraska agency, like those in most other states, is always fair game for criticism. The criticism is most legitimate, too. These agencies are responsible for some of the most important services government provides, to some of the neediest citizens. When mistakes are made, when things go wrong, anything from a frustrating inconvenience to a human tragedy may result. People may suffer. Millions of dollars can be wasted.

The people charged with provid-

ing and overseeing the range of social services mandated by state and federal governments are disadvantaged from the start. The first thing they have to do is read and interpret the law, rules and requirements set out by those governments and their bureaucracies. That task by itself is enough to give a supercomputer a case of cyber ulcers

The lawmakers who criticized the performance of the Nebraska agency, on the day the new law was

that affect the lives of tens of thousands of people.

There is good reason for their frustrations; but there also is good reason for a lot of frustration among the agency's employees from administrators at the top to the too-often overburdened caseworkers and other foot soldiers at the bottom.

Managers do not go to work at the HHSS every morning, thinking: "Let's make the biggest mess

passed, pointed to real problems we can, so that the federal government, and the Legislature and the governor and local officials and reporters and thousands of people will jump up and down on our heads, and tell us that we are stupid, or villainous, or both!"

> The HHSS is not the Titanic. It's more like that fat hog, drip-

ping with grease.

You can work hard, wear yourself out and look pretty silly, but you ain't likely to get a handle on it.



Legistors debate priority bills

Friday, March 9 was the last day for individual senators and legislative committees to designate their priority bills. Shortly thereafter, the speaker chose his priority bills.

Every senator has the opportunity to designate one bill as their personal priority bill, every legislative committee may designate two bills and the speaker can designate 25 bills as speaker priority bills.

Generally, after this point in the legislative session, bills without priority status are not discussed. Two exceptions to this rule are if the speaker allows for a consent calendar, which is a method of advancing non-controversial bills, or if a non-prioritized bill is amended into another bill with priority status.

I designated LB 342 as my personal priority bill. This bill was introduced by Senator Ron Raikes, the chairman of the Education Committee. There are 31 co-sponsors, including myself. As introduced, it makes adjustments to base year operating revenues of community college areas, which is used in the calculation of their state aid. Over time, the formula used to distribute state funding to each of the community colleges has grown rather disproportionate. The intent of LB 342 is to make the formula more equitable. Northeast Community College would benefit from such adjustments.

At this time, LB 342 is being held by the Education Committee, as they work on an amendment to make comprehensive changes in the formula. Any increase in state aid to the community colleges will provide dollar for dollar local property tax relief.

Legislative Update By: State Senator Pat Engel, District

The Revenue Committee designated a bill that I introduced as one of their priority bills. LB 106 would change the method of taxing chewing tobacco, as well as increase the tax on such products. Although cigarettes are taxed by the pack, the excise tax on chewing tobacco is based on a percentage of its wholesale price, giving a tax advantage to the less expensive products. Excise taxes are intended to tax consumption and most are imposed on a unit or volume basis, such as a gallon of gas, a liter of wine, or a barrel of beer.

LB 106 proposes to tax chewing tobacco by the ounce. It was recently given first round approval by the Legislature. I introduced this bill to achieve tax equity among the various brands of chewing tobacco offered at a wide variety of prices.

As introduced, LB 106 would have Nebraska State Fairgrounds); LB set the tax on moist smokeless tobacco at 50 cents per ounce. As amended by the Revenue LB 579 (deals with renewable ener-Committee and on the floor, it will gy generation). tax chewing tobacco at a rate of \$1.05 per ounce. As an example, the excise tax on a 1.2 ounce can of chewing tobacco would be \$1.26, compared to the current tax averaging from 16 cents to 62 cents, depending on the wholesale price. If the usage remains the same, LB 106 will increase revenue for the State of Nebraska, although I am hopeful that by increasing the tax it may serve as a deterrent for young people who are experimenting with snuff.

Other bills designated as priority bills by individual senators include: LB 564 (attempts to resolve the recreational liability issue); LB 476 (eliminates the death penalty); LB 658 (establishes a method of creating Class I school districts pursuant to the vote to repeal LB 126); LB 367 (devises a tax relief plan, although specifics are not decided at this time); LB 395 (proposes a statewide smoking ban); LB 157 (creates a safe haven law); and LB 701 (reduces groundwater usage).

Some of the bills designated as committee priority bills include: LB 435 (develops a master plan for the ber is (402) 479-0917.

641 (attempts to resolve the Omaha Public Schools issue); and Two controversial bills that did

not receive priority status are LB 700 (prohibits reproductive and therapeutic cloning) and LB 253 (creates exemptions to the motorcycle helmet law). Since this is the first year of the two-year biennium, all bills pending at the end of this year's session are automatically carried over to the 2008 legislative

Most legislative committees are finished with public hearings. The Appropriations Committee, on which I serve, still has three more days of hearings and then we will meet after the Legislature adjourns for the day to finalize our budget recommendations that will be presented to the entire Legislature for consideration and approval.

If you have any comments on bills that have been designated as priority bills, I encourage you to contact me. I can be reached at District #17, P.O. Box 94604, State Capitol, Lincoln, Neb. 68509, my telephone number is (402) 471-2716, my e-mail address is lengel@leg.ne.gov and my fax num-

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Court of honor planned

Luke Gentrup, the son of Ron and Diane Gentrup, is Wayne's 125th Eagle Scout.

He will be recognized for his accomplishments during a Court of Honor on Sunday, March 25 at 4 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne.

His scouting career started in first grade as a Tiger Cub in Pack 174. He joined Boy Scout Troop 174 in March of 2000 after receiving his Arrow of Light. While a scout, he held troop offices of Patrol Leader and Chaplain Aide.

Luke has been active in many community service projects, such as paper drives, Kiwanis Pancake Feeds, Wayne County Fair Barbecue Wayne Chicken Show, Food Drives, Relay for Life, and putting out flags at the cemetery on Memorial Day.

Luke enjoys camping and has been to several campouts. He attended Camp Cedars near Fremont several times, Camp Butterfield near Orchard Nebraska and Ben Delatour Scout Ranch in Colorado. In 2004 he attended Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico where he was Crew Leader He is a member in the National



Luke Gentrup

for his trek. He also attended camps at Izaak Walton Lake, north of Wayne as well as Lewis and Clark Lake in Yankton.

Luke is a senior at Wayne High School. He has participated in football and track. He is in Band, Choir, Jazz Band 1 and Jazz Choir.

Honor Society. He has been an actor in the High School Musicals for four years. He currently is the Vice President of Choir and was a Sophomore Class officer. He is a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church where he is an altar sever, Eucharist Minister, and is in the WING's youth group.

Luke's Eagle Service project was to construct and hang a plaque at St. Mary's Church to recognize those who donated to the Handicapped Accessibility Project. He would like to thank the following people for their contribution to this project: St. Mary's Vision Committee (project idea), Gary Van Meter- Mine's Jewelry (nameplates and engraving), Carhart Lumber Company (wood for the background board), Greg Vander Weil (use of tools and assisting in making the plaque,) Gary French (hanging the plaque), scouts, leaders and his dad- Ron (for assisting with the project).

Luke is thankful for the support from his scouts, leaders, community, and most of all his parents for guiding him towards reaching his



Members of the cast of "Good News" rehearse for the upcoming musical which will be presented at Wayne High School on Friday and Saturday, March 30-31.

Eagle Scout Goal. Vander Weil earns Eagle Scout

Bren Vander Weil, son of Greg and Zoe Vander Weil of Wayne has earned the rank of Eagle Scout for Boy Scout Troop #174 in Wayne.

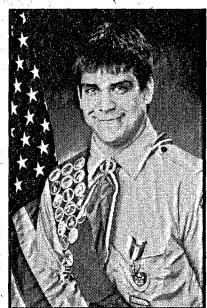
He will be recognized during a Court of Honor on Sunday, March 25 at 4 p.m. at St. Mary's Catholic

The following is Bren's account of his scouting career:

"My days in scouting started early with my joining of Tiger Cubs. All that I really recall from those days was an orange t-shirt with a black tiger paw.

"After that, I managed to climb my ranks through cub scouts until I earned my Arrow of Life, signifying my graduation to boy scouts. Once among the 'real' scouts, I can remember loads of camping and hiking trips, ranging from Camp Cedars in nearby Fremont all the way to the mountains of New Mexico at Philmont. And soon to come to my list of ventures is the Sea Base experience in the Florida

Other than boy scouts, I have been lucky enough to find a few other activities that have suited my fancy. I have had a love-hate relationship with wrestling since I can remember, but it managed to end baseball constantly manages to keep me relaxed in the summer, just playing for the love of the



Bren Vander Weil

"Another activity that keeps me going is school. In the school, Phil Anderson and I managed to gain power as school vice president and president. Also in school, I am on the yearbook staff, now as to how much work I do in comparison to how much work I cause is close, but, nonetheless, I am there. Along with school, I must include that I am part of the STILL undefeated on a wonderful note, even with a Pride of the Blue Devils Marching of my brain, some chunks of vast 'demanding' coach. Football has Band and am in the musical for the always been a good past time and forth year running, and do not worry folks, because it has never been a singing part!

on my car, or look at it funny until

my father will tell what I need to do next. Spending time with my friends and girlfriend is always at the top of my list. Going to see movies, paintballing, playing video games, reading, writing, indulging in stupidity, but not too much, and

of course, long walks on the beach. "During the summer time after a hard . . . or lazy day at work roofing, I like to bury myself in a pile of Brenda Nissen's waffles and wash it down with a large glass of Kool-Aid or chocolate milk. I love to take part in spontaneous trips to Norfolk or Sioux City, and then end it with the taste of a good meal at the almost world-famous Udder

"Now that I have finally scaled the mountain that is the quest to achieving Eagle Scout, it is nice to stand at the top and look back at what it took to get me here. In doing that, I realize that it takes more than just one single person, because it is way more than that. It is coaches, teachers, mentors, leaders, friends and families that make a Scout an Eagle Scout, All I really had to do was listen to what was being said and try to take heed of it. Even though some information burned up in the outer atmosphere knowledge and advice were large enough to make a lasting impression.

"To all those who have had an "In my spare time, I like to work impact on me, I thank you, and this is just as much for you as it is for

Benefit

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From information obtained from

of committing robberies and/or burglaries in many of these states. Nekita Floyd is being held on a Hardin County Texas felony warrant for burglary and is not facing any criminal charges in Nebraska at this time,

court appointed attorney and with homicide in relation to a mur-, ject or to make a contribution, con-Judge Donna Taylor appointed der that occurred there on or about

in softball; 275 in baseball; 110 in ball and 20 in Wayne High Softball,

Members of the Summer Sports Complex include Doug Carroll, Laura Gamble, Mark Gansebom, John Sinniger, Jeff Zeiss, Rocky Bob Sherman, Don Buryanek, Todd Hoeman and Eric

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Wayne High to present 'Good News'

Wayne High School will present the musical theatre successes of the "Good News!" on Friday and Saturday, March 30 and 31 with performances at 7 p.m. both nights at the Wayne High School Lecture

Tickets can be purchased from cast members or by calling the high

school at 375-3150. A synopsis of "Good News!" fol-

In the 1920s, colleges were reminiscent of country clubs, as is the case at the story's fictional setting, Tait College. Football reigns king on the Tait campus and Tait's collegians have a hot time keeping up with their star football player, Tom

Most will drop everything to watch him practice, to do something to earn his favor, or follow the latest chapter in his soap-opera romance with the daughter of one of the school's wealthiest benefactors. Only one girl seems oblivious to the folderol - Connie Lane, an intensely studious woman. Ironically, Connie is recruited to help when Marlowe fails the astronomy final he needs to pass in order to play in the big game Saturday. The story develops when the football star and the tutor fall for each other, and the football coach and the astronomy professor rekindle their own college romance. Inevitably, these couples' love can only survive if the team wins the big game.

Good News!" premiered on Broadway in 1927, the same year as Show Boat, helping to mark the rebirth of the musical comedy which had fallen out of fashion thanks to the popularity of the musical revues that were the rage in the 20s. Written by the team of B.G. DeSylva, Lew Brown, Ray Henderson, and Frank Mandel, the show immediately became one of

that decade, in large part because of its hit songs including "Button Up Your Overcoat," "The Varsity Drag," "The Best Things in Life Are Free," "Life is Just a Bowl of My Coffee." The popular, revised version of "Good News!" was written in 1993 by Mark Madama and Wayne Bryan for the Musical Theatre of Wichita.

The following is a cast list for this year's musical:

Coach Bill Johnson, played by Luke Gentrup; Patricia Bingham, played by FayeMarie Roeber; Tom Marlowe, played by Nick Klassen; Connie Lane, played by Dacia Gansebom; Professor Charlotte Kenyon, played by Erin Zink; Pooch Kearney, played by Kendall Jones and Brett Dorcey; Babe O'Day, played by Megan Kardell; Beef Saunders, played by Bren Vander Weil; Bobby Randall, played by Joe Whitt and Derick Dorcey; Sylvester, played by Collin Jeffries; Ticket Taker, played by Owen Rickner; Slats, played by Jon Pieper; Windy, played by Matt Poehlman; Teammates, played by Tory Booth, Jared Klassen, Cory Foote, Josh Doorlag and Nate Hanson.

Also, Pi Beta Phi Girls: Millie, played by Katie Kietzmann; Flo, played by Liz Baier; Corda, played by Holly Smith, Lucy, played by Megan Powell; Betty, played by Renae Allemann, Ruby, played by Rebecca Agler; Coeds, played by Maddie Jager, Lisa Temme, Hailey Hintz, Kelly Gentrup, Lesli Sturm, Jenny Zink, Brooke Stowater, Sarah Monahan and Meg Pierson; Cheerleaders, played by Anna West, Ambre Ruzicka, Michelle Hammer, Jordan Alexander, Hannah Mitiku and Kristin Liska.

Those on the stage crew include

Tim Schaefer Jr., Meg Pierson, Karley Pilger, Lauryn Braun, Renae Allemann, Calyn Krantz, McKenzie Sommerfeld and Anna Bondhus.

Lights are under the direction of Cherries" and "You're the Cream in Abby Kenny, Kalie Sprouls and Leslie Hintz

Orchestra members include Michaela Belt, Rachel Von Fange, Ashley Kudrna, Jessica Kranz, Genelle Gardner, Eric Carstens and Tina Glassmeyer.

The play is being directed by Tracy Anderson.

Heroes

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February, shouldn't now be the time when we all get better prepared? Even a little bit of planning can make a big difference, like having bottled water ready...or making a family disaster plan, including an agreed upon place to meet if evacuated, or an out of state friend or relative to contact to let folks know that you are all right. You can be a hero to your own family by helping them prepare.

And if you want to find the next Red Cross hometown hero, just look in the mirror. Who knows what secret abilities you might have-how many ways you can help. The Northeast Nebraska Chapter is YOUR Red Cross. There are so many ways you can help. So please, get involved. You already know us-we're your friends, neighbors and family members. Get to know us a little better and find out what you can do to be a hero.

As Martin Luther King said, "Everybody can be great... because anybody can serve."

Arraignment set for April 4 for burglary suspect

Randy Allen Floyd, 22, who allegedly broke into Wayne businesses Zach Oil Company and Heartland Stainless Inc. on March 7 and was later arrested on the same day by Grand Island police was in Wayne County Court on Monday, On Monday, Floyd waived his right to a preliminary hearing and was bound over to district court. Arraignment is set for April 4 at 9 a.m. Floyd's previous bond of \$250,000 (10 percent) continues. Floyd remains in custody of the Wayne County Sheriff.

Floyd has been charged in Wayne County with Criminal Attempt; First Degree Assault on an officer, two counts of burglary and one count of Operating a Motor Vehicle to Avoid Arrest. He appeared in Wayne County Court on March 12. At that time, Floyd requested a Kate Jorgensen of Wayne as coun- Feb. 16.

the suspect and his wife, Nekita Floyd, the couple left Texas on or about Feb. 16 and traveled to Arkansas, Louisiana, Tennessee, Kentucky, Illinois, Minnesota, Iowa and Nebraska.

Randy Allan Floyd is suspected

Besides the Nebraska charges, Randy Allan Floyd is being held on a felony arrest warrant from Hardin County Texas for assault. Hardin County is also in the process of formally charging him

was first constructed by the Wayne Jaycees in the early 1980's Currently, 250 youth are involved men's softball; 40 in women's soft-

For more information on the protact Doug Carroll at 375-2019 or Laura Gamble at 375-5622.

West filters

Wayne location is distribution center for Digital Blue

By DeManda Arkfeld For The Herald

Digital Blue is not another walk right in and buy something kind of a business. It is a technical call center and distribution center for the Digital Blue prod-

ucts. "We ask that people do not try to walk into our building to view the merchandise," said Mandy Lempke the call center's manager. "Customers can view the products on our website."

The company's website and online store can be found at www.digiblue.com.

Digital Blue specializes in educational and electronical toys for tweens. They have digital cameras, mp3 players, microscopes, helmet cams, mixman products for editing music and movie makers. Their products are branded by Digital Blue, Disney, Tony Hawk and American Idol.

"We move so much inventory Lempke said. "Besides online, for the past four years. our products can be found in Target, Wal-Mart and Best Buy."

The Wayne call center is the only tech support center for Digital Blue. The corporate office is located in Atlanta, Ga. The only other location of a warehouse is in Omaha. "It's a constant flow," Lempke said. "There is

always something going on here." The business will be coming out with almost 100

new skews this year.



through our warehouse," Mandy Lempke has served as the manager of Digital Blue

up to 30 parttime employees working with tech support calls, emails or the warehouse. The tech support staff is made up of computer information system majors from Wayne State College.

Kristi Nelson has been with Digital Blue for two years as a graphic designer and webpage designer. Dustin Nobbe has been managing the warehouse

Lempke has been managing the business in Wayne for four years. She is a 1996 graduate of Wayne State College. She resides in Concord.

police officers and dispatchers, helped fund Wayne State College Kindergarten

The Fraternal Order of Police,

Lodge 54, comprised of Wayne

Kindergarten Round-Up will be held Friday, April 13 at Wayne Elementary.

round-up scheduled

Students with last names beginning with A-J are asked to attend from 9 to 10:30 a.m. Those with last names beginning with K-Z will attend from 1 to 2:30 p.m.

Parents are asked to attend the Round-Up with their child.

Anyone who has a child who will be attending kindergarten and who has not received a letter from the Wildcat Wheels during St. Patrick's

F.O.P. Lodge 54 paid to have one extra taxi operating on St. Patrick's

Wayne Police Chief Lance Webster has been a supporter of Wildcat Wheels since the idea was first brought up in a T.R.U.S.T. Coalition meeting. Webster said the model safe ride home program in Nebraska is the one developed at UNL by NU Directions and Wildcat Wheels is putting that model to work at Wayne State College, Wildcat Wheels is a good example of a campus / community /police partnership to reduce drunk driving and to keep students safe who otherwise have limited options, Wildcat Wheels provides an option to someone who may otherwise try Elementary School is asked to call to walk home, drive impaired, or 375-3854 or 375-5725 for more who may see no other option but to ride home with an impaired driver. information.

F.O.P. Lodge 54 supports program While the Wayne Police Department supports Wildcat Wheels, no tax payer dollars were used to fund the extra taxi on St. Patrick's Day. Those funds were raised privately by the officers and dispatchers making up the F.O.P. Lodge 54.

F.O.P. Lodge 54 is currently enrolling Associate Members, for an annual fee of \$10. The money raised from F.O.P. Associate Memberships is used to help fund projects like Wildcat Wheels. In the past, F.O.P. Lodge 54 purchased a new bicycle for a boy who was struck by an alcohol impaired driver, donated food to needy families, and gave money to a man who suffered a serious eye injury.

Anyone interested in becoming an F.O.P. Associate Member should contact Officer Brian Swanson or Officer Jessica Bolles for more

From August until April the call center employs

Sports

Wildcats move to 8-7 after home opener

WSC goes 1-2 against recent in-state foes, picks up split in Augustana home game

The Wayne State Wildcat base- Brian Sulzman was 2 for 3 to lead ball team is now 8-7 on the season following a string of recent instate games and playing its first home game on March 17.

Recaps from recent WSC games

WSC vs. Nebraska-Lincoln

No. 16-ranked Nebraska overcame an early Wayne State lead as the Huskers topped the Wildcats 6-1 on March 13 before a sun-drenched crowd of 4,564 fans at Haymarket Park in Lincoln.

The NCAA Division II Wildcats showed no fear early in the game against the Division I Huskers as the Wildcats struck first in the top of the fourth inning by scoring their lone run of the game to take a 1-0 lead.

With one out, Marc Manganaro singled to second base and advanced to second on Alex Koch's single to right field.

With two outs in the inning, senior catcher Jordan Deglan delivered an RBI single to left field, scoring Manganaro, to put the Wildcats in front 1-0.

WSC starter Travis Mortimore looked sharp early for the Wildcats, allowing only one hit entering the bottom of the fifth inning as the Wildcats held a 6-1 advantage in hits over the Huskers.

But Nebraska took advantage of two WSC errors and used three hits to score four runs and take a 4-1 lead after five innings of play.

Mitch Abeita reached on a fielding error by right fielder Ian DeLaet followed by Craig Corriston reaching first base on a throwing error by Wildcat shortstop Brian Sulzman.

DJ Belfonte's bunt single brought home Abeita for the first Huskers run, followed by Ryan Wehrle's run-scoring double that drove in Corriston to put the Huskers in front 2-1.

scored Belfonte to give NU a 3-1 lead with a single to center field Blake Cover scored on a wild by Jake Opitz scoring Wehrle to close out the four-run inning for Nebraska.

NU then added two insurance runs in the eighth inning on Corriston's RBI single to right field that scored Andy Gerch and a wild pitch brought in Mitch Abeita with the game's final run to make the score 6-1 in favor of Nebraska.

Both teams finished the game with seven hits. Junior shortstop

Wayne State at the plate.

Dustin Jones. Manganaro, Ian DeLaet, Alex Koch and Jordan Deglan also singled for the Wildcats.

Mortimore suffered the pitching loss for Wayne State. He allowed four runs, all unearned, in 4 2/3 innings on four hits with three strikeouts and two walks. Michael Donohoe worked the next three innings, giving up two runs on three hits with four walks and one strikeout while Nathan Gettler recorded the final out in the eighth inning, charged with one walk.

WSC vs. Nebraska-Kearney Freshman left fielder Joe Wendte went 4 for 4 to lead Wayne State in a 6-4 win over Nebraska-Kearney on March 14 at Haymarket Park.

Wayne State opened the scoring in the bottom of the first inning as Manganaro's RBI groundout scored Scott Bidroski for a

1-0 lead. UNK struck with three runs in the thanks an R B I double by Cody Lusero and runscoring sinfrom glesJoe Nowaczyk Ryan and

Bucher, to give the Lopers a 3-1 lead. WSC added a run in the bottom of the third when Adam Hoffman

The Lopers grabbed a 4-2 lead Andrew Brown's RBI groundout in the fourth inning to chase Wildcat starter John Snyder as pitch. WSC regained the lead for good in the bottom of the fourth inning when the Wildcats scored three runs to

scored on a UNK error, making

the score 3-2 after three innings.

take a 5-4 lead. Sulzman's RBI groundout scored Koch while a fielder's choice by Hoffman scored Jordan Webb and a UNK throwing error brought in Joe Wendte to make the score 5-4.

WSC added another run in the fifth inning when Wendte's double to right centerfield drove in Ian DeLaet to make the score 6-4.

UNK mounted a rally in the top of the ninth, putting runners at first and third with two outs, but WSC closer Adam McGuire got Leon de Winter to ground out to the pitcher to end the game, preserving Wayne State's 6-4 win.

Wendte went 4 for 4 with a double and three singles to account for half of the Wildcats' offensive production.

Koch added a double for WSC. Connor Bramlet (2-0) worked four innings of hitless relief to earn the win for WSC.

WSC vs. Midland

Four errors hurt Wayne State in a 4-3 non-conference loss at Midland Lutheran on March 16 in Fremont.

WSC pitchers Mitch Herrick and Nathan Gettler allowed just two hits in the game, but Midland Lutheran capitalized on four Wildcat errors to upset the Wildcats.

> Bidroski opened the scoring in the top of the first inning with a solo home run to put the Wildcats in front T h e score stayed

same until the bottom of the fifth inning when Midland plated three runs without a hit, taking advantage of three WSC errors to take a 3-1 lead. Wildcat starter Mitch

Herrick took a no-hitter into the sixth inning for Wayne State, but found himself trailing 3-1.

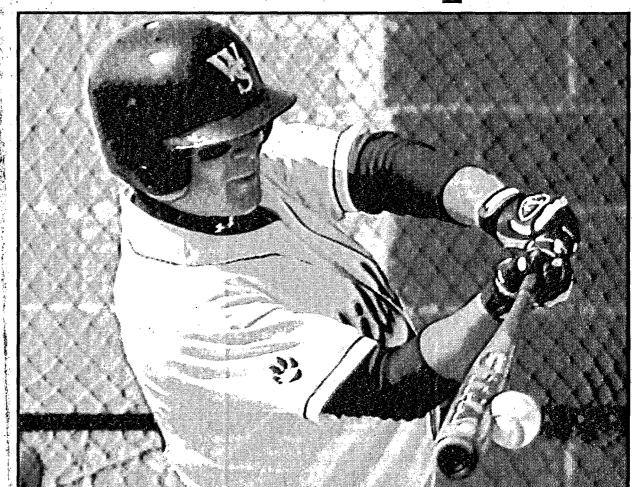
Herrick allowed a single to MLC's Trevor Womack and then gave up a solo homer to Midland's Matt Huggins to lead off the seventh inning and give Midland Lutheran a 4-1 lead.

Herrick was relieved by Nathan Gettler, who did not allow a hit the rest of the game to keep Wayne State within reach.

The Wildcats scored two runs in the top of the eighth inning to secure the win.

Jordan Webb doubled and scored on Bidroski's RBI single to make it a 4-2 game.

Hoffman's sacrifice fly to center field scored Sulzman, who was hit by the pitch, to make the score 4-



WSC's Alex Koch belts out a hit in Sunday's home opener against Augustana at Wayne.



Wayne State senior Travis Mortimore opened pitching duties for the 'Cat last Sunday.

The game-tying run by Bidroski was left stranded at third base when Manganaro grounded out to shortstop to end the inning.

The Wildcats were retired in order in the ninth inning as Midland Lutheran recorded the 4-3 win.

WSC had just three hits in the game with two coming from Bidroski, a solo homer and single. Herrick (1-2) suffered the hard luck loss for WSC and he worked six innings and allowed just two hits with three strikeouts and one walk.

Only one of the four runs scored on Herrick were earned. Nathan Gettler worked the final two innings in relief without allowing a hit and recording four strikeouts.

WSC vs. Augustana Wayne State and Augustana split a college baseball doubleheader on March 18 in the home opener for the Wildcats at the Pete Chapman Baseball Complex.

The visiting Vikings hung on for a 9-8 win in the first game while Wayne State bounced back to capture a 7-4 win in the nightcap. The first game saw Augustana

take advantage of six Wayne State errors, then hold off a late Wildcat rally for a 9-8 win. Augustana

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WSC softball becomes NSIC's top squad

Good things are definately happening for the Wayne State Sandstrom each singled. womens' softball team as the squad has already surpassed last season's win total.

Now sitting atop the Northern Sun league standings, the team is expected to pick up steam heading into conference

Recaps from recent Wildcat action include:

WSC vs. Missouri Western

The team split a doubleheader on March 14 at Missouri Western in St. Joseph, Missouri. The host Griffons won the first game 3-2 and WSC took the nightcap 3-0.

In the first game, Missouri Western scored three runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to rally for a 3-2 win over the Wildcats.

The Griffons had one more hit than Wayne State, 5-4. Freshman catcher Cassandra Ward connected on a solo home run in the fourth inning to put WSC in front 1-0.

Amy Sandstrom singled to lead off the fifth inning and scored on a fielding error by Missouri Western to give the 'Cats a 2-0 lead.

But Missouri Western used three hits to score three runs in the bottom of the sixth to pick up the 3-2 win.

Ward's solo homer was the biggest of Wayne State's four hits in the game.

Kiley Peterson added a double for WSC. Peterson was tagged with the pitching loss despite yielding just three runs on five hits over six innings of work with two strikeouts and

The second game saw Karen Hain and Kiley Peterson team up on a five hit shutout as the Wildcats posted a 3-0

Hain worked six innings allowing five hits while Peterson worked a perfect seventh inning to record the save.

Offensively, Kristen Humphries belted a solo homer in the

fourth inning to give WSC a 1-0 lead. The 'Cats added two more runs in the sixth inning when Valerie Robinson scored on a Missouri Western throwing

account for the Wildcat runs. WSC had four hits in the game. Humphries had a solo home run and Salmen doubled, while Robinson and

error and Sara Salmen's RBI double drove in Bre Parks to

USD Dome Tournament

The squad split a pair of games during the opening day of the USD Dome Tournament in Vermillion, S.D., on March 17 The Wildcats fell to South Dakota 11-6, but outlasted Northern State in nine innings 11-10.

In the first game, South Dakota scored five runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to come up with an 11-6 win over the Wildcats.

WSC got off to a quick start, leading 6-2 after 2 innings, but the host Coyotes scored twice in the third inning and fifth inning to tie the score at 6-6, then plated five runs in the bottom of the sixth to record the 11-6 win,

USD held an 11-7 advantage in hits over the Wildcats. Senior right fielder Stacy Shonka was 2 for 4 with a double and a run scored to lead WSC in hitting.

Sandstrom added a two-run double, Parks connected on a RBI triple and Humphries added an RBI single for the Wildcats.

Hain was tagged with the pitching loss, allowing five runs on five hits over 3 1/3 innings. The second game saw Caitlin Rowland deliver a single to right field with two outs in the bottom of the ninth inning to

score Salmen for the game-winning run Wayne State won a wild 11-10, nine-inning contest over Northern State in a game that lasted 2 hours and 45 min-

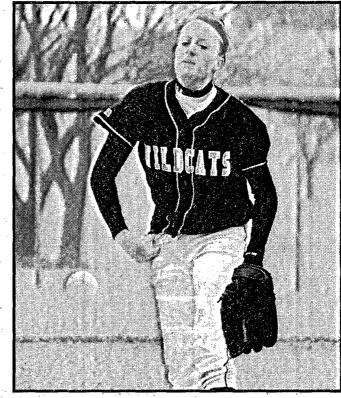
Humphries was 4 for 4 with three RBIs to lead Wayne State's 12 hit attack at the plate. Rowland finished the game 2 for 5 with three runs scored.

Hain was the winning pitcher and logged six innnings of work for the 'Cats.

The squad eclipsed last season's win total under first year head coach Krista Unger on March 17 with a pair of exciting wins at the tournament. The Wildcats edged Dakota State 4-3, then needed nine

innings to outlast Morningside 9-7. The wins improved WSC to 12-4 on the season, surpassing

last season's mark of 10-34. In the win over Dakota State, Wayne State held off a late



Karen Hain picked up her sixth win of the season against Mount Marty on Tuesday

Trojan rally to pick up the 4-3 win.

With WSC leading 4-1 entering the top of the seventh inning, DSU scored twice and had the tying run at third base, but Hain struck out Dakota State's Ashlee Kirschenman to end the game, preserving Wayne State's 4-

Dakota State out-hit Wayne State 10-6 in the game. Robinson and Humphries each went 2 for 3 with Robinson scoring two runs for the Wildcats. Ward added a double for

Hain earned the pitching win, throwing a complete game

- See SOFTBALL, page 2B -

WSC soccer recruits are announced

Wayne State College women's soccer head coach Brooke Bredenberg has announced 10 signings and one walk-on to her 2007 recruiting class.

The following players will join the Wildcat soccer program this fall:

Amber Beecher - walk on, Omaha

Stephanie Bright - for-

ward, 5-4, Columbus Mikayla Comba - midfielder/forward, 5-4, Omaha

Erin Fullmer - midfielder/defender, 5-3, Beatrice

Ashley Janca - midfielder, 5-9, Bellevue Charis Oswald - for-

ward, 5-1, Council Bluffs, Iowa Sara Schwieger - de-

fender, 5-5, Omaha Melisse Sullivan - mid-

fielder, 5-7, Champlin, Minn. Anna Walker - defender, 5-5, Beatrice

Emily Walker - goalkeeper/defender, 5-6, Beatrice Krista Zarybnicky -

defender/goalkeeper, 5-9,

Youth Basketball —

WBDA teams compete at tournaments

WAYNE — Several teams of the Wayne Basketball Development Association competed in recent tournaments. Recaps from those

Grade 4 girls' basketball

PENDER - The WBDA Grade 4 girls' team placed second at the Pender Tournament on March 17 to move to 2-2 on the season. Game scoring included:

Wayne 25, Pender 2 Wayne scoring: Rachel Rauner 9, Abbie Hix 8, McKenzie Rusk 6, Emma Evetovich

West Point Guardian Angels 16, Wayne 3 Wayne scoring: Hix 2, Rauner 1.

Grade 5 girls' basketball

WAYNE - The WBDA Grade 5 girls' team team finished second at the Pender Tournament on March 16-18. Game results included: Wayne 31, Wakefield 18

Wayne scoring: Jalyn Zeiss 12, Megan Backer 7, Ashton Schweers 4, Amanda Hurlbert 4, Lauran Gilliland 2, Angie Nelson 2. Pender 29, Wayne 20

Wayne scoring: Zeiss 6, Gamble 6, Victoria Kranz 3, Nelson 2, Backer 2, Schweers

Grade 6 girls' basketball

PENDER - The WBDA Grade 6 girls' team earned a split at the Pender Tournament on March 18 to finish third. Game highlights included:

West Point Guardian Angels 37, Wayne 18 Wayne scoring: Megan Hoffart 8, Sarah Maxson 5, Hannah Gamble 4, Jaci

Bancroft 30, Wayne 26

Wayne scoring: Hoffart 12, Maxson 11, Gamble 5, Kennedy Stowater 2.

Grade 7 girls' basketball

PENDER - The WBDA Grade 7 girls' team (11-2) defeated South Sioux City to win its division of the Pender Tournament on March 17. Game scoring included: Wayne 33, Bancroft 15

Wayne scoring: Caitlyn Fehringer 9, Katie Hoskins 5, Elle Schramm 4, Brittney

Peterson 4, Marissa Fallesen 4, Courtney Davie 2, Cassie Harm 2, Morgan Centrone 2, Wayne 43, South Sioux City 31

Wayne scoring: Hoskins 16, Harm 11, Kristen Carroll 8, Nelson 5, Fehringer 2,

Grade 8 girls' basketball PENDER - The WBDA Grade 8 girls' team took second at the Pender Tournament on March 18. Game highlights included:

Wayne 17, Dodge 12 Wayne scoring: Taylor Stowater 9, Jamie Belt 4, Gina Smith 2, Rachel Maxson 1,

Pender 34, Wayne 17 Wayne scoring: Stowater 7, Maxson 6, Smith 2, Belt 2.

Grade 5 boys' basketball

PIERCE - The WBDA Grade 8 boys' squad went 0-3 at the Pierce Tournament on March 17. Game scoring included: Norfolk White 30, Wayne 19

Wayne scoring: Kaje Maly 4, Jared Anderson 6, Trevor Pecena 2, Matt Schrunk 4,

Norfolk Maroon 31, Wayne 29 OT Wayne scoring: Maly 15, Anderson 3, Schrunk 4, Tyler Schoh 3, Jacob Lutt 4. Christ Lutheran 30, Wayne 29

Wayne scoring: Maly 11, Anderson 2, Pecena 2, Schrunk 4, Schoh 6, Lutt 4.

Grade 7 boys' basketball

PENDER - The WBDA Grade 7 boys' team captured third at the Pender Tournament on March 18. Game highlights included: Norfolk Catholic 40, Wayne 36

Wayne scoring: Chris Rogers 16, Tony Sinniger 15, Jordan Backer 4, Miles Wayne 33, Dodge 30 OT

Wayne scoring: Chris Rogers 16, Tony Sinniger 15, Jordan Backer 4, Miles

Grade 8 boys' basketball

PENDER - The WBDA Grade 8 boys' team defeated Oakland to win the Pender Tournament on March 17. Game scoring includ-

Wayne 39, Wakefield 21

Wayne scoring: Justin Anderson 8, Zach Rasmussen 8, Collin Preston 5, Zach Thomsen 5, Keegan Dorcey 4, Jacob Zeiss 3, Jacob Pulfer 2, Mason Wren 2, Trent Beza

Wayne 47, Oakland 24

Wayne scoring: Anderson 8, Zeiss 8, Wren 6, Thomsen 6, Seth Onderstal 6, Rasmussen 5, Drew Hix 4, Pulfer 2, Dorcey 1.

Wildcats

struck early with five runs in the first inning and led 9-3 after five innings.

But WSC mounted a rally in the bottom of the seventh and scored five runs before falling to the Vikings 9-8.

Sulzman went 3 for 4 to lead Wayne State at the plate, while Koch contributed a three run homer in the Wildcats' five-run seventh inning rally.

Bidroski also had two singles for the Wildcats.

Mortimore suffered the pitching loss for WSC, allowing seven runs (three earned) over three innings with three strikeouts.

The second game saw Wayne State score five runs in the bottom of the sixth inning to break open a close game as the Wildcats salvaged a split with a 7-4 win over the Vikings.

Adam Hoffman's two-run double, an RBI double by Scott Bidroski and a run scoring single from Jordan Webb were big hits in the innings. Entering the bottom of the sixth inning, WSC held a slim 2-1 lead and had just two hits before rattling off five runs on four hits in the big inning.

Wayne State's six hits came from six different players with Hoffman and Bidroski each recording doubles for the Wildcats. Michael Donohoe (2-0) worked six strong innings on the mound to record the win, striking out nine batters while allowing one run on four hits. Relievers Jim Sake and Adam McGuire worked the seventh inning for WSC with McGuire notching his second save of the sea-

Wayne State was to travel to Northwest Missouri State for a nine inning game on March 20.

Two players honored

Wavne State College senior outfielder Dustin Jones was named the Northern Sun Conference Baseball Player of the Week last

The former Sioux City Heelan standout became the all-time hits leader at Wayne State College recently by going 3 for 3 with two RBI and two runs scored in a 11-5 win over Fairmont State of West Virginia at the Savannah Spring Break Invitational in Georgia.

Earlier this week, Michael Donohoe was named the Northern Sun Conference Baseball Pitcher of the Week.

The senior right-hander from Norwalk, Iowa notched 10 strikeouts in nine innings of work in two appearances last week.

Donohoe had nine strikeouts in six innings in a 7-4 win over Augustana on Sunday afternoon, allowing just four hits and one run.

He also made an appearance in relief against Nebraska last Tuesday at Haymarket Park in

Softball

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with 11 strikeouts. She allowed just three runs (one earned) on nine

The second game saw Ward and Parks hit clutch home runs to lead Wayne State in a 9-7 win over Morningside in nine innings.

Ward's two-run homer in the top of the seventh inning gave WSC a 6-5 lead, while Parks' two-run blast in the top of the ninth put WSC ahead 8-6. Caitlin Rowland also homered for Wayne State in the

Hain pitched seven innings to earn the win for WSC.

WSC vs. Mount Marty

The team launched five home runs in a doubleheader sweep against Moun. Marty on Tuesday afternoon, March 20, winning 6-0

in the first game, while Ward, Parks and Humphries each tallied home runs in the night cap.

The wins brought the team team to 14-4 on the season.

Humphries honored

Kristen Humphries was named the Northern Sun Conference announced by the league office earlier this week.



Softball Player of the Week as Bre Parks prepares to lead off at second in Tuesday's home opener in Wayne.

The senior designated hitter/third women's basketball player at games last week, recording at least baseman, a former all-conference Wayne State, was 10 for 20 in six one hit in every game.

Golfers open new season

The new season is under way for the Wayne State womens' golf team and the squad started the spring with a pair of home meets.

On March 19, Dana College edged Wayne State 368-374 to win the Wildcat Women's Golf Spring Classic at the Wayne Country Club. Iowa Western Community College was a close third at 377.

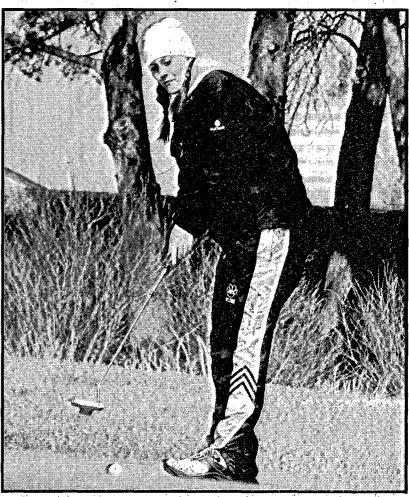
Shanna Miller of Iowa Western CC captured individual medalist honors with an 85, topping Wayne State's Johnna Olson in a scorecard playoff on the second hole.

Other WSC scores included Hayley Pile with a 92, Roxie Maine shot 108 and Shana Heggemeyer posted a 109.

On March 18, Dakota Wesleyan shot a 347 to easily capture the Wayne State College Spring Invitational.

The Tigers were 32 strokes better than second place Dana College at 379 with Wayne State in third at 383. Iowa Western Community College (387) and Midland Lutheran (397) rounded out the team scoring.

WSC's was Olson with an 89 and other scores were Pile (93) Katsampes (93) Heggemeyer (109)

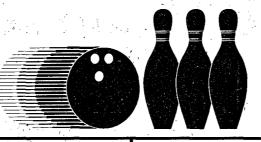


Johnna Olson lines up her final putt of the day at the Wayne State Invitational at the Wayne Country Club on Sunday.

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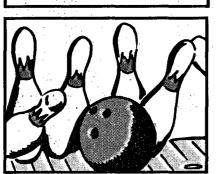
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Track teams open season at WSC

Wayne, Winside and Allen kick off spring with indoor meet at Wayne State

The Wayne State Recreation Center played host to two days of high school track at the annual Wayne State College High School Invitational on March 16-17.

The meet was the official season opener for Wayne, Winside and Allen girls' and boys' track and field teams.

In the Class II meet for smaller schools on March 16, Allen's boys' team finished first in two relay events — the 4 x 400 and 4 x 800 — plus an individual gold by Ross Rastede in the 400-meter dash.

Allen's girls' team was paced by three gold medal individual perfor-

Codi Hingst, took first in the 1,600- and 3,200-meter run, while her teammate Sarah Sullivan picked up a gold in the 200-meter dash.

The Eagle 4 x 160 relay also earned a gold for the Allen girls' squad. Winside's Marcus Messersmith was a dual medalist as he claimed gold in both the long and triple jumps.

In the Class I meet on Saturday, Wayne senior Nate Finkey edged Tyler Daake of Norfolk Catholic to win the boys' long jump.

Another Wayne senior, Regan Ruhl, also earned a gold for her finish in the 3,200-meter run.

Meet results for all Allen, Winside and Wayne include:

Wayne girls' results 800-meter run -3. Maddie Jager, 2:48.12; 1600-meter run -6. Courtney Preston, 6:57.56; 3200-meter run - 1. Regan Ruhl, 13.23.54; 4x160-meter relay -2.1:34.77; 4x400 meter relay -1.4:34.25; high jump -5. Maddy Moser, 4-10; long jump - 2. Angie Ahrenholtz, 15-6.75.

Wayne boys' results

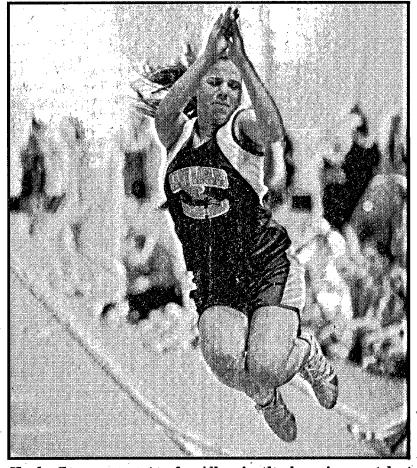
55-meter dash - 2. Nate Finkey, 6.96; 800-meter run - 5. Sheldon Onderstal, 2:14.35; long jump - 1. Finkey, 20-10.5.

Girls' Class II results

55-meter Dash - 2. Sarah Sullivan, Allen, 7.7; 200-meter dash - 1. Sullivan, 28.14; 400-meter dash - 5. Amanda Pfieffer, Winside, 1:11.09; 1600-meter run - 1. Codi Hingst, Allen, 6:09.40; 3200-meter run - 1. Hingst, 13:11.28; 55-meter hurdles - 5. Jordyn Roberts, Winside, 10.26; 6. Kelynn Cyr, Allen, 10.45 4x160-meter relay -1. Allen, 1:31.59; 4x400-meter relay -3. Allen, 4:41.62; high jump - 2. Katie Gray, Winside, 4-10; long jump - 5. Shelby Meyer, Winside, 14-10.

Boys' Class II results

55-meter dash -3. Jordan Brummels, Winside, 6.99; 200-meter dash -4. Charlie Green, Allen, 25.37; 5. Brummels, 25.83; 400-meter dash - 1. Ross Rastede, Allen, 56.33; 4. Marcus Messersmith, Winside, 57.70; 5. Tobias Grunert, Winside, 59.46; 800-meter run - 4, Tucker Bowers, Winside, 2:14.50; 1600meter run - 3. Jake Woodward, Allen, 5:16.73; 4. Luke Woodward, Allen, 5:25.44; 55-meter hurdles - 3, William Gnat, Allen, 8.98; 5. Luke Sachau, Allen, 9.11; 4x160-meter relay - 4. Winside, 1:22.85; 4x400-meter relay - 1. Allen, 3:46.92; 4×800 -meter relay -1. Allen, 8.50.02; long jump -1. Messersmith, 21-1.5; 4. Gnat, 19-10.75; triple jump -1. Messersmith, 43-11; shot put -6. Chase Langenberg, Winside, 41-5.



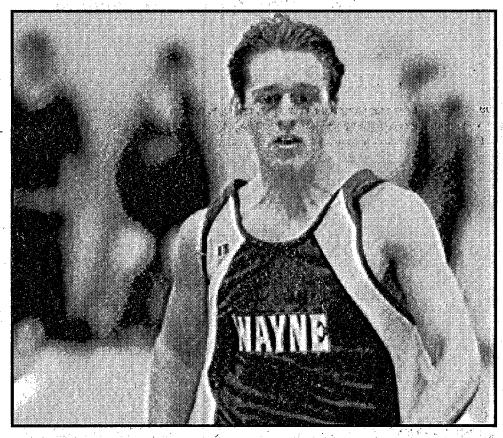
Kayla Greve competes for Allen in the long jump at last Friday's meet at Wayne State College.



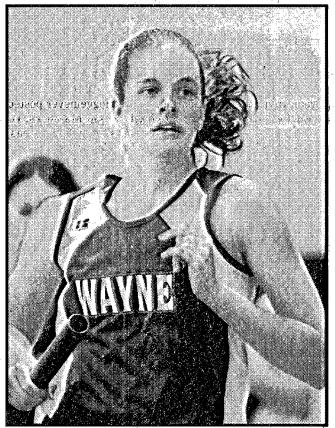
Winside's Jordan Brummels finished third in last Friday's indoor track and field meet at Wayne State College.



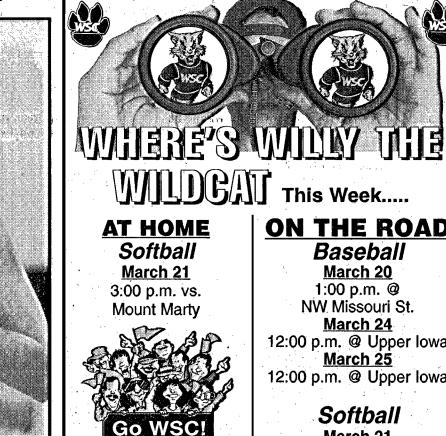




Nate Finkey eyes the finish line in his second-place finish in the 55meter dash in last Saturday's WSC Invitational.



Regan Ruhl led Wayne with a first-place finish in the 3,200-meter run.



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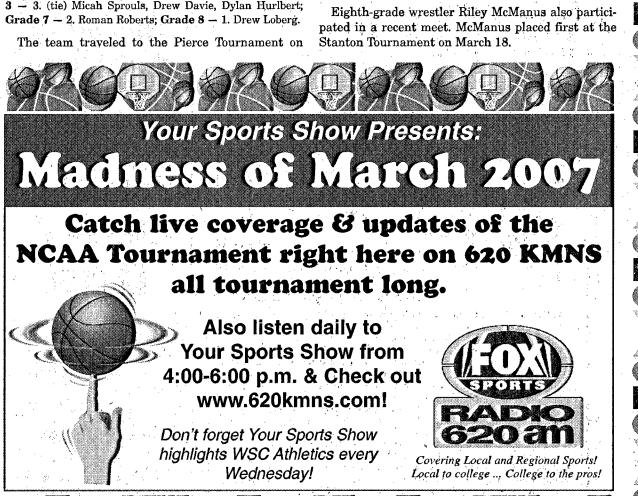
Youth wrestling season under way

The Wayne youth wrestling program has opened its March 16. Meet results included: season with a series of recent meets.

The squad competed at the Randolph Tournament on March 19. Wayne team results from the opener

Kindergarten - 1. Tay Guill, 2. Harely Wheeler; Grade 3 - 3. (tie) Micah Sprouls, Drew Davie, Dylan Hurlbert; Grade 7 - 2. Roman Roberts; Grade 8 - 1. Drew Loberg.

Kindergarten - 1. Guill, 2. Wheeler, 4. Issac Braun; Grade 1 - 3. Hunter Jorgensen, 4. Justin Dean; Grade 3 -2. Davie, 4. (tie) Jayse Munsell, Noah Braun; Grade 6-2. Austin McDonald; Grade 7 - 4. Paul Karch; Grade 8 - 2.



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Athletes named to teams

Nebraska and Lewis and Clark conferences were all released over the past week. Among the student-athletes honored by their respective conferences in boys' and girls' basketball were:

Mid-State Conference

Girls' basketball - All conference: Regan Ruhl, Michelle Jarvi, Wayne. Honorable mention: Sara Frerichs, Wayne.

Boys' basketball - All conference: Nathan Summerfield, Ransen Broders, Wayne. Honorable mention: Jesse Hill, Wayne.

Lewis and Clark Conference Girls' basketball - All conference: Alissa Bressler, Wakefield; Brooke Stewart, Sarah Sullivan, DeLong, Heath Erwin, both of Laurel-Concord.

All-conference teams for the Mid-State, Northeast Allen; Hillary Lienemann, Winside. Honorable mention: Shay Tullberg, Wakefield; Codi Hingst, Kayla Greve, Allen; Josie Longnecker, Claire Elworth,

Boys' basketball - All conference: Max Greve, Wakefield; Marcus Messersmith, Jared Roberts, Winside; Chris Blohm, William Gnat, Allen. Honorable mention: Dusty Rhods, Wakefield; Sam Barg, Max Peter, Winside; Drew Diediker, Scott Chase, Allen.

Northeast Nebraska Activities Conference Girls' basketball - All conference: Bethany DeLong. Honorable mention: Jenny Schroeder, both of Laurel-Concord.

Boys' basketball - All conference: Colten

Rugby tourney is Saturday

Forty-five mens' and womens' rugby teams from 12 different states and Canada will come to Wayne for a two-day event to crown the fourth annual March Madness champion this weekend on Saturday and Sunday, March 24-25.

The tournament will be with pool play on Saturday, while Sunday will bracketed with a playoff system to crown the champi-

Last year, the Wayne State men won the tournament and the women earned second. Games on Sunday will be from 10 a.m. to

A key triple-header that will be watched by many fans will be when the WSC men, Husker men, and WSC women all play on the main field at 1,2 and 3 p.m. on Saturday.

The Nebraska men will be coming into the tournament ranked No.15 in the country, and matched up with Wisconsin for the featured match of the day.

Tournament games will only last 50 minutes, so first time fans can enjoy 3 games in 3 hours at the new Wayne Rugby Park with bleacher seating located next to the city softball complex on East 4th street with free admission.

A new public address system will be in use to help novice fans understand some simple rules about rugby football, with the scoring being the same as American football.



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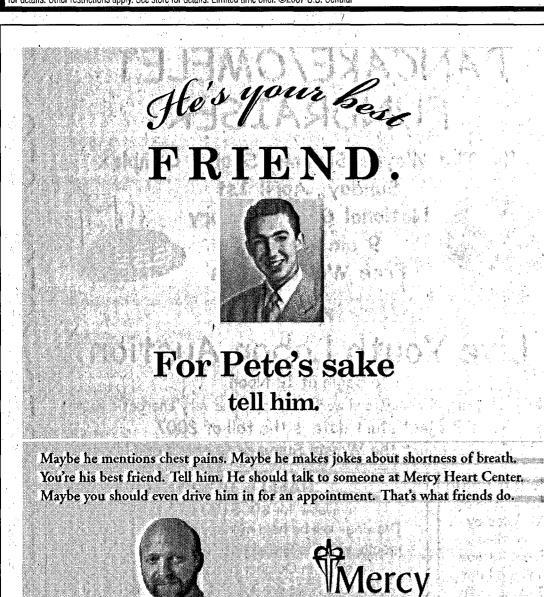
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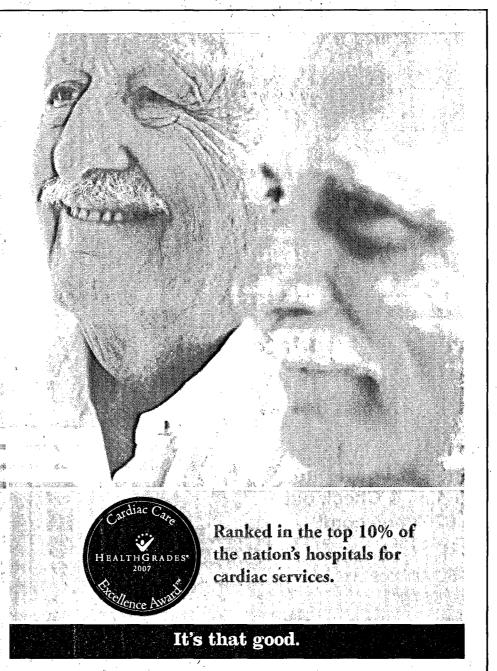
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Cardiovascular Associates holds

a cardiology clinic in Wayne.



Sports Notebook Wakefield plans hoops tourney

WAKEFIELD - Wakefield Community School will be the host site for a youth basketball tournament on Saturday, March 24.

The event will feature teams from nine area towns in three age divisions for boys and girls.

Consolation games are planned for noon, while the title game is set for 1 p.m.

Funds raised at the event will be used toward the new Wakefield swimming pool.

Wayne softball camp scheduled

WAYNE - Girls age 8-14 are encouraged to attend the four-session Wayne Softball camp later this month.

The first session on hitting fundamentals is planned for Sunday, March 25 at the Wayne Community Activity Center from 4:30-6:30 p.m. The second program will be catching fundamentals from 6:30-8 p.m. on Monday, March 26 at Wayne High School.

The third session, on Tuesday, March 27 from 6:30-8 p.m at the high school, will focus on infield fundamentals. The fourth program will be 6:30-8 p.m., Thursday, March 28, at the High School and features outfield fundamen-

Fee for each session is \$15. Participants need to bring gloves and bats. Registration forms are available at the Wayne Com-unity Activity Center or from coach Rob Sweetland at the Wayne Elementary School. For information, call 375-2610.

Baseball signup is planned

WAYNE - Signup for Wayne American Legion summer baseball for both junior and senior leagues is planned for Sunday, March 18, at 7 p.m. at the Wayne Community Activity Center. First-year junior players nééd to bring an original birth certificate. For information, contact Jeff Zeiss at 375-4803.

Athletic Hall of Fame nominees sought

WAYNE - The Wayne High School Athletic Hall of Fame is accepting nominations for membership through Saturday, March 24. To be eligible, former WHS athletes (alumni of 15 or more years) and coaches (more than five years) who are to be considered for the Hall of Fame should be submitted to Wayne High athletic director Rocky Ruhl. Nomination forms are available at the high school office or via the Internet at www. schools.waynene.org in the high school athletics section of the website.

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$WSC\ Art\ Club\ Show$

Wayne State College students Ross Lafleur of Madison and Emily Unger of David City talk during the Art Club's juried art show open to all WSC students. A reception and opening was held March 19 in the Student Center atrium.

Credit card or debit card can be used when making payments at courthouse

The convenience of having a credit card or debit card can now be used at the County Treasurer's office and County Clerk's office at the Wayne County Courthouse. This system started in February.

Credit cards that may be used are Visa, MasterCard and debit cards. Debit cards must have the logo of Visa or MasterCard. The customer is charged a convenience fee of 2.49 percent for real estate and personal property taxes and four percent fee for all other transactions. This fee is charged directly to the customer's monthly bill. The credit card process takes only a couple of minutes, authorization is given within that time and a receipt is handed to the customer showing the amount paid to the Treasurer or Clerk and the amount of the convenience fee.

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The County Clerk's office will accept debit or credit cards for real estate filing fees, documentary cle license, sales tax, special stamp tax, motor vehicle title and

Letter of intent for UNMC nursing division approved by NECC board

ly lead to the establishment of a College, Faith Regional Health facilities. northern division of the University Services, and the University of of Nebraska Medical Center Nebraska Medical Center College (UNMC) College of Nursing on the of Nursing as partners, Bartee said campus of Northeast Community a similar document was approved College was approved Thursday by Northeast's Board of Governors.

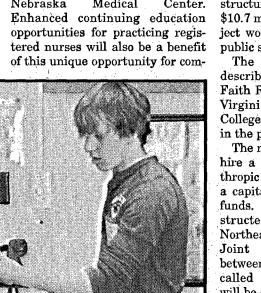
external affairs at UNMC. addressed Northeast's Board to explain the history of the project. "About a year ago," he said, "Senator Mike Flood, your Northeast President Dr. Bill Path and Faith Regional Health Services Chief Executive Officer Bob Driewer came to us with a dream to help improve health care in northeast and north central Nebraska. It was a good dream and one that we at the Medical Center soon shared."

He then said a feasibility study on the need and benefits of opening a UNMC nursing division in Norfolk was conducted. "We have taken the recommendations of that study and put them into this Letter of Intent that you have before you today," Bartee said. "This is a road map, a blue print, on how to achieve this dream of improving the health care in northeast and north central Nebraska."

The road map that will eventual- With Northeast Community bined educational resources and by Faith Regional's Board of Directors recently. The document Bob Bartee, vice chancellor for will be presented to the University of Nebraska Board of Regents today (Friday, March 9th).

He also expressed special thanks to the governing boards of Northeast Community College and Faith Regional Health Services, the Norfolk City Council, Madison County Commissioners, and Norfolk Area Chamber of Commerce for their enthusiastic "We are extremely support. pleased with the response to this proposal," he said.

At the proposed site, students could earn their two-year associate degree nursing (ADN) from Northeast Community College or a bachelor of science in nursing (BSN), master of science in nursing (MSN), or doctoral degree in nursing from the University of Nebraska Medical Center.



Pizza party

The first grade classes at Wayne Elementary had a Book It pizza party on March 16. The students were entertained by a magician (Joe Brogie). Above, Favour Eskay helps Brogie with a magic trick.

The new northern division of the UNMC College of Nursing could also educate more students for work in community and public health services, which is part of the university's bachelor of science in nursing program. Public health nurses must have a bachelor's degree.

Students enrolled in a UNMC BSN program would take their general education courses through Northeast. Clinicial sites for both Northeast ADN and UNMC BSN students will be determined for each program's level of need.

The Letter of Intent notes that a better-educated nursing workforce will improve patient care, advance sophisticated medical specialty care, and provide future faculty for colleges of nursing in the region. Proposed to serve the 24 counties in northeast and north central Nebraska, the building to house both the Northeast ADN program and the UNMC nursing division is proposed to be a 35,000-square-foot structure with an estimated cost of \$10.7 million. Funding for the project would come from private and public sources.

The Letter of Intent also described Northeast's Dr. Path, Faith Regional's Bob Driewer, and Virginia Tilden, dean, UNMC College of Nursing, as key leaders in the partnership.

The next step in the process is to hire a consultant to do a philanthropic planning study and launch a capital campaign to raise those funds. Once the building is constructed, it will be owned by Northeast Community College. A between UNMC and NECC (also called an Interlocal Agreement) will be developed at a later date.

Northeast President Dr. Bill Path noted that this was just the first of many steps for this joint initiative. "The very thought of what this will do is staggering," he said after the meeting. "Not only will it improve the health care of all area residents and alleviate the drastic shortage of registered nurses in the region, it will be a great economic development tool and provide welltrained, well-educated registered nurses to serve as future faculty at the nursing division."

Lincoln, Kearney and Scottsbluff. rates," Koester said.

NECC administrator, alumnus honored by NCCA

administrator and alumnus were honored with prestigious awards at the annual meeting of the Nebraska Community College Association (NCCA) in Lincoln

Mary Honke, Executive Director of Institutional Advancement at Northeast, was honored with the NCCA Administrator's Award while RADM James "Mac" Gleim, U.S. Navy (Ret.), received a NCCA Distinguished Alumni Award. Every year, each of the six Nebraska community colleges honors one former student with a Distinguished Alumni Award for career achievement.

As the Executive Director of Institutional Advancement, Honke directs and implements a comprehensive and integrated program of activities and services to help Northeast Community College fulfill its role and mission. She serves as a key advisor to Northeast President Dr. Bill Path on matters of institutional advancement and effectiveness issues. A member of the senior administrative team, she is also a public representative of the college and agent to the pres-

One of Honke's key responsibilities is to direct and oversee the opening of the Northeast Community College-Wayne State College College Center in South Sioux City. According to Dr. Bill Path, she also works tirelessly to keep Northeast's Strategic Plan an up-to-date, viable, working document. She also supervises the Foundation Development, Grants, Public Relations, 'Alumni, and Institutional Research Departments at Northeast while working closely with all other Northeast administrators.

In addition to those responsibilities, Honke also served as interim Vice President of Educational Services during the 2005-2006 academic year.

According to her nomination, Honke has expanded interactive distance learning classrooms, telecourses, Project Challenge (high school classes earning both high school and Northeast credit), and Centers in to leased facilities with full-time coordinators. She also spearheaded efforts for Northeast's Advanced Studies program so high community.

Honke coordinated the successful High School Equivalency Program (HEP) grant application and later supervised the \$1,000,000, five-year grant for ers. She also helped establish a newest air station in Lemoore.

A Northeast Community College English as a Second Language Cal., as a Captain during the fleet (ESL) Bridge program offering introduction of the FA-18 Hornet additional language training for the non-English speaking who wish to take college-level courses. She also served on a planning committee, along with representatives of several two- and four-year colleges, that wrote a successful grant application to assist select bilingual, minority paraprofessionals in obtaining an elementary education degree.

> She also wrote the proposal, subsequently approved by the North Central Association (NCA) of Colleges and Schools, for Northeast online degree programs.

In addition to being the dean of continuing education and distance education from 1997-2004, Honke's other positions at Northeast have included Tech Prep and School-To-Career director from 1995-1997. She was also an adjunct faculty member at Northeast from 1981-1983 and 1987-1993.

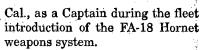
She is a past recipient of the Gayle Ellison Award for Laboratory Safety from the Science Safety Institute, Inc.. She was honored by the Northeast faculty and staff in 2003 for her efforts as co-chair of the NCA self-study process that resulted in Northeast receiving full accreditation.

Honke has a bachelor of science degree from the University of Nebraska and a master of education degree in curriculum and instruction from Doane College. She and her husband, Larry, have two adult children, Molly, who lives in Lincoln, and Matt, Sherman Oaks, Calif. She is the daughter of Ruth Woodrick, Columbus, and the late Ray Woodrick.

A 1951 graduate of Polk High School, RADM Gleim earned an associate's degree in business administration from the Norfolk Junior College (now Northeast Community College) in 1953. He was a two-year member of the football and basketball teams, student senator, an officer of the N' Club, and freshman class president while at Norfolk Junior College.

He received a bachelor of arts degree from the U.S. Naval Postgraduate School in 1967 while online classes. She also developed on active duty and graduated from Northeast's West Point, O'Neill, the prestigious National War and South Sioux City Education College in 1974. Other formal academic endeavors included the Navy General Line School and the Naval Aviation Safety Officer course.

RADM Gleim served with carrier school students can earn a battle groups in Caribbean, North Northeast associate of arts degree Atlantic, Mediterranean, and within one year of high school by Western Pacific waters. He flew taking college courses in their own over 100 combat sorties as a lightattack aviator in Vietnam, accumulated over 4,800 jet single-engine hours and 600 carrier landings, including 150 at night, operating from 11 carriers (CV's) during his Navy flying career. He led two Northeast Community College to light attack squadrons as serve migrant agricultural work- Commander, and the Navy's

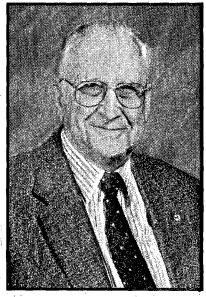


He was promoted Commodore/Rear Admiral, one of a small group of ex-Naval Aviation Cadets ever selected for Flag Rank, He also served with distinction as the first Director of Plans, Policy, and Programs (J5) for the United States Central Command and was awarded the nation's highest peacetime award, the Defense Distinguished Service Medal, at the end of his tour.

RADM Gleim retired from the U.S. Navy in 1987 and worked as Director of Operations for AZI Corporation, Regional Manager for RCI Corporation, and Senior Program Manager for TSM Corporation until he retired again in 1996. He has also worked as a Joint Warfare and Training Management consultant to various commercial companies working for the Department of Defense.

He is an active member of the Tailhook Association, Experimental Aircraft Association, the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association and the California Pilots Association. Additionally he serves on the San Luis Obispo County Airport Land Use Commission. He presently owns and operates an RV-6A experimental aircraft which he helped build.

He and his wife, Nancy, have three grown daughters, Stacie, Julie, and Jodi, and one grandson, Lucas Mac. RADM Gleim was unable to attend and the award was accepted on his behalf by his nephew, Scott Gleim of Lincoln.



Ray Sedivy

Card shower requested for Ray Sedivy

A card shower is requested for Ray Sedivy in honor of his 80th birthday on Saturday, March 31. His family includes two children, Marilyn and Ron Harder of Concord and Bruce and Lisa Sedivy of Lincoln; six grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Cards may be sent to him at 510 Sherman Street, Wayne, Neb. 68787.

Wayne boys team in basketball tourney at Wakefield

Wakefield Community School will be the host site for a youth basketball tournament on Saturday, March 24.

The event will feature teams from nine northeast Nebraska communities in three age divisions for both boys and girls. Wakefield will utilize both of its gyms, with two courts in

Wayne has a fourth grade boys team entered in the tournament. Other teams in the bracket are Emerson, Hartington and Wakefield.

Wayne will face Emerson in the 9 a.m. game. The consolation game is at 1 p.m. and the title game at 3.

Other towns with teams in the tournament include Allen, Emerson, Randolph, Laurel Hartington, Bancroft.

There will be an admission charge of \$2 for adults, \$1 for students and children under five will be admitted free. There will be concessions in the building that will be serving sandwiches for lunch. Funds raised at the event will go towards a new swimming pool in Wakefield.

Travis Koester and his wife Becky have returned to northeast Nebraska and have established Touch of Pride Lawn & Landscape. Touch of Pride provides Joint Operating Agreement complete lawn service

Former Waynian Travis Koester has returned to his roots and now resides with his wife Becky on an acreage in northeast Nebraska.

Long known for his success as a musician, Koester is also an educated and experienced lawn and landscape professional. He has more than 10 years experience in the lawn care industry and has now launched Touch of Pride Lawn & Landscape here in the Wayne

"Our clean professional image, as well as personal service from the owner/operator sets us apart from UNMO currently has College of the competition. We simply strive Nursing divisions in Omaha, to serve you better with affordable calling Travis at (402) 635-2626.

Touch of Pride offers a wide varietv of services such as mowing, shrub trimming, lawn care, spring clean ups, landscape maintenance and chainsaw carving.

Koester is also a talented chainsaw carving artist who can shape stump or logs into bears, critters, signs, etc.

"This is all part of the business that now serves both commercial and residential clients over the entire Wayne area. The business is both licensed and insured and now accepting accounts for the 2007 season," Koester said.

Free estimates are available by



North Bend Honor Band

Jr. High band members from Winside concert band that participated in the North Bend Honor Band included, front row, Tarrin Quinn trumpet. Middle row, left to right, Page Jensen clarinet and Destiny Nelson, tenor sax. Back row, Skyler Parkinson, trombone; Morgan Quinn, flute; Deserah Janke, flute; Audrey Roberts, alto sax; Blaine Meyer, drums and Alec Sindelar, baritone. The honor band was held Feb. 24 with guest conductor Steve Steager from Fremont Middle School. After practicing the music, the band members put on a concert. These band students are all under the direction of Kathy

'Control Diabetes for Life' class scheduled

the fight against diabetes is knowledge. Information can help people assess their risk of diabetes, motivate them to seek proper treatment and care, and inspires them to proper treatment and care of their diabetes for a life time.

Whether you have just been diagnosed with diabetes, have had diabetes for many years, or are a family member or friend intent on learning as much as you can about the serious disease of diabetes and its life threatening complications we invite you to participate in the April 4 session of Take Control of Diabetes for Life.

Control Your Diabetes for Life is a program that will help you take charge of your life and learn to control diabetes and get up-to-date information related to controlling diabetes. The program will take place on Wednesday, April 4.

One of the greatest weapons in distance education facilities, you Street in Wayne. will have the opportunity to discuss questions you have with the teaching team of Phyllis Heimann, R.N. and Certified Diabetes Educator; Stacie Petersen, R.N. and Certified Diabetes Educator; Mary Clare Stalp, R.D., all of Franciscan Care Services in West Point; and Debra Schroeder, UNL Extension

> Topics included during the April 4 session are "Tips on Blood Sugar Monitoring," "The Basics of Carb Counting," "Changes in Blood Sugar Levels" and "The Emotional Challenge." Participants will have the opportunity to ask questions of the presenters. Recipes for diabetic appropriate foods will be shared to help you with food management

Educator in Cuming County.

Participants have the opportunity to attend from 1:30 - 4 p.m. at Northeast Nebraska Public Health Through the two-way interactive Department, at 117 West Third

Participants are asked to preregister for Control Diabetes for Life by calling your local Extension Office at (402) 375-3310. Please register by Monday, April 2, so the proper number of handouts may be prepared. School food service staff may earn two hours of continuing education credit for attending.

This program is offered free-ofby University charge Extension, NebraskaLincoln Franciscan Care Service of West Point and the Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department.

Control your diabetes for life! Start by attending the April 4 educational program. Call today to register! This program is a repeat of the March 19 program offered via distance education.

SOURCE: Amy Topp, Extension

Death by Alcohol, the Sam Spady story set for March 29

The gripping story of the alcohollege student will be told by her mother at Northeast Community College in Norfolk on Thursday, March 29.

"Death by Alcohol: The Sam Spady Story," is set for Thursday, March 29, in the Cox Activities Center at 10 a.m. Patty Spady will detail the 2004 death of her daughter, Samantha Spady, who died of alcohol poisoning while a 19-yearold student at Colorado State University. Samantha Spady was a graduate of Beatrice High School.

The program, which is free and open to the public, is sponsored by Northeast's Criminal Justice

Association. Those in attendance will be directed to the website www.samspadyfoundation.org to learn more about protecting themselves from alcohol poisoning. They will be told to never leave an intoxicated person alone and to stay sober to take care of friends. Symptoms of alcohol poisoning will also be reviewed.

For more information, contact Northeast Community College Criminal Justice instructor Matt McCarthy at (402)844-7345.

a very worthwhile project and has response, this is strongly being conbeen encouraged by the positive sidered as an ongoing annual proresponse from school faculties and Focus on digital cameras class

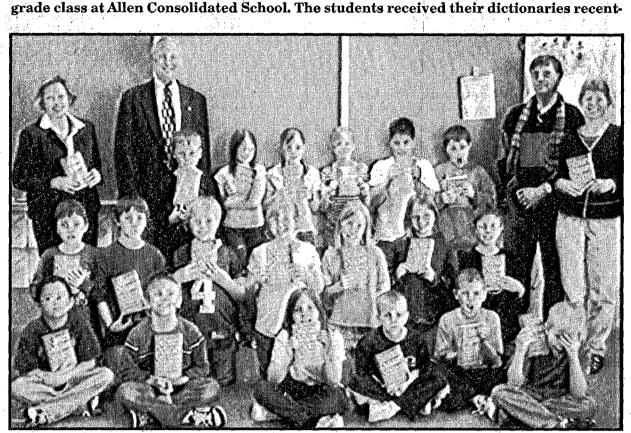
with your digital camera after taking the one-session Focus on Digital Cameras class at the

The class, with course number DP0300-34, meets Wednesday, April 11 from 6:30-9:30 p.m. at the NECC Education Center, 539 E. Decatur, Room 102, in West Point.

This noncredit workshop is designed for those considering buying a digital camera that want to know more about the costs and

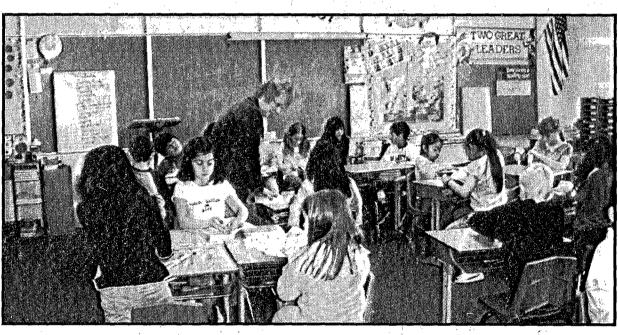
have just purchased a digital and would like to learn its basic functions can also benefit from this

Instructor Patty Schinstock will teach students the basics of transferring photos from a camera to a computer, and many ways in which they can share photos with others. A Kodak and Sony camera will be available for demonstrations.



In the background, Wayne Rotarian Larry Brodersen stands with Joy Smith and her third

Back row, left to right, Star Smith, Darrell Miller, Larry Brodersen and Audrey Klassen stand with third graders at Laurel-Concord Public School who received dictionaries.



Janelle Eaton's class in Wakefield were among area third graders receiving dictionaries.

Wayne Rotary Club giving a dictionary to each third grader in area schools The Wayne Rotary views this as administration. Because of the

The Wayne Rotary Club is presenting a new dictionary to every third grade student in the Wayne-Carroll, Wayne St. Mary's, Winside. Wisner-Pilger, Pender, Emerson-Hubbard, Wakefield, Allen and Laurel-Concord elementary schools.

Wayne Rotary has partnered with The Dictionary Project in this activity.

The goal of this program is to assist students to complete the school year as good writers, active readers and creative thinkers by having their own personal dictionary. They have targeted the third grade and are striving to give every third grade student in the U.S. their own dictionary. To date, there have been 4.4 million dictionaries distributed. This is being done with the assistance of individuals and organizations such as Rotary.

being planned at Northeast Take better pictures this spring advantages of a digital. Those who

Northeast Community College Education Center in West Point.

> Cost of this class is \$10. To register, call (888)794-6322.



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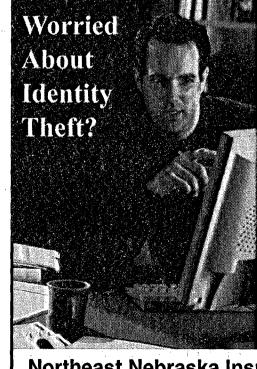
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The members of the OID group are Rachel Kluthe, Chelsey Victor, Mark Schroeder, Lane Clay and Brian Robinson.

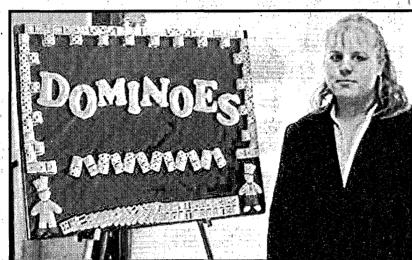
Members of Wakefield **Speech Team** earn way to competition

State Speech was held at UN-K on March 15. Wakefield had several who earned their way to the state competition. Taysha Hingst performed her informative speech, "Dominos." Lane Clay did his skit in entertainment. Chelsey Victor and Rachel Kluthe paired up for a comedy duet. The OID placed fifth with the audience laughing hysterically as they performed "12" Reasons Not to Be In a Play." Mark Schroder earned second place during state in humorous as he performed "The Big Bang."

The Wakefield Speech Team has won several meets in both Varsity, and Novice this season. The team is coached by Mrs. Vanderweil, and the assistant coach is Mrs. Muir.



Mark Schroeder



Taysha Hingst gave an informative speech, "Dominos."

Students named to honor roll at Wakefield

Wakefield Community Schools Joshua Dorcey, Carly Gardner, has released the list of those students named to the honor roll for the third quarter of the 2006-07 school year.

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

Students named to the second uarter honor roll include:

Seniors: Evan Bartels, Gerek Bebee, Eric Bodlak, Alissa Bressler, Dexter Driskell, Tim Haglund, Emily Henderson, Clint Tori Plummer. Luhr, Drew Rose, Mark Schroeder, Yancey Sherer and Shavlvn Tullberg.

Juniors: Kelsey Bard, Anna Brownell, Lane Clay, Nicholas Curnyn, Desiree Driskell, Wesley Erickson, Matthew Erwin, Taysha Hingst, Stephanie Klein, Rachel Kluthe, Kristina Lunz, Lexi Honorable Mention, earning no Nelson, Aubrey Shultz, Chelsey Victor, and Rebecca Vraspir.

Sophomores: Steth Allemann, Jessica Berns, Deetta Davis,

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Erin Johnson, Joshua Kai, Aaron Kaufman, Cassandra Kay and Alissa Stark.

Freshmen: Tyler Bodlak, Chad Clay, Libby Henschke, Jacob Lundahl, Erika McNiel, Trever Rose, Sydny Vander Veen and Andy Vazquez.

Eighth grade: Tara Bjorklund, Michal Bodlak, Kristyne Cederlind, Christian Gallardo, Alison Luhr, Amanda Luhr, Keri Lunz, Victoria Nelson, Brendan Nicholson, Alexander O'Neill and

Seventh grade: Torie Alleman, Laura Berns, Bailey Echtenkami Lane Foote, Ashley Gilliland, Vanessa Harder, Luke Lundahl, Blanca Moreno, Anthony Munson, Jacob Nelson, Diana Ruiz and Daniel Vander Veen.

Those students receiving grade below 87 percent, included seniors Jamie Barge and Kristi Odens and sophomore Andrew Gustafson.

Medical students receive residency assignments through Match Day Program

dents at the University of Nebraska Medical Center have received their residency assignments through the National Resident Matching Program. The program, a private, not-for-profit corporation, was established in 1952 to provide a uniform date of appointment to residency positions, which last from three to five years and allow newly-graduated

A total of 119 senior medical stu- physicians to specialize in an area hospital partner. of medicine.

Match Day, an annual event held at the same time at medical schools nationwide, is designed to optimize the rank ordered choices of students in medical programs. Of the 119 students, 39 percent are staying in Nebraska for their training programs. Thirty-six percent will do residencies at UNMC and The Nebraska Medical Center, UNMC's

The students, who will graduate May 5, are listed by hometown, name, specialty and residency assignment.

Katherine Annalisa Monson of Laurel, anesthesiology, University of Virginia, Charlottesville Va.

Ryan Andrew Martin of Wayne, internal medicine-primary care. University of Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha.



Present at the recent Toastmasters Speech Contest held in Norfolk were, left to right, Pat Hannon, Lt. Gov. of Marketing, Chris Czerwinski, Lt. Gov. of Education and Training, Judy Carlson, Raymond Payton, Sheila Hoffert, District Governor, and Karen Karr, VP of Membership for the Wayne Toastmasters and Toastmaster for the Area Speech Contest.

Toastmasters hold Area Speech Contest

Judy Carlson of Laurel recently won Second Place in the Areas 3 and 4 Toastmasters Speech Contest Payton, a member of the Point

Tales.' Carlson is a member of the Wayne Toastmasters. Raymond held in Norfolk on Feb. 17. The cat- Masters club in West Point, took egory for the speech was 'Tall First Place. An Officer Training

was held prior to the contest, with clubs from Omaha, Fremont, Wahoo, Norfolk, West Point and Wayne participating.

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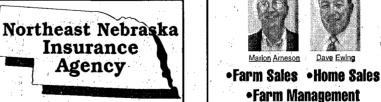
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Wayne County Court

Criminal Proceedings

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Kolby Newcastle, Blatchford, Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Mark Manganaro, Wakefield, def. Manganaro, Complaint for Procuring Alcoholic Liquor for a Minor (Five counts). Fined \$750 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Mikah Wheeler, Norfolk, def. Complaint for Driving While Under the Influence of Drugs. Fined \$400 and costs, sentenced to nine months' probation, ordered to attend AA meetings, complete alcohol and drug intensive outpatient treatment, driving course and M.A.D.D. Victim Impact Panel.

St. of Neb., pltf, vs. Courtney Phillips, Norfolk, def. Complaint for Attempted Obstructing a Peace Officer. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Tara Timmerman, Plainview, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Ignacio Valadez, aka Jesus Garcia, Wakefield, def. DWUIAL, second offense (count I), Operating a Motor Vehicle During Suspension or Revocation (Count II), Driving to the Left of Roadway Centerline (Count III), Open Alcoholic Beverage Container (Count IV). Fined \$600 and costs, dr. lic. revoked for two years and sentenced to 90 days in jail.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Joshua lawkins, Wakefield, def. Hawkins, Complaint for Theft by Unlawful Taking. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Zachary Williams, Norfolk, def. Complaint for Assault in the Third Degree. Fined \$300 and costs, sentenced to three days in jail and ordered to pay restitution of \$847.48.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. David Kagima, Wayne, def. Complaint for Disturbing the Peace. Fined \$100 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Daniel Riemer, Omaha, def. Complaint for in Possession Consumption. Fined \$250 and

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Chris Shultheis, Carroll, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$500 and

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Paul Koepke, Possession or Consumption. Fined

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Jenna Scales, Wayne, def. Complaint for Criminal Mischief. Sentenced to 80 hours community service, one year probation and ordered to pay resti-

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Nicholas Reimers, Central City, def. Complaint for Public Urination. Fined \$100 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Brian Sibel, Hopkinton, Iowa, def. Complaint for Theft by Unlawful Taking, Class III Felony (Count I), Theft by Unlawful Taking, Class IV Felony (Count II), Criminal Attempt (Theft by Unlaful Taking, Class III Misdemeanor (Count III) and MIPC (Count IV), Case bound over to District Court.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Jenna Scales, Wayne, def. Complaint for Criminal Mischief. Sentenced to 80 hours of community service, ordered to pay restitution and sentenced to one year probation.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Andrew Kuhn, Wayne, def. Complaint for Reckless Driving. Fined \$400 and

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Matthew Donner, Winside, def. Complaint for Carrying a Concealed Weapon. Fined \$400 andd costs.

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Andrew Lehman-Bear, Norfolk, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Jared Bethune, Carroll, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and

St. of Neb., pltf. vs. Stephen Espinoza, Omaha, def. Complaint for Issuing a Bad Check. Fined \$250 and costs and ordred to pay restitution of \$511.56.

Civil Proceedings

Credit Management Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Dirk Jaeger, Winside, def. \$443. Judgment for the pltf. for \$443 and costs.

Credit Management Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Paul Ramirez, Winside, def. \$269. Judgement for the pltf. for \$269 and costs. Credit Management Services,

Inc., pltf. vs. Rachel Behmer and Joshua Behmer, Hoskins, def. \$351.36. Judgment for the pltf. for \$351.36 and costs.

Capital One Bank, pltf., vs. Kathryn E. Milligan, Wayne, def. \$1,841.93. Judgment for the pltf. for \$1,496.83 and costs.

Information sought in Chadron case

Luann M. Svenson, Wayne, defs. \$708.75. Judgment for the pltf. for \$708.75 and costs.

Credit Management Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Leticia Dominguezsebasti, aka Leticia Dominguezsebastian and Victor Dominguezsebasti, aka Victor Dominguezsebastian, Wayne, defs., \$557. Judgment for the pltf. for \$557 and costs.

Unifund CCR Partners, pltf., vs. Nick J. Hollis, Wayne, def. \$7,576.93. Judgement for the pltf. for \$7,576.93 and costs.

Portfolio Recovery Associates, pltf., vs. Jeffrey Sukup, Wayne, def. \$3,281.28. Judgement for the pltf. for \$3,148.78 and costs.

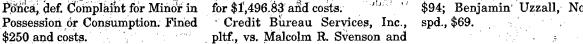
Credit Management Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Kris Rohde, Winside, def. \$143.78. Judgment for the pltf. for \$70 and costs.

Citifinancial, Inc., pltf., vs. Shelia Johnson and Alan Johsnon, Wayne, defs. \$9,400.62. Judgment for the pltf. for. \$13,227.17 and

Accredited Collection Service, Inc., pltf., vs. Dalbert Gowler, Jr. and Denise Gowler, Winside, defs. \$520.10. Judgment for the pltf. for \$513.50 and costs.

Traffic Violations

Michael Klernschrodt, Mpls, Minn., spd., \$169; Elizabeth Raddatz, Lincoln, spd., \$69; Stevey Jo Clark, Correctionville, Iowa, spd., \$119; Patrick McClelland, Omaha, spd., \$119; Kortney Schmale, Carroll, operating unregistered vehicle, \$69; Anna Keough, Arcadia, traffic control signal violation, \$119; Taylor Suehl, Hoskins, traffic control signal violation, \$119; Stacey Schaller, Carroll, spd., Bjorklund, \$119; Donavon Wakefield, spd., \$169; George Cooper, Allen, overweight on tandem axle, \$119; Janet Hofts, Burbank, S.D., spd., \$119; Dean Brodersen, Coleridge, spd., \$244; Lazaro Veneges, Norfolk, spd., \$69; Robin Claussen, Lincoln, spd., \$69; Melissa Landanger, Randolph, spd., \$69; Geoffrey Hamilton, Omaha, no valid registration, \$69; Johnny Braggs, Norfolk, spd., \$119; Katy Peopst, Wayne, violated stop sign, \$119; Jeffrey Kizler, Laurel, spd., \$119; Adam Krukow, Waverly, Iowa, spd., \$69; Julie Katealo, Omaha, no valid reg., \$69; Lisa Shea, Wayne, spd., \$69; Francis Donkor, Norfolk, spd., \$69y Martin Tejeda, Wayne, no open lic.,i \$94; Benjamin Uzzall, Norfolk,



the Dawes County Crime Stoppers are seeking information pertaining to the disappearance and remains March 9, was positively identified recovery of local Chadron resident as that of Dr. Haataja. Haug indiand former Chadron State College cated that further forensic testing Assistant Math Professor Dr.

Steven Haataja. Dr. Haataja, 46, was raised in Spearfish, S.D. and completed hisdoctorate at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln in August 2006. He was hired in July 2006, in the Math Department at Chadron State College. Dr. Haataja instructed classes for nearly a semester before his reported disappearance on Dec. 4, 2006.

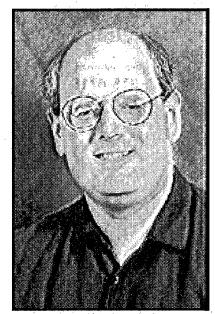
An investigation was conducted into his reported disappearance by local law enforcement. Despite several searches conducted throughout the immediate Chadron and Dawes County areas in the weeks following Haataja's disappearance, no trace of his whereabouts was found.

On March 11, Dawes County Attorney, Vance Haug indicated

Nebraska Crime Stoppers and that an autopsy performed in Scottsbluff on a body recovered in rural Dawes County on Friday, was being conducted at that time.

> In a prepared statement released Wednesday, March 14, Haug advised, "due to the unusual circumstances and the condition in which the body was found, law enforcement is treating this case with an abundance of caution and is investigating it as a homicide."

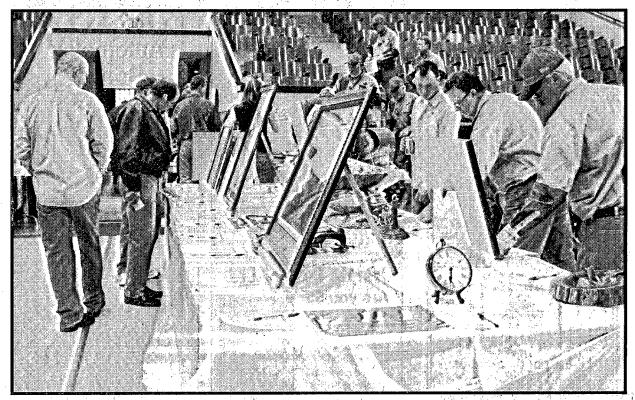
> Haug also stated that the Nebraska State Patrol, Dawes County Sheriff's Office and the Chadron Police Department are requesting and welcome citizen input and information that may be helpful. Individuals that want to remain anonymous may direct calls to the Chadron Crime Stoppers hotline at (308) 432-0519 or the Nebraska Crime Stoppers at 1-800-422-1494. Internet tips may be submitted and the tipster will



Dr. Steven Haataja

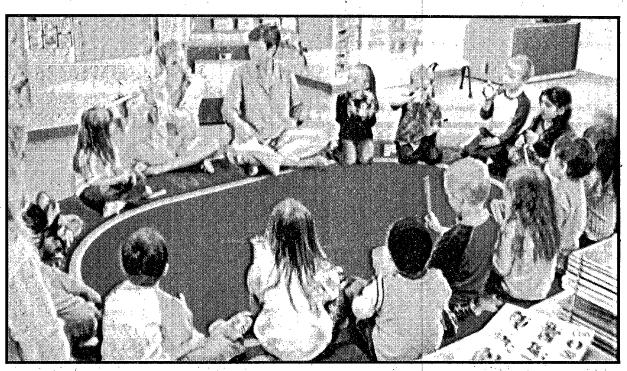
remain anonymous at www.nesbraskacrimestoppers.com

Dr. Haataja was a white male, approximately 6'4" tall, 230 lbs, with graying brown hair, brown eyes and glasses.



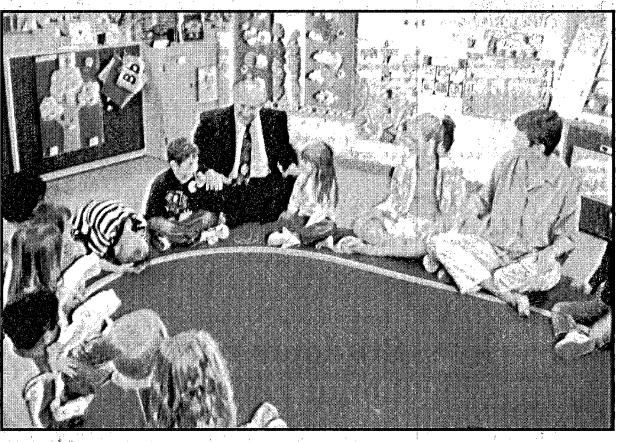
Making bids

Those in attendance at Friday's Pheasant's Forever Banquet were able to bid on a number of items during two sets of silent auctions. Items available for bid included prints, hunting related items, blankets and sculptures.



Musical theme

A recent theme at Wayne Head Start was music and movement. Bill, Deb and Dacia Dickey came and shared their musical talents with Head Start. Dacia played the flute and Bill and Deb sang songs to the preschoolers.



New books are in at Wayne Public Library

the Wayne Public Library.

The list includes: Fiction: Bass, Jefferson, Flesh and Bone; Johjalian, Christopher, The Double Bind; Berlinski, Claire, Lion Eyes; Berry, Steve, The Alexandrian Link; Child, Lincoln, Deep Storm; Dekker, Ted, Showdown; Delinsky, Barbara, Family Tree; Doyle, Roddy, Paula Spencer; Evanovich, Janet, Plum lovin', Ford, Richard, The Lay of the Land.

Also Gardner Lisa Susan, Past Perfect; Meeud, Claire, The Emporer's Children; Parker, Robert, High Profile; Patterson, James, Step on a Crack; Phillips, Susan, Natural Born Charmer: Rendell, Ruth, Kissing the Gunner's Daughter; Rice, Luanne, The Edge of Winter; Robb, J.D., Innocent in Death; Shteyngart, Gary, Absurdistan; Smiley, Jane, Ten Days in the Hills; Steel, Danielle, Sisters; Thoene, Bodie, Fifth Seal; Zahn, Timothy, Star Wars: Allegiance; Uncertain Endings: the world's greatest unsolved mystery stories.

LP-Fiction & Non-Fiction: Gruen, Sara, Water for Elephants; Hillerman, Rony, The Shape Shifter; Krentz, Jayne Ann, White Lies; Petterson, James, Step on a Crack; Peterson, Tracie, (two books) A Place to Belong and Whispers of Winter; Lemmon, Chris, A Twist of Lemmon - Bio; Agatston, Arthur, The South Beach Heart Program - N-Fic.

Adult Non-Fiction: More Stories of the Heart; Gruman, Jessie, AfterShock: what to do when the Moffat, Marilyn, Age-defying Bears go out for the team,

a Shoestring; Gore, Albert, An Inconvenient Truth: the planetary emergency of global warming and what we can do about it: Maddox. Jake, On the Line; Buckey, Sarah, The Stolen Saphire; Clements, Andrew, Room One; Ernst, Kathleen, Secrets in the Hills: Giles, Gail, What Happened to Cass McBride; Haddix, Margaret, (two books) Among the Brave and Dexter the Tough; L'Engle, Madeleine, A Wind in the Door: Luddy, Karon, Spelldown.

Non-Fiction/Ref: Juvenil**e** Packard, Mary, Mythbusters: don't try this at home.

DVDs: Ice Age the Meltdown: James and the Giant Peach; Mr. Smith Goes to Washington; My Best Friend is Invisible; New York City Guide; Pirates of the Caribbean.

Books on Tape & CD: Abrahamson, Erice, A Perfect Mess; Child, Lincoln, Deep Storm.

Adult Biography: Poitier, Sidney, The Measure of a Man: a spiritual biography.

Young People: Brashares, Ann, Forever in Blue: the fourth summer of the sisterhood; Brooks, Kevin, The Road of the Dead; Ferguson, Alane, The Christopher Killer: a forensic mystery; Hautman, Pete, Rash; Turner, Megan, The King of Attolia.

JPB: Kidd, Rob, Silver; McCoy,

Mimi, The Accidental Cheerleader. Easy: Berenstain, Stan and Jan, (13 books) Berenstain Bears and the Truth, Berenstain Bears get Stage Fright, Berenstain Bears doctor gives you or someone you and too much TV, Berenstain Bears love, a devastating diagnosis; and too much junk food, Berenstain

A number of new books are in at Fitness; Protor, Rob, Gardening on Berenstain Bears and mama's new job, Berenstain Bears and the trouble with grownups, Berenstain Bears and the week at Grandma's, Berenstain Bears and too much vacation, Berenstain Bears trouble with money, No Girls Allowed, Berenstain Bears and the sitter, Berenstain Bears and the messy room; Gaydos, Nora, Amazing Animals. Books: Ditchfield,

Picture Christin, Cowlick; Krensky, Stephen, Too Many Leprechauns; Lieshout, Elle van, The Wish; Martin, Bill, Chicka chicka 1,2,3; Munsch, Robert, Stephanie's Ponytail; Pennypacker, Sara, Pierre in Love.

PC Corner: McKay, Sindy. (two books) Animals under our Feet and My Town.

Intermediate: Allison, James, Tattoo.

Gilda Joyce; Barnes, Jennifer, Sister Joan Polak is

recent speaker at WSC

Sister Joan Polak of Omaha was featured as a speaker on "Honduras" on March 20 in the Elkhorn Room at the Student Center on the Wayne State College campus. This speaker was sponsored by the Office of Multicultural Affairs and the WSC Catholic Newman Center Student Activity Fund.

Polak did missionary work in Sulaco, Honduras for more than 12 years. She collaborated in building a center for malnourished children, a clinic, library and an emergency hospital. She lived through the aftermath of the destructive hurricane "Mitch" and helped people rebuild homes and the community.

Hoesing is a recipient of a **Tech-Savvy Superintendent Award**

Daniel Hoesing, superintendent struction and aid in decision makof Laurel-Concord Public Schools in Laurel is a recipient of a Tech-Savvy Superintendent Award, sponsored by Blackboard Inc. The announcement was featured in eSchool News, where the nation's top K-12 executives were recognized for their outstanding leadership and vision in educational technology.

The 10 leaders were chosen by the editors of eSchool News with help from last year's winners. This year's winners were honored in a private ceremony held in conjunction with the American Association of School Administrators' annual conference in New Orleans on March 2.

This is the seventh annual year for the Tech-Savvy Superintendent Awards. As school leaders come to rely on computers and the Internet

ing, understanding technology and how it can be used to transform teaching and learning is an increasingly essential characteristic lease program in cooperation with for the 21st century school execu-

Nebraska Information Technology their child's schedules, grades, Commission. He has demonstrated attendance and assignments exceptional vision in leading the development and implementation of a district-wide technology plan Schools, Coleridge Community Schools and Newcastle Public Schools.

a community lifelong learning center in Laurel through an agreement with the Laurel city government to The success of the project brought programs for tracking substitute to engage students' interest, track an awareness of the importance of teachers, comparing contracts and their progress, individualize in- getting computers into the homes of negotiations and more.

the district's students and parents.

Hoesing encouraged the board of education to reach out to students and parents through a computer Apple. Around 100 families took advantage of the program which Hoesing is a member of the parents can go online to access through PowerSchool, an online student information system.

Also, students take tests for state for three small schools in northeast reporting online and teachers use Nebraska: Laurel-Concord Public laptop computers to manage their day-to-day classroom tasks. Hoesing also led the development and implementation of new soft-In 1996, Hoesing helped develop ware that has enhanced the efficiency and productivity of his teaching and administrative staff, including a lesson-planning procombine school and city libraries, gram for teachers, as well as online



Greg and Alicia Boeshart with daughter, Becca.

Benefit held in Allen

held a benefit for Greg and Alicia Boeshart on March 18 at the Allen spine followed by a titanium cage. Firehall. It was a Spaghetti

Greg has had a tough time the last few months. On Jan.15, after two months of pain and numbness in his legs, Greg underwent surgery. This three part surgery consisted of first removing the bone that interlocks over the back of the spine on his last three lower verte-

The doctor removed two damaged discs and inserted titanium spacers in place of the damaged

First Lutheran Church members discs. Then six titanium screws were inserted on each side of his built to hold and support his spine during fusion.

Lastly, they sprinkled the crushed bone from the first step back into the area to start the fusion process. His muscles were stitched back into place and his 10 inch incision was sown up using 45 stitches. After three days in the hospital, he was sent home to recover. Three weeks later he had his stitches removed and started five weeks of physical therapy. It will be at least six months before he will be completely recovered.

EducationQuest awards \$1 million in The Wayne Herald, Thursday, March 22, 2007 scholarship funds to Nebraska Colleges; WSC included in distribution

awarded \$1 million in need-based scholarship funds to 32 Nebraska public and not-for-profit colleges, including Wayne State College, for distribution to eligible students during the 2007-08 academic year. The funds are designated for undergraduate students who demonstrate financial need. Each Northeast Community College, college selects the students who will benefit from the scholarships.

This marks the ninth year that EducationQuest has awarded need-based scholarship funds to Nebraska colleges, bringing to \$7.5 million the total amount awarded thus far. Through 2006, the funds have benefited nearly 8,000 stu-

EducationQuest developed the scholarship program – and has continually increased the annual distribution amount - as part of its. mission to improve access to higher education in Nebraska

"This program helps offset the shortage of state-funded financial aid for low-income students in Nebraska," said EducationQuest President Liz Fieselman. "\$1 million will go a long way toward helping hundreds of students realize their educational dreams."

According to a survey conducted by the National Association of State Student Grant and Aid Programs, Nebraska ranks 41st in the nation in estimated grant dollars for students in the 18-24 age

Colleges receiving funds include Bellevue University, BryanLGH College of Health Sciences, Central Community College, Chadron State College, Clarkson College, College of Saint Mary, Concordia University, Creighton University, Dana College, Doane College, University, Hastings Grace College, Little Priest Tribal College, Mid-Plains Community

EducationQuest Foundation has McCook, Metropolitan Community Midland Lutheran College, College, Nebraska Christian College, Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture, Nebraska College, Indian. Community Nebraska Methodist College of Nursing and Allied Health, Nebraska Weslevan University Peru State College, Southeast Community College, College, University of Nebraska Medical Center, University of Nebraska at Kearney, University of Nebraska - Lincoln, University of Nebraska at Omaha, Wayne State Western Nebraska College, Community College, and York College.

EducationQuest Foundation is a private, nonprofit organization with a mission to improve access to higher education in Nebraska. Headquartered in Lincoln, EducationQuest provides free college planning services; funds needbased scholarship programs; provides grants that help high schools increase their college-going rate; and provides outreach services for statewide community agencies.

For more information, call 800.303.3745 or visit www.educationquest.org

AARP seeks nominees for award

AARP is seeking nominations for its 2007 AARP Andrus Award for Community Service, which honors those individuals who are sharing their experience, talent, and skills to enrich the lives of their community members.

"Volunteerism is clearly a new way of looking at retirement for older Americans. Many are finding that they want to remain active and involved and that volunteerism fulfills this need and the desire to help others," said AARP State President Sunny Andrews. "Through this recognition, AARP encourages members and prospective members to use their skills and assistance as a way to remain vital as well as make a difference in their community."

The screening of nominees will be performed by AARP Nebraska and involves a range of criteria, including positive impact on the lives of individuals age 50 and over, improvement of the community in or for which the work was performed, and inspiration of others to volunteer. The award recipient will be announced on or about Sept. 1,

AARP Andrus Award for Community Service nominees must meet the following eligibility requirements:

*Nominees must be current AARP volunteers or AARP members; or must have been AARP volunteers or members during 2006.

*The accomplishments, achievements or service on which the nomination is based must include the year 2006, but it need not be exclusive to 2006.

*Couples or partners who perform service together are also eligible, however teams are not eligible.

*The accomplishments, achievements, or service on which the nomination is based must have been performed on a volunteer basis, without pay. *The accomplishments, achieve-

ments or service on which the nomination is based must reflect AARP's priority issues of Health, Livable Communities and/or Economic Security. Please contact Robin Szwanek

toll free at 1-866-389-5651 for further information and a nomination form, The application deadline is June 1, 2007.

The AARP Andrus Award for Community Service is an annual awards program developed to honor individuals whose service is a unique and valuable contribution to society. Last year, AARP recognized 53 outstanding individuals from around the country.



WSC Hosts Regional Science Fair

Laurel-Concord High School student Tony Jacobsen, left, answers questions about his project from judges Dr. David Peitz, center, Associate Professor of Chemistry; and Dr. Darius Agoumba, right, Assistant Professor of Chemistry at Wayne State College during the Northeast Nebraska Regional Science Fair on March 15 in the Frey Conference Center of the Wayne State College Student Center. Jacobsen was a senior division competitor. The title of his project was "An Aromatic Study Using Essential Oils as an Inhibitor." For more information, please contact, Sally Harms, Ed.D., Associate Professor of Natural Sciences/Education, 375-7331.

Adventure race set for April 1

race featuring 5-8 hours of navigat- race instructions. ing, running, biking, kayaking and numerous mystery challenges, returns to Lincoln on Sunday, April 1.

Organizers expect more than 70 teams to participate in the event, which counts for double-points in the new NSC Racing Series. Last year, 48 teams braved the course, with Team Bird Flu winning in just over five hours.

Race Director Jim Craig, known across the Midwest as a creative course designer, promised plenty of

"Having a race on April Fool's Day is an adventure race director's dream," Craig quipped, adding that checkpoints will be strategically placed at landmarks throughout the capital city and will require racers to keep their eyes open and

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Craig said the NSC Racing Series is off to a great start with good participation in three winter tune-up races held in the Panama, Neb. area. Current Series leaders include Road Rash in the Coed Division. Team NSC Maxx in the Men's Division and the Mighty Tough Mistresses leading the

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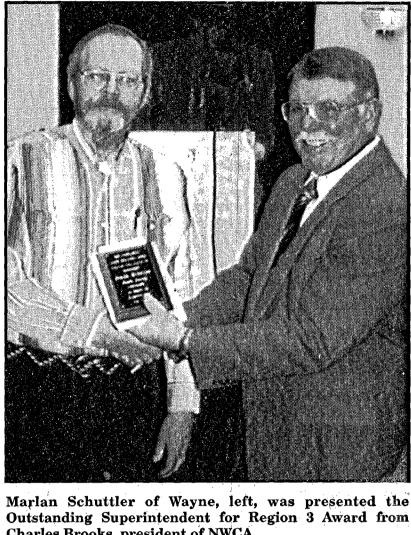
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Athletes interested in participating can learn more or register online at NSCRacing.com or call 1-800-304-2637. The Nebraska Lottery is the sponsor of the Link and the NSC Racing Series, along with Blue's Bike & Fitness/Bike Rack, Champion Physical Therapy, Arby's, Tiger Coaching & Personal Training, Cycle Works/ Moose's Tooth, ProFormance Physical Therapy and Max Muscle.

Looking for correspondents

The Wayne Herald would like to hire correspondents in Carroll, Wakefield, Dixon, Laurel. If you are interested in gathering news, let us know by calling 402-375-



Outstanding Superintendent for Region 3 Award from Charles Brooks, president of NWCA.

Schuttler receives award from Nebraska Weed Control Association

Marlan Schuttler of Wayne has and efforts to provide Wayne Outstanding received ${
m the}$ Superintendent for Region 3 award from the Nebraska Weed Control Nebraska Association (NWCA) at its annual Agriculture Director Gregory Ibach conference held in Kearney, Schuttler was nominated for the regional award for his dedication

County residents with a strong noxious week program. State of Department congratulated Schuttler on his achievement.

Northeast Community College site of spring turkey hunting seminar

The Northeast Nebraska Beards & Spurs chapter of the National Wild Turkey Federation (NWTF) will host a turkey hunting and biology seminar in April at Northeast Community College.

The one-session workshop is planned for Thursday, April 12, from 7-10 p.m. in the Lifelong Learning Center on the Northeast campus in Norfolk.

A Game and Parks biologist will cover all aspects of maintaining a healthy turkey flock. A presentation by the NWTF Biologist, Brandon Houck, is also planned.

Turkey Calling Extraordinaire and Knight and Hale Pro Staffer,

Rod Pettit, will also be there. An avid outdoorsman, Pettit finished 13th in the world in 2006. He is a three-time U.S. Open competitor, two-time Grand National competitor, 2002 Kansas State Calling Champ, and 2003 runner up.

Many aspects of hunting, from beginner's tips to advanced tactics for calling in a mature tom, will be reviewed. There will also be a question and answer session. Door prizes will also be given away.

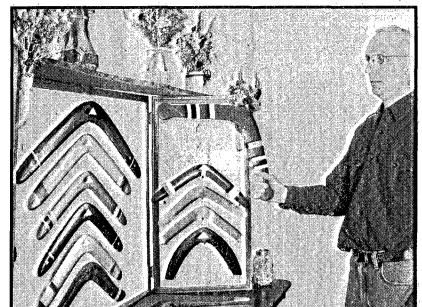
Seating is limited and pre-registrations are requested. Participants can pre-register by calling Roy Swoboda at 675-7035.





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Dennis Wacker

Design Gone Wild display to be at RC&D office

the featured artist at the Northeast months of March and April. Wacker is a farmer who has many hidden talents and interests. If kinds and names of wildflowers that grow in the Plainview area ask him. He has several dried wildflower arrangements on display at the RC&D office and is looking into planting and growing his own this

When you think of "Boomerangs" you think Australia. Think again as Wacker has made and designed his own boomerangs. He started making boomerangs about 10 years ago and has many different kinds on display. He likes to take them to family gatherings and lets the kids. have fun trying to master the art of throwing a boomerang. He also has several walking canes he makes on hand. He uses a sanding disk on cedar and ash to bring out the grain in the wood so that no two canes are ever alike. Wacker

also grows popcorn Another of his projects will make the after prom party a success as he is the supplier of the carnival games the school uses. Wacker is a "TeamMates mentor and married to Imogene, secretary to the

Dennis Wacker of Plainview is Plainview School Superintendent. Wacker and Dennis Vossberg, RC&D office in Plainview for the who wrote the book Hector's Bliss, are planning to have an open house on Sunday, April 15 from 2 to 4 at the RC&D Office. Come for a cup you are interested in knowing the of coffee and try your hand at throwing a boomerang. You can get a copy of the book and share your

stories on Nebraska history. The public is invited to stop by to see the display Wacker calls "Design Gone Wild" at the Northeast RC&D office in Plainview, which is located on east Highway 20, 702 East Park Ave. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Winside News____ Dana Bargstadt

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LITTLE KIDS WRESTLING

Randolph Public School hosted a wrestling tournament on March 9 for Kindergarten-Eighth grades.

The following are the results for the Winside boys who participated. Preschool: Cody North, second place; Casey North, fourth. Kindergarten: Brody Meis, second place.

First-Second grade: Zach Morris, first place; Caleb Dwinell, second; Jadon Wagner, third; Brandon Watters, third; Jon Escalante, first; Sean Mann, first; Joey Haase, first; Trey Meis, second. Third-Fourth grade: Bryce Meis, fourth place; Marcos Escalara, second; Colby Keiser, second; Keith Mundil,

Fifth-Sixth grade: Dillon Tweedy, first place; Levi Lange, second; Monica Marino, fourth; Caleb Lienemann, first; Gatlin Jensen, second; Austin Keiser, fourth; Matt Haase, first; Garrett Watters, sec-Seventh-Eighth grade: Blaine Meyer, fourth place; Forest Jones, third; Cody Wylie, third;

Brady Wurdemann, fourth. On March 13, Wisner-Pilger School hosted a tournament for Second-Eighth grades. Stanton, Pender, Winside and Wisner-Pilger schools participated with 29 wrestlers from Winside attending. Members from Winside who traveled with the team include: First-Second grades - Brandon Watters, Joey Haase, Jon Escalante, Sean Mann, M. J. Montgomery and JaShaun Vyborny-Paulsen; Third and Fourth grades - Marcos Escalara, Colby Keiser, Zach Jones,

Northeast faculty members will be honored as outstanding instructors

Five members of the Northeast programs, Ann Oertwich. Community College faculty will be honored in May by the National Institute for \mathbf{Staff} and Organizational Development (NISOD) for their outstanding job performance.

The faculty members are agriculture instructors Michael Lechner and Mike Roeber, building construction instructor Mike Frank. criminal justice instructor Matt McCarthy, and director of nursing

Northeast's academic deans nominated the faculty members for the NISOD Awards. The instructors have been invited to the 29th Annual International Conference on Teaching and Leadership Excellence in Austin, Texas, in May to receive the Excellence Awards.

According to the NISOD webpage, these Excellence Awards honor the world's best in higher

Kelly Tweedy and Dalton Montgomery.

Fifth and Sixth grades - Levi Lange, Gatlin Jensen, Matt Haase, Watters. Garrett Lienemann, Dillon Tweedy, Monica Marino and Austin Keiser; Seventh-Eighth grades - Alec Sindelar, Cody Wylie, Ethan Thies, David DeCock, Forest Jones, Anthony Nelson, Colton Brokow. Zach Brokaw, Brady Wurdemann and Sage Schwedhelm. Only team medals were presented. Stanton took the first place medal home, Pender placed second, Wisner-Pilger received third and Winside was awarded fourth place.

Norfolk Public Schools hosted a wrestling tournament for K-8th grade on March 10. Winside had five members who participated. Their results are as follows: Joey Haase, second; Matt Haase, first; Jon Escalante, first; Marcos Escalara, third; and Monica Marino, second. The Winside team will be traveling to Wisner-Pilger for a quadangular with surrounding schools next.

Concord

News

Suzie Johnson 402-584-2693

CONCORDIA WOMEN OF THE ELCA

Concordia Women of the ELCA met on March 15, with 16 members present. The program was held first. A "Service of Darkness" was presented by members of the Ruth Circle based on the Book of Matthew concerning the choosing of Jesus' 12 Apostles, where they came from, and why he picked them to be his faithful followers. A candle was lighted for each one, and then snuffed out as each denied or betrayed him in some way, each gradually leaving him alone. The program closed with the hymn, "Were You There?"

President, Ardyce Johnson opened the business meeting with a reading entitled, "Take Authority Of the Devil"..work and action go together to put the devil on the

Coming events: Monday, April 23: will help with the weekly Bingo Party at the Hillcrest Care Center in Laurel at 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 28, the Spring Gathering will be held at Salem, Wakefield - (are to provide cookies/bars for the afternoon coffee).

Discussion was held about the Action Committee plans. Some quilts are made and will be tied this fall. Looking into purchasing a new Altar Cloth and Vinyl flooring for the kitchen. Paper products will be collected for the Sullivan Hills Campground at Lodge Pole.

Offering was lifted. The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer and Table Grace. Betty Bothwell and Naomi Peterson served as hosts.

CONCORDIA **BOWLING PARTY**

The Couples / Singles Group held an all church bowling party at the Hillside Bowl in Laurel on March 18. Doug and Lynette Krie were in charge of the planning. Twentyone members and guests attended. Two games were enjoyed with the following winners: High Ladies -Bohlken: Adel

Man's - Ron Harder; Ladies - Pat Bathke; Man's - Doug Krie; High Kid's - Izac Reifenrath; Low Kid's - Shelby Reifenrath, Josh Grone and Max Sanders. Adel Bohlken also threw a "turkey." Lunch was served before heading

The next meeting for the Couple's/Singles will be held on Sunday, April 15 with Ron and Marilyn Harder in charge of the **Pender Hospital announces** Allied Health Scholarship

Applications are now being Cuming, Dixon, Burt and Dakota accepted until April 15 for the Brondum Memorial Scholarship.

The scholarship is established in memory of Merlin Brondum's dedication to rural healthcare. This \$2500 scholarship is available to anyone living in Thurston, Wayne,

Counties and currently enrolled in an Allied Healthcare course of study. Merlin Brondum passed away in

March of 2003 after a brief illness at the age of 49. Merlin worked at Pender Community Hospital for 27 years, most of which were as the Director of the Laboratory. Merlin was a dedicated professional who will best be remembered by the PCH staff as "a friend and family

member." For an application or more information call 402-385-4005 or check the website at www.pendercommunityhospital.com

Foote awarded scholarship

Jeremy Foote of Wayne has been awarded a Ctis Digital Future Scholarship to continue his education at Wayne State College in Wavne.

Jeremy is the son of Brian and Tammy Foote of Wayne and is a 2002 graduate of Wayne High

He is a senior at WSC, majoring in Computer Science and Sports Management. His activities include S.P.O.R.T.S. Club, A.C.M., referring high school sports, working for the Wayne Community Activity Center and working at Wayne State athletic events.



Evaluating an Early Retirement Offer

Today's corporate marketplace is increasingly focused on cost-effectiveness and efficiency. As organizational restructuring and downsizing become commonplace employers are searching for new strategies to reduce payroll expenses. Rather than sending "pink slips" more employers are offering early retirement packages to try toentice employees to leave voluntar-

The decision whether to accept an early retirement offer can be distressing and complex. If you find yourself in this position you will need to carefully evaluate the offer as well as your personal retirement goals and current financial situation. No matter how attractive the offer seems it is important to understand all the details and explore both the potential benefits and drawbacks of accepting your buyout offer.

Consider the emotional

aspects of early retirement Financial concerns are only one part of evaluating an early retirement offer. Consider the following: Are you emotionally prepared for retirement? Does accepting a company buyout plan mesh with your retirement goals? Are their repercussions for turning down the offer? Would you continue to be happy at your job if you turned down the offer? Certainly, you will need to calculate the financial aspects of your decision; however, don't forget to acknowledge the personal factors involved with accepting or declining the offer.

Assess financial implications for retirement

Once you've come to terms with the emotional side of early retireyour decision will affect your longterm financial security. Take a look you afford to retire now? Will you is best for you. still be able to reach all of your financial goals? Do some serious number crunching and make a ing include health and life insur-



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fund it. Evaluate the overall attractiveness of the offer

Early retirement offers can vary dramatically from company to company, or even from employee to employee. How do you know if you received a good offer? First, take a look at everything that is included. Typically, early retirement offers will contain a severance package based on your annual salary and years of service with the company. Some companies will even adjust your tenure for the purposes of calculating benefits. In some cases, you will have the option of collecting the severance money as a lump sum or as a series of deferred payments. A lump sum allows you to invest the money immediately however there are tax repercussions. Deferred payments create an income stream and allow you to spread out the taxes owed on the ment, you'll need to determine how money. Be sure to carefully examine assumptions about inflation, rates of return, and future expensat your total financial picture. Can es when you evaluate which option

Other benefits that can make an early retirement offer more appealrealistic assessment of your income ance coverage for you and eligible and expenses throughout retire- members of your family. Make sure ment including the affects of both you understand the costs associattaxes and inflation. Remember, the ed with coverage, what will be covearlier you exit the workforce, the ered in the plan, and how long the longer your retirement will be and coverage is available. As you age

increase so this aspect of your early retirement package is important. Analyze how an early retirement will affect your retirement benefits

Traditional company pension plans are based on a combination of salary, years of service, and your age when you begin taking benefits. Leaving your job before age 65 (potentially at a lower salary than if you elected to continue working) may reduce pension benefits you would otherwise have earned. Be aware that the difference between full benefits and a reduced pension could be significant.

You'll also need to explore your options with regard to your employer-sponsored retirement plan. In some instances you may leave your savings in the plan. Or, you may find that directly rolling the assets to an IRA will give you more control. You may even decide to cash out the plan.

Your Social Security benefits may be affected by your decision to take early retirement as well. Social Security benefits are based on your average annual earnings over 30 to 35 years of past work. If you are leaving work and any potential salary increases behind, your benefits will be lowered. Additionally, if you begin taking Social Security benefits at age 62, your benefits will be lower than if you had waited until the maximum benefit is available at age 70. For each of these benefits, calculate several different scenarios - benefits at normal retirement age versus current age, affects on other retirement investments, and varying distribution options - to determine the most beneficial decisions for your individual situation.

The financial calculations and planning issues associated with taking an early retirement offer are complicated and often confusing. Since the decisions you make now can be far reaching, it is wise to seek help from a professional. To assist you in maintaining your financial security throughout retirement, consider consulting a qualified financial advisor who can evaluate your options and suggest the most effective way to reach

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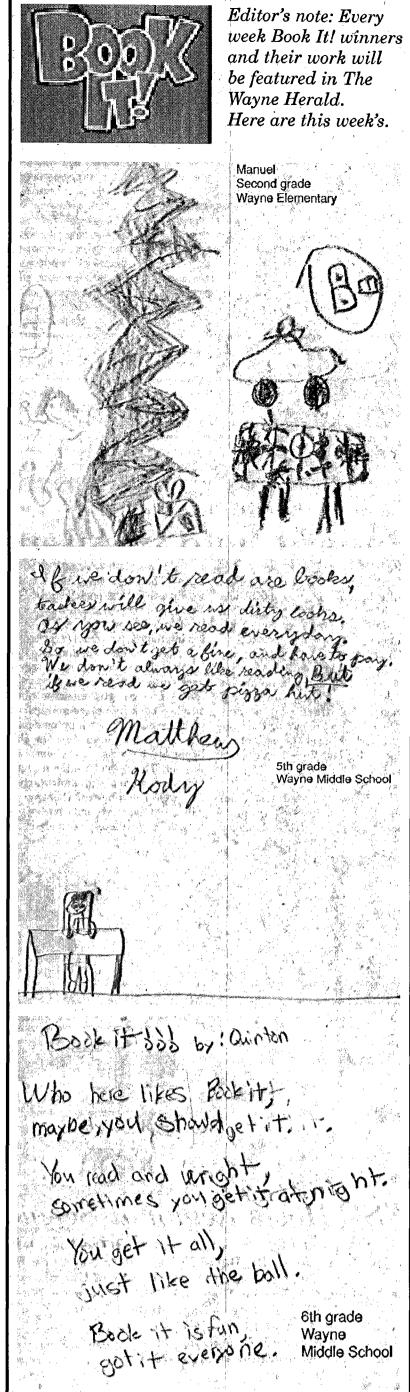
Banking and Finance reports that The Summary Order further the State of Washington's Department of Financial Institutions, Securities Division, issued a Summary Order to Cease and Desist and Notice of Intent to Impose Fines to Federal Savings, LLC; First Bancshares, Inc.; JMA Northwest Investments, LLC; and Jeremy M. Stamper, on March 8, 2007. The subjects to the Summary Order are located in the State of Washington.

Federal Savings, LLC has allegedly been offering and selling six month certificates without being registered to sell securities. The Summary Order alleges that the Federal Savings, LLC web site is misleading and it mistakenly implies that certificate investments are insured by the Federal

The Nebraska Department of Deposit Insurance Corporation. alleges that non-residents of Washington have responded to the certificate offering and have sent monev.

> If you have sent money to Federal Savings, LLC; First Bancshares, Inc.; JMA Northwest Investments, LLC; and/or Jeremy M. Stamper, Respondents listed in the Summary Order, contact the Nebraska Department of Banking and Finance, Suite 400, 1230 "O" Street, Lincoln, Nebraska, (402) 471-2171 immediately.

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the more money you will need to your healthcare costs will likely your long-term retirement goals. This information is provided for informational purposes only. The information is intended to be generic in nature and should not be applied or relied upon in any particular situation without the advice of your tax, legal and/or your financial advisor. The views expressed may not be suitable for every situation. Ameriprise Financial Services, Inc., Member NASD, part of Ameriprise Financial, Inc.

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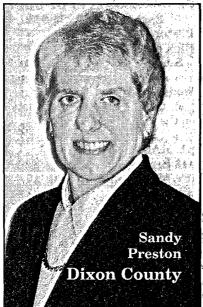
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At least 3 cups of low-fat or fatfree milk or its equivalent should be consumed each day. Other calcium-rich foods include low-fat or nonfat yogurt, low-fat cheese, canned fish with bones, green and leafy vegetables, dried beans and peas. Adults should aim for daily intakes of 1,000-1,200 milligrams of calcium. Teens and pregnant women should have slightly higher learns history amounts. It is best to get calcium sources throughout the day because the body can only absorb about 500 milligrams of calcium at one time, whether from supple-

Make every effort to get calcium from foods rather than supplements. However, for some, supplements are needed to meet calcium needs. Calcium supplements come in various forms. The most popular forms are calcium citrate and calcium carbonate. Calcium carbonate needs to be taken at meals for best absorption. Calcium citrate doesn't

bone frame and lean build, white or need to be taken at meals but generally is more costly than calcium carbonate. Calcium supplements also should contain vitamin D, which is needed for the body to absorb calcium. Work with a doctor to decide which supplement is best.

> SOURCE: Linda Boeckner, Ph.D., nutrition specialist; Schledewitz, extension assistant

Minerva Club

The Minerva Club gathered at the Wayne Senior Citizen's Center for lunch on March 12 with Hallie Sherry as hostess.

Marilyn Wallin called the meeting to order with a trivia challenge. Phyllis Rahn shared a short reading, comparing cell phones to the

For roll call, 13 members responded with the reading of an Irish blessing.

The birthday song was sung for Webber, Margaret Anderson and Joyce Mitchell.

Hollis Frese shared historical moments from the 1950's, giving a brief history of the club's origin, name and purpose. Included was a list of members from 50 years ago and a brief synopsis of their lives, illustrating how their character traits exemplified what Minerva club represents.

After adjournment Hallie Sherry delivered an animated program on Zeus, king of the Greek gods.

Fauneil Bennett will host the next meeting, which is scheduled for Monday, March 26.

Card shower requested for Wanda Novak

A card shower is being requested for Wanda Novak, in honor of her 85th birthday, which is Saturday,

Her family includes a daughter, Leather and Lace will hold their Sharon Bennett of Norfolk, a son, Robert and Bruna Van Cleave of Monument, Colo., six grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

> The former Wanda Novak lived in Allen. She was married to George Van Cleave and later Darrel Novak. Both are deceased.

> Cards may be sent to the honoree at The Oaks, 1500 Vintage Hill Drive, Wayne, Neb. 68787.



Engagements_

Victor - Freeman

Audrey Victor and John Freeman, both of Hartington, will exchange vows in a June 2, 2007 wedding at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne.

Parents of the couple are Mike and Marta Victor and Dwayne and Marietta Freeman, all of Laurel, Grandparents are Ruth Victor of Wayne, John and Turena Gradwhol of Laurel and Evelyn Freeman of Long Pine.

The bride-elect is a 2003 graduate of Laurel-Concord High School. She will graduate in May with a bachelor of science degree in history and political science education.

Her fiance, a 2002 graduate of Laurel-Concord High School, earned an associate of applied science degree in utility line in 2004 from Northeast Community College. He is an utility lineman with Cedar-Knox Public Power in Hartington.



Dean Owens to note birthday

Dean Owens will observe his 80th birthday on Friday, March 23. His family is requesting a card

shower in honor of the occassion. His family includes his wife, Eleanor, two daughters, Becky and Rick Lange of Hoskins and LeAnn Beltz of Pierce, eight grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Cards may be sent to him at Dean R. Owens, 206 Court Street, Carroll, Neb. 68723.

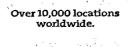
Senior Center Calendar.

Monday, March 26: Morning walking; Cards & quilting. Tuesday, March 27: Morning

walking; Cards and quilting. Wednesday, March Morning walking; Cards & quilt-

Thursday, March 29: Morning walking; Cards and quilting; Pitch party, 1:15 to 3 p.m.

Friday, March 30: Morning Walking; Cards & quilting; Pool, 1 p.m.; Bingo, 1:15.



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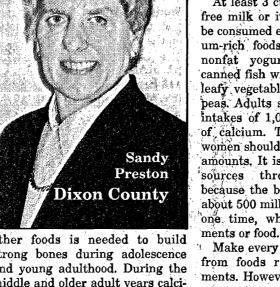
Square dancers plan upcoming events **Spring Has Arrived** dance on March 9 with Steve Bailey calling. at There were 24 guests and 15 members present. The participants were treated to salads after the Dave Diediker received the free pass. Split the pot winners were Donna Tietsort, Ardie Stanley, Bianca Maririo and Gerald Stanley. Laurel Town Twirlers took their banner home. Dancers were reminded that

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Gerald and Ardie Stanley will host

the Laurel Town Twirlers dance on "

Sunday, April 1 at 7:30 p.m. in

may be pregnant

or know someone

Leather and Lace recently met to honor of their wedding. Dancers were also reminded of the Spring Festival on Friday, April 13 with Dean Dederman calling at 7:30 p.m. at the Wayne City

Auditorium. Twelve Leather and Lace dancers traveled to Hartington to dance at Diane Kutcha's benefit. Diane recently lost her husband in à tragic farm accident. A dance was held in conjunction with the bene-

The next scheduled dance will be Friday, March 23 with Mike Hogan calling. The doors will be open at 7:30 p.m. and spectators welcome. Hogan is a national caller. It will be Snack Night and everyone is encouraged to bring a snack for the March 31.

graduation for new dancers on Friday, April 27 with Marshall Poole calling. Instructor Dale Muehlmeier will conduct the ceremony.

Those brushing up on their Round Dance techniques will continue to meet at The Oaks on Thursday evenings at 7 p.m. for several more weeks.

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FAITH BAPTIST Independent - Fundamental 208 E. Fourth St. -375-3413

(Pastor Jim Scallions) Sunday: Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Worship, 11; Evening worship, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Study and prayer, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST 400 Main St. www.firstbaptistwayne.org (Douglas Shelton, pastor)

Sunday: Sunday School, Adult and children's classes, 9:15 a.m.; Prayer and Fellowship, 10:15; Worship, 10:30. Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.

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line.org.

(Troy Reynolds, minister) Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 Worship, 10:30 Wednesday: Junior High Youth group (CIA), 6:45 p.m.; Senior High Youth Group in Youth Room at church, 7; Home Bible Study, 6:45. Thursday: Home Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN 216 West 3rd St. 375-2669

(Rev. Ray McCalla, pastor)

Handbell Choir Sunday: rehearsal, 8:30 a.m.; Worship, 9:45 Church School, 10; Fellowship time with Amy and Brian Bowers as hosts, 10:45; Confirmation class, 11; MOPS Steering committee, 5 to 7 p.m. Monday: Session, 7 p.m.; Wayne State College Bible Study at CrossPoint, 1006 North Main Street, 8 to 10 p.m. Wednesday: Lenten Soup Supper, 6 p.m., followed by Bible Study of James, Chapter 5; Middle School youth, 7:30. Thursday: Wayne State College CrossPoint fellowship time at CrossPoint building, 1006 North Main Street, 8-11 p.m.

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pastor) Sunday: Fifth Sunday in Lent. Worship Service, 8:15 and 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship time after each service; Sunday School, 10:45; Newsletters available to pick up. Monday: Junior Girl Scouts, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Theophilus, 2 p.m.; Kings Kids, 3:40; Gospel Seekers, 5:30; Soup Supper, 5:30; Lenten service, 6; Bell Choir, 6; Chancel Choir, 7.

GRACE LUTHERAN Missouri Synod 904 Logan grace@gracewayne.com

(The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp, Senior Pastor) (The Rev. John Pasche. Associate pastor)

(Stephen Ministry cong.) Sunday: Lutheran Hour on KTCH, 7:30 a.m.; Worship with Holy Communion, 8 and 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:15; New Member Brunch, 9:15. Monday: Bell Choir, 6:30 p.m.; Worship, 6:45; Duo Club, 7:30. Tuesday: Preschool Board meeting, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Men's Bible Study, 6:30 a.m.; Bible Class, 9; Senior Group Luncheon, noon; Lenten Supper, 6; Midweek, 6:30; Choir, 6:30; Lenten Worship, 7:30. Thursday: Confirmation Pictures,

6:30 p.m.; Prayer Shawl Workshop,

7; Confirmation Questioning, 7:30

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p.m.

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OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN 421 Pearl St. • 375-2899 (Pastor Kim Stover) (Pastor Bill Koeber) oslc@oslcwayne.org

Friday: Movie Discussion Group, 7 p.m. Saturday: Prayer Walkers, 8:30 a.m.; Worship, 6 p.m. Sunday: Contemporary Worship, 8:45 a.m.; Adult Education, Sunday School and Coffee Hour, 9:50; Choir Rehearsal, 10:15; Traditional Worship, 11; Camp Lunch, noon; Scrapbooking, 1 p.m.; Conversation Group, 5 and 6:30. Monday: Good Friday rehearsal, 7 p.m.; Tabitha Circle, 7:30. Tuesday: Bible Study at Tacos & More, 6:45 a.m.; Staff meeting, 9:30; Sunday School Teachers meeting, 7 p.m.; Property Committee, 7. Wednesday: Men's Bible Study, 7 a.m.; Oaks Devotions, 3:30 p.m.; Lenten Supper, 5:45; Joyful Noise, 6; Boys Choir, 6; Lenten Worship, 7; Choir,

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Cross and Benediction, 7 p.m.

FIRST LUTHERAN (Karen Tjarks, Pastor)

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UNITED METHODIST

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BETHANY PRESBYTERIAN (Gail Axen, pastor) Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN (Rev. Timothy Steckling,

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Concord, CONCORDIA LUTHERAN (Karen Tjarks, Pastor)

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:45; Pastor Karen will be at Ethics in Ministry Retreat in Schuyler until March 27. Tuesday: Joint Bible Study, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Wednesday: ACCTS, 3:30 p.m.; Confirmation, 5; Lenten Worship at Concord, 7 p.m.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN East of town (Willie Bertrand, pastor)

Sunday: Bible Study, 8 a.m.; Worship, 9 a.m. Monday: Quilting at St. Paul, 1 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Immanuel, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Midweek School at St. Paul, 4 p.m.; Lenten Worship at St. Paul, 7 p.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE

(Pastor Todd Thelen) Saturday: Men's Prayer Breakfast, 6 a.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Choir, 6 p.m.; Senior High Youth Group, Evening Bible Study & Praying Kids -Mighty in Spirit, 7. Monday: Deacon Board meeting, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Awana & JV, "Hot Dog Honk," 7 p.m.

ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC (Fr. James McCluskey, pastor)

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a.m.; Worship service, 10:30. TRINITY EVANG, LUTHERAN

(Rodney Rixe, pastor) Sunday: Trinity Bible Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m. Tuesday: Confirmation class, 8:20 a.m. Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Wednesday: Confirmation class, Sunday School, 10. Pastor Karen 8:20 a.m.; Confirmation class, 4:30

> ZION LUTHERAN (Lynn Riege, pastor)

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:15 Lenten Worship at Concord, 7 p.m. a.m.; Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.

Wakefield

CHRISTIAN CHURCH 3rd & Johnson Internet web site: www.faxtab.net (Bill Chase, Interim pastor) (Kobey Mortenson, Youth pastor)

Sunday: Christian Hour, KTCH, 8:45 a.m.; Prayer Warriors, 9; Sunday School, 9:30; Praise and Worship, 10:30.

EVANGELICAL COVENANT 802 Winter St. (Ross Erickson, pastor) (Dennis Wood, Minister to Youth) web site: http://www.blomnet. com/church/wakecov e-mail: wakecov @bloomnet.com

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45; Youth for Truth, 6 p.m. Monday: WIC Clinic. Tuesday: Ladies meet for prayer, 9 a.m.; Worship on

Local Cable, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Snak Shak, 5:45; Pioneer Club and Junior High, 6:15; Bible Study, 6:30. Thursday: Men's Bible Study at Tacos & More, 7 a.m. Saturday: Lenten Breakfast,

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN 4 North, 3 East of Wayne (Willie Bertrand, pastor)

Sunday: Bible Study, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. Tuesday: Study, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Lenten Worship at St. Paul, 7 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN 216 West 3rd

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

SALEM LUTHERAN

411 Winter Street (Jerome Cloninger, pastor)

Saturday: Worship service with Communion, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship with Communion, 10:30 a.m.; Choir, 5:30 p.m. Monday: Altar Guild, 6:30 p.m.; Natural Church Development, 6:30; Q2C, 7. Tuesday: Bible Study, 10 a.m.; XYZ. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Meal, 6; Lenten Worship, 6:45. Thursday: Video on local Cable, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Worship, 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. Wednesday: Midweek Lent Service at Winside, 7 p.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN

(PMA Glenn Kietzmann) Sunday: Sunday School a.m.; Coffee Fellowship, 9:30; Worship Service, 10:30.

UNITED METHODIST (Carol Jean Stapleton, pastor) (Parish Assistants - Freeman Walz, CLS and Judy Carlson,

CLS) Saturday: Winside UMC serves Legion Banquet. Sunday: Children's Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11:15 a.m. Tuesday: Newsletter Deadline: Winside UMW meeting, 1:30 p.m. Wednesday: Pastor in Pierce office, 1 p.m.; Confirmation class, 4.

Results given on March 13 blood drive

Siouxland Community Blood Bank held a blood drive on March 13 at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne. There were 34 donors registered, 34 units collected and one new donor. Awards went to Mardelle Hallstrom, five gallons; Marlin Schuttler, 14 gallons; Mary Temme, eight gallons and Joyce Voyles, one gallon.

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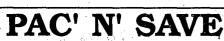


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Grace Ladies Aid meets on March 15

Ladies Aid and LWML was called to order by President Delores Utecht on March 15.

Opening devotions were given by Beverly Hansen and Betty Wittig titled "The Cross - What Does it Mean to Me and You?"

Roll call was answered by 24 members and Pastor Pasche.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. The treasurer's report was given and filed for financial review.

Committee reports included:

Mission gathering - Joann Temme reported on the Spring Workshop that will be held at St. John's in Wakefield on Monday, April 23. Registration begins at 9

The Aid is to bring books for the preschool in Winnebago for the In-Gathering and members voted to purchase the series that they had requested. Fauniel Bennett will order them.

The group is to pick up the banner at that time and it will be used for Guest Day and the 80th anniversary of Grace Ladies Aid and LWML. Pictures were taken of the confirmands' pen pals.

Visiting - Members reported sending many cards and flowers and visiting people.

Care Center - Verdelle Reeg reported they had played bingo and brought in lunch to the residents at Premier Estates.

Funeral Committee - The com-

The March meeting of Grace mittee reported that they had served at Ellain Vahlkamp's funer-

> New on the Funeral Committee will be Betty Wittig and LaVon Biermann and the Visiting Committee will be Betty Wittig and LaVon Biermann. Milly Thomsen, Delores Utecht and Ruth Victor will be on the care center commit-

> Dorothy Meyer will write the seminary student this month.

The Sewing Committee reported that three large quilts had been tied on Feb. 22 and the group will meet again on March 22.

Ellen Heinemann will chair the 80th anniversary of the Aid, which will be held Wednesday, May 9 at 2 p.m. with Guest Day. The Aid will furnish a cake and ice cream.

A memorial service was held for Ellain Vahlkamp with the reading of the 23rd Psalm and the singing of "Abide With Me."

Mites were collected. The meeting adjourned with The Lord's Prayer and table prayer.

Pastor Pasche gave the devotion "Get Going - There is Work to be Done; God will help!" taken from the Lutheran Quarterly.

The birthday song was sung for Pastor Carl Lilienkamp, Dorothy Meyer, Matilda Barelman and Ardene Nelson.

Hostesses were Verdelle Reeg and Elinor Jensen. April hostesses will be Joann Temme and Leona

Grace Evening Circle learns of several upcoming events

Grace LWML Evening Circle met March 13 with eight members pre-

President Marilyn Rethwisch opened the meeting with Mary Lou Erxleben giving the Christian Growth reading "Praise for His Name - The Way" and a prayer.

Thank you notes were read and excerpts from the LWMC Wayne Zone Executive Board meeting.

Immanuel Ladies Aid. conducts meeting

The Ladies Aid of Immanue Lutheran Church of rural

Wakefield met March 15. Pastor Willie Bertrand led the Quarterly lesson, "Get Going." Neva Echtenkamp led the lenten

President Donna Roeber Irene Blecke's 90th birthday. presided over the meeting. Seven members answered roll call. Ginger Nelson was a guest. The minute were read and the treasurer's report was given.

report.

The Aid will purchase a children's book for the Ingathering at the LWML Spring Workshop to be Wakefield.

Nila Schuttler, Mrs. Lloyd Roeber and Beverly Ruwe are on the committee for the Easter praying The Lord's Prayer. breakfast following Sunrise ser-

The members honored the birthdays of Pastor Willie Bertrand and Mrs. Lloyd Roeber and the anniversary of Alice and Arnold Roeber.

Lunch was served by Alta Meyer. The next meeting is scheduled

The Wayne Zone LWML Spring Workshop will be held Tuesday, April 24 at St. John's in Wakefield. Registration is from 9 to 9:30 a.m.

A reminder was given of the LWML National Convention to be held at Sioux Falls, S.D. on June 21-24. This year's theme is "ROCK! Rest on Christ the King."

Secretary Lanora Sorensen read the minutes of the January meeting and a report of the Evening Circle hosting Missionary speaker, the Rev. Jonathan Muhley of Moscow, Russia on Feb. 6.

Treasurer Lee Larsen gave a Verna Mae Baler and Bonnie Sandahl audited the 2006 treasur-

er's book with all in order. Verna Mae Baier gave the Mission Service report on labels and coupons for missions.

Valores Mordhorst, repr the Hospitality and Social Committee, reported sending 14 greeting cards to Grace members during January, February and

A card was signed for member

Project Committee member Lee Larsen reported on receiving new card and napkin orders.

New business included the LWML Spring Workshop on Alta Meyer gave her visiting Tuesday, April 24. The Ingathering is for special books for the Winnebago preschool. Janet Casey will order the books.

The District LWML banner is held in April at St. John's in available for display at meetings. Mites for LWML Missions were col-

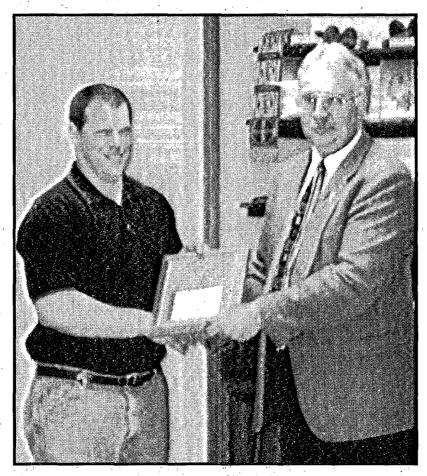
The meeting adjourned with all

For the program, Darlene Lilienkamp led the LWML Quarterly Bible Study "Between a Rock and a Hard Place." She was also the hostess for the meeting.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, April 10 at 7:30 p.m. with Bonnie Sandahl as program leader



Honored Knights
Two members of the Father Kearns Council of the Knights of Columbus were honored recently. Above, Ken and Shirley Prokop were selected as the Family of the Year. Below, Mike Fehringer was chosen as the Knight of the Year. The presentations were made by Grand Knight Ron Gentrup during the annual Wives Appreciation Supper.



Wanted ... Church news

The Wayne Herald would like to print information and schedules

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.

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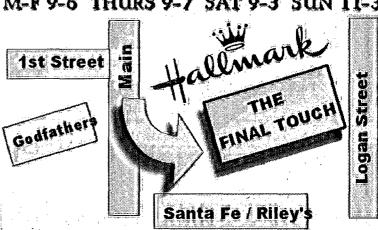


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School Lunches

ALLEN (March 26 - 30) Monday: Breakfast — Cereal & bagel. Lunch - Hot ham & cheese, bun, green beans, mixed fruit &

Tuesday: Breakfast — Cereal & French toast. Lunch - Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, peaches, rolls.

Wednesday: Breakfast Cereal & turnovers. Lunch -McRibb, bun, French fries, pears &

& muffins. Lunch — Meatball subs, Doritos, peas, pineapple, cookie. Friday: Breakfast — Cereal & toast. Lunch - Fish, bun, winter

blend, strawberries, cake. Milk served with breakfast and lunch. Salads served upon request.

LAUREL- CONCORD (March 26 - 30)

Monday: Breakfast - Cereal.

Lunch - Chicken Noodle Soup, Thursday: Breakfast - Cereal fresh veggie salad, apple juice,

Friday: Breakfast - Egg Wrap. Lunch - Fishsticks, macaroni & cheese, lettuce/dressing, peaches, Nebraska Mennonite roll. Alternate - Chef Salad.

cheese bread.

Tuesday:

pineapple, dessert.

Thursday:

applesauce.

Milk, chocolate milk, orange juice available each day,

Breakfast

Breakfast -

Breakfast Pizza. Lunch -

Wednesday: Breakfast

Cheeseburger/bun, oven fries, corn,

French toast. Lunch - Mini corn

dogs, macaroni salad, green beans,

Sausage Wrap, Lunch - Chicken

breast sandwich, tator tots, peas,

WAKEFIELD (March 26 - 30) Monday: Turkey Spahetti Bake, green beans, dinner roll,

Tuesday: Stromboli, corn, baby carrots, applesauce. Wednesday: Barbeque pork

sandwich, carrots, fruit salad. Thursday: Burritos, topping bar, breadbasket, peaches.

Friday: Macaroni & Cheese, peas, dinner roll, strawberries. Milk served with each meal. Breakfast served every morning.

WAYNE (March 26 - 30) Monday: Chili, crackers, carrots, applesauce, cinnamon roll. Tuesday: BBQ ribs with bun, baked beans, pears, cookie.

Wednesday: Breakfast for lunch, tator rounds, orange juice,

Thursday: Chicken Tenders, wheat dinner roll, corn, pineapple, Friday: Mac & Cheese, green

beans, wheat dinner roll, peaches, Milk served with each meal. Also available daily:

chef's salad, roll or crackers, fruit or juice, dessert.

WINSIDE (March 26 - 30) Monday: Breakfast - Omelet. Lunch - Ham & Cheese, chips, baked beans, applesauce.

Breakfast 😌 Tuesday: Cinnamon Roll. Lunch - Taco Salad or taco on a bun, Doritos, pears, roll. 🕝

Wednesday: Breakfast Waffles. Lunch - Burrito, rice or wild rice, corn, pineapple, roll. A Thursday: de Breakfast 14-Eggstra, Lunch - Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll.

Friday: Breakfast-Donut. Lunch--Cheese Quesadilla, lettuce, fruit cocktail, chocolate cake.

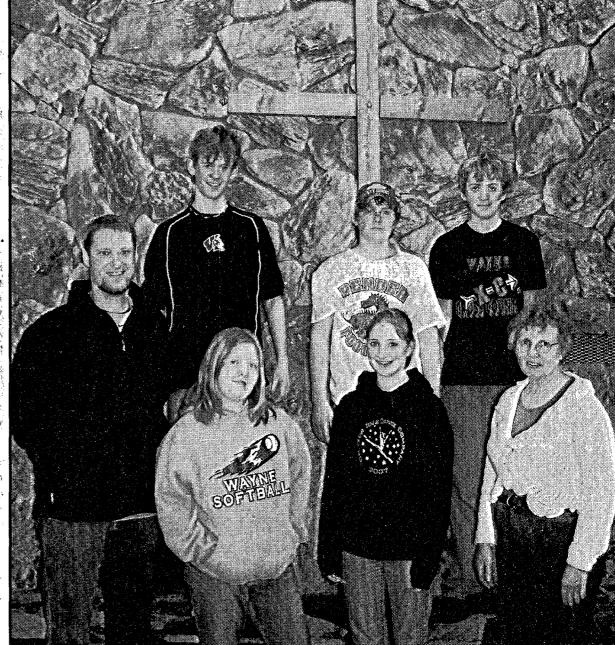
Yogurt, toast, juice and milk served with breakfast. Milk served with each meal. Salad bar available for all grades daily.

New Arrivals

CHURCHES - Garth and Leah (Boeckenhauer) Churches Greeley, Col., a son, Cael Edward, 8 lbs., 9 oz., 20 inches, born March 9, 2007. Grandparents are Lauren and Kathy Boeckenhauer of Ainsworth and Carl and Linda Churches of Golden, Colo. Greatgrandparents were the late Robert and Inez Boeckenhauer of Wayne,

BOEHLE - David and Mandy Boehle of Sioux City, Iowa, a son, Tristen Christopher, 6 lbs., 14 oz., born March 9, 2007. He is welcomed home by a brother, Brayden, 2. Grandparents are Gary and Pam Boehle of Wayne and Jim and Carlene Svoboda of Wahoo. Greatgrandparents are Alda Boehle of St. Libory and Lucille Hopper of

SAMEK - Scott and Connie Samek of Cedar Bluffs, a daughter, Elly Josephine, 7 lbs., 6 oz., born March 10, 2007. She is welcomed home by brothers, Nolan, Wade, Neil and Taylor and sisters, Stacy and Shelby. Grandparents are Lester and Donna Hansen of Wayne and Bill and Elaine Samek of Rising City.



Confirmation Retreat

Five middle-school youth from First Presbyterian Church in Wayne attended a Confirmation Retreat at Camp Calvin Crest, near Fremont, on March 9-11. The youth enjoyed activities such as campfire, worship, playing basketball and getting to know other Presbyterian youth from all over eastern Nebraska. They also explored the building blocks of faith - loving God and loving others - and were given an opportunity to commit their lives to Jesus Christ. Pictured above are, left to right, Pastor Ray McCalla, Andrew Pulfer, Jacob Pulfer, Levi Heese (of Pender), Hannah McCorkindale, Jaci Alexander and Sandra Metz.

Northeast's Women's History Month continues with talk by AAUW leader

observance continues at Northeast Community College in Norfolk with a talk by the Nebraska State President of the American Association of University Women

Susan Goos will speak on Tuesday, March 27 at noon, in the the campus in Norfolk. Her presentation is free and open to the pub-

Her presentation, EducationThe Gateway to Economic Security for Women, will review

Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu-

(Week of March 26- 30) Meals served daily at noon. For reservations, call 375-1460 Each meal served with bread, 2% milk and coffee.

Monday: Swiss steak, baked potato, lima beans, rye bread, pudding. Tuesday: Fillet of Cod, scalloped

potatoes, tomato vegetable medley, two fruit salad, whole wheat bread, lemon bar. Wednesday: Oven fried chicken,

mashed potatoes & gravy, wax beans, lemon 7-up salad, dark sweet pitted cherries. Thursday: Hamburger broccoli

casserole, sauerkraut salad, cranberry juice, whole wheat bread, Butterfinger dessert.

Friday: Hot beef sandwich, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, dill pickle, white bread, peaches.

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Briefly Speaking

PEO Chapter meets with Kris Gies

AREA - Chapter AZ, PEO met March 10 in the home of Kris Giese.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, April 3, at 7 p.m. in the home of

Election and installation of officers for 2007-2008 were held.

The Women's History Month why women, even though more Long Way. Both photo displays are educated, more employed and in the Maclay Building. Books by employed at higher levels than ever before, still earn 71 cents for every dollar earned by men. She will also discuss why women are largely pigeonholed into "pink collar" jobs.

Goos will make recommenda-Maclay Building, Room 100B, on tions for change to improve **Trinity** women's economic status. She will particularly emphasize the benefits of women earning educations in computer science, engineering and mathematics, and enhancing education in financial management

and economic sufficiency. With a theme of Generations of Women Moving History Forward, other Women's History Month activities include a photo display entitled Women's Work in Nebraska from 1880-1940, on loan from the Nebraska Humanities Council, and another photo display, Women's Work...We've Come A

Results are given of March 12 **Community Blood** drive in Allen

Results of the Siouxland Community Blood Bank drive held at the high school in Allen are 39 registered, 32 units collected, and two new donors.

Awards include Patricia Bathke, four gallons; Mary Johnson, six gallons; Julie Kumm, one gallon; Robert Oberg, three gallons; David Rahn, five gallons and Derald Rice, two gallons.

female authors and biographies of famous women are on display in the Northeast library, A women's history, display has also been set up in the Student Center Upper Level.

WELCA women gather

Nine members of Trinity Lutheran Church's WELCA in Winside answered roll call.

The meeting opened with President Kathy Jensen reading "For Another" taken from Romans 5:7-8 and written by Ken Klaus. The Bible Study was led by Kathy Jensen and taken from Ruth 1 and 2 on Naomi and Ruth's friendship.

The secretary's report was presented by Peggy Krueger and the treasurer's report was given by Lois Krueger. Both were approved.

New water pitchers have been purchased for the church and new curtains for the upstairs and the basement have been decided on and will be ordered and put up as soon as they come in.

A thank you from Tabitha was read for a donation the ladies

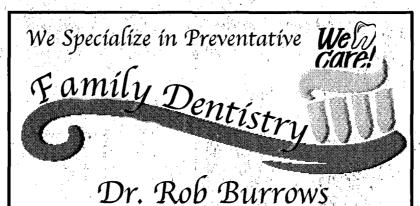
Greta Grubbs has found a speaker for the Guest Day, which will be Wednesday, Sept. 12. Her sister-inlaw. Merilyn Iversen, will speak on her trip to Honduras.

With Easter coming, Mary Ann Soden volunteered to get the Easter lily for church.

The next meeting will have a date change. It will be Wednesday, April 4 with Dorothy Jo Andersen serving.

The meeting closed with The Lord's Prayer.

Lunch was served by Peggy



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DISTRICT AG CONTEST

Members of the Allen FFA Chapter went to Norfolk on Feb. 28 to compete in the District Ag. Contest, All of the 21 members who participated in the contest did

The Ag. Mechanics Team placed first, qualifying for state. Team members included Derek Hingst, Josh Sievers, Crystal Rahn, and Robert Tanderup, The Agri. Science Team made up of Jarret Warner, Keith Jorgensen, Jacob Woodward and Cody Stewart got an overall blue, ranking 8th out of 16 teams.

The Envirothon Team of Luke Sachau, Luke Woodward, Scott Wilmes, Chris Blohm and Corey Klug placed 1st out of 17 teams. The Welding Team consisted of Zach Mitchell (Arc), Daniel Johnson (Gas Metal Arc Welding) and Bobby Adair (Oxyaceltyene) got an overall blue, placing fifth also qualifying for state.

The Livestock Management Team members included Brandyn Stewart, Holly Stark, Jenny Warner, Eric McCarthy, Scott Wilmes and Amanda Schneider receiving a purple and third place out of 11 teams, also qualifying for state. So, the next trip the Allen FFA Chapter will be making is to the State FFA on March 28, 29, 30 in Lincoln.

ALLEN COMMUNITY CLUB Did you know that the Allen Community Club sponsors the post-prom breakfast for students returning to Allen after their post prom party? This enables them to stay in Allen to eat rather than driving back to Sioux City for breakfast. Come to the April 16 Community Club meeting to help decide what should be served to the

Northeast Medication Aide class to begin in early **April in Wayne**

The Allied Health Department at Northeast Community College will present another Medication Aide class beginning in early April at the Providence Medical Center in

Medication Aide, with course number HLTH 1120-33/07S, will meet Mondays and Tuesdays, April 2 through May 8, from 6-9:45 p.m. Dani Frahm is the instructor for this three-credit-hour class with a cost of \$208.50 for Nebraska residents plus \$34,78 for books (available at the West Point Education

Recommended for those 18 years old or older, this course is designed to prepare the student to meet the requirements of the Medication Aide Act and the responsibilities of the medication aide in an assistedliving facility and/or a nursing facility.

The course includes information regarding medication administration, pharmacology, rules and regulations, classification of drugs, orders, storage, and abbreviations. An overview of commonly-used drugs and documentation will also

Upon completion of this course, the student is eligible to take the state-administered written exam. After successfully passing this examination and completing the application procedure, the student's name will be placed on the medication aide registry at the Nebraska Health and Human Services Regulation and Licensure, Credentialing Division.

To register for this course, please call Terry Ramig, Northeast's Regional Coordinator in West Point, at (888)794-6322.



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Shooter R NP
Dead Silence R NP
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I Think I Love My Wife R NP
(1:50, 4:40) 7:25, 9:45

Wild Hogs PG13 (1:00, 3:05, 5:10) 7:20, 9:25 (1:15, 4:00) 7:00, 9:35 Ghost Rider PG13

Ghost Rider PG13 Premonition PG13 NP (1:35, 4:15) 7:10, 9:20 Bridge to Terabithia PG (1:45, 4:25) 6:45, 9:00 9:15 Number 23 R 9:15 Night at Museum Pg (1:55, 4:35) 6:55

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Competing in the District Ag Contest were, front row, left to right, Scott Wilmes, Erika McCarthy, Jenny Warner, Cody Stewart, Josh Sievers, Zach Mitchell. Row 2, Jarret Warner, Luke Sachau, Jacob Woodward, Keith Jorgensen, Robert Tanderup. Row 3, Amanda Schneider, Derek Hingst, Chris Blohm, Crystal Rahn, Holly Stark. Row 4, Corey Klug, Luke Woodward, Daniel Johnson, Bobby Adair III, Brandyn Stewart.

students. DONATES BOOKS

Dixon County Farm Bureau donated two books about agriculture to Allen's elementary students last week. Fantastic Farm Machines by Cris Peterson was presented to Librarian Connie Roberts for use in all elementary grades. The book shows 12 large pieces of equipment used in today's farming operations. C is for Cornhusker, written and signed by Rajean Luebs Shepherd was given to the first grade classroom. Mrs. Harder's students enjoyed the story of the alphabet across Nebraska claiming fame not only to the Cornhusker football team, but to such things as Kool-Aid, a Nebraska invention. Dixon County Farm Bureau enjoyed donating these books and realizes the importance of teaching the next generation of citizens about the importance of Nebraska agriculture.

Both books were selected from a field of 41 books, submitted by publishers across the country, as 2006 Agriculture Books of the Year, by Nebraska Farm Bureau.

BLOOD DRIVE SUCCESSFUL The Siouxland Blood Bank was in Allen at the Allen School on Monday, March 12 for a blood drive sponsored by the Science Club. Thirty-nine donors registered and 32 units were collected. There were two new donors and several who reached gallon markers: Mary L Johnson - six gallons; David Rahn - five gallons; Patricia Bathke - four gallons; Robert Oberg

Others who registered to donate were: Arlene Blohm, Lou Ann Burcham, Denise Hingst, Scott Krominga, Lori Mischke, LeRoy

- three gallons; Derald Rice - two

gallons; and Julie Kumm - one gal-

Stark, Marilyn Webb, John Book, Barb Connot, Richard Davenport, Teresa Edmondson, Doug Ellis, Patricia Flores, Alicia Gregerson, Bonnie Kellogg, Katie Ketelsen, Paulette Kumm, Lisa Lorimor, Duane Lund, Larry Mason, Rosalie Mason, Richard Olesen, Crystal Rahn, Donna Roland, Michelle Sachau, Kelly Schroeder, Clifford Stalling, Donna Stalling, Brooke Stewart, Dale Strivens, Madonna Tanderup, Janice Taylor and Corey Uldrich.

CEMETERY MEETING

The Eastview Cemetery Annual Meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 3 at the Allen-Waterbury Fire Hall. The meeting will be called to order at 3 p.m. If you have any questions, please contact Bill

EASTER EGG HUNT

The Annual Easter Egg Hunt planning is being planned by the Allen Community Club. The date set for the hunt is Saturday, April 7 at the Allen Park. In case of inclement weather, the event will be held at the School's Common's Area. Look for more information next week. If you'd like to help with the Easter Egg hunt or donate any prizes, please contact Sandy

CELEBRATE 60TH Gaylen and Carol Jackson will be Anniversary at an Open House on fruit cocktail, peach coffee cake. Saturday, March 31 at the Allen United Methodist Church from 2 -

PALM SUNDAY BRUNCH

The United Methodist Church is hosting a Palm Sunday Brunch on April 1 at 10:30 a.m. for a freewill offering.

ZONING MEETING

sponsoring a Dixon County Zoning blend, oranges.

question and answer session, March 22 at the Allen/Waterbury Fire and Rescue Bldg. in Allen. The 7:30 p.m. meeting is open to all county residents, especially agricultural and rural residents.

A panel will discuss zoning, addressing some of the following questions: Do we need it? Who makes the decisions? What does zoning mean to agriculture? How is future development affected? If you need a copy of the proposed zoning ordinances, just ask for one at the Clerk's Office in the Dixon County Courthouse.

COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

Friday, March 23: Patty Roeber Sunday, March 25: Kyle Sperry, Thaine Woodward, Josh Sievers, Jordyn Carr, Valdemar Grimaldo,

Monday, March 26: Joey Fendrick, Mark Bausch, Garret Brentlinger.

Tuesday, March 27: Steve Sullivan, SR., Paul/ Colleen Boyle. Wednesday, March 28: Richard

Bupp, Cole Roeber. Thursday, March 29: Charlene

Friday, March 30: Randy Ellis, Brenda Stewart, Catherine Moore, Carter Hedlund, Ray Brentlinger, Richard Gensler, Reed Hingst. SENIOR CENTER

Friday, March 23: Brunch at 8 celebrating their 60th Wedding a.m. - Breakfast casserole, bacon, Monday, March 26: Taverns,

> potato casserole, corn, plums. Tuesday, March 27: Lasagna, lettuce salad, cauliflower, minted

> pears. Wednesday, March Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes/ gravy, beets, fruit cocktail.

Thursday, March 29: Salmon Dixon County Farm Bureau is loaf, ranch potatoes, California

Friday, March 30: Hot beef Center sandwich, mashed potatoes, peas,

COMMUNITY CALENDAR Thursday, March 22: Dixon Co. Zoning Question/Answer session

7:30 p.m. at Allen Fire Hall Friday, March 23: Tatting at Senior Center at 10 a.m.

Saturday, March 24: United Methodist Church Fund Raiser Dinner at Allen, 5:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 27: First Lutheran Church Bible Study at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.; Somerset at Senior

Wednesday, March 28: ACCTS at 3:30 p.m.; First Lutheran Confirmation at 5 p.m.; First Lutheran Lenten Service at 7 p.m. at Concordia; State FFA begins; United Methodist Lenten Service at Allen, 6 p.m. dinner/ 7 p.m.

Thursday, March 29: Laurel/ Concord Relays at Laurel; State FFA Continues

Friday, March 30: State FFA concludes: Character on the Job -

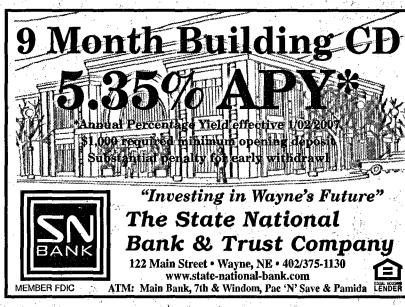
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RC&D Annual Tour, Ghost Towns & Cemeteries, set for April 28

Visiting quaint rural cemeteries, cemeteries and several "ghost participants to the history and log cabins, Native American churches and ghost towns is the theme for the ninth annual seasonal tour to be held Saturday April

The annual tour sponsored by the Northeast Nebraska Conservation and Development Council at Plainview will once again make the crisscross trip through Knox County taking motor coach passengers to little known

towns" which once dotted the pages of early plat books.

Nebraska has over 900 abandoned Northeast Nebraska, including Knox County can attest to being home to a number of them.

Barb Hoffart, Program Support Assistant with the RC&D said, "It is a good way to familiarize the

Landowners urged to use caution in wind energy agreements

Attorney General Jon Bruning and State Senator Annette Dubas (District 34) reminded landowners to use caution when approached by wind energy developers. These developers are seeking to enter into agreements with Nebraska farmers, ranchers and other landowners for the wind rights on their land, including Custer, Holt, Cherry, Madison and Boone counties.

"As with any contract, once you sign on the dotted line, you're making a commitment that could affect you for a long time," Bruning said. "It's important to clearly understand the terms of the agreement and consult a legal or financial professional before signing anything

Bruning and Dubas noted that

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such agreements have a long-term impact not only on the value of land, but on landowners and future generations. Because the wind energy industry is only beginning to develop, the long-term financial impact may be difficult to gauge.

"This could be much like the historic rush for ownership over land, gold, oil and water. After the value of a natural resource reaches mainstream, the person who profits usually understands its worth," Dubas said. "Nebraska landowners must carefully consider the wind industry and its potential future for profitability in Nebraska. Nebraska is ranked sixth in the nation for the amount of wind potential it could produce on an annual basis. The industry is underdeveloped in Nebraska in comparison to surrounding states. Nebraskans should be very excited about the potential for a profitable future but should remain vigilant of the worth of this resource."

beauty of our local area. The Council has conducted this nearly According to research projects identical tour for the past two completed in the late 1960s, years but in the fall. It was decided to offer the same tour again this or nearly abandoned towns. year but in the spring. It seems many people can relate to their roots that lead back to early pioneers and homesteading in rural Nebraska.

Sites of interest will be several Indian churches and cemeteries, Walnut, Venus, Sparta, Tewsville, Lindy and Winnetoon. A stop at Oak View Park will be one of the main things to see on the tour. "The charm of the old buildings and scenic landscape along with the historic information from the stepon guide, Janet Eckmann will make this a trip for all ages," said Hoffart. "Of special interest will be guest speaker Judy Carlson, Knox County historian and author of a recently published book on local cemeteries. Carlson will demonstrate grave divining on the cemeteries on our tour."

Hoffart added, "Rods or "witching sticks" have been used since ancient times to find underground water or minerals but people also use them to locate unmarked graves. This is a real photo opportunity for those with a camera.

The motor coach will pick up passengers at Jerry's Hilltop and Lindy. A noon lunch in Verdigre and afternoon snack will be provided. Seating is limited and more information is available at the RC&D office in Plainview or by calling 402-582-4866.



Dan Pries

Dan Pries recognized for land sales

Farmers National Company, the nation's leading farm and ranch management and brokerage company, has announced that Dan Pries, Accredited Farm Manager (AFM) of Wayne, as recently recognized for his outstanding efforts in real estate sales.

Pries, a professional farm manager and real estate sales agent with Farmers National Company, received the company's top award for selling more than \$1 million worth of real estate in 2006. The award was presented at a company-wide meeting in Omaha.

Dan can be contacted at (402) 375-1176 or at dpries@farmersnational.com or at www.farmersnational.com/danpries.

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4-H News____

COUNTRY CLASSICS

The Country Classics 4-H Club met at the NNPPD building on March 18 for the monthly meeting. 191 After the 4-H pledge, the Pledge of Allegiance and roll call were taken, the club passed the sponsoring of two awards, Championship Senior Showmanship and Championship

Some items also discussed were the early bird registration for the 4-H camps, the Big Red Roadshow, the Bake & Take and the time for the next meeting.

After the adjournment, the presentations were given. Jakob Thompson gave a presentation on making a care package for kindergarteners and Brandon Beair gave a presentation on small animals. Luke Pulfer showed a type of project you could do for small engines, while Jacob Beair gave a demonstration on preserving insects for

his entomology project. After the demonstrations/ presentations, the club enjoyed refreshments provided by the Thompson family. Sawyer Jager,

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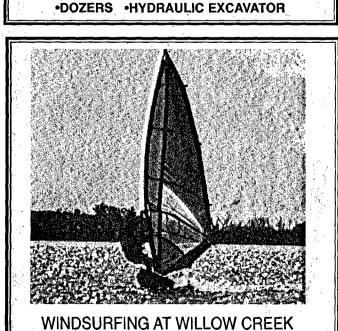
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NRDs announce use of helicopter in upcoming Groundwater Studies

In the past few years water issues have taken center stage in discussion of natural resources in the State of Nebraska. In order to better understand and manage groundwater, several Eastern Nebraska Natural Resources Districts (NRDs) along with other State and Federal Agencies, have formed the Eastern Nebraska Water Resources Assessment (ENWRA). This study, which will take several years to complete, will be conducted to better understand the hydrologic connection between aquifers and the interaction of groundwater and surface water.

Pilot studies at three sites will take place to further examine Eastern Nebraska's complex glaciated geology. The location of these sites will be near the towns of Oakland, Ashland, and Firth. Each of these sites will be approximately 36 square miles and have been designated because of their unique geologic setting related to glacial terrain. The pilot studies will evaluate research methods to determine the feasibility of using them on a wide scale in other glaciated areas of Nebraska.

Several geologic research methods will be used in this study. These methods include test-hole drilling and monitoring well construction to collect geologic samples and groundwater information. Geophysical surveys will also be completed by the use of direct current (D.C.) surveys and helicopter electromagnetic (HEM) survey. These geophysical surveys aid in determining the physical nature of subsurface sediments by sensing their electrical properties. Because coarse-grained sand and gravel deposits have different electrical properties than silts and clays, these surveys can be used to map the extent of aquifer boundaries. The HEM is a state-of-the-art method that is used to quickly map the subsurface geology over a large area. A device that transmits electromagnetic signals that interact with the ground is suspend beneath a helicopter that flies 100 to 300 feet above the ground during this survey. The helicopter will follow a preplanned route via global positioning system (GPS) guidance, which will provide optimal coverage of the area. These flights will pose no threat to livestock, facilities, homes or people. The helicopter flights near Oakland are expected to begin in mid

Earlier this year the Nebraska Legislature created the Interrelated Water Management Program Fund with the passing of LB 1226. This program includes appropriations of \$2.5 million to help offset costs incurred by NRDs to facilitate the Nebraska Ground Water Management and Protection Act. Part of the funding for the ENWRA will be received from this fund. The remainder of the cost will be incurred by the involved NRDs, the U.S. Geological Survey and the UNL Conservation and Survey Division. The University of Nebraska-Lincoln's Conservation and Survey Division along with the U.S. Geological Survey (U.S.G.S.) will be conducting the surveys.

The involved NRDs are the Lower Platte North, Lower Platte South, Lower Elkhorn, Papio-Missouri, Nemaha, and the Lewis & Clark. If you have any further questions about the ENWRA or the Oakland Pilot study please contact your local NRD.

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Weekend spent reminiscing with old friends and eating lots of food

Well, shoot, both Creighton men ing that made it a fun day, and Nebraska women have been knocked out of the NCAA after the first round. Now, it looks like we will have to find out out how the top seeds do next weekend. Both teams performed well, and both games were very close. Too close; that's the problem; makes it tough

We enjoyed two close basketball games over in Pierce last Saturday. The Rebels, the team that Myles plays on, were in a Round Robin tournament. This was the first time we've seen these fifth graders in action since a year ago at this time, and the improvement was very impressive. To add to the fun, two other grandmas in attendance were women I had worked with at the hospital in Norfolk. We did find it a bit startling to realize we were all now grandmothers. But it was fun to cheer for the kids; they played very hard. And, making it more exciting, they won both

To make it a weekend of seeing old friends, the Wittlers met us in Winside on Sunday for the annual German dinner. The food at these events is amazing: hamburger in cabbage rolls, roast pork, kraut, cole slaw, all kinds of bread and lots of desserts, including Black Forest cake. But it was reconnect—our kitchen if you order it in a cafe.

We also had a meal for old times' sake at Prenger's on Saturday eve. This was a restaurant that was a Meierhenry favorite in the 60s; their relish tray always contained pickled herring, and we all love



herring. This time we passed on the corned beef and cabbage and tried the shrimp. When we go out, we frequently order seafood. I know, we are beef raisers and beef enthusiasts. But we like all kinds of fish, too, and it doesn't smell up

I love to eat fish, I just don't like to catch it. I also prefer it already filleted when it arrives in my kitchen. Fortunately, we like the cheap stuff: whiting, pollock and lately, tilapia. Not too long ago, I brought home a ten pound box of whiting for ten dollars. The box said it had been caught in China, and I wondered just how much the fisherman got out of that!

Last week, I found a special on tilapia and brought home a bag of it. The other day, when I was ready to thaw a couple for dinner that night, I discovered they had been cleaned and frozen WHOLE! The heads were still on, and the fins were still attached.

The directions did not say a thing about cutting that stuff off; it just gave advice for broiling, baking or frying. I decided I was not serving fish with the heads on; the eyes alone gave me the creeps. So, I had to do a lot of carving before they were ready for the pan, and then we had to be careful of the bones while eating. Next time, I will read the package much more carefully, and get the stuff ready to

After all, when we eat beef, it's already cut up in steaks, hamburger or roasts! I don't think the heads or tails would go over very well with the customer.

Livestock Market Report

The Nebraska Livestock Market \$95. had a run of 650 fat cattle at Thursday's sale.

Prices were steady on fat cattle and lower on cows.

Strictly choice fed steers, \$96 to \$99.25. Good and choice steers, \$94 to \$96. Medium and good steers, \$90 to \$94, Standard steers, \$75 to \$85. Strictly choice fed heifers, \$96 to \$98. Good and choice heifers, \$94 to \$96. Medium and good heifers, \$90 to \$94. Standard heifers, \$65 to

Beef cows, \$45 to \$50. Utility cows, \$50 to \$54. Canner and cutters, \$48 to \$52. Bologna bulls, \$60 to \$70.

The stocker and feeder sale was held Thursday at the Nebraska Livestock Sales of Norfolk with 450 head sold.

The market was steady. 300 to 400 lbs. steers, \$115 to \$145; heifers, \$110 to \$125.

400 to 500 lbs. steers, \$110 to \$125; heifers, \$105 to \$120. 500 to 600 lbs. steers, \$105 to

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800 to 900 lbs. steers, \$95 to \$102; heifers, \$87 to \$95. 400 to 700 lbs. holstein steers,

\$65 to \$85. 700 to 1,000 lbs. holstein steers, \$60 to \$65.

Good bred cows and heifers, \$800 to \$1,000.

Medium bred cows and heifers,

The dairy cattle sale was held Saturday at the Nebraska ivestock Market.



The market was higher. Good baby crossbred calves, \$200 to \$400; holstein calves, \$125 to

The sheep sale was held Saturday at the Nebraska ivestock Market.

The market was steady on all

Fat lambs - (spring crop) 110 to 150 lbs., \$85 to \$90; (old crop) 110 to 150 lbs., \$80 to 85.

Feeder lambs - 40 to 60 lbs., \$95 to \$115; 60 to 100 lbs., \$85 to

Ewes - Good - \$50 to \$80; medium - \$35 to \$50; slaughter - \$20 to

Feeder pigs were sold Saturday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. The market was higher on the 100 head sold.

40 to 50 lbs., \$40 to \$50, higher; 50 to 60 lbs., \$50 to \$60, higher.

Butcher hogs were sold at the Nebraska Livestock Market on Saturday.

Butchers were steady and sows

were lower There were 402 head

U.S. 1's + 2's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$41 to \$42; 2's + 3's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$40 to \$41; 2's + 3's, 260 to 280 lbs., \$39.50 to \$41; 2's + 3's, 280 to 300 lbs., \$35 to \$39; 3's + 4's, 300 lbs. +, \$30 to \$35.

Sows — 350 to 500 lbs., \$29 to \$31. 500 to 650 lbs., \$31 to \$34.25.

\$16 \$20.50.





Benefits of lawn care discussed

By Kelly Feehan, **Extension Educator**

April is just around the corner and with it comes the start of lawn

Fertilization should be delayed until after mid-April to allow soil temperatures to warm for healthy root growth; but don't wait until April to hand rake leaves and other debris from the lawn. The sooner

this is done, the better as 3041/ le Once hand raking is completed, the next two lawn care practices to consider are core aeration or power raking. Both practices can be done from late March through April or in September. If completed in spring, it's important to allow soil to dry before doing either practice.

soil to relieve soil compaction which occurs from irrigation, foot and mower traffic. Aerate once a year on lawns growing on silty loam or clay soils and those which have a lot of foot traffic; i.e. your

4-H News

COUNTRY CLASSICS 4-H CLUB

The Country Classics 4-H Club held their second meeting of the year on Feb. 18.

The Beairs and the Jagers hosted the meeting, which took place at the NNPPD building west of

After Samantha Dunklau called the meeting to order, Brooke Bowers led the club in the Pledge of Allegiance and the 4-H Pledge. During roll call, club members named their favorite physical activity during the winter.

The treasurer, historian and news reporter gave their respective reports.

The club discussed 4-H Pillow Workshop, the Theme Booth and the project books.

Member demonstrations/presentations were delivered. Colin Loberg gave a demonstration on separating eggs; Emma Loberg gave a presentation on children's toys; Sylvia Jager demonstrated how to make a homemade bank and Sawyer Jager demonstrated how to program a robot.

Jean Loberg also gave an adult demonstration on setting the table the right way and good table man-

Following the meeting, the club had fun sledding in the snow. Sawyer Jager, News reporter

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kids like to run through the sprinklers on hot days or you often entertain. Lawns on sandier soils and having little foot traffic can be aerated less often.

By relieving soil compaction, the infiltration of water, fertilizers and soil applied pesticides is improved. Pore spaces in soils are enlarged to improve water drainage and increase oxygen levels. And thatch builds up more slowly. This promotes deeper, healthier roots which leads to healthier top growth and fewer diseases, insects and weeds.

Power raking is recommended to reduce true thatch once the layer exceeds one-half inch. True thatch cannot be seen from the lawn surface. Some people power rake for Core aeration removes cores of cosmetic reasons. Their goal is to remove some of the dead debris they can see on the surface of the lawn. In these cases, the lawn is

given a light power raking. True thatch is a reddish brown mat found between the soil line and turfgrass crowns. It consists mainly of roots, rhizomes and stems. Grass blades contribute little to thatch and so thatch builds up whether grass clippings are caught or left during mowing.

A one-half inch layer of thatch is beneficial. It acts has an insulation ed.

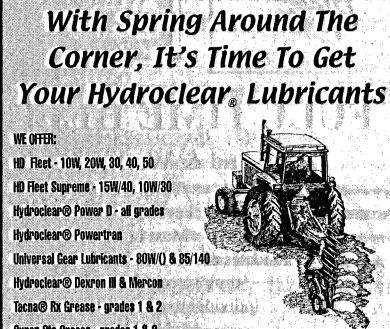
layer for growing points from extreme heat and cold and foot traffic. If a lawn is power raked too often and too deeply, this true thatch layer may not build up to a

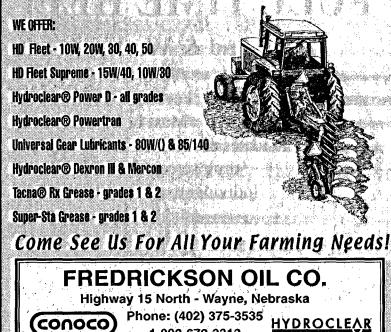
beneficial point. Once the layer exceeds one-half inch, thatch becomes detrimental to turfgrass. Roots tend to grow in thatch instead of the soil, water does not infiltrate as readily and fertilizer and pesticides can become tied up in thatch.

Check your true thatch layer about once a year and check for it in more than one area of the lawn. To measure true thatch, cut a small pie shaped wedge or plug and pull it from the lawn. Look for the reddish brown mat between and the soil line and green grass, then measure it.

If true thatch is greater than one-half inch thick, it's time to think about power raking. However, don't forget to core aerate. Aeration is one of the most beneficial practices you can do for a healthy lawn and it should be done about once a year whether you power rake or not. Core aeration also slows down the build up of thatch. If it's done often, a deep power raking may rarely be need-







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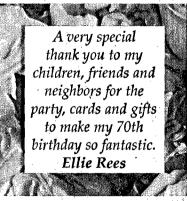
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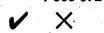
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PROCEEDINGS WAYNE BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING

March 13, 2007 The regular meeting of the Wayne Community Schools Board of Education was held at the Wayne High School, Wayne, NE on Monday, March 12, 2007 at 7:00 P.M. Notice of the meeting and place of agenda was published in the Wayne Herald. A copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was displayed for the public to read.

The following board members answered roll call: Mr. Mark Evetovich, Mrs. Kelly Kenny, Dr. Carolyn Linster, Dr. Jeryl Nelson, and Dr. Jodi Pulfer. Absent: Mrs. Kaye Morris.

Adoption of the Agenda: Motion by Pulfer, and second by Evetovich to accept the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting: Motion by Pulfer, second by Evetovich to approve minutes from the February 12, 2007, regular meeting with changes. Motion carried. Motion by Nelson, second by Evetovich to

approve the February 23, 2007, Special Meeting. Motion carried. Pre-Scheduled Communications from the Public: None

Communications from the Public on Agenda Items; None along present a source Personnel: Resignation of Terri Test - Computer Support Specialist — Motion by Kenny, second by Pulfer to accept the resignation of Terri

Test, computer support specialist with regrets,

Support Specialist - Motion by Nelson, second by Kenny to approve the hiring of David Cross as computer support specialist contingent, on a successful background check. Motion carried.

Resignation of Trisha Robertson -Resource K-4 -- Motion by Pulfer, second by Kenny to accept the resignation of Trisha Robertson resource teacher K-4, with regrets.

Resignation of Jan Liska - Title 1/Math/Science - Motion by Nelson, second by Pulfer to accept the resignation of Jan Liska. Title 1/Math/Science teacher, with regrets. Motion carried.

Financial Claims and Reports: Motion by Pulfer, second by Kenny to approve the financial claims and reports as presented. Motion carried.

Gifts: None Bids and Contracts: None Informational Items or Reports: Faculty -

Mr. Spieker - Published Student Essay -Mr. Spieker reported that he was asked to submit essays of his students to EMC publishing Expository Composition: company, Discovering Your Voice. They chose Wayne High graduate Emily Bruflat's "My Sanctuary." Administration -

Mrs. Lutt - Mrs. Lutt thanked the board for letting her be part of the Nebraska-led Peer Review group. They spent the day at the Capital and sat in on the public hearing while Senator Ron Raikes presented his bill LB653. Wayne Community Schools next peer review

Megan Powell and Liz Baier are student representatives on the Chamber board. April 23 is the Northeast Community College Scholastic Contest. April 20 is District Music at WSC. The Community Character Development Coalition. (CCDC) will have an assembly April 16. The first group will meet from 9-10 a.m., the second group will be from 10-11 a.m. Mr. Hanson informed the board about what the Civil Rights survey is and what he did. All three schools have now completed this survey.

Mr. Schrunk — Mr. Schrunk reported that report cards will come out on the March 14. There is a drug free assembly on March 16 at 2:20 p.m. WEB Carnival is March 23 in the middle school gym from 5:30 to 8:00p.m. Elementary students will be attending the WSC children's play on March 30. Tickets were purchased by WEB. Artwork of the third grade class will be on display at WSC in April. Terra Nova testing will be April 2-5. The safe route grant is due March 16. Mr. Schrunk will be attending the city council meeting on March 13, 2007, to finalize the grant,

Mr. Krupicka - Mr. Krupicka reported the Tour of Excellence from UNL will be having a motivational/character presentation at 8:15 a.m. on March 13. The 7th & 8th grade science fair was March 8. The State Science Fair will be in Nebraska City, March 23.

Mrs. Ballinger, Mrs. Ballinger, provided the break down of the ESU billing. This billing is based on the services that Wayne Community. Schools receives from the service unit. She also provided the March 12 In-service schedule, sixteen teachers presented peer presenta tions related to reading strategies. Mrs. Lutt added that there was positive feedback from

teachers regarding the information teachers presented.

Mr. Ruhl - Mr. Ruhl reported that winter sports have concluded. Spring sports have started. There are 23 girls and 21 boys out for track with 22 boys out for golf. District golf will be held at Wayne Country Club, May 14. District track will be held in West Point on May

Dr. Reinert - Dr. Reinert reported that

Wayne Community Schools will be receiving an

apportionment payment of \$103,014.69. This will help to pay off the new bleachers so we do not have to take out a loan. The Power drive team would like to attend two out of town power drive races in Pacific Junction, Iowa and Lincoln, Nebraska, **Board Committees:**

1. Finance a. Negotiations - Board negotiation team includes Mrs. Kaye Morris, Dr. Carolyn Linster, and Dr. Jeryl Nelson. The teacher negotiation team includes Brad Hoskins (head negotiator). Lee Brogie, and Tanya Heikes.

b. Planning — No report c. Budget - No report

Superintendent Report:

2. Legislative --

a. Policy — No reportb. Legislation — No report

c. Americanism — No report d. Curriculum — No report

3. Public Relations/Facilities a. Foundation — Dr. Pulfer reported that the foundation received sizable donations of \$75,000 from the school district and the foun-

dation will provide \$55,000 for the bleachers and this will pay off the bleachers. The foundation will also award two \$500.00 scholarships. b. Community Relations - No report

d. Technology — No report

Old Business: Policy 6010 - Graduation Requirements - 2nd Reading - Motion by Pulfer, second by Evetovich to approve the second reading of

Policy 6010 - Graduation Requirements. Motion carried. New Business: None Communications from the Public on

Agenda Items: None Boardmanship: None

Future Agenda Items: None Executive Session - No executive session

Adjournment: Motion by Nelson, second by

Evetovich to adjourn the meeting at 7:55 p.m. Motion carried. The next regular meeting of the Wayne Community Schools Board of Education will be

held on Tuesday, April 10, 2007 at 5:00 p.m. at the Wayne High School.

Aquila, 18,950.29; Ashley Gentrup, 180.00; Binswahger Glass 580 (VVP, America, Inc.), 4,613.58; Blick Art Materials, 985.18; Boone Central High School, 138.38; Brevis Corporation, 44.76; City Of Wayne, 10,417.42; Colleen Janke, 22.70; Curtis & Coleen Jeffries (Copy Write Publishing), 22.17; Dascan Systems Group, LLC, 210.00; Deere Credit, Inc., 266.69; Dr. Joseph Reinert, 743.32; Eakes Office Plus, 162.32; Echo Group, Inc., 240.72; Electric Fixture & Supply Co., 48.48; Emily Bruflat, 180.00; ESU #1, 72,496.44; Follett Library Resources, 1,261.52; Gill Hauling, Inc., 362.00; Grainger, 58.91; Hampton Inn Of Kearney, 66.95; Hewlett-Packard Company, 500.00; Human Relations Media, 115.46; Jay's Music, 6.75; J.W. Pepper & Son Inc., 206.67; Kearney Hub, 96.35; Kenneth S. Hamsa, 18.28; Kris Janke, 31.48; Mark Hanson, 109.20; Meyer Laboratory, Inc., 355.20; Midwest Office Automations, 199.00; Mollet Music Co., 98.50; Nebr. Assoc. Of School Boards, 4,586.00; National Staff Development Council, 149.00; Nebraska Council Of School, 180.00; NCS Pearson, Inc., 20,338.17; Nebraska Department, 15.00; NE Council on Economic, 72.00; Nebraska Department of Labor, 360.00; Northeast Nebraska Insurance, 240.00; Northeast Nebraska Public, 128.96; Nebraska School Bus, Inc., 25,222.25; Olds, Pieper & Connolly, 635.39; Omaha World-Herald Company, 1,711.20; Pamida, Inc., 154.43; Perry, Guthery, Haase &, 412.50; Pioneer Publishing, Inc., 24.20; Plunkett's Pest Control, 175.00; Primex Wireless, 95.00; Providence Medical Center, 3,292.68; Ramada Inn -

175.54; Tim Krupicka, 119.00; United Bank Of lowa, 1,480.00; UNL Extension Wayne County, 90.00; Vel's Bakery, 19.60; Wayne Herald/Morning Shopper, 821.62; Wayne State College, 160.00.
GENERAL FUND Totals: \$180,539.90 Report Total:\$180,539.90 Bomgaars, 13.88; Carhart Lumber Company, 23.98; Courtney Maas, 44.73; First National Bank Omaha, 350.29; Hampton-Brown, 259,41; Heikes Automotive Service, 988.56; Kelly Ballinger, 170.72; Kenneth S. Hamsa, 76.06; Midland Computer, Inc., 1,565.13; Midwest Music Center, Inc., 55.45; Midwest Office Automations, 130.00; Nebraska School Bus, Inc., 3,676.70; Northeast Equipment, 156.89; Pac 'n' Save, 192.49; Sherri Frisbie, 86.20;

Zach Oil Company, 2,068.29.
GENERAL FUND Totals: \$9,858.78\$9,858.78 Ann Ruwe, Secretary (Publ. March 22, 2007)

Kearney, 568.00; Realityworks, Inc., 51.00; Rocky Ruhl, 35.00; R.W. Rice Co., Inc., 4,686.41; Susan Holdstedt (DBA S&H Tax Service), 180.20; S.D. 17 Petty Cash Account, 1,049.84; Sherri Frisbie, 103.19; SPRINT,

218 Lincoln St.

will be October 29 through November 2, 2007. Hiring of David Cross - Computer Mr. Hanson - Mr. Hanson reported that





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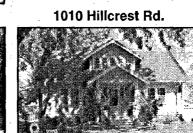




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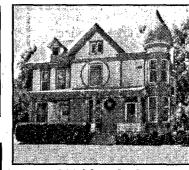
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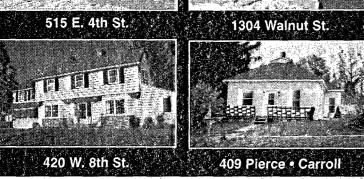
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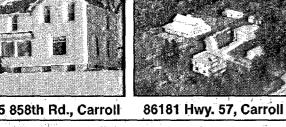


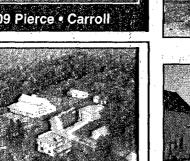
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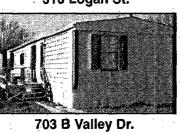
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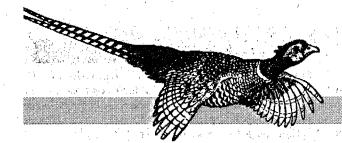
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Legal Notices

ORDINANCE NO. 2007-2

AN ORDINANCE DIRECTING THE SALE OF A TRACT OF LAND DESCRIBED AS THE SOUTH TWENTY FEET OF LOT FOUR AND THE NORTH THIRTY FEET OF LOT FIVE, BLOCK FIVE, ROOSEVELT PARK ADDITION, CITY OF WAYNE, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA, TO THE WAYNE COMMUNITY HOUSING DEVEL-OPMENT CORPORATION.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and the Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska: Section 1. The Mayor and City Council are directed to convey by Warranty Deed to the

Wayne Community Housing Development Corporation the property owned by the City and legally described as: The South Twenty Feet of Lot Four and the

North Thirty Feet of Lot Five, Block Five, Roosevelt Park Addition, City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska,

for the sum of \$1.00 and other valuable consid-

Section 2. Notice of the sale and the terms contained in Section 1 shall be published for three consecutive weeks in the Wayne Herald, provided that if a remonstrance against said sale signed by legal electors thereof equal in number to 30% of the electors of the City voting at the last regular municipal election held therein, be filed with the governing body within thirty days of the passage and publication of this ordinance, said property shall not then, nor within one year thereafter, be sold.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage, approval, and publication according to law. PASSED AND APPROVED this 13th day of

March, 2007. THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA By Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND CONTENT: **City Attorney**

(Publ. March 22, 2007)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Wayne Planning Commission will meet on Monday, April 2, 2007, at 7:00 p.m., in Council Chambers of the Wayne Municipal Building, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska. At or about 7:05 p.m., the Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider a Use by Exception permit application, in accordance with Section 90-114(21) - A-1 Agricultural District, Wayne Municipal Code. The request by Donald Sherman and Brent Sherman, is to allow for auto sales and service, including open air display of new or used vehicles, located at 57379 Highway 35.

All oral or written comments on the proposed matter received prior to and at the public hearing will be considered.

(Publ. March 22, 2007)

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Wayne proposes to convey by Warranty Deed to the Wayne Community Housing Development Corporation the real estate described as:

The South Twenty Feet of Lot Four, and the North Thirty Feet of Lot Five. Block Five. Roosevelt, Park Addition, City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, subject to all easements and restrictions of record and any applicable zoning regulations for the sum of \$1.00 and other valuable consid-

Betty A. McGuire, CMC/AAE (Publ. March 22, 29, April 5, 2007)

PROCEEDINGS

February 27, 2007 The Wayne City Council met in regular session at 5:30 p.m. on February 27, 2007. In attendance: Mayor Shelton; Councilmembers Frevert, Lutt, Buryanek, Alexander, Sturm Ley, and Chamberlain; Attorney Wiebelhaus; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire. Absent: Councilmember Fuelberth. Minutes of the February 13th meeting were

approved. The following claims were approved:

PAYROLL: 54999.01 VARIOUS FUNDS: ALLTEL, SE, 328.89; AMERITAS, RE, 1489.62; AQUILA, SE, 2506.03; BANK FIRST, RE, 580.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 50.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 53.45: CITY OF WAYNE, BE, 910.00: CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 1234.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 5822.60; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 500.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 128.40; CITY OF WAYNE, PY. 54999.01; CITY OF WAYNE, RE. 530.32; COMPRESSION SYSTEMS, SU, 107.11; COMVERGE, INC., SU, 21717.26; CULLIGAN, SE, 43.50; CUSTOM FILTRATION EQUIP, SU, 420.75; DGR & ASSOCIATES, SE, 1896.34; DUTTON-LAINSON, SU, 751.29; ELLIS PLUMBING, SE, 127.50; FIRST CONCORD GROUP, RE. 421.57; FREDRICKSON OIL SU, 3140.50; HAMPTON INN KEARNEY, SE, 128.00; ICMA, RE, 4920.90; INVENSYS SYS-TEMS, SU, 150.24; IRS, TX, 18143.82; JACK'S UNIFORMS & EQUIP, SU, 8.50; LINWELD, SU, 153.16; MARRIOTT HOTELS, SE, 546.00; MIDLAND COMPUTER, SE, 275.00; MID-WEST OFFICE AUTOMATION, SE, 50.65; MIDWEST SERVICE & SALES, SU, 52044.00; NE AIR FILTER, SU, 177.07; NE DEPT OF REVENUE, TX, 2538.77; NE HARVESTORE, SU, 160.21; NE LIBRARY COMMISSION, FE, 70.00; NPPD, SE, 163201.20; NORTHEAST LIBRARY SYSTEM, FE, 15.00; N.E. NE AMER-ICAN RED CROSS, RE, 30.00; OLSSON ASSOCIATES, SE, 2950.00; OVERHEAD DOOR COMPANY, SU, 71.00; PADGETT-THOMPSON, FE, 398.00; PITNEY BOWES, SE, 637.00; POSTAGE BY PHONE PLUS, SU, 560.37; PUSH-PEDAL-PULL, SU, 3168.75; QWEST, SE, 306.24; STATE FARM INSUR-ANCE, SE, 563.00; STATE NATIONAL BANK. RE, 1485.51; STATE OF NE HHS, SE, 123.00; STEFFEN, SU, 235.90; STRATTON, PTAK, & KUBE, SE, 520.00; TACO'S AND MORE, SU, 77.00: UNITED WAY, RE. 17.45; USA BLUE BOOK, SU. 216.40: UTILITIES SECTION, FE. 1770.00; WAYNE COUNTY COURT, RE, 150.00; WESCO, RE, 106.68; WHEELER ENTERPRISE, SU, 3089.15; Y & Y LAWN SERVICE, SU, 451.25; ALLTEL, SE, 245.30; AQUILA, SE, 267.19; BOMGAARS, SU, 666.70; CITY OF WAYNE, RE; 150.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 1617.70; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 1144.49; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 148.30; CORPORATE BENEFIT SERVICE, FE, 10.00; COVENTRY HEALTH, SE, 17856.60; DAS, SE, 448.00; EMPLOYERS MUTUAL CASUALTY. FE, 3000.00; FLOOR MAINTENANCE, SU, 187.13; FORT DEARBORN LIFE, SE, 127.28; HUNTEL, SE, 30.00; INVENSYS SYSTEMS, SU. 171.31; LEAGUE OF NEBRASKA, FE,

A public hearing was held on the Application for Nebraska Affordable Housing Grant Funds. Terry Galloway of Almquist, Maltzahn, Galloway, & Luth, P.C., presented the FY 05-06

BEER SE. 169.20

975.00; MARRIOTT HOTELS, SE, 225.60;

MIDWEST OFFICE AUTOMATION, SE,

139.42; NE FOREST SERVICE, FE, 90.00;

NNPPD, SE, 1988.50; PAMIDA, SU, 10.44;

PUSH-PEDAL-PULL RE, 149.40; QWEST, SE,

201.43: SIOUX CITY WINTRONIC, SU.

218.03; STATE NATIONAL BANK, RE,

1557.98; SUPER WASH, SU, 49.00; TELE-

There were no "Topics for Future Agenda Items:"

There were no appointments. Mayor Shelton distributed her summary on the Mid-Winter LNM conference she attended.

APPROVED: Purchase Agreement, as amended, with the Wayne Community Housing Development

Corporation. Res. 2007-19 authorizing the sale of the South 20' of Lot 4 and the North 30' of Lot 5, Block 5, Roosevelt Park Addition, City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, to the Wayne Community Housing Development

Corporation, as amended. First reading of Ord, 2007-2 directing the sale of the South 20' of Lot 4 and the North 30' of Lot 5. Block 5. Roosevelt Park Addition, City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, to the Wayne Community Housing Development Corporation.

Res. 2007-18 authorizing chief elected official to sign an application for Nebraska Affordable Housing Program Funds.

Res. 2007-20 approving pickup truck specifications and authorizing bids to purchase. Res. 2007-21 approving agreement with NDOR for extra costs for the Main Street Project.

Res. 2007-22 approving additional design engineering fees to Olsson Associates for the

nase II Trail Project. Res. 2007-23 establishing solid waste fees. Res: 2007-24 approving purchase of Main

Meeting adjourned at 7:38 p.m. The City of Wayne, Nebraska By: Mayor

ATTEST: City Clerk

Street holiday decorations.

(Publ. Dec. March 22, 2007)

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The City of Wayne, Nebraska, is seeking bids for the installation of a fixed sound system for the Wayne City Auditorium. The project is located in the main auditorium part of the building located at 3rd and Pearl Streets in Wayne, Nebraska. The project includes the purchase and installation of the system as specified in Bid Specifications dated Feb 12, 2007. Bid specifications are available at the City Clerk's Office at 306 Pearl Street or by mail. A cashier's check or performance bond in the amount of \$500 and proof of \$1,000,000 in liability insurance cover-

age will be required with each bid submitted. Bids must be received in the City Clerk's Office in a sealed envelope by 2:00 o'clock p.m., Thursday April 5, 2007 Completion date for the project is June 22, 2007, with a penalty of \$100 per day liquidated damages. All questions regarding this bid should be

directed to Lowell Johnson, City Administrator, by calling 402-375-1733.

The City of Wayne has the right to reject any and all bids.

Betty A. McGuire City Clerk (Publ. March 22, 29, 2007)

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners will meet in regular session on Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at 9.00 a.m. at the Wayne County Courthouse. The agenda for this meeting is available for public inspection at the County

> Debra Finn, County Clerk (Publ. March 22, 2007)

NOTICE OF MEETING There will be a meeting of the Planning P.M. in the Wayne City Hall. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office. Betty McGuire, City Clerk

Planning Commission (Publ. March 22, 2007)

NOTICE OF MEETING The Wayne Public Library Board of Trustees will meet in regular session on Tuesday, April 3, 2007 at 5:15 p.m. in the Library/Senior Center Conference Room. The agenda for this meet-

ing is available for public inspection at the

Lauran Lofgren, Librarian (Publ. March 22, 2007)

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS CALL ORDER 325

STATE PROJECT NO. PM-15-4 (1018) LOCATION: N-15, WAYNE NORTH COUNTIES: CEDAR DIXON WAYNE

Library.

The Nebraska Department of Roads will receive sealed bids in Room 104 of the Central office Building at 1500 Hwy. 2 in Lincoln, until 1:30 P.M. on April 12, 2007. At that time the bids will be opened and read for SPECIALTY

BIDDING PROPOSAL FORMS WILL BE ISSUED AND A CONTRACT AWARDED TO A CONTRACTOR WHO IS QUALIFIED FOR: SPECIALTY Length: 9.1 MILES

START DATE 08/20/2007 WORKING DAYS 15

Price Range \$0 to \$500,000 Plans and specifications may be seen beginning March 20, 2007 at the Lincoln Central Office and March 26, 2007 at the District

Engineer's Office at NORFOLK Additional letting information may be found at the Nebraska Department of Roads Web Site at http://www.dor.state.ne.us/letting/ (Publ. March 15, 22, 29, 2007)

INVITATION FOR BIDS WAYNE, NEBRASKA

AIRPORT AUTHORITY WAYNE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT PROJECT NO. 3-31-0086-08

Sealed bids will be received until 7:05 p.m. local time, on April 9, 2007, at the Pilot's Lounge, Wayne Municipal Airport, 2304 Highway 35, Wayne, Nebraska. Bids delivered by mail or by a delivery service must be sent to the Wayne City Office, 306 Pearl, P.O. Box 8, Wayne, Nebraska 68787, with delivery prior to 5:00 p.m. Bids will then be publicly opened and read aloud, for furnishing all labor, materials and equipment and performing all work necessary to replace Runway 4/22 and taxiway lights. In general, this work will require the following: RUNWAY & TAXIWAY LIGHTS (61 EA);

CABLE (8,977 LF); CONDUIT (6,769 LF); 7.5 KW REGULATOR: LIGHT REMOVAL: MARKING Plans and specifications are on file and may

be inspected at: Olsson Associates, 1111 Lincoln Mall, (P.O. Box 84608), Lincoln, Nebraska 68508

Wayne City Office, 306 Pearl, Wayne, Nebraska 68787 Nebr. Department of Aeronautics, 3431

Aviation Road, Suite 150, Lincoln, NE 68524 Lincoln's Builder's Bureau, 5910 South 58th St., Suite C. Lincoln, NE 68516 F.W. Dodge Planroom, 8529 K Street,

Omaha, NE 68127 Omaha Builders Exchange, 4255 South 94th St., Omaha, NE 68127

Sioux City Construction League, 3900 Stadium Drive, Sioux City, IA 51106 A complete set of plans, specifications and contract documents may be obtained from

Olsson Associates at the above address for a fee of \$25.00 (nonrefundable). Questions regarding bids shall be directed to Diane Hofer. P.E., consulting engineer at the above address or phone (402) 474-6311.

Contractors bidding need not be pre-qualified but shall be qualified to do the work.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a bid guaranty in the amount of five (5) percent of the total amount of the bid. The bid guaranty may be a cashier's check, a certified check on a solvent bank or a bid bond made payable to Wayne Airport Authority.

This project is subject to the requirements of

the Davis-Bacon Act, as amended. The Contractor is required to comply with the wage and labor requirements and to pay minimum wages in accordance with the schedule of wage rates established by the United States Department of Labor.

Award of contract is also subject to the folwing Federal provisions: Executive Order 11246 and DQL Regulation 41 CFR PART 60 - Affirmative Action to Ensure

Equal Employment Opportunity DOL Regulation 29 CFR Part 5 - Davis

DOT Regulation 49 CFR PART 29 Governmentwide Debarment and Suspension and Governmentwide Requirements for Drugfree Workplace

DOT Regulation 49 CFR PART 30 - Denial of Public Works Contracts to Suppliers of Goods and Services of Countries that Deny Contracts to Suppliers of Goods and Services of Countries that Deny Procurement Market Access to U.S. Contractors (Foreign Trade Restriction). TITLE 49 United States Code, CHAPTER

501'- Buy American Preferences By: Wayne Airport Authority

Wayne, Nebraska (Publ. March 15, 22, 29, 2007) 1 clip

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The City of Wayne, Nebraska, will receive sealed bids marked "Fire Truck Bid" until 2 p.m., CDT, on the 10th day of May, 2007, at the office of the City Clerk, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska 68787, for the purchase of one (1) Custom Chassis Topmount Class A Pumper Fire Truck and equipment. At that time, all bids will be opened and read aloud in the Council Chambers at the Wayne City Hall.

Bid proposals shall offer new equipment as specified and a new, 2008 Model Chassis from an American manufacturing company.

Specifications and bid forms must be obtained from the City Clerk's office between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. The City of Wayne has and reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

No bid may be withdrawn without the consent of the City of Wayne. The City agrees to make a selection as soon as possible after the letting based on price, guarantees, service ability, time of delivery, and any other pertinent facts and features, and to enter into a contract with the bidder who submits the best bid proposal. Any questions concerning this request for

bids should be directed to Lowell Johnson, City Administrator, at 402-375-1733 or by e-mail at cityadmin@cityofwayne.org.

Dated at Waÿne, Nebraska, this 12th day of

March, 2007. THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA By: Betty A. McGuire, City Clerk (Publ. March 15, 22, 29, 2007)

REQUEST FOR PROFESSIONAL **ENGINEERING CONSULTING SERVICES**

consulting services for projects to be constructed in 2007-2009. Letters of interest and DR Form 498 must be received by the Wayne County Highway Superintendent, 510 Pearl Street, P.O. Box 248, Wayne, NE 68787, by March 30, 2007. More information may also be obtained from the Highway Superintendent.

Elizabeth J. Carlson Wayne County Highway Superintendent (Publ. March 15, 22, 2007)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You are hereby notified that pursuant to a power of sale contained in the deed of trust in the original principal amount of \$51,600.00 executed by Broch Muhs and Jamie Muhs, husband and wife, which was filed for record on July 9, 2001 as Instrument No. 010862 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wayne County, Nebraska, the property described below will be sold by the undersigned at public auction to the highest bidder for cash or certified or cashier's check, in the lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street, in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska at 2:00 p.m. on April 25, 2007:

LOT 3 AND THE SOUTH 12 1/2 FEET OF LOT 2, BLOCK 8, FIRST ADDITION TO CARROLL, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

The highest bidder is required to deliver cash or certified funds to the undersigned by the close of business on the day of sale, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the beneficiary. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the

> Successor Trustee (Publ. March 15, 22, 29, April 5, 12, 2007) 1 proof - 1 clip

Eric H. Lindauist

CARROLL VILLAGE **BOARD PROCEEDINGS** Carroll, Nebraska February 14, 2007

The Board of Directors for the Village of Carroll met in regular session on the above date with the following members present: Dean Burbach, Kirby Hall, Scott Hurlbert, Jim Fernau and Mark Tietz. Also present was: Dorothy Ann Jenkins, Village Clerk.

Mark Tietz opened the One & Six year street improvement hearing. No major street improve ments are planned, and existing asphalted streets will be resurfaced as needed. After a brief discussion a motion was made by Dean Burbach and seconded by Scott Hurlbert to accept the plan as presented by JEO Consulting. All present voted approval. The hearing was closed.

Mark Tietz opened a public hearing for the renewal of a Class B liquor license for the Carroll Station, Inc. There were no objections to the license being renewed. Motion was made by Dean Burbach and seconded by Scott Hurlbert to approve the renewal. All present voted approval. The hearing was closed. Mark Tietz opened the regular meeting.

Motion to approve the minutes of January 10th meeting was made by Kirby Hall and seconded by Jim Fernau. All voted approval.

Bills presented were as follows; Nebraska Dept. of Revenue, 93.16; Warren Cook, Salary 300.00; Dorothy Ann Jenkins, Salary, 425.00; George Ellyson, Salary, 150.00; Harold Reynolds, Salary, 550.00; Harold Reynolds, mileage and postage, 312.34; Waste Connections of Nebr., garbage service, 2,013.97; City of Wayne, dispatch, 85.00; Northeast Nebraska Public Power, service, 401.00; Eastern Nebraska Telephone, phone for library, 50.49; Eastern Nebraska Telephone, E911 phone, 144,70; Farmers State Bank, Auditorium Ioan payment, 706.70; Wavne Herald/Morning Shopper, publications, 80.97; Midwest Laboratories, water tests, 78.80; Johns Welding & Tools, water valve, 58.00; Floor Maintenance, auditorium supplies, 88.75; John Mohr, snow removal, 450.00; JEO Consulting, street-planning, 275.00; Menards. auditorium supplies, 11,26; Western Office Plus, office file cabinet, 191.00; Dorothy Ann Jenkins, office supplies and postage, 27.26. A motion was made by Dean Burbach and seconded by Jim Fernau to pay all bills as pre-

sented. Motion carried. Maguire Iron, Inc. will be contacted about the sales tax that was paid on their last billing. A refund will be requested. Mark read a letter from a citizen concerning

unleashed dogs. An ad will be place in the Wayne Shopper reminding dog owners of the There is concern about snow being blown

and pushed into alleys. Some citizens will be contacted about this. Discussion was held on the Carroll Housing Authority being exempt from paying water and

bers of the Carroll Housing Board, and renegotiated if necessary. The facility grant and waste water system study acceptance by JEO consulting was

sewer charges. This will be brought up to mem-

tabled for another month. Harold Reynolds submitted in writing a record of water usage for the past several years, which shows no significant change in usage. The water leak test scheduled has not been done because of the extreme cold weather. Water is now being chlorinated.

An estimate of cost of a new well numb was presented, along with estimate of cost of rebuilding the present pump. The present pump needs attention. Harold will be asked to attend the next meeting to further explain these fig-

Citizens have asked Mark Tietz if the auditorium may be opened 2 or 3 evenings a week for walking. Jim Fernau make the motion and Kirby Hall seconded it to allow opening the auditorium for that purpose. Motion carried. The auditorium floor needs to be refinished.

t was suggested that the Carroll Community Foundation might be interested in doing this. Jim Fernau asked that the Carroll Fire Department be allowed to use the auditorium on February 20th for some training. Motion was made by Kirby Hall and seconded by Dean

Burbach to allow this. Motion carried. Acceptance of the mosquito control proposal was tabled for another month.

There being no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by Jim Fernau and seconded by Kirby Hall. All present voted approval. The meeting adjourned at 8:50 p.m. The next regular meeting will be March 14th,

2007 at the Village Fire Hall. Mark Tietz, Chairman Dorothy Ann Jenkins, Clerk

(Publ. March 22, 2007)

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF NORTHEAST NEBRASKA INVESTORS, LLC

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has organized a Limited Liability Company under the laws of the State of Nebraska as fol-lows:

a. The name of the company is Northeast Nebraska Investors, LLC. b. The address of the initial registered office of the company is 108 West 3rd Street, PO Box

275. Wayne, NE 68787. c. The general nature of the business to be sacted is to engage in and to act concerning any and all lawful business, other than banking or insurance, for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska.

the filing and recording of the Articles of Organization with the Secretary of State and shall have perpetual existence. e. Management of the company shall be vested in its members in proportion to their con-

d. The Company commenced existence on

tribution to the capital of the company, as adjusted from time to time, to reflect additional contributions or withdrawals by the members. Suzanne Olson, Member MESNER & MESNER Attorneys at Law 1635 16th St. P.O. Box 335

Central City, NE 68826 (Publ. March 15, 22, 29, 2007) NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION

Notice is hereby given of the organization of BRT Farms, L.L.C. The address of the registered office is 56481 853rd Road, Winside, Nebraska 68790. The general nature of the business to be transacted shall be to engage in and do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful business, other than banking and insurance, for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The company commenced its existence on February 22, 2007, when Articles of Organization were filed with the Secretary of

State, and its existence shall be perpetual. The

company's affairs are to be conducted by the

BRT FARMS, L.L.C.

members. BRT FARMS, L.L.C. Jason S. Doele, #23034 JEWELL, COLLINS, DeLAY & FLOOD P.O. Box 1367 105 South Second Street Norfolk, NE 68702-1367

(402) 371-4844 (Publ. March 15, 22, 29, 2007)

WINSIDE BOARD OF EDUCATION PROCEEDINGS

The regular meeting of the Winside Board of Education was held at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, March 12, 2007 in the elementary library. Board members present were Paul Roberts, John Mangels, Laurie Lienemann, Scott Watters,

Steven Jorgensen, and Carmie Marotz.

The meeting was called to order by President Roberts. The guests (Rachelle Rogers-Spann, Teresa Watters, Brad Roberts, Kathy Hansen, Colin Hansen, and LeNell Quinn) were welcomed. Brad Roberts came before the Board to find

out when they would be assigning coaching duties and was informed that at this time the Board plans to address this matter in April. Motion by Watters, second by Mangels to

approve the minutes from the Regular Board of Education Meeting held February 12, 2007 with the following correction. The bill from Follett Educational Service for February was \$162.71 instead of the \$162.17 reported. Ayes -Lienemann, Watters, Jorgensen, Marotz, Roberts, and Mangels. Nays - none. Motion by Marotz, second by Mangels to

approve the claims from the General Fund totaling \$188,054.99 and the February Financial Statement. Ayes - Watters, Jorgensen, Marotz, Roberts, Mangels, and Lienemann, Nays - none, GENERAL FUND CLAIMS Appeara, line services 511.88; Arnies Ford, repairs to heaters on vans 1859.41; US Cellular, telephone 93.71; Coleridge School,

dist learn Spanish classes 5250.00; Cornhusker Int'l inspect and rep to busses 674.23; McGraw-Hill Co., testing materials 807.91; D Leighton mileage & expenses 601.50; E Loetscher teacher pur per contract 50.00; ESU #1, workshops - Zimmerman, Kollath, Puls 45.00; Farmers Coop fuel, softener salt and ice melt 2203.21; Floor Maintenance, main supplies 204.00; Follett Library, library books 558.52; Gerald Asplin, piano tuning 190.00: Johnsons Inc. check ceiling leak 109.40; JW Pepper, instrumental and vocal sheetmusic 138.27; KN Energy, fuel 12068.14; M Tonniges, mileage 50.44; NCSA, labor relations conf 575.00; NETA Conf, reg Loetscher & Kollath 290.00; NNTC, telephone 328.11: Oberles Mkt. main supplies 8.58: Office Depot, office supplies 128.46; Office Max, printer in elem office 129.99; Orkin, pest control 37.65; P Sok, fuel, parking fees and mileage 51.96; Recknor, Wm & Wertz, legal fees 1189.50; Reimbursement-R5 Prod, drug free assembly 300.00; NRCSA, leg-forum reg-Lei & Rob 100.00; Norfolk Track Clinic - Reg Ton & Kes 70.00; Postmaster - 4 rolls stamps 156.00; Win St Bank - meals honor choir/band 204.00; Class D All St Band-fees 128.00; Hartington Pub Sch-speech contest 114.00: Win St Bank -Conf Exp-Lei & Mar 120.00; WSC Thea Program-adult tickets 12.00; Sarah Kesting-Judging for speech 75.00; Blair Hokamp-Judging fee speech 75.00; Win St Bank-Postage 50.00: Postmaster - 4 rolls of stamps 156.00; Snowcap LLC-sub media serv 80.00; Osmond PS-speech fees 120.00; Win St Bank-St Wr Meals & Mgr Admin 365.00; Win St Bank-St Wr Exp-Leighton 60.00; NRCSA-reg spring conf-Leighton 150.00; Renaissance Learn A/R tests 183.30; Super 8 Omaha, lodging St wrestling 660.00; J Houghtelling, teacher pur per cont 40.00; Village of Winside, elec, water, trash 3224.17; Waste Connection, trash removal 189.66; Wayne Herald, advertising 77.73; Wayne State College, entry fees 5-8 music contest 647.50; Western Typewriter printer cart, copier lease 1883.02; Payroll

150659.74, TOTAL \$188,054.99. Motion by Mangels, second by Watters to buy a used 2005 Blue Bird school bus to replace one of the busses in the fleet. Ayes -Marotz, Roberts, Mangels, Lienemann, and Watters. Nays - Jorgensen.

The matter of the ESU & #1 Service Contract was tabled until April. Discussion was held on a new HVAC System for the north pod of the elementary

building. It was tabled until April. Mr. Messersmith reported that the amount of the fee for the Drivers Education Course will be \$205 per student, Providence Medical Center has scholarships for those that qualify for free and reduced meals and applications can be picked up at the high school. He also reported that there were 7 Juniors (Tucker Bowers, Virginia Fleer, Teresa Hansen, Samantha Harmeier, Amanda Pfeiffer, Sally Schwedhelm. and Michaela Staub) and 6 Seniors (Sam Barg, Dewey Bowers, Kristy Doffin, Josie Longnecker, Marcus Messersmith, and Jared Roberts) that received the Lewis & Clark Conference Principals Academic Award, Jared Roberts also received the Lewis & Clark Conference Superintendents Academic Award. A combined score of 28 must be obtained on

the ACT to receive this award.

Motion by Jorgensen, second by Mangels to go into executive session at 9:00 p.m. to discuss staff negotiations. Ayes - Marotz, Roberts, Mangels, Lienemann, Watters, and Jorgensen. Navs - none.

Motion by Jorgensen, second by Lienemann to come out of executive session at 10:26 p.m. Ayes - Roberts, Mangels, Lienemann, Watters, Motion by Watters, second by Mangels to set the compensation as purposed for the 2007-

2008 Principal's Contract. Ayes - Mangels, Lienemann, Watters, Jorgensen, Marotz, and Roberts. Nays - none. Motion by Jorgensen, second by Watters to

adjourn. Aves - all. Navs - none. Linda Barg

(Publ. March 22, 2007) NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

ESTATE OF ROSE FREDRICKSON, Estate No. PR 07-4 Notice is hereby given that on February 26, 2007, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Gene L. Fredrickson, whose

Nebraska 68787, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Creditors of this Estate must file their claims

forever barred.

address is 1419 Vintage Hill Drive, Wayne,

with this Court on or before May 8, 2007, or be (s) KimBerly Hansen Clerk Magistrate 510 Pearl Stree Wayne, Nebraska 68787

Attornevs at Law P.O. Box 1367 Norfolk, NE 68702-1367 (402) 371-4844

Jewell, Collins, DeLay & Flood

(Publ. March 8, 15, 22, 2007)

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Wayne County Clerk until April 3, 2007 at 10:00 a.m., for the construction of a concrete box culvert and other related incidental work. The project is located on a county road between Sec. 31-T26N-R4E & Sec. 32-T26N-R4E, Wayne County, Nebraska.

The project is referred to as "Wayne South, C009003915" and shall include all labor, materials, transportation and equipment required for the construction of: Triple 10'x8'x50' Concrete Box Culvert on a 35 degree lhb skew.

Copies of the Bid Documents and Specifications are open to public inspection at the office of the Wayne County Clerk, P.O. Box 248. Wayne, Nebraska 68787, A set of documents may be obtained from Mainelli Wagner & Associates, Inc. for a non-refundable fee of \$30.00. (6920 Van Dorn, Suite "A" Lincoln, Nebraska 68506 PH: 402-421-1717). All Bid Proposals must be submitted on the forms furnished with the Bid Documents.

The sealed bids may be mailed or delivered to the County Clerk of Wayne County, County Courthouse, Wayne, Nebraska 68787, and should be plainly marked as, "Construction Bid

Proposal — Wayne South, C009003915".

Along with its Bid Proposal, each bidder shall submit an unconditional Bid Bond or Certified Check made payable to the County Treasurer of Wayne County, Nebraska, in an amount equal to five (5) percent of the Bid Proposal. Also, each bidder is to include an estimated time of beginning and completion for the project with its Bid Proposal. The required completion date of the project is July 31, 2007. The successful bidder (i.e. Contractor) will be allowed forty-five (45) calendar days for completion of the project after beginning work at the

Within ten (10) days following the award of the Contract, the successful bidder shall furnish a surety bond or bonds in an amount equal to or greater than the full amount of the contract. The surety and form of the bonds are subject to the acceptance by the Wayne County Board of Commissioners.

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any irregularities in bids received. Award of the Contract will be in accordance with the County Purchasing Act's competitive bidding considerations as set forth in Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 23-3110 to 23-3114, and the Wayne County Board of Commissioners will, at its discretion, award the contract on the basis of the lowest responsible bid received. Wayne County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Debra Finn Wayne County Clerk (Publ. March 22, 29, 2007)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

You are hereby notified that pursuant to a power of sale contained in the deed of trust in the original principal amount of \$95,624.95 exe cuted by Daniel J. Decker and Nancy Decker, husband and wife, which was filed for record on February 26, 2002 as Instrument No. 020318 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wayne County, Nebraska, the property described below will be sold by the undersigned at public auction to the highest bidder for cash or certified or cashier's check, in the lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pean Street, in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska at 2:00 PM on April 12, 2007:

THE WEST 70 FEET OF THE SOUTH 103 FEET OF THE SOUTH 148.5 FEET OF LOT 26, TAYLOR AND WACHOB'S ADDITION TO WAYNE, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRAS-

The highest bidder is required to deliver cash or certified funds to the undersigned by the close of business on the day of sale, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the beneficiary. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the

property.

Eric H. Lindquist Successor Trustee (Publ. Feb. 22, March 1, 8, 15, 22, 2007)

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS Wayne County requests sealed bids for furnishing culvert materials for Project C-90 (474). Said culvert materials will be three (3) 72" x 44" round equivalent pipes with full-height steel headwalls, 15° skew RHB. More information may be obtained from Mainelli Wagner & Associates, Inc. (6920 Van Dorn, Suite "A", Lincoln, NE 68506 PH: 402-421-1717) Bids will be received at the office of the Wayne County Highway Superintendent, Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street, P.O. Box 248,

meeting room at the Courthouse. Wayne County reserves the right to waive technicalities and irregularities and the right to reject any or all bids.

Wayne, Nebraska 68787 until 10:00 o'clock

a.m., April 3, 2007. At that time all bids will be

opened and read aloud in the Commissioners

Elizabeth J. Carlson Wayne County Highway Superintendent (Publ. March 22, 29, 2007)

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Lack of services for returning soldiers demonstrates need for brain injury awareness, advocacy

Just in time for Brain Injury Awareness Month in March, reporter Bob Woodruff's special report documenting his experience with Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) need for returning soldiers to receive the "support that matches their sacrifice."

Over 23,000 soldiers have been brain injuries. wounded in the war in Iraq and Despite these overwhelming lion Americans (295,850 of them account for approximately twothirds of the known injuries sufalso showed the continuing unmet fered in the war, although it is estimated that at least 10 percent of soldiers and marines that have

served may have undiagnosed For the BEST PRICE and the BEST DESIGN see The Kitchen Placel 00-292-4768 - www.tkplace.com M-F 8-5, Thurs, 8-8, Sat. 9-5

Afghanistan. Brain injuries numbers, President Bush's recom- Nebraskans) already living with mended budget eliminates the disabilities resulting from TBI, Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI) program, which includes funding for an array of advocacy needs provid-Protection and Advocacy for ed by the PATBI program, includ-Individuals with Traumatic Brain ing assistance with returning to Injury (PATBI) - a program essential to so many troops returning and services; and obtaining approwith disabilities acquired in com- priate mental health, substance bat. Given the nature of brain abuse, and rehabilitation services. injuries, these individuals run a high risk of falling through the cracks if advocacy programs such matic brain injury can lead both to as PATBI are eliminated, as recommended in the President's budget.

"This directly affects Nebraska veterans who are returning from Iraq and Afghanistan with trau- the TBI program at Nebraska matic brain injuries. That the Advocacy Services is: President's Budget recommends Traumatic Brain Injury program executive officer of Nebraska guardianship and employment; Advocacy Services, The Center for Disability Rights, Law and Advocacy (NAS).

Along with the estimated 5.3 milthese service men and women face work; accessing needed supports

Effective protection and advocacy services for people with traureduced government expenditures and increased productivity, independence and community integration. With limited current funds,

•Providing direct individual absolutely no funding for the advocacy for children and adults with TBI, including access to is, to say the least, a great disap- appropriate health care, communipointment," said Tim Shaw, chief ty living supports, education,

• Providing individuals with TBI with the knowledge and skills to help them be effective self advo-

•Challenging the failure of state regional centers, rehabilitation facilities, intermediate care facilities and schools to provide appropriate supports and therapies to individuals with TBI who may require modifications to traditional supports in order for them to be effective; and

•Educating policymakers about the needs of individuals with TBI and the importance of supporting programs designed to address these needs and working on legislation to reduce the incidence of TBI, such as seat belt, helmet and All Terrain Vehicle laws.

"In his State of the Union address, the President assured the nation that 'we will meet [the] responsibilities of [caring] for the elderly, the disabled, and poor children.' In a state where services for Nebraskans with traumatic brain injuries are currently few and far between, what kind of message are we sending to Nebraska's service men and women who return home?" said Shaw.

For more on NAS' work on traumatic brain injuries, links to state efforts, and information for individuals with traumatic brain injuries, please visit www.nebraskaadvoca-

cyservices.org. NAS is a private, not-for-profit organization established to assist people with disabilities and their families in protecting and advocating for their rights. NAS, the protection and advocacy system in Nebraska, serves people throughout the State. It operates federally funded protection and advocacy (P&A) programs and is part of a nationwide network of congressionally created disability rights orga-

Bruning meets with former U.N. Secretary-General in Cairo, Egypt

nizations.

Attorney General Jon Bruning met with former Secretary-General for the United Nations Boutros Boutros-Ghali in Cairo, Egypt, as part of the Aspen Institute-Rodel Fellowships in Public Leadership program. Boutros-Ghali currently serves as speaker of the National Council for Human Rights.

"I'm honored to meet with such esteemed leaders in international affairs as Mr. Boutros-Ghali," Bruning said. "He provides unique insight into the region's complex relationships and their impact on Nebraska."

In addition to Boutros-Ghali's position as U.N. Secretary-General from 1992 to 1997, he was a member of the Egyptian Parliament and an active participant in the 1979 Camp David accords between Egypt and Israel.

As an Aspen-Rodel fellow, Bruning is currently visiting Egypt, Israel and Jordan. The purpose of the trip is to interact with foreign leaders and understand how developments in the Middle East impact American policy.

The Aspen-Rodel Fellowship program was founded in 2005 to provide the nation's top young political leaders with a better understanding of America's underlying democratic principles and to help foster civility in the public arena. The two-year bipartisan program is sponsored by the Aspen Institute, an international nonprofit leadership organization and the Rodel Foundation, a group of public and private organizations committed to improving education.





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12 Pack Warm or Cold



1 Morning Shopper (April 16) and 1 Wayne Herald (April 19)

BY 5 P.M.