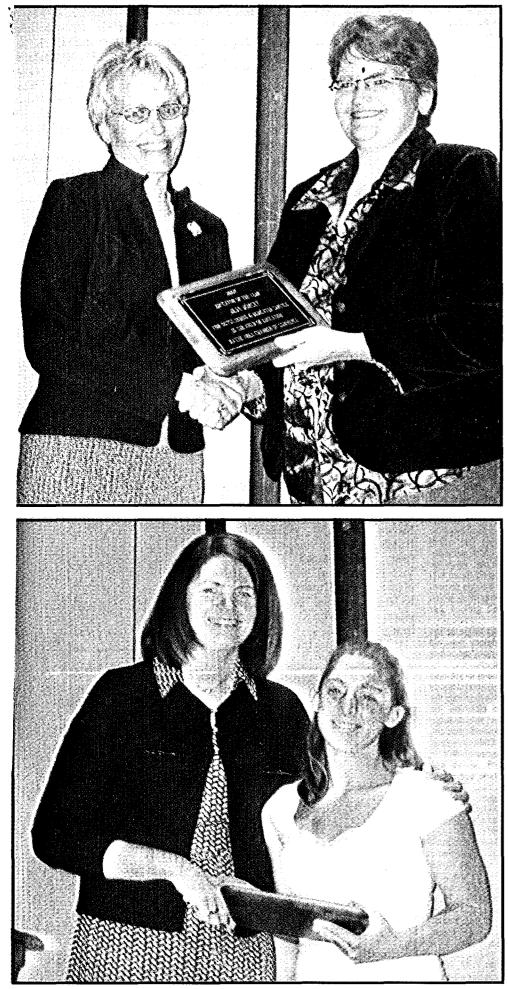


# Special citizens

Four members of the Wayne community received special recognition during the annual Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce Banquet on Sunday. Rod and Lorita Tompkins, above, were named Citizens of the Year; Jean Dorcey, directly below, was named Educator of the Year and Jessica Kranz, bottom photo, was selected as Junior Citizen of the Year. Making the presentations were Lois Shelton, Terri Hypse and Stephanie Hansen, respectively.



# Wayne and Pender School Boards explore idea of sharing superintendent and resources

By Lynn Sievers Of the Herald

Wayne Community Schools Board of Education met in a special joint meeting with the Pender Board of Education on Jan. 24 at the Pender High School. The meeting was held for cooperative discussion between the two schools on the possibility of sharing a superintendent.

Connie Felber, Pender School Board president, opened the meeting and noted they had been contacted by the Wayne school when they heard Pender was looking for a superintendent. Committee members from each school board had met about the possibility of Wayne and Pender sharing resources including: superintendent and other administrative services including curriculum director and SPED director. programs that could expand curriculums, and increasing distance learning opportunities.

It was noted that Wayne has a Voluntary Reduction in Force (VRIF) ongoing as a way to reduce staff. Enrollment has been going down in last 20 years, so there's been less state aid coming in. The peak year was in 1998 with 958 students; currently it is 839.

Dan Wichman, Pender School Board member, asked if they were to share personnel, would it be on Wayne's pay scale, in a one year contract at a time? Dr. Reinert said they would probably hold the contracts for the people they have but would have to work out time and expenses. He added he makes more salary than Pender's current superintendent so would have to lock at how this could work; maybe a 40/60 or 70/30 split between the two schools.

Felber said a concern is if their teachers would have a say. Dr. Reinert said they would and they can talk things out but in sharing teachers, there will be a loss of periods of teaching in travel time so have to balance with a unique schedule to make it work.

Jean Karlen, Pender School Board

may be trial and error at first with maybe more time spent at Pender initially. He added that even if he couldn't be at Pender so much, Wayne's administration could be and they are quality people.

Dr. Jodi Pulfer, Wayne School Board member, said they are willing to share as it's beneficial for the Wayne school too. Dr. Jeryl Nelson, Wayne School Board member, added they are thinking the sharing would probably mean Pender would have Wayne personnel a couple of days a week.

Karlen asked about the different class levels of the schools. Even with the superintendent attending meetings, he would have to go to different ones for the different class levels. It was noted that the levels had more to do with the Educational Service Unit and since both Wayne and Pender schools are in ESU#1, it would be alright.

Karlen asked about mileage, which Dr. Nelson said had been put into the numbers that was in their proposal package. Dr. Reinert said that maybe the school that benefits from the meeting attended can pay for that meeting and that it's not out of the realm of thinking to have principals attend some meetings.

Wichman wondered if hiring, would they play a part which Nelson noted they would; something could be worked out. Wichman said the numbers bug him; when he thinks of 30 percent, he thinks one third of a superintendent. He feels they need a Pender superintendent who makes decisions for Pender and with this, he hopes they're getting a full superintendent. Dr. Reinert assured him he would be the superintendent for Pender and there would be other personnel looking out for Pender too. He thinks some things for both could be done at the same time, such as reports. Pender School Board members noted they have a lot of confidence in their

Secondary Principal Jason Dolliver as principal and that may be he'd have to be principal for the whole school, which they feel he could do. Pender board members ber, said if numbers are 70 percent at asked Dr. Reinert if he's talked to others whose positions will possibly be shared, which he said he has but not in detail. Kaye Morris, Wayne School Board presi-

dent, said their VRIF passed and there are 11 areas being looked at. The deadline for the VRIF is 5 p.m. on March 7. Karlen wanted to know the deadline for them to make their decision and Pulfer noted they need to have an idea in February because of contracts. Dr. Nelson added the Wayne School system has a \$300,000 shortfall. Karlen asked the Pender School Board members what their shortfall was. It was noted numbers aren't out yet but school population is down.

It was noted two interlocal agreements would probably be needed for sure; one for administration. Wichman added that if it doesn't work for them to hire Dr. Reinert, they need to move on so they can fill the position before too much time goes by. Felber voiced that she sees a problem with them losing a body that is in Pender each day. Dr. Nelson noted they may have to appoint administration to be in charge in case a crisis occurs.

Karlen said a benefit is that Wayne and Pender schools are not competitors in sports so those issues won't be such a problem. Sharing could be good such as in speech, music, drama, etc. Pender School Board members wondered what they can provide for the Wayne School system since they are smaller. Dr. Nelson noted it may be ag classes or FFA. Dr. Pulfer added the board is in a spot and heavy on administration. By doing this, they can keep administration in place. Dr. Nelson feels we will see more schools sharing resources.

Wayne School Board did not have executive session but the Pender School Board did. The result of the executive session was to appoint Matt Peters, Jean Karlen and Robert McQuistan to interview Dr. Reinert for the .5 FTE superintendent position (1.0 is full time equivalency) and to develop interview questions, a protocol for teachers, students and/or administration interview teams at the retreat that the Pender School Board had on Jan. 25. The interview was held on Jan. 30.

Felber noted they would make their deci

Wayne and 30 percent at Pender, does this work with the state? Dr. Reinert noted legally you can go 10 percent and that it

sion before the next Wayne Community School Board meeting, which is on Monday, Feb. 11 at 6 p.m. at the high school in Wayne.

#### Wayne earns Nebraska ED certification

Development Certified Community designation

Sponsored by the Nebraska Diplomats. the program is one of very few nationwide that recognizes communities for being prepared for economic development. The Nebraska Department of Economic Development administers the application process.

"The Nebraska Diplomats are pleased to announce Wayne as its newest Development Certified Community," said Tim White, President of the Nebraska Diplomats.

"Wayne is the 17th community in the state to make a commitment to Economic Development excellence and the extensive planning required to receive the certification."

Wayne (pop. 5,000-plus) has taken a progressive and aggressive position where economic development is concerned. In city's first professionally staffed economic for continued growth and economic pros-

WaynehasearnedtheNebraskaEconomic development organization. The organization wasted no time in reshaping the city's economic development program. WAEDI created and hosted the "Celebrating and Promoting Regional Collaboration" Economic Development Summit in 2007, which attracted nearly 200 business and industry representatives. The Second Annual Summit, "Rural Economic Development in the 21st Century" will be held at Wayne State College on Thursday, May 15.

> WAEDI and several partners were the first in the state to implement the Synchronist Business Retention and Expansion Program, and so far have visited more than 50 businesses.

"The city of Wayne has chosen a clear vision for its future by aggressively supporting and promoting economic development," said Dave Simonsen, WAEDI executive director. "The commitment made by October 2005, Wayne Area Economic Mayor Lois Shelton and the entire Wayne Development, Inc. (WAEDI) became the City Council shows that the city is poised

perity."

During the past five years, the city has loaned more than \$752,832 to 17 businesses from its economic development reuse revolving loan fund. During the past two years alone, Wayne has enjoyed more than \$5 million in new business investment and an influx of 170 new or retained jobs.

A groundbreaking ceremony was held in November 2007 for a 20,000-sq.-ft. metal speculative building to be constructed during summer 2008 on 6.57 acres in Kardell Industrial Park north-.east of Wayne. The project received a \$255,000 Community Development Block Grant from the Nebraska Department of Economic Development.

Other Nebraska ED Certified Communities are Auburn, Cozad, Fremont, Geneva, Gothenburg, Grand Island, Holdrege, Lexington, Nebraska City, Norfolk, North Platte, Ogallala, Ord, Scottsbluff, Sidney and South Sioux City.

# Student robotics event returns to Wayne State College

Technology Academy of Northeast Nebraska Saturday, Feb. 2 from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. in the Frey Conference Suite of the Student Center.

Ten high school robotics and four openclass teams will attend including two teams from Wayne State College. There will be two robotics competition playing fields running simultaneously. Some of the individual competitions in the event will have participants controlling their robots by radio-remote control.

Other competitions in the event will require the robot to function under the control of a student-written computer program.

Several Wayne State College faculty members will be helping with the event.

The Technology Academies of Northeast Nebraska began in 2003 with a unique partnership between five Nebraska public school districts - Battle Creek, Madison, Norfolk, Pierce, and Stanton - and two colleges -Northeast Community College and Wayne State College. This TANN

Wayne State College will host the partnership created the opportunity for high school juniors and seniors to take (TANN) VEX Robotics Competition on advanced level technology classes while earning high school credit and receiving college credit with free tuition. TANN received a National Science Foundation grant in 2005. The TANN program has expanded to include more school districts. The rules for the robotics competition at

WSC, as well as other information about the robotics competition in general is available at: http://neccinfotech.com/chrisman/ Robotics/tannrobotics.htm

Another robotics event is scheduled for the Sunset Plaza Mall in Norfolk on April 5th. For more information, please contact Dr. Tim Garvin, CTIS Dept. Chair at 375-7545.

# \_ibrary promotes programs

Mother Goose Time continues at the Wayne Public Library each Wednesday at 10:30 a.m.

Together parents or caregivers and their children jump, dance and learn favorite nursery rhymes, songs and stories.

This program helps develop bonding between child and caregiver and teaches group listening skills.

"The program is geared toward children in the infant to toddler stages (18 months to three years), but anyone who wants to participate is welcome. Even daddies are getting into the act," said Julie Osnes. Youth Services Librarian.

In addition, patrons are invited to join in the Winter Story Time on Saturday mornings at 10:30 a.m.

"Come in from the cold, and together we will explore books, make crafts and learn about loads of different things. This week, Feb. 2, we will be celebrating Groundhog Day with stories and a snack. Hopefully, he won't see his shadow," Osnes said.

For more information, call Julie Osnes at 375-3135.

The library welcomes children of all abilities. Those under seven years of age should have supervision. All programs are free of charge.



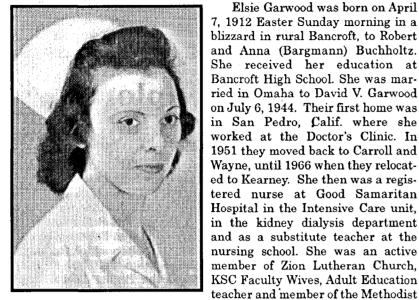
# **Obituaries**.

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## Elsie Garwood

Elsie B. Garwood, 95, formerly of Kearney, died Saturday, Jan. 19, 2008 at the Christian Homes in Holdrege.

Services were held Friday, Jan. 25 at Zion Lutheran Church with Rev.



North Sherrill officiating. Elsie Garwood was born on April 1912 Easter Sunday morning in a blizzard in rural Bancroft, to Robert and Anna (Bargmann) Buchholtz. She received her education at Bancroft High School. She was married in Omaha to David V. Garwood on July 6, 1944. Their first home was in San Pedro, Calif. where she worked at the Doctor's Clinic. In

1951 they moved back to Carroll and Wayne, until 1966 when they relocated to Kearney. She then was a registered nurse at Good Samaritan Hospital in the Intensive Care unit, in the kidney dialysis department and as a substitute teacher at the nursing school. She was an active member of Zion Lutheran Church, KSC Faculty Wives, Adult Education

Hospital Alumni Association.

She is survived by her daughter, Anne Garwood Dye and husband, Lawrence of Haxtun, Colo.; six nieces, Patrice Greve, Peggy Krusemark, Cynthia Baker, June Blatt, Kay Marsh and Sally Dahl and a special cousin, Terrell Nesselrotte.

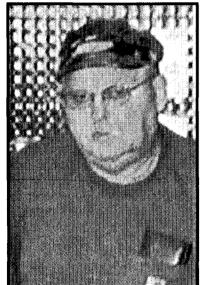
She was preceded in death by her husband on Nov. 22, 2001, four brothers and one sister.

Memorials are suggested to the church.

Burial was in the Kearney Cemetery. Online condolences or personal reflections can be submitted at osafh.com. O'Brien-Straatmann Funeral Home of Kearney was in charge of arrangements.

#### Jeff Mackling

Jeff D. Mackling, 57, of Wayne died on Monday, Jan. 28, 2008 at Mercy Medical Center in Sioux City, Iowa.



Services will be held on Friday. Feb. 1, at 11 a.m. at St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Emerson with the Rev. Gretchen Ritola officiating. A visitation will be held two hours prior to the funeral (beginning at 9 a.m.) at the church.

Jeff Mackling was born March 7, 1950 in Emerson to Donald and Janet (Langmack) Mackling. He graduated from Emerson High School. After graduation he worked as a heavy equipment driver for Dixon County then moved to Kansas, Oklahoma, Iowa' and California where he continued to work with heavy equipment. He enjoyed hunting and going to gun shows. He and his dog, Midget, were inseparable.

Survivors include his father, Don Mackling of Emerson; brother Vaughn and Rita Mackling of d nephews.

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# Ruth Elofson

#### Ruth I. Elofson, age 84, of Fremont died Sunday, Jan. 27, 2008 in the A.J. Merrick Manor in Fremont.

Services will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, Febr. 1 in the First United



Methodist Church in Fremont with

the Rev. Greg Hall officiating. A graveside service will be at 2:30 p.m. Friday in the Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne with a coffee at the First United Methodist Church in Wayne to follow. Visitation will be at the Ludvigsen Mortuary in Fremont on Thursday, Jan. 31 from 2 to 8 p.m., with the family receiving friends from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Ruth Ivon Wilson was born Sept.19, 1923 in Staunton, Ill., the second child of Clarence and Eliza (Swank) Wilson. Soon thereafter, the family moved to a farm in eastern Iowa. She attended Country School near La Porte City, Iowa and graduated La Porte City High School in 1940. On April 21, 1946 she married Mel Elofson. The couple began their life together in Anoka, Minn., and dur-

ing the first two and one-half years of married life she accompanied him on his "travels" throughout his Midwest/Mountain states territory assisting Coast to Coast Store owners. Later the family moved to Cedar Rapids, Iowa. In the spring of 1956, they purchased the Coast to Coast Store in Wayne and both worked full-time in the store. In 1983, after 27 years in Wayne (and Mel's 40th year with Coast to Coast Stores) they retired. For a time afterward, she worked for the new store owners in Wayne, Jack and Leslie Hausmann. She moved to Fremont in 1990 to be closer to her family. Mel died in December 1994. In the early 90's, Ruth participated in a program of the state extension service called New Homebuilders, where she made special friends. They later formed their own monthly social club, Friends Forever. She was formerly a member of the First United Methodist Church in Wayne. In September 1995, she joined the AARP Foundation's Senior Community Service Employment Program and worked as a Teacher's Aide. The following year she became an Employment Specialist/ Recruiter for that program. In October 2006, Ruth transferred from the AARP Foundation's program to the successor organization, Experience Works, Inc. She continued to work until after her 84th birthday, with an official retirement date of Nov. 15, 2007. She was admitted to A.J. Merrick Manor on Dec. 15, 2007.

Survivors include three sons and two daughters-in-law: Dean and Nancy Elofson of Tucson, Ariz., Larry Elofson of Fremont, and Rick and Lynette Elofson of North Bend; eight grandchildren: seven great-grandchildren; one sister: Murldene Harmon of Vinton, Iowa; two brothers and sisters-in-law: Kenneth and Bernadette Wilson of Mesa, Ariz. and Wayne and Sally Wilson of Denver, Iowa; one sister-in-law: Doris Elofson of Clearwater, Fla.; nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Mel; one brother, Dale and his wife Joline; and two brothers-in-law, Ralph Elofson and Ted Harmon.

Memorials may be made to the Alzheimer's Association. Online guest book at www.Ludvigsenmortuary.co

# Candidates file for various offices

A number of incubents have filed District #95R. There are three for office for a number of local and board member positions open. county positions during the past week.

# Jane Macklin

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Jane Macklin, 97, of Wayne died Sunday, Jan. 27, 2008 at Premier Estates Senior Living Community in Wayne.

Services were held Thursday, Jan. 31 at First United Methodist Church in Wayne. The Rev. Doyle Burbank-Williams officiated.



Harriet "Jane" Macklin was born July 23, 1910 at Grand Junction, Colo. to Roy and Mary Grace (Atkins) Jeffrey. The family moved to a farm northwest of Wayne in 1913. She was baptized on June 22, 1913 and confirmed on April 4, 1926. She attended rural School District #45, graduated from Wayne High School in 1927 and Wayne State College in 1931 with a B.A. Degree. She then taught schools in Washington County and Fort Calhoun, moving to Schenectady, N.Y. working until 1949 at American Locomotive Company. She then began as bookkeeper and later became the Head Teller at State National Bank in Wayne for 24 years, retiring in 1973. She married George Macklin Oct. 6, 1968 at First

United Methodist Church in Wayne. The couple lived in Wayne. She was a long-time member of First United Methodist Church in Wayne and Order of the Eastern Star. She was past treasurer of the Wayne County American Cancer Society. "Grandma Jane" enjoyed traveling and especially her family and grandchildren.

Survivors include one step-son, William and Pattie Macklin of St. Charles, Ill.; step-daughter, Jo and Kenneth Gilreath of Ralston; 10 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandson; step-nieces and nephews; cousins; and many friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, George in 1983, aunts, uncles, and cousins.

Honorary pallbearers were Mr. and Mrs., David Ley, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Lipp, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Etter, Mr. Robert Merchant and Mr. Ray Roberts.

Active Pallbearers were Kevin Gilreath, Jack Gilreath, Brian Gilreath, Todd Procopio, David Gilreath and John Desjardins.

Memorials may be directed to the First United Methodist Church Organ Project.

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

#### Norma Erlandson

Norma Erlandson, 86, of Laurel died Tuesday, Jan. 29, 208 at Hillcrest Care Center in Laurel.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Friday, Feb. 1 at Concordia Lutheran Church in Concord. Visitation will be from 9:30 a.m. until service time at the church.

Burial will be in the Concord Cemetery. Hasemann-Schmuacher Funeral Home in Laurel is in charge of arrangements.

#### Bloodbank makes stop in Wayne

The Siouxland Community Blood Natasha Horn, Renste Itzen, Chad Bank conducted a January 28th at Wayne State College.

A total 46 donors registered and 32 units were collected. There were Kensie Lyon, Nicholas McCormick also 13 new donors.

Jensen, Jaime Johannsen, Megan Kehrli, Kate Kloke, Ryan Knight, Rachel Kotalik, Jamie Krysl Keith Mothershead, Bett<sub>2</sub> O'Quinn, Krystal Phillips, Tar Reichter, Neil Risinger, Kyle Salow Jeffrey Schweiger, Kimberl Shramek, Julie Sisson, Shawr Smith, Emilee Svec, Cheyne Terrell, Brandon Timmerman Kendra Timm and Angel Tomasek.

Omaha, as well as several niec He was preceded in death by his mother, Janet, and brothers Gregg and Brian Mackling.

Burial will be in the Rose Hill Cemetery in Emerson.

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#### Chamber Coffee

WAYNE --- This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Feb. 1 at Tacos & More. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15.

#### Winter concert

AREA — The Wayne High School Instrumental Music Department will be holding their annual Winter Concert on Thursday, Feb. 7 in the Wayne High School Gym at 7:30 p.m. The groups performing include Combined Varsity & Cadet Concert Band, Jazz Band II and Jazz Band I. The public is invited and there is no admission charge.

#### Mardi Gras party

AREA — It's early this year! Wayne Public Library will be celebrating Mardi Gras all day on Tuesday, Feb. 5. Everyone is invited to stop by the library and check out a book, catch some beads and have a snack.

#### Benefit scheduled

AREA — A benefit for Elwood Pilger, Sr. will be held Saturday, Feb. 2 at the Wayne National Guard Armory. The event runs from 1 to 5 p.m. and will include a taco bar and silent auction. The event is being organized by his children and their families.

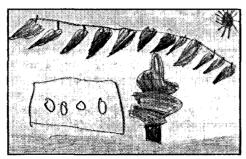
#### Box Tops for Education

AREA — Wayne schools continue to collect Box Tops for Education to be used for special projects at the schools. Box Tops can be left at First National Bank, State National Bank, the Wayne Senior Center and the grocery stores.

#### Parents' Night

WAYNE --- Wayne High School will be honoring the cheer-

leaders and their parents on Parent's Night Friday, Feb. 8. This will take place during halftime of the girls' varsity game. Wayne boys and girls basketball teams will be playing against Madison that evening.



Emily Claussen, Wayne Elementary

They include:

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Incumbent Robert Nissen has filed as a Republican candidate for County Commissioner, District 2. Incumbents John Mangels, Carmie Marotz and Paul Roberts have filed for members of the Winside Board of Education,

# Legal Notice

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE LOWER ELKHORN NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 2008 7:00 P.M. AT THE LIFELONG LEARNING CENTER IN NORFOLK, NEBRASKA

Notice is hereby given that the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (NRD) will hold a public hearing on Thursday, February 21st, 2008, at its monthly Information, Planning and Programs Subcommittee meeting, which begins at 7:00 p.m., at Suite 101 of the Lifelong Learning Center, 601 East Benjamin Avenue, Norfolk, Nebraska. The purpose of the hearing is to receive public comment on the amend-ment to the NRD Groundwater Management Area Rules and Regulations: 1) to remove the requirement for approved flow meters to have a flow rate readout; and 2) to no longer allow people to remove a flow meter from the pipeline for off-season storage

Both oral and written testimony will be accepted at the hearing on February 21st, 2008. Written testimony may also be submitted by mail to the Lower Elkhorn NRD, P.O. Box 1204. Norfolk. NE 68702, or delivered to the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources NRD office Suite 101 in the Lifelong Learning Center, on the Northeast Community College Campus, at 601 East Benjamin Avenue, in Norfolk Nebraska. Written testimony will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. CST, Wednesday, February 27th, 2008.

The Groundwater Management Area Rules and Regulations enforce policies established in the NRD's Groundwater Management Plan which was adopted by the NRD Board of Directors and approved by the Nebraska Department of Natural Resources in 1996. The contents of the Groundwater Management Plan include the NRD reservoir life goal, which is to "provide an adequate supply of acceptable quality groundwater to forever fulfill the reason able groundwater demands within the NRD for domestic, municipal, agricultural, industrial wildlife and other uses deemed beneficial by the NRD Board" as well as information about groundwater and its use in the NRD, and the goals, policies, objectives and programs of the NRD Board of Directors to achieve the reservoir life goal. No changes are proposed for the NRD Groundwater Management Plan.

Copies of the proposed amendments to the NRD Rules and Regulations are available for viewing at the NRD office at 601 E. Benjamin Avenue, Suite 101, in Norfolk, Nebraska, and on the NRD's website at www.lenrd.org.

The NRD Groundwater Management Area was formed in 1997, and includes the entire NRD as well as the following aquifers:

1. Ogallala Group and overlying deposits

Incumbent Brian Frevert has  $\mathbf{filed}$ for Wayne City Councilmember, Third Ward.

The filing deadline for incumbents is Friday, Feb. 15; for nonincumbents the deadline is Monday, March 3.

The Nebraksa Primary Election is on Tuesday, May 13.

2. Niobrara Formation and overlying

deposits 3. Dakota Group and overlying deposits, 4. All other aquifers supplying groundwater for beneficial uses.

No changes are proposed for the geographic and stratigraphic boundaries of the Groundwater Management Area.

Current Groundwater Management Area Rules and Regulations require water well permits for new and replacement wells that are designed to pump more than fifty (50) gallons per minute within the entire Groundwater Management Area, and no changes are proposed for water well permit regulations.

The following is a general description of the proposed amendments to the NRD Groundwater Management Area Rules and Regulations, which apply to the entire NRD:

Currently, the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District has approved one flow meter for use in the district. The lowest reading this meter will measure accurately is 50 gallons per minute. Recently, wells have been drilled and equipped with variable speed pumps so that the owners could set their own pumping rates, which includes rates below 50 gallons per minute

That is below the working range of the approved flow meter. Meters that will work in that range do not have gallon per minute flow rate readouts.

Since we are most interested in the total water pumped, the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District proposes to modify the rules and regulations to eliminate the requirement for a gallon per minute readout, and only require the totalizer readout. This will allow the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District to approve meters for wells that will pump both above and below 50 gallons per minute accurately. This change appears on page 14, or in Rule 11 C. (c), and in the definition of flow meter on page 3, definition number 21 of Rule 2, of the Groundwater Management Area rules and regulations.

2. The Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District also proposes to not allow meter removal for off-season storage, since tampering with the meter will be difficult to detect if off-season removal of the meter is allowed. That change is on page 14, in Rule 11 B (e) of the Groundwater Management Area rules and regulations. Please contact Rick Wozniak at the Lower Elkhorn NRD, (402) 371-7313, if you have questions

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Everyone deserves nized for giving the gift of life and the following is a list of donors:

Micala Allen, Kelsey Arens, Amanda Baagoe, Kathryn Ball, Jordan Bergland, Dena Brock, Kayla Carlson, Kraig Charron, Katie Clements,  $\mathbf{A}$ manda Covington, Nichole David, Kirstien Dixon, Sherry Dorman, Eric Dye and Jessica Gatzemeyer.

Also, Lynn Gerdes, Laura Hansen, Lindsay Harmeier, Brady Hartman, Megan Hogmire,

"Thank you to all the volunteer. and donors who made this driv successful," said Jamie Wickhau with the Siouxland Communit Blood Bank.

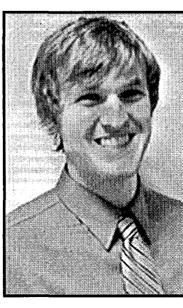
# Wakefield speech team participates in meet

The Wakefield Speech Team participated at a meet co-hosted by Hartington High and Hartington Cedar Catholic on Jan 26. Thirteen schools participated.

Coach Zoe Vander Weil and assistant Coach Goodrich had students bring home 12 medals.

These included Novice Duet where Sydny VanderVeen and Erika McNeil earned fourth place; Novice Exempt where Cody Hutchinson, who competed for the first time, placed sixth, and Victoria Nelson earned fourth place; Novice Humerous in which Kelsey Rewinkel received third place, while Ryan Conyers earned first place.

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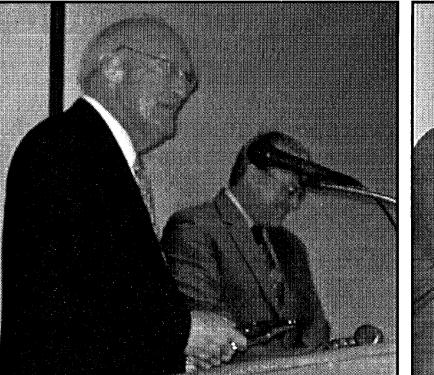
#### **Erin Johnson**

tition, Lane Clay received fift] place and in Novice Entetainment Erin Johnson was third. InVarsity Informative, Rachel Kluthe came in fifth place and Taysha Hingst came in fourth place.

In the Varsity Pursasive competition, Taysha Hingst brought home the fifth place medal. In Varsity Duet, Chelsey Victor and Rachel Kluthe teamed up for fourth place.

In O.I. D., first place honors went to Lane Clay, Chelsey Victor, Rachel Kluthe, Nick Curnyn and Morgan Lunz.

Other participants were: Kristina Lunz, Becky Vraspir, Ryan Klein, Stephanie Klein, Libby Henschke, Alex O'Neill and Whitney Rouse.





# Award winners

Two local businesses and Wayne State College were recognized during Sunday's Chamber Banquet. Above, left, Rod Tompkins accepts the Large Business of the Year Award for Heritage Industries. Above, right, Dave Simonsen, left, congratulates Curt Frye and Wayne State College for being named Most Valuable Patron. At right, Cap Peterson accepts the award for Northeast Nebraska Insurance, which was named Small Business of the Year. The awards were presented by WAEDI.



# Childhood development training set for Laurel

A training date of Monday, Feb. Early Care for Kids." 4 has been set for a session entitled "Nurturing Young Children's 8:30 p.m. at St. Mary's Community Healthy Sexual Development Starts

# **NET Television** programs win Awards

Two NET Television productions on first place awards when the fational Educational Telecomunications Association (NETA) onored public broadcasters with wards on Jan. 25, at the annual Partnerships Coordinator at ESU neeting in Columbus, Ohio.

lace in the science and nature cat- topic. gory for large markets and "On the As

## The class will be held from 6:30 to

Faith Hall in Laurel.

how to raise happy and healthy kids. For many adults, responses iors and questions is very hard. These and other questions will be the topic of discussion when Presenters Rebecca Onderstal from Haven House, and Susan Strahm, Early Childhood Professional #1, present current information NET's "Crane Song" received first that will raise awareness of this young children.

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tive, both have received specialized training to raise awareness of healthy sexual development Many parents and caregivers of of young children. Topics include  $young \, children \, have \, questions \, about \quad conversations \ and \ topics \ that \ are$ familiar: feelings, bodies, bedtime, babies, touching, and secrets and to young children's sexual behav- surprises. All are "usual" topics to discuss with young children, but being intentional is key to laying the foundation for healthy behaviors later. Participants will be able to par-

ticipate in an overview of the prevention program entitled "Care for Kids", with fun ideas to do with

This training recognizes the crucial component of nurturing healthy

"Strengthening Families" initia- sexual development and how it is protecting children from sexual abuse. Participants will gain an understanding of the scope of child sexual abuse and the relationship between healthy sexuality and child sexual abuse prevention. The topics covered will be of interest to parents, grandparents, caregivers, and those who live and work with families and children. In-service hours will be provided

upon request. To register for the training, call Elaine @ 256-3451.

# **NECC to offer EMT workshops** in area communities

The Wayne Herald, Thursday, January 31, 2008

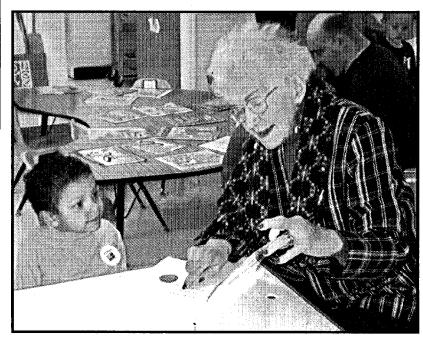
Northeast Community College in Thursday, Feb. 7 at Dixon; Burns Norfolk has scheduled several free, one-session workshops for emergency medical service technicians in the area.

All workshops are offered for three continuing education units. All, with the exception of those scheduled in Creighton at the Creighton Community Center, will 7-10 p.m. There is no need to preregister.

The workshops, dates and loca-

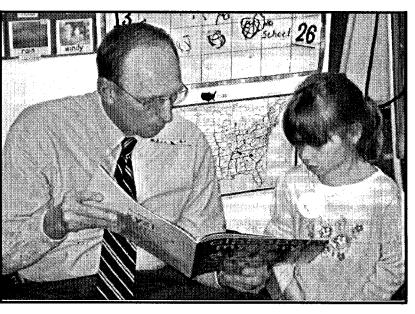
The Allied Health Department at tion include: Patient Assessment Monday, Feb. 11 at Randolph; Sepsis and Shock, Monday, Feb. 11 at Madison; Sports Injuries, Monday, Feb. 18 at Battle Creek; Trauma Patients, Friday, Feb. 22 at Dixon; OB Emergencies on Monday, Feb. 25 at Creighton Community Center.

For additional information, call be held in the local fire halls from the Allied Health Department, Northeast Community College, at 1-800-348-9033, Ext. 7335, or (402)844-7335.



# RIF event held

On Jan. 28, Wayne Head Start held their second RIF, (Reading Is Fundamental) event. Kiwanis, who supports the event by contributing money to purchase the books, came to help by reading to the children. Seventeen people took time away from their jobs and busy schedules to read to the children. Above, Mary Jo Curtis reads to Anthony Palmer and below, Rusty Parker reads to Caitlyn Jepsen.





rontline: Nebraskans at War in aq" won the first-place award in he major market category for news nd public affairs.

In addition to winning first place a the news and public affairs cateory, "On the Frontline: Nebraskans War in Iraq" was the recipient of 9 2007 NETA "Best of the Best" ard, which recognized it as the ost outstanding of all programs id projects submitted to NETA's dges this year. NET Television's t Close Range with National ographic" won the special award st year.

"On the Frontline: Nebraskans War in Iraq," first broadcast in oril 2007, is a one-hour public fairs documentary that tells the mpelling story of Nebraska solers through in-depth interviews, ldier profiles and images the solers brought home from Iraq. The ogram also examines how the vilian and family lives of these en were changed by their experiice, in visible and invisible ways. "On the Frontline" was cited r its compelling and informative orytelling, as well as its use of rsonal photographs. The NETA dges' panel praised its power-1 narrative and apolitical stance. ritten comments by the judges cluded: "Beautiful. The stories e so compelling and the producon style complemented them eautifully." "Very powerful, very ersonal." The overall result of the Im is highly informative as well as notionally compelling."

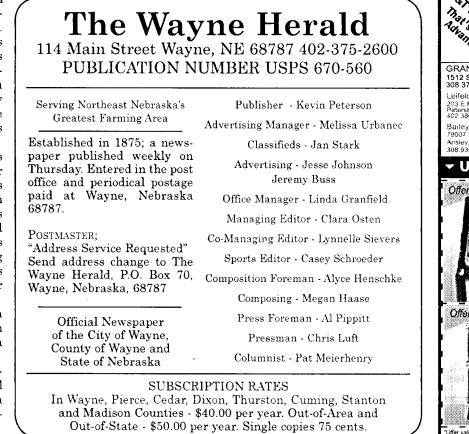
The award cites NET Television's like Tobias as producer/reporter or the program, with Ray Meints s videographer/editor. Production f "On the Frontline: Nebraskans t War in Iraq" was supported by a grant from the PBS series "America at a Crossroads." Funding for "America at a Crossroads" was provided by the Corporation for Public Broadcasting.

"On the Frontline" also received a Nebraska Broadcasters Association Award of Excellence in August and a Regional Emmy Award in October. NET Television is a service of Nebraska Educational Telecommunications (NET). For a program schedule and more information, go to netNebraska.org.



# Passing the gavel

Chadd Frideres, left, passes the gavel to Cindy Brummond during Sunday's Chamber Banquet. Frideres is the outgoing president of the Chamber and Brummond is now at the helm of the organization.



# Public meetings set to discuss highway corridor studies

The Nebraska Department Nebraska Street in Hubbard; of Roads along with the State Highway Commission will hold a series of public forums regarding the potential location of a four-lane divided highway between Norfolk and South Sioux City. The department seeks public input about the project.

The series of public forums is being held to provide information and to receive comments and questions. An English and Spanish language translator will be available. Meetings are scheduled as follows

Monday, Feb. 11 from 6 to 8 p.m. at the Community Center, 310

Tuesday, Feb. 12 from 10 a.m. to noon at the Community Building. 101 South Main Street in Hoskins; Tuesday, Feb. 12 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the City Auditorium, 220 Pearl Street in Wayne (all of the above are open houses) and,

Tuesday, Feb. 12 at 7:30 p.m. at the City Auditorium, 220 Pearl Street in Wayne (Public Hearing).

The proposed route generally follows existing Nebraska Highway 35. A study of two specific alignments for the future road has been developed and a preferred alternative has been identified.

Statement document for the entire corridor was signed by the Federal Highway Administration on Nov. 7; 2007. The DEIS document indicates the preferred alternative highway alignment would encroach on existing wetlands and on two historic properties.

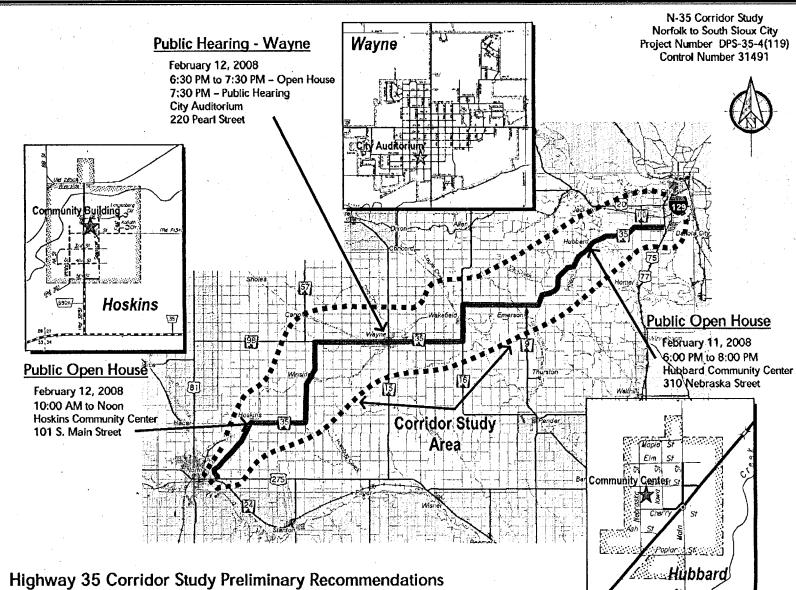
Mitigation for wetland impacts involves establishing replacement wetlands along the project or at a wetland bank, consistent with federal and state permits. The encroachment on historic properties is proposed as a de minimis impact without mitigation.

A noise study report was also A Draft Environmental Impact completed as part of the environ-

mental study.

Copies of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement will be available for review at the public meetings.

Copies will also be available for public review and comment at the Nebraska Department of Roads, Planning and Project Development Division, 1500 Hwy 2, Lincoln, Neb. 68509; the NDOR District 3 Office, 408 N. 13th St., Norfolk, Neb. 68702; the Federal Highway Administration, 100 Centennial Mall North, Lincoln, Neb. 68508; the Norfolk Public Library, 127 N. 1st St., Norfolk, Neb. 68702; the South Sioux City Public Library, 2121 Dakota Ave., South Sioux



**Public Information Meetings and Public Hearing Locations** 

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before completing the FAFSA

#### February is Financial Aid Month; **EducationQuest has online tools** to help with FAFSA filing process

February is Financial Aid Month process, and how to prepare for and and EducationQuest Foundation wants college-bound Nebraskans to understand the financial aid application process.

If you plan to attend college during the 2008-09 academic year, it's time to think about completing the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) - the application for federal, state and collegebased financial aid. Those who should file the FAFSA include college-bound high school seniors and their parents, college-bound adults and current college students.

Some colleges have a March 1 FAFSA priority filing date, which is why February is such a critical month in the financial aid process. To determine the priority date at a specific college, contact the school's financial aid office.

You can complete and file the FAFSA electronically at www. fafsa.ed.gov. If you're prepared, the process will go smoothly. EducationQuest has free tools at www.educationquest.org to help

•"Guide to College Funding" video - explains the financial aid

Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben seek nominations for Good Neighbor Awards

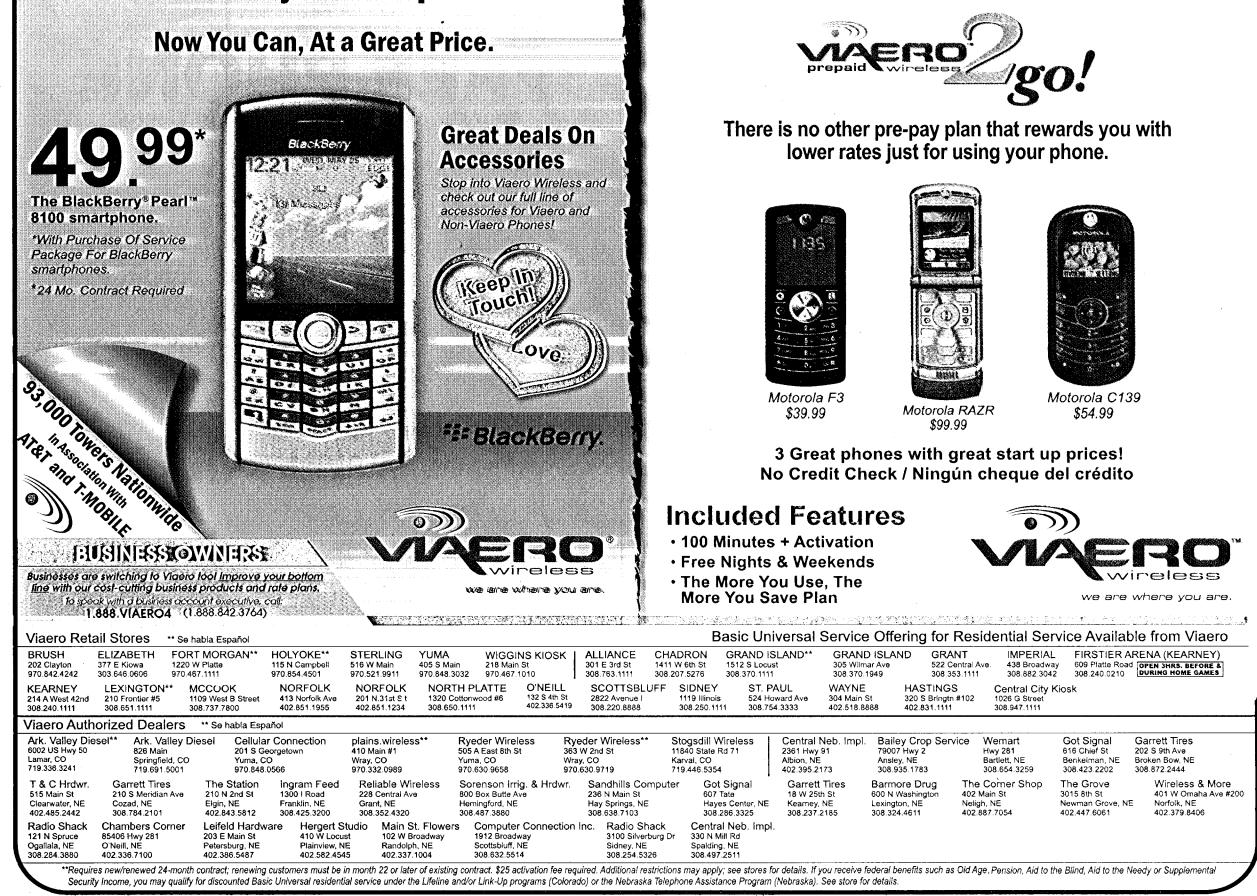
The Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben Foundation and the Omaha World-Herald have announced that nomination forms for the 2008 Good Neighbor Awards program are now being accepted.

This recognition program honors individuals cited by neighbors for performing unselfish, neighborly deeds during 2007 without compensation or personal gain. Nominations •are •accepted from organizations and/or individuals throughout Nebraska and western Iowa. Nomination forms and instructions are available online at

www.aksarben.org or by contacting the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben at (402) 554-9600 x100.

All nominations must be received no later than March 15. Certificates are awarded annually to those selected by a statewide judging committee. Honorees will be announced in early June.

This program is just one of those supported by the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben Foundation which was founded in 1895 "to build a more prosperous Heartland, where communities can flourish and every child can succeed."



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# Wakefield boys snowball Bears in Thursday night win

#### By Casey Schroeder

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The Wakefield Trojans marched into Laurel last Thursday and upended the Bears 58-48.

Joel Nixon led the Trojans with 23 points, while Colby Henderson contributed 15 points.

Wakefield was able to secure a win through physical and aggressive play that left the Bears with few opportunities.

"Wakefield is a great team...the type you want to play...they are big and physical," Bears head coach Shannon Benson said.

While the Trojans dominated most of the game, Laurel-Concord hung in there, as they repeatedly nipped at the Trojan's heels.

At halftime after two hard quarters of action Wakefield led 24-23.

In the second half of the game, the Trojans continued to build on the previous quarters success.

The Trojans effectively shut down the Bears' Heath Erwin and Schantz boys.

With the Bears scoring threat neutralized, several other Bears tried to step-up, but had no luck.

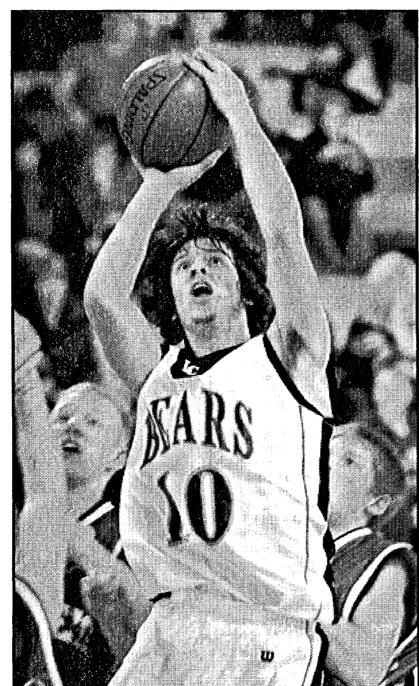
"It just seemed like it was a day that we weren't going to shoot well, and that hurt us," Benson said.

Laurel-Concord was led in scoring by Ezra Schantz with 15 points.

Wakefield	15 24 41 58-58
Laurel-Con.	10 23 35 48-48

Wakefield Scoring: Joel Nixon 23. Colby Henderson 15, Dusty Rhods 9, Mason Nixon 4, Chad Clay 4, Jacob Blessing 2, Matt Erwin 1.

Laurel-Concord Scoring: Ezra Schantz 15, Heath Erwin 12, Tate Cunningham 9, Eli Schantz 6, Ross Kastrup 4, Justin Hart 2.



Laurel's Eli Schantz and Wakefield players Matt Erwin and **Colby Henderson.** 



The Wayne

Bears Kim Lubberstedt and Taryn Dahlquist wrestle for the ball against a Trojan.

# Trojan girls freeze the Bears for a Thursday night win

By Casey Schroeder

The Laurel-Concord Bears were dealt a loss last Thursday in home action, as the small Wakefield squad of Trojans defeated the Bears 38-34.

"We don't have a lot of girls out, but they play hard,"Wakefield head coach Matt Brenn said.

Coming out flat the Bears still manged to perform well in the first half as the Bears took a 18-13 led into halftime.

After the half, both teams played each other evenly while Wakefield gave the Bears several key scores. Laurel-Concord attacked the

Trojans defensively, to maintain a small lead. Late in the third quarter, fouls

hurt the Trojan effort, as the Bears climbed to a 29-25 lead. The fourth quarter proved to be a

test for both teams as the outcome was decided in the final minute.

Wakefield out worked us...they slowed our tempo down," Bears head coach Nate Simms said.

With little to no tempo going for the Bears, Kacie Gould was called upon to keep a win within contention.

Gould hit one of two free throw shots, after a Wakefield foul which cut into the Trojan lead...

With the score at 36-34 in favor of Wakefield, Gould made a costly mistake of fouling Trojan Whitney Rouse.

Rouse proceeded to hit one of two shots, giving the Trojans some needed cushion.

The Bears then threw the ball in, worked it down court and failed at one last shot, returning the ball to the Trojans.

tion, and we were flat...we didn't come ready to play," Simms said.

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Wakefield regained possesion before a foul was called sending Rouse to the line again.

Rouse at the line then connected on one of two shots, and gave the Trojans a 38-24 win over the Bears. "We were a little more aggressive, and a lot of points came from the free throw line, not the field," Brenn said.

Wakefield 6 13 25 38-38 8 18 29 34-34 Laurel-Con. Wakefield Scoring: Anna Brownell 16, C.J. Kay 8, Whitney Rouse 8, Carly Gardner 2, Jenna Henderson 2, Libby Henschke 2.

Laurel-Concord Scoring: Kari Schroeder 9, Kacie Gould 8, Bethany DeLong 8, Jenni Schroeder 4, Kim Lubberstedt 3,

"We put ourselves in a bad posi- Jessica Pigg 2.

# Diggs, Caldwell duo lead Wildcats to weekend wins, keeping 'Cats tied for third

By Casey Schroeder

Wayne State's Bryce Caldwell and amar Diggs combined for 78 oints and led the Wildcats to wins ver Bemidji State and Minnesota 'rookston in weekend home ames. "They are (Caldwell and Diggs) ne of the best one and two combos 1 our league," WSC men's basketall head coach Rico Burkett said. WSC started off its weekend play a good note defeating Bemidji

spark against the Beavers, as WSC jumped out to a 7-0 lead. With a small lead, WSC's spark 27 lead.

State 68-56 on Friday night.

ed by tacking on four points before halftime.

room after the first half with a 33-

the 'Cats some cushion, while Diggs and David Walter combined Wayne State headed to the locker for six points in free throws to secure a Wildcat win.

WSC was 47.3 percent from the

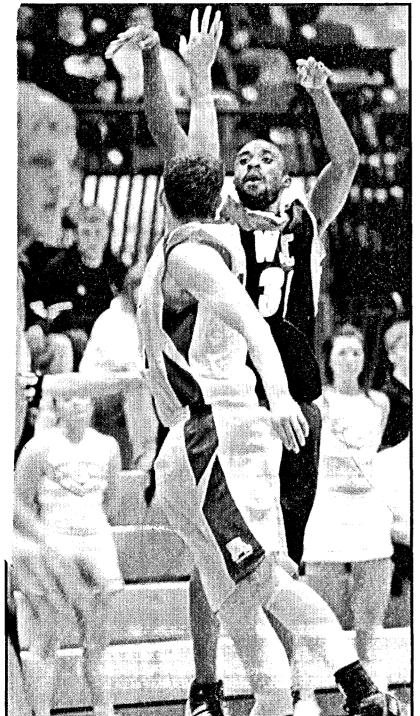


was put out as the Beavers forced the 'Cats into foul trouble, which resulted in a 17-16 lead with 7:29 to go in the first half.

The Wildcats displayed initial

The Beavers then proceeded to claim a 22-21 lead before the Wildcats scored nine points, and reclaimed a 30-27 lead.

However, Bemidji State respond-



Bryce Caldwell attempts a three against the Golden Eagles. Caldwell had six three pointers against UMC.

Early in the second half the Wildcats took a nine point lead that was highlighted by a Jamar Diggs jumper.

Bemidji made one final attempt at the 'Cats lead, cutting the WSC lead to three.

Wayne State then put a 10-2 run together that created some distance between the Wildcats and

#### Beavers.

"We came out with a lot of intensity and pressure, which allowed us to control the tempo of the game. With 11:43 remaining, WSC led

51-40.

As the Wildcats continued to dominate the Beavers, Bemidji was afforded on several occurrences opportunities to reclaim the lead. However, the 'Cats refused to be outdone, defeating the Beavers 68-56.Diggs and Caldwell guided the 'Cats to a win over Bemidji scoring 18 points a piece.

Senior center Matt Rathje also contributed 13 points and 13 rebounds in the Wildcat's win.

Managing to hold off Bemidji State the Wildcats returned to Rice Auditorium on Saturday where they claimed a 75-70 win over Minnesota Crookston.

In the first half UMC maintained a small lead that they carried throughout most of the half.

Wayne State eventually capitalized late in the half, as the 'Cats put together a solid run to take a 38-34 lead.

Golden Eagle's Akeem Cubie kept WSC on their toes with a three pointer with 5:56 left in the half, to give UMC a 31-23 advantage.

With the half slowly coming to a close, Diggs guided the Wildcats to a 15-3 scoring run, where WSC regained a 38-34 going into halftime

"We withstood the other team...and managed to hang on," Diggs said.

Coming out in the second half Wayne State took control of a 14 point lead.

It wasn't until later in the half that UMC began to cut into the Wildcats lead, as the Golden Eagles at one point trailed by two. Trailing by two, WSC secured a win through some last minute heroics.

A three pointer by Caldwell gave

field, while UMC hit 44 percent of their shots from the field.

With the two weekend wins, Rico Burkett and his Wildcat squad sit at 12-8 overall and 7-4 in the NSIC. Wayne State will hit the trail this weekend against seventh ranked Northern State Friday, and the University of Mary on Saturday.

#### Bemidii State (56)

Smith 5-11 3-7 13 Cassidy 3-10 2-4 8 Fairbanks 1-5 0-0 2 Scott 3-3 1-3 7 Evans 7-14 0-0 16 Haake 2-6 0-0 4 Eastman 1-2 1-2 4 Zajic 0-0 0-1 0 Johnson 1-2 0-2 2 Bell 0-1 0-2 0 Baskow 0-2 0-2 0 Totals 23-56 7-21 56.

#### Wayne State (68)

Thomas 1-3 0-0 2 Rathje 3-11 7-10 13 Diggs 7-15 3-4 18 Walters 3-10 2-4 9 Caldwell 5-13 4-5 18 Thurston 2-8 0-0 4 Trueblood 0-0 1-2 1 Metz 1-2 1-2 3 Totals 22-62 18-27 68

Three-Point Goals-Evans 2, Eastman 1. Caldwell 4, Walters, Diggs 1.

Fouled Out-None. Rebounds--Bemidji 39 (Smith 10), WSC 50 (Rathje 13).

Assists-Bemidji 14 (Haake 4) WSC 12 (Diggs 5).

Total Fouls-Bemidji 17, WSC 23

#### Minn-Crook. (70)

Kollar 1-2 1-3 3 Hendricks 4-10 0-0 8 Smith 2-7 1-1 6 McVey 6-11 0-0 15 Cummings 6-13 5-6 21 Freeman 1-1 0-0 2 Cubie 4-9 0-0 11 Grafsgaard 1-3 0-2 2 Paschka 1-3 0-0 Totals 26-59 7-12 70.

#### Wayne State (75)

Thomas 5-7 3-4 14 Rathje 3-8 0-2 6 Diggs 5-11 10-10 20 Walters

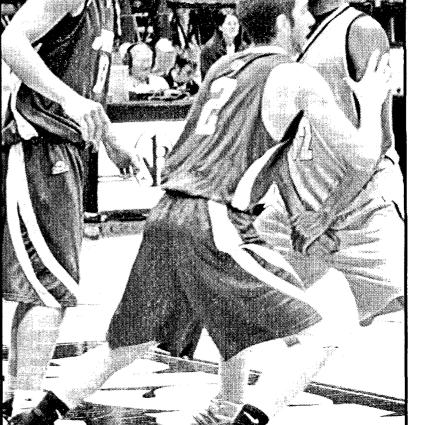
1-2 2-2 4 Caldwell 8-14 0-0 22 McGriff 0-4 0-0 0 Thurston 0-1 0-2 0 Trueblood 2-3 0-0 5 Metz 2-5 0-0 4 Totals 26-55 15-20 75.

Three-Point Goals-Cummings 4, McVey, Cubie 3, Smith 1. Caldwell 6, Thomas, Trueblood 1.

Fouled Out-Hendricks. Rebounds--UMC 32 (Cubie 6),

WSC 36 (Thomas 7). Assists-UMC 18 (Smith 5) WSC 15 (Diggs 7).

Total Fouls-UMC 18, WSC 16



Wayne State's Sean Thurston came off the bench contributing four points in the Wildcats win.

## Wildcats girls drop to 3-12 after loss to Hartington on Friday

#### by Lee Koch

The Winside girls basketball team came up short in a 54-44 game against Hartington on Friday night.

The Wildcats took a three point lead into the second quarter before Hartington outscored the Wildcats 27-13 putting the game out of reach for Winside.

Hillary Lienemann led all scorers with 20 points.

Amanda Pfeiffer and Shelby Meyer contributed 8 and 7 points respectively to the Wildcat's total. Sally Schwedhelm added five points to the Winside scoreboard with Katie Saul finishing off the 'Cat scoring with four points.

The Winside squad also was eliminated from the Lewis and Clark Conference Tournament Saturday night losing 56-41 in a first round game to Winnebago.

Winside now is 3-12 and will travel to Allen on February 5, to face the Eagles.

#### Hartington 54 Winside 44

Winside Scoring: Hillary Linemann 20, Amanda Pfeiffer 8, Shelby Meyer 7, Sally Schwedhelm 5, Katie Saul 4.

# Wildcats cyclone competition at Iowa State Open

#### By Casey Schroeder

The Wayne State College indoor track and field team won three events Friday and Saturday, while several athletes set NCAA national provisional qualifying marks at the Iowa State Open in Ames, Iowa.

Junior thrower Katie Wilson's performance led the women's squad.

Wilson, won the 20-pound weight throw Friday with a throw of 53' 5 3/4", a NCAA national provisional qualifying mark.

On Saturday, Wilson finished first in the shot put, with a action this weekend at the NCAA provisional qualifying mark of 45' 5".

"Katie Wilson had a very good weekend, winning both the weight throw and shot put,"head coach Marlon Brink said.

point in her return from shoulder surgery."

Senior Rachel Roebke also added to the Wildcat effort as she placed second in the 60-meter hurdles with a time of 8.84 seconds.

Roebke's performance matched her previous NCAA provisional qualifying mark that was set in December.

Brett Suckstorf highlighted the men's team with a first place finish in the 35-pound weight throw.

Suckstorf's 59' 3" throw set a 5,000 Meter Run: Nate Preston, new school record, while also earning him a NCAA provisional qualifying mark.

other throwers...and nobody could match it," Brink said.

from Ben Jansen, who finished 10th (49' 6 1/4")

sixth in the 800-meter run. Jansen reached an NCAA provisional qualifying mark with a time of 1:53.46.

Wayne State also had success in the 4 x 400 relay, as Jacob Davis, Kelly Brink, Garrett Flamig and Jensen set a new school record with a time of 3:25.77

Rounding out the Wildcats effort at Ames, was runner Nate Preston.

Preston, finished ninth in the one mile run with a time of 4:21.32 and now holds the top time for the NSIC. Wayne State will resume

Minnesota State Open in Mankato, Minn.

WSC Women's Results 60 Meter Hurdles: Rachel Roebke, 2nd (8.84); Kylie Herian, 4th (8.98)

"I think this may be a turning High Jump: Misty Rystrom, 10th (5' 2 1/4") Shot Put: Katie Wilson, 1st (45'

5") NCAA Provisional Qualifying Mark Weight Throw: Katie Wilson,

1st (53' 5 3/4") NCAA Provisional Qualifying Mark WSC Men's Results

800 Meter Run: Ben Jansen, 6th (1:53.46) NCAA Provisional Qualifying Mark

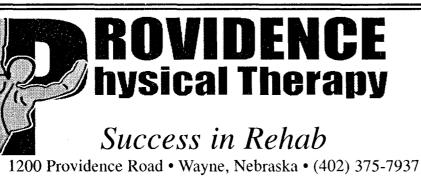
1,000 Meter Run: Cheto Cerda, 10th (2:34.27) One Mile Run: Nate Preston,

2nd (4:21.32)

2nd (15:02.11) 60 Meter Hurdles: Garrett

Flamig, 14th (8.56) "Suckstorf set the mark for Weight Throw: Brett Suckstorf, 1st (59' 3") NCAA Provisional

Qualifying Mark; John Sloup, Another top performance came 6th (51' 7 1/4"); Jacob Mathieson,



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ate all lifting tasks from your daily activities, but • Replace quick or jerking movements with smooth

# Wildcat women experience highs and lows in roller coaster weekend

#### By Casey Schroeder

The WSC women's basketball team survived a 79-76 scare against Bemidji State Friday night, while trouncing Minnesota Crookston 84-47 Saturday.

Friday night found the Wildcats surprised and overwhelmed by a overly aggressive Beaver team.

"We wanted to win, and were out for a fight,"Wildcat center Amanda Covington said.

In the first 20 minutes of action the Wildcats led by as many as seven points, but the Beavers continually tested the 'Cats.

With both teams shooting well, the Wildcats and Beavers knotted things up on four different occasions.

Also in the first half five different lead changes occurred, leaving both teams with little cushion.

Bemidji State claimed a 36-33 lead with a minute left in the half, before WSC's Laquisha Cook answered back with a 3 pointer, to tie things up going into halftime.

Early in the second half both teams took turns trading leads.

With 13 minutes remaining, the Wildcats took a 56-53 lead.

"Our second half was good defensively. In ten minutes they only scored one field goal," head coach Ryun Williams said.

While the 'Cats managed to limit the Beavers in scoring, Bemidji eventually rallied back. with eight seconds left, WSC led 77-75.

The Beavers with few options resorted to fouls and it proved to be a costly mistake.

Wildcat Sophomore Jennifer Yee proceeded to hit three of her four free throws, and secured the win

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for the Wildcats.

Wayne State ended the evening shooting 42.6 percent from the field, while the Beavers hit 43.3 percent from the field.

Kylee McGill contributed 17 points in the win, while five other Wildcats hit the double figure mark.

With several recent wins coming off of key last minute possessions, the Wildcat women were granted an opportunity to open the flood gates Saturday evening.

Wasting no time, the Wildcats came out early Saturday evening and put together a small lead early on.

With a lead in hand, that the Wildcats refused to surrender, the Golden Eagles were soon left behind.

"This was our best all-around game, we had kids step-up...and we played very unselfish, "Williams said.

With a strong overall team performance, the Wildcats forced the Golden Eagles into repeated bad situations.

Situations, where UMC consistently turned the ball over, and found little success shooting.

Prior to intermission the 'Cats had hit 47.2 percent of their shots, while UMC was a horrendous 22.9 percent.

By halftime, the Wildcats were on top 46-19.

"Everyone was just really excited, and we played with more intensity, "WSC guard Teresa Case said. In the second half the Wildcats resumed business and continued to

dominate the Golden Eagles. With 12:41 left on the clock, the Wildcats led 58-24.

With a sense of comfort, many of the starters took a seat, allowing several of the unknown 'Cats to come off the bench and shine.

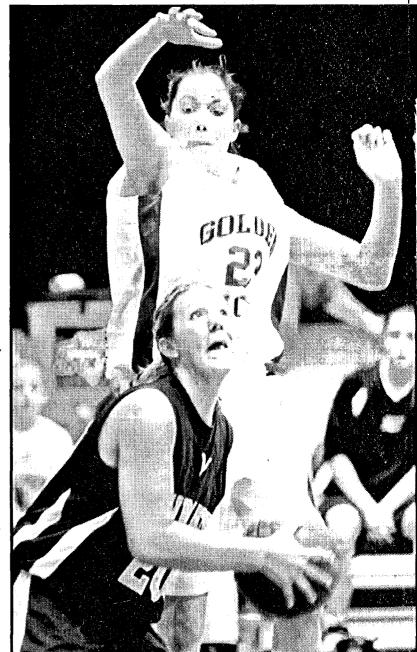
These unfamiliar Wildcat faces, continued the scoring trend, while also limiting UMC's scoring opportunities.

"We came out with energy, everybody played good, and the bench kept the energy going," forward Kylee McGill said.

With every Wildcat doing their part, the Wildcats walked away with a 84-47 win and a momentum booster for upcoming action.

The Wildcats shot 40.9 percent from the field Saturday night, with UMC hitting only 27.9 percent of their shots.

WSC was led in scoring by Katie Joe Christensen and Andrea Schoepf with 17 points each.



Wildcat freshmen Alyssa Fischbach sets up for a shot in Wayne State's 84-47 win over UMC.

WSC 10 (Schoepf 5).

Total Fouls-Bemidji 25, WSC 21

#### Minn-Crook, (47)

Cheline 2-7 3-4 7 Jaroszewski 1-8 0-0 2 Biddle 1-3 0-0 2 G. Zelinsky 4-14 1-2 10 Garcia 1-5 0-0 2 Dolence 2-6 1-5 5 Clemons 1-1 0-0 2 Taddy 1-4 2-2 4 Grant 2-5 0-0 4 Van Ackeren 4-9 1-2 9 J.Zelinsky 0-6 0-0 0 Totals 23-52 12-17 62. Wayne State (84)

McGill 2-5 0-0 5 Boss 0-2 0-0 0 Cook 4-12 1-3 9 Schoepf 6-10 2-2 17 Case 1-4 0-0 3 Yee 3-10 0-0 8 Covington 1-2 4-6 6 Hjelle 1-3 4-6 6

Assists-Bemidji 9 (Lawson 6) Pollard 0-2 0-2 0 Fischbach 0-1 1-2 1 Christensen 5-10 3-3 17 Wagner 3-5 5-6 12 Totals 27-66 20-30 84.

Three-Point Goals-G. Zelinsky, Dolence 1. Schoepf 3, Yee, Christensen 2, McGill, Case, Wagner 1.

Fouled Out-Jaroszewski. Rebounds-UMC 36 (Jaroszewski, Biddle 7), WSC 56 (McGill, Schoepf

Assists-UMC 13 (Garcia, Dolence 3) WSC 18 (Case 5). Total Fouls-UMC 21, WSC 15.

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With the recent wins, Wayne State is now 15-5 overall, and 8-3 in NSIC play.

The Wildcat women currently sit in second place of the NSIC. Upcoming action finds the 'Cats on the road, visiting Northern State Friday evening, and the University of Mary on Saturday.

#### Bemidji State (76)

Jamnick 0-4 0-0 0 McKay 1-4 1-2 3 Hoganson 1-1 0-0 2 Salscheider 2-7 0-0 4 Lawson 8-14 7-13 26 Malzke 3-9 2-2 8 Roberts 1-1 0-0 3 Simonson 4-8 4-5 12 Peterson 6-12 6-7 18 Totals 26-60 20-29 76.

#### Wayne State (79)

McGill 5-9 6-6 17 Boss 2-4 8-11 12 Cook 6-11 2-2 16 Schoepf 6-14 0-2 13 Case 1-7 5-8 7 Yee 3-6 3-4 12 Covington 0-2 2-2 2 Hjelle 0-1 0-0 0 Totals 23-54 26-35 79.

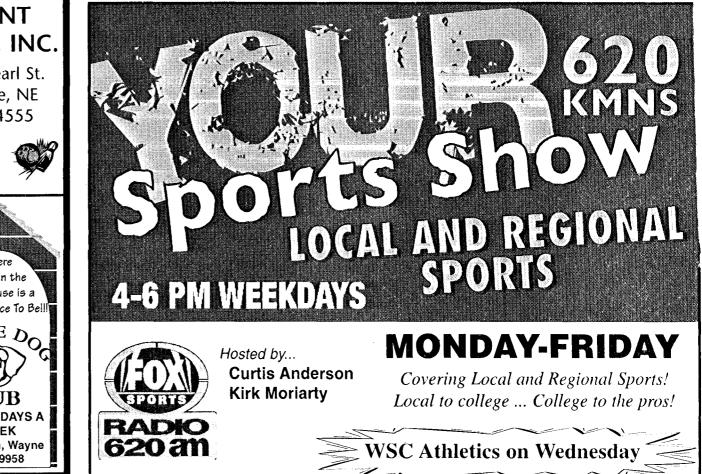
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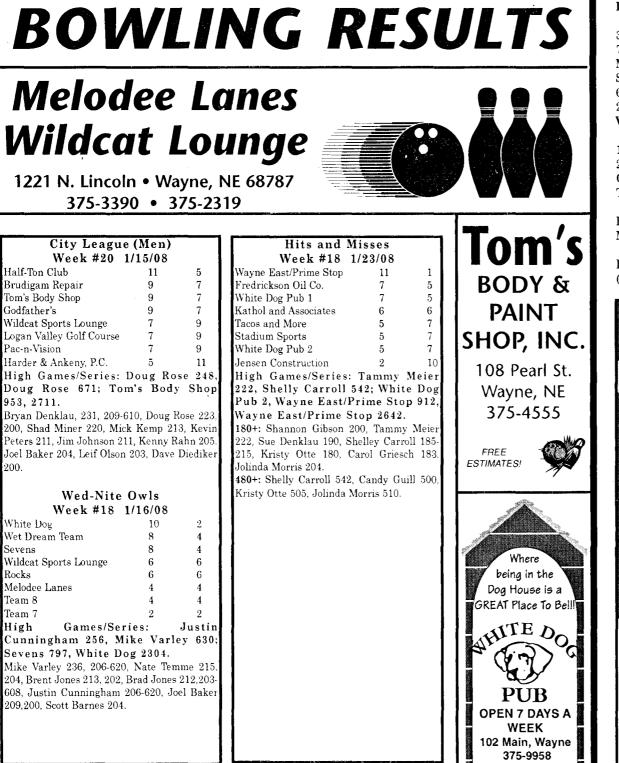
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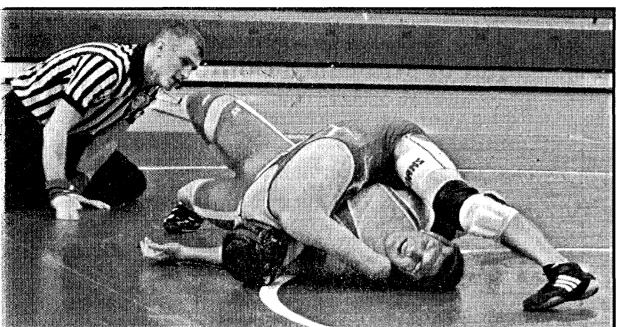


# Wildcat pins opponent

David DeCock of Winside pins finals opponent in th Junior Varsity division of the Ainsworth Invitations DeCock won all three of his matches and place first in th 215 pound weight class. Photo by: Lee Koc







Wakefield's Ryan Klein trying to setup Hartington CC Nathan Leise for a pin.

# **Blue Devil wrestlers outlast** Trojan squads at Wakefield Dual

#### By Lee Koch

Wayne was a double dual winner ast Thursday at the Wakefield Friangular.

The Blue Devils downed the Frojans in a closely contested 40-39 vin. Wayne also defeated Hartington

Cedar Catholic. The Blue Devils earned an easy

vin over Hartington, as the l'rojans only filled four of the foureen weight classes.

The dual with Wakefield was no asy contest as the Blue Devils and frojans traded wins in the ten natches wrestled.

Pins by Roman Roberts (119), Logan Owens (130), Sheldon Onderstal (135), Jordan McDonald 140) and Riley McManus (145) led he way for the Blue Devil squad.

Aaron Luschen (152) and Jorge Junklau (215) recorded wins by orfeit.

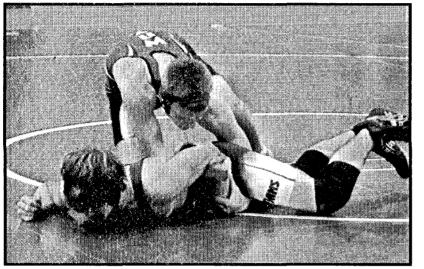
Wayne led the dual 40-30 forcing Wakefield's Tim Campton (285) and Christian Gallardo (103) to ome up with a combination of ither a pin or a major decision in 0 dec. Garrett Vawser order for the Trojans to win or tie he Blue Devils.

Campton pinned Jason Trautman at the 3:04 mark in the second eriod.

Although Gallardo dominated Wayne's Garrett Vawser and laimed 6-0 win, Gallardo failed to neet the eight point spread needed o tie the Blue Devils in overall oints.

Wyatt Jacobsen (112), Cody lenschke (160) and Brady Nicholson (189) all won by pinfall or the Trojans.

Wakefield's T.J. Rose (119) and 1:22 Alex Onnen Yan Klein (171) won matches by



Wakefield's Seb Kramer getting outworked by Wayne's Logan Owens.

on Thursday at Randolph, while Wayne will travel to Norfolk on Friday to compete in the Norfolk Catholic Invitational.

#### Wakefield 39

- Wayne 40 103 Christian Gallardo won by 6-112 Wyatt Jacobsen won by pin
- 0:37 Ryan Dowling
- 119 T J Rose fft 125 Isaac Jimenez lost by pin
- 5:27 Roman Roberts 130 Seb Kramer lost by tf 15-0
- Logan Owens 135 Drew Henderson lost by pin

0:56 Sheldon Onderstal 140 Brendan Nicholsen lost by tf

18-3 Jordan McDonald 145 Shane Campton lost by pin 0:38 Riley McManus

152 Open Aaron Luschen fft 160 Cody Henschke won by pin

171 Ryan Klein fft

Hartington C.C. 12 Wayne 103 Garrett Vawser fft 112 Ryan Dowling fft 119 Roman Roberts fft 130 Logan Owens fft 135 Sheldon Onderstahl fft 140 Jordan McDonald fft 145 Aaron Lueschen fft 152 Riley McManus won by pin 1:14 Mark Wortmann 160 Alex Onnen lost by pin 3:29 Michael Wuebben 171 Drew Loberg lost by 13-8 Nathan Leise 189 David Arickx fft 215 Jorge Dunklau fft 285 Jason Trautman lost by 8-1 Nathan Kathol Hartington C.C. 12 Wakefield 66 103 Christian Gallardo fft 119 T.J. Rose fft

215 Jorge Dunklau fft

**Rec Department** Adult Volleyball League forming to start in March

The city of Wayne Recreation Department is sponsoring a Women's Volleyball League open to area adults ages 19 and up.

League play will start on March 5, and conclude with a league tournament April 23.

Registration deadline is Feb. 27. Team fee is \$50 per team (limit of 12 teams). And games will be played on Wed. nights.

Players are responsible for organizing their own team.

Each team is required to provide two officials per match, with the exception of the year end tournament.

Schedules will be released prior to the first night of league play.

For more information contact the Wayne Community Activity Center/Recreation Department.



Andrea Blecke, DPT/ATC Physical Therapist/ Athletic Trainer

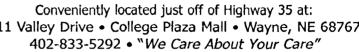
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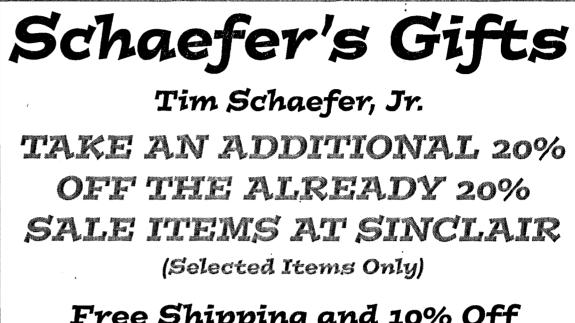
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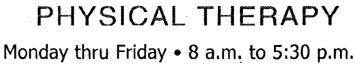
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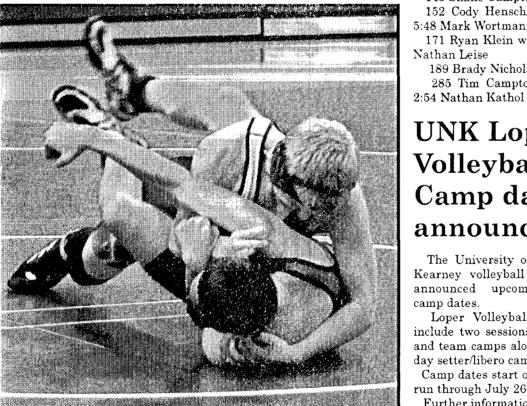
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189 Brady Nicholson won by pin o**rfeit**. 0:32 David Arickx Wakefield will hit the mat again



Vakefield's Cody Henschke attempts to move Wayne's Alex )nnen into position for a pinfall.

135 Drew Henderson fft 140 Brendan Nicholsen fft 145 Shane Campton fft 152 Cody Henschke lost by pin 5:48 Mark Wortmann 171 Ryan Klein won by pin 1:37

125 Isaac Ramirez fft

130 Seb Kramer fft

Nathan Leise 189 Brady Nicholson fft 285 Tim Campton won by pin

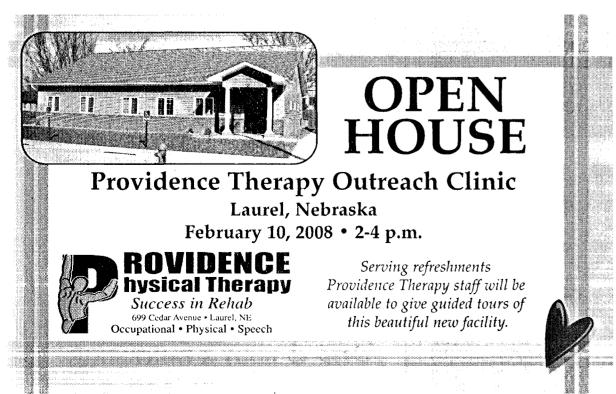
**UNK Lopers** Volleyball **Camp dates** announced

The University of Nebraska at Kearney volleyball program has announced upcoming summer camp dates.

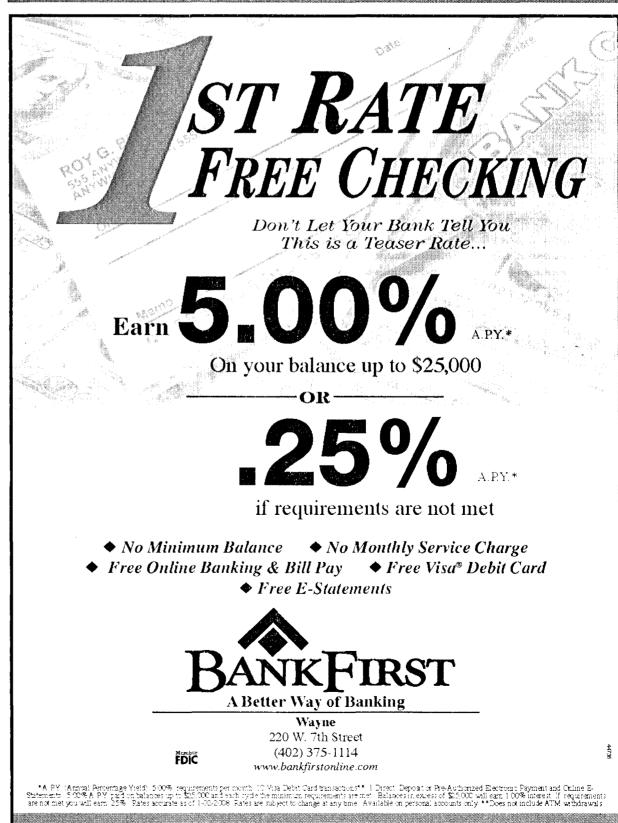
Loper Volleyball Camps will include two sessions of individual and team camps along with a oneday setter/libero camp. Camp dates start on July 15, and

run through July 26. Further information will be made

available at www.lopers.com or through contacting the UNK Volleyball Office.



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#### WSC Sports Shorts

Suckstorf named Men's NSIC Field Athlete of the Week Brett Suckstorf a junior from Pierce, Neb. was named the NSIC Field Athlete of the Week.

Suckstorf won the 35-pound weight throw, set a new school record and set a NCAA national provisional qualifying mark with his throw of 59' 3"at the Iowa State Open in Ames, Iowa.

Suckstorf is currently ranked eighth in the NCAA Division II weight throw and second in the NSIC.

#### Wilson named Female NSIC Field Athlete of the Week

Katie Wilson a senior from Glenwood, Iowa won two events while establishing a NCAA national provisional qualifying mark in winning the 20-pound weight throw and shot put.

Wilson last Friday won the weight throw with a season-best mark of 53'5 1/4" to put her at 16th in NCAA Division II.

On Saturday, Wilson won the shot put with another season-best mark of 45' 5", which ranks her sixth in NCAA Division II.

Wilson missed a majority of last season with a shoulder injury and is throwing as strong as her sophomore season when she earned All-American honors in the shot put.



Conference Norfolk.

"The girls came out ready to play," head coach Courtney Maas said.

In the first quarter the Blue Devil girls took a 12-4 lead.

With a combination of effective shooting, and a full court press Wayne went on to score 23 points in the half, while limiting Boone Central to only 17 points.

Cardinal team in the second half.

"We had a little bit of trouble executing in the half," Maas said. At the end of three Wayne led 33-23.

With Wayne leading by ten, Boone Central rallied back and cut the lead, limiting Wayne's offensive

The Blue Devil girls in the fourth quarter scored only four points, two

# Blue Devils knock out Boone Central in first round of Mid-State Conference action

Boone Central 37-36 Monday night in the first round of the Mid-State Tournament at Northeast Community College in

With a lead in control the Blue Devil girls faced a different

production.

of which were by Shannon Jarvi.

#### Jarvi at the free throw hit two free throws shots to give the Blue Devils the lead, and a 37-36 win.

"We had a few mental lapses that caused some turnovers, but I'm proud of the girls for not giving up," Maas said.

Prior to Monday night's conference action the Wayne High girls beat the West Point-Beemer Cadets on Friday night at West Point.

A combination of dead-on passes and fast breaks earned the Blue Devil girls a win over the Cadets. "I'm so proud of how the girls played in this contest," Maas said.

Wayne got off to a great start as they put up 25 points in the first quarter, while limiting West Point to just 6 points.

With a commanding lead, Wayne continued to add to their total in the second quarter, adding 10 points.

Going into halftime the Blue Devils led 35-20.

After a dominant first half the Blue Devils kept on pace in the sec-

"We had so many people con-

# Tenth-ranked Blue Devil boys lose heartbreaker **Tuesday while sweeping Cadets Friday**

While the score may indicate a

In the first quarter the Cadets

and Blue Devils battled back and

forth and ended with a 9-9 first

"They (West Point) do a lot of

things to try to take you out of your

After an evenly matched first

quarter, Wayne went to work and

At the end of two quarters, the

After the break, the Cadets came

put up 25 points, while limiting

night at West Point.

initially held their own.

quarter tie.

game," Ruhl said.

the Cadets to 13 points.

ond half.

The Wayne Blue Devils, lost a nail biter Tuesday to Norfolk Catholic at the Mid-State Conference Tournament in Norfolk.

"Norfolk Catholic played a physical game and took us out of what we wanted to do," head coach Rocky Ruhl said.

The Blue Devils after the first two quarters were behind 28-27.

In the second half of the game, the Blue Devils matched the Knights point for point and even took a one point lead.

The Blue Devils hopes of a conference title were finally ended in the final quarter, as Norfolk Catholic defeated Wayne 48-47.

"We hung around but could not get it done down the stretch,"Ruhl

The class C-1 tenth ranked Blue Devils owned a 34-22 lead. Wayne Blue Devils (12-3) defeated West Point-Beemer 63-40 Friday out strong, and shut down the Blue

# Blue Devils come up short in finals at home tournament

squad struggled offensively, the The Wayne eighth grade boys avenged their previous loss against defense kept it close and kept a win Pierce Saturday, by routing the within reach but failed to capitalize Blue jays 39-35. in the final minutes.

In the finals round, the young The Wayne eight grade boys are Blue Devil squad faced Norfolk 4-2 on the season, and will face

tribute in this game," Maas said. "Each person that came in the game gave us some great minutes, whether they scored or not."

With each Blue Devil girl doing their part in the second half, Wayne went on to defeat the Cadets 72-43.

Michelle Jarvi led the Blue Devils with 24 points, while two other Wayne girls hit the double digit mark.

The Blue Devils will face the third ranked Norfolk Catholic Knights (13-1) at NECC Thursday night at 6:15 p.m.

West Point 6 20 32 43-43 Wayne 25 35 58 72-72 Wayne Scoring: Michelle Jarvi 24, Nicole Rauner 20, Jessica Calhoon 11, Shannon Jarvi 4, Jordan Alexander 4, Lindsey Costa 4, Alesha Finkey 3, Justine Carroll

Boone Cent. 4 17 23 36-36 Wayne 12 23 33 37-37 Wayne Scoring: Michelle Jarvi 18, Nicole Rauner 8, Samantha Dunklau 5, Shannon Jarvi 2, Alesha Finkey 2.

Devils. In the third quarter, West Point outscored the Blue Devils and cut

Wayne's lead to seven points. "The team played well for most of the game," Ruhl said.

Going into the fourth quarter, Wayne led 41-34.

Sensing a bit of pressure from the Cadets, Wayne wasted no time and closed out West Point.

The fourth quarter was dominated by the Blue Devils who scored 22 point, while limiting the Cadets to six points.

After four quarters of highs and lows, Wayne chalked up a 63-40 win over the Cadets.

West Point 9 22 34 40-40 Wayne 9 34 41 63-63 Wayne Scoring: Jesse Hill 24, Reggie Ruhl 18, Sam Kurpgeweit 8, Max Stednitz 6, Cory Harm 3, Shaun Kardell 2, Shawn Jenkins 2.

#### 'Cat fight results in win for Hartington over Winside

by Lee Koch

Hartington jumped out to a thirteen point lead before halftime and went on to defeat Winside 72-37.

In a fight between two Wildcat squads, Hartington proved to be more then the Winside Wildcats could handle. While Winside tried to hang with Hartington, the purple Wildcats simply outplayed Winside. With the loss to Hartington Winside's record dropped to 3-10 overall. Winside was led by Andrew Mohi with fourteen points. Nathan Janke contributed 11 points to the Wildcat total with Matt Peter adding an addition: five points for Winside. Casey Lange scored three point for Winside while Will Janke an Michael Lage each scored tw points for the Wildcats. Winside will travel to Alle Tuesday February 5th to meet th Eagles.

The cost is \$65 per team if postmarked by Feb. 22. Late entry fee will be \$75. Deadline is March 3, 2008. Tournament size is limited, and entry will be determined by first come first serve. said. Each team is guaranteed a minimum of two games, and brackets will be determined by number of

Manual entries/rosters must include registration fee.

accepted the day e-mailed as long as registration fee is received within 10 days.

For more information contact: Ron Williams RR3 Carnes Avenue Pender, NE 68047.

Williams can be contacted by telephone at (402)-385-3326 (home), (402)-287-5004 (work) or (712)-251-3293 (cell). Other information regarding the tournament can be found at www.penderbooster.com.

**Boys High School Results** 

Emerson-Hub. 15 26 43 66-66

Allen Scoring: Scott Chase 11,

Drew Diediker 11, Nick Schneiders

7, Cody Stewart 6, Luke Woodward

6, Michael Bock 5, William Gnat 4.

Wakefield Scoring: Chad Clay

16, Joel Nixon 14, Colby

Henderson 12, Mason Nixon 10,

Dusty Rhods 8, Jacob Blessing 6,

Tyler Bodlak 4, Zach Blessing 3,

Lewis and Clark Conference

Allen

First Round

Osmond

Wakefield

12 23 35 50-50

8 18 29 40-40

16 34 63 79-79

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#### **CAROM HOUSE Pender Booster Club** to host basketball tournament in March The Pender Booster Club will host

a fourth through eight grade boys and girls basketball tournament on March 14-16.

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**Bryce Caldwell** 

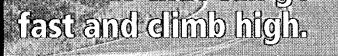
teams registered in division.

Electronic entries/rosters will be

over Bemidji State, and added 22 points and six rebounds with six **By Casey Schroeder** three pointers in Saturday's 75-70 For the weekend Caldwell shot

The Blue Devils were led by the tandem of Jesse Hill and Reggie Ruhl who combined for 42 points in the win over the Cadets. "Jesse and Reggie led us in scor-

ing, both shooting the ball very well," head coach Rocky Ruhl said. lopsided win for Wayne, West Point

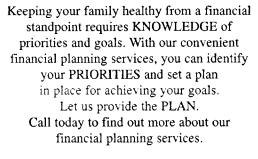




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Catholic and lost 33-30.

"The story in this contest was simply too many missed opportuni- Pierce ties," head coach Rich Rethwisch said.

Area high school basketball results

Laurel-Con. 11 20 30 48-48

Laurel-Concord Scoring:

Heath Erwin 23, Tate Cunningham

12, Ross Kastrup 7, Ezra Schantz

**Girls High School Results** 

Laurel-Con. 18 34 53 73-73

Bethany DeLong 20, Kim

Lubberstedt 17, Kacie Gould 13,

Kari Schroeder 10, Tarah Jelinek

5, Jenny Schroeder 4, Amanda

**NENAC Semi-Final** 

5, Johnny Saunders 1.

NENAC First Round

Laurel-Concord

Randolph

West Holt

While the young Blue Devil Wayne

2 7 20 32-32

16 27 39 60-60

Scoring:

Norfolk Catholic tonight at Norfolk.

5 12 17 25-25 10 22 29 39-39 Wayne Norfolk Cath. 7 15 25 33-33  $8 \ 16 \ 25 \ 30 - 30$ 

Laurel-Concord Scoring: Kari

Schroeder 13, Bethany DeLong 8,

Jenny Schroeder 6, Kim

Lubberstedt 4, Kacie Gould 3,

Taryn Dahlquist 3, Jessica Pigg 2.

Lewis and Clark Conference

Bancroft-Ros. 16 39 48 64-64

Wakefield Scoring: Anna

Brownell 11, Whitney Rouse 8,

Kristina Lunz 3, Carly Gardner 2,

Lexi Nelson 2, Libby Henschke 2,

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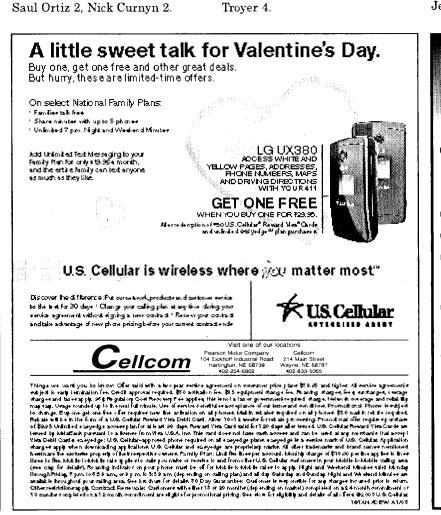
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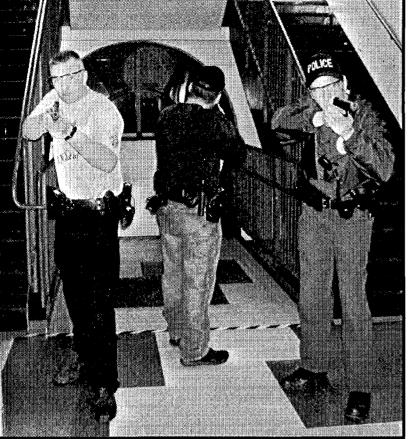
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Officer, Schwartz and Sgt. Chinn check for a shooter, while Officer Haase guards the stairwell during Sunday's train-

# Wayne Police Department practices for 'Active Shooter'

ing stairs.

said.

cers worked a lot on safely travers-

"During the training officers

used Airsoft pistols and rifles to

add more realism to the training.

If you got shot during the exercise

you knew it right away," Webster

Suspect and victims were used,

as was a sound track of gunfire and

children screaming. While the

sound track was obviously disturb-

ing, it added another level of real-

ism to the training because in a

real situation those may be the

Officer Klinetobe, one of the

Department's firearms instructors,

was responsible for setting up this

training, developing the scenarios

sounds responding officers hear.

Officers with the Wayne Police dealing with stairways so the offi-Department spent several hours Sunday afternoon in the Wayne Middle School practicing for an active shooter.

Wayne Police Chief Lance Webster said he obviously hopes "we never have an active shooter, in our schools or anywhere else in Wayne, but such a situation is something officers must train for."

An active shooter call demands a rapid response from patrol officers. There is no time to wait for an Emergency Response Team so our officers must be prepared.

Officers spent the time reviewing 3. 4 and 5-man formations used to search halls and large open areas, practicing these movements and performing room to room searches.

One of the most challenging



# Wildcats claim Lewis and Clark Championship title

by Lee Koch

The Winside Wildcats won the Lewis and Clark Conference Duals tournament championship held at Osmond High School winning all three duals.

Wakefield finished as runner-up to the Wildcats posting a 2-1 record

Wrestlers winning all three matches from Winside included: Kalin Koch (130), Jordan Brummels (145), Tucker Bowers (160), Chase Landenberg (215) and Jared Brockman (285). Wyatt Jacobsen (112), T. J. Rose (119), Brendan Nicholson (140), and Brady Nicholson (189) all were three match winners for the Trojans.

#### Winside 48

Wakefield 24

103 Ethan Thies fft

112 Dylan Pesek lost by pin 0:57

Wyatt Jacobsen

119 Open 125 Peter Hansen lost by pin T.

J. Rose 1:40

130 Kalin Koch won by pin 3:20 Seb Kramer

- 135 Cody Wylie won by pin :25 Drew Henderson
- 140 Brendan Nicholson fft
- 145 Jordan Brummels won by pin 0:29 Shane Campton
- 152 Anthony Nelson won by pin
- 0:37 Cody Henschke
- 160 Tucker Bowers fft
- 171 Jordan Nelson won by pin 1:37 Ryan Klein 189 Ethan Taylor lost by pin 1:41
- Brady Nicholson 215 Chase Langenberg won by
- pin 0:39 Cody Hutchinson 285 Jared Brockmann won by
- pin 3:01 Tim Campton
- Winside 66

#### **Osmond** 6

- 103 Ethan Thies lost by pin 2:51
- Craig Dennis 112 Dylan Pesek fft
- 119 Open
- 125 Peter Hansen fft

#### **NECC** to present one-session class on customer service

Michael O'Connor, a 20-year sales training professional with the O'Connor Group, will bring a customer service class to Northeast Community College in early February.  $\mathbf{The}$ class, Serving Your Customers: In Person and On the Phone, with course number BUS 0106-02/08S, meets Thursday, Feb. 7, from 8:30 a.m.noon in the Lifelong Learning Center on the campus in Norfolk. O'Connor will tell participants that most unhappy customers won't say a thing. They will simply take their business elsewhere. Participants will receive materials containing the perception of customer service, what unhappy customers say they want, and how to address a customer. He will also review 10 ways to keep customers happy and more. Cost of this half-day class is \$49. To register for this class, call Northeast Community College at (402)844-7000

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pin 0:23 Brett Bahr 152 Anthony Nelson fft 160 Tucker Bowers fft

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- 112 Dylan Pesek lost by pin 1:13
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  - 189 Ethan Taylor won by pin
- 0:21 Jared Cosgrove 215 Chase Langenberg won 3-0
- Josh Watchorn
- 285 Jared Brockmann fft
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Ponca 18

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119 Wyatt Jacobsen won by pin 1:18 Dan Richards

125 T. J. Rose won 9-3 Nathan Uhl

130 Seb Kramer won by pin 1:32

# **Atkins attends** annual NEMSA conference

About 300 individuals attended the 23rd Annual Nebraska Emergency Medical Services Association (NEMSA) Winter Conference on Emergency Care Jan. 12-13 in Kearney. Local participant was Sandra Atkins of Wayne.

C J Trusty 135 Drew Henderson won by pin 3:21 Luke Markworth 140 Brendan Nicholson fft 145 Shane Campton fft 152 Cody Henschke lost by pin 1:04 Bill Markworth

Wayne Jr. Varsity West Point 8 12 22 26-26 15 29 40 49-Wayne 49 Wayne Scoring: Andi Diedeker 13, Jacob Triggs 9, Zac Braun 6, Ryan Pieper 5, Tyler Schaefer 5, Justin Anderson 4, Jordan Barry 2, Derek Poutre 2, Marcus Baier 2, Geoff Nelson 1.

Wayne Freshmen Boys Norfolk 31

Wayne 43 Wayne Scoring: Justin Andersen 12, Zach Thomsen 11, Seth Onderstal 8, Jacob Zeiss 7, Keegan Dorcey 6.

Wayne Seventh Grade Boys 6 10 12 17-Pierce

17 Wayne 6 18 27 35-35 Wayne Scoring: Brady Soden 12, Danny Melena 6, Bradley Longe 5, Grant

Anderson 5, Drew Carroll 4, Eric Schoh 2, Zach Shear 1. Norfolk Cath. 10 27 29 37-37 8 14 15 22-22 Wayne Wayne Scoring: Bradley Longe 5, Danny Melena 5, Brady Soden 4, Eric Schoh 3, Drew Carroll 2, Tyler Robinson 2, Quinton Morris 1.

Wayne Seventh Grade Girls Bancroft 4 14 16 24-24

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160 Open Brandon Watchorn fft 171 Ryan Klein won tf 16-0 Jared Cosgrove

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189 Brady Nicholson won by pin 215 Cody Hutchinson lost by pin 1:00 Josh Watchorn 285 Tim Campton fft

#### **Sports Shorts**

4 6 12 19-19 Wayne Wayne Scoring: Megan Hoffart 9, Sarah Maxon 6; Martha Mitiku 2, Hannah Gamble 2.

Sioux City League **Eighth Grade** 

(1/27/08)

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Team 5 Scoring: Brad Jones

Team 1 Scoring: Mike Grosz

Team 6 Scoring: Kevin

Team 4 Scoring: Rob

Team 3 Scoring: Jeff Piper

Sweetland 19, John Sinniger 11,

Hoffart 13, Mark Moser 10.

Josh Rasmussen 10.

12, Tom Hansen 9.

Team 4 (49) vs. Team 3 (38)

15, Doug Carroll 12, Rod Hunke

14, Lee Stegemann 12, Randy

Team 1 (53) vs. Team 6 (41)

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City League



Officers Haase, Swanson and Consoli check the hallway during the recent 'active shooter' training.

# N-Lighten Nebraska begins Friday, Feb. 1

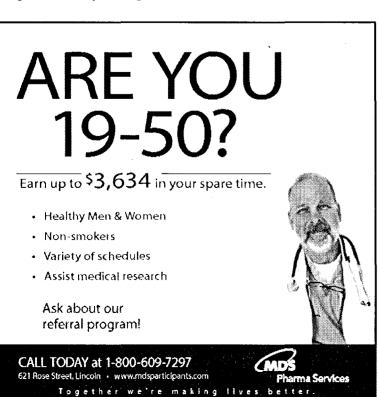
Lace up your walking shoes and ock up on fruits and vegetables. 's time for N-Lighten Nebraska, ebraska's premier weight-loss nd accumulated activity competion. Up for grabs are statewide iedals, 10 mountain bikes, thouands of incentive prizes and of ourse, better health and wellness. Officials reported today that am registrations are streaming 1 and urged all team members to omplete their registration by Jan. 1 so they could receive opening istructions and tips.

Once registered, participants sceive weekly motivational tips nd log their activity or weight loss

periodically. Teams can monitor their progress on a statewide leaderboard. Adult participants pay a \$15 entry fee and receive a Tshirt and free entry in the State Cornhusker Games Volkswalk this summer. N-Lighten Kids participation is free.

Officials also noted that, in keeping with tradition, many teams are showing their sense of humor by choosing clever team names like the Fat Blasters, the Curvy Divas, the Downsizers, the Waist Nots and the Chub Chub Club.

To register or find more information, go to N-LightenNebraska.com or call 1-800-304-2637.



The event was sponsored by NEMSA, Central Community College and the Nebraska Health and Human Services Emergency Medical Services Program. Classes were offered on airway adjuncts, airway management, case-based practical skills application, farm accidents, geriatric patients, leadership, medical assessment and trauma patients.

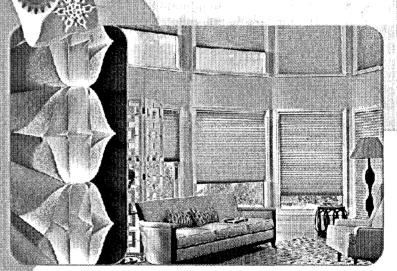
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# Flu on the rise, says DHHS

Nebraska's level of flu activity and there, according to the state's has gone up a notch, and health officials are saying that people should get flu shots and take precautions.

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The state's level of flu activity reported to the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention went from "sporadic" to "regional" because two or more regions in the state are reporting significant numbers of flu cases, while the rest of the state is experiencing flu here

#### Emergency **Medical Services** workshop to be offered in Dixon

The Emergency Medical Services Program of the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services will offer a workshop on "Patient Assessment" for emergency medical technicians and first responders.

The workshop will be held at the Dixon Rescue Hall, 105 First Street, on Thursday, Feb. 7, from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.

The workshop is worth three continuing education hours.

For more information, contact Jason Olesen, Northeast Region Emergency Medical Specialist, at 1-888-696-8908.

Chief Medical Officer Dr. Joann Schaefer of the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services Division of Public Health.

"Late January and early February are usually when we see flu cases peak," Dr. Schaefer said. "It's still not too late to get a flu shot."

The virus is spread person to person primarily through droplets released when an infected person coughs or sneezes. Symptoms include fever, chills, headache, nasal congestion, dry cough and muscle aches, which may last 5-7 days or more. The people most at risk for serious complications like pneumonia are infants, the elderly and people with heart conditions and lung or kidney disorders.

Ways to avoid getting the flu, according to DHHS:

• Get vaccinated. It's not too late. • Avoid close contact with others who are sick.

Wash your hands frequently withsoap and water or use an antibacterial lotion.

• Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth.

People who get the flu should: • Drink plenty of fluids.

· Avoid using alcohol and tobacco.

• Take medication according to directions to relieve symptoms.

Antibiotics don't work on viruses, so people should not ask their physicians for a prescription, Dr. Schaefer said.

For more information about flu go to www.dhhs.ne.gov.

#### Blood drive conducted in Wayne

The Siouxland Community Blood Bank conducted a blood drive in Wayne on Jan. 24 at the Fire Hall in Wavne.

A total of 48 donors registered and 54 units were collected. There were two new donors.

The Blood bank feels everyone deserves to be recognized for giving the gift of life and has announced the list of donors at the drive.

They include: Perry Backstrom, Lesa Backstrom, Baldwin, Jenny

Sherrill Bear, Michael Beiermann, Paul Biermann, Kathy Bird, David Braun, Marlon Brink, Jerry Buoy, Anthony Cantrell, Melanie Carson, Jeffrey Carstens, Rodney Cook,

Mark Evetovich, Ronald Gentrup, Melia Hefti, Todd Hoeman, Donna Jacobsen, Patricia Janke, Kathryn Ley, Ronald Lofgren, Jan Magnuson, Jennifer Munsell, Jeryl Nelson, Lucille Nelson, Kenneth Nolte, Pam Nolte, Richard Nolte, Garry Poutre, Andrew Rabbass, Thomas Schmitz, Mark Shults, Steve Suhr, Linda Teach, Douglas Temme, Mary Temme, Mark Tietz, Connie Wageman, Jamie Wickham and Shirley Woslager,

The following donors reached gallon milestones:

Ann Dana – three gallons; Judy Martindale and Robert Sherry eight gallons; Phillip Monahan two gallons; Brittany Peters and Nathan Temme - one gallon and David Woslager - 10 gallons.

"The Siouxland Community Blood Bank exists to make a difference in people's lives by providing a safe and dependable blood supply to area hospitals. Thank you to all the volunteers and donors who made this drive successful!" said Jamie Wickham, with the Siouxland Community Blood Bank.

#### **NECC class in** Norfolk to teach seniors advanced computer skills

A class at Northeast Community College in Norfolk in mid-February will help seniors take their computer skills to a higher level.



# Special guests

Members of the Wayne Aktion Club hosted members of the Wayne Kiwanis Club during their meeting on Monday. The Aktion Club members conducted the meeting at Godfather's Pizza and thanked the Kiwanians for their attendance and support of the organization.

# Midstates Community and Economic Development Conference brings community leaders together

Community  $\mathbf{and}$ Economic Development Conference will be held Wednesday, March 19 at the Marina Inn, Fourth and B Streets in South Sioux City. The focus of the one-day program is to offer successful strategies and innovative ideas to advance community and rural development in the three state region. The conference is a joint partnership of agencies and organizations in Iowa, Nebraska, South and Dakota. Representatives of Wayne will be

making presentations. Nine workshops on successful community development efforts will be presented by local leaders who were "in the trenches." They will answer questions on what it takes for a successful local development project. Topics for these workshops include entrepreneurship, housing/creative financing, leader-

youth involvement. Presentations will also be made by representatives from the following communities. In Nebraska: Butler County, Hartington and Verdigre. In South Dakota: Centerville, Corsica, Eureka, Parker, Plankinton, Tyndall, Iowa: Alta, Castana, Moville, Communications,

ship, creativity, and innovative

The eighth annual Midstates Nebraska football team, Aaron Journal, Siouxland Community speaks the "bald truth" about performing like a champion to achieve incredible results. Davis is an enthusiastic speaker on customer service, leadership and team build-

ing. The planning committee for the Midstates conference is made up of Iowa State University Extension-Woodbury County; University of Nebraska USDA Rural Development of Iowa, Nebraska, and South Dakota; Nebraska Loess Hills RC&D; Sioux RC&D; Rivers Interstate Metropolitan Planning tm or contact Iowa State Council (SIMPCO); City of South Sioux City, Neb.; East River Electric Power Cooperative; Center for Rural Affairs; Plymouth Iowa, Economic County, Development; South Dakota Rural NECC to offer Enterprise Inc.; Siouxland Foundation; Community Northwest Iowa Power Cooperative; SCORE; and U.S. Small Business Administration.

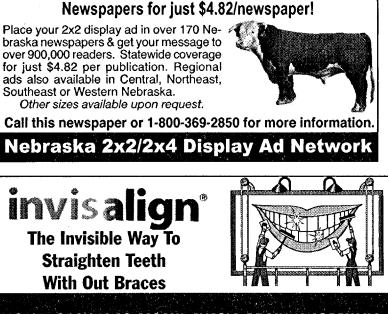
Financial sponsors of the confer-Bank, East River Electric Power Cooperative, Elkhorn Valley Economic Development Council, First American Bank, First Vermillion, Volga and Yankton. In National of Nebraska, Great Plains class that meets from 6:30-9 p.m. Department of Development, State Bank, Iowa State University Community Vitality Center, Mr. plus a textbook cost. Ehmcke, Lance Nebraska Department Economic of Development, Nebraska Public Rural Nebraska Northwest Iowa Power Cooperative, Plymouth County Economic Development, Security National Bank Trust, Siouxland Interstate Metropolitan Planning

Foundation, The Siouxland Initiative, South Dakota Community Foundation, South Dakota Governor's Office of Economic Development, South Dakota Rural Enterprise Inc., Wells' Dairy Inc., and Woodbury County Rural Economic Development.

Registration, including lunch, is Lincoln-Extension; \$35 before Wednesday, March 12 and \$45 after that date. To download a registration brochure or for more information, visit http://ante-Siouxland lope.unl.edu/midstatesconference.h University Extension-Woodbury County Director Sherry McGill at (712) 276-2157 or mcgills@iastate.edu.

# conversational sign language class

A one - credit - hour Conversational Sign Language ence include Avera Health, Central class is scheduled to begin Tuesday, Feb. 5, and conclude Tuesday, March 11, at Northeast Community College in Norfolk. Kathy Fick is the instructor of this Iowa in the Ag/Allied Health Building, Economic Room 232. Cost of this class, with Iowa-Nebraska course number SPCH 1000-01/085 or HawkNET Call #11403, is \$7. This class is an introduction to sign language. Instructor Fick wil emphasize the development of Power District, University of receptive and expressive skills in Initiative, the use of the manual alphabet numbers, and basic signs. Students may register online at www.northeastcollege.com. They may also call Northeast Community College at (402) 844. Council (SIMPCO), Sioux City 7265 to register.



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"The coming together of many communities of like size and with similar issues, and within networkable distances, is the greatest value to me for attending this conference," said Sharon Schamber, development coordinator in Freeman, S.D. "Most of us can relate to some or all of the topics discussed in the break-out sessions. And the ideas shared and successes celebrated keep the rest of us plugging on with fresh objectives.'

Communities are encouraged to bring three or more representatives to the conference so one person can be at each of the three sessions that will run concurrently. Over the years, average attendance for the conference has been around 200 local leaders from the region. During the afternoon's special program, Aaron Davis will present

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# Wayne students part of honor band festival

The 2008 Wayne State College Band was Dr. Larry Mitchell from Festival of Honor Bands was held on the campus of Wayne State College on Jan. 26.

Students grades 7 - 12 from Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota sent in audition tapes in order for a chance to be selected to perform in one of the three Festival Honor Bands.

Guest conducting the Junior High Honor Band was Dr. Randy Neuharth, Director of Bands at Northeast Community College in Norfolk. Guest conducting the 9th -12th grade Symphonic Honor Band was Josh Calkin, Assistant Director of Bands and Low Brass Instructor at Wayne State College and guest conducting the 9th -12th grade Winds Ensemble Honor Percussion.

Wakefield, NE

the University of South Dakota i Vermillion, S.D.

The following students from Wayne High School auditioned an were accepted to perform in the fc lowing Honor Bands:

Symphonic Honor Band: Maddie Jager - Flute; Caitli Gustafson – Clarinet; JoAn

Parker – Clarinet; Jorda Eberhardt - Bass Clarinet; Abb Kenny - Alto Saxophone an Genelle Gardner - Trombone.

Wind Ensemble Honor Band: Jessica Kranz – Bass Clarine Meg Pierson - French Horn; Bre Dorcey - Tuba; Eric Carstens Percussion and Collin Jeffries



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# Opinion

# Emerson health group reveals preliminary questionaire results

The Emerson Community Planning Health Center Committee, in cooperation with Community Ho-Chunk Development Corporation, will share full results of the recent survey mailed to residents in a 20-mile radius of Emerson.

The formal results will be shared in a series of three town hall meetings. They include:

Tuesday, Feb. 5 - Pender Fire Hall, 7 p.m.; Wednesday, Feb. 6 - First

National Bank (lower level) in Emerson, 7 p.m. and Thursday, Feb. 7 - Ho-Chunk

Development future. Community Corporation in Walthill, 7 p.m.

The town hall meetings will also serve as a forum to discuss future plans and direction for the health care facility in Emerson.

In July of 2006 the group formed to examine the possibilities of a larger and more accessible health care clinic for the Emerson community and surrounding area. A comprehensive planning grant opportunity was made available in the spring of 2007.

After discussions between Ho-Chunk Community Health Center Planning Committee, it was agreed that HCCDC would serve as the applicant to assist in the assessment and planning of expansion of the present clinic and/ or a new clinic.

To date, 430 residents have responded from Emerson and surrounding communities, with a majority coming from Emerson.

Of those who currently do not utilize the Emerson Clinic, 33 percent would be willing to receive health care there in the

Complete results will be presented at the town hall meetings. Answers to those questions will be gone over in more depth at the three planned town hall meetings, as well as information on what to expect as the next steps of the project.

For additional information, contact Wendy St. Cyr, Emerson Community Health Care Center Planning Committee at (402) 846-5353.

# Capitol View Realpolitik working in Nebraska

#### By Ed Howard

The Wayne

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Statehouse Correspondent The Nebraska Press Association

It was Ludwig August von Rochau who, in the 19th century, got real about the value of pragmatism in politics.

Pragmatism in policymaking will likely play a role in Nebraskans' tax burdens this year.

Ludwig coined the term "Realpolitik" and he wrote about it. It had been part of the politicians' playbook since forever, but Ludwig hit on a word that, one way and another, is part of the contemporary vernacular as well as policymaking.

You've heard the expressions. "Get real!" along with today's "Keep it real" thing.

Henry Kissinger made Realpolitik the center of President Nixon's foreign policy. Never mind about our philosophical/moral objections to communism and human rights violations. A few deals with China helped to worry the Russians. A few deals with the Russians helped to worry the Chinese. America was to benefit. Voila! Realpolitik in action.

With the politics of reality, what goes unsaid can be as important as what is said. This applies in Lincoln, and everywhere else that politics is practiced, or committed, depending on your view.

Take the most recent policy pronouncements by Governor Dave Heineman. He continues to push for additional reductions in a variety of specific taxes.

And Heineman is a fellow who understands the legitimate definition of "tax cut." It means the government spends less money. No tax cut occurs if the government simply takes a little less out of one pocket, but takes a little more from another one. The latter is a tax shift.

In an example of Realpolitik at the state level, Heineman isn't talking about tax shifts at the

moment. At least, he didn't raise the subject when he unveiled his newest tax package. Last year, Heineman took a page

from the notebook of the late Senator Jerome Warner. He lectured the Legislature in opposing a tax shift, aimed at providing some relief from local property taxes, but paying for it with more than \$200 million in state aid to local school districts.

Heineman heartily supported the tax relief notion, but not the Legislature's ultimate decision to simply shift \$200 million of the burden to the state treasury, made up mostly of sales and income tax dollars.

Lawmakers did it their way and went the route of the tax shift.

for another round of various tax cuts and incentives. His wish list includes a lesser burden upon If those being stung most by propthose who pay property taxes.

This year, however, the governor decided to forego the public reminder that the shifting of tax burdens doesn't really reduce overall government spending.

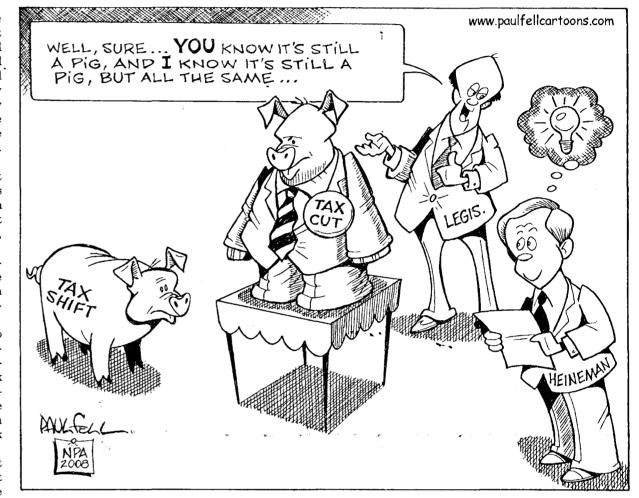
And remember: Achieving the "smaller government" that so many lawmakers purport to desire above all things - depending on the year and the audience - ultimately has to do with government spending less in reality.

The Realpolitik reflected in Heineman's approach reflects this reality: Property taxes represent an especially maddening burden to

In 2008, Heineman is pushing most homeowners, and most particularly to seniors from the lower economic strata to the middle class. erty taxes are to have any relief, odds are the governor will have to go along with another tax shift. rather than a real reduction in government's spending of tax dollars.

> The policy approach put into words by ol' Ludwig August von Rochau in the 19th century was probably reflected, in a somewhat different context, in some lyrics from the Rolling Stones in the 1960s.

> "You can't always get what you want / but if you try sometimes ..../you get what you need." For the moment, anyway.



Nearly 500 bills introduced in legislature

# Looking Ahead in Wayne

By Lowell Johnson, **City Administrator** 

#### Next City Council Meeting

The next regular City Council meeting will be held Tuesday, Feb. 5 at 5:30 p.m. in the council room. What's Ahead for City Taxes and Fees

#### \$40,000 per month City Sales Tax: Mayor Shelton prepared an article in the Wayne Industries news letter laying out options. The mayor and council are locally responsible for our city sales tax. In the May 2000 primary election, voters approved a 1 percent sales tax to build the Community Activity Center. Those CAC bonds will be paid off in 2009 of 2010. By the end of June this year, the

Tuesday we will raise our retail rate in Wayne by 7 percent to cover this cost and to add a small amount to a reserve for future capital costs at the power plant.

Call us to review any of these changes. Quote

"The human race is challenged more than ever before to demonstrate our mastery, not over nature but of ourselves" Rachel Carson **Questions or comments?** Call Lowell Johnson, City

Administrator at 375-1733 or email me at cityadmin@cityofwayne.org.

mayor and council will decide if hey want to offer voters an opporunity to extend the sales tax for nother number of years to be used or property tax reduction, future ob creation, specific capital proects. etc.

#### **Sewer Rates**

Next Tuesday we have on the city council agenda, the first of a series of sewer rate increases to build a ash reserve to replace the existing reatment plant. There are no state or federal grants available to help, t will be our own cost. We are proseeding slowly looking for better echnology and using the current blant as long as we can **Electric Rates** 

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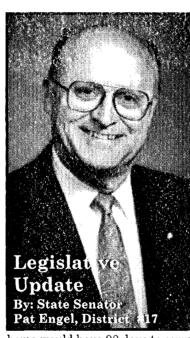
Four hundred and seventy bills were introduced during this short session of the Legislature. This number falls right in the middle of the number of bills introduced in 2006 (499) and in 2004 (445), the two previous 60-day legislative sessions.

The Legislature is now meeting in the mornings to discuss bills carried over from last year. Senators divide into their assigned committees in the afternoon for the public hearing process. Every bill that is introduced is guaranteed a hearing where the public can come and testify. The public hearing process will conclude on Feb. 28. Beginning in March, the Legislature will meet in full day sessions.

As a member of the Appropriations Committee, we are currently finishing the preliminary budget review process, where we review all the state agency's budget requests. We will hold hearings on agency requests and bills assigned to the Appropriations Committee during the first part of February and then will work on finalizing the budget recommendations that we present to the entire body. The budget bills will be introduced the second week of March. During the short session, the appropriation process is not as comprehensive as in a 90-day session because we are primarily dealing with supplemental appropriations for the second year of the two-year budget cycle. The Appropriations Committee is the only committee that meets five days a week. Other senators serve on two or three different committees throughout the week.

I introduced another bill this past week. LB 1124 deals with safety issues pertaining to mobile homes.

When licensing a mobile home park, the Department of Heath and Human Services could request an inspection by the Public Service Commission of a mobile home. The Department of Health and Human Services, in consultation with the Public Service Commission, will develop standards regarding minimum health and safety requirements for individual mobile homes in a mobile home park. If a mobile home fails to meet such minimum standards, the owner of the mobile



home would have 90 days to correct the deficiencies or remove the home from the park or the home would be subject to a condemnation order.

The intent of this legislation is to prevent some tragic accident from occurring when mobile homes are not safe to live in.

Two bills of interest that were recently introduced pertain to Initiative 300 and the State Fair. LB 1174 would reinstate the components of Initiative 300, the ban on non-family corporate farming that was ruled unconstitutional in 2006. The bill attempts to remove

the legal flaws that were cited in the court ruling.

The 8th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals ruled that the ban violated the federal commerce clause. If this bill is debated, it is sure to reignite a lively debate on whether such restrictions are good for our state by protecting our family farms from takeover by large out-of-state corporations or whether it puts our agribusinesses at a competitive disadvantage with other states and hinders young farmers when trying to get established in farming.

transfer the current state fairgrounds to the University of Nebraska. The legislation establishes a commission to make a recommendation to the Legislature on a suitable site for the location of the state fair by Dec. 31, 2008. The state fair relocation process is to be completed by Aug. 1, 2012.

LB 1044 was introduced by all

eight Lincoln senators. It would

Although the legislation does not mention financing of a relocated state fair, the Governor has indicated that supporters of moving the

state fair must come up with the cash in order to gain his support. He indicated that their previous offer of \$63 million was not sufficient and mentioned his dislike of the part that required the issuance of bonds.

Again I urge you to contact me with your comments on issues that are before the Legislature. I can be reached at District #17, P.O. Box 94604, State Capitol, Lincoln, Neb. 68509, my e-mail address is lengel@leg.ne.gov, and my telephone number is (402) 471-2716.

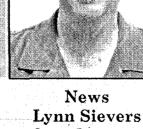


# Night of the Stars

Nearly 200 people were in attendance at the annual Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce Banquet held Sunday at the Frey Conference Suite at Wayne State College.



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# Honor roll released at Laurel-Concord

semester honor rolls have been released at Laurel-Concord High School for the school year 2007-2008.

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Those students achieving a 4.0 grade point average for the second quarter include seniors Heath Erwin, Mitchell Knudsen and Alyssa Lundahl; juniors Brittany Dietrich, Ross Kastrup and James Roeber; sophomores Brianna Johnson, Kyle Koester and Juston Simeon; freshmen  $\mathbf{E}$ mma Engebretsen, Alex Fahrenholz, and Katie Jacobson; eighth graders Audrey Kastrup, Kate Victor and Lexi White and seventh graders Erica Brandow, Jason Kneifl, Ryan Lunz and Kiley Thompson.

Those students named to the honor roll for the second quarter include:

Seniors: Ann Brandow, Austin Dvorak, Kacie Gould, Nick Hansen, Tarah Jelinek, Jordan Johnston, Brittney Koch, Jared Kvols, Kim Lubberstedt, Jessica Pigg, Eli Schantz, Jenny Schroeder, Zach Spahr, Amanda Troyer, Samantha Urwiler, Ben Vanderheiden and Teresa Victor.

Juniors: Arik Diediker, Justin Hart, Kyle Knudsen, Tanner Maxon, Jordan McCorkindale, Max Rasmussen, Kari Schroeder, Tyler Sherman, Nicole Thompson, Molly White and Jessica Wragge.

Sophomores: Anthony (Tony) Brandow, Taryn Dahlquist, Rebecca Koch, Travis Nelson, Bryan Pippitt, Erika Spahr and Katie Urwiler.

Freshmen: Mallorie Granquist, Isaac Haahr, Katee Haisch, Megan

Sherman, Seth Vanderheiden, Brittany Wheeler, Kayla Wiese and Chelsey Wolfgram.

Eighth graders: Julia Casey, Addison Corbit, Jade Cunningham, Corryn Dahlquist, Elizabeth Ebmeier, Daniel Hartnett, Erika Hochstein, Brianne Hoesing, Samantha Jacot, Taylor Linn, Mandy Nelson, Nicole Nitz, Holli Peterson, McKenzie Peterson, Amy Pritchard, Shelby Rath and Amanda Winstead.

Seventh graders: Alexandria Cassandra Camenzind, Camenzind. Samantha Camenzind, Lauren Cunningham, Cheyenne Gould, Nathanael Granquist, Devin Hirschman. Shayna Johnson, Kyle Kardell, Nathan Schmitt and Demi Schutte.

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Seventh graders: Alexandria Camenzind, Cassandra Samantha Camenzind,

Camenzind, Lauren Cunningham, Austin Gothier, Cheyenne Gould, Nathanael Granquist, Devin Hirschman, Shayna Johnson, Kyle Kardell, Nathan Schmitt and Demi Schutte.

# life is good

Among those involved in celebrating National Hat Day at Winside Elementary School were, front row, Mackenzie Gray, Breanna Elznic and Jacob Mann. Back Row: Zach Jones, Mrs. Barb Kollath, Sam Wolfe and Hailey Steece.

# Winside News\_\_\_\_\_

Dana Bargstadt 402-286-4316

#### NATIONAL HAT DAY

Day by wearing a variety of head- knitted her unusual head covering

and staff celebrated National Hat phrase "Give me a high five". She

# **Public Immunization Clinic planned in Wayne**

Action will hold the Wayne County Immunization Clinic on Tuesday, Feb. 5 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m, at First United Methodist Church, 516 North Main Street in Wayne. (402) 529-3513.

to the public, and there are no income guidelines. Each child should be accompanied by the parent or guardian. Past immunization records are required. Proxy forms are needed when a parent or legal guardian is unable to accompany the child to clinic. Proxy forms may be obtained by contacting the Wisner office at (402) 529-3513.

A suggested donation of \$20 per

Goldenrod Hills Community Action, in conjunction with the Nebraska Health & Human Services Vaccines for Children cine, which consists of the DtaP, Hepatitis B & IPV (polio) as a combination vaccine. Also available is Menactra (meningitis) for 11-18 year olds, Tdap (tetanus with pertussis) for 10-18 year olds, Hepatitis A for 12 months to 23 month olds only, RotaTeq (rotavirus) for infants, and Gardasil for VFC eligible 11-12 year olds entering the 7th grade, as well as other recommended childhood vaccines. The Influenza vaccine is now available for children 6

529-3513 for more information.

Goldenrod Hills Community Action (GHCA), headquartered in Wisner, is one of nine Community Action Agencies in Nebraska. GHCA manages 16 different programs as determined by identified needs of residents in the 14 county service area. The Agency serves over 10,000 clients a year due to successful outreach efforts. **Goldenrod Hills Community Action** (GHCA) programs include the Commodity Supplemental Food Program; Family Services; Immunization; Weatherization; Head Start; Women, Infants, and Children Nutrition; Early Intervention Services Coordination; Operation Great Start and Spanish Translation Services. The agency serves Knox, Antelope, Pierce, Madison, Stanton, Cuming, Thurston, Dakota, Burt, Wayne, Dixon, Cedar, Washington and Dodge counties.

For more information on GHCA programs, call 1-800-445-2505.

**Pheasants Forever's State** Habitat Meeting set for Feb. 2 All interested persons are being a legal description of their property 301 & 401;

encouraged to attend the 2008 State Habitat Meeting to learn about the latest in wildlife habitat programs, obtain wildlife seed mixes and learn about habitat management.

Nebraska Pheasants Forever (PF) and Quail Forever (QF) have announced that the 2008 State Habitat Meeting and banquet will be held in Grand Island on Saturday, Feb. 2.

Throughout the day, 26 seminars will be held focusing on all aspects of increasing and improving wildlife habitat in Nebraska. Wildlife Professionals from across the country will be present to inform and educate on all things about wildlife in Nebraska.

in order to receive one-on-one habitat assistance from Farm Bill **Biologists with Pheasants Forever**, Nebraska Game and Parks Commission, and the Natural Resource Conservation Service. Biologists will be able to provide consultation regarding conservation program eligibility for USDA, state and PF habitat programs as well as provide technical assistance in wildlife planning and development.

Held at the Mid Town Holiday Inn. Saturday's seminars will run from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., with the state banquet beginning at 6 p.m. Following is a list of topics for Pheasants Forever's 16th annual state habitat seminars:

·Pheasant Management 101 & 201;

·Sharp-tailed Grouse Management 101;

•Patch Burn/Patch Grazing for Wildlife:

·Food Plots: How, When, Where and Why;

On • Focus Pheasants Partnership Update;

·Control and Management of Red Cedar:

·Use of Prescribed Fire in Wildlife Management;

Prescribed • Using Burn Associations to Improve Habitat and Grasslands;

•Farm Bill Wildlife Biologist Partnership Update;

·Quail Field Borders: CP33

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Goldenrod Hills Community four months, six months, 12-15 months, and 4-6 years.

For an appointment please call Program, offers the Pediarix vac-The immunization clinic is open

child would be appreciated to help mo-18 years. defray administrative costs. If a Adult vaccine (MMR, Hepatitis child only receives one immuniza-A, Hepatitis B, Td, Tdap, TB testtion, then the suggested donation ing) is available to the public for a is \$13.50. No one will be denied mandatory fee at all immunization immunizations for inability to clinics to anyone 19 years or older. make a donation. Immunizations These fees cover the cost of the vac-

The state meeting is also home to the popular Landowner Help Desk Nebraska: CP38; where landowners can receive wildlife habitat advice from Future of CRP; wildlife professionals at no cost. Landowners who wish to visit the Landowner Help Desk should bring

•A New Wildlife program for •The new Farm Bill and the

•Designing Grass mixtures for

Maximum Wildlife Benefits; ·Quail Management 101, 201,

# **NECC** plans basic computer class for seniors

Northeast Community College in this basics class how to turn on South Sioux City has scheduled a one-session beginning computer class for seniors in February. The class, Basic Computer Concepts I for Seniors, with course number DP 0306-01S, meets Wednesday, Feb.6, from 1-4 p.m. in the Northeast Community College Education Center at 3309 Daniels Lane in the Westside Business Park. Cost is \$15 and JoAnn McKenzie is the instructor.

McKenzie will teach students in

their computer and properly shut it down. Set-up, cleaning, moving a system, and starting and exiting programs will also be reviewed. She will also teach "mousing" skills, explain a window and the windows operating system, scrollbars, menus, and much more in this three-hour class.

To register for this class, call Northeast Community College at (402)241-6400.

Monitoring Results;

··Habitat Management on Western Nebraska WMA's;

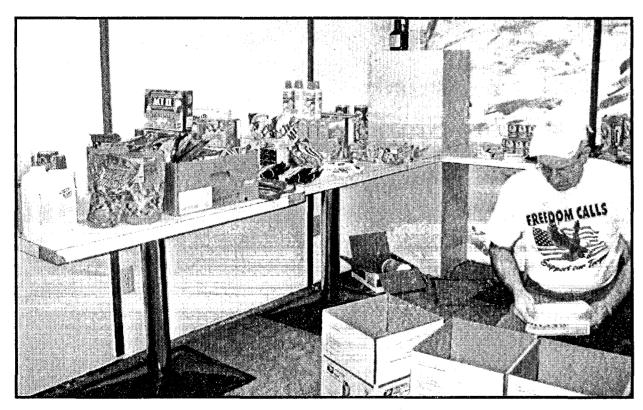
•Pheasant Habitat Mgmt. in Western Nebraska;

·Improving wheat-fallow rotations and burning CRP for pheasants:

•PF and QF State of the State. All sessions at the Mid Town Holiday Inn are open to the public for \$40. Participants can register for the meeting online at www.NebraskaPF.com.

The Saturday evening banquet at the Midtown Holiday Inn is open to members for \$15 and non-members for \$45, but limited to 250 attendees. All proceeds raised at the banquet will benefit habitat projects and Youth events across the state. For all ticket info, checkout the website or call the PF State Office at (308)754-5339.

Anyone with questions is asked to contact Scott Brummond at 375-0747.



# Support continues

Robert "Bud" Neel is completing his weekly task of preparing care packages for local troops serving overseas. The local veterans' organizations have been sending packages for approximately four years and are currently sending the packages to 10 soldiers. A list of needed items can be found at Pamida, the local banks and at the courthouse.

# **NECC Vet Tech students receive** white coats in special ceremony

Several freshman veterinary technology students at Northeast Community College in Norfolk made history recently when they were formally inducted into the program with a first-ever White Coat Ceremony. During the ceremony, they were formally presented with a monogrammed white coat worn by the veterinary technician. Dr. Mike Cooper, DVM, program director, welcomed the students and guests, as did Vice President of Educational Services, Sarah J. Dempsey. She told the students that the keys to being a successful student in the rigorous veterinary

technology program at Northeast were also the keys to being a success in life. Lisa Reddington of Omaha, licensed veterinary technician and

president of the Nebraska Veterinary Technician Association, reviewed the traits needed to be a good veterinary technician. She advised the students to be willing to do every job, both the pleasant and unpleasant, needed to work with animals and their owners.

#### Emergency **Medical Services** workshop to be offered in Pilger

The Emergency Medical Services Program of the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services will offer a workshop on "AMUART = TRAUMA" for emergency medical technicians and first responders.

The workshop will be held at the Pilger Rescue Hall, 220 North Main, on Tuesday, Feb. 5, from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.

The workshop is worth three continuing education hours. For more information, contact Jason Olesen, Northeast Region Emergency Medical Specialist, at 1-888-696-8908

She recommended finding a special required to complete the licensing skill so employers learn to value and rely on that skill. She also reviewed the several different career opportunities available to a licensed veterinary technician including small animal clinics, research, zoo animal health care, and pharmaceutical sales.

Shelli Keiser, a licensed veterinary technician and an NECC vet tech instructor, led the students in the Veterinary Technician's Oath and distributed the white coats to each student. Josh Schlote, a licensed veterinary technician and NECC instructor, told the students that the white coat ceremony signified their entrance into a profession of healing and their responsibility to uphold the ethical standards and professionalism that go along with the art and science of

medicine. "The white-colored coat represents purity, goodness, conveys cleanliness, and the purging of infection," he said. "But most importantly, the white coat is viewed as the cloak of compassion. Wearing this coat comes with great pride and responsibility for professionalism in and out of the classroom and the veterinary medical

field.' Tiffany Malone of Stuart, Vet

Tech Club Vice President, offered words of encouragement as a student about to finish her program studies.

Students inducted in to the veterinary technology program included: Nicole Brown, Grand Island; Katie Bruening, Hartington; Kristen Caddell, Norfolk; Sean Cihak, Avon, S.D.; Julie Fricke, Schuyler; Lauryn Hassler, Crete; Shayna Janssen and Whitney Saalfeld, both of Columbus; Siobhan Marvin-Kriegler, Prague; Chelsea Naprstek, Creighton, and Kate Utecht, Plainview.

Northeast's veterinary technology program is accredited by the American Veterinary Medical Association. Graduates are

requirements of their state to perform duties under the scope of the veterinary medicine practice act.

For more information about the program, call Dr. Cooper at (402) 844-7190



Leslie Backstrom

# Backstrom awarded WSC scholarship

Leslie Backstrom of Wayne has been awarded an Arnie Reeg/ Wayne Community Schoolarship valued at \$1,080 to continue her education at Wayne State College.

Leslie was also awarded a \$300 Chi Omega Alumni Scholarship to WSC

Leslie, the daughter of Perry and Lesa Backstrom is a 2007 graduate of Wayne High School.

Her high school activities included softball, basketball, band, pep band and W-Club.

She is currently a freshman at WSC with an undeclared major.



# Valentines' Day time to show appreciation

Valentine's Day is one of my and even collegues. It is also a favorite holidays. It is a time we great time for children to learn the can show our appreciation to importance of giving and of showriends, family members, neighbors ing appreciation.

Janis E. Harrison Certified Wound, Ostomy, Continence Nurse **Available at Providence Medical Center 1200 Providence Road** Wayne, NE 68787 Questions? Please call 402-375-7953 today. Physician referral required. YOGA & PILATES CLASSES YOGA STARTING: FEB. 11TH AND 12TH Classes taught by Jason Barelman and Linda Carr - YogaFit Certified Instructors PILATES CLASSES STARTS: FEB. 5TH Lite Mat Class - Tuesday & Thursday 10-11 a.m. Pilates - Tuesday & Thursday 5:45-6:45 p.m. Classes taught by Heidi Keller-Certified Stott Pilates Instructor SÉNIORS ON THE MOVE CLASS Mondays - 9:30-10:30 a.m. Thursdays - 9:00-10:00 a.m. Please call Providence Wellness Center for more details or to sign up. **Providence Wellness Center** 402-375-7927 Located in the lower level of Pri vidence Medical Cente



# This Valentine's, induct her into The 1% Club

Fewer than 1% of women in the world own a diamond of one carat or larger. Come see us. Membership granted.

There are many ways to give those thoughts of care and appreciation to the important people in our lives. Children might draw or paint pictures, help make a cookie or cupcake, or other simple and inexpensive projects. Older children could send "gift cards" with a promise to help with shoveling snow, upcoming lawn work or other tasks, or even just spending time playing games or working on hobbies. Either way, they will gain a

> feeling of accomplishment from making the Valentine as well as the satisfaction of giving; both are important tasks for all ages of children and youth to experience. For adults, it can also be enjoyable and inexpensive. Most people have a talent or skill they can build a Valentine around. If not an artistic or food-related project, it can be a card with promise to help with a task, go to the park or any other activity the person would enjoy. A homegrown plant is another good idea. Just add a ribbon and bow to make it festive, if you wish.

Now is the time to plan your Valentines for the special people you want to contact. After identifying the people you wish to remember, brainstorm for unique and meaningful ideas and then make a list of what you need to do and purchase.

Dr. Kathy Prochaska-Cue, UNL Extension Family Economics Specialist reminds us to watch our budgets. She emphasizes that the problem of overspending can lead to stressed relationships or even to

# School Lunches

LAUREL- CONCORD (Feb. 1 - 4 - 9) Monday: Breakfast — Cereal & yogurt. Lunch — Chicken nuggets, chips, bread, fruit, vegetable. Tuesday: Breakfast - Egg Wrap. Lunch - Roast beef, mashed potatoes & gravy, roll, brownie, fruit, vegetable. Wednesday: Breakfast Muffins. Lunch - Fish on bun, oven fries, fruit, vegetable. Thursday: Breakfast - Sticky

rolls. Lunch - Taco salad, cinnamon bread, fruit, vegetable. Friday: No School. Milk, chocolate milk, orange juice

available each day.



debt. She also asks us to remember that love and admiration cannot be bought from someone else, so it is important to purchase things with special meaning to the person who will be receiving it. For a spouse, that might involve something reminding them of a first date or first anniversary. Of course, there will be times when the dozen roses or largest box or candy are the things you want to do. Just be sure to consider your budget with all your Valentine activities.

Making it memorable doesn't have to be a budget-breaker.

As always, for more information on family finances, budgeting or any topic that affects your home or family, you can find excellent information at your local UNL Extension Office or at their web-

jelly sandwich, French fries, pears, cookie.

Thursday: Chicken patty with bun, green beans, pineapple, cook-

Friday: Pizza pocket, lettuce, fruit cocktail, chocolate chip bar. Milk served with every meal.

WINSIDE (Feb. 4 - 8) Monday: Breakfast - English muffin. Lunch - Chicken strips, fries, fruit cocktail, roll.

Tuesday: Breakfast - donut. Lunch - Mini corn dogs, green beans, mandarin orange, roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch — Potato bake, broccoli, pineapple, roll.

# **Briefly Speaking**

#### Women's Club learns about India

WAYNE - The Wayne Women's Club met Jan. 11 in the North Meeting Room of the City Auditorium.

Ann Witkowski was the speaker. She shared photos of her experiences with the Dalit caste in northern India.

Hostesses were Janis Meyers and Doris Fredrickson.

The next meeting will be held Friday, Feb. 8 at 2 p.m. in the North Meeting Room of the City Auditorium. Guest speaker will be Terri Beza from Providence Medical Center. All members attending the meeting are to bring or be prepared to talk about an old Valentine card.

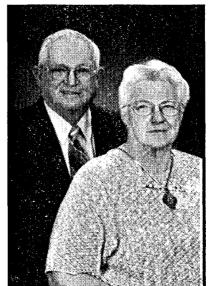
#### Winside St. Paul's Lutheran Church group packages food for the hungry

On Jan. 12, 31 members of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Winside and extended families went to the Kids Against Hunger building in Norfolk at the corner of seventh and Madison to package food for the hungry. The volunteers were from ages five to 68.

In approximately one and a half hours, enough packages were made for 4,752 meals. These meals will be delivered to India where it is common for the children to eat once every three days. The host cooked a meal for the group. St. Paul's Lutheran Church members were in

three assembly lines and they scooped in portions of soy, rice. dried vegetables and chicken bouillon. After that, the package was handed on, weighed and then someone either added or took away product to make it the right

weight. The package was sealed, labeled and put in a box. When the box was full, the group rang a bell which announced their accomplishment. Anyone interested in taking a group to package food can call Our Savior Lutheran Church in Norfolk to get details. It only takes 10 people to make one assembly line.



Mr. and Mrs. Bull

# Card shower requested for **Bull** anniversary

# **Carroll American** Legion Auxiliary discusses birthday party

The Carroll American Legion Auxilary #165 met Jan. 22 in the Carroll Fire Hall.

President Jo Ann Owens called the meeting to order, followed by a special prayer read by Joyce Harmeir and the business meeting.

Group discussion was held on the March Legion Birthday Party. It will be held in conjunction with the regular March meeting on Tuesday, March 25 at 2 p.m.

The Feb. 25 meeting will be at the Norfolk Veteran's Home with a 2 p.m. bingo party.

Jo Ann Owens read two articles. The first was entitled "Meds (Pills)" and the second, a hearttouching "Santa's Visit to an Old Soldiers. The group put together 50 Valentine cookie bags for the Norfolk Veteran's Home. Nancy Junck served lunch following the meeting.

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WAYNE (Feb. 4 --- 8) Monday: Taco, corn, peaches, corn bread Tuesday: Chili, crackers, carrots, applesauce, cinnamon roll. Wednesday: Peanut butter and

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Thursday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — (Elementary) Pork roast, mashed potatoes; (high school) hot pork sandwich, corn, roll

Friday: Breakfast - French toast. Lunch -- Fish/cheese sandwich, fries, carrot sticks, apple crisp

Yogurt, toast, juice and milk served with breakfast. Milk served with each meal. Salad bar available for all grades daily.

A card shower has been requested for Wally and Janet Bull of Wayne in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary, which is Saturday, Feb. 9.

The couple's family includes Cindy and Andy Svenson of Fargo, N.D., Sandy and Ted Baack of Wayne, Kristy and Paul Smejkal of Minnetonka, Minn. and Debby and Randy Kinney of Lincoln. They also have six grandchildren.

Cards may be sent to the couple at 10167 N. Encore #164, Casa Grande, Ariz. 58222.

# New Arrivals

LUSCHEN - Jeff and Tawna (Lichty) Luschen of Norfolk, a daughter, Janicka Reanne, 7 lbs., 13 oz., born Jan. 19, 2008. She is welcomed home by a sister, Tirany Traeanne, 2. Grandparents are Dr. Dennis and Dorothy Lichty of Plaineview, and Karen and the late Orin Zach of Wayne and the late Jim Luschen of Pender. Paternal great-grandmother is Dorothy Johnson of Wayne.

HEIKES - Ron and Wendy Heikes of Wayne, a son, Mason Michael, 7 lbs., 14 oz., 20 inches, born Jan. 4, 2008. He is welcomed home by a brother, Wyatt, 2 1/2. Grandparents are Al and Helen Heikes and Mike and Carolyn Beiermann, all of Wayne. Greatgrandparents are are Ralph Heikes of Hartington and Merlin and Patricia Beiermann and Marie Pfeiffer, all of Wayne.

In Kneads Massage Heidi L. Ankeny, L.M.T. 402-375-8601 111 Main Street Street • Wayne, NE 68787 Gift Certificate Available Call For An

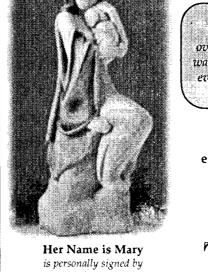
> **Appointment!** Attn: Willow Tree Collectors & Purchasers

> > Willow Tree Designer & Artist Susan Lordi hand-signed 5,000 of the exclusive figurine - "Her Name is Mary".

When asked to explain her inspiration behind these pieces, Susan says "The Christmas Story is a story from the past ... but the overwhelming emotions of holding a new baby, starting a new family, and wanting to protect them forevermore are present today in every culture and every age. My hope is that the gestures of Mary and Joseph will represent these powerful feelings of love and protection."

Each piece of Willow tree giftware purchased between February 1, 2008 and December 24, 2008, enters your name in a drawing to receive the signed figurine as well as the Joseph figurine (a \$100 value). The drawing will be held December 24, 2008 at 4 p.m. Need not be present to win.

Nana's THIS& That!



Artist Susan Lordi



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Valentine's Candle Light Dinner

• Prime Rib, Stuffed Chicken Breast or

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• Appetizer, Sides and Dessert all included

By reservations only

hot coco and a coupon for 1 free 16 oz. drink

2) Valentine Box – Filled with candies and one free lunch coupon 3) Valentine Bag – Filled with candies and a coupon for 1 12 oz drink 4) Mini Cheesecake – 1 mini cheesecake in turtle, plain or strawberry

**Daily Lunch Specials** Serving Lunch 11-2 **Carryout Available** Main Street \* 211 Main St. 375-3416 We deliver



# **Church Services**

# Wayne \_\_\_\_\_

CALVÁRY BIBLE **EVANGELICAL FREE 502 Lincoln Street** (Calvin Kroeker, pastor) (Josh Meyers, Youth Pastor) Sunday: Adult Sunday School for all ages, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30; Senior High Youth Group, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Junior High Youth Group, 7.

#### 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)

Bible study, 7 p.m. JOURNEY CHRISTIAN CHURCH 1110 East 7th St. www.journeychristianonline. org.

Prayer and Fellowship, 10:15;

Worship, 10:30. Wednesday:

375-4743 (Troy Reynolds, minister) Sunday: Christians Hour on KTCH, 8:45 a.m.; Prayer Group, 8:45; Sunday School for all ages, 9:30; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Financial Peace University class, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Small group studying James, 6:45 p.m.; Junior High Youth group (CIA), 7; Senior High Youth Group, 7.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN 216 West 3rd St. 375-2669 (Rev. Ray McCalla, pastor) www.fpcwayne.org

Thursday: CrossPoint Campus Ministry Dollar Dinner, 5 to 9 p.m. Sunday: Sunday School, Adult Sunday: Bell choir rehearsal, 8:45 and children's classes, 9:15 a.m.; a.m.; Church School, 9; Worship

with Communion, 10 a.m.; Fellowship time, 11. Monday: Handbell choir rehearsal. 7:15 p.m.; CrossPoint Campus ministry Bible Study for Wayne State College students, 8. Tuesday: Presbyterian Women meet for business with Sandra Metz as moderator, 6:30 p.m., Judy Lindberg will lead Bible Study Lesson #6 and Bonnie Lund will be hostess. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday service, 7 p.m. Thursday: CrossPoint \$1 dinner for WSC students at CrossPoint, 1006 Main Street, 5 to Also available: 9 p.m. CrossPoint campus ministries. For more information, visit www.cross pointwayne.org

#### FIRST TRINITY LUTHERAN Altona, LC-MS

57741 847th Road, Wayne Altona Office (402) 375-2165 (Rev. David Ohlman, Pastor) Pilger Office (402) 396-3478 Mobile (260) 402-0035

Friday: Ladies Aid, 1:30 p.m. Sunday: Sunday School for nursery through adult, 8:30 a.m.; Worship with Holy Divine 9:30 Communion. a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation instruction at St. John's in Pilger, 5:15 p.m.

#### FIRST UNITED METHODIST 6th & Main St.

(Rev. Doyle Burbank-Williams, pastor)

Sunday: Holy Communion. Worship service, 8:15 and 9:30 a.m.; Fellowship time after each ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC service; Sunday School, 10:45. Tuesday: Goldenrod Hills WIC and Immunization clinics, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Siouxland Community Blood Bank at Our Savior Lutheran Church, 2 to 6 p.m.; Jaycees, 7. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday. Personal Growth, 10 a.m.; Mission committee, 5:30 p.m.; Jubilant Ringers, 6; Soup supper, 6: Ash Wednesday service, 6:30; Evangelism committee following service: Worship Committee, 8. Saturday: Movie at church, "Bridge to Terabithia," 7 p.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN **Missouri Synod** 904 Logan grace@gracewayne.com (The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp, Senior Pastor) (The Rev. John Pag

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

Saturday: Stephen Ministry Training, 8 a.m.; Worship, 6 p.m. Sunday: Worship, 8:45 a.m.; Sunday School, Adult Forum and Coffee Hour, 9:50; Worship, 11; Book Discussion, 7 p.m. Monday: Committee, 8:30.

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Sunday: Sunday Service, 10:30

412 East 8th St.

pastor) 375-2000; fax: 375-5782; E-mail: parish@ stmaryswayne.org Friday: Mass, 8 a.m. Saturday: Confessions heard before Mass; Mass, 6 p.m. Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Confessions heard before Mass; Mass, 8 and 10 a.m.; No Spanish Mass, Spanish Mass has been moved to Emerson on Sunday's at 10 a.m. For more information contact Sacred Heart Parish at (402) 695-2505. Monday: No Mass; Clergy Conferences; Knights of Columbus meeting, rosary beginning at 7 p.m. with meeting following in Holy Family Hall. Tuesday: No Mass; Clergy Conferences;

Board of Education meeting, recto-

Bible Study, 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

#### UNITED METHODIST

(Pastor Sara Simmons, pastor) Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Fellowship, 10:30.

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

Wednesday: Presbyterian Women, 2 p.m.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN (Rev. Timothy Steckling, pastor)

Sunday: Worship service with Communion, 8 a.m. **Tuesday:** Circuit Pastors, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday service at Winside, 7 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

(Rev. Doyle Burbank-Williams, pastor)

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship service, 11; Newsletters available to pick up.

#### Concord.

**CONCORDIA LUTHERAN** (Karen Tjarks, Pastor)

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:45. "Tuesday: Bible Study 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

#### ST. PAUL LUTHERAN East of town

(Willie Bertrand, pastor) Sunday: Bible Study, 8 a.m.; Worship, 9. Monday: Quilting at St. Paul, 1 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Immanuel, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday ser-

#### EVANGELICAL FREE (Pastor Todd Thelen)

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Youth Group, Evening Bible Study and Praying Kids, 7 p.m. Monday: Church Board meeting, 7 p.m. Wednesday: AWANA & JV, 7 p.m.

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vice, 7 p.m.

ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC (Fr. James McCluskey, pastor) Sunday: Mass, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday

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.

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

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30; Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Youth 4 Truth, 6 p.m. Tuesday: Ladies meet for prayer, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Snak Shak, 5:45; Pioneer Club and Junior High, 6:15. Thursday: Men's Bible Study at Tacos & More, 7 a.m.

#### IMMANUEL LUTHERAN 4 North, 3 East of Wayne

(Willie Bertrand, pastor) Sunday: Bible Study, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Immanuel, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday Service at St. Paul Lutheran, 7

p.m.

#### PRESBYTERIAN

216 West 3rd (Rev. Charity Forbes, interim pastor)

Sunday: Fellowship time, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN West 7th & Maple

(Rev. Terry L. Buethe, pastor) Friday: Ladies Aid, 2 p.m. Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Education Hour, 10:15. Tuesday: LLL, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: •Midweek Classes, 4 p.m.; Lenten Service, 7:30; Education committee, 8:30. Friday: Ruth bible Study, 2 p.m.

#### SALEM LUTHERAN **411 Winter Street**

(Jerome Cloninger, pastor) Saturday: Contemporary Worship with Communion, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship with Communion, 10:30. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Choir, 7 p.m.; Ash Wednesday. Thursday: Video on local Cable, 10 a.m. and 7

# Give Blood. TUESDAY **Our Savior Lutheran Church** 2pm-6pm siouxlandbloodbank.org \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* Last Chance To Save On

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Wednesday: Evening Service, 7 p.m. Call for additional information on the ministries available.

(Fr. Mark Tomasiewicz,

Partners, 7.

# Rachel Circle, 1:30 p.m.; MASH, 2; Relay For Life meeting, 5;

Executive Committee, 5:30; Joyful Noise, 6; Stephen Ministry Training, 7:15. Tuesday: Bible Study at Tacos & More, 6:45 a.m.; Staff Meeting, 9:30; WELCA Board meeting, 2 p.m.; Siouxland Blood Bank Blood Drive, 2 to 6 p.m.; The Oaks Communion, 3:15; Premier Estates Communion, 4; Fellowship Committee, 6: Youth & Family Ministry

Wednesday: Men's Bible Study at Tacos & More, 7 a.m.; CoCo Ministry, 5:30 p.m.; Choir, 6:15; Ash Wednesday Worship, 7. Thursday: Women Who Love to Talk - and Eat, 6 p.m.; Prayer



# **Concord News**

#### **BAPTISMS HELD**

On Jan. 20, Aleena Delilah, baby daughter of Shiela and Andy Lutt, was baptized at Concordia Lutheran Church, Concord. She was born on Dec. 21 and joins sisters, N-tayla and Miressa and brothers Kenny and Dakota. Her sponsors are Travis Bassett and Kyle Mundorf. Grandparents from this area are Peg and Terry Lutt,

Connie and Glen Bender. Great and Leila Fischer of Wakefield. grandmother is Donna Lutt of Wayne

On Jan. 27, Lane Dale, son of Amanda and Jason Fischer, was baptized at Concordia Lutheran Church, Concord. He was born on Oct. 17 and joins two brothers at home, Mitchell and Kolton. His sponsors are Aunt Valerie Fischer and Uncle Chuck Bojanski. Grandparents are Jackie and Dwayne Mitchell of Fremont, Rich

Great grandparents present were Jean Fischer, Mae and Merle Schwarten, all of Wakefield and Leona Bottorff of Ponca.

MERRY HOMEMAKERS CLUB The Merry Homemakers Club met at the Concord/Dixon Senior Center on Jan. 22 with 11 members present. Dalene Cuba served as hostess for the evening. President Doris Nelson opened the business meeting with a poem about "Birds."

# Special week

Students at St. Mary's Elementary School entertained the community during last week's Chamber Coffee. The event was held at the school as the kick-off for the annual Catholic Schools Week celebration. Following introductions of the faculty and staff, the students sang several songs, expressing their faith.

# **Boyle named chair of commission**

Anne Boyle of Omaha will serve roads or some other services, if our as chair of the Nebraska Public Service Commission for 2008.

The five-member Commission at its first meeting of 2008 on Jan. 8 unanimously elected the two-term commissioner, who represents the eastern segment of Douglas County within the city of Omaha. Other commissioners are immediate past chair Rod Johnson of Sutton, Frank Landis of Lincoln, Tim Schram of Gretna, and Jerry Vap of McCook. Landis was elected vice chair.

Boyle said she has seen many changes in telecommunications in the 11 years that she has served on the Commission. "Few used email in 1996. Today it is used around the world. Cell phones were in their infancy and today more than 250 million are in use. We were just discovering the magic of the Internet and had never heard the term 'VOIP"

Maintaining the telecommunica-

telecommunications systems are not maintained and upgraded, a failure could create an immediate crisis shutting down the ability to call emergency help, to transact business or to simply call our neighbors.'

Boyle said she would continue to be active in both state and federal venues on behalf of Nebraska consumers. She said the Commission, which is the utility regulatory arm of Nebraska state government, has

asked the Legislature authority to investigate consumer complaints with cell phone providers.

She is a member of the Board of Directors of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC); NARUC Consumer Affairs Committee; NARUC Telecommunications Committee; North American Numbering Council; and, the Board of Directors of the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC).

The election of officers was held. Vandelyn Hanson is the new president and Betty Bothwell will serve as secretary. Ardyce Johnson had the program

which included readings about "Remembering," "The Brown Paper Bag" and many household hints. The rest of the evening was spent playing "Chicken Tracks" with Dominoes.

In February, the club members and husbands will enjoy supper out, with the officers making the plans. The March meeting will be held in the home of Suzie Johnson, weather permitting.



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tions network is one of the challenges the Commission continues to face during her tenure as chair. That is particularly a pressing problem in Nebraska, she noted. "We must seek the most cost efficient means to provide high grade service to all Nebraskans including areas with a diminishing population in our rural areas where it is more expensive to operate. Telecommunications is a necessity for everyday use, commerce and public safety to all Nebraskans. We cannot afford to ignore it."

She said the importance of telecommunications to the people of Nebraska is daunting. "Unlike

#### Another session of basic nurse aide course to begin in February at NECC

Another session of a three-credithour Basic Nurse Aide course will offered by Northeast be Community College in Norfolk soon

With course number HLTH 1110-02/08S, the class meets Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, Feb. 12 - March 13, from 5-10 p.m. in the Ag/Allied Health Building, Room 202. Sara Ruda is the instructor.

Students in this three-credithour or 76-contact-hour class will learn the skills necessary to administer responsible health care to the ill and elderly in nursing homes and long-term care facilities under qualified supervision. They will be taught to recognize the aging process and changes which accompany aging. Physical/emotional needs of geriatric patients in the clinical setting will also be reviewed.

Students will also be taught basic knowledge, skills and attitudes specific to geriatric care and to identify means to assist residents in obtaining and maintaining optimal, functional potential.

Cost of this three-credit-hour Basic Nurse Aide class is \$219. Books are not included.

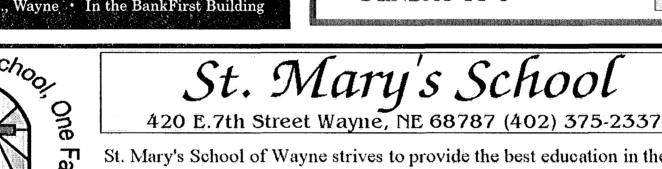
To register, call Northeast Community College at (402)844-7265.



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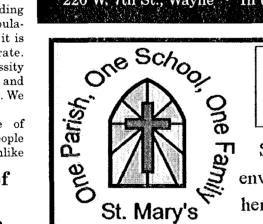
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# **Catholic Schools Week**

January 27th - February 2nd

## **Catholic Schools Week Activities:**

Sunday, Jan 27th: 10 a.m. Mass Monday, Jan. 28th: Teacher Day Tuesday, Jan. 29th: Priest & Religious Life Dav

Wed., Jan. 30th: Prayer Partners Mass & Coffee & Rolls Thursday, Jan. 31st: Family Day/Indoor Picnic Friday, Feb. 1st: Student Day: Ice Cream Sundaes

# Kindergarten Round-Up

Morning of March 27, 2008 Call St. Mary's School 375-2337 for more information

#### Little Lambs Preschool & Pre-K

Pre-Registration for 2008-2009 school begins February 1, 2008 Open House is Thursday, March 27th from 5-7pm. Parish members & non-parish members may call St. Mary's School at 375-2337 for more information



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# 4-H News **Country Classics** 4-H Club holds meeting

The regular meeting of the Country Classics 4-H Club was held on Jan. 27 at 3:30 p.m. Roll call was your favorite dessert. Old business was about Fantasy Forest. Everyone took home their ornaments and thanked the Beair family for the use of the tree and for taking it down.

New business consisted of filling

out enrollment forms. They are due back to Mrs. Loberg by Feb. 1. Camp brochures were passed out.

Mrs. Loberg told the club about the Diamond Clover program. The Teen Supremes are asking for volunteers to make a video about 4-H - seven members volunteered. Jorge Dunklau, Marta Pulfer, Jacob Beair and Brandon Beair gave demonstrations. Mrs. Loberg had a game about cooking terms.

The next meeting will be Sunday, Feb. 17 at 3:30 p.m. Submitted by Luke Pulfer.

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# Several factors contributing to fertilizer increase, supply decrease

Nitrogen and phosphorus fertil- Russia. izer prices increased dramatically in the last year and are expected to keep climbing in 2008. Several factors are contributing to this change, a University of Nebraska-Lincoln soils specialist says.

Increases in fertilizer prices often are blamed on natural gas prices because natural gas accounts for 80 to 90 percent of the cost of producing anhydrous ammonia, the base material for producing all other nitrogen fertilizers, said Gary Hergert, soils specialist at UNL's Panhandle Research and Extension Center at Scottsbluff.

"However, that doesn't represent the whole story," he said.

Natural gas prices in the U.S. averaged about \$7 per million British thermal units during 2007. World prices for natural gas are much lower and range from less than \$1 MMBTU in parts of the Middle East to only \$2 to \$3 in

World demand and ethanol production are among several other factors contributing to the increasing fertilizer prices, according to The Fertilizer Institute.

Demand, especially in South America, China and India, has risen 14 percent in the past few years, Hergert said.

"With fertilizer being a worldwide commodity, the U.S. must compete with other buyers," he said. "The weak U.S. dollar makes fertilizer more expensive for U.S. producers." The U.S. imports 75 percent of its urea nitrogen fertiliz-

Regionally and locally, increased production of corn to meet biofuel demand has increased fertilizer demand. Transportation costs (barge, trucking, rail) also are higher and are considerable for people in areas far from major distribution centers.

In addition, because of tight cost margins and environmental regulations, 25 U.S. ammonia production facilities have closed permanently since 1999. New production facilities are being built in China, the Middle East and the Caribbean.

One of the major production ports for shipping urea and ammonia is Yuzhnyy in the Ukraine on the Black Sea, he said.

Hergert said an excellent source for fertilizer information is available at http://fertilizerworks.com and by clicking on The Market ir the left column. Remember, these prices are set by world manufacturers and do not reflect transportation, marketing and dealer costs.

All indicators point to increasing fertilizer costs and tight supplies, so management that maximizes fertilizer use efficiency is essential, he said.



Cy Pinkelman, Secretary, Hartington; Bud Knuth, President, Royal; Donna Christiansen, Treasurer, Plainview and Stan Baier, Vice-President, Wayne are shown with the Outstanding Council award received at the Western RC&D Association conference. Donna Christiansen was the recipient of the Outstanding Council Member award as well.

# **RC&D** starts new year

The NortheastNebraska Conservation & Resource Development (RC&D) Council started 2008 in Allen at the Fire Hall for their meeting. Training was provided by Linda Kastning of Northeast Housing Initiative

#### 4-H market beef weigh-in scheduled

All Wayne County 4-Hers enrolled in the market beef project

(NEHI). She shared information about their program which works with low-income first-time homebuyers. They focus on purchase, rehabilitation and resale of houses, and homebuyer education. NEHI's service area includes Antelope, Cedar, Dixon, Knox, Pierce counties and rural Dakota County.

The Council approved a budget for the year and learned of the work of the Personnel Committee in filling the vacant Program Support Assistant position. Four

Program. The grant program provides funds annually to Nebraska projects in several areas: public education, cleanup, and recycling. These funds will be used to do three waste computer collections in 2008.

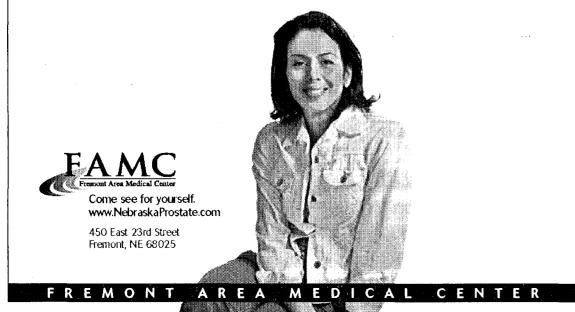
Those attending the Western RC&D Association conference reported on activities they participated in and projects they learned of that have applicability to this area. Three awards were received at the event: Outstanding Council Member, Donna Christiansen. Outstanding Plainview; Coordinator, Jan Jorgensen; Outstanding Council, Northeast Nebraska RC&D. The next meeting is Monday,

# TINA HAS A PROSTATE PROBLEM. IT'S HER HUSBAND, BRIAN.

Brian suspects he has a prostate problem. Tina, doing a bit of research, thinks it could be an enlarged prostate, based on his more frequent trips to the bathroom. But Brian is worried that it might be something worse, so he's spent weeks looking into the best treatments and centers.

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weigh-in, tagging and DNA collec- updates given on three others. tion. It is scheduled for Sunday, Feb. 10 from 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. at the Council was awarded a grant in the Wayne Veterinary Clinic. In case of inclement weather listen to KTCH 104.9 FM/1590 AM or US92 92.7 FM.

for 2008 need to attend the beef new projects were approved and

Jill Heemstra noted that the amount of \$13,286 from the Nebraska Department  $\mathbf{of}$ Environmental Quality's Litter Feb. 25 in Winside at 1:30 p.m. All Reduction and Recycling Grant are welcome to attend.



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# 'Heat wave' prompts new experience

It feels like a heat wave this weekend; and after that long cold spell, it's almost like Spring. It certainly makes us appreciate warmer weather.

All the time we lived in Cass ounty, we talked about taking in he Avoca Quack Off. And when the ast Saturday in January came, we were either cleaning up after guests, getting ready for guests, out of town, or it was just plain too :old.

On Friday last week, I caught a ip on the news about the Quack Off. And I heard the weather man say it was going to be 35 degrees on Saturday. I knew the Big Farmer would not be up to the walking, so I announced that I was going to the duck races, so I could scratch another item off my "bucket list." It's easy to get to Avoca from Lincoln; you just take O street east out of town; it becomes the Bess Streeter Aldrich highway, and you keep going east past Weeping Water and then you turn off one mile south and there it is. It's probably about the size of Hoskins or Carroll. But on Quack Off day, there are a thousand people in town.

I had heard they were expecting eight tour buses, and there was even a bus route so that they avoided going right down town. Actually, parking wasn't too bad, considering, and I only had to walk a couple blocks to get to the main intersection of town. This is where the bar is; it looked packed; plus, the two port a potties in front had long lines. I decided to keep moving.

There were grills going, lawn the fire and rescue chief get interchairs set out, and coolers everywhere. After I checked these all out, I headed to the park where the "Duck Run" is located. It's a large chain linked fence with four lanes



marked off inside, about 25 yards long, and a red "finish line" in the snow. There was a stock trailer at the south end which held all the ducks.

ducks of every different color! There were white, brown, mallard, and even some black. People paid \$10 to the fire department, plus \$5 for the use of the duck and then tried to catch one to "train" for the races.

heats! I got a charge out of some of white ear muffs, right beyond the Up the street, it was just like a the names, which were quite cre- announcer!!!

giant winter picnic/tail gate party. ative. And I also enjoyed watching viewed by every TV station around. Long time readers know I have a soft spot for volunteer fire and rescue units. The one in Avoca has been doing this as a fund raiser for 28 years! Last year, it brought in \$14,000.

> Promptly at 1 p.m, the "trainers" and their ducks were lined up. The minute the ducks were all on the ground and the whistle blew, they had to take their hands off the birds. Well, the ducks didn't all head right down the lane, believe me. And the sun had shone just enough to make the lanes slick. So, as the entrants "encouraged" their ducks, they sometimes did not remain upright in the lanes. Some of the ducks turned around, and some, after getting to the end of the lane, went into another one and started back to the starting point. It was hilarious!

The announcer had to read all the names of the entrants and she must have said twenty times, "once vour duck is on the ground, you cannot touch the duck!" I never would have believed it could be so funny to see duck races.

I had to leave before all the heats You have never seen so many were run, but I have a feeling it was a good couple of hours before the winners were declared. My hat goes off to the good folks of Avoca; they have a fun thing going here and I hope it never has to come to an end. If you want to see some video of the great races, go to Last Saturday, there were 56 Omaha.com. I'm in the red coat and

#### Livestock Market Report The Nebraska Livestock Market head sold.

conducted a fat cattle sale on Friday.

Prices were \$3 higher on steers and heifers and \$4 to \$5 higher on cows. There were 460 head sold.

Strictly choice fed steers, \$87.50 to \$89.75. Good and choice steers, \$86 to \$87.50. Medium and good steers, \$84 to \$86. Standard steers, \$70 to \$74.10. Strictly choice fed heifers, \$87.50 to \$89. Good and choice heifers, \$86 to \$87.50. Medium and good heifers, \$84 to \$86. Standard heifers, \$60 to \$70.

Beef cows, \$48 to \$52. Utility cows, \$50 to \$56. Canner and cutters, \$45 to \$52. Bologna bulls, \$60 to \$65.25.

The fed cattle sale was held Thursday at the Nebraska Livestock Market in Norfolk. The market was higher on the

351 head sold. 300 to 400 lb. steers, \$115 to

\$130; heifers, \$110 to \$120. 400 to 500 lb. steers, \$110 to

\$125; heifers, \$105 to \$115. 500 to 600 lb. steers, \$100 to

\$121; heifers, \$98 to \$110.

600 to 700 lb. steers, \$98 to \$108; heifers, \$95 to \$100. 700 to 800 lb. steers, \$95 to \$100;

heifers, \$90 to \$98. 800 to 900 lb. steers, \$90 to \$95; heifers, \$85 to \$90.

400 to 700 lb. holstein steers, \$67

to \$75. 700 to 1,000 lb. holstein steers,

\$65 to \$70. Good bred cows and heifers,

untested.

Medium bred cows and heifers, untested.

The sheep sale was held Saturday at the Nebraska Livestock Market.

The market was steady. Fat lambs - 110 to 140 lbs., \$82 to \$84.50.

Feeder lambs - 40 to 100 lbs., \$85 to \$110; 60 to 100 lbs., \$75 to \$90

Ewes - good, \$50 to \$80 per hunderweight; medium, \$30 to \$50 per hunderweight; slaughter, \$20 to \$30 per hunderweight.

The dairy cattle sale was held at the Nebraska Livestock Market on Saturday.

60 to 70 lbs., \$10 to \$15, steady.

Agriculture

Butcher hogs were sold at the Nebraska Livestock Market on Saturday.

Prices for butchers were \$2 to \$2.50 higher. Sows were steady. There were 370 head sold.

U.S. 1's + 2's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$37 to \$38; 2's + 3's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$36 to \$37; 2's + 3's, 260 to 280 lbs., \$36 to \$37; 2's + 3's, 280 to 300 lbs., \$30 to \$36; 3's + 4's, 300 lbs. +, \$20 to \$30.

Sows - 350 to 500 lbs., \$10 to \$15. 500 to 650 lbs., \$15 to \$18. Boars — \$7 to \$10.



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\$12,500 JD 450 hydra push manure spreader .\$3,250

..\$1,750

**Public invited to NECC forum** to discuss educational needs

The public is invited to give its input on post-secondary educational needs when Northeast Community College in West Point hosts an Open Forum in early February. The forum is scheduled for Thursday, Feb. 7, from 6-7 p.m. in the West Point City Council Chambers at 444 South Main Street. Guests are asked to enter through the north doors. Northeast administrators and staff will speak and answer questions

Community Center. Construction tion college-credit courses. of NECC's portion of the building is being financed with a \$500,000 grant from the Louis and Abby Faye Dinklage Foundation.

Northeast's new education wing will house five classrooms, including a science lab, computer lab, an interactive television distance-Technology Academy of Northeast Nebraska (TANN) computer lab/classroom, and a general-pur-

"There has never been a more exciting time than now for Northeast Community College in West Point," Terry Ramig, Northeast's regional coordinator/east region, said, "With the move to our new quarters in the beautiful Nielsen Community Center, we will be able learning (ITV) classroom, a to enhance our current offerings and serve our public even better."

"That's why we have scheduled this Open Forum on Thursday, Feb.

from the audience.

this summer. The center will move to the 8,000-square-foot Shirley and Jake Weber Education Center located in the Donald E. Nielsen classes, and other general educa-

pose classroom. There will also be The Northeast Community a conference room for advising and of those in West Point and sur-College Education Center in West testing, as well as a student rounding communities and will Point will move to new quarters lounge. Classes may include some welcome input in identifying future courses in nursing, business and educational needs for students and accounting courses, expanded the regional workforce." English as a Second Language

7," she said. "We value the insight

For more information, call Ramig at (402)372-2269.

The market was higher on the 10 head sold.

Crossbred calves, \$100 to \$200. Holstein calves, \$60 to \$100.

at the Norfolk Livestock Market on Saturday. The market was steady on the 30 Midland East Highway 35 Wayne, Nebr. 402-375-2166 1-800-477-2166 EQUIP INC WAYNE

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Customers must avoid constructing grain bins or other structures too close to existing power lines. Customers must follow National Electric Safety Code standards. If there is a question about the safety codes, then please call Northeast Nebraska PPD and we will help answer your questions. We will even come to the construction site if necessary.

Effective February 1, 2008 the District will begin stricter enforcement of the National Safety Codes by:

- Refusing to connect electric service to bins and structures that do not follow codes for clearance from the District's power lines.
- When the District deems it necessary to move its lines to maintain safe clearances due to an improperly placed bin or building started after February 1, 2008, then the District will bill the customer/owner for the full cost of moving the power lines.

To avoid potential extra cost to your building project, please call the District as soon as possible when making decisions about where to site a bin or other structure.

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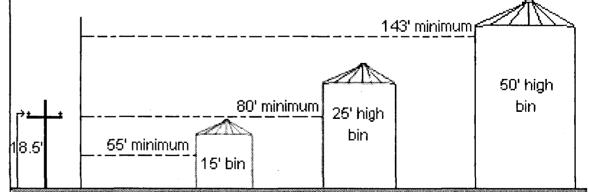


Illustration refers to loading side of a grain bin. In addition, power lines must be at least 18 feet above the tops of new grain bins when the line crosses over the bin. Contact NeNPPD before moving or building a new bin to ensure you meet National Electric Safety Code requirements.

Proper placement of grain bins in relation to existing high voltage power lines is extremely important. Planning for adequate clearances can reduce the risk of accidental contact between power lines and tall farm equipment such as portable grain augers, elevators or grain probing devices.

In addition to safety considerations, there are also requirements for power line clearances, which are mandated by national wiring codes. A bin placed too close to a power line may need to be moved or the power line relocated (i.e. raised or rerouted), due to a code violation. These changes are likely to be expensive and will be charged to the bin owner. Talk with us before the bin site is confirmed.



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# How to help women-owned small businesses

The data in fact reveal positive

RAND had sufficient survey sam-

ples to analyze, the data indicated

that when women compete for fed-

Actual contracting dollars to

women-owned small businesses

have increased dramatically under

dollars to such companies

increased from \$4.6 billion in 2000

to \$11.6 billion in 2006. The yearover-year increase from 2005 to

2006 was the largest ever, \$1.5 bil-

lion. Subcontracting dollars also

increased, from \$3.6 billion in 2000

Moreover, the share of federal

contracting dollars that goes to

WOSBs is growing as a percentage

of the federal contracting universe.

In 2000, these businesses received

2.3 percent of the federal govern-

ment's contracts. That share has

increased steadily each year of the

administration and, as mentioned,

"Federal agencies are working

hard to reach the five percent

WOSB target, but how do we get

there the right way? We need to

understand that the data do not

show significant under-representa-

tion in the contracting arena, but

rather, that too few qualified

women-owned small businesses are

choosing to enter that arena," said

Steve Preston, Administrator,

Small Business Administration. "A

broad set-aside would be advanta-

geous to women-owned small busi-

nesses already pursuing contracts,

but again, the data indicate that as

a group they're already doing com-

Preston added that the better

way to increase women-owned

"ready, willing and able" to perform

federal contracts, and ensure they

are registered in the Central

Currently, there are some 63,000

Contractor Registration system.

paratively well."

reached 3.4 percent in 2006.

to more than \$10 billion in 2006.

eral contracts they succeed.

time

In 1994, Congress set a government-wide target that five percent news for women: When WOSBs of all federal contracts should go to women-owned small businesses compete for contracts, they do well. In 136 of the 140 categories where (WOSBs). More recently, legislation was signed into law creating a set-aside for such businesses but requiring that the Small Business Administration study the issue to determine in which — if any — of the government's 313 contracting categories, many of which are defense-related, WOSBs were President Bush: Prime contract

Since then there has been an SBA study, a National Academy of Sciences review, a court case, and an external, independent study by the respected RAND Corporation on the issue. The RAND study concluded that WOSBs were underrepresented in four contracting categories, based on a review of dollars going to such firms.

underrepresented.

Two weeks ago, based upon the RAND study, statutory law and constitutional precedent, SBA issued a proposed set-aside rule for women-owned small businesses. The responsibility was to implement the statute in a constitutional manner, and that is what has been done.

Some critics have not been satisfied, pointing out that women are 52 percent of the population and own 28 percent of American businesses, yet in 2006 — the last year for which there is data - they received only 3.4 percent of federal contract dollars.

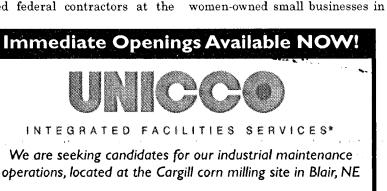
However, it is important to recognize this is an apples-to-oranges comparison. Women-owned businesses may be more than onefourth of all businesses, but their gross receipts were only 4.2 percent of the economy, according to census data, because of the inclusion of large companies, many of which are led by women.

The census also indicates that small businesses' share of federal contracts is to get more such firms women-owned businesses with fewer than 500 employees make up 3.4 percent of the economy. For the SBA rule, the pool was confined to the nearly 56,000 women-owned small businesses that were registered federal contractors at the

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the registration system, receiving 3.4 percent of contracting dollars. It stands to reason that if we can get more ready, willing and able WOSBs into the system, we can increase their share of federal contracting dollars. Simple arithmetic suggests that to reach the target of five percent, there will need to be thousands more qualified womenowned small businesses in the system competing. Therefore, a bipartisan agenda that should unite all parties and avoid constitutional hurdles is to increase the number

of capable WOSBs competing for federal contracts. On this, SBA has taken the lead Agency field staff is focused on cor tracting to businesses owned b

targeted groups, including women "We recently instituted a govern ment-wide scorecard of federa agencies to rate their small busi ness contracting efforts, includin for women, bringing greatly enhanced transparency and accountability to the process, Preston said.

And, on a smaller but still signif icant level, in 2007 SBA women owned business procurements exceeded the government-wide statutory goal of 5 percent, reach ing 24.7 percent. In this age of par tisanship, people want positive solutions. Helping more women owned small businesses compete for government contracts, and doing it the right way, is a winner for all sides.

Source: Steve Preston, Administrator, Small Business Administration

#### **Real estate class** is rescheduled by NECC

Northeast Community College in South Sioux City has re-scheduled a real estate class originally set to begin Jan. 21. The course, Real Estate Principles and Practices (0040), with course number RE 0302-01S, has been re-scheduled to Mondays and Thursdays, Feb. 4 -March 6, from 6-9:30 p.m. in Room 107 of the South Sioux City Education Center at 3309 Daniels Lane in the Westside Business Park.

Instructor Ed Guinane will offer an overview of all areas of real estate so the student acquires a broad understanding of the real estate industry, including license law. This course covers real estate career opportunities and independent contractor status.

This is one of the two required courses that must be successfully completed before taking the licensing exam in Nebraska or Iowa. Cost is \$125.





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#### **GYM EXPANSION**

In spite of the wintry weather, nearly 100 people attended the Jan. 20 steak dinner to help launch the 2008 Capital Campaign for the school gymnasium expansion project.

Vicky and Verlan Hingst, along with Matt and Denise Hingst, hosted the wine social prior to the 7 p.m. meal. FFA members served the steak, twice-baked potato, glazed carrot entrée and the ice cream cake roll dessert. Food and decorations were provided and prepared by several members of the community

Part-time Trio harmonized for the group during the social and again following dessert. The gym committee announced that the event brought in over \$10,000 towards the proposed \$500,000 expansion project. Another community Spring Luau fundraiser is being planned for April.

Thanks goes to all who helped launched the 2008 Capital Campaign for the Allen School Gymnasium Expansion Project. For those who missed the dinner and would like to contribute to the project, please make checks payable to Allen Gym Fund or Allen Public School Foundation. (Foundation checks are tax deductible), bring to the bank, or send to POB 11, Allen, NE 68710-0011.

#### **RASTEDE SCHOLARSHIP**

Sophomore and junior undergraduate college students who are graduates of Allen Consolidated Schools are encouraged to apply for the Alvin G. and Anita D. Rastede Scholarship, available through the Allen School Foundation.

In order to apply for this \$200 scholarship, the following questions must be answered and sent to the Allen School Foundation, PO Box 190, Allen, NE 68710-0190 by March 30, 2008.

One scholarship will be given and must be used during the 2008-2009 college year for undergraduate studies. The recipient will be notified by April 30 and required (or a representative) to attend the May 10, 2008 graduation ceremony for formal recognition.

Questions to be answered are as follows: 1. What is your college grade classification and GPA? 2. What are your major and/or minor fields(s) of study and career goals? the night at 6:15 p.m. followed by 3. In what on campus activities/work and organizations are you involved? 4. In what offcampus activities/work and organizations are you involved? How will this scholarship be beneficial to you and why are you deserving of it?

#### HONOR BAND

"Part-time Trio" harmonized during the social hour at the Allen Gym Expansion Steak Supper event at the Allen Firehall on Jan. 20. The event kicked off the gym expansion fundraising project for the Allen Community. The Steering Committee has set a goal of raising \$ 208,000 by Graduation 2008. This event raised \$10,000 towards that goal.

Bass Clarinet.

#### **BOOK CLUB**

Join the community in reading The Stepford Wives by Ira Levin. This is an intriguing story about a young couple moving to a new community where the women are just a little too perfect. Check for books at the Allen Senior Center. Discussion will be at the end of February, with the time and place yet to be determined. DESSERT BUFFET

Allen Book Club is hosting a Feb. 13 Ladies Night Out Dessert Buffet at the Allen Fire Hall. The 6:30 event is open to women of the community. Please bring guests, a dessert and its recipe. Join in the fun by bringing your own baby picture and a new or used Valentine gift worth about one dollar. The free-will donation for the desserts will help support the Allen Day Care. Valentine dollar-gift sales and book sale receipts will go toward Book Club expenses. GAME RESCHEDULED

The Junior Boys Game versus Homer cancelled due to weather, has been rescheduled for Monday, Feb. 4 at 2:30 p.m. in Homer. The Boys A & B teams will be playing. Lewis & Clark Basketball Tourney The Lewis & Clark Conference Basketball Tournament began Jan. 26 for the girls and Monday, Jan.28 for the boys. In first round action, the girls will take on Osmond at Allen. The JV squad will start out the Varsity team. With a win, second round action is on Jan. 28 and Lewis Division finals on Friday, Feb. 1.

The Boys begin playing on Monday versus Wausa at Allen. The JV boys team play at 6:15 p.m. followed by the Varsity team. With is sold, \$5 will go to the AHS dance a win, the next game in the tourna- team.

Woodward, Alto Sax; Laura Staum, CAST AS SLEEPING BEAUTY Alexis Oswald, daughter of Curtis and Dawn Oswald, is a member of LAMB Theatre in Sioux City. Alexis has been cast as Princess Aurora in Disney's Sleeping Beauty Kids at LAMB Theatre, 417 Market Street in Sioux City, Iowa.

> In a Kingdom, far, far away... it's Princess Aurora's sixteenth birthday, and Flora, Fauna and Merryweather must use their fairy magic to save her from the wicked spell of the evil sorceress Maleficent.

> The show will feature the talent of LAMB School's musical theater students grades K-6. The last two performances on Feb. 2 and 9. All performances are at 2 p.m. If you order a ticket in advance the cost is less, so contact Dawn Oswald at 402-635-2517 to have her reserve you a ticket or contact the LAMB Theatre for more information. PROM DRESS

#### RUMMAGE SALE

The Allen High School Dance Team is sponsoring a double event: a Prom Dress Rummage Sale and Premier Designs Jewelry Party. The event will be Saturday, Feb. 2 from 8 a.m. until 12 p.m. at the Allen Commons area.

Anyone looking for a sweetheart or prom dress, OR, if you are looking to sell some of your own prom dresses, please feel free to stop in! For someone who is interested in selling prom dresses, we ask that you please mark your dress with the owner's name, phone number, and the asking price. You may either drop your dresses off the morning of the sale (before 8 am), or you may contact Amanda McGhee @ 635-0031 for the other arrangements. For each dress that Morgan, Dawn Fahrenholz. Thursday, Feb. 7: Katie Pick, Kayla Stallbaum, Allan Rastede.

Friday, Feb. 8: Whitney Smith, Randy Gensler, Jean Morgan, Austin Gregerson. **COMMUNITY CALENDAR** Friday, Feb. 1: G/B Finals Lewis Division TBA; Exercise &

Walking at Senior Center; Tatting at Senior Center, 10 a.m.; Birthday party day at Senior Center Saturday, Feb. 2: JHG/B

Basketball at Allen vs. Wynot, 9 a.m.; 9 and 10th Grade Girls/Boys BB at Homer, 9:30 a.m.;5th & 6th Grade girls bb tourney at Laurel, TBA (5th at 8 a.m. -6th at 9 a.m.); Coffee Time at Senior Center; Prom Dress Rummage sale, 8 a.m. - 12 p.m. at Allen Commons Area

Monday, Feb. 4: Exercise & Walking at Senior Center; L&C Girls/Boys Finals at Laurel; JHB at Homer, 2:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 5: Bible Study 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.; Somerset at Senior Center; JVG/JVB/VG/VB at Allen vs. Winside at 4 p.m.; Basketball Girls parent's Night at Winside game; FFA Proficiency Review at Pender evening

Wednesday, Feb. 6: Exercise & Walking at Senior Center

Thursday, Feb. 7: VG/VB at Bloomfield, 6:15 p.m.; Board meeting at Senior Center, 8 a.m.

Friday, Feb. 8: Exercise & Walking at Senior Center; Tatting at Senior Center, 10 a.m.



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and boys will be on Monday, Feb. 4.

#### **Ak-Sar-Ben Ike Friedman Community** Leadership applications requested

Foundation is now accepting nominations for the 2008 Ak-Sar-Ben Ike Friedman Student and Teacher Leadership Awards. Forms may be obtained from Ak-Sar-Ben Area Volunteers as well as by contacting ers to become involved. the Ak-Sar-Ben office at (402) 554-9600 ext. 100 or online at of Isadore "Ike" Friedman. Before www.aksarben.org. Student recipi- his death in 1991, Mr. Friedman ents of the Ike Friedman was one of Omaha's most active Leadership award will be given a \$2,000 scholarship and teacher munity leaders. He "made a differrecipients will be given a \$1,000 monetary stipend.

The Ike Friedman Teacher Award recognizes teachers, kindergarten through twelfth grade, who demonstrate extraordinary leader- founded in 1895 "to build a more ship in education and community prosperous Heartland, where comservice. The Ike Friedman Student Award recognizes high school seniors throughout Nebraska and

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> The Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben were munities can flourish and every child can succeed."

#### TATTING LESSONS

Tatting lessons are being given at the Senior Center on Fridays. If you would like to learn to tat, come to the Center on Friday morning at 10 a.m.

#### SENIOR CENTER

Friday, Feb. 1: Hot dog/bun, pickles/ketchup/mustard, cheese, mac/cheese, kraut, and cherry cobbler.

Monday, Feb. 4: Turkey casserole, beans, fruit cocktail, pudding.

Tuesday, Feb. 5: Tuna/noodles, peas, peaches, bread and milk. Wednesday, Feb. 6: Chicken, mashed potatoes, corn, cherries, bread and milk.

Thursday, Feb. 7: Pork chops, cheesy potatoes, beets, applesauce, bread and milk.

Friday, Feb. 8: Tater tot casserole, green beans, peaches, bread and milk.

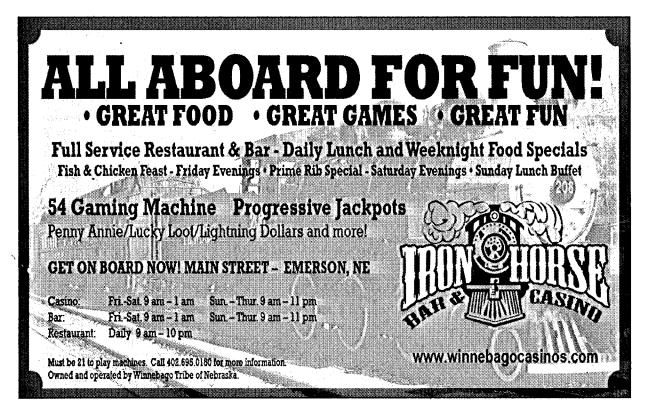
#### **COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS**

Friday, Feb. 1: Sheryl Boyle, Karen Anderson, Loren Carr.

Saturday, Feb. 2: Candy Torres, Eleanor Jones, Ron Kneifl, George and Susan Cooper (A).

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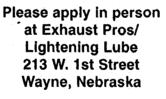
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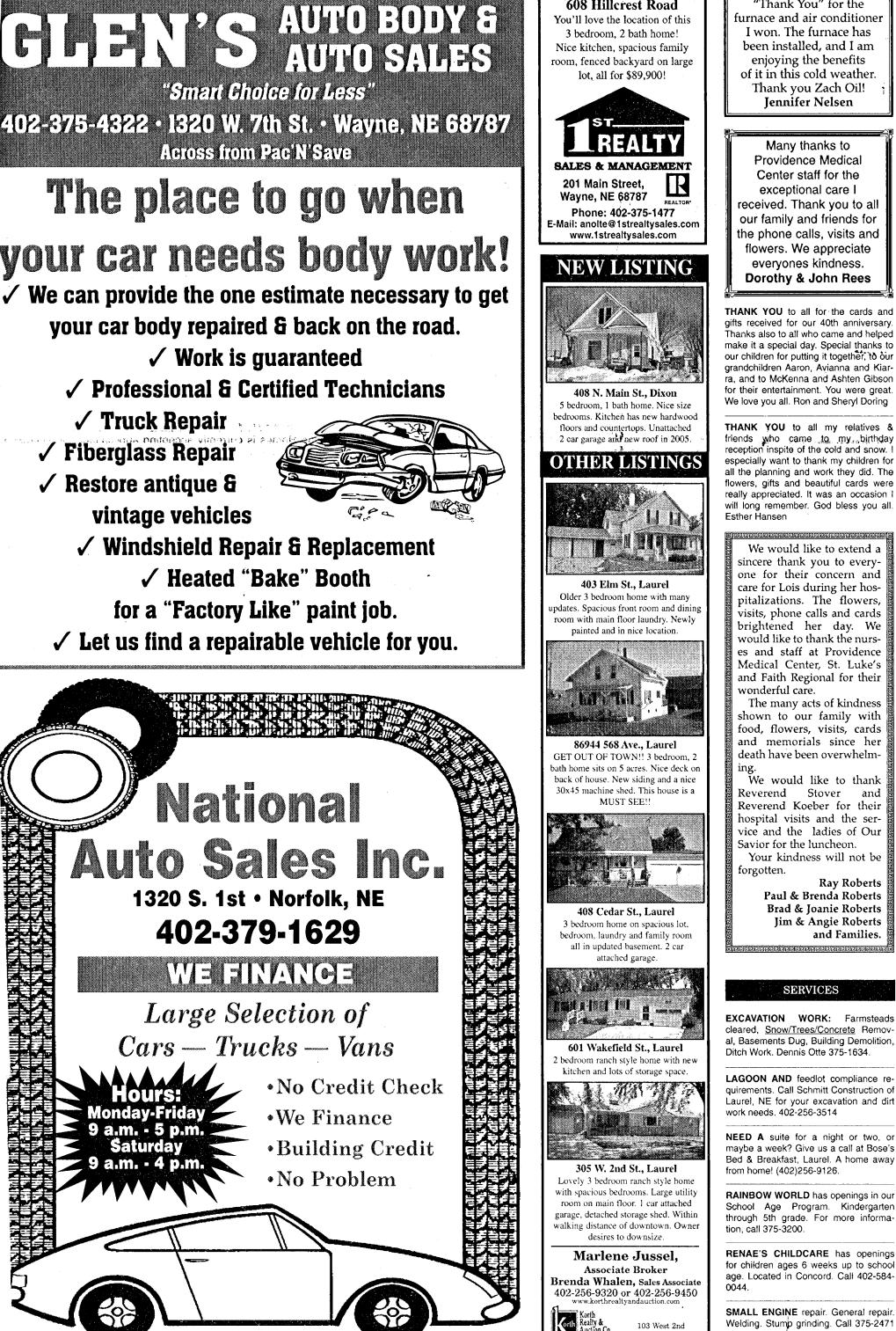
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The many acts of kindness shown to our family with food, flowers, visits, cards and memorials since her death have been overwhelming.

We would like to thank Reverend Stover and Reverend Koeber for their hospital visits and the service and the ladies of Our Savior for the luncheon.

Your kindness will not be forgotten.

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# State Barbar Legal Notices Herald

MEETING NOTICE

The Wayne County Agricultural Society will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, the 14th day of February, 2008 at 7:30pm at Porky's in Winside, Ne. The agenda for this meeting is available for public inspection at the County Extension Office.

Karlene Woslager, Secretary Wayne County Agricultural Society (Publ. Jan. 31, 2008)

NOTICE OF MEETING The Northeast Nebraska Public Health Board of Directors will hold a meeting on February 11 at 5 p.m. at the Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department Office, located at 117 West 3rd Street, Wayne, NE.

**Deadlines** for all legal notices to be published by The Wayne Herald is Mondays at 5 pm.

Wanted: An honest attorney to represent a local family being sued by the City of Wayne. Promptness is required at 9 a.m. on February 6 at the Wayne County Court house in Wayne, NE. Inquiries may call 402-369-2638

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71.88; NORFOLK DAILY NEWS, 86.77; The meeting is open to the public in accordance with the Nebraska Open Meeting Laws. WAYNE HERALD, 79.26 For further info, please contact the Health OFFICE SUPPLIES: US BANK, 67.50;

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POSTAGE: WELLS FARGO CARD SER-VICES, 6.30; RESERVE ACCOUNT, "1,000.00" SPECIAL PROJECTS: NORTHEAST NEBRASKA RC&D, 171.00; VILLAGE OF WINSLOW, "59,061.87"; JEO CONSULTING GROUP,m "8,345.50"

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59.81 UTILITIES: STANTON CO PUBLIC

POWER, "1,484.69" BUILDING MAINTENANCE: DEJONG CONSTRUCTION, 249.84; CULLIGAN, 49.80; NORTHEAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE, "3,331.35"

WATER RESOURCES: GEOTECH, 45.74; MIDWEST LABORATORIES INC, 216.60; BEN MEADOWS COMPANY, 33.76; NE HEALTH LABORATORY, 22.00; BOMGAARS, 35.95; KELLY SUPPLY CO, 11.30; CULLIGAN, 27.30; NE HEALTH LABORATORY, 24.00; NORTH-EAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE, 349.60; UNL, "20,723.55"; HOSKINS MFG CO INC, "4.465.05"

WELL SEALING: EMANUEL FRANCIS, 500.00; MYERS RICHARD T JR, 120.38; BROCKHAUS STEVE, 500.00; SPRIECK BROTHERS FARMS, "1,000.00"; MORLOK JEFF, 284.35; GUBBELS JOHN, 165.81

DEEP SOIL SAMPLING: GUBBELS DUANE, 123.75; GUBBELS JOHN, 123.75; CARPENTER JERRY, 799.50; HOLMES MITCHELL, 90.00; KRIENKE TED, 112.50; THAYER LARRY, 75.00; THAYER EVELYN, 75.00; STECH MARVIN , "6,276.14"

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888.03; HENNINGS DELWYN, "1,804.58"; BROMM RODNEY, "7,235.72"; JEDLICKA SCHULTZ MARIAN, FRANK, 10.24; "1.083.26"; KRIETE FARMS INC, "5,269.03"; BOHLING TRUST GERALD, "2,097.57"; JOHNSON ROGER , "2,552.65"

FORESTRY: WAYNE STATE COLLEGE, "3,351.32"

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Karen Hansen, "1,844.94"; Danny Johnson,

"2,319.18"; Don Kahler, "2,876.43"; Longin

Karel, "1,230.31"; Phyllis Knobbe, "2,038.00";

Tammi Loberg, "2,184.38"; Kathy Luhr, 157.35;

Bob Lundeen, "2,888.44"; Mike Murphy,

"1,963.90"; Char Newkirk, "1,337.77"; Dewayne

Noelle, 555.78; Ken Peitzmeier, 92.35; Cory

Schmidt, "2,295.62"; Laurie Schold, "1,601.97"

Sarah Sellin, "1,660.92"; Marion Shafer, 480.22; Loren Smydra, 458.93; Stan Staab, "4,442.31"; Valissa Tegeler, "1,845.45"; Carey Tejk, "1,902.89"; Linda Unkel, "1,979.40"; Lorraine Walton, 655,22; Suzan Widhalm 1,591.18"; Rick Wozniak, "2,800.66"; Julie Wragge, "2,395.73"

(Publ. Jan. 31, 2008)

#### NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE

COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF DARLENE DOLPH, Deceased. Estate No. PR 08-03

Notice is hereby given that on January 23, 2008 in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written state ment of Informal Probate of the Will of said Deceased and that Lynnelle Sievers whose address is 212 S Nebraska, Wayne, NE 68787 has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before March 31, 2008 or be forever barred.

(s) KimBerly Hansen Clerk of the County Court 510 Pearl Street Wayne, Nebraska 68787 Duane W. Schroeder #13718 Attorney for Applicant 110 West 2nd Street Wayne, NE 68787

(Publ. Jan. 31, Feb. 7, 14, 2008)

#### WINSIDE BOARD OF EDUCATION

PROCEEDINGS The Winside Board of Education met in a Special Meeting at 7:10 a.m. on January 21, 2008 in the elementary library. Members present were Paul Roberts, John Mangels, Laurie Lienemann, Scott Watters, and Carmie Marotz. Steven Jorgensen was absent.

The meeting was called to order by President Roberts.

Discussion and consideration was given on calling an election to exceed the maximum levy established pursuant to 77-3444, R.R.S., and other Nebraska laws, beginning with the 2008-2009 fiscal year and continuing for the 2009-2010 and 2010-2011 fiscal years.

Motion by Watters, second by Mangels to approve Resolution #69, Resolution for Levy Override Election. Aves - Lienemann, Watters, Marotz, Roberts, and Mangels. Nays - none. Absent - Jorgensen.

Motion by Mangels, second by Marotz to approve Resolution #70, Resolution for Two (2) Polling Places. Aves - Lienemann, Watters, Marotz, Roberts, and Mangels. Nays - none. Absent - Jorgensen.

Motion by Watters, second by Lienemann to adjourn.Ayes - all. Nays - none.

Linda Barg (Publ. Jan. 31, 2008)

#### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

The City of Wayne will be accepting bids/proposals to replace the roof of the Power Plant North Engine Room and North Garage Building at 208 S. Main Street. Written proposals must be received in the Wayne City Clerk's Office by 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 13, 2008. For copies of the specifications, please contact the City Clerk's Office at (402) 375-1733.

NOTICE OF MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Airport Authority Monday, February 11, 2008 at 7:00 P.M. at the Wayne Municipal Airport. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office and the airport office.

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removed. Removal must be done only while the ground is frozen. Deadline for removal and clean-up of

trees is April 1, 2008. Bidders must submit proof of \$1 million lia-

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COUNTY TREASURER'S SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT

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January, 2008.

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of Public Works and Utilities, at 402-375-28§

#### WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Receipts and disbursements from July 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007 

	Balances				Balances
	July 1, 2007	Receipts	Disbursements	Transfers	December 31 2
ral	832,748.87	1,928,850.01	1,081,982.02	(512,053.53)	1,167,563.
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County Road & Bridge	17,565.52	496,163.86	792,557.11	378,346.70	99,518.
Spec Rd-Snow Remvi & Eq	1,387,967.82	-	189,128.88	-	1,198,838.1
Rural Road Imp Dist 2001-01	19,336.06	-	-	-	19,336.1
Visitors Promotion Fund	7,175.15	6,610.12	11,041.70	•	2,743.
Reappraisal	38,540.48	320.65	23,660.03	-	15,201.1
Employment Security Act	17,627.14	•	•	-	17,627.1
Relief-Medical	13,308.73	219.18	15.07	-	13,512.6
Regional Centers	8,112.13	2,030.10	1,113.00	-	9.029.2
Veterans Ald	1,243.03	913.03	1,200.00		956.0
County Drug Law Enforcement	55.00	-		-	55.0
Homeland Security Grant	-	74,678.00	74,678.00	-	-
Inheritance Tax	705,480.44	435,619.14	49,444.49	0.00	1,091,655.0
Law Enforcement-Oper.	5,952.65	5,934.00	63,487.75	116,061.35	64,460.2
Co Improvement	51,373.19	27,539.05	•	(63,985.00)	14,927.2
Noxious Weed	12,603.49	-	20,994.33	17,541.44	9,150.6
Law Enforcement Grant	13,008.00	•	-	-	13,008.0
State	138,116.47	614,571.44	664,521.13	-	68,166.71
School Districts	145,556.06	4,373,378.09	3,346,849.46	(283.72)	1,171,800.9
School Bonds	9,103.33	323,229.99	255,789.25	(370.51)	76,173.5(
Fines & License	6,113.75	3,456.25	-	•	9,570.00
Educational Service Units	1,316.93	61,775.54	46,858.03	•	16,234.44
NE Tech Community College	7,123.49	331,169.88	254,586.61	-	83,706.7€
Lower Elkhorn NRD	2,788.28	132,959.03	99,760.31	-	35,987.00
Fire Districts	83,868.49	109,916.04	166,768.01	-	27,016.52
Village General	28,451.99	384,816.34	355,894.87	758.27	58,131.73
Village Improvements	4,446.23	61,793.28	58,247.67	-	7,991.84
County Fair	418.00	19,648.36	14,943.48	-	5,122.88
Airport Authority	535.85	9,274.79	8,494.63	-	1,316.01
Airport Bond	1,400.35	24,045.60	22,033.93	-	3,412.02
Partial Payment	<b>4</b> ,549.48	370.05	3,328.91		1,590.62
Homestead Exemption	-	41,245.10	-	(41,245.10)	-
Pro Rate Motor Vehicle	-	5,491.02	• .	-	5,491.02
In Lieu	•	•	-	-	•
Unclaimed Property	-	22.75	-	•	22.75
TIF Bonds	-	6,291.85	6,291.85	-	-
Pender Hospital	1.76	1,685.73	1,226.70	-	460.79
TOTALS	3,565,888.16	9,484,018.27	7,614,897.22	(105,230.10)	5,329,779.11

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I, Karen McDonald, County Treasurer of Wayne County, Nebraska, being duly sworn, do say that to the best of my knowledge, the foregoing is a true and complete report of all funds on hand, collected and paid out by me, from July 1, 2007 to December 31, 2007.

Main Mr. Donald	County Treasure
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Betty A. McGuire,

(Publ. Jan. 31, 2008)

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# **NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF ROADS** HIGHWAY CORRIDOR MEETINGS

#### **OPEN HOUSE**

Feb. 11, 2008 Date: 6 – 8 p.m. Time: **Community Center** Place: 310 Nebraska St. Hubbard, Nebraska

#### **OPEN HOUSE**

Date: Feb. 12, 2008 Time: 10 a.m. – Noon Place: **Community Building** 101 South Main St. Hoskins, Nebraska

The Nebraska Department of Roads along with the State Highway Commission will hold a series of public forums regarding the potential location of a four-lane divided highway between Norfolk and South Sioux City

The proposed route generally follows existing Nebraska Highway 35. A study of two specific alignments for the future road has been developed and a preferred alternative has been identified.

Much of the new roadway would be located on new alignment, with the use of existing Nebraska 35 as much as practical. Acquisition of public right-of-way throughout the corridor and control of access to the new highway would be required.

The department seeks public input about the project. The series of public forums is being held to provide information and to receive comments and questions. An English and Spanish language translator will be available.

Department representatives will be available to visit individually during the open house information meetings. The public hearing includes a formal explanation of the proposed project followed by open discussion of public comments and questions.

Written statements and exhibits will be accepted through Feb. 22, 2008, as part of the official public record of the highway corridor location study.

The N-35 Corridor Study, DPS-35-4(119), was preceded by a feasibility study completed in November of 2000. The highway corridor location study involves preliminary engineering and completion of a federal Environmental Impact Statement.

The Environmental Impact Statement includes the review of two additional four-lane projects involving about 5 miles of Nebraska 35 near Norfolk. Those projects, known as Norfolk Northeast and Norfolk Southeast, are in the final stages of engineering design

A Draft EIS document for the entire corridor was signed by the Federal Highway Administration on Nov.

#### **OPEN HOUSE**

Date: Feb. 12, 2008 Time: 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. City Auditorium Place: 220 Pearl St. Wayne, Nebraska

#### **PUBLIC HEARING**

Date:	Feb. 12, 2008
Time:	7:30 p.m.
Place:	City Auditorium
	220 Pearl St.
	Wayne, Nebraska

7, 2007. The DEIS document indicates the preferred alternative highway alignment would encroach on existing wetlands and on two historic properties.

Mitigation for wetland impacts involves establishing replacement wetlands along the project or at a wetland bank, consistent with federal and state permits. The encroachment on historic properties is proposed as a de minimis impact without mitigation.

A noise study report was also completed as part of the environmental study.

Copies of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement will be available for review at the public meetings. Copies will also be available for public review and comment at the Nebraska Department of Roads, Planning and Project Development Division, 1500 Hwy 2, Lincoln, NE 68509; the NDOR District 3 Office, 408 N. 13th St., Norfolk, NE 68702; the Federal Highway Administration, 100 Centennial Mall North, Lincoln, NE 68508; the Norfolk Public Library, 127 N. 1<sup>st</sup> St., Norfolk, NE 68702; the South Sioux City Public Library, 2121 Dakota Ave., South Sioux City, NE 68776; and the Wayne Public Library, 410 N. Pearl St., Wayne, NE 68787.

Where possible, the Department of Roads will provide an accessible meeting facility for disabled people. Appropriate provisions for people who are hearing and visually challenged will be made if the department is notified by Jan. 28, 2008. Notification should be submitted to: Public Hearings Officer, Department of Roads, P.O. Box 94759, Lincoln, Nebraska 68509-4759, voice telephone (402) 479-4871. TDD telephone is (402) 479-3834.

Project information is available through the Highway Projects link on the NDOR internet homepage at www.dor.state.ne.us.

For further information regarding the proposed project, contact Steve McBeth in Lincoln at (402) 479-4417

NOTICE OF MEETING The Wayne Community Schools Board of Education will meet in regular session at 6:00 p.m. on Monday, February 11, 2008, at the High School located at. 611 West 7th. Wayne. Nebraska. An agenda of said meeting, kept continually current, may be inspected at the office of the superintendent of schools. Ann Ruwe, Secretary

(Publ. Jan. 31, 2008)

#### NOTICE

A Limited Liability Company has been formed: 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is M.M. MEYER, LLC; 2. The address of the registered office is 85257 578th Avenue, Wayne, Nebraska 68787; 3. The general nature of the business to be transacted is to engage in retail sales of liquor; and to engage in any lawful activities for which a Limited Liability Company may be organized under Nebraska Statute; and to engage in any business or activity that is necessary and proper to the accomplishment of the above purposes: 4. The existence of the Limited Liability Company commenced on January 7, 2008, and its period of duration is perpetual; 5. Management of the affairs of the Limited Liability Company is to be conducted by its Member. The original member is Michael D. Meyer.

Dated Jan. 18, 2008.

by Kate M. Jorgensen #22912 its Attorney (Publ. Jan. 24, 31, Feb. 7, 2008)

#### NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Nebraska Business Corporation Act of the formation of a corporation named DECK FARMS, INC., having its initial registered office at 85589 567th Avenue, Winside, NE 68790. The incorporator and initial registered agent at that office is Rodney W. Deck. The corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 shares of common stock at a par value of \$1.00 per share. The corporation commenced its perpetual existence upon the filing of its Articles of Incorporation on January 8, 2008.

DECK FARMS, INC. Michael T. Brogan, Attorney BROGAN & STAFFORD, P.C. 1400 North 9th Street P.O. Box 667 Norfolk, NE 68702 (Publ. Jan. 17, 24, 31, 2008)

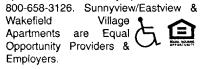
#### ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FOR STANDING WALNUT TIMBER

The City of Wayne, Nebraska, will receive sealed bids until 2 p.m., CST, on the 18th day of February, 2008, at the office of the City Clerk, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska 68787, from contractors to cut down eight live standing walnut trees which shall be designated by having orange numbers painted on the north side of each tree. At that time, all bids will be opened and read aloud in the Council Chambers at the Wayne City Hall.

The trees are all in one contiguous line on property owned by the City of Wayne. They are located within the City of Wayne abutting the east side of residential property at 513 East 10th Street. A temporary access easement on abutting residential properties will be provided to the successful bidder(s) by the City because access to the trees is moderately limited.

Lease required. Call 375-1527, ask for Kathy. After 5 p.m., call 375-1453.

SUNNYVIEW/EASTVIEW & Wakefield Village Apartments: Taking applications for 1 & 2 bedroom apartments in Wayne and 1 & 3 bedrooms in Wakefield. Handicap accessible. Stove & refrigerator. Personal storage unit at no extra cost. All apartments are income based. If you would like to see an apartment or have any questions, call 800-658-3126. Sunnyview/Eastview &



APARTMENT FOR RENT: Very nice, 3bedroom apartment in Wayne. All utilities and cable paid. Frig. and stove provided. No pets; deposit and lease required. Call 402-256-3459 or 402-375-8741

#### COMMERCIAL SPACE FOR LEASE

Available January1. 800 square feet of commercial space. Currently office space but perfect for small business as vell. Front and rear entrances. \$400.00/month. Located at 307 Pear Street. POUTRE PROPERTIES

CALL 375-4693

FOR RENT: Nice, 2-bedroom house in Belden. Stove and fridge furnished. One car garage. Ph. 402-640-6945.

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom in Laurel. Appliances furnished and laundry facilities available, plus extras. No pets. (402)256-9126.

FOR RENT: Exceptionally nice, one, two and three bedroom apartments. High efficiency central air conditioning and heat. Laundromat. Paved parking. Quiet. Call 375-0766 or 369-1216.

FOR RENT: Nice 1, 2, 3, and 4 bedroom apartments. All new heat pumps 1 clip and central air. No parties. Call 375-

#### FOR RENT: Storage space in quonset. Have room for campers, boats, etc. Ph. 402-584-1584.

FOR RENT: Two 3-bedroom apartments at Meadowview Estates, located just east of Pac N Save. Available now. Eligibility and rent are based on income. Appliances included. For application call 375-3660, Equal Housing Opportunity,

1-800-233-7352. Leisure is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

STORAGE UNITS available. Size 14' 31', \$50 per month. Please contac Dave Zach at 375-3149 or Jon Haase a 375-3811.

FIRST MONTH FREE RENT: Ridg Point Apartments, 208 West 13th Stree Wayne, is now taking applications for and 3 bedroom apartments. Applican must be low income eligible. All uni have central air, soft water, stove ar refrigerator. References and deposit r quired. 12 month lease required. N pets. "Equal Housing Opportunit" Phone 402-375-2110, ext. 342.

FOR RENT in Wakefield: Busine front, available immediately, 11'x4 Great for small business. Call Dawn 402-256-3459.

FOR RENT in Winside: Three-bedrohouse. One bath. A/C. No smoking, p ties, or pets in this property. \$380/r Utilities not included. References/dep it required. Ph. 402-286-4839.

FOR RENT in Winside: Newer 2-t room duplex, double car garage. Ar ances with washer/dryer hookups, c tral air. Full basement. No pets. smoking. Ph. 402-286-4205.

FOR RENT: 1, 2, and 3-bedroom ar ments. Stove and refrigerator furnis' No pets or parties. References nee Available, immediately. Call Sandr. 375-4697, 10 AM-5 PM.

FOR RENT: 2-3 bedroom home. Re ences and deposit required. No p Two-car garage and off street park Available January 27. No pets. Ph. 4 649-4756 or 402-329-6935.

FOR RENT: 2-3 BR, 1 BA house Wayne. Central air, W/D hook ups, of storage, near city park. Reliable, I landlord. 375-3840.

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom apartmen Laurel. Close to downtown. Ph. -375-2632 after 6 p.m.

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom apartm Front parking. Very nice. Ph. 402-1620 or 402-585-4849.

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom house in La Appliances furnished. \$275 per mi Ph. 402-256-9417.

402-375-1200.

4816. FOR RENT: One-bedroom apartment. Laundry facility and off street parking.

