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At home, at peace

Spec. Grella's remains are finally laid to rest in Laurel

By CLARA OSTEN
 Of The Herald

More than 500 people, many who never met or knew Spec. Don Grella, filled the Laurel-Concord High School Gym on Saturday to pay their respects and show their support to his family.

Grella's remains were located in Vietnam earlier this year and flown to Omaha on Sept. 26. They were then brought to Laurel for a memorial service and burial between his parents, Leo and Alberta Grella, in the Laurel Cemetery.

Grella's sister, Shirley Haase, spoke about the fact that she realized a lot of people who were at the funeral did not really know her brother. In her eulogy, she decided to tell some things about him so that people would know who he was.

Among the stories Haase shared of her brother was the fact that he loved Elvis and had some of his records. He spent lots of time in front of the mirror trying to get his hair just right. He even had blue suede shoes.

She told that he once wrote a letter from the Easter Bunny and put it in the hay for her to find.

"On my first day of school, we rode our bikes. Don got off of his and pushed it up the hill so that I could feel good about not having to," she said.

Because they lived 14 miles from town, he only had her to play with. They spent time together playing rummy.

For Don, school was somewhere to go to plan his social life.

He was one of the smallest boys in his class, so he spent a lot of time in the basement lifting weights, trying to develop his muscles.

He loved motorcycles.

"Don loved being a soldier, but he didn't enter the service because he wanted to. He got a letter from Uncle Sam saying they wanted him, and so he went. After his two years of service were up, he came home for a year. He decided to re-enlist and make the military his career. After serving 14 months in Korea, he volunteered to make Vietnam his next assignment," Haase said.

She also said she had a lot of emotions about the day, but mostly wanted it to be a

time to celebrate him being home. She did not want him to be forgotten and, obviously on Saturday, he wasn't. She said that when he walked across the stage in the Laurel auditorium to receive his diploma in 1958, who would have thought that today he would be back in the auditorium for this.

Shirley mentioned that she was wearing a watch that belonged to her mother. Years ago, Don entered a drawing at the jewelry store in Laurel and won a watch. He had a choice of taking a man's or woman's watch, so he chose the woman's and gave it to his mother. She wore it for years. When Shirley found it with her mother's things, it wasn't working. She had it cleaned and repaired. Saturday was the first time she ever wore it.

The prayer service the night before the memorial service had been at United Lutheran Church in Laurel, where Don went to church. As she saw the casket there, Shirley said it felt good to have him there.

A family member, Cameron Sutton, also spoke of Grella's mother, Alberta, being "quietly courageous" while she waited to find out if her son was a POW or killed in action. He said that Shirley was also that way, as she never gave up trying to find her brother.

Shirley's husband, Ronald, talked about remembering the other members of the mission as well who were killed along with Don, and thanked the many people who had helped them in their search for him.

During the service, they also took time to have those who are serving or had served in the military stand and be recognized.

Following the service at the gym, Grella's remains were escorted to the Laurel-Concord cemetery by members of the Patriot Guard Riders and Legion Guard riders. Other members of the group formed an honor guard and held American flags along the highway to the cemetery.

During the graveside service, members of the Nebraska National Guard provided the 21-gun salute and playing of taps. This was followed by a flyover of four National Guard helicopters from Grand Island and the presentation of the flag that had draped the casket to Shirley.

After nearly 44 years of being away, SP5 Donald Grella has finally come home.



(Photos by Jan Stark and Clara Osten)
 (above) Members of a military honor guard carry the casket of Spec. Donald Grella after a memorial service Saturday at Laurel-Concord High School. Grella's remains were returned home last week, 44 years after his helicopter crashed in Vietnam. (right) Naval Chief Petty Officer Troy Hanson, who was at the excavation site where Grella's remains were found, presented Grella's coffin flag to Grella's sister, Shirley Haase, who was finally reunited with her brother after more than 40 years.



Lori Carollo

Carollo set to step down at Red Cross

Lori Carollo, Executive Director of the Northeast Nebraska Chapter of the American Red Cross has resigned her position effective Oct. 9.

In her letter addressed to the Board of Directors, Carollo stated, "In many ways, leaving the Red Cross is like parting with a dear friend for me. So many of you have inspired me with your dedication to service, your compassion for strangers, and your commitment to fulfilling the mission of the Red Cross. Over the last 10 years, we have faced many personal and organizational challenges, grew this chapter from serving one county to nine counties, and offered one another advice and counsel. We have provided critically needed services when we were all too tired to reasonably add one

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Council gets update on revolving loan status

By CLARA OSTEN
 Of The Herald

Three public hearings, the passage of eight resolutions and a presentation on energy saving measures at Wayne State College were part of Tuesday's meeting of the Wayne City Council.

The first public hearing and resolution dealt with granting a liquor license to BaHa, Inc., doing business as The Rain Tree. The business has recently been purchased by Joseph and Kari Baldwin and Troy and Michelle Harder.

Michelle Harder told the council that the two couples "look forward to serving the community and plan no major changes to the business."

A public hearing was held in regard to a Wayne Revolving Loan application from Interactive Impact, Inc. for \$100,000 in start-up fees. The business, owned by Stephanie Liska and Tim Fertig, is an interactive Web service that will be used by high school athletic and extracurricular programs throughout the country.

City Treasurer Nancy Braden explained the process of obtaining a revolving loan from the city of Wayne and gave a brief overview of its history, including the fact that in its 20 year history, more than \$2 million has flowed through the fund as money was loaned to Wayne businesses, repaid and loaned to other businesses.

Due to the fact that neither Liska or Fertig was able to be present at the hearing, it was continued to the next council meeting.

The final public hearing of the evening was in regard to the engineering report for the construction of the multi-stage activated biologic process wastewater plant. This is required for state revolving loan funding from the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality and other funding agencies.

Roger Protzman with JEO told the council that a public hearing is required before receiving federal funds. He also shared comments received in regard to the project, including the impact on wet lands and the Platte River. None of the comments received require the city to take any further

action.

Four of the resolutions passed at Tuesday's meeting involved designating a Responsible Charge for future projects in the city that are eligible for federal Highway funds.

The city has designated Joel Hansen as the responsible charge employee of the city for the East 10th Street, Main Street to Windom Street project, the Windom Street from East Third Street to East Seventh Street project, the Phase II Trail project and the Trail Underpass project.

Resolution 2009-96 received unanimous approval from the council. It awards a bid to Rutjens Construction in Tilden for the 2009 water distribution projects. The bid of \$133,000 was lower than the engineer's estimate of \$145,000 and will be financed through the federal government's stimulus program with a portion of the amount as a forgivable loan and the remainder as a 20 year, low interest loan.

The final resolutions of the evening involved the city

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(Photo by Jan Stark)

The Dixon Auditorium was torn down early Oct. 1 to make way for a new 6,000-square foot auditorium. Dixon officials expect the new auditorium to be open in spring 2010.

Dixon auditorium torn down, new one set to open in 2010

By MICHAEL CARNES
 Of The Herald

It took a local wrecking crew about 30 minutes to turn the old Dixon Auditorium into a pile of wood early Thursday, Oct. 1.

The auditorium, which was almost 100 years old, needed to be demolished because the foundation is in bad shape, according to Dixon mayor Jeff Hartung.

"The building was just worn out, but we got a lot of good use out of it," he said, noting that a recent fundraiser at the auditorium drew more than 500 people. "You hate to see it go, but it's one of those things where the building needed to be replaced."

Once the work began by Schmidt Construction of Laurel, who donated their

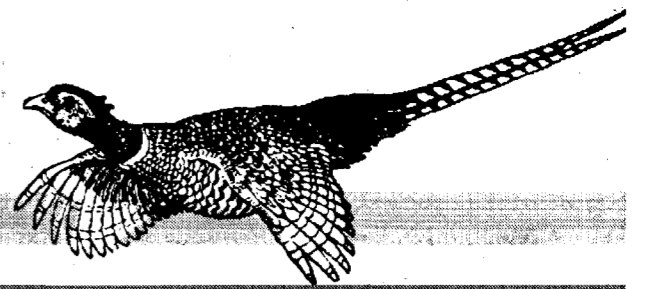
services to tear down the old auditorium, the building was reduced to a pile of lumber in about 30 minutes.

The old building was a go-to place for weddings and events in the tiny Dixon County community for many years. An old dance hall and hardware store that stood near the auditorium was torn down and materials from that building were used in the construction of the auditorium in the early 1940s. The auditorium served as the home basketball court for Dixon High School during its heyday.

The village will use community development block grant money to build the new 6,000-square foot auditorium. Hartung hopes the new building's foundation will be poured later this fall.

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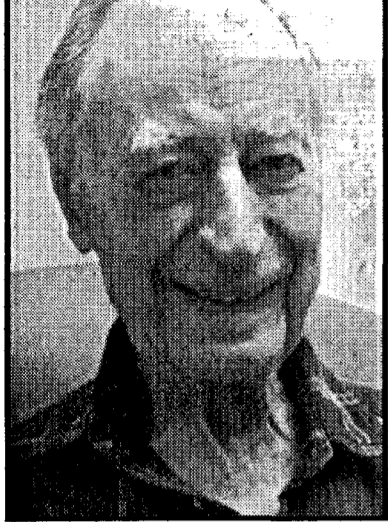


Obituaries

Harvey C. Langemeier

Harvey C. Langemeier, 93, of Wayne died Wednesday, Sept. 30, 2009 at Premier Estates Senior Living Community in Wayne.

Services were held Monday, Oct. 5 at the Evangelical Covenant Church in Wausa. Pastor Matt Norlen officiated.



Harvey Charles Langemeier was born May 13, 1916, in Hooper, to Frederick William and Sophie (Hasebrook) Langemeier. He married Anna Mae Larsen on Dec. 25, 1941. He was inducted into the United States Army on Aug. 15, 1942, where he served in Iceland and Okinawa. He received the American Service Medal, the European African Middle Eastern Service Medal, Asiatic Pacific Service Medal, the World War II Victory Medal and the Good Conduct Medal. Harvey's wife Anna Mae died Dec. 5, 1983. While they were married, Harvey pursued his passion of farming in the Plainview area before serving his country, and afterwards in the

Magnet area. He married Billie Caple on June 20, 1986, in Clinton, Ark., which is where they lived until Billie died on April 8, 2002. Harvey then moved to Wayne.

Survivors include three sons, Eugene and Cheryl Langemeier of North Platte, Gary and Janet Langemeier of Hemet, Calif. and Wayne and Diana Langemeier of Wayne; two step-children: Bob Caple of Clinton, Ark. and Wanda Miller of Houston, Texas; eight grandchildren and two step-grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren and three step-great-grandchildren, and one great-great grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his two wives; one infant daughter; his brother, Roy Langemeier, and his sister, Alva Rafert.

Memorials can be made to the Evangelical Covenant Church, 600 East Grant St., Wausa, Neb. 68786.

Burial was in Woodlawn Cemetery with military rites conducted by VFW Post #5824 of Wausa. Brockhaus Funeral Home in Creighton was in charge of the arrangements.

Merlin V. "Benny" Meyer

Hastings resident, Merlin V. "Benny" Meyer, 84, died Thursday, Oct. 1, 2009 at Mary Lanning Memorial Hospital.

Services were held Monday, Oct. 5 at Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd in Hastings with Pastor Steven Peeler officiating.



Merlin Meyer was born Jan. 17, 1925 in Coleridge to Bernhard and Gertrude (Eilert) Meyer. He graduated from High School, and attended Wayne State Teacher's College in Wayne for two years. On Aug. 8, 1954, he married Golda Mae Stafford in Decatur. She preceded him in death on Nov. 9, 1998. On Sept. 28, 2001, he married Julane (Frahm) Kathman in Grand Island. He worked as a manager for Safeway throughout the state of Nebraska. He was a member of the Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd and was very active in the church. He was a member of the American Legion in Hastings and was in the U.S. Army from May 26,

1943 to Jan. 29, 1946. He operated a Roller Rink and was a very good roller-skater. He loved playing dominos, camping, and fishing. After his retirement, he volunteered at the Hastings Food Pantry and Meals On Wheels.

Merlin was preceded in death by his parents; wife; and son, Rodney Meyer.

Survivors include his wife, Julane Meyer of Hastings; children, Craig and Jacqueline Meyer of Winchester, Ky. and Terra and Lowell Myers of Carson City, Nev.; two grandchildren; one sister, Lorraine and Jim Stansberry of York; niece, Konda and Bob Cooper of York; step-children, Cindy & Ron Construck of Giltner and Kim and Craig Arnold of Trumbull; seven step-grandchildren; six step-great-grandchildren.

Burial was in Parkview Cemetery in Hastings. Memorials may be given to Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd or Hastings Food Pantry. Condolences may be sent @ www.lbvfh.com. Livingston-Butler-Volland Funeral Home & Cremation Center was in charge of arrangements.

Louise Larsen

Louise Larsen, 101, of Wayne died Wednesday, Sept. 30, 2009.

Services were held Monday, Oct. 5 at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne. The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp and the Rev. John Pasche officiated.

Louise Emma Larsen was born July 14, 1908 on a farm south of Wakefield to Frank and Louise (Erxleben) Longe. She was baptized and confirmed at St. Paul's Lutheran Church south of Wakefield. She attended St. Paul's Lutheran Parochial School and District 27 of rural Wakefield. Louise married Raymond Larsen at St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Dec. 28, 1933. The couple farmed southeast of Wayne, until retiring to Wayne in 1975. Louise was a member of Grace Lutheran Church, Grace's Ladies Aid, Lutheran Women's Missionary League, Concerned Bible Class, Senior Fellowship, and the Pleasant Valley Club.

Survivors include one daughter, Barbara Muhs of Janesville, Wis.; two sons, Larry Larsen and Don (Sue) Larsen all of Wayne; six grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; one nephew, and three nieces.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Raymond in 1978; granddaughter, Teresa Miland; four brothers, August, Rudolph, Albert and Walter; three sisters, Martha Biermann, Hulda Turner, and Esther Gildersleeve; one nephew and two nieces.

Memorials may be made to Grace Lutheran Church.

Honorary pallbearers were Louise's great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were Louise's grandchildren, Donald T. Larsen, Douglas Larsen, Audrey Uloth, Kimberly Schultz, Randall Muhs and Byron Muhs.

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

Austin Gothier

Austin Gothier, 86, of Dixon, died Wednesday, Sept. 30, 2009 at Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk.

Services were held Tuesday, Oct. 6 at St. Anne's Catholic Church in Dixon. The Rev. James McCluskey officiated.



Austin Paul Gothier was born Dec. 30, 1922 on a farm east of Hartington to Paul and Margaret (Jensen) Gothier. He attended country school at Sunny Lee east of Hartington. Austin served in the United States Navy during World War II in the Pacific Theater from 1944-1945. He married Delilah Meier on Feb. 9, 1948 at St. Peter and St. Paul Catholic Church in Bow Valley. He was devoted to his wife for 61 years. The couple farmed from 1948-1972. Austin was employed by The State of Nebraska Department of Roads until retiring in 1985. He was a member of St. Anne's Catholic Church in Dixon and life-time member of Hartington V.F.W. His greatest

joys and legacies were his children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. His hobbies were Blue Grass festivals and camping.

Survivors include his wife, Delilah; four sons, Kevin Gothier of Laurel, Dennis (Kathie) Gothier of Norfolk, Daniel (Marcella) Gothier of Menominee, and Neil (Lori) Gothier of Binsfeld, Germany; two daughters, Renee Wragge of Laurel, and Michelle (Brent) Heydon of Laurel; son-in-law, David Adams of Plainview; 29 grandchildren; and 24 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one daughter, Kathleen Adams in April 2009; one brother, Lowell, in October 2008; and son-in-law, Larry Becker in April 1983.

Honorary pallbearers were Austin and Delilah's grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Active pallbearers were Austin and Delilah's grandsons, Brandon Gothier, Sean Gothier, Christopher Heydon, Andrew Gothier, Corey Becker, Greg Adams and Eric Gothier.

Burial with military rites was in St. Philip and St. James Catholic Cemetery at St. James. Hasemann Funeral Home in Laurel was in charge of arrangements.

Harold Erdmann

Harold D. Erdmann, 90 of Crofton, died on Monday, Oct. 5, 2009 at the Avera Sacred Heart Hospital in Yankton, S. D.

Services were held Thursday, Oct. 8 at the Wintz Funeral Home in Crofton with Rev. David Gunderson officiating. Inurnment will be on Friday, Oct. 9 at 3 p.m. at the Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne with military honors provided by the Wayne Combined Veteran Organizations.

Harold D. Erdmann was born Jan. 2, 1919 at Barneston, Neb. to Stief and Mina (Ottersberg) Erdmann. He grew up in the Barneston and Wymore, Neb. area and graduated from Barneston High School in 1937. He worked at the CCC Camp in Winside. He married Fae E. Davison on June 1, 1940 in Pender. They made their home in Wayne and Harold served in the U.S. Marine Corp during WWII. After the service, he began Erdmann Construction and built many homes.

In 1972 the couple moved to an area near the Walker Valley at Lewis and Clark Lake. On March 4, 1987 Harold's wife, Fae, died. He then married Valeria Halverson on Dec. 28, 1987 at Crofton. He loved to spend time with his family, especially his grandchildren. He had a remarkable ability to figure out how things worked and he was able to solve many problems. He loved to invent and fix things.

Survivors include his wife, Valeria, of Crofton; five children, Linda and Alvin Gehner of Wayne; Carol Erdmann of Atoka, Tenn.; Brian and Neva Erdmann of Carroll; Kevin and Terri Erdmann of Crofton and Keith and Lorraine Erdmann of Fort Collins, Colo.

He was preceded in death by his parents, first wife, Fae, a son, David Erdmann, a granddaughter, Ariana Erdmann, two great-grandchildren, Auburn and Cameron Lindsay, and 13 brothers and sisters.

Honorary pallbearers were Renee Turner, Colette Anderson, Lori Brown, Traci Petersen, Lisa Lindsay and Sadie Erdmann.

Active pallbearers were Brad Erdmann, Seth Erdmann, Matthew Erdmann, Daryl Lindsay, Scot Anderson, Robin Turner and Jesse Graves.

The Wintz Funeral Home in Crofton was in charge of arrangements. To send online condolences or to view the video tribute, please visit www.wintzrayfuneralhome.com.

Wayne libraries to host author Ellen Klages

The Wayne Public Library and Wayne Public School Libraries will be jointly hosting a visit from young adult and children's author, Ellen Klages, on Thursday, Oct. 15 at 6:30 pm, at the Wayne Public Library, 410 Pearl Street.

Ms. Klages has several titles to her credit including, The Brain Explorer and Science Explorer books, White Sands, Red Menace, Firebirds Soaring: An Anthology of Original Speculative Fiction, Firebirds Rising: An Anthology of Original Science Fiction and Fantasy, and The Green Glass Sea, the 2009 title choice for "One Book, One Nebraska Kids."

"One book, One Nebraska" is a program designed to give kids in Nebraska common background knowledge to discuss ideas and books. This title also helps explore a common point in history taking place on the secret base in Los Alamos, N. M. during World War II. Deway, the main character, has to go live with her father, a scientist working on a "gadget" to end the war.

"We hope many people will come hear Ms. Klages and get involved in the One Book, One Nebraska Program," said Julie Osnes, Youth Services Director.

You can also visit <http://www.nlc.state.ne.us/libdev/obonk.html> to see puzzles, activities and discussion questions for The Green Glass Sea.

This program is presented by the Nebraska Library Commission in cooperation with the Nebraska Regional Library Systems, funded in part by the Nebraska Humanities Council and the Nebraska Cultural Endowment. This project is supported in part by the United States Institute of Museum and Library Services under the provision of the Library Services and Technology Act, granted and administered by the Nebraska Library Commission.

"We were one of the lucky libraries that won a visit from Ms. Klages and we hope that it will be a fun experience for everyone who comes out," Osnes said.

Looking Ahead in Wayne

By Lowell Johnson,
City Administrator

City Council meeting

The next regular City Council meeting will be held Tuesday, Oct. 20 at 5:30 p.m. in the council room.

Recent Wayne County Trends from Nebraska Department of Labor

(1) Number of Government Workers in Wayne County in '01 & '08:

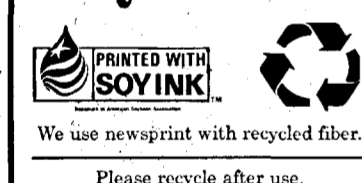
	2001	2008
Federal Workers	42	34
State Workers	794	459
Local Workers	585	625
Private Business Employees	2,870	3,039
Total Employees	5,531	5,292

- (2) 1,122 employees living in Wayne work in Wayne
- (3) 1,032 employees living in Wayne work in another city
- (4) 1,117 employees work in Wayne but live elsewhere
- (5) Wayne County population in 1970? 10,400
- (6) Wayne County population in 2008? 9,274

Questions or comments?

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

A Quick Look



Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Oct. 1	69	40	.35"	
Oct. 2	55	42	.38"	
Oct. 3	46	42	.11"	
Oct. 4	57	29	—	
Oct. 5	55	29	.08"	
Oct. 6	51	44	.40"	
Oct. 7	47	31	T	

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — 4.56 / Monthly snow — 0
Yr./Date — 3.28 / Seasonal snow — 17"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Oct. 9 at the Wayne Fire Hall in observance of Fire Prevention Week. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15.

Expand Your Horizons set for Oct. 13

AREA — The Wayne Public Library's "Expand Your Horizons" second session is planned for Tuesday, Oct. 13. "Job Skills in Today's Market" is the focus of the fall Expand Your Horizons series at Wayne Public Library. The second session features Robert Foxhoven, who has been employed with First National Bank of Omaha for 22 years. Foxhoven will focus his presentation on the errors people make when completing online applications. He will be giving recommendations on completeness and difficult questions that applicants have trouble answering. Sessions are open to the public and begin at 6:30 p.m. at Wayne Senior Center. No reservations are required.

AMBER Alerts are fake

STATE — The Nebraska State Patrol has received reports of fake AMBER Alerts being sent by email or text message to individuals within the State of Nebraska. The fake alerts appear to be similar to ones sent throughout Iowa in September.

There is currently no active AMBER Alert in the state. AMBER Alerts in Nebraska can only be issued by the Nebraska State Patrol.

"AMBER Alerts once issued are broadcast through the Emergency Alert System (EAS)," Sgt. Tom Reinhart, Nebraska State Patrol AMBER Alert Verification Officer, said. "If you haven't heard it on the radio or seen it scroll across your TV screen, it is more than likely a hoax."

Wireless alerts are a secondary alert system and are only sent to individuals who have signed up for the service.

"We find it very disappointing, that someone would take a system designed to save lives and turn it into a hoax," Reinhart said.

Winter Bridge begins at Wayne Senior Center

The Winter Bridge group began on Tuesday, Oct. 6 with 12 persons attending. Bridge was played at three tables.

Hostesses were Joan Lage and Phyllis Hix.

Bridge will be played again on Tuesday Oct. 13. For reservations, contact hostesses Lorraine Johnson at 375-2864 or Fauneil Bennett at 375-3542.



Building a mountain

Fifth grade students at Wayne Middle School and their parents spent a portion of last week constructing various landforms. The project is an annual event in Phyllis Trenhaile's Social Studies classes.

Black Hills Energy weatherizing Nebraska customers' homes

Fall means the cold winds of winter will soon be blowing in Nebraska, and that employees of Nebraska natural gas provider Black Hills Energy will again be weatherizing the homes of customers in its Nebraska service territory.

Black Hills' weatherization program, in its fourth year in some parts of the company, is a company wide program in which Black Hills employees weatherize homes of selected customers unable to do the work themselves because of age, health or financial reasons. The program also raises awareness among customers by demonstrating how to manage utility bills and reduce energy usage with simple, low-cost measures.

"A customer's monthly natural gas bill is determined by the price of natural gas and how much is used," said Dan Mechtenberg, vice president of Nebraska natural gas operations, Black Hills Energy. "Natural gas is a domestic, abundant resource whose price is low. Yet using energy wisely is always a good idea and helping customers do that is a priority of ours. These steps taken in preparation for winter will also help customers conserve energy year-round."

Black Hills weatherizes homes selected by city officials and community service agencies. Last year, Black Hills employees weatherized 124 homes in several states throughout the company's service territory.

In Nebraska, health and human service agencies and community service agencies aware of a weatherization need in a Black Hills-served community are invited to contact Black Hills Energy Nebraska Manager of External Affairs Jan Davis to discuss the possibility of Black Hills providing its weatherization service in their community this fall. Davis' phone number is 402-935-4868; her e-mail address is jan.davis@blackhillsenergy.com.

Black Hills Energy weatherization teams will perform a number of measures on the homes, which may include inspecting and cleaning the furnaces; replac-

ing furnace filters; and installing weatherstripping, caulking, pressurized expanding foam, window plastic, outlet gaskets, water heater blanket on a water heater 10 years old or older, and water heater pipe insulation. Customers whose homes are weatherized by the company will also receive a complimentary package of light bulbs known as compact fluorescent lamps. Using CFLs helps save energy.

Fire Prevention Week 2009 is Oct. 4-10, so the company is also checking batteries in smoke and carbon monoxide detectors in homes it weatherizes this fall and replacing them if necessary. The company will also install smoke and carbon monoxide detectors if a home doesn't have them.

Black Hills Energy offers many other programs and services to help customers manage their natural gas bills and control energy usage, including a budget billing program to level out monthly payments and spread winter bills over the entire year. Additionally, Black Hills sponsors its own energy assistance program, Black Hills Cares, through which customer and employee contributions are matched by the company and forwarded to local agencies for residential energy assistance. Customers can indicate on their bill the amount they want to contribute monthly. In Nebraska, The Salvation Army's HeatShare energy assistance program disburses Black Hills Cares funds.

Black Hills also helps Nebraska customers manage their energy expenses through the Annual Price Option program, which locks in the per-therm price the customer pays for natural gas for one year regardless of changes in the market price of natural gas.

For more information on programs and services from Black Hills Energy, contact the company's 24/7 Customer Service Center at 888-890-5554, or go to www.blackhillsenergy.com. Nebraska customers with questions about APO should call a special APO information line, 800-753-7509.



Educating the officials

More than 30 county officials spent the week of Sept. 21-25 in Wayne taking part in an IAAO Course entitled Mass Appraisal of Real Property. Those in attendance came from northeast Nebraska, western Nebraska and South Dakota and as far away as Port Allen, La. Rick Stuat of Topeka, Kan. was the instructor of the 30 credit hour class which involved classroom activities for the first four days and testing on the final day. Wayne County Assessor Joyce Reeg was in charge of local arrangements.

EnergyWise Tip: October is built around CFLs

Three letters - CFL - have potential to change the way Nebraskans use energy.

Relatively new technology, the compact fluorescent light bulb is an energy-efficient emitter of light that performs adequately in many, but not all, situations where a standard incandescent light bulb has been used in the past.

The CFL has many benefits when compared to its elder cousin. Chief among those, a CFL can last up to 10 times longer than a standard light bulb and uses about 75 percent less energy while producing a comparable amount of illumination.

Here are some facts about CFLs.

- CFLs are safe to use and are energy efficient. It's true, each bulb contains about five milligrams of mercury, but this does not pose a health risk when the bulbs are

properly used, handled, and disposed of.

- If a CFL breaks, it is safe for you to clean the broken bulb yourself by following some general safety practices. For more information visit www.epa.gov

- When buying a CFL, select one with an ENERGY STAR® on the label. This indicates the bulb has met strict federal specifications for quality, energy savings, long life, color and brightness.

- CFLs come in all shapes and sizes making it possible for you to replace nearly every conventional light bulb in your home. When shopping for a CFL, check the wattage equivalency numbers on the package.

- A typical 20-watt CFL costs around \$3 when purchased as a single bulb and about \$2 per bulb or less when purchased in multi-

packs. The CFL bulb will often pay for itself in energy savings and low electric bills in less than eight months, depending upon your local electric rate and hours of use. And the energy/cost savings don't end then; a CFL will save you money throughout its long life.

For more information on steps homeowners can take to improve the efficiency of their homes, contact your local public power utility, or visit the ENERGY STAR® Home Advisor at www.energystar.gov/homeadvisor.

Lots of useful energy efficiency information is also available at www.nppd.com.

Your public power electric utility wants you to get the most energy value for your money. It costs far less to save energy than it does to build a new power plant to generate additional power.

WBA co-founder Sharer inducted into Wayne Baseball Hall of Fame

By Jon Burleson

Baseball has always been a part of Cletus Sharer's world. Wayne baseball in particular holds a special place in the local legend's life.

Sharer discovered baseball at the age of five. He found an open field near his home the perfect place to indulge in the All-American activity. Then, in the 1930s, an actual baseball diamond was installed in that field by the Works Progress Administration (a New Deal agency).

Sharer began a 65-year journey around the bases that culminated in his induction into the Wayne Baseball Hall of Fame in 2001.

The septuagenarian was an avid participant in any scratch game at the park. He formed his own team and played anyone looking for competition. His wife, Vona, remembers him playing in a loosely organized league long before there was an official team.

"He played baseball for Wayne before there was a town team," she said. "They played anyone in the area, but they couldn't afford to travel around."

When Sharer was about 12 years old, he began to play on a

sanctioned Wayne baseball squad. He played second base for the most part, but said they would play him in the outfield, as well.

Age divisions didn't exist as they do now, so he shared the dugout with some older local boys. These more worldly teammates introduced him to the fine art of chewing tobacco - a staple of baseball players in those days.

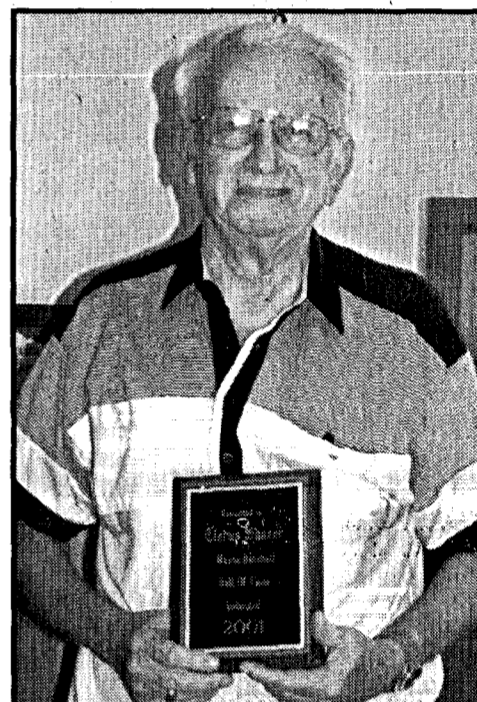
"I wanted to be like the older boys," Sharer said. "So, I stuck a big wad of tobacco in my mouth."

On his next at bat, Sharer lined a double down the first baseline. Unfortunately, while sliding into second base he swallowed the tobacco.

"I got so sick I had to go home," he said. "I told my mother that I had gotten too hot."

After a 10-year career, Sharer hung up his mitt. But, the love of the game never left. He stayed active in supporting the Wayne Baseball Association, which he had helped found.

His children played in the WBA,



Cletus Sharer was inducted into the Wayne Baseball Hall of Fame.

as did his grandchildren. He believes that while he spent a good deal of his life holding a baseball - it may have actually been the other way around.

"Baseball is great," Sharer said. "I always looked forward to a game."

Jaycees Plan Fall Craft Festival for Oct. 23-24

The Wayne County Jaycees are working on plans for their 3rd Annual Fall Craft & Gift Festival.

The festival is slated to take place Oct. 23-24, at the National Guard Armory in Wayne. Hours Friday will be from 6-9 p.m., and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

All area crafters, quilters, artists and home-based businesses are invited to display products during this two day event. Cost for hosting a display booth is \$30 per exhibitor, and tables will be provided upon request.

A wide variety of exhibitors with displays ranging from wooden crafts, candles and homemade jams to spices, prepared foods and jewelry are already confirmed for this year's event.

Concessions will be available for those attending and drawings for door prizes will take place regularly throughout the day. A bake sale will also be held in

conjunction with the festivities.

An admission fee of one canned or boxed food item will be collected at the door. Items will be delivered to the Wayne State College Food Pantry and most needed are canned fruits, meats and soups as well as boxed meals. A \$1 admission fee will be charged to those without a food pantry item.

All display fee and admission fee proceeds will be used to support projects hosted by the Jaycees across Wayne County including Adopt a Highway, Make a Difference Day, Light up the Sky Fireworks Show, Henoween Kid's Games and Relay For Life.

Interested exhibitors are asked to contact Festival chairperson Trisha Hansen at (402) 518-0675 to reserve a booth.

All display areas will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis so call today to reserve your space.

Some areas open to both Nebraska, Iowa hunting license

A new reciprocal agreement allows for some hunting on certain Nebraska-Iowa border lands.

The agreement offers new hunting opportunities to residents of both states by including some Iowa land that lies west of the Missouri River and Nebraska land east of the river.

The purpose of the agreement between the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission and the Iowa Department of Natural Resources is to allow people with Nebraska hunting permits to take game and furbearing animals on Iowa lands and people with Iowa hunting permits to take game and furbearing animals on Nebraska lands.

Iowa lands are those under that state's jurisdiction that are wholly surrounded by the state of Nebraska, and Nebraska lands are those under that state's jurisdiction that

are wholly surrounded by the state of Iowa.

People hunting with a Nebraska permit on Iowa lands must abide by the regulations of Iowa and people hunting with an Iowa permit on Nebraska lands must heed the regulations of Nebraska. Those regulations include season dates and bag limits. The agreement is only for holders of resident Nebraska or Iowa permits.

The agreement does not include hunting turkey, deer or grouse hunting. It also does not include hunting at DeSoto Bend National Wildlife Refuge.

Susan Heggstad to show work at Wayne State College

Artist Susan Heggstad will be showing her work at Wayne State College in the Nordstrand Visual Arts Gallery, Oct. 12 through 30. There will be an opening and reception on Monday, Oct. 12 from 4:30 to 6 p.m.

Heggstad also has print work on display until Nov. 29 at the Washington Pavilion of Arts and Science Visual Arts Center, 301 S. Main Avenue, Sioux Falls, S.D.

Heggstad is a non-traditional printmaker who has no interest in creating multiples, which is the typical definition of the medium. She is drawn to printmaking instead, because of the endless potential for variations on a theme. Her mixed-media prints are one-of-a-kind works that begin with a limited number of collagraphic plates.

The exhibit at Wayne State College will be available for viewing at the Nordstrand Visual Arts Gallery from 9 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. on Monday through Friday while classes are in session. All Exhibitions will end at noon on the closing date.

For more information, please call 375-7355.

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Q-125 dance set for Sunday

Residents are being encouraged to get out their dancing shoes and take part in a free Q-125 Harvest Dance at the Wayne City Auditorium on Oct. 11.

Music will be provided by the Tommy Bishop Band of Oakland and will the dance will run from 4 to 7 p.m. The event will also include a flag presentation by the Wayne Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Rusty Parker of State Farm Insurance is sponsoring the event. He has known Ed Hanna, leader of the band for many years, as Hanna was also a State Farm Agent.

Parker said that in February, when the city observed its birthday, he and his wife, Deniel, saw a list of the planned activities for the city's Q-125 celebration and felt there was a need for a dance with a live band.

Parker contacted the Q-125 committee and determined a date that would work for making the dance of part of the year-long celebration.

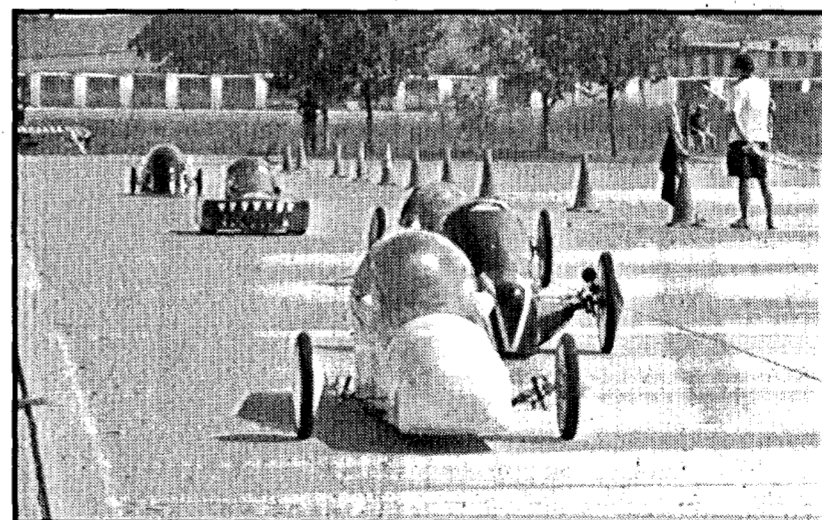
"Dancing was an important part of family life when Deniel was growing up and we felt that this is probably true for others in the community," Rusty said.

He said that it is difficult to find live music to dance to, as there are not a lot of bands in existence today.

The Tommy Bishop Band is an eight-piece orchestra that plays Big Band music from the 1940's.

There is no charge to attend the dance and door prizes will be given away throughout the event.

Also that night, the winners of the Q-125 Pumpkin Contest will be announced and the pumpkins will be on display at the auditorium.



Race Day

High School and college students from throughout the area took part in the annual Power Drive held at First National of Omaha - Wayne Service Center. At left, the cars ran neck-and-neck through most of the race. Below, several accidents occurred during the afternoon. Sponsors of the race include Wayne State College and Nebraska Public Power District.



Jail committee presents findings to county board

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Four counties, including Wayne County, could be part of a regional facility that would address a growing regional need for jail beds.

The Northeast Nebraska Jail Committee made a 45-minute presentation to the Wayne County Board of Commissioners Tuesday morning, going over initial concepts for a jail facility that would address the needs of county law enforcement in Wayne, Stanton, Cuming and Thurston counties.

A series of five meetings has produced information regarding the possibility of building such a facility. A central location that would be of near-equal distance between the four county seats is located just to the north and east of the intersection of highways 51 and 275, about one mile west of Wisner.

The proposed site is no more than 20 miles from either of the four county seats, and would also be in close proximity to hospitals in West Point, Pender, Wayne and Norfolk.

Cuming County supervisor Steve Sell told the board that each of the four counties have jail facilities that are in need of replacing, particularly Thurston County, whose facility is in dire need of renovation.

"We have four jails in the circle that are quite old, quite close to capacity and are in an area that could support a multi-county facility," Sell told the board. "Some

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of the counties are on borrowed time right now."

The committee presented two possibilities for a regional jail facility, one that would include 64 beds and a second that would house 88 inmates.

The smaller of the two options would require a building of 28,950 square feet and could be built for just under \$7.5 million. The 88-bed facility would be a little more than 34,000 square feet and would cost about \$8.8 million.

Jim Berg, a facilitator for the committee, told the board that each of the four counties would share in the cost of construction and maintenance of the facility. How much each county would contribute is something that would be negotiated between the counties.

Assuming all four counties were to enter into an agreement, each of the counties would use general obligation bonds to pay off their share of the construction of the facility, Berg said. Wayne County's

board was the first of the four county boards to view the presentation, and plans are to visit the other three counties later this month. Sell said that if the committee can come up with concrete numbers and get firm commitments from each of the four counties, the facility could be constructed and put to use sometime in 2011.

In other action, the board:

- voted to provide a letter of intent to the Department of Economic Development to issue recovery zone bonds for future economic development or facility construction. The board was asked to provide the letter by Wayne city administrator Lowell Johnson and city treasurer Nancy Braden. Johnson said the city would make a request to tap into more than \$2.3 million in stimulus funds that is being allocated to the county.

- voted to make purchasing cards available to elected officials. The cards will be issued by First National Bank, the county's main banking entity.

- approved a request for \$150 from the Wayne County Jaycees for fireworks during the annual Chicken Show.

- appointed Jim Rabe as the county's NACO representative, with Dean Burbach serving as alternate.

- meeting as a board of equalization, the board set the county's tax rates for the 2009-10 fiscal year.

Northeast open house is Oct. 15

Northeast Community College will welcome guests from its 20-county service area for an open house at the new College Welcome Center in Norfolk.

The public is invited to the open house on Thursday, Oct. 15, from 4-7 p.m. Staff members will be available to provide information about the services provided in the College Welcome Center. There will be refreshments and tours led by the student ambassadors.

The \$7.7 million, 40,025-square-foot building was built with bonds issued by the College Facilities Corporation. Corporation members are Jerry Petersen, Larry Godel, and Dr. Bob Cox. Student facilities fees will make the semi-annual payments to the Facilities Corporation. Once the debt is retired, ownership

of the building will be transferred to Northeast Community College.

The building, designed to be a "one-stop shop" for students, will house most administrative services and most student services functions. The building has a welcome/reception area, testing and academic advisement area, financial aid offices, student counseling facilities, and the business offices for payment of tuition and fees.

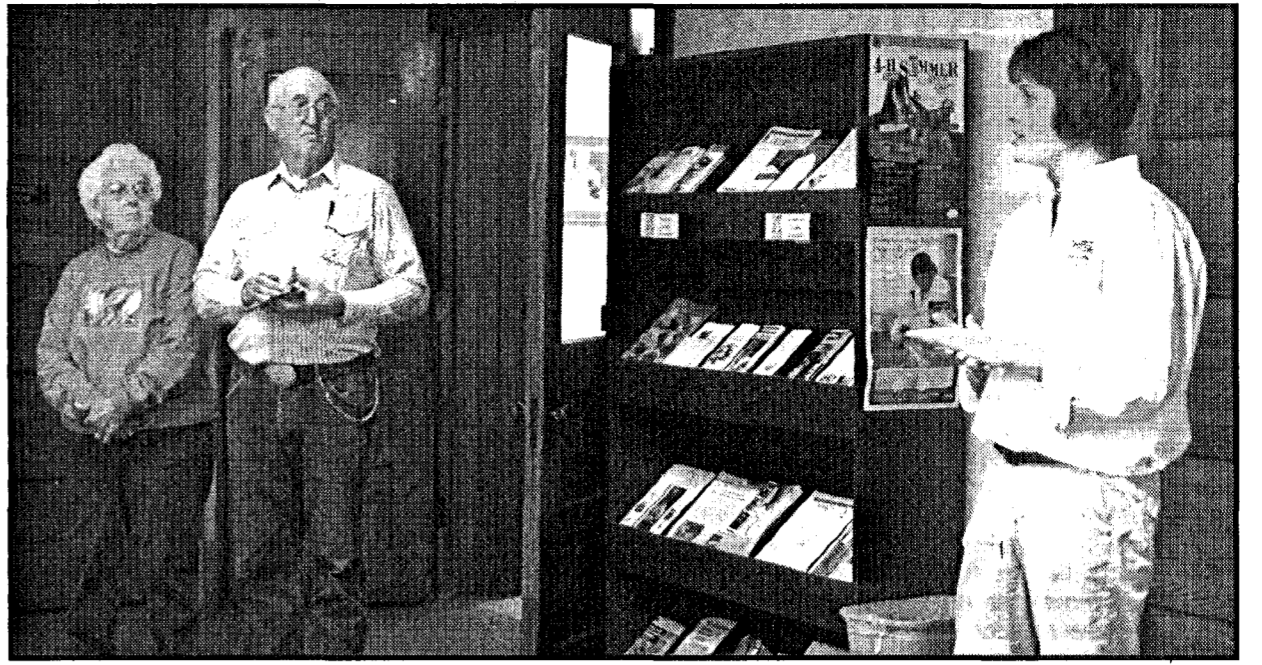
The College Welcome Center will also be home to recruitment/admissions, disabilities services, the adaptive technology center, career services, registration and records, and veteran's services. Prospective students will begin their college tours from that facility and there will be conference rooms for meetings of student groups and organi-

zations.

Other business office functions in the College Welcome Center including payroll, accounts receivable and accounts payable, budgeting and financial records, purchasing, and more.

"We have needed this building for a very long time," Dr. Bill R. Path, president, said. "We have not built a new facility for offices since the Maclay Building opened in 1971. With our drastic enrollment and services increase, we literally have staff now officed in closets."

"This beautiful new facility will not only provide increased and improved services to our students, it will also go a very long way in addressing staff space issues on this campus."



(Photo by Clara Osten)

National 4-H Week

Amy Topp, University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension Educator, right, spoke during last week's Chamber Coffee. The Extension Office hosted the coffee in observance of National 4-H Week.

Wausa native to visit Winside, discuss cemetery research

Judy Carlson of Wausa will tell of her unusual hobby on Sunday, Oct. 11 at the Winside Museum (Theophilus Church Sanctuary) and Pleasantview Cemetery.

Beginning at 4 p.m. Carlson will describe how she seeks out and researches cemeteries and unusual burial customs, a project that has taken her across our nation as well as few other countries.

Carlson began researching the pioneer cemeteries in Knox County and surrounding area about 5 years ago. This led her to write a book "Buried on the Prairies of Knox County."

Have you ever wondered why burials are "six feet under"? Have you ever experienced "blue lights" floating around a cemetery at night? Carlson will answer these questions and a whole lot more beginning at 4 p.m. at the museum and a follow up at the cemetery. She will share stories of burial customs, unusual strange things she has found, and tell about the early inscriptions on tombstones.

After refreshments are served at the museum, those in attendance will go out to the cemetery for a grave witching demonstration that she has mastered. Attendees will

also take a stroll down memory lane about the early settlers of the community and their tombstones.

Anyone who does not wish to participate in the cemetery walk, may leave after the program at the church.

There will be a small donation of \$5 per person for this upcoming event. An afghan and TV will be raffled at the closing of the program at the church. Tickets will be on sale at the door or from any member before that day. Funds received will help the Winside Museum to keep telling the stories for future generations.

Sports medicine meeting at WSC

Wayne State College will host the 34th annual fall meeting of the Northland Chapter of the American College of Sports Medicine, Oct. 8-9, in Ramsey Theater.

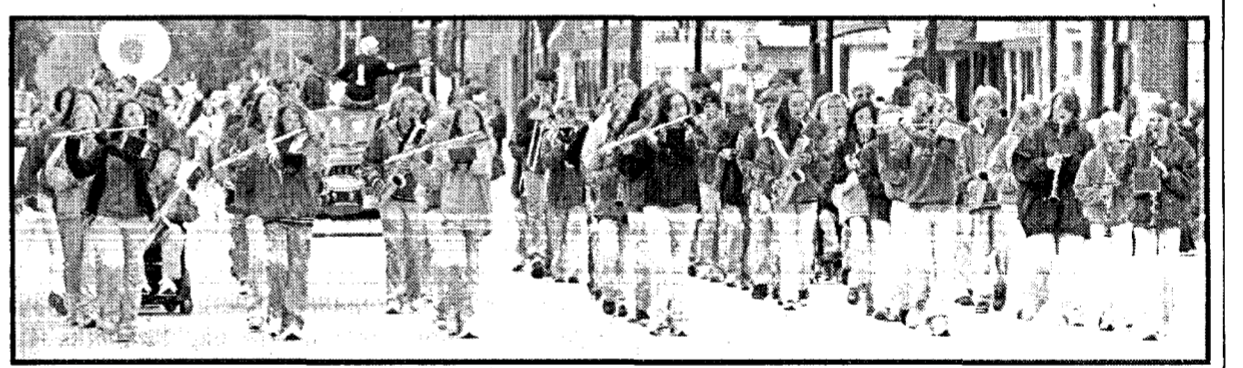
The conference, titled "Scientific Aspects of Amputee Locomotion," will feature Dr. Rodger Kram, professor Department of Integrative Biology University of Colorado; Dr. Kenton Kaufman, Orthopedic Surgery and professor of Biomedical Engineering, Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn.; and Jerry Brandstetter from Wayne.

Dr. Kram and Dr. Kaufman will present research related to the latest scientific advances in prosthetics and the beneficial effects they have had on enhancing

amputee locomotion. Brandstetter will talk about how prosthetics have affected his quality of life.

The meeting will also feature the Northland Chapter regional student Quiz Bowl, which is open to the public with no admission fee and will run from 4-5 p.m. in Ramsey Theatre. Students from the Wayne State Department of Health, Human Performance and Sport are the defending regional and national Quiz Bowl champions.

Registration and general meeting information is available at the Northland Chapter ACSM Web site at www.northlandacsm.org. For more information, contact the Department of Health, Human Performance, and Sport at (402) 375-7030.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Strike up the band(s)

The Wayne Middle School marching band parades down Main Street during the annual Band Day event in Wayne, which was held in conjunction with homecoming activities at Wayne State College. Many of the area high school and middle school bands performed on the streets of Wayne Saturday, and you can check out pictures of all the bands in our photo gallery on the Web at www.mywaynews.com.

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working with the county to determine an intent to issue Recovery Zone Economic Development bonds under authority of the American Recover and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and intent to issue Recovery Zone Facility Bonds under the same act.

The deadline for the county to submit the letter is Oct. 15 and will allow county officials the opportunity to see if any project within the county would meet the federal requirements.

Early in the meeting Chad

Altwine, Director of Facility Services at Wayne State College presented information to the council on energy saving measures that have been taken at Wayne State in recent months.

Altwine said the college has worked with the city of Wayne and Nebraska Public Power District to obtain new, energy efficient lighting for the college buildings at a low cost. The move to new lighting is expected to save the college approximately \$40,000.

In addition, the college has reduced the amount of cooling done in the buildings and expects to save

an additional \$15,000.

The college is continuing to work toward reducing the amount of energy used during the peak/high cost times of the day, thus reducing the city's peak demand for electricity which in turn affects the price the city pays for the electricity.

Both Altwine and Garry Poutre, Public Works Superintendent for the city of Wayne indicated that the measures taken at the college are a 'win-win situation for both the college and city.'

The council will next meet in regular session on Tuesday, Oct. 20 at 5:30 p.m. in council chambers.

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more thing to our plates. Even more memorable, we have celebrated many, many successes that could only be accomplished by the "can do" attitude continuously displayed by the Board and our volunteers. All of you have helped me to grow personally and professionally, while I worked to do my best as your Executive Director. For all of these things, I could never begin to express my gratefulness."

Carollo said her reasons for resigning were personal and that she had accepted another position in Wayne that would allow her more time for her family, which played a big part in her decision

to leave the Red Cross. She hoped to transfer "hats" and eventually return to the Red Cross in a volunteer capacity.

"The Red Cross has played a huge part in my life and my family's life for the past 10 years, and you don't just shut that door and never look back! I believe in the mission and work of the Red Cross very much and intend to continue to support it as the saying goes - with my time, money and blood. It was just time to step back right now, slow down just a little and give some more attention to my family," Carollo said.

Board Chair Marion Arneson commented on behalf of the entire Board of Directors that they were

all very sad to see Lori leave this position, but fully understood and supported her decision.

"The Carollo family has been a very important part of the American Red Cross organization and the community of Wayne and surrounding areas. They have touched many lives and Lori has personally made the Northeast Nebraska Chapter one of national ranking and superiority. Regional CEO, Tina Price, commented,

"The Board of Directors will meet later this month to decide about forming a search committee and to make decisions on the best way to proceed with the Northeast Nebraska Chapter.

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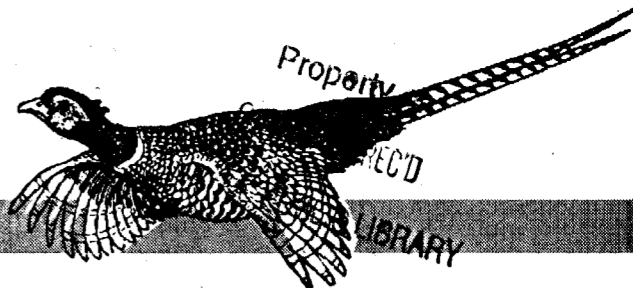
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Sports

The Wayne Herald



From The Bleachers

Michael Carnes



What was the NSAA thinking?

I'm sure there are about 60 or so girls in Northeast Nebraska who are asking the same question I'm about to ask: what in the world is the NSAA thinking?

Tuesday was cold, wet, windy and ugly for girls from 13 area high schools as they competed in the C-3 district golf tournament at Wayne Country Club. Playing in conditions that would make even the heartiest Nebraskan shiver (I was good for two holes), these girls managed to play 18 holes of golf and give as good an effort as they could under conditions that can not be accurately described without words that, fortunately, we are not allowed to use in print.

The fact that the girls played in conditions better suited for a flock of penguins is bad enough. What's worse is that, with just a modicum of common sense and a quick check of the extended forecast, they could have had much better weather to qualify for state with.

On Monday, I talked with Wayne High athletic director Rocky Ruhl, who told me that he had contacted the Nebraska School Activities Association about moving the tournament back to Wednesday.

Ruhl's reason? Tuesday's high temperature was forecast at 45 degrees with rain and wind. Wednesday's forecast? A considerably more golf-friendly 70 degrees with sunshine.

Makes perfect sense to wait one day, right?

Of course it does...which is why the NSAA said no.

In fact, all of the district golf tournaments in all three classes were played in weather that only the most psychologically-unstable of golfers would think of playing in. An outsider could look at the weather-inflated scores on the NSAA's Web site and, without knowing the conditions, surmise that high school girls in Nebraska are really awful golfers.

Not quite...they just play a game governed by people who, it would appear, are a couple of irons short of a full bag.

If the state golf tournament was scheduled for later this week, I would certainly see the need for completing the tournament as soon as possible. Teams and individuals, and their families, need to make plans as soon as possible, and the NSAA needs to prepare its tournament programs, tee times and score cards for the kids who will compete.

But the tournament is not until next week. Moving the district tournaments back to Wednesday would take one day off the planning on the part of the people at the NSAA office. Other than that, who is it going to hurt?

Granted, the state tournament will run on Monday and Tuesday, regardless of the weather conditions. I'm OK with that. I understand that, with the weather as fickle as it is this time of year in Nebraska, there really isn't much room for error and you need to finish the tournament as soon as possible.

Surely, though, the powers that be in the NSAA office in Lincoln have access to the latest weather forecast at various locations across the state. Armed with that knowledge, they could give the district site hosts the option to take advantage of better weather conditions to give the athletes the best conditions possible to compete for a trip to the state tournament.

The counter to that logic, though, is that all the girls in that district have to play in the same conditions. I totally agree...so how about making it possible for them to play in the best possible weather, and if it means trading a cold and miserable day for a bright, sunny one, that would be the better option.

The Nebraska School Activities Association likes to say that they do what's best for the kids who compete in high school athletics. Based on their actions with district golf this

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Golfers just miss, Peterson finishes fourth

By KEVIN PETERSON
Of the Herald

The Wayne girls golf team competed in the C-3 District Golf Tournament Tuesday at the Wayne Country Club.

The Blue Devils aimed to qualify for state as one of the top three teams in the 13-squad competition but Josh Johnson's troops came up one spot short as Crofton won the team title with a 425 while Stanton edged Norfolk Catholic in a team playoff for second, as both fired 444's.

Wayne finished fourth, nine strokes back at 453 while Pierce carded a 471 and Plainview, 483. The rest of the field was Battle Creek, 491; Ainsworth, 495; Elkhorn Valley, 501; Hartington Cedar Catholic, 504; Atkinson West Holt, 512; Wakefield, 516 and Hartington, 528.

Wayne sophomore Brittney Peterson punched a ticket to next week's state golf tournament in Grand Island with a fourth-place score of 94 as the top 10 individuals qualify as well as the top three teams. Peterson shot 44 on the front nine and 50 on the back nine.

Crofton's Molly Zavadil repeated at district champion with an 86 while Alex Wiemers of Battle Creek carded a 92 for runner-up honors. Ainsworth's Claire Kozisek was third at 93. Following Peterson's 94 was Pierce's Brittney Dinkel at 99.

The second five state qualifiers included Chelsea Asmus of Pierce at 103, Brianna Frickenstein of Stanton at 105, Nicole Sorensen of Plainview at 105, Gina Dendinger of Crofton at 107 and Paige Marsden of Norfolk Catholic at 108.

C-2 DISTRICT GOLF			
Team Standings (Top 3 to state)			
Crofton	425		
Stanton	444		
Norfolk Catholic	444		
Wayne	453		
Pierce	471		
Plainview	483		
Battle Creek	491		
Ainsworth	495		
Elkhorn Valley	501		
Hartington CC	504		
West Holt	512		
Wakefield	516		
Hartington	528		
Top 10 Individuals (State qualifiers)			
1. Molly Zavadil, Crofton	86		
2. Alexandria Wiemers, BC	92		
3. Claire Kozisek, Ainsworth	93		
4. Brittney Peterson, Wayne	94		
5. Brittney Dinkel, Pierce	99		
6. Chelsea Asmus, Pierce	103		
7. Brianna Frickenstein, Stanton	105		
8. Nicole Sorensen, Plainview	105		
9. Gina Dendinger, Crofton	107		
10. Paige Marsden, NC	108		
Area Scores			
Wayne High		Wakefield	
Brittney Peterson	94	Kaitlyn Tuttle	122
Lisa Temme	112	Victoria Nelson	130
Lauryn Braun	114	Hannah Paxton	130
Burgandy Roberts	133	Allison Luhr	132
Taylor Burke	134	Kayleen Roberts	146

Wayne senior Lisa Temme carded a 112 to place second for the Blue Devils, while fellow senior Lauryn Braun carded a 114. Burgandy Roberts finished with a 133 and Taylor Burke a 134.

"I thought our girls fought extremely hard on a real difficult day for golf," Johnson said. We struggled overall on the front nine, but instead of letting the weather and everything beat them, they fought hard on the back and we played better as a team."

The second-year coach said he will very much miss

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(Photo by Kevin Peterson)

Wayne High senior Lauryn Braun tees off on a cold, miserable Tuesday morning at the Wayne Country Club. The Blue Devil golfers finished fourth, one place short of qualifying for state.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Freshman Haley Wright pushes a Nebraska defender to the ground as she advances the ball during a Wayne State rugby match Saturday at Wayne Rugby Park. The seventh-ranked Wildcats' 24-0 win over the Huskers was witnessed by more than 900 fans, including members of the 189th National Guard unit based in Wayne.

Rugby meeting

Two words help ignite WSC club powerhouse

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

A cheering crowd of more than 900 fans - including members of the Wayne 189th National Guard unit - gathered at the Wayne Rugby Park Saturday afternoon to cheer on the Wildcats.

While more than 2,000 were at Cunningham Field to rally the football team to a homecoming win, a different kind of homecoming crowd was on hand for a new brand of football, a high-level program that the community of Wayne is becoming the unlikely home for.

As their fellow students gathered to form a 40-yard long tunnel to run through, the opening riffs of the song "War Machine" by KISS pumped through the speakers. It was quickly drowned out by the loud, machine-gun hammering of more than 30 college-age women who were pounding on a long, narrow storage unit that served as a combination locker room and storage facility.

And then, led by co-captain Jess Gatzmeyer, a senior education major from Gretna who may just barely stand 5 feet tall - but carries a passion for competition of someone twice her size, as she demonstrated - the Wayne State women's rugby team took to the field, putting their 6-0 record and No. 7 national ranking on the line against the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

It was a proud moment in the life of their coach Darrin Barner, who started the program seven years ago with a rather simple guerilla marketing program.

"I put an ad in the Wayne Stater and put a flyer underneath every dorm door that said 'rugby meeting' just to see if there was any interest in starting a program," he said.

There was interest, all right - 90 kids showed up for the first

meeting. By season's end, 75 were still a part of the program.

Many of the kids who joined the program, quite likely, had never been to a rugby game before in their lives. The only exposure they may have had was from flipping through the cable channels and catching a brief glimpse between commercials on ESPN.

But Barner, who has played and coached the sport for many years and, from 1990-94, served as the college's intramural coordinator, just knew that he could make a go of the sport in small-town Nebraska.

"I knew from my days as intramural coordinator that there was a sufficient number of athletes here that could support a very good small-college rugby team," he said. "IN Scotland and England, there are several small towns where the rugby club is a part of the community, much like town-team baseball was here in the 1960's and 1970's. I just knew it would work."

And work it did.

Both the men's and women's teams were successful during their first season. The next year, both teams were in the national playoffs.

"It was kind of hard to walk away when a team is so successful, so quick," Barner said.

What is unique about the team is that every player who is a part of the club has to pay for the privilege. The \$600 students put into the club goes for travel to places like Orlando, Fla., where the team has competed in national tournaments against the likes of the University of Michigan.

"They buy their USA Rugby membership card, help with club expenses like for the sound system or paint for the field," Barner said. "They also mow and help care for the field, help pay for the officials. We all chip in and make it work."



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Ashley Dittberner carries three defenders with her into the try zone, scoring the first points of the game for Wayne State during their 24-0 win over Nebraska at Wayne Rugby Park Saturday afternoon.

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Top seed riding big win streak

The Wayne High softball team seems to be clicking on all cylinders as they carry a 17-game winning streak into district play, where they will compete as the No. 1 seed.

The Blue Devils won a big tournament Saturday, taking the Yutan-Mead Invitational with a 4-3 win over Ashland-Greenwood. Wayne beat two teams who they very well could see in the state tournament next week, taking down Cozad 5-0 in pool play before surviving a seventh-inning rally to beat the Bluejays.

"We lost our control a little bit in the last inning against Ashland, but it was a good test for the girls and they came out on top," coach Rob Sweetland said. "We played solid defense all day and held people scoreless for 20 of the 21 innings right up until the end."

Winning a tournament that included defending champion Yutan-Mead is a good confidence booster heading into the postseason, Sweetland said.

"Ashland had a quality win over Bennington earlier in the week and beat Yutan to get to the finals, so they're playing really well right now," he said. "We'll probably see a few of these teams at state."

Shannon Jarvi opened the tournament with a one-hit shutout in an 8-0 win over Tekamah-Herman. She helped her cause by going 2-for-4 at the plate, and Riley Hoffart added two hits, including an RBI triple.

The Blue Devils shut out Cozad 5-0 in their final pool play game, riding two-hit pitching of Cassidy Miller, who struck out 11 to get the shutout. Jessica Calhoun singled and scored twice and Caitlin Fehringer was 2-for-3 with a double and an RBI.

In the finals, Wayne got three in the second with the help of a two-run single by Calhoun, and Hannah Gamble walked in a run and singled in the key run in the seventh, which helped Wayne overcome a three-run rally by the Bluejays in the bottom of the seventh.

The Blue Devils closed out regular season play with three more wins, defeating Logan View 8-1 on Sept. 29, shutting out West Point Central Catholic 11-0 on Thursday and blowing out South Sioux City 13-1 on Monday.

Miller threw a three-hitter over five innings and hit a three-run homer in the win over Logan View. Caitlin Fehringer and Carli Fehringer combined for five hits to pace an 11-hit attack.

Against WPCC, Carly Fehringer was 3-for-3 with two RBIs and Jarvi struck out six and allowed one hit over four innings.

The win over South Sioux City ended after three innings, thanks to a 10-run explosion by the Blue

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Sweetland

Quick start helps Pierce knock off Blue Devils 35-7 Friday night

PIERCE - Pierce shut down the Wayne offense Friday night, coming away with a 35-7 win on a cold and wet Friday at Pierce High School.

"When you rush 23 times for 24 yards, you're not going to win many games," coach Rich Rethwisch said. "I'm not disappointed with the effort, but I thought we could have had some more intensity at the start of the game. I know us coaches feel bad that we weren't able to come out with more intensity and get ready for that first punch from Pierce. We just didn't match their intensity and it took a toll on us."

Trailing 14-0, Darnell Collins got the Blue Devils on the board with a 95-yard kickoff return midway through the second quarter. That would prove to be the only points of the night for the 3-2 Blue Devils, as the Bluejays were able to use a stingy defense to shut down the Wayne attack.

"Darnell runs great out in the open, and we need to move him around and do some different things with him," Rethwisch said.

The Blue Devils had a couple of chances to score in the first half to make a game of it, but two sure

touchdowns went by the boards, leaving the Bluejays with a 21-7 halftime lead.

"You have unfortunate things happen, and that's part of the game," Rethwisch said. "We had a pass dropped in the end zone, then get another one called back on a penalty, and that just killed us. It's hard to go first-and-goal from the 14 when you can't run the ball to set up some play action. When you're trying to get over the hump, that kind of stuff is sometimes insurmountable, and every little thing matters."

The win dropped the Blue Devils to 1-1 in the district, and they'll be looking for a second home upset of a ranked foe this week when Crofton comes to town for a 7 p.m. battle Friday at Cunningham Field.

Rethwisch said his team will come out with a lot more intensity for what could very well be a key game for the Blue Devils' postseason hopes.

"It's a huge game against another ranked team," he said. "This is the third week in a row we've played a team that has been ranked this season, and I wouldn't wish that on

anybody. We'll be ready to go Friday night with a little more intensity."

Pierce 35, Wayne 7

Wayne	0	7	0	0	-	7
Pierce	7	14	0	14	-	35

Scoring Summary

First Quarter
PIERCE: Jarod Sedlacek 2 run (Michael Hoffman kick), 5:22.

Second Quarter
PIERCE: Kenley Silhacek 6 run (Hoffman kick), 8:41.
WAYNE: Darnell Collins 95 kickoff return (Gage Rethwisch kick), 8:25.
PIERCE: Sedlacek 4 run (Hoffman kick), 5:15.

Fourth Quarter
PIERCE: Kyle Eddy 4 run (Hoffman kick), 5:04.
PIERCE: Shelton Dvorak 2 run (Hoffman kick), :41.

	Wayne	Pierce
First Downs	6	17
Rushes-Yards	23-24	NA
Passing Yards	103	NA
Comp.-Att.-Int.	8-18-2	NA
Return Yards	132	NA
Punts	4-22.0	NA

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING - Wayne: Collins 9-(3), Zeiss 2-3, Anderson 3-2, Poutre 9-22. **Pierce:** NA.

PASSING - Wayne: Rethwisch 8-18-2, 103. **Pierce:** NA.

RECEIVING - Wayne: Collins 1-10, Zeiss 1-2, Poutre 1-44, Dorsey 4-38, Booth 1-9. **Pierce:** NA.

TACKLES (Solo-Assist) - Wayne: Muren 1-0, Rethwisch 1-1, Collins 3-3, Zeiss 9-6, Kenny 5-3, Owens 3-1, Poutre 5-4, Loberg 2-2, Davie 4-5, Onnen 1-1, Dunklau 3-1, Martin 0-1, Dorsey 3-1, Booth 0-6, Klassen 1-5.

HCC outruns Bears in 35-7 rout

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

LAUREL - Hartington Cedar Catholic running back Chad Koch ran over, around and through the Laurel-Concord defense Friday night.

The senior running back accounted for 303 of the Trojans' 319 yards of total offense and scored all of their five touchdowns in leading the visitors to a 35-7 win over previously-undefeated Laurel-Concord in a key district matchup of two of the top teams in Class C2.

"They gave the ball to him, and rightly so because he's a really good back and he really had our number," coach Terry Bear said.

Laurel-Concord took advantage of a muffed punt return by the Trojans for its only score. On the first play of the second quarter, Travis Nelson dove in from two yards out, giving the home team its only lead of the night.

On the ensuing drive, Koch broke free for 20 yards and scored on a 43-yard gallop three plays after that.

"They really knuckled down after we scored," Bear said. "They have some good linemen up front and made it tough for us to win those blocks."

The Bears were still in the game and appeared to have been given a gift when a bad punt snap led to a 25-yard loss for the Trojans, putting Laurel-Concord in prime field position at the Cedar Catholic 40-yard line with 7:43 to go.

Unfortunately, the first play after the Trojan miscue turned into disaster for the Bears, as Beau Lubberstedt lost control of the ball.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Laurel-Concord quarterback Travis Nelson has to hurry this throw during the Bears' 35-7 loss to Hartington Cedar Catholic.

Seven plays and 55 yards later, Koch found the end zone.

Hartington CC 35, Laurel-Concord 6

L-C	0	6	0	0	-	6
HCC	0	7	7	21	-	35

Scoring Summary

Second Quarter
L-C: Travis Nelson 2 run (kick failed), 11:55.
HCC: Chad Koch 43 run (Todd Bottolfsen kick), 10:38.

Third Quarter
HCC: Koch 4 run (Bottolfsen kick), 5:24.

Fourth Quarter
HCC: Koch 1 run (Bottolfsen kick), 4:34.
HCC: Koch 7 run (Bottolfsen kick), 2:08.
HCC: Koch 5 run (Bottolfsen kick), 1:25.

	L-C	HCC
First Downs	8	23
Rushing-Yards	32-96	53-271

Passing Yards
 Comp.-Att.-Int. 4-16-0
 Return Yards 17
 Punts-Avg. 3-31.7 4-26.5
 Fumbles-Lost 2-2 3-1
 Penalties-Yards 2-10 1-10
 Time of Possession 18:48 29:12
 Third-Down Conv. 2-10 3-9
 Fourth-Down Conv. 1-4 1-3

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

RUSHING - L-C: Saunders 16-56, Nelson 6-6, Lubberstedt 2-7, Jacot 2-5, Heikes 6-22.
HCC: Koch 40-276, Becker 9-17, Leisa 3-3, Reiffenrath 1-(25).

PASSING - L-C: Nelson 4-15-0, 41; Schantz 0-1-0, 0. **HCC:** Leisa 4-11-0, 48.

RECEIVING - L-C: S. Pippitt 1-6, Schantz 2-31, Saunders 1-4. **HCC:** Koch 2-27, Lauer 1-13, Klug 1-8.

Bleachers

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week, one could make a compelling argument that their first priority lies somewhere other than with our youth.

A tie is not possible in high school or college football, but not so rare in soccer. It should be no surprise, then, that my one soccer prediction ended up in a scoreless deadlock, leaving me just above .500 for the week (5-4-1) and just under 60 percent for the season to date (29-20-1).

There are no soccer picks this week, though...just 10 guaranteed winners for you to believe in (No, really...these picks can't lose):

Wayne High 28, Crofton 27 (It's homecoming. It's a key district

game. A win will lock the Blue Devils into a playoff spot. It's gotta happen.)

Wayne State 34, Bemidji State 28 (Hope the 'Cats got the one bad game out of their system, or it is going to be a loooooong bus ride home.)

Huskers 30, Missouri 27 (It's been eight years since Nebraska won in Mizou. I think that's enough, don't you?)

Florida 31, LSU 28 (Huge national implications riding on this one. Winner likely plays for the alleged national title.)

Michigan 24, Iowa 21 (Super-Duper Upset Lock Of The Week. Squawkeyes wriggled off the hook against I-AA Northern Iowa and Arkansas State. Michigan, believe

it or not, will never be mistaken for a Sun Belt schlep.)

Georgia Tech 34, Florida State 24 (Calls for Bobby Bowden to step down are coming fast and furious, some of which are actually from outside his family.)

Kansas 48, Moo Tech, Ames campus 10 (Iowa State's wrestling program is ranked No. 2 in the country...a would be favored by two touchdowns against the Cyclowns football team.)

Minnesota 31, Purdue 28 (Your Big 10 Snoozer of the Week.)

Washington 34, Arizona 20 (Washington got jobbed big-time by pathetic officiating crew at Notre Dame. Horrible officiating won't save the Mildcats against UW this week.)

Districts

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the leadership of his two seniors.

"Laury and Lisa have been great leaders on our team and they will be sorely missed," Johnson said. "I would also like to congratulate Brittney on qualifying for the second straight year as a sophomore. She has worked so hard and put so much pressure on herself. I was happy to see her shoot lights out at districts. Last year she was happy to make it to state, this year I hope she makes a little noise at state."

State will be played at Riverside Golf Club in Grand Island Monday and Tuesday. Peterson will tee off at 10:34 a.m. Monday, and will be paired with Kole Kratz of Auburn and Miranda Kluthe of Hershey.

Wakefield was led at districts by

freshman Katelyn Tuttle at 122 with Victoria Nelson notching a 130 and Hannah Paxton, 132. Alison Luhr carded a 132 and Kayleen Roberts, 146.

On Thursday, the Blue Devils competed at the Scotus Invite in Columbus at Quail Run, with Wayne placing seventh at 440. Braun led Wayne with a 102 while Peterson carded a 104. Temme and Roberts each finished with 117's. The JV's also played, with Alexis Reinert leading Wayne with a 123 followed by Kara Potter, 127 and Kaitlin Potter, 130.

"Saturday 'in' Oakland," Wayne placed fourth at the 12-team invite with a 432. Scotus won the team title with a 374 while Omaha Skutt was second at 399 and Crofton

third at 406. Following Wayne in order was Omaha Duchesne, Battle Creek, Oakland-Craig, Stanton, Plainview, Wakefield, Cedar Bluffs and Pender.

Scotus' Jacy Gasper was medalist at 83 while Molly Zavadil was second at 86. Kaitlyn Sapone of Duchesne was third with a 90 and Alex Wiemers of Battle Creek was fourth at 90. Nicole Gasper fired a 93 and Kaylee Faltys of Tekamah-Herman, 94 while Jenna Roh of Scotus carded a 95. Katie Samson of Skutt fired a 99 and Sara Kohles of Crofton finished with a 100.

Braun led Wayne with a 100 with Peterson carding a 108. Temme finished with a 110 and Roberts, 114. Burke also played and finished at 115.

Top Seed

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Devils in the third. Bayli Ellis had a two-run double, Gamble had two hits and Kristin Carroll had a two-run single.

The Wayne JV softball team finished the season undefeated at 11-0, capping the season with wins over Logan View (6-0) and South Sioux City (13-0).

With the 23-4 Blue Devils riding a winning streak that is more than four weeks old, Sweetland feels the team is in good shape for winning the district tournament this week at Wisner and qualifying for state.

"If we play the way we're capable of playing, we should have a good chance at winning it," he said. "It's tougher to go on the road and we know Wisner will be tough, so we can't take anybody lightly and we've got to be ready to go."

Wayne top seed in C-1 district

Wayne drew the No. 1 seed for the C-1 district softball tournament that begins today (Thursday) at Wisner.

The Blue Devils will take on the winner of the Tekamah-Herman vs. Madison game at 1 p.m. The championship game of the tournament is scheduled for Friday at 3 p.m., with a second championship game to be played 30 minutes after the first game, if necessary.

C-1 District Softball Thursday's Schedule

Game 1: Tekamah-Herman (3-21) vs. Madison (5-17), 11 a.m.
Game 2: West Point CC (15-14) vs. Battle Creek (2-23), 11 a.m.
Game 3: Wayne (18-4) vs. Winner Game 1, 1 p.m.
Game 4: Wisner-Pilger (12-9) vs. Winner Game 2, 1 p.m.
Game 5: Loser Game 1 vs. Loser Game 4, 3 p.m.
Game 6: Loser Game 2 vs. Loser Game 3, 3 p.m.
Game 7: Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 4, 5 p.m.

Friday's Schedule

Game 8: Winner 5 vs. Winner 6, 11 a.m.
Game 9: Loser 7 vs. Winner 8, 1 p.m.
Championship: Winner 7 vs. Winner 9, 3 p.m. (second game to follow if necessary).

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	WP: Jarvi. LP: Oligmueller. 2B: Hofart.	Cozad	000 000 0 - 0 2 2
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	SSC	Wayne	03(10) - 13 7 0
	Wayne	WP: Jarvi. LP: Goodier. 2B: Ellis.	WP: Miller. LP: Fox. 3B: Carly Fehringer.
	Wayne 8, Logan View 1	Yutan Invitational	
	Logan View	Wayne 8, Tekamah-Herman 0	
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	WP: Miller. LP: Wobken. 2B: Caitlin Fehringer. 3B: Carly Fehringer. HR: Miller.		

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Wayne State men golfers compete at NSIC

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Wayne State's top scorer is junior Adam Fields, who is tied for seventh overall at 150. Jake Hirz is tied for 19th with a 157, Michael Phillips shot 158, Tyler Thompson shot 159 and Tyler DeJong shot 165.

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WAYNE STATE COLLEGE ATHLETES NAMED TO HALL OF FAME



(Photos courtesy Wayne State College Sports Information)
Wayne State College added five new honorees to its Athletic Hall of Fame, who were honored during halftime of the Wayne State-Upper Iowa game, and at a postgame banquet at the college Saturday night. Pictured above is the 1998-1999 and 1999-2000 men's basketball teams: (front) Abe Schoenherr, Brad Long, Rory Williams, Brad Joens, Brian Hoffman, Tyler Johnson, Kevin Lingenfelter, coach Rico Burkett, Brad Manley, (back) Jon Dolliver, Scott Hansen, Jason Diaz, Eric Henderson, Jason Herlitzke, head coach Greg McDermott, Ryan Dahl and Kevin Kobs. Basketball standout Amy Broderson Riggs (above right) and track start Matt Kneiff (right) were honored, along with football great Byron Chamberlain (not pictured) and contributor Lyle Garvin, who was honored posthumously.

Blue Devils improving

After winning three of their last four games – five of seven counting tournaments – coach Joyce Hoskins is starting to see some changes in her Wayne High volleyball team.

Normally, a coach would be disappointed with having a good team like Pierce on the hook at home, only to let them off in straight sets. Still, the 25-23, 26-24 loss to the Bluejays Tuesday was a sign for the coach that the team is turning the corner.

“We have talked about getting over that hump, and I felt like even though we lost tonight, we got over it a little bit,” she said. “The girls played competitively against a great team like Pierce, and they didn’t falter. I think if we can keep doing that we’re going to get things rolling.”

Wayne held leads in each of the two games against the Bluejays, only to see the visitors rally and come out on top. The loss came after a straight-set win over Boone Central, as the Blue Devils rolled to a 25-19, 25-19 triumph.

Last week, Wayne beat West Point-Beemer in four sets and swept Logan View on the road. Those victories have helped to build some confidence in a still-young team.

“They do have a lot more confidence in each other and themselves, and I think that’s something we’ve struggled with because we’re young,” Hoskins said. “I think they’re finally starting to realize we can compete with the good teams, and if we can keep that in our head we’re going to be a step ahead.”

In the win over West Point-Beemer, Elisa Robinson had 13 kills and five blocks, and Katie Hoskins added 10 kills and three blocks to lead a balanced attack. Erica Sebade had eight kills and Elle Schramm put down seven. Jessica Biermann had 30 set assists.

Against Logan View, Hoskins and Robinson led the attack with 15 and 13 kills, respectively, and also led in digs with 10 and 12. Biermann recorded 31 set assists and had eight digs on defense.

Robinson dominated play at the net in the Boone Central win, finishing with 15 kills. Schramm and Hoskins both had three blocks, Rachel Gilliland put up two ace serves and Biermann had 19 set assists.

Robinson and Sebade both had four kills in the loss to Pierce, and Robinson and Hoskins each had three ace serves.

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Rugby

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Barner said he has received a lot of support in the community, including Rod Tomkins, who has been a big supporter of the club and enjoys talking with parents of the players.

In most cases, the players are young men and women who had varying degrees of success in high school sports, but found Division II athletics to be a whole different affair.

“A lot of these kids are small-town athletes that find out the reality of stardom from their high school days has come to a crashing halt at the NCAA level,” he said. “I have three former softball girls who went to rugby practice and realized how much fun this was.”

“I don’t need the point guard that scores 30 points a game,” he added. “I want the one that scores four points and slams her face into the bleachers going for a loose ball. I need one of those kids who don’t know how to quit.”

One of those was Gatzmeyer, who played track, softball – and even wrestled – at Gretna High School. She was on the Wayne State softball team for a few days before she noticed the rugby team practicing one afternoon.

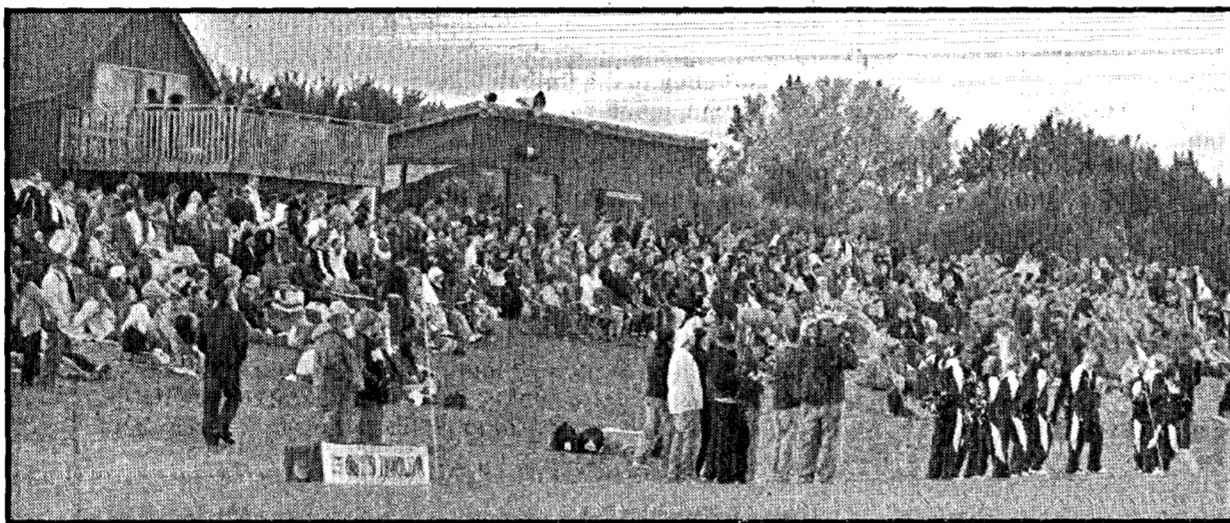
“I didn’t know anybody on the team and didn’t know anything about the sport, but I just got intrigued by it and started going to practices, and I was hooked,” she said.

Gatzmeyer is one of more than 30 women who leave it all on the field, showing a passion for their sport that fuels the fire of a team that has quickly found itself among the top teams in the nation.

Ever the vigilant promoter, Barner began working on a special homecoming weekend for the women’s team and the men’s squad, which beat Northwest Missouri State 29-10 before the women shut out Nebraska 24-0.

The 189th Guard unit out of Wayne has been a big supporter of the program, Barner said. Originally, plans were made to have a Blackhawk helicopter hover over the field, with two soldiers repelling to the field with the game ball.

“Unfortunately, that helicopter



(Photos by Michael Carnes)
(above) A crowd of more than 900 fans gathered at the Wayne Rugby Park Saturday afternoon. Included were members of the 189th National Guard, the Wayne State College marching band and the WSC Cheerleaders. (right) Jess Gatzmeyer puts the ball into play in the middle of a scrum between the two sides.



got called to duty, but we still had about 90 Guard members out there and it was huge to have them cheering on Wayne State,” Barner said.

The game even drew interest from the Nebraska Educational Television network, which dispatched a film crew to videotape highlights from the game. Nebraska Life magazine was also on hand, taking photos for a future feature spread on the program.

With all that going on, the crowd of 909 was treated to an inspirational performance by the Wayne State women, and the team delivered early and overcame a rare red-card ejection to dominate the Huskers.

Ashley Dittberner ran over two defenders to score off a scrum at the 7-yard line, and Colleen Andrews added the two-point kick after the try to make it 7-0. Later in the first half, Brit Hans received the ball after a three-player pitch and sprinted 20 yards for another score.

After Andrews’ kick, the Wildcats were up 14-0.

Later in the first half, Gatzmeyer was given a red card for a late hit out of bounds. That left the Wildcats in a 14-on-15 situation, which could have made things difficult for the Wayne State team. Instead, the team played on and denied four red-zone efforts by the Huskers in the second half. They added second-half touchdowns by Jess Anderson and Brit Hans for the final margin of victory.

Wayne State is part of the Great Plains Rugby Conference, which includes teams from Augustana, South Dakota, South Dakota

State, Nebraska, Creighton and Chadron State. The Wildcats have dominated the league during their time. The women have won six straight league titles, while the men have won five of the last six.

Saturday’s game drew a tremendous crowd, many of whom were curious about the sport and the team that represents the community and college.

What they found, quite clearly, was a tightly-knit team and a coach with a passion and a talent for a rough-and-tumble game that represents its school well and is working to be one of the top teams in the country, regardless of size.

L-C cross country earns three top 10 efforts at Plainview

PLAINVIEW – Laurel-Concord came away with three top 10 performances and had a solid showing at the Plainview Invitational cross country meet Friday.

Katie Jacobsen finished third in the meet with a time of 15:54, and Sammie Camenzind also ran strong with a 10th-place time of 17:40 in the girls race.

On the boys’ side, Isaac Hahr finished the day in 10th place,

crossing the line in 19:31.

“It was a cold meet, but the kids ran very well despite the weather,” coach Megan Meyer. “Each kid improved their time and were strong competitors, and I think

our focus now is trying to improve on some things before we head to districts.”

Shelby Rath also competed in the girls race, placing 20th with a time of 20:37. On the boys’ side, Gabe

Abts placed 25th in 22:17.

Laurel-Concord will compete in the Bloomfield Invitational on Friday, then will close out the regular season with district competition Oct. 15 at Wausa.

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Wakefield golfers battle elements at districts

The Wakefield girls golf team battled some ugly weather conditions as they tried to qualify for state in the C-3 district tournament Tuesday at Wayne Country Club.

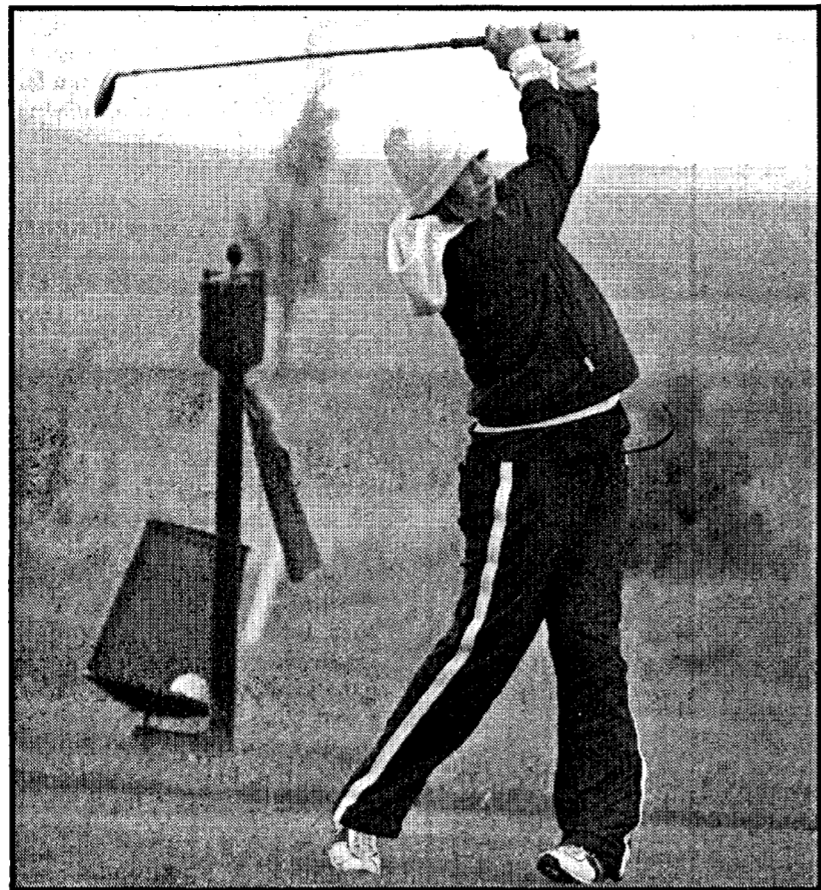
Although the Trojans 512 team score wasn't able to qualify them as a team or individually, coach Jamie Manz said her team played well in spite of the conditions and left a lot of hope for next year.

Trojans with a 122, Victoria Nelson carded a 130 and Hannah Paxton and Allison Luhr both finished with rounds of 132. Kayleen Roberts' round of 146 was not included in the team's final score.

The Wakefield girls golf team

posted a team score of 517 on a cold, wet and windy Saturday at the Oakland-Craig Invitational.

The Trojans were led by Paxton's 119, while Tuttle was a stroke back at 120. Henschke carded a 132, Luhr shot 146 and Roberts added a 151.



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Wakefield's Kaitlyn Tuttle tees off during Tuesday's district golf meet at Wayne Country Club.

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Wildcats run at Plainview, Newman Grove

The Winside cross country teams battled through illness this past week to compete at meets in Plainview and Newman Grove.

On Friday, Peter Hansen finished just outside the top 15, taking 16th place to lead the Wildcat boys.

"Peter ran a personal best at Plainview, and he continues to push himself really hard in practice and at meets," coach Jennifer Kesting said. "I'm very optimistic how he will do at districts as his times continue to improve, and he is learning when and how to pass other runners."

Hansen and his brother, John, both placed in the top 20 at Newman Grove on Monday, with Peter Hansen earning a medal for his 15th-place finish.

On the girls' side, Natasha Jensen came away with a 12th-place medal to highlight the Winside effort.

"Natasha ran well yesterday despite the cold weather," Kesting said. "She is really improving over the beginning of the year and I'm enjoying watching her run well."

"John also continues to show improvement, and he should do very well next year with a year of experience under his belt," she added. "I think that you almost always run a meet better the second time you run it."



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Silas Fluellen is airborne after getting clipped by Upper Iowa's Craig Henry during the first half of Saturday's 24-21 Wildcat win.

Wildcats commit seven turnovers, still manage 24-21 win Saturday

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

It isn't often that a football team can commit seven turnovers and 11 penalties and still win a football game.

Wayne State shot themselves in the foot time after time in Saturday's matchup with Upper Iowa, yet were still able to come away with a 24-21 win.

The 14th-ranked Wildcats committed five turnovers in the first half and needed a 19-yard run by Frederic Bruno with 3:28 to go to hang on for the win.

Needless to say, Wildcat coach Dan McLaughlin was less than impressed with his team's effort.

"We won, but that's about all we can say about it," he said. "It was just a very poor effort on our part and I was very disappointed, but we're going to put it behind us and move on."

The defense set the tone for what would be an ugly day when a blown coverage on the third play from scrimmage allowed Jessie Hubbard to get open for a 67-yard touchdown pass from Ben Curran to give the Peacocks a quick 7-0 lead.

"It was a busted coverage and those things happen, but it turned out to be just an example of the things that we did all day long," McLaughlin said. "It was like that over and over and over again, and

then when we'd do something good, it would get called back."

A 22-yard field goal by Nick Hope on the Wildcats' first drive and a 1-yard plunge by David Ferris early in the second gave Wayne State a 10-7 advantage, but the Peacocks regained the lead when Nate Curran picked off one of five Silas Fluellen passes and took it 32 yards for a 14-10 halftime lead.

Wayne State had several opportunities to go into the locker room with a lead, but committed three turnovers in the last seven minutes of the first half.

The Wildcats got the lead back late in the third period when Fluellen and Masters hooked up on a 30-yard strike, but the Peacocks came back with a 3-yard run by La'Mont Williams with 12:35 to go.

The Wildcats' offense finally settled down in the final period, and Bruno went in from 19 yards out to help the Wildcats improve to 5-1 overall and 4-1 in the NSIC.

McLaughlin said his team is much better than the one that was on display Saturday, and they'll need to get back to playing at their best level with two tough road games at Bemidji State and Winona State next on the agenda.

front of us and we have to get better right away."

Wayne State 24, Upper Iowa 21				
Wayne State	3	7	7	7
Upper Iowa	7	0	7	7

Scoring Summary
First Quarter
 UIU: Jessie Hubbard 67 pass from Ben Curran (Jason Price kick), 14:13.
 WSC: Nick Hope 22 field goal, 9:09.
Second Quarter
 WSC: David Ferris 1 run (Hope kick), 10:37.
 UIU: Nate Curran 32 interception return (Price kick), 3:24.
Third Quarter
 WSC: Logan Masters 30 pass from Silas Fluellen (Hope kick), 1:11.
Fourth Quarter
 UIU: La'Mont Williams 3 run (Price kick), 12:35.
 WSC: Frederic Bruno 19 run (Hope kick), 3:28.

	UIU	WSC
First Downs	21	28
Rushing-Yards	42-153	45-212
Passing-Yards	224	291
Comp.-Att.-Int.	22-41-0	24-41-5
Return-Yards	110	134
Fumbles-Lost	2-1	3-2
Punts-Avg.	6-38.2	1-54.0
Penalties-Yards	12-120	11-115
Time Of Possession	24:09	35:51
Third-Down Conv.	10-21	5-15
Fourth-Down Conv.	0-0	1-2

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING - WSC: Pulscher 15-88, Ferris 9-41, Fluellen 11-32, Bruno 5-32, Melvin 4-20, Team 1-(-1). UIU: Odoerfer 16-90, Epstein 2-11, Williams 2-11, Hubbard 1-6, B. Curran 11-28, Team 1-(-1).
PASSING - WSC: Fluellen 24-41-5, 291. UIU: B. Curran 22-41-0, 224.
RECEIVING - WSC: Bruno 7-115, Masters 6-109, Perry 3-24, Ferris 3-13, Pulscher 2-11, Melvin 1-8, Montgomery 1-7, Davis 1-4. UIU: Davis 6-35, Reddick 5-24, Hubbard 3-91, Baldwin 3-38, Williams 3-29, Odoerfer 1-4, Epstein 1-3.

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Ponca pounces on Trojans, 37-7

WAKEFIELD - Second-ranked Ponca jumped on the Wakefield Trojans early and cruised to a 35-7 win in district football action here Friday.

The Trojans couldn't get much going against a dominating Indian defense that limited Wakefield to 158 yards in total offense.

"We wanted to try and keep running our base stuff and stick with our game plan as much as we could, but they were just a physical team," coach Mike Clay said.

The Indians got a pair of short runs by Jared Curry and another by Joel Markworth to jump out to a 21-0 first-quarter lead, then added two more scores to make it 35-0 at halftime. The Trojans avoided the upset in the fourth quarter when quarterback Chad Clay found the end zone on a 4-yard run.

"They just lined us up and ran us over," Clay said. "They were a physical team and we had trouble

stopping their running game. We knew we had to do a lot of things right to be in the game, and they took us out of it early."

After coming up just short in their first three games, the toll of back-to-back losses to two of the top teams in Class C2 was wearing on the team after the game, Clay said.

"We've had three pretty close games early on, and those losses kind of wear on the kids a little bit," he said. "Hopefully we can bounce back in these next three games and come away with a couple of wins."

Next on the agenda is Homer, a team that won its first game of the season over Randolph last week and has played a difficult schedule.

"They don't look too bad on film and they beat Randolph last week, but if we play well I think we have a shot," Clay said.

	Ponca	Wakefield
First Downs	21	7
Rushes-Yards	14-20	0-0
Passing-Yards	2-0	7-7

PONCA: Jared Curry 4 run (Ben Gehring kick).
PONCA: Curry 3 run (Gehring kick).
PONCA: Joel Markworth 5 run (Gehring kick).

Second Quarter
PONCA: Curry 4 run (Gehring kick).
PONCA: Markworth 2 run (Gehring kick).

Third Quarter
PONCA: Team safety.

Fourth Quarter
WAKEFIELD: Chad Clay 4 run (T.J. Rose kick).

	Ponca	Wakefield
First Downs	19	9
Rushes-Yards	48-263	24-52
Passing-Yards	58	106
Comp.-Att.-Int.	3-6-0	11-19-2
Fumbles-Lost	1-1	0-0
Punts-Avg.	2-41.0	5-18.4
Penalties-Yards	4-25	2-15

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS
RUSHING - Wakefield: Clay 9-24, Soderberg 8-17, Bodlak 2-9, Matias 1-2, VanderVeen 2-2, Gallardo 2-(-2). Ponca: Curry 18-95, Markworth 12-66, Echtenkamp 7-56, Hansen 4-29, Watchorn 3-11, Uhl 2-8, Walsh 1-2, Team 1-(-2).
PASSING - Wakefield: Clay 10-18-2, 95; Sherer 0-1-0, 0. Ponca: Watchorn 3-6-0, 58.
RECEIVING - Wakefield: Matias 4-52, Sherer 2-23, Jacobsen 2-14, Clay 1-11, Ortiz 1-6, Soderberg 1-0. Ponca: Block 1-35, Markworth 1-14, Curry 1-9.

Winside earns road victory

COLERIDGE - Winside continued their winning ways in volleyball action Thursday, knocking off Coleridge in straight sets on the road, 25-15, 25-23, 25-17.

Alisha Weinrich and Jordyn Roberts both played well on the outside hitter position. Roberts had five kills while Weinrich added three. Cassie Msrny set the ball well, finishing with 20 set assists.

"Alisha and Jordyn both did a nice job on the outside for us, and Cassie came in and set well so we were able to switch some things up," Watters said.

Audrey Roberts had eight kills while Erin Gray added six kills and two blocks and Jerae Doffin recorded three kills and five blocks. Weinrich paced the defense with 18 digs.

Watters said her team is performing well at the midway point of the season, and she looks forward to continued improvement in Thursday's home tilt with Wynot. "We're doing really well right now," she said. "We're really fired up for Thursday's game."

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"Danny and I chose to stay in Wayne because we liked the small town atmosphere and felt it would be a great place to 'put down roots.' My immediate family (dad, mom and younger brother & wife) still lives back in Iowa. Wayne provided us both with jobs we absolutely love! We are so lucky to have found two jobs, in the same town we want to be in, doing what we went to school for! Danny and I also found a local church during our time at WSC where we felt extremely welcome and part of the community. Our decision to stay in Wayne has been a great one, and we certainly feel we made the right choice!"

Amy Schweers
 Born: Belmont, IA; Raised: Wayne, NE
 High School: Wayne High School 1991
 Higher Education: UNL 1995
 Husband: Corby (married over 16 years)
 Children: Ashton (13) and Schuyler (11)
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"After college my husband and I moved numerous times with job relocations (Aurora, NE; Shelby, NE; Central City, Craig, Colorado; and Missouri Valley, Iowa). After having a family, the job promotions started to lose their appeal. Corby and I are both from this immediate area, and we knew we wanted to return to Northeast Nebraska, to share the same growth, learning experiences and way of life that we had in our childhood. We were given the wonderful opportunity to move to Wayne for a banking job for Corby with Farmers & Merchants State Bank. We were thrilled at the opportunity & jumped with little consideration, and have not looked back to question our decision."

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 VOLLEYBALL - Wynot at Winside, 7 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 9
 H.S. FOOTBALL - Crofton at Wayne, 7 p.m.; Laurel-Concord at Ponca, 7 p.m.; Wakefield at Homer, 7 p.m.; Winside at Omaha Nation, 7 p.m.; Wausa at Allen, 7 p.m.
 SOFTBALL - C-1 district at Wisner-Pilger, TBA.
 CROSS COUNTRY - Wayne, Winside, Laurel-Concord at Bloomfield Invite, TBA.
 VOLLEYBALL - Minnesota Crookston at Wayne State, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 10
 FOOTBALL - Wayne State at Bemidji State, 1 p.m.
 VOLLEYBALL - Minnesota Moorhead at Wayne State, 4 p.m.; Allen at Wisner-Pilger Invite.
 CROSS COUNTRY - NCAA Pre-Regional at Wayne County Club.
 WOMEN'S GOLF - Wayne State at NSIC at St. Paul, Minn.
 SOCCER - Upper Iowa at Wayne State, 1 p.m.

Sunday, Oct. 11
 WOMEN'S GOLF - Wayne State at NSIC at St. Paul, Minn.
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 SOFTBALL - State tournament at Hastings, TBA.

Winside pulls away for 26-12 win over Pirates

By LEE KOCH
 Special to the Herald

WINSIDE - Winside cruised to a 26-6 first half lead as the Wildcats celebrated their third straight win on a dreary homecoming night.

The Winside defense held the visiting Pirates of Emerson-Hubbard to lone touchdowns in the second and fourth quarters in a game that wasn't as close as the 26-12 final score indicated. Winside held the Pirates to eight total yards of offense in the first quarter and five yards in the third quarter.

Penalties hurt the Wildcats again, as the locals were flagged with nine penalties for 50 yards. An inadvertent whistle resulting in a replay of a down after Winside had stopped the Pirates and a recovery of a Pirate punt that touched a Winside player, along with critical penalties kept both Pirate scoring drives alive.

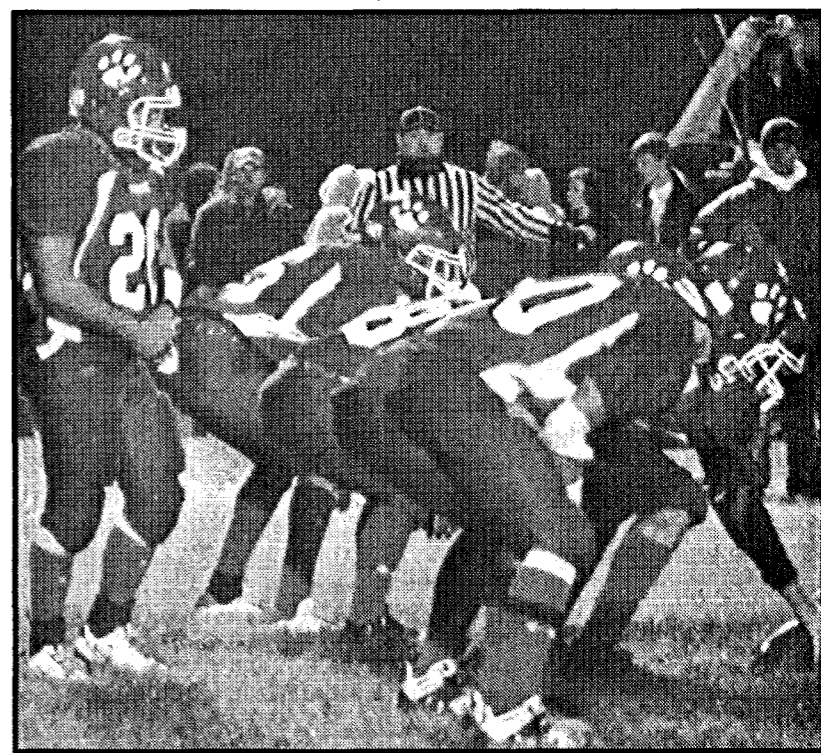
A career best night of carrying

the football by Anthony Nelson led a Winside ground attack that accounted for 13 first downs and 237 yards rushing. Nelson gained 104 yards on 24 carries, with many of those yards coming after contact by Pirate defenders. Kelby Prince added 31 yards on seven carries. Zach Brokaw added touchdown catches of 34 and 62 yards to his season totals, with Blaine Meyer being on the receiving end of a 32-yard aerial from quarterback Kalin Koch.

The Winside offensive line surge in the first half against the much bigger Pirate defensive line, and the hard nosed running of the Winside backfield, kept the Wildcat offense moving toward the goal line. The Wildcat rushing attack set up the passing attack, resulting in the pair of touchdown strikes to Brokaw and a long reception to sophomore receiver Blaine Meyer.

Koch went 3-for-5 passing for 128 yards. The Wildcat senior also gained 105 yards rushing on 20 carries. Koch broke the Wildcat eight-man career rushing record of 2,575 yards set by Max Kant (1986-89). Koch now has 2,656 yards on the ground and also holds the career record for average yards per carry at 5.6 yards on 473 carries.

Sage Schwedhelm led the Winside defensive effort with 12

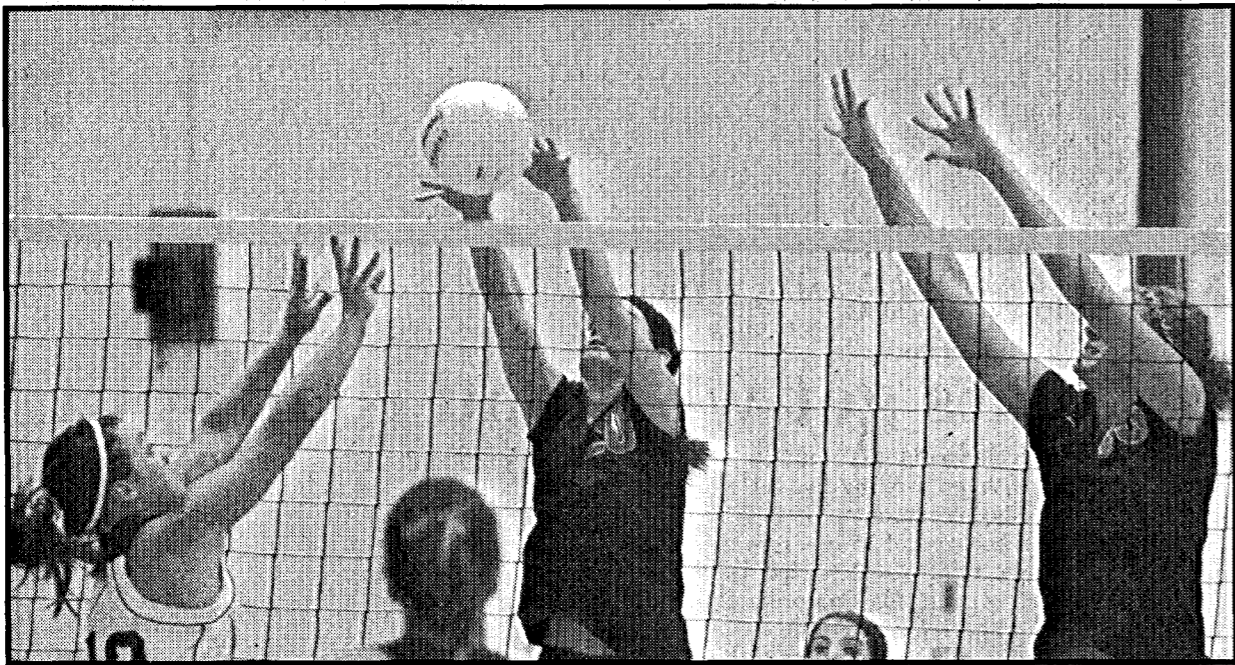


(Photo by Jon Burleson)

Kalin Koch tries to keep his hands warm as he looks over the defense during Winside's 26-12 win over Emerson-Hubbard Friday night.

tackles and an interception of an errant Pirate pass, returning the ball to the Pirates' 35-yard line with two minutes left to ice the Wildcat victory. Anthony Nelson (11), Zach Brokaw (8) and Justin

Buresh (7) were also contributors to the bend-but-don't-break defense for Winside. Buresh also recovered a Pirate fumble in the first quarter that led to the Wildcats' first scoring drive.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Mandy Nelson (20) and Taryn Dahlquist (45) helped lead Laurel-Concord to a 3-0 day at the Wakefield Quad, beating Wayne, Wakefield and Randolph in straight sets.

Lady Bears win Wakefield Quad, Wayne goes 2-1, Trojans are 1-2

WAKEFIELD - Laurel-Concord rolled through the field and easily came away with first-place honors at the Wakefield Quad on Saturday.

The Lady Bears, 13-8, did not lose a set in posting wins over Wayne (25-21, 25-13), Wakefield (25-19, 25-20) and Randolph (25-8, 25-17).

"The girls did what they came to do at this tournament, which was to win," coach Patti Cunningham said. "Each opponent caused them to work through some things, and they forced us to create some plays in order to put the final outcome in our favor."

The Bears opened with a win over Wayne, getting a balanced attack at the net. Laurel recorded just 17 kills, with Taryn Dahlquist's six leading the way. Jade Cunningham had three blocks and four ace serves while running the offense with 14 set assists.

"Laurel is a good team and they really took apart our serve receive," Wayne coach Joyce Hoskins said.

Katie Hoskins' eight kills led the way for Wayne, while Elisa Robinson and Erica Sebade each had five kills. Jessica Biermann's 19 set assists help direct the offense.

The Bears took advantage of some critical errors to dispatch the host team in straight sets. Amy Pritchard had nine kills and Dahlquist added seven to lead the way. Cunningham had 17 set assists and Audrey Kastrup had seven digs.

"In the Laurel game, we had some crucial service errors at inopportune times when we really needed a run," Wakefield coach Megan Nixon said.

Keri Lunz had seven kills and Katie Weinrich added four for the Trojans. Lunz had 10 digs and Erika McNeil and Jenna Henderson each had eight set assists in the losing effort.

The Lady Bears had no problem taking care of Randolph, who finished the tournament 0-3. Laurel-Concord dominated from the start and allowed just 25

points in two games.

Pritchard had 10 kills, Dahlquist added five and Emma Engebretsen put down four for the Lady Bears.

Wayne finished second in the triangular and bounced back from the loss to Laurel-Concord with wins over Randolph (25-14, 25-21) and Wakefield (25-19, 25-15).

"We came back after the loss to Laurel and played Randolph tough, and I was very pleased with how we played against Wakefield," Hoskins said. "We passed and served aggressively and really played at a different level."

Robinson's nine kills led Wayne in the win over Randolph, and she shared top honors with Hoskins in the kill department with six apiece. Sebade added five kills and Hoskins had seven ace serves and seven digs.

Nixon said her team had some trouble stopping the Wayne attack at the net.

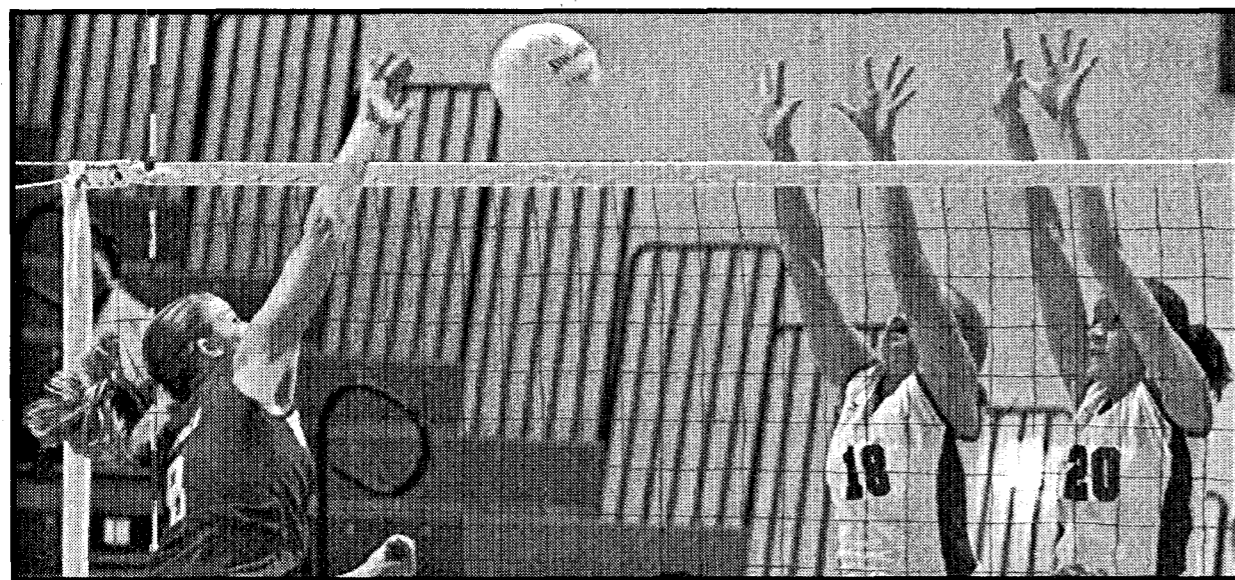
"Wayne really hit the ball well at us," she said. "We played decent defensively, but we had some hitting errors that hurt."

Lunz and Weinrich each had five kills for Wakefield in the loss to Wayne. Morgan Lunz had 10 digs to pace the defense and Sydney Rose added seven.

Wakefield came away with a win to take third place in the four-team tournament, winning the only three-set match of the day. They opened the tournament with a 25-14, 18-25, 25-16 win over the Cardinals.

"We came out and played well the first set, then we got complacent and kind of lost the momentum in the second set," Nixon said. "We get better in one area and then suffer in another, and we need to put all those things we've worked hard on together."

Lunz and Weinrich again led the net attack with 10 kills apiece. Henderson and McNeil had 13 and 10 set assists, respectively, and Keri Lunz had 19 digs on defense.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Kristin Liska (18) and Elle Schramm (20) try to stop a Pierce attack during triangular action Tuesday night at Wayne High School. The Blue Devils went 2-1 at the Wakefield Quad on Saturday, losing to Laurel-Concord while defeating Wakefield and Randolph in straight sets.

Allen takes first at Newcastle tourney

The Allen volleyball team posted a fifth-place finish at the Scribner-Snyder Invitational on Sept. 26, but bounced back three days later to take first place at the Newcastle Invitational.

The Lady Eagles went 0-2 in their pool at Scribner-Snyder, losing to two tough teams in Arlington (25-21, 25-15) and Howells (25-21, 25-9). They beat Oakland-Craig (25-17, 25-8) to finish fifth.

"Howells has only three losses. We hung with them in the first set and had a shot at it, but they just came out and hammered us pretty good the second set," coach Cheryl Greve said.

Ashley Hingst had five kills and Shannon Sullivan and Bentley Hingst each added four kills to lead the Allen attack. Hannah Finegan had 11 set assists.

The loss to Arlington came against a team that was not only a much bigger school, but a much bigger team.

"They had a girl who was 6-foot-5, another at 6-foot-1 and another at 5-foot-11," Greve said. "It was even hard for us to tip it over them."

Ashley Hingst had five kills to lead Allen in the loss to Arlington.

In the fifth-place game, Ashley Hingst had six kills and Finnegan added five kills. She also led the team with 16 set assists, and Vanessa Klug had three ace serves.

In the Newcastle tournament, Allen rolled to wins over Ponca (25-20, 25-16) and Emerson-Hubbard (25-12, 25-16), two teams they have already faced this season.

"Ponca improved quite a bit and

looked better than when we played them the first time, and Emerson-Hubbard played hard the second time around against us," Greve said. "We were able to play hard and work well together and we were able to come out on top."

Bentley Hingst had 10 kills and Sullivan added four in the win over Ponca. Finnegan had 14 set assists

and Mariah McCoy had five ace serves.

In the win over the Lady Pirates, Ashley Hingst had eight kills and Bentley Hingst added six. Sullivan had five ace serves.

In another action, the Lady Eagles handed Walthill Thursday night, and fell in three sets at Bancroft-Rosalie on Tuesday.

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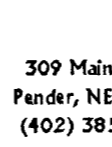
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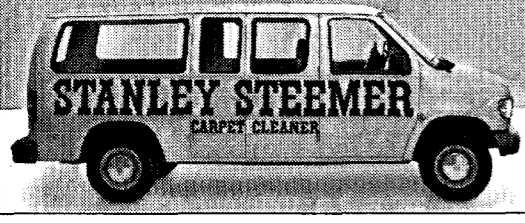
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WSC netters' poster offer

The Wayne State volleyball team will have team posters available for the first 100 fans who attend Friday's 7 p.m. matchup with Minnesota Crookston at Rice Auditorium.

After the game, volleyball team members will be on hand to sign autographs.

Walker earns honor

Wayne State College goalkeeper Emily Walker was named the Defensive Player of the week by the Northern Sun Conference.

Walker made 10 saves as Augustana peppered the Wildcat goal for 29 shots in a 0-0 tie Sunday. It was the first non-loss in conference play for the Wildcats this season.

Youth football action

The Wayne Junior Blue Devils were successful in all three games against Ponca on Saturday.

The fourth-graders hung on for an 8-6 win as Bo Bowers caught a 22-yard pass from Ryan Jaixen and Jack Evetovich sacked the quarterback for a safety in the first half.

In the fifth-grade game, Peyton Gamble's 16-yard run in the first quarter was the only touchdown of the game as Wayne won 6-2.

The sixth-graders dominated with a 46-0 shutout. Dylan Hurlbert had three touchdowns, Malik Knox added a pair of scoring runs and Keith Mundil caught a TD pass from Colby Keiser, who also threw two two-point conversion passes to Mundil and Jayce Munsell.

Eighth-graders second

The Wayne eighth-grade volleyball team took second place in a tournament held Saturday.

They opened the tournament with a 25-15, 25-15, 25-17 win over Battle Creek, with Rochelle Sukup and Cienna Stegemann each scoring 10 service points.

Wayne beat West Point Guardian Angel 11-25, 25-10, 25-23, with Jaci Jenkins' 12 service points leading the way.

In the finals, Wayne lost to Wisner-Pilger in a close three-set match, 22-25, 27-25, 25-23.

Freshman netters play

The Wayne freshman volleyball team took part in a freshman tournament at Pierce on Saturday.

The frosh beat Plainview and Laurel-Concord in straight sets, while losing to Hartington Cedar Catholic to finish 2-1 in pool play.

In tournament action, the Blue Devils lost to

Eagles dominate Newcastle, 64-8

NEWCASTLE - Allen scored early and often as the Eagles pounded Newcastle 64-8 in district eight-man action Friday.

The Eagles got three touchdowns from A.J. Williams and two from Austin Roeber to improve to 3-2 on the season and 2-0 in the district.

The offense racked up 429 yards while limiting the Raiders to 96 yards and three first downs.

"I thought our defense was outstanding in allowing just one pass completion and three first downs," coach Dave Uldrich said.

"Our offense is starting to do what is needed to make a run late in the year, and I was very pleased with

our intensity and physical play."

The Eagles scored quickly on their first drive, as Williams broke free for a 37-yard touchdown run. Alex Langseth bowled over from a yard out later in the period to get the rout started.

Allen scored two touchdowns in a 23-second period late in the first half. Williams scored on a 12-yard run, and after recovering a fumbled kickoff, Cody Stewart hit Heath Roeber for a 36-yard pass that gave Allen a 28-0 halftime lead.

Stewart took the second-half kickoff back 55 yards for a touchdown and added a 45-yard run later in the period, while Williams

scored his final touchdown on a 65-yard run. Austin Roeber hit on runs of 45 and 31 yards to cap the win.

Williams finished the night with 134 yards on 12 carries, Stewart had 103 yards on six tries and brothers Heath and Austin Roeber combined for 143 yards on 16 tries.

Allen: A.J. Williams 37 run (Jacob Woodward pass from Heath Roeber), 9:43.

Allen: Alex Langseth 1 run (Cody Stewart run), 4:29.

Allen: Williams 12 run (PAT failed), 1:01.

Allen: Stewart 36 pass from H. Roeber (PAT failed), :38.

Allen: Stewart 55 kickoff return (Williams run), 11:51.

Allen: Williams 65 run (Williams run), 8:48.

Allen: Stewart 45 run (H. Roeber run), 1:36.

Allen: Austin Roeber 43 run (PAT failed), 10:28.

Allen: A. Roeber 31 run (PAT failed), 5:08.

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Lutheran High Northeast in two sets, 25-22, 25-21.

Junior high runners at conference

Wayne's junior high cross country teams competed at the conference meet, Sept. 29 at Pierce.

Angie Nelson continued her winning form with a time of 9:26 over the 1.5-mile course, cruising past the other 50 runners. Hannah Kenney was eighth with a 10:06 and McKenzie Rusk was 35th at 12:01.

On the boys' side, Jared Peterson led Wayne over the 2-mile course with a 10th place showing of 11:57. Tyler Schoh was 14th at 12:29 and Luke Pulfer, 20th at 12:51. Joe Burrows was 33rd with a time of 14:18 in the field of 47.

JV boys victorious

The Wayne JV football team posted a 20-12 overtime win over Hartington Cedar Catholic on Sept. 28.

Luke Trenhaile broke the tie in overtime with a touchdown run, while Trent Baza caught a two-point pass from Gage Rethwisch. The defense came through with a big stop to secure the win.

Chris Rodgers returned a fumble for a touchdown and Miles Anderson caught a touchdown pass from Rethwisch. Jordan Backer and Mason Wren each had an interception, while Colin Preston and Alex Onnen led in tackles.

Freshman lose 22-0

The Wayne freshman football team dropped a 22-0 decision to Battle Creek on Thursday.

Brady Soden led the rushing attack for the Blue Devil frosh. Dan Melena, Joey Lenihan and Ramsey Jorgensen each forced turnovers to lead the defense.

JH football teams win

The Wayne eighth-grade team posted a 32-0 shutout of Schuyler in recent action, while the seventh-graders claimed a 12-8 decision.

In the eighth-grade game, Jalen Barry ran for one touchdown and threw a touchdown pass to Matt Schrunck. Victor Zavala, Trevor Pecena and Luke Rethwisch all had touchdown runs. Leading the defense were Curtis Moeller and Brandon Martian.

In the seventh-grade game, Jackson Belt returned a fumble 60 yards to score the winning touchdown.

JV netters lose two

The Wayne JV volleyball team dropped a pair of games in triangular action Tuesday, losing to Boone Central (25-17, 25-15) and Pierce (25-12, 25-23).

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Trojans take Tuesday triangular

The Wakefield volleyball team swept a home triangular with Wausa and Hartington on Sept. 29, beating Wausa in straight sets and taking down Hartington in three tough sets.

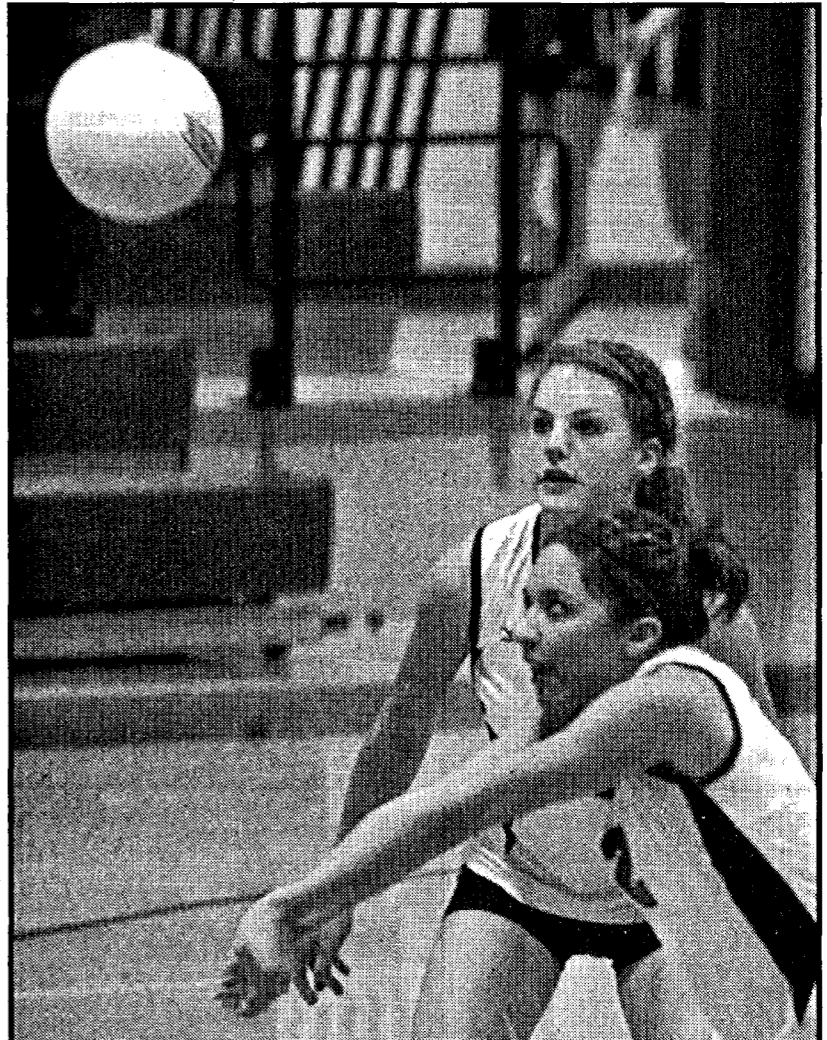
Coach Megan Nixon said the Trojans needed to play at a consistent level throughout the game, and they got the job done with a pair of wins.

"We matched up pretty well with those teams, and we just needed to go out and play consistent the whole game," she said. "We really need to limit those runs of errors and be more consistent, both defensively and offensively."

In the 25-16, 25-13 win over Wausa, the Trojans got a balanced attack at the net, led by Katie Weinrich with nine kills and Keri Lunz with seven kills. Lunz also had six ace serves and 11 digs to lead the defense. Erika McNeil and Jenna Henderson had 10 and nine set assists, respectively.

The Trojans needed three sets to get past Hartington, winning 22-25, 25-22, 25-21. Lunz and Weinrich had 13 and 10 kills, respectively, to lead the net attack. Lunz had 24 digs while Henderson and Morgan Lunz each came up with 11 digs. McNeil had 13 set assists and Henderson chipped in with 12.

Wakefield will play at the West Point Central Catholic Invite on Thursday and will compete in the Sioux City Heelan Invitational on Saturday.



Morgan Lunz passes a Wausa serve as teammate Keri Lunz watches during action last week at Wakefield.

Wildcats get weekend road split

The Wayne State volleyball team broke out of a two-game mini-slump with an exciting five-set win over Bemidji State Saturday afternoon.

After winning a school-record 15 in a row, the 22nd ranked Wildcats saw their streak ended last week by two-time defending champion Concordia St. Paul. They suffered back-to-back losses for the second time this year Friday, losing in straight sets to 10th ranked Minnesota Duluth, losing 25-17, 25-22, 25-18.

Coach Scott Kneiff said the team ran into a couple of tough opponents back-to-back.

"We lost two in a row, but one is to the No. 1 team in the country and the other to the No. 10 team, so it's not like we played poorly in those matches," he said. "We just need to refocus and work on our weaknesses and improve on our strengths, and we'll see those teams again in a few weeks."

On Friday night, the host Bulldogs were clicking on all cylinders, according to Kneiff. They hit .365 as a team while limiting Wayne State to .191 hitting.

"We did what we could to get them out of their

system, but they played very well and they have a very nice team," Kneiff said.

Jennifer Hefner led the Wildcats with 13 kills and four blocks, Tali Fredrickson added eight and Lea Hartigan put down seven. Diedra Artz had 28 set assists and Tessa Wiefeld picked up seven digs.

On Saturday, the Wildcats won a tough back-and-forth affair at Bemidji State, coming away with a five-set win, 18-25, 25-17, 25-23, 17-25, 15-6.

"Any time you can go on the road and win, even in five games, it's a good feeling, Kneiff said. "Bemidji State is a much improved team over years past and they did some things that took us out of our groove."

Hefner had a season-high 21 kills and added four blocks to help Wayne State improve to 17-4 overall and 4-2 in the NSIC. Hartigan added 16 kills, Fredrickson had 11 kills and 14 digs and Leigh Connot added 18 digs. Artz had 52 set assists and nine digs.

Wayne State is at home this weekend, hosting Minnesota Crookston Friday at 7 p.m. and Minnesota Moorhead Saturday at 4 p.m.

WSC runners compete at meet

BROOKINGS, S.D. - The Wayne State College cross country teams competed in the SDSU Classic Saturday at South Dakota State University.

The Wildcat women placed eight with 191 points, while the Wayne State men were ninth with 245 points.

Senior Megan Zavorka led the WSC women's team, placing 20th with a time of 19:04. Freshmen Ky'Lee Engelken placed 83rd with a time of 19:35.

Other WSC finishers were Sarah Thomsen, 43rd in 20:17; Meghan Jacob, 46th in 20:26; Melissa McIntosh, 49th in 20:33; Molly Gibson, 50th in 20:38; and Jenna McCoy, 66th in 22:12.

John Kern was the top finisher for the WSC men's team, taking 31st with a time of 27:08. Junior York Thomas was 43rd with a time of 27:24, Matt Seiler finished in 50th place with a time of 28:15, Trevor Urkoski finished 57th with a time of 28:43, and Jason Schaff was 64th with a time of 29:43.

'Cats play to 0-0 draw

Wayne State and Augustana battled to a 0-0 Sunday afternoon in women's soccer action at the WSC Soccer Complex.

The tie makes the Wildcats 2-8-1 overall and 0-4-1 in the NSIC.

Goalkeeper Emily Walker led the Wildcats, making a season-

high 10 saves. Augustana outshot the Wildcats 29-2 in the contest, with 10 of the Vikings shots being shots on goal. Augustana also led in corner kicks with a 9-2 advantage.

Wayne State is at home this weekend, hosting Upper Iowa Saturday and Winona State Sunday.

Bears come away with wins

Laurel-Concord bounced back from a tough road loss at Pierce to win an exciting matchup with Creighton last week.

On Sept. 29, the Lady Bears won the first set on the road, but the Bluejays bounced back to sweep the final three sets and win in four sets, 22-25, 25-13, 25-18, 25-23.

"We continue to make too many mistakes," coach Patti Cunningham said. "The biggest obstacle we must overcome is not bringing the competitive aspects to the game that would allow us to perform consistently."

Taryn Dahlquist had 10 kills and five blocks to lead the net attack for the Lady Bears, while Amy Pritchard added eight kills. Jade Cunningham had 22 set assists and Mandy Nelson added 11.

On Thursday night, the Lady bears went back and forth with NENAC foe Creighton at home, but finally came away with a five-set win to take a 23-25, 25-12, 25-14,

24-26, 15-9 triumph.

"It was a real fight to the finish," Cunningham said. "We blocked well and served aggressively and forced Creighton's attackers to adjust. It was rewarding to see all the girls contribute and come through big in key situations."

Dahlquist was one of three Lady Bears in double figures in the kill department, leading the way with 18. Lexi White added 16 kills and Pritchard put down 14 shots.

Defensively, Audrey Kastrup had a busy night with a game-high 26 digs, Cunningham added 15, Pritchard 12 and Ashley Lunz recorded 10. Cunningham had 45 set assists.

On Tuesday, the Lady Bears improved to 14-8 with a three-set win over Hartington, winning 25-22, 25-10, 25-19.

White had 16 kills and Pritchard added 10 for the winners. Lunz had eight digs and Cunningham served up 31 set assists.

Wayne JV runners compete

DAVID CITY - Giving the varsity a day off after two tough meets, coach Rocky Ruhl took Wayne High JV cross country runners to compete in varsity action Thursday at the Aquinas Invitational.

Riley McManus led the Wayne JV boys in the varsity race with a 31st-place time of 19:33. Tony Sinniger was 40th as the JV Devils finished 10th with 164 points.

Wayne did not record a team score in the girls' race, as Kennedy Stowater was the lone Blue Devil to compete, finishing 59th.

Jacob Reynolds and Jacob Pulfer both medaled in the boys JV race, finishing second and 15th, respectively.

The Wayne varsity will compete in the Mid-States Conference meet Friday at Bloomfield.

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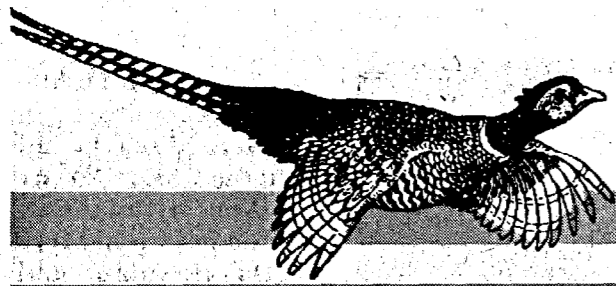
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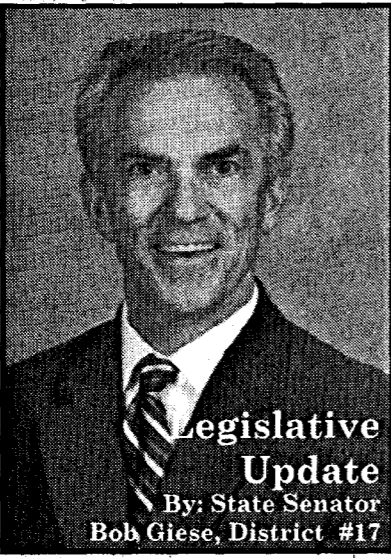
Greetings from the Unicameral! Last week, I had the honor of representing the Nebraska Legislature at the Streamlined Sales Tax Governing Board's Annual Meeting in Oklahoma City, Okla.

The board is a result of the Streamlined Sales and Use Tax Agreement, an agreement between 44 states (including Nebraska), the District of Columbia, local governments and the business community to simplify state sales tax collection.

As more and more Americans have begun shopping online, many Nebraska retailers have lost business to online retailers located out of the state, who under current federal law cannot be required to pay state and local sales taxes in Nebraska.

While more than 1,100 online retailers currently collect state sales taxes voluntarily, these businesses represent a small fraction of the projected \$156 billion in online retail sales this year in the United States. Some studies estimate that states lose more than \$27 billion each year to uncollected sales taxes on purchases made online.

The Streamlined Sales and Use Tax Agreement is a collaborative effort to allow states to collect sales taxes on purchases made online by encouraging states to adopt uniform sales tax definitions and collection processes. These reforms have the benefit of reducing both the burden on businesses who pay sales taxes and the administrative costs of tax



Legislative Update
By: State Senator
Bob Giese, District #17

collection by the state.

Federal legislation expected to pass in the next few years would allow states that have adopted these reforms to collect sales taxes on purchases made online, evening the playing field for Nebraska businesses and potentially reducing Nebraska's dependence on income and property taxes. I look forward to learning more about this unique proposal that will help keep Nebraska businesses competitive in an increasingly online market.

As always, I would encourage you to contact me if you have any questions or simply have an opinion on legislation before the Unicameral. Feel free to call my office at (402) 471-2716, send me an e-mail at bgiese@leg.ne.gov, or stop by in person any time you're in Lincoln.

Capitol View

Stand Congress in a corner

By ED HOWARD
Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association

LINCOLN - Some years ago, a suggestion was made from this corner that teachers be allowed to use an old-school method for handling some of the miscreants who disrupt classrooms: Make 'em stand in a corner!

That column generated a range of comments. Some folks suggested that only an old-fashioned, unimaginative meanie would believe that reverting to such a method could be worthwhile. Others thought it was a good idea, while a few suggested further disciplinary schemes that would result in a great many attorneys working a very great deal of overtime.

The view from here: The "stand 'em in a corner until the bell rings" philosophy is still worthwhile.

However, it's obvious that such a policy will never be reinstated in the nation's public schools. It's a pity, but there you have it.

Besides, it has become obvious that there are public institutions where "stand 'em in the corner" therapy might serve an even higher purpose.

Congress, for example. Unfortunately, it would take an amendment to the U.S. Constitution to put such a system in place for the House and the Senate. And its language would have to be crafted so carefully that even the U.S. Supreme Court couldn't screw with its intent.

Put the idea in the impossible dream file, mostly because we could never agree on a common sense application of its enforcement. And that's all that would be needed - the common sense traditionally found in, say, a good mother.

Examples.
Congressman Loud: "You want to kill all the nation's old people, and



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make it illegal for them to listen to their old Lawrence Welk records!"

The congressman automatically gets 30 minutes in the corner, and it can't be a corner where a lobbyist is waiting with lunch and bottle of champagne, either.

Senator Gross: "You don't love America, the Army, the Navy, the Marine Corps, the Air Force or the Girl Scouts!"

The senator also does 30 minutes in the corner.

Senator Grump: "Oh, yeah! Well, I've heard that you do love Girl Scouts! And another thing..."

The senator stands in the corner until his knees fall into his

brogans.

One can argue that making a bad actor stand in a corner might not have the desired influence on a child.

But on a politician? It would work every time!

Think about it.

Think about a politician being separated from the herd, and then forced to stand, looking into a corner. It's not that his/her feet would get tired - the sublime beauty of this penalty is that they wouldn't be able to see what's going on behind their back. And, they wouldn't be able to talk!

Beautiful thought, isn't it?

Fiendish, but beautiful.

Of course, both houses would seek to challenge the system in the U.S. Supreme Court, arguing that it clearly violates the constitutional ban on cruel and unusual punishment.

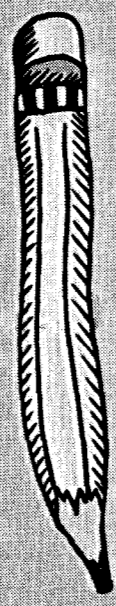
It could be successfully defended (according to legal authorities who are unencumbered by a lot of law school drive) because it would not prohibit the expression of any sentiment or idea. It would simply ban expressing such sentiments or ideas in the fashion one would expect from a school child...who ought to be required to go stand in a corner.

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Media telling us what we don't need to know

How much do we really need to know?

There are some things in life that we, as American citizens, have the right to know, and it's the job of every member of the working media - including ours here at The Wayne Herald - to make sure we do everything we can to properly inform our audience of the news they need to know so that they might function as a part of our community.

I spend a good deal of time perusing other media outlets, on a daily basis, so that I might become a better-informed member of civilization. I read the area newspapers, listen to the local radio stations and religiously peruse a variety of news and sports Web sites each day.

The problem is that, more and more, these media sources are losing touch with the real world and spending far too much ink, air time and bandwidth telling me about things that, quite honestly, I don't need to know about.

The big story this past week has been the sexual trysts of late-night talk show host David Letterman. According to the media sources, Letterman had an affair with one of his employees, even though he was in a relationship with a woman who gave birth to his son (they married a few years after his son was born).

Allegedly, a producer for another TV show attempted to extort \$2 million from Letterman and was



Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes
Managing Editor

arrested. The man's attorney promises to show that Letterman, who has used his show to apologize to his wife, staff members and others, is using his show to manipulate the truth regarding this whole sordid mess.

Who cares?

Quite frankly, I'm only interested in whether or not Letterman can entertain me on the rare occasions when I'm home that late at night to watch The Idiot Box. Make me laugh with a Top 10 list, Stupid Pet Tricks or something zany like dropping watermelons from a 10-story building.

Who is Letterman sleeping with? I don't know. And, more to the point...I couldn't care less. I don't need to know what kind of a sleazeball Letterman is away from the camera. As long as he's not chasing my daughter around, what he does off stage is none of my business.

The same goes for any number of high-profile celebrities whose

personal lives seem to be the only thing the major networks seem to put any effort into covering these days.

What's the latest on Britney Spears' career comeback? Is Lindsay Lohan still involved with some lesbian DJ? Why is Mickey Rourke dating an actress young enough to be his daughter?

Don't know. Don't care. Not interested.

The same goes for the personal lives of our politicians, although there is a catch...if the politician is cavorting on the public dollar, his (or her) slobber-knocking affairs need to be brought out in public with the brightest spotlight possible.

Did we need to know the sordid details about former President Clinton's affair with an intern in the White House? You bet we did...this guy is the leader of the free world and is using the Oval Office to do the nasty with some college dimwit.

When the governor of South Carolina was using state resources to carry on an affair with some dame in Argentina (what...Miss Right now wasn't available at some strip club in Charleston? No hot interns roaming around the state capitol?), that nonsense needed to be brought out and publicized. (How that goober is still the governor makes me wonder just how low the level of intelligence is in that particular state.)

But do I care about the wild times Jon from "Jon and Kate Plus 8" was having when he and his wife split up? No. Did I need to know who he was sleeping with or what they were doing off camera? Absolutely not.

What I need to know, and what the mainstream media continues to fail to deliver on, is the news that matters to ME. How is the government wasting my tax dollars? What is the economy doing right now and how does it affect my 401K or my ability to put food on the table, gas in the car and a roof over my head?

The mainstream media likes to think they know what's good for us when it comes to the "need to know" things in life. Spending more than two seconds on Letterman's sex life, though, proves that to be totally incorrect.

And, now that I've wasted all this space on something so insignificant, it's time to go home and do something educational...like turning off the TV.

Letters

United Way thanks

The Wayne United Way Board and the United Way agencies would like to thank everyone who attended the tailgate-kickoff event at the Wayne High football game on Sept. 25. All donations were greatly appreciated.

A special thank you is extended to the following businesses for their contributions: Chartwells for the chips and condiments, Vel's Bakery for the buns, Pac N' Save for the brats and hotdogs, and Pepsi for the drinks. Thank you to Wayne High and Wayne State College Athletics for allowing us to utilize the facilities at Cunningham Field.

October is United Way month, therefore we will continue to solicit donations for our 2009-2010 campaign goal of \$36,500. Donations to the Wayne United Way can be mailed to P.O. Box 65, Wayne, NE 68787.

Wayne United Way appreciates the support of the Wayne community.

Members of the Wayne United Way

Health care reform

"I'm agin' it! I'm agin' it!" That is the refrain we hear. "I've got mine, that's all that matters, So what if your life's in tatters,

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"Me? You're asking me to help find a solution,

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I'd rather be on the sidelines, Repeatedly chanting the old refrain,

I'm agin' it! I'm agin' it!

That is what I'm going to say, And continually keep on saying,

Until I reach my dying day."

Various presidents have attempted to do something regarding this issue, starting with President Teddy Roosevelt in the early 20th century.

How many centuries do we need in order to "get it right"?

Hildegarde Fenske Hoskins

Eagles say thanks

It is such a rewarding feeling to live in a community that comes together to raise money for a good cause.

The Wayne Eagles Club would like to thank everyone who attended and participated in our Poker Run for Muscular Dystrophy. This was our first attempt at this and it was a huge success. We raised \$1000 for MDA and this wouldn't have happened without the participants and all the volunteers.

The money raised will stay in Nebraska and, hopefully, can help a very special young man from Wayne, Zach Jorgensen, and others. We learned a lot this year from the riders and participants and look forward to doing the Poker Run for MDA next year and making it an even bigger success.

Remember, "Eagles Are People Helping People." Thanks again.

Brian Gamble Amber Johnson

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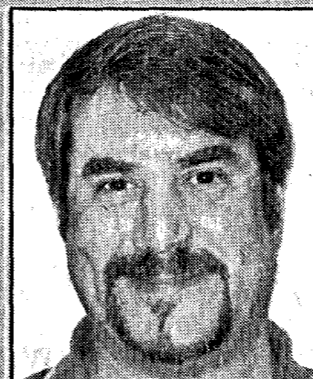
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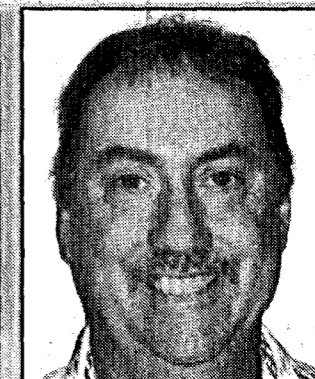
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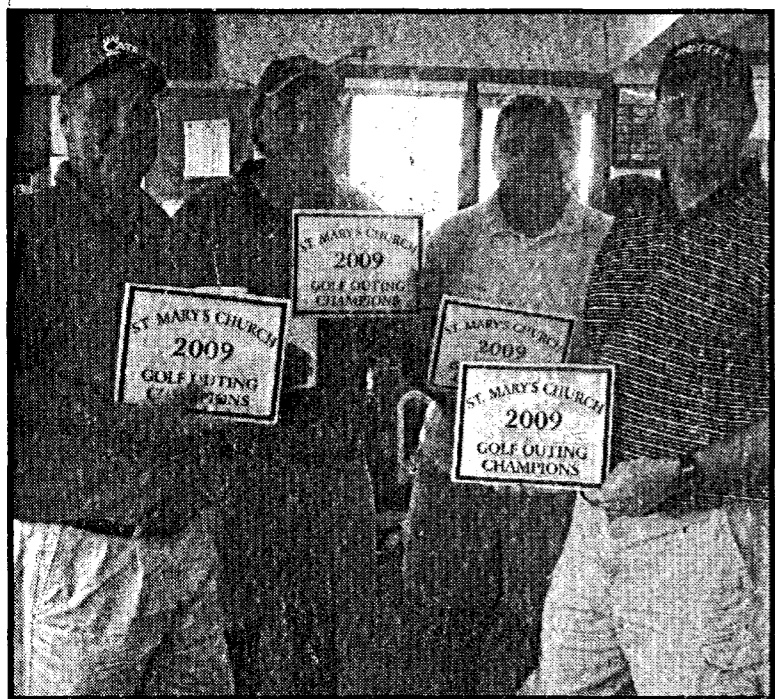


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Holy Hackers champions

The first annual St. Mary's Holy Hackers Golf Scramble, held at the Wayne Country Club, was won by the "Beran Birdie Machine" consisting of, left to right, Chuck Parker, Gary Wright, Richard Beran and F. Mark Beran.



Support for the memorial

Mike Sievers, President of the Wayne Eagles Aerie presents a check for, \$100 to Bud Neel, a member of the Veterans' Memorial Committee to be used toward the construction of the Veterans Memorial at the Wayne County Courthouse.

Winside News

Dana Bargstadt
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HOMECOMING

After a week of fun and excitement, the Wildcats took time out to declare the 2009 Homecoming royalty during halftime of the football game that was won against Emerson-Hubbard.

Homecoming King was Seth Mangels, son of John and Karen Mangels. Queen was Cassie Mrsny, daughter of Steve and Michele Jorgensen and Jeff Mrsny.

The 2009 attendant to the Queen was Katie Saul, daughter of Roger and Elaine Saul. Attendant to the King was Nathan Janke, son of Brad and Lisa Janke.

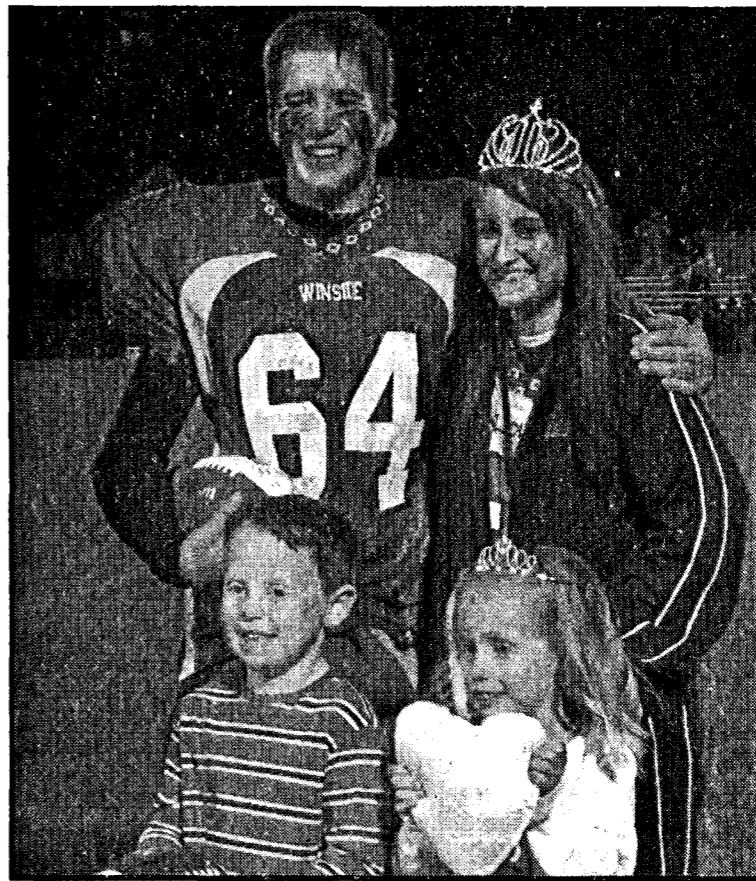
Other senior candidates included: Emily Backstrom, daughter of Bryan and Carolyn Backstrom; Brad Doffin, son of Russ and Diane Doffin; Jordyn Roberts, daughter of Brad and Joanie Roberts; Kyle Skokan, son of Don and Patti Skokan; Alishia Weinrich, daughter of Todd and Cyndi Weinrich; and Jordan Nelson, son of Don Nelson and Jill Nelson and Steve Leland.

Homecoming attendants for the underclassmen were: Juniors - Lesley Milenkovich, daughter of Tony and Laurie Milenkovich and Ethan Thies, son of John and Nancy Thies and LeNeil Thies; Sophomores - Jerae Doffin, daughter of Russ and Diane Doffin and Tanner Woslager, son of Dave and Karlene Woslager; Freshmen - Cassidy Marotz, daughter of VerNeal and Carmie Marotz and Levi Lange, son of Rick and Becky Lange.

Crown bearers this year were kindergartners Sierra Kravig, daughter of Erick and Krista Kravig and Dakota Spann, son of Sean and Rachelle Spann. Homecoming Royalty for 2008, Hillary Lienemann, daughter of Ed and Laurie Lienemann and Casey Lange, son of Rick and Becky Lange, crowned the King and Queen.

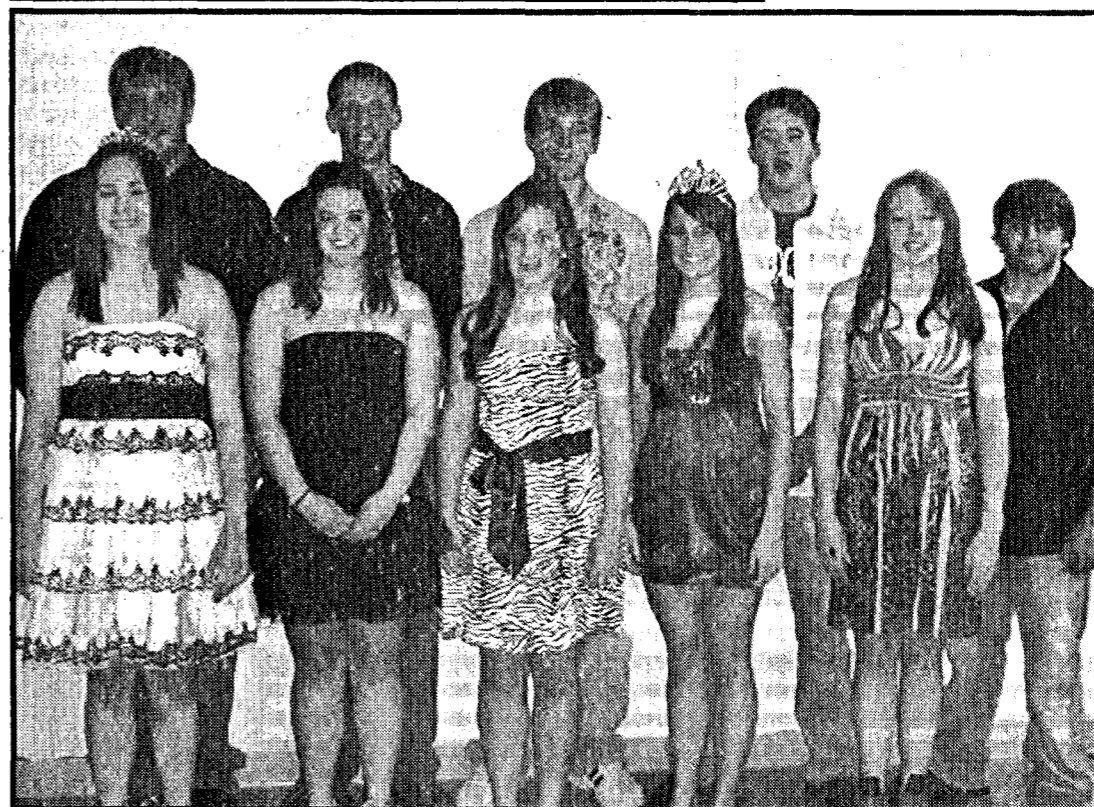
Winners for activities throughout the week included: Mrs. Rogers-Spann for Pajama Day; Jordyn Roberts for Farmer Day; Cassie Mrsny for Hawaiian Day; John and Paul Hansen for Opposite Sport/Opposite Sex Day; and once again, the teachers for Red/White/Spirit Day. The class with the best decorated hallway was the seniors.

Flowers and Wine in Wayne donated both the attendant's crown as well as the Queen's crown, as they have done for the past few years.



At right - Homecoming King Seth Mangels and Queen Cassie Mrsny along with kindergarten crown bearers Dakota Spann and Sierra Kravig.

Below - Homecoming candidates for 2009 at Winside High School included, front row, left to right, Katie Saul, Emily Backstrom, Jordyn Roberts, Cassie Mrsny, and Alishia Weinrich. Back row, Nathan Janke, Kyle Skokan, Brad Doffin, Seth Mangels and Jordan Nelson.



TOPS group meets in Wayne

TOPS NE 0200 met Sept. 30 in the Providence Medical Center Boardroom with 13 TOPS and three KOPS in attendance.

Roll call was answered with each member's favorite fall activity that burned calories.

Connie Kirkpatrick was the TOPS Best Loser and Lois Spencer was the KOPS Best Loser. Pam Barelman earned a charm for turning in five coupons. Bingo winners this week were Kay Saul, Lois Spencer, Pam Barelman and Kathleen Jobs.

Anyone seeking more information about TOPS, Inc is welcome to join the group any Wednesday evening.

FFA members attend Husker Harvest Days

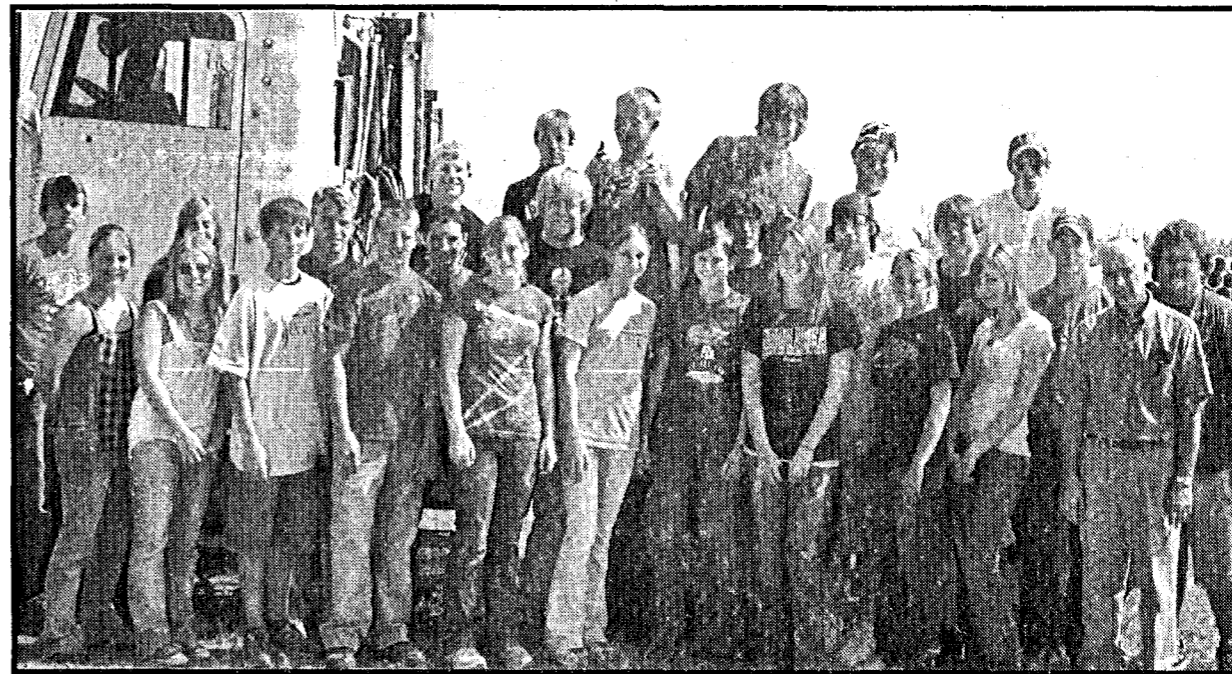
The Allen FFA members attended Husker Harvest Day activities at Grand Island recently.

They enjoyed exploring all the new booths and activities that were offered this year. They also offered food and snacks at the convention. There were many companies and businesses advertising their new agri-

cultural products and technology.

Everyone enjoyed getting free merchandise from the separate booths and vendors.

The FFA members learned about all the new advances in agriculture and enjoyed many new experiences and Husker Harvest Days 2009.



Allen FFA members who attended Husker Harvest Days in Grand Island included, front row, left to right, Tory Lubberstedt, Ashley Gregerson, Brandon Sullivan, Anthony Kennelly, Hannah Finnegan, Heather Turney, Bentley Hingst, Megan Stewart, Danielle Schneider, Leah Armour, and Mr. Wilmes. Middle row, Jacob Stewart, Vanessa Klug, Brandon Cullison, Seath Tellinghusen, Jarret Warner, Jacob Woodward, Zach Hansen, Cody Stewart, Eric Oswald and Lathan Kraft. Back row, Keith Jorgensen, Austin Roerber, Garrett Hingst, Chase Isom, Patrick Peterson, and Heath Roerber.

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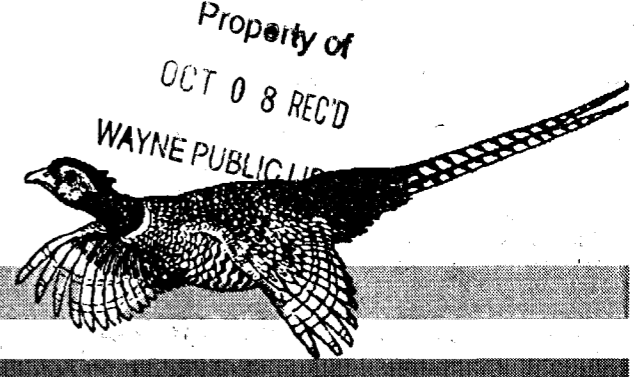
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Lifestyle

The Wayne Herald

Minerva Club learns of Czech traditions

On Sept. 28 the Minerva Club met in the home of MaryAnn DeNaeyer with 10 members in attendance. President Phyllis Rahn opened the meeting with readings about attitude taken from writings of Patty Morrison. These readings were a reminder of how important

it is to respond to life's events with a positive attitude. It is contagious and makes everyday special. Members responded to roll call by telling their favorite polka. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. In the absence of treasurer Donna

Hansen, MaryAnn DeNaeyer gave the treasurer's report. Historian Hollis Frese read from the minutes of Oct. 5, 1931. Roll call had been facts about Nebraska and the program topic was Nebraska's Contribution to the Nation; prominent authors, songwriters, and politicians were mentioned.

There was no old business. New business consisted of determining what portion of the price of meals at the Senior Center a hostess would pay when entertaining there. Individual members would pay the remainder.

The meeting adjourned so MaryAnn DeNaeyer could present her program on Czech festivals. After an introduction of Czech history and legends, she concentrated on Czechs in America. Like many nationalities, these people came to the United States to better their lives.

Advertisements of opportunities and railroad land grants led them to settle in eastern Nebraska. Czechs are known for their music, food and dancing. Their songs are heartfelt and light, accentuating a positive outlook on life.

Kolaches, potato dumplings, sauerkraut, and duck are but a few of the ethnic dishes, and no Czech event is complete without dancing the polka.

Since 1987, Wilbur has been recognized as the Czech capital of the United States.

With a population of 1,600, it takes 900 Wilbur citizens working on 69 committees to carry out the festival. Czech food, entertainment, dancing and a parade, complete with a sizeable alumni band provide entertainment for 30-50,000 people every August.

Weddings



Mr. and Mrs. Miller

Wiebelhaus - Miller married in Wayne ceremony

Amy Wiebelhaus of Wayne and John Miller of Pender were married Aug. 15, 2009 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne.

Father Mark Beran officiated at the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are James and Sharon Wiebelhaus of Neligh and Bill and Joan Miller of Springfield.

Music for the ceremony was provided by vocalist Beth Cheyney and organist Cheryl Werner.

Matron of Honor was Shelli Oborny of Bennington.

Bridesmaids were Linne Ourada of Lincoln, Darcy Wiebelhaus of Ainsworth, Tonya Galligher of Lincoln, Kelli Bruns of Sioux Falls, S.D., Mariah Zumo of Sioux City, Melissa Reamer of Seward and Bailey Oborny of Bennington.

Flower girls were Miah Wiebelhaus and Hunter Wiebelhaus, both of Ainsworth.

Ring bearers were Beau Wiebelhaus and Zachary Wiebelhaus, both of Ainsworth.

Best Man was David Stalling of Omaha.

Groomsmen were Charlie Oborny of Bennington, Aaron Smith of Omaha, Reagan Wiebelhaus of Ainsworth, Clint Werner of Tyler, Texas, Joel Hansen of Omaha, Brayden Oborny of Bennington and Jake Menousek of Omaha.

Ushers were Toby Thompson of Norfolk, Dan Krugman of Wayne and Dan Iske and Tony Albertsen, both of Omaha.

A reception for 350 guests was held at the National Guard Armory in Wayne following the ceremony.

Following a wedding trip to Jamaica, the couple is at home in Wayne.

The bride is a 1998 graduate of Neligh-Oakdale High School. She graduated from Wayne State College in 2002 and the University of Nebraska College of Law in 2005. She is a partner in the law firm of Pieper, Miller and Dahl in Wayne.

The groom graduated from Platteview High School in 1999, the University of Nebraska at Omaha in 2004 and Creighton School of Physical Therapy in 2007. He is employed at Pender Community Hospital.

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Optimist Club gathers in Wayne

The Wayne Optimist Club met Sept. 22, at Tacos & More.

The President Bob Keating called the meeting to order. Update of the treasurer's report was read with a reminder that dues for 2009-2010 are due. The Optimist Banquet was set for Oct. 13, at the Coffee Shoppe at 6 p.m. which will be honoring the outgoing officers and welcoming the new officers. It was decided that starting in October the group will meet at The Coffee Shoppe the second and fourth Tuesdays beginning Oct. 13, with the banquet and then Oct. 27, will be at 6 p.m. and the following month will be the second Tuesday at 1 p.m., and the fourth Tuesday at 6 p.m., to accommodate the needs of more members. Both times will have speakers with a meal.

The new board met with Bob Wreidt hosting in his home Sept. 28, to plan a year of activities for the club and assign project leaders for the events.

Plans were finalized to do a Maze for Halloween at Premier Estates for Trick or Treaters Oct. 31. Plans for the Punt, Pass and Kick in Wakefield were completed to be held Sunday Sept. 13.

Keating the chairman announced that the results of the winners of this competition were Israel Gardea, age 8 group, Julio Sanchez, age 9 group, Ben Klein, age 10 group, Jose Sanchez age 11 group and Michael Kiewel, age 12 group. Girls, age 8 Alexis Brahmsteadt and Brittany Gatzemeyer, age 11 group. There were 17 participants.

The meeting closed with the Optimist Creed recited together.

Anyone interested or wanting to know more about Optimist should contact any member or the Pres. Bob Wreidt 375-2569.

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Eagles Auxiliary meets

The Wayne Eagles Auxiliary met Oct. 5, with President DeAnn Behlers presiding.

Cheryl Henschke reported on upcoming fund-raising event for the Iowa Diabetes Research Center. A NASCAR Race Party will be held at the Aerie on Saturday, Oct. 17, at 6 p.m. Each race car number will be \$5. The event will include give aways and prizes to be awarded throughout the event. A free-will donation will be taken for supper at 6 p.m.

The annual Watkins Party will be held Tuesday, Oct. 27, from 5:30 to 8 p.m., at the Club. Catalogs can be obtained at the club or by contacting Cheryl Henschke. Products will be available that evening.

Reports were given on the Muscular Dystrophy Association (MDA) Poker Run. It was noted that there was a great turnout and the event netted \$1,000. Poker hand winners were Joni Holdorf, Dale Alexander Sr. and Jim Modrell. Lynn Gamble won the split pot.

Serving lunch at the meeting was Cheryl Henschke. The next meeting will be held Monday, Oct. 19 with Dorothy Nelson serving lunch.

Leather and Lace hold September dance

Leather and Lace danced to the caller Doug Phillips on Sept. 25, at the Wayne City Auditorium.

Jim Rourke won the free pass and split the pot went to Jackie Escalante and Sandy Preston. 49er's from Norfolk took the club banner home with them.

Members are reminded to attend the Fall Festival Sunday afternoon, Oct. 11, at Christ Lutheran School Gym Norfolk with Mike Hogan calling.

It was announced the Leather and Lace club will sponsor lessons beginning Thursday evening, Oct. 15, at 7 p.m., at The Oaks with Dale Muehlmeier from Norfolk calling. The first two lessons will be free. All ages are welcome and those attending need not be a couple for angels will be provided. For more information contact Vernon Bauermeister 833-8270 or Darrel and Phyllis Rahn 375-1667.

The next dance will be Friday, Oct. 9, with Dave Riley calling. The members are reminded that they need to bring a salad for lunch. Gerald and Ardy Stanley will be in charge of beverages.

Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

Week of Oct. 12 - 16
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 For reservations, call 375-1460
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Monday: Beef stew, broccoli, cottage cheese, fruit cocktail, dinner roll & Promise, crackers.

Tuesday: Scalloped potatoes & ham, brussels sprouts, bread and Promise, canned pears.

Wednesday: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes & beef gravy, green beans, dinner roll & Promise, apple cobbler.

Thursday: Baked pork loin, roasted potatoes, baby carrots, spinach salad with dressing, sliced apple, cookie.

Friday: Grilled chicken, Prince William vegetables, celery sticks, wheat bread & Promise, tropical fruit.

SENIOR CENTER CALENDAR

(Week of Oct. 12 - 16)

Monday, Oct. 12: Morning walk; Quilting and cards; "Magic Show" by Joe Brogie; Pool, 1 p.m.

Tuesday, Oct. 13: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Bridge.

Wednesday, Oct. 14: Morning walking; Quilting, cards and table games; Pool, 1 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 15: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Century Club Certificates; Pitch party, 1:15 to 3 p.m.; Bridge.

Friday, Oct. 16: Morning walking; Quilting, cards and dominoes; Pool, 1 p.m.; Bingo, 1:15; Premier Estate.

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Summer Bridge Club luncheon held

AREA - The final Summer Bridge Club Ladies Luncheon was held Sept. 29 at the Wayne Senior Center.

Winners that day included Marilyn Leighton, high, and Dorothy Aurich, second high. Kathy Becker, who coordinated this year's luncheons, handed out treats to all those in attendance.

This was the final gathering for the 2009 season. Bridge will resume again in the spring of 2010. Kathy Johnson and Jerry Sharpe will coordinate next year's bridge luncheons.

Social Hour

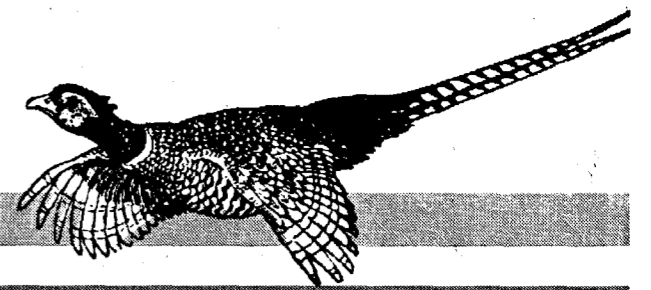
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line. Tuesday: Goldenrod Hills WIC Clinic, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Holiday Fair Craft Night, 6:30 p.m.; WOW, 7. Wednesday: King's Kids, 3:40 p.m.; Bell Choir, 6; Chancel Choir, 7; Trustees, 7; Advisory Board, 8. Thursday: Century Club Movie, 10 a.m.; Habitat for Humanity at Wayne State College Connell Hall, 7 p.m. Friday: EWOCK, 6:30 p.m.

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FIRST LUTHERAN
(Karen Tjarks, Pastor)
Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10.

UNITED METHODIST
(Pastor Sara Simmons, pastor)
Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m. Wednesday: ACCTS, 3:30 p.m.

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

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
(Rev. Timothy Steckling, pastor)
Sunday: Worship service, 8 a.m. Tuesday: Regional Pastors Continuing Education, 10 a.m. Wednesday: Communion at Premier Estates, 1 p.m.; Communion at The Oaks, 2 p.m.

Thursday: Ladies Aid, 2 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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Sunday: United Methodist Women Sunday. Worship Service, 8:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30; Sunday School picnic, 11. Wednesday: Carroll United Methodist Women, 1:30 p.m. (pies to Premier Estates).

Concord
CONCORDIA LUTHERAN
(Karen Tjarks, Pastor)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:45.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
East of town
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: Mission Fest Sunday. Worship at Immanuel, 10:30 a.m.; Dinner, 11:30; Mission Presentation, 12:30; Truth Project, 7 p.m. Monday: Quilting, 1 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Jensen's, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation class, 4:30 p.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE
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Saturday: Senior High Youth Event "Corn Maze", Norfolk, meet at church at 5:30 p.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30; Senior High Youth Group, Evening Bible Study and Praying Kids, 7 p.m. Monday: FCWM Board meeting, 7 p.m. Wednesday: AWANA/Trek "Two of a Kind Night," 7 p.m. Saturday: AWANA Leadership Training in Omaha, 8:30 a.m.

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ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC
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Sunday: Mass, 9 a.m.; Coffee and rolls following Mass. Sunday: Life Chain in Wayne, 2:30 p.m. Wednesday: Religious Education classes, 7 p.m.

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Sunday: Sunday School and Confirmation Classes, 9:30 a.m.; Worship service, 10:30 a.m.

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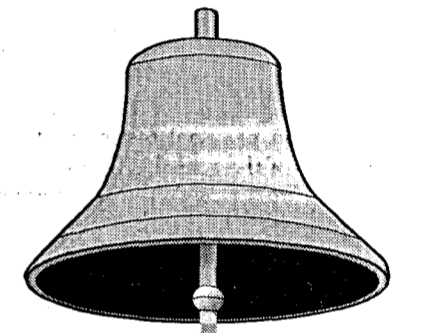
prayer, 9 a.m.; Worship on Cable, 7 p.m.; Deacon Board meeting, 7. Wednesday: Rip & Roll, 9:30 a.m.; Worship on Cable, 10; Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Snak Shak, 5:30; Pioneer Club and Junior High, 6:15; Bible Study, 6:30. Thursday: Men's Bible Study, 7 a.m.; Taste of Home Cooking School. Friday-Saturday: Balloon Days.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
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(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: Mission Fest Sunday. Worship at Immanuel, 10:30 a.m.; Dinner, 11:30; Mission Presentation, 12:30; Tuesday: Bible Study at Jensen's, 9 a.m. Thursday: Immanuel Ladies Aid, 2 p.m.

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

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Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Education Hour, 10:15.

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411 Winter Street
(William A. Koeber, interim pastor)
Saturday: Worship with Communion, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Choir, 7:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship with Communion, 10:30 a.m.; Council after church. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:15 p.m.; Martin Russell Call Committee and Council, 6:30. Thursday: Video on local channel. Saturday: Worship with Communion, 6:30 p.m.



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(Pastor Timothy Steckling)
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TRINITY LUTHERAN
(PMA Glenn Kietzmann)
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UNITED METHODIST
(Carol Jean Stapelton, pastor)
(Parish Assistant - Judy Carlson, CLS)
Friday: Carol Jean and Judy meet with District Building & Location Committee in Norfolk for final approval on building plans, 9:15 a.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship with Holy Communion, 11:15; Bring First Fruits offering to worship. Wednesday: Pastor in Pierce Office, 1 p.m.; Church Conference, 7 p.m.

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Mark Kanitz plays organ at Grace Lutheran Church

Mark Kanitz visited his former church on Oct. 4 and played the organ for both of the Sunday services at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne.

Mark played the organ as a conclusion to the congregation's observation of the 30th anniversary of the installation of the Casavant-Freres mechanical action pipe organ.

The main observation was held during the weekend of Sept. 26-27, and included a parish-sponsored organist workshop on Sept. 26, and a concert on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 27.

Approximately 20 parish organists attended the workshop and approximately 200 people attended the organ concert on Sunday. Dr. J. Gordon Christensen of Council Bluffs, Iowa facilitated both events.

Mark Kanitz spent some of his childhood (1990-1998) with his family here in Wayne. While living in Wayne, Mark's father worked for Region IV. He attended the Wayne Public School System through the sixth grade.

He graduated from Concordia University in Seward last May. He holds a degree in organ performance. At the present time he lives in Hastings and serves as parish organist and handbell choir director for First St. Paul Lutheran Church in Hastings.

He is employed full-time at Kohls in Grand Island and enjoys involvement with church music at every level.

He also enjoys working with various community musical events such as community theaters and musicals.



Mark Kanitz sits beside the Casavant-Freres mechanical action pipe organ at Grace Lutheran Church.

Grace Lutheran to hold Fish Boil meal

Grace Lutheran Church, located at Main and Ninth Street in Wayne will be the location of a "Wisconsin Style Fish Boil meal."

The Pollock fish will be served Sunday, Oct. 11, starting at 11:45 a.m., in the church basement.

The public is invited to this tasty noon meal consisting of small red potatoes, onions, coleslaw, rolls, homemade ice cream and bars. A free will offering is accepted with the proceeds given to the Orphan Grain Train for the warehouse in Norfolk.

Orphan Grain Train (OGT) volunteers are preparing a portion of this meal. This fundraiser provides revenue for shipping expenses. A 40-foot semi holds 1,200 boxes, with a box costing \$9-\$12 to ship. During the past 17 years, OGT has shipped 63.2 million pounds of merchandise to needy people residing in all parts of the world. The operation of OGT has five paid personnel. It is volunteers nationwide who are doing God's work

with activities such as packing or sorting new or gently used clothing, loading containers, and the list goes on.

The Grace Duo Club is celebrating 70 years of sponsorship with the Lutheran Laymen's League affiliated with the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod. The Lutheran Hour Ministries is a subsidiary of LLL.

For several years, club members volunteered twice a year to assist with sorting, packing, and loading at the Orphan Grain Train warehouse.

To spread the good news on Sunday morning, sponsors are asked to provide for the Lutheran Hour broadcast by Pastor Ken Klaus. Other activities include LLL Sunday, remembering Premier Estates resident with a Christmas gift, recognizing area High School graduates, attending rallies, conventions, Christmas carolling and other events. The organization's membership roll is 27 members with monthly meetings held, Bible studies, along with fellowship.

'Simple Grace' to present concert at Our Savior Lutheran Church

The public is invited to a free concert by "Simple Grace" at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne on Sunday, Oct. 11, at 6 p.m. A love offering will be taken to thank the Hitch family.

"Simple Grace" features the full-time ministry of the Jim and Kathy Hitch family, from rural Martell.

Blessed with eight children, the Hitch's now travel with five of their children, ministering full-time in venues across the United States. "Simple Grace" offers a variety of Christian music, artistically blending acoustic bluegrass, gospel, traditional hymns, folk, and fresh original pieces. Their concerts shine with strong vocals and personal testimony to affirm their message of the gospel of Jesus Christ.

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Altona women hold Guest Day

First Trinity Lutheran Women's Missionary League of Altona held a Guest Day on Oct. 2.

Guests were present from Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne, St. John's Lutheran Church in Pilger and First Trinity.

President Pearl Youngmeyer welcomed the guests and introduced the speaker.

The meeting began with a hymn sing, followed by a devotion on "Holy Communion" by the Rev. David Ohlman.

Sr. Rita Mare Tofflemeier gave

an interesting presentation on Tanzania, where she lived for nine years.

Darlene Bowers sang a version of "These are a Few of My Favorite Things." She also awarded several prizes, including the door prize which was won by Trudi Simmons.

Rev. Ohlman gave the closing prayer.

A dessert lunch was served.

The Wayne Zone LWML Fall Rally will be held Tuesday, Oct. 20 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Martinsburg.

Wanted ... Church news

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

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

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

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

Watch for the "Golden Years" tab in The Shopper next week!

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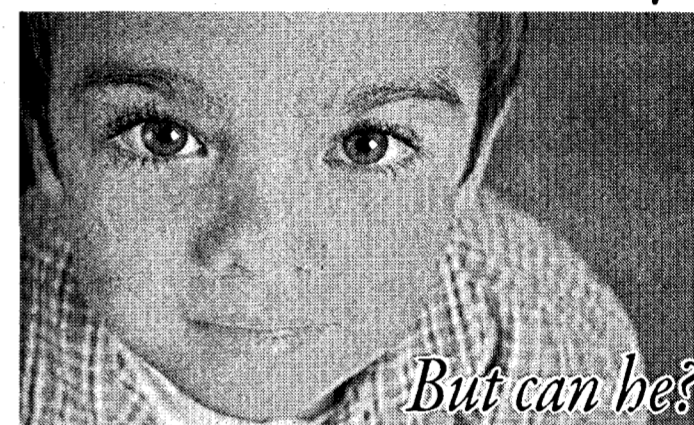
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Winside American Legion auxiliary makes donations

Roy Reed Unit No. 252, American Legion Auxiliary of Winside met informally on Sept. 13 following the annual Legion picnic.

President Rose Ann Janke called the meeting to order. Unit Secretary Beverly Neel read the

minutes of the August meeting and Treasurer Greta Grubbs provided the financial report. There were seven Senior and six Junior members in attendance.

Main order of business was to take care of the Unit's financial

obligations this time of year. The Unit ordered 1,000 small poppies for \$126.60 which will be used for decorating veterans' graves at seven area cemeteries on Memorial Day 2010 as well as sponsoring Poppy Day at both Hoskins and Winside in May 2010.

The Unit made the following donations to support Veterans across the state:

Gift Shop Assessment \$25 in support of Christmas gifts available to hospitalized Veterans at the VA Medical Centers in Omaha and Grand Island. The Veterans are given an opportunity to select gifts for their immediate family at home at no cost to the Veteran and the gifts are gift wrapped and shipped by the American Legion Auxiliary. Additionally, to provide Christmas

gifts to Veterans themselves residing in the four Nebraska Veterans Homes (Norfolk, Bellevue, Grand Island, Scottsbluff) and patients at the VA Medical Centers (Omaha, Grand Island and Hot Springs, South Dakota) the Unit donated \$30 to the "Gifts For Yanks Who Gave" project. These funds will provide a cash gift to each Veteran residing at the Homes.

Each Unit in the Department of Nebraska is also assessed a Gift Shop assessment in support of the four Veterans Homes in Nebraska for a special event or project. Unit 252 was assessed \$18.75 based on Unit membership. The funds are in support of the Homes in lieu of the Homes not having a Gift Shop as provided for at the VA Medical

Centers.

Twenty-five dollars was given to the Veterans Dollar Day programs across the state where each Veteran patient at the VA Medical Centers and resident and/or spouse at the Veterans Home will receive a \$5 cash gift from the Auxiliary as a token of appreciation for their service to America in the armed forces.

Unit 252 is associated with District 3 in the Department and has an annual assessment based on Unit membership payable to the District for \$30. These funds will help defray postage, cost of convention, etc., incurred during the year in maintaining a line of communication with each of the 28 Units in District 3.

Junior members will be creating

table decorations for the Norfolk Veterans Home in celebration of Veterans Day 2009. This is an annual assignment for the Junior members.

The Unit will serve lunch at a local auction in November at Winside. This will be an additional fundraiser for the Unit in support of programs for Veterans, children and youth and community.

The next meeting will be Monday, Oct. 12, at 5:30 p.m.

The Unit continues to collect membership renewals and have eight remaining. The Unit invites anyone to visit the monthly meeting and consider becoming a member.

Annual dues remain at \$15 for Senior members and \$3 for Junior members, aged infancy through 17 years of age.

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Lunch Menus

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Monday: Breakfast — Pancakes & cereal. Lunch — Spaghetti, meat sauce, green beans, pineapple, cinnasticks.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Ham & cheese bagels, slushes. Lunch — Hamburger, bun, French fries, strawberries, banana & Jell-o.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Biscuits & gravy. Lunch — Barbecue pork, buns, baked beans, pears, Cheetos.
Thursday: Breakfast — Pop tarts. Lunch — Creamed turkey, biscuits, mashed potatoes, peas, brownies with fluff frosting, cookie.
Friday: Breakfast — Cereal, oatmeal & toast. Lunch — McRibb, bun, corn, peaches, butterscotch brownies. Milk served with breakfast and lunch. Menu subject to change.

LAUREL-CONCORD (Oct. 12 - 16)
Monday: Breakfast — Cereal & yogurt. Lunch — super nachos, sticky roll, fruit, vegetable.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Scrambled eggs & toast. Lunch — Breaded beef sticks, mashed potatoes & gravy, roll, fruit, vegetable.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Waffles. Lunch — Chicken fajitas, rice, cinnamon bread, fruit, vegetable.
Thursday: Breakfast — Breakfast burrito. Lunch — Room 2C menu - Meatball sub, watermelon, baby carrots, ice cream cup.
Friday: No School. Teacher inservice.
 Fruit, vegetable and milk (white or chocolate) served daily. Orange juice sold daily. All menus subject to change.

WAYNE (Oct. 12 - 16)
Monday: Chicken patty with bun, peas, pears, cookie.
Tuesday: Walking taco, green beans, peaches, corn bread.
Wednesday: Stromboli, lettuce, applesauce, cake.
Thursday: Mini corn dogs, corn breadsticks with sauce, blueberries, yogurt.
Friday: Pizza, baby carrots, pineapple, chocolate chip bar. Milk served with every meal.

WINSIDE (Oct. 12 - 16)
Hot Lunch Week
Grandparents' breakfast on Monday:
Monday: Breakfast — French toast & sausage. Lunch — Popcorn chicken, mashed potatoes, peaches, roll.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch — Chicken noodle soup, grilled cheese sandwich, carrots & celery, fruit cocktail.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Barbecue pork on bun, fries, applesauce, cookie.
Thursday: Breakfast — Bagel. Lunch — Teriyaki beef, rice, corn, pineapple, roll.
Friday: Breakfast — Scrambled eggs. Lunch — Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, green bean, roll. Menu may change without notice. Grades 4-12 may have salad bar. Grades K-3 may have salad plate.

Tips for parents: How to handle Halloween candy

Halloween is a favorite holiday for children, but it can cause concerns for parents.

Safety is an issue, so is the large quantity of candy that children can easily accumulate. Following safety steps can make for an enjoyable holiday experience for children and parents. For example, parents can encourage their children to trick or treat in neighborhoods they know. They can accompany younger children and set limits for older children, and they can encourage children to choose

Choose Halloween costumes that don't restrict vision or movement. Reflective costume fabrics are helpful. Reflective tape also can be easily added. Carrying a flashlight is a good idea, too. Parents also are advised to encourage children not to sample holiday goodies before they get home. Take the edge off their appetite with an early supper or sandwich before trick or treating.

- Steps to monitor candy consumption for parents:**
- Sort candy — spread it out on the table and let children help you.
 - Discard loose candy and candy that has been rewrapped or appears damaged.
 - Discard candy or other foods that have an off color or unusual appearance.
 - Drugs can look like candy. If there is any doubt, throw it out.
 - Read candy labels carefully — discard candies with known allergens that may pose health risks.
 - Examine fruits. There have been occasions when Halloween pranksters have placed razor blades in apples and oranges, making seemingly healthy treats hazardous. This is not the norm, but should

prompt careful examination.

- Serving fruits cut-up also is a good idea
- Allow children to choose Halloween treats for dessert or special occasions.
 - Store remaining candy out of sight. Children often lose interest soon after the holiday.

Want to cut down on candy?

- Here are some alternative Halloween suggestions:**
- Small boxes of raisins.
 - Granola bars.
 - Packages of peanut butter or cheese crackers.
 - Low-fat cookies.
 - Sugarless gum.
 - Non-food items, such as crayons, small puzzles, pencils, erasers, stickers, or gift certificates.
- For more information about Halloween safety, contact the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension Office in your local county or visit the Website at www.extension.unl.edu.



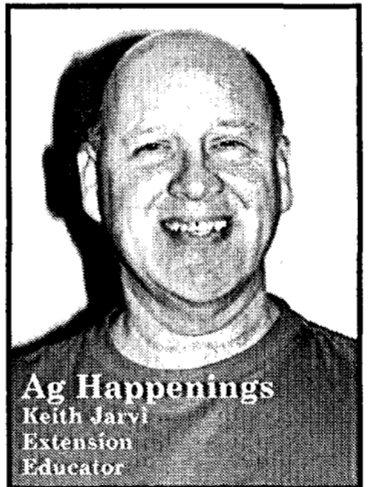
Angela Abts
Dakota County

National 4-H Week being observed

This week is National 4-H Week, and I congratulate all area 4-H participants and volunteers on a great year.

Many area 4-H projects were exhibited at the state fair and some purple ribbons were brought back. Ribbons are great, but the primary purpose of 4-H is to let young people learn new skills not necessarily available through the school system. These skills include the traditional farming projects like raising cattle, sheep, hogs, and other livestock.

However, there are hundreds of projects to do in 4-H includ-



Ag Happenings
Keith Jarvi
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ing robotics, insect collecting, bird house building, cooking and computer programming. If there is something you are interested in doing, the chances are that your area 4-H program can deliver it.

All my kids were in 4-H and when I asked them what they liked the most, it was the hands on learning, the actual doing of the projects that they enjoyed the most, along with some of the service activities like helping serve meals at The Oaks and other places. 4-H is not about sitting around; it is about being active either in learning or serving others.

This fundamental 4-H ideal of practical, "learn by doing" experiences encourages youth to experiment, innovate and think independently. 4-H programs are offered through school-based, after-school and camp settings and within community clubs. 4-H is a community of six million young people across America learning leadership, citizenship, and life skills.

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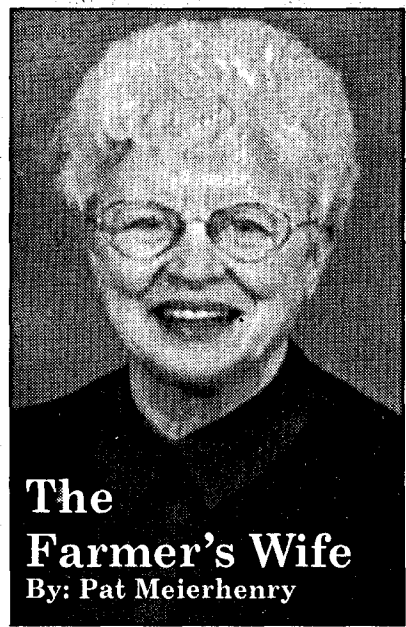
It's 8 a.m., and I'm the only one up! We have guests from Topeka and we stayed up late talking. You would think old people would know better.

Now, I've been checking e-mail. What a variety of messages! One is a report from a national magazine stating that nursing homes all over the country are going broke because of less Medicare and Medicaid funding. Some have already closed. Makes one realize it may not be so smart to turn over your assets to your children in order to make you eligible for Medicaid. I know it's been done; I've seen it, and have always been disturbed by the practice.

Of course, then there are the wonderful assisted living facilities that have sprung up all over. For your long term care insurance to pay for assisted living, you need to have assistance in at least two of five activities of daily living; bathing, dressing, eating, continence, and transfer. That's all well and good, but now I see these facilities hanging onto their residents even when they need more assistance, in order to keep their apartments full.

I also know of a company that bought a bunch of facilities here in Nebraska and told those residents who were now using Medicaid that they would have to move! Many

of them had already spent their resources there. That doesn't seem fair, but the owner has to come out in the black, too. Plus, the dedicated folks who work there need to be fairly reimbursed. What a conundrum!



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

My guest and I spent yesterday in Nebraska City. She had not seen the Lied Center or Arbor Lodge, so we did the tourist sites and had a good time. The Lewis

and Clark interpretive center was also a hit. Today, we are doing the Quilt Center. You know, the international quilt study center is on the UNL campus. There are thousands of quilts, and they rotate the displays.

Meanwhile, the Big Farmer is getting out of the antique business. He's learning that it was much easier getting into it. To begin with, he simply scoured the farm where we lived! Then, he went to garage sales. When we left the acreage at Murdock, we had a long auction and got rid of a lot of stuff.

But we also moved a lot. And he kept a big booth at the antique mall on the Interstate. Last Saturday, it was emptied. Amazingly, there is still room in this garage for a car. But there is a table of dishes and such in the foyer. And there are chairs piled in the office; plus, a bike is being temporarily stored there!

He's having an antique garage sale this coming Saturday. Some friends who do this annually say that the dealers come with flashlights and magnifying glasses.

This should be interesting. And I'm still wondering what will happen to stuff that does not sell.

Stay tuned; I will let you know next week.

Livestock Market Report

The Nebraska Livestock Market conducted a fat cattle sale on Friday.

Prices were \$1.50 lower on fat cattle and also lower on cows. There were 600 head sold.

Strictly choice fed steers, \$78.50 to \$79.75. Good and choice steers, \$77.50 to \$78.50. Medium and good steers, \$76 to \$77.50. Standard steers, \$60 to \$65. Strictly choice fed heifers, \$78.50 to \$80. Good and choice heifers, \$77.50 to \$78.50. Medium and good heifers, \$76 to \$77.50. Standard heifers, \$55 to \$65.

Beef cows, \$45 to \$48. Utility cows, \$48 to \$52.75. Canner and cutters, \$40 to \$45. Bologna bulls, \$54 to \$58.

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

The market was steady to \$1 lower on fat lambs and steady on feeder lambs and ewes. There were 210 head sold.

Fat lambs, 130 to 150 lbs., \$89 to \$90.

Feeder lambs, 40 to 60 lbs., \$90 to \$100; 60 to 100 lbs., \$80 to \$90.

Ewes, good, \$40 to \$60 cwt.; medium, \$30 to \$40 cwt.; slaughter, \$20 to \$30 cwt.

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

The market was steady. There were 10 head sold.

Good baby calves: Crossbred, \$125 to \$225. Holstein, \$40 to \$100.

Butcher hogs were sold at the Nebraska Livestock Market on

Saturday.

Prices were \$1 lower on butchers. Sows were steady.

U.S. 1's + 2's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$34 to \$34.50; 2's + 3's, 230 to 260 lbs., \$33 to \$34; 2's + 3's, 260 to 280 lbs., \$33 to \$34; 2's + 3's, 280 to 300 lbs., \$30 to \$33; 3's + 4's, 300 lbs. +, \$25 to \$30.

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USDA announces implementation of ELAP programs

State Executive Director, Dan Steinkruger announced that producers may begin applying for benefits under the provisions of the Emergency Assistance for Livestock, Honeybees and Farm-Raised Fish Program at their county FSA office.

This permanent disaster program as authorized in the 2008 Farm Bill replaced previous ad-hoc disaster assistance programs and is funded through the Agricultural Disaster Relief Trust Fund.

ELAP provides emergency assistance to eligible producers of livestock, honeybees and farm-raised fish that have grazing or feed losses due to insects, adverse weather

such as blizzards, tornados, freeze, hail, wildfires, flooding and colony collapse disorder for honey bees or death loss of farm-raised fish due to contaminated water or excessive heat. ELAP assistance is for losses not covered under other Supplemental Agricultural Disaster Assistance programs established by the 2008 Farm Bill, specifically the Livestock Forage Program, the Livestock Indemnity Program and the Supplemental Revenue Assistance Payments Program.

ELAP is being implemented to fill in the gap and provide assistance under other conditions determined to be appropriate and fund-

ing is limited to 50 million dollars each year so payments may be prorated.

Eligible livestock under ELAP include beef cattle, alpacas, buffalo, beefalo, dairy cattle, deer, elk, emus, equine, goats, llamas, poultry, reindeer, sheep and swine. Physical losses based on actual replacement cost will be considered for honey bees, the hives and farm raised fish with the exception of catfish.

Producers who suffered losses in calendar year 2008 must provide a notice of loss and application for payment along with supporting documentation to their administrative county office no later than

Dec. 10, 2009. Producers who suffered eligible losses between Jan. 1, and Sept. 10, must provide a notice of loss no later than Dec. 10, and an application for payment no later than Jan. 30, 2010. Late filed applications will not be accepted.

For the ELAP program, producers must have suffered losses that occurred on or after Jan. 1, 2008, and before Oct. 1, 2011. There is a total \$100,000 limitation per crop year that applies to payments received under ELAP, LFP, LIP or SURE.

For more information or to apply for ELAP and other USDA Farm Service Agency disaster assistance programs, please visit your FSA county office or www.fsa.usda.gov.

Join the list of deer exchange participants

The 2008 Deer Exchange was a success and will be continued in 2009. It will allow for the transfer of deer meat from hunters to people who wish to receive it.

We would like to increase the number of deer donated in 2009 as we had many people who wished to receive a deer in 2008 that did not get one.

The Deer Exchange will be available September 1 through March 1 and run on the Commission's Internet site. Donors and recipients will search a database, with contact information, for interested parties in their area. The parties will contact each other and work out details of the transfer. While the venison cannot be sold, recipients may pay for the processing or butchering of the meat.

Donors and recipients will register online. There is no cost to register.

A record deer harvest of more than 80,000 deer is expected this year. We will issue nearly 90,000 bonus antlerless tags in an effort to thin the whitetail population, especially in eastern Nebraska.

The Deer Exchange is designed to accommodate the additional harvest of deer. Hunters who have filled their freezers may still bag a deer and have somewhere to take the meat. Other benefits of the program are: supplying

a source of protein to the hungry; increasing communication between hunters and nonhunters; and increasing hunter recruitment, development, and retention.

The Commission will not be responsible for the quality of the deer meat or the failure of the donor or recipient to follow through with the transfer. However, the agency will provide the necessary transfer cards online.

Recipients will have the choice of accepting whole field dressed deer, skinned and boned deer, wrapped and frozen deer, or processed meat. Donors are responsible for properly field dressing and checking deer at a check station prior to transfer.

When transferring game animals, the hunter must provide the following information: name, address, phone number, date of birth, permit number or seal number, estimated weight of meat (in pounds), species of animal, date taken, signature of donor, and name of recipient.

Venison has nutritional benefits. According to nutritiondata.com, 100 grams of ground, pan-broiled venison has 187 calories, compared to 246 for the same portion of 80-percent lean pan-



broiled ground beef. Venison has 26.5 grams of protein, compared to beefs 24, and 8.2 grams of total fat to beefs 15.9. Venison is low in sodium.

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Wayne County 4-H'ers, leaders honored

Local 4-H members, leaders and parents attended the annual Wayne County 4-H Achievement Program held Sunday, Oct. 4 at the Wayne City Auditorium. A picnic supper was sponsored by Wayne County banks: State National Bank, First National Bank, Bank First and Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Wayne; Winside State Bank, Farmer's State Bank of Carroll, and Elkhorn Valley Bank of Hoskins. The supper was served by the Wayne County 4-H Council, who also sponsored many of the awards.



Wayne County 4-H adult volunteers were honored for their service tenure during the achievement program. Recognized for five years

of leadership were: Brian Bowers, Bob Dowling, Tina Dowling, Lori Finn, Mike Finn, Mark Hanson, Don Skokan, Patricia Skokan, Kelvin Wurdeman, Micheal Wurdeman, and Teresa Wurdeman. Ten year service pins were presented to Adam Behmer, Mary Heithold and Cam Stalder. Twenty, 25 and 35 year leaders recognized were Stan Nathan, Jerry Dorsey and Roger Langenberg respectively.

Several individual honors were announced and medals were awarded. Lisa Temme of Wayne earned the Outstanding Girl Award. Jacob Pulfer also of Wayne was named Outstanding Boy. Receiving county medals for project work in the junior division were: Hannah Belt

(citizenship); Ty Grone (consumer management); Felicity Jech (home environment); Anna Loberg (fashion show and presentations); Brennen O'Reilly (photography and wildlife & fisheries); Luke Pulfer (achievement and food & nutrition); and Marta Pulfer (clothing, dairy and heritage).

Receiving county medals in the senior division were: Brook Bowers (beef); Levi Lange (poultry and rabbit); Colin Loberg (citizenship, home environment and leadership); Emma Loberg (achievement, child development and presentations); Hannah McCorkindale (clothing); and Sydney McCorkindale (photography, public speaking and food & nutrition).

A special Family and Consumer Science award is given to the top junior and senior Family and Consumer Science member who submits an application. Anna Loberg received the Clothing and Home Environment Awards in the Junior Division. In the Senior Division, Emma Loberg earned the Foods Award and Hannah McCorkindale received the Clothing Award.

The Chris Clover Award Program is designed as a participation incentive program for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd year 4-Hers. Receiving green awards: Aaron Fleming, Danielle Gilliland, Katelyn Grone, Ty Grone, Grace Heithold, Felicity Jech, Elizabeth Junck, Annie Kniesche, and Michael Kniesche. Receiving bronze awards were Beau Bowers, Shanda Lambert, Brennen O'Reilly, and Josie Thompson. Receiving silver awards were Anna Loberg and Marta Pulfer.

Other special awards that were distributed at the program:

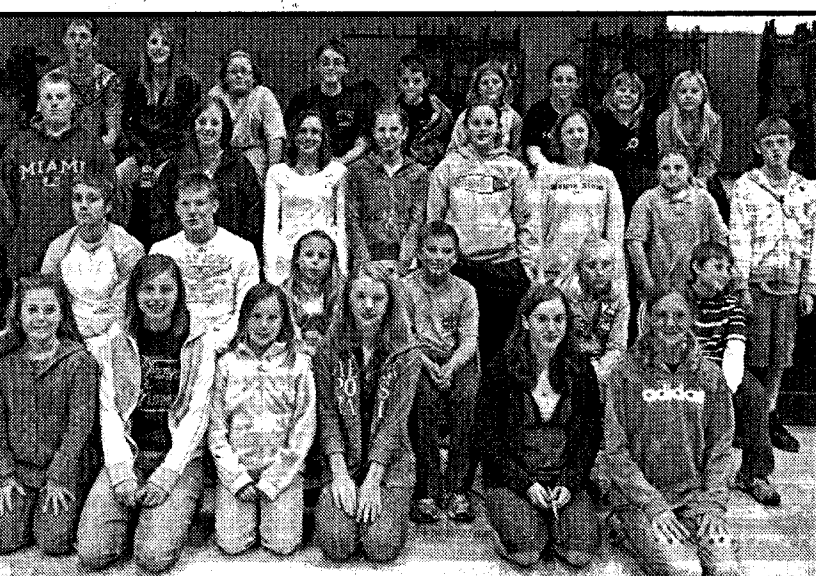
Top Herdsmanship Awards - Country Classics (Beef); Spring Branch (Bucket Calf); Spring Branch (Dairy); Sewers & Growers (Goats); Sewers and Growers (Horse); Hi-Raters (Poultry); Four-way tie between American Country 4-Hers, Combination Kids, Kids & Critters and Leslie Livewires (Rabbits); Combination Kids (Sheep); Country Classics (Swine).

Eighty-four members received membership pins. Recognized for one year of participation in 4-H were: Devon Behmer, Brooklynn Blohm Dutcher, Benjamin Bonderson, Eric Boston Jr, Halle Brogren, Sam Bruckner, Victoria Buresh, Nicole Carrier, Jared Cheney, Allison Claussen, Jameson Collier, Jacob Daum, Mackenzie Doescher, Megan Duncan, Rachel Duncan, Mackenzi Edwards, Miranda Fehringer, Aaron Fleming, Dawson French, Taylor French, Tori French, Mariah Frevert, Tyler Gilliland, Joshua Greunke, Katelyn Grone, Alex Hausmann, Dusti Hausmann, Grace Heithold, Annie Kniesche, Haley McElwain, Logan Milligan, Matthew Montgomery, Marissa Munsell, Fauneil Ober, Ellyn Rixe, Zachary Sellin, Samantha Siebrandt, Josie Thompson, Andrea Torres and Kaitlin Wagner.

Five year pin recipients were: Courtney Behmer, Jackson Belt, Brook Bowers, Dana Doffin, Victoria Doffin, Samara Evans, Selena Finn, Lauren Gilliland, David Greunke, Laura Greunke, Heath Greve, Jaci Jenkins, Holly Langenberg, Emma Loberg, Jake Lundahl, Landon Marotz, Dylan Puls, Codi Reinert, Kyle Skokan, Megan Skokan, Ashley Sukup, Brianna Wagner, Terrance Wurdeman, Tyler Wurdeman and Keegan Young.

Members receiving ten year pins: Carly Anderson, Marcus Baier, Zac Braun, Justin Buresh, Josh Dorsey, Ryan Dowling, Emily Gubbels, Nate Hanson, Shannon Jarvi, BreAnn Leonard, Shelby Meyer, Geoffrey Nelson, Logan Owens, Jordyn Roberts, Lisa Temme and Jaycie Woslager.

Eleven Year 4-Hers who were recognized were: Becca Dowling, Samantha Dunklau and Dacia Ganseboom. The Diamond Clover Award Program was introduced in January 2008, as a state wide incentive program. The purpose is designed to encourage 4-H youth to engage in a variety of projects and activities that will enable members to acquire the life skills necessary to lead successful lives as competent, caring and contributing citizens. Participants and their awards include: Level 1 Amethyst - Eric Boston, Jr., Sam Bruckner, Aaron Fleming, Grace Heithold, Brennen



This group of Wayne County 4-H'ers was recognized for one, five, 10 and 11 years of membership in the 4-H program.

O'Reilly and Marta Pulfer; Level 2 Aquamarine - Kenedi Bach, Danielle Gilliland, Felicity Jech and Shanda Lambert; Level 3 Ruby - Emily Essmann.

The FCS (Family and Consumer Science) Web Quiz is a multiple-

Wayne County shared highlights of their trip with the audience.

Several members of the Sharp Shooters 4-H Club were recognized. The team of David Greunke, Cole Koenig, Landon Kraft, Dylan Roland and Andrew Simpson were

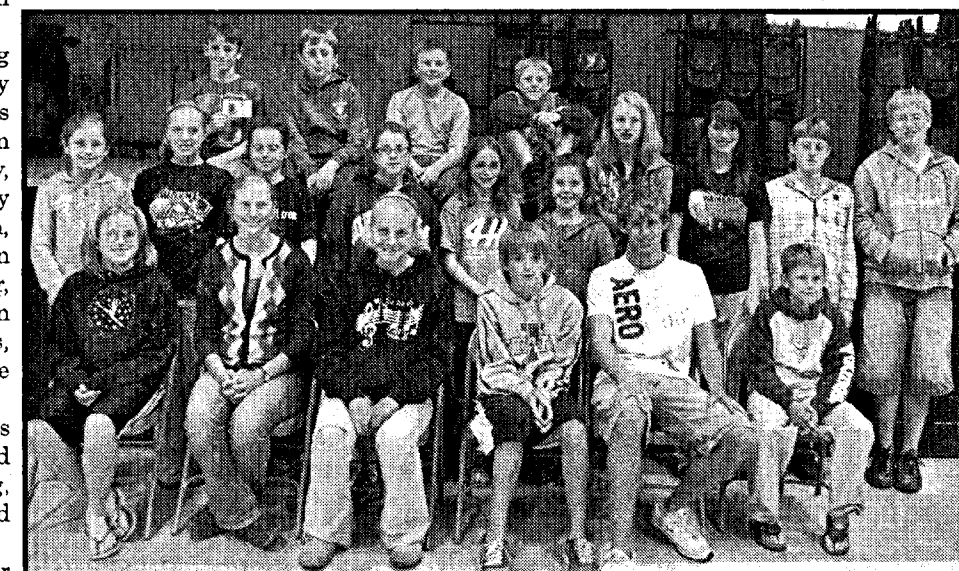


Adult volunteers earning recognition for their years of leadership and accomplishments within the 4-H program pose for a picture following the 4-H Achievement program.

choice test taken on-line. Sylvia Jager, Anna and Emma Loberg each completed the quiz during the summer. All received a completion certificate.

Sixteen 4-Hers from Wayne County participated with 24 other 4-Hers from Madison, Dakota, Dixon and Cedar counties in the 2009 Citizenship Washington Focus trip.

Champion Test Team and State BB Gun Runner-up Team at the 2009 competition. They were coached by their 4-H Leader, Darin Greunke. Year end club awards were also presented. David Greunke received the Most Improved Shooter Award, Alex Hausmann earned the new Shooter of the Year Award and the Outstanding Shooter of the Year



This group of Wayne County 4-H'ers earned special recognition in one or more areas during the recent 4-H Achievement program.

The CWF trip allows 4-Hers to visit New York, Gettysburg, Philadelphia and Annapolis, Maryland before arriving at the National 4-H Center for a week of leadership and community activities with over 200 4-Hers from various states. They learn about government and get to visit the various historic places in Washington, DC. Participants from

Award was presented to Andrew Simpson.

Clubs were recognized for their participation in the Nebraska 4-H Club of Excellence Program. Clubs may earn a gold, silver, bronze or green seal based upon their participation in a wide range of activities. Gold Club of Excellence winners are Blue Ribbon Winners, Combination Kids, Country Classics, and Sewers and Growers 4-H clubs. The Silver Club of Excellence awards were earned by the City Slickers and Country Mixers, Kids and Critters and Spring Branch 4-H Clubs. The Hi-Raters and Leslie Livewires 4-H clubs earned the Bronze Club of Excellence Award. The Coon Creek Clovers 4-H club received a green award.

The election for Wayne County 4-H Council was also held in conjunction with the annual 4-H Achievement Program, as a result, four new members were elected. Jana Jenkins of Carroll and Brian Petzoldt of Winside, will serve as the two new adult members on the council. Morgan Quinn of Winside and Jacob Pulfer of Wayne, are the new youth members. The newly elected members join Jerry Echtenkamp, Brenda Lubberstedt, Kyle Skokan and Lisa Temme who will be beginning their second year term. Outgoing members recognized included Brigid Griffin, Nate Hanson, Dave Quinn and Danielle Wurdeman. The Wayne County 4-H Council plays an important role in setting the direction of the 4-H program.

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DAIRY JUDGING

The Allen District Dairy Judging Team competed at Stanek Brothers Farm for the District Dairy Judging competition.

The 11 members from Allen that participated were divided into three teams, two junior teams and one Senior team. The junior teams consisted of freshmen and sophomores, and the senior team was composed of juniors and seniors.

Jarret Warner received a purple ribbon and placed fourth in the Senior Division. Jonathan Bausch also received a purple ribbon and placed third overall in the Junior Division.

BAND DAY

The Allen High School Band traveled to Wayne on Oct. 3 to take part in the Wayne State College Band Day parade.

Director Mr. Richard Lacy and the Allen Marching Band won the D2 division again this year and had the second highest score overall. They brought home a trophy along with brushing up their marching skills talents their upcoming trip to the Cottonbowl.

The group currently has several fund raising events scheduled to help with the cost of the trip to Texas. Anyone who would like to donate to their fundraising is asked to contact Mr. Lacy at the school.

CHILI COOKOFF

The Gym Fund Raising Committee is having a Chili Cook-off Supper on Oct. 18 at the Allen Firehall from 5 - 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to stop in and have some chili. You'll then be able to "vote" for your favorite chili. A cash bar and auction will also be included in the event. The auction will be donated items to be sold off like the event at the previous Chili Cook-off.

Fill out an auction form if you have something to donate. Forms will be available at the school and the bank. Example: 1970's Allen Track Sweatshirt donated by Merle and Deenette Von Minden or Cheesecake donated by etc.

PARENT'S NIGHT

The football team's Parent's Night will be on Friday, Oct. 9. The Eagles will be playing Wausa with the game beginning at 7 pm.

The volleyball team's Parent's Night will be on Thursday, Oct. 15 versus Winside. Games begin at 5:30 p.m.

MUSIC BOOSTERS

The Allen Music Boosters are having a Cell Phone Drive. The cell phone drive will be ending Oct. 15. All your old cell phones should be put in the collection boxes, taken to the school. The money received from recycling the cell phones will be used toward the band trip to the Cotton Bowl.

The Boosters are also having a Quilt Raffle. Two of these quilts are on display at Security National Bank where you can also purchase tickets. Also, tickets will be sent home with students this week.

The Music Department is also selling cookie dough. If interested, please contact a band member or contact the school.

Upcoming events:

Soup and Dessert Dinner will be served at the Dixon Fire Hall on Oct. 11 from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Chili, chicken noodle, potato soup, and dessert will be served for a free will donation.

4 Man Best Ball Golf Tourney will be held at Cedar View Country Club in Laurel on Sunday, Oct. 11 at 10 am. It will include 18 holes of fun with pin prizes and prizes for best and worst golfer.

Tailgate party before the volleyball game on Thursday, Oct. 15 at the school. They will be serving hot beef sandwiches and dessert for a free will donation.

The Music Boosters are selling 8-10 lb. bone in spiral hams vacuum packed for \$25 per ham - No limit per order. They will be selling them from now until Friday, Nov. 13. They will then be ready to be picked up at the Allen gym on Friday, Nov. 20, just in time for Thanksgiving and Christmas. You can contact Megan Kumm at 402-635-2552 or by email at megan.kumm@tyson.

com with your orders. The money will need to be paid at the time of order.

The next Music Booster meeting will be Oct. 13 at 7 p.m. at the school

FIFTH / SIXTH VOLLEYBALL

The fifth and sixth grade girls will be taking part in the Laurel Volleyball Tournament on Saturday, Oct. 10. Games begin approximately at 9 am.

CHEERLEADER THANKS

The Allen High School Cheerleaders have extended a thank you to the American Legion and Auxiliary units for carrying the flags during the homecoming parade. It was a great honor to have the veterans of our town walking proudly down the street. We would also like to say thank you to all the businesses and participants that made this year's homecoming parade such a success. We are looking forward to seeing you all again next year. Thanks again! Megan Kumm, Linda Sorenson and Carla Logue.

FIRE & RESCUE BREAKFAST

The Allen-Waterbury Fire & Rescue Department is a sponsoring a Free Will Donation Pancake Breakfast and Rifle Raffle on Sunday, Nov. 1 at the Allen Fire Hall from 7 a.m. - 1 p.m. They will be serving pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausage and a drink.

They are raffling off a 270 Weatherby Van Guard (synthetic stock and blue Barrel) rifle. Raffle tickets are 1 for \$10 or 3 for \$20. Supplemental funds from Thrivent for Lutherans.

COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

Friday, Oct. 9: Chris Ketelsen, Sharon Prochaska, Amanda Schneider, Bev Stewart.

Saturday, Oct. 10: Kayla Greve, Steve Von Minden.

Sunday, Oct. 11: Micky Oldenkamp, Julie Sullivan.

Monday, Oct. 12: Gabe Olesen, Holly Kallsen, Justin Lorimor, Richard Blohm, Robert Blohm, Roger Kraft, Wayne Jones.

Tuesday, Oct. 13: Milton Boysen, Kent Sachau.

Wednesday, Oct. 14: Derek Hingst, Shirley Lanser, Milford Roeber, Howard & Laura Brentlinger (A).

Thursday, Oct. 15: Robert Ellis, Antoinette Miles, Victoria Miles, Teresa Sachau, Robert & Karen Blohm (A), Troy & Amy Stewart (A).

Friday, Oct. 16: Gaylen Jackson, Jennifer Fahrenholz, Chase Isom, Cole Stewart, Lucia Lopez.

SENIOR CENTER

Friday, Oct. 9: Barbecue chicken, baked potato, Harvard beets, plums, peanut butter cookie.

Monday, Oct. 12: Taverns, potato salad, three bean salad, apple dessert.

Tuesday, Oct. 13: Polish sausage, tri taters, lettuce salad, rice and raisins, and carrots.

Wednesday, Oct. 14: Swiss steak, baked potato, tomatoes, onions, green peppers, mandarin oranges.

Thursday, Oct. 15: Ham, sweet potatoes, broccoli salad, red hot applesauce.

Friday, Oct. 16: Salmon patty, mashed potato, lettuce salad, corn, pineapple cake.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Friday, Oct. 9: Exercise & walking class, Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Football, here vs. Wausa, 7 p.m. - Parent's Night; Junior Class Tailgate Party, 6 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 10th: Volleyball, at Wisner-Pilger Tourney 9 am; 5/6 girls volleyball at Laurel tourney.

Sunday, Oct. 11: Music Booster Soup and Dessert Dinner at Dixon Fire Hall 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.; Music Booster Golf Tourney, 10 a.m. in Laurel.

Monday, Oct. 12: School Board meeting at school; Junior High football at Emerson, 4 p.m.; Junior Varsity football at Emerson, 5 p.m.; Exercise and walking class at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Columbus Day - Security National Bank Closed; Post Office Closed.

Tuesday, Oct. 13: FFA monthly meeting, 7 p.m.; Somerset at Senior Center, 1:30 p.m.; Music Booster meeting, 7 p.m. at the school.

Wednesday Oct. 14: ACCTS after school at United Methodist Church; Exercise & walking class, Senior Center 9 a.m.; Tailgate party before volleyball game - Hot

beef sandwiches and dessert.

Thursday, Oct. 15: Music Booster Hot Beef Dinner, 4 p.m. at school; Volleyball here vs. Winside, 5:30 p.m. - Parent's Night; Last day to drop off cell phone for Music Booster Cell phone drive.

Friday, Oct. 16: Football at Wynot, 7 p.m.; End of first quarter; Exercise and walking class, Senior Center, 9 a.m.

Concord News

Suzie Johnson
402-584-2693

RUTH CIRCLE LEARNS OF 'OBEDIENCE TO FAITH'

Ruth Circle met Thursday at 2 p.m., at the church with eight members present. Avis Pearson ran the meeting in the absence of our leader. She opened with a reading, called "It's Fine Today."

Reports were accepted. Guestday was discussed and bills were presented. Kits and quilts should be turned in as soon as possible.

It was reported that on "quilting day," Monday Sept. 28, 16 quilts were tied and thanks was given to all who helped. The quilts will be on display in the Sanctuary during Worship and the Fall fellowship Supper, Sunday Nov. 1.

Pastor Karen gave the Bible Study, "The Obedience of Faith" from the Book of Romans, telling of Paul and his obedience. He related the stories of Abraham and Jesus, who modeled this obedience during their lifetimes.

Offering was lifted and Table Grace said. Naomi Peterson served lunch.

Our next meeting will be Thursday, Nov. 5, at the church with Vandelyn Hanson leading the Bible study and also serving.

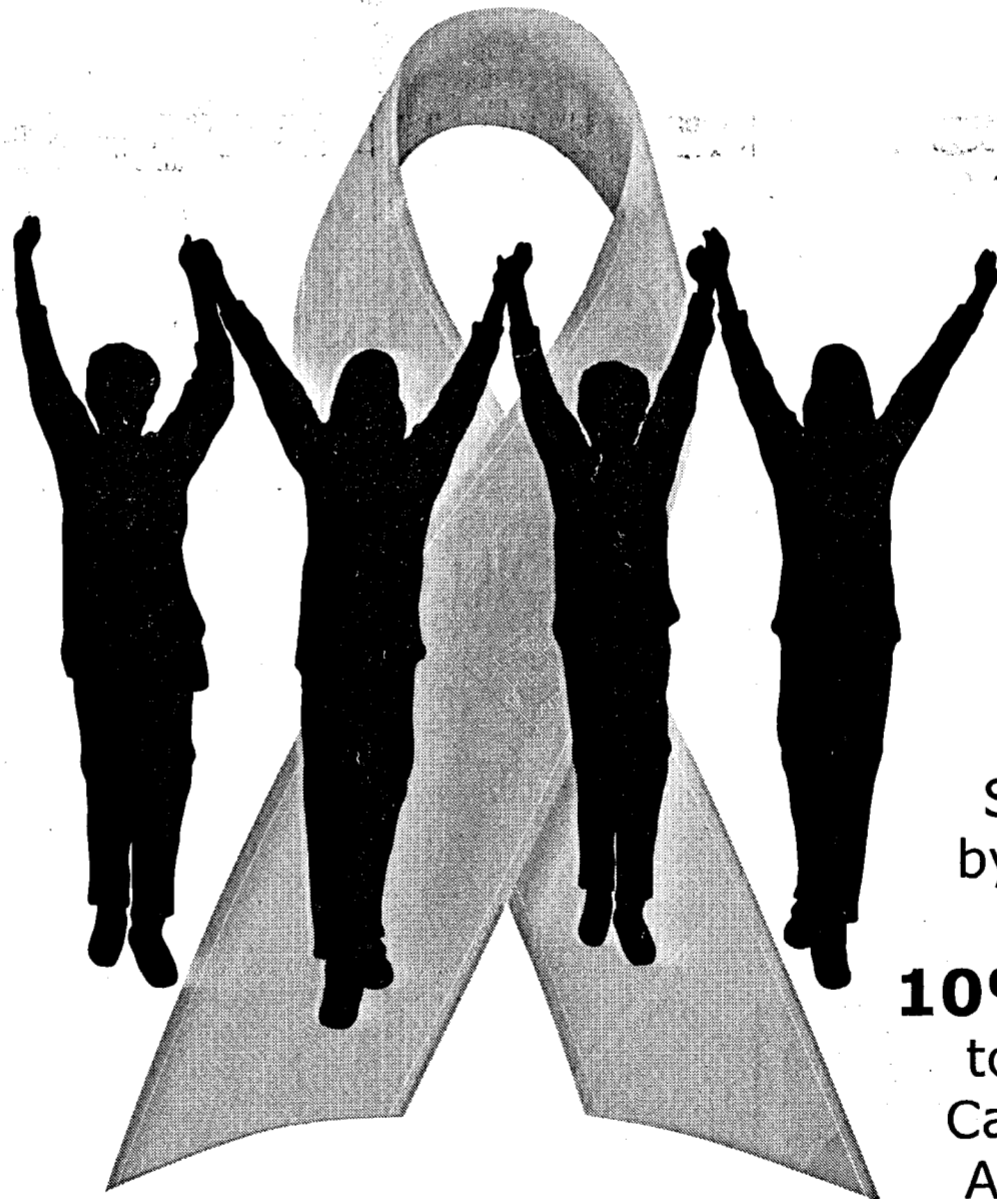


Making for safe riders

Members of the Wayne Kiwanis Club and Pamida worked together to provide 10 bicycle helmets to Goldenrod Hills Headstart. The Kiwanis Club donation helps promote the organization's motto, "Young Children, Priority One." Involved in the presentation were, left to right, Bill Dickey and Mark Hanson, Kiwanis members, Michelle Sukup, teacher at Head Start and Kelly Petersen, Assistant Manager of Pamida.

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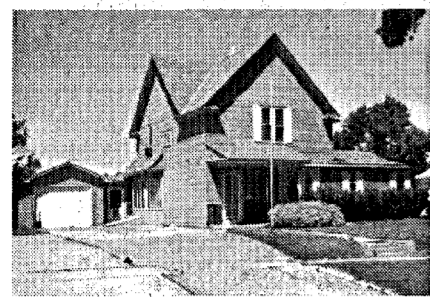
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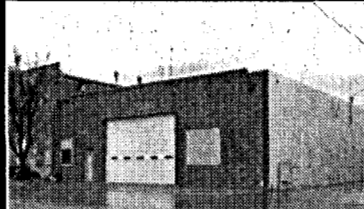
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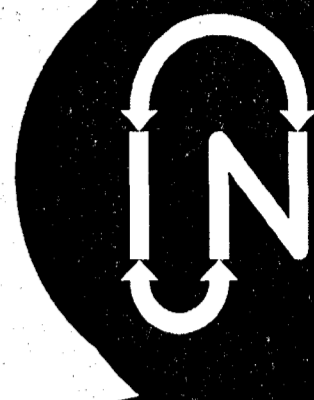
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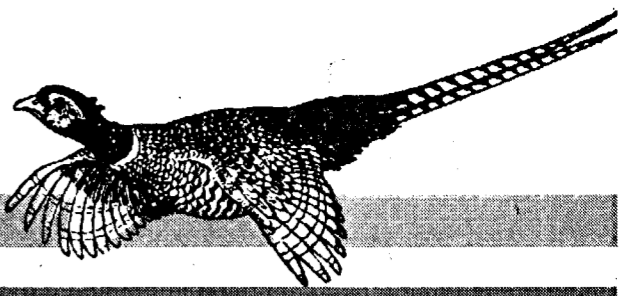
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS OF WAYNE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AND WAYNE COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Notice is hereby given that meetings of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners and Wayne County Board of Equalization will be held on Tuesday, October 20, 2009 in the County Board Meeting Room of the Wayne County Courthouse in Wayne, Nebraska. The Board of Equalization meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. The County Board of Commissioner meeting will begin at 9:15 a.m. Both meetings are open to the public. Agendas for such meetings are kept continuously current and are available for public inspection at the office of the County Clerk in the Wayne County courthouse.

Debra Flinn, County Clerk (Publ. Oct. 8, 2009)

NOTICE OF MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Mayor and Council, Tuesday, October 20, 2009 at 5:30 p.m. in the Wayne City Hall. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

Betty McGuire, City Clerk (Publ. Oct. 8, 2009)

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Recreation-Leisure Services Commission, Monday, October 19, 2009, at 5:30 p.m. at the Community Activity Center. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

Jeff Zeiss, Secretary (Publ. Oct. 8, 2009)

NOTICE OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education of the Winside School District, a/k/a School District 95R, in the County of Wayne, in the State of Nebraska will be held at 6:30 A.M. o'clock or as soon thereafter as the same may October 13, 2009 in the elementary school library. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection at the office of the superintendent.

BY: THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE WINSIDE SCHOOL DISTRICT, a/k/a SCHOOL DISTRICT 95R, IN THE COUNTY OF WAYNE, IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA (Publ. Oct. 8, 2009)

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department Board of Health will hold a meeting on October 19, 2009 at 5 P.M. at the Northeast Nebraska Public Health Office, 117 West Third Street, Wayne, NE 68787. The meeting is open to the public in accordance with the Nebraska Open Meeting Laws.

Board of Health meeting agendas and meeting minutes are available at the NNPHD office upon request. For further information, please contact the health director at 402/375-2200 or healthdirector@nnphd.org. Deb Scholten, Health Director Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department 117 West 3rd Street Wayne, NE 68787 Ph. 402-375-2200 Fax: 402-375-2201 (Publ. Oct. 8, 2009)

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

Wayne Community Schools, Wayne County School District No. 17, is requesting proposals for the roof replacement of the high school building. All safety & compliance issues relevant to roof installation should be met. Successful bidder must provide all necessary as built drawings, bid bond, and insurance certificate. Please contact Mark Lenihan, Superintendent, Wayne Community Schools to arrange a time to inspect the current roof system in preparation for making a proposal. Bids will be taken through 4:00 pm Wednesday, October 12, at which time all bids will be opened. Wayne Community Schools reserves the right to accept or refuse any or all bids, not necessarily the lowest bid. Notification of the winning bid will follow.

(Publ. Oct. 1, 8, 2009)

NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

ESTATE OF ALTA BAIER, Deceased. Estate No. PR 09-24

Notice is hereby given that on September 28, 2009, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Stanley G. Baier, whose address is 85209 580th Avenue, Wayne, NE 68787 and Judy J. Peters, whose address is 445 Eagle Circle, Dakota Dunes, SD 57049, were informally appointed by the Registrar as Co-Personal Representatives of the Estate. Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before November 30, 2009 or be forever barred.

(s) KimBerly Hansen Clerk Magistrate 510 Pearl Street Wayne, Nebraska 68787 Michael E. Pieper, No. 18147 Pieper, Miller & Dahl P.O. Box 427 Wayne, NE 68787 (402) 375-3585 (Publ. Oct. 1, 8, 15, 2009) 1 clip

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF STUTHMANN RENTALS, LLC

A Nebraska Limited Liability Company Notice is hereby given that Stuthmann Rentals, LLC, a Nebraska Limited Liability Company, has been organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska, with its registered agent being Connie M. Stuthmann and with its registered office at 911 Hillside Drive, Wayne, Nebraska 68787. The general nature of its business is to engage in and do any and all lawful business, other than banking or insurance, for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska. The company was organized and commenced on September 15, 2009, and it will terminate on September 15, 2059, unless terminated sooner. The affairs of the company are to be conducted by the members who may serve as managers, until such time as a successor is selected pursuant to the Operating Agreement.

Connie M. Stuthmann 911 Hillside Drive Wayne, NE 68787 (Publ. Oct. 8, 15, 22, 2009) 1 POP

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

A Corporation has been formed: (1) The name of the corporation is Nebraska Culverts & Steel, Inc.; (2) The corporation is authorized to issue 10,000 shares of common stock; (3) The street address of the registered office is 1003 West 3rd Street, Wayne, NE 68787, and the name of the initial registered agent at such address is Terry Lühr; (4) The street address of the incorporators is 1003 West 3rd Street, Wayne, NE 68787, and the name of the incorporators at such address are Terry Lühr and Kathy Lühr.

NEBRASKA CULVERTS & STEEL, INC. By Kate M. Jorgensen, Its Attorney (Publ. Oct. 8, 15, 22, 2009) 2 POP

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

CALL ORDER 920 FEDERAL PROJECT NO. HSPJ-35-4(123) LOCATION: N-35/N-15, WAYNE COUNTIES; WAYNE The Nebraska Department of Roads will receive sealed bids in Room 104 of the Central Office Building at 1500 Hwy. 2 in Lincoln, until 1:30 P.M. on October 29, 2009. At that time the bids will be opened and read for

ELECTRICAL BIDDING PROPOSAL FORMS WILL BE ISSUED AND A CONTRACT AWARDED TO A CONTRACTOR WHO IS QUALIFIED FOR: ELECTRICAL START DATE 08/16/2010 WORKING DAYS 5 Price Range \$ 0 to \$ 500,000 Plans and specifications may be seen beginning October 06, 2009 at the Lincoln Central Office and October 12, 2009 at the District Engineer's Office at NORFOLK

Additional listing information may be found at the Nebraska Department of Roads Web Site at <http://www.dor.state.ne.us/letting/>. This project is funded under the Federal-Aid Highway Act, all appropriate Federal requirements will apply. (Publ. Oct. 8, 15, 22, 2009) 1 POP

NOTICE

IN THE ESTATE OF ALFRED SIEVERS, Deceased

You are hereby notified that on October 26th, 2009, at 11:15 a.m., the Wayne County Court shall hold a hearing concerning the Personal Representative's request to partially compromise and settle the wrongful death claim of Alfred Sievers. The hearing will be held in the Wayne County Court, 510 Pearl Street, Suite B, Wayne, Nebraska 68787.

By: James D. Gotschal, #19049 Strope & Gotschal, P.C. P.O. Box 858 O'Neill, NE 68763 (402) 396-2277 (Publ. Sept. 24, Oct. 1, 8, 2009) 1 clip - 1 POP

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Re: 445.0190

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: You are hereby notified that the following-described property will be sold by Thomas R. Ostdiek, Attorney-at-law, Successor Trustee, at public auction to the highest bidder at the Lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street, in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska on November 19, 2009, at 10:00 A.M.:

Lots 27 and 28 and the East 50 feet of Lots 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26, inclusive, block 22, College Hill Addition to Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska.

The highest bidder will deposit with the Successor Trustee, at the time of the sale, a personal or cashier's check in the amount of \$5,000.00, with the full purchase price, in certified funds, to be received by the Successor Trustee by 5:00 p.m. on the day of the sale, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the beneficiary. The purchaser shall be responsible for all prior liens, all applicable fees, and all taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. This property is sold "as is" and this sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.

THOMAS R. OSTDIEK, Successor Trustee. By: Thomas R. Ostdiek (#20131) For: Walentine, O'Toole, McQuillan & Gordon 11240 Davenport Street P.O. Box 540125 Omaha, NE 68154 (402) 330-6300 ITS ATTORNEYS (Publ. Oct. 8, 15, 22, 29, Nov. 5, 2009) 1 clip

NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

ESTATE OF LEONARD GUGAT, Deceased. Estate No. PR 09-23

Notice is hereby given that on September 21, 2009 in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Bob Kistner whose address is 355 So. 3rd, Box 367, Lyons, NE 68038 has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before December 1, 2009 or be forever barred.

(s) KimBerly Hansen Clerk Magistrate/Registrar 510 Pearl Street Wayne, Nebraska 68787 Attorney for Applicant Duane W. Schroeder #13718 110 West 2nd Street Wayne, NE 68787 (Publ. Oct. 1, 8, 15, 2009) 1 clip

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS

The City of Wayne, Nebraska, desires to replace sidewalks on 2nd and 3rd Streets from Logan Street to Pearl Street and the east side of Pearl Street from 1st to 3rd Street. This sidewalk replacement will include ADA accessibility adjustments. The City anticipates the awards of a contract(s) for Engineering Services to assist them with the proposed activity and is requesting engineering firms submit an expression of interest and statement of qualifications. Proposals will not be considered if the intended services your firm wishes to provide are not clearly expressed.

Any interested firms should submit, in writing, their statement of qualifications. The selection of an engineer will be according to the following criteria:

The selection of a PROJECT ENGINEER/ARCHITECT will be according to the following criteria:

1. Technical expertise of the firm in connection with the type of services to be provided and the complexity of the project.
2. Past record of performance on engineering contracts with other clients including quality of work, timeliness and cost control. Include examples of past projects of a similar nature and a contact person with phone number for all projects.
3. Capacity of the firm to perform the work. Include a project team for this specific job and qualifications of all team members.
4. Familiarity of the firm with the types of problems applicable to the project, and knowledge of Community Development Block Grants.

The weighting factors for the evaluation of the selection criteria are as follows:

1. Technical Expertise 30
 2. Past Record of Performance 30
 3. Firm Capacity 20
 4. Familiarity 20
- TOTAL 100

Elaborate and expensive presentation aids are neither necessary nor encouraged. A multi-year contract is not optional. Cost plus percentage of cost contracts are not allowed.

The City of Wayne is an equal opportunity employer and requires all contracts and consultants to comply with all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations. The City reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to negotiate any changes in proposals.

Six copies of your Expression of Interest and Statement of Qualifications are required by 5:00 p.m., Local Time, October 21, 2009, in the office of:

City of Wayne ATTN: Nancy Braden PO Box 8 306 Pearl Street Wayne, NE 68787

Please mark your envelope ENGINEERING SERVICES. If you have any questions, please call Nancy Braden at (402) 375-1733. (Publ. Oct. 1, 8, 2009) 2 POP

LOWER ELKHORN NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT

ORDER OF DESIGNATION

WHEREAS, the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (District) has adopted a management area throughout the entire District and, under Neb. Rev. Stat. § 46-739, is authorized to adopt controls for the conservation, protection, development, and sound management of natural resources within the management area;

WHEREAS, in order to further protect groundwater resources, the District imposed a temporary stay on new wells and new irrigated acres in the non-hydrologically connected area of the District on December 22, 2008, and on May 21, 2009 the District extended the temporary stay until December 20, 2009, in accordance with Neb. Rev. Stat. § 46-707(2);

WHEREAS, the District held a Public Hearing on September 22, 2009, in accordance with Neb. Rev. Stat. § 46-743 to consider proposed amendments to the District's rules and regulations for the management area for, in part, managing irrigation growth in the non-hydrologically connected area of the District and areas in the District where localized groundwater declines are of concern to the District;

WHEREAS, the District considered the testimony received at the Public Hearing;

WHEREAS, the District finds it necessary for the general health and welfare of the District and for the conservation, protection, development, and sound management of natural resources within the management area, to adopt the proposed amendments to the District's rules and regulations for the management area. A copy of the Rules and Regulations as amended is attached to this Order as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference;

WHEREAS, the new controls adopted under the amended rules include (1) preventing, without a variance from the District, the expansion of irrigated acres and the issuance of additional permits for the development of new irrigation wells within the non-hydrologically connected area of the District; (2) requiring the installation of devices for measuring groundwater withdrawals from water wells requiring a variance; (3) placing average and annual limits on the maximum new groundwater irrigated acres to be developed under the variance process; and placing additional requirements for variance applications within an NRD Stay Area.

WHEREAS, it reasonably appears that this action will mitigate or eliminate the condition which led to the designation of the management area and the imposition of the temporary stay area or will improve administration of the management area within the District;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the Board of Directors of the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District adopts the amendments to the Rules and Regulations for the Enforcement of the Nebraska Ground Water Management and Protection Act in the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District as set forth in the attached Exhibit A.

AND, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the effective date of this order is September 23, 2009, but the effective date of the amended Rules and Regulations shall be October 25, 2009, and the full text of the new controls shall be available to the public at the District office for thirty days in accord with Neb. Rev. Stat. § 46-744.

Approved September 24, 2009 by the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District Board of Directors Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District 601 East Benjamin Avenue, Suite 101, Norfolk, NE 68701 Contact: Rick Wozniak, (402) 371-7313 or wozniak@lenrd.org (Publ. Oct. 1, 8, 15, 2009) 1 POP

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE OF TAX LIENS IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

Case No. C109-68

Ernest and Maribeth Bobeldyke, Husband and Wife, Plaintiffs, -vs- Rodrigo Hernandez and _____ Hernandez, real name unknown; Husband and Wife; John and Jane Doe, Husband and Wife, Tenants in Possession, Real Names Unknown; Lot 3 of Beverly Hills Estate Subdivision of Part of the Southeast Quarter of Section 33 Township 25 North, Range 1 East of the 6th P.M., Wayne County, Nebraska; and all persons having or claiming any interest in and to said real estate, real names, unknown; Defendants

Rodrigo Hernandez and _____ Hernandez, real name unknown; Husband and Wife; John and Jane Doe, Husband and Wife, Tenants in Possession, Real Names Unknown; and all persons having or claiming any interest in and to said real estate, real names, unknown; Defendants

Rodrigo Hernandez and _____ Hernandez, real name unknown; Husband and Wife; John and Jane Doe, Husband and Wife, Tenants in Possession, Real Names Unknown; and all persons having or claiming any interest in and to said real estate, real names, unknown; Defendants

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska, will hold a public hearing on a Redevelopment Plan for the real estate described in this notice, pursuant to the Nebraska Community Development Law. The hearing will be held in the Council Chambers at City Hall in Wayne, Nebraska, on the 20th day of October, 2009, at the hour of 5:30 p.m.

The property affected by this notice is described as follows: Lot 1, Benscoter Addition, to the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska. A copy of the proposed plan is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

All interested parties shall be afforded, at such public hearing, a reasonable opportunity to express their views respecting the proposed redevelopment plan.

Betty A. McGuire City Clerk (Publ. Oct. 1, 8, 2009) 1 POP

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an Order of Sale, issued by the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon the Decree in said Court in Case No. C109-43, wherein the City of Wayne, Nebraska is Plaintiff, and Kelly R. Knutson, is the Defendant, in which Plaintiff recovered a Decree of Foreclosure for recovery of costs associated with razing, demolishing, and removing a building, which is a first lien upon the following described real estate: The East 48' of the West 100' of Lots 4, 5, and 6, Block 24, Original Town of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, otherwise known as 418 West First Street, Wayne, Nebraska.

I have levied upon said tract and will sell the same on the 20th day of October, 2009, commencing at 10:30 o'clock a.m., on the first floor of the Wayne County Courthouse at 510 N. Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said Decree, interest and costs, said sale to remain open 30 minutes.

LeRoy Janssen, Wayne County, Nebraska Sheriff (Publ. Sept. 24, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 2009) 1 clip

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Wayne County Veterans Memorial Fundraising Campaign. Construction is underway on the Wayne County Veterans Memorial located on the grounds of the Wayne County Courthouse. The Memorial is off to a great start, but your help is essential in order for it to be completed. The flag at the right will remain at half-staff and the Memorial will remain at a standstill until \$185,000 is raised.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!! We are searching for names of veterans to include on the Memorial. If you or someone you know from Wayne County honorably served in the U.S. military please submit the name(s) and dates served via postcard to the: Wayne County Veterans Memorial, P.O. Box 196, Wayne, NE 68787. Donations can be sent to the same address.