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(Photo by Clara Osten)

## All I want for Christmas is...

Santa made an early visit to the area on Friday when he arrived at the Carroll Auditorium for the annual Christmas 'n' Carroll Craft Show. He visited with youngsters in an attempt to determine what he needs to pack in his sleigh on Dec. 24. His visit was sponsored by the Carroll Volunteer Fire Department.

## Evil of Sept. 11 also brought good for speaker

By JOSHUA STUHL  
Of The Herald

A multitude of Wayne State College students and others from the community packed Ramsey Theatre Thursday to experience a unique story about fear, hope, death and life.

Sujo John, survivor of the Sept. 11 terror attacks, travels the country vivaciously spreading his inspiring message. This Earth-shattering act of evil that caused millions grief did produce good as well.

As debris rained down, nearly crushing his body, Sujo had only one goal: to find his pregnant wife. The couple moved from Calcutta, India to New Jersey in February of 2001. Sujo John and his wife came to America with only \$50 to their names and a dream to make a life they could be proud of.

Both worked in the World Trade Center - Sujo, in the north tower and his wife, in the south.

The morning of Sept. 11, Sujo had pondered how he was so blessed with a wife, a healthy son on the way and their lucrative jobs in the tallest buildings on the planet. However, he felt lost, as many do, in the race to climb the corporate ladder. That morning he wrote an e-mail to a few close friends stating that "something was happening to (him) this morning and that God has a plan."

Since that fateful morning, that e-mail has become a beacon to others, that even in the face of pure evil, good exists and triumphs.

In his struggle to exit the north tower from the 81st floor, he saw the fear of death on every face. He saw the bodies of those who had jumped from the tower strewn in the plaza. He had huddled with others fleeing from the building, only to find them crushed moments later.

In this defining moment, Sujo realized



(Courtesy photo)

Sujo John and his family came to America from India, and he and his wife survived the terror attacks on the World Trade Center on Sept. 11, 2001. He was at Wayne State College's Ramsey Theatre Thursday to talk of his experience.

his own frailty and mortality. He asked himself, "Where am I going?" Lately, his faith had waned. He devoted more and more time to his job and daily routine and less to his spiritual connections.

Sujo felt the shock of the south tower collapsing and was paralyzed with grief. He knew that his wife could not have made it out of the building in time. Fortunately, he was wrong.

His wife had been delayed that morning and had only arrived at the Plaza when

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## Stem cell discussion set for Dec. 2

Dr. Sheryl Pitner will present "The Science and Ethics of Stem Cells" on Wednesday, Dec. 2 at 5 p.m. in the Niobrara Room of the Student Center at Wayne State College.

She will share insights and offer an opportunity for audience members to learn more about the basics of stem cells and research, the ethical concerns and the American government's policy regarding stem cells. Audience members can ask questions following the presentation.

A native of Omaha, Dr. Pitner com-

pleted her undergraduate degree at the University of Kansas and her MD at the University of Nebraska Medical Center. She completed a residency in Pediatrics at the Creighton/UNMC combined Pediatric Residency and an additional year as chief resident.

She moved to San Antonio for a fellowship in Academic General Pediatrics and earned a Masters in Public Health at the University of Texas Health Science Center. Dr. Pitner then returned to Omaha and UNMC where she is an Assistant

Professor in Pediatrics and Associate Residency Program Director. She also holds an adjunct academic appointment at Creighton University Medical Center.

Dr. Pitner is the President of the Nebraska Coalition for Ethical Research and the Secretary of the Omaha Guild of the Catholic Medical Association.

This event is funded by a speaker grant to the Catholic Newman Center from Student Senate allocations. For more information, call 375-1155 or 375-2000 or e-mail: [wsc.catholic@archomaha.org](mailto:wsc.catholic@archomaha.org).



(Contributed photo)

Chris Connolly, PMC board president, signs the papers to complete the sale of Providence Medical Center. Looking on is Marcile Thomas, Providence Medical Center Administrator.

## Paperwork completed on sale of Providence

The members of the Providence Medical Center Governing Board announce that the financial interest held by the Missionary Benedictine Sisters of Norfolk, Nebraska to Providence Medical Center in Wayne has been officially purchased by Providence Medical Center.

"This is a momentous time for Providence Medical Center, as well as the entire northeast Nebraska community," Marcile Thomas, Providence Medical Center Administrator said. "From the beginning, we have concentrated on the preservation of and implications for economic development for our entire area. Bill Hefner of the Citizens National Bank of Laurel is to be commended for his financial ingenuity and willingness to work with Providence Medical Center."

"I am glad that the Citizens National Bank of Laurel was able to provide the financing which allowed for the sale of the hospital from the Missionary Benedictine Sisters to Providence Medical Center. This was an important project not only for Wayne, but for all of the surrounding area."

Bill Hefner, assistant vice president of Citizens National Bank, said. "The USDA guarantee made it possible for Citizens National to help with this project."

The Missionary Benedictine Sisters have officially ended their sponsorship of Providence Medical Center and transferred their ownership interest to PMC, a nonprofit corporation, as of Nov. 24, 2009, thus ensuring that the facility will remain under local control. The Sisters will be replaced on the PMC Board by representatives from Wayne and the surrounding communities.

Sister Kevin Hermesen, the Prioress of the Missionary Benedictine Sisters stated that the "Missionary Benedictine Sisters have enjoyed a wonderful relationship with the Wayne community at large and the medical community specifically. We have a certain feeling of loss in transferring sponsorship of Providence Medical Center; however, we know that the time is right for this step. We have no reservations whatsoever. We know that we are leaving the facility in capable and caring hands."

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

The Allen High School marching band, shown here during Wayne State College's homecoming parade, will take part in festivities at the Cotton Bowl in Dallas, Texas on New Year's Day. This is the third bowl trip the band has taken this decade, including trips to the Liberty Bowl and the Sugar Bowl.

## Allen High marching band making final preparations for Cotton Bowl trip

By MICHAEL CARNES  
Of The Herald

ALLEN - If you ask any Allen High School student what he or she will be doing on New Year's Day 2010, it's a pretty good bet they'll tell you one thing.

The Allen High School marching band will be making its third appearance in a bowl parade, as the 57-member band - which makes up about 85 percent of the entire high school student body in the small Dixon County school - will travel to Dallas for the Cotton Bowl.

It's the third bowl trip for longtime Allen High band director Richard Lacy, who has taken his band to the Liberty Bowl and Sugar Bowl in recent years.

"We applied last year and they looked through our qualifications and recommendations," he said. "It's not that we're overpowering,

but it was helpful that we had been to a couple of bowl games already and won some regional competitions, and it's been a quality program here for a number of years."

Lacy received word last spring that the band was invited, but would need \$45,000 to account for travel, lodging, meals and other amenities.

The band and community quickly went to work in an effort to raise funds to send the band to Texas. Sales of holiday hams, cookie dough, chocolate and candles, along with split-the-pot raffles at volleyball and football games, have brought in the majority of the funds. Each student also has to chip in \$150 to help with the costs.

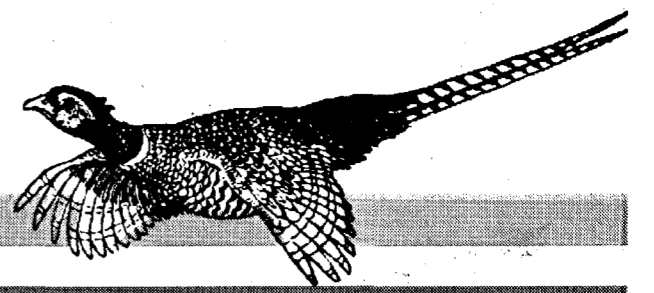
"It's still in the process, though," Lacy said. "We've canvassed the alumni and businesses in the area for donations, and we're probably a couple of thousand dollars short right now, so we should

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## Obituaries

### Harry Mills

Harry Mills, 86, of Wakefield, died Thursday, Nov. 19, 2009 at the Wakefield Care Center.

Services were held Monday, Nov. 23 at the Evangelical Covenant Church in Wakefield with Pastor Ross Erickson officiating.



Harry Mills was born on Oct. 20, 1923 on a farm near Berwyn, Neb., the son of Frank and Sarah Bertha Mills. He attended and graduated from Westerville High School in Westerville, Neb. He served in World War II in the Merchant Marines. After his military service, he attended and graduated from Kearney State Teachers College in 1950. During his time at Kearney, he met and later married Ardyth Rice on May 29, 1949 in Broken Bow. He taught and coached at Newcastle and Bradshaw, Neb. After earning his Administrator's Graduate Degree, Harry served as Superintendent at Hampton, Callaway, and Wakefield. In 1967, he began serving as the administrator of the Educational

Service Unit #1 in Wakefield, where he remained for 20 years until retiring in 1987. During his retirement, he held a part-time position as the Wayne County Superintendent of Schools until 2001.

Harry loved life; he loved his family, his friends, his church, kids, reading, history, woodworking, storytelling, and laughing. He was also an avid sports fan; he spent many hours golfing and bowling with his friends, and of course, cheering on the Nebraska football team. Harry enjoyed a good political debate, standing firm in his own convictions, but always respectful of others' opinions. He was active in his church as he taught Sunday School for several years and was a strong advocate for the public school system. He played an important role in his community as a Boy Scout leader, member of the Lions Club, the Library Board, and various other civic and educational committees.

Survivors include his wife, Ardyth, of Wakefield; his children: Marlene Mills-Margesson and her husband Hugh of San Clemente, Calif.; Carol Mills of Denver, Colo.; Scott and Terri Mills of Borger, Texas; Robin Byers and her husband Dan of Lincoln; six grandchildren; five siblings, Dana of St. Joseph, Mo.; Wayne and his wife Marvel of Broken Bow, Sylvia Hapgood of Grand Island, Ted and his wife Elaine of Buffalo, Wyo. and Paul and his wife Donna of Ansley, Neb.; many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one granddaughter, Whitney.

Burial was in Wakefield Cemetery. Military honors were presented by the Wakefield American Legion Post #81. Bressler-Munderloh Funeral Home in Wakefield was in charge of arrangements.

### Wayne High School Mock Trial team moves on to state competition

The Wayne High School Mock Trial team earned a district victory over Lyons-Decatur on Nov. 24.

The team of Jorge Dunklau, Andrew Pulfer, Jacob Pulfer, Marcus Baier, Kelly Gentrup, Lisa Temme, Kristin Liska, and Joey Dunklau won the unanimous victory, repre-

senting the U.S. Government in the competition.

They will now move on to compete at state on Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 8-9 in Omaha.

"Congratulations on a great job," said Coach Josh Johnson.

### Goldenrod Hills receives okay to give influenza vaccine

Goldenrod Hills Community Action (GHCA) will hold the Wayne Immunization Clinic on Tuesday, December 1st, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at United Methodist Church, 516 N Main Street, Wayne.

For an appointment please call (402) 529-3513.

GHCA's Health Services Program will provide lead screening to children 12 months to 5 years of age at the Immunization Clinics.

Children may get lead poisoning from paint of homes built before 1978, tap water, food, pottery, dirt, dust and even from the air we breathe. Elevated blood levels can cause irreversible damage to the brain and nervous system; it can harm the kidneys and digestive system; and because lead reduces the ability for the body to produce red blood cells, it can cause anemia. Children with elevated blood levels of 10 or higher may suffer dulled hearing, stunted growth, reduced eye-hand coordination, behavioral problems and delayed learning skills.

The Immunization Clinic is open to the public, and there are no income guidelines. Each child should be accompanied by the parent or guardian. Past immunization records are required. Proxy forms are needed when a parent or legal guardian is unable to accompany the child to clinic. Proxy forms may be obtained by contacting the Wisner office at (402) 529-3513. A suggested donation of \$20 per child would be appreciated to help defray administrative costs. If a child only receives one immunization, then the suggested donation is \$13.50.

No one will be denied immunizations for inability to make a donation. Immunizations are needed at ages: 2 months, 4 months, 6 months, 12-15 months, and 4-6 years. This project is supported in part by Federal Immunization Program Funds awarded to Goldenrod Hills Community Action by the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services.

Goldenrod Hills Community Action, in conjunction with the Nebraska Health & Human Services Vaccines for Children

Program, offers the Pediarix vaccine, which consists of the DtaP, Hepatitis B & IPV (polio) as a combination vaccine. Also available is Menactra (meningitis) for 11-18 year olds, Tdap (tetanus with pertussis) for 10-18 year olds, Hepatitis A for 12 months to 23 month olds only, RotaTeq (rotavirus) for infants, and Gardasil for VFC eligible 11-12 year olds entering the seventh grade, as well as other recommended childhood vaccines. The Influenza vaccine is now available for children six months through 18 years.

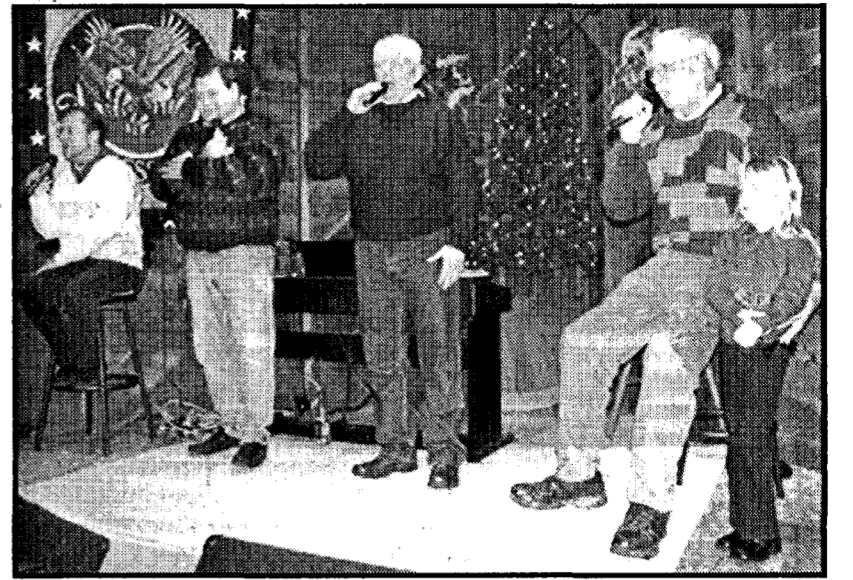
Adult vaccine (MMR, Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, Td, Tdap, TB testing) is available to the public for a mandatory fee at all immunization clinics to anyone 19 years or older. These fees cover the cost of the vaccine.

Call the Wisner office at (402) 529-3513 for more information.

Operation Great Start (OGS) will be available at the Immunization Clinic to provide information and consultation for expecting mothers and mothers with children up to 12 weeks old. OGS works to provide services to families and children in northeast Nebraska to ensure and strengthen their well being.

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

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



Members of For the Master include, left to right, Cliff Struble, Eric Smith, Bob Dyer and Ken Dahl. Singing "Away in a Manger" with them at last year's event was Ken's granddaughter, Allie.

### Dates set for 'Christmas in the Country' concerts

Since 2001, the quartet For the Master has been performing concerts in northeast Nebraska, Iowa and South Dakota.

They will once again take the stage in three "Christmas in the Country Concerts" at The Barn on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 4, 5 and 6.

Each night will include selections by the group as well as different special guests for each performance. On Friday, "Keep the Faith" will be the part of the program; on Saturday, "Relative Harmony" from Sioux Falls, S.D. will be part of the program and on Sunday, the WayneDREW Sisters will be included.

Performances will be at 7 p.m. on Friday, Dec. 4; 2 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 5 and 3 p.m. on Sunday, Dec. 6. In addition to music, each performance will include a reading of the Christmas story.

The Barn, owned by Merle and Donna Ring, is located four miles east and one-half mile south of Wayne. It is heated and has seating capacity for 170 people.

Members of the For the Master quartet include Ken Dahl, Cliff Struble, Bob Dyer and Eric Smith.

All but Struble attend the Baptist Church in Wayne. They had originally tried to start a choir at the church, but instead decided to start a quartet. While singing at an Easter Cantata, the three met

Struble and asked him to be a part of the quartet.

During the first three years of the group's existence, they performed at nearly 200 concerts, while all being employed full-time.

"That got to be too much and since that time we have backed off," Dahl said. He added that the group "isn't in it for money, but we do have to pay our expenses."

Several years ago, the quartet participated in a national talent contest in Denver, Colo. They were one of 10 groups invited to perform. They finished fourth in the competition.

The group has recorded three CDs with Dan Kane in Wisner, including one with Christmas music entitled "The Gift." It will be available for sale at The Barn.

For the Master's music is made up of 95 percent gospel music. The group uses recorded sound tracks as back up. Occasionally, the group sings acappella. They gather once of twice a week to rehearse their music.

Dahl said each concert ends with "Sinner Saved by Grace," which he notes is a "powerful song."

Tickets for the event are available at all Wayne banks, Inspiration Christian Books and Gifts and dianne's in Wayne and The Abbey in Norfolk. For more information, call 369-4370, 375-5467 or 375-5033.

### A Quick Look

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Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Nov. 19	50	16	—	—
Nov. 20	55	22	—	—
Nov. 21	55	26	—	—
Nov. 22	53	28	—	—
Nov. 23	56	37	—	—
Nov. 24	49	37	.55"	—
Nov. 25	44	33	—	—

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### Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — There will be no Chamber Coffee on Friday, Nov. 27. The Wayne Area Economic Development office will be closed that day. The Friday, Dec. 4 Coffee will be held at the Wayne City Auditorium in conjunction with Fantasy Forest. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. with announcements at 10:15.

### Elementary students to sing

WAYNE — Wayne Elementary students will soon be sharing their holiday spirits with the Wayne community. The following is a schedule of caroling events: Friday, Dec. 4 - third and fourth grades caroling at Fantasy Forest in the Wayne City Auditorium, 10 a.m.; Monday, Dec. 14 - first grade caroling at The Oaks, 1 p.m. and Wednesday, Dec. 16 - second grade caroling at the Wayne Senior Center, 1 p.m.

### Santa visit

WAYNE — "Christmas Crackers" will be the theme this year for Santa's Story Time at the Wayne Public Library on Tuesday, Dec. 1 at 6:30 p.m. Those attending will share a story and Santa Claus will come to find out what you want for Christmas. While we wait to see Santa, we will be creating Christmas Crackers. There will also be some reindeer games to play and refreshments for all. "To take home Christmas magic, please remember to bring your library card, and camera," said Julie Osnes, Youth Services Director at Wayne Public Library.

### Decorating contest

WAYNE — An outdoor residential holiday decorating contest, sponsored by the Q-125 committee is currently underway. All homes in the Wayne city limits are eligible to participate. Entries will be accepted in three categories - religious, nostalgic and Martha Stewart would be proud and should be submitted by Monday, Dec. 14. They should be sent to Nancy Jo Powers, 513 Oak Drive or Fauneil Bennett, 1415 Vintage Hill Drive in Wayne. A \$125 award will be presented to the top winner in each category.

### Internet poll question

Last week's poll question, "Will you be shopping early on Black Friday?" Results: Yes - 25 %, No - 75 %

This week's question is "Compared to last year, how much do you plan on spending this year for Christmas?"

Visit our website, [www.mywaynews.com](http://www.mywaynews.com) to cast your vote.

### Singspiration to be held at First Presbyterian Church

Singspiration, a fifth Sunday worship event, will be in the sanctuary of First Presbyterian Church on Sunday, Nov. 29 at 6:30 p.m., following the tree-lighting ceremony at the old First National Drive-thru location at Seventh and Main Streets.

Singspiration will feature

Scripture lessons, carols, hymns, and songs that celebrate the Advent and Christmas season. Everyone is invited to worship and participate in this community, ecumenical event.

Contact Pastor Ray McCalla (375-2669) or Phil Pfaltzgraff for more information.

### Check us out on the web [www.mywaynews.com](http://www.mywaynews.com)

**WAYNE ROTARY CLUB'S ANNUAL SOUP & DESSERT SUPPER**

**Thursday, Dec. 3**  
**5:00 - 7:30 p.m.**

**Wayne City Auditorium**

Homemade chicken noodle or chili soup, dessert, relishes and a drink.

All funds benefit youth programs and scholarship fund

Children (10 or under) \$3  
Adults \$6

Fantasy Forest and Music by Community Theater and WSC Students

### Wayne State hosts Winter Wonderland for the public

Wayne State College will host "Winter Wonderland", on the west side of the Hahn Administration Building on campus at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 2.

"This program has been a rebirth of something very historic and traditional that Wayne State once did," said Amy Franco of Wayne State College. "Back in the 1980s, Wayne State did an official tree lighting. Teresa Tiedtke and I thought it would be a great tradition to bring back. This is a great event for students and community

members to be involved in."

Festive activities planned for the public include a tree lighting, horse-drawn sleigh rides, caroling, cookies and hot chocolate.

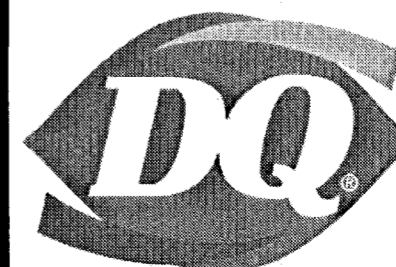
Mr. and Mrs. Claus will be attending. Reindeer games are planned.

The event is sponsored by the Student Activities Board, Residence Life office and Residence Hall Association. Everyone one is welcome to attend.

For more information, call (402) 375- 7367 or (402) 375-7013.

### WHAT ARE YOU BRINGING TO THE THANKSGIVING TABLE???

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## Christmas tree to be lit Sunday

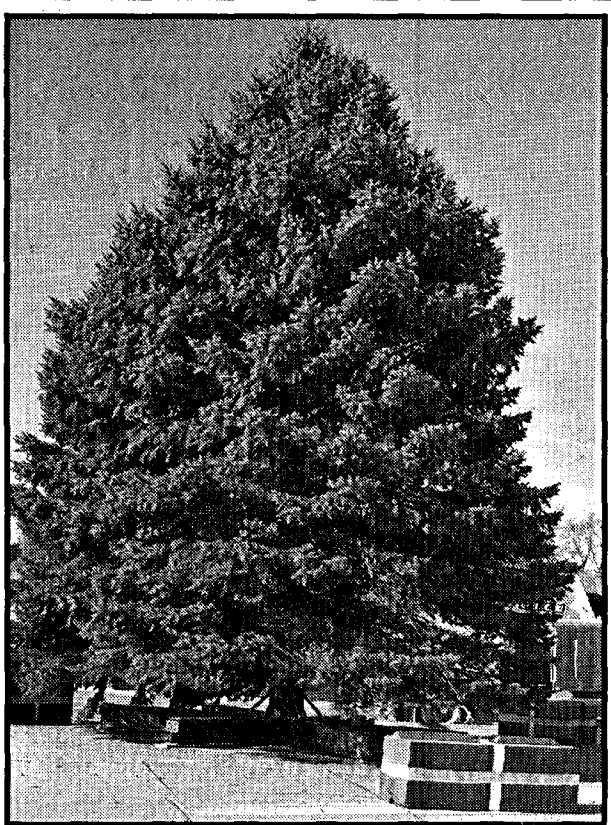
As the year 2009 draws to a close, another Q-125 event will be held as part of Wayne's year-long celebration of the city's 125th birthday.

On Sunday, area residents are invited to gather at the corner of Seventh and Main Streets for the lighting of the Christmas tree.

At about 5:15 p.m., city crews will flip the switch and lights on the tree will come on. Those attending are asked to arrive by 5 p.m. Singing of Christmas carols will be lead by members of the Wayne Community Theatre. After the official lighting and singing, the group will move to the Presbyterian Church for a Holiday Singing.

Late last week a tree from the Doug Carroll home was cut down by several employees of Otte Construction including Jeff Morlok, Paul Otte and Keith Moje, along with a crane from Northeast Nebraska Public Power.

After the holidays, the tree will be taken to the city's brush pile and cut up. The trunk will be taken by the Wayne County Agricultural Society to be used during the 2010 Wayne County Fair for log sculptures.



## Dr. Garvin receives award for accounting education

Dr. Sharon Garvin of Wayne State College has been awarded the Outstanding Accounting Educator Award.

Garvin is a tenured associate professor in the School of Business and Technology at Wayne State College. A long-time Nebraska CPA certificate holder, Dr. Garvin is a 1981 graduate of WSC with a degree in business administration and concentration in accounting. She also holds a Master's of Professional Accountancy degree and an Educational Doctorate degree in Adult and Higher Education from the University of South Dakota.

"She is the instructional leader for our accounting program, and I would rank Dr. Garvin as one of the finest classroom accounting instructors in the United States," said Dr. Vaughn Benson, Dean of the School of Business and Technology at WSC. "She is excited about teaching accounting and her enthusiasm is displayed through her students."

Garvin's award recognizes full-time Nebraska accounting educators for excellence in accounting education. To be eligible for this award, the nominee must be a CPA, be a member of the Nebraska Society, be a full-time accounting educator at a college or university, and be in good standing with the profession.

The selection committee considered Garvin's accomplishments including excellence in classroom teaching, endorsements from students, alumni and colleagues; contributions to accounting education, including professional involvement, educational innovations and publications and service to the Nebraska Society of Certified Public Accountants (NSCPA) and other organizations which contribute to the overall strength of the accounting profession.

Garvin's service to Wayne State College and accounting education in Nebraska spans three decades and includes full-time and part-time teaching. She began her professional teaching career at Wayne State in 1982 as an interim instructor in the Division of Business and today teaches a full load of classes each semester ranging from "Accounting I" to "Risk Analysis and Accounting Controls."

She serves on numerous school committees, assists student groups, is an advisor for the Business and Economics department Student Advisory Board and serves as the Accounting Concentration chairperson. A Society member since 2002, Sharon is also a member of the American Accounting Association and the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners.

Garvin redesigned the WSC accounting program with the input of others. Her colleagues stated they believe this resulted in a program that is unique, creative and responsive to the needs of the profession. She also redesigned an



Dr. Sharon Garvin

introductory accounting course for all business majors. The course emphasizes the understanding of financial reports through real world cases. It appeals to students because it uses examples and exercises that speak to the imagination of our students without ignoring debits and credits. Thus, it encourages young students to become accounting majors.

Another colleague noted, "Sharon Garvin teaches a wide variety of accounting courses, and I know from the performance of our students in subsequent classes that she does an excellent job of preparing students for the workplace. Her commitment to keep up-to-date in the ever-changing field of accounting is exceptional."



(Contributed photo)

The annual fall PMC Hospice Volunteer Luncheon was held on Sept. 30 at Providence Medical Center. Volunteers include, front row left to right, Detta Gubbels, Jean Lange, Jean Kuhl, Helen Tunink, Dorothy Walz, Ann Marie Thies and Bev Ruwe. Second row, Sharolyn Cunningham, Sister Cecilia Polt, Julia Slaymaker, Twila Wiltse, Sharon Kneifl, Paulette Tietz, Jackie Zeiss and Vivian Olson. Back row, Nancy Abts, Marty Stewart, Judy Nemeck, Lyla Swanson, Mary Ann Wemhoff and Alice Erwin.

## Providence Medical Center celebrating Home Care and Hospice Month

Providence Medical Center Home Health and Hospice is celebrating National Home Care Month. PMC Homecare has been serving Wayne and surrounding communities for nearly 30 years.

Originally, Providence Homecare was part of the former Lutheran Community Hospital of Norfolk, Nebraska. Hospice services were provided by volunteers and managed by Home Health. In 1991, Hospice became Medicare certified and it too became part of the Lutheran Community Hospital. In 1995, Home Health and Hospice became part of Providence Medical Center. In 1996, Providence Homecare initiated a Personal Care Program.

Personal Care serves people that do not meet the Medicare Home Health home-bound criteria, but who still need assistance with personal care. Nurses are available to fill medsets and syringes and assess each patient's physical condition. Nurses aides help with bathing, housekeeping, meal preparation, errands, etc. This service is paid for privately by the patient or family, some long-term care insurance plans, and Agency on Aging or League of Human Dignity grants.

Hospice is a holistic team-centered program, under the direction of each patient's physician and the Hospice Medical Director, who help patients and their families in their final stages of life. A social worker, nurses, chaplain, grief counselor, aides and volunteers specialize in pain and symptom management, and emotional and spiritual support.

The philosophy of PMC Hospice is to help people live until the very last day of their life as comfortable as possible, wherever that may be. PMC Hospice cares for each patient in his/her home, a nursing home, assisted living facility or hospital.

PMC Hospice serves people within a 45 mile radius of Wayne. Staff is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Hospice is available to people when their physician feels aggressive measures will no longer prolong their life or cure their illness, and when comfort and palliative measures are needed.

Most patients with a life-limiting illness may meet the criteria for hospice. This includes patients with end-stage heart failure, COPD, emphysema, cancers, dementia, Alzheimer's, multiple sclerosis, ALS (Lou Gehrig's disease), Parkinson's or those with profound weakness, unintentional weight loss, or overall decline in health.

Hospice services are not designed to replace the family but rather to support the family. Providence Hospice offers a 13-month Bereavement Program, which includes a Memorial Service in the summer and a Tree Lighting Ceremony in December.

Providence Hospice is staffed by three Registered nurses, one LPN, six Certified Nursing Assistants, one Office Manager, a Social Worker, a Chaplain, a Grief Counselor, and many volunteers. New to the program are Music and Massage Therapies.

PMC Hospice presently has 30 volunteers in the Wayne, Wakefield, Randolph, Laurel, Wisner, Pilger, Dixon and Concord areas.

According to Terri Munter, Hospice Director, most hospices find that individuals are admitted to hospice care during their final days of life and generally families wish they would have had hospice sooner to help them and their loved one be better prepared. This time of life can be very frightening for both the patient and the family members.

Hospice offers pain control tailored to the patient's wishes, helps with some closure for the patient & family, and at the same time respectfully supports them to make sure their own personal wishes and choices are carried out.

PMC Hospice has served over 160 patients since 2004. "We take great pride in our service" states Munter. "Our goal is that everyone should be able to die pain free and with dignity, and that our families should receive enough emotional support to allow them to do so. There are many for-profit hospice agencies out there; however, Providence Hospice is a non-profit service which is reimbursed by Medicare, Medicaid and most insurances. We offer a caring and compassionate service with over 85 years of combined expertise. We are always available for our patients."

For more information about Providence Homecare Services in Wayne, please call 402-375-4288.

## Fantasy Forest set for Dec. 3-4

After a few years of not having Fantasy Forest, the Country Classics 4-H Club decided to bring back the event that brings the Christmas Spirit to the community.

This year's event will be held Thursday and Friday, Dec. 3 and 4 at the Wayne City Auditorium.

This project is a community service project. All businesses, churches, organizations and 4-H clubs are welcome to bring a decorated tree for display. A registration form is available at the Wayne Area Chamber and Economic Development, 108 West Third St., Wayne, Neb. 68787. Entries should be submitted by Monday, Nov. 30.

Tree set up is scheduled for Wednesday, Dec. 2 from 4-8 p.m. Fantasy Forest is scheduled for Thursday, Dec. 3, from 5-8 p.m. and Friday, Dec. 4 from 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Removal of trees will be on Saturday, Dec. 5, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Fantasy Forest will be held at the City Auditorium. Please bring a tree and help up make this a successful project and kick-off the Christmas season.

Anyone with questions is asked to contact Jill Belt at (402) 375-2940.

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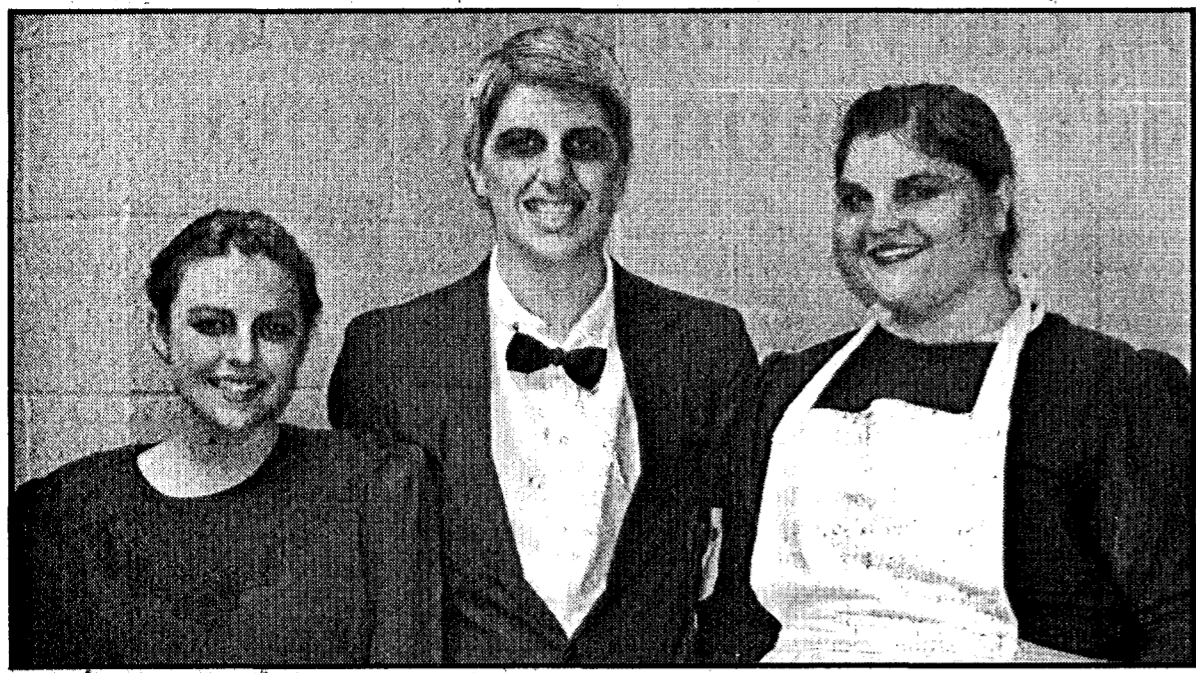
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### Outstanding accomplishments

Wayne High School outstanding performers from the Conference One-Act Festival included, left to right, Jenny Zink, Tanner Schopke and Katie Kietzmann. Katie was named Outstanding Actress and Tanner was named Outstanding Actor.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

### Quick work on road fire

Wayne Rural Fire Department members made quick work of a grass fire along Highway 15 south of Wayne Friday afternoon. Sparks from a bad bearing on a semi were believed to be the cause of the fire.

## PMC

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The Missionary Benedictine Sisters will continue to focus their ministry on spirituality rather than health care.

Chris Connolly, attorney and PMC board president, said that "For Providence Medical Center, this is an important move to ensure high quality healthcare for many, many years to come, and the board looks forward to the challenges that lie ahead of it, while still embracing the spirituality, hard work, and

comfort delivered by the Sisters. We thank the Sisters for all the years of wonderful service to the hospital and community."

According to Thomas, "Providence Medical Center will continue to move forward in providing quality healthcare to the people we serve, while at the same time, maintaining a faith-based, nonprofit facility. We will continue to focus on the highest quality patient care possible, maintain our mission, respond to the needs of our local community

and provide for economic stability and growth throughout the region.

"At this time, I must recognize our employees and the general public. Great patience has been exercised as the Governing Board and the Missionary Benedictine Sisters have worked on this process for well over a year. Finally, I want to say thank you to our hospital employees and our entire medical staff for the excellent job they do each and every day in caring for the citizens of northeast Nebraska.

The search for including as many Wayne County Veterans (deceased and living) on the monument has been long and the committee is about to submit the first listing to the engravers.

Before that is done, the committee has taken an extra step to visit with Wayne County Veterans' Service Officer, Wayne Denklauf, and double-checked names with DD214 records and other documents to ensure they are placing each Veteran in the correct time-frame of service.

To the committee, a Veteran is a Veteran, whether combat or peacetime. Now there are names that are not able to be supported in their placement and the committee needs the assistance of the public.

Anyone who has knowledge or proof of where these names are to be placed is asked to contact the group as soon as possible.

Contact typist Beverly at (402) 379-0700 or her home (402) 529-3593. There is a Dec. 1 deadline for the first listing.

The following are the names that need to be verified:

- Baier, Junior; Bowers, Kenneth Dean; Brumm, Michael C.; Campbell, Michael C.; Carmichael, Galin; Carstens, Gerald; Church, Steve; Claussen, A. E.; Davis, James B.; Edwards, Lloyd; Ekber, Larry; Evans, Eugene; Evans, Mary Joan; Evans, Maurice; Frederickson, Donald; Fredrickson, Theodore; Gamble, Lyle W.; George, Karen; George, William I.; Hamer, Arvid;

- Hamer, Francis; Hart, Sean D.; Knudsen, Vernon L.; Koles, Oliver; Larsen, Marion or Larson, Marion; Lutt, Delmar D.; Lutt, Dennis; Lutt, Louis Jr.; Lutt, Lyle; Meierhenry, Louie; Meierhenry, Rueben; Nissen, Jim; Osbahr, Myron E. Jr.; Penhollow, Murray; Pryor, James R.; Ring, Marcel; Wade, Evelyn Spengler; Wright, Jack J. and Youngstrom, Harry.

The following names are brothers who lived one mile north of the Cumming/Wayne County line and had a Wisner address. Records for James were located.

- Mc Guire, Clement C.; McGuire, James; Mc Guire, John J.; Mc Guire, Leo M.; Mc Guire, Louis Patrick and Mc Guire, Richard P.

## Band

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make it."

That a town of just over 400 residents can put together a marching band as impressive as Allen's is quite amazing, and Lacy said it has impressed teachers of high school bands from other parts of the country who have performed with the Allen High band in previous bowl-game celebrations.

"Some of the other directors can't believe we have such a big band for the number of students we have in our school," he said. "About 85 percent of the student body is in the band. One band from Ohio came from a school about the size of Wayne's, and the director said the 42 kids in their band was the

largest they'd ever had."

Allen's band will be one of 15 bands that will perform in the Cotton Bowl parade. Three high school bands from the state of Texas and one from each of 12 states - Allen is Nebraska's representative - will compete in a street marching competition during the parade.

Allen's band has done well in previous parades. At the Liberty Bowl parade in 2001, the band placed fourth out of 11 bands in its division, Lacy said.

"We'll be the smallest school from the smallest town, and we'll be competing with bands about the size of Class A bands in Nebraska," he said.

Lacy has already gotten a tour of Cowboys Stadium, where the

band will perform during halftime ceremonies at the Cotton Bowl.

"It's quite the facility," he said. "They have three different field surfaces there, and they can move them and store them and put in a new surface."

Lacy is looking forward to the trip, which he says will be a great experience for a lot of the kids in his band.

"We'll get to see things like the building where President Kennedy was assassinated, an aquarium, and a lot of other things," he said. "The kids will get a wealth of education on this trip, and some of these kids have never been out of Nebraska, so it will be an eye-opening experience for them."

## Speaker

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the first plane struck. She was whisked safely from Ground Zero and waited, grief-wracked, to reach him through the jammed wireless network.

For the first time that day, as Sujo, caked in grimy ash, was pleading with others to find his wife, his cellular telephone rang. Though it was his wife's number on the caller id, he felt that it would be someone with the horrible news that she had died. Dread filled his body, yet hope lingered.

Sujo answered and heard her ask if he was alive. Finally, after his

battle through fire and jet fuel, the dead and the rubble, he reunited with her.

This is where is spiritual journey inexorably metamorphosed and thus blossomed into a relationship with his personal savior.

Sujo went on to tell the audience of his path to God and his many questions. Each time he found an answer, after many trials and even more errors.

He expressed an interesting view of Christianity and religion. "Christianity is a friendship with God," he said. Also, he said that Jesus was God's way of reaching out to man. Conversely, religion is

"man's flawed way of trying to reach God" by "worshiping idols, paying penance, performing rituals," but always falling short.

Community members asked revealing questions, such as, "How has your life benefitted from following the Lord?" and even what his favorite Bible verse is.

Sujo also spoke of a "corrupted, complicated Christianity." He referred to the greedy ploys of televangelists and their misrepresentation of God's word. Overall, Sujo John professed how evil inadvertently creates good and because of this, good will always prevail.

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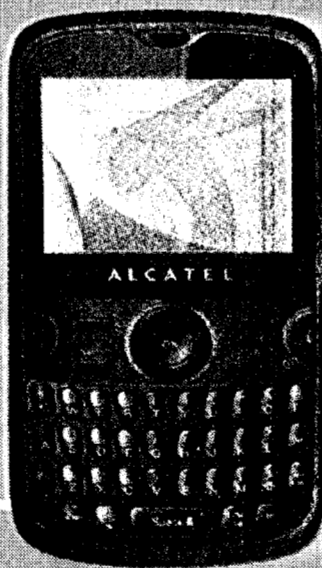
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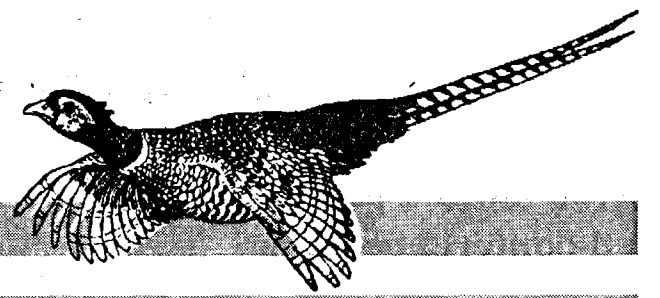
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# Sports

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## From The Bleachers

Michael Carnes



### Basketball refs do show some bias

People who know The Bleacher Bum know that he takes a rather dim view to those who want to criticize referees for causing their team to lose a game.

There appears to be some truth to those complaints, however, as a recent study at the Kelley School of Business at the University of Indiana found that basketball officials do show some bias with the calls they make.

The study looked at 365 college basketball games played during the 2004-05 season, and found that officials try to go out of their way to keep things even, no matter what difference there is in the aggressiveness of the two teams playing.

As an example shown in an ESPN.com story, the 2005 Final Four matchup between Illinois and Louisville saw the Illini – the more aggressive team – get called for the first seven fouls of the game. Yet, at the end, Louisville actually had been whistled for more fouls than Illinois. Illinois won the game 72-57.

The study found that visiting teams have a 7 percent better chance of being called for a foul than the home team. If the home team had five or more fouls than the visiting team, the chance was better than 2-of-3 that the visiting team would be called for the next foul.

Television also seems to have an effect on how officials call the game as well. Teams who are ahead in games on national TV are more likely to get called for a foul than they would be in games that aren't nationally televised. Calling fouls against the team that is ahead tends to keep the game closer and, as a result, keeps more people watching the game, the study showed.

Even in games played on neutral courts, the study showed that referees will unconsciously try to keep the foul total from getting too one-sided, even if one team is more aggressive than the other. The study's authors said that it's more human nature to try to even things out, which makes the game even tougher to officiate.

Fans love to ask the officials to call it both ways. Judging from this recent study, it would appear they do exactly that...which may not be the right way to do it.

A big congratulations to Wayne State volleyball standout Jennifer Hefner for being named to the ESPN The Magazine Academic All-American first team.

This is the first time a Wayne State volleyball player has achieved this outstanding honor, and it is a testament not only to Hefner's amazing talents on the volleyball court, but her hard work and determination in the classroom.

I was especially impressed by the entire first team that was released Monday. The first team's average GPA was 3.86 (Hefner led the team with a 3.96). And these young ladies aren't taking walk-through courses like basket weaving or ditch digging – majors include brain and cognitive sciences, chemistry and biology, secondary education, accounting, pre-med and Hefner's applied human and sport physiology.

Hefner's athletic talents, as is the case with all athletes, has a limited shelf life. The work she's doing in the classroom, though, is something that will carry her a long way in life, and being named an Academic All-American is a tremendous honor that she is certainly deserving of.

We're coming down to the wire on the predictions, and The Bleacher Bum is looking for a strong finish.

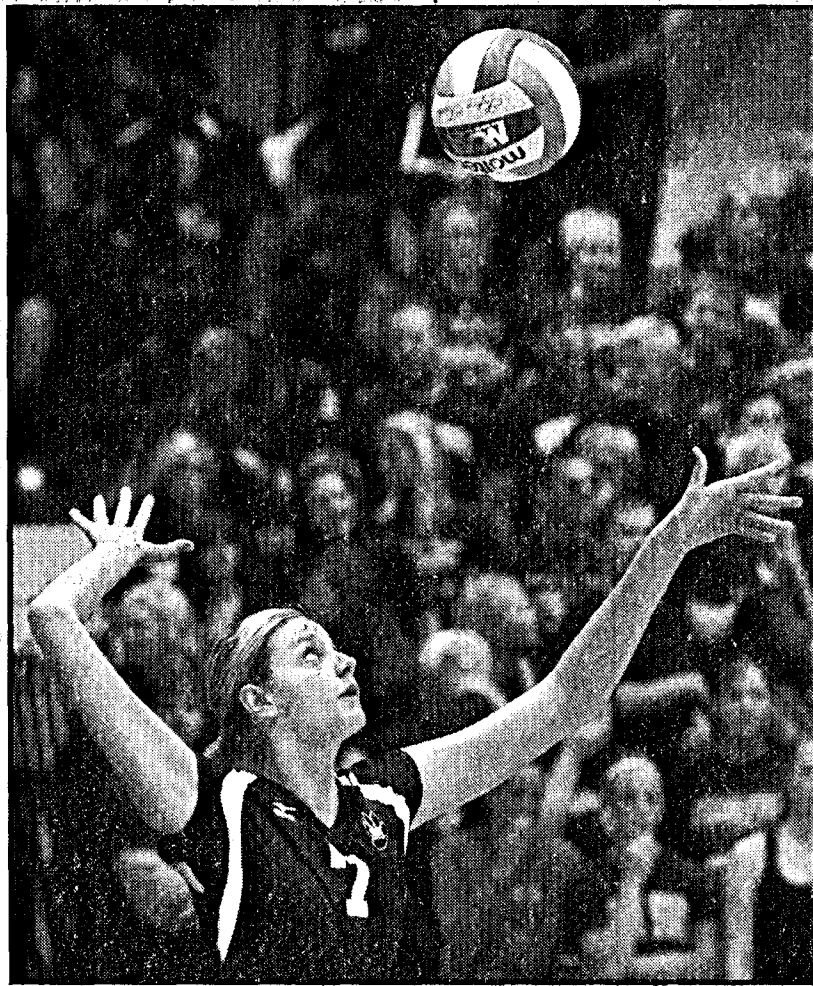
It was another good week last week, going 7-3 to improve to 75-44-1 overall (.629). Let's keep the momentum going with 10 guaranteed winners:

**Nebraska 41, Colorado 17** (Fan's frozen bottle-flinging efforts will result in more yards passing than the Buffaloes' passing attack

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## Hefner's numbers good in classroom, too

By MICHAEL CARNES  
Of The Herald



(File photo)

Jennifer Hefner became the first Wayne State volleyball player to earn first-team Academic All-American honors.

When Wayne State volleyball fans think of Jennifer Hefner, the numbers that they see from her are quite impressive.

In leading the Wildcats to a 29-8 record, the junior middle blocker from Archer led the Northern Sun Conference with 1.22 blocks per set, was third with 3.72 kills per set and was among the best in the conference with a .326 hitting percentage.

There's one number, however, that is most impressive when you talk about the 6-foot-1 junior:

3.96.

That is the grade-point average she carries as an applied human and sport physiology major, and it's the number that caught the attention of ESPN The Magazine, who named Hefner to its College Division Academic All-American team earlier this week.

Hefner is one of two Northern Sun players named to the first team and is the first Wayne State volleyball player in the program's



Hefner

### ESPN The Magazine Academic All-Americans

#### College Division First Team

Name	School	Yr.	GPA	Major
Jennifer Hefner	Wayne State	Jr.	3.96	Applied Human/Sport Physiology
Rebecca Kamp	Calvin	So.	3.83	Secondary Education
Alex May	MIT	Sr.	3.80	Brain and Cognitive Sciences
Maria Omond	Columbia (Mo.)	Sr.	3.94	Biology/Pre-Med
Liz Schnelle	Ohio Northern	Sr.	3.65	Accounting
Mary Slinger	Concordia-St. Paul	Sr.	3.95	Chemistry and Biology

history to be named to the sport's highest academic honor squad.

It's an honor that, certainly, the junior is very proud of.

"I was really excited," she said. "It's probably the most excited I've gotten about getting an award, and it really means a lot."

The award also means a lot to her coach, Scott Kneifl, who complimented the junior's work on the court and in the classroom.

"I'm extremely proud of her, because she's a great student-athlete and works really hard on the court and in the classroom," he said. "We've had an All-American and some all-region players in and had a lot of awards given out in our league, but this award, to me, makes me the most proud because it encompasses more than just being a volleyball player. It also shows that we care about academics here, and she's willing to put forth that extra effort in the classroom."

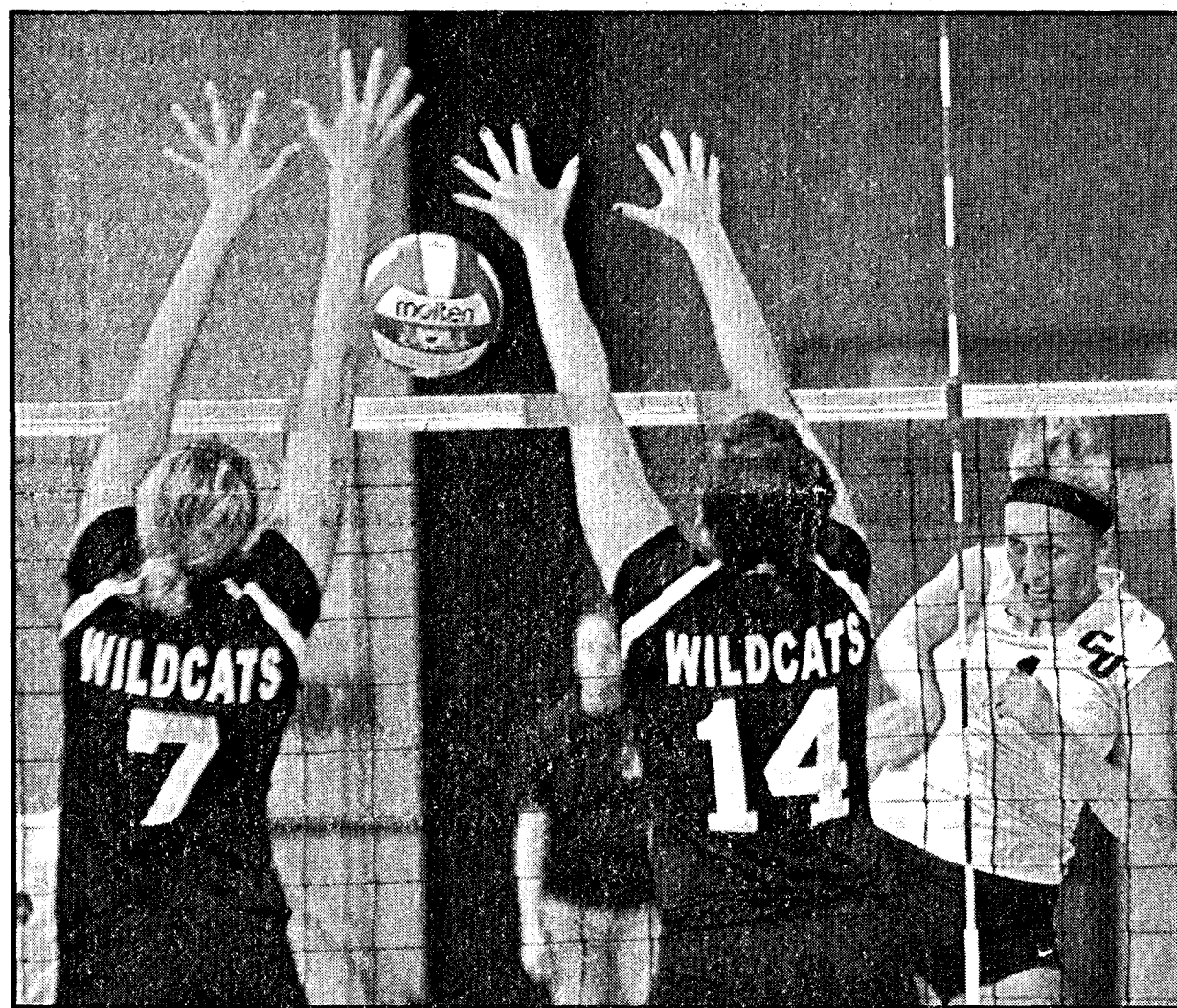
Hefner said it's generally pretty easy for her to balance homework and volleyball, although times like the team's recent trip to the Central Regional tournament presents some challenges.

"It gets a little crazy sometimes trying to make stuff up, and I don't usually do a ton of studying on the bus," she said. "When we're at home, though, I have a lot of time to study and it's really not that hard to handle."

Kneifl said the commitment student-athletes have to make to keep up with their classroom work is much more difficult than the average person might think.

"I don't think some people understand just how much class time these players miss," he said. "We left (for the Central Regional tournament) after classes on Tuesday and missed classes

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(Photo courtesy Anna Rajdl Photography)

Concordia St. Paul outside hitter Megan Carlson tries to hit through the Wayne State block of Jennifer Hefner (7) and Shelby Schultz (14) during the Central Regional semifinals Friday. The top-ranked Golden Bears eliminated the Wildcats in three sets, ending Wayne State's 29-8 season.

## Wildcats swept by top seed in Central Regional semifinals

ST. PAUL, Minn. – Wayne State's hopes of a first-ever appearance in the Div. II Elite Eight volleyball tournament ran into a brick wall known as two-time defending champion Concordia St. Paul.

The top-ranked and undefeated Golden Bears brought Wayne State's 2009 season to a quick end Friday at the NCAA Central Regional, sweeping the Wildcats 25-17, 25-13 and 25-10.

"It wasn't how we envisioned ending the season, but we had a fantastic year," coach Scott Kneifl said. "I don't think anybody outside our locker room believed this kind of season was possible, but this team worked extremely well and had a great year, and I'm proud of what they've done."

Wayne State started strong in the first set, taking an early 8-3 lead on the Golden Bears. But Concordia-St. Paul used a pair of scoring runs to take the lead for good, scoring six of the next seven points to tie the set at 9-9 and adding a five-point run to go up 14-10 on their way to the three-set triumph.

"We got up 9-4 that first set and things seemed to be going fine, then all of a sudden they picked up their level of play and did a lot of things well," Kneifl said. "They had only seven or eight unforced errors, which is really unheard of in volleyball, and we never got on track."

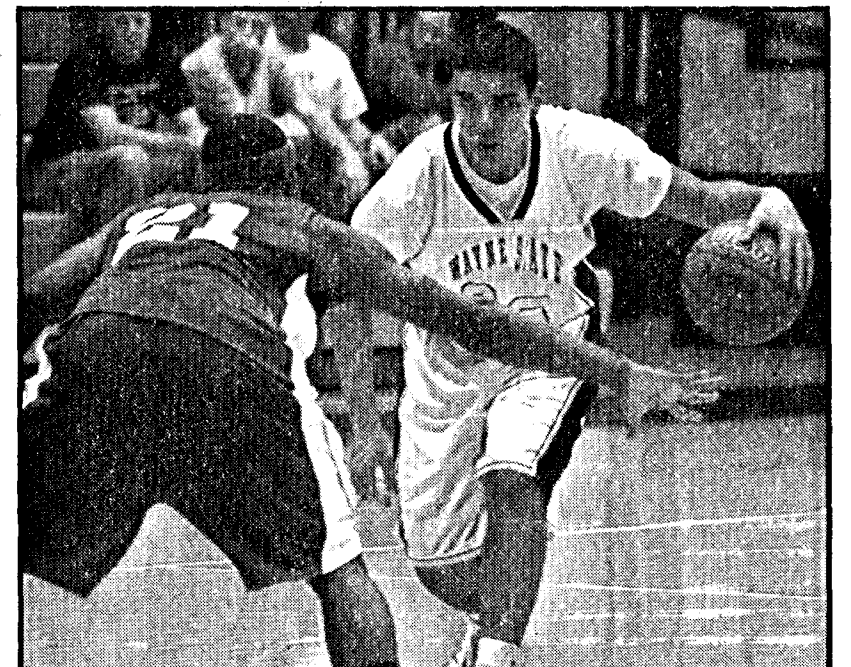
The second set was close early with WSC trailing 8-6. But Concordia-St. Paul scored 11 of the next 12

points to take a commanding 19-7 lead, hitting .389 in the second set with 18 kills against the Wildcats.

In the third set, Wayne State rebounded from a slow start and got as close as 10-8, but Concordia-St. Paul scored the next six points to gain control of the third set and pulled away with the win that ended the Wildcats' 29-8 campaign.

Junior Jennifer Hefner had eight kills, and sophomore outside hitter Tali Fredrickson added seven. Sophomore libero Leigh Connot had a team-high 11 digs while junior setter Diedra Artz was credited with 20 set assists.

On Thursday, Wayne State came from behind to claim a thrilling five-set win over Minnesota State. See REGIONAL, Page 2B



(Photo by Michael Carnes) Michael DiGregorio locks eyes with York College's Leonard Epps as he brings the ball up the court during Tuesday's 71-61 Wildcat loss.

## Wildcats don't have answer for late run in 71-61 loss to York

By MICHAEL CARNES  
Of The Herald

Tuesday night was a game of runs and rallies, but Wayne State didn't have an answer for York College's final rally.

The visiting Panthers saw the host Wildcats go on an 11-0 run midway through the second half but responded by outscoring Wayne State 28-9 in the final 11 minutes to pull away with a 71-61 win at Rice Auditorium.

It was the first time since the 1946-47 season that York College defeated Wayne State, and they did so by taking advantage of a young Wayne State team that seemed to run out of gas down the stretch.

"We had our opportunities to build the lead we had and we couldn't do that, and to their credit, they picked up their defensive intensity and hit some shots down the stretch and we weren't able to match it," coach Paul Combs said.

Wayne State jumped out to a 20-11 lead in the first half, but York rallied to within three points at 27-24 on a 3-pointer by Daren Best.

The Wildcats responded with an 8-4 run the final three minutes,

highlighted by a two-hand jam from Ben Tasa after he blocked a 3-point shot by Corey Standerfer, giving Wayne State a 35-28 lead at the break.

York College went on a 9-2 run to start the second half, tying the game at 37-37, and led 43-41 with 12:25 to go before the Wildcats put together a solid 11-0 run, highlighted by a driving layup from Ryan Rudloff and a 3-point shot by Brad Starken, who led the Wildcats with 15 points.

"Brad has been a consistent force for us early on this season," Combs said. "He made some good plays and did some good things and we need him to continue to play well and mature."

York College went more than five minutes without a point, but a 3-pointer by Desmond Strickland with 8:53 to go ignited the Panther comeback. York College tied the game at 54-54, and Starken's second 3-pointer gave Wayne State its last lead at 57-54 with 7:08 left.

York responded with a three-point play by Justice Nall to tie the game at 57-57, and the Panthers

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## Wildcat women crack century mark with solid win

The Wayne State women's basketball team continued to play outstanding defense Tuesday night, dominating York College with a 100-40 wipeout at Rice Auditorium.

It was the 12th time in team history that the Wildcat women cracked the century mark and the first time since the 2002-03 season, and they did it with a combination of hot shooting and suffocating defense that helped the hosts race to a 23-2 lead just six minutes into the game.

"We're trying to get our players to force the pressure outside and play an aggressive matchup, and we were able to force a lot of turnovers that got our transition game

going," coach Chris Kielsemeier said.

Ashley Arlen and Mara Hjelle helped get the blowout rolling. Arlen, who was a perfect 5-for-5 from 3-point range, scored five of her game-high 23 points during the opening rally, while Hjelle tallied five of her 11 points during the first six minutes.

Wayne State was hitting just about everything it tossed up Tuesday night, converting on 40-of-76 from the floor, including an impressive 17-of-28 from 3-point country.

"That's two games in a row where we've shot really well from 3-point range, and if we can keep doing that, then we'll be awful tough to

beat," Kielsemeier said. "But there are going to be nights when those shots aren't falling, and then you need to defend and that's what I'm most happy with right now."

While the offense was rolling, the defense suffocated the outmanned Panthers, limiting them to 15 points as Wayne State took a 57-15 advantage into the locker room. The Panthers never really got rolling until the final six minutes, as Wayne State led by as many as 65 points in the second half.

Six Wildcats finished the night in double figures. After Arlen and Hjelle, Alyssa Fischbach and Julie Ann Wagner each scored 11 points while Clare Duwelius and Alisha

Brown each had 10.

On Monday night, Arlen poured in 27 points and grabbed 10 rebounds in just 25 minutes to help the Wildcats to an easy 92-49 win at Dakota State.

The Wildcats made their first five shots from 3-point range, jumped out to a 23-6 lead with 12:26 to play in the first half and were never challenged after that. Wayne State shot 60.7 percent from the field in the first half and finished the night making 36-of-63 shots from the field, including 10-of-15 from the 3-point line.

Arlen finished the game 10-of-15 from the See WOMEN, Page 2B



# Sports Shorts

## Area netters get

### all-conference nods

A number of area volleyball players were named to their respective all-conference teams in the Lewis and Clark and NENAC conferences.

Laurel-Concord players named to the NENAC all-conference team were Jade Cunningham, Taryn Dahlquist and Amy Pritchard. Lexi White earned an honorable mention selection.

In the Lewis and Clark Conference, all-conference nominations were as follows:

#### East Division

**Winside - all-conference:** Jordyn Roberts, Shelby Lienemann, Erin Gray; **honorable mention:** Jerac Doffin, Audrey Roberts.

**Allen - all-conference:** Ashlee Hingst, Shannon Sullivan; **honorable mention:** Bentley Hingst, Hannah Finnegan.

#### Central Division

**Wakefield - all-conference:** Keri Lunz, Jenna Henderson, Sydney Rose; **honorable mention:** Morgan Lunz.

## Keitges earns

### academic honor

Erin Keitges, a senior from Allen, was one of three Morningside College cross country runners to be named to the Daktronics-NAIA Scholar Athletes team.

Keitges, who finished 56th in the NALA national meet for the Mustangs, carries a 3.96 grade-point average with a major in elementary education.

## WSC wrestlers

### compete at open

Wayne State's club wrestling program took part in the Kaufman-Brand Open at the University of Nebraska-Omaha, the largest one-day amateur

wrestling tournament in the country.

Cory Devine and John Wonka both won two matches at 184 and 285 pounds, respectively, to highlight the club team's day. Myles Butt also won one match at 165 pounds, and Shawn Vinson lost a tough double-overtime battle to an Iowa State wrestler.

Also competing were Trent Brichacek (141), Matthew Pete (149), Paul Dolezal (157), Allyn Gonsor (157), Rob Peter (184) and Jon Mullen (285).

## Wayne 7th grade girls victorious

The Wayne seventh-grade girls basketball team easily defeated Schuyler 42-5 in recent action.

Rachel Rauner was 8-for-8 from the field and scored a game-high 16 points to lead Wayne. Sydney McCordkindale, Skyler Gamble and McKenzie Rusk each added six points, Abbie Hix put in four and Alyssa Schmale and Emma Evetovich added two points each.

## Youth basketball results

#### Boys 5th-6th

##### Team Two 35, Team Four 20

**Team Two** - Dylan Hurlbert 15, Tanner DeBoer 6, Caden Korth 6, Schuyler Schweers 4, Colton Broer 4.

**Team Four** - Payten Gamble 12, Malik Knox 4, Adam Benjten 4.

##### Team One 28, Team Three 14

**Team One** - Colby Keiser 14, Tyler Luft 8, Seth Hochstein 4, Lathan Ellis 2.

**Team Three** - Drew Davie 8, Jayse Munsell 2, Tucker Nichols 2, Ty Grone 2.

#### Girls 5th-6th

##### Team Two 18, Team Three 16

**Team Two** - Tabitha Belt 8, Sarah Stegemann 6, Allison Echtenkamp 2, Breanna Vovos 2.

**Team Three** - Emily Matthes 7, Morgan Keating 5, Kortney Keiser 2, Taylor Gamble 2.

##### Team Four 33, Team Five 8

**Team Four** - Peyton Roach 13, Shanda Lambert 6, Lindy Sandoz 6, Matah Bareilman 4, Hanah Belt 2, Ashton Gibson 2.

**Team Five** - Kaitlyn McCallister 8.

##### Team One 23, Team Three 19

**Team One** - Kayla Schunk 12, Kelsey Boyer 8, Melinda Longe 3.

**Team Three** - Emily Matthes 11, Morgan Keating 6, Natalie Muren 2.

# Women

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field and 6-of-8 from the free throw stripe. Kati Jo Christensen sank 5-of-7 shots from long range to finish with a career-high 19 points, while Fischbach also reached double figures with 12 points.

The Wildcats are back in action Saturday, hosting Newman University at 3 p.m.

#### Wayne State 92, Dakota State 49

Wayne State 43 49 - 92  
Dakota State 22 27 - 49  
**WAYNE STATE** - Schwarzwald 34 11 8, Fischbach 5-8 0-0 12, Christensen 7-11 0-0 19, Arlen 10-15 6-8 27, Hjelle 4-9 0-0 8, Wood 0-1 0-0 0, Duwells 1-3 0-0 3, Randall 1-1 0-0 3, Brown 2-5 1-2 5, Rohrs 0-1 0-0 0, Wagner 1-2 2-2 5, Amundson 1-3 0-0 2. **Totals** 36-63 10-19 92.

**DAKOTA STATE** - Washington 3-17 3-4 10, Lavea 2-8 2-2 6, Martin 0-2 0-0 0, Kirk 2-5 2-2 6, Bourk 0-1 0-0 0, Bemis 0-5 0-0 0, Hoffman 1-3 0-0 3, Green 2-10 1-3 5, Kohley 5-8 7-8 17. **Totals** 15-59 15-19 49.

#### Three-point goals:

WSC 10-15 (Schwarzwald 1-1, Christensen 5-7, Arlen 1-2, Duwells 1-2, Randall 1-1, Wagner 1-2), DS 4-14 (Washington 1-3, Martin 0-2, Kirk 2-4, Bourk 1-1, Bemis 0-2, Hoffman 1-2). **Rebounds:** WSC 39 (Arlen 10), DS 34 (Kohley 7). **Assists:** WSC 24 (Schwarzwald 7), AS 13 (Bemis 5). **Turnovers:** WSC 19, AS 28. **Team fouls:** WSC 18, AS 14.

#### Wayne State 100, York College 40

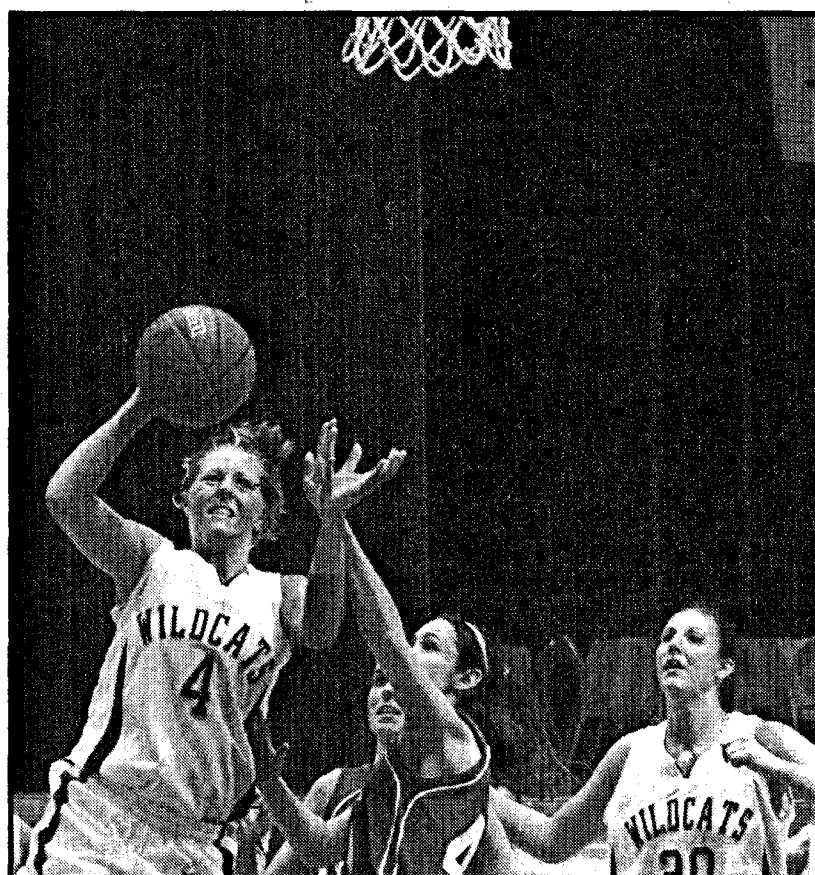
Wayne State 57 43 - 100  
York College 15 25 - 40  
**WAYNE STATE** - Fischbach 5-6 0-0 11, Arlen 9-12 0-0 23, Hjelle 5-9 1-2 11, Schwarzwald 1-3 2-2 4, Christensen 3-6 0-0 7, Wood 2-3 0-0 6, Duwells 4-9 0-0 10, Randall 1-4 0-0 2, Brown 4-7 0-0 10, Rohrs 1-5 0-0 3, Wagner 4-6 0-0 11, Amundson 1-6 0-0 2. **Totals** 40-76 3-4 100.

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- Wiedemann 3-11 0-0 6, Bassetti 4-14 1-2 9, Medeiros 1-10 0-0 2, Maher 2-5 0-0 4, Thomas 3-11 2-2 10, Vanessa 2-4 0-0 4, Quigley 2-7 0-0 5. **Totals** 17-62 3-4 40.

#### Three-point goals:

WSC 17-28 (Fischbach 1-1, Arlen 5-5, Schwarzwald 0-1, Christensen 1-2, Wood 2-3, Duwells 2-5, Randall 0-1, Brown 2-3, Rohrs 1-4, Wagner 3-3), YC 3-8 (Wiedemann 0-1, Maher 0-1, Thomas 2-4, Quigley 1-2). **Rebounds:** WSC 55 (Fischbach 11), YC 24 (Vaness 5). **Assists:** WSC 29 (Brown 7), YC 13 (Bassetti 5). **Turnovers:** WSC 14, YC 18. **Team fouls:** WSC 10, YC 8.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

## Ali Schwarzwald drives in for two points during the Wildcats' 100-40 win over York College in women's basketball action Tuesday.

# Regional

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Minnesota State used solid hitting in the second and third sets to take a 2-1 lead. Minnesota State recorded 18 kills and a .326 hitting percentage against the Wildcats in the second set, then pounded out 17 kills and a .394 hitting percentage to win the third set.

Minnesota State led 10-8 in the fourth when Wayne State started its comeback, scoring eight of the next nine points to grab a 16-11 advantage. Minnesota State pulled within two points at 18-16, but the Wildcats used another run, winning six of the next seven points to take control of the fourth set to send the match to a fifth and deciding set. The fifth set was tied at 6-6, but Wayne State scored three straight points on a Minnesota State service error, an Artz kill and a block by Moody and Madison Pernieck to take a 9-6 lead. Pernieck put down

a kill on match point to give Wayne State the win.

Hefner and Moody paced the Wildcats in hitting with 17 kills apiece, with Moody hitting an impressive .516 in the match while matching a career-high in kills. Hefner added a team-high six blocks, Connot had 22 digs and Artz handed out 47 set assists to go with 14 digs.

The Wildcats lose only one senior from this year's squad, and Kneifl is looking forward to seeing what should be a very solid team returning in 2010.

"We have a ton of potential, but it's potential right now," she said. "We have to keep working hard and find new ways to make it farther. The players are going to be ready to come back to work and see how we can take this program a step farther."

# Wildcats

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shut down Wayne State the final six minutes to finish off the win.

Combs said the Wildcats are still trying to bring a young team together in a new system.

"We're starting two freshmen and a sophomore in a new system, so it's going to take some time," he said. "I'm happy with how our bench played, and it's going to take some time for us to take that energy from the first half and channel it into the second half and make good, fundamental plays."

Brett Spiker had nine points and Jason Jensen added eight coming off the bench for the 0-2 Wildcats. Amry Shelby had six assists.

The Wildcats play in the Sunheat Classic this weekend at Grand Island, taking on Benedictine on Friday and Nebraska-Omaha on Saturday. They are at Nebraska-Kearney on Tuesday before returning home for their first conference games of the season against Northern State on Dec. 4 and University of Mary on Dec. 5.

**York College 71, Wayne State 61**  
Wayne State 35 26 - 61  
York College 28 43 - 71

# Bleachers

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Auburn 21, Alabama 20 (Last chance for the BCS apple cart to get upset, so why not go with this one?)

Pittsburgh 34, West Virginia 24 (Dave Wannstedt has done a fabulous job with this program... in spite of the leadership in the athletic director's department.)

Texas 42, Texas A&M 21 (But wouldn't you rather see the Longhorns enter their bowl game on a TWO-game losing streak?)

Cincinnati 49, Illinois 17 (the unquestioned lock for "Gimme of the Week." I'm actually ashamed to have such an easy pick listed.)

Missouri 35, Kansas 28 (Wasn't this game supposed to be for the Big 12 North title? No, really...it was, wasn't it?)

Utah 38, BYU 35 (Best game of the holiday weekend right here.)

UCLA 21, USC 17 (Battle of the coaches the rest of America would love to take a swing at in a bar after the game. Really...can you find ANYONE outside of USC and UCLA that likes Rick Neuheisel or Pete Carroll?)

# Hefner

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Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. And it wasn't just classes, but tests, quizzes and note sessions. We try to give them time to study on the road or in the hotel and give them time to focus on their class work, and the E-Campus system allows them to go online and look at class notes or PowerPoint presentations while they're on the road."

A lot of it comes down to the

athletes communicating with their instructors, who are informed ahead of time of the teams' schedules.

"We're fortunate because 99 percent of the instructors here understand these student-athletes are representing Wayne State on the road in a positive manner, and we're very fortunate to have these players because they take their studies as seriously as they do their volleyball, and that means a lot," Kneifl said.

That makes Hefner's honor all the more impressive, and it's an award she is proud to receive.

"The volleyball is important, but the academics come first and this is really an honor for me and it means a lot," she said.

"It's one of the top honors anybody in our program has received," Kneifl added, "and I can't think of a more deserving student-athlete than Jen."

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Splits: Andy Baker 27/8			

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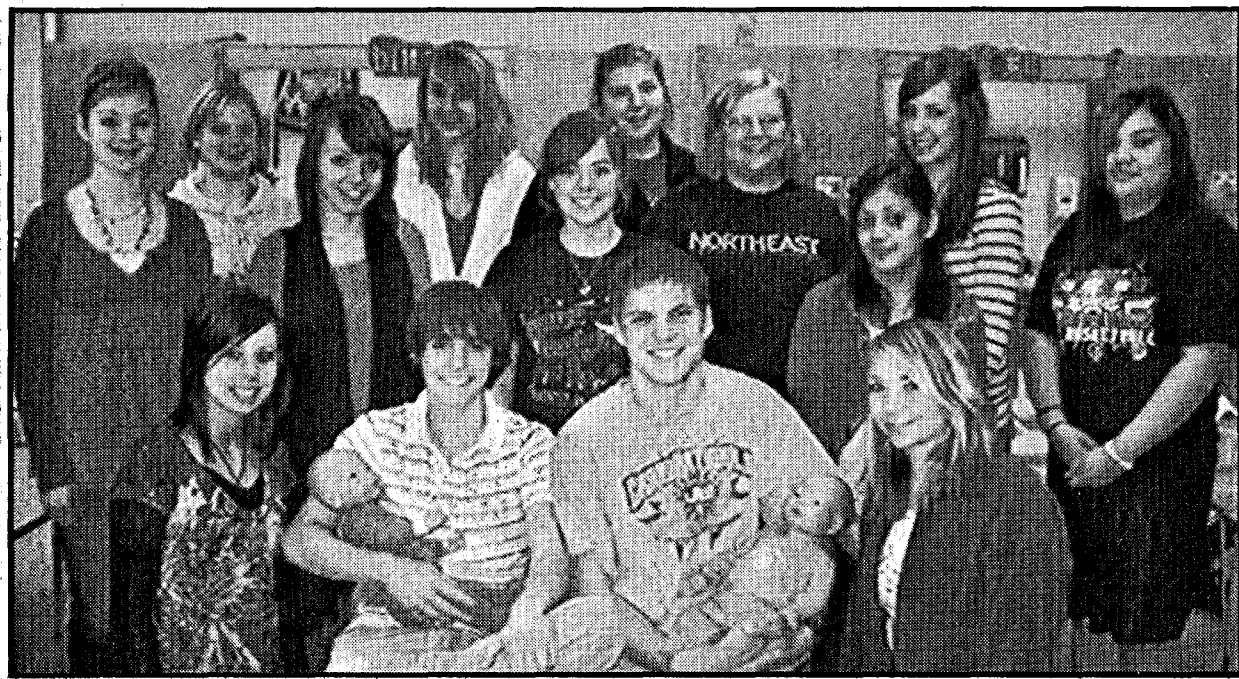
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Members of this year's Child Development class include, front row, left to right, Bayli Ellis, Josh Calhoon, Riley McManus and Ashley Soden. Second row, Nicole Wehrer, Vanessa Christensen, Jenny Zink and Diana Ruiz. Back row, Stephanie Racely, Sunday Brouhard, Gina Smith, Amanda Kudrna, Karissa Davis and Belen Muro.

### Wayne High students experience parenthood

The infamous "baby" project for Wayne High School Child Development students took a technological step forward this fall.

Wayne High was able to purchase two used Real Care electronic infant simulators. The babies have a wireless control unit that allows the instructor to program the babies. The baby cries to be fed, burped, rocked, and have the diapers changed by a student parent. A start and ending time, along with quiet times, are also programmed.

"Our 15 year old babies were obsolete. The new Real Care babies allow many programming options," said Karen Schardt, instructor of the class. Quiet times can be set for student's job schedule, church attendance or meetings. The experience is much more realistic as far as student responsibilities. The baby's control unit records the exact time that a student didn't properly care for the "baby." This might be lack of head support, incorrect positioning of the baby, missed diaper change or incorrect handling. The students have a high level of accountability with the project. A data report reveals the exact times that the "parent" incorrectly responded to the baby's needs.

Junior Riley McManus had these comments about his weekend of caring for his baby, "Not getting sleep was the worst part. It was kind of funny being a guy walking around with a doll, but I didn't mind. It was kind of fun... sometimes."

Other learning experiences for members of the class have included a birthing room, hospital tour and talk by Karen Kwapioski at Providence Medical Center. Students did cost comparisons at different stores; they are presently adding up the figures to determine the average cost of a baby's first year.

Eva Rosberg also presented and submitted to competition her paper "The Black and White Wealth Gap in America" and won third place.

Mike Chittendon presented his poster session, "Families with Disabled Children: Stressors and Adaptors."

For more information, please contact: Dr. Monica Snowden, Professor of Sociology, Department of Sociology, Psychology, and Criminal Justice Wayne State College at (402) 375-7136



Wayne State College students taking part in the Sociological Symposium included, left to right, Mike Chittendon, Rachel Schmitz and Eva Rosberg.

### Wayne State College Sociology majors present research

Three Wayne State College sociology majors from Norfolk presented their work along with sociology majors from Creighton University, Peru State College and each of the University of Nebraska campuses at the Nebraska Undergraduate Sociological Symposium at the University of Nebraska-Kearney, Nov. 5 and 6.

Rachel Schmitz presented and submitted to competition her paper "Living Latino/a in the Midwest: An Analysis of Cultural Perspectives through the Lens of Latino Owned

## Program to offer tips for cutting the costs of diabetes self management

Diabetes costs huge amounts of money. Recent estimates put the total cost of diabetes in the U.S. at \$98 billion a year. That is \$44 billion for medical costs and \$54 billion for indirect costs such as disability, work loss, and premature mortality.

The December session of Control Diabetes will provide participants with ideas for ways to reduce the cost of diabetes and get the best bang for your bucks.

Diabetes boils down to what you eat, even when you have the assistance of medication controlling your blood sugar levels. Diabetes self management to hold sugar levels in tight control is about the right amount of food, the right kind of food and the right times to eat.

You may be tempted to skimp on low-fat protein, fruits, vegetables and even starchy foods that should form the foundation of your diet. Eating healthy foods does not have to cost more. In fact, it costs less than fast foods, take out and restaurant food. It just takes some planning, smarter choices and better timing. With planning, you can save money on your diabetes self management. With the upcoming New Year, this is a good time for a "new start" and new goals of tight control for the New Year.

Good control requires both diligence and willingness to try new strategies. Learn new strategies by attending "Control Diabetes for Life" when the Wednesday, Dec. 2 session will focus on "Successfully

Managing the Holidays". Set a goal to take control of your diabetes. Aim for lower blood glucose levels to feel better now and stay healthy for years to come.

The Dec. 2 topics that will be addressed during the two-hour program includes: "Drinking & Diabetes: Should You or Shouldn't You?"; "Modify Family Favorite Recipes"; "A New Year, A New Start"; "Medicare Part D Update"; "De-Stress the Holidays" and a question and answer period with credentialed professionals.

Participants will receive recipes for diabetic appropriate foods. Team-teaching the program will be

Phyllis Heimann, R.N. & Certified Diabetes Educator; Stacie Petersen, R.N. & Certified Diabetes Educator; Mary Clare Stalp, R.D., L.M.N.T., all of Franciscan Care Services in West Point and Debra E. Schroeder, UNL Extension Educator in Cuming County.

The Program will be offered on Wednesday, Dec. 2, from 1:30 - 4 pm at Our Savior Lutheran Church social room in Wayne.

"Control Diabetes for Life" is a joint project of University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension and Franciscan Care Services of West Point. The program is offered free-of-charge. "Control Diabetes for

## American Cancer Society Relay For Life volunteers gather in Grand Island

The American Cancer Society (ACS) conducted its annual Nebraska Relay For Life Summit on Nov. 14 at the Doane College campus in Grand Island. The training brought together almost 300 volunteers, staff and presenters representing 54 Relay For Life events from all over Nebraska.

Committee members from the Wayne County Relay For Life were Sheryl Grone, Javanah Benscoter, Diane Roeber and Clara Osten.

The American Cancer Society has labeled itself as "The Official Sponsor for Birthdays" in recognition of the work it does to promote healthy living and find a cure for cancer.

The day consisted of general sessions, trainings and breakouts to help these volunteers prepare for Relay For Life events in their communities.

Relay For Life is an all-night community event bringing together teams of families, friends, churches, neighborhoods, and businesses - all with the same goal of curing cancer. Teams of walkers keep a continuous presence on the track throughout the night, walking in shifts to raise funds for the American Cancer Society.

Dollars raised through Relay For Life help support the American Cancer Society's research, education, advocacy and patient services. Programs include Reach to Recovery®, providing one-on-one support for breast cancer patients; and Road to Recovery® which utilizes volunteer drivers to give rides to patients to and from treatments. Relay For Life also helps maintain the American Cancer Society's toll-free 24-hour cancer information line, 1-800-ACS-2345, and Web site, www.cancer.org.

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The American Cancer Society combines an unyielding passion with nearly a century of experience to save lives and end suffering from cancer. As a global grassroots force of more than three million volunteers, we fight for every birthday threatened by every cancer in every community. We save lives by helping people stay well by preventing cancer or detecting it early; helping people get well by being there for them during and after a cancer diagnosis; by finding cures through

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As the nation's largest non-governmental investor in cancer research, the American Cancer

Society turns "what we know about cancer into what we do." As a result, about 11 million people in America who have had cancer and countless more who have avoided it will be celebrating birthdays this year. To learn more about the ACS or to get help, call any time, day or night, at 1-800-227-2345 or visit cancer.org.

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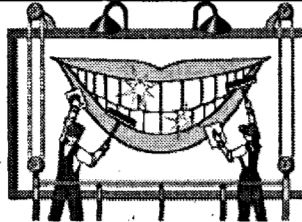
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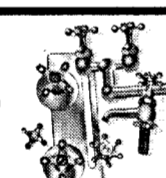
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Ruth Grosse poses with Governor David Heinemann after receiving a 2009 Nebraska State Employee of the Year Award.

**Wayne native receives State Employee of the Year Award**

Ruth Grosse of Lincoln was recently honored for her exceptional services with the Health & Human Services Division of Children and Families Central Office in Lincoln at a ceremony at the State Capitol building Rotunda.

The annual program recognizes those employees whose job performance has exceeded the highest standards and contributed to overall effectiveness of the State of Nebraska.

Ruth was honored for her work

with foster and adoptive families, both in and outside of Nebraska. Recognition included quality of her work with Federal Administration regarding Federal Audits. She was just selected to her third term on the Executive Committee for Association of Administrators of the Interstate Compact on Adoption and Medical Assistance (AICAMA).

She was also recognized for her support and consultation in providing hundreds of people assistance in navigating multiple programs for assistance and providing support to fellow employees.

Grosse, a graduate of Wayne High School, is the daughter of Dorothea Grosse of Lincoln and the late Harvey Grosse. Fifty-six state employees from across the state received this highest honor from the Governor's Office.

**Hoskins News**

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**HOSKINS SENIORS**  
 The Hoskins Senior Citizens met at the Community Center on Nov. 17.

Winners at pitch playing were Lucille Krause, Darlene Baden and Betty Andersen.  
 A no-host lunch followed.  
 The next meeting for the group will be on Tuesday, Dec. 1.



**Poppy poster winners**

Last May, fifth grade students at Winside Elementary School were asked to draw posters for the annual Poppy Poster Contest, sponsored by the Winside American Legion Auxiliary. Winners were announced at the Veterans' Day Program. All participants received a monetary prize for their efforts. Winners included, left to right, Jami Jaeger, third place; Brandi Mann, second place and Marlo Kampa, first place.

**Determine gift-giving budget before the holiday shopping season begins**

Holiday shopping can prove challenging to the pocketbook, and the down economy may make it even more so this year.

There are ways, however, that financially struggling families can survive the holiday shopping season without too big of a strain on their budgets, said University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension family economics specialist Kathleen Prochaska-Cue.

"It's easy to get caught up in the spend, spend, spend spirit of the holiday," said Prochaska-Cue, explaining that regular expenses should be calculated and gift-giving budgets set.

Extension has several money-saving and budget-setting tips at its Managing Tough Times Web site at [www.toughtimes.unl.edu](http://www.toughtimes.unl.edu). The site provides users with information in several topic areas, including money-saving ideas, family and relationships, home and food, livestock and crop production and education and opportunities. The site archives extension publications, news releases and other materials, and new material is added regularly.

The first step in controlling holiday spending is writing down the names of the people you want to give gifts, she said. Then decide whether you have to give gifts to all of them. In some cases, you may be able to agree with some on the list to mutually cease gift giving this year. For those you definitely decide to give gifts to, set a spending limit per person, she said.

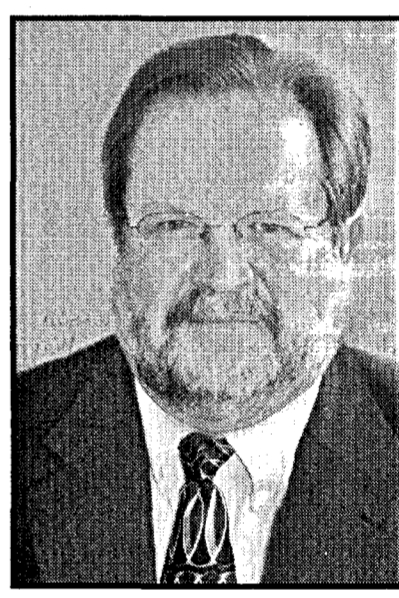
People often use credit cards when buying gifts, but before pulling out the plastic make a decision, Prochaska-Cue said.

"Look at your credit card debt and decide how much you want to add to it," she said. "Write down that figure."

Prochaska-Cue suggests taking the paper that contains the figure and wrapping it around the credit card. Each time you use your credit card you will see that paper, which will remind you the limit you set on credit card purchases.

Rather than buying gifts for everyone in the immediate family, a family can decide as a whole to have a family gift, she said. A family gift could consist of a mini-vacation or buying something the family wants. It could be as simple as taking a day and doing something fun.

Another option is celebrating the holiday in a charitable way, Prochaska-Cue said. Give your time and talents to a charitable organization, or have the family buy gifts for a needy family instead of for each other.



Loren Kucera

**Connecting Nebraskans Award recipients announced**

Loren Kucera of the Nebraska Business Development Center (NBDC) on the Wayne State College campus was one of the Partnership for Rural Nebraska and Nebraska Development Network Regional Groups' recipients of this year's Connecting Nebraskans awards, given to individuals, entities or organizations that exemplify outstanding networking and connecting resources within each region during the 2009 Governor's Conference on Rural Development at Kearney early in November.

Kucera was the Northeast region winner. He earned the award for his work with small business owners and essential loans for their success since 1994. He also served in many other capacities. He has been treasurer for the Northeast Nebraska Development Network for more than 15 years and a planning committee member for the Northeast Nebraska Economic Development Summit since its inception. He is also a frequent speaker at events, an author and writes a regular column for the Norfolk Daily News titled Business Sense. He also volunteers for the SCORE Norfolk Chapter and is an NxLevel instructor.

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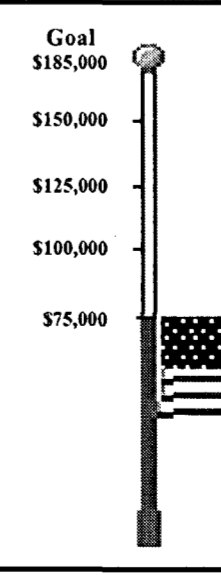
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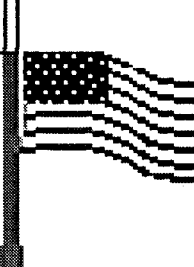
Construction is underway on the Wayne County Veterans Memorial located on the grounds of the Wayne County Courthouse. The Memorial is off to a great start, but your help is essential in order for it to be completed. The flag at the right will remain at half-staff and the Memorial will remain at a standstill until \$185,000 is raised.



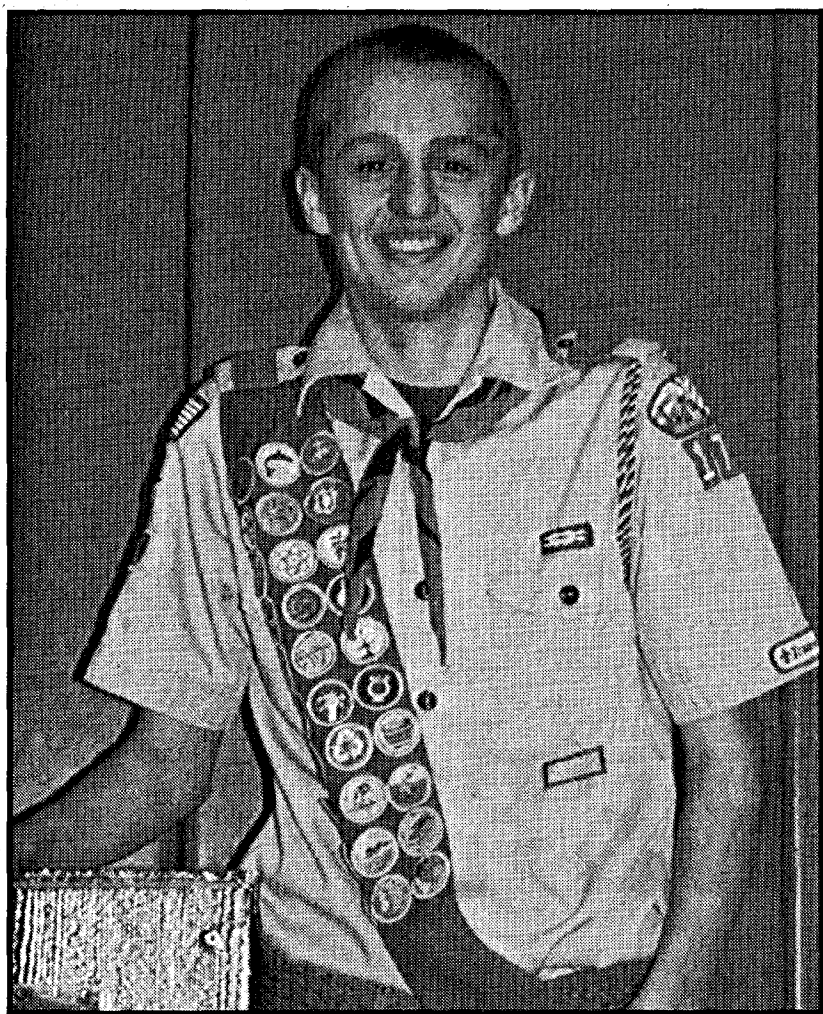
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Paul Hansen

## Eagle Scout presents project on Veterans' Day

Paul Hansen, a Boy Scout from Winside Troop 179 presented his finished Eagle project at the Veteran's Day Program. His project is a depository box for worn or tattered American flags. The box is located just outside the Auditorium on Main Street of Winside. The scouts of Winside will

retire the worn flags throughout the year as needed. Paul has also written a special ceremonial script for them to use if they so choose. The first American flag retirement was held Nov. 22 at the Cub Scout Pack 179 meeting with Paul leading the ceremony.

## Wayne High celebrates Money Smart Week

The Personal Finance/Economics class at Wayne High School celebrated Nebraska Money Smart Week (Nov. 9-15.) The purpose of Money Smart Week is to promote financial literacy. The students planned and participated in a variety of activities including trivia questions, trivia facts, library book displays, a competition and information packets. The class taught a lesson to the first grade classes at Wayne Elementary by reading a story. It taught the students about their needs and wants. At the end of the lesson, the students held a drawing

to see who would win the book and then they were able to take them home. At the high school many posters were put up around the school. There were also trivia questions read during daily announcements and there were competitions that went on about the classrooms. Students also participated in a national online financial literacy test and ended the week by celebrating with a variety of financial games and food. Guest speaker Jennifer Phelps spoke to the class concerning financial planning.

## Wayne State College hosts blood drive

The Siouxland Community Blood Bank conducted blood drives at Wayne State College on Nov. 17 and Nov. 18. On Tuesday, 75 donors registered and 59 units were collected. There were 17 first time donors registered. On Wednesday, 52 donors registered and 39 units were collected. There were 12 first time donors registered that day. Those taking part on Tuesday included: Zachary Aerts, Micala Allen, Deana Benne, Leah Benson, Katherine Bern, Steven Boettcher, Davis, Matthew Bost, Leah Brown, David Buller, Myrna Carson, Carly Collins, Megan Dias, Emily Dillon, Brandi Donahue, Brett Dorsey, Meredy Dubbs, Mechaela Duffy, Cara Eisenmenger, Nicole George, April Grotenluschen and Samuel Guillaume. Also, Neal Hahn, Heidi Hamilton, Cynthia Hanson, Estee Heitshusen, Lindsey Hofpar, Ryan Janke, Chad Jensen, Jordan Johaneck, Kayla Johnson, Laura Johnson, Samantha Jones, Zachary Kalina, Ross Kastrup, Jordan Kent, Sheri Kenyon, Megan Knudlson, Jesse Kollars, Britni Korth and Raheel Kotalik. Also, Austin Kuta, April Lauer, Kristin Mauch, Kathy Neuhalfen, Herbert Newman, Steve Nolan,

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Nathalie Wiborg, Brady Willhite, Shayla Wragge, Sandra Wurdinger, Shelby Wurdinger and Jessica Zelfel. Special congratulations were extended to those who reached gal-

lon milestones: Jordan Gibbens, April Osnes, Theresa Palacio, Katy Williams, Andrew Wilson and Sandra Wurdinger - one gallon; Laura Hansen - two gallons.



## Chili challenge

During the recent Chamber Chili/Salsa Cook-off, a friendly competition was held between The Oaks and Premier Estates. Attendees at the event named The Oaks the Champion. Receiving the traveling "trophy" was Diane Temple, left, as Chef Dean Miller vows to get it next year.

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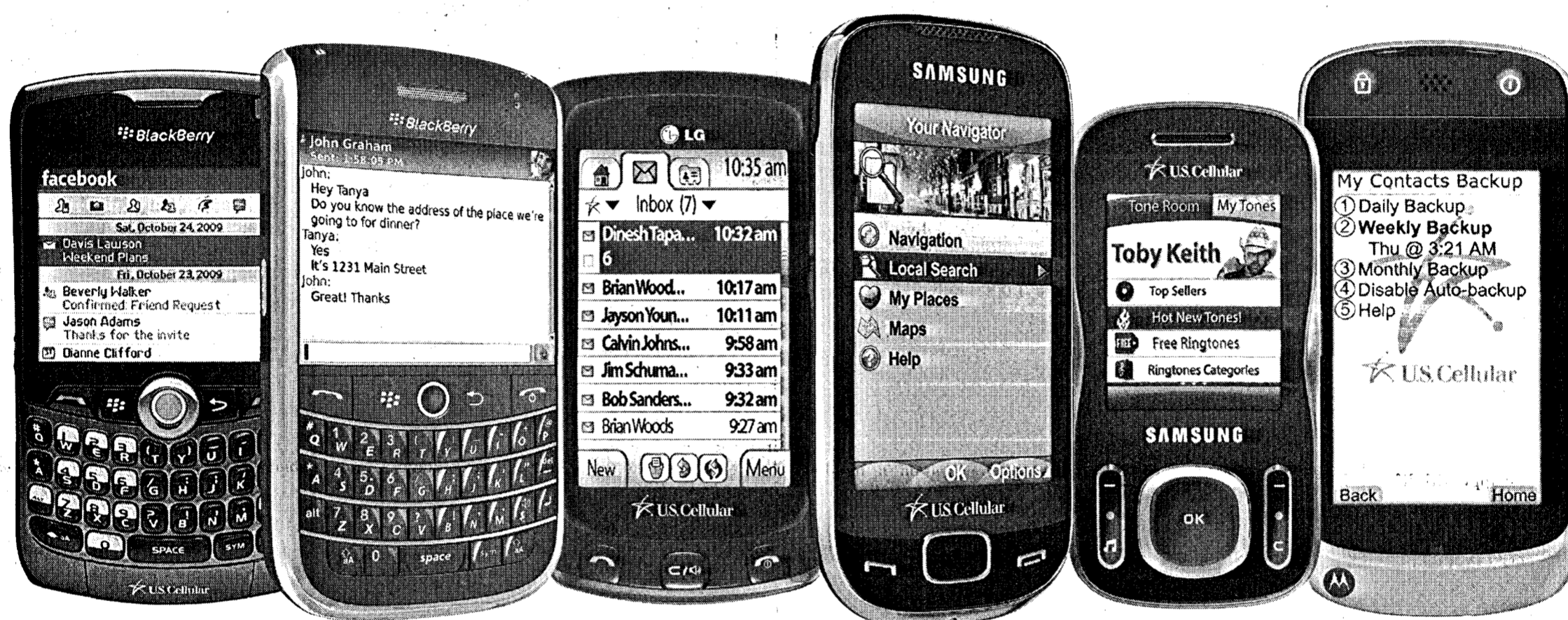


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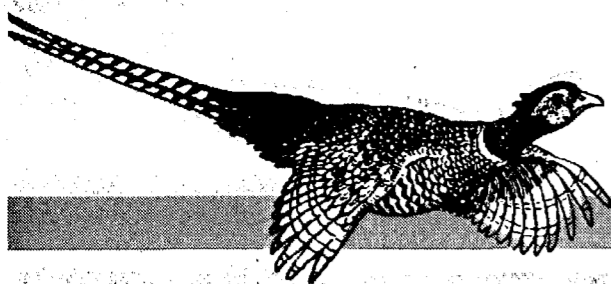
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## Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes  
Managing Editor

## Being thankful for second chances

We've got a lot to be thankful for in these trying times.

While the media likes to continually beat us over the head with stories about all sorts of negativity going on, if we were to cast all that noise aside and take a look at who we are and what we have, we've got it pretty darn good.

Personally, I'm thankful for a lot of things - my health, my new home, this job - but the thing I am most thankful for are second chances.

Three Thanksgivings ago, had you told me I would be back in the newspaper business, thrilled with the job I have and the employer I work for, owning my own home and excited about the professional, financial and personal opportunities that await, I'd have thought you were nuts.

Three years ago, I was not the same person I am today. In fact, I considered it something of a miracle that I was still on the right side of the grass. I was out of work, unhappy with everything and felt as if the only solution to my problems was to end my life.

It was a concept I had strongly considered earlier that summer. I lived a short walk from the Missouri River, and many times I walked to the river and wondered how much easier life would be if I just jumped in and let the current carry me to my final demise.

I was in debt, unhappy with life and felt as if I was drifting further away from my family and friends. Suicide would be the simple solution to all these problems, I thought.

But something stopped me.

I recalled my days as editor of the Gretna Guide and News, and I remember a conversation I had with the school superintendent after an employee of the school had taken his own life. I remember the disappointment on his face and the frustration he expressed at what a selfish waste it was for a life to end in that fashion. The man had issues, I remember him telling me, but they were, by no means, worthy of ending a life over.

I wondered how disappointed he would be once he heard how it ended for me. He is a man I have

a tremendous amount of respect for and whose opinion I value, and as I thought about him, my thoughts suddenly turned to the people who have been the biggest influences in my life:

-- My parents, who have been there from the beginning and were always there to offer support and guidance,

-- My daughter, who lights up her daddy's life like no other human being can even begin to imagine.

-- My friends, who have been there in the good times and the rough ones, always providing a shoulder to lean on and a good laugh to break up the tears.

How would they react to my selfish decision? Would they be disappointed, frustrated or saddened at how I decided I should deal with my troubles?

Suddenly, I realized that the problems I had, while big, were not insurmountable as long as I had these people in my corner. And even if they couldn't help out directly, they would have my back and would do whatever it takes to help me get out of the personal hole that I was trying to dig out of.

In the time since that darkest hour, I have discovered many things. I have expanded my circle of friends through jobs I worked in during my two-year hiatus from the newspaper business and playing poker.

I found a new and stronger bond in my relationship with my daughter. My relationship with my family and friends is stronger than it has ever been. And, I'm blessed to have found myself in a position here at The Wayne Herald where I have a great employer to work for and a tremendously-gifted and fun staff to work with.

Most important, though, is that I discovered something that I spent many years denying myself - that no matter how challenging the times get, I have a lot to be thankful for, and that I'm worthy of all the great things I have in my life and all the good that is coming down the road.

It's a second chance that, you can bet, I won't take for granted. I hope your Thanksgiving is as joyous for you as it will be for me.

## Capitol View

# It could have been worse

By ED HOWARD  
Statehouse Correspondent  
The Nebraska Press Association

LINCOLN - It could have been worse.

When this column was being written the Legislature had yet to vote on final cuts in state spending. Unless substantial changes were in the offing, something more than unlikely, the proposed reductions were fixed in measures which were waiting for final approval.

Lawmakers stayed with what legislative leaders and Gov. Dave Heineman talked about before the special session of the Unicameral began. They spread the fiscal pain across state government.

One somewhat audacious proposal by Heineman wasn't adopted. He wanted to cut the budget which funds legislative operations. Lawmakers did choose to trim the budget of the independent, legislative branch of government, but not to the degree Heineman wanted to see.

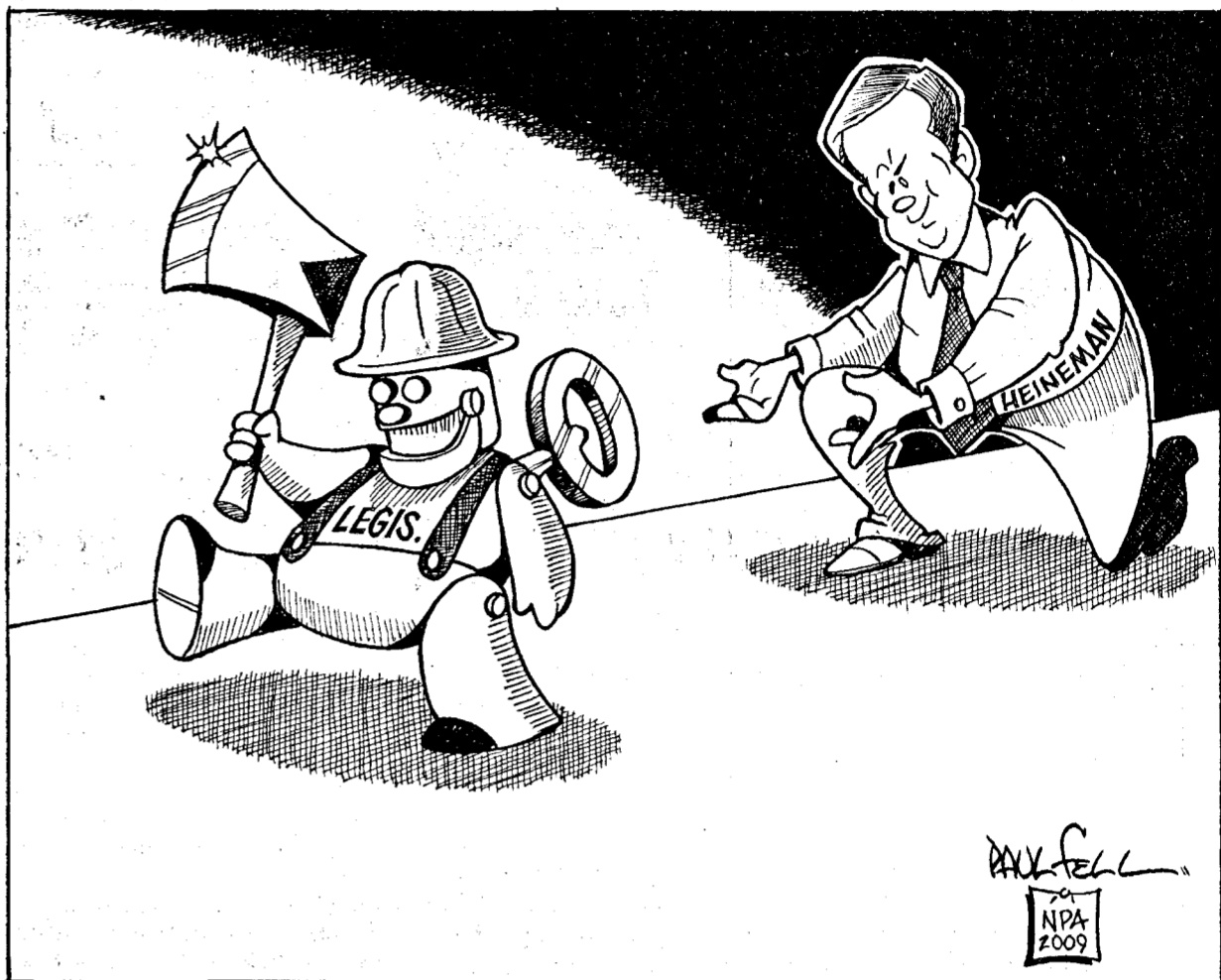
It is important to remember that a governor doesn't decide the level of state spending throughout state government. The constitution gives that job to the Legislature.

As former Gov. Charles Thone liked to remind reporters and the citizenry: "The executive branch proposes, but the legislative branch disposes."

The late Gov. Jim Exon (who later served in the U.S. Senate) was virtually always at war with lawmakers over spending. He was also known for what were called "targeted" budget reduction proposals, and vetoes. That meant that he would recommend cuts that he surely knew the Legislature couldn't accept. Once, he recommended the Legislature forego spending needed to put finishing touches on a building at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Exon enjoyed and was good at budget policy, and budget politics. He absolutely knew such a cut would be rejected. But he also knew he could later say that senators had rejected X number of dollars in spending reductions which he had proposed.

The message, if you are new to looking at government: The Tower on the Plains ain't Boys and Girls



State. Politics can figure into the gamesmanship.

A personal, favorite memory of such stuff came when Exon recommended what legislative leaders regarded as a particularly egregious, if not insulting, proposal.

The late Sen. Jules Burbach, a fellow Democrat who had fought Exon for the gubernatorial nomination, made a floor speech in which he reminded the world that the Legislature determined the final state budget - and that included the amount of money that went to the executive branch, headed by the governor.

What's good for the goose is good for the well, you know.

**Could Chambers Come Back?**

It falls short of being even a full-blown rumor, but it's being discussed in some quarters. Might Ernie Chambers - the legendary firebrand of the Legislature - seek to return?

Chambers was the longest serving lawmaker in Unicameral history, representing a North

Omaha district where he proved invulnerable. He was term limited out of office. But after sitting out the constitutionally required amount of time, he could make a return bid. Other lawmakers have successfully done the same.

Such a move could set up a primary pitting him against incumbent Sen. Brenda Council, regarded by many as a Chambers protege. During most of his career Chambers was the only black member of the Legislature. Council now has that status.

Important: Chambers has said absolutely nothing publicly, or nothing known in this corner - about returning to the Capitol. But the very thought of such a move, if it is learned that he might do it, would set tongues wagging from the Missouri to the Scottsbluff National Monument. He was the most controversial senator of modern times - loved and hated, but never ignored. It is not unfair to say his removal from the Legislature enhanced the popularity of the voter-approved

constitutional amendment that imposed limits, of two consecutive terms, on lawmakers.

**More On Nelson, Healthcare**

U.S. Sen. Ben Nelson has given us further reason to believe he is likely to follow the path predicted here some weeks ago: That he will cast a vote for letting the Senate go forward with debate on a Democratic proposal for revising national healthcare policy. He will likely vote against enactment of the bill.

A statement from Nelson last week said, in part:

"If you don't like the bill, then why would you block your own opportunity to amend it? Why would you stop senators from doing the job they're elected to do - debate, consider amendments, and take action on an issue affecting every American?"

"But before I say yes or no on that motion to proceed, I believe Nebraskans want me to have adequate time to read the bill and to study its costs. That's just common sense."

## Weekly Legislative Update

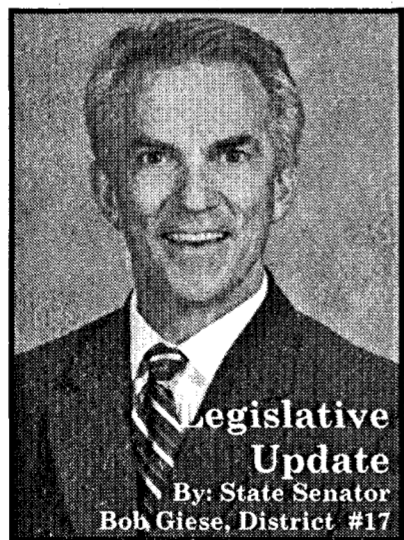
While the special session adjourned last week, a lot of difficult decisions will still be awaiting the Legislature when we return to Lincoln in January.

Thanks to the hard work of the Appropriations Committee, Nebraska was able to avoid the type of painful budget cuts that many other states have been forced to make during the current fiscal crisis. In order to address the \$334 million shortfall, the Legislature relied heavily on Gov. Dave Heineman's proposed budget reductions, making changes to address concerns brought up during the two-week session.

Among the changes made to the governor's proposal by the Legislature were two items that have an impact on northeast Nebraska.

First, the Legislature eliminated the proposed transfer of commodities check-off funds to help balance the budget. I opposed the use of these funds for non-agricultural purposes, which would have amounted to an additional tax on ag producers when they could least afford it, and elimination of those transfers was among the first actions taken by the appropriations committee during their special session deliberations.

Secondly, the Legislature reduced the proposed cuts to the state Supreme Court budget, from the 2.5 percent and 5 percent cuts proposed by the governor to 1.5 percent and 3 percent. Because nearly 95 percent of the Supreme Court's budget consists of employee salaries, the originally proposed cuts to the court system would have



resulted in mass layoffs throughout the county court system. As a result, most rural county courts would have seen a drastic reduction in hours, with more than 20 counties potentially facing closure of their county court system.

With the special session completed, I look forward to completing my 2009 town hall meetings. My final two meetings will be held shortly following the Thanksgiving holiday, and the details are as follows:

- Sunday, Nov. 29, 2 p.m. at St. Peter's Hall, 407 Annie St., Newcastle.

- Wednesday, Dec. 2, 7 p.m. at City Hall, 1511 Broadway St., Dakota City.

As always, I 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.

## Safety tips for holiday travel

With the holidays approaching and winter weather setting in, this is a good time to highlight several safety tips for those who will be traveling on Nebraska roadways.

In 2008, there were fewer traffic fatalities in Nebraska than any time since 1944. During each of the past three years, Nebraska's road fatality rates have declined. By buckling up and taking basic precautions over the next few weeks we hope to close 2009 with a fourth consecutive year with fewer fatalities.

The best and most effective way to prevent an injury in a crash is wearing a seat belt. In 2008, 182 people were killed in motor vehicle crashes on Nebraska roads, and 114 people were not wearing their seat belts.

Drivers can help prevent accidents by ensuring their full attention is on the task of driving. As winter approaches, devoting



our full attention to driving becomes even more important. The Nebraska State Patrol Highway Helpline is a way for motorists to report impaired or reckless drivers on state roads to law enforcement

officials Star-55 from any cellular phone or (800) 525-5555 from any landline phone. Motorists can also get updates on road conditions by dialing 511 from any landline or cell phone.

During the past five years several state agencies, including the State Patrol and the Nebraska Departments of Motor Vehicles, Roads and Health and Human Services, have developed and implemented strategies to prevent crashes, reduce injuries and save lives. Their efforts to make state roadways safer include the partnership of local and county law enforcement and those in the private sector who've supported state safety campaigns in recent years.

During the holiday travel season, the State Patrol, police departments and sheriff's offices will use federal grant funds for safety campaigns across the state.

The "Click It or Ticket" campaign runs the week of Thanksgiving. State Patrol troopers will use a number of safety and seat belt checks along Interstate 80 and several highways. The special enforcements coordinated as part of the "Click It or Ticket" and the "You Drink and Drive. You Lose" initiatives have helped improve Nebraska's safety belt use to an all time high of 85 percent. They've also been a factor in helping reduce the number of fatalities in alcohol-related crashes to an all-time low in 2008.

Highway safety is a partnership. The most important steps are taken by drivers and passengers who commit to staying safe, sober, focused, and buckled up each and every time they are in a vehicle. I encourage every Nebraskan to take the small steps that can help ensure the safety of their families and fellow travelers arrive safe.

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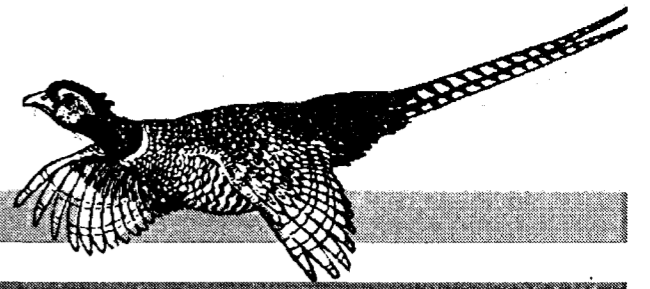
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# Court News

The Wayne Herald



## County Court Proceedings Judge Richard W. Krepela presiding

On Nov. 16 the Wayne County Court heard 55 cases, including four failure to appear, one felony hearing, 27 arraignments, three pretrials, four sentencing, three small claims trials, two civil hearings, six probate hearings and five juvenile hearings. During the past two weeks, there were a total of

72 new cases filed and 22 traffic tickets. In addition there were 26 judgmental orders.

### Criminal Dispositions

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Victor H. Fernando, Sioux Falls, S.D. def. Complaint for Assault in the Second Degree (Count I), Child Abuse (Count II) and Domestic Assault in the Third Degree (Count III). Case bound over to District Court.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. MacKenzie

J. Baumann, Pierce, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption (Count I) and Littering (Count II). Fined \$350 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Justine M. Smidt, West Point, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Aaron C. Nielsen, Wayne, def. Complaint for Aiding and Abetting (Minor) in Possession or Consumption of Alcohol. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Eric D. Meyer, Wayne, def. Complaint for Aiding and Abetting (Minor) in Possession or Consumption of Alcohol. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Bennie K. Hall, Wayne, def. Complaint for No Valid Registration (Count I) and Driving without License (Count II). Fined \$100 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Jaun P. Gasillas-Ramirez, Wayne, def. Complaint for Operating a Motor Vehicle During Suspension or Revocation. Fined \$100 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Craig M. Jeffrey, Carroll, def. Complaint for Driving While Under the Influence of Alcoholic Liquor (Aggravated First Offense). Fined \$500 and costs, 120 hours of community service, 12 months probation, ordered to attend AA meetings, dr. lic. revoked for one year, ordered to attend defensive driving course and MADD Victim Impact Panel.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Dusty G. Grashorn, Carroll, def. Complaint for Driving While Under the Influence of Alcoholic Liquor. Fined \$400 and costs, sentenced to six months probation, dr. lic. revoked for 60 days and ordered to complete defensive driving course.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Sam E. Hansen, Tekamah, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and costs.

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St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Steven H. Greve, Wakefield, def. Complaint of Driving While Under the Influence of Alcoholic Liquor. (third offense) (aggravated). Case bound over to District Court.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Adam S. Uehling, Norfolk, def. Complaint for Work Permit Violation. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Diedra A. Mettler, Norfolk, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Sarah E. Bart, Carroll, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Ordered to complete 50 hours of community service and attend alcohol and drug education class.

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

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Cody J. Tyson, Herman, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$500 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Kevin M. Doerr, Creighton, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Sam E. Hansen, Tekamah, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Amanda S. Kimpson, Omaha, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Justine M. Smidt, West Point, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$250 and costs.

### Small Claims Proceedings

Cynthia Kai and Robert Rainer, pltf., vs. James and Serena Van Norman, Wayne, def. \$2,700. Judgment against James Van Norman for \$2,700 and costs.

Langemeier Rentals, pltf., vs. Koynn Rees, Emerson, def. \$1,613.28. Judgment for the pltf. for \$1,613.28 and costs.

Wayne Dental Clinic, pltf., vs. Cindy Knapp, Thurston, def. \$1,878. Judgment for the pltf. for \$1,878 and costs.

### Civil Proceedings

Credit Bureau Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Juan Salgado and Maria Salgado, Wayne, def. \$1,128.91. Judgment for the pltf. for \$3,896.25 and costs.

Credit Management Services, Inc., vs. Dirk Jaeger and Kimberly Jaeger, Winside, def. \$893.06. Judgment for the pltf. for \$793.06 and costs.

Credit Bureau Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Dave D. Hintz and Jane M. Hintz, Wayne, def. \$1,631.62. Judgment for the pltf. for \$1,631.62 and costs.

FIA Card Services, pltf., vs. Jennifer C. Nelsen, Wayne, def. \$6,085.16. Judgment for the pltf. for \$6,085.16 and costs.

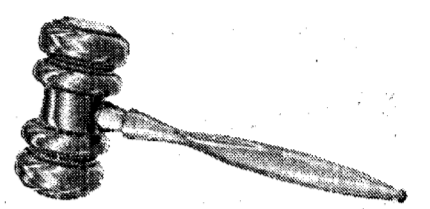
Credit Bureau Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Adam Johnson, Wayne, def. \$290.88. Judgment for the pltf. for \$290.88 and costs.

HSBC Bank Nevada, N.A., pltf.,

vs. Chris Lueders, pltf. Wayne, \$2,227.06. Judgment for the pltf. for \$2,227.06 and costs.

Midland Funding, LLC., pltf., vs. Luann M. Svenson, Wayne, def. \$754.87. Judgment for the pltf. for \$754.87 and costs.

Capital One Bank (USA), N.A., pltf., vs. Allen W. Ladd, Wayne, def. \$1,709.32. Judgment for the pltf. for \$1,709.32 and costs.



### Traffic violations

Samual Ojeda, Jr., Norfolk, child restraint violation, \$73; Harry Santos, Norfolk, following too closely, \$98; Paul Wurdinger, Randolph, no oper. lic., \$94; Benjamin Schneck, Wayne, spd., \$123; Angela Billheimer, Carroll, no oper. lic. on person and child restraint violation, \$98; Gilbert Mendibles, Norfolk, spd., \$73; Meggie Miller, Atkinson, spd., \$173.

Vidal Perez, Schuyler, spd., \$73; Ryan Higgins, Hartington, spd., \$123; Angela Gothier, Laurel, spd., \$123; Tyler D. Hoops, North Bend, open container, \$98; Kesalia Hanson-Osburn, Wakefield, spd., \$123; Brian Klave, North Sioux City, S.D., spd., \$120; Pamela Dutcher, Wakefield, spd., \$73; Lee Ann Bowman, Sioux City, Iowa, spd., \$73; Abbie Murray, Newman Grove, spd., \$148; Brandon Hanson, Madison, spd., \$123.

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## Low-interest home repair loans offered through USDA

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Rural Development has low-interest (one percent) loans available to very low income rural homeowners that occupy a home in need of repair.

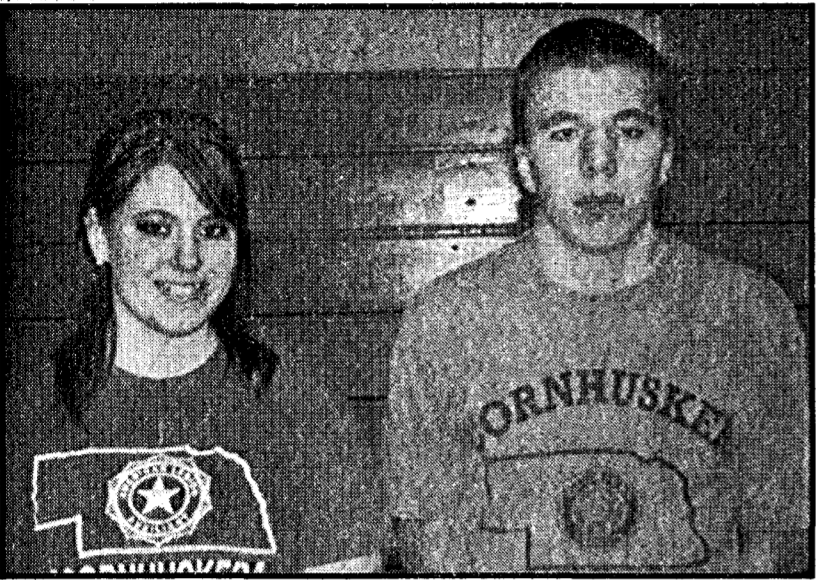
"Now is a good time for homeowners to evaluate the need for necessary repairs or replacement of items such as a furnace, roof, windows, siding, insulation and storm doors," said Terri Olander, Area Specialist for USDA Rural Development. "Electrical, plumbing, sanitary disposal systems, making a home accessible for disabled household members or modernization of a home may also be eligible under the program."

Rural is defined as those communities with a population of 20,000 or less, and also includes the communities of Columbus and Norfolk. Program eligibility is based on household income and the applicant's credit history, repayment ability and inability to afford a conventional loan.

The USDA repair loan may be made up to \$20,000 at a one percent interest rate, with a repayment term of up to 20 years. Loans of less than \$7,500 may not require a mortgage against the property. The low interest rate and extended terms of the loan makes repayment more affordable for households with limited income. For example, a \$10,000 loan at one percent interest for 20 years would have a monthly payment of \$46, compared to a conventional loan with an interest rate of seven percent for 10 years, with a monthly payment of \$116.

"Rural Development has adequate loan funds available under the home repair program and I encourage households to contact me," said Olander.

For additional information or to obtain an application, contact Terri Olander at USDA Rural Development, (402)371-5350, 1909 Vicki Lane, Suite 103 Norfolk, Neb. 68701 or teresa.olander@ne.usda.gov Visit: www.rurdev.usda.gov/ne/.



## Veterans' Day presentation

Winside Girls' State representative Hope Voss, left, and Winside Boys' State representative Peter Hansen were among those speaking at the recent Winside Veterans' Day program. Both students told of their respective experiences at the week-long session held in Lincoln this past June.



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## Celebrating

Students, staff, faculty and guests of Wayne Elementary School recently celebrated the 50th anniversary of the building of the school. Above, all the students wore birthday hats and sang songs for the occasion. At right, Etta Fisher was among the honored guests. She was a second grade teacher at the school 50 years ago. The 93-year old resident of The Oaks was presented a corsage from The Oaks for the party.



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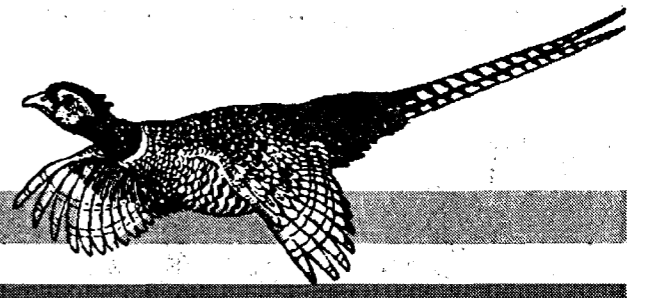
## SOUP LUNCH

**Sunday, Nov. 29**  
11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.  
First Trinity Lutheran Church, Altona  
Sunday School Basement  
This is being held to raise funds for a new roof on the church. Matching funds will be applied for from Thrivent.



# Lifestyle

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## Early communication key for child's socialization

Early communication skills are important as infants grow up and seek to gain parents' and other caregivers' trust. This involves self-awareness and the ability to interact with others. Birth to 18 months is the prime time for emotional attachment, which helps the child to have self-awareness and security to feel free to keep learning new things.

When creating a social world for a child to grow up in, it is important to establish nurturing and bonding with responsive primary caregivers

which includes parent and child-care provider. Grandparents also can play a role in nurturing and bonding to help build the trust foundation toward developing a child's social world.

Over-stimulation with too many new experiences and too much stimulation may stress and hinder development. This is really present when there is not consistency in scheduling with different caregivers.

At any early age - one or two years old - parents and caregivers

**Amy Topp**  
Extension Educator  
4-H & Youth

need to be consistently involved in an infant's life. This will help the child recognize a face and feel emotional bond. Also at the infant stage, parents should talk, make sounds, sing, play activities involving bright colors, different sounds, or mirrors, like peek-a-boo, for example. This helps the child learn to play and gives him or her an opportunity to develop knowing the difference between self and others.

When a parent first begins to talk with a child, it is important to use varied forms of communication. Singing a song, humming, laughing or using a different pitch level will all help build a child's understanding of all the different forms of communication.

As a child gets older, it is necessary for parents or older siblings to give them room to communicate. When asking a child a question, allow him or her five seconds or so to answer. That gives the child time to think about what he or she is going to say. Children generally will answer in that time frame. Parents and siblings usually answer the question for the child and don't allow the child to learn to communicate. This is very good way to develop communication so children will be able to communicate better in society and at a early stage in life.

As children get older, parents should help set up play-dates with other children of the same age. This will help them learn social skills with other children they do not know. Remember at one to two years of age they may still be doing parallel play (playing next to another child, not with them). They need practice in taking turns, sharing, and cooperation, so don't forget to be patient as you teach them these skills.

As children enter elementary school, parents should continue to keep helping their children with communication so they are able to socialize and communicate with other people. If necessary, arrange play activities for children so that they can continue to be watched. Guide them in communication with others. Remember children learn to socialize by watching their parents and how they communicate.

Sometimes a distance will grow in the communication between a child and a parent. To help with this, set aside a "talking time" with the child everyday.

Each individual child might have a different "talking time." For instance, some children will want

to talk about their day right when they get home from school and others will talk during the car ride home from school or at a babysitters.

One of the best times is right before bed. Parents can create this by setting aside time early in a child's development.

**SOURCE:** Gail Brand, extension educator.

### DECEMBER CALENDAR

- Dec. 1:** A 4-H Experience-Hands on Fun! 6:30 p.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Church.
- Dec. 3:** Wreath Making Workshop, 6 p.m., Wayne County Courthouse.
- Dec. 6:** Teen Supremes, 5 p.m. Offices closes at noon on Dec. 24 and reopens at 8:30 a.m. on Jan. 4.

### TOPS group gathers in Wayne

TOPS NE 0200 met Nov. 18 in the Providence Medical Center Boardroom with 12 TOPS members and three KOPS members present.

Roll call question was "What one thing are you thankful for?"

Joanne Stoltenberg was the TOPS Best Loser and Lois Spencer was the KOPS Best Loser and they received their coupons. Beverly Ruwe turned in five coupons for a charm and Dorothy Nelson picked her her charm for last month's Best Loser. Trista Stone earned her charm bracelet.

Happy Birthday was sung to Dee Rebensdorf, Jeannine Wriedt and Diane Sullivan.

Anyone seeking more information about TOPS, Inc. is welcome to visit the group any Wednesday evening at 6:15 p.m.

### Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

- (Week of Nov. 30 - Dec. 4)** Meals served daily at noon. For reservations, call 375-1460. Each meal served with bread, 2% milk and coffee.
- Monday:** Chicken Alfredo with broccoli, mixed vegetables, garlic breadstick & Promise, frozen fruit with yogurt.
- Tuesday:** Barbecue beef sandwich, baked beans, beets, fruit cocktail.
- Wednesday:** Tuna casserole, California blend vegetables, baby raw carrots, whole wheat bread & Promise, sliced apples.
- Thursday:** Sliced turkey, stuffing & turkey gravy, lettuce salad with dressing, dinner roll & Promise, pineapple chunks.
- Friday:** Dill baked fish, parsley buttered potatoes, cheesy broccoli, sliced bread & Promise, pears.

## Briefly Speaking

### Joann Temme hosts Acme Club

**AREA** - Seven members of the Acme Club and two guests, Pat Straight and Steve Gross, met Nov. 16 with Joann Temme as the hostess.

Steve Gross gave a talk on the Greenwood and La Porte cemeteries. A poem, "The First Christmas Tree in La Porte," written by Faye Britain was read.

Roll call was to tell something each member knew that had happened at a cemetery. The Thought for the Day was "Never dig into another person's grave because you may fall in."

Thanksgiving tray favors were shown that will be taken to the hospital.

The club will be giving its annual Christmas gift to the Nebraska Children's Home.

The next meeting will be a Christmas lunch on Monday, Dec. 7 at 1 p.m. with a gift exchange.

## VFW Auxiliary hold November meeting

The Llewellyn B. Whitmore Post 5291 Ladies Auxiliary met Nov. 9 at the Sunnyview Community Room.

President Glennadine Barker called the meeting to order as a regular meeting.

The opening ceremonies were conducted according to ritual. Chaplain Verna Mae Baier gave the opening prayer.

Minutes were read and approved as read. The treasurer's report was given by Treasurer Eveline Thompson. It was filed for audit.

Excerpts from "The Banner" noted that the membership motto is to "Read, Be Informed and Be Prepared. Recruit new members and continuous members." It also stated "volunteers are unpaid, not because they are worthless, but because they are priceless."

November contains two special days - Veterans' Day and Thanksgiving. A program is usually held in each community to honor and salute all the many American veterans who throughout history have unselfishly placed their lives on the line for freedom. Everyone needs to know freedom is not free.

The National Home's 85th birthday celebration at Eaton Rapids, Mich. will be coming up in January. National President Jan Tittle asks members and auxiliaries to join in and send a birthday card and if possible, enclose a donation for the 29 passenger mini bus.

The auxiliary received a letter from District 3 Secretary Karen Deets.

The minutes from the Fall Meeting held at Plainview were read.

### Senior Center Calendar

- Monday, Nov. 30:** Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Val Koeber at the piano, 11:30 a.m.; Pool, 1; Bridge Club.
- Tuesday, Dec. 1:** Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Bridge.
- Wednesday, Dec. 2:** Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Birthday Party; Ray Petersen on the accordion, 11:30 a.m.; Pool, 1 p.m.
- Thursday, Dec. 3:** Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Bridge; Pitch party, 1:15 p.m.
- Friday, Dec. 4:** Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Pat Cook Christmas music, 11:30 a.m.; Bingo, 1:15 p.m.

The group decided that instead of a \$3 gift exchange, members should bring canned goods for the Food Pantry.

Closing ceremonies were conducted in accordance to ritual. Chaplain Verna Mae Baier gave the closing prayer.

The auxiliary's next meeting will be Monday, Dec. 14 with a noon meal. Each member is to make her own reservations. The meeting will be held at the Sunnyview Community Room with a Christmas program and canned goods for the food pantry.

Serving lunch following the meeting was Eveline Thompson.



### Arnold Emry to note birthday

The family of Arnold Emry of Wayne is hosting a card shower in honor of his 80th birthday, which is Wednesday, Dec. 9.

His family includes his wife, Sandra, four children, Patricia (Trish) and Jim McPherson of Lincoln, Dr. Gordon and Robin Emry of Norfolk, Bradley and Kathy Emry of Isle of Palms, S.C. and Shelley and Terry Gilliland of Wayne. He has 13 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Arnold taught high school at Concord, Pilger, Allen and Newell, Iowa before becoming a part of the education department at Wayne State College. He was born at Allen and lived most of his life in northeast Nebraska.

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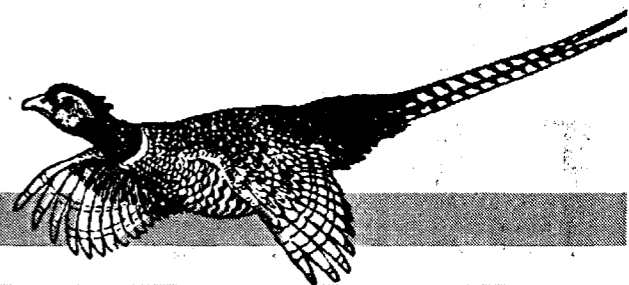
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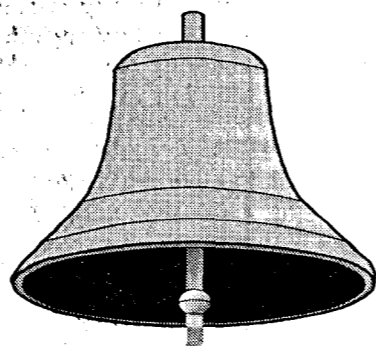
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www.fpcwayne.org  
Sunday: Handbell choir rehearsal, 8:45 a.m.; No Church School classes or Confirmation class, 9; Worship, 10; Fellowship time, 11; Community worship featuring sounds and scriptures of Christmas, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday: Presbyterian Women meet for Cookie Exchange and Bible Study Lesson #4, with Sandra Metz as leader, 6:30 p.m.; High School Youth group, 7 to 8:30 p.m.

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Mobile (260) 402-0035  
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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST**  
6th & Main St.  
(Rev. Doyle Burbank-Williams, pastor)  
Friday: Siouxland Community Blood Bank at Wayne Fire Hall, 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday: First Sunday of Advent. Newsletters available to pick up. Worship Services, 9:30 and 11 a.m.; No Sunday School; Fellowship time,



10:30; Financial Peace University, 2 p.m. Tuesday: WIC Clinic, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Goldenrod Hills Immunization Clinic, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Girl Scout Troop #191, 5:15 p.m.; Jaycees, 7. Wednesday: King's Kids, 3:40 p.m.; Bell Choir, 6; Chancel Choir, 7; Trustees, 7; Advisory Board, 8. Saturday: New Life Band Concert, 7 p.m.

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(Justin Raulston, minister of involvement)  
Sunday: Christians Hour on KTCH, 8:45 a.m.; Prayer Group, 8:45; Sunday School for all ages, 9; Worship, 9 and 10:30 a.m.; Children's Church, 10:30. Small group, 6:30 p.m. (call church office for meeting details); Life Group at various homes, 7.

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rectory, 7 p.m.; Rosary in Spanish at St. Mary's Church, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Confessions, 7:30 a.m.; Mass, 8 a.m.; Family Faith Night, 7 to 8 p.m. Thursday: Mass, 8 a.m.; R.C.I.A., rectory, 7 p.m. Friday: Mass, 8:15 a.m.; School Mass; First Friday; Confessions, 7:30 a.m.

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Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Bible Study.

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Sunday: Worship service, 10 a.m.

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Sunday: First Sunday of Advent. Worship Service, 8:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30. Newsletters available to pick up.

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Sunday: Bible Study, 8 a.m.; Worship, 9; Fellowship and decorating at St. Paul, 4 p.m. Monday: Quilting, 1 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Jensen's, 9 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation class, 4:30 p.m.

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Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30; Senior High Youth Group, Evening Bible Study and Praying Kids, 7 p.m. Wednesday: AWANA/Trek, 7 p.m.

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

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Saturday: Worship with Communion, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Choir, 7:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9; Worship with Communion, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday: Confirmation, No Circles. Video on local channel. Saturday: WELCA Christmas Brunch, 10 a.m.; Contemporary Worship with Communion, 6:30 p.m.

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218 Miner St.  
(Pastor Timothy Steckling)  
Sunday: Sunday School and Bible Study, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

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

**UNITED METHODIST**  
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Sunday: United Methodist Student Day. Newsletter Sunday, please pick up your newsletter. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship service, 11:15. Tuesday: Newsletter deadline. Coat of Many Colors quilts, 2 p.m. Wednesday: Pastor in Pierce Office, 1 p.m.; Community Thanksgiving Service at United Methodist Church, 7 p.m.

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High blood glucose is a major cause of the serious diabetes complications. Recognizing diabetes early and getting your blood glucose levels under control allows for swift action to slow its progression and avoid complications. Lowering your A1C by just one percentage point lowers your chance of getting eye, kidney or nerve disease by 40 percent.

But blood glucose control is just one aspect of preventive care. Following a meal plan, being physically active, losing excessive weight, keeping your blood pressure and cholesterol levels in check, quitting smoking, and for most taking aspirin are all important ways to prevent future health problems.

Good control requires both diligence and willingness to try new strategies. Learn new strategies by attending "Control Diabetes for Life" when the Wednesday, Dec. 2 session will focus on Successfully Managing the Holidays. Set a goal to take control of your diabetes. Aim for lower blood glucose levels to feel better now and stay healthy for years to come. The Dec. 2 topics that will be addressed during the two-hour program include:

## First Trinity Women meet in Wisner

First Trinity Lutheran Women's Missionary League of Altona met Nov. 13 at the Wisner Care Center.

Pearl Youngmeyer brought a video entitled "Rediscovering God in America" for the lesson. Darlene Bowers led in prayer.

The LWML Pledge was recited as the mite box offering was taken.

President Pearl Youngmeyer presided at the business meeting. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and the treasurer's report given.

## Immanuel Lutheran Ladies Aid plan upcoming events

Immanuel Lutheran Ladies Aid of rural Wakefield met Nov. 19.

Pastor Bertrand had the lesson on "Contentment." He closed with prayer.

Five members and Pastor Bertrand were present. The secretary's and treasurer's report were read.

Nila Schuttler gave the visitation report.

Plans were made to have a soup dinner to welcome new members. It will be held on Sunday, Dec. 6 after services. This is also Pledge Sunday, which will be observed.

Christmas donations will be given to Lutheran Old People's Home, Dakota Boys' and Girls' Ranch, Bethesda and the Lutheran Special Education Ministries.

The Thursday, Dec. 17 meeting

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### CENTER CIRCLE

Gloria Evans hosted the Center Circle Club on Thurs., Nov. 19th with ten members present. Cleora Fisher conducted the business meeting. Secretary Helen Holtgrew called roll with "What are you most thankful for?" The treasurer's report was given by Janice Jaeger.

The Club Christmas party will be Thurs., Dec. 3rd at Prenger's in Norfolk at 11 a.m. Members voted to donate their \$5 gift exchange money to the Wayne County Red Cross.

The club Constitution and by-laws were discussed and will be read at the January meeting. The poem "Crabby Old Man" was shared. Thirteen point pitch was played with prizes going to Betty Andersen, Helen Holtgrew and Dianne Jaeger.

**WAYNE VETS CLUB PANCAKE BREAKFAST**  
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Participants will receive recipes for diabetic appropriate foods. Team-teaching the program will be Phyllis Heimann, R.N. & Certified Diabetes Educator; Stacie Petersen, R.N. & Certified Diabetes Educator; Mary Clare Stalp, R.D., L.M.N.T., all of Franciscan Care Services in West Point and Debra E. Schroeder, UNL Extension Educator in Cuming County.

The Program will be offered on Wednesday, Dec. 2, from 1:30 - 4 p.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Church social room in Wayne.

"Control Diabetes for Life" is a joint project of University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension and Franciscan Care Services of West Point. The program is offered free-of-charge. "Control Diabetes for Life" will help participants learn to control diabetes and prolong the onset of complications from the disease.

Participants are asked to pre-register for "Control Your Diabetes for Life" by calling UNL Extension - Wayne County 402-375-3310. Please register by Monday, Nov. 30, so the proper number of handouts may be prepared. Nebraska School Food Service Association has approved this session for two hours

Christmas gifts will be purchased for Esther Hansen and Dwain Luhr.

Roll call showed perfect attendance and one guest, Verona Koehlmoo.

Hostess Clara Heinemann selected "We Praise You, O God, Our Redeemer, Creator" for the group to sing.

The next meeting will be held Friday, Dec. 11 at noon in Altona. The Christmas potluck luncheon and party will be held.

## 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

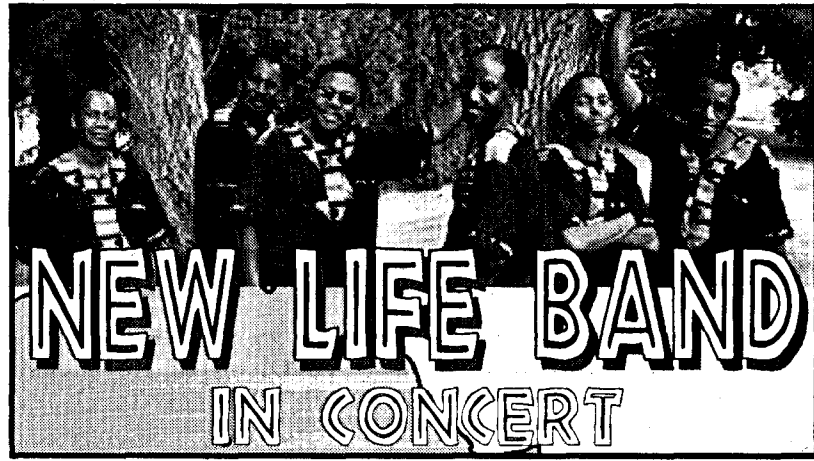
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Take control of your diabetes for life. Start by attending the Dec. 2 distance education program. Call 402-375-3310 today to register.



## Tanzanian group to perform at First United Methodist Church

The New Life Band from Tanzania, East Africa will be in Wayne for a public concert on Saturday, Dec. 5 at 7:00 at First United Methodist Church.

There is no admission cost, but a free will offering will be taken.

"The New Life Band is made up of truly world class musicians who have a heart for the gospel of Jesus Christ and a passion for youth and young adults," said Pastor Doyle Burbank-Williams of First United Methodist church.

## New Arrivals

**HADCOCK** — John and Liz Hadcock of Wayne, a daughter, Whitney Louise, 7 lbs., 4 oz., 19 1/2 inches, born Nov. 11, 2009. Grandparents are Ed and Cindy Milligan of Wayne and Don and Nancy Mach of Whiting, Iowa. Great-grandparents are Masako Green of Ute, Iowa and Don and Louise Green of Houma, La.

## School Lunches

**ALLEN (Nov. 30)**  
**Monday:** Breakfast — Cereal, oatmeal and pancake. Lunch — Scalloped potatoes & ham, green beans, peaches, tea roll.

Milk served with breakfast and lunch.  
 Menu subject to change.

**LAUREL-CONCORD (Nov. 30 — Dec. 4)**  
**Monday:** Breakfast — Scrambled eggs & toast. Lunch — Sophomore menu.

**Tuesday:** Breakfast — Sausage, egg & cheese biscuit. Lunch — Creamed turkey, mashed potatoes, bread, fruit, vegetable.

**Wednesday:** Breakfast — Muffins. Lunch — Crispito with chili & cheese, sticky rolls, fruit, vegetable.

**Thursday:** Breakfast — French toast sticks. Lunch — Chicken breast sandwich, fruit, vegetable.

**Friday:** Breakfast — Sausage wrap. Lunch — Teriyaki blasters, rice muffins, fruit, vegetable.

Fruit, vegetable and milk (white or chocolate) served daily.

Orange juice sold daily.

All menus subject to change.

**WAKEFIELD (Nov. 30 — Dec. 4)**

**Monday:** Deli sandwich, salads on salad bar.

**Tuesday:** Sloppy Joes, tater tots, apples.

**Wednesday:** Barbecue meatballs, au gratin potatoes, dinner roll, strawberries.

**Thursday:** Chicken nuggets, carrots, dinner roll, peaches.

**Friday:** Vegetable beef soup, grilled cheese, fresh vegetables,

mixed fruit.  
 Milk is served with every meal.

**WAYNE (Nov. 30 — Dec. 4)**  
**Monday:** Sloppy Joe with bun, corn, pineapple, cookie.

**Tuesday:** Ham & cheese with bun, baked beans, blueberries, cookie.

**Wednesday:** Chicken & noodles, crackers, carrots & celery, peaches, cinnamon roll.

**Thursday:** Sub sandwich, lettuce, applesauce, cake.

**Friday:** Potato ole, tater rounds, dinner roll, mixed fruit, cookie.

Milk served with every meal.

**WINSIDE (Nov. 30 — Dec. 4)**  
**Monday:** Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Taco salad/roll or taco on bun, tortilla chips, peaches.

**Tuesday:** Breakfast — French toast. Lunch — Hot ham & cheese, corn chips, green beans, mandarin oranges.

**Wednesday:** No School.

**Thursday:** Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Chicken noodle soup, grilled cheese sandwich, carrots & celery, pineapple.

**Friday:** Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch — Spaghetti, garlic toast, lettuce, pineapple.

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 Grades 4-12 may have salad bar.  
 Grades K-3 may have salad plate.

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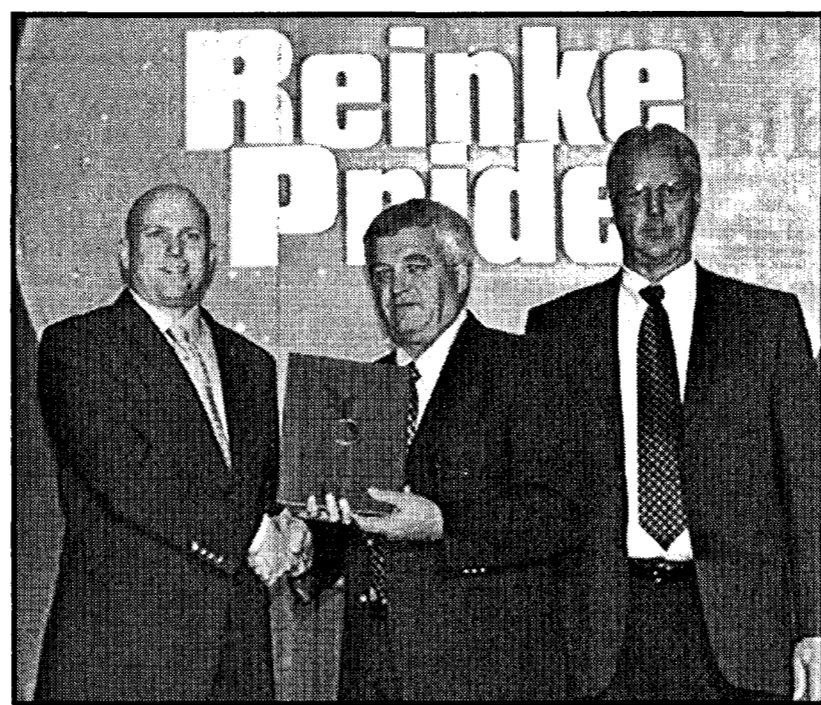
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**Wayne dealership recognized by Reinke with Gold Pride Award during annual convention**

Reinke Manufacturing, Inc., a leading manufacturer of mechanized irrigation systems, has announced that Northeast Equipment Inc., of Wayne has received a Gold Reinke Pride award in recognition of the company's 2008-2009 marketing year success.

Northeast Equipment Inc. was honored during Reinke's recent annual convention held Oct. 25-27 in Austin, Texas.

"We are extremely pleased with Northeast Equipment and everything they have accomplished this past year," said Tim Goldhammer, vice president of marketing, Reinke. "We appreciate the commitment Northeast Equipment and their staff have made to help market Reinke irrigation equipment."

Reinke dealerships from across the United States and Canada gathered to attend Reinke's annual convention. The awards ceremony recognizes select Reinke dealerships

for their hard work and dedication to sales and marketing throughout the past year.

This year, a record number of gold, silver and bronze Reinke Pride awards were given to a total of 90 dealerships. The Reinke Pride awards are determined as part of an incentive program that distinguishes superior achievement levels according to an evaluation based on a dealership's exterior and interior housekeeping and maintenance, indoor and outdoor displays, safety, retail environment, merchandising, professionalism, promotions and event participation, and market share.

"The number of dealers with exceptional sales during the 2008 and 2009 marketing year was phenomenal," said Goldhammer. "We were grateful for the opportunity to bring all of our dealers together and recognize everyone's efforts."

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**'Celebration of Youth' exhibits now on display**

The textile work of 22 4-H exhibitors ranging in age from 10 to 19 will be on display through Dec. 4 in the University of Nebraska-Lincoln's Robert Hillestad Textiles Gallery.

The work in the 16th annual "Celebration of Youth" exhibit was selected for its exceptional creativity, design and craftsmanship from the clothing, fashion revue and home environment exhibits at the 2009 Nebraska State Fair. The work of 12 alternates will also be on view in the UNL Textiles, Clothing and Design Department.

Area alternates chosen to be a part of the display include Laura Greunke of Winside and Hannah McCorkindale of Wayne.

"Celebration of Youth" is presented in recognition of the efforts of youths across Nebraska. It exposes the participants to the university environment while giving them an opportunity to display their work in

a professional gallery setting. The gallery is located on the second floor of the Home Economics Building, 35th Street north of East Campus Loop. Hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, call (402) 472-2911 or visit <http://textilegallery.unl.edu>.

On Dec. 5, the 4-H youth and their parents will join faculty from the textile department for a day of educational and creative workshops followed by the exhibit's closing reception. Exhibitors will present their work to the public in Room 11 in the Home Economics Building, 35th Street north of East Campus Loop, at 5:30 p.m.

**Erwin recipient of Nebraska Corn Board Elevator Appreciation Award**

The Nebraska Corn Board recognized Rich Erwin with its annual Elevator Appreciation Award. Erwin is the owner and operator of Laurel Feed and Grain of Laurel.

"Rich Erwin is an active Nebraska elevator manager who exhibits an excellent understanding of the value of the Nebraska corn checkoff and willingly assists in promoting this value with his customers," said Bob Dickey, NCB board member who nominated Erwin.

In addition to responsibilities as an elevator manager, Erwin is also active in the community and has served as the past chairman of the Laurel-Concord school board and currently serves as the president of the Cedar-Knox Public Power District.

The Elevator Appreciation Award is presented annually to a grain elevator manager or personnel who are supportive of the mission of the Nebraska corn checkoff and help communicate the value of checkoff investments that are being made.

The Nebraska Corn Board is a self-help program, funded and managed by Nebraska corn farmers. Producers invest in the program at a rate of 1/4 of a cent per bushel of corn sold. Nebraska corn checkoff funds are invested in programs of market development, research and education.

**RC&D featuring entrepreneurs**

All area residents are being invited to stop by the Northeast Nebraska RC&D office in Plainview, on Saturday, Dec. 5 to browse through the books and enjoy locally-made items.

Local entrepreneurs are the focus for the month of December. Showcasing entrepreneurs and their talents has been a project of the RC&D office for several years. It's designed to provide an opportunity for area entrepreneurs to display their Nebraska-made products. The RC&D offers space, marketing and training opportunities.

From 11 a.m.-1 p.m. on Dec. 5 there will be treats of hors d'oeuvres, hot apple cider and more, followed by Dennis Vossberg's program on his new book Santee Sorrow from 1-3 p.m.

The Northeast Nebraska RC&D office in Plainview is open everyday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at 702 East Park (Hwy 20) in Plainview.

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**UNL's John Wilson Judged Best Educational Crop Production Program in the Nation**

John Wilson, University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension educator in Burt County, was honored as having the top educational crop production program in the nation by the National Association of County Agricultural Agents.

The title of his program was "How Much Did You Contribute? Soybean Cyst Nematode Educational Programs for Nebraska Farmers and Agronomic Professionals."

Wilson was selected on the basis of an innovative program that he and UNL Extension plant pathologist Loren Giesler are conducting in Nebraska to raise awareness of soybean cyst nematodes and provide growers with aids for identifying and managing this yield-robbing pest.

This program was cited as having exceptional impact with the targeted audience.

Wilson and Giesler acknowledge the extent of this program would not have been possible without the support of the Nebraska Soybean Board.

NACAA consists of 3,400 members from around the United States. The award was given at the NACAA's annual meeting in Portland, Ore.

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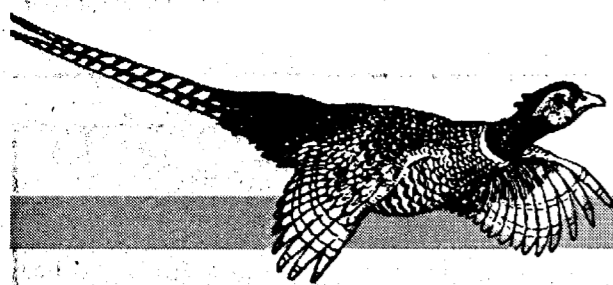
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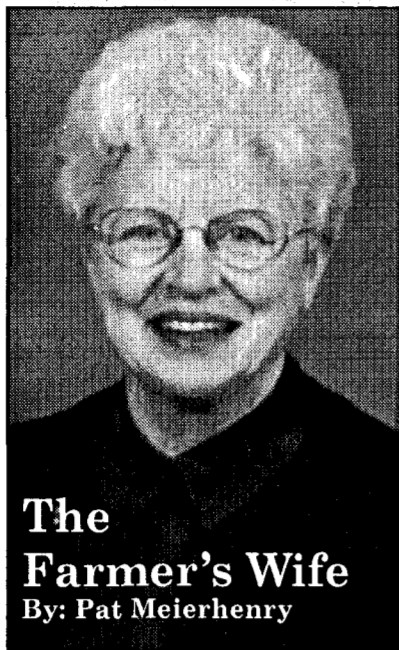
## Musical events, anniversary highlight week

It's almost 9 p.m. and I've been yawning since 8! Maybe staying up until midnight the past two evenings has something to do with that, but I'm guessing a lot of it is simply getting older. We have an earlier deadline this week, due to the holiday on Thursday.

I've had another musical week, this one due to rehearsals for a Christmas cantata at church. Regular choir practice is on Thursday evening, and we had an extra one on Saturday morning.

Plus, on Friday afternoon, a bunch of us were at the Lied Center downtown for the All State Choir Concert. Randa auditioned live for this at Doane; her dad and her aunt Kay merely sent tapes. The first number was one from Vivaldi's Gloria, which I had learned in Lincoln Lutheran Choir. But there were two in Russian, and one in German. The sight of 455 high school students, all their school's choir robes, made an amazing sight. And the sound was equally so.

We spotted Kyle Mundil from Winside and our great nephew, Josh Munnell, from Adams Central. Their clinician was a Russian woman who moved to California in 2003, and it was definitely America's gain. She told us that one of the first all state choirs she worked with was in Missouri, and when she told her grandmother that she was going to Missouri, the old lady exclaimed, "The Cold War



The  
Farmer's Wife  
By: Pat Meierhenry

must really be over!" She was a lovely, enthusiastic and charming director, and you could tell that the kids liked her.

On Saturday, we were guests at an open house at Wilderness Ridge for the golden anniversary of one of my classmates from nursing. We could not get married in those days until we had graduated. So, of course, there was a raft of weddings following our graduation in August. All we did that summer was go to bridal showers, and after that, weddings. Since I had the honor of singing for several of them, I get to go to the anniversary

celebrations. The Big Farmer dutifully tags along, and tries to remember if he met the couple at the doorway of the nurse's dorm more than fifty years ago.

The groom in this case worked for the railroad, so they moved out of town right after the wedding, but have chosen to retire here in Lincoln. The bride is one of the half dozen of us who get together every other month for lunch to renew old friendships and reminisce about what it was like to live in a woman's dorm with early curfews and

bed checks.

Our kids find it all hard to believe, but that was the norm. Today, student nurses are often married and trying to take care of families and even work part time while going to school. I don't think I could have done it, and I salute those who do.

It's time to get the turkey roasting pan out of the closet. Hope your holiday is blessed, the weather is moderate, and the Huskers beat the Buffaloes!

## Producers encouraged to keep crop insurance deadline in mind while finishing harvest

A cool summer and rainy fall have left Nebraska's corn crop high in moisture and harvest weeks behind schedule. One thing not to forget, though, is the Dec. 10 deadline for the crop insurance period, a University of Nebraska-Lincoln ag economist says.

The end of the insurance period is near, meaning farmers who are going to be turning in any losses need to do two very important things, said Doug Jose, UNL ag economist in the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources.

Since the end of the insurance period is Dec. 10, farmers who are not finished by then will need to

ask for an extension if they plan to file any losses.

In addition, if losses are going to be filed due to loss in quality, such as moldy corn in a field, a strip must be left behind in the field so an insurance agent can make an assessment. A sample can not be taken from the bin, said Terry Warren, sales representative, Rural Community Insurance Services in Nebraska and Iowa.

"Crop insurance is just what happens in the field," Jose said.

So far it seems fields across northern Nebraska and western Nebraska, especially the southwest part of the state and Panhandle, are experiencing the most problem with moldy corn, said Tamra Jackson, UNL plant pathologist.

It's also important to note that even if the insurance date is extended, farmers still need to leave some of that crop in the field so an appraisal can be done, Warren said.

The main thing farmers need to do is keep the lines of communication open with their insurance agent if they are thinking of filing a claim, Warren said.

More information about crop insurance this year can be found on the Nov. 13 episode of "Market Journal" at <http://marketjournal.unl.edu>.

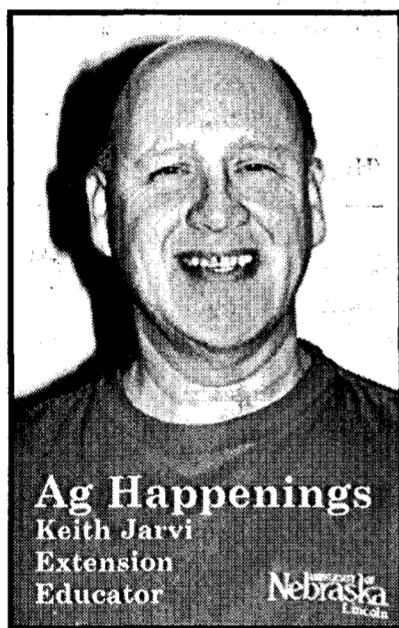
## Insurance deadline, Cash Lease Workshop approaching

Harvest is still going on but don't forget that that Dec. 10 is the deadline for the crop insurance period.

Farmers who are not finished by then will need to ask for an extension if they plan to file any losses. In addition, if losses are going to be filed due to loss in quality, such as moldy corn in a field, a strip must be left behind in the field so an insurance agent can make an assessment. A sample cannot be taken from the bin. Crop insurance is just for what happens in the field.

So far it seems that fields across north central Nebraska and western Nebraska, especially the southwest part of the state and Panhandle, are experiencing the most problems with moldy corn. It doesn't appear to be too bad here in northeast Nebraska but of course that will vary from field to field. The main thing farmers need to do is keep the lines of communication open with their insurance agent if they are thinking of filing a claim.

We have an upcoming meeting that I think will have a lot of inter-



Ag Happenings  
Keith Jarvi  
Extension  
Educator

est in the area. Cash rental rates for farmland are quite variable due to many factors. What is a fair rate to charge or pay for cropland? On Monday afternoon, Dec. 14, from 1 to 4 p.m. we will be holding a workshop for landowners and tenants

on cash leasing. The title of the workshop is Managing Risk and Making Money with Flexible Cash Lease Provisions.

One of the hardest things to determine in farming is cash rent for land. Since roughly 50 percent of the farmland in our area is rented, it is an important part of our farming system. It is really a good idea if the landowner and tenant come together to this meeting as this helps foster a stronger business relationship. The workshop will be held in the meeting room at the new NRDC UNL Extension office at 1505 Broadway in Dakota City.

The cost for this meeting will be \$10 for material and fees. Call the Dakota County Extension Office at 402-987-2140 for more information. Because of limited space, pre-registration is required. We'll mention more about this meeting in the next couple of weeks.

Good luck with the rest of the harvest and be safe.

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## HAPPENINGS IN ALLEN

Allen Community Club mem-

bers began the holiday season with the decorating of the Burlington Northern Caboose located on the hill where the old gas station used

to be located. They met on Sunday afternoon, which was perfect weather for doing so, and put up the Christmas lights. While they were decorating, they could hear and see the equipment working at the new Allen Gas Station - Countryside Gas N Grocery.

The new Allen gas station is really shaping up. There is always work going on at the site and you can really see things coming together. The gas tanks are in, cement has been poured with one area left to do, and the electricians are busy inside.

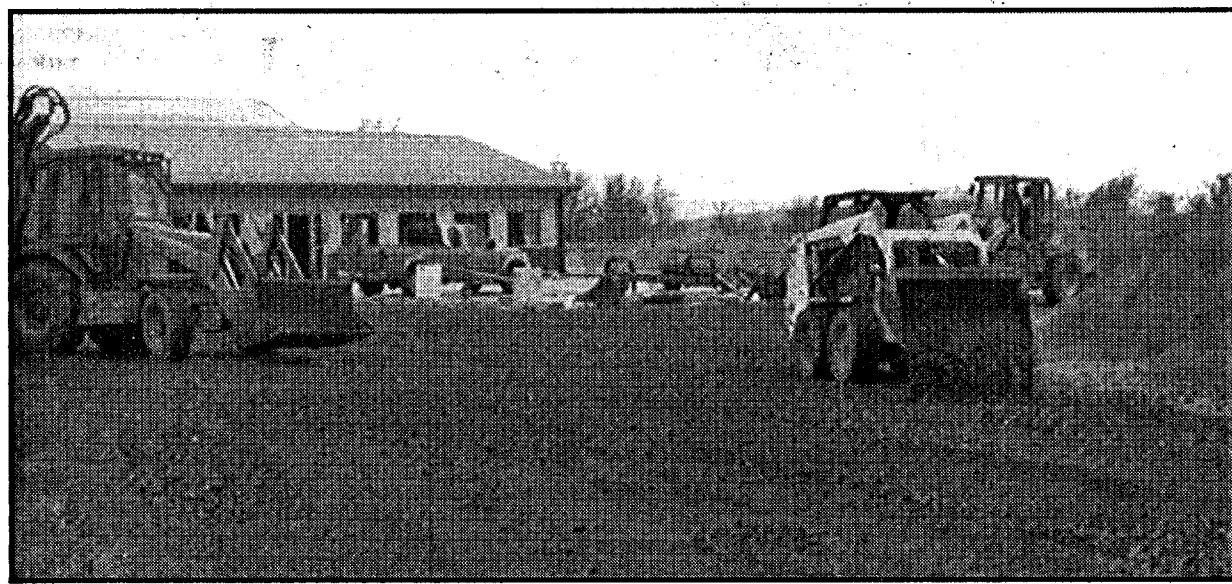
The Village Inn is now open after being closed for over a week to do some updating on the building. In doing these updates, they got approved for their liquor license so are ready now for the upcoming Christmas season.

### CHRISTMAS COFFEE

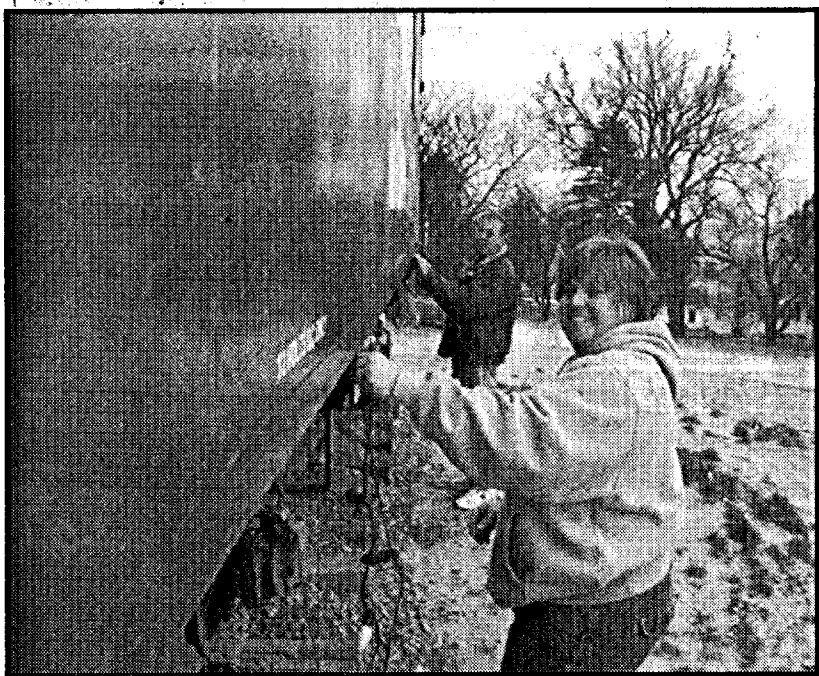
Security National Bank will be hosting its Christmas Coffee on Thursday, Dec. 3 from 9 a.m. until noon. Everyone is invited to stop in for Christmas goodies.

### COMMUNITY CLUB

Santa and Mrs. Claus will again visit the children and hand out candy sacks at the school Christmas



Pictured are volunteers working at the new Allen gas station site. The gas station has been named the "Countryside Gas N Grocery".



Allen Community Club members Greta Kraemer and Jerry Schroeder helped in the decorating of the Burlington Northern Caboose on Sunday.

Concert on Monday, Dec. 14. The candy bags will be made on Friday, Dec. 11 at 5:30 pm at the school Commons area.

### MUSEUM EVENT

The Dixon County Historical Society is planning a "Saturday at the Museum" on Saturday, Dec. 5 with time to be announced at a later date. Stephen Gross from Wayne has researched LA PORTE - which was the settlement before Wayne came into being. It has a very interesting cemetery which tells La Porte's history. Stephen will also tell us about the beginnings and endings of the town. Is some of your family from there or family buried in La Porte Cemetery? Please keep the evening free to hear Stephen Gross at the Allen Museum. All are welcome to attend the very interesting event.

### MUSIC BOOSTERS

Jack Hintz has donated a Cedar Curio Cabinet to be raffled off for the Music Department. It is hand milled by Jack from cedar logs by the river. Stop in and see the beautiful curio cabinet on display at Security National Bank. The cabinet will be raffled off in December. Tickets are 1 for \$1 or 6 for \$5.

Cotton Bowl Fundraiser - All you can eat fish fry on Saturday, Dec. 12 at the Buzzsaw in Waterbury. They will be serving from 5 to 8:30 p.m.

### ALLEN ALUMNI UPDATE

Allen Alumni meet every two years and will be gathering again on the weekend of July 2, 2011. The Waterbury All-School Reunion will be held this coming summer,

June 19, 2010, at Storm'n Norman's in Waterbury. Waterbury Alumni meet every three years.

### BLANKET DRIVE

The Cub Scout Pack 172 of Wakefield and Allen, will be doing a blanket drive for the needy. They will be gathering blankets for the elderly, infants and young children. They will be collecting until Nov. 30.

Drop off locations in Allen will be Security National Bank and United Methodist Church. In Wakefield, drop off blankets at The Fair Store and the Christian Church. If you can't get to one of these locations, you can call Tammy at 402-638-2811 (home) or 635-2010 (work). Arrangements can be made to pick it up.

Cub Scouts are also still doing recycling pickup the second Saturday of every month at 10 a.m. They can take paper, cardboard, and aluminum cans. Please call Tammy with any questions at the number above.

### COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

Friday, Nov. 27: Brent Benstead, Chris Blohm, Lisa Lorimor, Ronnie Gotch.

Saturday, Nov. 28: Andrea Johnson.

Sunday, Nov. 29: Courtney Reuter.

Monday, Nov. 30: Angie Borg, Dana Zeitler, Leroy Stark.

Tuesday, Dec. 1: Landon Kraft, Linda McDonald, Micayla Brewer, Alyssia Strivens, Tom Sands, Joel & Tonia Greve (A).  
Wednesday, Dec. 2: Tonia

Burnham.

Thursday, Dec. 3: Jerald Stewart, Makayla Walker.

Friday, Dec. 4: Scott Jorgensen, Shelly Jones.

### SENIOR CENTER

Friday, Nov. 27: Closed.

Monday, Nov. 30: Potato soup, ham salad sandwich, mandarin oranges, lettuce salad.

Tuesday, Dec. 1: Pork cutlets, baked potatoes, glazed carrots, emerald pears.

Wednesday, Dec. 2: Taverns, scalloped potato, peas, apricots.

Thursday, Dec. 3: Chicken, mashed potatoes, baked beans, peach crisp.

Friday, Dec. 4: Fish, cheese slice, green beans, applesauce jello, cake & ice cream.

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Friday, Nov. 27: Senior Center closed; No School.

Saturday, Nov. 28: Somerset Card Party at Senior Center, 6:30 p.m.

Monday, Nov. 30: Exercise at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Last day to drop off blankets for the Cub Scouts Blanket Drive

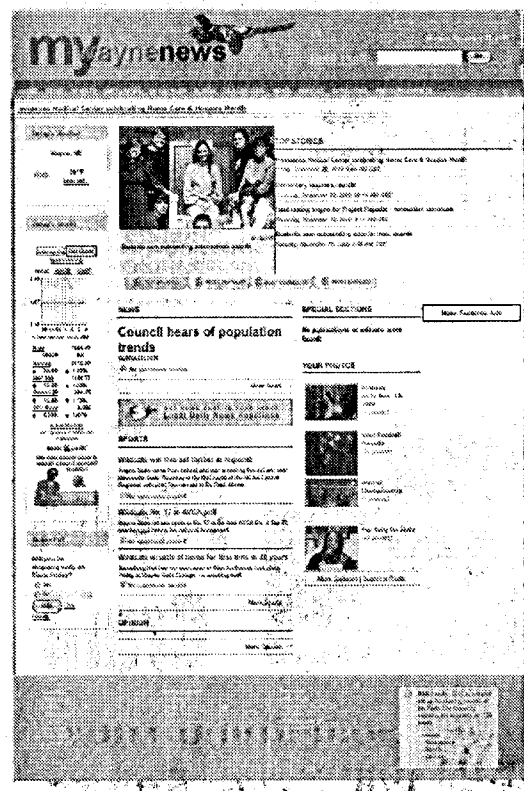
Tuesday, Dec. 1: Somerset at Senior Center, 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 2: Exercise at Senior Center, 9 a.m.

Thursday, Dec. 3: Security National Bank Christmas Coffee. 9 am - noon.

Friday, Dec. 4: Exercise at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; JVG/JVB/VG/VB Basketball at Coleridge, 4 p.m. Birthday party at Senior Center at noon.

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**Friday Nov. 27th - Doors open at 6am!**  
 The earlier you shop - the more you will save!

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# CLASSIFIEDS

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 Call: 402-375-2600, Fax: 402-375-1888, or Visit Our Office: 114 Main Street, Wayne, NE.  
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**HELP WANTED**

**EMPLOYMENT WORKS, INC.**  
 has a part time position open in the Wayne area providing community based supports for people experiencing a disability. Must have a high school diploma/equivalency, valid driver's license and insurance, strong references, excellent communication skills and a genuine desire to see people reach their potential. Early morning hours involved (approximately 7:45-10 a.m.) Wage based on experience and flexibility. Applicant must be able to work a variety of hours and some weekends. Please call Employment Works, Inc. at (402) 371-1011 and ask for Jodi or Aleigha for more information or stop by the office at 101 East Wilson Avenue in Norfolk for an application.

Applications are being accepted for  
**CNA'S**  
 Full-time evening, part-time days and part-time nights  
**WAKEFIELD HEALTH CARE CENTER**  
 306 Ash Street, Wakefield, NE 68784  
 Phone 402-287-2244 EOE

**HELP WANTED**  
 Positions Available for:  
**CNA's**  
 Full Time  
 Day & Evening Shifts  
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 Full time • Part Time  
**LPN Assisted Living**  
  
 SENIOR LIVING COMMUNITY  
 Apply At:  
 811 East 14th Street  
 Wayne, NE  
 Phone 402-375-1922

**POSITION AVAILABLE**  
 Need customer oriented person to fill full time Personal Banker position. Office and people skills necessary. Please present resume and letter of application in person to:  
**Farmers & Merchants State Bank**  
 321 Main Street  
 Wayne, NE 68787

**Assistant Manager**  
 The Student Bookstore (off campus bookstore at Wayne State College) is taking applications for an Assistant Manager. This is a 3/4 to full time position with benefits. The Assistant Manager's main responsibility is to assist the manager in running the store. Duties include, but are not limited to, providing strong customer service, daily cash reports, opening and closing the store and assisting with staff hiring and training. Assists in ordering general merchandise, receiving and stocking inventory. The applicant should have basic computer skills.  
 Please present resume to:  
 Liz Hagmann, Manager — Student Bookstore  
 1022 Main Street — Wayne, NE  
 402-375-4010  
 Nebraska Book Company is an equal opportunity employer

**NorthStar Services in Wayne**  
 has part-time positions available in our residential settings. As an organization, we support persons with developmental disabilities in accessing & participating in their community, developing social networks, teaching basic life skills so people are successful in their homes, community and employment opportunities.  
 The job requires: HS diploma or GED, at least 18 years of age, valid driver's license, ability to lift 45 pounds, read, write and comprehend English, possess excellent interpersonal and communication skills and the ability to work with the public. Starting wage is \$9.20 per hour with a wage increase to \$9.48 per hour which is dependent on attendance at required trainings.  
 Apply in person at NorthStar Services  
 209 South Main Street,  
 Wayne, NE 68787.


**Kirkwood House** a 12-bed residential rehabilitation facility in Wayne, NE, is looking for a dynamic, self-starting individual to help our consumers gain the skills to get on with their quest for independence.  
 This is an exciting position with an opportunity to actually make a difference in someone's life. There are currently two positions open. One position is part time "awake" overnights. The other is part time evenings. If you work for us, you will be using Microsoft Word so please be prepared to demonstrate your skills when you apply. We are looking for a person with a Bachelor's degree, one who has previous experience in the behavioral health field or is a medication aide. Please call Donya at 833-5197 to pick up an application or e mail resume to donya@r-way.org. We are an EOE.

**— HELP WANTED —**  
**CNA'S — Full-Time, Day Shift**  
**HILLCREST CARE CENTER & ASSISTED LIVING**  
 702 Cedar Ave. • Laurel, NE • 402-256-3961

**TO GIVE AWAY**  
**BOXES** - Do you need boxes for moving? I have plenty of them available, free for the taking. Call 660-9682.  
**FREE TO** good home - cats and kittens, all sizes and colors. Ph. 402-585-4323 or 402-518-8030.  
**POOL TABLE:** Free to anyone that wants to take it from my basement. 100" x 65" in fair condition. Comes with balls and cues. Brian, 402-375-5201.

**SERVICES**  
**CUSTOM BEEF** Processing Available. Nebraska's Finest Meats, Randolph, NE. Call Today! 1-888-EAT-BEEF or 402-337-0052  
**FARMSTEAD CLEAN-UP:** Buildings demo - burn or bury. Snow/concrete/tree removal. Ditch work and basements dug. Dennis Otte, 375-1634.  
**HANDYMAN SERVICES:** Call Randy Lutt at 402-375-3869 or 402-369-3714.

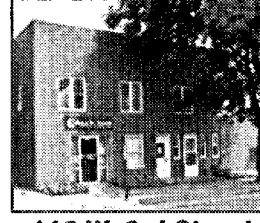
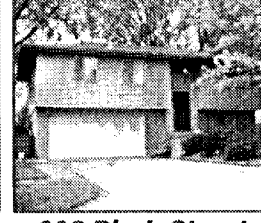

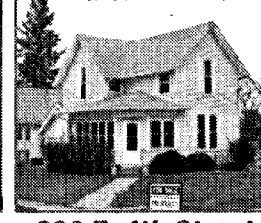




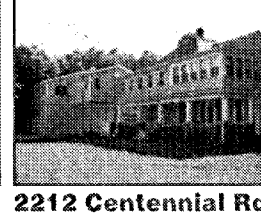








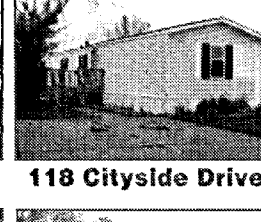



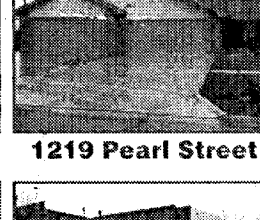


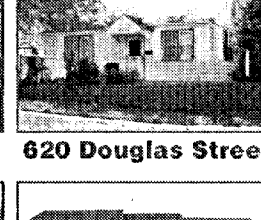

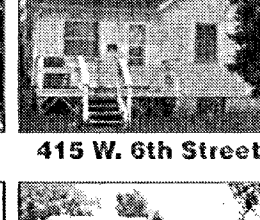



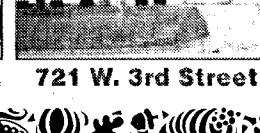
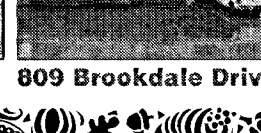
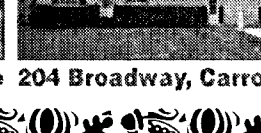
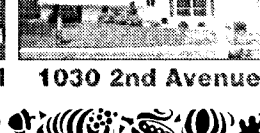
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**Kitchen Cook/Dietary Aide**  
 Part-time  
**House-keeping Supervisor**  
 Apply in person to:  
**THE OAKS**  
 Senior Living Community  
 The Best In Senior Living Options  
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 Phone: • 375-1500

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**Wayne Mercy Medical Clinic**  
**LPN or Certified Medical Assistant**  
 On Call hours  
 Please call Sherry at 375-2500  
  
 MEDICAL SERVICES  
 A partner with Mercy Medical Center-Sioux City

**FOR SALE**

*Happy Thanksgiving*  
 It is the season to be thankful. Thank you for your business ... past, present and future!

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 www.propertyexchangepartners.com

 201 W. 5th, Laurel	 112 W. 3rd Street	 202 Birch Street	 218 Lincoln Street	 302 E. 4th Street	 502 W. 1st Street	 211 E. 10th Street
 314 E. 22, S. Sioux City	 708 Windom Street	 2212 Centennial Rd.	 515 W. 3rd Street	 521 Walnut Street	 606 Whitney, Pender	 575928 849 Road
 3102 N. Hwy. 15	 309 Nebraska Street	 121 W. 11th Street	 120 W. 8th Street	 118 Cityside Drive	 700 W. 9th, S. Sioux City	 715 Windom Street
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# CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE

**Emerson-Wakefield**  
160 acres!  
Strong buyer is looking for land in this area.

**Coleridge-Hartington**  
160-240!  
We also have a request for a parcel in this area.

Call Midwest Land Today!



FOR ALL your baking and/or gift giving needs, contact your local Tupperware consultant. Over 15 years of experience. Call Clara Osten at 402-518-8030 or 585-4323. Leave a message.

FOR SALE OR RENT: Available December 1, newer 2-bedroom townhouse. Unfinished, full basement. 1511 Vintage Hill Drive. Call 369-0966. See ad in today's publication.

FOR SALE: 1998 Olds Cutlass. Runs good. Would make excellent work car. Best offer. Ph. 402-584-1584.

FOR SALE: Bali Northern Heights Wood Blind. Maple, 63" wide x 53" tall with 2" slats. Outside mount, 2 3/4" ext. brackets, cord tilt, standard valance. New, never used. Original cost \$210. Asking \$150. Call 402-584-1584.

FOR SALE: Firewood. Split and cured. Will deliver. Ph. 402-565-4591.

FOR SALE: Wedding dress, size 6. \$75.00 OBO. Ph. 402-518-0248.

FOR SALE: Snapper model 3201, 20" snow thrower. Electric start, 3HP, two cycle engine. Light weight allows easy lifting for cleaning steps and decks. Excellent condition. Ph. 402-375-3709.

FOR SALE: Toro 20" CCR 2000 snowblower, 4.5 hp, runs perfect. Asking \$265. Call 402-286-4316 and leave a message.

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**315 West 8th Street**  
Super location! Remodeled kitchen, formal dining room, main floor laundry. Partly finished basement, garage, large lot near Bressler Park - all for \$62,000!



**\$86,000**  
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**Well-Built Home**  
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**\$69,500**  
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**\$52,500**  
716 Nebraska Street



**\$56,000**  
106 Douglas Street



**\$83,500**  
312 West 4th Street



**\$108,000**  
302 East 7th Street



**\$59,500**  
939 Main Street



**\$64,500**  
308 East 9th Street



**\$67,000**  
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**\$104,500**  
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**\$159,000**  
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**\$158,500**  
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1009 Pearl Street



**\$67,500**  
608 West 1st Street



**\$95,000**  
203 Manning Street, Carroll



**SOLD**  
502 East 6th Street

*Thanks for remembering us when you need a real estate professional. Wishing you a very Happy Thanksgiving!*



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### ACREAGES FOR SALE



**55881 Hwy. 98**  
4 bedroom, 2 story home. Barn, metal building and more.



**86459 569 Ave, Laurel**  
3 bedrooms  
Remodeled kitchen  
New 48' x 96' Machine shed



**84965 563 Ave., Hoskins**  
4 bedrooms, 5 acres, metal shed

**MIDWEST Land Co.**  
206 Main Street  
Wayne, NE  
375-3385

FOR SALE: Pearl Forum 5-piece, drum set with cymbals. \$400 OBO. Call 375-8530.

FOR SALE: Slag for drives. Hauling available. Top soil or fill dirt. Dennis Otte, 375-1634.

FOR SALE: Two Sukup propane burners for centrifugal fans in grain bins. Ph. 402-369-0589.

HOUSE FOR SALE in Wakefield: Good location, 3-bedrooms, large living room, dining room, kitchen, fenced in backyard. Will do rent to own contract. Ph. 712-389-2082 or 402-287-2127.

TANNING BED for sale: \$1,000. Only used for 80 hours. 402-518-0203.

### THANK YOU

The family of Quinten Erwin wishes to thank the many family and friends who extended their expressions of love and support during our time of loss. There are simply no words to express our heartfelt thanks for the wonderful care he received during his stay at the Oaks in Wayne and the Hillcrest Care Center in Laurel. You made a big difference in his life and we will forever be thankful for your care. A special thank you to Dr. Felber and to all of those who helped during Quinten's funeral. We feel blessed to have had you in our lives.

*Verdel & Alyce Erwin, Rich & Ellen Erwin, Rod Erwin, Joan & Shane Giese.*

I would like to express my sincere gratitude to all who made my life easier during my health problems this past year, especially my neighbors, Dr. Reinert, Don Simmons, Dean Meyer, my son and grandson, and last but not least Great Dane Trailer Mfg. Co., I had no idea that there was a firm in the area with benefits like they have. If I was a young person in this area I would be working for Great Dane Trailers. My sincere thanks.  
Les Youngmeyer.

I WANT to thank everyone for coming to my 80th birthday open house and for the cards, gifts and flowers. Special thanks to my family for planning the party.  
Valores Mordhorst

THANK YOU to everyone who helped me make my hospital stay a lot more pleasant. Thanks to Faith Regional Center, Dr. Smith, Providence Medical Center, Pastor Ken and to all for the food, phone calls and visits from friends and neighbors.  
Mildred Gramlich

THANKS TO Quality Foods for the Pizza Party items I won in their Grand Opening drawing.  
Carol Rethwisch

### NEBRASKA STATEWIDES

ADOPT: A truly loving married couple will provide a warm, secure, loving home for your newborn. Expenses paid. Call Lisa and Chris, 1-877-211-9199. Visit www.lisachrisadopt.com.

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WALK-IN BATHTUBS \$2,995, hot tubs \$995 to \$4,995, saunas \$1,995 to \$2,795. Call 1-800-869-0406 for price list and pictures. Town Center Showcase, Lincoln, NE, goodlifesp.com.

20 ACRE land foreclosures near growing El Paso, Texas. No credit checks/owner financing. \$0 down, take over \$159/month payment. Was \$16,900, now \$12,856. 800-755-8953, www.texaslandforeclosures.net.

4 BEDROOM Doublewide. Owner financing. Reasonable down. Will move. Land available. 785-862-0321. We own the bank! Doublewides / modulars. Call to prequalify! It's Free! 800-375-3115.

ESCAPE WINTER! Nebraska couple has luxury affordable, vacation home for rent in Naples, Florida. On golf course, 15 minutes from beaches. For information call 308-532-7515.

FRANKLIN COUNTY Memorial Hospital, Franklin, NE, recruiting Family Practice Physician or Internal Medicine Physician. Employment vacancy. Call

1-4. Critical Access Hospital. Designated Basic Trauma Center. Provider based Rural Health Clinics. New \$4.1 million Outpatient Expansion. Call Jerrell Gerdes, Administrator, 308-425-6221 or send Confidential Resume to PO Box 315, Franklin, NE 68939.

GENERAL MANAGER. Retail commercial, farm/auto tire dealership. Experience required. Ability/willingness to physically work a must. Western Tire Co., Mike, 808 West-B St., McCook, NE.

RV DELIVERY drivers needed. Deliver RVs, boats and trucks for pay! Deliver to all 48 states and Canada. For details log on to www.RVdeliveryjobs.com.

### FOR RENT

ALL REAL estate advertised herein is subject to the Federal Fair housing Act which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation, or discrimination because of race, color, religion, sex, handicap, familial status or national origin, or intention to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination." State law also forbids discrimination based on these factors. We will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. All persons are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised are available on an equal opportunity basis.

EFFICIENCY APARTMENT for rent. Available December 20. Ph. 402-375-1641 or 402-375-5203 for information.

FOR RENT in Wayne: 3-bedroom house. All appliances. Washer/dryer. \$500, plus security deposit. Available December 1. Ph. 402-922-0637.

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom house in Win-side. \$350/month, plus utilities. \$250 deposit. References and credit check. Call 402-565-4272.

FOR RENT: 3 bedroom 'studio' apartment. Main Street-Wisner. Ph. (402) 529-6007, Patsy

FOR RENT: 3-bedroom house in Win-side. One bath, central air, off street parking, open staircase. No smoking, parties, or pets. References and deposit required. Available December 1. Ph. 402-286-4839.

FOR RENT: 4-bedroom house, close to campus. Washer/dryer hookups, central air, high efficiency furnace. Ph. 402-256-9511.

FOR RENT: House at 1020 Pearl St. Close to college. Open January 1, 2010. Call 402-375-1310 and leave a message.

FOR RENT: Nice 1, 2, 3, and 4 bedroom apartments. All new heat pumps and central air. No parties. Call 375-4816.

FOR RENT: Nice 2-bedroom duplex apartment. Central air, heat, washer/dryer, stove, refrigerator, dishwasher. Deposit and references required. Call 605-763-2546 or 605-638-6283.

FOR RENT: Nice one-bedroom apartment. Close to downtown. Washing machine provided. Utilities included in rent. No pets. Ph. 402-375-1450.

FOR RENT: One-bedroom apartment with central air. Basic cable provided. Laundry facility available. No pets, parties or smoking. References required. Ph. 402-375-1200.

LEISURE APARTMENTS: Now accepting applications. Rent subsidy available to qualified applicants. 1 & 2 bedroom family apts. - 1 bedroom elderly, handicapped-disabled apts. Disabled of any age welcome to apply. Stove & refrigerator furnished. Rent based on income. All ages welcome to apply. Call 402-375-1724 before 9 pm or 1-800-762-7209. TDD# 1-800-233-7352. Leisure is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

PROFESSIONAL SPACE for lease. 750-1,000 sq. ft., Sunnyview Place Business Park. Call Kelby @ 402-375-5386.

STORAGE UNITS available. Size 14' x 31', \$50 per month. Please contact Dave Zach at 375-3149 or Jon Haase at 375-3811.

## National Auto Sales Inc.

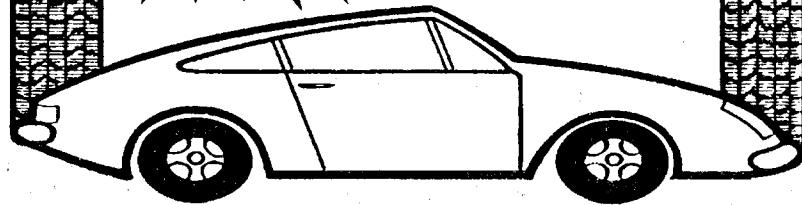
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- We Finance
- Building Credit
- No Problem



### HELP WANTED

HELP WANTED: Mystery Shoppers. Earn up to \$150 per day. Undercover shoppers needed retail and dining establishments. No experience required. Call 877-424-4925.

WEEKEND HELP WANTED: Must be 19 years old. Apply to Panama Reds, Carroll, NE. Ph. 402-585-4355, ask for Mike or Cheryl.

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT  
Goldenrod Hills Community Action's WEATHERIZATION PROGRAM is looking for a DATA ENTRY/INVENTORY CLERK. The work location is Wisner, NE. 40 hours per week, M-F. Hourly wage plus benefits. Responsibilities include tracking inventory and entering program data into information systems. To apply, submit completed Agency application available at www.goldenrod-hillscommunityaction.org/human.cfm or contact Mary Reeson, HR Director at 1-800-445-2505 or 402-529-3513 Ext. 286. No resumes accepted. Applications must be received to Goldenrod Hills Community Action, P.O. Box 280, Wisner, NE 68791 by 4:30 PM Tuesday, December 8, 2009. 100% Federally Funded Program. EOE, Non-Profit Agency.

NORFOLK GM AUTO CENTER is looking for two internet sales consultants. Great pay, great benefits. Apply in person or to bwhalen@norfolkchevy.com

PART-TIME FARM HELP needed. Driving straight truck or semi. CDL would be helpful. Ph. 402-360-0080.

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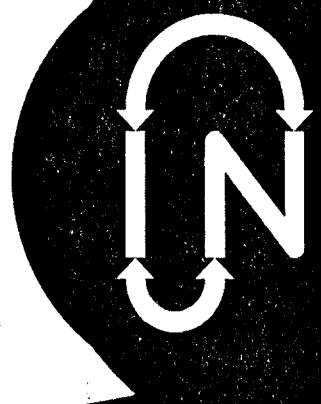
WANTED TO RENT: Hog finishing barn around Laurel area. Call Mike at 605-491-3990.

### SPECIAL NOTICE

WE BUY GOLD. 10 KARAT, 14 KARAT, 18 KARAT, DENTAL GOLD. The Diamond Center, 221 N. Main St., Wayne, NE. Ph. 402-375-1804 or 800-397-1804

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NEW CLASSIFIED RATE PLAN for the Wayne Herald and Morning Shopper combination. \$20 for two weeks worth of ads! Call Jan for details. 375-2600  
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Internet  
Nebraska  
3 months for  
the price of one



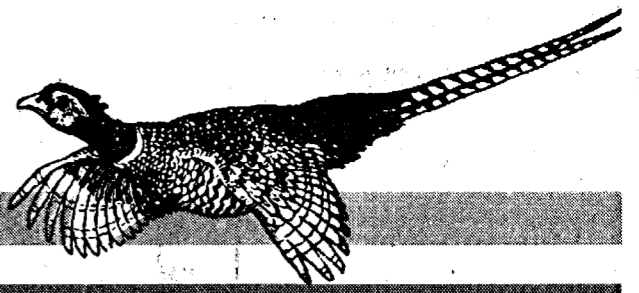
Mention this ad when you sign up and receive THREE months of flat-rate dial-up or ADSL access for the price of ONE!  
(Phone line charges not part of offer.)

Call  
1-800-GET-INET  
(1-800-438-4638)



# Legal Notices

The Wayne Herald



**ORDER OF SALE**

CASE NO. C109-35  
**WRIEDT PROPERTIES, INC., A NEBRASKA CORPORATION**, Plaintiff,

**MARIA FERNANDEZ AND LORENZO BERNABE**, Defendants,  
 STATE OF NEBRASKA )  
 ) ss.

**COUNTY OF WAYNE**  
 WHEREAS, on the 2nd day of November, 2009, in the County Court, in and for said county, in a certain action then pending, wherein Wriedt Properties, Inc., A Nebraska Corporation is the Plaintiff and Maria Fernandez and Lorenzo Bernabe are Defendants, I will at 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday, the 22nd of December, 2009, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, the following described property, to wit:

A trailer house dwelling located at 819 Valley Drive, Wayne, Nebraska, and the improvements thereon, together with the liens and encumbrances therein set forth, to satisfy the sums of the costs and accruing costs, all as provided in said Execution.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 19th day of November, 2009.

**LeRoy W. Janssen**  
**Wayne County Sheriff**  
 (Publ. Nov. 26, Dec. 3, 10, 17, 2009)  
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**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS**

CALL ORDER 350  
 STATE PROJECT NO. RD-35-4(1015)  
 LOCATION: N-35, WEST OF 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 December 17, 2009. At that time the bids will be opened and read for BITUMINOUS BIDDING PROPOSAL FORMS WILL BE ISSUED AND A CONTRACT AWARDED TO A CONTRACTOR WHO IS QUALIFIED FOR: BITUMINOUS

Length: 6.7 MILES  
 START DATE 08/02/2010 WORKING DAYS 50  
 Price Range \$ 1,000,000 to \$ 3,000,000  
 Plans and specifications may be seen beginning November 24, 2009 at the Lincoln Central Office and November 30, 2009 at the District Engineer's Office at NORFOLK

Additional letting information may be found at the Nebraska Department of Roads Web Site at <http://www.dor.state.ne.us/letting/>  
 (Publ. Nov. 26, Dec. 3, 10, 2009)  
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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE**

Notice of Trustee's Sale TS No.: 09-0132781  
 TSG No.: 09-6-323226A The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder in the main lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street, NE, on the December 07, 2009 between the hours of 9 A.M. and 5 P.M. (10:00 AM): THE WEST 75 FEET OF LOT 1 AND THE NORTH 10 FEET OF THE WEST HALF OF LOT 2, BLOCK 7, ORIGINAL TOWN OF WAYNE; AND THE WEST 75 FEET OF LOT 4, BLOCK 11, CRAWFORD AND BROWN'S ADDITION TO WAYNE, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

All subject to any and all: (1) real estate taxes, (2) special assessments, (3) easements, covenants, restrictions, ordinances, and resolutions of record which affect the property, and (4) unpaid water bills, (5) prior mortgages and trust deed of record and (6) ground leases of record. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property. By: Milton Phan, Team Member REC/NTLUST COMPANY, N.A., Trustee 2380 Performance Dr., TX2-985-07-03 Richardson, TX 75082 Phone: (800)281-8219 Fax: (805) 553-6392 ASAP# 3308514 10/29/2009, 11/05/2009, 11/12/2009, 11/19/2009, 11/26/2009. (Publ. Oct. 29, Nov. 5, 12, 19, 26, 2009)  
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**IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA**  
 ESTATE OF JOHN DAVID ROBINSON, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 09-26  
 Notice is hereby given that on November 12, 2009 in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Deceased and that Timothy Robinson whose address is 304 S Thurston Avenue, POB 382, Pender, NE 68047 has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before Jan. 19, 2010 or be forever barred.

(s) **KimBerly Hansen**  
 Clerk Magistrate/Registrar  
 510 Pearl Street  
 Wayne, Nebraska 68787  
**Duane W. Schroeder #13718**  
 Attorney for Applicant  
 110 West 2nd Street  
 Wayne, NE 68787  
 (Publ. Nov. 19, 26, Dec. 3, 2009)  
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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Wayne Planning Commission will meet on Monday, December 7, 2009, at 7:00 p.m., in Council Chambers of the Wayne Municipal

Building, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska. At or about 7:00 p.m., the Planning Commission will resume discussion on the public hearing, which began November 2, 2009, to consider amending Section 90-754 Non-Conforming Uses, of the Municipal Code, specifically sub-paragraph (e) Damage or Destruction. The applicant, Kent Franzen, on behalf of First National Bank of Wayne, is seeking the request to allow financing or refinancing of all properties in this zoning condition possible. The language would be amended to allow a property owner to obtain a building permit and begin all repairs and/or restoration within 12 months and completion within 18 months should the structure be damaged or destroyed 60 percent or more of its property taxed assessed value.

All oral or written comments on the proposed matter received prior to and at the public hearing will be considered.  
 (Publ. Nov. 26, 2009)

**ORDINANCE NO. 2009-22**  
**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 78, ARTICLE III, SECTION 78-11 STOP SIGN LOCATIONS; EAST OF MAIN STREET, NORTH OF SEVENTH STREET OF THE WAYNE MUNICIPAL CODE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES OR SECTIONS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska:

Section 1. That Chapter 78, Article III, Section 78-11 of the Wayne Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

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 (a) Stop signs are established at the following locations in the City:  
 (34) *Summerfield Drive at the west approach of Centennial Road.*  
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 Section 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.  
**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 17th day of November, 2009.  
**THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA,**  
 By Council President

ATTEST:  
 City Clerk  
 (Publ. Nov. 26, 2009)

**ORDINANCE NO. 2009-23**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING WAYNE MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 82, ARTICLE III, SECTION 82-93 COMMON REGULATIONS AND PROVIDING FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

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 By Council President

ATTEST:  
 City Clerk  
 (Publ. Nov. 26, 2009)

**DATE: BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska:**

Section 1. That Chapter 82, Article III, Section 82-83, subsection v. of the Municipal Code of Wayne, Nebraska, be amended as follows:

v. **General Service Demand** Applicable to existing or to new customers with demands of 25 50 kilowatts, but not more than 1000 kilowatts for 3 consecutive months, whose entire requirements are taken through one meter, under a contract of standard form.

Section 2. Any ordinance passed and approved prior to the passage, approval, and publication of this ordinance and in conflict with the provisions herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage, approval and publication or posting as required by law.  
**PASSED AND APPROVED** this 17th day of November, 2009.  
**THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA,**  
 By Council President

ATTEST:  
 City Clerk  
 (Publ. Nov. 26, 2009)

**NOTICE OF MEETING**

There will be a meeting of the Planning Commission, Monday, December 7, 2009, at 7:00 P.M. in the Wayne City Hall. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

**Betty McGuire, City Clerk**  
 Planning Commission  
 (Publ. Nov. 26, 2009)

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

The Wayne City Council 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 15th day of December, 2009, at the hour of 5:30 p.m.

The property affected by this notice is described as follows:  
 Lots 8, 9, 10 and 11, Benscooter 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.  
**City of Wayne, Nebraska**  
 City Clerk  
 (Publ. Nov. 26, Dec. 3, 2009)  
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**WAYNE CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS**

**November 3, 2009**  
 The Wayne City Council met in regular session at 5:30 p.m. on November 3, 2009. In attendance: Mayor Shelton; Councilmembers Van Deiden, Haase, Sturm, Ley, Berry, and Chamberlain; Attorney Pieper; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire. Absent: Councilmembers Frevert and Alexander.  
 Minutes of the October 20, 2009, meeting were approved.

The following claims were approved:  
**BITUMINOUS FUNDS:** AMERTAS, RE, 2041.52; APPEARA, SE, 69.89; AS CENTRAL SERVICES, SE, 448.00; BANK FIRST, FE, 195.00; BLACK HILLS ENERGY, SE, 378.85; BOMGAARS, SU, 15.24; BROWN SUPPLY, SU, 419.01; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 849.43; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 500.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 1412.24; CITY OF WAYNE, PY, 54289.07; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 670.51; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 327.04; CIVICPLUS, SE, 10785.00; CLAYTON BRATCHER, RE, 815.00; DEMCO, SU, 291.91; DISCOUNT FURNITURE, SU, 900.00; ELECTRIC FIXTURE, SU, 87.32; FLOOR MAINTENANCE, SU, 294.15; HD SUPPLY WATERWORKS, SU, 1996.32; HOWARD JOHNSON RIVERSIDE, SE, 102.82; ICMA, RE, 5537.82; IRS, TX, 17135.53; JACK'S UNIFORMS, SU, 103.80; K & C GRAIN, SU, 2370.51; LOGAN VALLEY NURSERY, SE, 200.00; MID-CONTINENT SALES, SU, 798.48; MIDWEST TAPS, SU, 34.99; MILLO MEYER CONSTRUCTION, SU, 240.00; MOONLIGHT TOWING, SE, 85.20; MORLOCK, JEFF, RE, 500.00; MSC INDUSTRIAL, SU, 113.23; NE DEPT OF REVENUE, TX, 2582.71; NE LAW ENFORCEMENT, SE, 18.00; NE LIBRARY COMMISSION, SU, 500.00; NEBRASKA HOIST, SU, 1694.92; N.E. RED CROSS, RE, 29.62; NNPPD, SE, 1278.90; PIEPER, MILLER & DAHL, SE, 1618.50; QUALITY I GRAPHICS, SU, 30.00; QUILL, SU, 55.79; QWEST, SE, 427.10; QWEST, SE, 168.00; RON'S RADIO, SU, 36.40; SEWER EQUIPMENT, SU, 162.95; SKARSHAUG TESTING LAB, SE, 83.64; STADIUM SPORTING GOODS, SU, 444.00; STAN HOUSTON EQUIPMENT, SU, 89.90; STATE NATIONAL BANK, RE, 106.84; STEVE HARRIS CONSTRUCTION, SE, 31882.45; TYLER TECHNOLOGIES, SE, 2691.00; UNITED WAY, RE, 13.49; VIAERO, SE, 72.09; W.T. COX SUBSCRIPTIONS, SU, 2437.44; WURDEMAN FAMILY, SE, 275.00; BARONE SECURITY SYSTEMS, SE, 70.00; BRETT GEBHARDT, SU, 50.00; CARLTON INDUSTRIES, L.P., SE, 165.27; CHARTWELLS, SE, 5821.70; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 500.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 49.20; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 535.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 320.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 150.44; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 400.84; DAVE'S DRY CLEANING, SE, 162.30; ECHTENKAMP, DOUGLAS, RE, 278.66; EGAN SUPPLY, SU, 815.35; FLOOR MAINTENANCE, SU, 23.08; GEMPLERS, SU, 162.25; HAUFF MID-AMERICAN SPORTS, SE, 587.25; JOHNSON'S PLUMBING & HEAT, SE, 200.00; KELLY SUPPLY COMPANY, SU, 128.83; LEAD, FE, 75.00; LP GILL, SE, 7.144.02; MONAHAN, PHILLIP, RE, 483.23; MSC INDUSTRIAL, SU, 246.79; N.E. NEB ECONOMIC DEV DIS, SE, 1403.15; NICOLAS LIPP, RE, 500.00; NNPP ENERGY, SU, 654.50; NORFOLK DAILY NEWS, SU, 120.50; PLUNKETT'S PEST CONTROL, SE, 90.00; POSTMASTER, SU, 666.21; PUSH-PEDAL-PULL, SU, 1080.53; RON'S RADIO, SE, 35.00; SHANNAHAN INC, SE, 1489.50; STATE NATIONAL BANK, RE, 277.97; TERRACON CONSULTANTS, SE, 4570.00; UNITED STATES PLASTIC, SU, 67.56; UTILITIES SECTION, FE, 585.00; VERIZON, SE, 363.41; VOSS LIGHTING, SU, 163.25; WAYNE COUNTY CLERK, SE, 17.50; WAYNE STATE COLLEGE, RE, 400.00; WAYNE VETERINARY CLINIC, SE, 70.00; WEB SOLUTIONS OMAHA, SE, 275.00

**APPROVED:**  
 To deny the claim submitted by Don Forney in the amount of \$581.76 for a recreation program football accident regarding his son, Ronnie Forney.  
 To table action on Resolution 2009-100 until the next meeting.  
 Change Order No. 1 on the Well House and Municipal Well 2009 Project in the amount of (\$5,088).  
 Meeting adjourned at 5:38 p.m.  
**THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA**  
 By: Mayor

ATTEST:  
 City Clerk  
 (Publ. Nov. 26, 2009)

**WAYNE COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS**

**Wayne, Nebraska**  
**November 17, 2009**  
 The Wayne County Board of Equalization convened at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, November 17, 2009. Those in attendance included Chairman Wurdeman, Members Rabe and Burbach, Deputy Clerk Biermann, and Assessor Reeg.

Advance notice of this meeting was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, on November 5, 2009.

A current copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted in the meeting room and accessible to the public.

The minutes of the November 3, 2009, meeting were approved as printed in the Commissioner's Record.

The agenda was approved.

Acceleration in taxes due to Antonio Vazquez's sale of a mobile home was approved on motion by Rabe, second by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye; motion carried.

Assessor Reeg presented a listing of changes made to the 2009 real estate and personal property abstract since it was certified to on March 20th. Motion by Rabe, second by Burbach to approve the changes as listed. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye; motion carried.

Meeting was adjourned.  
**Sharolyn Biermann, Deputy Wayne County Clerk**  
**Wayne, Nebraska**  
**November 17, 2009**

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:15 a.m. on Tuesday, November 17, 2009 in the upstairs conference room of the Courthouse.

Roll call was answered by Chairman Rabe, Members Wurdeman and Burbach, and Deputy Clerk Biermann.

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A current copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted in the meeting room and accessible to the public.

The agenda was approved.

The minutes of the November 3, 2009, meeting were approved as printed in the Commissioner's Record.

The Distress Warrant Certification prepared by Treasurer McDonald stated 47 distress warrants in the total amount of \$43,978.09 were issued on November 2nd and delivered to the county sheriff for collection.

The Board discussed the position of Emergency Manager, and the pros and cons of the position being part-time versus full time. The Board then met with Nicholas Kemnitz who was recommended for the position by the Wayne County Emergency Management Hiring Committee. Expectations, hours, wages and grant availability were discussed. Motion by Wurdeman, second by Burbach to hire Nicholas Kemnitz as the part-time Emergency Manager with a start date of November 18, 2009, at 15 hours per week. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye, Rabe-aye; motion carried.

Motion by Wurdeman, second by Burbach to give Nicholas Kemnitz authority as representative of Wayne County regarding emergency management and to appoint LeRoy Janssen deputy Emergency Manager for Wayne County. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye, Rabe-aye; motion carried.

**Fee Reports:** None.

**Claims:**  
**GENERAL FUND:** Salaries, \$82,850.43; All Native Solutions, SU, 104.99; Appera, OE, 198.68; Barnes, Ann M., RE, 31.35; Barone Security Systems, RP, 348.00; Big Red Printing, OE, 115.79; Black Hills Energy, OE, 79.74; Bomgaars, OE, 4.99; Burkett, Mandy R. (Atty), OE, 450.00; Carollo, Jason, OE, 150.00; Carroll Station Inc., The, MA, 440.78; Cedar County Sheriff, OE, 303.52; ConocoPhillips, MA, 86.44; Copy Write/Keepsake, SU, 134.61; Eakes Office Plus, SU, CO, 60.37; Ecolab Pest Elimination Services, OE, 82.40; Elite Office Products, RE, 104.88; Farmers Cooperative, Pilger, MA, 137.80; Fredrickson Oil Company, MA, 78.00; Johnson, Morland Eastland & Lohberg, OE, 974.80; KITUSA, OE, 34.00; Kleensang, Randall, RE, 25.30; Lancaster County Court, OE, 5.25; Microfilm Imaging Systems, ER, 155.00; Miller, Amy K., RE, 55.00; National District Attorneys Assoc., OE, 95.00; Nebraska Dept of Correctional Service, OE, 2,603.26; Olson Court Reporting, OE, 216.00; Pieper, Miller & Dahl, OE, 1,975.00; Qwest, OE, 1,207.45; Reeg, Joyce A., RE, 43.04; Schuttler, Marlin, RE, 5.84; Sparkling Clean Service Inc., OE, 1,365.00; Tacos & More, OE, 12.98; Topp, Amy, RE, 1,498.95; Toshiba Financial Services, ER, 205.62; Verizon Wireless, OE, 303.23; Waste Connections of Nebraska, OE, 161.13; Wayne Auto Parts, RP, 4.97; Wayne Computer Service, OE, 80.00; Wayne County Clerk of District Court, OE, 64.00; Wayne County Sheriff, OE, 202.44; Wayne County Treasurer, OE, 1,308.18; Wayne Herald/Morning Shopper, OE, 534.81; Wayne, City of, OE, 4,548.05; Western Office Products Plus, CO, RP, 535.92; Woslager, Richard R, RE, 13.75; Zach Oil Co., MA, OE, 278.18

**COUNTY ROAD FUND:** Salaries, \$19,387.35; Appera, OE, 40.00; Carroll Station Inc., The, MA, 22.35; Caterpillar Financial Services, ER, 4,425.61; DMC Repair, RP, 8.89; Elkhorn Valley Sand & Gravel, MA, 2,410.72; Farmers Cooperative, Pilger, SU, 83.75; Fredrickson Oil Company, MA, 1,739.25; HireRight Solutions Inc., OE, 79.80; John's Welding & Tool, RP, 74.15; Kimball Midwest, RP, 65.93; NAPA Auto, OE, 89.90; NMC Exchange LLC, RP, 1,104.92; Northeast Equipment, SU, ER, RP, 2,766.60; Northeast Glass, RP, 300.00; Northeast Nebraska Public Power Dist, OE, 35.15; Qwest, OE, 32.54; S&S Willers Inc., MA, 10,073.11; Verizon Wireless, OE, 100.86; Walton, Rick, CO, 290.00; Wayne Auto Parts, SU, RP, 174.50; Wise-Mack Inc., RP, 121.06; Zach Oil Co., MA, 20.00

**LODGING TAX FUND:** Wayne County Jaycees, OE, 100.00  
**INHERITANCE TAX FUND:** Stipp, Doris M., PS, 23.00  
 Meeting was adjourned.

**Sharolyn Biermann, Deputy Wayne County Clerk**  
**Wayne, Nebraska**  
**November 17, 2009**

ATTEST:  
 City Clerk  
 (Publ. Nov. 26, 2009)

**STATE OF NEBRASKA**

} ss.  
**COUNTY OF WAYNE**

I, the undersigned, Deputy County Clerk of Wayne County, Nebraska, hereby certify that all of the subjects included in the attached proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting of November 17, 2009, kept continuously current and available for the public inspection at the office of the County Clerk; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least 24 hours prior to said meeting; that the said minutes of the meeting of the County Commissioners of the County of Wayne were in written form and available for public inspection within 10 working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 19th day of November, 2009.

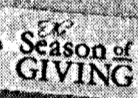
**Sharolyn Biermann, Deputy Wayne County Clerk**  
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