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Project Majestic receives Council support

By CLARA OSTEN
Of The Herald

The majority of the Tuesday meeting of the Wayne City Council was spent discussing Project Majestic, the drive to bring a movie theater back to Wayne.

Project Majestic had already received LB840 Committee approval for a \$200,000 loan to assist with the renovation of the former Twin Theatre. The money will come from the voter-approved city sales tax revenue earmarked for economic development.

Reggie Yates and Jeff Morlok, members of the Project Majestic steering committee, spoke to the council and addressed issues of funding and the need for a multi-purpose building to be used as a theater for movies, for community theatre productions and reception hall for numerous events.

Yates told that council that to date, nearly \$200,000 has been raised for the project which is projected to cost over \$500,000. Additional fund-raising is ongoing, and the group plans to seek other grant sources.

Morlok said the theater is not intended to be a business, but instead "is a service organization, and will be made up of all volunteers who have put up sweat equity."

Council member Ken Chamberlain said he was concerned that his constituents would question the fact that the \$200,000 being requested is a forgivable performance loan.

Both Yates and Morlok said the intent was not to make money from the theater, but not to lose money, either. The facility is intended to be an economic asset to the community and "lots of people want to see this happen."

Following discussion, the council voted unanimously to approve the LB 840 Sales Tax Committee's recommendation to grant the funds to Project Majestic. The vote stipulated that if the theater is sold for a profit before June 30, 2024 (the date the sales tax is scheduled to end), the money would come back to the city.

In other action, the council approved the payment of \$69,293.70 to Layne Christensen Co. for the Well House and Municipal Well 2009-01 project.

Public Works Superintendent Garry Poutre told the council that the payment was for the digging of the well. He said the next step in the project is to test the well, which could happen in the near future.

The council also approved a contract for a loan between the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality and the city of Wayne.

The loan is for \$1,050,000 and will be used for new

well No. 11, the Muhs Acres Water line, the booster pump station and looping water mains. Approximately \$250,000 of this loan will be forgiven under the federal stimulus program. The remainder will be paid back over a 20-year period at a three percent interest rate.

Council members also approved a recommendation from the LB840 Sales Tax Committee to grant \$10,000 to the Wayne Area Economic Development for marketing the community of Wayne.

Irene Fletcher, Assistant Director of the Wayne Area Economic Development, told the council that the money will be used for "comprehensive community marketing." She noted that this includes both marketing within the community, but also throughout the area and into other states.

The council will hold its final meeting of 2009 on Tuesday, Dec. 15 at 5:30 p.m. in council chambers.

County receives no bids for courthouse winter snow removal

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

The Wayne County Commissioners did not receive a bid to handle snow removal at the courthouse, so the board decided they will hire out the work to be done on their own.

At Tuesday's meeting, board chairman Jim Rabe of Winside said the county had two requests for bid information to handle snow removal around the courthouse this winter, but no bids were turned in by the deadline.

"Nobody turned in any bids, so we can basically hire whoever we want," he told the board.

Board member Kelvin Wurdeman of Wayne said he felt it was difficult for a contractor to bid for snow removal because of the unpredictable nature of the season.

"Do you scoop all day for the same price or bill by the hour," he asked.

Rabe said the board should bring some people who are interested in the job to talk about it and offer an hourly wage for the removal. Rabe said he has talked with local resident Randy Lutt, but no agreement has been reached.

The county board officially signed a resolution it agreed to at its last meeting that gives new Emergency Manager Nick Kemnitz voting privilege on the

regional emergency management board, replacing sheriff LeRoy Janssen, who had served in that capacity as the county's representative.

At the meeting, Kemnitz told the board that the county's emergency management operations manual needs to be updated, as it had not been updated to reflect changes for this year. Kemnitz said the manual will need to be updated again after the first of the year as well.

The county board officially made the emergency manager position a part-time job with unanimous approval of a resolution noting the hiring of Kemnitz as a part-time emergency manager. The resolution was required to notify federal and state grant funding sources of the county's intent to keep their position as a part-time position and accept no federal grant money for the position at this time.

The board closed its meeting with discussion of two lots just off the edge of Carroll city limits that the county is looking to purchase from Bob Chapman and Noreen Klinger. The board instructed board member Dean Burbach of Carroll to work with the landowners on a proposed purchase agreement that could be brought before the full board at a later time.

The county board's next meeting is Tuesday, Dec. 15 at 9 a.m. at the Wayne County Courthouse.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Arnold Junck points out some of the places of interest he saw during the time he spent in Europe during World War II. Looking on is his wife, Ivy.

Carroll resident recalls days fighting for U.S. in World War II

By CLARA OSTEN
Of The Herald

The anniversary of the bombing of Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941, is also the anniversary of Arnold Junck's enlistment into the U.S. Army Air Force.

Junck, who recently turned 90 and moved to Wayne from the Carroll area, was 21 years old when he decided to enlist in the military.

"Before the war, I was working for my uncle on the farm. I had had some mechanic training and wanted to be in the Air Force. Instead, I became a part of the U.S. Army Air Force," Junck said.

Junck enlisted in Norfolk and went to Omaha for a physical. He then returned home to wait for orders.

"Jobs were hard to find in those days so there were a lot of enlistees. There were others who were drafted into the army. I know we lost five people from Carroll during the war," he said.

When Arnold enlisted, he received private pay of \$21 per month and clothes.

After being sworn in at Fort Crook near Omaha, he was sent to Fort Leavenworth, Kan., for training and lots of shots. The

soldiers also learned to march, both at Fort Leavenworth and his next stop, Wichita Falls, Texas.

After that, Junck spent six months in Dallas, Texas, where he learned the basics of aviation mechanics, photography and electricity.

"My next stop was Colorado Springs, Colo., which had no camp ready when we arrived. We stayed at the junior high school when we got there and later moved to Peterson Field, which was an all new base," he said. It was at this time that the soldiers trained with B-17 Bombers.

After spending time at Camp Kilmer, N.J., an overseas staging area, Junck was scheduled for overseas duty in the European theatre.

On Jan. 15, 1944 he boarded a ferry and then boarded the ship Columbia, a cargo ship that had been made into a troop ship able to transport 7,000 troops.

Junck arrived in Glasgow, Scotland on Jan. 29, 1944 and boarded a train in the dark of night to avoid the enemy.

"While I was overseas, we were in a different place every night.

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City receives water grant

By CLARA OSTEN
Of The Herald

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) has awarded \$520,400 to Wayne for improvements to its wastewater treatment plant project.

EPA Region 7 Acting Regional Administrator William Rice said, "EPA is proud to award these water infrastructure funds to protect water quality. Water infrastructure is a lifeline for community health and prosperity."

Wayne's existing 25-year-old facility con-

tinues to generate odor complaints regarding the sludge treatment system. The grant will help construct a wastewater treatment plant which will address odor concerns.

EPA oversees the protection of water quality and public health. The Agency is working with community leaders and the public to meet the growing needs and demands of our limited water resources. EPA remains committed to developing innovative and sustainable solutions for managing and financing infrastructure with public and private partners.

Construction work continues as local man renovates Godfather's Restaurant scheduled to reopen in January

By JOSHUA STUHL
Of The Herald

As the concrete dries, the laughter of co-worker camaraderie warms the air. Local crews have been working tirelessly to rejuvenate the Godfather's in downtown Wayne. Pouring concrete for the new, fully paved parking lot began Monday.

Local entrepreneur Jim Milliken plans to open the restaurant Jan. 25, 2010. He stated that he will hold a special "ribbon-cutting ceremony to officially celebrate" the grand re-opening one month later on Feb. 25.

Milliken proudly remarked that the "kitchen has been completely redone" and features new pizza ovens and other hardware. Also, he had the bathrooms

remodeled, recovered and repainted the walls, and is currently installing fresh carpet.

The new and improved Godfather's will feature a well-stocked buffet Monday through Friday and on Sunday afternoons as well as catering services for any occasion. Also, daily specials are planned for those choosing to dine-in, carry-out or be catered to.

With new furniture - including mainly booth seating - Milliken hopes to add to the fresh ambiance of the restaurant portion of the building.

On Nov. 1, 2010 the "competition clause" Mr. Milliken is currently under will expire, and he will then begin selling alcoholic beverages, too. While many eagerly anticipate the re-opening of Godfather's, residents also have an

additional treat to look forward to.

On top of the usual Godfather's menagerie, Milliken also plans to open a bar in the back half of the building. This new bar will feature a private entrance, apart from Godfather's. Additions are planned for this portion of the establishment, including a beer garden.

This welcome addition to the community will sustain "up to 20 employees once both the restaurant and bar are fully functional" according to Milliken. A longtime resident of Wayne, Jim Milliken hopes to bring more revenue into the community while providing a fun and safe atmosphere for everyone to enjoy.

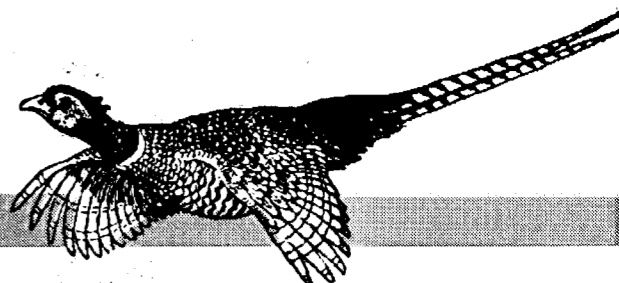


(Photo by Joshua Stuhl)

Dale Fernau spreads glue for the carpet being laid at Godfather's restaurant, which is scheduled to reopen sometime in early 2010.

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Obituaries

Teresa Sachau

Teresa M. Sachau, 83, of Allen died Sunday, Nov. 29, 2009 at a Sioux City hospital.



Services were held Thursday, Dec. 3 at St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Jackson with Father Paul Albenesius officiating.

Teresa Sachau was born Oct. 15, 1926 in Mapleton, Iowa to Nickolas and Anna (Keitges) Flammang. She attended school in rural Mapleton. When she was a teenager, the family moved to Emerson. She was a cook at the Sacred Heart Parochial School in Emerson during World War II. She married William "Bill" Sachau on Jan. 19, 1949 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Emerson. The couple farmed south of Emerson for two years, then moved east of Allen and farmed for two years. In 1953 they moved to the farm they presently owned and operated. Bill died June 19, 2008. She was a member of the St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Jackson, the American Legion Auxiliary #175, VFW Auxiliary #5435, the Pleasant Hour Club and St. Patrick's Altar Society. She enjoyed gardening, working on the farm, baking, and visiting with family and friends. She was known for her lemon meringue pie.

Survivors include two daughters, Connie (Gary) Miller of Springfield, S.D. and Cathy Tellinghousen of Martinsburg; two sons, Bill Sachau of Allen and Kent (Tina) Sachau of Martinsburg; 14 grandchildren; 11 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Edgar (Esther) Flammang of Sioux City, Iowa and Jerome Flammang of Arvada, Colo.; two sisters, Monica Smith of Papillion and Mary Gormally of Arvada, Colo.; several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Bill; three sisters, infant, Coletta Flammang, Elizabeth Uhl and Rita Ferdig; one brother, Matthew Flammang; two sons-in-law, Ronald Starwalt and LeRoy Tellinghousen; one niece and one nephew.

Burial was in the Calvary Cemetery in Emerson. Arrangements were under the direction of the Mohr Funeral Home in Ponca. Online condolences may be sent at www.mohrfuneralhome.com.

Robert D. Jensen

Robert D. Jensen, 75, of Winside died Monday, Nov. 30, 2009, at the Norfolk Veteran's Home in Norfolk.

A memorial service will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 5 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Winside. Officiating will be Rev. Glenn Kietzmann. Inurnment will be private at a later date. Family will be present at the church from 9 a.m. to service time. Stonacek Funeral Chapel of Norfolk is in charge of arrangements. The Winside American Legion Post #252 will be presenting military rites after the memorial service on Saturday.

Robert D. Jensen was born on April 14, 1934 to Leo and Mary (Prince) Jensen on a farm southeast of Carroll. He was baptized and confirmed at Trinity Lutheran Church in Winside. He attended Country School #65 and then graduated from Winside Public School. He attended Norfolk Junior College before serving two years in the U.S. Army. He was stationed in Germany. After receiving a B.A. in Education from Wayne State Teachers College, Robert received a Masters of Education Degree from the University Of Nebraska, Lincoln. Robert served as a teacher, principal and guidance counselor in several Nebraska schools. Besides farming, Robert was also a crop hail adjuster for Rain and Hail for 40 years. He was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Winside. He was also a member of the Winside American Legion and many other civic organizations through the years.

Survivors include his wife Joan (Jacobson) Jensen of Winside; three daughters, Lori and Lonnie Bermel of Sioux City, Iowa; Lisa and Tim Ryan of St. Petersburg, Fla.; and Leah and husband Kevin Marotz of Hoskins; six grandchildren, one step-grandchild, and one step-great grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his parents and his sister, Mary Lea Lage.

The family requests that people donate to their own wishes.

Harold 'Mac' Maciejewski

Harold "Mac" Maciejewski, 89, of Wayne died Sunday, Nov. 29, 2009 at a hospital in Las Vegas, Nev.

Services are pending with Hasemann Funeral Home of Wayne.

Looking Ahead in Wayne

By Lowell Johnson,
City Administrator

City Council

The next city council meeting is Tuesday, Dec. 15 at 5:30 p.m. in City Hall at 306 Main Street in Wayne.

We Can See the Future of Wayne From Here and It Looks Good

In case you haven't noticed, there are three leadership groups of 20-40 something here that are energized and connecting with others of their same age.

Why does that matter?

New profits and new wealth in a community come from restless people with new ideas. Good new business ideas are often born in mutual relationships.

Who are these groups?

Leadership Wayne is a five month meeting series of 18 young professionals that work in Wayne. They are meeting monthly from Sept '09 to Feb '10 in a discussion and lecture series and making business and social network connections for themselves and their employers. The meeting series is sponsored by Wayne Area Economic Development. They're enjoying each others' company. Watch for an idea to break out of this group.

Young Professionals is a new

organization here of about fifteen 20-30 something's. They have been meeting about every month or two for about a year to network socially and talk business. They may talk about us oldtimers. Watch for them to challenge some of the things we do.

Wayne Jaycees is the old timer of the youngster groups. This bunch of about twenty-five 20-30 something's brings us the annual Henowen fireworks show, and focuses on kids events including the punt/pass/kick competition. A couple decades ago, this organization built the original softball fields in a corn field and developed them over the years. These parents help provide leadership opportunities for the kids in the Wayne area. Tell them thanks.

More "new kids in town" to add to the list of future business owners and start-ups:

Dan Heikes - Heikes Automotive Service; Ben and Sam Kurgewett - Main Street Auto; Joseph and Kari Baldwin - Rain Tree Liquor; and Stephanie Lisaka and Tim Fertig - Interactive Impact, Inc.

Quote

"Happiness is a decision. Make it" - Unknown

Questions/Comments

Email questions and comments to cityadmin@cityofwayne.org.

Black Hills Energy requests natural gas rate increase in Nebraska

Black Hills Energy's Nebraska natural gas utility, a subsidiary of Black Hills Corp. (NYSE:BKH), has announced that it has filed a request for a natural gas revenue increase with the Nebraska Public Service Commission to recover the cost of capital investments the company made in its Nebraska natural gas distribution systems since July 1, 2006, and increased operating expenses incurred during the same period. The company last filed for a rate increase in November 2006.

Black Hills Energy is seeking a \$12.1 million or 6.5 percent increase in annual revenue. Interim rates take effect March 1, 2010. If final rates approved by the NPSC are lower than interim rates, customers will receive a refund with interest.

"We provide natural gas to customers in 110 Nebraska communi-



ties. Since 2006, we have spent nearly \$30 million in Nebraska to replace obsolete pipes and other equipment, make system upgrades and implement new technology so that our gas distribution systems are safe, reliable and efficient," said Dan Mechtenberg, Black Hills Energy vice president of Nebraska natural gas operations.

"While these improvements are necessary to serve our customers, the associated costs are not reflected in our current rates. We proactively work to keep our operating costs low and delay rate increases as long as we can. The process to recover investment costs and increases in operating costs requires a filing with the Nebraska Public Service Commission. This rate filing includes only those costs and capital investments made since our last request in 2006 and are critical to continue providing the safe and reliable natural gas service our customers deserve," said Mechtenberg.

The average monthly bill would increase by approximately \$5.48 for residential customers if the proposed rates are approved, and \$2.65 for commercial customers. The actual change in a customer's bill will vary based on how much natural gas is used and the price of natural gas, which is not part of this rate case.

"Black Hills Energy natural gas service remains a good value and comparable to other natural gas providers in our area," said Mechtenberg. "If approved, our average residential customer in Nebraska will pay 18 cents more per day to keep their house warm, cook meals, dry clothing and heat water. The rate request will not take effect for 90 days and before permanent rates are implemented, our filing undergoes rigorous review by the commission."

Black Hills Energy is also proposing to change the way its rates are structured, moving from a single delivery charge to a two-tier declining block delivery charge. The declining block rate design is fairly common and in line with other natural gas utilities in Nebraska. Declining block rates levelize the utility's revenue collection, minimizing the impact of extreme weather. Black Hills Energy's last rate increase of 4.36 percent was based on costs through June 30, 2006, and went into effect Feb. 15, 2007. Black Hills Energy's complete rate request will be available on the NPSC Web site, www.psc.state.ne.us.

A Quick Look



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Nov. 26	41	24	---	---
Nov. 27	42	25	---	---
Nov. 28	64	26	---	---
Nov. 29	50	26	---	---
Nov. 30	40	20	---	---
Dec. 1	58	24	---	---
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Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Dec. 4 at the Wayne City Auditorium in conjunction with Fantasy Forest. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15.



Festival of Trees

CARROLL — A holiday Festival of Trees event will be held Sunday, Dec. 6 at the Carroll City Auditorium. The event runs from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. and will include a soup and pie social.

The event is being sponsored by the Carroll Q-125 Committee.



Gifts for Kids

AREA — Gifts for Kids tags are now available on the tree at Pamida. Gifts may be purchased for local children in need. The gifts should be returned to Pamida by Sunday, Dec. 20. For more information, contact Coordinator Kathy Berry at 375-3066.



H1N1 Clinic

WAYNE — A Public Health H1N1 Influenza Clinic will be held at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne on Thursday, Dec. 10 from 4 to 8 p.m. For more information, contact the Northeast Nebraska Public Health Department at (402) 375-2200 or 1-800-375-2260.

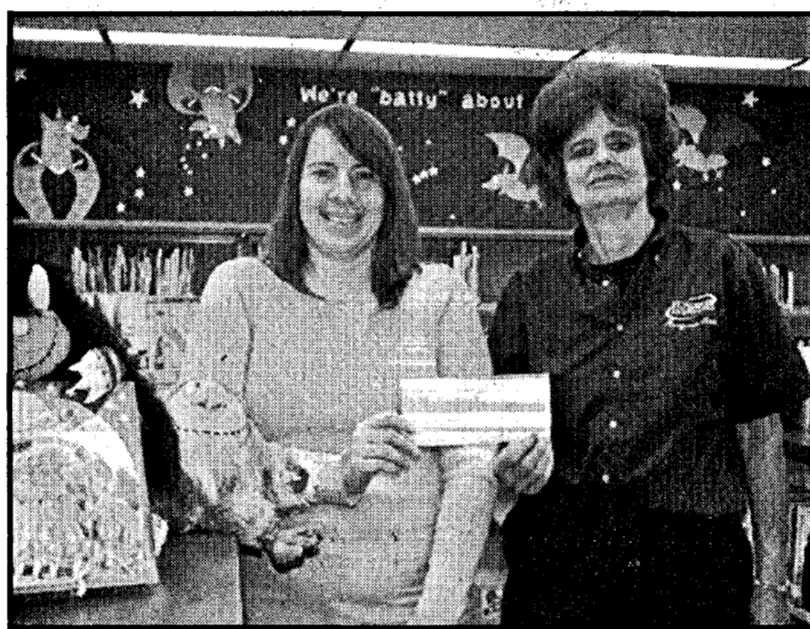


Holiday Decorating Contest

WAYNE — An Outdoor Residential Holiday Decorating Contest is being sponsored by the Q-125 Committee. All homes in the Wayne city limits are eligible to participate. Prizes of \$125 will be offered in each of three categories - religious, nostalgic and Martha Stewart would be proud. Entries should be submitted to Nancy Jo Powers, 513 Oak Drive or Fauneil Bennett, 1415 Hill Drive in Wayne. The deadline is Monday, Dec. 14.



Mari, Wayne Elementary



Great Books for Great Kids

Toni Schrant, manager of the Wayne Runza®, right, recently presented a check to Julie Osnes, Youth Services Director at the Wayne Public Library. The money represents a portion of the sales during the annual "Great Books for Great Kids" promotion. The money will be used toward the purchase of new picture books and material for the parenting corner at the library.



Generous donation

The Pamida Foundation presented a \$2,000 check to the Wayne Food Pantry last week. The money will be used to purchase perishable items needed at the Food Pantry as well as other supplies that the Food Pantry needs. Involved in the presentation were, front row, left to right, Brandi Walth, Megan Dunklau and Barb Heier. Back row, Suzanne Dusterhoff, Dan Sukup with the Food Pantry and Dan Wibben.

Advice shared on proper disposal of medications

Just about all of us have expired or unwanted medications sitting in medicine cabinets or locked drawers. What exactly are we supposed to do with these out-dated drugs?

Flushing these drugs down the toilet is not a solution since studies show that this can present environmental problems and certain medications have been found in our water supplies. Generally speaking, your pharmacy, doctor's office, local hospital and recycling waste facility are no longer accepting expired or unwanted medications. "Based on public health concerns

and negative impacts to water quality, a coalition of local, state and non-profit organizations have joined together to spread the message that we should now throw medications away in the trash instead of flushing them down the toilet," said Marcia Mueeting, PharmD, RP, with the Nebraska Pharmacists Association.

The Nebraska Medication Education on Disposal Strategies (MEDS) partnership consists of the Nebraska Pharmacists Association, the Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department, the Nebraska

Department of Environmental Quality, the Nebraska Regional Poison Center and the Groundwater Foundation. The mission of the Nebraska MEDS project is to educate Nebraskans on the safe way to dispose of medications to better safeguard the environment and promote public health.

For additional information on how to safely dispose of medications, visit the Nebraska MEDS website at www.nebraskameds.org or contact the Nebraska Regional Poison Center at 1-800-222-1222.

Internet poll question

Last week's poll question, Compared to last year, how much do you plan on spending this year for Christmas: More - 13% - Less - 44% - About the Same - 44%

This week's question is "What is your favorite Christmas Movie?" Visit our website, www.mywaynews.com to cast your vote.

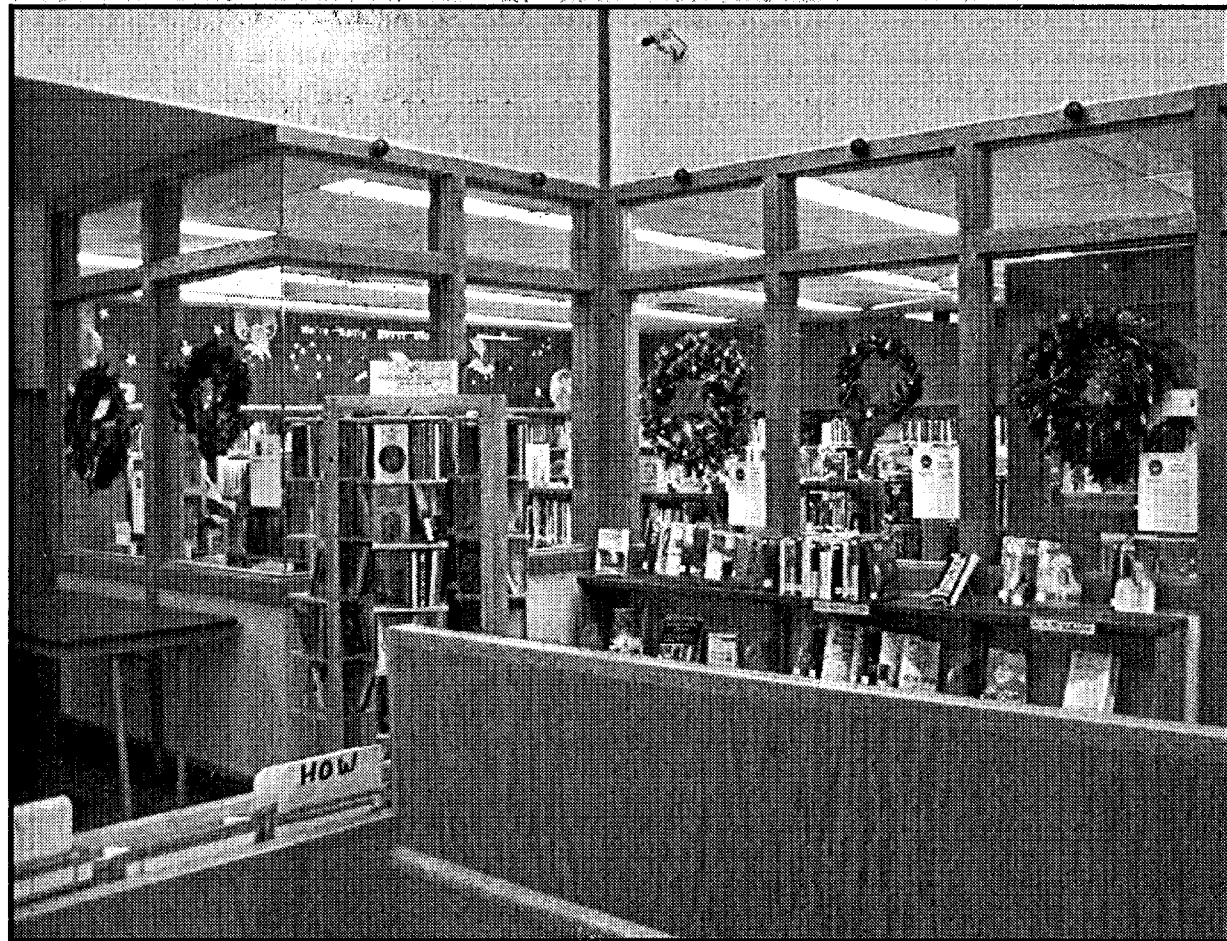
It's a Wonderful Life, Christmas Vacation, White Christmas, Miracle on 34th Street or How the Grinch Stole Christmas.

Fick gets 4-6 years for sexual assault

A former Wayne State student has filed an appeal after he was sentenced on one count of first-degree sexual assault Wednesday in Wayne County District Court. Lance Fick, 21, was sentenced

to 4-6 years in prison after he was found guilty in September of first-degree sexual assault. The charge stemmed from an incident in October 2008 on the Wayne State College campus. Fick, a native of

Inman, was a student at the college when the assault took place. Fick was originally charged with three counts of first-degree sexual assault. He indicated that he will appeal his sentence.



(Photos by Clara Osten)

These Christmas wreaths are on display at the Wayne Public Library and Senior Center, and will be up for bid in a silent auction after a Christmas program Monday evening.

Christmas wreaths on display, silent auction at Senior Center

An array of 27 seasonal wreaths is on display at Wayne Public Library and Senior Center through Dec. 7.

Area businesses, churches, youth groups, social, civic and community organizations donated the wreaths. The display provides a way for people to get into the holiday spirit and an opportunity to bid on a wreath to take home. Proceeds from the silent auction will be donated to the Veterans Memorial Fund. Minimum bids of \$10 will be asked for each wreath.

On Monday, Dec. 7, the Library and Senior Center will be ablaze with Christmas Spirit. The Presbyterian Church Bell Choir

and Clarinet Ensemble will perform Christmas music at 6:30 p.m. and the winning bidders will be announced at 7. Refreshments will be available throughout the evening.

Rita McLean, coordinator of the project for the Library, would like to thank the following businesses/organizations for their participation: Garden Perennials, St. Mary's Catholic Church-VIA, The Coffee Shop, The Final Touch, Farmers & Merchants State Bank, Wayne Eagles Auxiliary #3757, Swans Apparel, Optimists of Wayne, Presbyterian Women of Wayne, Wayne Area Habitat for Humanity, Flowers and Wine, Pac 'N' Save,

WSC - Circle K International, Premier Assisted Living, Premier Senior Living, "The Front Porch", Wayne Public Library, Providence Medical Center Foundation, WSC - Wayne Educational Office Professionals Organization WEOFA, Consolidated Veterans Group, Wayne Chapter #194 Order of Eastern Star, "Project Majestic", Wayne Q125 Committee, Grace Lutheran Ladies Aid & LWML, Pizza Hut, Minerva Club and Fishers of Kids Preschool.

"We also appreciate the support of the Wayne Chamber of Commerce, KTCH, The Wayne Herald and Rotary for promoting the project," McLean said.

Festival of Trees set at WSC

The Wayne State College Student Senate and Pi Gamma Mu Social Sciences Honor Society will co-sponsor the 2009 Festival of Trees in the Wayne State College Student Center atrium, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 7, 8 and 9 during the hours of 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. and again from 6 to 8 p.m.

"Imagine a child's holiday season without a gift. For many northeast Nebraska families, this bleak situation is facing them during what should be a joyous time," said Dr. Randy Bertolas, organizer of the event and professor at WSC. "Please help put a toy in the hands of a needy child this holiday season."

The atrium of the campus Student Center will be filled with "themed" holiday trees sponsored by WSC

clubs, organizations, residence halls, faculty, staff and offices.

WSC organizations will set out labeled, decorated trees in the WSC Student Center atrium during these three days. Campus and community members are invited to view the trees and to vote for your favorite ones via cash donation buckets set up during the designated hours.

All donations will go toward buying gifts for needy children in Wayne County. This activity is being coordinated with the Wayne Health and Human Services Office.

For more information about the Festival of Trees, contact Dr. Randy Bertolas at raberto1@wsc.edu.

State Patrol to conduct special enforcement during holidays

The Nebraska State Patrol will conduct special enforcement efforts as a part of a nationwide campaign to remove impaired drivers from state roadways.

Beginning Thursday, Dec. 4, 2009 and continuing through Jan. 2, 2010, troopers will participate in

the "You Drink and Drive You Lose" campaign.

"The holidays often combine heavy traffic and inclement weather," Col. Bryan Tuma, Superintendent of the Nebraska State Patrol, said. "Add alcohol to the mix and you've got a potentially deadly situation."

According to statistics from the Nebraska Office of Highway Safety, alcohol was a factor in 61 of the 188 fatal crashes on Nebraska roads in 2008. Of the 208 people killed on our roadways, 67 highway deaths were alcohol related.

Troopers and dispatchers will put in overtime hours on weekends, during the special enforcement time period thanks in part to a nearly \$27,000 grant from the NOHS.

The Nebraska State Patrol reminds motorists to never drive impaired, always buckle-up, obey the posted speed limit and avoid distractions while driving. Anyone witnessing an impaired or reckless driver are asked to call the State Patrol's Highway Helpline by dialing Star-55 from any cellular phone or (800) 525-5555.

Entrepreneurial class prepares for holiday store

The Entrepreneurship class at Wayne High will again be sponsoring "The Holiday School Store" to be located at 301 Main Street (the former downtown location of First National Bank).

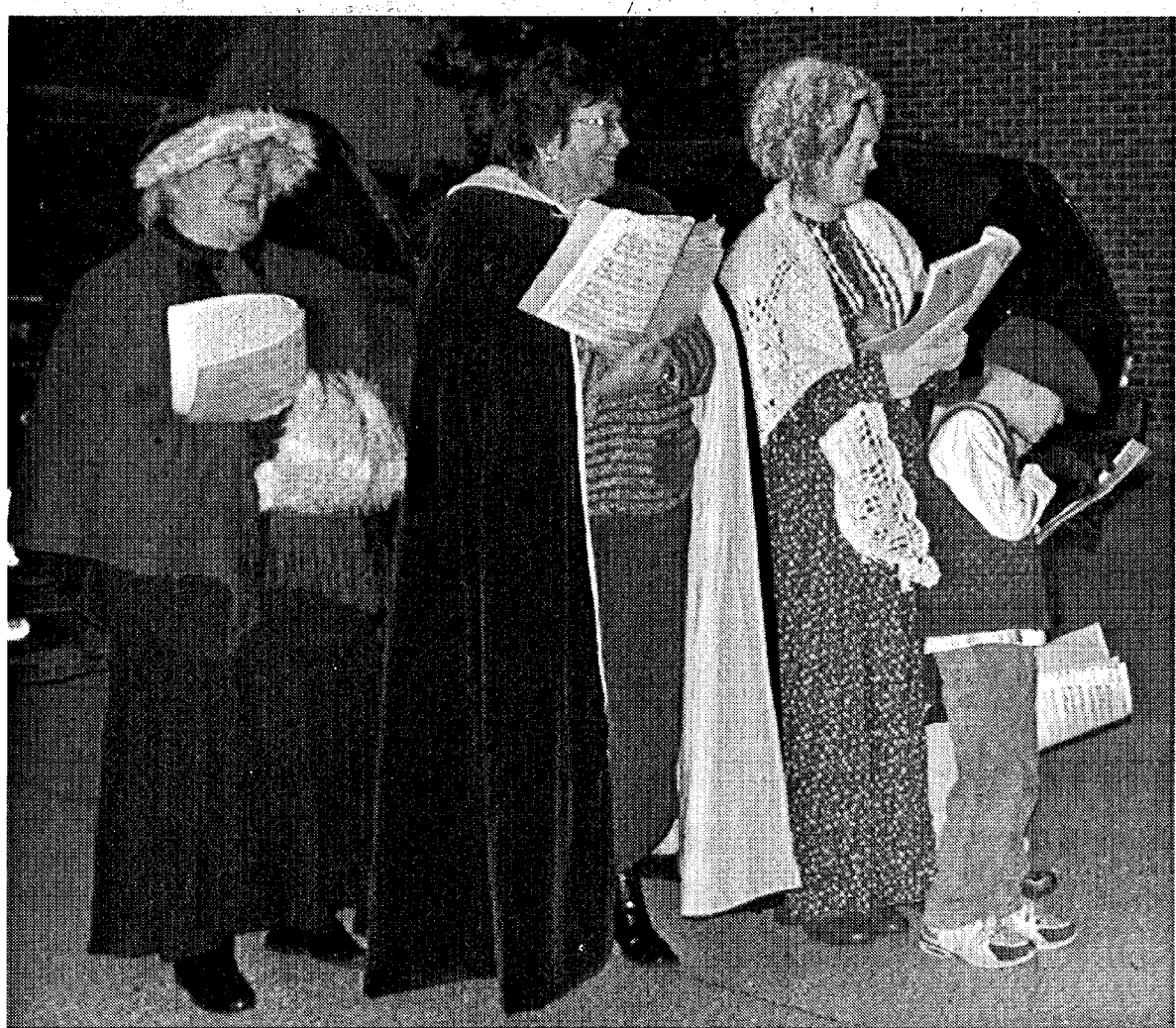
Hours of operation will be Thursday evenings (Dec. 3, 10, and 17) from 5-8 p.m. and Saturday mornings (Dec. 5 and 12) 9 a.m.-noon during the holiday season.

The school store has a large inventory of apparel, mugs, hats, stadium seats, duffle bags, etc.

Students will gain real-life experience through their work on this venture. The students have ordered, tagged and displayed inventory in the main street location, as well as worked on a marketing plan for the holiday business.

All students in the class will have the opportunity to work in the store also. This project is made possible through the assistance of First National Bank.

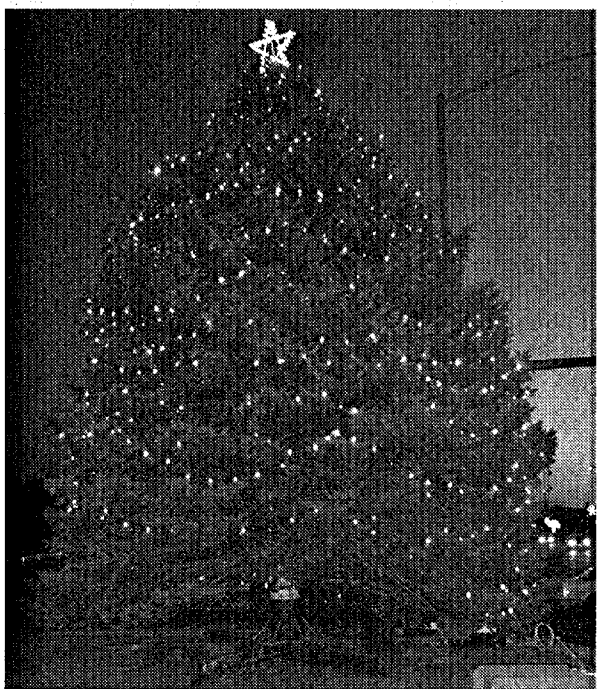
This year the Entrepreneurship class has expanded its apparel locations, as well. The Wayne State College Student Bookstore and the Wayne Community Activity Center are also displaying and selling Blue Devil apparel.



(Photos by Clara Osten)

'Tis the Season

Christmas caroling and a tree-lighting ceremony were held on Sunday at the large Christmas tree on the corner of Seventh and Main Streets. Above, members of the Wayne Community Theatre sang a number of Christmas tunes before the actual lighting. At right, on a cue from the Mayor of Wayne and those in attendance, the switch was turned on and the tree glowed in the dark.



Beware of space heater promises

It's a miracle ...

You may have seen advertisements in the magazine section of your Sunday newspaper for "miracle heaters" that claim you can save up to 50 percent on your heating bill! Just purchase one (or more) of these technological marvels, the advertisement trumpets, and you will never be cold again.

Before you rush to buy, however, you should look a little closer at the miracle heater's claim. The ad's fine print clearly states the way to reduce your heating bill is to set the thermostat in your house to as low as 50 degrees and move the space heater from room to room. In this case, savings do not come from operating the heater, but because you turned down the thermostat to 50 degrees.

Customers, who don't lower their thermostats, can actually spend more heating their home!

The practice of using space heaters to warm individual rooms is known as zone heating. If used correctly, it can provide one of two

benefits. From a cost savings standpoint, if you are consistent in turning down your main system's thermostat and use the space heater to heat just the room(s) you use, you can save money. The second benefit is from a comfort standpoint; if you have areas of your home that are hard to heat, using a space heater will make them more comfortable, but this will cost you a little more for the additional heat.

Bottom line, heating parts of your home with a portable heater is seldom the cure-all the catchy advertisements would have you believe. A portable heater can improve comfort for hard to heat areas, but using one doesn't guarantee you will save in heating costs. Instead, most homes will receive greater benefit from money spent on insulation, weather stripping, servicing your heating and cooling equipment, changing filters, installing compact fluorescent lamps, using programmable thermostats, purchasing ENERGY STAR appliances or setting back the temperature

setting on your thermostat when you're not at home.

These common things will help reduce the amount of heat or cooling your home needs or consume less energy performing the same work. For more energy saving tips, visit your local utilities web site. Source: Consumer Reports Home and Garden Blog at <http://blogs.consumerreports.org/home/space-heaters/>.

For more information on steps homeowners can take to improve the efficiency of their homes, contact your local public power utility, or visit the Energy Star Home Advisor at <http://www.energystar.gov/homeadvisor>. Lots of useful energy efficiency information is also available at <http://www.nppd.com>.

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(Photo by Clara Osten)

Nice to meet you, Santa

Opal Harder, a resident of The Oaks Senior Retirement Community, met Santa on Monday during his visit to the facility. Looking on is Alex Frank, who helped Santa hand out treats. Several other residents and numerous guests took time to stop by and visit with the jolly man in red.

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Taylor named to vice president position at Wayne State College

C.M. "Mac" Taylor, a certified management accountant, has been named Vice President for Administration and Finance at Wayne State College.

"As search committee chair, I know the committee was glad that we were able to hire someone with such extensive experience and qualifications," said Dr. Robert McCue, Vice President of Academic Affairs. "I am very glad, personally, because I was looking for someone who was easy to work with and collaborative and I got that feeling about Mac Taylor from the search process."

Taylor worked at the University of Illinois for almost 12 years in the Office of Financial Affairs including working as Assistant to



Taylor

the Comptroller (VP), at Boise State University for 21 years as Controller and several other positions. Taylor also worked at Central Washington University in Ellensburg as Director of Accounting and Payroll, at Eastern Oregon University as Director of Business Affairs and at Great Basin College in Elko, Nev. as Controller, as well as other duties.

Taylor was born in Urbana, Illinois and grew up in East Central Illinois around Champaign-Urbana. He lived on a farm west of the town of Mahomet.

He earned a bachelor of science degree in accounting from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, a master's degree in Higher Education Administration from the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, and an MBA degree from Boise State University in Boise, Idaho.

Local youth team up with area stores on sticker campaign

In partnership with area retailers, Project Extra Mile's Wayne County Youth Group kicked off the Sticker Shock campaign on Nov. 30.

Teams of youth and adults visited local convenience and grocery stores to affix stickers to multi-packs of beer and other alcoholic beverages attractive to teens. The youth traveled in groups, accompanied by adult chaperones, to those businesses who had agreed to have the stickers placed on alcoholic beverages in their stores.

"The holiday season is approaching, and it is a popular time of year for gatherings to include alcohol for adults. Sticker Shock will

remind adults of the penalties that exist under the new dram shop and social host liability law where adults who provide or sell alcohol to a minor face civil liability if the intoxicated minor injures or kills someone or causes property damage," said Steve Shear, Project Extra Mile coordinator.

"It's important for all members of the community - young people, retailers, policy makers and law enforcement - to play their role in working to prevent youth access to alcohol," said Dan Wibben, manager of the Wayne Pamida store. "As a retailer, we're happy to participate in the campaign to help keep kids safe."



(Photo by Clara Osten) Dillon Wieland and Colin Webster place stickers on cases of beer at Pamida as part of the Sticker Shock campaign.



Aircorp 30th Squadron Photo Reconnaissance

(Contributed photo)

Arnold Junck was part of the Aircorp 30th Squadron. He is the 13th person from the left in the middle row.

Junck

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We found air fields in some places and built them in other places. There were no maps of the area when the war started and our goal was to get pictures. I traveled with the 1st Army. We were never stationary," Arnold said.

"We carried guns at all times because the war went on at all times, even on Christmas."

He remembers being very cold when in Europe and sleeping outside with only two blankets to keep warm.



(Contributed photo)

Also vivid among his memories is going through Buckenwald Concentration Camp near Weimer, Germany. He has a number of pictures of the camp and recalls in detail many of the things the U.S. troops found in the camp when it was liberated.

During Junck's time overseas he sent V-mail to his family in Nebraska on a regular basis. He said he could send letters as often as he wished, but the mail was censored. He did not talk with his family for nearly years.

Junck returned to the United States on Sept. 19, 1945, was discharged from the Army on Oct. 20, 1945 at Camp Crowder, Mo. and ended his military career as a Master Sergeant with a pay of \$135 per month.

From Camp Crowder, Junck took a taxi to Kansas City, a bus to Omaha and a train to Norfolk where he was reunited with his family after serving 3 1/2 years.

"I didn't talk about the war for 50 years and never talked about it to my mother. It was only after my

Arnold Junck has many memories of the time he spent in the military, including the fact that his clothes did not fit properly.

grandchildren asked me to talk to their history classes that I started talking about my experiences. I visited a number of classes at Wayne High School where the students asked some very good questions," Junck said.

Arnold began farming in the spring of 1946 and farmed until he was 80 years old. He and his wife, Ivy, were married in February of 1946.

Before the war started, Ivy lived southwest of Wayne and was teaching at a country school southwest of Wayne. Arnold and Ivy had met before Arnold enlisted in the

army because Ivy was living with Arnold's aunt and uncle. The two wrote letters to each other during the war.

She remembers the war effort in this area and recalled her involvement with the war.

"I started working with the Rationing Board in August of 1942, as part of the Office of Price Administration. Our office was in the northeast corner of the basement of the Post Office. I was paid \$125 per month and didn't have to travel like I did when I was teaching," Ivy said.

Among the items that were being rationed were sugar, gas and tires.

"There were no tires to be found at that time. Everything was being made for war. Also, there was no men's clothing," Ivy said.

Her brother-in-law was killed in the Battle of the Bulge and temporarily buried overseas before being brought back to Wayne.

"There was no TV at that time, but we knew what was going on in the war effort, as much as the government would allow," Ivy said.

In recent years Arnold and Ivy have organized the pictures Arnold has from the war and put them on CD's to pass on to their children and grandchildren. In addition, a timeline of Arnold's activities in the military has been put together.

Arnold and Ivy have two sons, Dennis and Jerry and one daughter, Kathy Rutenbeck. They also have nine grandchildren and a number of great-grandchildren.

Both Arnold and Ivy agree that during World War II, "everybody supported the war."

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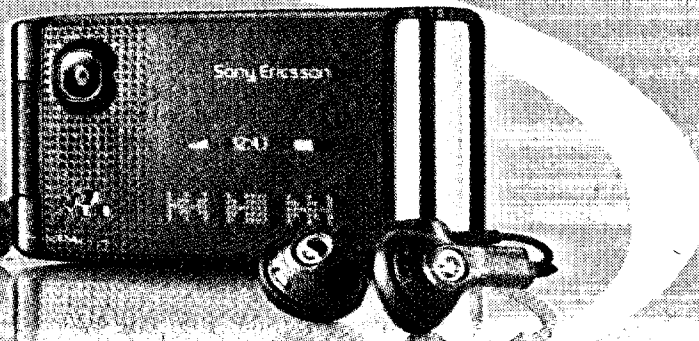
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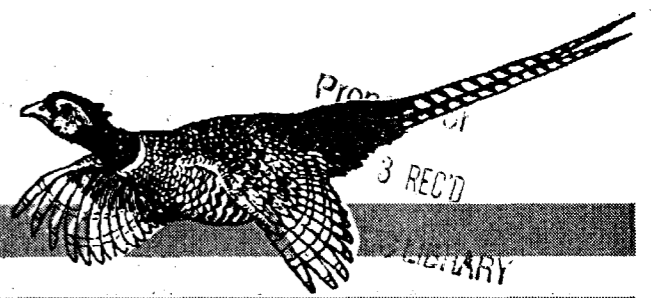


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Rice Rowdy Black Out is Saturday

The Wayne State College Theories of Coaching basketball class will be hosting the "Rice Rowdy Black Out" on Saturday, Dec. 5 when the Wildcats host the University of Mary.

The promotion was created to bring awareness to Wildcat basketball fans that home conference doubleheaders on Saturdays this season start at 4 p.m. with the women's game, followed by the men at 6 p.m.

Fans are encouraged to wear black clothing for a chance to win several prizes, including a 32-inch TV donated by the Max Lounge and Pamida, plus eight \$25 certificates in Wayne Chamber Bucks, \$750 in cash and four chances to win a cash prize of \$50. A variety of other prizes like autographed sports memorabilia from Wayne State College athletics will also be given away.

The prizes will be given away at random during both games and you must show up no later than 4:15 p.m. in order to receive a ticket for the prizes. All winners must be present to win.

From The Bleachers

Michael Carnes



Get off your hands, WSC hoop fans

Last week, as I saw the Wayne State men's basketball team turn a nine-point lead into a 10-point loss, I noticed something I thought I'd never see in Rice Auditorium.

As the time wound down and the lead changed hands, I saw about 300 fans sitting there, watching the Wildcats lose a game as if they were sitting through their own courtroom sentencing.

Seriously - I have seen more excitement at a funeral. I can't believe that the people who claim to be Wayne State fans were sitting quietly, as if they were high school kids watching the clock tick down the final seconds of study hall.

It wasn't much better in the women's game, either. Then again, it's hard not to get excited when the Wayne State women - who are off to their best start in 35 years - are lighting up an outmanned York College team and hitting just about every shot they launched.

Granted, the Wayne State men's program is in a station of transition right now. Coach Paul Combs is in his first season and has a team that is struggling to make the change to a new coach and a new style of play. Tuesday's loss to York, as well as last week's come-from-ahead defeat to Buena Vista, were games that should have gone into the win column for Wayne State.

But is that any reason for Wayne State fans to sit and watch the men's team as if they are sitting through a bad TV program with no control over the remote? The fans should help lift a struggling team when they are in a close ball game, and it looked more like the fans were hoping to get out of there and get an early start to the Thanksgiving holiday.

That's not to say that there weren't some cheering, supportive fans on hand for the Wayne State-York doubleheader. There's just one problem, though...the most vocal and active fans watching the game were cheering on the visiting Panthers. By the end of the men's game, the only fans that could be heard were those clad in blue.

This weekend, the Wildcats begin Northern Sun Conference play with home games against Northern State and University of Mary. Saturday's doubleheader with Mary is Rice Rowdy Blackout Night, and fans are encouraged to wear black and come out to support the Wayne State men's and women's teams.

I'll take that encouragement one extra step - if you come to Rice Auditorium this weekend, prepare to REALLY show your support for

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Ashley Arlen drives past Newman University's Melanie Brockleman during Wayne State's 81-42 win Saturday. The win marked the first time in 35 years that the Wayne State women started the season 5-0.

Women move to 5-0

For the first time in 35 years, the Wayne State women's basketball team is a perfect 5-0.

The Wildcats smothered the visiting Newman University with a solid defensive effort and matched the start of the 1974-75 team with an 81-42 win Saturday at Rice Auditorium, giving Wayne State a five-game winning streak as it enters Northern Sun Conference play this weekend.

For the fifth time in as many games, the Wayne State defense dominated their opponent and held them under the 50-point mark. And while the result was outstanding, coach Chris Kielsemeyer said a lot of work has yet to be done.

"Our defense has been outstanding to this point and we're proud with how we're playing, but there are still a lot of areas for us to improve on," he said. "This team needs to understand that we have to continue to get better. We're progressing toward being a great team, but we need to keep getting better."

Kielsemeyer felt his team didn't play at quite the same level it had earlier in the week, when it pounded York College 100-40, and will need to get back to that level as it opens conference play at home this weekend with Northern State and University of Mary.

"Our energy wasn't quite there, and we'll address that because everybody in this conference can play and we have to be ready for it," he said. "Starting 5-0 for the first time in 35 years is nice, but it's not what you want to remember your season for. We really haven't done anything yet."

The Wildcats jumped out to an 8-0 lead with baskets by Mara Hjelle, Ashley Arlen and Alyssa Fischbach, all of whom finished the day in double figures. Hjelle led the way with 16 points, with Arlen adding 15 and Fischbach putting in 10.

Newman got as close as 13-9 midway through the

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(Contributed photo)

Mitchell honored

Yankton, S.D., assistant football coach Dan Mitchell was honored by the South Dakota High School Coaches Association for his 25 years in coaching during the South Dakota State Football Finals last month. Mitchell has been an assistant football coach for the past 25 years, receiving South Dakota Assistant Football Coach of the Year in 1999 and 2005. He has helped coach eight Eastern South Dakota Conference championship teams, four state championship teams and three state runner-up teams. He also served as an assistant wrestling coach at YHS from 1986-1994, earning South Dakota Assistant Wrestling Coach of the Year in 1994. He helped the Bucks to four conference championships, one state title and one runner-up trophy. Mitchell's entire coaching career has been spent at Yankton High School. He is a 1980 graduate of Wayne High School, a 1984 graduate of Wayne State College and is the son of Gene and Joyce Mitchell of Wayne.

Hefner earns second-team All-American

Wayne State junior volleyball standout Jennifer Hefner has been named to the 29th annual American Volleyball Coaches Association All-American Team for NCAA Div. II women's volleyball.

Hefner, an Archer, Neb., native, earned second-team All-American honors as voted on by NCAA Div. II coaches from across the country. She is the second player in Wayne State volleyball history to earn All-American honors, joining Emily Schroeder, who was a second-team AVCA and Daktronics All-American in 2006 and 2007.

Hefner earned first-team All-Northern Sun Conference honors for the second straight year, averaging a team-high 3.72 kills and 1.22 blocks per set while hitting .326 for the season. She led the NSIC this season in blocks, ranked second in points per set (4.66), third in kills per set and seventh in hitting percentage.

Hefner also ranks 12th in NCAA Div. II in blocks per set and was also named to the All-Tournament

Team at the NCAA Division II Central Regional. She was also named the Sports Imports/AVCA Div. II National Player of the Week on Sept. 15 and helped Wayne State win a school-record 15 consecutive matches. Hefner finished the season with 483 kills, ninth most in a single season by a Wildcat player, and her career total of 1,178 ranks 11th all-time entering her senior season.

Hefner also excels in the classroom, being named to the ESPN The Magazine Academic All-America Volleyball Team for NCAA Div. II with a 3.96 grade-point average, becoming the first WSC volleyball player to claim the prestigious honor. Hefner was also named to the AVCA All-Central Region Team and Daktronics Second Team All-Central Region.



Hefner

Wildcats pick up first win of season

The Wayne State men's basketball team picked up its first victory of the season Friday at the Sunheat Classic in Grand Island, and nearly made it a weekend sweep before falling to Nebraska-Omaha.

On Friday, the Wildcats hit 20-of-22 from the free throw line and held off a late rally to beat Benedictine 70-65 to get Paul Combs his first win as Wayne State's head coach. The following day, the Wildcats came back from a 15-point deficit and nearly pulled out the win before undefeated Nebraska-Omaha hit four free throws in the final 30 seconds to win, 74-69.

Combs was happy with his team's play in the win over Benedictine, particularly in the final few minutes.

"We struggled during crunch time the first two games, so I was pleased for our guys to be able to make plays down the stretch," he said. "I was pleased that we were

able to execute offensively, get some stops on defense and hit our free throws down the stretch."

Wayne State trailed by two at halftime, but adjusted to Benedictine's up-tempo style of play with a solid defense that helped the Wildcats outscore Benedictine 35-28 in the second half.

Brad Starken led the Wildcats with 22 points and six assists, while Amry Shelby added 14 points, Marcus Messersmith scored 13 and Brian Metz put in 10. The Wildcats shot 44 percent from the field and almost 94 percent from the foul line in the win.

The Wildcats played the cross-state rival Mavericks tough during the first half, but UNO was able to get out to a good lead early in the second half before Wayne State rallied to make a game of it.

"I thought we played a fairly complete first half, and UNO

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2009-10 Winter Sports Previews

Blue Devils unveil new offense

Expect the Wayne boys basketball team to present a different look in 2009-10 from what past Blue Devil teams have shown.

Coach Rocky Ruhl, who begins his 17th season as head coach, is changing things up a little bit and is hoping to run a read-and-react type of motion offense that will keep things hopping for a team looking to improve on last year's 8-14 finish.

"We're still kind of finding our identity and seeing who can play together, but I like how we've improved through practice and I think the kids are buying into it."

Ruhl said the offense will get away from the set offense and try to react to what the defense is doing and attack accordingly.

"We want to get more movement into the offense and attack the defense, rather than let them set up and then try to break it down,"

he said. "It's kind of like a motion offense with some rules to it. We're going to run down and the first guy who's open launches it up, but we want to see if we can get some easy shots with passing and cutting and get more movement that way."

Ruhl said he feels he's got the kids to run this offense, led by returning starters Derek Poutre, Justin Anderson and Jacob Zeiss. Poutre and Zeiss are both solid guards who can contribute in scoring and rebounds, while Anderson can attack from the forward slot as a 6-foot-3 junior.

Three other letterwinners are back from last year, including Jordan Barry, Keegan Dorcey and Seth Onderstal. A good group of up-and-coming players gives added depth, including seniors Cory Foote, Taylor Carroll and Geoff Nelson, sophomores Gage Rethwisch and Miles Anderson, and incoming

Wayne High Boys Basketball

Head coach: Rocky Ruhl, 23rd year
2008 Record: 8-14
Returning Starters: 3
Returning Letterwinners: 6
First game: Friday vs. Battle Creek

freshman Brady Soden. "I like our depth," Ruhl said. "I think we've got nine or 10 kids who can really play some ball, and we've got some other kids who are challenging. I think it's just a matter of finding who is in the zone on certain nights and make sure they get their opportunities. This offense makes you work and we want to put pressure on people, so

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Wayne girls to rely on defense

Defense should be the calling card for the Wayne girls basketball team, as second-year head coach Nathan Wall returns three starters from last year's 14-9 squad.

The Blue Devils gave up just 45 points per game last year, and Wall said this year's team will be looking to continue that stingy defensive effort this season.

"We will be able to play some nasty defense, and we expect that average to decrease this year," he said. "The girls work very hard in practice and take great pride in how hard they practice, and that work ethic will transfer out on to the court."

The Blue Devils don't return a lot of scoring from last year. Katie Hoskins, a 6-foot-2 sophomore center, leads the returning starters after averaging just over eight points per game last year. Senior guard Jessica Calhoon and senior forward Shannon Jarvi both averaged a little more than four points per game.

The Blue Devils have a number of quality athletes returning as letterwinners, however. Senior Riley Hoffart leads a deep group of returning forwards, which includes Taylor Stowater, Kayla Grone (a part-time starter last year) and sisters Caitlin and Carly

Wayne High Girls Basketball

Head coach: Nathan Wall, 2nd year
2008 Record: 14-9
Returning Starters: 3
Returning Letterwinners: 9
First game: Friday vs. Battle Creek

Fehringer. The Blue Devils have questions at the guard slot, with Calhoon and Jordan Alexander the only players

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Depth key for Wakefield girls

Wakefield girls basketball coach Matt Brenn is hoping to build some depth into a team that is looking to improve on last year's 8-12 record. "I think we'll have a good team this year, but it's going to depend on us developing some depth and getting to that eighth and ninth player and seeing what they can do for us."

Three starters are back from last year, led by seniors Jenna Henderson and Libby Henschke. Henderson, a forward, averaged 7.5 points and five rebounds a game

Wakefield Girls Basketball

Head coach: Matt Brenn, 10th year

2008 Record: 8-12

Returning Starters: 3

Returning Letterwinners: 4

First game: Thursday vs. Pender

last year, and Henschke is looking to contribute more underneath as well.

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Wildcats named to super region team

Wayne State College had four players named to the 2009 Daktronics Super Region Three football team announced today. Senior quarterback Silas Fluellen, junior wide receiver Frederick Bruno and senior linebacker Ryan Reeves were each named to first-team selections, while senior wide receiver Logan Masters earned second-team recognition. First team all-region honorees are now eligible for Daktronics, Inc. Div. II Football All-American selection. The team is voted on by the members of the College Sports Information Directors of America (CoSIDA).

Wayne State softball clinic set

Wayne State College will be hosting a fundamentals softball clinic in the Wayne State College Recreation Center. The two-session clinic will be held on Sunday, Dec. 6 for girls in grades 3-7 with the Sunday, Dec. 13 camp for players in grades 8-12. Instruction will be given by Wayne State softball coach Krista Unger, assistant coach Danielle

Abrahamson and members of the 2010 Wildcat softball team. The camp will cover fielding, hitting, base running/sliding and short game. For more information, call Unger at (402) 375-7522. Additional information and registration forms can be found on the web at www.wscsoftballcamps.com.

Youth BB results

Girls Grades 5-6
Team Two 20, Team Four 18
Team Two - Tarah Stegeman 14, Tabitha Belt 4, Brenna Vovos 2.
Team Four - Shanda Lambert 6, Peyton Roach 4, Lindy Sandoz 4, Caitlyn Janke 2, Matteah Barelmann 2.
Team Three 30, Team Five 12
Team Three - Emily Matthes 10, Natali Muren 6, Hannah Belt 8, Kortney Keller 4, Taylor Gamble 2.
Team Five - Kaitlyn McCallister 6, Delaney Jensen 2, Gabrielle Lutt 2, Jacque Sherman 2.
Team One 34, Team Four 27
Team One - Kayla Schrunck 14, Melinda Longe 10, Kiara Hochstein 6, Kelsey Boyer 4.
Team Four - Peyton Roach 8, Shanda Lambert 6, Lindy Sandoz 6, Hannah Belt 4, Ashton Gibson 2, Matteah Barelmann 1.
Boys Grades 5-6
Team Four 29, Team One 28
Team Four - Malik Knox 22, Micah Sprouls 3, Payten Gamble 2, Adam Bentjen 2.
Team One - Colby Keiser 17, Seth Hochstein 7, Lathan Ellis 2, Tyler Lutt 2.
Team Two 12, Team Three 12
Team Two - Dylan Hurlbert 10, Will Anderson 2.
Team Three - Christian Rogers 8, Drew Davie 2, Jayse Munsell 2.

Also back is 5-foot-10 junior forward Keri Lunz, who is the team's leading returning scorer with eight points a game last year. "Our starters have been doing really well with helping the younger players, and we'll need to rely on their leadership and be a calming effect with their experience and get people in the right places on the floor," Brenn said. Four returning letterwinners are back from last year, all sophomores. Center Katie Weinrich and guards Mercedes Greve, Bailey Echtenkamp and Ashley Gilliland will take on a bigger role this year as they gain more experience. The Trojans will face a challenging schedule, and Brenn is hoping the team can get off to a good start. "It's going to be huge for us to get started on a positive note and get rolling early," he said. "We've had some years where we start slow, and it's hard to get over the hump like that, so we want to get out of the gate have some success and build some confidence for later in the year."

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Allen Boys Basketball

Head coach: Luke Hoffman, 1st year

2008 Record: 3-15

Returning Starters: 5

Returning Letterwinners: 6

First game: Friday at Cole-ridge

Eagles stress fundamentals

Allen's boys basketball team will need to play sound, fundamental basketball to overcome a height disadvantage, according to first-year coach Luke Hoffman. "We don't have a lot of height, so we're going to have to play very good defense and maybe spread things out more than normal," he said. "We want to get our ball-handling and passing down to where we can do that."

Five seniors will help lead the Eagles as they try to rebound from last year's 3-15 season. Jarret Warner, at 6-foot-3, is the tallest player on the team and he'll be joined by classmates Cody Stewart, Cody Logue, Keith Jorgensen and A.J. Williams. Senior guard Jake Woodward should also contribute to the cause this year, as Hoffman tabbed him as one of the players to watch for the Eagles this season.

"We have a pretty good group of seniors that will lead the team, and coming off a successful football season I think they're ready to come in and carry that momentum over to basketball," Hoffman said. "We're going to have to play sound defense and front people and get some help. We'll also have to run the ball a little more to get the offense going."

Wakefield boys have good experience back

Mike Clay starts his 13th year as Wakefield boys basketball coach, and he'll start the season with a team that has some good experience, but is short on height.

"I think we have a good group of kids, but I'm concerned about our size right now," he said. "We could conceivably use a five-guard lineup where six foot is our tallest guy. We have some good quickness and we have a good, hard-working team, but when you're a smaller team it's going to be even more important to hit your shots, make your free throws and take care of the ball."

Two starters are back from last year's 12-12 squad, led by senior Chad Clay. Clay averaged 15 points and five rebounds per game last year, and will be looked at to shoulder some of the scoring load this year.

"Chad's our leading scorer and rebounder from last year, and he's probably going to have to do some things he hasn't done before and play some in the post, depending on what we have out on the floor," Clay said.

Tyler Bodlak, who averaged six points, three rebounds and three assists last year, will direct the go-to guy on defense as well.

"Tyler is probably our best lockdown defender and one of our best defensive players, and he'll

Wakefield Boys Basketball

Head coach: Mike Clay, 13th year

2008 Record: 12-12

Returning Starters: 2

Returning Letterwinners: 6

First game: Thursday vs. Pender

also run things on offense," Clay said. "We'll be expecting a lot out of him and Chad."

The Trojans have six total letterwinners back from last year, including Alex Schultz, Dusty Sherer, Hugo Ortiz and Brock Soderberg.

"Brock has shown a lot of improvement and Hugo is a good shooter for us, and players like Chris Mattias has shown some promise on defense," Clay said.

The Trojans will face some challenging games early in the season, and Clay is hoping the Wakefield boys will be a competitive bunch this season.

"We've got Pender and Wayne early on, so we'll have a couple of tough tests early," he said. "We'll also see Ponca and Hartington Cedar Catholic and Laurel, who are all going to be in our district and will be tough. We've got a schedule that will definitely test us."

Lady Eagles' coach more comfortable this year

Second-year coach Logan McPhillips said both he and his Allen girls basketball team should be in better shape after their first season together.

The Lady Eagles were 5-15 last year, but with two starters and four letterwinners back, McPhillips feels more comfortable with his team coming into the 2009-10 season.

"Last year was my first year and everything was new, and this year the girls are more experienced and comfortable with what I want done, so I feel a lot better," he said. "The girls are excited for the season to start and they're doing the things they need to do to get the first game

Allen Girls Basketball

Head coach: Logan McPhillips, 2nd year

2008 Record: 5-15

Returning Starters: 2

Returning Letterwinners: 4

First game: Friday at Cole-ridge

going, so I'm excited to see where we're at."

Seniors Ashlee Hingst and Shannon Sullivan are back as returning starters, and McPhillips said he'll be looking to them to put

the ball in the basket early and often this season.

"They're going to be our scorers for sure," he said. "They both know how to get to the basket and get the ball to people in the right spots to get them to score, so it will be up to them to make the right decisions for us."

Senior Hannah Flores and junior Bentley Hingst also return as letterwinners from last year, and McPhillips expects both players to contribute.

"Hannah is recovering from an ACL injury and is working to get back into shape, but Bentley is really long and can rebound, play

Wakefield Wrestling

Head coach: Travis Volk, 3rd year

2008 Record: 16-10

Returning Starters: 13

Returning Letterwinners: 8

First match: Saturday at Howells Invitational

Trojans ready to get busy on the mats

Wakefield's wrestling room is a busy one this year, as 28 wrestlers make up the Trojan roster, led by returning state qualifier Christian Gallardo.

After a 32-8 sophomore campaign, the 112-pounder is looking to make another trip to state this year, and coach Travis Volk feels he's got a good group of kids that will work hard this season.

"I think we've got a good group of senior leaders and a returning state qualifier with Christian, so we're expecting a lot of good leadership this year," he said.

Also back is senior Trevor Rose, who earned a medal at the state tournament two years ago, but sat out last season due to injury.

"T.J. was sidelined by injuries last year, and he really has a big passion to make it back this year," Volk said.

Seniors Wyatt Jacobsen (119) and Tim Campton (215) nearly made it to state last year, and Volk expects those two seniors to show improvement and put themselves in position to make it to state this year.

The Trojans have 13 returning letterwinners back from last year, including 19-match winner Brendan Nicholson at 171 and 125-pound sophomore Danny VanderVeen, who won 15 matches last year. There is also a lot of youth in the room, and Volk is hoping to bring all of that together with a solid team this season.

"It's nice to have a lot of competition in the room," he said. "The rest of the team is pretty young, so it will be interesting to see how the season unfolds and see how the younger kids catch on and mature."

The Trojans move down to Class D this year, and find themselves in what is arguably the toughest district, regardless of class, in Nebraska. Four of the top 10 Class D teams in the Huskermat preseason rankings hail from the D-2 district, led by defending state champion Howells.

"When you have perennial teams like Winside and Howells, it will make for tough competition in our district," he said. "I think we'll stack up pretty decent in some areas, and I think we have a pretty good shot at getting some kids in for state. Our juniors and seniors are pretty focused on what they need to do, and we'll try to do the best we can."

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Phillips, Thomas - Battlefields of Nebraska; Blaser, Kent - Far from normal 100 years of educational excellence; Kava, Alex - Black Friday.

Boy Scout Court of Honor held in Winside

Winside Troop 179 held a Court of Honor on Nov. 29 at the Southouse.

Bringing in the colors were John Hansen and Colin Hansen with the caller Paul Hansen. The invocation was read by Paul Hansen. Senior Patrol Leader (SPL).

Peter Hansen welcomed guests and the new scouts and parents. Peter Hansen swore in a new SPL, Colin Hansen. The new SPL inducted the new parents and presented them with a parent ribbon. He also inducted the new scouts, Isaiah Muhs, Conner Elznic and Caleb Dwinell, and assigned them to the Hissing Cobra patrol and presented a Cobra patrol emblem to them.

Broch Muhs made a video of the High Adventure the scouts went to in August at Ely, Minn. He also presented the "Our Home Town" video

that the scout made for the Citizen in the Community Merit Badge.

The Scoutmaster announced coming events and a schedule will be sent out after the Troop committee meeting.

New adult leaders and positions are Jason Elznic - Committee Chairman; Broch Muhs - Assistant Scoutmaster and Neil Wagner - Charter Representative.

The SPL announced the "New" leadership positions and they are as follows: Screaming Badgers Patrol leader - John Hansen; Hissing Cobras Patrol Leader - Isaiah Muhs; Librarian - Connor Elznic; Scribe - Marcos Escelera; Chaplain Aid - Caleb Dwinell; Quartermaster - Brock Carlson; Historian - Jadon Wagner. Peter and Paul Hansen advanced to troop leaders - Assistant Scoutmasters.

The Court of Honor opened with roll call by Patrol Leader. Event patches were handed out. Caleb Dwinell, Connor Elznic and Isaiah Muhs were presented with Scout rank and their parents with Scout pins. Each added their troop thong to the advancement board.

Merit badges were presented to the following scouts:

- Marcos Escelera - Emergency Prep, First Aid, Fishing, Rifle, Wood Carving; Colin Hansen - Archery, Camping, Canoeing, Citizenship in Community, Citizenship in World, Orienteering; John Hansen - Camping, Canoeing, Citizenship in Community, Fishing, Lifesaving, Orienteering; Paul Hansen - Citizenship in Community, Climbing, Fire Safety, Forestry, Orienteering, Personal

Fitness;

Peter Hansen - Bird Study, Citizenship in Community, Fire Safety, Forestry, Plant Science.

Marcos Escelera was presented with a Jr. USA shooting Team patch.

Colin Hansen was awarded Life Rank and his parents a Life pin. He advanced his thong on the advancement board.

The scouts await the Eagle Board of Review for Paul and Peter Hansen scheduled for January and look forward to their Eagle ceremony.

Court of Honor was closed. Popcorn awards: Brock Carlson was the top seller with \$1,559. He received a \$75 campership Scholarship, \$25 toward his scout

account, YMCA laser tag party and a patch.

Marcos Escelera was second and received \$10 campership scholarship, \$10 toward his scout account, YMCA laser tag party, and a patch. Colin Hansen received a patch.

The benediction was given by Chaplain Aid, Caleb Dwinell.

Retiring the colors was done by same group.

Treats were served by the Colin Hansen family and the drink by Scoutmaster Joni Jaeger. The next meeting will be held Sunday, Dec. 6 at 1:30 p.m. at the Southouse. The group will travel to Wakefield for a Christmas bowling/skating party. Families are welcome to attend.



Helping alleviate hunger

A check for \$125 was presented to the Kids Against Hunger organization on behalf of the Wayne Rotary Club. The group traveled to Norfolk to help package food to be sent throughout the world. The Wayne State College Rotaract Club had representation at the event, along with their sponsor, John Fuelberth. Those taking part included, front row, left to right, Laura Johnson, Ashley Thies, Jenna Schindler, Britni Korh and Kelli Benes. Back row, Joel Ferguson, John Fuelberth, Kyle Varon, Dennis Lipp, Darrell Miller, Anne Nolte and Wilma Moore.



Peter Hansen, right, swears in Colin Hansen as the new Senior Patrol Leader.

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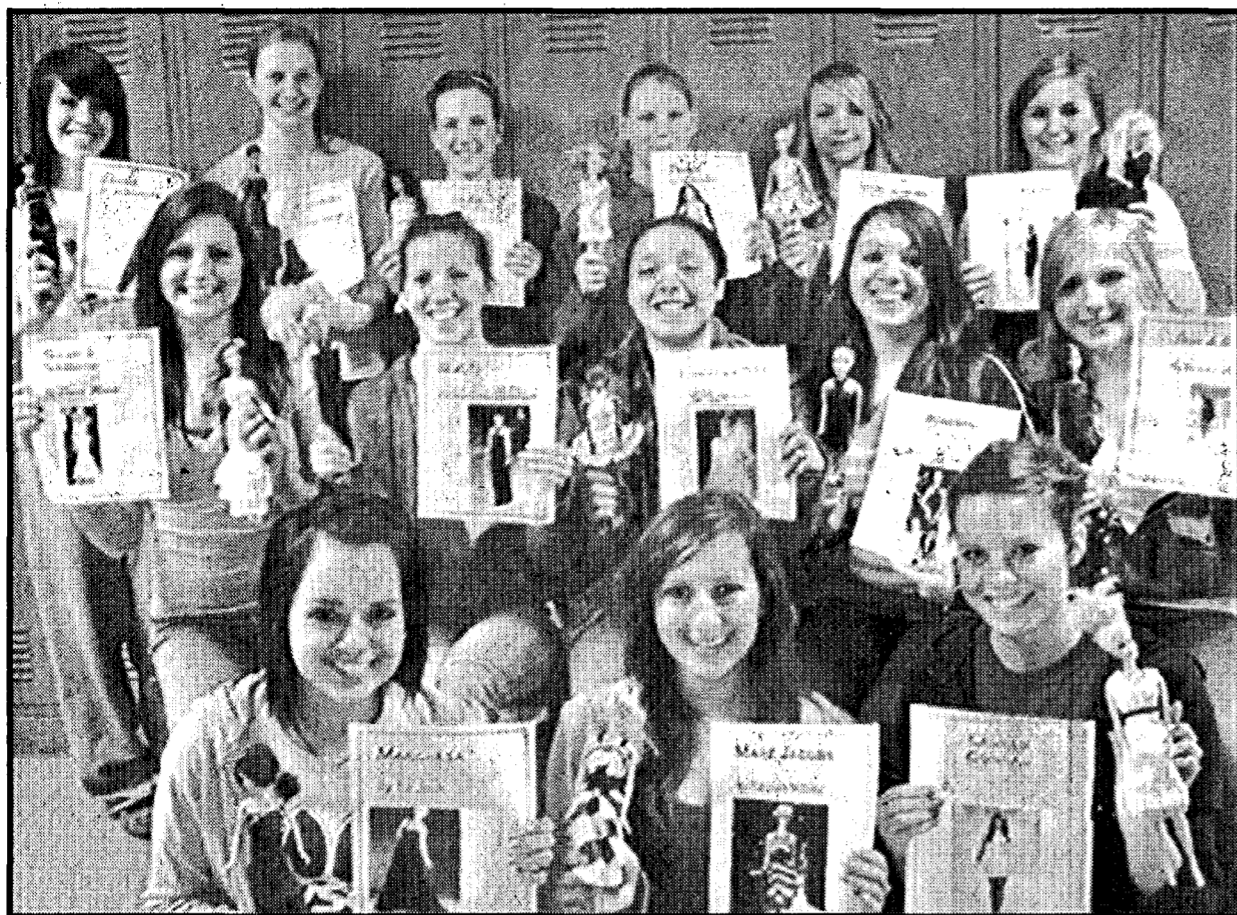
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Members of the Fashion Design and Apparel include, front row, left to right, Tia Jech, Hannah Mitiku and Alayna Theobald. Middle row, Laura Muren, Courtney Steenken, Taylor Harris, Megan Showen and Brooke Marotz. Back row, Jordan Alexander, Lisa Temme, Rachel Von Fange, Jessica Ross, Ashley Soden and Ashley Moeller.

Students learn about fashion designing

Fashion Design and Apparel is an elective course at Wayne High School.

During the course, students learn about the history of fashion, textile fabrics and yarns, garment styles and parts and using the elements and principles of design correctly in clothing choices.

One of the most challenging, yet most creative projects of the

semester is duplication of a fashion designer's work. The students research a designer, choose an outfit to duplicate and then cut and sew a garment that will fit a Barbie doll.

"Instructors always have a vision of what we want our students to accomplish with a project. These young ladies did such quality work on their fashion creations. I was

so proud of the work they did," said Karen Schardt, Family and Consumer Science instructor.

Northeast Music Department to present Sounds of the Season Dec. 7

The sounds of the season will again echo through the halls of the Lifelong Learning Center during the annual Holiday Concert at Northeast Community College, Norfolk.

The concert is scheduled for Monday, December 7, at 7 p.m. in the Lifelong Learning Center.

The Northeast College Community Concert Band, under the direction of Dr. Randall Neuharth, director of instrumental music activities, will perform. The Northeast Concert Choir, Men's Ensemble, Women's Ensemble, and Ebony and Crimson, under the direction of Dr. Linda Boullion, department chair and director of vocal music activities, will also perform. Margaret Schultz is accompanist for the vocal groups.

Dr. Neuharth's Community Concert Band will perform "Christmas Declaration," by Robert W. Smith; "Lo, How A Rose E'er Blooming," arranged by Larry Kerchner; "The Nutcracker Suite," by Tchaikovsky, arranged by Clair Johnson; "Cowboy Christmas," arranged by Jeff Simmons, and "Sleigh Ride," by Leroy Anderson.



Winside kindergarten and first grade students prepare for the Thanksgiving celebration by making Pilgrim and Indian attire for the feast.

Winside students enjoy Thanksgiving Day Feast

A Thanksgiving Day Feast By Caroline Burris and Alec Sindelar

On Friday, Nov. 20, the Winside Public School's kindergarten was overrun with pint-sized Pilgrims and ickle Indians to celebrate Thanksgiving.

The kindergarteners and first graders gathered for a Thanksgiving

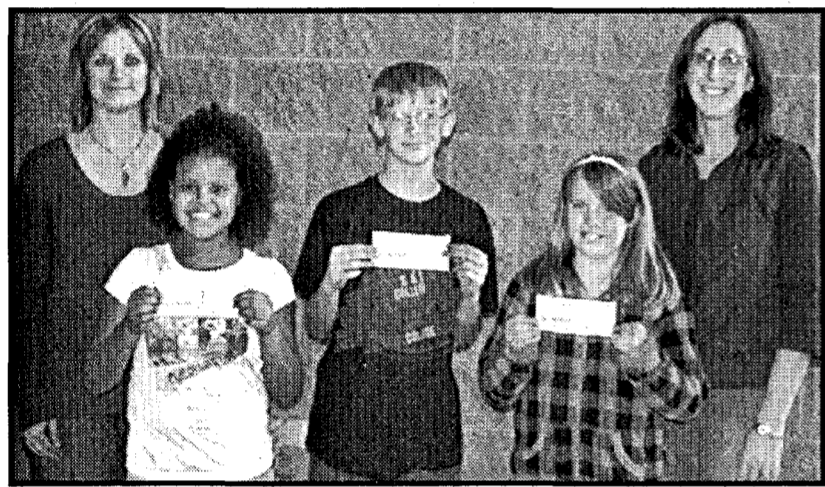
feast that included some traditional foods such as pheasant, duck, quail, and deer sausage from the Beehmer family recipe that was over 500 years old!

After the main course, the children enjoyed muffins, cranberry bread, pumpkin desserts, many varieties of trail mix, and of course apple juice.

"I drank six gallons of apple juice," reported

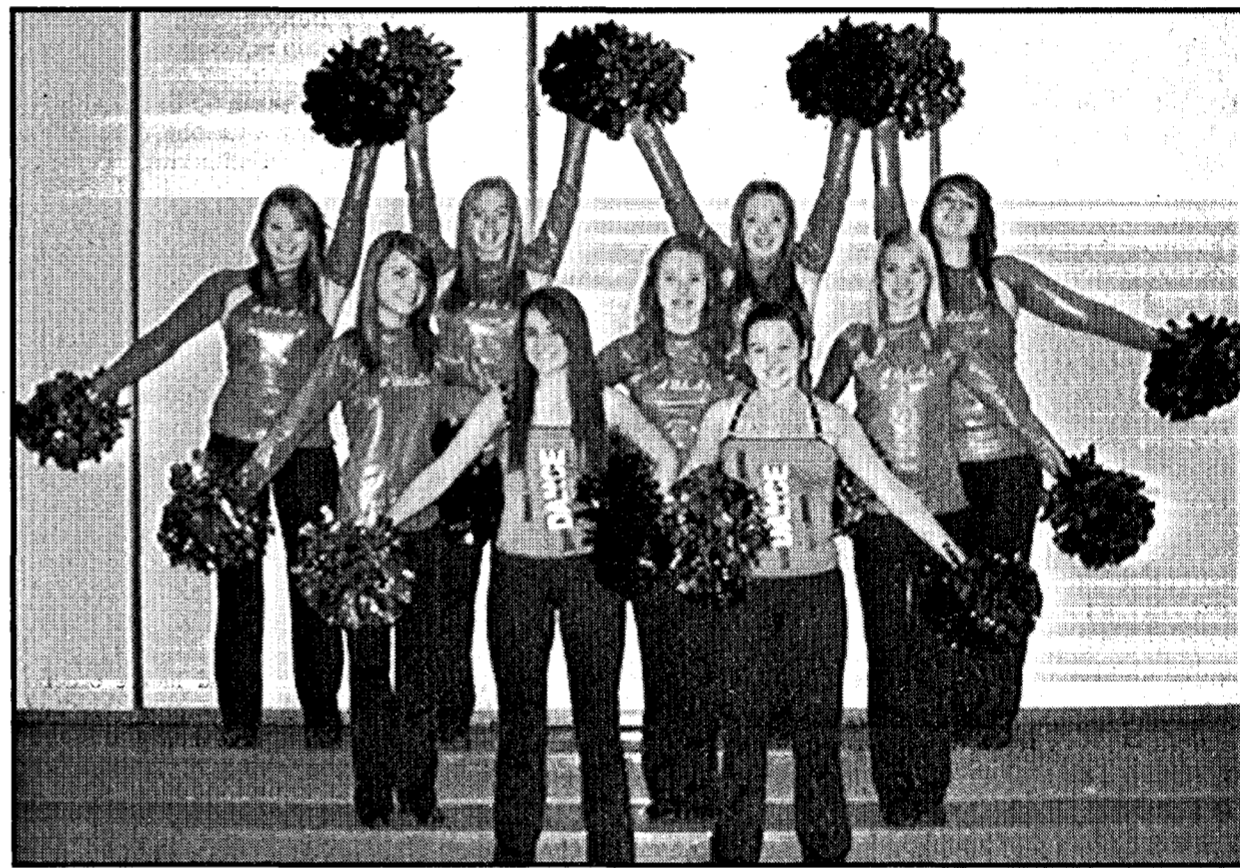
Kindergartener Dakota Spann.

Along with the festive foods, the young pilgrims and Indians also learned about the very first Thanksgiving. They learned that the feast did not last only one day, but three days. In honor of this, the kindergarteners and first graders feasted like this every day until Thanksgiving break.



Top sellers

Prizes were presented to the top three sellers in a recent Wayne Middle School Education Boosters Fundraiser. The students at the school sold a total of 438 packages of Puffins Pastries, raising approximately \$1,800. The top sellers were, left to right, Taylor Gamble (24 packages), Austin Hammer (26 packages) and Carrissa Navrkal (24 packages). With them are Melissa Hammer, secretary of the Middle School WEB and Jennifer Parker, treasurer of the group. Mrs. Trenhaile's fifth grade class was the top selling class and will receive a pizza party.



Winside Dance team

Members of the 2009-10 Winside Dance Team include, front row, left to right, Cassie Mrsny and Kirstie Koch. Middle row, Mandi Benck, Cassidy Marotz and Nazya Thies. Back row, Page Jensen, Audrey Roberts, Alishia Weinrich, and Miranda Hansen.

Wayne State honors Executive In Residence

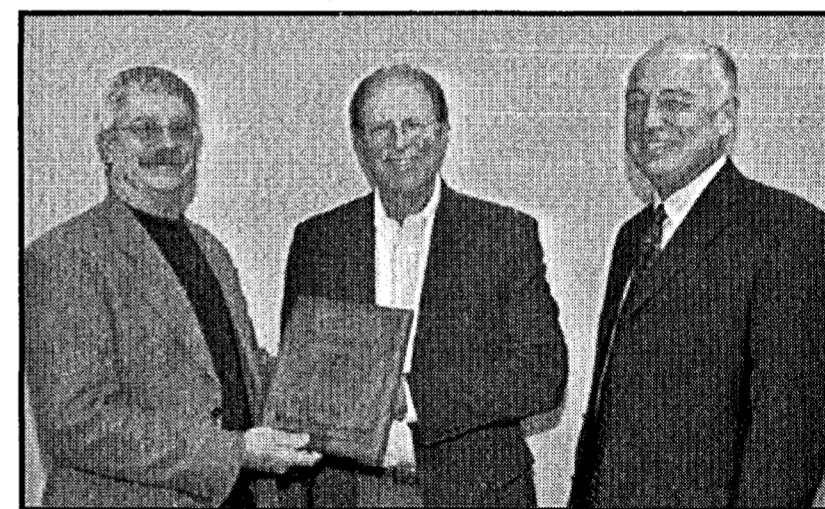
Gerald Conway, Associate Business Professor of the Wayne State College School of Business and Technology, awarded Dave Wimmer, chair and CEO of Wimmer's Meat Products in West Point, as Executive in Residence

this year.

Wimmer discussed business topics with Wayne State College students and was honored at a luncheon on Nov. 30. Wimmer was congratulated on the award by Dr. Richard Collings, WSC President.

The Executive in Residence program has been an annual event for eight years at WSC that is intended to give students an opportunity to interact directly with corporate decisions makers and address real world concerns.

The Executive in Residence award winner gives presentations and leads discussions with WSC business students on topics that may include business ethics, leadership styles, corporate cultures, corporate citizenship, and the changing world of work.



Gerald Conway (left), awarded Dave Wimmer (center), as Executive in Residence this year. With them is Dr. Richard Collings, WSC President.

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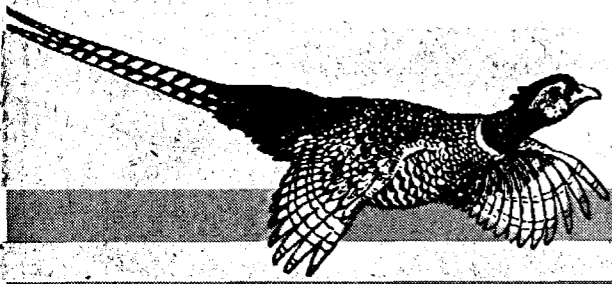
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Letters

Keep Christ in Christmas

Christmas will soon be upon us and when you walk into any store, it is here.

Yesterday, I walked through Shopko, Target, Walmart, and Alco, with my children specifically looking for nativity scenes, and none of these stores carry these any more. We were deeply grieved.

These stores have taken Christ out of Christmas, for what we ask? They call it being politically correct, they don't want to offend anyone. This country was founded on the basis of freedom - freedom from being dictated by an outside source telling them what was right and wrong.

Now our freedoms that are in our Constitution are being stopped from a source right here in our country telling us what is okay and not okay, people with a liberal propaganda that so many of us don't agree with and we haven't taken a stand against them to try to get them stopped. We have the freedom of expression and freedom of religion, it is in our Constitution but the culture we live in is more interested in not offending anyone than for taking a stand for what this country was founded on.

This is small-town Nebraska.

This is where I grew up here in northeast Nebraska and now I am raising my children here. I want to teach them the values and morals that my parents taught me and that my grandparents taught them...to be able to worship freely, and be able to celebrate Christmas freely in our towns and be able to put a nativity scene up on our city square or in our yard because we can.

I want to be able to take my children downtown and in the stores and hear the famous Christmas carols like "The First Noel," "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing" and "Silent Night" being played on the loudspeakers. Christmas is a time we celebrate the birth of Jesus. We shouldn't be afraid to say that or display that because that's the truth about Christmas. Why should we be afraid to say it?

I pray store owners and people will read this and quit being afraid of what someone will think. These stores might want to think twice about taking Christ and nativity scenes out of their stores because I believe there are a number of Christians who are not going to be doing their Christmas shopping in these places. I'm taking a stand, will people stand with me?

Keep Christ in Christmas!
Holly (Wedekind) Torres
Wayne

Capitol View Fiscal

By ED HOWARD
Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association

LINCOLN - Thank goodness and whatever else you might think of that the bad budget situation was dealt with by the Legislature in its recent special session.

And now...
The worse budget situation is waiting in the wings.

It's true.
During November's special session lawmakers closed a \$334 million hole in the state's biennial spending plan; that's the one that runs through fiscal 2011. Estimates are that 400 state jobs could be eliminated, which may contribute, in part, to reduction and/or delays in some state services. State aid and education in general lost some funding. Some state agencies saw across-the-board spending cuts.

Nebraska is among the states where recovery from the current recession is expected to lag. That's the way it is in rural states.

So, the picture for fiscal 2011 through 2013 is bleak. Perhaps bleaker. Remember, those federal stimulus funds approved by Congress and pushed by President Obama will be gone by then. Nebraska used nearly one-half billion dollars of those funds to doctor the current budget, and to help avoid increases in state sales and/or income tax rates.

Do not rule out the possibility of lawmakers being pushed to consider higher tax rates down the road. The size of the shortfall in state tax receipts could be double the size of the one that led to the most recent special legislative session.

There is also the possibility of proposals to eliminate some state agencies and merge others. Eliminating whole programs and agencies can save money, although the political and social consequences can be tough. Reshuffling the names and organizational charts for state programs, however, doesn't make what can be called big differences. NU Regents' Vote On Stem Cell Research Draws Attention
A 4-4 vote by the University

picture looks bleak



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of Nebraska Board of Regents effectively rejected a proposal that would have limited embryonic stem cell research at the NU Medical Center.

The executive director of Nebraska Right to Life, Julie Schmit Albin, was particularly annoyed with the vote of Regent Jim McClurg of Lincoln. He was endorsed by Nebraska Right to Life in 2006.

In opposing the recent proposal, McClurg said he remained pro-life. However, he obviously concluded expanded stem cell research was warranted. He opposed that notion when he ran in 2006.

Nebraska Right to Life is known to swing a hefty political bat in election years. McClurg, who previously taught biochemistry at the NU Medical Center, said he hasn't decided whether to seek reelection in 2012.

Nebraska Right to Life has given no indication of what it might do if McClurg does seek another term.

Feds Want State Commission Director Fired

The federal government doesn't usually involve itself in state personnel decisions. But the U.S. Official of Special Counsel wants the Nebraska Foster Care Review Board to fire its longtime director, Carol Stitt.

What's the rumpus? The feds say Stitt violated the federal Hatch Act by encouraging her employees to attend a 2006 fundraiser for then-Congressman Tom Osborne. Osborne was in a losing campaign to wrest the GOP gubernatorial nomination from Gov. Dave Heineman. She urged workers to encourage foster care families to support Osborne, too.

The original Hatch Act, updated over more than a century ago, goes

back to 1887. In short: It prohibits some federal employees and officials - and some in state government whose jobs and agencies receive federal funds - from using their official capacities to encourage or coerce workers to support a particular candidate or party or cause. They especially can't do such stuff while on the job.

Stitt said she wasn't familiar with the Hatch Act and intended no impropriety. A federal administrative law judge will look into the situation. A recommendation will eventually go to the Foster Care Review Board to look into the situation.

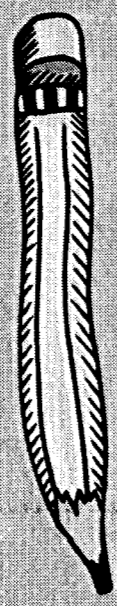
The federal law was initially intended to deal with what were blatant and outrageous abuses of power. Nebraska law further prohibits state workers from using any public resources in support of a political candidate.

Letters Welcome

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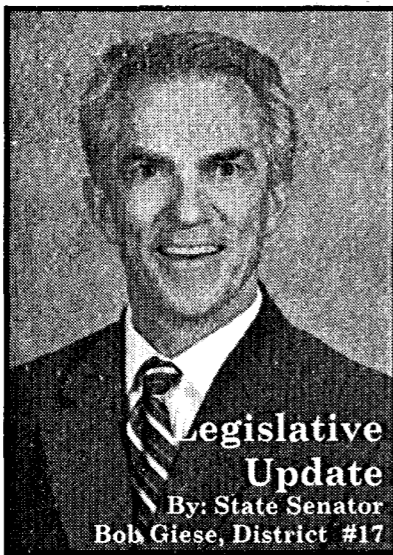
Weekly Legislative Update

Greetings from the Unicameral! As the final month of 2009 begins, my office in the Capitol is already looking ahead towards 2010.

For much of the past six months, my staff has been hard at work researching legislation that I plan to introduce when the Legislature convenes in January. In addition to any new bills that are introduced during the new session, the Legislature will also consider any carryover bills that were introduced during the 2009 session but were not acted upon.

Among these are three of my bills that are still being held by committee, and two that are awaiting first-round debate on General File.

One of my bills currently awaiting floor debate is LB411, which would update the State Electrical Act to reflect changes in the National Electric Code. Historically, the code is updated every three years when new national standards come out, but the bill updating to the 2008 code has stalled in the Legislature for the past two years. Several Nebraska communities have recently adopted the 2008 National Electric Code rather than wait for the Legislature to adopt the code statewide. While my efforts to amend LB411 onto another bill last session were unsuccessful, I believe that the bill stands a good chance of passing during the 2010 session.



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

With my final town hall meetings being completed this week, I want to thank the many District 17 residents who took the time to share their thoughts and concerns with me over the past six months. These town halls were very useful in helping me identify issues that Northeast Nebraska residents are concerned about, and even gave me several ideas for possible legislation during the 2010 session.

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

Look to local stores first when you shop

Living in a small town that is located near two bigger cities, it's easy for us to jump in the car and drive to Norfolk or Sioux City to do our shopping.

The reasoning for most is that the big-city stores offer more deals, have a bigger inventory and offer cheaper prices than stores in the small town. We can get groceries, buy shoes, try on new clothes and get our oil changed, all in one afternoon drive to the big city.

You may not be aware of this, but you can do a lot of the same thing right here in Wayne...and save money at the same time.

This past weekend, I was taking care of some to-do things in the house and discovered that I needed a few things to complete the job.

Taking a quick inventory of what I needed, I knew that all those items could be picked up with one trip to one of the big stores 45 minutes away. I figured I'd make the trip into town, pick up the items, and be back by sunset.

And then...it hit me: why waste all that time and gas when everything I needed was right here in Wayne?

Granted, I couldn't find



Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes
Managing Editor

everything at one store, but a little driving around town got everything I needed to finish the job.

I got most of the things I needed at my first stop. A store that would have one item I needed was closed, and a second stop came up empty as well. However, the owner of the second store suggested I look at another store in town that would have what I needed. Sure enough, I found exactly what I was looking for and picked up the last item on my shopping list.

I spent about 10 minutes in the car and another 20-30 minutes shopping, got everything I needed to finish the stuff on my to-do list, and did it all with plenty of

sunshine left in the day. That extra time I would have spent on the road driving to and from the big city were spent taking a walk around the neighborhood and nailing down a well-deserved afternoon nap.

Granted, I would have saved a couple of bucks by hopping in the car and driving to Norfolk (where I could also say hello to family) or Sioux City. But with the cost of gasoline slowly creeping back toward the \$3 a gallon mark, the money I saved by shopping in another town would have been offset by the gas and wear and tear on my vehicle.

In addition, by shopping here in town, I am able to help support

the businesses of this community, many of whom return the favor by advertising in this newspaper (which helps make my paycheck possible). By doing business with people here in Wayne, I help keep their doors open, their shelves stocked and their employees compensated for the time and effort they put forth to help me find what I'm looking for. The income they generate from their business helps support the community in many ways, from the taxes they pay to the jobs they create. The money that changes hands in the community, for the most part, stays in the community and creates more opportunities for growth.

That's not to say I'll do all of my shopping in Wayne. There are some items I will need to purchase in the coming weeks that aren't found here. But when it comes to getting what I need, the odds are pretty good that I'll look to the local businesses in the Wayne area before I'll do my shopping in the big city. Now, more than ever, it's important for us to support our local businesses and do as much of our shopping as we can right here in our home town.

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The Wayne City Council meets the first and third Tuesdays of the month. Meeting times are at 5:30 p.m. at the City Council chambers, located in the Wayne City Offices at 306 N. Pearl St.

Citizens National Bank and USDA Rural Development assist PMC

Providence Medical Center is the recipient of a \$2.5 million loan from Citizens National Bank of Laurel, which will be backed by a USDA Rural Development guarantee. This financing, combined with funds from the Providence Medical Center, completes the transfer of the financial interest held by the Missionary Benedictine Sisters, Inc. of Norfolk.

"This is a momentous time for Providence Medical Center, as well as the entire northeast Nebraska community," said Providence Medical Center Administrator Marcile Thomas. "From the beginning, this has been a 'community' project, and 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 the City of Wayne, but for all of the surrounding area," said Assistant Vice President Bill Hefner, Citizens National Bank. "The USDA guarantee made it pos-

sible for Citizens to help with this project."

"It is very rewarding to be able to assist Wayne's Providence Medical Center as it meets the medical needs of rural communities. Its local ownership contributes to keeping the area stable," said Area Specialist Jolene Kasper, USDA Rural Development.

For additional information on the USDA Rural Development Community Facility Guaranteed Loan Program, contact Jolene Kasper, jolene.kasper@ne.usda.gov (402) 371-5350 Ext. 103. Visit www.rurdev.usda.gov/ne/.



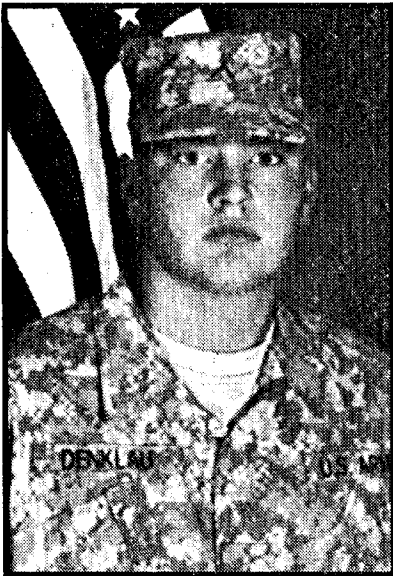
Coffee host

Kelly Petersen, center, Assistant Manager at Pamida, spoke during a recent Chamber Coffee. He thanked those in attendance for their patronage of the business. The coffee preceded the announcement of the Congeniality Award winner.



Thanksgiving celebration

The Wayne Senior Center celebrated Thanksgiving with dinner on Nov. 24. Art and Gwen Schmidt entertained a large audience with their musical performance before and after dinner.



Michael Denklau

Denklau graduates from basic training

Private Michael Denklau, 19, of Wayne graduated from the United States Army Basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C. on Nov. 13.

Pvt. Denklau successfully completed 10 weeks of intensive basic training which included Nuclear, Biological and chemical defense training, landmine defense, Basic Rifle Marksmanship, Weapons training on .50 caliber machine guns and various other weapons systems as well as hand grenades.

Basic training also included instruction on Army Values, military customs and courtesy, physical fitness, situational training exercises, night infiltration training and 15 km tactical foot march.

He is now at Aberdeen, Md. for the next 14 weeks, completing his Advanced Individual Training for his career in the guard.

Pvt. Denklau is the son of Bryan and Sue Denklau and is a 2009 graduate of Wayne High School.



Wayne High Cheerleaders pictured with Project Mittens donations include, front row, left to right, Marisa Vawser, Megan Showen and Liz Hines. Back row, Cristina Topete, Sarah Bart, Megan Wherley, Taylor Harris, Elementary Principal Daryl Schruck, Kennra Dunker, Brianna Smith and Felicia Keiser.

'Project Mittens' is successful

The Wayne High Cheerleaders would like to thank everyone who donated to "Project Mittens."

They reached their goal of 100 winter items with 99 pairs of mittens, gloves, hats, scarves, and boots plus some monetary donations.

The project was concluded at the Winter Sports Tailgate and delivered to Mr. Schruck at Wayne

Elementary School. The items will be distributed through the Wayne Community schools to children in need this winter.

Wayne Kiwanis Club is seeking community projects

The Wayne Kiwanis Club is conducting a survey soliciting ideas from community leaders of worthy Kiwanis projects for Wayne.

Kiwanis is an organization that emphasizes "Young Children Priority One". With this in mind, the project needs to involve local Kiwanis leadership and be of the size to warrant the Kiwanis endorsement.

The club is asking community leaders for ideas and suggestions of projects that would fit Kiwanis

objectives in the Wayne community, benefiting young children, and could be undertaken by the Wayne Kiwanis Club and other interested parties. With local Kiwanis funds and funds from the Nebraska-Iowa Kiwanis

District Foundation, there could be \$15,000 to \$20,000 available for a worthwhile project.

Ideas may be submitted to any Kiwanian or to Ken Liska (375-0446), Tim Keller, (375-2043) or George Phelps (369-1818).



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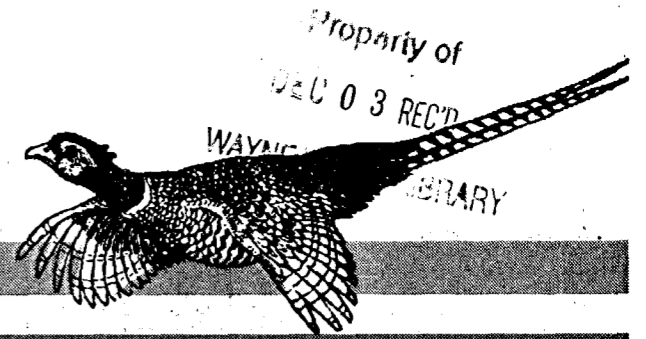
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Lifestyle

The Wayne Herald



Avoid the ghost of holidays past

Are you into the holiday shopping season? Christmas often gives Americans a temporary license to lose financial control and repent for months afterward. Our emotions, culture and habits all work against remembering and practicing good money management. It is important to remember that the meaning of Christmas is not the amount of money that is spent. Here are some tips to avoid paying



Sandy Preston
Dixon County

gift. How much guilt is reflected in your holiday spending? What can you change throughout the year to reduce your guilt-spending at next year's holiday?

• Maybe like many others, you tend to overdo in an effort to make others happy. People cook too much food for gatherings. They shop for a special gift for each person on their list and yet, your cousin may not remember what he received from you last year. Sound familiar? Maybe it's time to change your holiday gifting habits.

• Think about ways you could save money during the year so you'll have holiday cash to spend for the next holiday season. One Nebraskan carried lunch to work each day and deposited what he saved into a special savings account. That holiday season he paid cash for his gifts, and he lost weight too! Will he go back to using the plastic and paying off Santa in May? "Not on your life!"

To make the holiday season truly happy, focus on family, friends and those in need rather than on spending or excessive work. Slow down and enjoy each other and the season.

When January rolls around, start planning for next year's holiday season. Set aside a few dollars each week to use for gifts or other holiday expenses. Take advantage of clearance sales on lights and other decorations now to avoid paying full price for the same items next year.

Produced as part of Dollars & Sense: Celebrating the Holidays, University of Nebraska Extension

New Arrivals

BECKENHAUER — Crystal and Joe Beckenhauer of Norfolk, a daughter, Avery Ann, 8 lbs., 1 oz., 20 3/4 inches, born Nov. 18, 2009. Grandparents are Buster and Linda Beckenhauer of Norfolk and Dean and Kathy Jensen of Winside. Great-grandparents are Earl and Maxine Jensen of Wayne and Willie and Bev Holdorf of Wisner.

Engagements — Minerva Club learns about harvest festivals



Phyllis Rahn called the Nov. 23 Minerva Club meeting to order at the Senior Center by reading another of Joan Burney's writings. This one was entitled "Snowbound in '83 and Loving Every Minute of It."

The birthday song was sung for Hollis Frese and Lois Youngerman. Historian Hollis Frese read from minutes of Nov. 5, 15, and 19 of 1934. Points of interest were: twenty-one garments were completed for the Red Cross; a limit of \$10 was placed on the gift exchange; the books Mary of Scotland and Men in White were discussed.

After the business meeting Marilyn Wallin presented a program entitled "Harvest Festivals." In her program, she pointed out the long history of thanksgiving and harvest festivals dating back to the Greeks, Romans, Chinese, Hebrews, and Egyptians. All centered around gathering native crops and offering first fruits of labor as tribute to the deity common to their cultures.

She traced Thanksgiving in America back to the plentiful harvest in 1691 when colonists feasted on dried fruits, nuts, vegetables, and wildlife (fowl, deer, and seafood, such as lobster, fish, seal, etc.) It was a time of peace with Indian neighbors, who attended the celebration and participated in the competitions and games.

Mrs. Wallin reviewed the beginning history of life in the colonies: the signing of the Mayflower Compact, friendship with Squanto and Samoset, and the survival numbers of the early settlements. Her program concluded with a Fact/Fiction quiz about things connected with Thanksgiving.

The Minerva Club will next meet in the home of Fauneil Bennett on Monday, Dec. 14 for the annual Christmas pot luck.

Mitchell — Mow

Dennis and Kathleen Mitchell of Wayne and Kent and Nancy Mow of Ireton, Iowa have announced the engagement of their children, Kelly Marie Mitchell and Patrick Evan Mow.

The wedding will be held Dec. 16, 2009 at the United Methodist Church in Wayne, where the couple will be the fifth generation in the Mow-Westra family to be married on that date. A formal reception will be held in Merrill, Iowa on Friday, Dec. 18.

The bride is a 2003 graduate of Wayne High School and a 2007 graduate of South Dakota State University. She received her Master of Arts in Marriage and Family Therapy this past May from Sioux Falls Seminary. She is currently an outpatient therapist at Plains Area Mental Health Center in Cherokee and Storm Lake, Iowa.

Her fiancé is a 2002 graduate of Sioux Center High School and a 2006 graduate of South Dakota State University. He received a Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering and is currently the Assistant County Engineer in Ida County, Iowa.

The couple will reside in Holstein, Iowa after they are married.

Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

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Tuesday: Early American goulash, mixed vegetables, three bean salad, sliced bread & Promise, sliced peaches.

Wednesday: Baked pork chops, red roasted potatoes, green beans, sliced bread & Promise, butter-scotch pudding dessert.

Thursday: Deli sandwich, chicken noodle soup, sliced cucumbers in sauce, dinner roll & Promise, tropical fruit.

Friday: Beef tips, mashed potatoes, cauliflower, applesauce, sliced bread & Promise, cookie.



Mr. and Mrs. Frevert

Freverts to celebrate 60th anniversary

Glen and Bonnie Frevert of Winside will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary on Friday, Dec. 11.

A card shower in their honor has been requested by their family.

Glen Frevert and Bonnie Nelson were married Dec. 11, 1949 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church of rural Wakefield.

Their family includes Pat and Mike Miller of Winside, Kevin and Tammi Frevert of Norfolk, Tyler and Sue Frevert of Wayne and Pam and Craig Zegers of Stanton. They have 10 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Cards may be sent to the couple at 511 Vroman Street, Winside, Neb. 68790.

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• Use only one credit card. Better yet, pay for everything with cash. That way if you don't have it, you don't spend it.

• Wrap that credit card in an index card. Every time you use it, write down the amount you spent on the index card, and add to what you've already charged. Use that "running total" to help you keep track of your debt.

• Stay out of stores as much as possible.

• Ask why you are buying each

Briefly Speaking

Women's Club learns of library services

WAYNE — The Wayne Women's Club met Nov. 13 at the Wayne Public Library.

Lauren Lofgren, Director of the library, told of all the free services available at the public library.

The business meeting was led by President Dorothy Stevenson. Martha Svoboda was hostess.

The next meeting will be held Friday, Dec. 11 at Tacos & More at 11:30 a.m. for lunch and Christmas activities.

Winter Bridge played at Senior Center

AREA — The Winter Bridge group met on Tuesday, Dec. 1 at the Wayne Senior Center with 16 persons attending. Bridge was played at four tables. Hostesses were Faye Peck and Phyllis Hix.

Bridge will be played again on Tuesday, Dec. 8. For reservations, contact hostesses Arlene Ostendorf at 375-1405 or Lois Jech at 375-4253.

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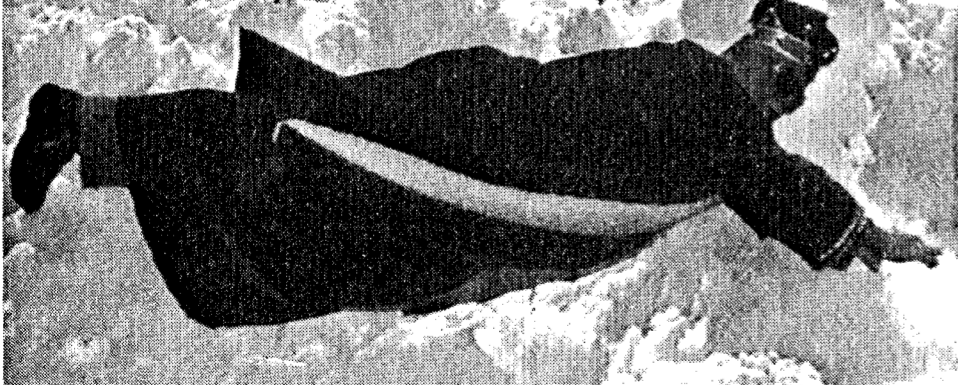


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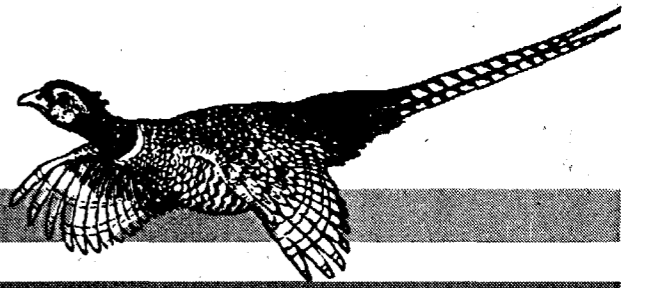
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Saturday: New Life Band Concert, 7 p.m. Sunday: Second Sunday of Advent. Holy Communion. Worship Services, 9:30 and 11 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30; Fellowship time, 10:30; Financial Peace University, 2 p.m. Tuesday: WIC Clinic, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Annual church charge conference, 7 p.m. Wednesday: King's Kids, 3:40 p.m.; Bell Choir, 6; Chancel Choir, 7. Thursday: Century Club Movie, 10 a.m.

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e-mail: wakecov@msn.com
Saturday: Christmas decorating, 9 a.m.; Ladies Bible Study, 9. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:45; Meet & Eat at the Lions Club, noon; Executive Board, 1:30 p.m.; C.E. Board, 2:30. Tuesday: Ladies meet for prayer, 9 a.m.; Worship on Cable, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Rip & Roll, 9:30 a.m.; Worship on Cable, 10 a.m.; Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Snak Shak, 5:30; Pioneer Club and Junior High, 6:15; Bible Study, 6:30. Thursday: Men's Bible Study, 7 a.m.

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Sunday: Bible Study, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Pledge Sunday Dinner. Tuesday: Bible Study at Jensen's, 9 a.m.

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216 West 3rd
(Rev. Charity Potter, pastor)
Sunday: Fellowship time, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11.

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

SALEM LUTHERAN
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Saturday: WELCA Christmas Brunch, 10 a.m.; Contemporary 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, Advent Meal, 6 p.m.; Advent Service, 6:30. Thursday: Video on local channel; WOW, 6:30 p.m. Saturday: Worship with Communion, 6:30 p.m.

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218 Miner St.
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Sunday: Sunday School and Bible Study, 9:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN
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UNITED METHODIST
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(Lay Minister - Judy Carlson, CLS)
Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship service with CROSSfire, 11:15; Hanging of the Greens, potluck dinner. Tuesday: Coat of Many Colors quilters, 2 p.m. Wednesday: Pastor in Pierce Office, 1 p.m.; Council meets, 7 p.m.

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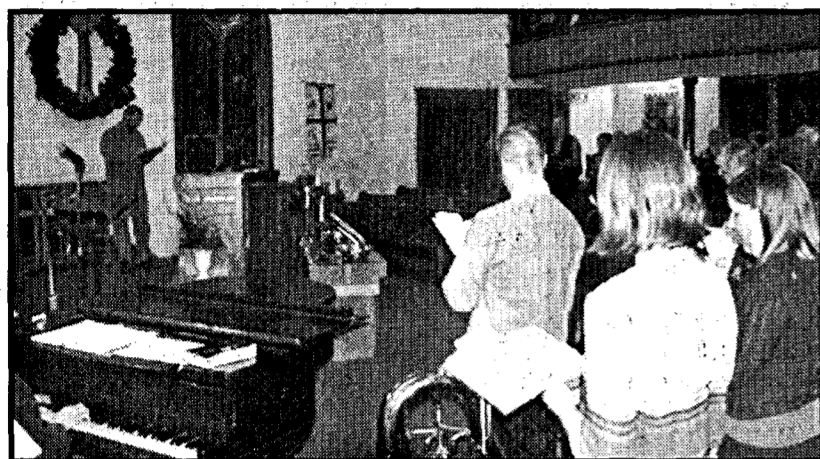
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Lessons and carols

The fifth Sunday singspiration event was held at First Presbyterian Church. Above, Katie Hansen sings a solo as Lauren Calkin and Eric Heithoff and Phil Pfaltzgraff provided the music. Below, Pastor Ray McCalla reads a Bible passage as part of the evening's program.



Winside Methodist Church to hold Christmas event

The Winside United Methodist Church will hold its Annual Christmas Cookie Bake Sale and Soup Luncheon on Saturday Dec. 12 from 8 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

The morning will start off with homemade sticky rolls that you can eat in or take out. Free coffee will be served throughout the day.

Those attending can enjoy soup and dessert lunch with either vegetable beef, chili, or chicken noodle soup and a variety of desserts. Carry outs will be available.

Throughout the day, you can shop for your Christmas goodies by mixing and matching a baker's dozen. There will also be on sale other items such as jams, jellies,

Senior Center Calendar

Monday, Dec. 7: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; "Stress for the Holidays" by Connie Vogt, 12:45 p.m.; Pool, 1; Bridge Club; Wreath auction, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 8: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Bridge; Card making, 1 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 9: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Pool, 1 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 10: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Bridge; Medicare Part D Enrollment with Deb Skipper, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.; Pitch party, 1:15 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 11: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; "Spotlight on Promise" with Phil and Wayne State students; Pool, 1 p.m.; Bingo, 1:15.

Wanted ... Church news

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

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

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

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

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Penlerick - Benes exchange vows in Laurel ceremony

Jessica Penlerick of York and Nick Benes of Aurora were married Aug. 15, 2009 at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Laurel.

Pastor William Engebretsen officiated at the 2:30 p.m. ceremony.

Parents of the bride are Brad and Lynette Penlerick of Laurel. Grandparent is Norma Penlerick of Dixon.

Parents of the groom are Pat and Ann Benes of Dwight. Grandparents are Marland and Phyllis Novacek of Schuyler and Stanley and Henrietta Benes of Bee. Great-grandmother is Lillian Reznicek of Dodge.

Maid of Honor was Julia Fritz of Lincoln, friend of the couple.

Bridesmaids were Krystal Penlerick of Fremont, sister-in-law of the bride, Ashley Gerlach of Lincoln, friend of the couple and Amber Popovitz of South Sioux City, friend of the couple.

Junior attendants were Catherine and Elizabeth Benes of Dwight, sisters of the groom.

The bride's personal attendant was Andrea Engler of Hickman, cousin of the bride.

Aubrey Novacek of David City, cousin of the groom, was flower girl.

Best Man was Clifton Benes of Holdrege, brother of the groom.

Groomsmen were Jason Penlerick of Fremont, brother of the bride, Cody Gerlach of Lincoln, friend of the couple and Peter Benes of Dwight, brother of the groom.

Ring bearer was Micah Gerlach of Lincoln, friend of the couple.

Ushers were Adam Engler of Lincoln, cousin of the bride, John Fencil of Lincoln, Nathan Wall of Wayne, and Ryan Rezac of Lincoln,



Mr. and Mrs. Benes

cousins of the groom.

Music for the ceremony was provided by organist Karla Pippitt of Laurel, friend of the bride, Amy and Robert Rezac of Ralston, cousins of the groom and Rosanne Osterbuhr of LeMars, Iowa, aunt of the bride.

Candlelighters were Britny Novacek of Lincoln, cousin of the groom and Cortny Novacek of David City, cousin of the groom.

Guestbook attendant was Sara Schrader of Wayne, cousin of the bride.

Flower pinner was Jenna Benes of Holdrege, sister-in-law of the groom and Lorna Penlerick of Alliance, aunt of the bride.

Following the ceremony, a reception and dance were held at the Carroll Auditorium.

Hosts and hostesses were Mark and Linda Engler of Beatrice, uncle

and aunt of the bride and Marion and Karen Freudenberg of Madison, uncle and aunt of the groom.

Cake was cut by Connie Novacek of David City, aunt of the groom and Laura Penlerick of Wayne, aunt of the bride.

Punch was poured by Brittany Penlerick of Osmond, cousin of the bride and Felicia Benes of Seward, cousin of the groom.

The bride is a 2003 graduate of Laurel-Concord High School and a 2005 graduate of Northeast Community College in Early Childhood. She is currently a certified nursing assistant at Memorial Community Care in Aurora.

The groom is a 2004 graduate of East Butler High School and a 2007 graduate of Wayne State College with a major in Mass Communications and emphasis in Journalism and a minor in Sports Management. He is employed at the Aurora News Register in Aurora.

The couple currently resides in Aurora.

TOPS holds weekly meeting

TOPS NE 0200 met Nov. 24, in the Providence Medical Center Boardroom with 11 TOPS members and 3 KOPS members present.

The roll call question was "What are your plans for Thanksgiving?"

Kathleen Johs was the TOPS Best Loser and Lois Spencer was the KOPS Best Loser and they received their coupons.

Happy Birthday was sung to Kay Saul and Sherie Lundahl. Anyone seeking more information about TOPS, Inc. is welcome to visit the group any Wednesday evening at 6:15 p.m.

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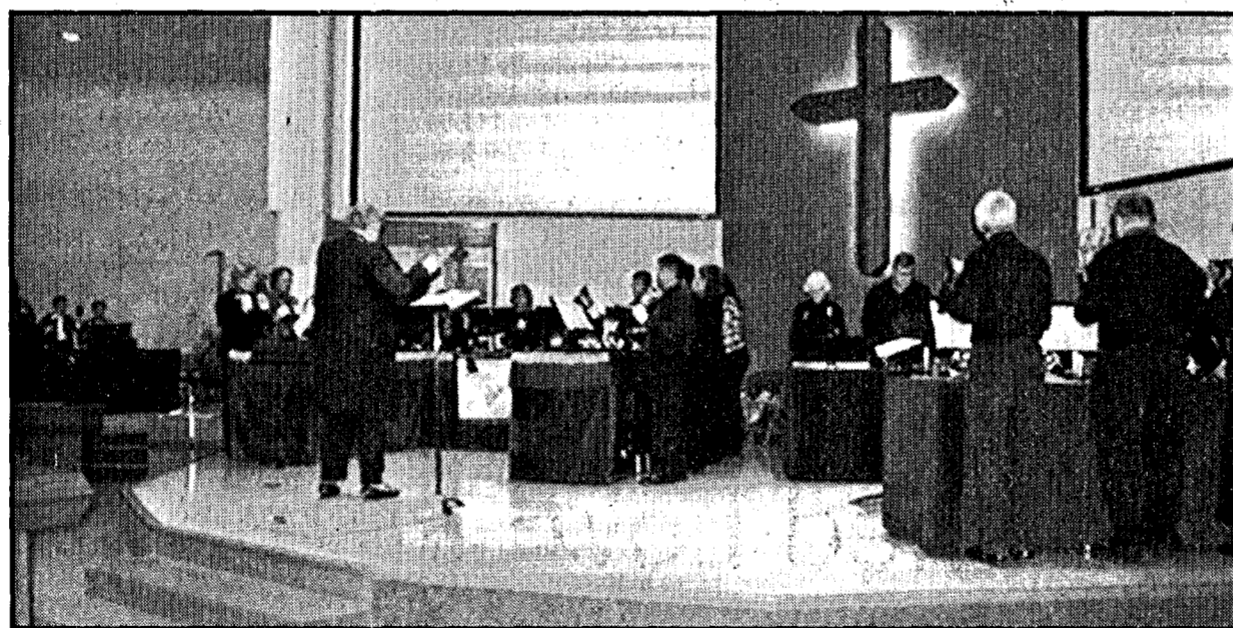
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Ring Around Wayne

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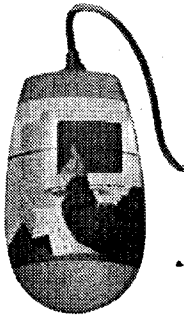
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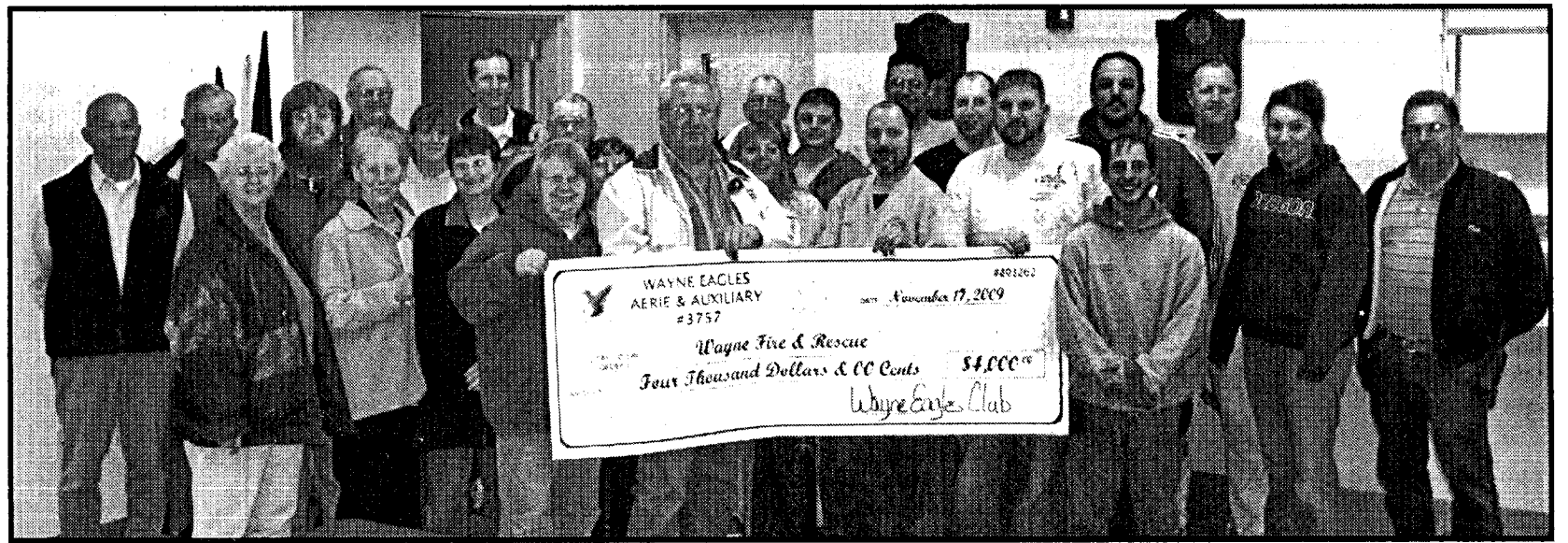
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Special surprise

Members of the Wayne Eagles Auxiliary an Aerie surprised members of the Wayne Volunteer Rescue Department recently when they arrived at the Fire Hall to present the department with a \$4,000 check from the Lew Reed Spinal Cord Fund. The department will use the money to purchase pediatric equipment for the department.

Winside American Legion Auxiliary meets

Roy Reed Unit No. 252, American Legion Auxiliary of Winside met Nov. 9 with eight members in attendance.

Unit President Rose Ann Janke called the meeting to order with Chaplain Adeline Anderson providing prayers. Members recited the Pledge of Allegiance and Preamble to the Auxiliary Constitution. Hostesses for the evening were Mary Lou George and Janice Mundil.

Minutes of the October meeting were read and corrected. Greta Grubbs provided the treasurer's report.

Veterans Day cards were signed by the members for Legionnaires residing at the Norfolk Veterans Home; namely, Art Rabe, Bob Jensen, Don Longnecker, Jack Brockman and Erwin Morris and Norman "Andy" Anderson at The Meadows.

In addition cards were signed for the young men currently serving in the armed forces; namely, Christopher Thies, Christopher Hansen, Marcus Janssen, John Neel, Joshua Harmer, Joshua Sok, Miles Nelson and Robert "Bobby" Hotlgrew.

The Unit is asking for names and addresses of additional Winside-connected men and women serving in the armed forces so we may remember them at Christmas as well and to update the Blue Star Banner display at the Winside State Bank. Information should be provided to President Rose Ann Janke or Secretary Beverly Neel.

Special guest for the evening

was Wayne County Sheriff Leroy Janssen who serves as interim Emergency Management Director for the County. Janssen provided some very interesting facts on how individuals are able to assist in preparing a community and their own homes for a disaster. Pamphlets were provided for those in attendance. Anyone wishing to have further information may visit the Wayne County courthouse where information is available.

The Unit presented cash awards to the 2009 fifth grade students who participated in the Poppy Poster Contest for May 2009. Prizewinners included Marlowe Kampa (\$3), Brandi Mann (\$2), Jami Lynn Jaeger (\$1), with each additional classmate receiving 50 cents for participation. These presentations were made at the Veterans Day program at the Winside Elementary multipurpose room on Nov. 11. The Unit handed out small American flags as well.

The Unit made final preparations for the public auction they served lunch at on Nov. 15. Unit Member/Treasurer Greta Grubbs held an auction and has moved to Lincoln. Bonnie Wylie has been selected as Treasurer.

The next unit meeting will be held on Monday, Dec. 14 at 5:30 p.m. This is the Unit's annual Christmas gathering for the members and will be a potluck social. Unit Chaplain Adeline Anderson

will present a special Christmas program. Members are asked to attend and bring a friend who may be interested in joining.

School Lunches

ALLEN (Dec. 7 - 11)

Monday: Breakfast — Cereal, breakfast pizza. Lunch — Hamburger, bun, French fries, mixed fruit, cookie.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Cereal & toast. Lunch — Taco, lettuce, cheese cup, orange, cookie.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Cereal & bagels. Lunch — Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, pineapple, roll.

Thursday: Breakfast — Biscuit & egg patty. Lunch — Turkey pot pie, mashed potatoes, peaches, bread & butter.

Friday: Breakfast — Select your own breakfast. Lunch — Crisпитos, refried beans, lettuce, cheese cups, glazed fruit.

Milk served with breakfast and lunch.

Menu subject to change.

LAUREL-CONCORD (Dec. 7 - 11)

Monday: Breakfast — Waffles. Lunch — Room 3E menu - Hamburger pizza, mandarin oranges, corn-on-the cob, ice cream.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Breakfast burrito. Lunch — Deli sandwich, cookie, fruit, vegetable.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Coffee cake. Lunch — Taco salad, cinnamon bread, fruit, vegetable.

Thursday: Breakfast — Biscuits & gravy. Lunch — Breaded beef sticks, mashed potatoes & gravy, dinner roll, fruit.

Friday: No School - Teacher in-service.

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

All menus subject to change.

WAKEFIELD (Dec. 7 - 11)

Monday: Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, peaches, roll.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Waffle. Lunch — Macaroni & cheese, Smokies, broccoli, applesauce, roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Bagels. Lunch — Chicken patty on bun, fries, green beans, mandarin oranges.

Thursday: Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Chili, corn bread, corn, pears.

Friday: Breakfast — Scrambled eggs. Lunch — Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, pineapple, roll.

Menu may change without notice. Grades 4-12 may have salad bar. Grades K-3 may have salad plate.

Monday: Italian dunkers, lettuce, pears.

Tuesday: Pork chop patty, mashed potatoes, homemade buns, peaches.

Wednesday: Goulash, peas, dinner rolls, grapes.

Thursday: Chili cheese fries, fresh vegetables, mixed fruit.

Friday: Hamburger, fries, apple sauce.

Milk is served with every meal.

WAYNE (Dec. 7 - 11)

Monday: Chicken patty with bun, green beans, peaches, cookie.

Tuesday: Spaghetti with meat sauce, French bread, peas, cherry crisp.

Wednesday: Hot dog with bun, baked beans, orange juice, cake.

Thursday: Stromboli, corn, apple, cookie.

Friday: Walking taco, carrots, pears, corn bread.

Milk served with every meal.

WINSIDE (Dec. 7 - 11)

Monday: Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, peaches, roll.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Waffle. Lunch — Macaroni & cheese, Smokies, broccoli, applesauce, roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Bagels. Lunch — Chicken patty on bun, fries, green beans, mandarin oranges.

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All eligible donors are encouraged to "Give Life - Donate Blood!"

The Siouxland Community Blood Bank was founded in 1967 and is the sole provider of blood and blood products to 37 Siouxland area hospitals.

To be eligible to donate blood individuals must be at least 16 years of age; however there is no upper age limit as long as the donor is in good health. Donors under the age of 17 require parental consent. In addition, donors need to weigh at least 110 pounds and have not donated whole blood in the past 56 days. A photo I.D. is required at the time of registration.

For more information about the Siouxland Community Blood Bank or blood drives in the area, call 712-252-4208 or 800-798-4208, or visit the Siouxland Community Blood Bank's website at www.siouxland-bloodbank.org

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Congeniality recipient

Terri Buck was speechless when it was announced that she had received the Wayne Ambassadors third quarter Congeniality Award. Buck is employed at NorthStar and part-time at Pamida. Making the presentation was Ambassador Chair Bob Keating.

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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.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!!

We are searching for names of veterans to include on the Memorial. If you or someone you know from Wayne County honorably served in the U.S. military please submit the name(s) and dates served via postcard to the: Wayne County Veterans Memorial, P.O. Box 196, Wayne, NE 68787. Donations can be sent to the same address. Check out our website at www.wayneveterans.net



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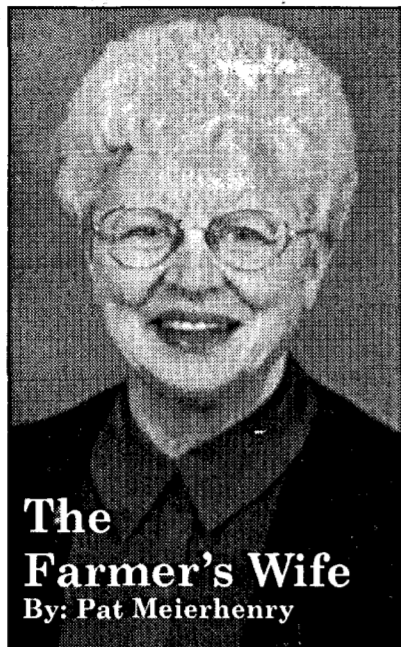
Cooking for Habitat for Humanity volunteers requires planning

It's the first Tuesday in December, and I'm scheduled to deliver lunch to the Habitat for Humanity volunteers. I volunteered for this once a month. Usually, there are about a dozen guys, all older, who don't eat all that much.

But, in October, they called to say they were having a meeting at the warehouse and could I bring enough for twenty? I doubled recipes and even had enough for leftovers. In November, there were ten, so we had runza casserole for supper that day. The office called to say that on that third Tuesday in December they would be having a special Christmas meal for the volunteers and I said, "Good." But then she asked if I could do another day instead. Like a guppy, I said yes.

Yesterday, she called to give me the address and announced that there would be eighteen people because there a bunch of students helping! So, now, I'm worrying about having enough; students eat more than seventy year old men. The gal who calls always acts like it's no big deal. But it is; eighteen is a lot more than ten. Oh, well. I can't hammer and saw, that's for sure. And they are building a lot of houses.

I hope you all had a good Thanksgiving. We spent ours in Kansas City. And "everything's up to date in Kansas City!" Jon and Katie wanted to break in their new house, and they did! There were



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

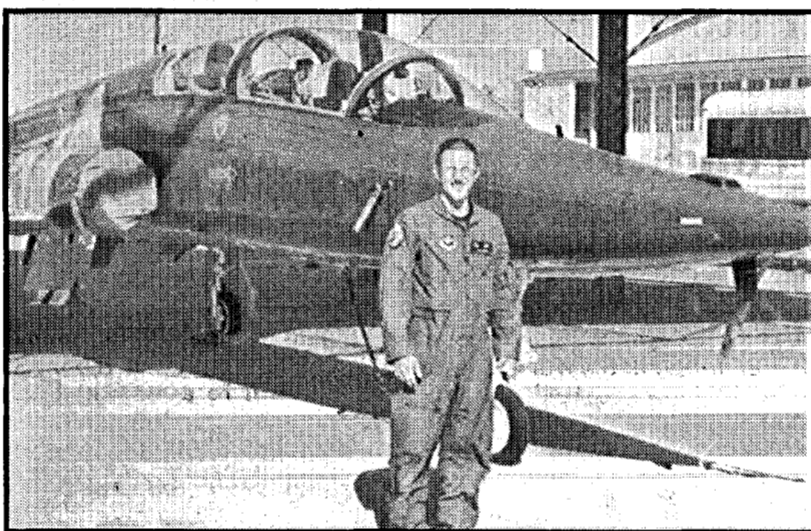
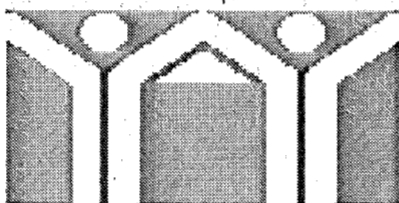
people everywhere. Thank goodness for a big basement with TVs and computers; that's where the cousins hung out. The house is in a development in lots of hills and their driveway slopes. There is a neat asphalt trail behind the back yard, so I did get some exercise; which was important because we were eating all the time! Eating, and watching football.

We spent the nights with friends who live in a brand new retirement community. It's secure; I had to have the security guard let us in every evening. Mornings, we went to a breakfast bar and ordered

from a menu. And the noon menus looked wonderful; things like trout amandine and chicken piccata. I think I could get used to that lifestyle very quickly. There is an indoor, warm pool; a beauty shop, and a chapel. They really don't have to leave, except to visit their son and go to the doctor.

Our church choir is rehearsing a cantata, which is scheduled next Wednesday. It's composed by a Baptist from the south and features some Appalachian folk styles. The trouble comes when you try to get a bunch of Germans who are used to Bach and Luther trying to sing the lilting rhythms. Believe me when I say it's a challenge. But there will be an orchestra accompaniment and I think it will be fun.

I'm finding it hard to believe it's Advent already. I did take a tree to the Aldrich house last week and decorated the dining room. But I'm not a bit confident that I will get mine up very soon. Now, I need to close and get the brownies in the oven for Habitat! I doubt if there will be any left-overs today. Thank goodness for the nice weather!



Pilot training

Matt Meyer of Wayne has begun Phase III Undergraduate Pilot Training at Vance Air Force Base in Enid, Okla. At a Track Select ceremony held recently, Matt was one of five pilots chosen to continue their training in T-38 jet aircraft. After six months of academics and flight instruction in the T-38, he will be assigned permanent duty flying fighter aircraft or a B-1B bomber for the balance of his career. Matt is the son of Terry and Karen Meyer of Wayne.

Plainswriters Series

The Plainswriters Series: Three Generations of Plains Poetry featured works for all ages. Wayne State College Language and Literature Department, the School of Arts and Humanities and WSC Press hosted the Plains Writers Series on Nov. 19. Nebraska, Missouri and South Dakota poets read from their work. Timothy Black of Wakefield, author of Connecticut Shade (WSC Press, 2008) welcomed audience members in the humanities lounge on the Wayne State College campus.



Cash Lease meetings being scheduled

I am going to remind you about what I think are important opportunities for landowners and tenants in the next couple of weeks.

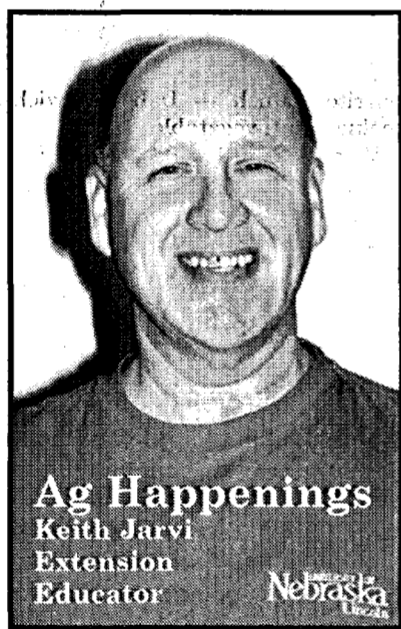
One of the hardest things to determine in farming is cash rent for land. Since roughly 50 percent of the farmland in our area is rented, it is an important part of our farming system.

There have been some changes in definition as to what cash rent is. Cash rent is now cash or a crop share guaranteed as the amount of the commodity to be paid in rent. For 2009 through 2012, a lease that provides for the greater of the guaranteed amount or share of the crop or crop proceeds, shall be considered a cash lease if the lease provides for a guaranteed amount and a share of the crop.

For example, if 75 percent of the expected rent comes as cash and the remaining 25 percent is contingent on farm output, the lease is considered a cash lease.

Because of these changes, flexible leases become much easier to use, and more options are available regarding the structure of their agreements (or so the economists tell me).

We have added a location in the area where we will be holding a workshop for Landowners and Tenants on Flexible Cash Lease Provisions. The dates and locations for these two meetings are Thursday, Dec. 10 at the Cuming County Extension meeting room in West Point, and Monday Dec. 14 at



Ag Happenings
Keith Jarvi
Extension Educator

the meeting room at the new NRDC NRCS UNL Extension office at 1505 Broadway in Dakota City.

Both meetings will be in the afternoon from 1 to 4 p.m. 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 cost for this meeting will be \$10 per person for material and fees. Because of limited space, pre-registration is required. Call the Dakota County Extension Office at 987-2140 or the Cuming County Extension office at 372-6006 for more information.

Keep safe.

Livestock Market

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

The market was steady on all classes. There were 164 head sold. Fat lambs, 130 to 150 lbs., \$88 to \$90.

Feeders lambs, 40 to 60 lbs., \$90 to \$105; 60 to 100 lbs., \$80 to \$90.

Ewes, good, \$40 to \$60 cwt.; medium, \$30 to \$40 cwt.; slaughter, \$20 to \$30 cwt.

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

The market was steady. There were five head sold.

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

Prices were \$2 higher on butchers and \$5 lower on sows. There were 207 head sold.

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BASKETBALL BEGINS

The 2009-2010 Basketball season officially began on Nov. 16. The first game of the season will be on Friday, Dec. 4 at Coleridge. The night will begin with the Junior Varsity girls and boys, followed by the Varsity girls and Varsity boys.

The Boys team members are: Jacob Woodward, AJ Williams, Cody Logue, Heath Roeber, Keith Jorgensen, Austin Roeber, DJ Kennelly, Garrett Hingst, Charles Brahmsteadt, Anthony Kennelly, Kyle Finnegan, Brandon Sullivan, Zach Crom, Isreal DeMadrid, Jacob Stewart, Kelvin Silva, Jon Bausch, Landon Kraft. They are coached by Luke Hoffman and Chris Miller. The managers are Garrett Brentlinger and Taylor Kumm.

The girls team members are: Ashlee Hingst, Hannah Flores, Shannon Sullivan, Shelby Isom, Dani Schneider, Mariah McCoy, Bentley Hingst, McKenzie Peterson, Micayla Brewer, Bailey McMahon, Sam Johnson, Ana Lopez, Ashley Gregerson, Hannah Finnegan, Olivia Schneiders, Brittany

Sullivan, Vanessa Klug and Shania Rader. They are coached by Luke McPhillips and Todd Sullivan. Managers are Lindsey Jones, Sammy Sullivan, Carley Burke, Lindsey Sullivan, Brooke Hingst and Marissa Brentlinger.

SATURDAY AT THE MUSEUM

The Dixon County Historical Society is planning a "SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM" on Dec. 5. 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. Gross will also tell about the beginnings and endings of the town. Is some of your family from there or family buried in La Porte Cemetery? 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 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.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

The K-12 Christmas Concert will be on Monday, Dec. 14 at 7 p.m. A wide variety of music will be presented, including the music for the 2010 Cotton Bowl. The Music Boosters will have their yearly Bake/Craft Sale.

SANTA AND MRS. CLAUS

Pictures with Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus will be at the K-12 Christmas Concert on Monday, Dec. 14. They will visit the pre-school children before the concert in the gym and with the elementary children in their classrooms after each class performs. Pictures of each child on Santa and Mrs. Claus's laps can be purchased that evening. Orders and payment will be taken in the Commons Area before the concert. A note will be sent home with each K-4th grader the week before the concert for pre-ordering/paying.

COMMUNITY CLUB

Santa and Mrs. Claus will again visit the children and hand out

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

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.

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COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

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

Saturday, Dec. 5: Leroy Koch, Kevin Smith, Milton & Sharon Boysen (A).

Sunday, Dec. 6: Deb Chase, Cody Stewart.

Monday, Dec. 7: Alicia Gregerson, Gloria Dowling, Leslie Book, Ron Finnegan.

Tuesday Dec. 8: Ethan Buresh, Jamie Anderson, Doug & Greta Kraemer (A).

Wednesday, Dec. 9: Katie Hancock, JoAnn Rahn, Peggy Terry, RoNelle Woodward, Merlin & Eleanor Jones (A).

Thursday, Dec. 10: Betty Chapman, Callie Anderson, Joshua Olesen, Mary Kay Mahler, Rhiannon Chapman, Warren Klaus.

Friday, Dec. 11: Ann Ferdig, David McCorkindale, Kathleen Puelger, David Stallbaum.

SENIOR CENTER

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

Monday, Dec. 7: Hot beef, mashed potatoes, broccoli, peaches.

Tuesday, Dec. 8: Chicken, scalloped potatoes, baked beans, rhubarb crisp.

Wednesday, Dec. 9: Ham, mashed potatoes, green beans, plums.

Thursday, Dec. 10: Supper at 5:30 p.m. - Roast beef, mashed potatoes, peas, pineapple upside down cake.

Friday, Dec. 11: Meatloaf, mashed potatoes, corn, apricots, cream puff dessert.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

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

Tuesday, Dec. 8: JVG/VG at Winnebago, 6:15 p.m.; Somerset at Senior Center 1:30 p.m.; Fire & Rescue meeting.

Wednesday, Dec. 9: ACCTS meet after school at UMC.

Thursday, Dec. 10: Supper at 5:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, followed by card party

Friday, Dec. 11: JVG/JVB/VG/VB here vs Homer 4 p.m.

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Alumni continuing the tradition

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Full-Time Dispatcher / Jailer

The Dixon County Sheriff's Office is currently accepting applications for the position of a Full-time Dispatcher/Jailer. Applicants must have basic computer skills, the ability to operate office equipment, ability to answer multi-line telephone system; including emergency calls and to operate multi-frequency radio and paging system upon completion of training. Applicants must be at least 21 years of age and have a high school diploma.

Applications can be obtained by writing the Dixon County Sheriff's Office, P.O. Box 900, Ponca, NE 68770 or by calling 402-755-5608. Applications will be accepted through 4:00 p.m. on December 18, 2009.

The Dixon County Sheriff's Office is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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.

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HELP WANTED

Office Manager, 30-40 hours per week. The preferred candidate will have good oral and written communication skills; organizational, time management skills; basic computer experience including financial software; and knowledge of general office procedures.

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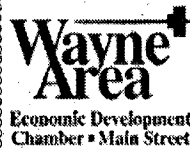
info@wayneworks.org or

Wayne Area Economic Development

PO Box 275

Wayne, NE 68787

Review of applications to begin immediately.



Economic Development Chamber • Main Street

HELP WANTED

ACTIVITY DIRECTOR

Outgoing, caring, creative person to coordinate activities for our residents. Varying hours with some nights and weekends.

Apply in person or send resume to:

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1105 9th Street • 402-529-3286 • Wisner, NE 68791

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

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Full-time evening, part-time days and part-time nights

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Wayne, NE

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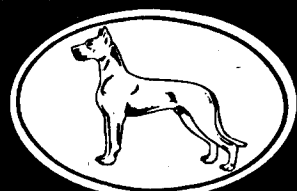
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Phone: • 375-1500

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EOE

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Wayne State College

Wayne State College invites applications for a part-time Custodian Support Worker to work from 5:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. This is routine custodial work which includes cleaning and performing related tasks in and around campus buildings, offices, and facilities. Qualifications: High School Diploma or equivalent; minimum of six months to one year experience in custodial work; knowledge of proper cleaning methods, procedures, products, and materials; knowledge of use and care of cleaning equipment and supplies; ability to learn repetitive tasks quickly; and ability to interact courteously and tactfully with students, faculty, and the general public.

Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until filled. Applications may be picked up at Human Resources, Hahn Administration Building room 211, or applications are located at (<http://www.wsc.edu/hr/apps/>). Completed applications should be returned to:

Part-time Support Worker, Custodian

Director of Human Resources

Wayne State College

1111 Main Street

Wayne, NE 68787

or email to:

hrwork1@wsc.edu

Wayne State College is an equal opportunity institution. WSC does not discriminate against any student, employee or applicant on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, religion, or age in employment and education opportunities, including but not limited to admission decisions. The College has designated an individual to coordinate the College's nondiscrimination efforts to comply with regulations implementing Title VI, VII, IX, and Section 504. Inquiries regarding non-discrimination policies and practices may be directed to Dr. Cheryl Waddington, Director of Human Resources, Title VI, VII, IX Compliance Coordinator, Wayne State College, 1111 Main Street, Wayne, NE 68787, (402) 375-7403.

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The Wayne Housing Authority (Villa Wayne)
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HELP WANTED: Mystery Shoppers. Earn up to \$150 per day. Undercover shoppers needed to evaluate retail and dining establishments. No experience required. Call 877-424-4925.

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.

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 Immediate Openings for Full-Time Production (1st and 2nd Shifts)
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1:00 - 3:00 P.M.

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 Phone: 402-375-1477
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www.1strealtysales.com

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

THANK YOU

Heartfelt thanks to everyone who remembered me with cards, visits and telephone calls. Special thanks to the Winside Rescue Unit for their quick response.
Warren Marotz

We would like to say "Thank You" to family and friends for the cards and memorials, hugs and prayers at the time of the death of our mother, grandmother, great grandmother and great great grandmother, Etlein Brudigan. A special thank you to Pastor Winter and Home for Funeral staff for their kind words and support. God Bless.
Janice & Robert Hader
Julie & Ricardo Miller & families
Ryan & Megan Hader & family
Jean Hader

A BIG "thanks and hug" for all the cards, calls, prayers, concern and caring during my hospital stays and since returning home. A special thanks to all my drivers to Sioux City. I couldn't do it without you. May God Bless you all.
 Wanda Hofeldt

SPECIAL NOTICE

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 4 bedroom, 2 story home. Barn, metal building and more.



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 New 48' x 96' Machine shed

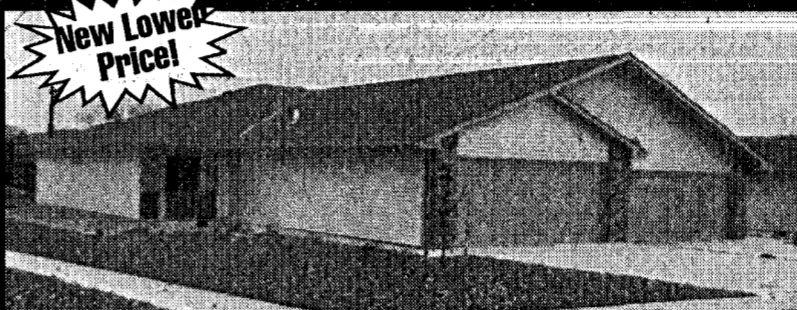


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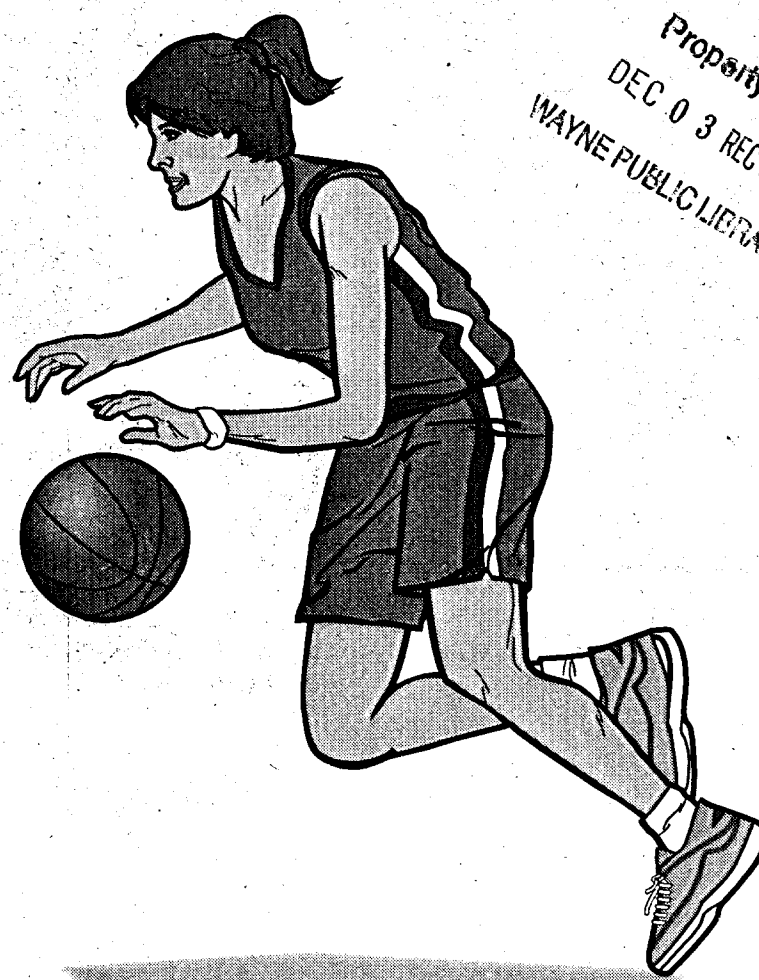
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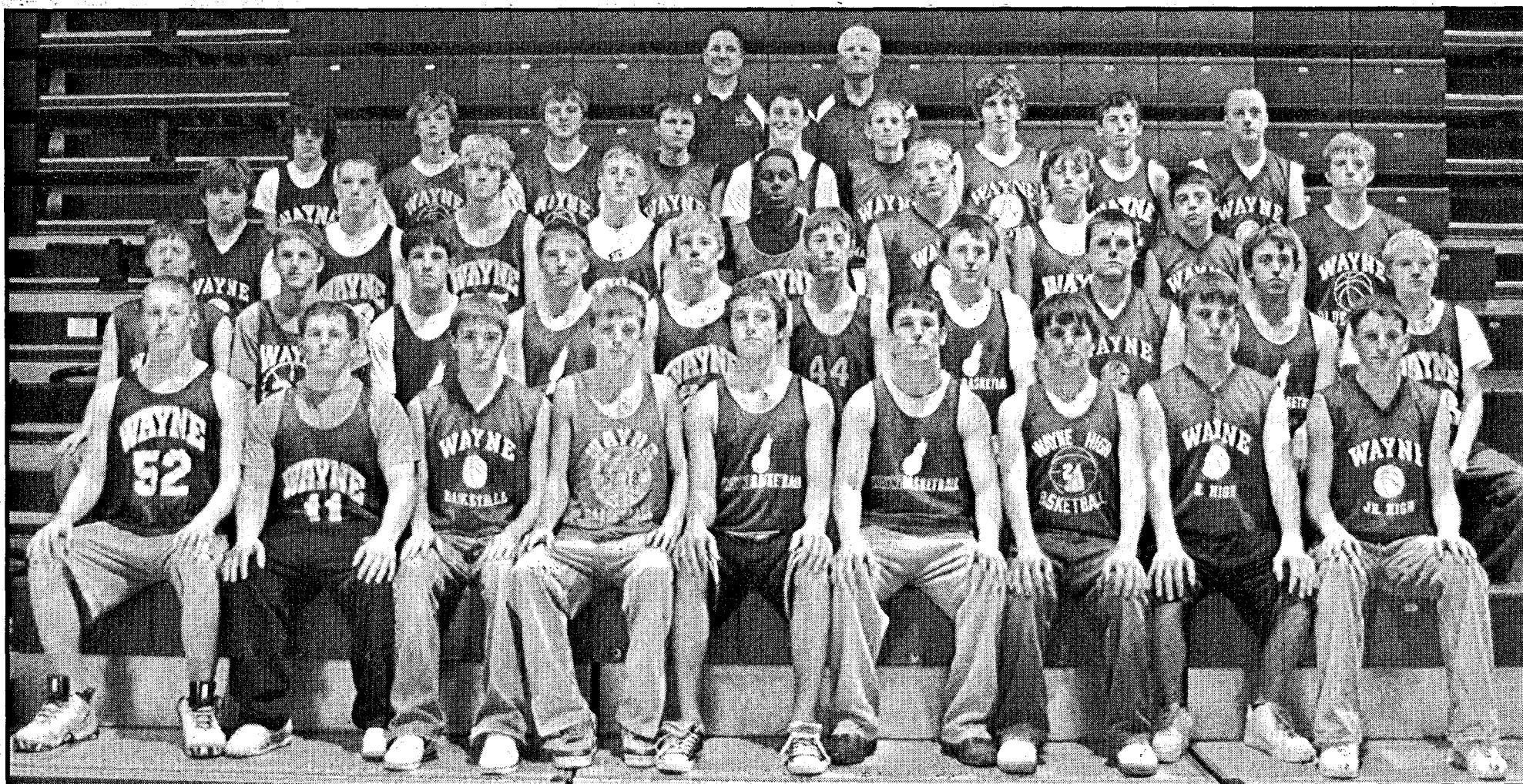


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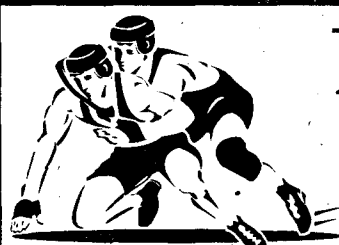
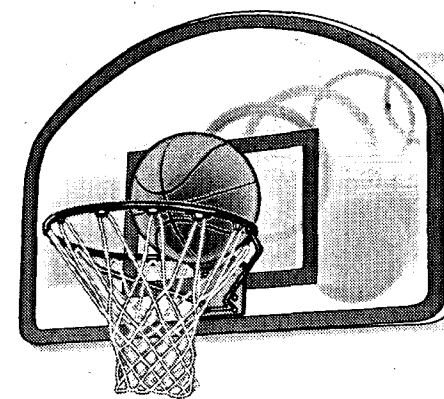
Wayne Boys Basketball



(front) Keegan Dorcey, Jacob Zeiss, Cory Foote, Jordan Barry, Geoff Nelson, Derek Poutre, Taylor Carroll, Justin Anderson, Seth Onderstal (second row) Sean Ganseboom, Miles Anderson, Gage Rethwisch, Quentin Jorgensen, Joe Dunklau, Tony Sinniger, Joëy Lenihan, Collin Preston, Andrew Long, Zach Thomson, (third row) Ramsey Jorgensen, Jordan Backer, Andrew Pulfer, Luke Trenhale, Chris Rogers, Brady Soden, Drew Carroll, Quinton Morris, Mason Wren, (fourth row) Erin Schoh, Tyler Robinson, Steven Sherman, Layne Hochstein, Bradley Longe, Grant Anderson, Zach Shear, Danny Melena, Andy Scholl, (back) coach Rocky Ruhl, assistant coach Duane Blomenkamp. Not pictured is assistant coach Matt Schaub.

Dec. 4 Battle Creek
 Dec. 5 at Wakefield
 Dec. 12 at Columbus Lakeview
 Dec. 18 Wisner-Pilger
 Dec. 22 Columbus Scotus
 Dec. 28-30 at NE Neb. Shootout
 Jan. 7 at Norfolk Catholic
 Jan. 9 at Boone Central
 Jan. 12 Laurel-Concord
 Jan. 16 at Boys Town
 Jan. 18 at Qwest Center Shootout

Jan. 22 at Hartington CC
 Jan. 23 O'Neill
 Jan. 29 at West Point-Beemer
 Feb. 2-6 Mid-State Conference
 Feb. 12 Madison
 Feb. 13 at West Point CC
 Feb. 19 Pierce
 Feb. 22-25 Subdistricts
 Mar. 1 District Finals
 Mar. 11-13 State Tournament



**Best of Luck to all the area
 Sports Teams this Winter!**



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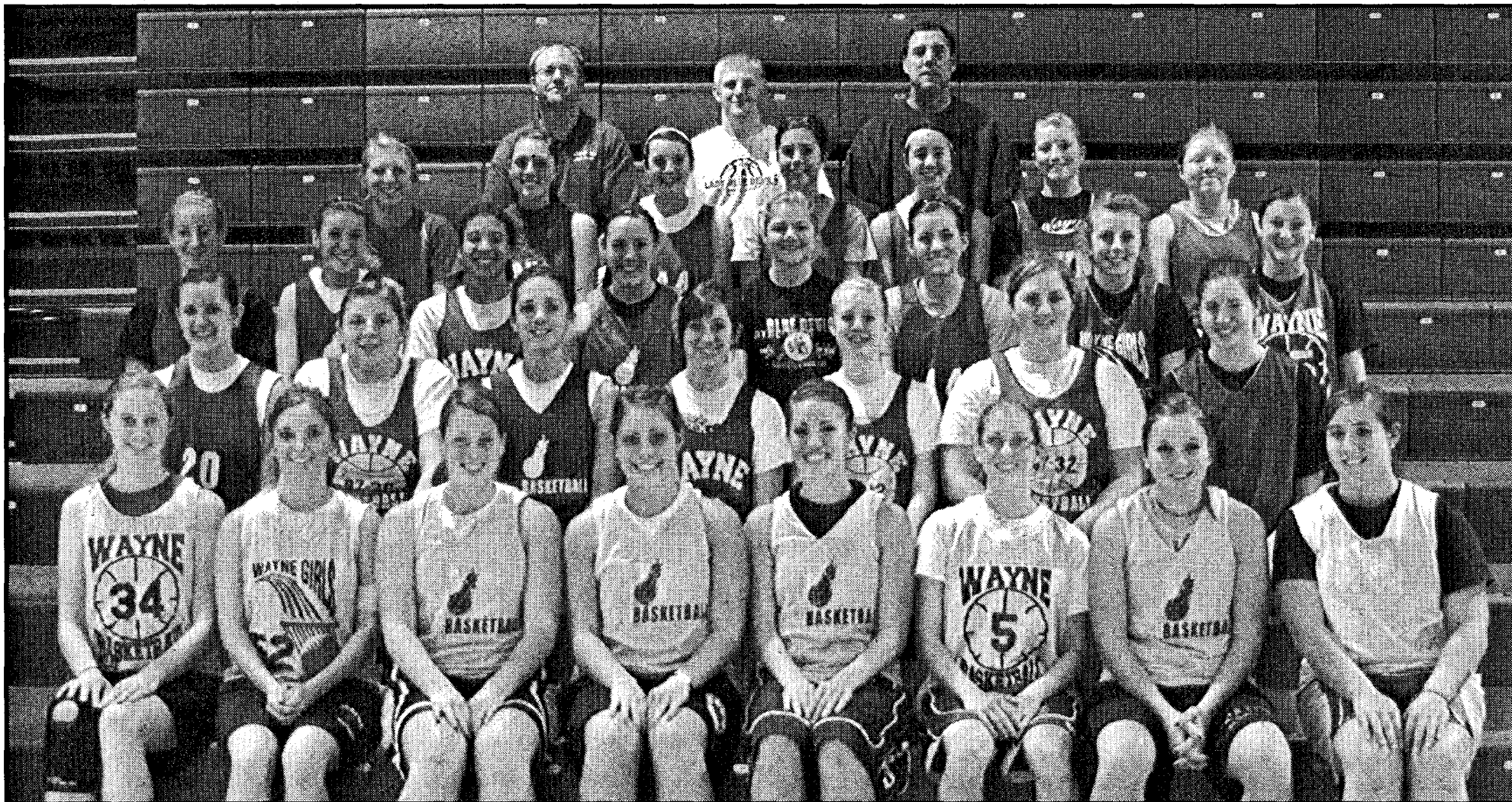
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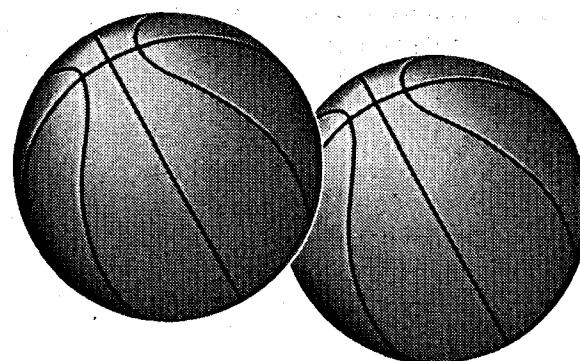
Wayne Girls Basketball



(front) Lisa Temme, Jessica Calhoun, Shannon Jarvi, Riley Hoffart, Jordan Alexander, Tess Moser, Kayla Grone, Carly Fehringer, (second row) Morgan Centrone, Gina Smith, Taylor Stowater, Becca Jaixen, Jamie Belt, Mashayla Ruzicka, Katie Hoskins, (third row) Jenna Pieper, Kristin Carroll, Marissa Fallesen, Caitlyn Fehringer, Emily Nelson, Elle Schram, Cassie Harm, Narelle Naeve, (fourth row) Hannah Gamble, Megan Hoffart, Sydney Harris, Kennedy Stowater, Sarah Maxson, Jaci Lubberstedt, Jaci Alexander, (back) assistant coach Josh Johnson, coach Nate Wall, assistant coach Brad Hoskins. Not pictured is assistant coach Kelsee Katsampes.

Dec. 4 Battle Creek
 Dec. 11 at Schuyler
 Dec. 18 Wisner-Pilger
 Dec. 22 Columbus Scotus
 Dec. 28-30 at NE Neb. Shootout
 Jan. 8 at Pierce
 Jan. 9 at Boone Central
 Jan. 12 Laurel-Concord
 Jan. 15 Norfolk Catholic
 Jan. 19 at Crofton

Jan. 21 at West Point CC
 Jan. 23 O'Neill
 Jan. 25 Tekamah-Herman
 Jan. 29 at West Point-Beemer
 Feb. 1-6 Mid-State Conference
 Feb. 9 at Hartington CC
 Feb. 12 Madison
 Feb. 15-18 Subdistricts
 Feb. 26 District finals
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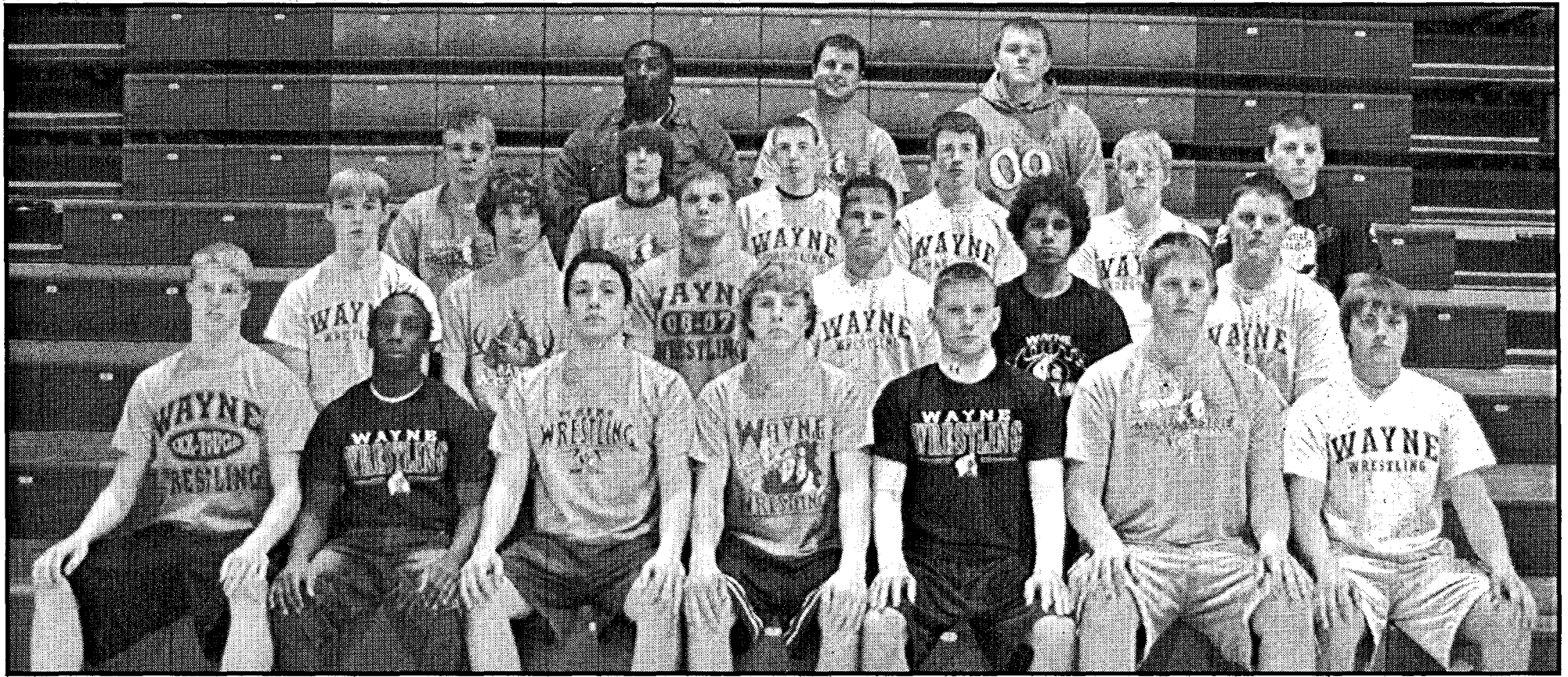
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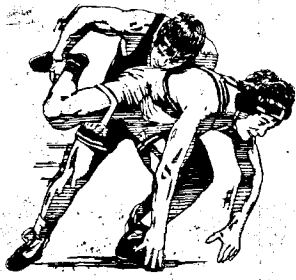
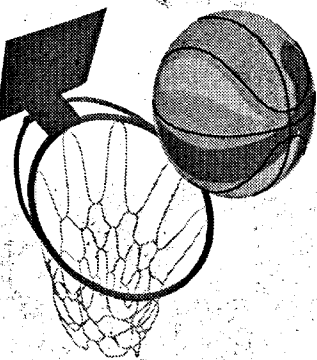


(front) Jared Klassen, Darnell Collins, Pedro Zavala, Aaron Luschen, Logan Owens, Jorge Dunklau, Shawn Davie (second row) Garrett Vawser, Roman Roberts, Riley McManus, Ian Webster, Malcolm Martin, Dominic Reinke, (third row) Tyler Pohlman, Aaron Sorenson, Austin Frideres, Jason Holt, Colin Loberg, Drew Loberg, (back) coach Anthony Lawrence, assistant coach Danny Rockhill, assistant coach Jon Mullen.

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Dec. 5 at York Invite

Dec. 11-12 at Nebraska Duals (Columbus)

Dec. 18 at Platteview Invite

Jan. 7 Norfolk Catholic

Jan. 9 at Wisner-Pilger Invite

Jan. 12 at South Sioux City

Jan. 16 at Pender Dual Invite

Jan. 22 at Madison Invite

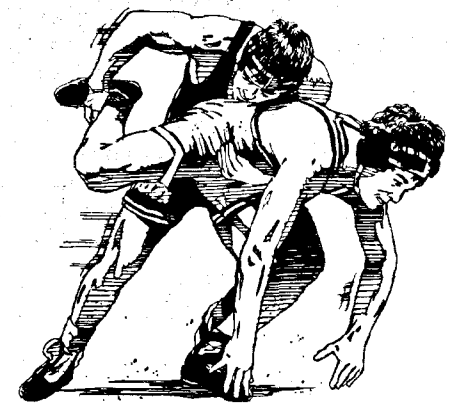
Jan. 26 at Winside

Jan. 30 at Hastings Invite

Feb. 6 at Norfolk Catholic/Mid-State Conf.

Feb. 12-13 Districts at Schuyler

Feb. 18-20 State Tournament

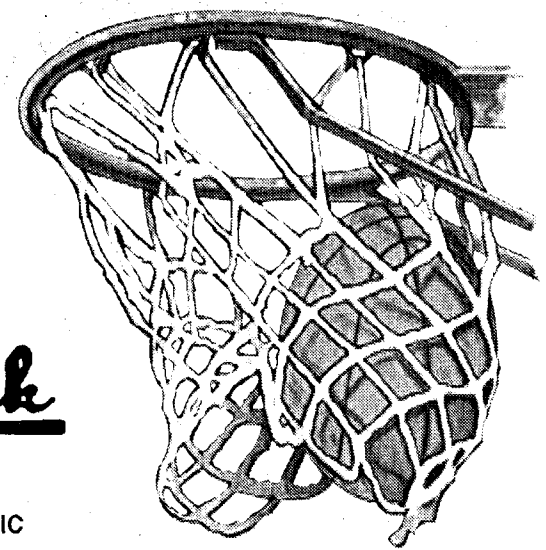


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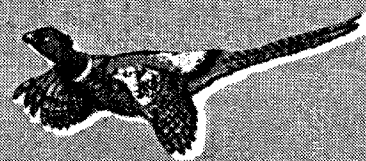
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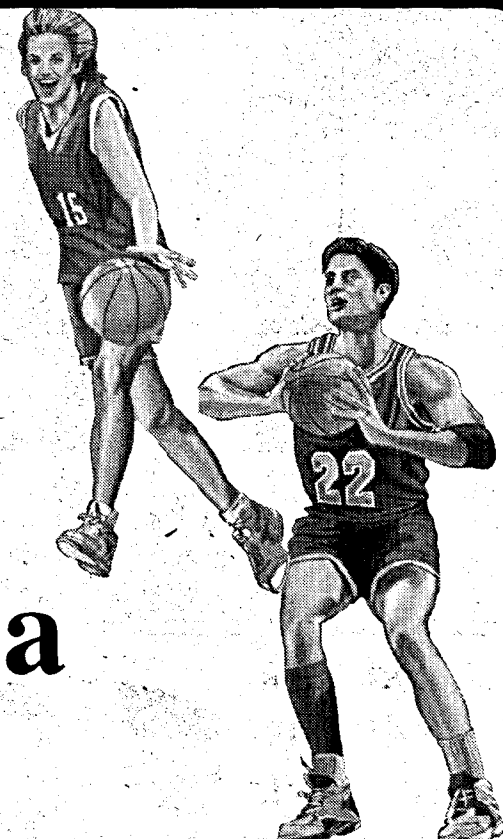
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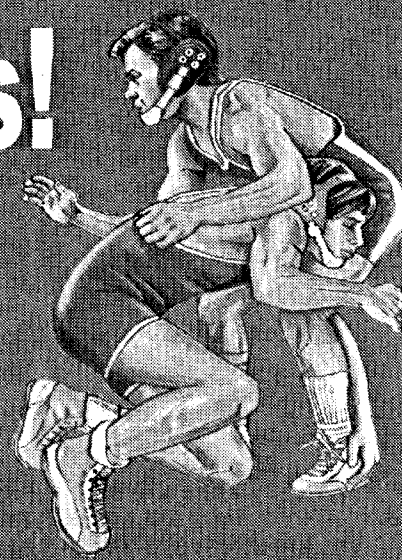
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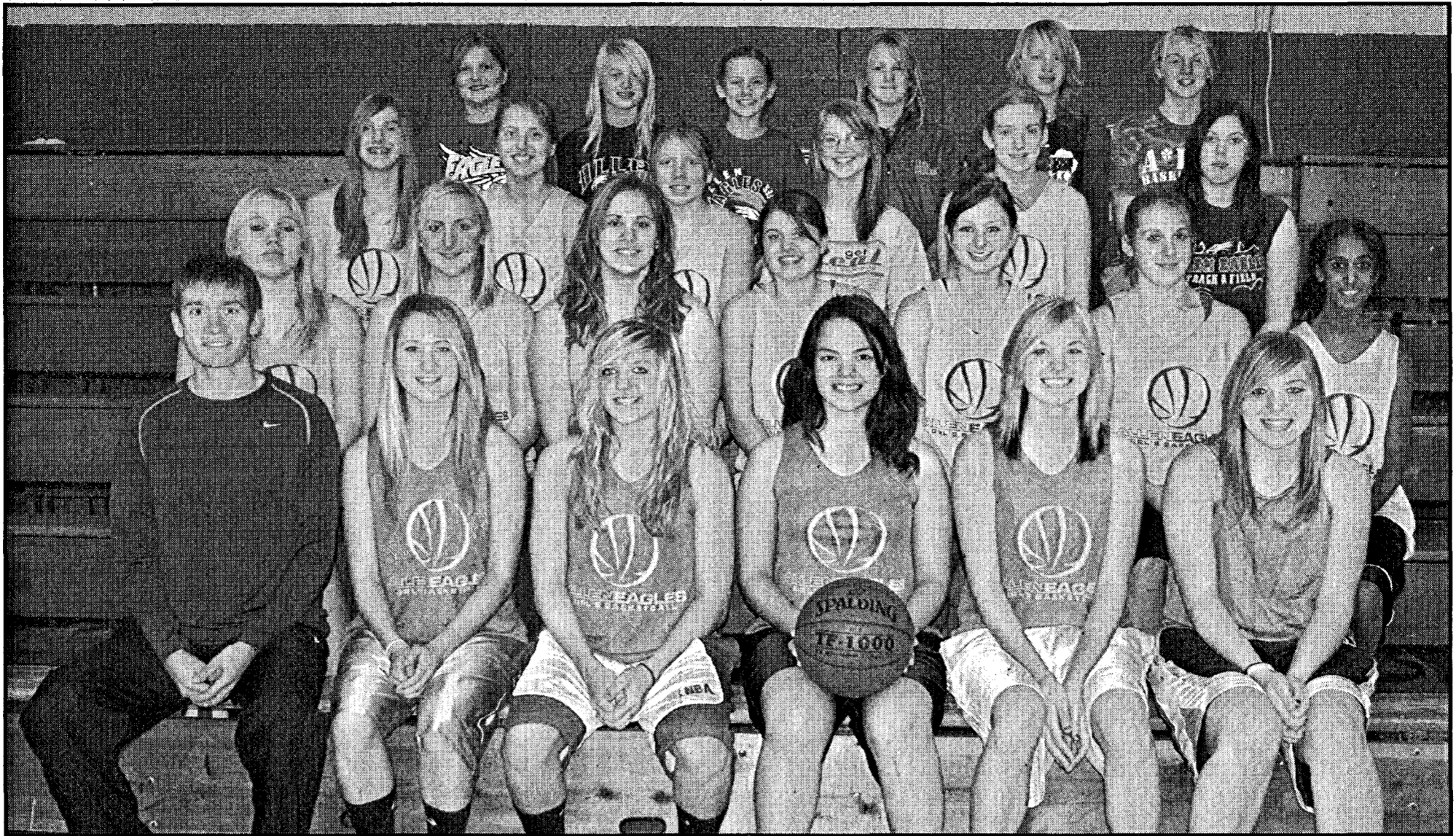


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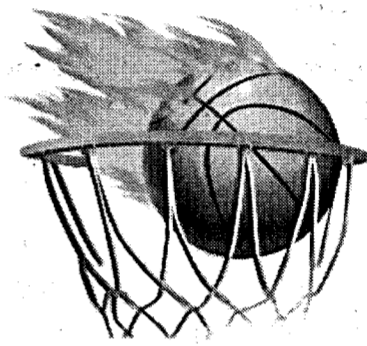
Allen Girls Basketball



(front) Coach Logan McPhillips, Dani Schneider, Shannon Sullivan, Hannah Flores, Ashlee Hingst, Shelby Isom, (second row) Christina Gregerson, Samantha Johnson, McKenzie Peterson, Micayla Brewer, Bentley Hingst, Mariah McCoy, Olivia Schneiders, (third row) Venessa Klug, Brittany Sullivan, Ashley Gregerson, Shania Rader, Hannah Finnegan, Ana Lopez, (back) Samantha Sullivan, Marissa Brentlinger, Lindsey Sullivan, Brooke Hingst, Carley Burke, Lindsay Jones. Not pictured is Bailey McMahon.

Dec. 4 at Coleridge
 Dec. 8 at Winnebago
 Dec. 11 Homer
 Dec. 15 Hartington
 Dec. 18 at Newcastle
 Dec. 21 at Lyons-Decatur
 Jan. 7 Ponca
 Jan. 9 Hartington CC
 Jan. 14 at Santee
 Jan. 15 Bancroft-Rosalie

Jan. 19 at Wynot
 Jan. 21 Wausa
 Jan. 25 Walthill
 Jan. 28 Emerson-Hubbard
 Jan. 30-Feb. 8 Lewis & Clark Conf.
 Feb. 9 Winside
 Feb. 11 at Bloomfield
 Feb. 15-18 Subdistricts
 Feb. 26 District Finals
 Mar. 4-6 State Tournament





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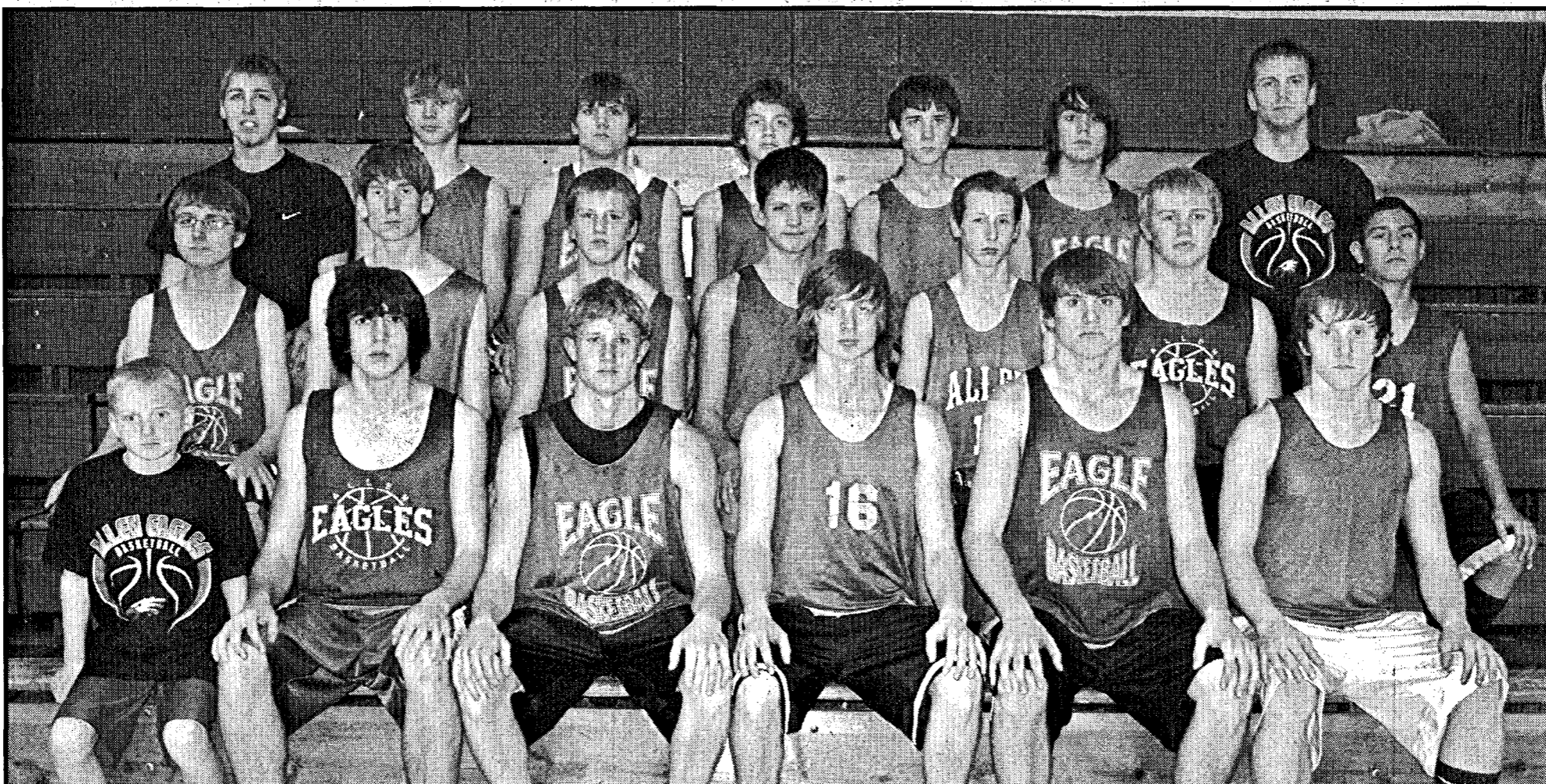


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Allen Boys Basketball



(front) Manager Garrett Brentlinger, Jacob Woodward, Keith Jorgensen, Cody Logue, Cody Stewart, A.J. Williams, (middle) Landon Kraft, Kyle Finnegan, Anthony Kennelly, Charles Brahmsteadt, D.J. Kennelly, Garrett Hingst, Isreal DeMadrid, (back) assistant coach Chris Miller, Jon Bausch, Jake Stewart, Zach Crom, Brandon Sullivan, Kelvin Silva, coach Luke Hoffman.

Dec. 4 at Coleridge
 Dec. 11 Homer
 Dec. 15 Hartington
 Dec. 18 at Newcastle
 Dec. 21 at Lyons-Decatur
 Jan. 8 Ponca (at Sioux City Tyson Events Ctr.)
 Jan. 14 at Santee
 Jan. 15 Bancroft-Rosalie
 Jan. 19 at Wynot
 Jan. 21 Wausa

Jan. 25 Walthill
 Jan. 29 Emerson-Hubbard
 Jan. 30-Feb. 8 Lewis & Clark Conf.
 Feb. 9 Winside
 Feb. 11 at Bloomfield
 Feb. 19 Winnebago
 Feb. 22-25 Subdistricts
 Mar. 2 District Finals
 Mar. 11-13 State




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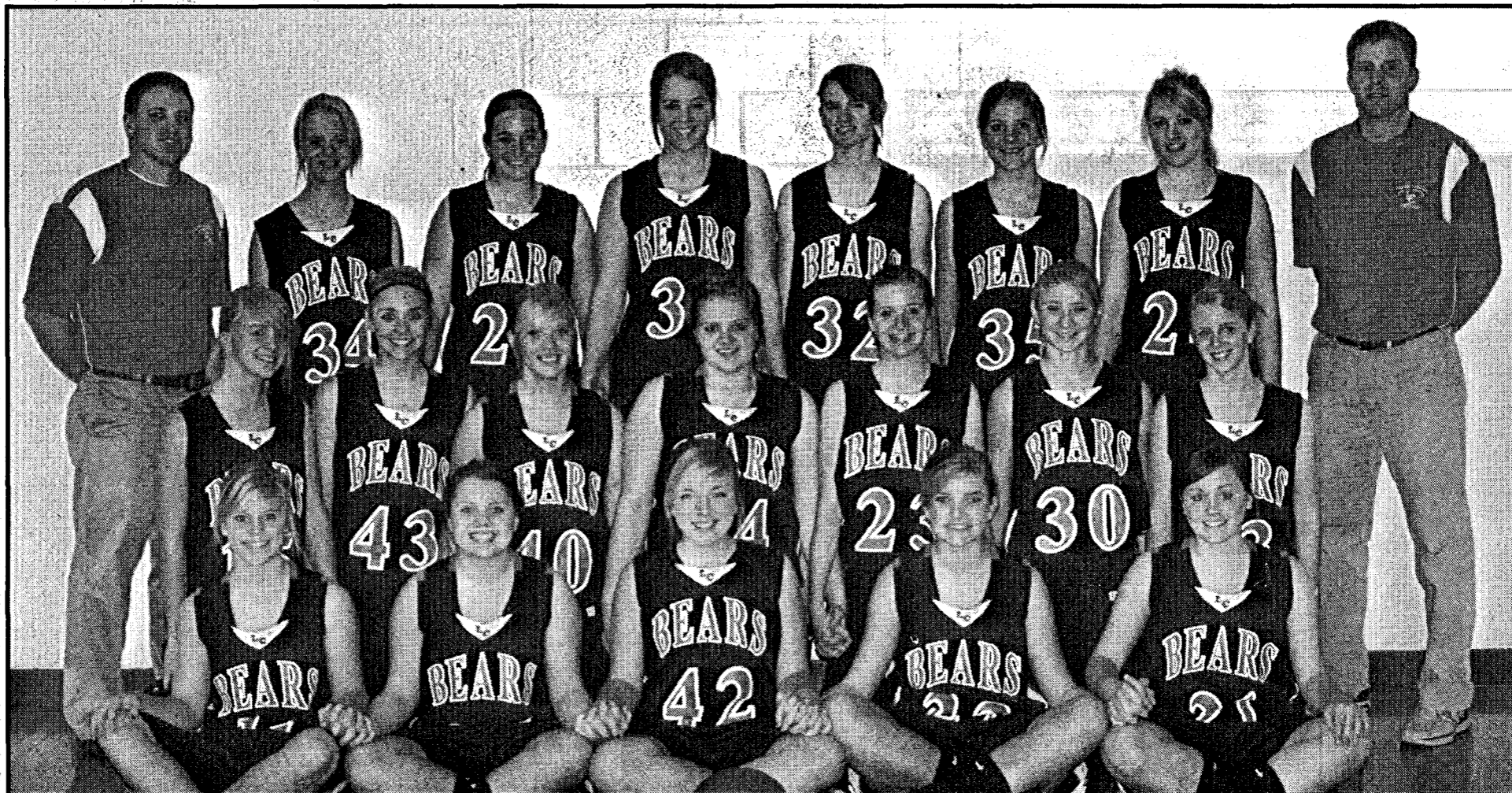


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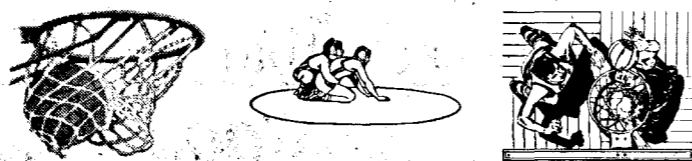
**We support our area athletes.
 Good luck on the coming season!**

Laurel-Concord Girls Basketball



(front) Ashley Lunz, Mallorie Granquist, Chelsey Wolfgram, Blair Madsen, Audrey Kastrup, (middle) Sammie Camenzind, Erica Brandow, Nicole Nitz, Devin Hirschman, Kiley Thompson, Katie Gubbels, Cassie Camenzind, (back) assistant coach T.J. Shiers, Lexy Camenzind, Emily Gubbels, Jade Cunningham, Mandy Nelson, Erika Hochstein, Leanna Gubbels, coach Nate Sims.

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Dec. 15 Ponca
Dec. 18 Plainview
Dec. 28-30 at NE Neb. Shootout
Jan. 4 at Norfolk Catholic
Jan. 7 Hartington CC
Jan. 8 at Elkhorn Valley
Jan. 12 at Wayne
Jan. 15 Creighton
Jan. 19 at Hartington

Jan. 21 at Battle Creek
Jan. 23 at West Holt
Jan. 28 Wakefield
Jan. 30-Feb. 5 NENAC
Feb. 11 at Wisner-Pilger
Feb. 12 at Neligh-Oakdale
Feb. 15-18 Subdistricts
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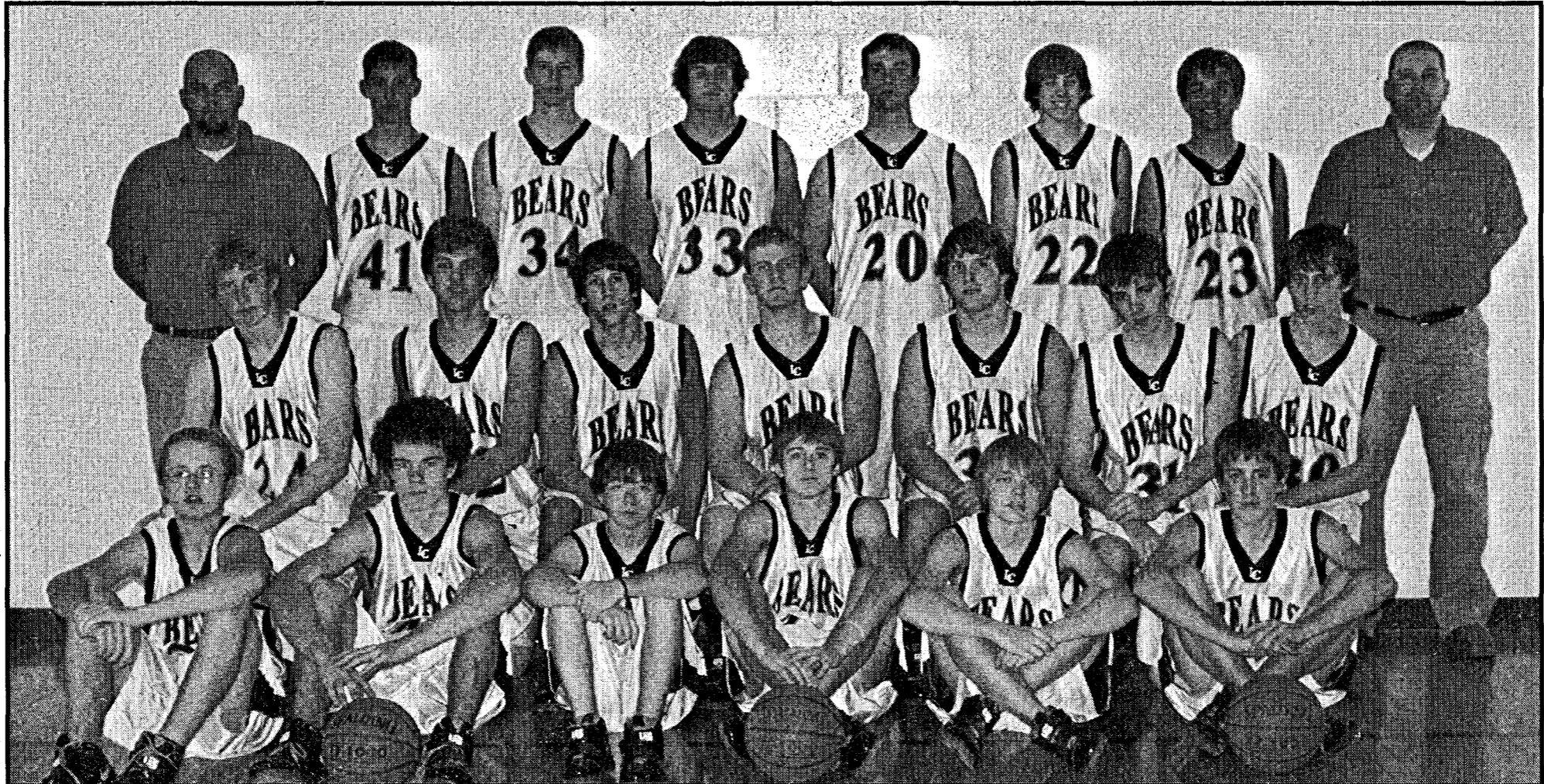
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Laurel-Concord Boys Basketball



(front) Shawn McCoy, Justin Saunders, Nathan Lunz, Kyle Kardell, Nate Granquist, Isaac Haahr, (middle) Kyle Koester, Bryan Pippitt, Lucas Pallas, Travis Nelson, Tony Brandow, Daniel Hartnett, Mitch Heikes, (back) assistant coach Adam Patrick, Matthew Maxon, Seth Vanderheiden, Ezra Schantz, Johnny Saunders, Michael Olesen, Scott Pippitt, coach Shannon Benson.

Dec. 4 Crofton
 Dec. 12 at Randolph
 Dec. 15 Ponca
 Dec. 18 Plainview
 Dec. 28-30 at NE Neb. Shootout
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 Jan. 15 Creighton
 Jan. 19 at Hartington

Jan. 21 at Battle Creek
 Jan. 23 at West Holt
 Jan. 28 Wakefield
 Jan. 30-Feb. 5 NENAC
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 Mar. 11-13 State Tournament

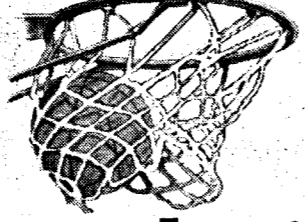
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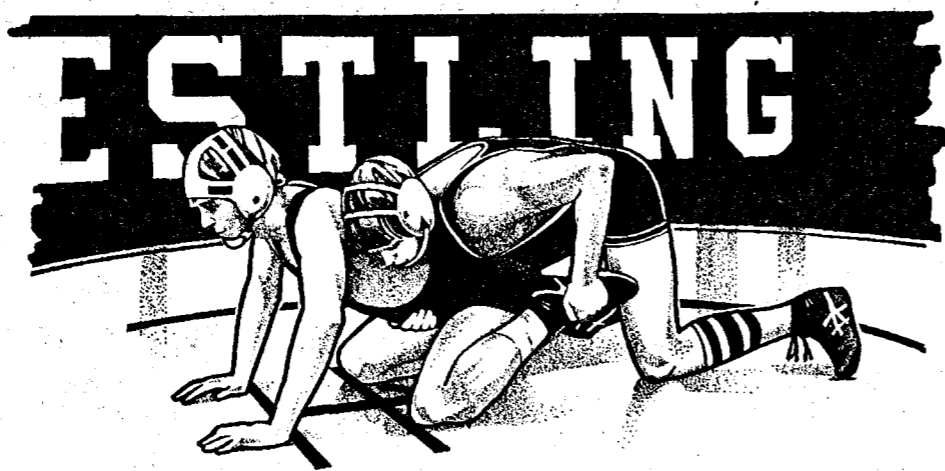



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(from left) Austin Roach, Beau Wheeler, Jon Jacot, Riley Lund, Austin Gothier, coach Dan Maxwell. Not pictured are Ahren Ferris and assistant coach Ty Maxwell.



Dec. 5 at Creighton Invite
 Dec. 18 Pender/Randolph Tri.
 Dec. 12 at Stanton Invite
 Jan. 2 at Pierce Duals
 Jan. 9 at Winside Invite
 Jan. 16 at Battle Creek Invite

Jan. 21 NENAC at Laurel
 Jan. 23 at Oakland-Craig Invite
 Jan. 30 at Plainview Invite
 Dec. 12-13 Districts at West Point
 Dec. 18-20 State Tournament

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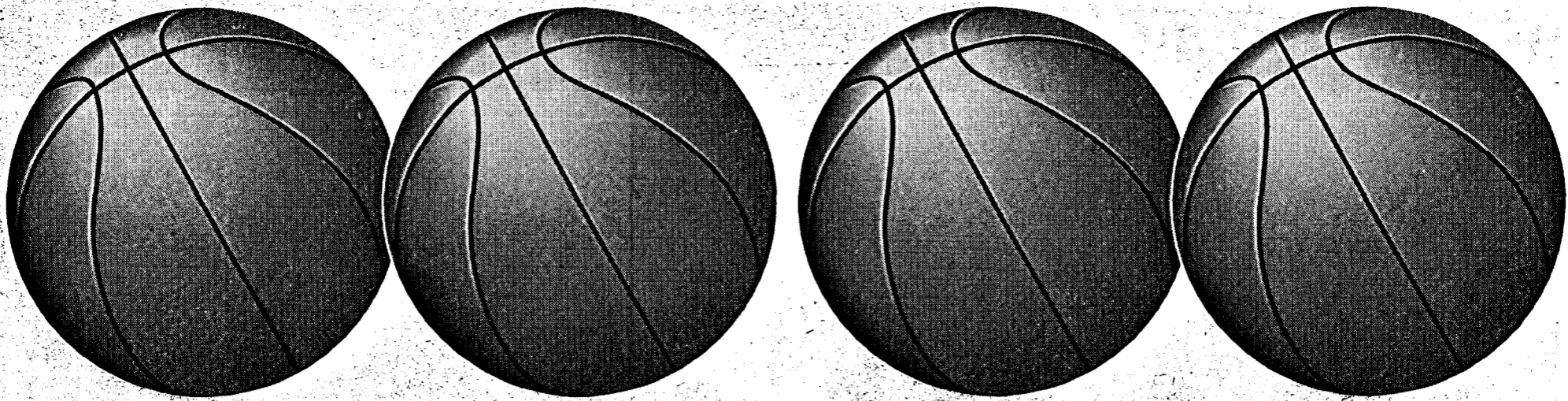
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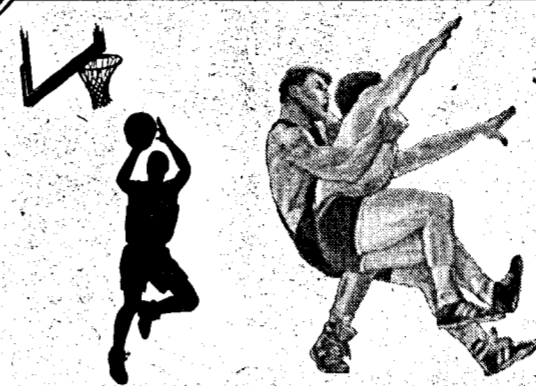




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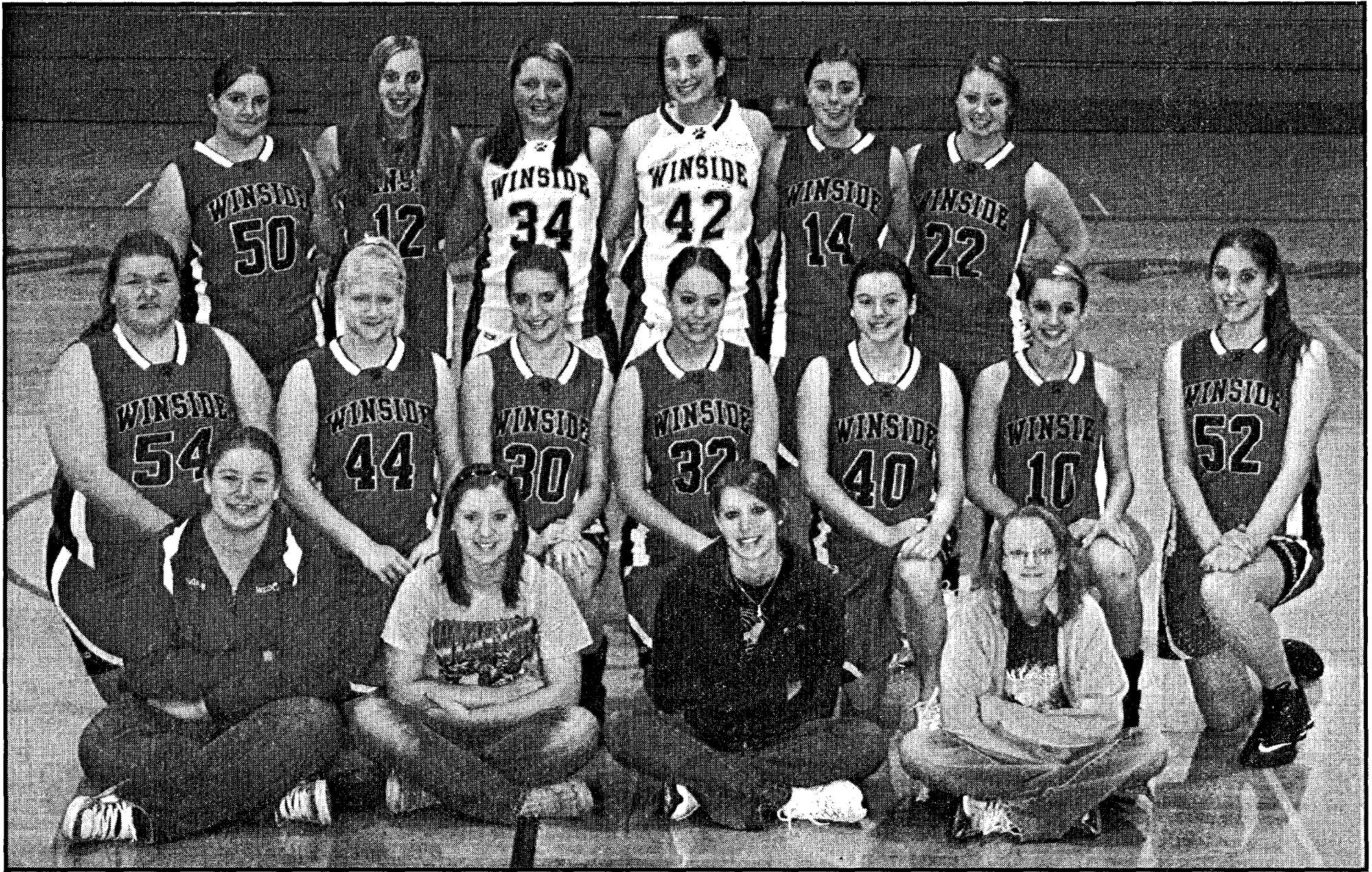


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Winside Girls Basketball



(front) Elysia Wagner, Kelsie Tweedy, Megan Skokan, Morgan Jensen, (middle) Tarrin Quinn, Shayln Mundil, Courtney Petzoldt, Bianca Marino, Kirstie Koch, Nayza Thies, Brittany Janke, (back) Desrah Janke, Audrey Roberts, Marrisa Prince, Katie Saul, Megan Leicy, Page Jensen. Not Pictured are Jordyn Roberts and Carly Anderson.

Dec. 4 at Wynot
 Dec. 5 Humphrey
 Dec. 10 at Newcastle
 Dec. 11 Bloomfield
 Dec. 15 Bancroft-Rosalie
 Dec. 18 at Coleridge
 Dec. 21 Emerson-Hubbard
 Dec. 28-29 at Randolph Hol. Tourn.
 Jan. 5 at Walthill
 Jan. 7 Winnebago

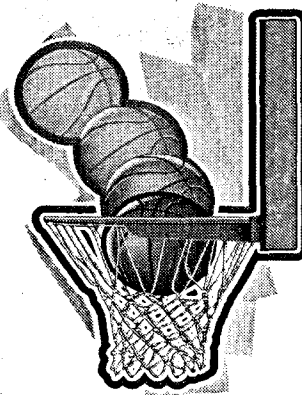
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 Jan. 19 at Clarkson
 Jan. 22 at Wausa
 Jan. 28 at Hartington
 Jan. 30-Feb. 8 Lewis and Clark Conf.
 Feb. 9 at Allen
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 Feb. 26 District final
 Mar. 4-6 State Tournament

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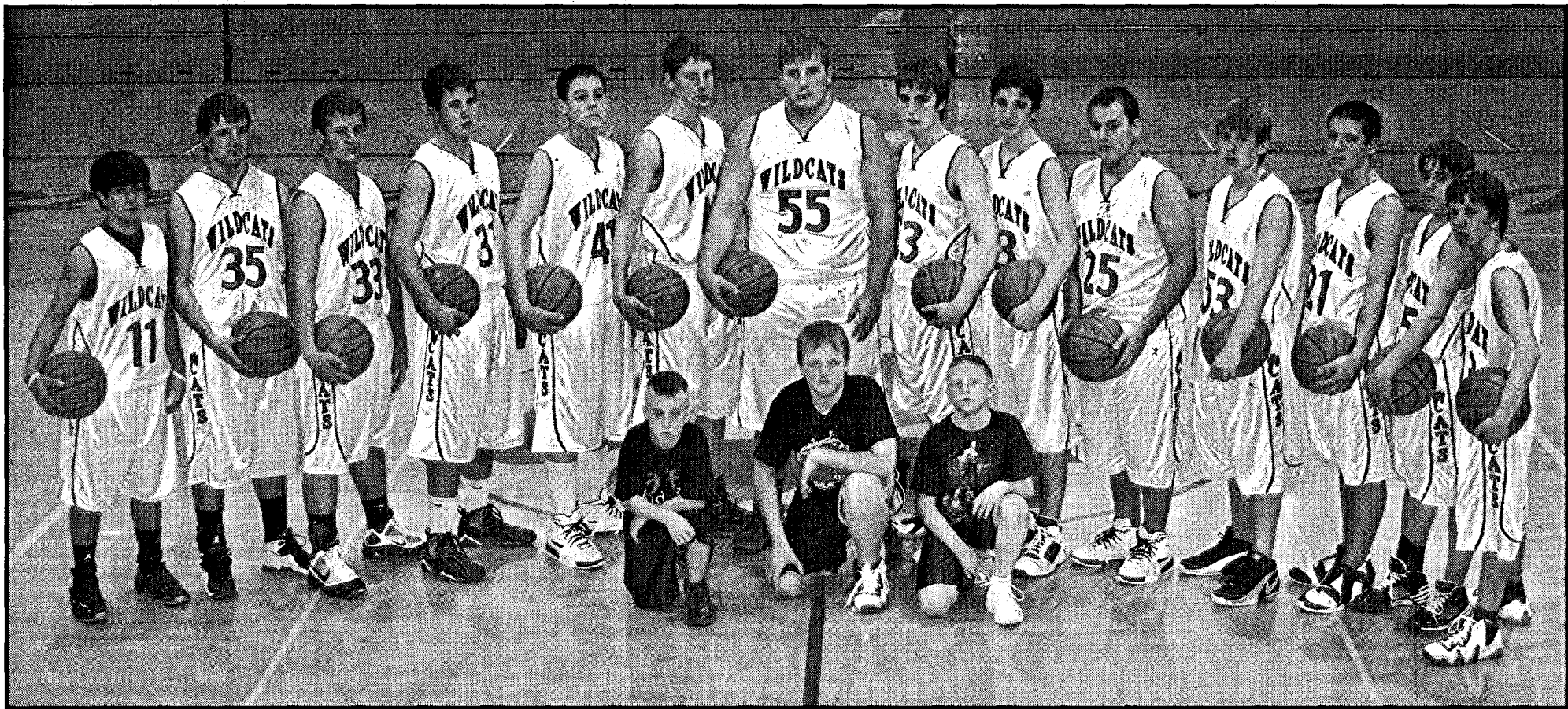
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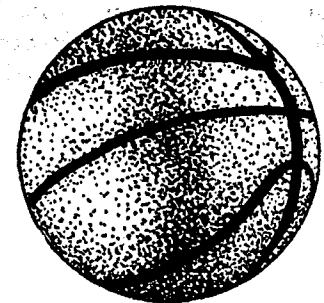
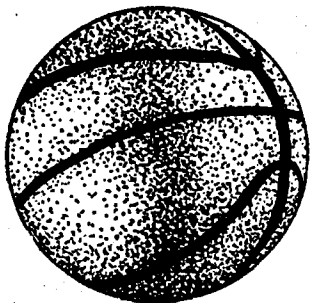
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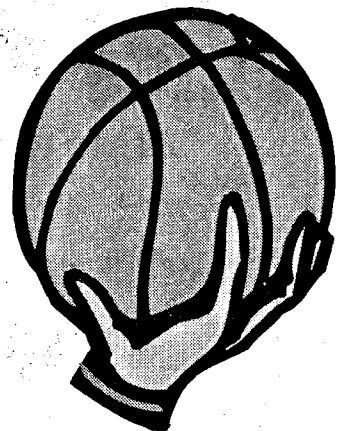
(front) Student managers Coltin Robinette, Garet Watters, Brandon Watters, (back) Michael Lage, Tanner Woslager, Alec Sindelar, Seth Mangels, Ricky Wright, Kyle Skokan, Nathan Janke, Jordan Jaeger, Colin Hansen, Jesse Boschult, Brian Greunke, Blaine Meyer, Tyler Jaeger, John Hansen.

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 Feb. 9 at Allen
 Feb. 11 Osmond
 Feb. 19 Newcastle
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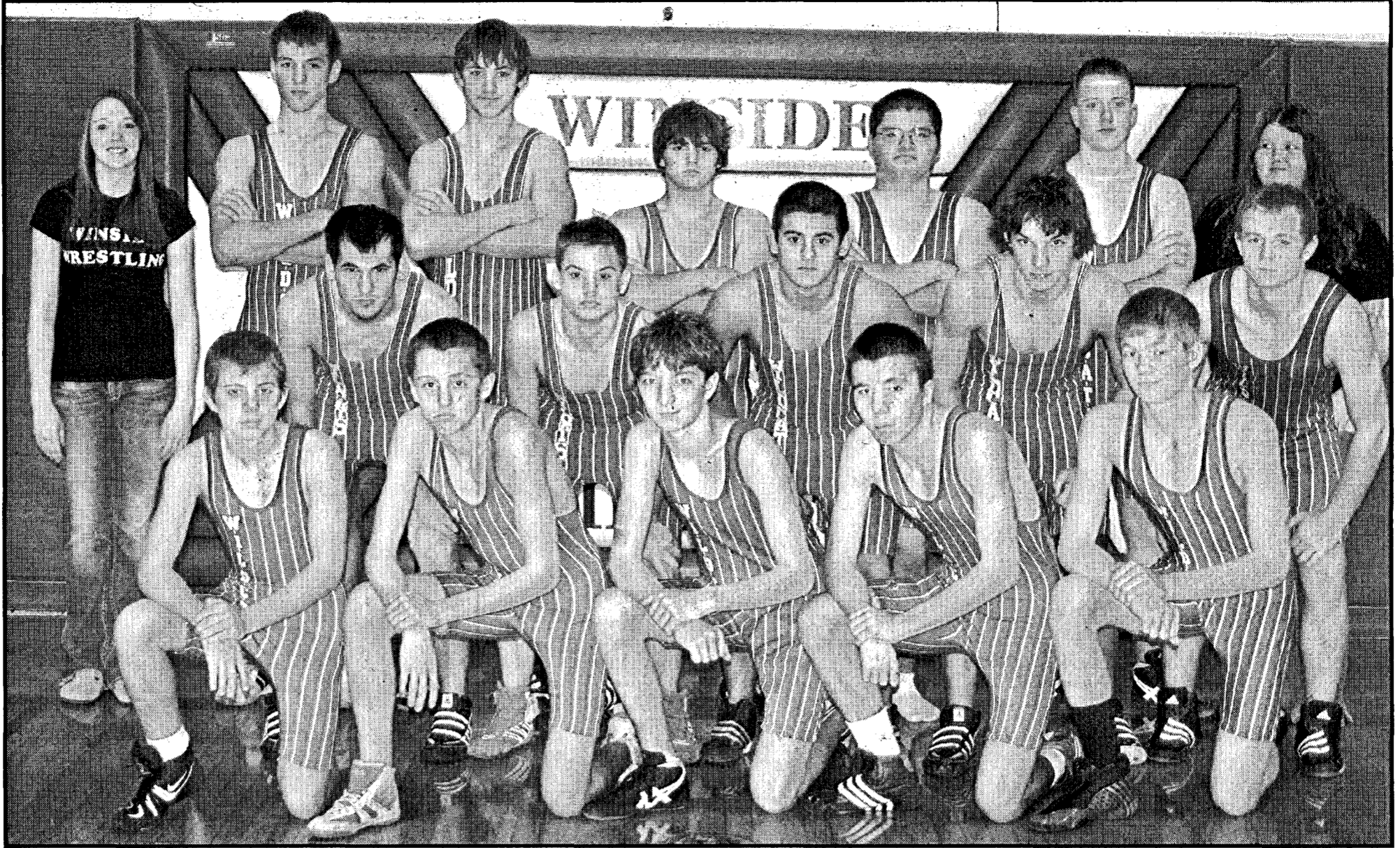
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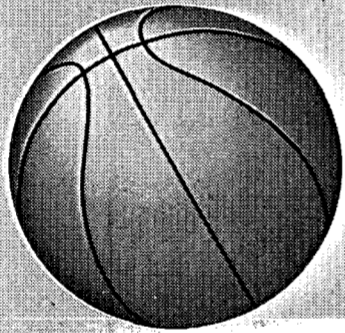


(front) Brady Wurdemann, Paul Hansen, Levi Lange, Peter Hansen, Ethan Thies, (middle) Jory Koch, Dylan Pesek, Kalin Koch, Forrest Jones, Cody Wylie, (back) student manager Alishia Weinrich, Brad Doffin, Jordan Nelson, David DeCock, Gatlin Jensen, student manager Morgan Quinn. Not pictured are Coltin Brokaw, Zach Brokaw, Matt Haase, Anthony Nelson and Sage Schwedhel.

Dec. 5 at Creighton Invite
 Dec. 12 at North Bend Invite
 Dec. 17 Stanton
 Dec. 19 at South Sioux City Inv.
 Jan. 8 at Wisner-Pilger
 Jan. 9 Winside Invite
 Jan. 15 at LHNE Invite

Jan. 23 at Oakland-Craig Invite
 Jan. 26 Wayne
 Jan. 30 at Ainsworth Invite
 Feb. 2 Conference Quad
 Feb. 5 at Clearwater Invite
 Feb. 12-13 Districts
 Feb. 18-20 State Tournament

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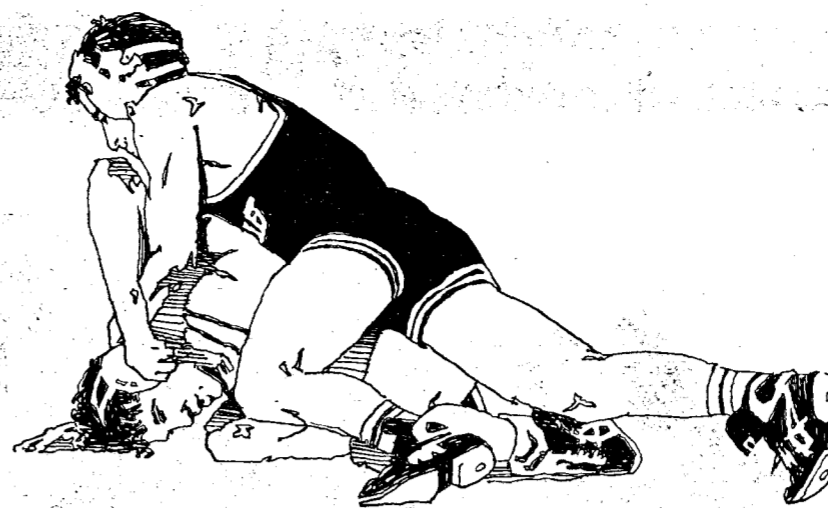
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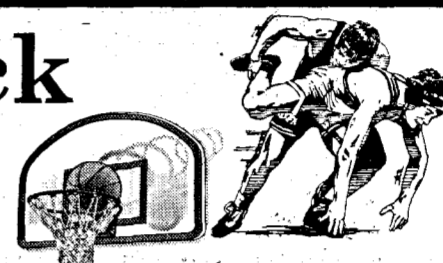
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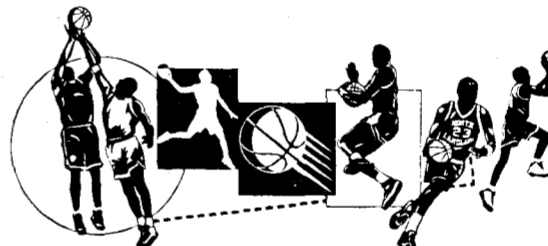
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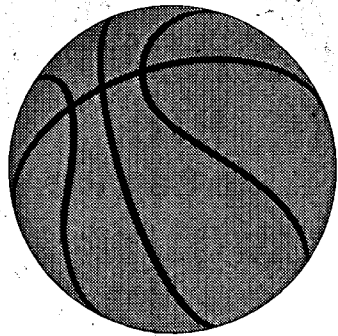
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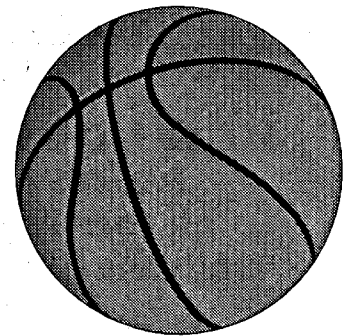


(front) Student manager Lauren Lehmkuhl, Katie Weinrich, Keri Lunz, Jenná Henderson, Libby Henschke, Bailey Echtenkamp, Shelby Lierman, Manager Darien Gustafson, (middle) manager Kaylie Kramer, Lauren Barge, Sydney Rose, Abby Schultz, Paige Ellis, Ashley Gilliland, Mercedes Gréve, Katelyn Tuttle, manager Emily Puls, (back) assistant coach Chad Metzler, Mirna Camarena, Evelyn Caceres, Fatima Avila, Laura Berns, Angelica Zarate, Janet Rodriguez, head coach Matt Brenn.

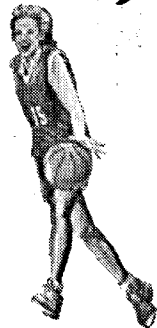


Dec. 3 Pender
 Dec. 11 Wausa
 Dec. 18 at Stanton
 Dec. 19 at Hartington
 Dec. 22 Osmond
 Dec. 28-30 at NE Neb. Shootout
 Jan. 7-9 Clough Post-Holiday Tourn.
 Jan. 11 Emerson-Hubbard
 Jan. 12 at Ponca
 Jan. 15 at Winside


Jan. 16 at Lutheran High NE
 Jan. 23 at Randolph
 Jan. 25 at Homer
 Jan. 28 at Laurel-Concord
 Jan. 30-Feb. 8 Lewis & Clark Conf.
 Feb. 9 Winnebago
 Feb. 15-18 Subdistricts
 Feb. 26 District Finals
 Mar. 4-6 State Tournament




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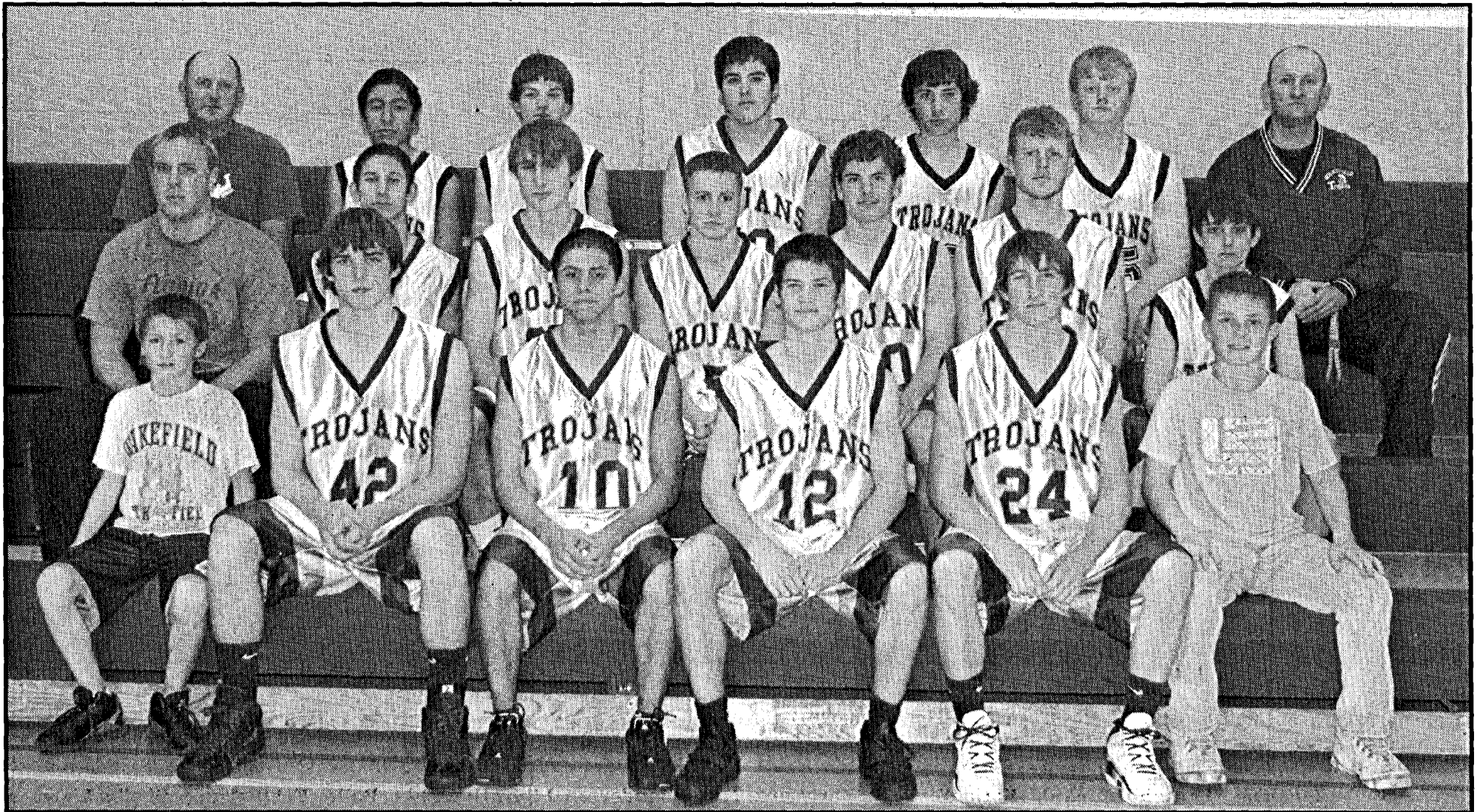


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Good luck to the Wakefield Trojans and all area teams on the upcoming season!

Wakefield Boys Basketball



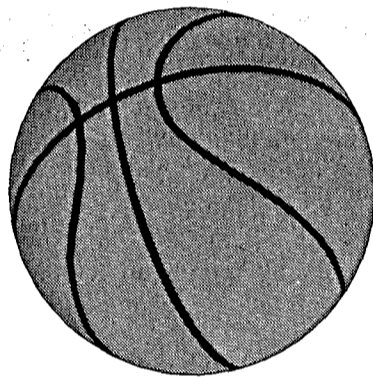
(front) Manager Ryan Bodlak, Alex Schultz, Chris Matias, Tyler Bodlak, Chad Clay, Manager Alex Conley, (middle) assistant coach Andy Brenn, Hugo Ortiz, Michal Bodlak, Brock Soderberg, Michael Eaton, Dusty Sherer, Owen Salmon, (back) assistant coach A.J. Johnson, Eduardo Salazar, Jacob Lunz, Alfredo Fregoso, Jonathan Bodlak, Daniel Muller, head coach Mike Clay.

Dec. 3 Pender
 Dec. 5 Wayne
 Dec. 18 at Stanton
 Dec. 19 at Hartington
 Dec. 22 Osmond
 Dec. 28-30 at NE Neb. Shootout
 Jan. 7-9 Clough Post-Holiday Tour.
 Jan. 12 at Ponca
 Jan. 15 at Winside
 Jan. 16 at Lutheran High NE

Jan. 22 Emerson-Hubbard
 Jan. 23 at Randolph
 Jan. 28 at Laurel-Concord
 Jan. 30-Feb. 8 Lewis & Clark Conf.
 Feb. 9 Winnebago
 Feb. 19 Homer
 Feb. 22-25 Subdistricts
 Mar. 1 District Finals
 Mar. 11-13 State Tournament

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 the Trojans
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(front) Kevin Rivera, Diego Chavez, Jon Sanchez, Jose Mena, Wyatt Jacobsen, Cody Henschke, T.J. Rose, Tim Campton, (second row) Hugo Lozano, Manny Manjarrez, Marcus Kaufman, Alex Calderon, Christian Gallardo, Pedro Valadez, Jacob Nelson, Dan VanderVeen, Justin Dorsey, (third row) Isaac Ramirez, Luis Manjarrez, Devin Anderson, Justin Stark, Jose Calderon, Shelby Jacobsen, Alan Lopez, Henry Greve, head coach Travis Volk, (back) volunteer coach Brady Nicholson, manager Heath Greve, manager Juan Gonzalez, manager Cody Plummer, assistant coach Dan Belford, assistant coach Jayson Peetzke.

Dec. 5 at Howells Invite
 Dec. 12 at Stanton Invite
 Dec. 17 Elkhorn Valley/WPCC Tri.
 Dec. 19 at Osmond Invite
 Jan. 2 at Pierce Duals
 Jan. 5 at West Point-Beemer
 Jan. 9 at Wisner-Pilger Invite
 Jan. 16 at Battle Creek Invite

Jan. 19 Hartington CC
 Jan. 22 at Madison Invite
 Jan. 29 at Wayne
 Feb. 2 Conference Tournament
 Feb. 4 at Randolph
 Feb. 12-13 Distircts at Stanton
 Feb. 18-20 State Tournament



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 all the area
 teams this
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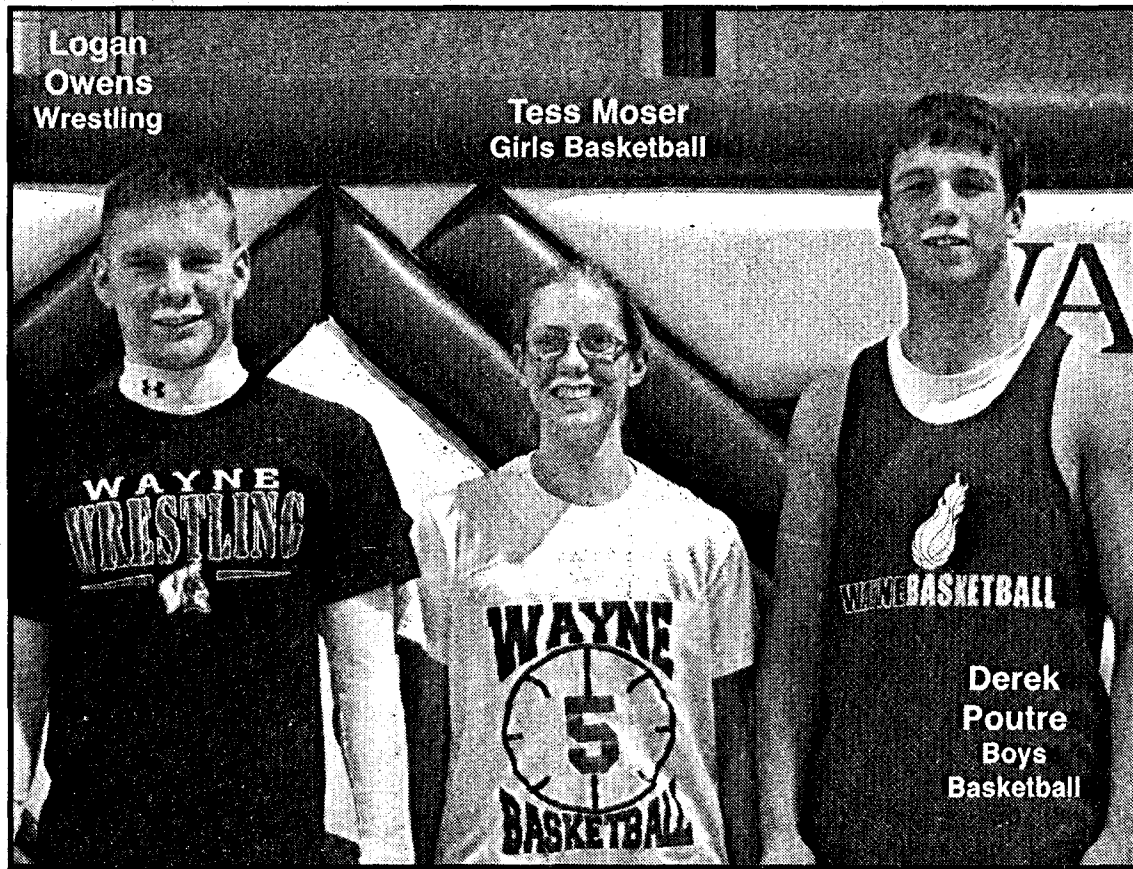
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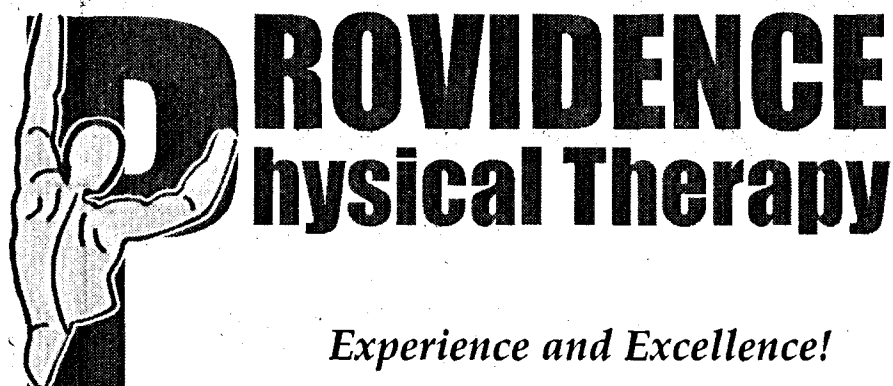
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