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(Courtesy photo)

Country music superstar Kellie Pickler will be the headliner for the 2011 Wayne County Fair. She will perform at the Wayne County Fairgrounds on Saturday, July 30.

Pickler to headline Wayne County Fair

With just over four months until the 2011 Wayne County Fair, members of the Wayne Agricultural Society have announced final plans for nightly entertainment.

Highlighting the 89th annual event will be an appearance by country singer Kellie Pickler on Saturday, July 30.

The fair entertainment kicks off with the traditional Bush Pullers Tractor pull on Thursday, July 28.

Entertainment on Friday, July 29 will be provided by Williams and Ree.

Pickler will entertain on Saturday, July 30 and the final day of the fair, Sunday, July 31 will include the traditional Demolition Derby.

Pickler established herself quickly as both a singer and a songwriter to be reckoned with, co-writing her first hit, "Red High Heels," her first gold single. Her debut album, *Small Town Girl*, produced two follow-up hits, "I Wonder," which she also co-wrote, and the light-hearted "Things That Never Cross A Man's Mind." Together, they propelled the release to near-platinum status.

Her second album, *Kellie Pickler*, for which she co-wrote half the songs, included "Don't You Know You're Beautiful" and "Best Days of Your Life." The latter, co-written by Kellie with Taylor Swift, quickly became the biggest hit of her career, rising

to the Top Ten and earning gold in digital sales.

She won three 2008 CMT Music Awards – Breakthrough Video, Tearjerker Video and Performance of the Year – all for "I Wonder," and has earned many other award nominations. She has received two ASCAP awards citing "Red High Heels" and "I Wonder" as among the most performed country songs of the year. Both her albums debuted No. 1 country and Top Ten overall in Billboard, a feat equaled by only six other females in country music. She has hosted *The View*, graced the cover of *USA Weekend*, and served as correspondent in Times Square for "Dick Clark's Rockin' Eve" with Ryan Seacrest to usher in 2009.

Pre-season early passes for this year's fair will go on sale April 15 and be available until May 15 for \$25. From May 16 to July 27, passes may be purchased for \$35. They will be \$40 at the gate on the opening day of the fair.

Day passes can be purchased for \$10 for Thursday and Friday and \$15 for Saturday and Sunday. Those 12 years and under will be admitted to the fair free.

For more information on the 2011 Wayne County Fair, visit the website, thewayne-countyfair.com.

Pain at the pump hits home

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Events overseas are hitting local residents hard in the wallet with the recent spike in gasoline prices.

In the last month alone, the price of a gallon of gas has risen more than 40 cents on the national average, and that pain at the pump is being felt in the Wayne area as well, with a drive-by survey of local stations showing an average price of \$3.62 per gallon.

Tim Schaefer, owner of Sinclair Daylight on Main Street in Wayne, said he's heard the anger being voiced by customers, but said they knew the prices were going to be going up eventually.

"They've been talking about it for a couple of weeks, and it's finally here," he said. "People I've talked to are mad about it, but they knew it was coming."

The spike in gas prices is unusual for this time of year, according to Nancy Cain, a spokesperson for AAA Nebraska.

"Crude oil prices on the world market are at 2 1/2-year highs," she said. "There is a lot of uncertainty and unrest overseas right now, which is why we're seeing a huge increase."

Tensions in Middle East nations such as Libya and Egypt are driving up crude oil prices, and when those prices go up, the price of gas follows the trend, she said.

"Things do change a lot quicker, and when you see a crisis building up overseas, it drives up crude oil prices as well," she said.

Those overseas issues have sent the price of gas skyrocketing across the country. Last year, the price of a gallon of gas was \$2.75. A month ago, it was \$3.12, and a check of the AAA Web site Wednesday morning listed the national average at \$3.52 a gallon, a jump of more than 27 percent over the same time last year.

The price of a gallon of gas at stations in Wayne ranged from \$3.60 to \$3.65 for a gallon of super-unleaded gas. That is slightly above the state average of \$3.58 a gallon, but well below states like New York (\$3.73), Alaska (\$3.87) and California (\$3.92), all of whom are reporting prices above \$4 a gallon at some stations in their respective states.



(Photos by Michael Carnes)

A check of gas prices around Wayne shows that the increase at the pump that has hit across the nation has found its way to the Midwest. The average price per gallon in Wayne is slightly higher than the state average, according to information from AAA Nebraska.

But don't think that the owners of those gas stations are the ones making the killing in the current market. In fact, most gas stations see very little profit in the gas that they sell.

"If you make anywhere between 10-15 cents a gallon, you're doing good," Schaefer said. "The margin is usually about 2 percent per gallon. A convenience store can make more money off a 75-cent refill of pop than on 10 gallons of gas."

A good chunk of the price of a gallon of gas is eaten up by state and federal taxes, Schaefer said. With the federal gas tax of more than 18 cents and a state tax of more than 26 cents – one of the highest rates in the country – more than 10 percent of the cost of a gallon of gas is eaten up in taxes.

"That's why gas in Iowa is so much cheaper, because their state taxes are cheaper," Schaefer said.

Another factor in the cost of a gallon of gas is that each station receives gas from a different terminal, which usually makes up for the difference between stations in

the price of a gallon of gas.

Even when the price at the pump goes up, it still means very little in the way of increased profits, he said.

"Even if the (price of) gas goes higher, the percentage doesn't really go up," he said. "A two-cent increase on 20 gallons of gas is just 40 cents, so you're not making a bigger profit margin."

While gas prices have increased dramatically in recent days, it's hard to say where or when the increases will stop.

"If things settle down in the Middle East, then prices could moderate," Cain said. "We could see it go up more, but how much more we don't know. Prices could moderate, but it doesn't appear likely right now."

Schaefer said that if the prices keep going up, people are eventually going to stop buying gas altogether.

"I hope it doesn't get as bad as they say it could be," he said. "If it gets to \$5 a gallon like some people are talking, people won't be doing anything."

City, county will adjust their budgets to deal with LB383

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

City and county officials said that the recent passage of LB383 by the Nebraska Legislature is going to have an effect on their budgets, but not near as big an impact as was first thought.

On Friday, the Legislature gave final approval, on a 36-9 vote, to legislation that will strip state aid from city and county governments, as well as natural resource districts, while also reducing spending at the University of Nebraska.

Gov. Dave Heineman, who proposed the cuts, testified at a hearing of the Revenue Committee earlier this year that he believed local governments would be capable of dealing with the loss, stating that state aid makes up a small percentage of their total budgets. When the governor signs the bill, it will go into effect this July.

Wayne city administrator Lowell Johnson said the City of Wayne should lose about \$46,000 in state funding for the next fiscal year, which would amount to less than 2 percent of its current \$2.5

million budget.

"The money goes to general funding for things like streets, city recreation, police and library," he said. "We were getting about \$80,000 from the state at one time, and once they cut it they will never restore it."

Johnson said the loss of state aid won't have a major impact on the city's budget, but all departments will feel a little pinch with the elimination of state funding.

"The council isn't planning on raising taxes to make up the difference, so we'll spread the cuts around and take a little bit out of every department," he said. "Where those cuts will come, we haven't gotten that far yet."

Johnson said that the city will eventually see some increases in revenues, particularly with the increase in valuation.

"Valuations have increased enough that it keeps our taxes around the same level, and that growth has helped us out and I think that will keep coming," he said.

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Two injured in rollover at 35/98 junction

A mid-morning vehicle roll-over sent two Winside teenagers to a Norfolk hospital.

At about 10 a.m. on Monday, an east-bound SUV driven by Tarrin Quinn of Winside hit a slick spot on the road just east of the Highway 35 and 98 Junction. As Quinn was attempting to correct the vehicle, it went off the south side of the roadway and struck a guard rail. After striking the guard rail, the vehicle slid to the side of it and rolled into the south ditch at that location. The vehicle appeared to have rolled at least two times before landing on its wheels in the creek bed.

Winside Fire and Rescue transported the driver and her sister, Morgan Quinn to

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(Photo by Clara Osten)

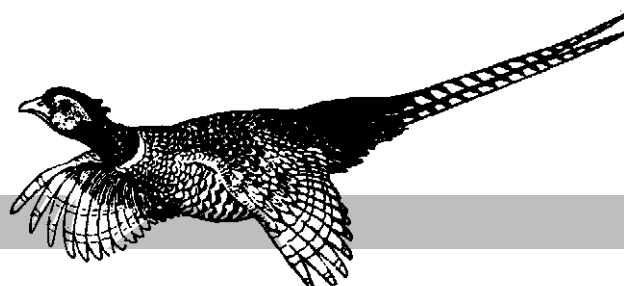
Would you dare, in a chair?

The Cat in the Hat made a stop at Wayne Elementary School last week and explained how the Dr. Seuss books came into being, part of Read Across America Day that was held last week at the Wayne Public Library.



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Obituaries

Kay Pierson Sharer

Kay Pierson Sharer, 54, of Wayne, died Friday, Feb. 25, 2011 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Visitation was Thursday, March 10 at Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.



Kay Annette Pierson Sharer was born Jan. 22, 1957 at Omaha. She was adopted shortly thereafter by Dean and Marilyn (Haitz) Pierson. She was baptized and confirmed at Redeemer Lutheran Church in Wayne. She graduated from Wayne High School in 1975. Her college degrees were in nursing and psychology. Kay worked in hospitals in Nebraska, Colorado, New Mexico, and Iowa before moving back to Wayne in 2000. She loved the Colorado Rocky Mountains, knitting, cooking, gardening, and the animals she adopted through the years.

Survivors include her brothers, Doug (Tracy) Pierson of Wayne and Chuck (Leslie) Pierson of Fort Worth, Texas; nieces, Meg and Jillian; nephews, Kyle and Shane; special young friend, Taylor Gamble; and several aunts, uncles, and cousins.

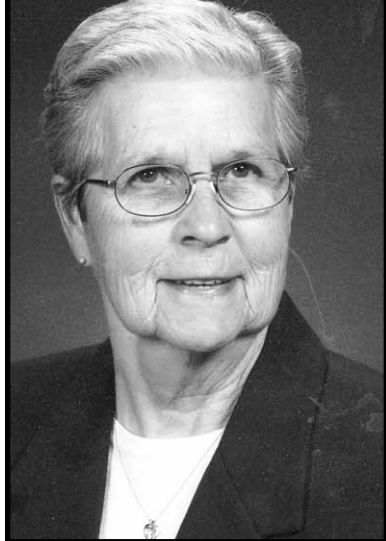
She was preceded in death by her parents; grandparents; four uncles; one aunt; and one cousin.

Memorials may be made to Villa Wayne in Wayne and Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Private burial will take place at a later date. Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne is in charge of arrangements.

Lila Hansen

Lila Hansen, 83, of Winside, died Friday, March 4, 2011 at her home. Services were held Monday, March 7 at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne. The Rev. Bob Oleson officiated.



Lila Lea Hansen was born May 26, 1927 on a farm northwest of Hoskins to Henry and Elizabeth Minnie (Behmer) Anderson. She attended Norfolk High School, graduated from Carroll High School, and received her teaching certificate from Wayne State College. She taught rural school west of Carroll and other schools around Winside. Lila married Gurney Hansen on Aug. 26, 1947 at Zion Lutheran Church north of Hoskins. The couple farmed west of Winside until 1984.

Survivors include her daughter, Mary Jane (Steve) Stepanek of Lincoln; son, Jim (Julie) Hansen of Winside; five grandchildren; and a brother, Norman Anderson of Norfolk.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Gurney in 1984; and sisters-in-law, Virginia Anderson and Carolyn Risser-Schiedsclag and her husbands, Andy Risser and Elmer Schiedsclag; brother-in-law, Maurice (Esther) Hansen; and special friend, Howard Voss.

Pallbearers were Paul Hansen, Peter Hansen, John Hansen, Bill Anderson, Lonnie Behmer and Zeb Stepanek.

Memorials may be made to Future Leaders Of Christ (FLOC). Private burial was in Pleasant View Cemetery at Winside. Hasemann Funeral Home in Winside was in charge of arrangements.

Laurel Community Conversation scheduled for Friday, March 18

The Center for Rural Affairs is hosting a community conversation and reception on Friday, March 18 at the home of Daryl and Annette Junck, 86649 571 Ave in Laurel.

The event will begin at 7 p.m. and Center staff and board members will be on hand for conversation and questions about the work of the Center for Rural Affairs. Most importantly, they hope to hear from local residents and exchange ideas about the opportunities and challenges on the horizon for Laurel, Cedar County and the surrounding region.

"At the Center, we believe that rural solutions to the challenges our rural communities face will be found on our farms, ranches and rural

mainstreets, not in Washington and Wall Street," commented John Crabtree of the Center for Rural Affairs. "That is why we want to hear from rural folks in their communities."

The Center encourages everyone to attend the reception to find out more about the Center for Rural Affairs, exchange ideas about revitalizing rural mainstreets and strengthening family farms and ranches. "And have a little fun," added Crabtree. Light refreshments and drinks will be provided.

For more information on the Center for Rural Affairs or these events go to - www.cfra.org or call (402) 687-2100.

TOPS group holds weekly meeting

TOPS NE 0200 met March 2, in the Providence Medical Center Boardroom with nine TOPS members and four KOPS members in attendance.

Roll call was answered with "What step will you take to move more?" TOPS Best Loser for this

week was Jeannine Wriedt and she received a coupon. February Best Loser was Sherie Lundahl for TOPS & Dorothy Nelson for KOPS. Dorothy Nelson received a 12 week below goal charm as well one for February Best KOPS. Jeannine Wriedt earned a 24 week perfect attendance charm.

The February contest winners were Connie Kirkpatrick, first and Gail Godbersen, second. Officers were elected and installation will be Wednesday, April 20.

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

Laurel-Concord/Coleridge speech students place at conference meet

The Laurel-Concord/Coleridge Speech Team earned third Place Overall at the recent conference meet.

The following participants placed in the final round:

- Persuasive: fourth - Amy Pritchard;
- Informative; second - Liz Gubbels;
- Duet; fourth - Addie Corbit and Tyler Schindler; sixth - Katie Jacobsen and Haley Hefner;
- OID: fifth - Sean Leapley, Erica Brandow, Demi Schutte, Hannah Burbach and Megan Hartman.
- Serious Prose: first- Addie Corbit; sixth - Corryn Dahlquist;
- Humorous Prose: fourth- Bethany Barelman;
- Poetry; third - Liz Gubbels;
- Entertainment: third - Kate Victor; sixth- Bethany Barelman.

Battle of the Bands to be held in Norfolk

Cross Rock Ministries' Battle of the Bands has been scheduled for Sunday, March 13 at Midwest Music Center in Norfolk.

The showdown starts at 2 p.m. and lasts until 8 p.m.

The winner of this competition will be the opening act for Ivoryline

on the Cross Rock Stage at the Christian Cross Festival in Norfolk on Sunday, June 5.

The event is free and open to the public. For more details and to sign up your band, go to www.crossrock-live.com or call (502) 649-1924.

Other artists scheduled to play

at the festival on the Main Stage & the Cross Rock Stage include: Building 429, Hyland, A Rotterdam November, WILLET, The Radiance Effect, From Dust, and more. Those interested can visit www.christian-crossfestival.org to see more artists as they are added to the schedule.

Local Toastmaster speech contestants to advance to District competition

At the Wayne Toastmasters Club Speech Contest on Feb 24, two members won the honor of representing the club at the next higher level of competition.

Judy Carlson of Laurel was winner of the Table Topics contest. Table Topics challenges the speaker to deliver an impromptu two minute speech. Nancy Schultz, of Wakefield was winner of the International Speech contest, a longer speech lasting 5-7 minutes which can be prepared beforehand.

"We had an energetic and impressive showing of talents. All our Wayne club members have grown immensely as a result of our

Toastmaster experiences, and this contest really highlighted that," said Contest Chair Cyndi Hanson. "Congratulations to the two Wayne Toastmasters who gave winning speeches."

The two winners will compete in the Area 3 contest on Monday, March 14 at the NECC Lifelong Learning Center in Norfolk. Area 3 encompasses Wayne and Norfolk. The competition is open to the public, and registration begins at 6:30 p.m.

For more information on the contest, contact Cyndi Hanson at (712) 333-1038 or e-mail cyndiahanson@aol.com.



Members of the Winside National Honor Society recently traveled to the Madison House in Norfolk to visit residents.

Winside honor students visit retirement center

Submitted by Tanner Woslager
Publicity Chairman

The Winside National Honor Society recently completed their third quarter activity by visiting the Madison House retirement center in Norfolk.

On Feb. 24, the NHS members

took an early lunch and got to the Madison House at about 12:45 p.m.

To start off, the Winside National Honor Society members sang a couple of songs to the residents in the dining hall. After the singing was done, NHS members, who are also on Winside's speech team, performed a duet acting entry and the

Oral Interpretation of Drama for the crowd.

After these performances were done, the NHS members pulled up a chair and visited with the residents, who were more than kind. Song booklets were then passed around to everyone, including the Madison House residents. Songs

were sung for a greater portion of our time there, but we had to rap it up at about 2:15.

Overall, the Madison House residents enjoyed the trip as did the Winside National Honor Society members, who are now planning another visit to the retirement center.

A Quick Look



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Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, March 11 at First National of Omaha Bankcard Center. It will be hosted by the Wayne United Way. The coffee on Friday, March 18 will be held at the Wayne City Auditorium and will be hosted by the Logan Creek Chapter of Pheasants Forever. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.



Planetarium adds new show

AREA — The Wayne State College Planetarium will feature "Zulu Patrol" at 3:30 p.m. Sundays, March 13 and 27, April 10 and May 1. Every star has a story. The show focuses on the lives of stars, how they are born, how they die and how human understanding of stars has changed over time.

Pancake/Omelet Breakfast

CARROLL — The Carroll Fire Department's annual Pancake and Omelet Feed will be held Sunday, March 13 from 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at the Carroll City Auditorium. A free-will donation will be accepted. A bake sale, sponsored by St. Paul's Ladies Aid and Church Women will be held at the same time. All proceeds from the event will go toward the purchase of rope rescue equipment. The event is funded, in part, by a grant from the Wayne County Convention and Visitor's Bureau.

Theatre production

WAKEFIELD — The Little Red Hen Theatre in Wakefield will present "The American Dame" on Friday and Saturday, March 18-19 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, March 20 at 2 p.m. at the theatre in Wakefield. The box office is open weekday afternoons. For more information, call (402) 287-2818.



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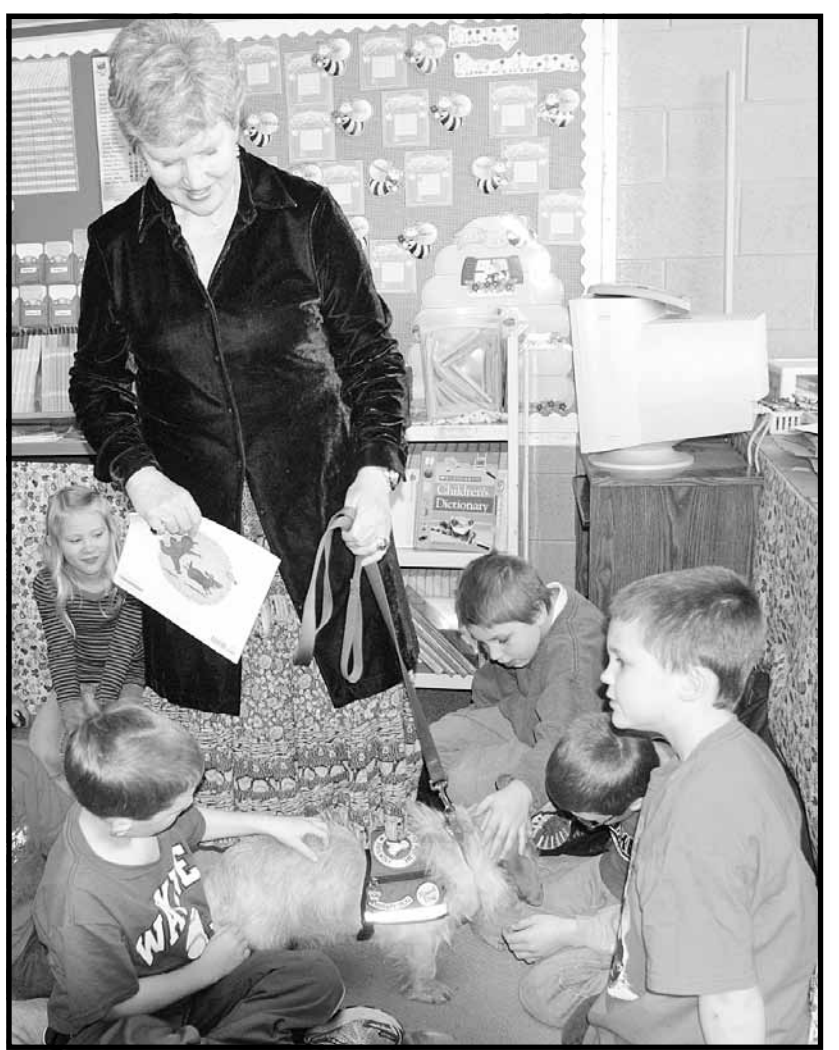
Dan Hansen and Bert Heithold entertain

Students celebrate by reading

Wayne Elementary School celebrated Read Across America Day on March 2 with several reading and art activities honoring Dr. Seuss, whose birthday is honored, and his fun books.

Guest readers in many of the Wayne Elementary classrooms provided a time for fun listening. A highlight in second grade was Gretchen Ronnow with her reading dog, Ruby Tuesday. Ronnow told students the story of Ruby Tuesday and explained that she and her dog often visit care centers and read to the residents there. During her visit, she read a book with assistance of the students.

Ruby Tuesday and her owner, Gretchen Ronnow spent time last week in Jodi Lutt's second grade classroom, reading books with the students and visiting with students.



Health Fair in Wakefield April 1

The Dixon County and Northeast Nebraska Health Fair is scheduled for Friday, April 1 at Wakefield Community School.

The health fair, which runs from 8:30-11:30 a.m., will have something for all ages. A variety of programs will be held, and a number of screening opportunities will be available during the health fair. Pender Hospital will offer cholesterol screenings, and those interested in participating will need to fast before the fair.

A number of guest speakers will speak at the fair, including Heidi Keller of Providence Wellness Center, Bev Myers of SHIP and others.

Special activities are being planned for elementary youth during the same time period including the Smoke Trailer from the State Fire Marshall's Office.

Agencies who will have information available include Goldenrod Hills Community Action Area, UNL Extension, Wayne State College, Providence Wellness Center, Providence Medical Center, Mercy Medical Center, Pender Hospital, Haven House, Northeast Health Department, Siouxland Blood Bank, Alzheimer's Association, American Red Cross, UNMC, Herman Chiropractic and Wakefield Firemen.

For more information contact the UNL Extension Office in Dixon County at (402) 584-2234.

Community Theatre arts festival is March 20

Wayne Community Theatre is sponsoring an arts festival on Sunday, March 20 from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Wayne National Guard Armory.

The event will feature artists, crafters, and vendors from all over Nebraska and western Iowa.

The festival will showcase items from artists and crafters including handmade jewelry, pottery, photography, wool goods, woodworking and baked goods as well.

In addition to vendors, there will be free arts workshops for kids, live

music, a coffee bar and lunch available.

The Wayne Community Theatre is partially funded by the Wayne United Way.

For more information on the festival, contact Mollie Spieker, at (402) 375-2869.



(File photo)

Organizers of the Greenwood Cemetery Spirit Walk will hold their fifth-annual performance at the cemetery on Sept. 11.

Fifth-annual Spirit Walk set for Sept. 11

Although the event is several months away, organizers of the annual Greenwood Cemetery Spirit Walk are seeking members of the community to take part in the event.

The fifth-annual event will take place on Sunday, Sept. 11 at the cemetery, and will feature the lives of those who have served in the military.

"We would like family members to tell about the lives of those who have served in the military, not just the military experiences," said Lou Wiltse, one of those helping to organize the event.

Members of the committee would like to visit with those who have relatives buried in Greenwood Cemetery who were a part of any of this country's military history and are willing to assist with research and the Spirit Walk presentation.

During the Spirit Walk, members of the community or other relatives portray those who are buried in the cemetery. Information on the life of the person and his or her family is shared. Those attending can visit the 'spirits' in any order as a living history of the community.

Funds raised from the annual event go to the support of the cemetery, including general maintenance, tree removal and road upkeep.

In previous Spirit Walks, the lives of early settlers were revealed through the eyes of their relatives, the volunteer fire department was featured, and, in 2010, immigrants were portrayed by their relatives.

"At the present time, there are at least 12 trees that need to be removed in the cemetery. This has become a costly part of cemetery maintenance and will remain so in the future due to the fact that there are many trees in the cemetery that are more than 100 years old," said Steve Gross.

Greenwood Cemetery records

indicate that the cemetery has been in existence since 1883 and since that time approximately 6,500 people have been buried in the cemetery.

For more information, or to volunteer to become a part of this year's event, contact Wiltse at (402) 375-1555 or Gross at (402) 375-8848.

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Herman Chiropractic adding doctor, massage services

Herman Chiropractic in Wayne and Pender has added a full-time doctor to its staff and has welcomed Logan Valley Massage Therapy to its facility.

Dr. Christina Kraft began working at the clinic on Jan. 24. The native of Norwich, N.D., she graduated from Palmer College of Chiropractic in October of 2009.

While there, she was on the Dean's List and was a participant in the Sports Injury Club and Women's Softball. She also had the opportunity to be a part of a Clinic Abroad to Vietnam and spent one month in the country on a humanitarian effort program.

Dr. Kraft practiced in Columbus for a year before moving to Wayne.

"I am very excited to be a part of the community. It is a smaller, rural area that is basically underserved in respect to chiropractic. My goal is to treat everyone as a unique individual to help alleviate their symptoms," she said.

In respect to chiropractic, Dr. Kraft said, "Chiropractic is becoming more accepted as an alternative way to treat medical conditions. It is more than just a way to treat headaches and back pain."

Dr. Kraft is a member of the American Chiropractic Association, the Nebraska Chiropractic Physicians Association and is an Integrity Management Doctor.

With the addition of Dr. Kraft to the staff, Herman Chiropractic is able to have a doctor in the Wayne clinic every day of the week.

Hours are Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday from 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m. and Tuesday from 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m. In addition, Dr. Herman sees patients in Pender on Monday and Thursday from 10:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Logan Valley Massage is owned



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Dr. Joelle Herman (far left) poses with new staff members at Herman Chiropractic, including Holly Smith, LMT (middle) and Dr. Christina Kraft.

by Holly Smith, a native of Wayne.

Smith attended the Siouxland College of Massage and graduated in December of 2010. She became national certified in January of 2011 by the National Certification Board of Therapeutic Massage.

Smith said that prior to her graduation, Dr. Joelle Herman offered her job and she is very happy to be working in her hometown.

She noted that the benefits of massage include getting blood flow to all parts of the body.

"When muscles get tight, it cuts off blood flow. Massage also helps with posture and when a patient has good posture, they feel better," Smith said.

She said that while 1,000 hours of instruction are required for national certification in massage therapy, she earned 1,400 hours prior to graduation. This included 300 hours of clinical work.

Each state has different requirements for becoming licensed and Smith said Nebraska has one of the strictest requirements for massage therapists.

Smith is trained in neuromuscular therapy, myofascial release, Swedish massage, hot stone massage and massages specifically for pregnancy.

"With the addition of Dr. Kraft, we will have services available to our patients every day. She brings great energy to our office. In addition, having massage therapy available adds another step in the treatment of our patients," Dr. Herman said.

For more information on either chiropractic services or massage therapy, contact the Wayne office at (402) 375-3450 or the Pender office at (402) 385-0183.

Music boosters event set for March 17

The annual Wayne-Carroll Music Boosters Sandwich, Pie and Ice Cream Social will be held Thursday, March 17 from 5-8 p.m.

Sandwiches, pie, ice cream and bars will be served in the Commons area on the lower level of Wayne High School as a fund raiser for the music programs at Wayne Public Schools.

In addition, performances by the

various vocal and instrumental groups will take place in the gym during that same time period.

The order of performance is:

- 5-5:15 p.m. — Fifth grade band;
- 5:15-5:30 p.m. — Sixth grade band;
- 5:30-5:45 p.m. — Seventh grade band;
- 5:45-6 p.m. — Seventh and eighth grade choir;

6-6:15 p.m. — Eighth grade band;

6:15-6:30 p.m. — High School Jazz Band II;

6:30-6:45 p.m.; High School Jazz Choir;

6:45-7:05 p.m. — High School Jazz Band I;

7:05-7:30 p.m. — High School concert choir;

7:30-8 p.m. — High School variety/cadet band.

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WAYNE COUNTY 2010 CENSUS BY THE NUMBERS

Overall population in Wayne County increased by four residents within the city limits, but county population was down slightly from the 2000 census. Here is a breakdown of the numbers, including cities in the county and the county's precinct totals:

City Numbers

| City | 2010 | 2000 | 1990 |
|------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Carroll | 229 | 238 | 237 |
| Hoskins | 285 | 283 | 307 |
| Sholes | 21 | 24 | 22 |
| *Wakefield | 1,125 | 1,147 | 1,411 |
| Wayne | 5,660 | 5,583 | 5,152 |
| Winside | 427 | 468 | 434 |
| Total | 7,747 | 7,743 | 7,563 |

*-Wakefield's numbers include Dixon County

Precinct Numbers

| Precinct | 2010 | 2000 | 1990 |
|------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Brenna | 158 | 173 | 191 |
| Chapin | 429 | 471 | 473 |
| Deer Creek | 405 | 432 | 452 |
| Garfield | 161 | 191 | 173 |
| Hancock | 397 | 445 | 459 |
| Hoskins | 699 | 632 | 611 |
| Hunter | 3,645 | 3,670 | 3,295 |
| Leslie | 103 | 127 | 152 |
| Logan | 412 | 467 | 383 |
| Plum Creek | 198 | 202 | 222 |
| Sherman | 176 | 206 | 214 |
| Strahan | 2,665 | 2,662 | 2,611 |
| Wilbur | 149 | 173 | 193 |
| Total | 9,597 | 9,851 | 9,429 |

Numbers courtesy U.S. Census

Census numbers show little change

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Although the overall population of Wayne County saw little change, three of the six cities in the county saw their populations increase, according to the release of 2010 census figures made public last week.

Population in the cities of Wayne, Hoskins and Wakefield saw increases from their numbers

during the 2000 census. Wayne's population rose by 1.4 percent to 5,660 citizens. Wakefield and Hoskins both saw small increases, with Wakefield growing from 229 to 235 and Hoskins from 283 to 285.

Winside's population dropped by 8.8 percent in the latest census, falling from 468 to 427 residents. Carroll's population dropped from 238 to 229, while the village of Sholes went from 24 to 21 residents.

Only two of the 13 precincts in

Wayne County saw increases in the latest census. The Strahan precinct added three people to its total of 2,665, while the Hoskins precinct saw the biggest increase, from 632 to 699 residents.

The 2010 census totals reversed the increase seen in 2000, when the county's population of 9,851 was higher than the 1990 census of 9,429. By comparison, there were 10,400 residents of Wayne County during the 1970 census.

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County commissioner Kelvin Wurdemann said the actual revenue the county receives in state funding won't have much of an impact.

"I haven't read the final bill that was passed yet, but the last one

I read, I don't think the impact on us is going to be bad," he said. "Any time you take money away, though, it's not good, but we're only looking at losing about \$21,000 out of a budget of \$10 million."

Wurdemann said the county won't

have to worry about the impact on its budget until the new fiscal year, but he expects each department to bear some of the brunt of the elimination of state aid.

"We'll have to ask all the (county) offices to tighten their belts a little more," he said. "Most of them are as tight as they can get, but we'll have to ask them to do a little more."

Rollover

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Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk where they were treated and released from their injuries. Both occupants were wearing their restraints prior to the crash.

The 2003 Chevy Tahoe is considered a total loss.

The Wayne County Sheriff's Office investigated the crash and was assisted at the scene by the Carroll Volunteer Fire Department and the Winside Volunteer Fire Department.



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Chamber coffee

Marion Arneson, center, and Heather Claussen, right, spoke of the work done by the local Red Cross Chapter during last week's Chamber Coffee. The Red Cross chapter hosted the coffee and a soup luncheon as a kick-off to Red Cross Month.

Local business hit by credit card scam

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

A credit card scam executed in Wayne last week almost left one local business owner with a full load and an empty wallet.

Sandra Gathje, owner of Tacos and More, received a phone order for a birthday party that would have kept her kitchen busy, but eventually she discovered the order for 200 enchiladas, 200 burritos and 200 cans of pop was an attempt to use somebody's stolen credit card information.

Gathje said somebody calling through the deaf relay system placed the order, using the name of a South Sioux City resident.

"I'd dealt with one of these calls before, and they wanted to place an order for 200 chicken enchiladas and 200 cans of pop for their mother's surprise birthday party,"

she said. "They said the food would be picked up by a carrier, so we started texting back and forth and they said the mother was in the hospital, dying of lung cancer."

Gathje took the credit card information over the phone, and the caller told her to add \$150 for a tip. Gathje became suspicious, though, when the caller asked her to add another \$980 to pay for the courier that would come to pick up the food.

"That's when I started thinking this was a fake," she said. "My husband, Rick, figured it out because they kept calling the town South Sucks, and we eventually were able to find out the call was coming from the Philippines."

Late last week, it was discovered that a similar scam had been played on two other local businesses and another in Omaha, but Gathje said the order she took, which would have amounted to more than \$2,000

with the courier charge thrown in, was kind of a letdown.

"It kind of bursts your bubble when you get an order like that and then find out it's a fake," she said. "We thought this was going to be a big sale, but when it sounds too good to be true, it probably is, and once I started getting into this call, I started to think that."

A similar scam was reported in Omaha last week, with the caller attempting to charge more than \$2,000 on stolen credit cards. The Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce also reported that two other local businesses had received similar calls.

"From our perspective, we encourage businesses to just practice good business ethics and use common sense," Wes Blecke, executive director of the Chamber, told the Herald.

Red Cross month an opportunity for people to offer their support

March is Red Cross Month, and the American Red Cross is asking people to join them in helping those in need by volunteering their time, making a donation, taking a class, or giving blood.

"When someone provides a hot meal to a disaster victim, gives blood, takes a first aid class, or helps someone in the military, they join the Red Cross," said Shalle Wolff, Executive Director of the Northeast Nebraska Chapter. "We want to say 'thank you' to all who support us. That support enables us to provide help and hope to those who need our assistance."

For nearly 100 years, U.S. Presidents have called on people to support the American Red Cross and its humanitarian mission. President Franklin D. Roosevelt was the first to proclaim March as Red Cross Month in 1943. Since that time, President Obama and every president since have issued proclamations designating March as Red Cross Month.

The Red Cross has been helping people for 130 years, responding to disasters, assisting members of the military, teaching lifesaving skills, and serving as one of the largest blood suppliers in the United States.

Nationally, the Red Cross responds to an average of nearly 200 disasters every day. The organization provides a round-the-clock link between those in the military and their families, and supplies blood and blood products to approximately 3,000 hospitals and transfusion centers across the country.

The Northeast Nebraska Chapter responded and provided assistance in local disasters last year. The chapter processed 53 emergency military calls, trained 2,888 people in first aid and water safety, and collected 7,963 blood donations.

"We work very diligently to help those in need," Wolff said. "Whether out on a disaster, alongside our troops, at a blood drive or in a first aid class, Red Cross workers touch the lives of millions of people every year."

The Red Cross is not a government agency and relies on donations of time, money and blood to do its work.

"When people join the Red Cross by volunteering, donating blood, taking a course or making a contribution, they enable us to continue our work, both here at home, and around the world," Wolff said.

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Pamida donates to school

The Pamida Foundation recently made a donation of \$2,000 to the Wayne Community Schools. The money will be split between each of the three Wayne schools and will be used toward the purchase of technology for the classrooms. Daryl Schrunck, Wayne Elementary Principal, accepts the check from Dan Wibben, manager of the Wayne Pamida store.

Food Check-Out Day is March 15

The Wayne Area Economic Development/Chamber/Main Street Ag Task Force will recognize Food Check-Out Week and Ag Appreciation Day simultaneously with special activities on Tuesday, March 15.

Grocery certificates will be given away and information will be provided to shoppers regarding the affordability and safety of our food. Self registration for the drawings and educational materials will be available all day at Quality Foods/IGA and Pac N Save. Ag Task Force members will be on hand from 5-7 p.m. to visit with cus-

tomers. Drawing winners will be announced at Chamber Coffee on Friday, March 18.

"Food Check-Out Week celebrates the affordability of our food and the fact that it takes Americans just five weeks of disposable income to pay for 52 weeks of food. On average, Americans spend only 9.5 percent of personal disposable income for food, far less than most of the world," said Bill Claybaugh, chair of the Ag Task Force.

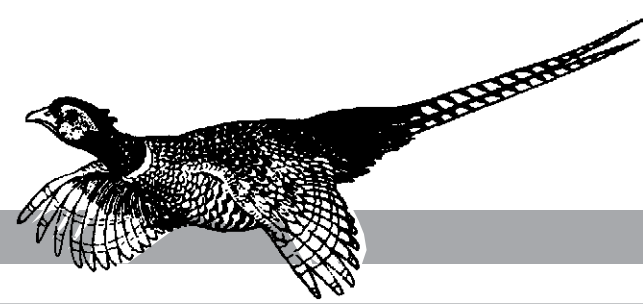
Ag Appreciation Day is a day to recognize and celebrate the abundance provided by agriculture. Agriculture provides almost every-

thing we eat, use and wear on a daily basis. One key to that abundance has been a steady supply of people choosing careers in the agriculture industry.

By building awareness, the Agriculture Council of America encourages young people to consider career opportunities in agriculture. Each American farmer feeds more than 144 people, a dramatic increase from 25 people in the 1960s, demonstrating that American agriculture is doing more and doing it better.

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From The Bleachers

Michael Carnes



Wildcats capable of greatness

Rare is the occasion when a group of people come together to form something special.

If you've had an opportunity to watch the Wayne State women's basketball team this season, you've witnessed a team that plays with a cohesiveness that championship-caliber teams are made of – that combination of talent, coaching and chemistry that blends together beautifully and results in the kind of team capable of greatness.

The Wildcats have been poised for this moment that awaits them this week in Durango, Colo. They are three wins away from an appearance in the Elite Eight, which would be a first for Wayne State in any sport since the school joined the ranks of NCAA Div. II.

Wayne State has had its opportunities in recent times. Last year, this team was in an even better position than the one they find themselves in now. Softball was one swing away from putting themselves in position for the College World Series. Volleyball has been in the neighborhood, as has baseball, in the past few years.

Is this year's Wildcat women's basketball team the one that finally cracks the code and gets into that rare air among the elite in Div. II? I believe it is – this team has all the ingredients of a program that not only can win a regional title, but can put itself in position to win the whole ball of wax later this month in Springfield, Mo.

The senior leadership of the Wildcats this year has been outstanding. All-NSIC honorees Mara Hjelle and Alyssa Fischbach give Wayne State a wonderful inside-out combination. Hjelle can bang the inside and has a drop-step move that, when it works, is impossible to defend. Fischbach can slash inside or step back for a heart-ripping 3-pointer. Add that to the potential scoring capabilities of classmates Julie Ann Wagner and Renee Wood off the bench, and you've got a great leadership nucleus to work with.

Then there are people like Ashley Arlen, the NSIC Player of the Year, who is so tough to defend because she's a threat from anywhere on the floor. She can bang it in the paint, drive to the hoop off the wing or step back and drill a high-arching trifecta. When she is in the zone, it's wonderful to watch because she can completely dominate a game and is impossible to defend.

Add point guard Ali Schwartzwald, who is an outstanding defender and distributor. Consider Claire Duwelius, who has the capability of catching fire on the outside at any time. Throw in Ellen Hansen, who has developed into a quality bench player who can hit from outside. Then there is the sparkplug that is Alisha Brown, an eye-popping stick of dynamite compacted in a 5-foot, 3-inch frame that splits defenses faster than a hot knife going through a stick of butter.

These girls have proven they are capable of greatness, and they've done it with the help of a coach that knows what it takes to win at the highest level and is putting this team in position to achieve the kind of success that has never been seen on the campus of this proud institution.

Chris Kielsmeier has been a winner everywhere he's gone. He led Howard Payne University to the Div. III national title before coming to Wayne three years ago. He has won more than 67 percent of his games in three years here and has already claimed an NSIC tournament and regular season title. He and his staff – his brother Kelly and grad assistant Carissa Nord – have done a masterful job putting this program in position to win it all and create some real March Madness right here in Wayne, America.

Last year, this team went down to Durango and laid an egg, playing what was easily their worst half

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(Herald file photo)

Claire Duwelius gets a fast break started while Ashley Arlen trails the play during Wayne State's opening-round win over Minnesota Crookston in the Northern Sun Conference tournament. The top-seeded Wildcats were upset in the semifinals by Winona State.

Tourney title hopes fall short, focus on regionals

Wayne State women's basketball coach Chris Kielsmeier was hoping his team could sweep the titles in the Northern Sun Conference and leave no doubt as to which team ruled the roost.

Winona State had more pressing concerns, though – they just wanted to play their way into the NCAA tournament.

The Warriors came up with a big effort against the top-seeded Wildcats in the semifinals of the NSIC tournament Saturday, shooting a blistering 54.5 percent from the field in the second half to upset Wayne State 73-65 Saturday afternoon at St. Paul, Minn.

Saturday's loss, only the third of the year for the 25-3 Wildcats, was disappointing for Kielsmeier, who was hoping to sweep the regular-season and conference tournament titles.

"It was a very disappointing day for the program," he said. "We played well and I was very proud of our efforts, but we got outplayed and Winona made a lot of plays and shot the ball great. A game like that comes down to making plays and making shots, and we didn't make enough of them."

Neither team was able to establish itself early on. Winona State jumped out to a 15-8 lead early in the game, but the Wildcats got a jumper, a pair of free throws and a 3-pointer from Alyssa Fischbach to pull within 17-15 midway through the first half.

Winona State went on an 8-2 run to take a 25-17 lead, but the Wildcats answered with a 12-2 run of its

own, highlighted by an Ellen Hansen trifecta, to take a 29-27 lead. The Warriors responded late in the half, getting a late 3-pointer to take a 33-31 halftime lead.

The Warriors extended their lead to four points, but Wayne State came back with a trey by Ali Schwartzwald and an inside jumper by Mara Hjelle to take their final lead at 36-35. Winona State went on a 13-3 run to take control of the game, and the Wildcats wouldn't get closer than four points after that.

Wayne State made one desperate run at the end, using two straight turnovers to get within seven points with :56 to go, but it wasn't enough to avoid the upset.

Kielsmeier said the loss was disappointing, but he thinks the team will refocus and prepare for regionals, a tournament the Wildcats were hoping to host.

"Hopefully, this will motivate us to refocus on regionals," he said. "It's disappointing that we're not hosting, but we don't care. It's more important that we're in the tournament and playing. We would have loved to play some more games in Rice (Auditorium), but it wasn't meant to be and we're thankful we have a chance to play."

The Wildcats reached the semifinals with a dominating 87-56 win over Minnesota Crookston last Wednesday, riding the double-double efforts of Fischbach and Ashley Arlen.

Arlen finished with 22 points and 10 rebounds to lead

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Men's upset hopes, season end

MANKATO, Minn. – Wayne State held its own for 30 minutes, but didn't have enough gas left to go the final 10.

An 18-3 Minnesota State run midway through the second half helped the top-seeded Mavericks overcome a five-point deficit and pull away for a 70-60 win over the Wildcats in the first round of the Northern Sun Conference tournament, bringing the Wildcats' 13-14 season to an end.

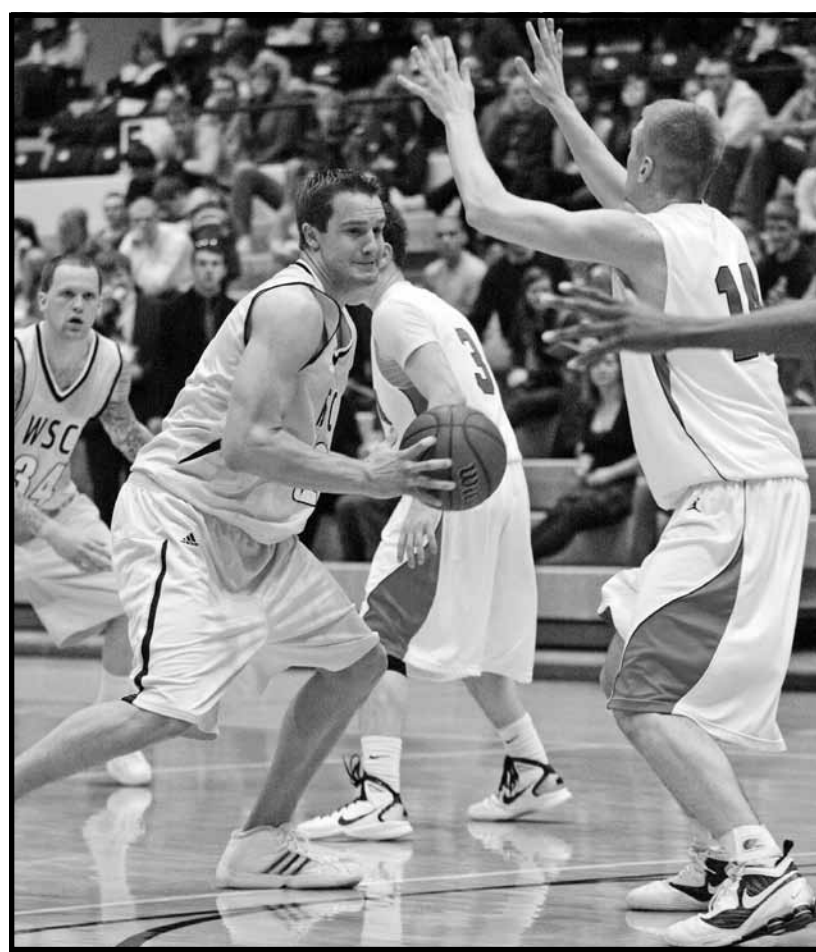
"They're just a very talented, deep, experienced team and that really showed through down the stretch," Wildcats' coach Paul Combs said of his team's season-ending loss. "We struggled with our free throws and they were aggressive and really put it to us on the boards."

The Mavericks jumped out to a 7-0 lead in the first two minutes of the game, but Wayne State responded with a seven-point run of their own, highlighted by a Jason Jensen trey, to tie the game at the 16:41 mark.

Wayne State took its first lead on a Brad Starken 3-pointer a little more than three minutes later, and extended their lead to nine points on a Derrell Williams' tip-in with 7:33 left in the half.

Wayne State's hot shooting cooled off and the Mavericks took advantage, scoring 11 straight

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(Herald file photo)

Brad Starken scored 19 points for the Wildcats in their 70-60 loss to Minnesota State in the first round of the Northern Sun Conference tournament.

If boys contain Fahey, they can upset Crusaders

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Fans of the Wayne boys basketball team might think they're experiencing a little déjà vu when the Blue Devils hook up with top-seeded Grand Island Central Catholic Thursday in the Class C-1 Boys State Basketball Championships.

The 2 p.m. matchup at Pershing Auditorium will feature the Blue Devils – fresh from an upset of Norfolk Catholic in the district finals – taking on a Crusaders team that is hoping to bounce back from a subdistrict loss and put themselves in position to win a state title.

The Blue Devils will face a team that reminds coach Rocky Ruhl of two teams the Blue Devils faced late in the season – Norfolk Catholic and Pierce.

"This (matchup) is a lot like our district final," he said. "I'd say they're one of the top teams in the state and they're a solid team with one of the better players in the state."

The Crusaders are led by senior guard Turner Fahey, who averages more than 25 points per game. Fahey can do damage from anywhere on the court, whether it's hitting the long bomb or driving inside to either attack the basket or find an open teammate.

CLASS C-1 STATE TOURNAMENT

Thursday's First Round At Pershing Auditorium

No. 1 Grand Island Central Catholic (24-1) vs. No. 8 Wayne (19-7), 2 p.m.

No. 4 Bishop Neumann (20-5) vs. No. 5 Minden, (21-2), 3:45 p.m.

No. 2 Kimball (22-2) vs. No. 7 Milford (21-3), 7 p.m.

No. 3 Norfolk Catholic (23-2) vs. No. 6 Hastings St. Cecilia (19-6), 8:45 p.m.

Friday's Semifinals At Devaney Center

GICC/Wayne winner vs. Neumann/Minden winner, 2 p.m.

Kimball/Milford winner vs. NC/HSC winner, 3:45 p.m.

Saturday's Games

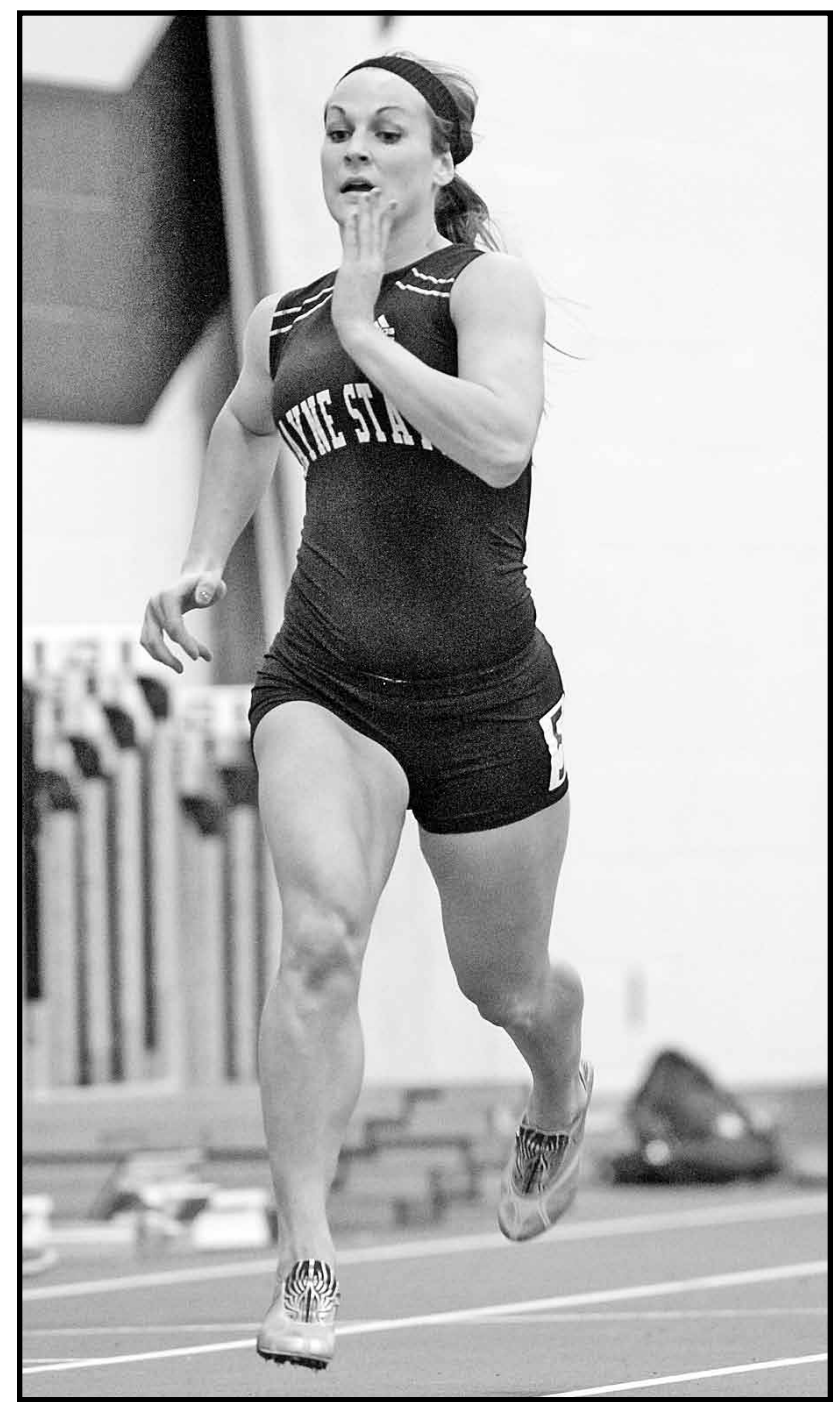
Consolation at Lincoln Northstar, 10 a.m.

Championship at Devaney Center, 8:45 p.m.

"He reminds me a lot of the kid from South Sioux City," Ruhl said. "He can handle the ball or step back and shoot a three, and the best thing for us would be to keep the ball out of his hands. If other guys are handling the ball and we can make the other guys work, that would be a big help for us."

Ruhl said the Blue Devils will also need to be patient on offense, as they face a Crusader team that gives up just 41 points per game and

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(Photo courtesy Wayne State Sports Information)

Wayne State's Nicole Brungardt is the school's first four-time qualifier for the NCAA Div. II Indoor Track and Field Championships this week in Albuquerque, N.M.

Brungardt doesn't skip a record-setting beat

By TRAVIS CORLEY
Of The Herald

Since joining the NCAA in 1992, Wayne State hasn't had any athlete qualify in four events at the national level in track and field.

After 3 1/2 years of not running track and focusing on her place as a member of the Wayne State volleyball team, Nicole Brungardt will represent the Wildcats in four events at this week's NCAA Div. II National

Indoor Championships.

Her accomplishments mark the first time a Wayne State athlete has qualified in four events for a national meet, besting the three events Katie Wilson qualified for in 2008 and 2009.

Brungardt qualified to run the 60- and 200-meter dashes, the long jump and will join Christina King, Paige Pollard and Erin Klein on the 1,600-meter relay team.

"Her teammates are very supportive, she raised our team competitiveness," said coach Marlon Brink.

Brungardt is not a new face to track and field – she was a stellar high school athlete excelling in

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Brungardt



Contributed photo

Wayne wins Bash

The first Wayne Winter Volleyball Bash was held at the Wayne Community Activity Center on Feb. 27. Teams from Wayne, West Point, David City, and North Bend competed in the six-team, round-robin tournament, and the Wayne Blue team took home first-place honors. The tournament was organized by sport management majors from Wayne State College, and officiating was provided by the Wayne State College volleyball team. Team members are: (front) Tabitha Belt, Taylor Swanson, (back) coach Diedra Artz, Emma Evetovich, Kayla Schrunck, Madison Frever and Danica Schaefer.

Baseball team sees tough matchups

Wayne State played some tough baseball in the Southern Indiana Dunn Hospitality Baseball Tournament in Evansville, Ind.

Wayne State pounded out 17 hits and scored nine runs in the final two innings to break open a close game and post a 15-7 win over Wisconsin-Parkside Sunday evening.

The Rangers struck first, scoring four runs in the second inning, but the Wildcats responded with four of their own in the third, highlighted by a two-run double by Mike Bisenius and run-scoring singles from Braulio Acosta and Justin Beranek.

The Wildcats took the lead for good in the fourth with an RBI double by C.J. Nolen, then added another run in the sixth on an RBI single by Beranek.

After Wisconsin-Parkside scored in the bottom of the seventh to pull within 6-5, the Wildcats scored twice in the eighth, then erupted for seven runs in the top of the ninth, highlighted by a Braulio Acosta

two-run double and two-run singles by Patrick Burkhart and Travis Parsons, who had two hits in the inning.

Luke Farrar was 3-for-3 with four runs scored while Acosta was 3-for-4 with three RBIs and two runs scored. Mike Bisenius was 2-for-5 with a double, two RBIs and two runs scored. Austen Wisroth pitched seven innings to notch the victory, allowing five runs on six hits while striking out nine and walking one.

Four University of Indianapolis pitchers combined to hold Wayne State to just three hits as the Greyhounds handed the Wildcats a 6-2 defeat Monday afternoon.

Indianapolis scored one run in the first and two in the third to take an early 3-0 lead. The Wildcats got on the board in the bottom of the third inning when Farrar walked and scored on Josh Nielsen's RBI groundout. The Greyhounds added single runs in the fourth and seventh innings to pull away with the win. Sophomore lefthander Tadd

Johansen suffered the pitching loss for Wayne State.

Defending Div. II champion Southern Indiana held off a late Wayne State rally to edge the Wildcats 5-3 Monday evening.

Southern Indiana took a 4-0 lead early in the game, but Wayne State got back into the game in the top of the sixth, scoring three runs. Bisenius walked and scored when Slade Bolles reached on a Screaming Eagle error. Nolen then doubled to right field, scoring Bolles, and later scored on a bunt single by Nielsen to make the score 4-3. Wayne State had the chance to score more runs, but Michael Samuel was thrown out at home. Wayne State mounted a rally in the ninth inning and had the tying run on first base with no one out but could not score.

Nick Bidroski had two singles to lead Wayne State offensively. Sophomore lefthander Eric Schwieger was the hard luck loser.

Boys

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plays a tough, physical defense that is similar to one they faced against Pierce late in the season.

"They're a carbon copy of Pierce in that they play tough, physical defense, and it's the type of defense where, if you can get an open look, you've got to knock it down," he said. "Their defense can really frustrate you and keep you from getting a good look, and I think the kids understand it might take a few extra passes to get that open look."

Ruhl said if his team can contain Fahey and do better than the Crusaders' 41.2 points per game average, Wayne has a chance of pulling off the first-round upset.

"If we can get it into the 50's, I think we stand a chance," he said. "I like the way our kids are playing right now, and if we can get good shots and knock them down, we can make some things happen."

defensive specialist for the Wildcats Volleyball team. The 5-foot-8 junior played in all 30 games this season, finishing the season with 239. She had a season high with 16 digs against the University of Nebraska-Kearney and St. Cloud State this past season. She tied for team lead in aces with 31 and was sixth in the Northern Sun Conference averaging 0.29 aces per match.

Next fall will be her final season as a member of the volleyball team, but she will be on this year's outdoor track and field team and a participant for indoor and outdoor track and field next season as well.

She'll be a welcome addition, as Brungardt has already broken several records this indoor season.

"Her jumping ability is great, and the volleyball training helps a lot as well," Brink said.

She ran two seconds faster than the previous 60-meter time setting the new school record at 7.64 seconds. The team's 200-meter dash mark is now at 25.01 seconds, and the long jump is at 19 feet, 1 1/2 inches. Brungardt is also part of the 1,600-meter relay team that shattered the school record by more than 15 seconds at 3:48.43.

College athletics isn't the only thing she excels in. She currently is majoring in mid-level education.



Arlen

Hjelle



Fischbach

Shelby

POY Arlen leads four Wildcats on All-NSIC lists

Ashley Arlen was named Northern Sun Conference Player of the Year and was one of four Wildcat basketball players named to the Northern Sun Conference men's and women's all-conference teams last week.

Arlen, a junior, and seniors Mara Hjelle and Alyssa Fischbach were tabbed by conference coaches for the All-NSIC women's team. Sophomore Amry Shelby was the lone Wayne State player on the men's All-NSIC squad. Both Arlen and Hjelle are repeat selections this year.

Arlen, a 6-foot-2 junior, ranked third in the NSIC in scoring (16.5) and second in rebounding (8.7) while recording seven double-doubles in league play. She had a season-high 26 points and a career-best 17 rebounds in a Jan. 8 win over Minnesota Duluth. She became the 15th player in school history to score 1,000 career points, doing it in just two seasons.

Hjelle, a 6-foot-2 senior, averaged 14 points and 7.4 rebounds per game in conference this season, ranking fourth in rebounds and 10th in scoring. She had four double-doubles this season and has averaged 13.9 points and 7.4 rebounds for the Wildcats this season.

Fischbach, a second-team honoree, is a 5-foot-11 senior who averaged 9.3 points and eight rebounds a game this season, ranking third in the conference in rebounding. She had nine games with 10 or more rebounds and also averaged more than 1.5 steals a game while helping the team to a 25-2 record and the regular-season NSIC championship.

Shelby, a 5-foot-11 sophomore, led the Wayne State men in scoring for the second straight year, averaging 13.9 points a game. He was second in the league in free throw percentage, hitting 90 percent of his charity tosses. He had four games scoring 20 or more points this season, including a career-high 42 points in a double-overtime win over Minnesota Duluth. He helped the Wildcats to a 13-14 record and an eighth-place finish in the conference this season.

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Brungardt

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track and field, volleyball and basketball at Norfolk Catholic.

"She was one of the state's best athletes," said Brink.

During her time spent at Norfolk Catholic High School, she became something of an icon in northeast Nebraska. As a high school standout, Brungardt was a four-year letter winner in track and field, volleyball, and basketball for the Knights.

During her last year with the Knights, she led them to an undefeated volleyball season and finished her career with 1,100 digs and 1,200 kills. In basketball, she finished with 1,437 points and a Class C-1 state championship.

In track and field, she finished with two all-class and three Class B gold medals during her final season with the Knights. At the state meet, she won the all-class gold in the 100-meter dash and the long jump, and was first in the Class B 200-meter dash.

She also was named the 2008 Female Athlete of the Year by the Omaha World-Herald and Lincoln Journal Star. The Norfolk Daily News named her the Female Athlete of the Year, 2005, 2006, 2007, and 2008.

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Wildcats softball gets on a roll, wins five in a row in Florida

After stumbling out of the gates to start the season, the Wayne State softball team seems to have found its groove, winning five games at the National Training Center Spring Games.

On Sunday, the Wildcats split a pair of games, dropping a heartbreaker to No. 21 Kutztown (Pa.), 5-4, before coming back to edge Alderson-Broaddus of West Virginia 8-3.

Two home runs from Sam Earleywine and solo shots by Blaire Kuhl and Brittany Greenwood gave the Wildcats a 4-0 lead, but Kutztown stormed back in the seventh inning and scored three

runs off reliever Natalie Ruechel and the game-winning runs off starter Katie Goetzinger, who reentered the game, to pull out the win.

In the second game, Wayne State scored four in the seventh to break open a close game. Freshman Rachel Dukich was 3-for-4 with a homer to lead a balanced hitting attack. Hannah Engelkamp was 3-for-3 with a double, and Brittany Greenwood was 3-for-4 with a double and three RBIs.

Goetzinger was the winning pitcher in relief of starter Natalie Hauschild.

On Monday, the Wildcats had a

pair of impressive wins, opening with a 7-4 win over Grand Valley State of Michigan and earning an 8-0, five-inning win over 17th-ranked and previously unbeaten Lock Haven of Pennsylvania.

In the Grand Valley State game, senior first baseman Jennifer Radley had a solo homer and two-run single, while Goetzinger worked five innings of strong relief to carry the Wildcats. The Wildcats produced five hits and three runs to come from behind and take a 3-1 lead. Kuhl had a two-run single while Dukich added an RBI single in the inning. Grand Valley tied the

score in the top of the second, but Wayne State regained the lead for good with an Earleywine sacrifice fly, then added three in the fifth, highlighted by Radley's homer. Radley finished 2-for-3 with three RBIs while Hannah Engelkamp was 2-for-4 to highlight the 10-hit attack.

The second game saw the Wildcats hand Lock Haven their first loss of the season, breaking the game open with five runs in the fourth inning.

Radley had another big game at the plate, going 3-for-3 with a double. Hannah Engelkamp and Aeriell Earleywine each went 2-for-

3 in support of Goetzinger, who pitched a complete game, allowing three hits with four strikeouts.

In the Seton Hill game, Wayne State scored a run in the bottom of the sixth inning to break a 1-1 tie. The Wildcats made the most of their three hits in the game, scoring in the fourth inning and scoring the game-winning run in the bottom of the sixth as Aeriell Earleywine led off with a double and scored on Engelkamp's double. Goetzinger pitched all seven innings to record the win, allowing four hits with nine strikeouts.

The second game saw Hauschild

pitch a complete game while allowing a three-run homer. Wayne State scored three runs in the top of the second inning, as Kuhl reached base with a leadoff single, Radley walked and both scored on Hauschild's three-run blast over the centerfield fence.

Hauschild worked all seven innings to earn the win, allowing one run on eight hits with three strikeouts and one walk.

Wayne State resumes play Thursday at the National Training Center in Florida with games against Northern State and East Stroudsburg (Pa.).

Sports Shorts

State Games torch run makes June stop here

The torch for the Cornhusker State Games will make a stop in Wayne.

The Nebraska Sports Council has announced the 2011 Cornhusker State Games Torch Run route, and the torch will make its way through Wayne June 18-19.

Applicants for the Torch Run will be assigned segments in one-mile increments. Runners will be scheduled on a first-come, first-served basis. There is no fee for the Torch Run, and participants will each receive a T-shirt. Entry information is available at CornhuskerStateGames.com.

Wildcats fall to No. 9

The Wayne State women's basketball team is ranked ninth in the USA Today/ESPN Div. II Top 25 coaches poll.

Wayne State, the 2011 NSIC Regular Season Champions, is 25-3 on the season and will be the third seed in this weekend's NCAA Div. II Central Regional Basketball Tournament in Durango, Colo.

Farrar is NSIC POW

Luke Farrar of Wayne State was named the Northern Sun Conference Baseball Player of the Week for baseball.

Farrar was 3-for-3 with four runs scored and an RBI in Wayne State's 15-7 win Sunday over Wisconsin-Parkside at the Southern Indiana Dunn Hospitality Tournament in Evansville, Ind. He also recorded a stolen base and walked twice in just his second career start in center field for the Wildcats.

Rugby tourney set to draw 90 teams here

The 10th annual Wayne Rugby Tournament will have 90 teams from 17 states and Canada travel to Wayne for a two-day tournament March 26-27.

This year's competitors will include teams from the University of West Virginia, University of Illinois, Central Michigan, Manitoba University, and many more scattered across the country. This is known as the third largest rugby tournament in the United States.

Featured games will be held at the City

Sports Complex on the east end of East Fourth Street. Championship games in different divisions will be from 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. on Sunday, March 27.

Sixth-graders go 2-1

The Wayne sixth grade girls ended their season at the Hop's Hoops Classic in David City.

They went 2-1 on the day, beating David City Green and East Butler while losing to David City White in a close game.

Scoring in 18-8 win over David City Green were Kiara Hochstein with eight, Marissa Munsell with six and Taylor Gamble and Jacque Sherman with two each.

In the 23-22 loss to David City White, Hochstein and Amanda Hammer each had six, Sierra Scardino scored four, and Sherman and Munsell each had two.

In the win over East Butler, Caitlin Janke had six, Gamble scored five, Hochstein had four, and Hammer, Munsell and Scardino each had two.

Wayne wrestlers medal

Wayne wrestlers competing at the Pender tournament brought home a number of medals. Medalists were as follows:

First place – Justin Sherman, James Dorcy, Reece Wilson-Jaqua, Victor Kniesche, Anthony Krzycki, Reid Korth, Tay Guill.

Second place – Christopher Woerdeman, Ethan McCraney, Brandon Wacker, Max Miller, Gunner Jorgensen, Noah Reinke, Cade Janke.

Third place – Hagan Miller, Hunter Jorgensen.

Fourth place – Ethan Sutton. Five wrestlers earned medals at the Howells Tournament. They were:

First Place – Hagen Miller.
Fourth place – Tristen Miller, Seth Miller, Max Miller, and James Dorcy.

Girls sixth blue 2nd

The Wayne sixth grade blue girls team earned runner-up honors recently at the Norfolk Catholic tournament.

Wayne beat Norfolk Public (18-8) and Norfolk Catholic Red (21-12) while losing

to Norfolk Catholic White (20-10).

In the first game, Ashten Gibson had six, Gabbi Lutt scored four and Kourtney Keller, Allison Echtenkamp, Melinda Longe and Kelsey Boyer each had two.

In the second game, Echtenkamp had six, Gibson and Boyer each scored four, Keller, Brenna Vovos and Morgan Keating each had two and Emily Matthes had a free throw.

In the final game, Keller had four and Longe, Lutt and Gibson each had two.

The team also went 2-0 at a tournament in North Bend, beating West Point (22-7) and Tekamah-Herman (22-13).

Boyer had six to lead the way in the first game, while Longe, Hanna Belt and Keating each had four and Matthes had two. In the second game, Keating scored 10 to lead the way, Longe had seven Boyer scored three and Lindy Sandoz had two.

Seventh girls get first, second places

The Wayne seventh-grade girls travel team took first place at North Bend and second at Hartington in recent tournaments.

At North Bend, they beat Wahoo Neumann (38-8) and Tekamah (32-30). Kayla Schrunck had 17, Tarah Stegemann added 13 and Tabbi Belt scored four in the first game, while Stegemann had 16 and Schrunck and Payton Roach each had eight in the second game.

At Hartington, Wayne beat the host team (33-10) while losing to the Yankton Blaze (35-22). Stegemann and Schrunck each had 12 and Katlin McAllister added six in the first game. Stegemann and Roach both had eight and Schrunck added six in the loss.

Fifth-grade girls 14-0

The Wayne fifth-grade girls improved to 14-0 after winning their own tournament recently.

The team beat Norfolk Lutheran (32-16), Norfolk Panthers (31-23), Newcaste (43-2) and Norfolk Panthers (24-15) to earn first place.

In the first game, Kylie Hammer had 14, Kennedy Maly and Jamie Gamble each

added eight and Jenna Trenhaile put in two. In the second game, Gamble scored 12, Hammer added 11 and Maly had eight.

In the Newcastle game, Hammer scored 15, Maly added 12, Gamble put in 10, Shania Anderson had four and Trenhaile scored two.

In the championship game, Hammer had 11, Gamble scored nine and Anderson and Maly each had two.

Wayne eighth girls 1-1

The Wayne eighth-grade girls basketball team went 1-1 in their own tournament recently, beating Winnebago (32-20) and losing to West Point Central Catholic (36-24).

In the first game, Rachel Rauner led the way with 15 points, while Skyler Gamble had six, McKenzie Rusk scored five, Abbie Hix had four and Alyssa Schmale scored two.

Against West Point, Hix had 11, Rauner scored five, Gamble and Sydney McCorkindale each had three and Rusk put in two.

Boys fourth 1-1 at Blair

The WBDA boys fourth-grade team went 1-1 at a tournament in Blair recently, beating Elkhorn (30-9) and losing to Bennington (37-11).

In the first game, Shea Sweetland led a balanced attack with 11 points, while Tyler Gilliland scored 10 and Marcus Fertig put in nine. In the second game, Drew Buck scored three, while Fertig, Gilliland, Jonah Brodersen and Jacob Sherman each had two.

WBDA seventh goes 1-2

The WBDA seventh-grade boys basketball went 1-2 in their own tournament recently, beating Norfolk Panthers (26-22) and losing to Pierce Blue (35-22) and Pierce White (33-24).

Malik Knox had 12 points, Dylan Hurlbert had 11 and Drew Davie scored two in the win over Norfolk. Knox had 14, Hurlbert scored six and Davie had two in the loss to Pierce Blue, while Hurlbert had 11, Knox scored nine and Davie and Micah Sprouls each had two against Pierce White.

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Men

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and Jensen put in 13 in his final game as a Wildcat.

It was another year of growth for the program, Combs said, as the team continued to gain experience this season.

"We've had some ups and downs this year with a lot of inexperience in our program," he said. "We had four seniors who grew a lot this year and showed some tremendous leadership, and we got great contributions from some of our younger players that were forced into action because of our lack of depth."

Combs said he's sorry to see the



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ADULT FICTION

Bloodstained throne / Simon Beaufort; Border lords / T. Jefferson Parker; Call me irresistible / Susan Elizabeth Phillips; Damascus way / Davis Bunn & Janette Oke; Death instinct / Jed Rubenfeld; Deceit / Brandilyn Collins; Forgotten garden / Kate Morton; Give me your heart / Joyce Carol Oates; Hope undaunted / Julie Lessman; Inner circle / Brad Meltzer; Kissing Christmas goodbye / M.C. Beaton; Lost gate / Orson Scott Card; Main street / Sinclair Lewis; Red garden / Alice Hoffman; Sentry / Robert Crais; Strategic moves / Stuart Woods; Swan thieves / Elizabeth Kostova; Tick tock / James Patterson and Michael Ledwith; While mortals sleep / Kurt Vonnegut.

LARGE PRINT FICTION and NONFICTION

America by heart / Sarah Palin; Crescent dawn / Clive Cussler and Dirk Cussler; Dead or alive / Tom Clancy with Grant Blackwood; Night of the vampires / Heather Graham; Our kind of traitor / John Le Carre; Port mortuary / Patricia Cornwell; Saturday morning / Lauraine Snelling; Valcourt heiress / Catherine Coulter; What

RC&D to host annual Antique Critique in Bloomfield

The Northeast Nebraska RC&D's second annual Antique Critique Show will be at the Bloomfield Community Building on Saturday, March 26.

The event will feature local antique experts and will run from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Anyone interested in learning the estimated value of some of their old glassware, jewelry, guns, toys, coins, tools, furniture, crockery, artifacts, knives, and other miscellaneous antiques is invited to bring these items for review.

A lunch stand will be available and the public is invited to come view the antiques, visit with the antique owners and estimators, and enjoy the event. A nominal admission plus item fee will be charged.

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For more information contact the RC&D office at (402) 582-4866.

a difference a dog makes / Dana Jennings.

CHILDREN'S FICTION & NONFICTION

Ballet for Martha / Jan Greenberg and Sandra Jordan; Bedtime for Bear / Brett Helquist; Cat secrets / by Jef Czekaj; Chicken thief / Beatrice Rodriguez; Chocolate moose / Maggie Kneen; City Dog, Country Frog / words, Mo Willems; Crazy day with cobras / Mary Pope Osborne; Disney's Pocahontas; Disney's Tarzan; Farm / Elisha Cooper; Five little ducks; Five little monkeys; Found you, Little Wombat! / Angela McAllister; Charles Fuge; Humpty Dumpty; If you're happy and you know it; Jack and Jill / Liza Woodruff; Let the whole earth sing praise / Tomie dePaola; Like the willow tree / Lois Lowry; Little Boy Blue; Lunch Lady and the bake sale bandit / Jarrett J. Krosoczka; Madeline at the White House / John Bemelmans Marciano; Mirror mirror: a book of reversible verse / Marilyn Singer;

Mission unstoppable / Dan Gutman; Monkey Truck / Michael Slack; More 5-minute princess stories / Lara Bergen; Octavia Boone's big questions about life, the universe and everything / Rebecca Rupp; Old Mother Hubbard / Carol Schwartz; One crazy summer / Rita Williams-Garcia; Painter and Ugly / Robert J. Blake; Picture of Freedom / by Patricia C. McKissack; Ponyella / Laura Numeroff and Nate Evans; Runaway wok: a Chinese New Year tale / Ying Chang Compestine; Saving Zasha / Randi Barrow; Secret river / Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings; Shark vs. train / Chris Barton; Sick day for Amos McGee / Philip C. Stead; Splendid speller / by Jane O'Connor; Star maker / Laurence Yep; Star Wars, Tatooine adventures / Clare Hibbert; Starring the boss baby as himself! / Marla Frazee; Tale dark & Grimm / Adam Gidwitz; Tale of Peter Rabbit / Beatrix Potter; There's going to be a baby / John Burningham; To market, to market; Tractor /

Dawn Sirett and Charlie Gardner; text; Twinkle, twinkle, little star; Who hid the Easter eggs? / Pirkko Vainio; Yankee Doodle.

YOUNG ADULT FICTION & NONFICTION

Across the universe / Beth Revis; All just glass / Amelia Atwater-Rhodes; Awakened / P.C. Cast and Kristin Cast; Cardturner / Louis Sachar; Finnikin of the rock / Melina Marchetta; Please ignore Vera Dietz / A.S. King; Revolver / Marcus Sedgwick; Troy High /

Shana Norris; Ugliest / Scott Westerfeld.

AUDIOBOOKS

Athena Project: a thriller / Brad Thor; Debt-free for life / David Bach; In too deep / Jayne Ann Krentz; Key of knowledge / Nora Roberts; Left-handed dollar / Loren D. Estleman; Lost hero / Rick Riordan; Love in the afternoon / Lisa Kleypas; Pearl Buck in China / Hilary Spurling; Rescue / Anita Shreve; Take two / Karen Kingsbury; What the night knows / Dean Koontz.

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ALEN BOOK CLUB

The Allen Book Club is reading "Twenty Wishes" by Debbie Macomber. Books are available at the Allen Senior Center. Discussion will be held at the Center on Thursday, March 17 at 2 p.m. The story begins as several widows gather on Valentine's Day and try to answer the question, "What do you want most in the world?"

SPEECH CONTEST RESULTS

The Allen High School speech team traveled to Emerson on Saturday, Feb. 26 for the Lewis Division Conference Speech Meet.

At this meet Melissa Norris received a superior rating in poetry, which put her in fifth place. The OI team of Kurtis Eisenhauer, Jill Stallbaum and Cortny Surber also received a superior rating that put them in fifth place.

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One scholarship will be given and must be used during the 2011-2012 college year for undergraduate studies. The recipient will be notified by April 30 and he/she (or a representative) will be required to attend the May 14, 2011, graduation ceremony for formal recognition.

WILMES SCHOLARSHIP

Last summer, the community of Allen lost a teacher, mentor and friend in Mr. Tom Wilmes. For over 35 years, Tom helped to shape his students through teaching industrial arts and agricultural education. He had a unique way of connecting with all the students.

In an effort to help future students reach their full potential, a committee has been formed to start a scholarship fund in honor of Mr. Wilmes. This scholarship will be awarded annually to one student at graduation. All students showing an interest in agriculture



Countryside Gas Station held its Grand Opening Ribbon Cutting Ceremony last Friday. Pictured are, Front row, left to right, Dave Albers (Owner), Ashley Kraemer, Mikey Dickens (cutting the ribbon), Will Pattee, Carly Dickens and Rob Bock. Back row, Logan and Greta Kraemer, Sharon Sullivan, Faith Keil (sitting) and Gary Sullivan.

or the industrial arts along with scholastic achievements and strong ties to FFA will be considered. The committee asks that anyone interested in helping to contribute to the "Tom Wilmes Memorial Scholarship Fund" send their contributions to Allen Consolidated School, P.O. Box 40, Allen, Neb. 68710 – Attn: Wilmes Scholarship Fund.

If you have any questions you may contact Kathy Boswell, Allen Alumni Director.

NINE PATCH QUILT CLUB

Nine Patch Quilt Club met at the Fire Hall on March 5 for a work day and business meeting. Eight members were present. Most of the morning was spent sewing blocks into a quilt top. The completed quilt is to be donated to the Senior Center for their yearly fundraiser.

Discussion at the meeting included changing the 2012 award at the Dixon County Fair to a quilt incorporating nine patch instead of the current quilted item with appliqué.

Upcoming events include the Nebraska Shop Hop, March 31 to April 10; Sioux City Quilt Show in September, and Quilt-a-Fair in Sac City, Iowa on Sept. 24-25. Shop Hop on Wheels will be Sept. 17-18. Information is available at The Quilt Shop in Wakefield. Several members displayed current projects for Show and Tell.

The next meeting will be April 4 at the Senior Center at 7 p.m. Visitors and new members are always welcome. For further information contact Sharon Brentlinger, President, or Jean Morgan, Secretary.

ALLEN ALUMNI REUNION

All graduates of Allen Consolidated Schools will be receiving an invitation soon to attend this summer's reunion. The festivities will begin on Friday evening, July 1 with a "Social" at the Fire Hall.

The banquet will be held Saturday evening with special recognition given to the fifty-year classes of 1950 and 1951 and all attending veterans. Memorial fireworks will follow at the Isom-Hill Athletic Field. The Allen United Methodist Church plans to honor veterans at its church service on Sunday, July 4, followed by a free-will donation meal in the church parking lot. All activities are open to the public.

KINDERGARTEN ROUND-UP

Kindergarten Round-Up will be

held on Friday, April 8 at 2 p.m. at the Allen School.

Any child who will be 5 before Oct. 15, 2011 is eligible to attend kindergarten during the 2011-2012 school year. Eligible students on our list this year include: Ava Anderson, Dylan Boyle, Samantha Claypool, Michael Dickens, Karter Gill, Kendal Gronenthal, Rylee Kallson, Zander Roth, Brayden McCorkindale, and Trinity Surber. If you are new in the District or know of someone who is not listed on the list, please call the office of the Superintendent.

JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

Students in grades 2 – 6th participated in the "Jump Rope For Heart" campaign this year. They jumped rope for two PE periods. The students raised money through donations amounting to over \$2,000. The second grade alone raised \$1,000.

SENIOR CENTER

Friday, March 11: Brunch at 8:30 a.m. – Pancakes, ham slice, plums, apple juice.

Monday, March 14: Chicken, scalloped potatoes, broccoli, tropical fruit.

Tuesday, March 15: Burgers, potato salad, corn, oranges.

Wednesday, March 16: Fish, baked potato, coleslaw, grapes.

Thursday, March 17: Irish Dinner – Corned beef and cabbage, boiled potatoes, peas, and green beans.

Friday, March 18: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. – Biscuit and gravy, sausage links, cranberry juice, and mixed fruit.

COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

Friday, March 11: Gail Hill, Jaylen Jackson, Santa Sanchez, Kevin & Stacey Woodward (A).

Saturday, March 12: Greg & Chantel Stapleton (A).

Sunday, March 13: Scott Morgan.

Monday, March 14: Bernard Keil, Mike & Missy Walker (A).

Tuesday, March 15: Courtney Sturges, Kelvin Silva.

Wednesday, March 16: Rob Bock, Robbie Sperry, Bruce & Kelly Malcom (A).

Thursday, March 17: Amanda Marshall, Brook Krommenhoek. Friday 18th – Mandy Boyle, Brad & Malcom (A).

COMMUNITY CALENDAR
Friday, March 11: Brunch at

Groundwater Awareness: Out of sight, but definitely not out of mind

Here is a statistic to ponder: The United States uses 79.6 billion gallons of fresh groundwater per day for public supply, private supply, irrigation, livestock, manufacturing, mining, thermoelectric power and other purposes.

It's with that statistic from the National Ground Water Association in mind that The Groundwater Foundation celebrates National Groundwater Awareness Week (March 6-12, 2011) and continues with its mission to educate and inspire everyone to ensure groundwater is available for future generations.

Groundwater is the water that fills the cracks and crevices of rocks and sands beneath the Earth's surface and supplies a majority of us with our drinking water on a daily basis.

"One of the ways that we are working to ensure it is available into the future is through our Let's Keep It Clean! program. The awareness program works within the state of Nebraska, directly in communities. In the past year we have worked with Crete, Wayne and Minden and now we are setting our sights on additional communities including working with Fairbury, St. Paul and Auburn," said Brian Reetz, with the Groundwater Foundation.

"Our goal within each community is to make each resident aware of groundwater and how they impact it daily. They may receive that information in many different forms from reading an article in the local paper, or hearing a spot on the radio or television, or attending an event at the local library or a community-wide activity," Reetz added.

Wednesday, March 16: Exercising at Senior Center 9 a.m.; Walking at Senior Center 9:30; Somerset at Senior Center, 1 p.m.; ACCTS at United Methodist Church 3:45 – 5; First Lutheran Church Confirmation at Allen, 6 – 6:45; First Lutheran Church Lenten Services at Allen, 7 p.m.; United Methodist Church Lenten Lunch and Bible Study at Allen, 6:30.

Thursday, March 17: Dominos at Senior Center 8:30 a.m.; Irish Dinner at Senior Center, noon; Book Club, 2 pm

Friday, March 18: Brunch at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Wayne State Indoor Track meet, 12:30 p.m.

There are many things that everyone can do starting to ensure this clean supply of water will be there into the distant future. Take action by:

- Taking short showers instead of baths.
- Running full loads of dishes and laundry.
- Decreasing or eliminating fertilizer and pesticide usage.
- Watering outside only when necessary.
- Checking for leaky faucets and repairing them.
- Disposing of chemicals properly by taking them to recycling centers.
- Teaching others about ways to

protect and preserve water.

For more information about The Groundwater Foundation, how to become a member, or any of its programs, call (800) 858-4844 or visit www.groundwater.org. The Let's Keep It Clean! program is sponsored by the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality and the Nebraska Environmental Trust.

'Fun to Play, Ready to Learn' seminar focuses on early child development

"Fun to Play, Ready to Learn" will be held Thursday, March 17, at 7 p.m. (note time change from originally announced) in the meeting room at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Deb Schroeder, Extension Educator in Cuming County will be the presenter. During the session, participants will develop understanding of brain development and how it relates to play and learning.

New research on brain development has demonstrated how important family involvement and positive learning experiences are in the home and day care are for infants, toddlers and preschool children. Learning starts immediately. A family is a child's first teacher and a child's home is his/her first classroom.

Children learn by exploring, questioning, touching, moving and discussing. Children also learn by watching and listening. This workshop will highlight play experiences for young children that will help them to be ready to learn.

For example, the five senses are the gateways to learning, so it is important to do activities that promote learning through the senses. Participants will also receive a book of activities to try at home.

Participants will earn 1.5 hours of in-service for attending this training session. This program is being sponsored by ESU No. 1 Grants and University of Nebraska Extension.

A minimum of 10 people are required to hold the session. Contact Leslie at Providence Medical, (402) 375-7938 to pre-register.



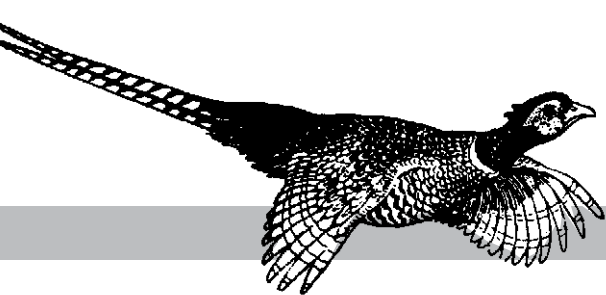
Fishers of Kids go to the dentist

Fishers of Kids Preschool celebrated Dental Health Month on Feb. 14 and 15 with a visit to Dr. Burrows Dental Office in Wayne. Students were shown what procedures would take place the first time they visit a dentist's office. Many students were amazed by all the machines and sounds. Everyone enjoyed a ride on the dental chair before leaving. Above are members of the Tuesday-Thursday class and below are members of the Monday-Wednesday-Friday class.



Read Across America

Winside second grade students celebrated Read Across America Day with Lied Winside Public Librarian, Mrs. JoAnn Field. Mrs. Field read Dr. Seuss books to the students. She also handed out bookmarks and suckers. Those taking part included, front row, left to right, Dominic Reed, Lance Muhs, Cody North, Jacie Pautner and Brooklyn Behmer. Middle row, Harlie Wylie, Aubrey Rodriguez, Jayden Fuchs, Casey North and Dylan Rothchild. Back row, Mrs. JoAnn Field, Kylie Cautrell, Kati Topp, Jaden Rastede, Hope Cummins, Jackie Escalante and second grade teacher, Mrs. Karol Stubbs.



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Opinion

Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes
Managing Editor

Clearing out the basketball drawer

With state basketball and Div. II women's regionals taking up most of the space between my ears this week, let's clear out the basketball drawer of the "Bits and Pieces" file:

— Oh the horror . . . a college basketball player has been kicked off his team for committing the unthinkable crime of — brace yourselves — having sex with his girlfriend.

Brandon Davies of Brigham Young was dismissed from the team for violating the school's honor code, which, among other things, forbids students from other horrible acts such as consumption of alcohol, premarital sex and taking the Lord's name in vain.

Now, of course, these are all wonderful virtues that we would hope all of our children would emulate. It just seems funny that, while athletes at some colleges continue representing their institutions of higher learning with rap sheets that would make even the most hard-lined North Omaha gang-banger look like a Boy Scout, a key player from one of the top-ranked teams in the country is no longer playing college basketball because he and his girlfriend were, shall we say, pitching woo.

— I'm always impressed with

the ability of sports broadcasters like Bill Seifert at KTCH, who has called quite a few basketball games during the course of this season.

For as many as Bill has done, though, he's a slacker compared to Beau Spencer.

Spencer is the operator of IHSSN.net, which covers high school sports in Illinois. He broadcasts play-by-play of basketball games on the Internet, and is on track to call 150 games this basketball season.

Last year, the former radio sports director did 112 games. He claims to average 10 broadcasts a week, which means he's doing about five boys-girls doubleheaders a week.

— From the "my coach is tougher than your coach" department: a girls basketball coach in Texas gave birth to a baby daughter in between playoff games.

Amber Branson coached her team to a win one night, gave birth to an 8-pound, 7-ounce baby girl, and was back in time to coach her team to another win — all in less than 16 hours.

The next time I hear Rocky Ruhl complain about the long hours getting his team ready for a Friday-Saturday doubleheader, I'm going to have this lady give him a call.

Capitol View

Immigration issue confusing

By ED HOWARD
Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association

LINCOLN — People talk about the weather because it interests them, even though they can't do anything about it.

People talk about illegal immigration because it interests them, even though they feel like they can't do anything about it.

Rational people accept that the weather is in the hands of Mother Nature, and that's that.

Rational people also know the United States doesn't have a policy worth the name when it comes to controlling illegal immigration along the southern border.

Nature and politics abhor a vacuum.

To fill the void where federal policy ought to be, Sen. Charlie Janssen of Fremont has proposed the Illegal Immigration Enforcement Act.

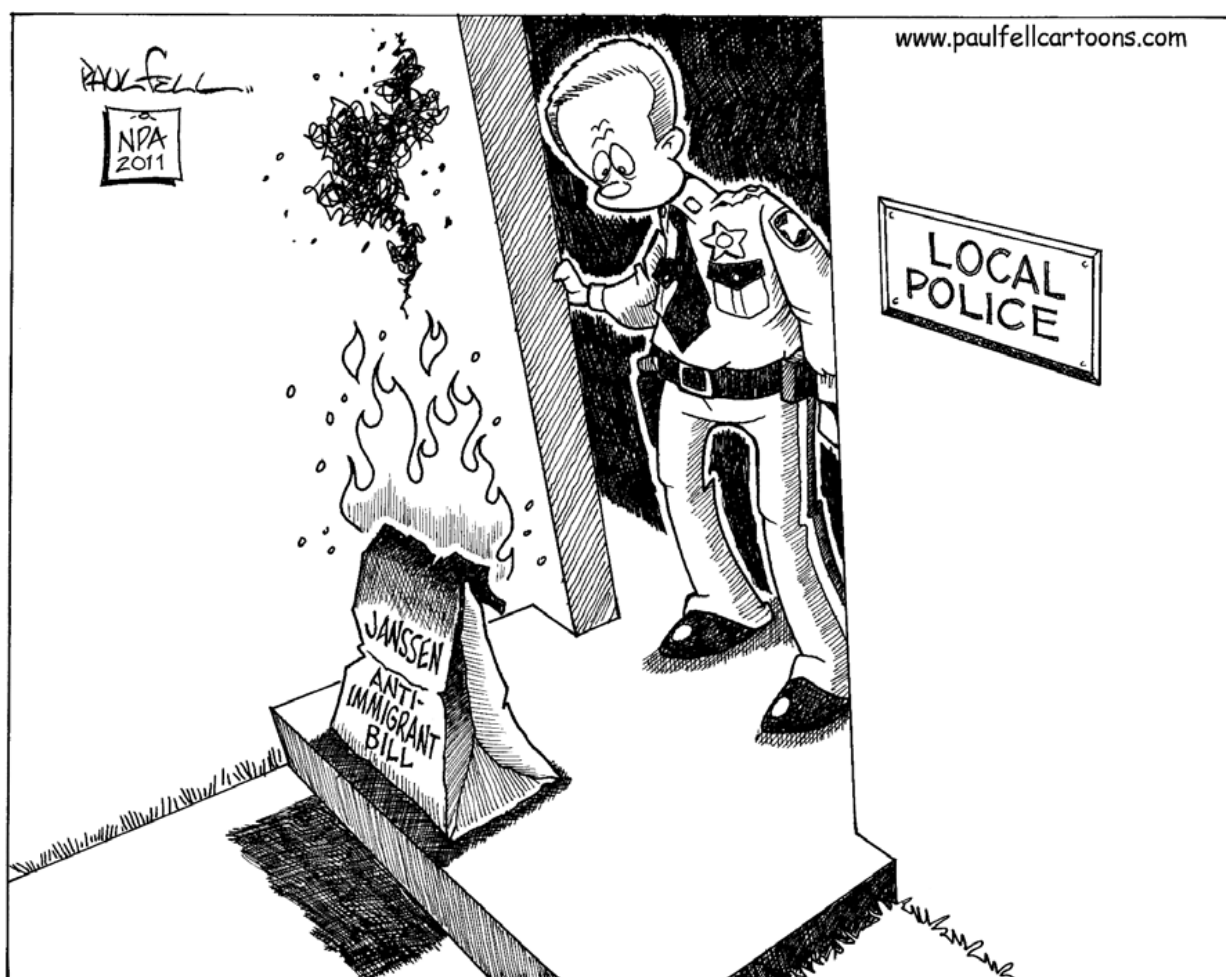
He recently defended his bill before the Legislature's Judiciary Committee and dozens of hostile witnesses.

You'd a thought he was peddling horse meat sandwiches to vegans on their way to an ASPCA convention.

Janssen didn't blink. He went eyeball-to-eyeball with critics and no one blinked. Nonetheless, those horse meat sandwiches would stand a better chance of acceptance than his legislation.

The view from here: Critics attacked his bill from lots of angles, but the most problematic has to do with how cops would enforce such a law. Janssen said he didn't know, but that he was sure they could avoid impermissible racial profiling!

A legitimate response would be: Huh?



The bill would have law enforcement officers check the resident status of anyone who sparked "reasonable suspicion" that they might be in the country illegally. This would happen after such a person had been stopped for some other suspected misdeed.

What is "reasonable suspicion," other than a standard which falls way short of the "probable cause" bar?

Without the use of skin color, a person's use of language or,

perhaps, style of dress, or license plates, how would you explain your "reasonable suspicion"?

Law enforcement officers have curiously good luck in busting drug haulers after stopping them for comparatively minor traffic infractions. Might they figure their best success would stem from checking the resident status of suspected drug mules with accents?

Would a traffic infraction raise "probable suspicion" that a driver didn't know the state law, and therefore might be in the country

illegally? If the courts accepted such a standard, which is no sure thing, would they go so far as to spell out other acceptable standards?

The former is how judges get accused of "legislating from the bench."

To avoid the bucket of confusion that could result from such a legal jigsaw puzzle Janssen would likely do better to take his chances with some standard worked out by the Legislature.

Letters

Community support for Jeff Zeiss

This letter is written in support of Jeff Zeiss, who recently resigned his position as the recreation/activity center director for the City of Wayne.

What a loss this is to our town and the recreation department.

Jeff is, and has been, a superior role model for the young people in our community. It would be fair to say that, most likely, he has nicknamed nearly every child that walks into the activity center today. He knows them all well. He has made it his responsibility to make sure no one that enters the Wayne Activity Center feels unwelcome.

In the midst of all the chaos (be there at 3:30 p.m. when school gets out), he stays calm and does his job with professionalism. Kids seek out Jeff so they can get a pat on the back or just tell him about their day. Jeff respects kids and they return the favor. Even the older kids love to be around and talk with Jeff. He gives them advice and they actually listen to him. This is priceless.

We believe that Jeff was born to coach. He knows the games he coaches and he has tons of knowledge, all while stressing fundamentals. A child's ability doesn't matter to Jeff. He treats each one equally and fairly. He makes it fun for everyone, and no one is happier when a goal is accomplished than Coach Zeiss. It is hard to say how many Blizzards he has brought when kids have reached a goal he has set for them. He is a man of integrity.

Jeff, thank you for your 25 years of working with our kids. Thank you

for being a part of our lives. We also want to thank you for your family — Jackie, Jason, Jacob, Jalyn and your parents, Don and Jan — for sharing you with us. They made many sacrifices so that you could be freed up to do your job.

Finally, we want to express to you our sincere appreciation for all those "things" you did over the years that have gone unnoticed by many. Those closest to you, however, are aware of the extent of your impact on our community. Hank would be proud of you, Jeff.

We will miss you. Thank you.

From friends in support of Jeff Zeiss, including: Laura Gamble, Linda Gamble, Steve Luttt, Jodi Luttt, Byron Heier, Barb Heier, Chris Rogers, Becky Rogers, Robin Gamble, Phyllis and Jason Trenhaile, Peg Anderson, Kevin Maly, John Sinniger, Jan Gamble, Carla Maly, Len and Kristy Schmale, Mark and Gail McCorkindale, Nathan and Karla Wall, Greg Kallhoff, Kyle Nelson, Breanna Kallhoff, Patsy Kallhoff, Jenna Trenhaile, Jamie Gamble, Justin Anderson, Megan Hoffart, Janelle Fleer, Alvin Anderson, Janet Anderson, Jana Anderson, Kennedy Maly, Zac Braun, Molly Hoskins, Tracy Keating, Bob Keating, Morgan Keating, Zach Keating, Hannah Gamble, Randy Gamble, Robbi Gamble, Taylor Burke, Jacob Dunklau, Keegan Dorcey, Laura Gamble, Scott Hammer, Kevin Hoffart, Andrew Pulfer, Joyce Hoskins, Kayla Groene, Rose Maxson,

Melissa Hammer, Mike Anderson, Quentin Jorgensen, Brendan Dorcey, Tim Schaefer, Kara Thompson, Terry Janke, Mary Janke, Rhonda Blecke, Buffany DeBoer, William Blecke, Marcia Dorcey, Sharon Battles, Vince Kniesche, Vicki Kniesche, Todd Claussen, Jill Walling, Craig Walling, Stacie Sherman, Byron Janke, Teri Koenig, Becky Longe, Pam Janke, Chad Janke, Emily Matthes, Pam Matthes, Lonnie Matthes, Leslie Schulz, Jody Hoffart, Mitch DeBoer.

Wayne girls are winners

I am writing this letter in response to the article written by Mike Carnes in the March 4 edition of the Wayne Herald. Mr. Carnes wrote an article comparing the victory our boys basketball team had over Norfolk Catholic in the district final with the loss our girls basketball team suffered to Norfolk Catholic in their district final. I do appreciate all of the coverage we receive from the Wayne Herald and respectfully offer this as a different perspective on the issue.

Our Wayne High School girls are winners. We are very proud of their accomplishments, both in and out of the athletic arena. Too often in our society, we equate being a winner or being successful with the final outcome of a particular game or playoff tournament. I believe our mission at Wayne Community Schools, "Learning for Life," goes beyond the end result of one particular ballgame or event.

High school athletics provides a great venue for us to accomplish this mission by providing opportunities for our students to learn about working as a team, becoming leaders, putting others before self, and having fun while this is happening. The list can go on and on about the benefits of every extracurricular activity that our school provides.

I would encourage Mr. Carnes, and all of us who support Wayne High athletics, to be a bit more global when considering the accomplishments of our teams and not use one game to determine success or failure. Please consider the following:

— I have had several administrators approach me from other schools complimenting our girls on their sportsmanship, their team play, and the fact that they are really good kids. They are polite, friendly, and represent our school tremendously well. For that we are most proud.

— Academics are the reason we are here first and foremost. Our girls' basketball team sports an average grade-point average of 3.55 and has placed 93 percent of its players on our A and B honor roll. A great accomplishment.

— During the 2009-2010 school year, our girls' program finished in the top 10 in class C1 of the NSAA's US Cellular Cup Competition. This competition takes the performances of all of the girls' athletic programs and assigns points for district competition. At last glance, our girls' program sits fourth in the competition in Class C1 for the 2010-2011 school year.

— I suggest that the girls' athletic program has set the tone for a very successful year at Wayne High with their performances this past fall. Our girls' volleyball team was one game from the state tournament, our softball team made their annual trip to state in Hastings, the girls' golf team competed in the state golf tournament in Columbus finishing fourth, and our girls' cross country team competed as a team in the state cross country meet in Kearney finishing eighth. Not that our boys' program didn't have a good fall as football and cross country both qualified for state with cross country finishing fourth. One could certainly argue that the success of our fall sports teams, both boys and girls, set the tone and developed a winning attitude.

Obviously, we all agree a victory in the girls' basketball championship game would have been one we would have cherished and remembered for years. And I do agree with Mr. Carnes that next year could be another great run for our girls' basketball team. However, regardless of the outcome of any past or future ballgame or season, let's give our congratulations to Coach Wall and the Wayne Blue Devils basketball team for a great season. Thank you for representing our school and our town so well. We are proud of all of you!!

Mark Lenihan, Superintendent
Wayne Community Schools

Disappointed with sign vandalism

We have just returned from several weeks in sunny Scottsdale,

Ariz., where my wife received wonderful medical care and pain relief in the Mayo Clinic and Hospital.

But it was very discouraging to come home and see the destruction of our Highway 35 dual signs (four miles east of the Dairy Queen). Some vandals sawed off all three posts supporting the night reflector signs, and stole one.

For years, these signs have been a community landmark and have directed thousands of people to the various performances and shows at The Barn.

We are offering a \$50 reward to anyone that can help us identify those responsible. We will honor your request for anonymity, if needed.

Merle and Donna Ring
Wayne

Letters Welcome

Letters from readers are welcome. They should be timely, brief (no longer than one type-written page, double spaced) and must contain no libelous statements. We reserve the right to edit or reject any letter.

Letters published must have the author's name, address and telephone number. The author's name will be printed with the letter; the address and the telephone number will be necessary to confirm the author's signature.

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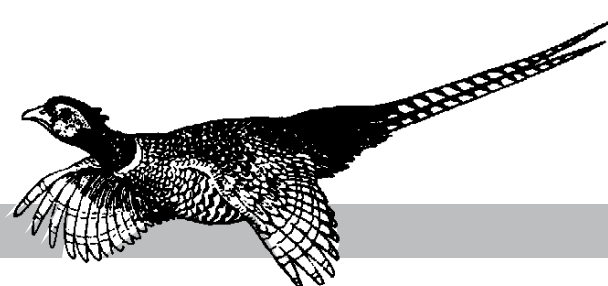
The Wayne City Council meets the first and third Tuesdays of the month. Meeting times are at 5:30 p.m. at the City Council chambers, located in the Wayne City Offices at 306 N. Pearl St.

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Lifestyle

The Wayne Herald



Bountiful opportunities exist for 4-H Members at UNL

The University of Nebraska-Lincoln College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR) is noted for preparing students for careers in everything from animals to plants, soil to climate, golf to business, mechani-

zation to leadership, and food to forensic science.

They have 28 programs of study and two pre-professional programs. We encourage all 4-H members to build on their 4-H experiences by choosing a major in CASNR. With a major in CASNR 4-Hers may find their classes are filled with friends from 4-H.

The best way to learn more about the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources (CASNR) is to visit UNL's picturesque East Campus. Students can schedule a campus visit online at least two weeks from the visit date.

If you wish to visit sooner or if you have questions, call the Campus Visitors Office toll free, (800) 742-8800 (select Campus Visit option) or directly at (402) 472-4887. If 4-Hers prefer to just visit East Campus and focus on the opportunities offered by CASNR, contact Laura Frey at (402) 472-4445 or lfrey2@unl.edu. Laura will



Jennifer Hansen Thurston County

set up a tour that is personalized to their interests and include the majors that they are considering.

CASNR has a program for every interest. 4-Hers do not have to live on a farm or have been involved in ag based projects to complete a CASNR degree. An additional bonus is that nearly 50 percent of CASNR students receive scholarships.

Eagles auxiliary discusses state convention

The Wayne Eagles Auxiliary met March 7 with President Karen VanDelden presiding.

The State Eagles Convention will be held in Hastings June 9-11. Anyone wishing to attend as Wayne's representative is asked to call the club.

The St. Patrick's event will be celebrated with a pot luck supper on Saturday, March 19 at 7 p.m. Everyone is encouraged to bring food items, and if possible, those with green color.

Serving at the meeting was Karen VanDelden.

The next meeting will be Monday, March 21 at 7 p.m.

Senior Center Calendar

(Week of March 14 - 18)

Monday, March 14: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Brad Wieland, "Meet Your Veterans' Service Officer," 12:45 p.m.

Tuesday, March 15: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Afternoon Bridge Club.

Wednesday, March 16: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Health Screening, 9:30 a.m.; "Irish Pub Sing-A-Long," with Pat Sherry at piano, 11:30; Irish Special Luncheon, noon; Hand & Foot, 1 p.m.

Thursday, March 17: Morning Walking; Quilting and cards; Pat Cook, Irish tunes, 11:30 a.m.; Pitch Party, 1 p.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club.

Friday, March 18: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Hallie's Comments with Hallie Sherry, 12:45 p.m.; Bingo, 1:15; Chicken Foot dominoes, 2.



PEO Chapter AZ officers for 2011-2012 include, left to right, Sue Buryanek, Monica Jensen, Annette Rasmussen, Kris Giese, Ginny Otte and Jolene Klein.

PEO chapter installs officers

PEO Chapter AZ met March 1 at the home of Jean Griess. Assisting

hostesses were Sarah Boyer, Connie Hanson, Monica Jensen and Donna Liska.

Election and installation of offi-

cers for 2011-2012 was held with Kris Giese serving as the newly elected president.

Other officers are Monica Jensen, Marie Mohr, Annette Rasmussen, Ginny Otte, Jolene Klein and Sue Buryanek. Retiring president Lauren Walton conducted the installation service.

The annual President's Letter by Lauren Walton was approved and will be sent to the state officers.

Members signed up for duties at the Quality Garage Sale to be held April 29-30. Plans were also made for printing the new yearbook.

The next meeting of Chapter AZ will be Tuesday, April 5 at the home of Stephanie Liska.

New Arrivals

NELSON — John and Jessica (Kalin) Nelson of Maskell, a daughter, Jacy Jean, 7 lbs. 12 oz., 20 inches long, born March 2, 2011. She is joined by a brother, Jed, 3. Grandparents are Fred and Sheryl Kalin of Coleridge and Jerry and Jean Nelson of Maskell. Great-grandparents are Don and Irene Hansen of Wayne.

ANDERSON — Jessie (Bupp) and Jon-Andrew Anderson of Everett, Wash, a son, Ethan James, 7 lbs., 7.5 oz., 19 inches, born Feb. 24, 2011. Grandparents are Vicki and Richard Bupp of Allen and Johanne and Jon Anderson, of Naples, Italy. Great Grandparents are Jo Ann Quinn of Allen, Buggy and David Anderson of Ogema, Minn. and Rose and Yvon LaPlante of Vancouver, British Columbia.

The fight against diabetes starts with knowledge

One of the greatest weapons in the fight against diabetes is knowledge. Information can help people assess their risk of diabetes, motivate them to seek proper treatment and care, and inspires them to proper treatment and care of their diabetes for a lifetime.

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

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

"Control Your Diabetes for Life" is a program that will help you take charge of your life and learn to control diabetes and get up-to-date information related to controlling diabetes. Those participating will have the opportunity to discuss questions you have with the teach-

American Legion Auxiliary to meet

Roy Reed Unit No. 252, American Legion Auxiliary of Winside will meet on Saturday, March 12 at 9:30 a.m. at the Legion Post Home.

Topics to be discussed include Unit's Bingo party at the Norfolk Veterans Home on March 18; District 3 Convention at Laurel on March 19; annual report data needs to be compiled; begin plans for Memorial Day dinner and June elections.

"We hope members can come and share ideas. Notice this is a new meeting day of the week and we may discuss making it our standard date," said President Rose Ann Janke.

Anyone with questions is asked to contact President Janke.

Engagements



Sueper — Mohl

Tara Sueper and Brian Mohl, both of Overland Park, Kan., have announced their plans for an April 30, 2011 wedding at Peace Lutheran Church in Columbus.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Sharon and Tim Sueper of Platte Center. She graduated from Nebraska Wesleyan University and earned a bachelor of science degree with a major in exercise science and minor in psychology. She is now a doctor of chiropractic first year graduate student at the Cleveland Chiropractic College in Overland Park.

Her fiance is the son of Doug and Mary Mohl of Wayne. He received a bachelor of science degree with a major in business administration from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. He is an irrigation manager with Ryan Lawn and Tree in Overland Park.

Close to Home

How do you know when to downsize?

For many people their home is their castle. So it is no wonder we like to stay in our homes as long as possible. But like everything else there comes a time when we need to move to a smaller home. But how do you know when is the right time?

I would like you to ask yourself the following 5 questions.

1. Does your home fit your physical needs?
2. Do you have trouble keeping up with the maintenance of your home?
3. Do you feel safe in your home?
4. Do you have access to proper medical care in your current home?
5. Is your home isolating you from friends and fun events?

If you answered yes to most of these questions, it may be time to downsize. Moving to a smaller home can be emotional, but staying in your home too long can be dangerous and a financial strain. While this article does apply to the elderly, it also applies to anyone in a situation where financing a large home has put undo stress on the budget!

Make sure to get lots of help when you do decide downsizing is right for you. Call a real estate agent to look at the house and help you get it ready for sale. Making decisions before you are forced to, will lower the stress and put you in a better situation.

Your home should bring you joy and peace, not stress and isolation. Our homes should be our castle! Just be sure your castle fits your needs.

If you make the move sooner rather than later, you might find you enjoy your new home even more!

Keep the requests coming! Please email me questions and comments at wendy@mwlc.com.

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Special lenten services planned at Our Savior Lutheran Church

Our Savior Lutheran Church of Wayne will host special Wednesday evening worship services for the congregation and community under the theme of "Together, We Live Love With The Grace And Courage of Jesus."

To kick-off Our Savior's Wednesday evening Lenten emphasis, the congregation will welcome back its former pastor, the Rev. Martin Russell, to preach at Our Savior's worship services this weekend, March 12-13.

Pastor Russell served Our Savior from 1996 to 2000 before being called to his present position of Assistant to the Bishop in the Nebraska Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. In his current role he guides congregations in the process of calling new pastors and provides leadership to the Nebraska Synod global mission efforts, especially in Tanzania, Argentina and Uruguay.

"I am very excited to return to Our Savior this weekend to be a part of this special Lenten emphasis," said Pastor Russell. "The world yearns for the life-giving message of Jesus. Together, we as Christians are called to be Jesus' partner in proclaiming the Gospel through word and deed to all the world."

Russell's message will focus on global ministry. "Becoming actively involved in global mission is a rich opportunity to participate in God's reconciling mission through proclamation and service," said Russell.

Pastor Russell will preach this weekend on Saturday evening, 6 p.m., and Sunday morning, 8 and 10:30 a.m. He will also lead a special adult forum during the Sunday school hour at 9:15 a.m.

Our Savior will also host special Wednesday evening Lenten worship services at 7 p.m. To simplify Wednesday evenings, the congregation is hosting delicious suppers prior to each Wednesday evening service from 5:45-6:45 p.m. All are invited to the meals. A free-will offering will be received as a part of



Pastor Russell

the meals to support special congregational ministry efforts.

Each Wednesday evening from March 16 through April 16 will feature a special guest speaker on a variety of themes related to the theme of "Together, We Live Love With The Grace And Courage Of Jesus." The final speaker wrapping up the series will be Bishop David deFreese of the Nebraska Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America on Wednesday, April 16.

Our Savior Lutheran Church is located at the corner of Fifth and Pearl Streets in Wayne. Contact the church office at (402) 375-2899 for more information on the mission and ministry of the congregation.



Touch of Brass

A Touch of Brass will be performing a free concert for the public on Sunday, March 20 at 1:30 in Ley Theatre on the Wayne State College campus. The program is entitled "Music For Kids of All Ages". Selections will include "Star Wars", "Wizard of Oz", "Disney" Classics, "The Incredibles", and the "Theme From Toy Story". Members of the group are: Mike Sindt, Tuba (band director from Pierce); Randy Neuharth, Trombone (director of bands NECC); Denise Bender, French Horn (Orchestra director Norfolk High School); David Bohnert, Trumpet (WSC director of bands); and Keith Krueger, Trumpet (who founded A Touch of Brass in 1984).

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.

Leather and Lace to dance in Carroll

Leather and Lace Dance Club will dance to caller Dave Riley on Friday, March 11 at the Carroll City Auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

Members are reminded to bring snacks for the evening. Roger and Pam Willers are in charge of the refreshments.

Several club dancers traveled to Laurel on Feb. 20 to give tribute to Dale Muehlmeier, who is retiring from calling. A lot of reminiscing went on along with the food and dancing. Dale will be missed as he has been in the area for many years calling, not only for local dances, but also for special events and at nursing homes.

Several club dancers also traveled to Norfolk on March 1 to the Single Wheelers' graduation dance. Pam Willers from Leather and Lace was one of the dancers who graduated. The club was also able to get the Town Twirlers' banner as well as their own banner from Single Wheelers.

It was announced that Roger and Pam Willers will celebrate their recent marriage with a free dance March 25 at the Carroll City Auditorium at 7:30 p.m., with Mike Hogan calling.

Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of March 14 — 18)
Meals served daily at noon. For reservations, call 375-1460. Each meal served with bread, 2% milk and coffee.

Monday: Beef stroganoff, noodles, frozen Prince William vegetables, cottage cheese with two pineapple slices on lettuce, whole wheat dinner roll and Promise.

Tuesday: Polish dog with sauerkraut, creamed frozen peas, three bean salad, hot dog bun and Promise, vanilla pudding with marshmallows and frozen mangoes.

Wednesday: Baked lemon chicken with cream of chicken soup, ranch roasted fresh potatoes, frozen mixed vegetables, tropical fruit, fresh whole wheat bread and Promise, lemon pie.

Thursday: Hot barbecue meatloaf, scalloped potatoes with parsley, stewed tomatoes, whole wheat dinner roll and Promise, green Jell-O with mandarin oranges.

Friday: Deli chicken salad sandwich with pineapple and celery, potato cheese soup, sliced fresh cucumbers in sauce, crackers and Promise, frozen strawberries in juice.

Minerva Club meets at Senior Center

Hallie Sherry hosted Minerva Club Feb. 28 at the Wayne Senior Center.

Members answered roll call by telling what they love to do and why. President MaryAnn DeNaeyer shared a humorous list of "Do you believe happenings", "Excuses written by Parents" and closed with a thought provoking poem "Hug."

Members then sang the birthday song for Arlene Ostendorf. MaryAnn DeNaeyer read a thank you note from Marian Clark for inviting her to become a member.

Phyllis Rahn gave a short report on the book "The Meaning of Flowers" by Ann Field that the club approved to put in the Library in honor of the most recently deceased club member, Norma Koerber.

There was no Historian report.

Hallie Sherry presented her lesson on "Love". She noted that love has no limit, no color, no age, no size. Love embraces many subjects. She shared how "Love is a Many Splendid Thing". She used three important presidents we think about in the month of February to bring out her love theme. Ronald Reagan, who's 100th birthday attracted much attention, was a lover of words and this skill enabled him to inspire, encourage, even

nudge others to achieve greatness. Abraham Lincoln loved humor, the children in his neighborhood, his generals and Peace among men. George Washington's love and devotion to his country also was a "Many Splendid Thing."

Mrs. Sherry then allowed the group to share some "What Does Love Mean" quotes some humorous from 4-8 year-old children. She closed with a few love quotes, one of which was "Few of us can do great things, but all of us can do small things with great love." by Mother Theresa. She also gave each member a hand made book mark, sharing her love for books enthusiasm.

The next meeting will be at the home of Connie Glassmeyer on Monday, March 14 at 2 p.m.

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FFA students compete in Career Development events

The Laurel-Concord FFA traveled to Norfolk to compete in the Career Development Events (CDE) on March 2.

The competitions that Laurel-Concord was involved in were Meats, Livestock Management, and Agronomy, Ag Science Contest, Floriculture, and Ag mechanics.

The meats team consisted of Tyler Schindler who placed 15th, Aaron Colwell who placed 17th, Lexy Camenzind who placed 31st, and Morgan Quinn who placed 34th. The meats team together earned sixth place.

The Livestock Management team had to answer questions about beef, sheep, swine, poultry, horses, and dairy, and they placed second overall.

The team members included

Kate Victor, Billy Leapley, Katie Gubbels, Lexy Camenzind, Devin Jacobs and Tyler Schindler.

The Agronomy team included Ben Barelman, Bethany Barelman, Liz Gubbels, and Lathan Olhrich. They received fourth place at the CDE competition.

The Ag Science event had two Laurel teams competing in it. The first team included Madison Metheny, Bobbi Lanser, Cameron Eddie and Erin Gubbels. Their team ranking was fifth place. The second team had Laura Carlson, Kyle Kardell and Brendan Groene. They got 13th for their team ranking.

The individual scores in Ag science were: Laura Carlson- 15th; Cameron Eddie-17th; Erin Gobbels-20th; Mattie Metheny-26th; Bobbi Lanser-29th; Kyle Kardell-40th; and Brendan Groene-69th.

The Floriculture team got second overall. This team included Leanne Gobbels who placed fifth individually; Hannah Burbach who placed sixth; Bethany Barelman who placed 15th, and Liz Gobbels who placed 16th individually.

Each Ag mechanics team member was responsible for a specialty area. Michel Leapley did Structure System and got second individu-

ally; Ben Barelman did energy system and got fifth, and Lathan Olhrich did machine and equipment system and placed sixth. The Ag mechanics team placed seventh overall.

decision making process. The cost for this meeting is \$10 for materials, and it will be held from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m. Pre-registration is encouraged. Contact the Dixon Co. Extension office for further information at (402) 584-2234.

On Saturday, March 26 a Beginning Beekeeping Workshop will be held from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Registration is \$30 per person plus \$10 for each additional family member.

Registration includes lunch, refreshments, and a workbook for new beekeepers. Preregistration is required for this workshop. Send registrations to: Jeri Cunningham at jcunningham1@unl.edu or call (402) 472-8678. For more information on this workshop call the Dixon County Extension office at (402) 584-2234.

Marketing, beekeeping workshops scheduled

The University of Nebraska and the Dixon/Dakota/Thurston Co. Extension Offices are presenting two programs of interest, both at the Haskell Ag Lab one mile east of Concord.

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School Lunches

ALLEN (March 14 - 18)
Monday: Breakfast — Cereal and sausage links. Lunch — Chef salad, green peppers, onions, tomatoes, radishes, carrots, celery, tea roll, cookie.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Cereal and turnover. Lunch — Chicken, baked potato, broccoli, roll.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Biscuit and gravy. Lunch — Hot dog, bun, baked beans, frozen peaches, Snicker Doodle cookie.
Thursday: Breakfast — Cereal and bagel. Lunch — Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, gravy, peas, roll.
Friday: Breakfast — Cereal and donut. Lunch — Italian dunkers, lettuce, glazed banana, cookie. Milk served with breakfast and lunch.
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dessert, fruit, vegetable.
Thursday: LC Breakfast — Breakfast burrito. LC Lunch — Chicken Alfredo, garlic cheese biscuit, dessert, fruit, vegetable. MS Breakfast — Cinnamon roll. MS Lunch — Turkey Alfredo, garlic cheese, biscuit, dessert, fruit, vegetable.
Friday: LC Breakfast — Donut. LC Lunch — Donut. LC — Fish sandwich OR Chef salad, chips, fruit, vegetable. MS Breakfast — Donut. MS Lunch — Cheese pizza, dessert, fruit, vegetable.
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Tuesday: LC Breakfast — Scrambled eggs and sausage. LC Lunch — Meatball sub, tater tots, fruit, vegetable. MS Breakfast — Muffin. Lunch — Deli sub sandwich, chips, cookie, fruit, vegetable.
Wednesday: LC Breakfast — Biscuits and gravy. LC Lunch — Corn dogs, macaroni and cheese, fruit, vegetable. MS Breakfast — Biscuits and gravy. MS Lunch — Corn dog, macaroni and cheese,

WAKEFIELD (March 14 - 18)
Monday: No School.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Eggs and sausage links. Lunch — Hamburger hot dish, fresh vegetables, dinner roll, pears.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Pancakes. Lunch — Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, homemade bun, apples.
Thursday: Breakfast — Bagels. Lunch — Hamburgers, French fries, brownies, mixed fruit.
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Starting date is August 16, 2011

Please send Cover Letter, Resume, Copy of State of Nebraska Teaching Certificate and References to:

Mrs. Misty Bear, Special Education Director
Wayne Community Schools
611 W. 7th St
Wayne, NE 68787
EOE

Position will be open until filled

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