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The Decision

Wayne Civil Service Commission will announce its findings on Friday

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

The Wayne Civil Service Commission has made their final decision.

The fate of two Wayne Police Department officials will be made known when the commission conducts a special meeting Friday morning at the Wayne City Council chambers. The 9 a.m. hearing will include their findings on the termination of Chief Lance Webster and Lt. Phil Shear by city

administrator Lowell Johnson.

Both Webster and Shear were suspended in February by Johnson for a variety of charges, including inappropriate conduct, failure to follow department procedure at a crime scene, sexual harassment and inappropriate use of city-issued cell phones, computers and recording devices. They were suspended without pay on Feb. 17 and terminated by Johnson on April 28.

Both Webster and Shear immediately appealed their

terminations to the Wayne Civil Service Commission. The three member panel of Darrell Heier, Marci Thomas and Galen Weiser convened their first meeting on the issue in late May, and a week-long trial was conducted in early November where evidence was presented by attorneys representing Johnson and both police officers.

In their closing arguments, Johnson's attorney - Karen Haase - said the evidence provided a clear example of a police department in

turmoil. Sean Brennan, Webster's attorney, said the city presented a case that was different from the reality of the situation, while Steven Delaney - Shear's attorney - said that the city's case amounted to a lot of "smoke and mirrors" and reminded him of the classic Wendy's Restaurant tag line, "where's the beef?"

The Wayne Herald will have coverage and results of Friday's hearing available later that day on the newspaper's website at www.mywaynews.com.



(Herald file photo) Wayne Police Lt. Phil Shear (left) and Chief Lance Webster were terminated by city administrator Lowell Johnson in April, two months after being suspended for a variety of allegations. Their fate will be announced Friday by the Civil Service Commission.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Christmas rappers

An obscure rap group made an appearance at the Wayne High School Concert on Tuesday. However, they had similarities to Brad Weber, Tucker Hight, Eric Heithoff, Dale Hochstein, Brendan Dorcay, Dwaine Spieker and Josh Johnson.

Bus service discussed by board

By CLARA OSTEN
Of The Herald

Busing - including how long students are on buses, when it is safe to have buses on the roads and the cost of the bus service - were all discussed at Monday's meeting of the Wayne Board of Education.

Dave Vollbracht, co-owner of Mid States School Bus, Inc. and Dean Carroll, sales manager with the firm, were at the meeting to discuss reason for the approximately three percent increase for the upcoming year's contract. These include increased fuel costs and additional employee salaries.

Discussion followed on several related items, including route structures, the number of routes currently used by the district and snow and safety issues for students using the buses. The board voted unanimously to approve a four-year contract with Mid States Bus, Inc. beginning with the 2012-2013 school year.

Superintendent Mark Lenihan told the board that information is being received from the Nebraska Department of Education in

regard to having preschool services offered through the district.

"At the present time, one of our challenges is to provide a facility in which to offer preschool. We are looking at ways to work with the preschools in the community and will look for ways to provide the opportunity for all children to attend preschool," Lenihan said.

He noted that there are Early Childhood grants available to assist with the costs associated with running a preschool within the district.

The topic will continue to be discussed at future board meetings.

During a facilities report, Lenihan told the board that the construction project continues to move forward with steel going up at the high school this week and then move on to middle school. He estimates the project is 20 percent complete.

Board members talked about the consequences of not having the project completed on time. It was recommended that the architect for the project communicate with the district and con-

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Jane O'Leary looks over some of the sheet music that is available for sale at her music store, J and J Music, located just off the corner of Third and Pearl streets in Wayne.

Business caters to music players

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

If you like listening to music and want to pick up the new album from today's hot artist, you might go to Wal-Mart, Best Buy or download it off iTunes.

But what if playing music is more your cup of tea?

Jane O'Leary has boxes upon boxes of old and new sheet music for music enthusiasts to enjoy at J and J Music, located across from the city office building on Pearl Street in Wayne.

One customer who saw the sign on the door recently came in expecting to shop for a CD. When he realized what kind of music store he had walked into, he asked if O'Leary had any banjo sheet music and came away purchasing music he could play on his banjo at home.

O'Leary said she used to work part-time at a music store in Sioux City, and when the owner of the store passed away last year, she heard the sheet music was going to be sold.

"I hated to see all that sheet music go to auction, so my husband, Jay, and I bought it," she said. "I hated to see it dumped, because there was a lot of good music."

Little did she know what she was getting herself into - there was enough sheet music

that it required two U-Haul trucks to bring back to town.

O'Leary said she is liquidating the sheet music that she has in inventory, and there is music available for about any instrument one can play. From trumpet and guitar to piano, banjo and even the recorder. There are books of music for marching, pep band and high school jazz ensembles, as well as 16-bar audition music for pop shows and more than 30 musicals. A number of boxes are opened and set on shelves for easier browsing.

O'Leary said she's happy to help people look for music to play, whether it's in their spare time or as part of a group or ensemble.

"A lot of people like to play for their own enjoyment, so it makes it kind of interesting to go through some of this music," she said.

It's not often that a music enthusiast walks out with just one piece of music. Some leave with a box full of music, which O'Leary says is something she enjoys helping people with.

"A lot of people will come in looking for one thing, and will usually leave with several sheets of music," she said. "My brother enjoys playing tuba, and we even found some things for him that I was able to give to him for his birthday."

O'Leary said she is doing a lot of sales online through Amazon and Ebay. She packages a

number of musical selections together, creates an ad on one of the sites, then ships it to the customer when the sale is made.

"I do a lot of bulk sales, where I'll put 5-6 items together and put it up for sale on Ebay," she said. "When it sells, I just seal the box and send it out, and I've had a lot of success selling online."

Her husband taught woodwinds at Wayne State College until his recent retirement, and Mrs. O'Leary still teaches part-time at the college, where she has taught music theory, piano, guitar and other music classes.

She said she isn't getting into the business of adding to what she already has available, and is more interested in helping people discover some good music that is out there for them to play and enjoy on their own.

"A lot more people are buying things online and bookstores are becoming more and more rare, so it's nice for people to come in here and browse and discover things that they can enjoy playing," she said.

O'Leary said she plans to keep the business open until her inventory of music runs out. With two truckloads full of music, she said there is a lot for music available for fans, who enjoy playing, to dive into.

Post office closings delayed as USPS, Congress work deal

Nebraska Sen. Ben Nelson and 11 other senators announced Tuesday that the United States Postal Service has agreed, at their request, to a five-month delay on closing 3,700 post offices nationwide, which will buy time for Congress to enact postal reform legislation.

The delay affects 90 post offices in Nebraska, including local offices in Dixon and Concord, as well as a mail processing center in Norfolk.

"Closing post offices before we try to fix the system is putting the cart before the horse, so today's decision to delay any closings until next May is good news," Nelson said. "With 90 rural post offices targeted for closure in Nebraska, we have to remember that the USPS was created to provide a public service."

"Our local post offices play a special role in our communities, keeping us connected to our friends and families, and keeping businesses connected to their customers. They are an important part of our economy, serving every city, suburb and small town in Nebraska," Nelson added.

The Postal Service has been considering the elimination of overnight delivery and studying whether to close 3,700 mostly rural post offices to reduce expenses. Nelson and a number of colleagues have said that as the Postal Service works to turn around its tough financial condition, it should take into account the needs of rural communities.

Some of the 90 Nebraska post offices targeted for closing are the communities of Bee, Belden, Benedict, Bladen, Brownville, Carleton, Chapman, Comstock, Davey, Dixon, Elk Creek, Endicott,

Ellsworth, Gresham, Hallam, Holstein, Malmo, Martell, Morse Bluff, Oakdale, Otoe, Prague, Riverton, Ruskin, St. Libory, Staplehurst, Stella, Unadilla, Waterbury, Whitman and Winslow.

Nelson has heard from community and business leaders across Nebraska raising concerns about the impact of the possible post office closings.

During the moratorium, scheduled to end on May 15, 2012, the Postal Service will continue to study the impact of proposed closures on service and costs and to solicit community input.

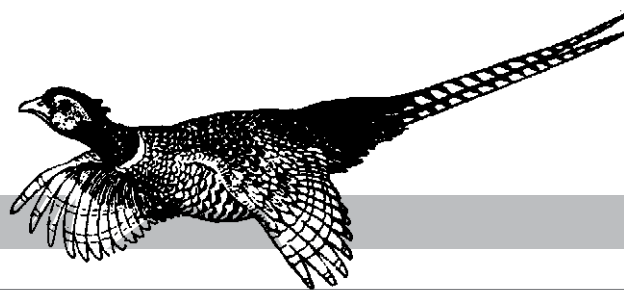
The announcement follows a meeting on Dec. 12 where several senators expressed concern to U.S. Postmaster General Patrick Donahoe and Postal Service Board of Governors Chairman Thurgood Marshall that the closings could reduce service and cause the loss of thousands of jobs.

Last week, Nelson and 19 other senators sent a letter to Senate leadership requesting that Congress prevent the USPS from closing or consolidating rural post offices and mail processing facilities.

"Rural post offices, the services they provide, and the people who provide them, have great value to communities across Nebraska. Congress needs to work with the Postal Service to fix the problems before deciding to reduce services to people who need them," Nelson said.

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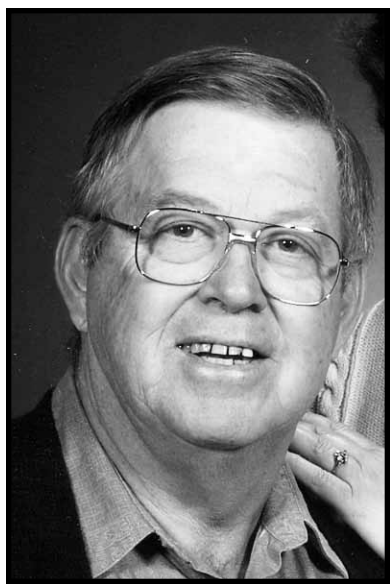
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Obituaries

Roger Lutt

Roger Lutt, 65, of rural Wakefield died Wednesday, Dec. 7, 2011 at Mercy Medical Center in Sioux City, Iowa. Services were held Monday, Dec. 12 at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne. The Rev. Bob Oleson officiated.



Roger Allen Lutt was born May 20, 1946 at Wayne to Harvey and Margaret (Whempner) Lutt. He was baptized and confirmed at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Wayne. Roger attended Rural School District #64 through eighth grade and graduated from Wayne High School in 1964. He farmed with his father and brother and was employed at Rohrke Elevator until he began farming on his own in 1967. Roger married Sandra Nelson on Aug. 8, 1965 at Redeemer Lutheran Church, Wayne. He was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church. Roger was Santa Claus to many children over the years. He enjoyed scenic drives to the river, watching eagles, his farm work, fixing fence, his livestock and many pets.

Survivors include his wife, Sandra; daughters, Deb (Kurt) Daum of Wayne, Amy (Dann) Sowards of Wakefield, and Elizabeth (Shawn) Milligan of Wayne; 10 grandchildren; sister, Gayle (Vern) Dahlman of Pender; brother, Gene (Kate) Lutt of Wayne; aunts, Doris Lutt of Wayne and Marianne Whempner and Helen Whempner, both of Wilmot, S.D.; mother-in-law, Eva Nelson of Wayne; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Charles (Alice) Nelson, Burlington, Kan. and Kathy (Bryan) Stoltenberg of Omaha; nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; grandparents; brother, Bob Lutt; and father-in-law, Robert Nelson.

Honorary pallbearers were Aaron, Staci and Jacob Daum, Brandon Foote, Daniel Baier, Connor, Katy, and DeLaney Sowards and Logan, Kylie and Ashlyn Milligan.

Active pallbearers were Delmar Lutt, Duane Lutt, Verdel Lutt, Jim Lutt, Mike Whempner, Eugene Whempner, Kenny Thomsen and Bruce Frevort.

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

Wayne Nissen

Wayne Nissen, 80, of Wayne, died, Wednesday, Dec. 14, 2011 at Careage of Wayne. Services are pending with Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.

Tips shared to prevent the flu

There's only one direction flu activity will go and that's up according to the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS). Only two cases have been reported to DHHS so far which means there's still time to get vaccinated, build immunity and stay one step ahead of the flu.

"Getting your flu vaccine is about more than protecting yourself," said Dr. Joann Schaefer, Nebraska's Chief Medical Officer and Director of Public Health for DHHS. "It protects friends and family members with certain health conditions who can't afford to get the flu."

While flu can make anyone sick, certain people are at greater risk for serious complications, and it's extremely important they receive

vaccine:

Young children, older people, pregnant women and people with cancer, chronic lung disease (like asthma and COPD), diabetes (type 1 and 2), heart disease, HIV or AIDS, morbid obesity, neurologic conditions and certain other long-term health conditions

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommends flu vaccine for everyone six months and older.

Flu vaccine is safe, effective and rigorously tested. Remember, it's a myth that you can get flu from the shot. The most common reaction is soreness and redness at the injection site. If you don't like needles, FluMist is a nasal spray available for healthy people 2-49 years old.

A Quick Look



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Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Dec. 8	35	13	—	—
Dec. 9	27	10	.07"	1"
Dec. 10	20	0	—	—
Dec. 11	36	14	—	—
Dec. 12	37	29	—	—
Dec. 13	38	27	.05"	—
Dec. 14	37	27	—	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — .31" / Monthly snow — 5.5"
Yr./Date — 22.81"/Seasonal snow — 5.5"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Dec. 16 at State National Bank. The coffee on Friday, Dec. 23 will be held at The Majestic Theatre. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15.

Drop 'N' Shop

AREA — Yeshua Ministries presents "Christmas Drop N Shop" for parents on Saturday, Dec. 17 from noon to 2:30 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church in Wayne, located at 216 West Third Street. Please RSVP to either (402) 375-2669 or (402) 369-0117. Activities will include cookie making, puppets, gingerbread manger and snowmen crafts.

Paper drive

WAYNE — Wayne Boy Scouts will conduct their monthly paper drive on Saturday, Dec. 17. Recyclable paper and aluminum beverage cans should be placed in paper grocery bags or boxes and set at the curb by 8 a.m. No plastic, no cardboard, no items with a spiral binding (plastic or metal) can be mixed in with the paper. Recyclables may also be dropped off at the Scout trailer at the Transfer Station on Monday, Friday or Saturday mornings. Anyone with questions regarding paper and aluminum can recycling is asked to contact Jeff Carstens at (402) 375-3840.

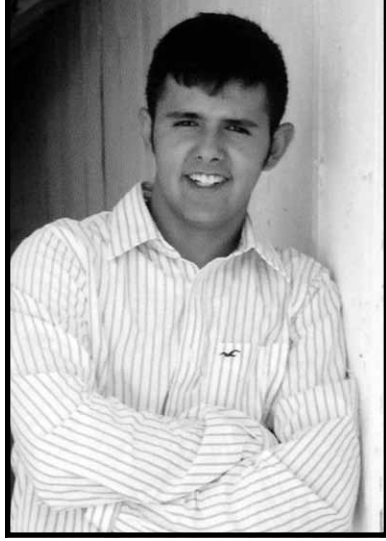
Krafts for Kids

AREA — The Wayne Optimist Club will host the annual Krafts for Kids event on Saturday, Dec. 17 from 9:30 to 11 a.m. It will be held at the Our Savior Lutheran Church Front Porch, located at 410 N Main street (the Old Library). The event offers a wide variety of crafts to make and treats to eat. It is open to kids of all ages. Parents are encouraged to "drop off your children and go do some last minute Christmas shopping in downtown Wayne."

Tyler Bennett

Tyler Bennett, 18 of Beemer, died Friday, Dec. 9, 2011 near Fairmont as a result of an automobile accident.

Services were held Wednesday, Dec. 14, 2011 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Pilger.



Tyler Scott Bennett was born April 19, 1993 at Wayne to Tina Bennett. He lived at Wayne and attended Wayne Public Schools. After moving to Wisner, he attended Zion-St. John Lutheran School and graduated from Wisner-Pilger High School in 2011. Tyler was currently a student at Hutchinson Community College in Hutchinson, Kan. on a Livestock Judging Scholarship. He was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Pilger, member of the Nebraska Junior Angus Association and was currently Vice-President. While in high school, Tyler was active in 4-H and FFA. He lived to show cattle and judge livestock. Tyler could be seen talking to anyone he came into contact with.

Survivors include his parents, Tina and Kevin Borgelt of Beemer; sisters, Shailla Bennett of Beemer and Alyssa Borgelt of Norfolk, and daughter, Kadence; brother, Garrett Borgelt of Beemer; grandparents, Sandy Bennett and Duane Lutt of Wayne, Gaylen and Arlene Bennett of Wayne and Lynn and Marlene Borgelt of Wisner; aunts and uncles, Teresa Bennett and Nick Strawn of Sioux Falls, S.D.; Kurt and Aimee Borgelt of Ashland, Kan.; Kyle and Kim Borgelt of Taylor; Kristi and Mike Plagman of Anita, Iowa; his girlfriend, Railen Ripp of Kearney; numerous cousins and a host of friends.

Burial was in the Beemer Cemetery. Minnick Funeral Home in Wayne was in charge of arrangements. Relatives and friends can leave online condolences on Tyler's Book of Memories at www.kuzelka-minnickfuneralhomes.com.

Looking Ahead in Wayne

BY LOWELL JOHNSON
City Administrator

City Council Meetings

Regular City Council meetings are at 5:30 p.m. on the first and third Tuesdays of each month in city hall at Third and Pearl Streets.

Jobs - Thinking Long Term

Northeast Nebraska is getting some press lately about new jobs and business growth. When a business owner makes a decision to start or expand a business, a lot of pieces need to fall into place to make it successful.

Wakefield capitalized on available land, infrastructure and a friendly business climate and is welcoming the new large Central Valley Ag facility. Those pieces were already in place and ready when the opportunity came.

Laurel has made major recent investments in land and infrastructure, has an attractive business climate and has welcomed several new companies including the recent composite manufacturer. They have the pieces in place for future growth. Laurel will capitalize on their railroad access also.

Wayne Industries and the City

of Wayne have a long partnership in putting the pieces in place for future business opportunities so we are ready when they come.

People from Wakefield, Laurel and the Wayne Business and Industry Committee recently got together for a strategic planning meeting. Those communities that are spending the money and taking the risk to keep putting these pieces in place are creating an advantage for their kids and grandkids to live and work there in the future. It takes a lot of extra work.

Community Attitude Survey

Wayne utilizes a lot of grant funds to do projects. One of the requirements for state grants is to survey the community for citizen comments on community needs and government services. Please complete a survey on line at the City of Wayne Website, radio or newspaper website or pick up a paper copy at the city billing office.

Questions or comments?

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



Those taking part in the Dec. 10 recital included (front) Amelia Blankenau, Andrea Torres, Gabrielle Lutt, Breanna Kallhoff, Ben Klein, Lindy Sandoz, Emily Matthes, Sylvia Jager, Kristin Miller, (middle) Sean Hochstein, Cole Hochstein, Tristan Miller, (back) Brittney Peterson, Elisabeth Torres, Burgandy Roberts, Jenna Pieper, Sawyer Jager, Joel Litchfield, Joe Burrows, Elle Schramm, Samatha Langschwager, Sabrina Hochstein, Cassidy Miller and Katelyn Mattes.

Piano students present Christmas recitals

Several piano students of Mrs. Marcile Uken took part in Christmas recitals recently.

A recital was held at the Presbyterian Church on Dec. 10 afternoon for the sixth grade through high school students. On Dec. 11 a recital was held at The Oaks for the fifth grade and younger students.

Students playing in the Saturday afternoon recital held at the Presbyterian Church were Amelia Blankenau, Joe Burrows, Cole Hochstein, Sabrina Hochstein, Sean Hochstein, Sawyer Jager, Sylvia Jager, Breanna Kallhoff, Ben Klein (Wakefield), Samatha Langschwager (Laurel), Joel Litchfield (Wakefield), Gabrielle Lutt, Emily Matthes, Katelyn Matthes, Cassidy Miller (Wakefield), Gabby Miller (Wakefield), Tristan Miller (Wakefield), Brittney Peterson, Jenna Pieper, Burgandy Roberts, Lindy Sandoz, Elle Schramm, Andrea Torres and Elisabeth Torres.

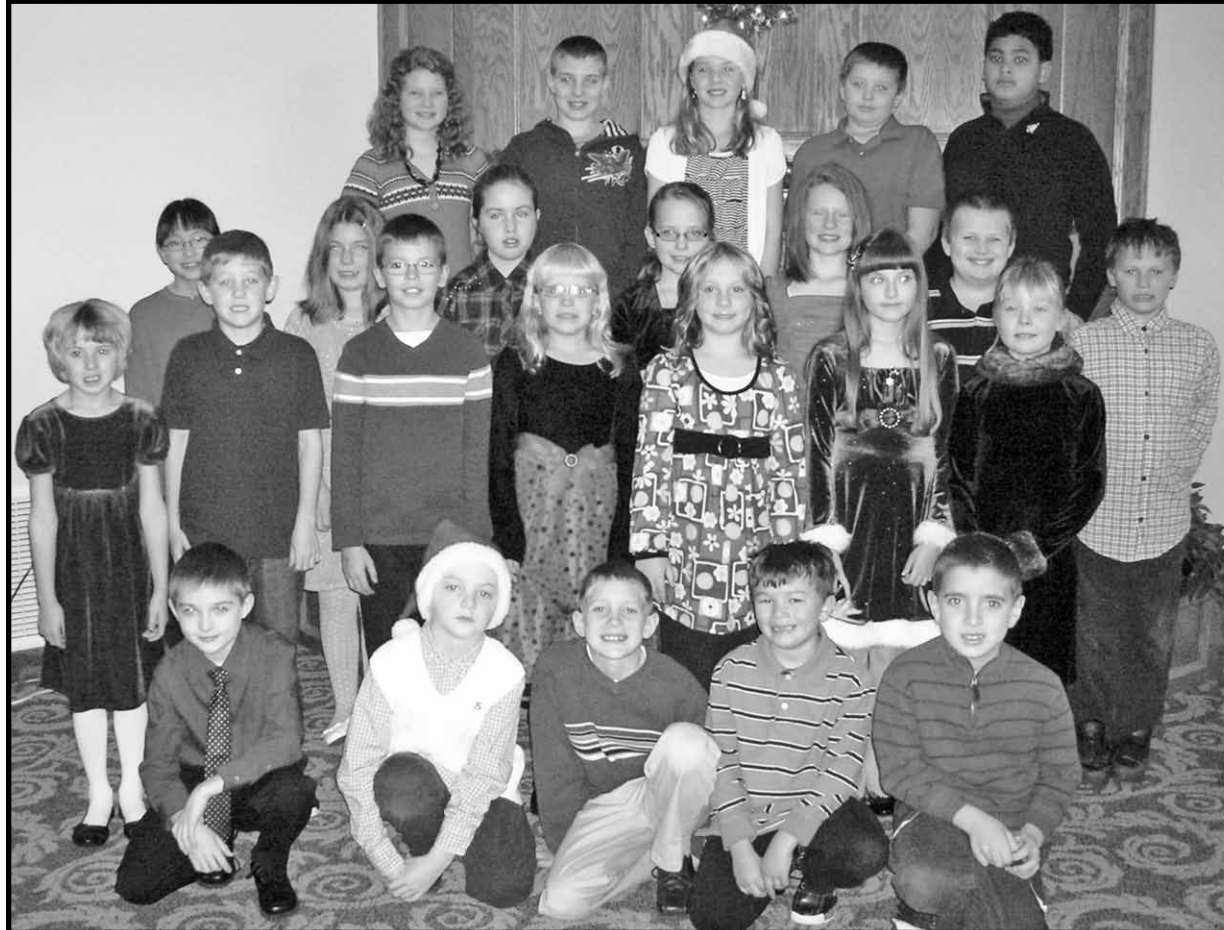
Emily Matthes and Lindy Sandoz, Brittney Peterson and Jenna Pieper, and Andrea Torres and Elisabeth Torres played duets. Brittney Peterson, Burgandy Roberts, Jenna Pieper and Elle Schramm read the narration of the Christmas story.

Students playing in the Sunday recital held at The Oaks were Treyton Blecke, Megan Forsberg (Laurel), Owen Frideres, Kelsey Heggemeyer, Sam Heitz (Wakefield), Kallan Herman, Faith Junck, Lindsey Kallhoff, Ky Kenny, Emily Longe, Anna Lundahl (Wakefield), Lorna Maxon (Laurel), Hagan

Miller (Wakefield), Max Miller (Wakefield), Shane O'Donnell, Erin O'Reilly, Kate Schultz, James Tompkins, Sarah Tompkins, James Torres, Madison Urbanec, Zach

Urbanec, Ethan Wibben and Sarah Wibben, Kelsey Heggemeyer and Erin O'Reilly, Kate Schultz and Sarah Wibben and Madison Urbanec and

Zach Urbanec played duets. Corey Doorlag, Cassidy Miller, Brittney Peterson and Burgandy Roberts read the Christmas story narration.



Those taking part in the Sunday afternoon recital included (front) James Tompkins, Ethan Wibben, Treyton Blecke, Max Miller, James Torres, (second row) Madison Urbanec, Kallan Herman, Sam Heitz, Megan Forsberg, Kelsey Heggemeyer, Sarah Tompkins, Lindsey Kallhoff, (third row) Kate Schultz, Emily Longe, Anna Lundahl, Faith Junck, Lorna Maxon, Ky Kenny, Hagan Miller, (back) Erin O'Reilly, Owen Frideres, Sarah Wibben, Zach Urbanec and Shane O'Donnell.

Local baseball association reorganizes its hierarchy

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Getting all the teams equal representation within the community's baseball hierarchy was the focus behind the revamping of the Wayne Baseball Association earlier this year.

President Steve Lutt said the organization restructured and reorganized this past fall, forming a board of directors and electing officers. They currently have 10 of 11 board positions filled, and are seeking volunteers to fill the final position.

"We're hoping to get representation from all the teams in the Wayne Baseball Association," he said, noting that the group governs the local Little League, Pony and American Legion programs. "That was the driving force that got things going to get the group reorganized."

Joining Lutt among the organization's officers are vice president Wayne Korth, secretary Jill Belt and treasurer Jacki Zeiss. Other members of the board of

directors include Bob Keating, Cindy Sherman, John Sinniger, Rich Rethwisch, Steve Anderson and Terri Buck.

The organization has been holding monthly meetings at the Vets Club in downtown Wayne, and Lutt said the group will be using its website at www.waynelegionbaseball.com to keep parents updated on everything from game and practice schedules to registration dates.

Lutt said the organization is working with the Wayne Softball Association and the City of Wayne to make more improvements to the Wayne Sports Complex, and they are planning on several fundraisers, including their annual salt water softener fundraiser and a breakfast fundraiser planned for next March at the National Guard Armory.

The organization is also working with the Wayne American Legion, which helps get sponsors for Wayne baseball and recently put up sponsorship signs all along the fencing at Hank Overin Field. For more information, call Layne Beza at (402) 369-0655.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Nolan Bohnert visits with Santa at the Wayne Public Library while big brother, Aiden, prefers to keep his distance and stay safe with dad, David.

Santa appears at local library

Santa paid a visit to Wayne's Robert B. & Mary Y. Benthack Library-Senior Center, Tuesday evening, Dec. 6, to the thrill of 63 children.

Santa read "If you give a Moose a Muffin," and then stayed on at the library to hear each child's wishes for Christmas. To help ease the frustration of waiting in line, the evening event was planned around the moose tale with moose tracks leading to several stations. Children could; use play kitchens, stop at a painting station, make a Merry Christmose ornament, sew and lace letters, put on a puppet show, play at the raking and dump-

ing station, or have cider and a muffin themselves.

"The total number of people in attendance was 126 and hopefully the first, and the last, family in line had an enjoyable evening," said Julie Osnes, Youth Services Librarian.

"We would like to thank several people who helped make the evening possible. Event helpers included Anna Loberg, Sylvia Jager, Meg Osnes, Jack Osnes, Emma Osnes, Diane Gentrup and Jenny Hammer. Thank you to those who lent us their kitchen sets; Josie Ley, Nina Hammer, Henry, Eleanor, Genevive and Knox McCalla, Jacob's Room,

Rainbow World Childcare Center for the corn dumping tables and New Begins Preschool for use of lacing animals. And thank you to the muffin makers, Angela Perry, Emilie Osten, Rita McLean, Lauran Lofgren, Alissa Johnson and Jenny Hammer. A big thank you to the staff at the who glued, decorated and cut out moose tracks until their knuckles hurt. Programs like this simply couldn't happen without all the wonderful support," Osnes said.

She is encouraging all library patrons to watch for details on the Twelve Days of Christmas vacation programs coming up.

Busing

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tractor to keep all informed on the work being completed.

The board moved forward on a plan to hire an ELL poverty instructor for the 2012-2013 school year. The majority of costs associated with creating this position will be funded through grant money.

A number of board policies were presented for second reading and several removed because of redundancy. Additional policies were presented for first reading and several others were presented for editorial changes.

Following an executive session, the board voted unanimously to extend the contract for Lenihan to June 30, 2014.

Also, as part of the meeting, an Honor Coffee was held to recognize the following groups:

Those who achieved an ACT Score of 30 or more: Sawyer Jager, Quentin Jorgensen, Collin Loberg, Cassy Miller, Nick Monahan, Max Morris, Emily Nelson and Andrew Pulfer.

National Merit Finalists: Sawyer Jager and Andrew Pulfer.

Mock Trial Team: Andrew Pulfer, Jenna Pieper, Quentin Jorgensen, Emily Nelson, Tyler Tyrrell, Joe Dunklau, Max Morris, Collin Loberg.

All-State Choir Participants: Sarah Maxson, Dacia Dickey, Natalie Sieler, Sawyer Jager, Nick



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Dean Carroll (standing) and Dave Vollbracht, of Mid States Busing, spoke during Monday's meeting of the Wayne Schools Board of Education.

Monahan, Dillion Wieland and Ezra Brodersen.

One Acts Participants: Alexis Reinert, Emma Osnes, Kendra Liska, Natalie Sieler, Colin Loberg, Laura Anderson, Tanner Schopke, Casey Dalager, Emma Loberg, Marrisona Wiese, Jaci Alexander, Bryce Sebade, Aspen Pflanz, Parker Wren, Faith Schultz, Jason Holt,

Jordyn Swanson, Kimmy Holt, Samatha Long, Anna Krueger, Anna Cole, Hannah McCorkindale, Justen Stahl, Tahlia Reynolds, Kimberly Zuinga, Brooklyn Brunken, Cassidy Wiese and Lila Goos.

The board of education will next meet in regular session on Monday, Jan. 9, 2012 at 5 p.m.

(Photo by Clara Osten)

Introductions

Dr. Rob Burrows, DDS (right) introduced the newest dentist in Wayne, Dr. Lesley Holloway, DDS (to his right) during Friday's Chamber Coffee. Dr. Holloway joined the practice earlier this fall after working in Omaha for a year.



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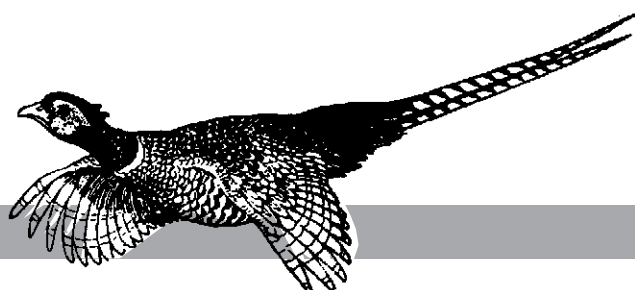
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From The Bleachers

Michael Carnes



Hitting the books, then the boards

Students at Wayne State College have been hitting the books pretty hard this week. So, in their honor, here's a hard-hitting trip through the "Bits and Pieces" file:

The Wayne State women's basketball team has the chance to do something great this year.

Coach Chris Kielsmeier has been saying that to just about anybody who will listen to him. And as somebody who already has a national championship on his resume and has had a tremendous amount of success as a head coach, you've got to figure he knows what he's talking about.

It should be no surprise, then, that he has been so frustrated with this team's unwillingness to understand the importance of rebounding the basketball during the first part of this season.

This past weekend, the Wildcats gave up an alarming 94 rebounds in their first conference road trip of the season, 48 coming in the team's first loss of the season at University of Mary. Even two days after the fact, it was a topic Kielsmeier was not all that thrilled to have to talk about.

But it's a topic his team is going to have to address, and address quickly. Mary exposed what has been a glaring weakness for this talented team, and in the always-tough Northern Sun Conference, the fewer weaknesses you have staring you in the face, the better your chances for success.

The Wildcat women do have a chance to go farther than any team in school history, but they don't have the luxury of letting a problem like this linger for too long, especially if they want to entertain the idea of hosting regionals in Rice Auditorium, where they haven't lost in more than two seasons.

While it's great to see the Wayne High girls basketball team get off to such a dominating start, we need to put that 5-0 start in a little perspective.

Aside from the season-opening upset of perennial power South Sioux City, none of the teams the Blue Devils have played so far this season are going to be entertaining trips to the state basketball tournament (unless, of course, they buy tickets). Wayne has overpowered teams that are clearly not in their neighborhood, and likely won't see one until next week's matchup with Columbus Scotus and the Great Northeast Nebraska Shoot-out, when a likely matchup against Laurel-Concord/Coleridge and a potential championship game against Pender would await them.

After that, there's the January schedule that looms rather large. Quality teams like Pierce, Boone Central, Norfolk Catholic, Crofton, Guardian Angels Central Catholic and Crofton are on the docket after the first of the year.

The Blue Devils are off to a great start, and if they can carry that momentum through a challenging six-week stretch, Wayne High may not have to worry about buying tickets to the state tournament, because they will already be punched for the first time since their only appearance way back in 1993.

Winside's wrestlers are making the most of what little they have in the wrestling room this season.

The Wildcats only have about a dozen wrestlers out, which are very low numbers for the traditional wrestling powerhouse program. So far, though, they've done quite well in overcoming the quantity issue with some quality efforts at tough meets in Creighton and North Bend.

Last week, five of their seven varsity participants came away with medals, three of those first-place efforts. With a full lineup, the Wildcats would likely be a serious challenger for the Class D state title next February in Omaha.

Coach Paul Sok said the numbers in the wrestling room are kind of thin right now, but he's hoping they will pick up with the younger classes that are coming down the road. If they do, watch out for the Wildcats.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Miles Anderson drives through the Columbus Lakeview defense for two points during the Blue Devils' 64-61 win over the Vikings Saturday at Wayne High School. The undefeated Blue Devils play host to Wisner-Pilger and O'Neill this weekend, followed by a Tuesday matchup with Columbus Scotus.

Free throws help Wayne outlast Lakeview, 64-61

By TRAVIS CORLEY
Of The Herald

Solid free throw shooting down the stretch helped the Wayne High Blue Devils boys basketball team escape with a 64-61 victory over Columbus Lakeview Saturday night.

"Down the stretch we kept attacking at the end," said coach Rocky Ruhl. "We wanted to get to the free throw line and get the ball inside for layups."

The Blue Devils opened the game with two 3-pointers from senior Gage Rethwisch. The Wayne High frontcourt was effective throughout the game, as sophomore Jalen Berry was able to penetrate and find Miles Anderson for a layup, followed by a Brady Soden effort that led to a free throw.

"Their efforts down low helped the team," said Ruhl. The Blue Devils led by four points, 14-10 after one quarter, but the Vikings opened the second quarter with a 3-pointer, cutting the Blue Devils lead to one. Barry added a 3-pointer early in the period as both teams fought aggressively for control of a close game.

Lakeview added a 3-pointer to take a two-point lead, but Rethwisch added a layup with 14.8 seconds left as the two teams went into halftime tied at 24-24.

Anderson opened the second half with seven points for the Blue Devils, but Lakeview took a 35-31 lead

midway through the third quarter. The Blue Devils avenged the Vikings' run and answered with three layups in a row to take a 40-35 lead.

Once again, the Vikings fought back into the game, cutting the Blue Devils lead to two points. However, Jordan Backer excited the home crowd, hitting a 3-pointer to end the period.

With a five-point lead heading into the fourth quarter, the pressure was on for both teams.

A Lakeview jump shot brought the Blue Devils lead down to three points. Backer hit another 3-pointer, but the Vikings shortly answered the Blue Devil score with their own 3-pointer.

In the closing moments, the Vikings were forced to foul Barry, and Barry gave the hosts a 63-59 advantage. Lakeview cut the lead to two with a pair of free throws, but Rethwisch hit some clutch shots down the stretch to help Wayne hang on.

"He has always been a shooter," Ruhl said of the senior guard. "When he has a great shot selection, he's a great shooter."

Wayne 64, Columbus Lakeview 61					
Wayne	14	10	19	21	64
Col. Lakeview	10	14	14	23	61
WAYNE - Barry 9, Rethwisch 14, Backer 6, Carroll 7, G. Anderson 15, Trenhaile 2, Soden 11.					
LAKEVIEW - Shadley 8, Paben 17, Thege 13, Luedtke 6, Schmidt 6, Schefflen 11.					

Pairings set for Northeast Nebraska Shootout

Here is the schedule for the 2011 Great Northeast Nebraska Shootout, scheduled for Dec. 28-30 at Wayne State College.

For up-to-date coverage of each game, go to The Wayne Herald's website at www.mywaynews.com.

Girls Divison

Wednesday, Dec. 28 - Pender vs. Battle Creek, 9:30 a.m.; Hartington CC vs. Norfolk JV, 12:30 p.m.; Laurel-Concord/Coleridge vs. West Pont-Beemer, 4 p.m.; Wayne vs. Emerson-Hubbard, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 29 - Pender/BC loser vs. HCC/NJV loser, 9:30 a.m.; LCC/WPB loser vs. Wayne/EH loser, 12:30 p.m.; Pender/BC winner vs. HCC/NJV winner, 4 p.m.; LCC/WPB winner vs. Wayne/EH winner, 7 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 30 - Seventh-place game, 9:30 a.m.; Fifth-place game, 12:30 p.m.; Consolation game, 4 p.m.; Championship game, 7 p.m.

Boys Division

Wednesday, Dec. 28 - Pender vs. Battle Creek, 11 a.m.; Hartington CC vs. Norfolk JV, 2 p.m.; Laurel-Concord/Coleridge vs. West Pont-Beemer, 5:30 p.m.; Wayne vs. Emerson-Hubbard, 8:30 p.m.

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Pollard making a name for herself on the track

By TRAVIS CORLEY
Of The Herald

Nine days is the distance between Lori "Lolo" Jones and one of her biggest fan's birthdays, Wayne State's Paige Pollard.

Like Lolo, the senior from Newcastle is known as a champion track and field athlete following her days as a Red Raider at Newcastle High School.

Pollard helped the Red Raiders capture the Class D state track and field title her senior year, scoring 31 out of 43 points



Pollard

as she won the 300-meter hurdles, 400-meter dash and the 800-meter run.

Pollard earned a spot in the Class D2 All-State first team in basketball her senior year nearly averaging a double-double with 16 points and 9.4 rebounds per contest. Pollard was also on the Class D-2 All-State volleyball team as a junior.

Before deciding on Wayne State College, Pollard was offered scholarships from various schools throughout the state. With colleges like the University of Nebraska-Kearney and UNO at the top of her list, she chose Wayne State because she was granted the opportunity to play both basketball and compete in track and field.

After joining the Wildcats in 2008, Pollard set a new school record

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Rebounds hurt No. 4 Wildcats in 72-64 upset

Winning on the road in the Northern Sun Conference isn't easy, and it's more difficult when a team takes full advantage of your weakness.

Wayne State was outrebounded 48-31 and was held to a season-low 37 percent from the floor as University of Mary pulled off the first big upset of the season in the conference, knocking off the fourth-ranked Wildcats 72-64 in action Saturday in Bismarck, N.D.

The loss came less than 24 hours after the Wildcats' best defensive effort of the season, as they limited Northern State to 23 percent shooting and ran away with a 60-38 win over the Wolves Friday in Aberdeen, S.D.

Coach Chris Kielsmeier said he and his coaching staff have preached the need to get better on the boards to his team, but those words seemed to be falling on deaf ears until Saturday's eye-opening experience in North Dakota.

"Mentioning the rebounding just frustrates and disappoints me," Kielsmeier said during his weekly coaches show on mywaynews.com. "We've been able to overcome our rebounding, but we need to get ourselves more shots and the coaches identified it as a concern a long time ago and the players haven't responded to it. We've got to get better at that immediately."

Wayne State got off to a good start in Saturday's game, as Clare Duwelius' 3-pointer put the Wildcats out to a quick 6-0 lead. Mary responded by going on a 10-3 run, then scored the final six points of the first half to take a 31-26 lead. Eva Benson scored the first basket of the second half, but that's as close as the Wildcats would get from there, as Mary's 11-0 run allowed them to take control of the game.

"It was probably our worst game of the year and we just didn't play in sync, and you have to give Mary credit because they played an outstanding game and defended us well," Kielsmeier said. "This opened our eyes to some areas of concern

for these players, and hopefully they understand that we need to get better at these things or we're going to continue to struggle."

Ashley Arlen led the Wildcats in scoring with 14 points despite being double-, triple- and even quadruple-teamed. Duwelius and Ashton Yossie each had 11 points and Benson put in 10.

Friday's game was a sharp contrast to Saturday's disappointment, as the Wildcat defense simply took over the game and shut down the Wolves on their home floor, limiting Northern State to 23 percent shooting for the game.

Arlen had an All-American type of first half, scoring 20 of her game-high 27 points in the opening stanza as Wayne State took a 35-17 halftime lead and cruised to the easy win.

"Our defense was the best it's been all year, and we got a lot of opportunities in transition and got a lot of easy looks," Kielsmeier said. "We didn't shoot the ball as well as we could have, but other than that and our rebounding it was a pretty complete game and that's what you want (on the road)."

Kielsmeier said the team's work on defense after some early-season struggles seemed to pay off on Friday.

"It was something we concentrated on, because we were making so many easy mistakes and we really concentrated on getting those fixed and play smarter and more consistent defense, and we did a very good job defending Northern State."

Arlen was the lone Wildcat in double figures, and she and Benson each grabbed six rebounds to lead the Wildcats. Alisha Brown dished out five assists.

Wayne State, 9-1 overall and 3-1 in the NSIC, returns to the friendly confines of Rice Auditorium this weekend, where the Wildcats have won 33 straight games. They play host to MSU Moorhead on Saturday at 4 p.m. and Minnesota, Crookston on Sunday at 2 p.m.

"The easiest way to fix your mistakes is to get back on the court and work at it and get better, and we have some areas we have to get a lot better at, so we'll be excited to get back on the court," Kielsmeier said.

Wayne High girls dominate in wins

By TRAVIS CORLEY
Of The Herald

The undefeated streak for the Wayne High girls basketball team continued, as the Blue Devils posted wins over Schuyler (69-27) and Columbus Lakeview (61-25).

In Saturday's win over Lakeview, senior Katie Hoskins opened the game for the Blue Devils with a quick basket, part of her team-high 14 points.

Despite Hoskins' solid play on the offensive end, the Blue Devils' defense was the main focus of the game. The Blue Devils held

the Vikings scoreless until 3:50 remaining in the first quarter.

"That was our best defense all season," said coach Nathan Wall. "We executed our game plan and were able to get in their passing lane."

Following a fast-break pass courtesy of Kristin Carroll, Narelle Naeve added a layup as time expired in the opening quarter to give the Blue Devils a 20-6 lead.

Once again, aggressive defense by the Blue Devils held the Vikings scoreless at the beginning of the quarter, allowing the Blue Devils to

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(Photo courtesy Wayne State Sports Information)

Wayne State track standout Paige Pollard has set a number of school records and earned All-American status at last year's Div. II Indoor Nationals.

Wayne State men pick up first NSIC win

After a disappointing weekend at home, the Wayne State men's basketball team found some comfort on the road in picking up their first conference win of the season last week.

Junior guard Amry Shelby scored a game-high 21 points and nailed a career-best six 3-pointers as Wayne State held off a second half rally to win 58-55 Saturday evening over the University of Mary in Bismarck, N.D.

"It was a big weekend for us," coach Paul Combs said. "I thought we played 60 minutes of good basketball. It was a tough second half against Northern, but we were able to bounce back and showed a lot of moxie in grinding one out against Mary."

The trip to Mary was especially enjoyable after a six-point halftime lead got away from the Wildcats in a 57-41 loss at Northern State on Friday. The Wildcats gave up 10-0 runs by the Wolves at the start of each half, which Combs said was the difference in the game.

"That's 20-0 right there, and I don't care who you play, if you give up 20 points like that it's

tough to come back," he said. "We missed seven layups in that game, so we had some good shots and we just weren't able to capitalize on them."

Northern State came into Friday's game averaging 84.5 points per game, the second highest in the NSIC. Wayne State held the Wolves down and countered a game-opening 10-0 run with a 16-0 surge of their own, highlighted by a Vontrell Seroyer 3-pointer that led to a 28-22 Wildcat halftime advantage.

As they did in the first half, Northern State opened the second half with a 10-0 run, then used a 14-3 rally to take a 12-point lead with 7:32 to go. Seroyer, who finished with a game-high 22 points, hit a 3-pointer to cut the lead to nine, but that was as close as the Wildcats would get.

"Vontrell came off the bench, which was a different role for him, and he responded really well and played well both nights," Combs said.

The Wildcats bounced back from Friday's loss with a solid effort on Saturday.

Wayne State led by as many as 12 points in

the first half, keyed by Derrell Williams, who finished with 11 points, and Shelby, who got hot from outside and hit six trifectas, a career best.

"When Amry shoots like that, we become a tough team to defend," Combs said. "We needed every one of those points, too, because Mary is a similar team to us and they continued to come back at us and I was proud of how we made plays down the stretch."

Mary overcame an eight-point halftime deficit with a 12-0 run early in the second half, but Wayne State regained their composure and retook the lead on a Seroyer trey and a Williams layup. The two teams exchanged leads until Wayne State took control with just over four minutes to go.

Shelby's 21 points was complimented by Williams, who finished with 11, and Nick Wuebker, who scored 10 coming off the bench.

Wayne State, 2-6 overall and 1-3 in the NSIC, will be at home this weekend, hosting MSU Moorhead Saturday at 6 p.m. and Minnesota, Crookston Sunday at 4 p.m.

Winside offense struggles in home losses

Winside's offense has been struggling as the Wildcat girls basketball team is still searching for its first win of the season.

Last Tuesday, Dec. 6, the Winside defense kept the team in the game, but the offense couldn't get enough put together as the Wildcats dropped a 28-20 decision at Lyons-Decatur.

"We again struggled offensively," coach Marland Erbst said. "To be competitive, we need to become more aggressive on the offensive end."

Nazya Thies led the Wildcats with eight points and two blocks, while Shelby Lienemann added six points, four rebounds and five steals. Courtney Petzoldt and Shailynn Mundil each had two points, while Bianca Marino and Brittany Janke each had a free throw.

On Friday, the Wildcats' offense was shut down in the second half, as Winside scored just three points in the final two periods in a 43-16 loss to Bloomfield.

Winside trailed 25-13 at intermission, but was only able to get one shot off in the entire third quarter as Bloomfield's defense proved to be too much for the Wildcats.

"We had too many turnovers, and we stopped moving the ball the second half," Erbst said. "We still need to become more aggressive on offense."

Lienemann and Jayd Roberts each had five points to lead the Wildcats, while Stubbs had three. Thies had two and Janke added a free throw.

Things didn't get any better for the Wildcats at home Tuesday, as visiting Bancroft-Rosalie shut down Winside's attack and ran away with a 57-11 win. Stubbs had four points



Alyssa Thies tries to drive past Bloomfield's Anna Moles during Friday's matchup at Winside High School.

(Photo by Michael Carnes)

and Lienemann added three for the Winside girls, who dropped to 0-5 on the season.

Lyons-Decatur 28, Winside 20
Winside 3 4 2 11 - 20

and Lienemann added three for the Winside girls, who dropped to 0-5 on the season.

Bloomfield 43, Winside 16
Winside 7 6 0 3 - 16

Bloomfield 13 12 10 8 - 43
WINSIDE - Thies 8, Lienemann 6, Petzoldt 2, Marino 1, Janke 1, Mundil 2.

BLOOMFIELD - Broders 15. Other scoring not available.



LCC's Audrey Kastrup drives past a Ponca defender for two points during the Lady Bears' win Tuesday.

(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Lady Bears win two, improve record to 3-1

The Laurel-Concord/Coleridge Lady Bears continued their winning ways, improving to 3-1 on the season with a pair of wins last week.

On Saturday, the Lady Bears overcame some foul troubles to defeat Randolph 64-49, finishing with four players in double figures.

Katie Gubbels paced four Lady Bears in double figures with 12 points, while Mandy Nelson had 11 and Kiley Thompson and Jade Cunningham each had 10.

On Tuesday, the Lady Bears played well in the second half at home and put Ponca away with a 20-5 fourth-quarter run to claim a 62-27 triumph.

The Lady Bears got out to an 18-point halftime lead and struggled somewhat in the third period, but

used a solid defensive effort in the fourth quarter to keep the Indians from mounting a fourth-quarter comeback.

Cameron Eddie led all scorers with 18 points, while Gubbels added 13 and Audrey Kastrup put in nine.

LCC 64, Randolph 49
LCC 32 0 11 21 - 64
Randolph 14 0 16 19 - 49

LCC - Gubbels 12, Nelson 11, Thompson 10, Cunningham 10, Eddie 9, Kastrup 7, Huss 3, Hochstein 2.

RANDOLPH - Strathman 14, E. Schnoor 11, Fink 8, H. Schnoor 8, Thies 5, Bargstadt 2, Backer 1.

LCC 62, Ponca 27
LCC 30 0 12 20 - 62
Ponca 12 0 10 5 - 27

LCC - Eddie 18, K. Gubbels 13, Kastrup 9, Cunningham 6, Nelson 6, E. Gubbels 4, Huss 3, Corbit 3.

PONCA - Brown 7, Hughes 6, Carlson 5, Krampfer 4, Albrecht 2, Conrad 1, Beacom 1, Pollard 1.

Where's Willy the Wildcat This Week...

WSC WOMEN'S BASKETBALL
Saturday, Dec. 17 - MSU Moorhead, 4 p.m.
Sunday, Dec. 18 - Minnesota, Crookston, 2 p.m.

WSC MEN'S BASKETBALL
Friday, Dec. 16 - MSU Moorhead, 6 p.m.
Saturday, Dec. 17 - Minnesota, Crookston, 4 p.m.

WSC INDOOR TRACK
Saturday, Jan. 14 - Concordia Invitational

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Wildcat shoots for two

Garrett Waters puts up a shot over three Bloomfield defenders during Winside's 74-45 loss to the Bees on Friday. The Wildcats also lost to Bancroft-Rosalie 65-48. Other stats and information were not turned in at deadline.

Wayne medals seven at meet

WEST POINT - The Wayne High wrestlers had a good day at the West Point-Beemer Invitational on Saturday, coming home with seven medalists and a fifth-place finish in the 14-team tournament.

The Blue Devils had a pair of individual champions, as Austin McDonald and Kody Frahm came away with first-place efforts at 138 and 195 pounds, respectively. They were the only two Wayne High wrestlers to make it to the

championship round.

Aaron Svenson finished with a fourth-place effort at 126 pounds for the Blue Devils, while Malcolm Martin was fifth at 182 and Cornelio Espino (113), Logan Reinke (145) and Ramsey Jorgensen (285) finished with sixth-place medals.

The Wayne High wrestlers close out the pre-holiday portion of their schedule Friday at The Platteview Invitational.

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Meyer honored at Lipscomb

The Allen Arena playing court at Lipscomb University was recently named after former men's basketball coach and Wayne native Don Meyer in a ceremony held Saturday, Dec. 3. Meyer is the all-time winningest men's collegiate basketball coach with a record of 923-324 in 38 years as a head coach. He coached Lipscomb from 1975 to 1999 and directed the Bisons to the NAIA national championship in 1986. Over 300 former players, family members, and special guests attended the ceremony held at halftime of the men's basketball game against Kennesaw State. Meyer has been honored numerous times during a remarkable coaching career that ended in 2010 when he retired as men's basketball coach at Northern State University.

Winside third at North Bend as three grapplers get titles

The Winside wrestlers made the most of their limited manpower Saturday, earning five trips to the finals and placing third in Saturday's North Bend Invitational.

The Wildcats brought home three gold medals, and coach Paul Sok was very happy with his team's performance.

"It was a very successful day finishing third out of 11 teams, going in with seven varsity wrestlers and having five in the finals and three champions," he said. "It was an outstanding team effort."

Brady Wurdeman pinned all three of his opponents, including a first-period pin in the finals to take the title at 106 pounds. He was joined by teammates Forrest Jones and Coltin Brokaw, who both earned gold-medal finishes by winning individual titles at

160 and 170 pounds, respectively.

"Brady breezed through his weight class, and definitely wrestled with more experience and confidence," Sok said. "Forrest dominated his weight class and almost had a major decision in the finals against another state qualifier, and Coltin had a hard-fought victory in the finals."

Two other Winside wrestlers reached the finals, as Caleb Lienemann (182) and Gatlin Jensen (195) both settled for silver medals. Lienemann had to default out of the finals due to injury, while Jensen was pinned by a Malcolm wrestler that won all three of his matches by fall.

"Overall, I thought our technique was on par, but it still needs to be a little sharper," Sok said. "The biggest thing we need to work on is getting a little more fo-

cused at the start of each match. There are some things there that need to be fine-tuned."

The Wildcats are at the South Sioux City Invitational on Saturday.

North Bend Invitational Team Standings

Arlington 159 Battle Creek 151.5, Winside 100, Malcolm 88 Columbus Lakeview 78, North Bend 76, Freeman 69.5, Logan View 59, Wisner-Pilger 57, Johnson County Central 29, Lincoln Christian 20, Battle Creek JV 10.

Winside Medalists

106: 1. Brady Wurdeman pinned Jordan Cordero Columbus, Lakeview, 1:12.
160: 1. Forrest Jones dec. Austin Russkamp, Freeman, 13-6.
170: 1. Coltin Brokaw dec. Trevor Jenner, North Bend, 13-11.
182: 1. Caleb Lienemann lost to Travis Wright, Battle Creek, injury default.
195: 1. Gatlin Jensen pinned by James Burrus, Malcolm, 1:27.

29 All-Academic Honorees from WSC

Wayne State had 29 student-athletes named to the 2011 Northern Sun Conference Fall All-Academic Team.

To be eligible, a student-athlete must be a member of the varsity traveling team and have a cumulative grade-point average of 3.20 or better. The student-athlete must also have reached sophomore academic and athletic standing at the institution represented with one full year completed at that particular institution.

Men's Cross Country: Jason Schaaf, Stuart, Jr.; Nathan Boggess, Springfield, So.; Greg Tracy, Omaha, So.

Football: Danny Keller, Des Moines, Iowa, Sr.; Aaron Konicek, Clarkson, Sr.; Taylor Baumert, Pawnee City, Jr.; Evan Johnson, Phoenix, Ariz., Jr.; Alex Marquez, Miami, Fla., Jr.; Max Martin, Sioux City, Iowa, Jr.; Brady Nicholson, Wakefield, Jr.; Matt Peter Winside, Jr.; Garret Bedke, Pleasanton, So.; Brock DeVries, Jefferson, S.D., So.; Tyler McKeown, Norfolk, So.; Austan Pomajzl, Grand Island, So.

Soccer: Liz Israelsen, Logan, Utah, Sr.; Heather Feltes, Lincoln, So.; Macy Hagen, Omaha, So.; Kayl Hopper, Norfolk, So.; Kelly Lange, Omaha, So.; Janice Riesberg, Omaha, So.; Norma Volkmer, Lincoln, So.

Volleyball: Nicole Brungardt, Norfolk, Sr.; Leigh Connot, Lincoln, Sr.; Mindy Moody, Sioux City, Iowa, Sr.; Shelby Schultz, Cambridge, Sr.; Melanie Placke, St. Libory, Jr.; McKenna Reagan, Elkhorn, So.; Tatum Wroblewski, St. Paul, So.

Sports Shorts

Wildcats fall to No. 9 in Div. II

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

Wayne State went 1-1 last week, defeating Northern State 60-38 followed by a 72-64 setback at the University of Mary for the Wildcats' first loss of the season.

Wayne State will be at home this weekend, where the Wildcats have won 33 straight games at Rice Auditorium. They host MSU Moorhead Saturday at 4 p.m., followed by a 2 p.m. Sunday afternoon contest against Minnesota, Crookston.

Soccer team earns academic honors

The Wayne State women's soccer team has been selected for the 2010-11 National Soccer Coaches Association of America Team Academic Award.

It's the second straight year that the Wildcats have received the honor, given to teams that post a

cumulative team grade-point average of 3.0 or higher. Coach Molly Grisham's team recorded a stellar 3.44 grade-point average in the 2010-11 academic year, the third highest team grade-point average of teams from the NSIC that were selected for the honor.

Boys BB parents night is Saturday

The Wayne High School boys basketball parents night is scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 17 during the Blue Devils' matchup with O'Neill.

Parents should be at the high school gym by 4:45 p.m. Introductions will be at 5 p.m. before the varsity boys game.

She Devils parents night is Dec. 20

Parents night for the Wayne High She Devils dance team will be Tuesday, Dec. 20, during the Wayne High boys-girls doubleheader with Columbus Scotus.

Parents should be at the high school gym by 6:30 p.m. Introduc-

tions will be during halftime of the girls varsity game.

JV girls win big in recent matchups

The Wayne High girls JV defeated Schuyler 78-31 Friday and posted a 54-15 win over Columbus Lakeview on Saturday.

Wayne's tough man-to-man defense against Schuyler led to a 46-4 halftime lead. Wayne was led by Sydney Harris with 24 points, 20 coming in the first half. Also scoring were Megan Hoffart with 15, Sarah Maxson with 12, Kelsey Ellis with eight, Skyler Gamble with five, Angie Nelson and Rachel Rauner with four each, and Cienna Stegemann, McKenzie Rusk and Alyssa Schmale with two each.

On Saturday, the Wayne defense limited Lakeview to two points in the first half. Maxson led the way with 17 points, Hoffart had 12, Nelson scored eight, Harris had six, Victoria Kranz had three and Rauner, Stegemann, Gamble and Kelsey Ellis each had two.

Boys JV BB defeats Logan View

The Wayne High JV boys basketball team had no problem with Logan View last week, posting a 54-28 win.

Luke Rethwisch had 20 points and Jared Anderson put in 12 for the Blue Devil jayvees. Also scoring were Danny Melena and Ben Hoskins with nine points apiece and Kaje Maly and Eric Schoh with two points apiece.

Rauner hits for 10 to help Mustangs

Nicole Rauner, a sophomore guard from Wayne, provided Morningside with her third double-figure scoring performance off the bench this season when she scored 10 points to go along with a season's high three steals in last Saturday's win against Doane.

Rauner, who began her collegiate career at Doane, drilled 4-of-7 field goal attempts against her former teammates. She just missed another double figure scoring effort earlier in the week with nine points in the Mustangs' win against Dakota

Wesleyan.

WMS grapplers finish with meets

The Wayne Middle School wrestling team performed well at their final meets of the season.

At Norfolk Catholic, Wayne had five medalists, led by first-place efforts by Cole Koenig, Seth Miller, Michael Kniesche and Schuyler Schweers. Thorne McBride placed second.

At Battle Creek, Wayne had three medalists as Koenig and Mikey Reyes finished third and Schweers placed fourth.

In a meet at Schuyler, Koenig and Schweers both finished second, McBride was third and Kniesche finished fourth.

Freshman boys dominant in wins

The Wayne High freshman boys won two games in recent action, defeating Columbus Lakeview (30-15) and Schuyler (62-15).

In the Lakeview win, Ben Hoskins led the team with eight points, Zach Keating had six, Kaje Maly and Josh Stenka each had four, Jackson Belt and Luke Pulfer had three apiece and Brooke Bowers scored two.

Against Lakeview, Hoskins had 20 and Keating added 14 to lead the way. Stenka had nine, Bowers scored five, Pulfer and Tyler Schoh each had four, and Maly and Belt had three each for the 4-0 frosh.

Freshman girls improve to 4-1

The Wayne High freshman girls basketball team won three games to improve to 4-1 on the season.

In a 40-28 win over Laurel-Concord/Coleridge, Rachel Rauner had 20 points and Skyler Gamble added nine to lead the way for Wayne. Gamble had 10 points and Rauner added eight later in a 35-16 win over Columbus Lakeview. Abbie Hix had 10 rebounds.

Wayne pulled off a rare feat on Monday, shutting out Schuyler 43-0. Gamble had 16 points and 10 rebounds, McKenzie Rusk and Alyssa Schmale each had eight, Rauner scored six and Hix had five.

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Wakefield girls win

The Wakefield girls basketball team started strong and overcame some sluggish play to post an impressive win over Wausa on Friday, claiming a 48-30 win at Wakefield High School.

The Trojans got out to a 25-11 halftime lead and were never challenged after that, although coach Matt Brenn said he saw some struggle in his team.

"We were a little sluggish on both ends of the floor, but we had some girls step up with two starters being out," he said. "I thought our subs gave us good minutes most of the night."

Lauren Lehmkuhl and Mercedes Greve combined to match Wausa's entire point total. Lehmkuhl led the way with 18 points, while Greve

tossed in 12. Shelby Lierman and Bailey Echtenkamp each had six, Tiana Gnat had five and Paige Ellis added a free throw.

"The team did a nice job at times moving the ball and getting great looks," Brenn said. "We don't play until Friday, so we'll have a chance to get better this week and work on a number of areas in our game."

The Trojans are on the road this weekend, facing Stanton on Friday and Hartington on Saturday before closing the pre-holiday schedule at home Tuesday against Osmond.

Wakefield 48, Wausa 30					
Wakefield	13	12	9	14	- 48
Wausa	6	5	11	8	- 30
WAKEFIELD - Lehmkuhl 18, Greve 12, Ellis 1, Lierman 6, Echtenkamp 6, Gnat 5.					
WAUSA - Claussen 5, Gallup 1, Swanson 5, Kumm 5, Hegge 6, Rosberg 2.					

Lady Eagles drop two

While the Allen Lady Eagles are still looking for their first win of the season, coach Zach Wemhoff isn't faulting the effort.

The Lady Eagles showed some good things in a 79-45 loss to defending C-2 champion Homer, and played well enough offensively in a 40-29 defeat against Hartington.

On Thursday, Wemhoff said his team showed some good things early, but just didn't have enough for the depth of the Homer team.

"They are very good and very well coached," he said. "We came out and played well and kind of punched them in the mouth, and they went on some runs and we couldn't keep up. I couldn't ask for better effort, though. We just need to play more basketball-savvy."

Brittany Sullivan paced the Lady Eagles in the losing effort with 15 points, while Candice Rastede and Rachel Finnegan each had seven points and Lindsay Sullivan put in six.

In Tuesday's game, the Eagles were able to score against the Wildcats, but couldn't slow the visitors down enough to get the win.

"We played hard, but we just couldn't make any stops," he said. "We made some runs offensively, but we just couldn't get a stop on defense."

Lindsay Jones led a balanced Allen attack with nine points, while Brittany Sullivan had six and Rastede put in five.

The 0-3 Lady Eagles are back in action with games Friday at Newcastle and Monday at Lyons-Decatur.

Homer 79, Allen 45					
Allen	4	16	10	15	- 45
Homer	20	25	22	12	- 79
ALLEN - L. Sullivan 6, Johnson 3, Jones 3, Klug 1, B. Sullivan 15, Rastede 7, Finnegan 7, Peterson 3.					
HOMER - Springer 3, Payer 4, Morgan 1, Aldrich 3, Miller 23, Snyder 9, Brown 6, Harlan 22, Warrior 6.					
Hartington 40, Allen 29					
Allen	9	5	1	14	- 29
Hartington	10	9	6	15	- 40

Bears struggle, record falls to 0-3 after defeats

The Laurel-Concord/Coleridge boys basketball team has had troubles generating a consistent offense in the early going, and they struggled in losses to Randolph and Ponca.

On Saturday, the Bears led the host Cardinals 10-6 after one period, but Randolph limited LCC to nine points in the final three periods and managed a 35-19 win in a defensive battle.

The Bears committed 18 turnovers in the losing effort and were led by Mitch Heikes, who finished with six points. Brady Papenhausen had five points and Zach Shear and Daniel Hartnett each had four.

On Tuesday, the visiting Ponca Indians jumped on the Bears early and ran away with an easy 68-18 win at Laurel-Concord High School, dropping the Bears to 0-3 on the season.

Shear's six points led the way for the Bears, while Hartnett added three.

Randolph 35, LCC 19					
LCC	10	4	2	3	- 19
Randolph	6	12	8	9	- 35
LCC - Papenhausen 5, Shear 4, Heikes 6, Hartnett 4.					
RANDOLPH - Thies 1, Nordhues 5, L. Lackas 10, S. Lackas 2, Anderson 9, Bach 8.					
Ponca 68, LCC 18					
LCC	4	8	2	4	- 18
Ponca	16	22	12	18	- 68
LCC - Schmitt 2, Shear 6, Heikes 1, Hartnett 3, Schurman 2, McCoy 2.					
PONCA - Walsh 6, Schweers 3, Gill 3, Watchorn 7, Carlson 4, Boyle 1, Brandt 2, Petersen 13, Husen 6, O'Neill 8, Markworth 8, Block 4, Smith 5.					



Allen boys drop home tilts to Knights, 'Cats

The Allen boys played with a ton of energy at home Tuesday, but couldn't keep it going in the second half as visiting Hartington pulled away with a 64-35 win.

The Eagles matched the visiting Wildcats for much of the first half and led 18-14 before the visitors made a late surge, scoring the final eight points of the first half. They carried that momentum into the second half and outscored their hosts 42-17 in the final two periods.

"It comes down to energy, and in the second half we came out flat and they came out with what they needed to come out with," coach Brett Spiker said. "We let their zone affect us too much, and we can't let that happen."

Jake Stewart paced the 1-3 Eagles with 14 points, while Brandon Sullivan added 10 points.

(Photo by Michael Carnes) Allen's Zach Crom tries to dribble past Hartington's Nick Miller during Tuesday's game at Allen.

On Thursday, a 25-10 second-quarter run helped visiting Homer to get out to a 25-point halftime lead, and the Knights carried on to a 58-23 win over the Eagles.

Allen could only get a Stewart field goal in the opening period as Homer took a 12-2 lead and extended it to 37-12 by intermission.

Stewart led the Eagles with 12 points, while Sullivan added four and Anthony Kennelly put in three.

Allen plays on the road Friday at Newcastle, and is also on the road Monday at Lyons-Decatur.

Homer 58, Allen 23					
Allen	2	10	6	5	- 23
Homer	12	25	13	8	- 58
ALLEN - Kennelly 3, Boese 2, Stewart 12, Sullivan 4, Crom 2.					
HOMER - J. Kluver 6, Dahl 8, Murphy 2, Calvino 4, D. Kluver 7, Matthews 8, Hill 5, Olson 8, Webster 10.					
Hartington 64, Allen 35					
Allen	11	7	9	8	- 35
Hartington	8	14	19	23	- 64
ALLEN - Kennelly 3, Boese 1, Stewart 14, Sullivan 10, Crom 3, Jacobsen 2.					
HARTINGTON - Miller 15, Mainquist 5, Hochstein 13, Hegge 8, Derickson 10, Pedersen 2, Wortmann 1, Dybdal 4, Haug 6.					

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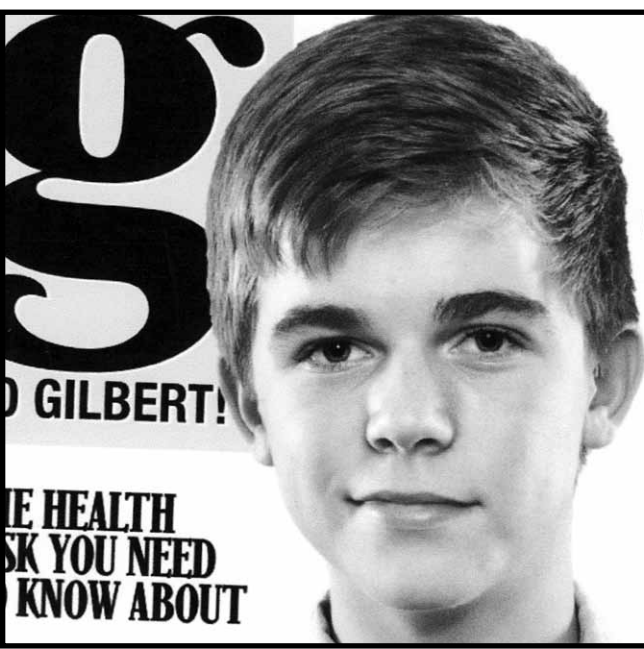
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Dec. 21 webinar to focus on Network Nebraska

The fourth webinar focusing on broadband adaptation and use in Nebraska, scheduled Dec. 21, is titled "Network Nebraska - Connecting Community Anchor Institutions."

The webinar will be available at 10 a.m. at <https://connect.unl.edu/broadband>.

Presenter of the Dec. 21 session will be Tom Rolfes, education IT manager in the office of the chief information officer and Nebraska Information Technology Commission.

Network Nebraska aims to meet the telecommunications demands

of local government, state government and education. So far, 214 school districts, 15 educational service units, 17 public and private colleges and one public library are participating in the venture.

The group has reduced the state contract unit price for Internet service by 93 percent over the last five years; exchanges more than 350 semester high school courses between K-12 districts annually over Network Nebraska; and provides enrichment and training through videoconferencing.

Other webinars are set for Jan. 18, Feb. 15, March 21 and April 18.

The previous sessions are archived at <https://connect.unl.edu/broadband>.

The initiative is funded by a grant to the Nebraska Public Service Commission by the U.S. Department of Commerce's National Telecommunications and Information Administration.

The Broadband Mapping and Planning Initiative has been conducted by a coalition of Nebraska partners, including the PSC, University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension, the UNL Center for Applied Rural Innovation, the Nebraska Information Technology

Commission's Communication Council, the AIM Institute and the Nebraska Department of Economic Development.

Previously, the coalition conducted a survey of Nebraskans' access to Internet and, more specifically, broadband. It found that 81 percent of Nebraskans had Internet access, and 76 percent of those had broadband. But the survey also revealed some gaps in Internet service among certain groups, including lower-income residents, people over 65, people without a college degree and residents of non-metro Nebraska.

Trojan boys fall at home to Wausa

The Wakefield boys basketball team's turnover woes continued Friday, as visiting Wausa was able to come away with a 53-39 win at Wakefield High School.

The Trojans couldn't overcome an early first-quarter surge by the visiting Vikings, as Wausa jumped out to a 20-6 lead and kept the Trojans from getting the lead back

down to single digits.

Turnovers and cold outside shooting were a problem for the Trojans. Wakefield committed 22 turnovers in the game and were a frigid 1-of-16 from 3-point range.

Jacob Lunz played well individually for the Trojans, finishing with a game-high 21 points. He scored 10 of Wakefield's

14 first-half points and had nine points in the fourth quarter.

The 0-3 Trojans are at Stanton on Friday and Hartington on Saturday.

	W	T	F	S	S	P
Wakefield	6	8	5	20	-	39
Wausa	20	6	14	13	-	53

Wausa 53, Wakefield 39

WAKEFIELD - Salmon 3, Brambilla 2, Bodlak 5, Lunz 21, Dolph 4, Fregoso 4.

WAUSA - Conn 13, Vanness 6, Mauler 2, Claussen 10, Friedrich 2, Wakeley 12, Rosberg 6.



Dorcey

Keegan Dorcey enlists in National Guard

Keegan Dorcey, 18, of Wayne enlisted into the Nebraska Army National Guard on Dec. 9.

Keegan is the son of Brendan Dorcey and Jane Rebensdorf. He is currently attending classes at Northeast Community College. He will attend basic training at Ft. Benning, Ga. and advanced training at Fort Leonardwood, Mo.

Keegan enlisted into the 189th Transportation Company in Wayne, as a Motor Transport Operator.

National Guard Recruiter SFC Dale Alexander requests "you congratulate Keegan and his family when you see them in the community!"

Bunchek, Fehringer earn NSIC honors

Wayne State field event specialists Carly Fehringer and Ross Bunchek were named the Northern Sun Conference Indoor Track and Field Athletes of the Week.

Fehringer, a 2010 Wayne High graduate, received her first Women's Field Athlete of the Week award on the season while Bunchek also received his first honor of the season as the Men's Field Athlete of the Week.

Fehringer, a sophomore, took first place in the weight throw with an NCAA provisional mark of 55 feet, 2 inches, and was second in the shot put with another NCAA provisional mark of 44 feet, 6 inches at the UNK Pre-Season Holiday Open. Fehringer is the current NSIC leader in the shot put.

Bunchek, a senior, finished first in the weight throw for the Wildcats at the UNK Pre-Season Holiday Open with a throw of 64 feet, 9 3/4 inches. He has the top two weight throws in the NSIC and ranks third in the NCAA in the weight throw.

Basic Nurse Aide class to begin in Wayne

Another session of a three-credit-hour, Northeast Community College Basic Nurse Aide course will begin in January in Wayne.

With course number NURA 1110 and CRN #21374, one class will meet Mondays and Tuesdays, Jan. 9 - Feb. 28, from 6-10 p.m. at Providence Medical Center, 1200 Providence Road, in Wayne. This class will also meet two Saturdays, dates yet to be determined. Dani Frahm is the instructor of this class.

Students in this three-credit-hour or 76-contact-hour class will learn the basic skills needed to provide safe, effective, and caring services to the elderly or chronically ill patient of any age in a long-term care facility.

Cost of this three-credit-hour Basic Nurse Aide class is \$286.50 for Nebraska residents and \$341.25 for non-residents, including a testing fee. A textbook, at an additional cost, is required.

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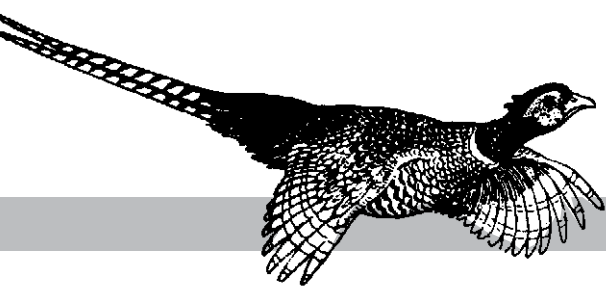
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In the spring of every year, students are tested in grades 3-8 and 11. The students who met or exceeded the reading assessment standards in all grades increased from 69 percent in 2010 to 72 percent this year. I would like to congratulate all of our schools that have excelled in reading assessment for 2011 and focus on our high school performance.

For purposes of comparison, the school districts are reported by their sports classification. Among the 27 Class A public high schools, the top five reading assessment scores were for 2011 were Millard West, Papillion-LaVista South, Lincoln East, Millard North and Papillion-LaVista.

In Class B, the top five high schools were Norris, Elkhorn South, Bennington, Gretna and Aurora. There were eight schools that had significant improvement in their scores from 2010 to 2011. Those were Blair, Grand Island Northwest, Gretna, Hastings, Nebraska City, Norris, Sidney and York.

Since there are more high schools in Class C1 and C2 than in Class A or B, I have identified the top 10 high schools in C1 and C2. For C1, the top 10 reading assessment scores in 2011 were Arlington, Centennial, Wayne, Fillmore Central, Logan View, Syracuse, Ainsworth, Conestoga, Chadron and Milford.

The most improved C1 scores from 2010 to 2011 were Arlington, Battle Creek, Centennial, Centura, Chadron, Conestoga, Cozad, Fairbury, Fillmore Central, Logan View, Madison, Syracuse and



Wayne.

In C2, the top10 reading assessment scores in 2011 were Hershey, Palmyra, Crofton, Elmwood-Murdock, Chase County, Ponca, Laurel-Concord, Ravenna, West Holt and Thayer Central.

The most improved C2 scores from 2010 to 2011 were Blue Hill, Chase County, Crofton, Dundy County, Humboldt-Table Rock, Morrill, Oakland-Craig, Plainview, Ponca, Ravenna, Southern Valley, Superior, Thayer Central, Twin River, Wakefield and Weeping Water.

Among smaller schools, the top 10 reading assessment scores in 2011 were Bertrand, Bloomfield and Loomis with a 100 percent score. The next seven were Johnson-Brock, High Plains Community, Cody-Kilgore, Maxwell, Kenesaw, Howells and Sterling.

The most improved small schools scores were Anselmo-Merna, Bertrand, Cedar Bluffs, East Butler, Elm Creek, High Plains Community, Kenesaw, Loomis, Maxwell, Mead, Pawnee City, Pender, Shelby, Southwest and Sterling. For privacy concerns, federal law does not allow education data to be reported publicly if a high school class has 10 or less students.

Capitol View

Why can't politicians change?

By MARY KAY QUINLAN
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LINCOLN--Robert Louis Stevenson, the 19th century Scottish poet and author, is remembered for his lilted verses for children and his adventure tales like "Treasure Island" and "Kidnapped," not particularly for political commentary.

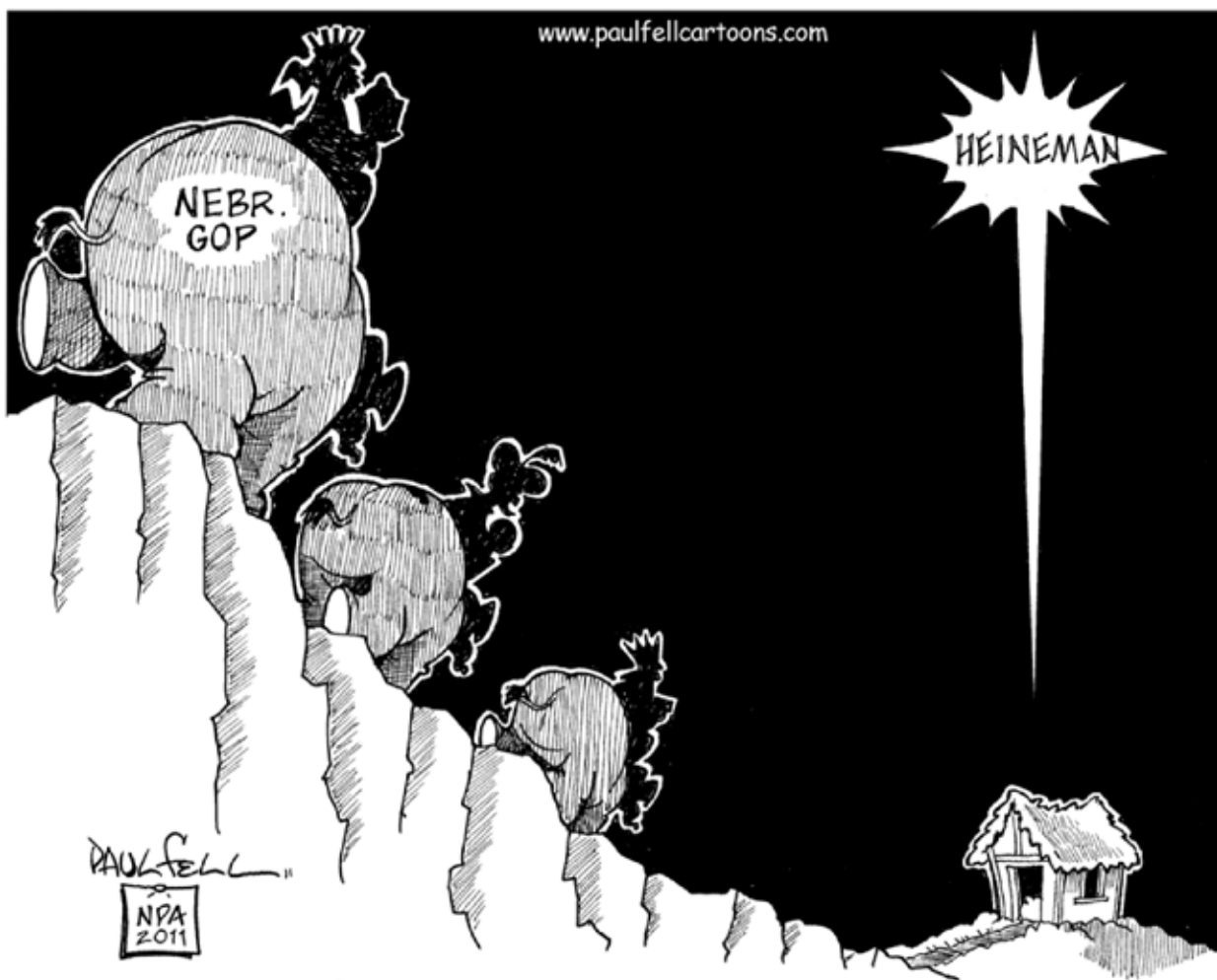
But he once wrote something that comes to mind in light of the latest round of complaints by critics of GOP presidential hopeful Mitt Romney that the former Massachusetts governor is a flip-flopper for articulating different views on a number of issues.

"To hold the same views at 40 that we held at 20," Stevenson wrote, "is to have been stupefied for a score of years."

The Scottish writer, of course, was not running for public office in 21st century America, where politicians—and the people who advise them—seem to put a premium on never changing your mind. So much so, in fact, that politicians sometimes go to great lengths attempting to persuade voters that they haven't actually changed their minds when clearly they have.

A case in point: Grover Norquist, president of Americans for Tax Reform, whose anti-tax pledge by one count was signed by all but six House Republicans. Many of them appear to fear the damage at the polls Norquist and his merry band could cause if they back away from that pledge, despite the fact that in the views of many, their intransigence is a major factor in congressional gridlock.

So why isn't it OK for politicians—



or others in public life, for that matter—to change their minds on important issues of the day?

To be sure, voters aren't likely to be favorably impressed by the wishy-wash candidate who seems never to take a stand until the polling data are in to tell him what voters think. Nor are they likely to appreciate the candidate whose changes of heart on issues appear to smack of political opportunism.

But what if new information comes to light on issues of the day?

What if the nation—or state or community or school district or Natural Resources District, for that matter—faces a different set of circumstances now compared to when a policymaker first articulated her views?

What if a politician just plain changes his mind?

Voters could reasonably expect such a politician to offer a plausible explanation for such a change. Some may find the explanation convincing; others won't.

But to freeze our public officials into one side of an issue or another, never entertaining the possibility of change, is to oversimplify most of the complex issues we ask our elected officials to deal with and to run the risk of electing people who, in Stevenson's words, have been "stupefied" into holding the same views forever.

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Legislative Update

Committee meetings highlight schedule

This week, I traveled to Lincoln on two different occasions. On Monday, the Health and Human Services Committee had a full day of meetings and hearings.

We started at 8 a.m., with a meeting with Gov. Dave Heineman. We were discussing various changes that will probably be proposed by the Health Committee when the regular legislative session begins in January.

At 9 a.m., the Foster Care Review Board released their annual report. This year's report is especially important since it helps us to better understand how the privatization changes have affected both foster children and foster families.

At 10 a.m., the Health Committee held a public hearing on LR197, an interim study to examine issues

relating to the implementation of an all-payer claims database in Nebraska. Committee members were invited to a working lunch, where we continued our discussion of proposed legislative changes.

At 1:30 p.m., the Health Committee was briefed on Medicaid, psychiatric residential treatment facilities and institutions for mental disease, and community resources. First, we heard from the Department of Health and Human Services. Then contract providers and the public were asked to testify on any insight they could provide to the Committee.

As I have mentioned probably too many times before, working on the problems surrounding special needs children, adoption, foster care, and folks who are wards of the



Legislative Update
By Dave Bloomfield
State Senator, District 17

Lincoln's Bryan West Hospital and Madonna Rehabilitation Center. On Wednesday, Rod was allowed to come back to the Capitol for a brief time. He is looking forward to returning to the job he loves and helping Sen. Krist prepare for the upcoming legislative session. Rod and his family are also planning for his return home before Christmas.

Rod's recovery has been nothing short of fantastic. The Good Lord has allowed Rod to live and to improve rapidly. Rod's strong desire to get better and return home to his wife, Dawn, and son, David, have been very inspiring. For those who know Rod and his family, there is a website that reports on his progress: <http://www.caringbridge.org/visit/rodkrogh>.

I am proud to know Rod. I have known and respected the Krogh family since childhood when Rod's grandfather, Erv ran the Coast to Coast store on Dakota Ave. in South Sioux city. Rod's father, Gordon, later took over and ran the store.

It was an honor and a privilege to see Rod walk into the State Capitol Office last Wednesday and continue the process of healing and moving forward after a terrible accident. The work of the medical staff, and the blessings of a gracious God, are truly a miracle.

I share a legislative office with Sen. Bob Krist of Omaha. One of Sen. Krist's staff members is Rodney Krogh, formerly of South Sioux City. On Oct. 27, Rod was severely injured in a car accident in Lincoln. He has been recovering both at



Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes
Managing Editor

Pat Paulsen, Snooki beats '12 GOP field

With all the holiday shopping I need to do, I only have time for some quick shots from the "Bits and Pieces" file:

– From the "Pot, meet kettle" department – Former Republican strategist Karl Rove was heard accusing Donald Trump of projecting a reality TV show-like atmosphere for a debate among GOP Presidential candidates that Trump was planning to moderate over the holidays (and has since pulled out of).

Considering the quality of candidates the Republicans are trying to run against the sitting King Obama I, I actually think The Situation or Snooki from Jersey Shore has as much of a fighting chance of unseating the current President than any currently in the GOP field.

Where, oh where, is Pat Paulsen when you really need him?
– Remember the days when Hollywood bubbleheads like Paris Hilton and Pamela Anderson had their "privacy" violated with the release of sex tapes made by their significant others?

Remember when it was such a big deal when these tapes were released by the adult entertainment industry, and how people were so concerned with keeping the private lives of famous people, you know, private?

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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.

Allen News

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SHOPPING DAY

The Allen United Methodist Church will host its Shopping Day on Saturday, Dec. 17 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. All community children through sixth grade are invited to shop for free gifts for mom, dad and siblings. There will be a free lunch and movie.

BASKETBALL IN NEWCASTLE

The Allen basketball teams travel to Newcastle on Friday night with games beginning at 4:15 p.m. The junior varsity girls will start the night, followed by the JV boys, varsity girls and varsity boys.

The Newcastle Post Prom Committee is serving a soup supper during these games beginning at 5 p.m. and continuing throughout the games. They will be serving chili and chicken noodle soup. The cost will be \$5 for adults and \$3 for children 12 and under.

ALLEN BOOK CLUB

The Allen Book Club is having a Ladies Night Out on Tuesday, Dec. 20 at the Allen Fire Hall. Punch and book sales will begin at 5 p.m., followed by a Soup Buffet at 5:30 p.m. The theme is "Stone Soup". Attendees will last names from L to Z are asked to bring a pot of soup.

Free will donations support the Allen Book Club expenses and projects. You may bring guests, used books and/or stones for table decorations. The event is open to all ladies of the community.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

The First Lutheran Church is having their Christmas Eve service at Allen at 7 p.m. and then a service at Concord at 11 p.m. Christmas Day Services will be in Allen at 9 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. in Concord.

The Christmas program will be on Sunday, Dec. 18 at the 9 a.m. worship service.

CHURCH SERVICES

St. Paul's Lutheran Church will hold its Christmas Eve Program on Saturday, Dec. 24 at 5 p.m. with Pastor William Bertrand. St. Paul's Lutheran Church is located at 58085 867 Road, Concord. Everyone is invited to spend Christmas Eve in the country with us.

METHODIST SERVICES

The United Methodist Church will have its Christmas Program on Sunday, Dec. 18 during the 9 a.m. service.

Christmas Eve services will be

at 6 p.m. in Allen and 8 p.m. in Ponca. Christmas Day services will be announced at later date.

WATER BILL PAYMENTS

Effective with the December 2011 billing, all bills must be paid in full by the 10th of each month. If not paid by the 10th, your services will be disconnected the next business day and a \$25 reconnect fee will be added to your bill before service is restored. This means that your December bill must be paid in full by Jan. 10 or it will be shut off on the 11th and not turned back on until it is paid in full along with the \$25 fee.

If you have any questions, please contact one of the Village Board members—Jay Jones, Dale Strivens, Dale Taylor, Ray Brentlinger or Eunice Diediker.

FOOD PANTRY

The Dixon County Food Pantry would like your assistance in coming our quest that no one in Dixon County will be hungry.

The following list is of items the pantry is in need of: cereal, pasta and rice items, canned meat, canned fruit and vegetables, canned soup, kid friendly non perishable food items, boxed meals, shampoo, toilet paper, and baby wipes.

Anyone who would like to donate, please contact a member of the food pantry—Carol Chase, Katie Olesen, Dean Chase, Tracey Anderson, Jackie Coughlin, Ken Johnson or Theresa Saltgiver.

SNOW REMOVAL

Notice to all residents – From now until April 30, please park on the even sides of the streets on the even days of the month and on the odd side of the streets on the odd days of the month for snow removal purposes.

If at all possible, it would be greatly appreciated if you do not park on the street at this time. Your cooperation in this matter would be greatly appreciated.

SPRINGBANK LIBRARY

Springbank Township Library is open from 9-11 a.m. on Friday mornings and from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. on Saturday mornings. All of the books read by the Allen Book Club are available, as well as a good selection of magazines, westerns, romances, mysteries, and children's books and videos.

The library is located in the Village Office building, next to the post office. The library also has some used books for sale.

GIFT WRAPPING

The Allen Cheerleaders will be hosting several free-will fund raisers during the month of December. On Saturday, Dec. 17 the cheerleaders will be offering to wrap your Christmas gifts from 2-7 p.m. at the Allen Fire Hall.

They will also be selling caramel apples to be delivered on the week of Dec. 19. They will make either plain caramel apples or caramel apples dipped in a variety of things – M&M's, Reese's, Butterfinger crunch and chocolate drizzle and nuts.

COOKIES & COFFEE

The Allen Senior Center will be having Cookies & coffee on Saturday, Dec. 17 from 7-10 a.m. They will also be raffling off their quilt this morning also. The drawings will start at 9 a.m. There will be extra gifts to give away with the quilt being the last raffle.

SENIOR CENTER

Friday, Dec. 9: Brunch, 8:30 am – Biscuits and gravy, sausage links, oranges, tomato juice.

Monday, Dec. 12: Pork chops, mashed potatoes, creamed peas, plums.

Tuesday, Dec. 13: Cheeseburgers, ranch potatoes, baked beans, cherry crisp.

Wednesday, Dec. 14: Beef stew (carrots, peas, potatoes, corn), biscuits, oranges.

Thursday, Dec. 15: Chicken, mashed potatoes, dilly green beans, applesauce jello.

Friday, Dec. 16: Brunch, 8:30 am – French toast, ham slice, pineapple juice, tropical fruit.

COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

Friday, Dec. 16: Chris Levine, Janice Harder, Kathy Boswell, Nicole Carr.

Saturday, Dec. 17: Arlene Chase, Vicky Hingst, Cindy Sperry.

Sunday, Dec. 18: Alexis Johnson, Larry Klemme, Lori Koester, Bryce Williams, Shannon Sullivan, Bob and Jeanette Hohenstein(A).

Monday, Dec. 19: Catrina Lyle, Joyce French, Abby Rastede, Norma Warner.

Tuesday, Dec. 20: Heather Turney, Brian and Rebecca Johnson (A), Darwin and Judy Nice (A).

Wednesday, Dec. 21: Doug Moore, Jennifer Moore, Marcy Roerber, Dale Smith, Haley Smith, Keaton Johnson.

Thursday, Dec. 22: Sherry Stallbaum, Chase Kallsen, Rachel Angle, Tori Lubberstedt, Barb

Uehling.

Friday, Dec. 23: Austin Connot, Kris Gensler, Harold and Chris Isom (A), Densel and Muriel Moseman (A), Steve and Susan Von Minden (A).

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Friday, Dec. 16: Springbank Township Library open 9-11 a.m.; First Lutheran Church – Pastor Sarah in Allen; JVG/JVB/VG/VB basketball at Newcastle, 4 p.m.; Soup supper, 5 p.m. at Newcastle school.

Saturday, Dec. 17: Coffee & cookies at Senior Center 7-10 a.m. – Quilt Raffle at 9 a.m.; Springbank Township Library open 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; Wrestling at Osmond Tournament, 10 a.m.; Cheerleaders Gift Wrapping at Firehall, 2-7 p.m.; Shopping Day 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at United Methodist Church.

Sunday, Dec. 18: First Lutheran Church's Sunday School Christmas Program, 9 a.m.; UMC Christmas Program, 9 a.m.

Monday, Dec. 19: Exercising at Senior Center 9 a.m.; Senior Center – Legal aid meeting at 9 a.m.; Walking at Senior Center, 9:30 a.m.; JVG/JVB/VG/VB basketball at Lyons-Decatur, 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 20: Dominos at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Cards or Dominos at Senior Center, 1 p.m.; School Early Dismissal, 1 p.m.; Allen Book Club Ladies Night Out, 5 p.m., at Fire Hall; Wrestling, vs.



Santa and Mrs. Claus made a stop at the Allen Christmas Program on Monday night. Pictured is Ashley Kraemer, daughter of Doug and Greta Kraemer, taking her turn sitting on Santa's lap.

Wayne at Wakefield, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 21: Exercising at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Walking at Senior Center, 9:30 a.m.; First Lutheran Church's WELCA at Vicky Hingst's home; School Early Dismissal, 1 p.m.; First Lutheran Confirmation, 7 p.m., in Concord.

Thursday, Dec. 22: Dominos at 8:30 a.m. at Senior Center; No School.

Friday, Dec. 23: Brunch at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Township Library open 9-11 a.m.; First Lutheran Church – Pastor Sarah in Allen; No School

Wayne County Court

County Court Proceedings Judge Donna Farrell Taylor presiding

On Dec. 5 the Wayne County Court heard 35 cases, including two failure to appear, one bond review hearing, five probation violation hearings, two felony hearings, seven arraignments, five sentencing, three small claims trials, four probate hearings and six juvenile hearings.

During the past three weeks there were 17 new cases filed and 51 traffic tickets.



Criminal Dispositions

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Mark A. Palm, Fullerton, def. Complaint for Disturbing the Peace. Fined \$250 and costs and sentenced to three days in jail.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Dylan J. Ellis, Wayne, def. Amended complaint for Driving Without License (Count I) and Operating Motor Vehicle Without Occupant Protection System (count II). Fined \$100 and costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Justin Smith, Wayne, def. Complaint for Issuing Bad Check. Fined \$200 and costs and ordered to pay restitution of \$172.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Nicklas C. Wylie, Winside, def. Complaint for Driving While Under the Influence Alcoholic Liquor (Aggravated First Offense). Fined \$500 and costs, sentenced to two days in jail, dr. lic. revoked for one year, sentenced to one year probation, ordered to complete defensive driving course and MADD Victim Panel and pay costs.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Blake J. Eddie, Belden, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$500 and costs and dr. lic. impounded for 30 days.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Paul D. Myers, Wayne, def. Complaint for Failure to Stop Following an Accident Involving Property Damage (Count I) and Reckless Driving (Count II). Fined \$500 and costs, dr. lic. impounded for one month and ordered to pay restitution of \$70.17 and costs and sentenced to six months probation.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Tracy

Schultz, Sioux City, Iowa, def. Complaint for Criminal Mischief. Sentenced to 34 days in jail and ordered to pay \$650.76 in restitution.

Civil Proceedings

Credit Management Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Dusty Grashorn, Wayne, def. \$411.25. Judgement for the pltf. for \$411.25 and costs.

L. F. Noll, Inc., pltf., vs. Mark Bloomfield, Wayne, def. \$1,086.13. Judgement for \$1,148.62 and costs.

Wakefield & Associates, Inc., pltf. vs. Larry Brader and Kimberly Brader, Winside, defs. \$1,062.46. Judgment for \$916.59 and costs.

Traffic violations

Edward Moore, Milford, spd., \$73; Kathryn Kershaw, Columbus, spd., \$73; Kevin Fry, Ewing, spd., \$173; Joseph Bofenkamp, Howell, Minn., spd., \$123; Ronald Schuit, Venice, Fla., spd., \$73; Logan McClelland,

Wayne, spd., \$73; Jeffrey Birk, Sioux City, Iowa, spd., \$123; Byron Janke, Carroll, spd., \$73.

Nathan Temme, Wayne, shooting from roadway and failure to cancel permit, \$1248; Richard Davis, Wayne, failure to cancel permit, \$148; Douglas Heithold, Carroll, overweight on axle, \$698; Emy Caal-Hernandez, Sioux City, Iowa, no oper. lic., \$123; Martyn Lyons, Page, spd., \$123; Alexie Mobley, Sioux City, Iowa, violated stop sign, \$123.

Jacob Paustian, Winside, spd., \$248; Elizabeth Landrie, Omaha, spd., \$123; Shawn Gray, Norfolk, spd. and no occupant protection system, \$98; Jason Claussen, Wayne, spd., \$73; Kristi Ladely, Concord, oper. unregistered car, \$73; Robert Renner, West Point, spd., \$73; Kevin Donovan, Worthington, Minn., spd., \$73.

Optimist Club conducts monthly meeting Dec. 6

Wayne Optimist met Dec. 6 at Wayne Coffee Shoppe.

The meeting opened with Kim Dunklau the president who welcomed the new members present at the meeting. New members recognized were Ray and Carol Novak, Jason Claussen, Katie Mann and Doug Mohl. Since Oct. 1 the club has gained 10 new members. Sponsors for these new members were Bob Wriedt, Lynette Krie and Kim Dunklau.

The guest for the evening was Dr. Todd Young from Wayne State College. He shared information on the National Science Bowl in 2012. He noted that the regional Science Bowl will be at Wayne State College on Jan. 28 for Middle School students and Feb. 4 for High School students. After giving a very interesting presentation he challenged members to eight minutes of a team contest among ourselves to get a taste of what the bowl contest was about. Anyone wanting to know more about the Bowl may get on the website – <http://science.energy.gov/nsb>. Todd then shared information as to how we could help with this event. He noted that their would be 40 teams in the community and that this event would need help in many areas and any community support would be appreciated. The club committed themselves to help

wherever needed for the events.

Bob Wriedt presented more information about the Internet Safety presentation with the fourth graders but a definite date has not been set.

Jan Kristjanson reported that Krafts for Kids will be Saturday, Dec. 17 from 9:30-11 a.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Front Porch. This is an opportunity for parents to shop and leave their children off with close supervision and make a few crafts to take home. This is free and is open to young children able to do simple crafts. Juice and a snack will also be provided.

Lynette Krie reminded members to bring their desserts and check their times to serve for the Soup Supper fund raiser event Dec. 8.

Cindy VonFange noted that she needed to have a monetary amount before she advertised the Essay and Oratorical Contests. The club came up with \$250 as the prize money for first place for each.

The meeting closed with the Club Creed.

Anyone wanting to know more about the Optimist group may contact any club member or Kim Dunklau (402) 369-1696. The Optimist Club operates on the motto, "Bringing out the Best in Kids!"

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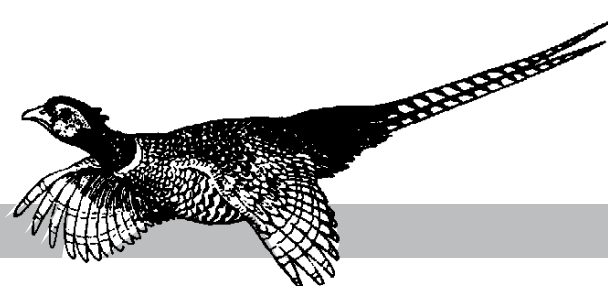
So that our employees can spend Christmas with their families, we will close at 4 p.m. on Christmas Eve and not open again until 4 p.m. on Christmas Day. Closed January 3, 2012.



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Lifestyle

The Wayne Herald



Holidays can contribute to stress issues

It is hard to believe that the holiday season is right around the corner. Holidays can establish traditions, strengthen family ties, and set milestones in the passage of time. But holidays also contribute to family stress. Routines change, expectations soar, and long-term problems of loneliness, family conflicts, or economic stress can seem worse.

Keeping your holiday simple doesn't mean ignoring your family's traditions. Instead, you may discover and strengthen what is most important about your family history.

As a grandparent, you might feel the pull of wanting to pre-

serve old routines and traditions (we've always met at our house on Thanksgiving and yours for Christmas Eve), even while realizing that new patterns would be better for you and your family (gathering the week before at your daughter's would mean less meal preparation for you and less travel with toddlers for her). Letting go and making changes can be difficult. To manage the hassle and strengthen family ties, consider these ideas.

Talk about feelings. Many families don't really talk about their feelings; they only suppose they know what the other party must be thinking. Have a family discussion by phone, mail, or in person to decide what's important in your holiday traditions. Talk about why some traditions are especially important to each of you.

Cooperate. Consider new ways to keep the traditions that mean the most to everyone. A newly married couple may love having a chance to entertain the family at a holiday dinner. Teenagers might organize a family gift exchange drawing.

Pass on a special tradition as a gift such as a family making copies of all the stories, poems, and songs that were part of their family's holiday history for the next generation to continue the traditions.

Create new ways to share old traditions. Consider visits at a



Angela Abts
Dakota County

new time. Your family could look forward to a January visit rather than one during the most stressful holiday period. A grandchild might enjoy your pre-holiday visit to attend a special performance.

Use family history in your gift giving. Write stories about your childhood or your children's grow-

ing up years. Give a small heirloom with a written history as a gift. Choose a few old photos and accompany them with a story about the events and people shown.

Give the gift of caring; it keeps on giving year round. To have a caring family holiday, consider the changing needs of family members. Keep the best of the old while you build new family history.

Another resource available from UNL Extension with helpful ideas to use during the holiday season to strengthening your relationships is Family Treasures. There are several activities based on the six qualities identified through the American Family Strengths Inventory by Dr. DeFrain and Dr. Nick Stinnett. For more information about strengthening families and resources, please contact the University of Nebraska Lincoln Extension Office in your local county or visit the website at www.extension.unl.edu.

Birthday _____ Anniversary _____



Gloria Leseberg
Gloria Leseberg to note birthday

The family of Gloria Leseberg is requesting a card shower in honor of her 80th birthday which is Thursday, Dec. 15.

Her family includes Sally and Michael Nuss of Taylors, S.C., Tammy and Odis Ross of Papillion and Kory and Lisa Leseberg of Wayne. She has eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Cards may be sent to the honoree at 502 Nebraska Street, Wayne, Neb. 68787.



Stan and Betty Morris
Morris' 65th

The family of Stan and Betty Morris have requested a card shower in honor of the couple's 65th wedding anniversary, which is Thursday, Dec. 22, and Stan's 85th birthday, which is Monday, Dec. 19.

Their family includes Mary Ellen and Delbert Claussen and Charles Morris, all of Carroll. They have two grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Stan Morris and Betty Winterstein were married Dec. 22, 1946 at Zion Congregational Church of rural Carroll.

Cards may be sent to the honoree in care of Careage of Wayne, 811 East 14th Street, Wayne, Neb. 68787.

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Sister Dorothy Seaman is presented the Imhoff Award by Worthy Matron Julie Claybaugh.

Seaman receives Imhoff Award from Eastern Star

Sister Dorothy Seaman was presented the Imhoff Award by Worthy Matron Julie Claybaugh on Thursday, Dec. 8 at the Stanton Health Care Center.

Mary E. Imhoff was the First Worthy Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Nebraska. In recognition of Sister Imhoff's outstanding Eastern Star achievements and to perpetuate her memory, the Grand Chapter created the Imhoff Award

to be awarded to the Eastern Star member in good standing with the longest period of membership in each Chapter in Nebraska.

Sister Dorothy Seaman was initiated into Beemer Chapter No. 276 on May 16, 1938 and is now a member of Wayne Chapter No. 194. Sister Dorothy has been a member of Eastern Star for more than 73 years.

Acme Club celebrates Christmas

Seven members of the Acme Club met Monday, Dec. 5 for lunch and a Christmas observance.

President Joann Temme opened the meeting by reading a Christmas prayer from a Christmas collection of inspirational verses by Helen Steiner Rice.

Ruth Victor gave the thought for the day, entitled "A Parting Wish." May your season be jolly, Your halls decked with holly, Your ornaments festive and shiny, May your shopping be quick May your egg nog be thick, May your fruitcake be ever so shiny, May your feast be extensive (and not too expensive), Your carols a treat for the ears May your candles be bright May your spirits be light May it be your best Christmas in years."

Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

Roll call was having each member tell something special they remembered about Christmas when they were a child.

A collection was taken to be sent to the Children's Home. Christmas cards were signed to be sent to honorary members and gifts purchased to be given to them.

Ruth Victor reported making Christmas favors to be taken to the hospital.

A kitchen town exchange was held.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, Jan. 3, 2012 at the Wayne Senior Center, instead of the usual Monday meeting day.

Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of Dec. 19-23)
Meals served daily at noon.
For reservations, call 375-1460
Each meal served with bread, 2% milk and coffee.

Monday: Chicken fried steak with country gravy, mashed potatoes with skins, frozen corn, whole wheat dinner roll & Promise, orange gelatin with fresh shredded carrots and pineapple.

Tuesday: Meatloaf with tomato sauce, baked potato with butter, frozen green beans, whole wheat dinner roll & Promise, canned pears.

Wednesday: Sliced ham, sweet potatoes, frozen peas, whole wheat fresh bread & Promise, cherry pie and pecan pie.

Thursday: Grilled chicken with cream of chicken soup, frozen Prince William vegetables, fresh lettuce salad with tomatoes & Ranch dressing, whole wheat fresh bread & Promise, canned tropical fruit.

Friday: Closed for Christmas. No Center or Home delivered meals. No van service.

Senior Center Calendar

(Week of Dec. 19-23)
Monday, Dec. 19: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Hand and Foot, 1 p.m.; Chicken Foot Dominoes, 1 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 20: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; "Christmas Duet," by Bill and Val Koeber, 11:30 a.m.; Board meeting, 1 p.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club.

Wednesday, Dec. 21: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Health Clinic, 9:30 a.m.; "Christmas Celebration," with Carolyn Eckstrom, 11:30 a.m. and 12:45 p.m.; Christmas dinner, noon.

Thursday, Dec. 22: Morning walking; Quilting; Cards; "Dickey Christmas Program," 12:45 p.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club.

Friday, Dec. 23: Closed for Christmas. No Center or Home delivered meals. No van service.

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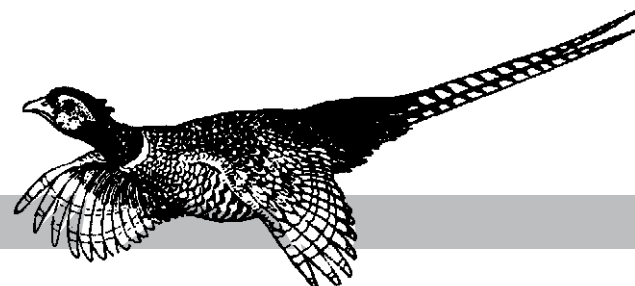
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FIRST BAPTIST
400 Main St.
375-3608
(Douglas Shelton, pastor)
Sunday: Sunday School, Adult and children's classes, 9:15 a.m.;

Prayer and Fellowship, 10:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
216 West 3rd St.
375-2669
(Rev. Ray McCalla, pastor)
www.fpcwayne.org
Sunday: Handbell Choir Rehearsal, 8:45 a.m.; Church School and Confirmation class, 9 a.m.; Worship with the Christmas Band performing and the Kids Christmas program, 10 a.m.; Fellowship, 11; Yeshua Ministries, 3 p.m.; Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m. Wednesday: No Youth Group; Christmas caroling followed by Soup Supper at church, 5:15 p.m. Saturday: Christmas Eve Service, 5:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 25: Worship, 10 a.m.; All other Sunday morning events cancelled.

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Altona Office (402) 375-2165
(Rev. David Ohlman, Pastor)
Pilger Office (402) 396-3478
Mobile (260) 402-0035
Sunday: Sunday School for ages nursery through eighth grade with Christmas Program Practice, 8:30 a.m.; Worship with Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m.; Joint Bible Study at St. John's in Pilger, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Joint Midweek Classes for fifth through eighth grade, 5:45 p.m. (Fourth grade stu-

dents welcome to attend if they desire), at St. John's in Pilger; Joint Advent Worship at St. John's, Pilger, 7:30 p.m., coffee following. Saturday: Christmas Eve Service, 4:30 p.m. with Sunday School program.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST
6th & Main St.
(Pastor Peter Phillips)
Sunday: Worship Service, 8:15 and 9:30 a.m. with Sunday School program during the 9:30 service; Fellowship time after each service; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.; Confirmation, 6 p.m.; Youth Group, 7 p.m.; Wednesday: WIC, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m.. Thursday: LifeServe Blood Bank at Wayne Fire Hall, 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday: Christmas Eve Candlelight Service, 7:30 p.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN
Missouri Synod
904 Logan
grace@gracewayne.com
(The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp, Senior Pastor)
(The Rev. Michael Feldmann, Associate Pastor)
(Stephen Ministry cong.)
Sunday: Lutheran Hour on KTCH, 7:30 a.m.; Worship, 8 and 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. Monday: Worship with Communion, 6:45 p.m. Tuesday; Stephen Ministry, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Class, 9 a.m.; Service of the Longest Night, 7:30 p.m. Thursday: Bible Class at Cup of Grace, 8 a.m. Saturday: Children's Christmas Service, 6:30 p.m.; Christmas Candlelight Worship, 10 p.m.

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Saturday: Immanuel Christmas Program Practice, 1 p.m. Sunday: Communion Sunday. Bible Study, 8 a.m.; Worship, 9 a.m. Monday: Quilting at St. Paul, 1 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Jensen's, 9 a.m. Wednesday: No Midweek School; Christmas Practice for St. Paul, 6 p.m. Saturday: Christmas Practice for St. Paul, 10 a.m.; Christmas Eve Worship, 5 p.m.

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

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN
West 7th & Maple
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SALEM LUTHERAN
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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
218 Miner St.
(Pastor Timothy Steckling)
Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Advent. Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Divine Service, 10:30 a.m. Monday: Matins, 7:30 a.m. Wednesday: Midweek, 4 to 5:30 p.m.; Choir, 8 p.m. Saturday: Private Prayer/Absolution, 10 a.m.

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Colds and flu - no big deal, right? Well, yes and no. They usually don't last a really long time or cause serious problems. Colds can plague you with everything from a stuffy and runny nose to a scratchy throat and watery eyes and sneezing. Flu bugs bring symptoms that can look a lot like a cold. But the flu tends to ambush you suddenly, last longer, and pile on other "treats" such as fever, fatigue, headache, chills, and achiness. Some people who get the flu, though, are at risk for pretty serious health problems. In fact, flu-related complications send more than 200,000 Americans to the hospital each year with thousands dying. Even the common cold takes a toll, accounting for 22 million lost school days in the U.S. each year. The number-one thing you can do to prevent the flu? Get a flu vaccine, which protects against the three most likely flu viruses to strike each season. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) now recommends that everyone six months and older get a flu vaccine. The flu vaccine is best received in October or November, although you may still benefit in December or January. Ask your doctor or me if you have questions about this. Colds and flu are spread mostly by droplets in the air or by touching a contaminated surface, then touching your eyes or nose. So some other simple steps may go a long way toward helping you prevent these common diseases. Wash your hands often with warm, soapy water for about 15 to 20 seconds. If you're away from soap and water, an alcohol-based hand rub will do. Avoid touching your eyes, mouth, and nose as much as you can. Set a good example for your kids and encourage them to do the same. Also, try to limit being around people who are infected. Sneezing and coughing yourself? You know the drill: Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue, then throw it in the trash. If there's no tissue in sight, cough or sneeze into your elbow or upper sleeve. Be sure to pass this tip on to your kids. If you've got a fever, stay home for at least 24 hours after the fever is gone - that is, gone without the use of a fever-lowering medicine. 1. FDA. "Get Set for Winter Illness Season." http://www.fda.gov/ForConsumers/ConsumerUpdates/ucm092805.htm 2. CDC. "Stopping Germs at Home, Work, and School." http://www.cdc.gov/germstopp/home_work_school.htm 3. CDC. "CDC Says 'Take 3' Actions To Fight the Flu." http://www.cdc.gov/flu/protect/preventing.htm

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The Carroll United Methodist Sunday School kids put on their annual Christmas program on Sunday at the church.

Carroll Methodist children present Christmas program

The Carroll United Methodist Church Sunday School held their Christmas Program on Dec. 11.

The skit, "The Search For a Savior," began with Joseph and Mary looking for a room at the Inn, told of the Angel Gabriel's message to the Shepherds and ended with the Wise Men on their search for the Messiah.

Cast in the play were Jayse Munsell as Joseph; Kiersten Brader as Mary; Austin Fernau as the Innkeeper; Ashton Munsell, Braxton Siebrandt, Alex Frank and Zander Billheimer as Shepherds; Marissa Munsell as Angel Gabriel; Keith Mundil as King Herod; Carter Fernau as Guard; Kiera Brader as

Scribe; Qwintin Billheimer, Harley Wheeler and Carson Brader as Wise Men; Alex Davis and Shailynn Mundil as Narrators.

The preschool class also had a recitation at the beginning of the program. Those included were Landen Claussen, Regan Fernau, Addison Frank, Camden Hall, Rylin Hall and Brooklyn Siebrandt.

Sunday School teachers are Mandi Fernau, Debbie Hall-Sunday School Superintendent, Kirby Hall, Kathy Hochstein, Jennifer Munsell and Alice Rohde. The Pastor of the church is Pete Phillips.

Cookies, coffee and hot chocolate were served by the United Methodist Women following the program.

Trinity Lutheran Church WELCA holds Dec. 8 meeting

The WELCA of Trinity Lutheran Church in Winside held a Christmas potluck on Thursday, Dec. 8 in the church basement.

PMA Glenn Kietzman opened the event with prayer, followed by all giving the table grace.

After the meal President Kathy Jensen had everyone introduce themselves and tell what their favorite Christmas ornament was. There were 14 people in attendance.

The program for the afternoon was "A Christmas Journey," presented by Peg Lutt and Georgia Addison.

PMA Kietzmann gave a message, based on Luke 1: 46-56.

A grab bag gift exchange was held.

The birthday song was sung for Irene Fork and Helen Holtgrew.

President Kathy Jensen thanked all for coming and wished all a Merry Christmas.

The afternoon closed with The Lord's Prayer.

The next meeting will be Jan. 12, 2012 and the group will be going to visit Joy Maas, who is in Norfolk.

Everyone was reminded about the winter retreat in Grand Island

on Jan. 14. The program will be "Heaven is For Real." The deadline for registration is Jan. 3.

The WELCA of Trinity Lutheran Church wants to wish everyone a "God Blessed Christmas and New Year."

KIDS AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

We are kicking off our KIDS AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM! Starting November 28th, 2011 for Kindergarten through fourth grades.

Hours for the program will be • From 3:30- 6:00 PM. Monday through Friday.

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- Snow days- As long as the CAC is open or hasn't closed early care will be provided.
- No School Days- Care will take place starting at 7:00 AM and ending at 6:00 PM.

RATES: After School (3:30-6:00 PM) Member \$3, Non-Member \$5. 2:00 Dismissal (2:00-6:00 PM) Member \$6, Non-Member \$10. All Day (7:00 AM-6:00 PM) Member \$15, Non-Member \$25

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PEO Christmas silent auction is held Dec. 6

Chapter AZ of P.E.O. met for its Christmas Silent Auction on Tuesday, Dec. 6 at the home of Pam Matthes. Assisting hostesses were Jason Barelman, Melissa Urbanec and Jean Blomenkamp. Delicious hors d'oeuvres, brought by each member, were enjoyed by all.

Following the business meeting, members were given the opportunity to bid on many exciting items brought for the silent auction. It was a challenge as the bids were continually raised until the top bidder was named the recipient of the item.

Those in charge of the auction were Jean Griess, Margaret McClelland and Donna Liska.

The next meeting of Chapter AZ will be the Founders' Day celebration on Saturday, Jan. 14, 2012.

Concord church to host two musicals Dec. 18

Concord Evangelical Church in Concord will be the host of two musicals on Sunday, Dec. 18, beginning at 7 p.m.

The Sunday School children and adult choir will present "Voices of Christmas," a musical of prophecy, promise and praise.

The preschool and kindergarten classes will also present a short musical entitled "Hooray for Baby Jesus" that same evening.

The church is located at 617 Broadway Street in Concord. The public is invited to attend.

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TeamMates set to celebrate National Mentoring Month

January 2012 will mark the 11th anniversary of National Mentoring Month, and General Colin Powell leads the national charge in recruiting mentors throughout the country.

The theme this year is "Invest in the Future. Mentor A Child," and the campaign focuses on mentoring as a strategy for boosting academic achievement.

TeamMates Mentoring Program is proud to take part in this annual campaign to raise awareness about the need for mentors in communities across Nebraska and Iowa.

General Powell states, "Our nation's future depends on what we do today to prepare our young people for productive and fulfilling lives. All of us need to get involved to help kids stay focused and stay in school. We must become a nation of graduates. One way for you to help is to volunteer as a mentor."

TeamMates data has shown that mentors play a powerful role in decreasing disciplinary referrals

and boosting academic achievement and school attendance. Mentors help to build young people's character and confidence, expand their universe, and help them navigate a path to success. Despite these benefits, the gap between the number of mentors and the number of young people who need a mentor continues to grow.

TeamMates will celebrate National Mentoring Month through its more than 100 chapters by recognizing over 5,000 mentors who are part of the program.

"We appreciate the time they give to children and the program and the difference they make," said Jenny Hopkins, coordinator of the Wayne TeamMates program. "Volunteering takes just one hour a week."

Anyone interested in becoming a mentor is asked to visit teammates.org or call (877) 531-8326. The mission of the TeamMates mentoring program is to positively impact the world by inspiring youth to reach their full potential.

School Menus

ALLEN (Dec. 19-23)
Lunch prices: grades K-6 - \$1.80; grades 7-12 - \$2.05; breakfast: \$1.30
Monday: Breakfast — Cook's choice. Lunch — Creamed turkey over biscuits, mashed potatoes, peas, tea roll.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Cereal and bagel. Lunch — Pizza, lettuce, corn, cookie.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Cereal and donut. Lunch — Chicken patty, bun, California vegetable, pears, cookie.
Thursday: No School.
Friday: No School.
Milk served with breakfast and lunch.

LAUREL - CONCORD/COLERIDGE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Dec. 19-23)
Monday: LC Breakfast — Muffin. LC Lunch — Burrito, fruit, vegetable. MS Breakfast — Sausage egg wrap. MS Lunch — Meatball sub, chips, vegetable, fruit, dessert.

Tuesday: LC Breakfast — Burrito. LC Lunch — Chicken nuggets, cinnamon bread, fruit, vegetable, milk, ice cream bar (Kindergarten - Hart choice). MS Breakfast — Muffins. MS Lunch — Chicken fajitas, Spanish rice, vegetable, fruit salad.
Wednesday: LC Breakfast — Sausage wrap. LC Lunch — Hamburger, fries, fruit, vegetable. MS Breakfast — Tornados. MS Lunch — Cheeseburger, fries, vegetable, fruit, cookie.
Thursday: No School.
Friday: No School.
Orange juice and milk sold daily. All menus subject to change.

WAKEFIELD (Dec. 19-23)
Monday: Breakfast — Yogurt, cheese stick, applesauce or juice. Lunch — Hot ham and cheese, mixed vegetables, peaches.

Friday: No School — Happy Holidays.

WINSIDE (Dec. 19-23)
Lunch prices: K-6 - \$2.35; 7-12 - \$2.60; milk and juice - \$.35
Monday: Breakfast — Waffle. Lunch — Mini corn dogs, mashed potatoes, pineapple, roll.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Scrambled eggs. Lunch — Barbecue rib on bun, fries, corn, applesauce.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch — Turkey dinner.
Thursday: Breakfast — Sausage. Lunch — Pizza boat, lettuce, peaches, cookie.
Friday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Sloppy Joes, fries, mandarin oranges. Milk served with all meals.
Menu may change without notice. Fresh fruit daily.
Grades 4-12 may have salad bar. Grades K-3 may have salad plate.

Snow Shoveling Tips

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- 2.) Use a light weight shovel with light weight loads. Push snow and do not throw it. Use both sides of your back evenly to reduce the strain to one side of your body.
- 3.) Watch for ice
- 4.) Don't forget to take a break

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Center for Rural Affairs announces Return of MarketPlace Conference

The Center for Rural Affairs announced that the sixth annual MarketPlace rural entrepreneurship conference will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 22, 2012 at the Ramada Inn and Conference Center in Kearney.

"Entrepreneurship and small businesses are the economic backbone of Nebraska's rural economy and especially important during times of economic hardship," said Chuck Hassebrook, executive director of the Center for Rural Affairs and the conference's luncheon keynote. "MarketPlace is focused on creating jobs and building the rural economy and anyone who is committed to creating their own opportunities and shaping their own destiny through entrepreneurship should attend."

According to Hassebrook, the conference offers a space to share ideas and learn from other attendees and it features strong, hands-on learning opportunities for potential and existing farm, ranch, home-based and Main Street business owners as well as community leaders and young people interested in entrepreneurship.

"Entrepreneurs who attend MarketPlace tell us it is making a difference. Fifty two percent of small business participants have started, expanded, or made changes to their business because of the conference; and nearly 88 percent of small businesses who made changes or expanded their business as a result of MarketPlace sought financing to do so," explained Hassebrook. "They borrowed money from banks, USDA Rural Development and often from personal resources like saving and credit cards were the most common sources of capital. And 79 percent of attending small businesses reported using new resources because of their participation in MarketPlace and their networking there."

The bottom line is that MarketPlace has produced dramatic results for those rural entrepreneurs who have been able to attend, and it just keeps getting better, declared Hassebrook.

Joanne Steele, CEO/Owner of the Rural Tourism Marketing Group in Dunsuir, Calif., will kick off the conference as the opening keynote speaker. She will start off the day sharing the kind of knowledge and enthusiasm each up-and-coming entrepreneur, as well as established entrepreneurs, needs to succeed.

Steele, has worked for over 15 years helping rural small businesses, and rural communities learn effective marketing strategies,

and community development techniques that utilize local resources. She worked as Director of Tourism for a rural California county for 10 years utilizing a small operating budget to generate over \$4 million equivalent press coverage for rural businesses.

Through workshops, presentations and her blog, RuralTourismMarketing.com, she teaches state of the art marketing strategies retooled for the small local business owner. Her dedication to rural culture and values has helped her work effectively with small towns and locally owned businesses, assisting them in building and marketing a tourism industry that serves their needs while welcoming visitors. She has worked with rural development organizations in Oregon, Kansas, California and Arkansas and consults through her blog with rural development specialists throughout the U.S.

"For rural based businesses the road to success involves creating and nurturing relationships to help you get what you need to be successful, from your town, your support organizations and even yourself," said Steele.

"When you decide to start a new business in a small town, you have a whole community pulling for you. Knowing how to access and use all that local good will could mean the difference between success and failure," Steele added.

The addition of Steele rounds out the impressive lineup for the full day event which includes high quality educational sessions and exhibitor booths with abundant networking opportunities. The dynamic combination of expert presenters, essential service providers, individuals already engaged in entrepreneurial activities, and day-long opportunities for all to mix and share ideas and solutions have proven very successful in assisting Nebraska's up and coming entrepreneurs to innovate and develop.

Businesses and organizations have a chance to tap into many outstanding marketing opportunities by having an exhibit booth or through a sponsorship to MarketPlace. The diverse sponsorship levels offer opportunities for organizations and businesses to choose the level which best fits their marketing budget. Those interested in sponsorship information should contact Shawanna Silvius, shawnas@cfra.org or (402) 873-4027. For more on MarketPlace visit: www.cfra.org/marketplace/home.



Learning experience for all

Wayne Head Start was visited by students in Kathleen Mitchell's Long Distance Education parenting class. Sixteen students from Allen, Bancroft/Rosalie, Emerson/Hubbard and Wakefield came to the Wayne center to learn more about the Head Start program, as well as get a chance to play with the children.

Briefly Speaking

Bridge played at Senior Center

AREA — Winter Bridge was played at the Wayne Senior Center on Tuesday, Dec. 13 with 12 ladies attending. Bridge was played at three tables.

Hostesses were Margaret Kenny and Pat Roberts. Bridge will be played again on Tuesday, Dec. 20. Hostesses will be Joan Lage and Phyllis Hix. For reservations, call (402) 375-1729 or (402) 375-2831 by Sunday, Dec. 18.

Conservation stewardship program sign-up currently underway

Nebraska landowners and operators have until Jan. 13, 2012, to sign up for the Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP) at their local Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) office. CSP is a voluntary program that offers payments to producers who maintain a high-level of conservation on their land and agree to adopt additional conservation measures to their operations.

CSP applications are accepted on a continuous basis. However, only applications received by the Jan. 13 cutoff date will be considered for the current ranking and funding period.

Craig Derickson, NRCS state conservationist in Nebraska, encourages Nebraska farmers and ranchers to not miss out on this opportunity. "The Conservation Stewardship Program is unique in how NRCS provides conservation program payments. CSP participants will receive an annual land use payment for the environmental benefits they produce on their operation. Under

CSP, participants are paid for conservation performance - the higher the operational performance, the higher their payment," Derickson said.

According to Derickson, CSP has been a very successful program for Nebraska's farmers and ranchers. In the last two years, over 1,600 contracts in 91 counties have been enrolled into CSP.

CSP is available statewide to individual landowners, legal entities, and Indian tribes. Eligible land includes cropland, grassland, prairie, improved pastureland, non-industrial private forestland, and agricultural land under the jurisdiction of an Indian tribe. Contracts are set at five years and include all the land controlled by an operator.

For more information about CSP, including eligibility requirements, producers can visit <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/wps/portal/nrcs/main/national/programs/financial/csp> or stop by their local NRCS field office.

Volunteers sought to teach Northeast ESL classes at Siouxland Family Center

Volunteers are being sought to help Northeast Community College and the Boys and Girls Home and Family Services in South Sioux City launch a new series of English as a Second Language (ESL) classes.

The classes will be held at the Siouxland Family Center, 1401 Pine Street in Dakota City. There is no charge for the classes.

According to Stefanie Emrich,

Northeast civics/ESL coordinator, these newly-formed ESL classes will start in January, at times yet to be determined. "This could become another option for those interested in improving their English skills," she said.

Anyone interested in volunteering as an ESL instructor in Dakota City should contact Emrich at (402) 844-7253.

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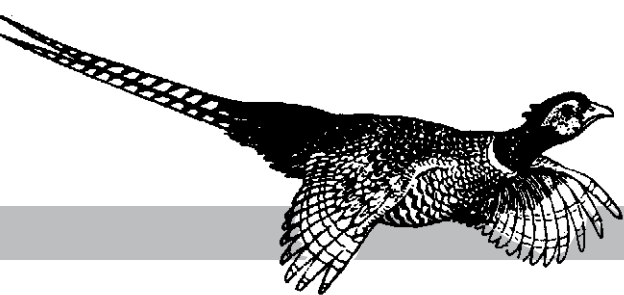
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In favor of Random Acts of Kindness

More than a year ago, a young Lincoln man was killed in an awful car accident while returning from a concert in Kansas. His friends in the car were spared; the other driver had been drinking.

When I get letters asking for donations to MADD, Mothers Against Drunk Driving, I always think of how devastating it would be to lose a child, especially to a drunk driver. And frequently, I have cited that organization as a positive response to an awful tragedy.

Well, that young man's name was Cameron, and his birthday was on Dec. 7. Of course, we remember that date for another reason, but his parents decided last year to make that date a day of forgiveness and charity, and they call it the Cameron Effect. Instead of wasting their time in anger and bitterness, which would only be human, they asked their friends to do a kindness, a "random act", a donation, or something else that would memorialize their son in a very special way. And many did. We read about some in the paper; others were done anonymously.

There are even clubs called Random Act of Kindness Clubs. Usually, it's just a group of friends, about a dozen, who meet monthly and put \$20 into a pot and decide together where they will surprise someone with that money. Again, we usually never hear about those people, but those friends know they have blessed someone that day.

Last year, Kay gave me a book called *The Christmas Jar*. It's a wonderful story about a family who decided in January to put all their change into a jar on the cupboard, and then give it to someone who appeared to be in need. This idea took off, just like the Cameron



The
Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

Effect. Anyway you look at it, and however you choose to do it, it's a heart warmer.

This year, on Dec. 7, Union Bank gave 100 of its employees each a one hundred dollar bill. Their instructions were to pass it on to whoever crossed their paths and looked as if they could use it. They did not call the paper to report their good deed, but some of the

recipients did! There were reports of tears, hugs, laughter, and disbelief.

There really is something to the spirit that overtakes us at this time of year; and more and more, those of us with enough are finding ways to help those who need an extra lift. Coats are collected, as are socks and underwear. There are two trees in our church, one at each entrance, featuring tags with names and what that person can use. The office of our business manager and that of our associate pastor are filled, and they will all be delivered tomorrow to the City Mission.

It really is more blessed to give than to receive; try it and you will see what I mean! We received a wonderful free Christmas concert this afternoon, by the Lincoln Continentals, the city's Barbershoppers. Hearing the familiar songs sung in that close harmony, by all male voices, with lots of interesting arrangements, was such a wonderful gift. We even got to sing along on a couple of numbers. There were Scripture readings, and we learned that the familiar Coventry Carol was composed in the sixteenth century to commemorate the first martyrs, those baby boys who were slain by Herod's men after he had word that a new King had been born.

All in all, the program reminded us of the real "reason for the season". I hope you take time to remember it, too.

Livestock Market Report

The Nebraska Livestock Market conducted a fat cattle sale on Friday.

The market was \$5 to \$7 lower on fat cattle and steady on cows. There were 300 head sold.

Strictly choice fed steers, \$118 to \$119.50. Good and choice steers, \$115 to \$118. Medium and good steers, \$110 to \$115. Standard steers, \$100 to \$115. Strictly choice

fed heifers, \$118 to \$119.75. Good and choice heifers, \$115 to \$118. Medium and good heifers, \$110 to \$115. Standard heifers, \$75 to \$85.

Beef cows, \$60 to \$65. Utility cows, \$65 to \$70. Canner and cutters, \$55 to \$60. Bologna bulls, \$72 to \$87.25.

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

The market was steady to lower on the 1,200 head sold.

300-400 lb. steers, \$170 to \$190;

heifers, \$160 to \$175.

400-500 lb. steers, \$160 to \$180; heifers, \$150 to \$160.

500-600 lb. steers, \$145 to \$162; heifers, \$145 to \$155.

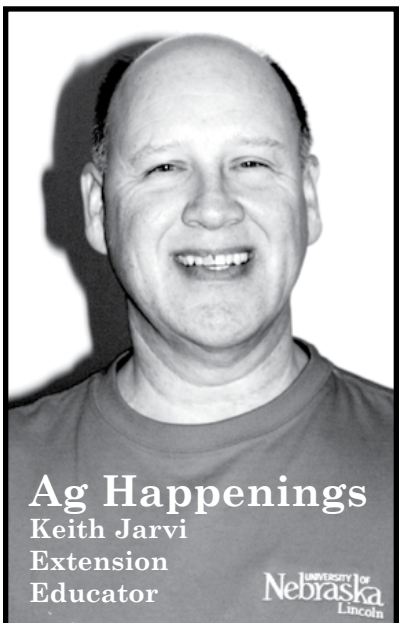
600-700 lb. steers, \$135 to \$152; heifers, \$135 to \$147.

700-800 lb. steers, \$130 to \$143; heifers, \$127 to \$140.

800-900 lb. steers, \$125 to \$135; heifers, \$120 to \$132.

Good bred cows and heifers, \$1,400 to \$1,850.

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Ag Happenings
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Crop production clinics planned in January

Pesticide resistance, crop production updates, and what's new in pest management will be among the topics presented at this year's Crop Production Clinics. The clinics, which will be held at nine sites across the state in January, also include provisions for pesticide applicator recertification.

Other topics being presented by Extension specialists and educators include: soil fertility; soil water and irrigation management; ag business management and policy; pesticide safety; and disease, insect and weed pest management.

The nearest locations for our area are Norfolk on Wednesday, Jan. 18 at the Lifelong Learning Center and at Fremont on Thursday, Jan. 19 at the Midland Event Center. Go to the website <http://cpc.unl.edu> for specific presentation titles at each site. Program topics are tailored to meet the needs of cropping systems in different parts of the state, and vary by location.

For commercial and noncommercial pesticide applicator, this will be the primary venue for you to renew your license in any of the following categories: Ag Plant (01); Regulatory (REG); Demonstration/Research (D/R).

For private pesticide applicators the Crop Production Clinics will serve as a venue to renew your license. Representatives from the Nebraska Department of Agriculture will be present to verify attendance.

Certified Crop Advisors may earn CEUs in the following categories: Integrated Pest Management (6 CEUs); Soil and Water (2 CEUs); Nutrient Management (1 CEU); and Crop Production (3 CEUs).

Attendees can earn six CEUs at a location. Certified Crop Advisors are required to bring their CCA number to apply for CEU credits.

Producers urged to remember conservation compliance in 2012

As farmers plan for next year, Debra Pieper, CED of the Wayne County Farm Service Agency reminds them that it's critical to remain compliant with Highly Erodible Land (HEL) and Wetland Conservation (WC) provisions. HEL and WC compliance must be maintained to remain eligible for multiple farm program benefits.

An approved conservation system must be followed on all highly erodible land planted to an annual crop. Producers must file an AD-1026 form before they break new ground to plant in 2012, or manipulate wetlands by creating new drainage systems, improving existing systems, or clearing trees.

Pieper emphasizes that producers who already have conservation plans in place with the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) should review those plans prior to tillage operations

and ensure the residue or ground-cover requirements will be met. Additionally, producers need to review all highly erodible and wetland determinations on any newly purchased or leased land. Violations of HEL/WC rules can result in costly payment reductions or a complete loss of program benefits from USDA. This includes benefits from the Direct and Counter-cyclical Program (DCP), the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP), the Supplemental Revenue Assistance Program (SURE) and Farm Loan Programs, as well as NRCS conservation programs such as the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) or the Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP).

Farmers and landowners who want to review their plans or those with questions regarding HEL and WC compliance should contact their local FSA or NRCS office.

Central Community notes mid-year graduates

Central Community College of Hastings recognized 143 midyear graduates on Tuesday, Nov. 29 at a graduation reception held in their honor.

Among those involved was Beau R. Lubberstedt of Laurel, who earned an Associate of Applied Science degree in diesel technology;

Troy Davis, an advanced manufacturing design technology instructor at CCC-Hastings, was the keynote speaker. Other speakers were Dr. Greg Smith, college president; Bill Hitesman, campus president; and Dean Moors, executive director of the Central Community College Foundation.



Convention attendee

Bill Claybaugh of Carroll was among members who attended the 2011 Nebraska Farm Bureau Convention in Kearney, Dec. 5-6, at which delegates elected Steve Nelson of Axtell as the new president for the state's largest farm organization. The delegates also adopted policies on state issues and made recommendations on national issues to the American Farm Bureau. Claybaugh is a member of Wayne County Farm Bureau. Others members of Wayne County Farm Bureau who attended the convention were Greg and Malinda Villwok of Randolph and John Temme of Wayne.

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Men's basketball team gives back to community with visits to Tower School

Wayne State College men's basketball players can be found at the ESU No. 1 Tower School in Wayne on a regular basis this fall.

WSC men's basketball coach Paul Combs wanted an opportunity for his athletes to "give back" to the community in some way and through a series of conversations, was put in contact with Chantelle Hoffman, Head Behavior teacher at the school.

The basketball players were then introduced to the 19 students in Hoffman's class and have spent a considerable amount of time interacting with and mentoring the Tower School students.

"The basketball team has been wonderful. Our kids look forward to their visits each week. We worked together for Jump Rope for Heart and we are working on plans for them (basketball players) to be a part of Hoops for Heart next semester," Hoffman said.

The students recently completed their Jump Rope for Heart event and netted \$884 for the American Heart Association. A total of 14 of the Tower School students collected money for the event with Thomas Jensen (\$160), Haley McElwain (\$93) and Emma Matthies (\$91) as the top fundraisers.

Godfather's treated the students to a pizza party after the Jump Rope event.

Students at the school have been

involved in a number of other activities to benefit the community, including picking up trash on several occasions, recycling within the school, and assembling quarterly newsletters for Haven House.

In addition, the students are responsible for daily chores at the school and have other responsibilities throughout the building.

"Our focus with these students is to teach appropriate responses to situations students encounter on a daily basis. We do this by teaching and modeling the Boys Town social skills and using positive reinforcement. We use field trips as a method of providing different contexts to reinforce the skills we teach daily in the classroom," Hoffman said.

Students at the Tower School come from throughout the ESU No. 1's 22-county region as well as from other parts of Nebraska. They arrive at the school for a variety of reasons and the goal is to have the students return to their 'home' school once they complete the program.

"Students can complete the program here at our school in as little as nine weeks. Others may stay for a longer time. Our ultimate goal is to teach our students social skills that allow them to experience success on all levels," Hoffman said.



(above) the students in Chantelle Hoffman's class pose with their Wayne State College men's basketball friends. The group has been meeting with the students on a regular basis this semester and have completed a number of activities together, including the American Heart Association's Jump Rope for Heart. Top fundraisers (right) include Thomas Jensen, first place; Haley McElwain, second place; and Emma Matthies, third place. Additional activities are being planned for the next semester.



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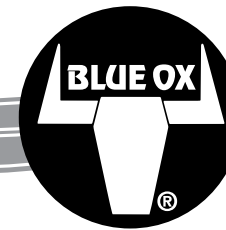
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