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Baseball stays in Wayne High lineup

By CLARA OSTEN
Of the Herald

Following presentations by several persons involved with the program, the Wayne Community Schools Board of Education voted unanimously to continue to offer baseball as a school sponsored extra curricular activity at Wayne High School.

Rocky Ruhl, activities director at Wayne High School, presented the board with numbers indicating how many boys are out for the sport and a cost analysis for the sport.

He indicated that the school has, and will continue to co-op with the Wayne Baseball Association to share some of the costs involved with the sport. He also noted the positive aspects of the sport, including the fact that two of the Wayne High School baseball players have signed letters of intent to play baseball on the college level.

"I don't think we have had the sport long enough to

make a decision on whether or not to get rid of it," Ruhl said.

Board member Ken Jorgensen said he felt offering the sport at the high school level was "as important for the community as it is for the kids. Also, keeping a kid busy keeps them out of trouble. They learn a lot more than just baseball when they are out for the sport."

Adam Hoffman, head coach for the team, told the board that the group has done a number of fundraisers to generate additional funds for the program and will "continue to do whatever we have to do. We plan to represent Wayne the best we can."

Hoffman noted that there are a number of younger players who will move up to high school level in years to come and providing baseball at the school "will give them the opportunity to do something they enjoy."

Steve Lutt, president of the Wayne Baseball Association, spoke to the board on the recent re-organization of the board. It now includes 11 members with representatives of all the teams. The city of Wayne offers

baseball to boys ages 9-18.

"I am excited about what this board has accomplished and we are interested in working with the school. The kids are enjoying themselves and getting to play. I played on the Wayne High School baseball team when I was a freshman in high school, during its last year of existence and am excited to see that it is back," Lutt said.

Following the vote by the board to continue offering the sport, board president Carolyn Linster said, "The board would like to thank the Baseball Association for all that they have done, and a special thanks to Jeff and Jackie Zeiss for all they have done."

In other action, the board approved Thursday, May 17 as the last day of school for the 2011-2012 school year. School will be dismissed at noon that day.

Superintendent Mark Lenihan told the board that due to a number of factors, including the fact that the district has had no snow days and the school day has been extended by 10 minutes, the students have at-

tended classes considerably more than the state-recommended time.

During a facilities report, Travis Meyer, head of maintenance at the school, reported that during this week's meeting with the construction contractors, discussion was centered on the wrap-up phases of construction. He noted that painting is taking place in several rooms in the junior high addition, sprinkler systems have been installed in one-half of the high school and work is already beginning on what will be the kindergarten restrooms at the current Middle School.

The Wayne Education Boosters presented the district with a check for \$12,000 during the Honor Coffee. The money represents the proceeds from a number of fundraisers conducted by students and parents this year. The money will assist with the purchase of playground equipment to be installed at the new Wayne Elementary School location this summer.

The board will next meet in regular session on Monday, May 14 at 5 p.m. at the High School.



(Photos by Michael Carnes)

Brass In Blue

The United States Air Force Heartland of America Band's Brass In Blue ensemble wowed the crowd at Ramsey Theater on the campus of Wayne State College on Thursday, performing a number of fantastic songs. In the photo above, the entire ensemble opened the evening's performance with their rendition of the Star-Spangled Banner. In the photo at right, Airman 1st Class Kristin J. Cazenave solos while wearing a sombrero. The free concert was sponsored by The Wayne Herald and Morning Shopper.



Council debates sewer change order

By CLARA OSTEN
Of the Herald

More than a half an hour was spent debating a change order for a sewer project in the Benscoter Addition of Wayne during Tuesday's meeting of the Wayne City Council.

The item was tabled at the council's April 3 meeting to allow time for the project engineer to evaluate the additional costs.

City Administrator Lowell Johnson said the original project was put on hold at the city's request, while funding for the hotel project was completed. This, and the fact that when the project moved forward, an additional 500 linear feet of sewer line and manholes were installed in what was originally designed to be Phase II of the project, resulted in a considerable increase in the cost of the project.

Lou Benscoter, with Benscoter Construction, the contractor for the project, told the council that after the project was put on hold, other projects were undertaken by his firm and when the city was ready to begin the project again, the short deadline required that he hire a subcontractor to complete it on time.

"I don't want to blame anyone for what has happened. Mistakes were made, but I just want to move on. I am trying to get along (with the city). I feel I was doing what

was best for the city and the motel and don't feel that I should be punished," Benscoter said.

Council member Dale Alexander questioned the fact that the Benscoter bid for the project was considerably lower than that submitted by other contractors and the change order increases that number considerably.

"I am okay with some of these changes, but not all. I think that if the city was going to ask for a delay in the project we (the council) should have been made aware of this," Alexander said.

Council member Doug Sturm said he felt the \$2,800 change order (the amount that the city will be responsible for), "is one of the cheapest change orders we have had in projects we have done. I don't know why there are so many questions over this issue."

Following the debate the council voted 6-2 to allow for the change order. Council members Jon Haase and Brian Frevort voted against it.

In other action the council approved a resolution which approves a reserve contract with Western Area Power Administration (WAPA).

The city has had an agreement with the group since 1997. The current contract ex-

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Construction beginning on Highway 15 project

Road construction will take place beginning Thursday on Nebraska Highway 15 south of Wayne.

The Nebraska Department of Roads reported that bridge repair work will be done on the highway 11 miles south of Wayne, or about four miles north of the intersection of Highway 15 and U.S.

Highway 275.

The project is expected to take about a month to complete, and work will be done under a one-lane, signaled work zone with temporary signage noting the construction area.

Drivers are encouraged to use caution in the construction area.

Funny guy returns to Wayne

Pat Janssen left Wayne five years ago after graduating from Wayne State and working for over a year as the sports and news director at KTCH. This week, he will return to the area to showcase his work in a new career field.

Janssen, now a professional comedian, will perform two shows in northeast Nebraska alongside friend and fellow comedian Glen Tickle.

Janssen and Tickle will present a stand-up show at The Max in downtown Wayne on Friday at 10:30 p.m. The two will also perform their hit live show, "Pretending to be on TV" at the Coleridge Community Building on Saturday at 6:30 p.m. Tickets for the Friday show can be purchased at the door. Saturday tickets, which must be purchased in advance by calling (402) 640-3447, include a dinner.

Janssen, a 2006 Wayne State alumnus, took over the reins as the sports and news director at KTCH in the spring of 2005. He left KTCH to pursue a broadcasting and media relations internship with the Winston-Salem Warthogs, a minor league affiliate of the Chicago White Sox.

"I went from making a living at KTCH to pulling in \$100 a month with the Warthogs," Janssen said. "It was tough, but I had it in my mind that I was going to be the next big sports broadcaster."

That thought was short-lived, however. Janssen left broadcasting upon getting married, choosing instead to work in athletic media relations. He held jobs with Virginia Commonwealth University and the



(Courtesy photo)

Former KTCH news and sports director Pat Janssen is now a stand-up comedian and will perform in Wayne on Friday night.

Patriot League, but he still felt something was missing.

"I had been wanting to do stand-up for as long as I can remember," Janssen said. "But it wasn't something that seemed realistic. Finally, I ripped the band-aid off and decided to go to an open mic in Pennsylvania. The initial idea was to keep it fun and not take it too seriously, but I'm competitive, and once I was in it, I decided this was what I really wanted to do."

While living in Pennsylvania, Janssen commuted to New York on weekends to perform at comedy clubs. Last year, Janssen and his wife, Winside-native Emma Burris-Janssen, chose to take the pursuit of their dreams one step further. Burris-Janssen elected to pursue a PhD in English, while Janssen would take his talents to New York full time.

"Emma was admitted to the University of New Hampshire, while I was heading to New York," Janssen said. "It has been tough at times, but I spend a lot of my time up there with her. Sometimes it's nice to be able to get away from the city."

"Emma's support of what I do has meant so much," Janssen said of his wife. "Without her support, I simply wouldn't be able to do what I'm doing. She has my back, and she knows that I have hers."

Janssen also spends a lot of his time on the road with Tickle. The two have been performing stand-up together for nearly three years.

"Glen is not only one of my favorite comedians to perform with; he is one of my favorite comics, period. I really respect his unique take on things, and I absolutely love working with him. He's talented, smart, and a heck of a writer."

The pair's biggest project to date has been "Pretending to be on TV," which the two have been producing since September. Saturday's show in Coleridge will give northeast Nebraskans a chance to witness the comedy duo's unique live show. "Pretend-

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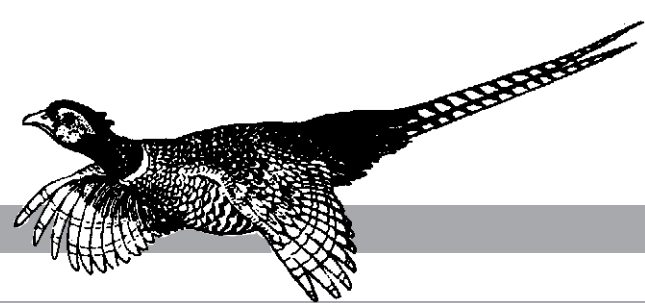
(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Campaign stop

David Copple, candidate for University of Nebraska Board of Regents, listens to Adam Endicott during a campaign stop in Wayne Tuesday afternoon. Listening in on the conversation (center) is Bill Reeg. About 50 people were in attendance during the late-afternoon visit.

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Obituaries

Cory Mildenstein

Cory Mildenstein, 49, of Sioux City, Iowa, drowned in the Atlantic Ocean near Aquadilla, Puerto Rico on Wednesday, April 4. He was on a Temporary Duty assignment for the 185th Air National Guard of Sioux City.



Services were held Monday, April 16 at Grace United Methodist in Sioux City, Iowa. Burial was in Cushing Cemetery in Cushing, Iowa.

Cory was the fourth child born to Beverly (Afinson) and Marlen Mildenstein in Cherokee, Iowa. The family moved to Morningside in Sioux City and Cory attended Whittier and East High School graduating in 1981. Cory loved working on cars and riding his motorcycle through Morningside. Cory married Kathy Nice in 1985 and raised her daughter, Amber, born in 1984 as his own. He enlisted in the U.S. Air Force in October 1985. Following graduation from Basic Training, he attended the Electronic Warfare Systems Specialist Course and was then assigned to George Air Force Base, Calif. Cory and Kathy had a daughter, April, in 1986 and a son, Zac, in 1990. The family moved back to Sioux City. Cory worked at Gateway 2000, Quality Auto Finish and started working at Sioux Tools in 1993 and worked there till the company closed. Cory worked as a handyman in Sioux City.

He joined the Iowa Air National Guard in October 2005 and was named honor graduate of his Structural Maintenance course. Mildenstein previously deployed to Bagram, Afghanistan as part of the Iowa Air National Guard Civil Engineering team in 2011. Cory was proud to serve his country like his father before him. Cory always had a smile on his face and space in his heart for everyone. He was very proud of his children Amber, April and Zac. He loved spending time with family and friends and he was always willing to help with a home repair or car project. He was also an avid Vikings football fan. Cory's son, Zac, is a freshman at Wayne State College. Cory planned to marry and live with Maureen Carrigg in Wayne.

Survivors include his father and mother, Marlen and Beverly Mildenstein, of Sioux City; daughters, Amber (Justin) Nice-Pier of Abilene, Texas; April Olson of Sioux City; son, Zachary Mildenstein of Wayne; brother, Ricky (Cecelia) of LeMars, Iowa; sisters Sheryl Mildenstein of LeMars; Marcia (William) McDeavitt of Florida; grandchildren Kaylee, J.D. and Ethan; his fiancé, Maureen Carrigg, of Wayne and several close cousins, nieces, nephews, aunts, and uncles.

He was preceded in death by his brother, Barry, both maternal and paternal grandparents, and his dog, Alex.

Arrangements by Christy Smith Funeral Home in Sioux City.

Kenneth Hamm

Kenneth F. Hamm, 77, of Fremont, died Thursday, April 12, 2012 at an Omaha care center.

Services will be held Thursday, April 19 at 10 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Fremont, with the Rev. Michael McGregor officiating. Visitation will be Wednesday, April 18 from 3 to 8 p.m. with the family present from 6 to 8 at Dugan Funeral Chapel in Fremont.

Kenneth F. Hamm was born in Carroll, to John and Phyllis (Lorenz) Hamm on Oct. 2, 1934. He graduated from Winside High School in 1952. Ken graduated from Wayne State Teachers College in 1957 and then served in the Army for two years before starting his teaching career. He moved to Fremont in 1964 where he taught special education math and science until his retirement in 1992. Ken received his masters degree in special education from the University of Nebraska in Lincoln. He was also devoted to coaching in the Special Olympics athletic programs and made lifelong relationships with many other teachers and students. After retirement Ken enjoyed traveling to many exotic destinations all over the world and could be found doing odd jobs for his many friends and neighbors. Kenneth was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his fiancé, Betty Seaman; two daughters, Rhonda Krause-Vasquez (John) of Loveland, Colo. and Gwendolyn Dillow (David) of St. Louis, Mo.; one brother, John Hamm Jr. (Betty) of San Jacinto, Calif. and a sister, Susan Siefken (Rich) of Wayne; five grandchildren, Erin Krause, Chase Krause, Keeton Krause, Megan Dillow, Blake Dillow and a great-grandson, Kamden Krause.

Memorials have been established to the First United Methodist Church and Special Olympics. Condolences may be left at www.duganchapel.com.

Graveside services were held Thursday, April 19 at Hillcrest Cemetery in Norfolk, Nebraska. Dugan Funeral Chapel in Fremont is in charge of arrangements.

James Hypse

James F. Hypse, 84, of Spencer, Iowa, formerly of Wakefield, died Saturday, April 14, 2012, at Longhouse Residence Nursing Home in Spencer, Iowa.

Services will be held Tuesday, April 17, at 11 a.m. at Grace United Methodist Church in Spencer. Pastor Chuck Kellogg will officiate. A committal service will be held Wednesday, April 18 at 10:30 a.m. at the Wakefield Cemetery in Wakefield.

James "Jim" Franklin Hypse, the son of Taniel and Frances Brown Hypse, was born April 2, 1928, in Wakefield, and graduated from Wakefield High School in 1946. Jim then attended St. Louis School of Mortuary Science in 1949. In 1951, Jim served in Grave Registration of the U.S. Army in Korea until he was honorably discharged in 1952 as a 2nd Lieutenant. He graduated from Wayne State College in 1954. He received his Masters of Education from Greeley, Colo. in 1958. On May 29, 1955, Jim married Barbara Morey in Wayne. He taught school at Sentral of Fenton, Iowa, and Spencer, Iowa Community Schools, and was Principal of Spencer Junior High from 1965-1975, and then returned to the classroom until his retirement in 1990. Jim was a founding member of Daybreakers Kiwanis. He was also a member of the American Legion, Methodist Men and LaDanza Dance Club. His enjoyment was high school sports, Husker football and the St. Louis Cardinals.

Survivors include his wife, Barbara of Spencer, Iowa; one son, Don and Terri Hypse of Wayne; one daughter, Nancy Purscell of Papillion; three granddaughters, Amy Hypse of Columbus, and Alexis and Allysen Purscell of Papillion; one brother-in-law, Verl Morey of Skelton, other relatives and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents. Local arrangements at the Wakefield Cemetery, were under the direction of Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.



This photo shows one of the areas where the barb wire was cut on fences belong to Jack and Bev Beeson.

Vandals sought in fence cutting incidents

By CLARA OSTEN
Of the Herald

Not once, but at least three times in the last month vandals have cut barb wire fences on property owned by Jack and Bev Beeson northeast of Wayne.

The Beesons first noticed fences cut on March 13 when their cattle were found out on the county road.

At that time fences were cut in at least three spots along the same fence. An electric fencer was stolen, as was some copper wiring.

"It looked like someone wanted our cattle to get out," Jack said. "After we found the first spot (where the wire was cut), we found wire cut in two more spots about a half mile north of the first spot. There were no tracks anywhere."

After contacting the Wayne County Sheriff's Office, the area was patrolled for several days, but no other incidents were discovered.

When the Beesons were returning home from church on March 25, they took a different route to their home. At that time they found that two more barb wire gates had been cut. These were not cut during the first incident.

On April 4, wire was cut in two more locations and again there were no tracks to give law enforcement any leads.

"We just want this to stop," Beeson said.

Anyone with information that could be helpful in the case is asked to contact the Wayne County Sheriff's Office at (402) 375-1911.

Candi Jareske Benefit to be held April 22

A soup and sandwich benefit for Candi Jareske will be held Sunday, April 22 at the Wayne National Guard Armory.

Soup, sandwiches and bars will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. for a free will donation.

A bake sale and silent auction will be held at the same time.

For those wishing to make a monetary donation, a special account for donations has been set up at F&M Bank in Wayne.

Candi has Multiple Sclerosis and all the proceeds will be used to help defray medical expenses...

Supplement Funds will be provided by Thrivent Financial for Lutherans.

A Quick Look



Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Apr. 12	58	28	—	—
Apr. 13	49	42	.54"	—
Apr. 14	68	39	—	—
Apr. 15	73	39	1.11"	—
Apr. 16	68	41	.10"	—
Apr. 17	53	38	—	—
Apr. 18	74	40	.18"	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — 1.93" Yr./Date — 4.23"
Seasonal snow — 12"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, April 20 at the Wayne Community Activity Center. It will be hosted by the Wayne TeamMates in conjunction with this year's One Hour Walk. The coffee on Friday, April 27 will be held at the Wayne High School to honor the 2012 graduates. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.



Carroll American Legion

CARROLL — The Carroll American Legion Auxiliary will meet Tuesday, April 24 at 1:30 p.m. at the Carroll Library. Ruth Paulsen will be the hostess.

Honors Night

WAYNE — Wayne High School will hold its 22nd annual Honors Night on Friday, April 27 at 6:30 p.m. in the High School F.R. Haun Lecture Hall. Academic letter awards, National Honor Society membership and scholarship recognition will be included in the evening's activities. Non-scholarship awards will be given from 6:30 to 7:15 p.m. Scholarship Awards will be presented after a short intermission at approximately 7:30 p.m.

Scout Paper Drive

WAYNE — Wayne Boy Scouts will conduct their monthly paper drive on Saturday, April 21. 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.



It's A Zoo At Winside Elementary

In an attempt to celebrate reading, Winside Public School librarian Mrs. Kristy Wittler arranged for Magical Paradise to present a program at Winside Elementary School. Deb Vesely and David King from Central City own and operate this Magical Paradise which showcased 30 different animals, including the African crested porcupine, parrots, various snakes, hedgehogs, lizards, a large tortoise, and other fascinating animals. Here, Deb Vesely introduces the boys and girls to the ring-tailed lemur.

Titiml participating in McDonald's worldwide singing event next week

Kendall Titiml of Wayne is in Florida this week to prepare for the Voice of McDonald's international singing contest.

Titiml, an employee at the McDonald's restaurant in Wayne, is one of 16 worldwide finalists who will perform during the company's worldwide convention next week in Orland, Fla. He is in Florida this week working with vocal coaches in preparation for next week's competition.

The competition began last summer, and Titiml was announced as one of the global semifinalists last fall. The winner of the contest will receive a \$25,000 first prize.

There is still time to vote for Titiml and show support for his efforts. Local residents can vote for Titiml on the Voice of McDonald's website at www.voiceofmcdonalds.com.

Wayne County Republican Party plans upcoming coffees

The Republican Party of Wayne County will be host to neighborhood coffees prior to the Primary Election on Tuesday, May 15.

Candidates and/or incumbents within Wayne County seeking an elected office on a local town board, school board, city council, county office and/or state office are encouraged to attend these coffees to visit with their respective constituents. Information will be available on those seeking the office of U.S.

Senator seat currently held by Ben Nelson.

All of the coffees are open to the public, without cost.

Saturday, April 28 from 9:30 – 11 a.m. at Jensen's Café, Main Street Winside (The group will hold a business meeting this same date in Winside which is open to the public).

Friday, May 4 at 10 a.m. at First National Bank Meeting Room in Wayne (this is the weekly Wayne Chamber Coffee that the group is hosting).

Saturday, May 5 at 9 a.m. at Elkhorn Valley Bank, Main Street in Hoskins.

Saturday, May 12 from 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. at Rooster's Bar & Grill, Main Street in Carroll.

The Wayne County Convention will be held on Saturday, June 2 at the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street in Wayne. All registered Republicans in Wayne County are welcome to attend.

The Nebraska Republican Party State Convention will be held in Grand Island on Friday and Saturday, July 13-14. Wayne County Delegates to attend the State Convention will be selected at the Wayne County Convention on June 2.

Anyone needing more information is asked to contact County Chairman Bud Neel at (402) 369-1873.

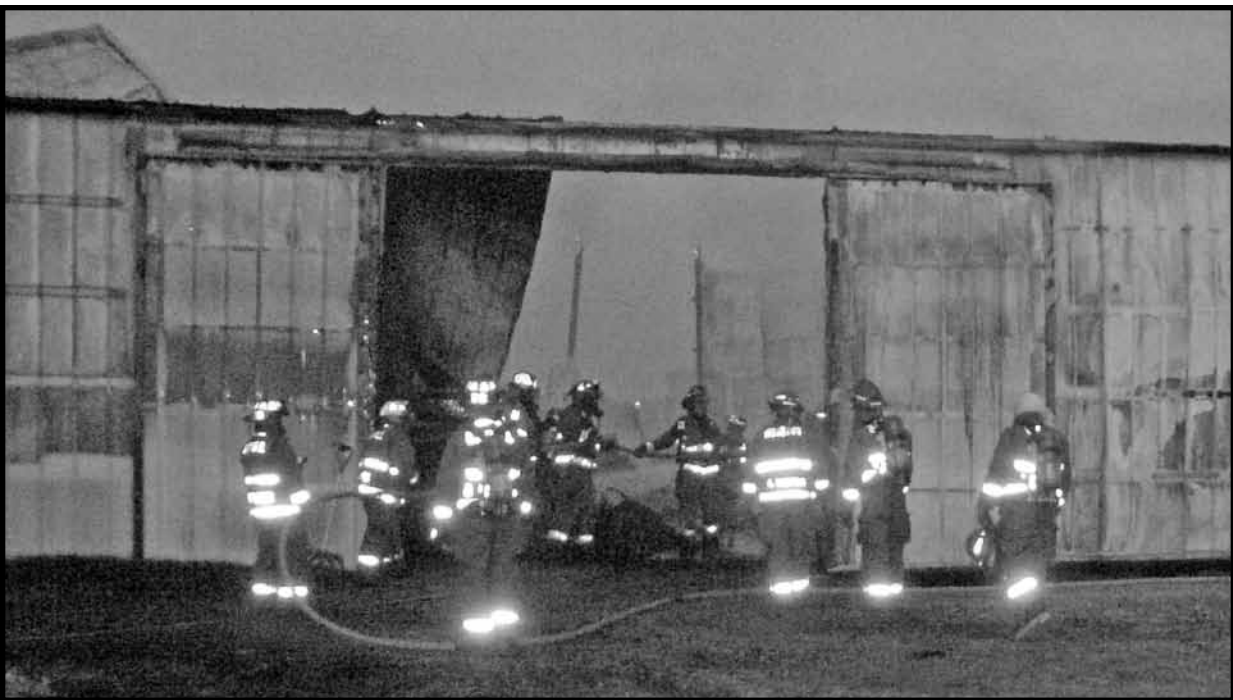
Piano recital to feature WSC musicians

Amy Seibert, Interim Piano Instructor at Wayne State College, and Phil Pfaltzgraff, WSC Staff Accompanist, will present a piano recital on Friday evening, April 27 at 7:30 p.m. in Ley Theater. The theater is located on the second floor of the Brandenburg Education Building.

Also participating in the recital will be Connie Webber (former WSC voice faculty), Kathi Angerth (adjunct string teacher at WSC) and Karl Kolbeck (WSC Woodwind Teacher).

The recital will present the "Music by Female Composers". Included in the recital will be music by Julia Perry, Clara Schumann, Margaret Bonds, Florence Price, Mary Frances Auderheide and Amy Beach.

The public is invited to attend the recital.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Machine shed ablaze

Firefighters from Winside, Carroll, Hoskins and Wayne battled a machine shed fire Friday evening southeast of Winside. Shortly after 7 p.m. Winside Volunteer Fire Department was called to the Steve Heinemann residence, where a machine shed was engulfed in flames. By the time they arrived on scene, the roof of the building had collapsed. They were assisted by Carroll, Hoskins and Wayne departments, as well as the Wayne County Sheriff's Office. According to Winside Fire Chief Don Skokan, the cause of the blaze is still under investigation but appears to be accidental in nature. The machine shed and its contents were a total loss. Skokan praised the work of all those involved in fighting the blaze. No one was injured in the incident.

Dr. Recob gets New Physician Award

Dr. Samuel Recob recently received the prestigious Charles F. Ashby New Family Physician Scholarship and Award.

This scholarship is given in Dr. Ashby's memory on a yearly basis to two new Nebraska Academy of Family Physicians practicing in Nebraska. The intent of the scholarship is to assist new family physicians as they begin their Family Medicine practice in Nebraska.

Dr. Patrick Hotovy, National Academy Family Physician Foundation President, presented Dr. Recob with the award at the NAFF banquet on March 30. The event was held in conjunction with the Academy's 64th Annual Meeting



Dr. Samuel Recob

and Scientific Assembly in Lincoln at the Holiday Inn Downtown. Dr. Recob's wife, Jessica, attended the

banquet with Dr. Recob.

Dr. Recob joined the American Academy of Family Physicians/Nebraska Academy of Family Physicians in July of 2011.

Today, family physicians provide more care for America's underserved and rural populations than any other medical specialty. Family medicine's cornerstone is an ongoing, personal patient-physician relationship focused on integrated care.

Dr. Recob practices at Laurel and Wayne Mercy Medical Clinics and has been with the group since January 2010.

Dr. Aaron Lanik of Hebron also received the award.

(Photo by Clara Osten)

Relay For Life

Michelle Shkolnick, Nebraska's Hero of Hope for the American Cancer Society's Relay For Life, spoke in Wayne on Monday. With her are the co-chairs of this year's Wayne Relay, Pam Albin and Courtney Volk. A survivor lunch on Sunday, May 20 will precede this year's Relay. Anyone wishing to be a part of it is asked to contact Mandi Bencoter at (402) 369-2584 or e-mail mbencoter@digiblue.com.



Local organization formed to create P.R.I.D.E. in Winside

Winside's newest organization, P.R.I.D.E. was the brainchild of Joni Jaeger, Anna Janke, Jenni Topp, Brooke Mann and Mary Lou George.

The group began its work in June of 2011 with concerns that the community needed a number of improvements. In the months that followed members researched options to set up the organization and prioritize what they wanted to do. They determined that the name P.R.I.D.E. be an acronym to stand for what the organization was to represent:

- P — modernize the Park;
- R — modernize the Recreation areas;
- I — promote Industry;
- D — community service Development;
- E — promote Education for all ages.

"Our first undertaking is modernizing our village park. We are looking at updating the park equipment, shelter and replacing bathrooms," said Jaeger, president of the group.

The group will kick off the new organization at the Winside Public School's Elementary Spring Concert on Monday, April 30.

"We would like to get equipment for children under the age of six years and some for those seven years and older. We will have pictures of some sample playground equipment and would like to get the opinions of some of the children," Jaeger said.

The children will be able to vote on pieces of equipment that will be displayed at the school. Prices will also be included to allow community members an idea of the amount needed to be raised.

The P.R.I.D.E. organization's first fundraiser will be selling cases of 20-ounce Pepsi products and Gaterade for \$25 and cases of water for \$15. These will allow supporters the opportunity to stock their shelves

before summer activities begin.

Sales of these items will begin at the April 30 concert and continue for two weeks. Products will be available for pick-up at the school on Tuesday, May 15 during the Elementary Track and Field Day.

Those interested may also donate through an account that has been set up at the Winside State Bank. Giving levels include: Platinum Level — \$2,500 or more; Gold Level — \$1,500-\$2,499; Silver Level — \$500-\$1,499; Bronze Level — \$250-\$499 and Associate Level — \$1-\$249.

The group has created a brochure that contains additional information in regard to donations.

"Another possibility for donations to the organization is through a Grain Contract. Farmers can do-

nate bushels of corn or soybeans through the Winside Farmers' Coop or arrangements can be made with other local elevators," Jaeger said. She is the contact person for anyone seeking additional information.

"We, as members, are proud of our community and want to share the PRIDE with everyone," Jenni Topp said.

New members are welcome to become a part of the organization.

For more information or to become involved, contact: Jaeger at (402) 286-4553 (jseeds@nntc.net); Jenni Topp (vice president) at (402) 286-4478 (jatopp72@msn.com); Anna Janke (treasurer) at (402) 286-4788 (dajanke@nntc.net) or Brooke Mann (secretary) at (402) 286-1286 (cbmsjman@nntc.com).

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Tyson Koehn and Dani Bice stand beside the farm mural they created on the office wall of Tom Hansen, CPA in downtown Wayne. (below) Michelle Olsem stands next to the portrait of a World War II veteran that was also created in the CPA office.

Wayne State students show artistic skills for Service-Learning Project

Three Wayne State College students from the Art and Design Department at Wayne State College will unveil their artwork during a public reception on Thursday, April 26 from 6-to-8 p.m. at the office of Tom Hansen, C.P.A. in downtown Wayne.

Wayne State students Dani Bice of Cherokee, Iowa; Tyson Koehn of Pierce and Michelle Olsem of Dundee, Minn. have been working on a Service-Learning Project throughout the spring semester and are ready to unveil their work to the public.

Their work includes two murals — a portrait of a Medal of Honor awardee who served in WWII and an aerial view of a farmstead south of Wayne. Tom Hansen of Tom Hansen, C.P.A. commissioned the work as part of a Service-Learning project at Wayne State College. The students were eager to have an opportunity to work in the community and in a different type of classroom space.

Coordination and supervision came from art professor Marlene Mueller who provided a Special Projects class so that the students could receive college credit. Tuition was covered by the client and a Service-Learning grant paid for materials.

During the opening reception at the Tom Hansen, C.P.A. office the students will make a presentation about the murals at 6:30 p.m. and refreshments will be served. The event is free and open to the public.

"All parties from the college wish to thank Mr. Hansen for his support of this important educational opportunity for the students. Institutional funding provides



support for Service-Learning at Wayne State College," Professor Mueller said.

For more information on the project, contact Marlene Mueller at (402) 375-7513. This project is a service-learning effort for students. Institutional funding provides support for Service-Learning at Wayne State College. For questions about Service-Learning at Wayne State, contact Lisa Nelson, Service-Learning Coordinator at (402) 375-7182.

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Tanner Schopke and Laura Anderson are now taking graphic design. Here they are posing with Jacob Slobodnik, who spoke to the class about the wall graphic project.

New wall graphic to show school's history

As part of the exciting new addition to the Wayne Junior and Senior High School, a 40 foot-by-9 foot wall graphic showcasing the history of the Wayne school system will be included in the new entryway.

Working closely with the architect, Carlson West Povondra Architects, the Wayne High School graphic design class is looking for images representing a wide array of years dating back to 1869, the start of Wayne schools. The images could range from historic buildings, to championship teams, to classroom images, to homecomings, etc.

"Our goal is to capture the essence of the Wayne school system through the years. The challenge will be to find images from the early years, so dust off those old photo books and look for your chance to be a part of the new Wayne Junior and Senior High School," said Amy Jackson, graphics design teacher at

Wayne High School.

"We would love to have images from both Wayne and Carroll schools. Having the school in Carroll is an important part of our community history," Jackson added.

Along with each photo, please include the date and a brief description which will be included as part of the timeline. The deadline to drop images off is Friday, May 4. Please include a self-addressed stamped envelope for return of photos. The success of the timeline depends on images from the community.

Images can be dropped off at the Wayne High School office c/o Mrs. Jackson, or mailed to Carlson West Povondra Architects c/o Jake Slobodnik, 5060 Dodge Street, Omaha, Neb. 68132 or e-mailed to jslobodnik@cwparchitects.com.

Anyone with questions is asked to contact Slobodnik at (402) 551-1500.

Funny

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ing to be on TV" is performed in the format of a late-night television talk show, minus the television. The duo performs an opening monologue and comedic skits, while also interviewing guests of interest. In keeping with the television theme, the show is kept "TV clean."

"Glen came up with fantastic idea," Janssen said. "As comedians, we're always looking for something different to do. This is definitely different, but it's also a familiar format that people can enjoy."

Friday's show at The Max will be

a traditional stand-up comedy format with uncensored material.

Janssen and Tickle both began doing comedy in Bethlehem, Pa., and have since worked together throughout the country, including in New York, where both are comedy veterans.

"People who remember me from KTCH might be a bit surprised," Janssen said. "But it's all true and authentic to who I am. It's going to be a fun time. I haven't ever been more excited to perform than I am for this weekend."

County discusses, radio, video needs

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Technology dominated the conversation for much of the morning Tuesday as the Wayne County Commissioners discussed two-way radios and courtroom videoconferencing.

The board discussed the possibility of bidding out new narrow-band radio equipment to replace about 60 radios currently in use by county personnel.

Board members talked with county emergency manager Nic Kemnitz about moving forward with asking for bids on radios, noting that the county must have narrow-band equipment in place by the first of next year.

The board has the option of upgrading to narrow band or digital radio equipment, and board members have discussed making the move to digital to avoid having to purchase new radios if the federal government mandates an upgrade in equipment in the future.

Some of the county's radios are narrow-band

compatible, and board member Kelvin Wurde- man said using those radios would prevent the county from being able to purchase digital radios at this time.

"If we stay with our radios, digital is out of the equation," he said.

Board member Jim Rabe said that it could be a problem if there isn't a uniform radio system in place. If some have digital and some have narrow-band radios, communication could prove to be difficult.

"You're going to wonder who you can talk to and who you can't," he said. "We're going to have to get our ducks in a row so that, when companies bid, they know what they're bidding on."

Kemnitz said he could talk with the Cedar County emergency manager to get some input as to how to write up a proposal that has the technical specifications the county needs to upgrade their equipment.

The county also talked with Deb Allemann-Dannelly, clerk of the district court, about the possibility of making videoconferencing technol-

ogy available in the county's courtroom.

A grant is available that would assist in the purchase of computer and video equipment that would allow the county to take advantage of videoconferencing technology, which could help save the county money in transportation costs relating to bringing prisoners to and from the courthouse for court hearings.

"Other counties have remodeled their court- rooms to take advantage of the technology, and Judge (Robert) Ensz told me it's going to be the way of the future," she told the board.

Sheriff LeRoy Janssen said that the exact sys- tem that is in use varies from county to county, and he would like to see a uniform system in place that would be used by all entities involved.

"Pierce may have one system and Pender might use Skype, and somebody is going to have to come up with a system that's acceptable to everybody," he said.

Due to a disaster exercise, the county board's next meeting has been moved to Wednesday, May 2 at 9 a.m. in the county board's chambers.

Sewer

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pires on Dec. 31, 2020; however the new contract will extend the power contract to 2050. It will have no effect on the contract rate of delivery.

The city also received a check during Tuesday's meeting. The \$16,904.97 represents the dividends that were earned through Employers Mutual Company's Municipality Safety Dividend Program.

Cap Peterson with Northeast Nebraska Insurance, explained the safety program and told the council that the city of Wayne has received dividend checks in 14 of the last 18 years.

Council members also approved the LB840 Advisory Committee's recommendation to loan the city of Wayne \$160,000 to create a permanent new home construction revolving loan fund. The money will be used for incentives to build new homes in the community.

Resolution 2012-33 received unanimous approval from the council.

It will allow the city to apply for assistance from the Nebraska Emergency Management Agency's Hazard Mitigation Grant Program for the purchasing and replacing of the city's nearly 30 year-old siren system.

Under the grant, the city would be responsible for 25 percent of the cost of the new system.

The council will next meet in regular session on Tuesday, May 1 at 5:30 p.m.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Mayor Ken Chamberlain (left) receives a check from Cap Peterson of Northeast Nebraska Insurance for a dividend the city earned through its Municipality Safety Dividend Program through Employers Mutual Company.

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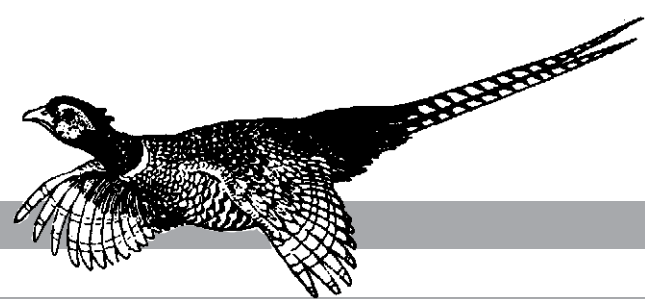


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Sports

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Wayne State rugger Kellen Wells takes off for the try zone during the second half of Wayne State's 44-7 win over Texas-Dallas in the NSCRO West Regional semifinals.

Rugby's title hopes fall short in regional

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Wayne State's hopes for its first appearance in rugby's version of the Final Four were blown away by a stiff spring breeze and a tough California varsity squad.

The Wildcat Rugby club squad reached the finals of the West Regional of the National Small College Rugby Organization's Div. III tournament Sunday at Wayne Rugby Park, but the Wayne State squad didn't have enough firepower to overcome a physical team from California-Maritime, as the Keelhaulers pulled away in the second half for a 29-12 win, ending the Wildcats' 18-2 season one match short of a trip to the national semifinals.

While the final outcome was not what coach Darrin Barner had hoped for, he praised his team's effort in the losing battle.

"The two best teams in the United States met here today," he said. "Cal-Maritime is a full varsity program going up against our club team, which put us at a dis-

advantage. Our team put out an amazing effort, and I'm proud of how the guys fought hard all the way to the end."

Before the match, Barner said it would be important for Wayne State to take advantage of its quick backline and offset the power of the Keelhaulers' scrum.

Unfortunately, the visitors wasted little time in establishing their dominance in the game with its solid scrum, which was able to push the action 20-30 yards upfield several times throughout the match, putting the California team in position to dominate play at Wayne State's end of the pitch.

"Their scrum, for sure, was tough in the first half," Barner said. "We weren't going to win too many of those on offense. Their backs are very strong and big, and they had the better offensive line and had the ball on offense more, which made it tough for us to score."

The Keelhaulers scored a pair of tries in the first 30 minutes of the game, but the Wildcats had a glimmer

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Taking for granted what outsiders like about our region

Sometimes, you don't realize just how good you've got it until you see it through somebody else's eyes.

This past weekend, the Wayne State Rugby Club played host to the West Regional finals of the National Small College Rugby Organization's Div. III tournament. And while hopes for a first-ever trip to rugby's version of the Final Four were dashed in Sunday's championship game by California-Maritime, the opportunity to experience some of what makes Northeast Nebraska the wonderful area that it is was something that was warmly received by at least one out-of-town guest.

I had the pleasure of joining some of the Wayne State ruggers as they hosted the team from Puget South University out of Washington. Part of Sunday's post-tournament enjoyment was a trip to Bob's Bar in Martinsburg (where the french fries are piled so high and the cheeseburgers are so big it's worth the drive from anywhere), and I got to ride up with NSCRO organizer Stephen Cohen and UPS coach Tobin Ropes, who marveled at scenery that we, as Ne-

From The Bleachers

Michael Carnes



braskans, take for granted.

Whether it was the yet-to-be-planted farmland, driving through small towns like Allen or Wakefield or the "UFO" out back of Euni's Palace in Dixon, the UPS coach took great delight in the kind of scenery we have to offer here in this little corner of the world (and, as the picture of the UPS team in front of the UFO shows, they obviously had a lot of fun during their stay here in Wayne, America).

Another thing he noted was the friendly nature of the people and the hospitality. Again, this is something that we probably take for

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

It takes a steady hand and a keen eye to hit a small target, and Kylie Licking of Mullen has her sights set on a target during the 4-H BB Gun and Air Rifle state championships Saturday in Wayne.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Members of the Puget Sound University team pose in front of the UFO behind Euni's Palace in Dixon during a stop on their tour of the area during last weekend's rugby regional tournament.

Coaches looking for leader at quarterback

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Dan McLaughlin is looking for a few good men.

Specifically, he is hoping one individual will step up and position themselves as the number one quarterback for the Wayne State football team by the time the 2012 season opens this September.

With this Saturday's 11 a.m. spring game on the horizon, there is a good battle going on at quarterback that the coaching staff is keeping a close watch on this spring.

Last year, Cyle Schultz suffered a season-ending broken hip on the third play of the game, forcing backups Nate Most and Evan Johnson to split duties for most of the season. Most eventually played in every game, completing 50.2 percent of his passes for 1,455 yards and 12 touchdowns.

"We're seeing ourselves in the

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Wayne State offensive coordinator John McMenamin is hoping a leader will emerge at quarterback for the Wildcats this spring.

Taking aim State's sharpshooters gather for meet in Wayne

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

A steady hand and a sharp eye were in high demand this past weekend at the Wayne Community Activity Center.

Some of the top young shooters from all over the state invaded Wayne Saturday and Sunday for the 2012 Nebraska State 4-H BB Gun and Air Rifle Championships. The Wayne Sharpshooters hosted the tournament for the third time in eight years, with more than 130 kids from all over the state trying their sharpshooting skills in BB gun and air rifle competition.

The event is a two-part competition that not only tests the kids' skills, but their knowledge of gun safety, according to Darin Greunke, match director for the state meet. Before the shooting competition, kids are given a written exam on gun safety.

"The written exam is probably tougher on the kids than the shooting," he said. "Shooting is something they can do every day, but they probably don't want to be studying for a test every day."

Gun safety is something that every kid should learn, Greunke said, and the competition is a great opportunity for kids to compete and learn more about how to conduct themselves around guns, no matter what type.

"It's really a lifetime skill," he said. "Firearm safety is a skill everybody should know, and it's something they'll use the rest of their lives. And the competition is something where, if the kids want to pursue it and have their hearts and

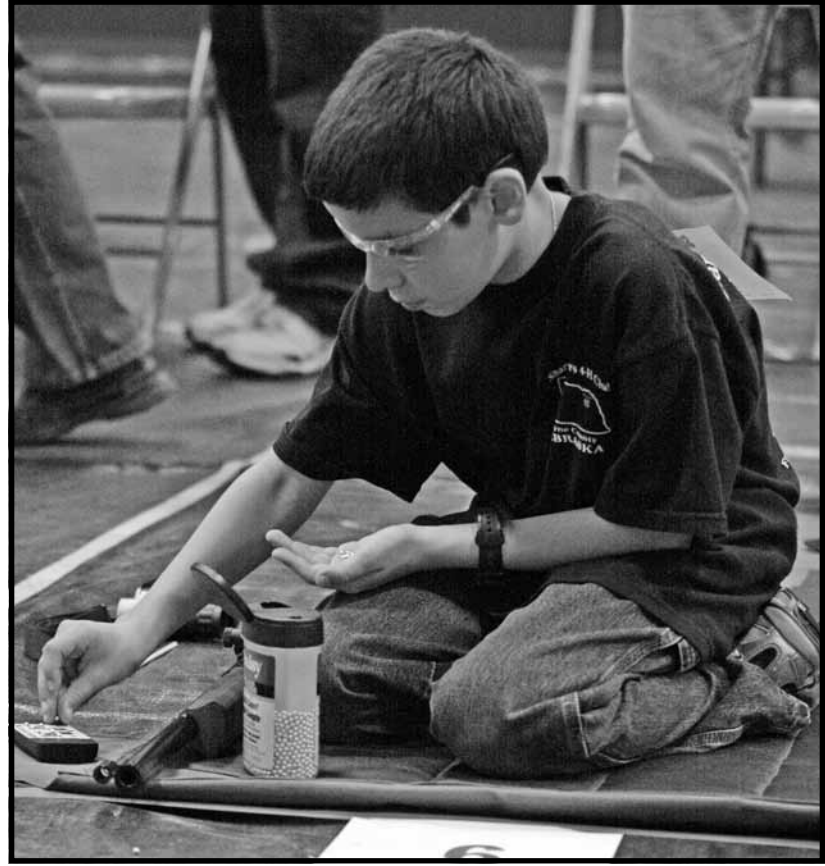
minds set, they can go on to compete in college or even in international or Olympic competition.

Competitors have 10 minutes to fire 10 shots in a variety of positions. In BB gun competition, shooters go after 10 targets while in a standing, sitting, kneeling or prone position. In air rifle competition, shooters shoot from the standing, kneeling and prone positions.

Once the round is finished, the competitors' targets are scored. Wayne's team won the state title this year, with Andrew Simpson, James Simpson, David Greunke, Hunter Van Houten and Kate Schultz earning a trip to nationals this summer in Arkansas.

BB Gun shooting

- Age 8**
- 1. Garret Hier (Gage), Isabelle Salters (Hooker), Samantha Johns (Dawes).
- Age 9-10**
- 1. James Simpson (Wayne), Taylor Terrill (Kimball), Janay Bauer (Kimball).
- Age 11-12**
- 1. Alyssa Hampton (Keith), Christian Heil (Gage), Jaren Winstrom (Kimball).
- Age 13-15**
- 1. Andrew Simpson (Wayne), 2. Chance Hebert (Grant), 3. Hailee Harmon (Holt).
- Team Standings**
- 1. Wayne Sharpshooters, 2. Gage Homestead, 3. Kimball Dead Eye.
- Air Rifle shooting**
- Sporter 13-14**
- 1. Madison Snyder, 2. Thomas Hennig, 3. Kort Gatrell.
- Sporter 15-18**
- 1. Andy Buhr, 2. Rachael Schoenrock, 3. Tyler Parthemer.
- Precision 9-10**
- 1. Jackson Davis, 2. Baillie Brower.
- Precision 11-12**
- 1. Jaren Winstrom, 2. Nathan Fahrenbrook, 3. Alyssa Hampton.
- Precision 13-14**
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- Precision 15-18**
- 1. Rachael Schoenrock, 2. Bailey Long, 3. Eli Fitchling.



(Photos by Michael Carnes)

(top) A long row of shooters take aim at their targets in Saturday's BB gun competition. (above) This young shooter sets up the ammunition he'll use during the prone shooting portion of the competition.

Coaches

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 same boat (as last year) and we have four kids competing right now," offensive coordinator John McMennamin said. "Nate and Cyle have the most experience coming back, but all four are doing well and we'd like to see one of them separate themselves."

Last year, it was Schultz and Johnson who were set to split duties until the former went down in the first offensive series against Nebraska-Kearney, and McMennamin hopes either one of the two, or newcomers Brian Kent or University of San Diego transfer Brody Rohach assert themselves as the go-to guy under center by the start of fall practices this August.

"Cyle had one of the best fall camps I've seen last year, and un-

fortunately he didn't get a chance," McMennamin said. "Nate was an eight-man player in a new offense and had a great year, and all those guys are battling. The cupboard is far from bare, but one needs to grab the reins."

Head coach Dan McLaughlin would also like to see one of the quarterbacks step up this spring.

"I'd like to see a quarterback emerge (this spring)," he said. "I'm not a big fan of what we did last year, but it was a unique situation where we had three quarterbacks get hurt and were bouncing back and forth. I'd like to see somebody step up and be the guy this spring."

Whoever gets the starting nod at center will eventually have some good people to get the ball to, although some of the key players are

sitting out the spring session due to injuries or eligibility issues.

Two of the Wildcats' top rushers are not involved in spring practices this season. Vince Patterson, like defensive standout Richard Daniel, has one semester of eligibility remaining and is sitting out the spring semester. Nick Pulscher, who battled through injuries last fall, is minimizing contact and is being held out this spring as well.

"We're thin at running back right now, but we've got some good wide receivers and a good, young tight end that we're excited about," McLaughlin said.

While Pulscher and Patterson aren't seeing any action, McMennamin noted the work of Kellen Wells and redshirt freshman Ken Hester, both of whom showed promise at the running back slot.

"They're both doing a good job for us and will help us out once we get Nick and Vince back," McMennamin

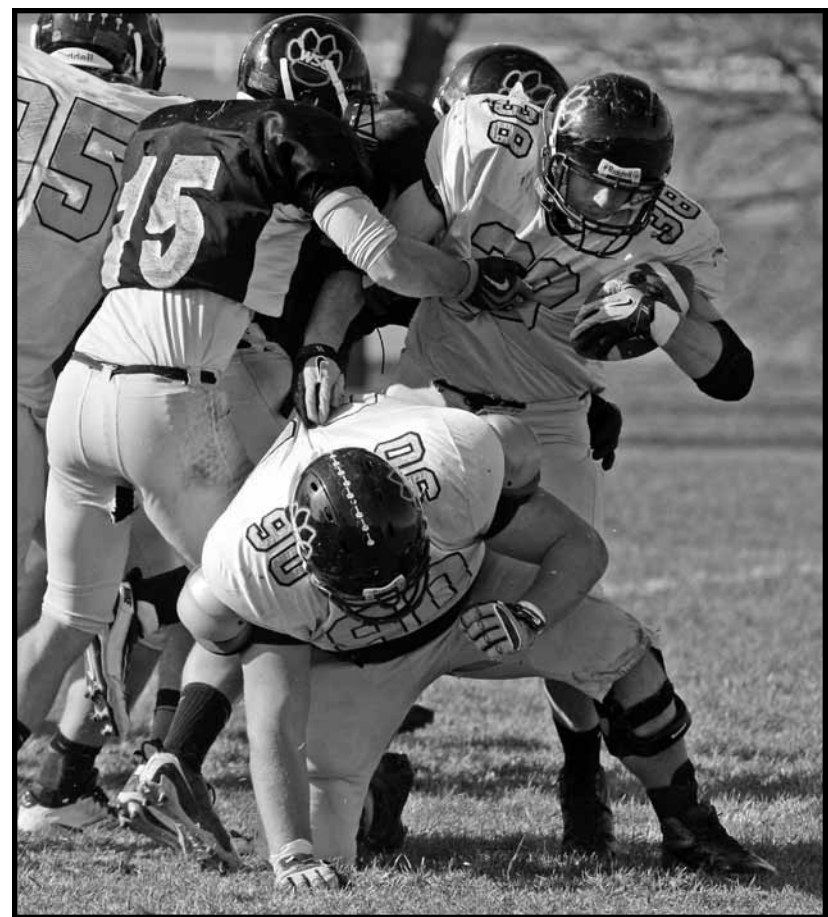
said.

Another key cog in the offense who isn't seeing much action this spring is senior receiver Kevin Paulsen, who is bouncing back from some late-season injuries as well.

"We have a bunch of young guys that are a little greener than Kermit the Frog right now, but they're getting better," McMennamin said, noting the work of players like Cole McDaniel, Adam Stark, Cody Calhoun and Laurel native Johnny Saunders. "We have four or five guys and another transfer that needs to get healthy, but they're learning on the run."

The offensive line looks good, with four of five starters back from a team was among the best in the conference, allowing about two sacks per game.

"Matt Peter is a three-year starter that's been a great leader for us, and Abram Walker and Brent Schlote are looking very good," Mc-



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Kellen Wells is one of a number of running backs who is getting a look this spring for the Wayne State offense.

McMennamin said. "Tyler Woods is also back, and all of them are solid. (Winside native) Nathan Janke and Brad Wright and Rich Wainmeier are battling for that other spot, and we're a lot farther along on the offensive line than we were last year at this time."

McLaughlin is also excited about the returning talent in the kicking game, with Max Martin back at placekicker and All-American Randy Weich returning at punter.

"We have the best punter in the country in Randy, and an outstanding kicker with Max, so we have a chance to be really good in the kicking game," McLaughlin said.

All told, the Wayne State offense

has the potential to be a potent one in 2012, and the Wildcat coaches are hoping the team continues to improve.

"We've been relatively healthy in that the kids who have missed practice are the ones who had surgery in the offseason," McLaughlin said. "We have some young kids who have stepped up and looked good, and we're pleased with some of the guys that have been pleasant surprises."

"I'm cautiously optimistic about what we can do on offense," McMennamin added. "We have a chance to be very good, but we still have to continue to work and develop things."



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

The quarterback situation is one of the Wayne State coaches are hoping will sort itself out this spring. Nate Most and Cyle Schultz are among the leading candidates, with two transfers also getting a look at the position.

Bleachers

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 granted, because it's such a part of our day-to-day lifestyle here that it doesn't seem like that big of a deal.

Ropes was more than complimentary with the hospitality he and his players experienced during their stay here, and he said he hopes Wayne hosts regionals again next spring.

Wayne State's rugby program has done an amazing job of building itself up to the point where it is considered one of the top collegiate club programs in the nation.

Coaches from other teams across the country that I've run into mar-

vel at the facilities the program calls its home base. Wayne Rugby Park is unquestionably one of the better small-town rugby facilities in the Midwest, and it's no longer surprising, to this reporter, to hear people from across the country who visit here - whether it's during regionals or the annual March Madness and Mayhem rugby tournament - say what a great facility it is.

Here's the even more amazing part - this club has developed with a minimal amount of support from the institution it represents, which is both impressive and frustrating.

No doubt you have heard the

story of how Darrin Barner, who was working for an airline in Texas when he started the program here 11 years ago, would fly red-eyes from Dallas to Omaha, drive to Wayne for practices and games, then make the return trip back to Texas on a regular basis. Eventually, he found his way back home to this area, and has continued to pour his time, energy and money into making this club the success that it is.

Women's rugby is one of the sports Wayne State is considering as part of its satisfying a pending Title IX investigation that started a little more than a year ago. It would be a long overdue reward for all the hard work and dedication that has gone into it - not only on Barner's part, but through the passion and efforts of those players and community supporters who have embraced this sport and helped make Wayne State rugby one of the nation's best.

Realizing that times are tight financially, it still would be nice to see the club rewarded for its efforts with a little support from the college it passionately represents. How odd it would be, in this reporter's opinion, if this program would someday win a national title, yet not get any financial support from the school whose colors it proudly adorns.

Recently, The Wayne Herald had a short story on Wayne State athletic director Eric Schoh and his interest in a similar job at Winona State.

Schoh interviewed for the job late last week, and if you read the story online at winonadailynews.com, you'll get an idea for just how much he'd like to be offered the deal.

It might be a little disappointing for Wayne State fans to read about how much, and how long, Schoh has wanted the Winona position. Consider, though, that Schoh is from that part of Minnesota - his family lives less than a half-hour away from the Winona campus - so while the move might seem a lateral one, it would be an opportunity for him to be closer to family (and that, as this reporter can attest from personal experience, is something you can't place a monetary value on).

It may be toward the middle of May before we know of Schoh's fate and whether he will remain in charge at Wayne State or be on the move back home. While I certainly don't begrudge someone the opportunity to go home again, losing Schoh would be a disappointment for those of us who have had an opportunity to see Wayne State's athletic department grow and improve under his leadership.

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(left) Allen hurdler Derek Torres leaps his way to a second-place finish in the 110-meter hurdles, helping the Eagles to a fifth-place finish at the Laurel-Concord Invitational. (middle) Ellie Arduser sprinted her way to a big day in helping the Lady Bears win their third meet in a week. She won the 100 and 200 and ran legs on two winning relays. (right) Winside's Shelby Lienemann just missed scoring in the shot put, but threw a second-place effort in the discus for the Wildcats.



(Photos by Michael Carnes)

Lady Bears cap busy week with third straight win

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

LAUREL - Laurel-Concord/Coleridge coach Nate Sims hasn't had much of a chance to work with his track team recently.

With Tuesday's home meet being the third meet in five days, there

hasn't been a real opportunity to make adjustments and work on things he and his coaches are seeing out of the Bear and Lady Bear athletes this spring.

But after the Lady Bears finished off that week-long barrage of competition with its third straight win, the LCC coach is looking forward to a little time off to rest and readjust.

"We've been pretty busy lately with a lot of meets," he said after Tuesday's event at Haskell Field. "We had three meets in the last week with the Wayne State Invite and Homer, so we haven't had a lot of practice time. We need to rest some kids and work on some things, and it will be nice to have some time before the next meet to get some practices in."

The Lady Bears easily outdistanced runner-up Pender in the seven-school competition, finishing the day with seven first-place efforts and medalists in all but three events.

The Lady Bears had a good all-around performance, even if there was a hiccup or two along the way.

On the track, the Lady Bears got four first-place efforts from Ellie Arduser, who won both sprint events and ran the anchor legs of the winning 400- and 1,600-meter relays. Mandy Nelson and Sadie Petersen

both earned three medals on the track, and Kiley Thompson, Sammie Camenzind and Erika Hochstein all fared well in both field and track events.

"It was a good day today as a group," Sims said.

One surprise was in the triple jump, where Thompson took first-place honors despite the absence of senior teammate and triple jump specialist Amy Pritchard, who failed to qualify for the finals in the event after dominating in the long jump. "Amy had a tremendous day in the long jump today, and I think she might have been a little excited afterward because she scratched on all three jumps in the prelims of the triple jump," Sims said. "It was still a good day for her, though. She jumped over 17 feet in the long jump for the first time, so it was a good day."

It was also a good day for Allen senior Olivia Schneiders, who continued to position herself as one of the top distance runners in Class D by winning four first-place medals for the third consecutive meet. She dominated the 800, 1,600 and 3,200 and ran the anchor leg on the Lady Eagles' winning 3,200-relay team.

"This is the third straight meet where she's had four firsts, so she's been a great leader for us," Allen girls coach Denise Hingst said. "I want the rest of the girls to get what she's got, and it's good to have a senior leader like her out there."

Schneiders' effort in the 800 sparked a fourth-place finish for the Lady Eagles, as Allen scored 19

points in the middle-distance event. Schneiders was pushed for much of the race by teammate Candice Rastede, who placed second. Vanessa Klug also scored in the event, finishing sixth.

Winside's girls also scored well in the meet, getting nine points in the discus with Shelby Lienemann placing second and Taryn Guinn finishing sixth. Jayd Roberts also medaled in multiple events, while Nazya Thies scored in the triple jump and 400-meter run for the Wildcats.

"We had some good throws out of Shelby with a personal best in the discus, Taryn did well in the discus, Jayd ran well in the hurdles and Sam Siebrandt and Carly Schwager both ran well for us also," coach Mark Tonniges said. "We ran against some good Class C competition, and Allen has a good team overall as well, so we were pleased with our efforts."

On the boys side of the ledger, all three area schools came away with at least one first-place performance.

The Bears, who finished second in the team race, won five events on the day. Mitch Heikes had a hand in four of the wins, winning both sprint events and running legs on the winning 400 and 1,600-meter relay teams. Justin Saunders also had three firsts, winning the 400 and running legs on the two winning relay teams.

Brett Haisch earned three medals on the day, scoring in the discus, 300 hurdles and on the 400-meter relay. Tyler Schnidler and Kyle

Kardell also scored in three events, with Schindler scoring in the long and triple jumps and the 1,600 relay and Kardell medaling in the long jump and on the two winning relays.

Allen's boys picked up a first-place medal in the 800 with Kyle Finnegan taking top honors. He also ran a leg on the winning 3,200-meter relay and was runner-up in the 1,600. It highlighted a good day for the Eagle boys, who got some scoring performances in places coach Dave Uldrich wasn't expecting.

"The last two meets, we scored 80 and 62 points, and from where we started the year we've come a long way," he said. "Every kid on the team has lettered as of today. I thought the kids performed well."

Winside's only first-place medal came from senior John Hansen, who ran away with top honors in the 3,200-meter run. The Wildcats got a surprise medal from Blaine Meyer, who placed sixth in the 200 to go with his third-place finish in the shot put.

LCC Invitational Girls Team Standings

Laurel-Concord/Coleridge 123, Pender 97, Ponca 81, Allen 76.33, Lutheran High NE 59.33, Winside 55.33, Walthill 0.

Area Medalists

Long jump: 1. Amy Pritchard, LCC, 17' 4"; 3. Sammie Camenzind, LCC, 15' 2". Triple jump: 1. Kiley Thompson, LCC, 32' 1 1/2"; 2. Rachel Finnegan, Allen, 30' 11"; 3. Nazya Thies, Winside, 30' 8"; 4. Lindsey Jones, Allen, 30' 8". High jump: 1. Audra Corbit, LCC, 4'8"; 2. (tie) Mackenzie Gray, Winside, 4' 8"; 5. Erika Hochstein, LCC, 4' 8"; 6. (tie) Dana Doffin, Winside, and Courtney Reuter, Allen, 4' 4". Shot put: 2. Jade Cunningham, LCC, 33'; 4. (tie) Erin Gubbeis, LCC, and Elysia Wagner, Winside, 29' 7 1/4". Discus: 2. Shelby Lienemann, Winside,

125' 6"; 6. Taryn Quinn, Winside, 106' 7". 100: 1. Ellie Arduser, LCC, 12.9. 200: 1. Arduser, 26.7. 5. Mandy Nelson, LCC, 28.4; 6. Carly Schwager, Winside, 29.0. 400: 3. Hochstein, 1:05.6; 6. Thies, 1:07.5. 800: 1. Olivia Schneiders, Allen, 2:39.4; 2. Candice Rastede, Allen, 2:39.7; 3. Sadie Petersen, LCC, 2:46.5; 4. Gray, 2:46.7; 6. Vanessa Klug, Allen, 2:54.6. 1,600: 1. Schneiders, 5:55.4; 2. Petersen, 6:13.1; 4. Natasha Jensen, Winside, 6:34.4; 5. Mollie Bertrand, Allen, 6:53.3. 3,200: 1. Schneiders, 12:44.9; 2. Petersen, 12:50.0; 3. Klug, 14:31.8. 100 hurdles: 3. Jayd Roberts, Winside, 17.5; 4. Thompson, 17.9; 5. Reuter, 18.5; 6. Samantha Siebrandt, Winside, 19.4. 300 hurdles: 6. Roberts, 54.5. 400 relay: 1. LCC (Nelson, Thompson, Camenzind, Arduser), 53.3; 4. Winside, 56.1; 6. Allen, 1:08.5. 1,600 relay: 1. LCC (Camenzind, Nelson, Hochstein, Arduser), 4:27.4; 4. Allen, 4:58.6; 5. Winside, 5:08.2. 3,200 relay: 1. Allen (Schneiders, Jones, Rastede, Klug), 10:49.3; 3. Winside, 11:47.6.

Boys Team Standings

Lutheran High Northeast 126, Laurel-Concord/Coleridge 96, Ponca 88, Allen 80, Pender 63, Winside 36, Walthill 0.

Area Medalists

Long jump: 3. Kyle Kardell, LCC, 19' 0 1/4"; 5. Colin Hansen, Winside, 18' 8"; 6. Tyler Schindler, LCC, 18' 4". Triple jump: 2. Schindler, 39' 7 3/4"; 3. Hansen, 39' 3". High jump: 4. Kardell, 5' 4"; 5. Schindler, 5'; 6. Brad Steffen, LCC, 4' 10". Shot put: 3. Blaine Meyer, Winside, 42' 10". Discus: 4. Brett Haisch, LCC, 135' 10"; 6. Alec Sindelar, Winside, 123' 1". 100: 1. Mitch Heikes, LCC, 11.1; 6. Colton Jansen, LCC, 11.9. 200: 1. Heikes, 23.1; 4. Justin Saunders, LCC, 23.9; 6. Meyer, 24.6. 400: 1. Saunders, 53.5; 2. Austin Connot, Allen, 56.1; 3. Hansen, 56.2. 800: 1. Kyle Finnegan, Allen, 2:11.2; 5. Griffin York, LCC, 2:20.3. 1,600: 2. Finnegan, 5:14.0; 4. Coty Reuter, Allen, 5:27.7; 5. York, 5:31.0. 3,200: 1. John Hansen, Winside, 11:03.8; 4. Charles Brahmsteadt, Allen, 12:05.9; 5. Coleman Kneiff, Allen, 12:14.5; 6. Adam Haahr, LCC, 12:35.8. 110 hurdles: 2. Derek Torres, Allen, 19.4; 3. Brian Boese, Allen, 20.6; 4. Zach Crom, Allen, 20.8. 300 hurdles: 2. Haisch, 46.6; 3. Boese, 48.0; 4. Torres, 40.96; 5. Crom, 52.4. 400 relay: 1. LCC (Heikes, Kardell, Haisch, Saunders), 46.1; 5. Allen, 1:00.0. 1,600 relay: 1. LCC (Kardell, Heikes, Schindler, Saunders), 3:47.1; 5. Allen, 4:26.3. 3,200 relay: 1. Allen (Finnegan, Reuter, Connot, Brahmsteadt), 9:05.2; 4. Winside, 10:17.9; 5. LCC, 10:21.1.

Blue Devil baseball team has busy week, goes 2-3 with wins over Norfolk, Fremont

It was a busy week for the Wayne High baseball team, as the Blue Devils went 2-3 on the diamond.

On April 10, the Blue Devils' offense struggled against a solid pitching performance by Pender, as the host Pendragons came away with a 9-3 win.

Pender broke the game open with four runs in the fourth inning off losing pitcher Brady Soden. The Blue Devils managed just five hits in the game, with Drew Carroll, Miles Anderson and Grant Anderson all coming home with runs.

On Thursday, the Blue Devils couldn't hang on to a one-run lead late, as host Wahoo scored a run in the sixth and another run in eighth for a 4-3, extra-inning win over

Wayne.

Frank Bernal had an RBI single to highlight a five-hit attack for the Blue Devils. Gage Rethwisch threw the ball well in a no-decision outing, scattering three walks and five hits while striking out four. Tony Sinniger took the hard-luck loss, allowing just one hit in more than an inning of relief.

Wayne's offense finally broke out of its skid on Friday, as the Blue Devils erupted for seven runs in the sixth inning to break a 4-4 tie and hand Norfolk an 11-4 defeat at Norfolk's Memorial Field.

Wayne jumped out to a 3-0 lead in the top of the first, but Norfolk battled back and made it a 4-3 game before the Blue Devils' big in-

ning put the game out of reach.

Carroll had a big game in the win, going 4-for-4 and scoring two runs. Soden had two hits, including a double, and had two RBIs. Corey Doorlag helped his own cause with a bases-clearing triple in the big sixth inning. He went all the way on the mound, allowing five hits and a walk while striking out seven in seven innings of work.

The Blue Devils improved to 5-6 on Monday by beating Freemont High/Archbishop Bergan 8-7 in Fremont.

Carroll got the win on the mound, pitching three strong innings in relief of Soden. Sinniger led the team offensively, going 3-for-3 with a pair of RBIs. Bernal went 3-for-4 and

Grant Anderson added two hits and three RBIs.

On Tuesday, the Blue Devils' bats struggled in an 11-1 loss at Seward. Wayne had seven hits in the game, with Miles Anderson getting two of them, but couldn't bring home runners in scoring position as they fell to 5-7 on the season. Rethwisch allowed nine hits and struck out six in four innings to take the loss.

The Wayne High JV team went 1-4 on the week to fall to 6-6 on the season. Their lone win was a 6-1 decision over Wahoo. They fell to Pender (11-3), Norfolk (5-4), Freemont/Archbishop Bergan (5-3) and Seward (6-4).

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Wildcat softballers go 3-of-4 on weekend road trip

Wayne State softball coach Krista Wood was hoping the Wildcats would bring home four wins from last weekend's road trip, but had to settle for three.

The Wildcats split at MSU Moorhead Saturday (6-0, 0-6) and swept Minnesota Crookston (11-3, 8-0) on Sunday to improve to 25-19 overall and 11-11 in the NSIC.

And while winning 3-of-4 is good, Wood was hoping for a little better. "We needed to come out and win all four games, and we came out flat the second game against Moorhead and couldn't string any hits together," she said. "We need to come out more consistent every day. We should have gone 4-0 this weekend."

The Wildcats got off to a fast start in the opener Saturday, scoring three runs in the first inning on just one hit while taking advantage of five walks by MSU Moorhead starting pitcher Brandi Howell.

Wayne State took a 5-0 lead in the third when Jordan King and Brittany Greenwood scored on a Megan Hagemann triple to center field. The Wildcats added an insurance run in the seventh when Dani

Sandel reached on a Dragon fielding error and later scored when Kaiti Williams reached on another error.

Hagemann went 3-for-4 with three RBI's to lead the Wildcats at the plate.

"She hit the ball well for us," Wood said. "She had one hit that hit the top of the fence and fell back in, but she's really coming along hitting and getting better for us."

Freshman starter Kelcie Bormann (5-4) pitched six shutout innings to get the win, allowing just four hits with two strikeouts and no walks. Sophomore Jordan Harris pitched a perfect seventh inning to preserve the shutout. The second game saw the Wildcats go just 1-for-14 with runners in scoring position while leaving nine runners on base.

"We had opportunities all game and had runners on, and we just couldn't get the hit," Wood said.

The Dragons scored three runs in the third inning, added one more in the fourth and two in the sixth for the 6-0 win. Wayne State had the leadoff batter reach base four of the seven innings in the contest,

but could not take advantage of the opportunity.

Kassie Nurton was 3-for-3 at the plate with a double and two singles in the losing effort, while Kaiti Williams was 2-for-3 with a double and single. Sara Scheffert (10-8) suffered the pitching loss for the Wildcats.

On Sunday, Dani Sandel was 4-for-8 with five RBI's and four runs scored while Bormann and Harris fired complete-game wins to lead Wayne State to a sweep of Crookston.

The Wildcats overcame an early 3-1 deficit and scored seven runs in the final two innings to pull away in the opener.

"We talked after that first inning about playing our game and not playing down to their level, and the team started plugging away at the plate and we played Wildcats softball the rest of the day after that," Wood said.

Wayne State tied the score at 3-3 in the top of the second on RBI singles from Jordan King and Sandel.

A Williams solo homer to lead off the third inning put Wayne State in front for good at 4-3.

The Wildcats then scored four runs in the fifth, with Bormann blasting a solo homer to lead off the inning followed by a big two-run single from King to highlight the inning. Wayne State added three insurance runs in the sixth inning, with Brittany Greenwood's two-run single the big hit in the frame.

The Wildcats had a season-high 16 hits in the win as Greenwood, Hagemann and King each produced three hits, while Sandel and Williams accounted for two hits apiece.

"We moved (Sandel) to the leadoff spot and tried to switch around the order a bit, and she had a great day and we'll probably keep her there the rest of the season," Wood said.

Bormann improved to 6-4 on the season with a complete-game win. She allowed three runs on seven hits over six innings with two strikeouts and three walks.



Wayne State baseball team sweeps Saturday pair, Sunday rained out

Wayne State could only get half of its four-game series with Northern State in before Mother Nature washed out the second half of action.

While they were in Aberdeen, S.D., though, the Wildcats made the most of it, getting five innings of one-hit pitching from Tom Doran in the opener and some much-needed help out of the bullpen to highlight a 5-2, 5-4 sweep of the Wolves Saturday afternoon.

"We got a really good starting performance from Tom (Doran) in the first game, and we had to battle back from behind to get the win in the second game and that was good to see," coach Brian Disch said.

Doran allowed just one hit over five innings and Travis Parsons doubled twice with three runs batted in to give the Wildcats the opener.

Wayne State opened the scoring in the third when Braulio Acosta singled and Justin Beranek walked. Both players scoring on a Parsons double to right center for a 2-0 lead.

Wayne State added three more in the fifth, thanks to a RBI double by Parsons, scoring Mike Bisenius.

Jake Ritzdorf reached on a fielder's choice and later scored on a passed ball, with the other run coming on a Brett Keim RBI single that scored C.J. Nolen, who reached base on a walk.

"We got some clutch hits to get us the lead for good, and we were able to go to Jared (Barth) to preserve the win and he was a workhorse for us," Disch said. "It was good to see some good performances out of the bullpen."

Northern State put two runs on the board in the sixth off reliever Trevor Reeves, but Barth came in and shut down the Wolves to seal the win. Parsons was 2-for-3 with a pair of doubles and three RBI's. Keim finished 2-for-2 with an RBI while Acosta was 2-for-4.

The second game saw Parsons and C.J. Nolen each hit home runs while Keim was 2-for-3 with the game-winning RBI as the Wildcats completed the sweep.

Northern State scored single runs in the second and third innings for a 2-0 lead, but Wayne State answered with solo runs in the third and fourth to tie the score at 2-2. Ritzdorf had an RBI single in the fourth while Bisenius had

an RBI single in the fifth to score Keim.

The Wildcats took a 4-2 lead in the sixth thanks to solo homers by Parsons and Nolen, but Northern State knotted the score at 4-4 in the bottom of the sixth with two runs. In the eighth, Parsons was hit by the pitch to lead off the inning followed by walks to Nolen and Michael Frericks to load the bases. Keim then produced a sacrifice fly to right field that scored Parsons for the eventual game-winning run.

"(Northern) made a ton of diving catches, and it was one of those games where we had to fight through to get a win and it was good to see our guys do that," Disch said.

Barth came in again and shut down the Wolves to earn the win, working the final three innings of relief and giving up just one hit with two strikeouts.

The Wayne State at Northern State baseball doubleheader scheduled for Sunday was cancelled due to rain and wet field conditions.

Last Wednesday, Wayne State suffered a pair of one-run losses at No. 16-ranked Minnesota State, losing 4-3 and 1-0.

Luke Abkes hit a solo homer in the third to get Wayne State on the board in the opener. Minnesota State would respond with one run in the bottom of the fifth inning and another run in the bottom of the sixth inning to take a 2-1 lead into the seventh inning.

Ritzdorf led off the seventh with a double and advanced to third on a wild pitch. Beranek then drove in Ritzdorf with a double of his own and tied the score at 2-2. Later in the inning, Nolen stepped to the plate with the bases loaded and drew a walk to bring in Beranek for the go ahead score and a 3-2 lead.

But Minnesota State would answer Wayne State with two runs of their own in the bottom of the seventh to take a 4-3 victory.

In the second game, Minnesota States Tyler Ockuly outdueled Wayne State's Tadd Johansen on the mound. The lone run of the game was scored in the fourth inning by MSU at Pat Dockendorf was hit by the pitch, advanced to second on a wild pitch and scored on a Ben Kincaid single to left. Wayne State had two runners on in both the eighth and ninth innings, but could not score.

Wildcats set NCAA marks at S.C. Relays

SIOUX CITY, Iowa - The Wayne State women's track and field team recorded three NCAA provisional qualifying marks and two new school records at the rain-shortened Sioux City Relays held Friday and Saturday.

"This is always one of the highlights on our schedule, and we came out and performed well there," coach Marlon Brink said.

Sophomore thrower Emily Wells set a new school record and reached an NCAA provisional mark in the hammer throw placing second with a top throw of 181 feet, 1 inch, bettering her old mark of 176 feet, 6 inches, set two weeks ago at the Wildcat Classic.

Wayne sophomore Carly Fehring also hit an NCAA provisional mark in the same event, placing third with a mark of 177 feet, 6 inches. The other NCAA provisional mark was reached by Paige Pol-

lard in the 400-meter hurdles, as the senior from Newcastle won the event at the Sioux City Relays for a fourth straight year with a time of 1:00.63.

"Looking at the national rankings, Paige is sixth in the hurdles, Emily is ninth and Carly 10th in the hammer throw, and Carly is seventh in the shot put, so we have some girls who are pretty high up in the rankings," Brink said. "Nicole Brungardt is also running well and just missed the provisional in the 100, but she's ahead of where she was last year and we think we can get her to nationals as well."

The other new school record was set by the 800-meter relay team of Brungardt, Stephanie Baumgart, Samantha Garrison and Pollard, who placed fourth with a time of 1:44.76, breaking the previous school record of 1:45.0 set by Kim Pohlman, Kandy Schott, Marian

Borgmann and Kelley Peterson in the 1983 season.

"That's been on the books for quite a while, and the girls were excited to get a shot at that and finish with a new school record," Brink said.

Brungardt posted a pair of first place finishes, winning the 100-meter dash (11.97) and the long jump (18' 5").

"She has a shot at getting in the 100, 200 and long jump and is performing pretty well in those events," Brink said. "I'm really hoping her marks continue to improve."

Fehring added a second-place finish in the shot put while Rebecca Davenport was fourth in the 400-meter hurdles, Brianne Hofstetter fifth in the triple jump and Sara Wells fifth in the shot put.

The Wildcat men were led by senior thrower Ross Buncheck, who

captured first place in the hammer throw with a top mark of 208 feet.

"Ross is undefeated so far this outdoor season, but he was kind of disappointed with his mark," Brink said. "He fouled his first two throws, so he had to struggle to get to the finals, but that happens sometimes. He's at the point where he's going for some big marks, and sometimes you gamble and those things happen."

Senior Alex Timperley was third in the 100-meter dash and sixth in the triple jump. Matt Peter was second in the shot put with Brad Wright coming in fifth.

The next meet for Wayne State College will be Saturday, April 21, when the Wildcats compete at the Nebraska Wesleyan Invitational in Lincoln.

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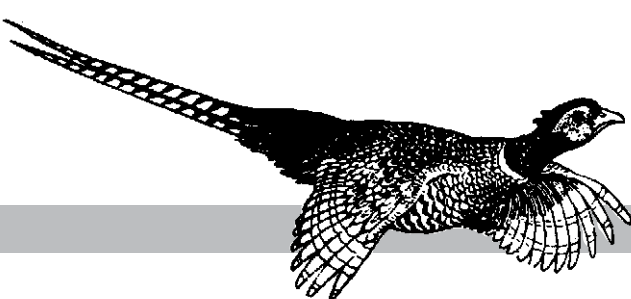
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School bullying
impacts our youth

School bullying affects children every day. It can be a physical act such as pushing someone down on the playground. It can also be a verbal assault, such as yelling mean things to another student. School bullying can affect the victims greatly. Their grades can suffer, and they can become depressed or even suicidal.

People become bullies for a variety of reasons. They could have a bad home life. Their parents could have given them the example that violence is the answer. They could have been bullied themselves and are seeking revenge.

Luckily, there are things that adults can do to fix this situation. Parents need to have good communication with their children, if a bullying problem arises at school, the child feels comfortable coming to talk to them. They need to make sure that violence is not tolerated by setting a good example. Teachers should keep an eye on the students to make sure that they have a safe learning environment.

As a future teacher, I will be entrusted to make sure that no student experiences a physical, verbal, or emotional attack. Schools need to have a zero tolerance policy in place to make it clear that bullying will not be tolerated. Strict consequences need to be in place to deter bullies from acting out.

Parents need to reassure their children that everything will be OK, and that they always have a safe place to come talk and someone is always on their side. Parents also

have the ability to use the Internet as a resource. The Ophelia Project is a non-profit organization that parents can access to learn more about the causes of bullying and how they can help their child. Parents should never feel alone in this situation. With research and support, teachers and parents can combat this issue and provide an enjoyable school experience for their children.

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at Majestic Theatre

As I'm sure you can imagine, in Pat Meierhenry's recent column about the movie *The Hunger Games* got my attention.

The thing that bothered me most about it is that, if the last movie she saw in the theatre was "Chicago," she hasn't been to a movie theatre since 2002, which means she hasn't been to *The Hunger Games* – and the truth is I can't wait to see it! – but we also show family movies, action movies, free documentaries, and smart adult dramas like "The King's Speech," which we showed last spring.

I invite Pat to come see Wayne's beautiful theatre as our guest, so she can see firsthand what an amazing place we have here.

Melanie Loggins, Director
Majestic Theatre

Capitol View

Perception – it is what it is

By ED HOWARD
Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association

LINCOLN – Juliet lamented the last name of her Romeo, since there was bad blood between their clans. "A rose by any other name would smell as sweet," was her lament.

Quite some time later, Gertrude Stein wrote a noted (in some circles) poem which proclaimed "A rose is a rose is a rose . . ."

A thing is what it is, regardless of what it's called.

So.

A fetus is a fetus is a fetus? Things haven't changed much since Shakespeare's time.

People and things are judged on perceptions and, in policymaking, with a big dose of political consideration added.

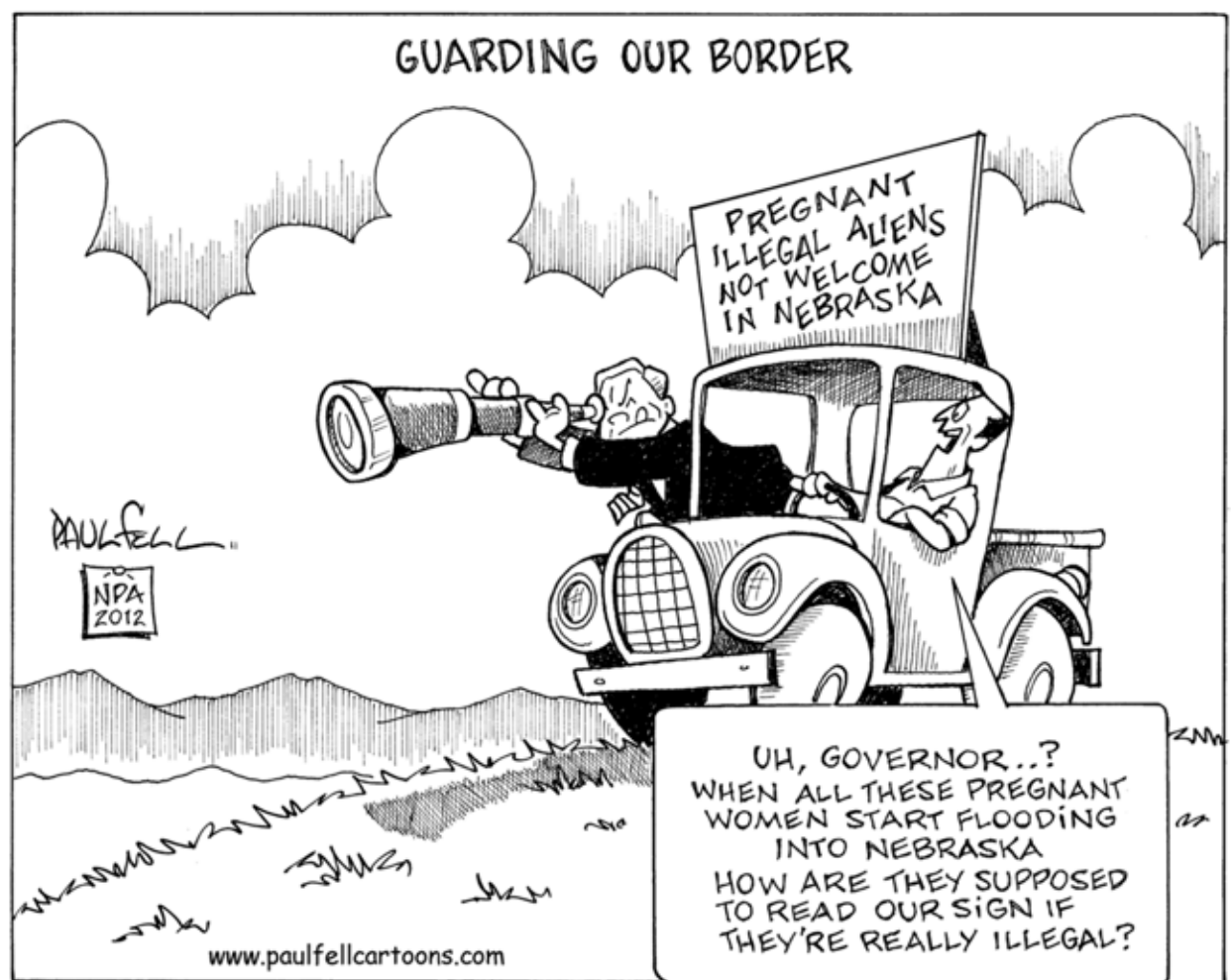
Gov. Dave Heineman could not have been more vehement in his opposition when the Legislature reinstated prenatal care benefits for pregnant women who are in the U.S. and the state illegally.

Heineman has counted himself a staunch member of the anti-abortion, pro-life element ever since he's been in public life. The same can be said of some lawmakers who supported his position – that the state shouldn't provide such pre-birth services for gonna-be mommies who are in the U.S. illegally.

Such benefits are costly and only encourage illegals to come to Nebraska, some argue.

Critics scoff at those notions.

A baby born in the U.S. is an American citizen. If lack of prenatal care results in the birth of a sickly



child, the infant is entitled to services based on its citizenship. The hundreds of dollars that might have been spent on prenatal care thus become even smaller potatoes if the child needs major and/or continuing medical care – at public expense.

From Heineman's viewpoint, the immigration issue trumps the argu-

ments of the Save the Fetus crowd. It seems to come down to calling a rose by another name.

If mama is a citizen, the fetus is a fetus, period. If she isn't a citizen, the fetus is a fetus in a mother who is in the country illegally.

Those fetuses might look the same when viewed through the

technology that lets us see the unborn in the womb.

When viewed through the prism of policymaking, however, they are sometimes seen as entirely different. One is a budding rose to be nurtured and protected with society's help, if necessary. The other is to be left to the elements and chance.

Opposed to LB357

Dear Fellow Nebraskans:

Today, I want to discuss with you the Nebraska Legislature's proposal to increase the sales tax rate. Here are the facts. LB357 would increase the sales tax by a half-cent on Nebraska citizens. In Omaha, and 85 other cities, that would be a 33% increase in the local sales tax rate.

Local governments should be controlling their spending instead of increasing taxes. They should balance their budget without raising taxes, just like we have done at the state level.

I am against increasing taxes and that is why I vetoed LB357. I am asking state senators to sustain my veto and stand against a sales tax increase.

Increasing taxes will have detrimental effects on our entire state and reverse progress that we have worked hard to make over the last seven years. Increasing the sales tax will make Ainsworth, Albion, Alliance, Bellevue, Blair, Columbus, Cozad, Crete, Fremont, Gering, Grand Island, Gretna, Hastings, Kearney, LaVista, Lexington, Lincoln, McCook, Norfolk, North Platte, Omaha, Scottsbluff, Valentine, York, other Nebraska cities, and the State of Nebraska less competitive for jobs. This sales tax increase would not only be on the working men and women of Omaha and other cities, but every Nebraskan who shops in these cities.

Nebraska has made significant economic progress and I don't want to take a step backwards. When I assumed the office of Governor in January 2005, we had just experienced some very tough economic times in our state. Taxes were too high, too many young people were leaving the state, and Nebraska was not competitive nationally or globally for jobs.

I worked with the business leadership of this state to dramatically alter Nebraska's economic position. We modernized our economic incentive programs, the Nebraska Advantage, and it has been incredibly successful. Since 2006, Nebraska has had 289 businesses decide to ex-



Gov.
Dave
Heinemann

pand or locate in our state and they will be investing more than \$7.6 billion in our economy, creating more than 19,700 jobs. This is an incredible achievement, especially when considering the national economic climate during this period of time. The Nebraska Advantage is working.

We have also worked hard to give Nebraskans well-deserved tax relief. In 2007, we passed the largest tax relief package in Nebraska's history. We wisely built up our cash reserve. We controlled the growth of state spending and we passed balanced budgets without raising taxes. Even though we have made good progress, we still have more work to do.

Nebraska is economically stronger than most states, but many Nebraska families struggle from paycheck to paycheck. This sales tax increase will hurt them and it will be a step backwards for our state and the significant progress we have made.

The Nebraska Legislature wants to increase the sales tax rate and I encourage you to contact your state senator to voice your opinion on this issue.

I will continue to oppose efforts to increase taxes. I hope you will join me in this effort and make your voice heard.

Legislative Update

2012 session getting ready to wrap up

Only one day of the 2012 legislative session remains. State Senators will return to Lincoln on Wednesday, April 18, to wrap up all remaining business.

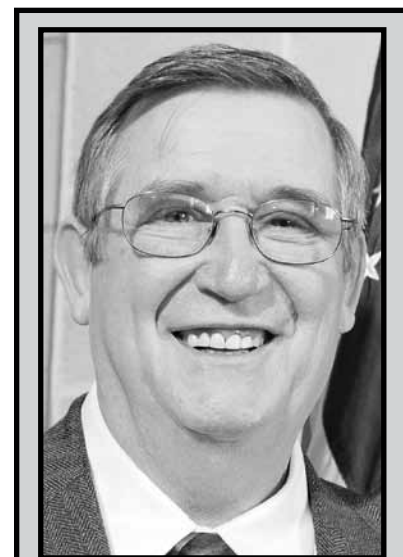
Speaker of the Legislature Mike Flood sets the calendar for the session, and decided to move the last day from this week until next week. This was done so that the Legislature will have all of the bills already passed this year back from Governor Heineman. (The governor has five calendar days, not counting Sundays, to decide what action to take on bills that have been passed by the Legislature. A governor can: (1) sign the bill, (2) veto the bill, or (3) let the bill become law without a signature.) By the time session reconvenes next week, state senators will know which bills have become law and which bills were vetoed.

At the time this week's newsletter was written, two bills have already been vetoed. The governor

has promised a veto on a third bill.

LB806 would give the State Racing Commission the authority to license and regulate pari-mutuel wagering on historic horse races. The machines used for wagering would be placed only at a licensed racetrack. I have opposed this bill because I believe it is an unconstitutional expansion of gambling, which the citizens of this state have always in the past opposed at the ballot box. The bill received 26 yes votes on final reading, and will require 30 votes to override the governor's veto. I will continue to vote against LB806.

The second bill that has been vetoed is LB357. This bill would allow an increase of the city sales tax by a half-cent if approved by the voters of that city. I voted against this bill because it is a state authorized increase in sales taxes imposed on people who may not even live in the city where the taxes are collected.



Legislative
Update

By Dave Bloomfield
State Senator, District 17

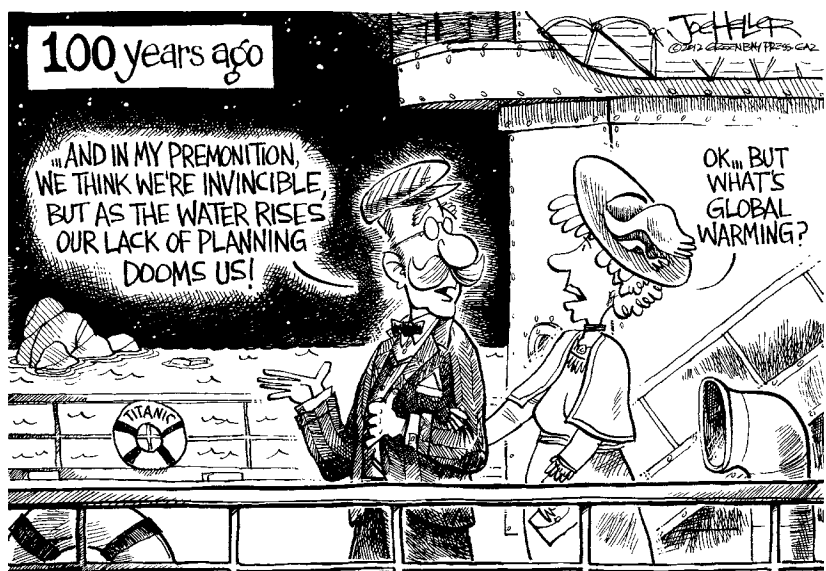
Those who live outside of the city are not allowed to vote for or against the increase. Thirty senators voted for this bill, and that is the number needed to override the Governor's veto. I will continue to oppose this bill. Hopefully, we can convince at least one more Senator not to vote for increased taxes. Somewhere, sometime, city, county and state officials have to understand that we as citizens have already been taxed more than enough.

The third bill that has been promised a veto by Governor Heineman is LB599. This bill would provide prenatal care for the unborn children of low-income mothers, including illegal immigrants, who are not eligible for coverage under Medicaid. I have received many e-mails

and phone calls on this bill, which remains the most controversial of the session. Some people support the bill because they see it as a pro-life bill. Others support the bill because they believe the state could potentially save money by providing medical care for possible future Nebraska citizens (anchor babies). These good hearted people claim to be operating under the illusion that we would be treating only the unborn baby and not the mother who may be here illegally. Many Nebraskans oppose LB599 because they see it as tax dollars needlessly and unwisely being spent.

I have opposed LB599 because the State of Nebraska does not now and is not required to provide care to this group of women. Various churches and charities have stepped up and assisted pregnant women who fall into this category. I believe these private entities will continue to assist these women, particularly if LB599 does not become law. No state which borders Nebraska provides this type of care for people who are not in the state legally. I don't think we should allow Nebraska to become a "magnet" for illegal aliens by joining the shortlist of mostly liberal states that force taxpayers to provide this service. I fully expect to lose some support from some "right to life" constituents over this issue, but as I have told you in the past, while you may not always agree with me, I will do my best to let you know where I stand, and why.

Once again, I ask for your prayers as the Legislature decides these issues. I guess no one ever told me that it would always be easy.

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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.

Courthouse Proceedings

Civil Proceedings

Credit Management Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Nellie Devall, Wayne, def. \$212.50. Judgment for the pltf. for \$212.50 and costs.

Credit Management Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Timothy Pickering, Wayne, def. \$395. Judgment for the pltf. for \$395 and costs.

Hauge Associates, Inc., pltf., vs. Lisa A. Meyer, Wayne, def. \$8,382.52. Judgment for the pltf. for \$7,494.27 and costs.

Credit Bureau Services, Inc., pltf., vs. Nathan R. Ferry and Kimm Ferry, Winside, defs. \$337.02. Judgment for the pltf. for \$337.02 and costs.

Discover Bank, pltf., vs. Nick Jon Cautrell, Hoskins, def. \$3,847.88. Judgment for the pltf. for 3,847.88 and costs.

Traffic violations

Elizabeth Israelsen, North Logan, Utah, spd., \$73; Jason West, Norfolk, spd., \$123; Janet Dyer, Wayne, spd., \$123; Emily Chebuhar, Howells, spd., \$123; Crystal Dunklau, Wayne, spd., \$123; Rachel Sellen, Winside, spd., \$173; Dominic Dericks, Plum City, Wis., spd., \$123; Wade Peters, Sioux City, Iowa, no oper. lic. \$123; Tyler E. Jones, Osmond, spd., \$73; Jay Throener Janson, Cottage Grove, Minn., spd., \$73.

March property transfers

March 2: Marlyce Herscheid-Rohde to NEHI Inc., Lot 9 and part of Lot 10, Weibles First Addition of Winside. \$117.

March 2: Tamela L. Myers, Co-Trustee and Roger W. Fredrickson, Co-Trustee. Gene L. Fredrickson Trustee, Gene L. Fredrickson Revocable Trust. Part of the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 1, Township

26, Range 3. Exempt.

March 2: Doyle D. Williams and Susan M. Burbank to Timothy E. Keller and Rita K. Keller. Lot 17, Block 4, Original Town of Wayne. \$146.25.

March 2: Bradley R. Pflueger to John Sandahl. The SE 1/4 of Section 21, Township 25, Range 4. \$2,700.

March 2: Kenneth W. Hopper Trustee, Ken and Carol Hopper Revocable Trust Bypass Share to RELX LLP. The W 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 6, Township 25, Range 5. \$1,127.25.

March 2: Kenneth W. Hopper Trustee, Ken and Carol Hopper Revocable Trust Bypass Share to Ken M. Slama and Darci L. Slama. The N 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 5, Township 25, Range 5. \$965.25.

March 5: Jennifer Suzanne Carmer Phelps, Jennifer Carmer Phelps, Jennifer S. Carmer Phelps, Jennifer S. Phelps, Jennifer Suzanne Phelps to Thomas J. Jacobsen. Lot 9, Tara Ridge Addition of Wayne. \$378.

March 5: Michael C. Gubbels and Natasha Gubbels to Brett D. Weich and Amanda A. Weich. Part of the NE 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 7, Township 25, Range 1. \$405.

March 5: Merlin Greve and Faye D. Greve to Kimberly F. Preston, Kelly L. Kelley and Kevin M. Greve. Part of the NE 1/4 of Section 32, Township 26, Range 5. Exempt.

March 7: Cheryl A. Meyer to Justin Bargstadt and Amber Bargstadt. Part of the NE 1/4 of Section 31, Township 25, Range 3. \$1,145.25.

March 7: Wayne Industries, Inc. to The Summerfield Group, LLC. Lot 1, Kardell Industrial Part #2 Subdivision of Wayne Area Subdivisions. \$506.25.

March 7: City of Wayne to The

Summerfield Group, LLC. Lot 1, Tompkins Industrial Track #1, Second Replat of Wayne Area Subdivisions. Exempt.

March 8: Vakoc Construction Co. to Carolyn K. Vakoc Revocable Trust, Carolyn K. Vakoc Trustee. Lot 9, Block 2, Sunrise Cove Addition of Wayne. Exempt.

March 9: The Estate of Betty W. Stoddart to Betty W. Stoddart 2003 Revocable Trust, John B. Stoddart III Trustee and Lynn S. Pierce Trustee. The NE 1/4 and the SE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 27, Range 3. Exempt.

March 9: The Estate of John B. Stoddart Jr. to Betty W. Stoddart. The NE 1/4 and the SE 1/4 of Section 1, Township 27, Range 3. Exempt.

March 9: Sandra Sue Henschke to Damon Henschke and Betty Henschke. Part of the E 1/2 of the NW 1/4 of Section 1, Township 25, Range 4. \$54.

March 12: Ken and Carol Hopper Revocable Trust Bypass Share, Kenneth W. Hopper Trustee to Kenneth Thomsen and Julie G. Thomsen. The SE 1/4 of Section 4, Township 25, Range 5. \$1,728.

March 12: Melvin Dale Otte to Melvin Otte, Revocable Trust, Alessi D. Otte Co-Trustee and Betholyn C. Otte, Co-Trustee.



Playground partners

Representatives of the Wayne Education Boosters (WEB) recently presented a check to the Wayne Community Schools Board of the Education. The WEB group organized a number of fundraisers throughout the school year for the students and parents at Wayne Elementary School. Those involved in the presentation included (from left) Rebecca Siebrandt, Sara Jaixen, Sonya Tompkins, Mary French, Mark Evotevich, Tami Worner, Jeryl Nelson, Carolyn Linster, Ken Jorgensen, Wendi Consoli and Rod Garwood. The money will be used for the purchase of playground equipment at the new Wayne Elementary School.

Briefly Speaking

Bridge played at Senior Center

AREA — Bridge was played at the Wayne Senior Center on Tuesday, April 17, with 16 ladies attending. Bridge was played at four tables.

Hostesses were June Baier and Lorraine Johnson.

Bridge will be played again on Tuesday, April 24. Hostess will be Nancy Jo Powers. For reservations, call (402) 375-2391 by Sunday, April 22.



Bucks for books

The Wayne Eagles Auxiliary annually makes donations to area libraries for the purchase of books. A donation was made recently to the Winside Lied Public Library, and will be used to purchase large-print books. Involved in the check presentation were (from left) Wayne Eagles Auxiliary President Mary Kay Hasemann, Jacen Hasemann, Winside Librarian JoAnn Field and Eagles Auxiliary member Jan Gamble. The money represents the proceeds from a number of fundraisers conducted by the members throughout the year.

Wakefield Depot Museum Re-Opening is April 28

By BRAD KURTENBACH
The Wakefield Republican

Over a matter of just a few years, and the help of countless volunteers, the historic Chicago and Northwestern railroad depot in Wakefield has come to life. A Grand Re-Opening will be taking place on Saturday, April 28. The public is invited to attend from 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Eight model trains are now running and cover the scales from N to G (Garden), although HO-scale has been the most modeled in the freight room. The simulator room is just about done and hopefully will

be operating by the Open House. The simulator will allow folks to feel like they are actually experiencing a train ride.

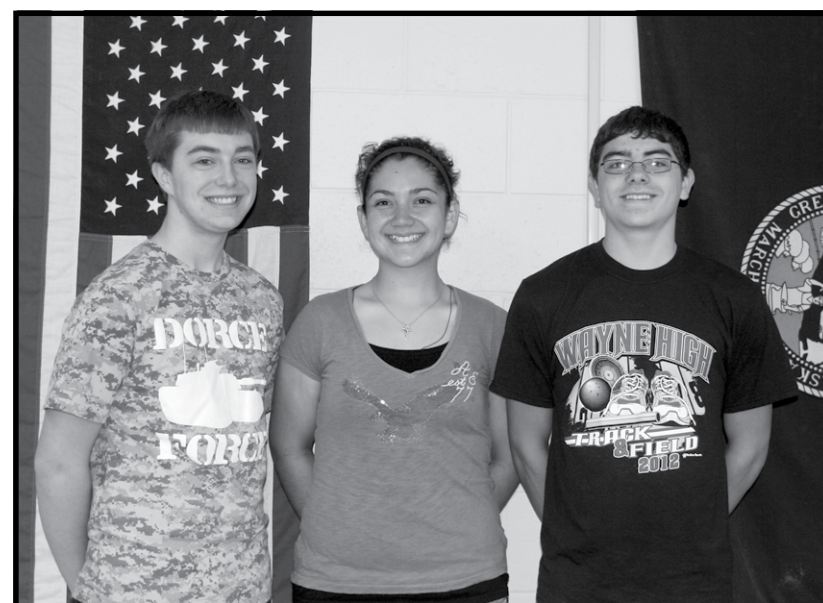
While at the depot, take in some of Lefty Olson's memorabilia, more of Wakefield's history and especially, CNW railroad history, thanks in large part to Harold Tell.

Supporters of the Depot Museum have been invited to tour the depot from 3-5 p.m. and enjoy dinner following.

Graves Museum

All tour-goers can visit Graves Museum on Saturday from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Besides having one of the largest wrench collections in the Midwest, courtesy of Russell Marshall, they have just received a vintage player piano. The museum has been given several dozen rolls of music for the piano. There are many antiques on display there as well.

Come and visit the Depot Museum and see how Harold Tell's DREAM HAS COME TRUE.



Representing Wayne at the 2012 Boys and Girls State event will be (from left) Dillon Wieland, Kimberly Zuniga and Colin Webster.

Selections made for Boys, Girls State

The veterans organizations in Wayne have announced the names of the Wayne High School juniors who have been selected to attend the Cornhusker Boys' and Girls State event June 3-9 in Lincoln.

Chosen to attend Boys State were Dillon Wieland and Colin Webster. Chosen to attend Girls State was Kimberly Zuniga.

Wieland is the son of Patty Wieland and Brad Wieland. He is currently president of the Wayne High School FBLA, served as the vice-president of the Junior Optimist Club, is in Spanish Club, the high school musical and a member of the high school bowling team. He has served as a Sunday School teacher, taught swimming lessons and play Taps at the funerals of veterans.

Webster is the son of Lance and Peg Webster. He has been active with the Wayne Boy Scout troop, working with the newspaper recycling program, volunteering to serve dinners at The Oaks, helping with the Kiwanis Pancake Feed and firemen's breakfast. He has served as a Boy Scout Senior Patrol leader, sophomore band class officer and is a member of the Mayor's Youth Council. He is also involved in football, track, the school musical and Mock Trial. In addition, he is a member of his church's youth group.

Zuniga is the daughter of Nancy Rodriguez. She is involved in a

number of activities at her church, was instrumental in aiding a member of the community during a dog attack, works at recycling and serves as a leader of young children at church events. She is involved in the Wayne High School One-Acts and Young Adults for Christ in South Sioux City.

The American Legion Cornhusker Boys' and Girls' State event will be held on the University of Nebraska-Lincoln campus. The annual citizenship program, sponsored by the Nebraska American Legion, is designed to provide young people with a better understanding of how city, county and state governments operate.

The event is set up as a functional "51st state" and each attendee learns how government subdivisions operate by actually doing the job. Participants will campaign for offices, hold elections, take part in band and chorus, compete in athletics and be involved in other varied activities as part of the citizenship training program.

Special lectures and addresses will be delivered by experienced public officials and professional leaders including Governor Dave Heineman and Supreme Court Chief Justice John M. Gerrard.

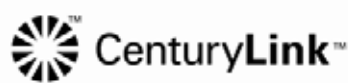
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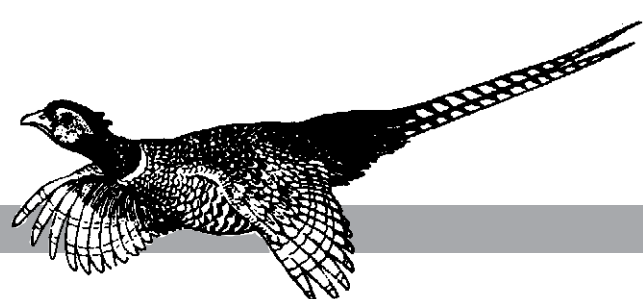
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Lifestyle

The Wayne Herald



Nebraska youth participate in National 4-H Youth Conference

Two 4-H members were selected to represent Nebraska at the National 4-H Conference held March 24-29 in Chevy Chase, Md.

Samantha Schneider, daughter of Jason and Jennifer Schneider of Cozad; and Alex Whitney, son of Mike and Pat Whitney of Minden proudly represented Nebraska's interests in the national 4-H program. UNL Extension Educator, Jackie Steffen, accompanied the youth.

The Nebraska 4-H Foundation sponsored the 4-Hers' conference. The National 4-H Conference is an annual event headquartered at the National 4-H Center. This week-long working conference promotes positive youth development, facili-

tates learning, and engages young people with the efforts of the USDA and the land-grant universities to enhance their quality of life. It also provides delegates with the opportunity to provide input into youth development programming at the federal level.

Over 200 youth from across the country came to the nation's capital to make their voice heard as a part of the 2012 National 4-H Conference, sponsored by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's National Institute of Food and Agriculture.

Nebraska youth delegates met with legislators on Capitol Hill to inform them about the current 4-H accomplishments. In addition, they

participated in round tables on current youth issues and prepared and



Jackie Steffen
Cedar County

presented briefs to national agencies connected to the issue.

Nebraska delegates, Samantha and Alex, presented The Relevance

of Career Readiness in Education to the Department of Education.

Other highlights of the conference included addresses by Dr. Jill Biden, Second Lady of the United States, and Agriculture Secretary, Tom Vilsack.

UNL Extension sends two delegates per year and candidates are eligible to attend National 4-H Conference only one time. Delegates must submit an application, interview, and be selected by a committee. Representatives are selected based on their involvement in 4-H at the local and state level as well as their leadership and communication skills. They are extraordinary role models and mentors in their communities.

The National 4-H Conference is the premier youth development opportunity of the Department of Agriculture. This conference brings top 4-Hers from across the country to share ideas to strengthen the 4-H program nationally and at the state level.

Engagement



Kreutzer — Hill

Scott and Karen Kreutzer of Loomis and Kevin and Melody Hill of Wayne have announced the engagement of their children, Tabitha Kreutzer and Jesse Hill.

Tabitha, a 2008 graduate of Holdrege High School, will graduate from the University of Nebraska at Kearney in May of 2012. She will receive a Bachelor of Science in Education degree in Communication Disorders. She plans to pursue a Master's Degree in speech-language pathology from the University of Nebraska at Lincoln beginning in August of 2012.

Jesse, a 2008 graduate of Wayne High School, will also graduate from the University of Nebraska at Kearney in May of 2012. He will receive a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degree with an emphasis in finance. Jesse plans to begin work for Principal Financial Group as a financial planner in Seward.

The couple is planning a wedding for June 2, 2012, at Holcomb Evangelical Free Church in Holdrege.



Mr. and Mrs. Sherry

Open house to honor Sherrys

Don and Carolyn Sherry of Laurel will observe their 50th wedding anniversary with an open house on Sunday, April 29.

The event will be held from 2-4 p.m. at the Laurel Senior Center in Laurel.

Don Sherry and Carolyn McCullough were married April 30, 1962 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Laurel. Don graduated from Wayne High School and Carolyn graduated from Laurel High School.

Their family includes Scott and Sidean Sherry of Nashville, Tenn., Kim and Bill Minarik of Linwood, Donna Sherry of Omaha and Randy and Marva Sherry of Omaha. They have seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Cards may be sent to the honorees at 312 West First Street, Laurel, Neb. 68745.

TOPS group releases March member stats

March TOPS #200 Best Losers were Hawley Hanson, Lisa Niemann, Jeannine Wriedt and Sherie Lundahl. KOPS were Connie Kirkpatrick, Kathleen Johs and Gail Godbersen.

Installation of officers was held at the Coffee Shoppe and the offi-

cers are, Jeannine Wriedt, Leader; Diane Sullivan, Co-Leader; Connie Kirkpatrick, Secretary; Trista Stone, Treasurer; Beverly Ruwe, Recorder and Dorothy Nelson, Assistant Recorder. They received certificates and charms plus the thanks of the members for serving another year.

TOPS Inc. awards were presented by Jeannine Wriedt to the following: Lisa Niemann, first place - Division 3; Gail Godbersen, first place - Division 4 and Chapter Queen; Connie Kirkpatrick, second place - Division 4 and Chapter Queen Runner-up.

Mrs. Wriedt said she felt all of the group's members are winners should be recognized. Certificates awarded were as follows: Matthea Barelmann - youngest member; Pam Barelmann - graduating college; Darlene Bowers - best activity juggler; Haley Hanson - the first college student member; Donna Hawley - birthday girl; Tracy Henschke - volunteering at her church; Kay Saul - sunshine award for sending cards; Sherie Lundahl - best singing voice; Phyllis Rahn - volunteering at her church; Kathleen Johs - sunshine for sending cards; Dee Rebersdorf - attendance recorder; Lois Spencer - most courageous and Penny Vollbracht - best senior citizen supporter.

There has been a time change when the group meets. They gather every Wednesday at the Providence Medical Boardroom with weigh-in from 5:30-6:15 p.m. and the meeting from 6:15-7 p.m. During the time from Advent through Lent (approximately December-March) members will weigh-in at 5 p.m. and the meeting will begin at 6:15 p.m.

Anyone seeking more information about TOPS, Inc. is welcome to visit any of the meetings.

Eagles Auxiliary assists with book purchases

The Wayne Eagles Auxiliary met April 16 with President Mary Kay Hasemann presiding.

Notice was received from the Grand Aerie that one of the 2012 Fraternal Order of Eagles Children's Art Contest - Pride and Patriotism entries was a winner. Derek Cadwallader, a third grade student at Pender earned third place honors in the national competition. He was awarded a \$75 savings bond.

The Wayne Public Library notified the Auxiliary that they had purchased 17 large-print books with the auxiliary's donation. The list of these books can be seen at the Aerie.

The Wakefield Gardner Public Library also sent a list of seven large-print books they purchased from last year's donation.

The Aerie and Auxiliary will together host a mountain oyster/tavern supper on Saturday, April 28, beginning at 6:30 p.m. A freewill offering will be collected. Salads and desserts will also be served. Following the supper, A Family Feud game will be played at 8:30 p.m. The Aerie will compete against the Auxiliary.

The next meeting of the auxiliary will be Monday, May 7 at 8 p.m.



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Corrected Middle School Honor Roll released

The honor roll list for Wayne Middle School that appeared in the April 12 edition of the Wayne Herald did not include the seventh grade honorees.

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Seventh graders

William Anderson, Morgan Barner, Claire Barnes, Joe Bart, Hannah Belt, Adam Bentjen, Rylee Bessmer, Amelia Blankenau, Kelsey Boyer, Emily Claussen, Thomas Clifford, Talesha Conner, Tanner DeBoer, Allison Echtenkamp, Lathan Ellis, Jennifer Espino, Payten Gamble, Taylor Gamble, Ashten Gibson, Daniel Greenwald, Ty Grono, Devan Henschke, Kiara Hochstein, Brittney Hunke, Caitlin Janke, Felicity Jech, Delaney Jensen, Morgan Keating and Steven Keiser.

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Lambert, Maria Lenihan, R.J. Liska, Lucas Longe, Melinda Longe, Cara Lubberstedt, Gabrielle Lutt, Tyler Lutt, Emily Matthes, Grayson McBride, Logan Milligan, Marissa Munsell, Natalie Muren, Tucker Nichols, Sydnie Niemann, Jacob Powell, Marta Pulfer, Garret Reynolds, Nolan Reynolds, Lindsey Roberts, Lindy Sandoz, Sierra Scardino, Kaden Schmale,

Jacqueline Sherman, Morgan Sievers, Morgan Swanson, Leydi Trujillo Avala and Brenna Vovos.

Eighth Grade

MicKayla Armell, Mikayla Bartos, Mikyla Bartos, Tabitha Belt, Noah Braun, Morgan Carson, Nicole Craft, Abby Cudaback, Jacob Daum, Drew Davie, Jasen Davis, Michaela Fehringer, Jesse Heithold, Sylvia Jager, Jenessa

Kardell, Colby Keiser, Malik Knox and Cole Koenig.

Also, Anna Loberg, Miranda Long, Kaitlyn McAllister, Thorin McBride, Kyle O'Donnell, Meg Osnes, Ashlyn Pecena, Mason Reynolds, Peyton Roach, Danica Schaefer, Schuyler Schweers, Isabella Silva-Goos, Micah Sprouls, Amanda Stabler, Tarah Stegemann, Jakob Strate and Jorge Vergara.



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Courthouse construction

Otte Construction of Wayne is doing construction work on the east side of the courthouse, replacing concrete near the east entrance to the courthouse. Visitors are asked to use the south entrance to the courthouse to enter the building through the rest of the week. Those with handicap needs can call (402) 375-2288 for assistance to access the building.



Taylor Burke

Taylor Burke awarded WSC scholarship

Taylor Burke of Wayne has been awarded a State National Bank Scholarship to attend Wayne State College in Wayne.

Taylor, the daughter of Bob and Kathy Burke of Wayne, will graduate from Wayne High School in May of 2012.

While in high school, she has participated in girls golf, track and field, Spanish Club, W-Club, Varsity Marching and Concert Band, Jazz Band I and II and National Honor Society.

Schuttler attends Spring Training

Marlin Schuttler, Wayne County weed superintendent, was in attendance at Central Community College in Hastings, the site of the Nebraska Weed Control Association's (NWCA) annual Spring Training, held April 2-4.

On Monday, 13 new superintendents (three years or less experience) received orientation from the Department of Ag officials and the NWCA officers.

Tuesday and Wednesday's training was for all Nebraska weed superintendents. Speakers for the two-day training session included:

- Mitch Coffin (NDA), Update on Acres of Noxious Weeds in Nebraska;
- Brent Meyer (Lancaster Co.), Weed Watcher Volunteer Program;
- Kristi Paul (Sheridan Co.), Public Relations for students; GIS

Workshop, Nebraska's new mapping system;

- Jimmie Cobb (Dow AgroSciences), Environmental Impacts on Non-Herbicidal Weed Control;
- Tim Horst, Ducks Unlimited Weed Control Projects;
- Ryan Krull, Iowa's Noxious Weed Program; Charles Brooks (Phelps Co.) & Todd Boller (Fillmore Co.), Legislative Update;
- Rob Schultz (Hall Co.) Nebraska's Weed Free Forage Website;
- Ted Bethell (VanDiest Supply Co.), Roadside Brush Control;
- Mitch Coffin (NDA), Noxious Weed Law Questionnaire;
- Brent Meyer (Lancaster Co.), Developing Your County Budget;
- Karie Decker (UNL Invasive Species Project), Nebraska's NEW Watch List;
- Bruce Rumsey (Clay Co.) and

Brian Crabtree (Hamilton Co.), Use and Update of the 2012 Daily Planner;

- Charles Brooks (NWCA President) and Mitch Coffin (NDA), Questions and Answers, and Nebraska's Statewide WMA Strategic Plan.

A total of 76 Nebraska weed superintendents attended this training. Upon completion of answering roll call twice per day, taking and passing the exam at the end of each day, each superintendent will obtain 10 of the required 20 hours of continuing education for 2012.

The two remaining opportunities will be fall training in October; and the annual Nebraska Association of County Officials (NACO) Conference in December.

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Agriculture

Weather more unusual than normal

When I said we needed rain, I did not mean all at once! We had a total of 3 inches on Saturday.

However, we are thankful rain was all we got; no hail, no wind, no tornado. It was amazing to see Thurman, Iowa, on national news this evening. Thurman is a very small town across the river from Nebraska City, and I don't think they have ever been on NBC before.

And, in Nebraska City, the Kimmel Orchards took a hit. And further north, on Highway 50, there was a house destroyed in Cook. This used to be my territory; I've been there many times. At least, there were no fatalities, as in Oklahoma.

It does seem to me that there is more unusual weather, but maybe it's my age. I do know it was difficult to get to sleep Saturday evening with the weather sirens howling. I guess my mistake was in waiting too long to go to bed; this morning, at Curves, most of the gals reported they had slept through them.

I spent two days downtown at the Embassy Suites last week, at the annual End of Life Conference. I volunteer for Nebraska Hospice there, in what is called the Marketplace. The national office sends huge boxes of books that are tremendous resources, and we sell them to attendees. On Tuesday, the first day, registration was 280, so you know there was a crowd.

I did sneak away to sit in on a couple of breakout sessions. One that got my attention was by Mourning Hope staff. I was aware of this organization; its executive director is Carly Runestad, Mrs. Kurt Runestad, and we had visited at a health fair where we were both displaying. Our hospice team had used the house for one of our team stress relief meetings. Their mission is to assist young people who are grieving. As their founder told us, when a child loses a parent; often, they do not know another child who has



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

had the same loss.

This organization can put that child in contact with other children who have sustained such a loss, and better still, they can help the child do what we call "grief work". Sometimes, it is known as "processing the grief." If adults have difficulty with this task, imagine how hard it must be for a child. Often, they have not experienced the loss of any other significant person until this one.

One statistic that was quoted really caught my attention: of all inmates on death row, 85 percent have experienced a major loss, usually that of a parent, as a child. Someone in the audience added that this is true of gang members, also. A special education teacher once told me that many incarcerated people have learning disabilities.

Anyway, if learning to deal with grief is that important, it behooves us to pay attention. Mourning Hope uses all kinds of therapy to assist children in this important work. They also do out-state training, since, of course, not everyone can

travel to them. They own a modest bungalow style house in northeast Lincoln, and in just a few years, they have helped many, many families.

I am always impressed at this conference with the people who are working hard to help us all in these important life transitions. On Tuesday evening, at the annual banquet, we honored the volunteers who are so important in hospice work. I'm gratified to see that we are finally covering almost all of the state. Bringing hospice to some of the rural areas is a tremendous job, and requires some real dedication from some of the nurses and social workers involved.

If you know someone involved in this task, take a minute to tell them they are appreciated. They don't do it for appreciation, or for money, but because they so believe in its value. In the thirty years since hospice began in Nebraska, we have made important strides. Rest assured, we will keep on, keeping on!

Youth Horticulture ID Contest to be part of May 5 Plant Fair

The Northeast Nebraska Master Gardeners will host a Youth Horticulture ID Contest at the 20th annual Plant Fair, Saturday, May 5 at the Cox Activities Center on the campus of Northeast Community College in Norfolk.

Competition begins at 11 a.m. with Awards Presented at 12:30 p.m. All youth ages 8-18 years old (by Jan. 1, 2012) are encouraged to participate. Participation is free, but all participants must preregister by Friday, April 27 by contacting the UNL Extension office in Madison County at (402) 370-4040.

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Livestock Market Report

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

The market was higher on fat cattle and steady to higher on cows. There were 250 head sold.

Strictly choice fed steers, \$123.50 to \$127.10. Good and choice steers, \$118 to \$122. Medium and good steers, \$115 to \$118. Standard steers, \$105 to \$115. Strictly choice fed heifers, \$122 to \$126. Good and choice heifers, \$118 to \$122. Medium and good heifers, \$115 to \$118. Standard heifers, \$95 to \$110. Beef cows, \$78 to \$82. Utility cows, \$82 to \$85. Canner and cutters, \$78 to \$90. Bologna bulls, \$95 to \$110.

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

The market was steady to weak on the 1.025 head sold.

300-400 lb. steers, \$190 to \$217; heifers, \$185 to \$205.
400-500 lb. steers, \$180 to \$208; heifers, \$175 to \$185.
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Suggestions offered for proper tree planting this spring

As spring arrives, the planting season gets underway. When planting trees and shrubs, spring is the second best time of year; second only to fall, with its long period of moderate temperatures allowing more time for root development before the plant is tested by a hot Nebraska summer.

Gardeners wanting to plant trees and shrubs this spring have a window of time from approximately April 1 through June 30 when soil is workable and temperatures are favorable for new plant establishment. Avoid planting trees and shrubs in the middle of summer, from July 1 through Aug. 20, when conditions are very hot and dry.

Most trees and shrubs bought by local homeowners are container plants. Container plants have a longer window of time when they can be successfully planted. That time approximately is from late April through the end of June. Be careful with plants that have been protected in a greenhouse when planting them outside before the last spring frost date. Providing protection may be necessary if heavy frost is predicted to avoid leaf damage. To minimize stress on the plants, try to plant on a calm or cloudy day, and keep the plants moist during the planting process.

Ag Happenings
Keith Jarvi
Extension Educator

With wood plants, like trees and shrubs, it is best to plant them directly into the native soil, without any soil amendments. New roots will tend to stay within the area of amended soil instead of spreading out and providing good support for the tree. Eliminating soil amendments actually results in a more extensive root system.

When planting any tree or shrub, one of the most important considerations is making sure it is planted

at the correct depth. Roots need oxygen from soil to properly grow. If a plant is planted too deep, the root system doesn't develop as well because it doesn't receive enough oxygen. As a result, the plant can be stunted, have low vigor and be more susceptible to insects and diseases throughout its life.

To determine the proper planting depth, find the first main root at the top of the root system and plant it just below the soil surface. If the plant is in a container, remove it from the container, then pull the soil away from the top of the rootball until the first root or the "root flare" is located. The root flare can be found on all trees at the base of the trunk where the trunk widens before differentiating into the root system. When planted properly, the tree's root flare should be visible at the soil surface after planting.

When ready to plant, don't dig the hole any deeper or loosen the soil at the bottom of the planting hole any more than necessary. If the soil is too loose, it will settle after the plant has been in the ground for awhile, causing the plant to sink. Dig a shallow, wide hole and loosen soil around the sides. Roughing up the edges of the hole will avoid "glazing" from the back of the shovel that can make it difficult for

the root to penetrate through the soil as the tree begins to grow.

Remove any burlap, ropes, strapping materials, plastic containers, wire baskets, plant tags or any other type of labeling attached to the plant before putting the plant in the planting hole. Once the proper planting depth has been checked, backfill with soil, gently firming the soil around the base of the roots. When the hole is filled, apply water and soak the planting hole, allowing water to eliminate any remaining air pockets. Finally, apply a two to three inch layer of organic mulch, such as wood chips.

Staking trees is not recommended unless the plant is in a very high wind location. Also, don't fertilize new trees and plants for the first two to three years after planting. The same goes for pruning and shaping. Limit pruning to broken branches only during the first few years.

Visit the Nebraska Forest Service site at <http://nfs.unl.edu/retreenebraska> for suggestions on great plants for Nebraska landscapes. Also, for more information on good techniques for planting trees and shrubs, visit the Nebraska Statewide Arboretum website at arboretum.unl.edu.

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Four Days (10 Hour Shifts);
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 5:00am-3:30 pm

Second Shift

Four Nights (10 Hour Shifts);
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Ideal candidates should have a steady work history. Previous production experience is helpful. Must be 18 years of age. Candidates are to successfully complete a post job offer drug screen and medical examination. Individuals wanting to join a winning team should apply in person at:



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We offer great pay and a good working environment. Previous mechanical or construction experience is helpful, but not necessary. Great Dane provides all training. Candidates must be 18 years of age and successfully complete a post-job offer drug screen. To find out more about these exciting positions or to apply in person, stop by our office between 8:15 a.m.-4:15 p.m. Monday-Friday.

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Full and part time day and night shift. Flexible scheduling. Benefits offered.
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THANK YOU

The Wayne Community Schools Music Boosters would like to thank everyone for their generous support and donations for the recent Sandwich, Pie and Ice Cream Social. Your contributions will be used for the music programs at our schools.

Thank you to Brad Weber, Traci Anderson, and Carrie Jensen for their support and willingness to help with this event in any way they could. Thank you to the following businesses for their donations: Udder Delights, BankFirst, State National Bank, The Max, State Farm, Tacos & More, Quality Food Center, The Coffee Shoppe, Pamida and Dairy Queen. Thank you Wayne Public Schools Kitchen, Office and Maintenance Staff for their help and use of supplies, and to KTCH, the Wayne Herald, Arnie's, and First National Bank for advertising the event.

Thank you to all of the parents, grandparents, and friends of the Music Boosters for working and donating food items. Last of all, we would like to thank everyone who came to support this event.

It is through your continued support of these programs that we can continue the Pride of the Blue Devils in our music programs.



The Wayne Music Boosters

WAYNE YOUTH WRESTLING THANK YOU

The Wayne Youth Wrestling Board would like to thank the following businesses and individuals who donated to the 2012 Youth Wrestling Tournament on March 31. Your donations were greatly appreciated.

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Thank you to everyone for your kind expressions of sympathy during the loss of our husband, dad, grandpa, and great grandpa. Your prayers, visits, cards, calls, food, flowers, memorials and many kindnesses have been a great source of comfort to us.

Special thanks to the doctors, nurses, and staff at Providence Medical Center for the care provided to Don and the compassion shown to our family. You are a blessing to many! We are also grateful to Hasemann Funeral Home for your guidance, Our Savior Lutheran Church and Pastor Bob Olesen for the beautiful service, Vel's Bakery and the Women of the ELCA for serving lunch, and the Veterans who honored Don with military rites.

God Bless You All — The Family of Donald Hansen
Irene Hansen, Tim & Mary Hansen and Family, Sheryl & Fred Kalin and Family, Bonnie & Chuck Starkey and Family

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: 2-BR apartments in Wayne. Available May 1. Off street parking, 3 blocks from campus. \$450/mo., plus utilities. Ph. 402-494-3712 or 712-253-5381.

FOR RENT: 2-BR house in Coleridge. Ranch style home with central air and large yard. Pet friendly. Call 712-212-5844.

FOR RENT: 48'x73' storage building at 101 South Logan Street in Wayne with overhead door. Building has electricity. \$500.00 a month. One year lease required. Phone 402-640-1403.

FOR RENT: A beautiful energy efficient TWO BEDROOM apartment, located in downtown Wayne. Stove and fridge furnished. Water, garbage, internet paid. Laundry facilities. You pay electricity & cable TV. A no smoking/no party property. \$520.00/month. Phone 375.2180 between 8AM & 5PM

FOR RENT: Across from campus, walk to class - small, cute, TWO BEDROOM apartment. A/C, appliances, private parking lot. No smoking. No parties. AL-SO: One-bedroom apartment across from campus. Off street parking. Ph. 402-375-1616. Leave message.

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FOR RENT: Cozy, 1 bedroom apartment for rent in Wisner. Very affordable rent. If interested, call 402-529-3519. Please leave a message.

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom, remodeled apartment. Ph. 402-350-1231.

FOR RENT: Wanted - 3 roommates to share nice house with male roommate. Ph. 402-369-2182.

FOR RENT: Newly remodeled 3-BR, 1 full bath, living room, large kitchen with appliances and eating area. 57260 HW 35. 2 1/2 miles west of Wayne on HW 35. \$550./mo. Open House Sunday April 22, 12-4pm. Call 402-397-5017.

FOR RENT: Nice 1, 2, 3, and 4 bedroom apartments. All new heat pumps and central air. No parties. Call 402-369-0772.

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FOR RENT: 1 bedroom house, \$325 month. Absolutely no pets. Renter pays electricity. Call 402-369-2423.

FOR RENT: 2, 3, & 4-bedroom apartments at 918 Main St.: One block to campus. New high efficiency heat pumps with central air. Appliances furnished. Some furnished with washer/dryer. Soft water. Paved parking. No pets. No parties. 712-899-0505 .

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Community-Wide Garage Sales

Friday & Saturday, April 20 & 21

Wayne

Garage Sales This Weekend

1)-GARAGE SALE: 308 N. Lincoln, in the alley; Friday, 4-9 pm, Saturday, 7 am-3 pm and Sunday by appointment (402-375-4998). Fishing Poles; Fishing Rods & Reels; Fishing weights, 1/8 oz. - 8 oz., many kinds, also jigs. Mower (excellent shape), pickup covers, walking sticks and canes.

2)-GARAGE SALE: 1026 Sunnyview; Friday, April 20, noon to? End tables; TV; exercise bike; foosball table; dishes; china hutch; table and chairs; Christmas tree; CD's; pictures; lamps; Porta Potty for camping; microwave; golf clubs; old Pepsi bottles and Coke crate. Much more!

3)-GARAGE SALE: 1030 West 1st Ave.; Friday, 4-8 pm, Saturday, 8-11 am. Kid's electric scooter; lawn mower; Jordan kid's clothes and shoes; books; household items; and much, much more.

4)-MULTI-FAMILY SALE: 508 W. 7th St., Saturday only, 8 am-noon. Various sizes of name brand women's clothing, men's clothing, home decor, purses, shoes and baby swing. No Early Sales. Cash Only.

5)-GARAGE SALE: 503 Donner Pass; Friday, 4 pm-?, Saturday, 8 am-noon. Girl's clothes, sz. 3T-6; lots of toys; women's clothes - small, medium, large and some petite; men's extra large clothes; queen size mattress; HP Photo Copier; Lexmark scanner/printer; 4 yr. old Whirlpool dishwasher; real nice table set with 4 chairs, one bench, 2 bar stools, one leaf and one side table; office chair; pre-school learning set (7 mo.); white lace, pearl dress, young girls size 8; DVD & VCR movies, kids and adults; Veggie Tales movies (new); Strawberry Shortcake doll and bedspread (sheets and pillow cases); Fisher Price pool table with other games.

6)-R'WAYS HUGE RUMMAGE/BAKE SALE: St. Mary's Parish Holy Family Hall, 412 E. 8th St.; Friday, 9 am-6 pm and Saturday, 9 am-noon. Collectibles; clothing; gardening; glassware; books; household items; Christmas decorations; silent auction; shoes; purses; primitives; collectible antique dolls; garden chair; garden junk; baby bassinets.

7)-GARAGE SALE: 820 Pearl St., on deck behind the house; Saturday only, 8 am-noon. Quality children's toys and books; Fisher-Price toy chest and other toy storage; boy's clothing, size 10-12; twin bedding; and other items.

8)-GARAGE SALE: 57595 858 Rd., Wayne; Friday, 4-7 pm and Saturday 7-11 am. Lawn tools; folding chairs; shop tools; Milwaukee Sawzall; orbital buffer; chain saw sharpener; log chains; etc.

9)-GARAGE SALE: 1021 W. 1st Ave.; Saturday, 9 am-5 pm. Everything must go! Couches, chairs, kitchen and housewares, TV, range, washing machine, bedding, tools, hardware, lawn care equipment; eight dining chairs, wall hangings, knick-knacks; many Christmas decorations and some antiques. Ph. 402-570-1678.

10)-GARAGE SALE: 215 East 5th St.; Friday, 3-6 pm; Saturday 8 am-noon. boys' clothes, sizes 0-18 months; baby bouncer; small stroller; car seat; toys; kitchenware; purses; books; many more items.

11)-HUGE MULTI-FAMILY SALE: 512 Nebraska St., garage behind house in alley; Thursday, 5-7 pm, Friday, 4:30-8 pm; Saturday, 8 am-noon. Tons of boy clothes, 0-6; girl's clothes; women's name brand jeans/shirts, M-L; formal dresses; Chicco stroller; glider chair; coffee table; computer desks; kid toys; Baby Einstein DVD's; shoes, baby-adult; hunting/fishing/camping; tent; gun cabinet; baby walker and Johnny Jumper. Something for everyone!

12)-GARAGE SALE: 907 Circle Dr.; Friday, 4-8 pm and Saturday, 7-11 am. 100's of brand new items, \$1-\$5 (sunglasses, Ed Hardy Koozies, lights, etc.). Also, 18 ft. Lund Tye Grand Sport boat, 115 horse Johnson w/15 horse Evinrude kicker.

13)-GARAGE SALE: 811 Walnut Dr.; Friday, 4:30-7:30 pm and Saturday, 8 am-noon. Boys and girls clothes, size 10-teen and shoes, some name brand, women and men's clothes; shoes; sandals; Bernie coveralls; fishing poles; DVD's; CD's; jewelry; purses; books-children and adult; scrapbooking supplies; stamps; kitchen items; dolphin figurines; Boyd's Bears; home decor; toys; Polly Pockets; toy horses; Littlest Pet Shop items; Fisher Price basketball stand; mini trampoline; boy's bike.

14)-MULTI-FAMILY SALE: 901 Lincoln St.; Friday only, 9 am-7 pm. 32" TV; microwave; many kitchen items; bedding; toddler bed; household decorations; Christmas tree and decorations; women's clothes, size 14-18; boys clothes, size 2-7; misc. baby items and clothes for boys and girls. Still cleaning. Cash only!

15)-3-FAMILY SALE: 614 Lincoln; Friday, noon-7 pm; Saturday, 8 am-3 pm. Home Interiors pictures; very cute young women's clothing and nice women's plus size clothing; baby and toddler clothing, mostly girls, good condition; washer/dryer; lots of toys and tons of nice, misc. items! Lots of variety.

16)-GARAGE SALE: 607 Hillcrest; Friday, 3pm-7pm; Saturday, 8 am-1 pm. "Cancer stricken rural widow is moving to town. Must downsize! Furniture from every room, tools, household items. Lot of goodies that I can't take along."

17)-SEVERAL FAMILY SALE: 510 Crescent Dr.; Friday, 10 am-7 pm; Saturday, 9 am-noon. Features: children's clothing; baby things; furniture; sectional w/ two recliners and sofa bed; sofa w/matching recliner; trundle bed spring; curio cabinet; chest of drawers; white computer desk; bathroom fixtures; light fixtures; fax machine; lots and lots of other things.

18)-GARAGE SALE: 1103 Lawndale Dr.; Friday, 4-7 pm; Saturday, 9 am-noon (50% off after 10 am on Saturday). DON'T MISS THIS! Leather sofa; 2-year old dryer; kid's bikes; PS2 and games; camcorder; massage chair; Nikon digital camera; lamps; nice framed prints; girl's and teen's clothing; tea pot; coffee maker; nice child table and chairs; hamster cage; and lots more!

19)-GARAGE SALE: 1004 Aspen St.; Friday, 9 am-6 pm and Saturday, 9 am-6 pm. Furniture: La-Z-Boy recliner; chaise lounge; TV stand; Baker's Rack and much more. Washer/dryer; J.D. riding lawn mower; girl's, kids clothing; men and women's clothing. Must see! Cash only.

20)-MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 810 Brooke Dr.; Friday, 4-7 pm and Saturday, 8-11 am. Nice, name brand, girl's 3T-5 and boy's 5-7 clothing; Melissa & Doug puzzles; tons of books for all ages; toys; purses; full & queen comforter sets; curtains; home decor; misc. tools and much more.

21)-UNITED METHODIST WOMEN ANNUAL SALE! Methodist Church, 6th and Main, North Door; Friday, 2-7 pm; Saturday, 8 am-noon. Dining table sets; bar stools; dressers; coffee and end tables; exercise bike; Weber grill; walkers & commode; metal lawn chairs; shelving; couch; electronics; miscellaneous furniture; antiques & collectibles; luggage; clothing; shoes; books; seasonal; puzzles; games; housewares; jewelry; toys; miscellaneous. HUGE SELECTION!

22)-GARAGE SALE: 1022 1st Ave.; Friday, 2-7 pm; Saturday, 8 am-noon. Play Station 2 w/games and guitars; VCR; men and women's clothes; girl's size 7-8 & 10-12; toys and books; shoes; farm fresh eggs. Many, many other items. Come see.

23)-GARAGE SALE: 1028 Emerald Dr.; Friday, 4:30-7 pm; Saturday, 8 am-1 pm. Men's golf clubs; toddler riding toys; glasses; vases; tools; router; office chair; ladies golf clubs; books, adult and children; spindle sander; biscuit jointer; scroll saw; drill press; misc. woodworking supplies; flower pots; and much more. Cash only!

24)-GARAGE SALE: 1415 Vintage Hill Dr.; Friday, 12:05-6 pm; Saturday, 8-11 am. From our homes to yours - bar stools; TV cabinet for a flat screen; cookie jar; antique toys; home decor; whiskey barrel planter; wicker rocker; Beanie Babies; one gal. dry-lock paint, and much more.

25)-GARAGE SALE: 1020 Grainland Rd.; Saturday only, 7 am-noon. Leather couch; chair; dressers and headboard; golf bag; books; preschool toys; DVDs; CDs; clothes- young women's; boys and maternity; snow boots; coats; household items too numerous to mention; flat computer screen; Beanie Babies; Longaberger baskets; trumpet; clarinet; bells; all priced to sell.

26)-GARAGE SALE: 100 S. Maple St.; Friday, 4 pm-?; Saturday, 8 am-? Magnetic therapy jewelry - helps all pain; Avon products; women's clothing; PS2 games and much more.

27)-GARAGE SALE: 508 Logan St.; Saturday only, 8 am-3 pm. Furniture; women's clothing; lawn chairs; collectibles/antiques; TV; golf clubs; TV stand; standing photo frame; twin comforters; garden stuff; barn wood bench; bird houses; much, more misc. Local checks and cash only.

28)-GARAGE SALE: 700 Sunnyview Dr.; Saturday, 8 am-noon. Women's clothes, sizes medium to large; jeans, size 9-10; shoes, sizes 9 1/2 to 10; coats; dresses. Almost everything is like brand new and all priced to sell. 4 tires and rims pickup; light bar; odds and ends. No early sales. Cash only.

29)-MULTI-FAMILY SALE: 314 West 5th St.; Thursday, 1-8 pm; Friday, 8 am-8 pm; Saturday, 6 am-noon. CASH ONLY. Fur coat from Germany; kitchen items; full size box spring and mattress; 24" TV; toys; Christmas Tree; small black fireplace; girls clothes, newborn to 2T; boys, newborn to 6T; children's books; stroller; women's clothes.

30)-GARAGE SALE: The Oaks, 1006 Aspen (behind the Oaks); Friday, 2-8 pm. Lamps; TV's; variety of chairs; dressers; all kinds of tables; entertainment centers; pictures; puzzles; mirrors; decorator tins; motorized wheelchairs. Proceeds go to Alzheimers Walk.

31)-GARAGE SALE: 601 Oak Dr.; Friday, 2-7 pm and Saturday, 8-11 am. Baby boy clothes, N-9 mo.; Pac-n-Play; baby swing; bassinet; bottle warmer; toys; Baby Bjorn infant carrier; bottles; maternity clothes; DVDs; VCR tapes; computers; women's clothing; household items; and much, much more.

32)-GARAGE SALE: 1307 Meadow Lane; Friday, 8:30 am-6:30 pm; Saturday, 8 am-noon. Toddler bed with mattress; girls bedroom chair; home decor; kitchen wares; high chair; Thomas the Train set; canning jars with new lids; toys galore - large and small, including Leap Frog super center, doll house, kitchen set, large trucks and books; bed rail for children and other miscellaneous items.

33)-THREE-FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 221 South Windom St.; Friday, 3-6 pm; Saturday, 9 am-noon. Girls, infant clothes, 0-18 mo.; Jr. girls clothes; girls clothes, 10-12; boys 24" mountain bike; fish tank; lawn ornaments; flower pots; Christmas decorations; and many misc. items. Still looking.

34)-MOVING SALE: 502 Grainland Rd.; Friday, 1-8 pm; Saturday, 7:30 am-4 pm. Reclining sofa; hutch; Maytag washer; Speedqueen dryer; corner TV stand; holiday decorations; oval table w/4 chairs; hand held Dickey John moisture testers; portable dishwasher; small household appliances; TVs; microwave; end tables; filing cabinets; day bed; loveseat; Christmas trees; swivel rocker; wicker back chair; grandfather clock and other items too numerous to mention. Cash only.

35)-HUGE SALE: 712 Walnut Dr.; Friday, 3 pm-?; Saturday, 8 am-?. Lots of clothes, infant to 5-6 and young adult; glass ware; kitchen stuff; antiques; toys; books; Barbie tent; play house; pictures; small Ref. bread machine; some Fong ware; lots and lots of stuff. We are still digging. Don't miss this sale.

36)-GARAGE SALE: 2406 N. Hwy. 15 (house is west of golf course, across highway); Friday, 2-8 pm; Saturday, 8 am-3 pm. We have brand name clothing (Hollister, Buckle, AE jeans); tennis shoes; sandals; Mary Kay (15% off); bedroom furniture; purses; TV; kitchen dishes; containers; game grill; exercise equipment; George Foreman rotisserie; pet supplies; perfumes; games.

37)-GARAGE SALE: 508 East 6th St.; Friday, 3-7 pm; Saturday, 7 am-noon. Rain or Shine! Clothing, men's and women's; cookbooks; scrapbook supplies; bar stool; office chair; storm door; microwave; file cabinet w/bookcase; Westmoreland wedding bowls; dishes; Santa's; holiday decorations; books; old records; misc. Come early. Priced to sell.

38)-HUGE BABY/TODDLER SALE: 797 Hillside Dr.; Friday, 10 am-7 pm; Saturday, 8-11 am. Everything in excellent condition! Matching crib, changing table, dresser and toddler bed; crib mattresses; bedding; Graco infant car seat/double stroller combo; convertible car seats; Pac-N-Play; Medela double breast pump; Evenflo breast pumps; diaper bags; moon and star table and decor; high chairs; bathtub; baby swing; exercisauer; bouncer; walker; jumper; play wall and tunnel; Little Tykes teeter totter; slide; wagon and coupe car; riding toys; girl's bike; child's bicycle seat and toys; clothes - name brand girls 0-7, boys 0-3T and maternity S-L. Also, full size bed sheet/comforter set; brand new wooden coat rack; tons of wedding decor; Sony Playstation with games; misc. household items/decor; two hose hiderways; floor lamp and three new pairs of black Mason brand boots.

39)-MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 320 W. 6th St.; Friday, 2-8 pm. Name brand clothes, preschool through adult sizes; purses; shoes; curtains; comforters; home interiors; pictures; seasonal decorations; luggage; bread machine; puzzles; books; games; DVDs; bikes; indoor and outdoor toys. Something for everyone! Cash only!

40)-MULTI-FAMILY RUMMAGE SALE: Alley entrance to Peterson Physical Therapy, 208 Main St.; Friday, 3-7 pm and Saturday 8 am-noon. Folding chairs; DP exercise bike; stuffed animals; knick knacks; Winnie the Pooh sheets; Hermit crab houses and aquariums; men's clothing; junior clothing; antique dinner plates; fabric; odds and ends. To much to list. Cash only.

41)-MULTI-FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 612 Sherman St.; Saturday, 8:30 am-noon. Kitchen set; tables; triple dresser; file cabinet; TVs; TV stand; floor lamp; small appliances; luggage; bedding; pillows; Apple speaker; many household goods; yoga tapes; gardening items; and much more.

42)-FOUR-FAMILY GARAGE SALE: 102 Douglas St.; Saturday only, 8 am-1 pm. Girl's size 6 clothes; junior name brand clothing; Northface coat, size 5; plus sized women's clothing; Silver jeans, size 22; recliner; chest of drawers; Step 2 children's play kitchen and accessories; girl's 16" bike; Jazz DVX4 camera and video recorder; household items; tools.

43)-GARAGE SALE: 901 Walnut; Friday, 3-7 pm; Saturday, 8 am-1 pm. Picnic table; baby items; girl's size 2-4; 20 varieties of perennials; wedding items; vintage magazines; picture frames; Christmas items; books; canning jars; housewares; baskets; junior girl's clothing; women's clothing - small; jewelry; drinks and snacks.

44)-GARAGE SALE: 413 W. 10th St.; Friday, 3-7 pm; Saturday, 8 am-noon. Girl's clothes, 0-5T; some infant/toddler boys; baby bottles; women's clothes, M-L; women's shoes; scrub tops, bottoms and jackets; kitchen items; baseball caps; computer desk with chair; decor shelves; Baker's Rack; much, much more. Still sorting.

45)-GARAGE SALE: 1211 Lawndale Dr.; Friday, 3-7 pm; Saturday, 7 am-noon. Mostly girl's clothes, sizes 12 and up in excellent condition. A variety of other things also. Don't miss this one!

46)-GARAGE SALE: Country Nursery corner, 3 east of 7th & Main, 1 south, 1/3 east (57930 855th Rd.); Friday, 1:30-7:30 pm; Saturday, 8:30 am-noon. Recliner; printer; MP4 player; CD radio; digital photo frame; household items; DVDs; Wii games; Xbox 360 survival game; toys; games; knick knacks; collectibles; Avon bottles; clothes, men's 2X shirts; tools; rabbit equipment; windows from house; insulation; plus more.

47)-GARAGE SALE: 1422 Linden St.; Friday, noon-6 pm; Saturday, 8 am-1 pm. Queen air mattress, duel controls; kitchen utility cupboard; bread maker; Mother's Day gift items; costume jewelry; Sarah Coventry; housewares; toys; games; puzzles; children and adult books; ladies clothes to 5X; children's summer wear, boy's 10-16, Husky 10-12; T-shirts; Chicken Days shirts; wheel chair; lots of miscellaneous.

48)-GARAGE SALE: 409 Johnson St. (Shop Building), Wakefield; Friday 1-6 pm; Saturday, 8:30-11:30 am. Stove; washer/dryer; picnic table w/umbrella; recliner; baby stroller; walker; high chair; crib; oak church pews; antique oak buffet; exercise bike; weight bench; dorm refrigerator; many household items.

49)-HUGE GARAGE SALE: 315 W. 8th St.; Friday, 10 am-7 pm; Saturday, 8 am-2 pm. Book case; lamps; Christmas trees; home decor; vintage items; men's clothes; tools/fishing supplies. Antiques include: pictures; dishes; glassware; collectibles; linens; advertising items.

50)-GARAGE SALE: 1009 Aspen St.; Friday, 4-7 pm and Saturday, 8 am-noon. Household goods; adult clothing; some furniture.

51)-ANNUAL WAYNE Community Schools Relay for Life Garage Sale at Wayne Middle School (Use West entrance). Friday from 5:00-7:00 pm and Saturday from 7:00 am-noon. From 11:00 am-noon on Saturday - everything you can fit in a paper bag is only \$1! Clothing, Baby items, furniture, appliances - and miscellaneous items too numerous to list.

Wayne County services support American Cancer Society

With the annual Wayne County American Cancer Society Relay For Life event less than two months away, the ACS has shared a number of statistics in regard to cancer services in Wayne County.

The American Cancer Society is the leading nonprofit organization fighting cancer in the country and the only community-based volunteer cancer organization. The American Cancer Society allocates money in order to offer hope, progress and answers to individuals in Wayne and communities across the nation.

Each year approximately 38 Wayne County residents are diagnosed with cancer. In 2011, 14 newly diagnosed cancer patients in

Wayne County received a service or participated in an American Cancer Society program.

Thanks to community efforts, the ACS is helping approximately 37 percent of the newly diagnosed cancer patients in Wayne County and approximately 41 percent of all newly diagnosed cancer patients in Nebraska. This puts the state second in the nation in efforts of serving patients within 12 months of their diagnosis.

RESEARCH

– Since 1946, The American Cancer Society has invested approximately \$3.6 billion in cancer research.

Scientists funded by the Society

have made great advancements, such as dramatically increasing the cure rate for childhood leukemia, discovering genes for inherited forms of breast and colon cancer, showing that Tamoxifen reduces risk of breast cancer in high risk women, and proving the safety and effectiveness of mammograms.

– The mammogram and pap smear exist today as early detection tests for women due to the work of the American Cancer Society funded researchers.

– Currently, the American Cancer Society is funding 81 researchers in the High Plains Division to-

taling \$47,784,000.

– Currently, the American Cancer Society is funding 934 researchers across the National totaling \$465,766,698.

EDUCATION

– In addition to research, the American Cancer Society assists the people of Wayne County through education, advocacy and service programs. They work to educate adults and children on the prevention and early detection of cancer and advocate at the local, state and federal levels for cancer-related legislation.

– Cancer information is available 24 hours a day at 1-800-227-2345 or

www.cancer.org

– \$50 provides 83 hours of toll-free access at our nation-wide call center. More than 1.2 million calls are received each year.

PATIENT SERVICES

– Transportation to cancer treatment is a key element in survivorship. Our Transportation Program directly benefits patients by providing trained Road to Recovery volunteer drivers where available, and if necessary, direct financial aid for gasoline costs.

– \$50,000 provides transportation to and from lifesaving treatment for about 450 cancer patients a year.

– In 2011, 1,156 cancer patients from Nebraska received financial aid for gasoline and the Road to Recovery volunteers provided 1,607 one-way trips to and from treatment for patients across Nebraska.

– In addition to the Transportation Program, the American Cancer Society provides ongoing support programs for cancer patients and their families in Wayne County.

Thanks to generous donations, such as those collected for the annual Relay For Life, all programs and services of the American Cancer Society are provided free of charge

Legal Notices

NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

ESTATE OF RITA A. MUNSON WATKINS, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 11-32

Notice is hereby given that a final account and report of administration and a Petition for Complete Settlement, Probate of Will, Determination of Heirs and Determination of Inheritance Tax have been filed and are set for hearing in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, located at 510 N. Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska, on April 30, 2012, at or after 11:30 a.m.

Sharon Jenkins
Personal Representative/Petitioner
2217 Highview Drive
Wayne, NE 68787
Phone 402-375-3573

Michael E. Pieper, No. 18147
Pieper & Miller
P.O. Box 427
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WAYNE COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Wayne, Nebraska April 3, 2012

The Wayne County Board of Equalization convened at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 3, 2012. Those in attendance included Chairman Wurdeman, Members Rabe and Burbach, and Clerk Finn. Advance notice of this meeting was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, on March 22, 2012.

A current copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted in the meeting room and accessible to the public.

The minutes of the March 20, 2012, meeting were approved as printed in the Commissioner's Record.

The agenda was approved.

Motion by Rabe, second by Burbach to approve a motor vehicle exemption for a trailer owned by First United Methodist Church. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye; motion carried.

Motion by Rabe, second by Burbach to accelerate Randall Johnson's personal property taxes due to a sale. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye; motion carried.

Motion by Rabe, second by Burbach to add additional equipment and to assess a 25% penalty on Bryan Deck's personal taxes due to his filing his depreciation worksheet late. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye; motion carried.

Meeting was adjourned.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk

Wayne, Nebraska April 3, 2012

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:15 a.m. on Tuesday, April 3, 2012 in the upstairs conference room of the Courthouse.

Roll call was answered by Chairman Rabe, Members Wurdeman and Burbach, and Clerk Finn.

Advance notice of this meeting was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, on March 22, 2012.

A current copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted in the meeting room and accessible to the public.

The agenda was approved.

The minutes of the March 20, 2012, meeting were approved as printed in the Commissioner's Record.

UNL Extension Educator Amy Topp presented information on "Connecting the Dots: A Career Exploration Day" program that she would like to bring to the area. The program is designed for high school freshmen and uses career clusters set up by the Nebraska Department of Education. The board agreed to cover the \$2000 cost of bringing the program to Wayne County and Topp will seek sponsorship for other expenses.

Topp also encouraged the county to participate in "Purple Up! For Military Kids", a program across the state of Nebraska encouraging people to wear purple on Friday, April 13th, as a visible way to show support for military children.

County Court Clerk Magistrate Kim Hansen submitted two quotes for desks. She noted that county court is now a single person office, and she would like a larger desk to enable her to function more efficiently. No action was taken on the request.

Emergency Manager Nic Kemnitz presented the Statewide Communications Interoperability Plan and told the board it was available for their review. A listing of the county's radios will be evaluated to determine compatibility with narrow band and digital frequencies. A proposal submitted by Electronic Engineering to modify the county's FCC license to narrowband and digital designations was approved.

County Bookkeeper Joni Tietz asked if the county would set a policy for what is acceptable as a receipt, and what sales tax, meal expense and mileage is reimbursable. Tietz had discussed guidelines with auditor Mike Pommer. Based on that discussion a proposal was submitted for the board's consideration. Several officials participated in the discussion; a revised proposal will be presented at the next meeting.

Kaylenn Nienhueser and Jonathan Spreman of TRANE presented a system upgrade proposal for the heating/cooling system. The proposal included modifying the existing chilled water piping, installing a second fan coil unit in the server room, and insulating the attic with blown in cellulose insulation. Work could begin this spring. An additional bid was submitted to relocate the cooling for the courtroom. Motion by Wurdeman, second by Burbach to accept the primary proposal at \$123,548.00 and to wait with relocating the cooling for the courtroom. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye, Rabe-aye; motion carried.

The solicitation of culvert bids for C-90(567) on 558th Ave between 856th and 857th Roads, C-90(568) Structure 009000330 on 558th Ave between Road 856 and 857, C-90(578) on 559th Ave between Road 856 and 857, and C-90(586) on 860th Rd between Avenue 560 and 561 was approved on motion by Burbach, second by Wurdeman. Roll call vote: Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye, Rabe-aye; motion carried.

Brian and Amy Bowers submitted a request for deferral from all the Pheasant Run Road Paving District special assessments for their property. A similar request was also presented to the City of Wayne. After discussing the request with Wayne City Inspector/Planner / Superintendent Joel Hansen, a motion was made by Wurdeman, second by Burbach to approve the request for deferral. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye, Rabe-aye; motion carried.

ROW Application No. 12-04-03.1 submitted by Titan Comm. Inc. / Cable One to trench fiber optic line was approved on motion by Burbach, second by Wurdeman. Roll call vote: Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye, Rabe-aye; motion carried.

Motion by Wurdeman, second by Burbach to cancel check number 12030079 drawn on General Fund. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye, Rabe-aye; motion carried.

A continuance of a public hearing on county road access to E 1/2 NW 1/4 of Section 25, Township 26 North, Range 4 East was scheduled for April 17, 2012 at 1:30 p.m.

The meeting was recessed until Wednesday, April 11th at 11:30.

Fee Reports: LeRoy W. Janssen, County Sheriff, \$1,282.82 (Dec Fees), \$1,170.93 (Jan Fees), \$1,056.34 (Feb Fees).

Claims:

GENERAL FUND: Junck, JoAnn M., RE, 1,469.16; Bratcher, Clayton W., RE, 7.59; American Broadband CLEC, OE, 1,882.60; Arnie's Ford Mercury, MA,RP, 578.73; Big Red Printing, OE, 155.83; Black Hills Energy, OE, 809.02; Bomgaars, RP,SU, 110.95; Carhart Lumber Company, SU, 53.98; Copy Write/Keepsake, SU, 115.61; DELL Marketing, CO, 2,646.61; Jason Ladely, MA, 105.41; Ecolab Pest Elimination Service, OE, 46.50; Election Systems & Software, OE, 2,904.97; Floor Maintenance, SU, 141.03; Iowa Office Supply Inc, RP, 108.62; JS Wurm & Associates, OE, 86.98; Mark Klein, RP, 98.88; Marathon, SU, 105.16; MIPS Inc, ER,CO, 2,365.37; NE Assoc of County Treasurers, OE, 100.00; Nebraska Air Filter Inc, SU, 28.79; Nebraska Public Health Env Lab, OE, 84.00; Northeast Nebraska Juvenile Serv Inc, OE, 13,528.95; Northeast Nebraska RC&D Inc, OE, 1,000.00; Pamida Inc, SU, 58.46; Pender Community Hospital, OE, 1,725.00; Pieper & Miller, OE,ER, 265.00; Quality Printing & Office Supplies, SU, 73.80; Region IV Inc, OE, 2,677.25; Watter, Patti, OE, 375.00; Wayne County Sheriff, OE, 6.00; Wayne, City of, OE, 1,118.55

COUNTY ROAD FUND: Salaries, \$21,401.60; Arnie's Ford Mercury, RP, 18.27; B's Enterprises Inc, MA, 1,987.20; Backus Sand & Gravel, MA, 10,435.42; Black Hills Energy, OE, 206.71; Bomgaars, RP,SU,MA, 840.08; Carhart Lumber Company, SU, 21.18; DMC Repair, SU, 64.08; Eastern NE Telephone Company, OE, 84.71; Elkhorn Valley Sand & Gravel, MA, 6,303.51; Midwest Service & Sales Co., MA, 1,110.10; NMC Exchange LLC, RP, 10,137.99; Northeast Nebraska Public Power Dist, OE, 207.04; Northeast Nebraska Telephone Co., OE, 79.79; S&S Willers Inc, MA, 3,532.92; US Cellular, OE, 89.49; Wayne, City of, OE, 165.90; Weldon Parts Norfolk, RP, 22.11; Winside, village of, OE, 126.46

LODGING FUND: Northeast Nebraska Media, OE, 50.00

INHERITANCE TAX FUND: Beiermann, Merlin, PS, 12.00; Carlson, Ellen, PS, 23.08; Johnson, Lorraine, PS, 21.00; Kraemaer, Maxine, PS, 25.00; Meyer, Leon F., PS, 15.00; Morris, Orgretta C., PS, 25.00; Nissen, Robert, PS, 17.00; Owens, Eleanor, PS, 14.00

Meeting was adjourned.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk


STATE OF NEBRASKA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF WAYNE)

I, the undersigned, County Clerk of Wayne County, Nebraska, hereby certify that all of the subjects included in the attached proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting of April 4, 2012, kept continually current and available for the public inspection at the office of the County Clerk; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least 24 hours prior to said meeting; that the said minutes of the meeting of the County Commissioners of the County of Wayne were in written form and available for public inspection within 10 working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 6th day of April, 2012.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk
(Publ. April 19, 2012)

Introducing Dr. Thomas d'Amato



When a surgeon has been perfecting his specialty for 22 years, you know your heart is in good hands.

Thomas d'Amato, MD, PhD, FACS, combines his passion for medicine with the precision gained from years of military service when caring for each patient. As a board certified cardiothoracic surgeon, he is able to offer his patients a full spectrum of adult cardiac, thoracic and vascular procedures.

After receiving his Ph.D. in biological sciences he went on to complete his medical degree, residencies in general and cardiothoracic surgery, and a fellowship in Advanced Minimally Invasive Thoracic Surgery.

Since graduating medical school 22 years ago, Dr. d'Amato has enhanced his surgical skills through the many positions he has held in both the clinical and academic realms.

Dr. d'Amato began his military service with the United States Navy in 1992 and continues to serve in the US Naval Reserves.

Dr. d'Amato moves from Youngstown, Ohio and enjoys spending time with his family and caring for his horses.

Thomas d'Amato, M.D., Ph.D., F.A.C.S., Cardiothoracic Surgeon
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Allen News

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Allen 2012 Prom

The Allen 2012 Junior-Senior Prom was held Saturday, April 14 at the Allen gym.

The theme was "Night at the Roxbury" with the decorations in black, red and silver. The Grand March was held at 6 p.m., with the dinner with entertainment provided by a Magician. After the dance, Post Prom was held at the gym.

A thank you was extended to everyone who donated to Post Prom and volunteered their time. It was a big success. There were tables of items for the kids to pick from when their names were called, along with piles of gift cards and larger items. Winners of the larger items were: Anthony Kennelly – I-pod; Landon Kraft – I-pod; 22" TV/ DVD's – McKenzie Peterson and Zach Crom; I-pod docking stations – Kyle Finnegan, Derek Torres, and Hannah Finnegan; Portable DVD player – Amber Benstead; 4-Adventureland tickets – Samantha Kumm; Gift Certificate to Heather Dohrman at Mary Jean's– Olivia Schneiders; Gift Certificate to Countryside Photography – Shania Rader; and Gift Certificate for Shots by Shell – Israel DeMadrid.

District Music Contest

The Wayne State District Music Contest will be held Friday, April 20 at Wayne State College. The morning will begin with several vocal and instrumental solos. The High School Band is scheduled to perform at 11:18 a.m. at Ramsey Theatre. At 3 p.m., the Choir will perform also at Ramsey Theatre, followed by the Jazz Band at 4:20 p.m. at the Frey Conference Room at the Student Center.

American Legion Auxiliary

The Allen Legion Auxiliary Post 131 is hosting a hygiene item drive for combat soldiers. The drive started April 9 and the items will be picked up on April 27. Combat soldiers are short on hygiene items on the battle field and our field surgical teams are asking for ditty bags to lay on the gurneys of wounded soldiers as they are transported to larger hospital facilities. Travel size items are needed.

Items needed for these bags are as travel size hygiene items – soap, shampoo, razors, etc. Also if you'd like, messages of encouragement or thanks to the soldiers. If you'd like to donate, please contact an Auxiliary member.

FFA Banquet

The Annual FFA Banquet will be held Friday, April 27 at the school. Look for more information next week.

Athletic Awards Night

The Athletic Awards Night for all athletes will be held Monday, April 23 at the school gym at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Elementary Music Program

The kindergarten through fourth grade Elementary Music Program will be held Tuesday, April 24 at 7 p.m. in the gym. Everyone is invited to attend.

Blessing of Tractors

The Annual Blessing of Tractors will be held Sunday, April 22 at First Lutheran Church. Farmers, mark your calendars to have Pastor Sarah bless the beginning of the busy farm season. If you are unable to bring your tractor, feel free to bring a picture or a replica of your tractor.

Cemetery Association

The Eastview Cemetery Association held their annual business meeting on April 11 at the Fire Hall with six members present.

The secretary's and treasurer's reports were given and accepted. Clair Schubert, Bill and Pearl Snyder, and Keith Hill resigned from the board. New board members are: Dale Strivens, Wayne Chase and Kevin Hill.

Officers for the coming year are: Chairman Dean Chase, Vice Chairman Dale Strivens, Treasurer Jerry Schroeder, and Secretary Faith Keil. The board will be meeting twice a year, in April and October. The board thanked Bill, Pearl, Claire, and Keith for the faithful and dedicated service for many years.

Legion Auxiliary News

The American Legion Auxiliary Unit 131 of Allen will host a "Ladies Night Out" Saturday, April 28 at the Allen Fire Hall. The event will go from 5-9 p.m. It is a night out to shop, have cocktails and socialize. All women are invited to attend.

Allen Music Boosters

The Allen Music Boosters are taking orders for hamburger. They are selling one-pound, 80/20 chubs of hamburger for \$2.25 per pound. Orders are due by Monday, April 23 and money is due at time of ordering. Pickup will be on Monday, April 30 from 4-7 p.m. at the school. To order, please contact Melissa at the school at (402) 635-2424 or Sara Kumm (402) 635-2342.

Omelet in a Bag

The Martinsburg First Responders are hosting an "Omelet in a Bag" breakfast on Sunday, April 29 from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Martinsburg Community Hall for a freewill donation.

Senior Center

Friday, April 20: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. – French toast, sausage links, cranberry juice, pears.

Monday, April 23: Chicken, mashed potatoes, breaded tomatoes, peaches.

Tuesday, April 24: Fish sandwich, coleslaw, baked beans, and pears.

Wednesday, April 25: Brats, potato salad, pea salad, plums.

Thursday, April 26: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, broccoli salad, and pineapple.

Friday, April 27: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. – Breakfast pizzas, sausage links, tomato juice, mandarin oranges.

Community Birthdays

Friday, April 20: Caitlin Mahon, Greg Boeshart.

Saturday, April 21: Blake and Teri Coughlin (A).

Sunday, April 22: Jim Johnson, Paulette Kumm, Kenny and LuAnn Burcham (A).



The 2012 Junior/Senior Prom was held on April 14. Pictured is the 2012 Senior Class: Coty Reuter, Olivia Schneiders, Anthony Kennelly, McKenzie Peterson, Kyle Finnegan, Samantha Kumm, Samantha Johnson, Charles Brahmsteadt, Bailey McMahon, and Derek Torres. (Not pictured, Shirley Moore).

Monday, April 23: Ashlee Hingst, Steve Gunsolley, Alex Langseth, Leah Armour, Randy Sullivan, Jr.

Tuesday, April 24: Lindsey Jones, Richard Olesen, Jacob Stewart, Jill Stallbaum, Letha Stewart.

Wednesday, April 25: Nathan Webb, Monte Roeber, Dallas and Teresa Angle (A), Dwight & Ronnie Gotch (A).

Thursday, April 26: Morgan Bathke, Wanda Buchanan, Roxie Sievers.

Friday, April 27: Alan Chapman, Jarod Lund.

Community Calendar

Friday, April 20: District Music

at Wayne State College; State Science Fair; Youtherans at 5:30 p.m. from Concord for Laser Tag in Norfolk; First Lutheran Church Pastor Sara in Allen.

Saturday, April 21: Coffee and Rolls at Senior Center; High School Track meet at Wausa Invite at Pierce, 9:30 a.m.

Sunday, April 22: First Lutheran Church – Blessing of Tractors.

Monday, April 23: Exercising at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Walking at Senior Center, 9:30 a.m.; Hunter Education Class in Martinsburg 7-10 p.m.; Athletic Awards Night, 7 p.m. in gym.

Tuesday, April 24: Dominos at

Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Elementary Music Program K-fourth grade, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, April 25: Exercising at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Walking at Senior Center, 9:30 a.m.; Confirmation at First Lutheran Church in Allen, 7 p.m.

Thursday, April 26: Dominos at Senior Center 8:30 a.m.; Norfolk Classic Track meet at Norfolk, 5 p.m.

Friday, May 27: Brunch at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Township Library Open 9-11 a.m.; First Lutheran Church – Pastor Sarah at Allen; FFA Banquet, 6 p.m.



First Communion

Second grade students at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne celebrated their First Holy Communion on April 15. Those receiving the sacrament include, front row, left to right, Noah Reinke, Reagan Backer, Hope O'Reilly, Sydney Redden, Maryann Magana, Jacob Karsky and Dalton Moos. Middle row, Tyler Carlson, Abigail Wieseler, Elle Barnes, Maria Vergara, Rachael Nuernberger, James Dorcey and Tobias Braun. Back row, Christopher Reyes, Drew Sharpe, Courtney Brink, Brandon Bartos, Carter Hasemann, Aliah Schulz and Ethan Ankeny. Teachers for the class are Stacy Schenk, Mary Brady, Fr. Mark Beran and Teresa Kaup (teacher's aide).

Friends of the Wayne Public Library BLOWOUT BOOK SALE!

Wayne Auditorium \$
April 27, 28, 29 \$

Friday (Current or New Members) 5:00 to 8:00

Saturday – 9:00 to 4:00

Sunday \$5 Bag Sale – Noon to 3:00

"HOT OFF THE PRESS"

The Wayne Herald will be publishing a cookbook this summer.

Here is your chance to pre-order and save! Bring your payment of \$10* to The Wayne Herald office by April 20, 2012 or mail payments to P.O. Box 70, Wayne, NE 68787 Cost will be \$12 after publication.

Be one of the first to buy and have a chance to receive your cookbook free!

Also, please bring in or email any recipes to publish in this cookbook. We'd love to have these as well as use those we have on hand. email recipes to: whclass@inebraska.com or alyce@wayneherald.com

*Make checks payable to The Wayne Herald

'Restoring the Nature of Childhood' programs to be broadcast live to area communities

Restoring and strengthening the bonds between children and nature will be the focus of a program to be held at nine sites around Nebraska on Monday, April 23, 7 to 9 p.m.

The program will be broadcast live from the Wayne State College campus. Anyone may access the information as a free public program at these sites in northern Nebraska.

Wayne: Wayne State College Student Center: contact 402-287-2061.) Norfolk: Life Long Learning Center: (contact 402-844-7246.

South Sioux City: College Center: (contact 402-987-2140).

Ainsworth: ESU #17 Tech Center: (contact 402-387-1420).

O'Neill: UNL Extension: (contact 402-336-2760).

Center: UNL Extension: (contact 402-288-5611).

Featured presenter will be Ken Finch, President and Director of Green Hearts Institute for Nature and Childhood. Finch is an interna-

tionally known speaker and leader in the "endeavor to restore the nature of childhood" for America's children. His program will be enlightening, entertaining, and offer specific suggestions for families, teachers, and caregivers.

Finch says, "many of us can remember long hours of outdoor play as children and remember with fond memories the joy of nature exploration, that sense of wonder and discovery in nature based play, as well as learning more about others and ourselves. Children are the same, but our culture has changed in recent years! This kind of "nature play" is now an endangered part of American Childhood. We can help to bring it back for our children and those that we are responsible for. Awareness is the first step. It will take involving families and communities to change this for our kids. Did you know that American children spend 27 percent of their time

with electronic media these days? Current research tells us that in practice, children need at least 2 hours of exercise daily in structured and unstructured outdoor play. We believe that frequent, unstructured childhood play in natural settings is a crucial stage in the development of life-long conservation values -- and thus helps lead to adult conservation behaviors."

This educational program is brought to the area at no cost to communities thanks to these collaborative partners: Northern Early Learning Connection, Wayne State College, Green Hearts, Inc, UNL Extension, Nebraska AEYC, Lower Elkhorn NRD and NECC. For questions on the program, contact Susan Strahm, sstrahm@esu1.org. Other sites in Nebraska include ESU #16 sites in Ogallala and North Platte as well as UNL Extension in Rushville.

WAYNE VETS CLUB
FISH & CHICKEN BUFFET
Friday, April 20
5:30 - 8:00 p.m.
Adults \$9.50
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Milenkovich earns WSC scholarship

Chelsey Milenkovich of Winside has been awarded a Bloomquist-Slutcz Memorial Music Scholarship valued at \$712.50 to continue her education at Wayne State College.

Chelsey, the daughter of Tony and Laurie Milenkovich, is a 2009 graduate of Winside High School. She is a junior at Wayne State College, majoring in Vocal Music Education K-12. She is involved in Choral and Choir at Wayne State.