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Voters may get final say on weed board's future

County to decide by Sept. 1 whether weed board is on ballot

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

The future of Wayne County's weed board may be in the hands of voters this November.

County Commissioner Dean Burbach met with members of the Wayne County Weed Board on Monday evening to get their thoughts on the possibility of the county dissolving the five-member board. Doing so would require a vote of the people in the Nov. 6 general election, and the county board has until Saturday, Sept. 1, to decide whether or not to put the matter on the ballot.

Three of the four board members, along with county weed superintendent Marlin Schuttler, said they would be in favor of the county putting it up to a vote.

"From what I got from the meeting, it's OK with the board if it goes to a vote," Burbach said after the meeting. "One of the things the board is concerned about is if we can handle the extra duty well enough to do a thorough job, and we may have to have another meeting before we come to a decision."

Weed board chairman Lester Menke of Wayne, while supportive of the idea, expressed concern that the county is wasting money in other areas, accusing county board member Kelvin Wurdemann of wasting taxpayer money on other projects that cost less than what the county pays to keep the weed board intact.

"He's the one that's trying to get the weed board (eliminated)," Menke said.

Weed board member Louis Lutt of Wayne said the county commissioners should look into doing whatever they can to save taxpayers money, including elimination of the board he now serves on.

"I don't see why they even need our opinion on it," he said. "A dollar saved is a dollar saved for the county, and I think the commissioners should be looking into it."

Weed board member Randy Kleensang of Hoskins said he didn't have a problem with the board's future being decided in November, but expressed a desire that the county hire a full-time weed superintendent.

"My only concern is that we need a full-time weed superintendent," he said. "I know Marlin is going to be retiring pretty soon, but on my end of the county we have a lot of problems with weeds and I think you need a full-time superintendent."

Lutt agreed with Kleensang, but said whoever fills that duty needs to be kept busy with other work in the winter months.

"I don't have trouble with it, but he should have some full-time duties in the winter," he said. "If they would do that, it would be fine with me."

Currently, Wayne County is one of three counties in the northeast part of the state with a sitting weed board. Dixon and Antelope counties also have weed boards. The majority of the 93 counties in Nebraska do not have a weed board.

Presently, Madison and Thurston counties have full-time weed superintendents, while Stanton, Pierce and Cedar counties have part-timers. Cedar County's weed

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(Photos by Kari Baldwin and Marla Austin)

Blazing barn

Firefighters from Wayne, Carroll, Winside and Wakefield responded to a barn fire Tuesday afternoon. By the time firefighters were on the scene, the barn was engulfed in flames. Wayne Fire Chief Phil Monahan said the barn was filled with small square bales of hay, which made the fire difficult to contain. Wayne County Emergency Management was brought in for assistance, and an excavator and payloador were brought in to bury the hay. Water was brought in from the city of Wayne and from an irrigation well owned by MPM Farms. An estimated 30-40 volunteer firefighters were on hand to put out the flames. Cause of the fire is unknown, but the barn was considered a total loss. No animals were in the barn, and nobody was injured during the fire.



'Naked' chickens getting all dressed up for Chicken Show

By LAURA BURTWISTLE
For the Herald

Merely a month away, preparation is now in full flight for the 32nd annual Wayne Chicken Show.

Although many larger organizations and businesses put forth time and money to sponsor the event, there are several volunteers who devote their time and talents to make the show a huge success.

The Cement Chicken Auction is a perfect example.

Starting in 2003 as a source of funding for the Friday night entertainment, the Revitalize Wayne Committee of Wayne Area Economic Development each year has 24 concrete chickens molded at TLC Country Floral near Fremont and displayed in its office, where the 35 to 40-pound birds then wait anywhere from days to months to be picked up by ambitious artists.

The makeovers these "naked" chickens undergo are far from short-time sessions. Many of these volunteers spend days painting, dressing, decoupage or even Paper Mache-ing their chickens. After returning their finished products to the WAED office, artists anxiously await Henoween, the night of the Cement Chicken Auction, hoping their masterpieces bring some big bucks.

"Artists of all ages have decorated concrete chickens. Some come from businesses, and often there is a friendly competition to see who raises the most money," Irene Fletcher, WAED assistant director, said. "One group does a decoupage style each year. Chicken soup labels, wine bottle labels, playing cards are ones I remember. Some follow the theme, some are realistic, some are designed as team mascots, and there is usually something patriotic."

Another of Fletcher's favorite chickens is one by Lou Wiltse, who created a chicken in 2007 in memory of her opportunity to work on a Rose Bowl float. She used silk flower petals to cover the entire chicken.

It's not uncommon for artists to bid on their own creations, after becoming attached to them during long painting hours.



(File photo)

Chickens like this beautifully decorated version will be on display during Henoween next month at the annual Wayne Chicken Days Festival.

Sometimes there are bidding wars when family members unbeknownst to each other try to get the same chicken. But for others, decorating a chicken has simply become a business tradition.

"American Broadband has decorated a chicken the last two years, and we want to continue the tradition. We are always try-

ing to top the one from last year," American Broadband Account Executive Jennifer Sievers said. "We have volunteers who take their own personal time and resources to decorate the chicken. It is always great to see how people come up with their own ideas."

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Sarah Boyer shows the first two books she published, which are also available in digital form through Amazon.com.

Boyer goes digital, gets books published

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

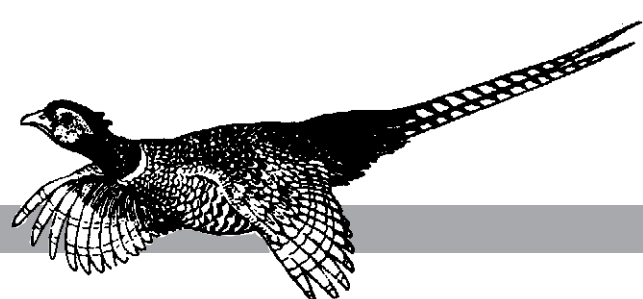
The internet has opened up so many avenues for people to express their creativity, and one Wayne-area author is using one of those thoroughfares to further her entry into authorship.

Sarah Boyer has already written two books, and is planning on a third, marketing and selling her stories exclusively online through Amazon.com. Her first book, "Follow A Certain Path," and the follow-up, "Follow My Lead" have both been published in virtual and physical form this year, and

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Obituaries

Philip Morgan

Philip Morgan, 32, of Omaha, formerly of Allen, died on Tuesday, June 5, 2012 at his residence, while surrounded by his family. Services will be held at 1 p.m. on Friday, June 8 at the First Lutheran Church in Allen, with Pastor Sarah Ruch officiating. Burial will be in Eastview Cemetery in rural Allen. Visitation will begin at the church at 5 p.m. on Thursday, June 7, with the family present at 6 p.m. and a prayer service at 7 p.m. Arrangements are under the direction of Mohr Funeral Home in Ponca. Online condolences may be posted at www.mohrfuneralhome.com.

Philip Edwin Morgan was born Feb. 6, 1980 in Sioux City, Iowa, the son of Scott and Jean (Anderson) Morgan. He was baptized and confirmed at First Lutheran Church. He attended Allen Consolidated School, graduating as Valedictorian of his class in 1998. Philip attended the University of Nebraska at Kearney before entering the work force. He worked at Carmike Theaters, Anderson Food Service and Target. Philip loved music and animals. He was a great friend, confidant and counselor. He brought humor, joy and quick wit to many lives.

Survivors include his parents; one sister, Amy (Kevin) Kittams; a niece, Kinsley Kittams; a nephew, Kaden Kittams; many aunts, uncles, cousins and numerous friends.

He was preceded in death by his grandparents, Ted and Florence Morgan, and Kenneth and Elizabeth Anderson.

Philip wanted his service to be a celebration of life. Please wear bright clothing and share happy stories.

Arrangements were under the direction of Mohr Funeral Home in Ponca. Online condolences may be posted at www.mohrfuneralhome.com.

Elva Farran

Elva Kathryn Farran, 89, of Omaha died in Omaha on May 19, 2012.

Services were held in Omaha at the Hanscom Park United Methodist Church as well as a graveside service at Pleasant View Cemetery in Winside on May 24. A reception followed at the Winside United Methodist Church.

Born Elva Hamm, the youngest of six children and the last surviving, she was a graduate of Winside High School and earned her teaching certificate at Wayne Teachers College and taught country school prior to her marriage and the breakout of World War II where her husband served and she worked for a time at the Munitions Plant in Grand Island as part of the war effort. She was married to George H. Farran. The couple farmed northwest of Winside for many years. Elva was active in the Winside American Legion Auxiliary and was a long time volunteer at the Veteran's Hospital in Omaha. She also loved reading and became a reader for the blind during her years in Omaha. Following her husband's death she moved to Omaha to be near her children and grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, George; their son George, Jr., who died at an early age and her daughter, Barbara.

Survivors include her four children, Glenda, Jeffrey and Melissa, all of Omaha and Robert of Los Angeles; along with her seven grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Winside United Methodist Church, 207 Jones St., Winside, Neb. 68790.

Rodney Graf

Rodney Graf, 42, of Laurel, died Saturday, June 2, 2012 in Greeley, Colo. as the result of a motorcycle accident.

Services will be held Saturday, June 9 at 10:30 a.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Laurel. The Rev. William Engebretsen will officiate. Visitation will be held at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Laurel with the family present from 5 - 8 p.m.



Rodney Lee "Rod" Graf, son of Terry Graf and Kay (Arp) Paulson was born July 21, 1969, in Plainview. He graduated from Laurel High School in 1987, and helped farm with Dwight and Kay Paulson. Later he farmed northwest of Laurel then moved to Concord and back to Laurel. Rod worked at Great Dane in Wayne, Erwin Trucking in Laurel, then purchased his own truck. He was employed by Wiemer's Trucking in Laurel, Mark Oldenkamp of Allen, and currently Double C of Laurel. Rod married Melissa Thompson on Sept. 20, 2003, at Immanuel Lutheran Church in Laurel. He was a member of Immanuel Lutheran Church.

Survivors include his wife, Melissa; their daughter, Baylie; mother and step-father, Kay and Dwight Paulson of Laurel; father and step-mother, Terry and Betty Graf of Laurel; sister, Trish and Scott Jindra of Hooper; step-brother, Scott and Coleen Carr of Easley, S.C.; step-sister, Lisa and Steve Hansen of Laurel; mother-in-law and father-in-law, Scott and Deanna Thompson of Laurel; nieces and nephew, Ashley Whitehead, Morgan and Logan Hansen, Shana Mock and Kayla Uerling; step grandmother, Mildred Paulson of Laurel; aunts and uncles.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Jim in 2004; grandparents, August and Marjorie Arp, Kermit and Lois Graf, step-grandparents, Howard Paulson and Frederick and Mary Mann.

Honorary pallbearers will be the "The Class Of 1987," brothers, sisters, nieces, nephew and many friends.

Active pallbearers will be Jerry Wiemers, Troy Hartman, Chad Spahr, Dave Tuttle, Dennis Christensen, Stuart Lubberstedt, Jacob Swanson, Courtney Berg and Steve Luedtke.

Burial will be in the Belden Cemetery in Belden. Hasemann Funeral Home in Laurel is in charge of arrangements. Memorials may be directed to the family for later designation.

Norma A. Smith

Norma A. Smith, 75, of Allen, died Sunday June 10, 2012 at her residence.

Services will be Wednesday, June 13 at 2 p.m. at First Lutheran Church in Allen with the Rev. Sarah Ruch officiating. Burial will be at Eastview Cemetery of Allen. Visitation will be Tuesday, June 12 from 5-8 p.m. at First Lutheran Church in Allen, with a prayer service at 7 p.m.



Norma Arlene Smith was born Sept. 29, 1936 on a farm near Waterbury to Melvin and Adith (Flaugh) Linafelter. She was a graduate of Waterbury High. After going to Wayne State College and summer graduation, she taught school near Willis. The following year, Aug. 7, 1955, she married Forrest Smith and they resided on a small farm near Allen. Norma taught school for 2-1/2 years. She was also active in her church where she taught Sunday school, Confirmation, Sunday school superintendent, served on Church council, and was secretary of the W.E.L.C.A. Norma was also active in the American Legion Auxiliary where she served as President for one year and then became the Chaplain for many years. She was also a Princess House Consultant for three years, as well as Avon. Norma began working outside the home in 1985 and was employed with Kentucky Fried Chicken for 7-1/2 years. In that time she had become an assistant manager, which she really enjoyed. After leaving K.F.C. she was employed at Southern Hills Mall in what was then known as Michaels & Burke. The shoe department became her permanent place until 1994 when she became an employee of Gateway Computer Company located at North Sioux City, S.D. where she worked for 10 years before retiring. Norma enjoyed everything she did; whether it was milking cows or farrowing sows in spring and fall, or going to the jobs where she was employed—she loved it all. She also enjoyed writing Poems.

Survivors include her husband of 56 years, Forrest; two children, Cathy (Rick) Macke of Norfolk and Ricki (Joy) Smith of Allen; three grandchildren; Jennifer (Craig) Topil of Rising City, Aaron (Caitlin) Smith of Sioux Falls, S.D. and Whitney Smith of Kearney; one sister, Pharyce (Art) Eslick of Jackson and one brother, Leonard Linafelter of Omaha; many nieces, cousins, and other relatives.

Pallbearers were Aaron Smith, Warren Linafelter, Mike Linafelter, Craig Topil, Kent Eslick and Bob Dennis.

Thompson Chapel Funeral Home in Wakefield was in charge of services.

Olga Nissen

Olga Nissen, 101, of Wayne, died Sunday, June 10, 2012 at her home.

Services will be held Friday, June 15 at 11 a.m. at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne. The Rev. Bob Oleson will officiate. Visitation will be held Thursday, June 14 from 5 to 8 p.m. at Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne with family present.



Olga Sofie Nissen was born Oct. 21, 1910, on a farm near Stanton to Frank and Emma (Zastera) Dubsy. She grew up on a farm near Leigh and graduated from Stanton High School. Olga married Edward Nissen on Feb. 4, 1931, at the home of Olga's parents. They ranched and farmed in Holt County near Chambers. She has lived in Wayne since 1948. Olga provided child care in her home in Wayne and baked wedding cakes for many couples, until the 1970's. Olga was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne.

Survivors include her children, Mitch Nissen of Wayne and Gloree Clausen of Sioux City, Iowa; two grandchildren, Gretchen (Joe) Simpson of Dover, Del. and Natalie (Terry) Meyers of Minneapolis, Minn.; one great-granddaughter, Danica Meyers; several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Edward in 1995; son-in-law, Jim Clausen in 2010; one brother; and three sisters.

Pallbearers will be Wayne Ulrich, Ron Carnes, Jerry Conradt, Jim Hummel, Dr. Richard DeNaeyer and Darrell Rahn.

Burial will be in the Stanton Cemetery in Stanton. Memorials may be directed to Our Savior Lutheran Church Wayne. Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne is in charge of arrangements.

Looking Ahead in Wayne

By **LOWELL JOHNSON**
City Administrator

City Council Meetings

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

Budget Facts

There are currently 38 full time jobs:

Administration: City Clerk, Finance Director, Accountant, Bldg/Zoning Official, Technology Specialist, City Administrator, and Administrative Assistant.

Police Department: Seven officers and five dispatchers.

Recreation Program: Recreation

Director.

Activity Center: none.

Swimming Pool: none.

Library: Library Director.

Senior Center: Coordinator.

Streets and Parks: Foreman and three equipment operators

Utilities: Superintendent of Public Works and Utilities, Billing Clerk.

Electric Distribution System: foreman and three linemen.

Power plant: Electric Superintendent and four operators.

Water/Waste Water: Foreman and two operators.

There are currently 63 part-time jobs through all of the departments

Group Health Plan

Our current group health plan is available to full time staff and requires two \$350 deductibles per year per family. The city pays 97.5 percent of the employee's monthly premium and 90 percent of the monthly premium for the employee's family. The city self insures the first \$10,000 of health care costs for each family or employee.

Questions or comments?

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



Jane (Ring) Jech

Jech wins Iowa state senate primary

Jane (Ring) Jech of Marshalltown, Iowa clinched the GOP nomination for Iowa State Senate District 36 in the recent primary election.

She defeated three-term state senator Larry McKibbin. In a near-landslide victory, Jech won all three counties in the district, including Tama, Black Hawk and Marshalltown. Jech received 1,880 votes (58 percent) to her opponent's 1,315 votes (41 percent). McKibbin had been endorsed by Iowa Governor Terry Branstad.

Jech is the daughter of Merle and Donna Ring of Wayne. Other family members in Wayne include her in-laws, Keith and Lois Jech and brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Adam and Brook Jech.

Jech will face Democrat Steve Soddors in the general election in November.

A Quick Look

Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
June 7	87	64	—	—
June 8	85	64	—	—
June 9	87	63	—	—
June 10	90	65	—	—
June 11	80	56	—	—
June 12	78	50	—	—
June 13	74	49	T	—

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Precip./mo. — .13"
Yr./Date — 11.48"

Chamber Coffee scheduled

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, June 15 at the Summer Sports Complex. Those attending are asked to use Tomar Drive as construction is taking place on Fourth Street. The coffee on Friday, June 22 will be held at The Majestic Theatre, hosted by the Wayne Rotary Club. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.

Boys Scouts paper drive is Saturday

Wayne Boy Scouts will conduct their monthly paper drive on Saturday, June 16. 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.

Fishing Derby set for June 16-17

AREA — The Wayne Izaak Walton League will have a youth fishing derby on Saturday, June 16, with the following day, Sunday afternoon, June 17 as a rainout date. Registration is from 12:30-1 p.m. with fishing from 1-3 p.m., followed by awards in three different age categories for boys and girls. Those attending are asked to bring their own poles, bait and a bucket if they wish to keep the fish they catch. For more information, contact Scott Brummond at (402) 375-0747. Ike's Lake from Wayne, is located four miles north, two miles west, and a half-mile north of Wayne, on the right side of the road.

Farmers' Market

AREA — The Wayne Farmers' Market is now open each Thursday from 4 to 7 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon on the lawn of the Wayne County Courthouse.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Courthouse Yoga

Charlene Rasmussen led a number of others in Yogo on the Lawn at the Wayne County Courthouse on Saturday as part of the Farmers' Market activities.

Winside biology students tour Black Hills, western Nebraska

Seventeen Winside High School students recently completed a five-day tour out west.

The group, including students Alyssa Anson, Alex Davis, Demi Jo Gowler, Bridget Gray, Shannon Gray, Brian Greunke, Levi Lange, Colin Hansen, Brittany Janke, Gatlin Jensen, Cassidy Marotz, Shailyn Mundil, Laurel Olson, Courtney Petzoldt, Nazya Thies, Keegan Young, and Tanner Schwedhelm, along with instructors Paul Sok and Mark Tonniges, departed Winside High School on May 21 at 3:45 a.m. in the school vans. First stop for the day was at Fort Niobrara north of Valentine. While at Ft. Niobrara Park, ranger Steve Hicks gave a brief talk concerning bison genetics at the park and throughout the United States.



(Contributed photo)

Pictured in this view from the base of Crazy Horse Memorial are (from left) Mark Tonniges, Levi Lange, Laurel Olson, Tanner Schwedhelm, Shailyn Mundil, Nazya Thies, Shannon Gray, Gatlin Jensen, Alyssa Anson, Bridget Gray, Courtney Petzoldt, Brian Greunke, Cassidy Marotz, Brittany Janke, Demi Jo Gowler, Colin Hansen, Keegan Young, Alex Davis, and Paul Sok.

After the discussion, the class proceeded on a hike around the Ft. Falls area and took a walk down to the Niobrara River with Mr. Hicks. Mid morning activities found them at the Bowring Ranch north of Merriam. The group was engaged in a tour of Arthur Bowring's original sodhouse and then proceed to view Eva Bowring's vast collections of silver, glassware, and autographed photos.

The morning concluded with a ranchstyle-chicken fried meal prepared by the ranch operator Diane Burress and her fellow ranch employees. After the noon lunch, the class then headed west over to the North American Museum of Fur Trade in Chadron for a video presentation and walk through tour of the historic fur trading post. Museum curator, Gail Dubois then gave a guided tour of the reconstructed Bordeaux Trading Post on the site. Then it was off to Hot Springs, S.D. where the students proceeded to the Wild Horse Sanctuary founded by present day owner Dayton Hyde. They took a two-hour tour of the ranch and were able to see Spanish and American mustangs, wild turkey, and the ranch's personal Quarter horse herd. The ranch was also the site of a little film activity in the past.

The movies Hidalgo and Crazy Horse were filmed on site along with a couple of the old Marlboro commercials. The group left the ranch for a quick stop at scenic Cascade Falls and had a chance to cool their feet in the stream. Then it was time for a little relaxation and a swim at the historic Evan's Plunge site in Hot Springs. The group spent an hour and a half swimming and then viewed some of the old brownstone structures around the town before turning in for the evening.

Tuesday was a day filled with travel and adventure as the group shuttled between the Mammoth Site and Wind Cave National Park. They have a chance to view the workings of the Mammoth site along with several mammoth skeletons and a mockup of a primitive, native dwelling.

At Wind Cave the group took an hour and a half scenic, walking tour and also participated in a three and a half hour, wild cave, spelunking tour complete with hard hats, head lamps and knee pads. The group then engaged in a mile hike to the Rankin Ridge Fire Tower in Wind Cave National Park and a scenic view of the Blackhills at the Coolidge Ranger Lookout Tower in Custer Park. With the afternoon activities concluded the group enjoyed an evening meal at the Bavarian Inn Restaurant in Custer, South Dakota. The remainder of the evening was spent at Mt. Rushmore for the night lighting.

Wednesday morning was another early start with a short hike through the Gordon Stockade fort outside of Custer State Park. This was one of the first army forts in the Blackhills region. Following the fort tour the group took a drive to the location of the original, natural cave entrance to Jewel Cave west of the park facilities.

The class then took in a guided tour of Jewel Cave with ranger Dan Forsyth. This was followed up with a noon meal at historic Blue Bell

Lodge and then a drive through Custer State Park where they were able to see a number of bison, deer, prairie dog, and burros.

Then it was off to the Grace Coolidge General Store where some of them met Lane Kendrick, an Oklahoma artist who spends much of the summer in the Blackhills painting on a variety of media (Currently, she was working on a quarter scale model of an American bison.). This was followed up with a drive through the Needles and Cathedral Spire region. Eleven of the students took a swim in the fifty degree waters of Sylvan Lake, before all of them took a short hike around the lake. It was then a quick ride down to the Crazy Horse Memorial. The students watched an informative video about the construction process and were able to take a bus tour to the base of the memorial. The evening was spent with a little swimming at the Bavarian Inn and a big pizza party before getting ready for a big tour day on Thursday.

Thursday came and it was another early start for the group as they tried a little gold panning at Wade's Historic Gold Mill near Hill City. Host, Robert Wade and his cousin Jim Wade, gave a guided historic tour of old mining equipment and allowed them to view a video of the family history of their mining operation.

Later on the tour was completed as they instructed the group in the art of gold panning. Everyone collected numerous samples of garnet crystals and a few small flakes of gold. After the panning expedition, the group visited the Blackhills Institute of Geological Research in Hill City. They had the opportunity to view several examples of T.rex fossils. The museum owners (brothers Neal and Pete Larson) are world famous for their discovery of the near complete T.rex fossils "Sue and Stan" in the early 90's. The students were fortunate to have Neal Larsen explain the inner workings of the science and business of paleontology with a 45 minute lecture. After this, the group headed north to Rapid City to the world famous Reptile Gardens. While on site, the students viewed a number of exhibits and were able to take in the snake show. Next, the group toured the Blackhills School of Mines geology museum to view various fossils and crystals along with having the opportunity to see replicas of the world's largest gold nuggets and a number of fluorescent mineral displays.

It was then off to the Journey Center Museum. Shortly after arriving, the students were engaged in a film presentation and guided tour of the center. A local docent for the museum, offered them a historical outlook of the Blackhills region. Then it was off to Wall, S.D. where the group toured the Wounded Knee Memorial Museum and viewed a variety of historical documents and photographs dedicated to the

memory of those who perished at Wounded Knee in the late 1800's.

Next, the group entered the Badlands National Monument. They had a chance to take a short hike, shoot a few pictures of the scenic, eroded landscape and had a chance to see a number of bighorn sheep. Due to the excessive rain in the area during the week they didn't have a whole lot of time to go hiking in the area. The group then hopped back on the vans and zipped down the road to a historic sodhouse, homestead outside of the Badlands. The group had a chance to view the internal dwelling, farm buildings and some of the white prairie dogs native to the area. The homestead was developed by three families from Pierce County in the late 1800's. After this the group spent the evening at Kadoka.

Friday was off to a bright and early start with a self-guided tour of the "Original South Dakota 1880's Town." The group spent an hour and a half viewing numerous old buildings and displays portraying activity around the latter part of the nineteenth century. The group finished off the morning at Big Al's Oasis in Chamberlain, S.D. While at the general store, the class presented Mr. Sok and Mr. Tonniges with a small gift of appreciation. The class then arrived in Mitchell, S.D., shortly after noon and were lead on a guided tour of the Mitchell Prehistoric Site north of town which was discovered in the early 1900's. The area took in twenty acres of an ancient (1000 a.d.) Mandan, Indian Earth village. The group was able to see the actual excavation site with a working archeologist, a mockup village, and a replicated Mandan earth home. On the way through Mitchell the students got a nice view of the popular "Corn Palace" before leaving to go home.

"The group is especially thankful to Gardner Foundation of Wakefield and Lower Elkhorn Natural Resource District of Norfolk for funding a major portion of the trip. They would also like to extend their thanks to the Winside State Bank and Warnemunde Insurance for sponsoring the groups t-shirts. The group was also very thankful to the Winside Board of Education and Administration for the use of the school vans and would like to extend a big "thank you" to Mr. Tonniges for taking a week out of his summer time to help sponsor the students" Sok said.

This is the 16th consecutive summer trip that Paul Sok has led students to the Blackhills, Badlands and western Nebraska.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Ladies Night Out

Hundreds of people took part in last week's Ladies Night Out, Cruis'n Main event. A number of local merchants offered specials in their businesses and vendors were set up in various locations.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Assistance for the food pantry

A recent NorthStar/Sinclair fundraiser brought in 233 food items and \$75 in cash donations for the Wayne Food Pantry. Pictured are Emilee Pease, Louie Koczar, Jen Geidner and Ron Krause accepting a donation from Dick Carmichael.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Lucky shoppers

Melissa Pickinpaugh, Peg Anderson and Joy Bock display their winnings after having their names drawn for a one-minute shopping spree at the Wayne Plant Market. At right is Lou Wiltse, owner of the Plant Market.

Art exhibit is on display at Norfolk Arts Center

The featured exhibit at the Norfolk Arts Center is "Watered Down," the work of two artists.

Created by Susan Knight of Omaha and Suzan Shutan of New Haven, Conn., it is an amazing assemblage of colorful, shimmering art created from repurposed, recyclable and natural materials. The special gift of this collaborative effort is

that they have taken their concern about groundwater in Nebraska, infused it with scientific knowledge and transformed it into artistic achievement that informs, involves and inspires.

Also featured in the atrium are selections from the 2011 Wayne State College Juried Student Show. These are works created by under-

graduate students that have been selected by the Wayne State art and design faculty.

The "Watered Down" project will be at the Norfolk Arts Center through July 3. The center is located at 305 N. Fifth St. in Norfolk and is open Tuesday through Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., and Saturday from 12-5 p.m.

Event to launch military family support group

The Northeast Nebraska Chapter of the American Red Cross is set to launch a new emotional support group for military families.

The Launch Picnic of the Support Group will be held on Saturday, June 23, at Ta-Ha Zouka Park (Woodland Cabin) from 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

The Military Family Support Group will be open to anyone who loves someone in the military and will provide a network of support

and sharing for those in the northeast Nebraska area.

The June 23 event will include a social, a brief program and a picnic for the families. Fun activities will be provided for the children, along with information booths for military resources. Also participating in the event are the Norfolk VFW Auxiliary, Legion Riders, American Legion Ladies Auxiliary, and the Military and Family Life Consul-

tant Program. Local radio station, US92 will be recording the Pledge of Allegiance with attending youth.

The Support Group will continue to meet on a regular basis as determined by the members of the military families.

For more information on the Launch Picnic or the Military Family Support Group, contact the Norfolk office of the Red Cross at (402) 371-0393.

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Two hurt in Sunday accident

At about 4:30 a.m. Sunday, a one-vehicle roll-over accident caused two area persons to be taken to two different hospitals.

A car driven by Todd Pospisil of Norfolk, traveling on Wayne County Road 848 about one-half mile east of Hoskins, lost control on loose gravel and rolled into the north ditch. The driver was not wearing a safety belt and was tossed into the back seat as the car rolled. Pospisil suffered injury at that time.

A passenger, William Webbert, also of Norfolk, was wearing a seat belt and was able to climb from the car and call for assistance.

Pospisil was flown to Mercy Medical Center in Sioux City by Life-Net

helicopter and Webbert was taken by Hoskins-Woodland Park Ambulance to Faith Regional Hospital in Norfolk where they were treated for their injuries.

It was originally thought that a third person was involved in the crash, but after a thorough search of the area and interviews with the victims, it was determined that only the two people had been involved.

The Wayne County Sheriff's Office continues to investigate the incident and was assisted at the scene by the Nebraska State Patrol, Hoskins-Woodland Park Fire and Rescue personnel, Winside Fire and Rescue personnel and the Life-Net helicopter crew.

Boyer

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she plans to start work on a third book in the near future.

"I've always had stories in my head, and I started writing two stories a couple of years ago and they just didn't go anywhere," Boyer said. "So I started a blog and started getting a lot of followers, and some of them suggested I should write a book."

It only took a month for her to finish "Follow A Certain Path" – a mystery involving a farm family in western Nebraska and babies switched at birth – but the opportunity to find a traditional publisher to take the book was met with a lot of resistance.

"These are Christian books, and I tried contacting Christian publishers and agents, and nobody wanted me," she said.

Most publishers and agents won't work with manuscripts of fewer than 45,000 words, and with both books checking in at less than half that number, Boyer wasn't sure where to turn to next.

"It's not easy, because they're not nice at all and they let you know," she said. "I just looked at the rejections, and after about the fourth one, I just said, 'Fine, I'll do it my way.'"

After doing some research on self-publishing, she set up an account on Amazon.com and, within 48 hours, had her first book for sale online, with the physical version shipped to her about a week later.

She made the first book available as a free download and got more than 3,000 downloads in two days, which helped double her sales.

"It was really something else," she said. "I got a lot of interest from it when I put it on the promotional deal, and then after the promotion I was able to sell a bunch of copies for full price."

Her second book is a continuation of the first, centering more around the romantic aspects of the main characters. Boyer said the idea for the second book, literally, came to her in a dream.

"I wasn't going to write the second one initially, but I had a dream one night about an entire book where I could make out the whole thing, and it took me about a month and a half to write," she said.

Boyer has had people from as far away as Texas, California and Michigan purchase the book, and has marketed the book through a

WSC student pens book about President Lincoln

By DAN KELLER
Of The Herald

The notion of experiencing and attempting new things is a relatively popular one amongst American college students.

Most kids join student organizations, sports teams or clubs associated with their major when they want to get involved with their new environment.

Most kids don't write a book. What started out as a routine college essay for Matt Macaubrie has evolved into a full-blown published work about the implications of the assassination of Abraham Lincoln aimed for middle schoolers.

Macaubrie, a senior social science education major from Lincoln, wrote "Piercing the Head of Equality" three years ago as a freshman, expanding and publishing it as a book about a year later. An aspiring teacher, Macaubrie felt like he needed to create something that might reach the students that his teaching career could not.

"I always wanted to do something to give back to students, and this was the best way I could," Macaubrie said. "I thought 'I should expand this,' and with

variety of social media outlets.

"I use Facebook, Twitter and LinkedIn, and I've gotten a lot of connections that I wouldn't have made otherwise," she said. "The social marketing that I've done has worked pretty well for me."

By publishing her books online, she receives 70 percent of the royalties from sales of the book, and Amazon.com registers the ISBN number for the book and works with the author to make sure the physical versions of the book meet the author's standards.

Self-publishing allows for authors to re-publish their online versions of their books. Boyer said she has found mistakes in her first book that she has corrected, allowing her to upload a corrected version of the book.

"One of the things is that you are

the help of Wayne State College and my professors, it has been a really good experience."

Apart from the obvious challenges associated with writing and publishing a book, Macaubrie had to overcome a unique set of circumstances to make "Piercing the Head of Equality" a reality.

His two main obstacles both centered around the fact that he is still a college student and, therefore, not only short on time, but also not to the point where he can easily be taken seriously as an author.

"I spent countless hours in the library reading, I even went to (Washington) D.C. as a sophomore," Macaubrie said. "The other thing is my age. I was only 20 years old when this was published. Those were the two biggest uphill battles."

With new information continually being added to the circumstances, not only of the Lincoln assassination but also of his presidency as a whole, Macaubrie said that he is already working on a second book to compliment "Piercing the Head of Equality." Macaubrie noted that one possible angle for his second book will be a correlation between the presidencies of Lincoln and Andrew Jackson.

your own editor, so there were some mistakes," she said. "But I did this more for myself and people are enjoying it, so if they can look past the mistakes, God bless them."

Boyer said a third book to complete what has become a trilogy of stories centering around the characters she has created is in her future, but she is taking time out from writing to enjoy time with her children, Kelsey and Ashton, as well as the kids she babysits in her in-home daycare.

"On Facebook, I've had a lot of people asking me what's next and when the next book is coming out, but right now I want to enjoy the summer with the kids," she said. "I do want to do a third book with these characters, so I'll write another one for sure."



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Farmers' Market is open

A wide variety of items were available for purchase on the opening day of the Wayne Farmers' Market. The market is open from 4 to 7 p.m. each Thursday evening and from 9 a.m. to noon on Saturday on the lawn of the Wayne County Courthouse.

Chicken

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"This takes skill and time, and I think every year it gets better and more creative. The first year we did a chicken, we got Best of Show, so it has been pretty hard to top that, but we continue to try."

Among other businesses, The Majestic Theatre also paints a chicken each year, cashing in on their "movie"-themed creatures.

"This is the third year The Majestic has done a chicken, so we've been doing chickens longer than we've been showing movies," Majestic Theatre director Melanie Loggins said. "We've always gone for a movie character, and this year will be the same. It's a surprise, though, so you'll have to wait to see it, but if

we do it right, every kid in Wayne will be begging their parents to buy ours.

"I love seeing all the chickens every year. I love the time and attention that goes into them, and I love how different they all are. We have some pretty creative folks in Wayne."

As with many other events, the success of the Cement Chicken Auction isn't solely determined by the artists.

"Every year, 24 chickens are auctioned, thanks to auctioneer Randy Bargholz and his wife, Cindy, who work the crowd to entertain the highest bid for each bird," Fletcher said. "Volunteers from the Wayne State College football team flex

their muscles to carry the chickens into the crowd for maximum viewing pleasure."

Among other items to prepare for the Chicken Show, including t-shirts, "cluck-tibles," parade entry forms and 5K Run entry forms, the WAED Office currently has three more concrete chickens awaiting good homes. The Chicken Show will be held Friday, July 13 through Sunday, July 15.

"It is a fun, artistic way to raise funds for the show to keep the festival 'cheep' for all to attend," WAED Director Wes Blecke said.

Who knew such fun family entertainment could start out "naked?"

Weed

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superintendent splits time between weeds and county zoning administration, allowing the county to pay that individual a full-time equivalent salary with no benefits.

Burbach said the county board will probably put the matter up for discussion at a meeting in July, giving it ample time to determine whether or not to put the

board's future in the hands of Wayne County voters.

"I would say that if we don't discuss it at the (June 19) meeting, we'll talk about it at the first meeting in July and try to get things in order," he said. "I kind of have mixed feelings about it. Some areas need to be monitored more than others, but we'll see what everybody else thinks."



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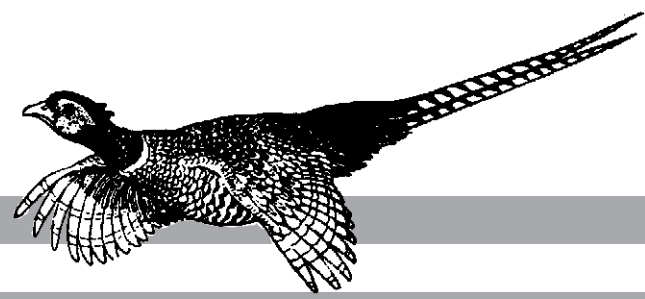
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Michael Carnes



Mothers, daughters reunited

Cunninghams, Hoskins set for all-star tilt

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

For four years, they juggled the dual roles of parent and coach, child and player.

Friday night, it's a grand finale for two area mother-daughter volleyball combinations as the Hoskins and Cunningham families participate in the 2012 Northeast Nebraska Volleyball All-Star Game.

For Joyce and Katie Hoskins of Wayne and Patti and Jade Cunningham of Laurel-Concord/Coleridge, it's one last opportunity for them to enjoy the sometimes-schizophrenic existence that shows itself when a coach has her own flesh and blood as a contributing member of her team, and when a player has to take instructions from the same woman who brought her into this world 18 years ago.

Jade was a baby when her mother started coaching at Laurel-Concord in 1993, and Katie's mom was pregnant when she took over at Wayne High that same fall. Both daughters have, quite literally, grown up in their mothers' volleyball programs.

As the kids got more involved in helping their mothers, they learned the game and evolved into key contributors to their respective teams' success over the years. Both kids had the opportunity to watch their mothers coach teams in the state tournament, and eventually became players on those teams as they grew into their high school years.

Separating that dual relationship was something of a challenge early on for the Hoskins duo.

"At first it was kind of difficult, more for her, because not every-



For the last four years, Jade Cunningham of Laurel-Concord/Coleridge and Katie Hoskins of Wayne (center) have played high school volleyball for their coaching moms, Patti Cunningham (far left) and Joyce Hoskins (far right). The two families will get to experience the coach/player-mother/daughter dynamic one last time during the Northeast Nebraska Volleyball All-Star Classic Friday at Northeast Community College.

(Photo by Michael Carnes)

one else was getting drilled about grades at practice, but after my freshman year we talked about it and got it figured out," the younger Hoskins said.

"I was probably harder on her than the other kids, because I felt

like she had to work harder and perform better than the others, because she was my daughter, to prove that she belonged," her mother added.

For the Cunninghams, the transition between the two roles was a

little bit easier.

"It's definitely two things," Jade said. "When we're at volleyball, it's volleyball and it's down to business, but at home it's nice to have that side of things and have the support from her."

"You have to try and keep that distance, not only with the family situation, and remember that when you're in the gym, the coach is the coach and the players are the play-

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Coaching kids a thrill for parents

Being a parent is no easy gig. Coaching a bunch of high school kids isn't exactly a walk in the park, either.

Now try to do both of them at the same time, and you'll have a better understanding of what it's like to grow old before your time.

All kidding aside, it takes a special kind of family to be able to live the dual existence of the parent-child and coach-athlete relationship at the high school level, and we've had three area families go through that experience this past school year.

This weekend, two of those families will get to enjoy the parent-child and player-coach relationship one last time. The Hoskins family, representing Wayne High, and the Cunninghams, representing Laurel-Concord/Coleridge, will take part in the Northeast Nebraska Volleyball All-Star game Friday at Northeast Community College. Coaches Joyce Hoskins and Patti Cunningham will coach one of the teams, which includes their daughters, Jade Cunningham and Katie Hoskins.

Those two families, along with former Wayne High football coach Rich Rethwisch and his sons - Gage and Luke - have had to juggle the two dynamics on a daily basis. And from what I've seen, it can't be as easy a task as everybody involved seems to make it.

The biggest challenge for everybody involved is the ability to separate the two relationships, because they are very much separate lives that both the adults and kids must live in order for the overall relationship to keep from being strained.

It would be very easy for the parent, on the one side, to constantly "coach" their kid in every little thing they do. Coaches, by nature, can be detail-oriented control freaks, and while it's important that your kids grasp the concept of discipline, at some point you have to let your kid be a kid and realize he (or she) doesn't need the constant instruction that comes with being a coach.

On the other hand, you can't let your kid run amok within the team concept, as you might be prone to do in the more-relaxed home environment. Your kid needs to understand his (or her) role as a member of the team and accept the criticism that comes in that environment. Knowing when dad (or mom) is yelling at you as a player, and when you're being corrected as their kid, can be a rather confusing existence.

When it works - as it seems to have done for the Hoskins, Cunninghams and Rethwisches - it looks to be a real thrill, at least for the parents. In talking with both Jade and Katie for this week's feature story, I sense that they enjoy the fact that their moms have been their high school coaches these last four years, and it's something they'll grow to appreciate even more as they move on to college and into their adult lives. (In seeing Rethwisch and his sons interact, I also get the feeling that there's a lot of love and admiration the kids have for their dad, which is something I know their dad enjoys more than anything else.)

It will be fun for fans to watch the moms coach their kids one last time this week, but not near as much a thrill as it will be for the moms to get that one last chance to work with their kids as athletes.

It may not seem like it, but the fall sports season will be here before you know it.

Wayne State's fall sports schedules are out, and there will be some changes coming with the addition of University of Sioux Falls and Minot State to the Northern Sun Conference family.

In football, the Wildcats open on the road Sept. 1 at MSU Moorhead before their home opener a week later against Minot State. Augustana is the homecoming opponent on Sept. 29 and the Wildcats play five at home and six on the road

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Tony Sinniger lines a double in the gap to score the game's only run in Wayne's 1-0 win over Springfield at the Summerfield Memorial Tournament.

Seniors claim first place honors in Summerfield

The first-place trophy for the annual Marty Summerfield Memorial Tournament was able to stay in town, thanks to the play of the Wayne American Legion Seniors.

The Seniors beat Pierce and Springfield and took a forfeit against Valparaiso to claim first-place honors in the four-team, round-robin tournament over the weekend. Wayne defeated Pierce 12-7 on Saturday, then made a first-inning RBI double by Tony Sinniger stand up in a 1-0 win over Springfield on Sunday. The last game of the tournament was awarded to Wayne when Valparaiso decided not to show up for the final game late Sunday afternoon.

In Saturday's first game, the Seniors broke a 1-1 tie in the second with a four-run outburst against Pierce, then put the game out of reach with three runs in the fifth inning. Pierce came back and made a game of it, scoring three in the bottom of the seventh, but it wasn't enough to overcome the eight-run advantage Wayne had built by that point.

Wayne had 10 hits in the game, highlighted by a three-hit performance from Joey Lenihan, who had two doubles and three RBI's in the game. Bradley Longe had a pair of doubles and scored four runs, while Trent Beza doubled home two runs and Drew Carroll added a two-run single. Frank Bernal, Miles Anderson and

Corey Doorlag also had hits.

Gage Rethwisch went the distance for the Seniors on Saturday, scattering 11 hits while striking out 14 in the seven-inning effort.

On Sunday, Carroll drew a one-out walk and came home on a double in the gap by Sinniger in the top of the first, and Doorlag made that run stand up with a masterful four-hit shutout on the mound. He struck out seven and walked only one and got good defensive support behind him. Two of the four hits he surrendered came in the bottom of the seventh when Springfield made its only real threat.

Wayne had just three hits in the game, with Rethwisch and Longe both logging safeties. Anderson walked twice and stole a base.

In league action last Wednesday, Wayne broke a 2-2 tie with a five-run sixth inning to post a 7-3 win over Hooper. Wayne had nine hits in the game, but needed the big inning after scoring single runs in the second and third innings to offset an early two-run advantage by the visitors.

Carroll had three hits and scored two runs for Wayne, while Danny Melena had two hits. Carroll and Anderson each had two RBI's, while Lenihan, Beza, Longe

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Juniors finish fifth at wood bat event

The Wayne Juniors came away with a fifth-place finish in a wooden bat tournament over the weekend at Wakefield, and coach Joe Wendte hoped the experience will help the team continue to improve.

"We played some really good teams, and I think that will help us in the long run," he said. "I can tell we're getting better at the plate against some good pitching, and it was fun for us to play in the tournament there in Wakefield."

The Juniors came back to beat the hosts 10-8 in an exciting game Sunday evening, scoring eight runs in the final three innings of the back-and-forth affair to take the game.

"The kids always get up for playing Wakefield, and I thought we showed some good character in coming from behind to get the win," Wendte said.

Curtis Moeller scored three times for the Juniors in the win, while Dylan Sokol scored twice and Ramsey Jorgensen had two RBI's. Wyatt Biggerstaff drew three walks and Jacob Lutt had an RBI double and got the win in relief.

Wayne played well in its other two tournament games, although they came up short in both affairs. They dropped a 3-2 decision to Lincoln Southwest and were outlasted 6-3 by the Sioux Falls Cyclones.

In the Lincoln game, Moeller and Lutt each had two hits and Lutt pitched well in a losing effort allowing six hits and striking out three.

Against Sioux Falls, Moeller and Kaje Maly both scored runs and Jalen Barry picked up a hit to highlight Wayne's offensive effort.

In other action, Wayne posted a 4-1 win over West Point in action last week. Moeller scored three times and stole three bases, and Maly and Lutt both had RBI hits. Lutt got the win on the mound, striking out six.

Wayne came up short in a 7-2 loss at home to Hooper on Wednesday. Moeller doubled and scored a run and Grant Anderson had an RBI hit in a losing effort.

It was a rough day Saturday in a doubleheader against the Colum-

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(Photo by Dan Keller)

Jack Belt tries to come up with the throw from the catcher on a stolen base attempt during the Wayne Juniors' match-up with Hooper.

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Bleachers

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this year, closing at Upper Iowa and University of Sioux Falls on Nov. 3 and Nov. 10, respectively.

Notably absent from the schedule is the annual battle with Nebraska-Kearney, a change made possible with the addition of the two teams, forcing the NSIC teams to dump non-conference opponents from their schedule to play an all-NSIC docket.

Not to worry, though - the Wayne State volleyball team has a date with UNK this fall, as the two in-state rivals meet on Oct. 10 at Rice Auditorium. The Wildcat netters open the season with two Colorado tournaments - Aug. 31-Sept 1 in Golden and Sept. 7-8 in Colorado Springs. They open the home season Sept. 14-15 against Winona State and Upper Iowa.

Women's soccer will be on the road a lot early, but has a bunch of dates at home to end the season. Five of the Wildcats' eight home matches will be played in October, with the lone home dates on Sept. 6 against Northwest Missouri State and Sept. 29-30 against St. Cloud State and Minnesota Duluth, respectively.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Devil becomes a Charger

Gage Rethwisch (center) recently signed a letter of intent to play basketball at Briar Cliff University. On hand for the signing were his parents, Rich and Cathy, and Briar Cliff coach Nic Nelson.

Juniors

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bus Blues, as the visitors shut down Wayne with a pair of shutouts, 6-0 and 12-0. Barry had two hits in the first game, and Wayne was held without a hit in the nightcap.

The Juniors won an exciting game Monday night at home against Pender, posting a 2-1 win in eight innings. Curtis Moeller scored the winning run, coming in after a hit by Grant Anderson and a throwing error to help the Juniors improve to 5-6 on the season.

Wakefield, Wayne baseball teams to honor cancer survivors

The Wayne County Relay For Life will be the recipient of a donation during next week's Wayne-Wakefield American Legion baseball games.

The two programs will meet for a Juniors-Seniors doubleheader beginning at 5:45 p.m. at Hank Overin Field, and the Wayne team will wear pink T-shirts in support of

cancer survivors. A donation will be made to the Wayne County Relay For Life, on behalf of both baseball organizations, during Wednesday's games.

Mothers

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ers," her mom said.

When the two area coaches joined the other coaches involved in selecting the two all-star teams for Friday's showdown, it was only a matter of time before each of the coaches' daughters were selected to play in the game, and both girls were assigned to their mothers' team for the 7 p.m. matchup at the Cox Activities Center at Northeast Community College in Norfolk.

"It's a fun game to be a part of,

and I really appreciate having the opportunity to coach her one more time," Mrs. Cunningham said.

"Especially with me being done coaching now, at the end of the season I didn't know I was going to resign, so this has been pretty surreal and to get to do it one more time in this atmosphere will be pretty special," Mrs. Hoskins added.

The opportunity to play for their moms one last time is also a big moment in the lives of the coaches' kids.

"Knowing this is her last game ever, it's going to mean a lot to me," Katie said. "Playing for her the last four years has been special, and this being her last one will be a little more special for me."

"It's going to be nice to have the opportunity to play with her one more time," Jade said of the opportunity. "It will be nice to have that chance again, and it's really neat for both Katie and I to be able to experience it together."

The all-star game will not only mark the end of one journey, but the start of a new one for both athletes, as they will attend Wayne State College this fall.

Cunningham will continue her volleyball career, playing for coach Scott Kneif; while Hoskins will focus on basketball under the guidance of Chris Kielsmeier.

Both players said the chance to play for somebody new will take some adjustment, but both are looking forward to the opportunity.

"It's going to be strange not hav-

ing either one of my parents as a coach," Hoskins said, adding that her dad, Brad, is an assistant on the girls basketball team at Wayne High. "I've had my dad as my basketball coach since fifth grade, so it's going to be way different."

"I'm really looking forward to beginning the next journey," Cunningham said. "It'll definitely be different, because it's always been my mom (as coach), but I'm really excited to get a different experience and a different aspect on things, so I'm looking forward to it."

It will also be an adjustment for the mothers.

Cunningham has coached all three of her daughters, and is proud of the effort Jade has shown, not only under her guidance, but in the offseason work she has done.

"She's very knowledgeable and has a passion for it, and she's the product of good coaching by a lot of people, not only in our gym," she said. "She's been to a lot of camps and played club ball, and it's because of that work that she's been able to become the player she has."

For Hoskins, she won't have the chance to coach her youngest daughter, Mollie, but welcomes the opportunity to watch her younger kids play sports.

"I'm looking forward to just being a mom," she said. "With Katie at Wayne State and Ben and Mollie here, it's an opportunity I never really had while I was coaching, so I'm looking forward to it."

Seniors

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and Anderson all had hits.

The Seniors got hooked up in a great defensive game on Monday night, but came up on the short end of a 2-0 decision against a solid Pender team.

Lenihan pitched well in a losing

effort, striking out 10 and allowing six hits and two walks. Wayne was limited to four hits in the game, two coming from Anderson with Carroll and Beza also getting hits.

The 8-3 Seniors host Bennington in a 1 p.m. doubleheader Saturday at Hank Overin Field.

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WEEK 9

Low Scores (6/7/12)

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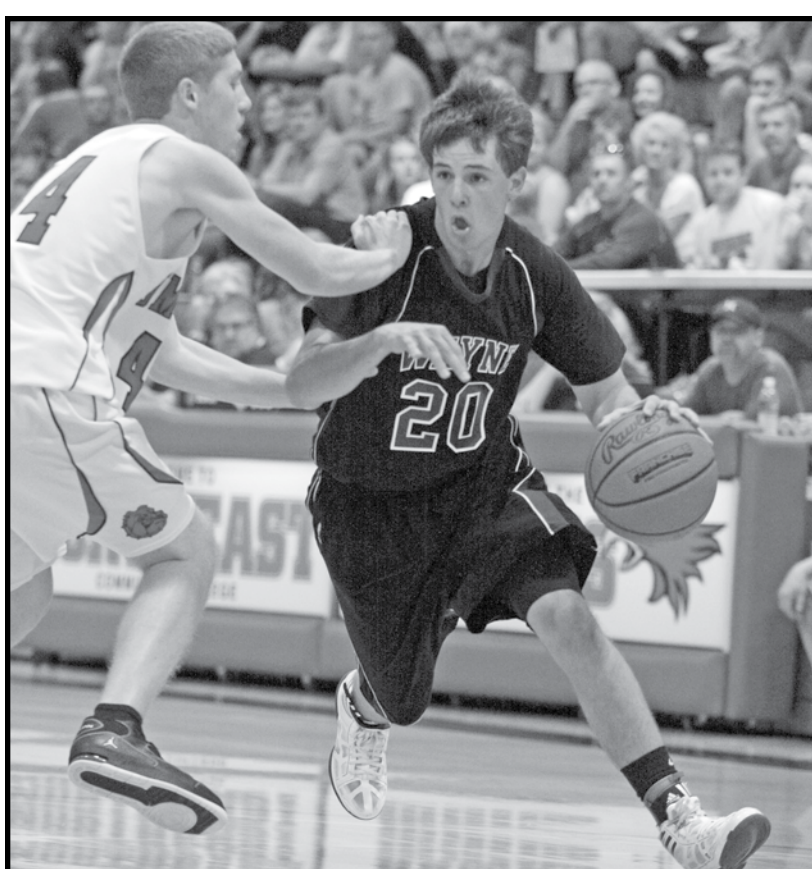
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Area All-Stars play

Four area athletes took part in the 29th annual Northeast Nebraska All-Star game Friday at Northeast Community College. (clockwise from bottom left) Jade Cunningham of LCC, Katie Hoskins of Wayne and Mandy Nelson of LCC played on the Light team that fell to the Dark squad, 62-58, in the girls game. Gage Rethwisch of Wayne played for the Dark squad that posted a 111-77 win over the Light in the boys game.

Devils 18 goes 2-2 in Norfolk tournament

The Wayne Dirt Devils 18-under team reached the semifinals before going down to defeat Sunday in the Golden Girls Invitational in Norfolk.

On Saturday, the Dirt Devils posted wins over Columbus Lakeview and Syndergy, winning 8-1 and 5-3.

In the first game, McKenna Gibson threw a solid game for the Devils, giving up four hits and striking out four. She got offensive support from Victoria Kranz, who went 3-for-3 with a double, and two hits apiece from Jalyn Zeiss and Kristin Carroll.

In the second game, Kendall Gamble got the win in the circle, striking out five and scattering one hit and six walks. Caitlin Fehringer hit a three-run homer that proved to be the difference in the game. Zeiss was 2-for-3 and Gibson added a double to highlight the offensive effort.

On Sunday, the Dirt Devils dominated Norfolk Kelly's in a 10-2 win.

Four players each had at least two hits, led by Zeiss' 4-for-4 effort. Fehringer was 3-for-3 with a triple, while Hannah Gamble and Emily Leeper each had two hits. Gibson and Carroll combined on a three-hitter in the circle.

In the semifinals, Wayne went down to defeat at the hands of Fire and Ice, losing 2-1 in a seven-inning thriller. Carroll allowed eight hits and struck out three in a losing effort in the circle. Gibson and Abbie Hix each had hits for the Dirt Devils.

Devils 14-under 2-2 in tourney

The Wayne 14-under Dirt Devils went 2-2 in action over the weekend at the Golden Girls Invitational in Norfolk.

Wayne lost a heartbreaker in their first tournament game, dropping a 6-5 decision to the Yankton Yellow Jackets, marking their first loss in three games against the Yankton squad.

It was a back-and-forth affair, but Yankton got three in the second and two in the third and made that lead stand up against the Wayne squad.

Nicole Craft had three hits, including a double, and had an RBI to lead the Wayne offensive effort. Hannah Belt had an RBI single and struck out six in a losing effort in the circle.

Wayne rebounded with a solid effort against Columbus Lakeview, posting an 8-2 win behind the two-hit, six-strikeout pitching of Belt.

"This was a good win," coach Alesha Finkey said. "They adjusted well at the plate and got eight runs,

and Hannah had a good game allowing just two runs on two hits."

Rylee Bessmer had two hits and scored two runs in the win.

In their third game of the tournament, Wayne won a defensive struggle against the Rapid City Swat, posting a 3-0 win. The Devils scored two runs in the first inning and added an insurance run in the fifth to get the win.

The Devils played solid defense and got good pitching from Belt, who struck out eight and allowed three hits and four walks for the complete-game win.

"It was a great game for the girls to beat the No. 1 seed in their pool," Finkey said. "Hannah had a great game on the mound for us."

Maddy Morris and Sierra Scardino both had hits and Danica Schaefer had an RBI for the Devils. Emily Matthes, Bessmer and Morris all scored runs.

The Rage erupted for five runs in the fifth inning, enough for them to

eliminate the Dirt Devils with a 7-1 decision Sunday afternoon.

Schaefer had a triple and scored a run, while Kortney Keller had an RBI for the Dirt Devils.

"This was not one of our better games," Finkey said. "The girls didn't come out with the intensity they needed to get a win, and we got behind and beat ourselves."

In league action last Wednesday, the Wayne girls got past West Point in a 6-3 decision, scoring three in the third and three more in the fifth to overcome an early deficit.

"After a slow start, the girls came out with good bats to get on and score, and we played good defense tonight," Finkey said after the game.

Belt struck out 12 and allowed two hits and six walks for the 14-under Devils. She helped her own cause with a 3-for-3 effort at the plate, scoring two runs. Schaefer had a hit and two RBIs, and Bessmer, Matthes and Craft each scored a run.

Soccer camp scheduled for July 30

The Wayne State College women's soccer program will host a College ID and Development soccer day camp for girls entering grades 10-12 on Monday, July 30.

Check-in for the camp begins at 9

a.m., with the camp running until 4:30 p.m.

The camp will feature a field session from 9:30-11:30 a.m. followed by a classroom session from 1-2 p.m., with small sided games to

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10-under Devils post three wins in league play

The Wayne Dirt Devils 10-under team posted a trio of wins in league action last week, defeating Stanton and West Point.

Last Tuesday, the Devils beat Norfolk Kelly's 8-4. Tori Kniesche, Sidney Biggerstaff, Avianna Doring, Erin O'Reilly and Emily Longe all had hits in the game, and Mackenzie Munsell scored two runs as the Devils overcame a 3-1 deficit with a four-run third inning. Kniesche struck out 10 batters to get the win in the circle.

On Wednesday, the Devils outlasted Stanton by a 7-2 count, coming back from a 2-1 deficit to score six unanswered runs and get the win.

Biggerstaff went 2-for-2 at the plate and Doring scored twice for the Devils. Kniesche got the win in the circle, striking out 11.

On Monday, the Devils exploded early and blew out the West Point squad by a 13-1 count.

Wayne jumped out to a 9-0 lead early in the game and had no problem coming away with the win.

Biggerstaff, Doring, Elyssa Tuttle and Kayla Fleming each had two hits for the winners. Kniesche struck out 12 and walked two to get the win as the Devils improved to 14-2 on the season.

Didgets win two of three games

The Wayne Didgets won two of three games last week, losing its only game of the week in a battle with the Wayne White Didgets team.

In league action, Wayne jumped on West Point early and cruised to a 9-1 win. The locals scored four runs in the first inning, then added four more in the fifth and one in the sixth to get the win.

Four players had two hits, with Kallan Herman, Jacob Kneiff, Shea Sweetland and Tyrus Eischeid each getting two hits. Kneiff and Eischeid both had doubles, Kneiff scored twice and had three RBIs, Herman scored twice and Sweetland had two RBIs. Tay Guill, Jacob Sherman and Alex Echtenkamp all had hits, and Guill, and Sam Perry scored runs.

In tournament action over the weekend, Wayne beat Columbus 8-2 and lost to Wayne White 11-5.

In the Columbus game, Sherman had three hits and Sweetland had two hits for Wayne. Echtenkamp and Eischeid also had hits, with Eischeid hitting a home run. Guill walked and scored a run, and struck out 12 on the mound in five innings.

Against Wayne, Eischeid and Sherman each had three hits, with Sherman hitting a double and a home run. Herman, Cole Hobza and Drew Buck also had hits and Guill and Carter Fernau scored runs. Sherman went a combined 6-for-6 in the two tournament games.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Jacob Sherman has his eyes on the ball as he takes a swing for the Wayne Didgets during action against Columbus at last weekend's tournament at the Wayne Softball Complex. The Wayne team beat the Columbus squad 8-2.

12-under Devils go undefeated, win Logan Valley League title

Solid pitching and defense helped the Wayne Dirt Devils 12-under team claim the league championship in last weekend's Logan Valley League tournament.

Wayne rode the pitching of Ashten Gibson, who struck out 46 batters in five games, and got solid defensive play to go a perfect 5-0 in the tournament and take the league championship.

"The offense didn't record many hits, but the defense was solid in giving up just five runs in the tournament, and we got an outstanding pitching performance by Ashten" coach Kristin Hochstein said.

The Devils opened the tournament with a 6-2 win over Bancroft, making the most of the three hits they recorded in the game. Gibson, Jamie Gamble and Kennedy Maly each got hits in the win, and Gibson struck out 12 and allowed just two hits in the opening-round win.

In the second round, Wayne posted an 8-1 win over Arlington, out-hitting their opponents 7-1 in the game. Jacque Sherman was 2-for-2 at the plate, while Gibson, Maly, Kiara Hochstein, Marrison Lutt and

Elizabeth Fertig all had hits. Gibson walked two and struck out 13 in the circle.

In the final pool play game, Wayne shut out Oakland 10-0. Gibson threw a no-hitter, striking out 10, and helped her cause with a pair of doubles. Hochstein, Maly, Sherman and Katelyn Grone each had singles.

In the semifinals, Wayne dominated West Point in a 14-1 decision. Gibson struck out five and allowed four hits, but got plenty of offensive support. She and Josie Thompson both had doubles, while Gamble, Maly and Abby Ankeny both had singles and Wayne took advantage of 11 walks.

In the championship game, Wayne beat the other West Point team with a 4-1 decision. Gibson was 2-for-2 at the plate and struck out six while allowing three hits and two walks. Ankeny had the team's other hit in the win.

In league action, Wayne beat Norfolk Kelly's 18-4 and outlasted Stanton 8-1.

In the Norfolk game, Wayne pounded out 15 hits, led by a 4-for-

4 performance from Gamble. Ankeny was 3-for-3 and Thompson went 2-for-2. Gibson struck out two and allowed one walk and three hits in the win.

Against Stanton, Wayne got two hits from Gamble, while Gibson struck and threw a two-hitter, striking out six.

The 12-under Devils are 17-3 on the season and will play in district action this weekend in Ashland.

Northeast CC to add sports

Officials at Northeast Community College in Norfolk announced today the reinstatement of its intercollegiate golf and volleyball programs.

Plans call for the Northeast golf team to tee up this fall with the volleyball team to be in action in the fall of 2013. Northeast suspended its intercollegiate golf and volleyball programs during the 2002-2003 academic year.

According to Northeast Community College President Dr. Michael Chipps, the primary reason for reinstatement of these two athletic programs is growth of the college.

"Growing our wonderful college is paramount at this time," he said. "With a new golf and volleyball team, we will not only increase our enrollment numbers but also increase and infuse more activities and other college life opportunities for our students."

Chipps said the initial golf team will have eight members while the volleyball team will consist of 15 players.

"We know that intercollegiate athletic programs create settings for positive student development," he said. "We look forward to recruiting more area students and, with golf and volleyball programs, we will be able to better fulfill that goal."

Dr. Karen Severson, vice president of student services at Northeast, said the hiring of coaches is among the initial tasks that must be completed this summer.

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Action on the diamonds

(left) Tyler Lutt fires a pitch home for the Bronco Blue team during action at last weekend's baseball tournament at the Wayne Softball Complex. (above) Seth Hochstein has his eye on the ball as a Creighton baserunner makes it to second on a stolen base attempt in Pony tournament action. Scores and highlights were not available at press time.

UNL students earn first place in national advertising competition

Advertising students from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln College of Journalism and Mass Communications took first place in the 2012 National Student Advertising Competition in Austin, Texas, June 2-5.

Among the members of the team is Maddie Jager of Wayne, who serves as art director.

Only 19 of the 153 student teams that competed in the program sponsored by the American Advertising Federation advanced to nationals.

This year's competition challenged students to develop a fully integrated marketing campaign to help Nissan build awareness and lasting favorability among African-American, Hispanic and Chinese-American millennial consumers in the United States.

UNL has finished first in districts and contended for the national title for the past four years. UN-L competes in District 9, which represents clubs and American Advertising Federations in Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri and Kansas.

Amy Struthers, associate professor of advertising and public relations, assembled the college's first NSAC team in 2004-2005. This year's team advisers, Phil Willet and Rich Bailey, as well as Struthers, accompanied the students to nationals. Willet is an assistant professor of advertising and public relations and Bailey is an adjunct professor. Willet and Bailey helped UNL to fourth- and seventh-place finishes in previous national competitions.

UN-L students who participate in this program spend an entire semester doing research, designing strategy and preparing plans books and presentations.

"There is no better way to learn about an advertising campaign process than by actually developing a campaign for a real client," according to the AAF.

Several UN-L advertising classes contributed to the effort, conducting research, designing strategy and preparing plans books and presentations.

Rockhurst University Spring 2012 Dean's List is announced

Rockhurst University in Kansas City, Mo. has announced the dean's list for the spring 2012 semester. This honor recognizes students who have achieved a grade-point average of 3.5 or above.

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Cookies for Betty

All of the Wayne girls Dirt Devil softball teams recently took part in a "Cookies for Betty" fundraiser. The event raised funds to assist Betty Robins with expenses she is incurring during her cancer treatments. According to organizers, the project "was very successful during the Dirt Devil Softball Tournament." Pictured here are members of the 12-under Dirt Devil Team. All of the girls baked and sold the cookies for the event. Anyone wishing to contribute to the event may make a contribution through the funds which have been set up for Betty at the First National Bank and State National Bank.

DHHS distributing fans in area

Facing the hot days of summer, fans and assistance in paying summer cooling bills are available to those who meet the qualifications for the two Department of Health and Human Services programs, according to Thomas Pristow, director of Children and Family Services.

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NBDA team goes 2-2

The 2012 Nebraska Basketball Development Association Bison Freshman Tournament was held in Lincoln, May 25-28. Tryouts for the team were held in Wayne on April 15. The Wayne team played four games, beating Grand Island (56-40) and South Central (45-32) and losing to Lincoln West (59-40) and Omaha Metro (43-39). Team members are: (front) Taggart Bailey, Pierce; Tristin Wieseler, Wynot; Noah Fisher, Pierce; (middle) Dylan Slaughter, Bancroft-Rosalie; Ryan Becker, Hartington Cedar Catholic; Brock Mueller, Crofton; Dillan Wolfgram, Laurel-Concord; Colton Foxhoven, Crofton; (back) coach Mike Emory, Pierce; Tyler Koch, Crofton; Preston Bodlak, Homer; Zachary Keating, Wayne; Austin Lange, Wynot; and coach Todd Strom, Crofton.

Harder finishes 13th

Troy Harder of Wayne Country Club fired a 10-over par 82 to finish in a tie for 13th at the Yamaha Pro-Am Monday at Quail Run Golf Course in Columbus.

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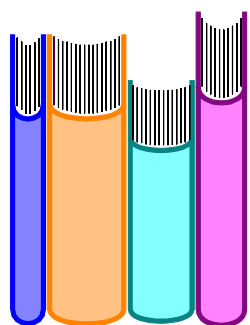
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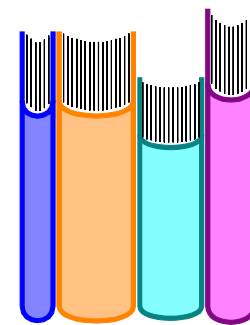
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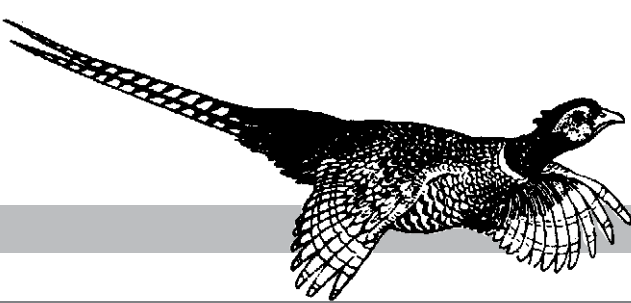
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Opinion

Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes
Managing Editor

Just like your father is a real compliment

You are just like your father. Depending on who you say that to, that declaration can be the highest of compliments or a real dig on your character.

Some people's fathers are outstanding individuals who give of themselves and are wonderful people to hang out with. Then there are those individuals who, shall we say, aren't exactly the kind of people you want to publicly associate with. I'm not going to name any names . . . but you know who they are and what their priorities revolve around.

When somebody who knows both my father and I says to me, "You are just like your father," I take that as about the best compliment a person can give me.

There was a time in my life, though, where such a statement could have gone either way.

As you may have been able to figure out from three years worth of reading this column, I've been known to publicly form an opinion about people, places and things. I'm not all that shy about expressing said opinions, nor am I all that concerned about whether readers agree with that opinion or not (it's part of what makes America great – the freedom to have and express said opinions).

I get a lot of that from my dad. He's a pretty good judge of character and is not shy about calling it as he sees it, a trait that he inherited from his dad.

During my young adult years, though, there was a daily battle of wills going on in our house. My dad would walk into the kitchen and say "the sun rises in the east." I would walk in at the same time and claim "the sun rises in the west," and the fight, as my mother liked to say, was on.

My parents' divorce in college proved to be a supremely acrimonious period in our relationship. Simple discussions over something as simple as student loan paperwork would morph into finger-pointing, foot-stomping, bicycle-throwing arguments (if you've never seen a 10-speed bike tossed down a driveway, it really is wonderful unintentional comedy, according to our neighbors). We could be in the same room, and still be a billion miles away from one another.

My relationship with my dad reached its lowest point shortly after the birth of my daughter, a period where we didn't speak to each other (civily, anyway) for more than three years. During that time, the phrase "you are just like your father" was like fingernails on a chalkboard for me. If there was one person I most certainly did not want to be connected with, at that time, it was my own father.

Eventually, though, there came a time where struggles in my own life required his wisdom and guidance. My mom had remarried and my stepdad is a wonderful human being who has always been someone I can talk to, but there is that one connection that always seems to trump everything else, and to this day I am beyond grateful that my dad and I were able to erase the slate of negativity and divisiveness that kept us apart for far too long a period of our lives.

That's not to say we don't disagree on certain things. My dad is not a big fan of alcohol, while his son enjoys the occasional belying up to the bar. He is unapologetically anti-gambling, while his son finds it hypocritical of our leaders to say casino gambling is bad while, at the same time, tripping over each other trying to be the first to spend the Powerball, scratch card and keno dollars that flow into the state. My dad never misses an episode of "American Idol," "Grey's Anatomy" or "Judge Judy," while the only time TV captures my attention is on college football Saturdays, NFL Sundays and late-night hosts like Leno, Letterman and Craig Ferguson. He is a dedicated member of his church, while his son prefers to sleep in on Sundays (since I don't get to do it any other day of the week . . .).

And while we do have our differences, we also share interests in a lot of things.

Not surprisingly, my dad is a big sports fan. He's been a Husker football fan for as long as I've known him, and we are fortunate enough to make the occasional trip to cheer on the Huskers in Memorial Stadium. We've also enjoyed College World Series games and the occasional NASCAR race in Kansas.

My dad has developed a passion for working with wood, a hobby he got from his dad. He started up his own business creating such things as pens, wine stoppers and other items, and he is passing on this interest in wood-working to his son (I've got two pens on my desk he helped me create, and they are the only pens that HAVEN'T been lifted off the desk of that mysterious pen gremlin that takes all my store-bought pens).

We also love being around kids. My dad is devoted to his nine grandchildren – he built a playhouse for my niece that includes an air conditioner, full electricity and options for running water, and he enjoys attending the older kids' school events whenever he gets the opportunity. I'm several years away (hopefully) from being a grandfather myself, but I hope I can be half the Grandpa Carnes to my grandchildren that he has been to his.

I think there are always moments in a kid's life where the last person they want to emulate is one of their parents. I think that's just a part of the growing-up process that we go through in our youth as we try to determine who we are and what we want to be.

These days, though, I take great pride when somebody compares me to my dad. The phrase, "You're just like your father" is as high a compliment as I think I can get. Hopefully, I'll one day be able to live up to that high standard that he is setting for me.

Capitol View

Remembering a vivid writer

By DON WALTON
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Lincoln Journal Star, June 7, 2012

Ed Howard, a vivid writer and colorful figure in Nebraska journalism for four decades, died Tuesday in Lincoln after a lengthy illness.

Howard worked for The Associated Press for most of his career, including stints in Columbus, Ohio, and New York City, before becoming Capitol correspondent for the AP in Lincoln in the mid-1970s.

In recent years, he wrote for the online StatePaper.com and authored columns for the Nebraska Press Association that were published in 65 newspapers.

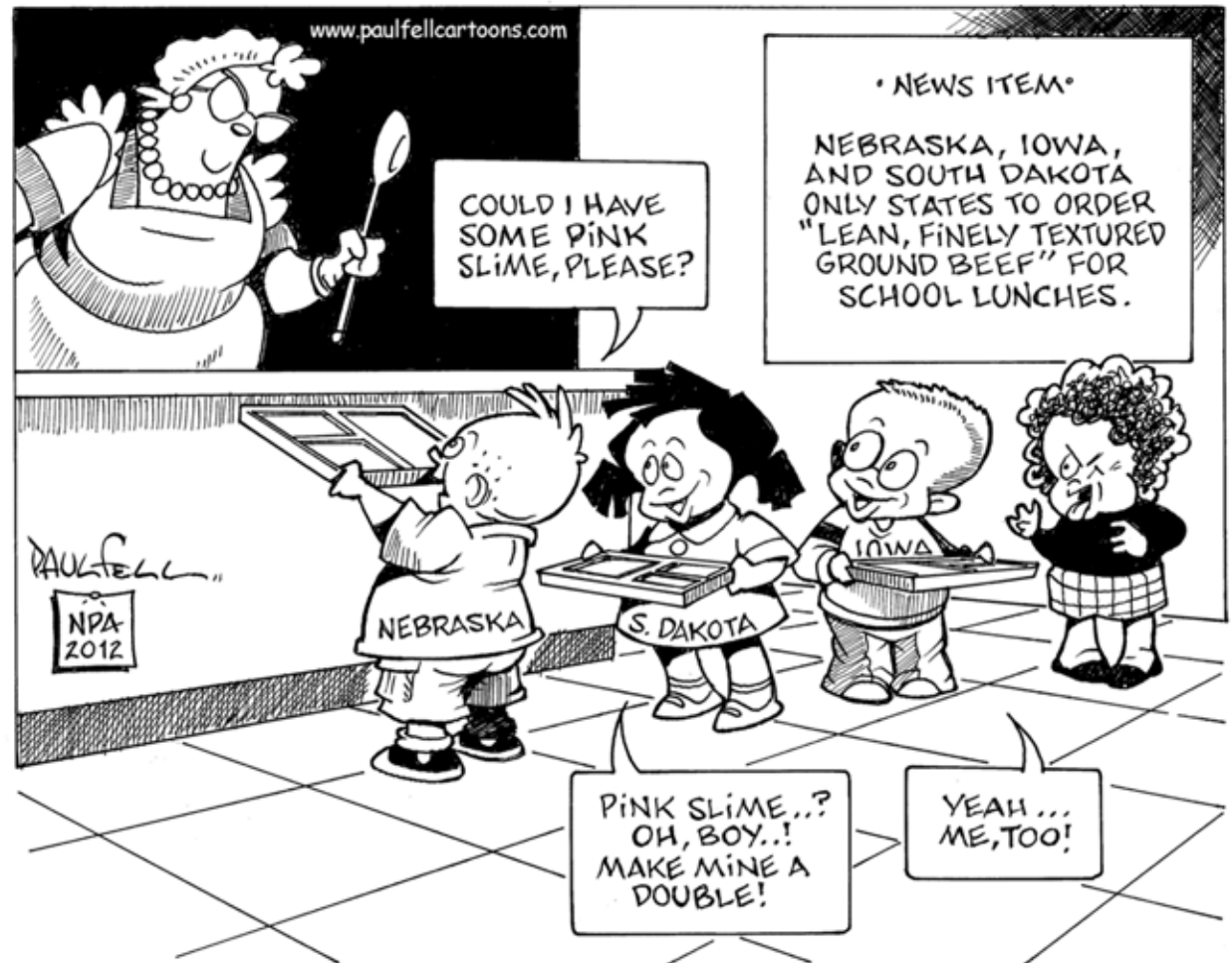
"Ed was a wonderful writer and a true wordsmith," Allen Beermann, executive director of the NPA, said Wednesday. "He understood the issues, and he understood the players. He could cut to the chase very quickly."

Howard was connected and informed, blunt, witty and sometimes acerbic as he surveyed Nebraska's political and governmental scene.

"He could be very biting at times," Beermann said, "but he also was a writer who gave credit when credit was due, and he had a softer heart than most people probably realized."

Howard was born in Springfield, Ohio, on Sept. 3, 1948.

While still in high school, he began his writing career as a part-



time reporter at the Springfield News-Sun.

In 1968, he joined the AP, working in bureaus in Columbus and Cincinnati before moving on to the AP general desk in New York City.

Howard was transferred to Omaha in 1971 and was named correspondent in charge of the AP's Lincoln bureau in 1974 at the age of 25.

Howard is survived by his wife, Cynthia, and two children, Kate

Howard of Arlington, Va., and Edward M. Howard of Raleigh, N.C.

Plans for a memorial service are pending.

Legislative Update

An ongoing conversation on Keystone

Dear Fellow Nebraskans:

Over recent months, our state has continued an ongoing conversation and discussion about the Keystone XL Pipeline, currently planned to avoid the environmentally sensitive Nebraska Sandhills. As you can imagine, Nebraskans have important opinions on this issue, and I appreciate Nebraskans willingness to share their opinions with me. Today, I would like to provide you an update on the current evaluation process of the new route.

Nebraska's evaluation of the Keystone XL Pipeline is under way, and the public's involvement continues to be a key component in this process. The Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality has been directed to conduct a review of that portion of the route through Nebraska that TransCanada had changed from its previous application. The reason for this route alteration is to avoid the Sandhills region of the state.

The Department of Environmental Quality has been given statutory direction to conduct an effective and timely evaluation of the route

through Nebraska. The agency has formed an internal team of experts and hired a Nebraska-based engineering company to help conduct the review.

Communication is important, and the state is making a sincere effort to both inform the public about what is being planned, and to listen to your thoughts and ideas. An important first step in this communication process was made when the Department of Environmental Quality conducted four information sessions last month in O'Neill, Neligh, Albion and Central City.

These information sessions provided an opportunity for Nebraskans to meet with the state, discuss their questions, and view detailed maps showing the proposed location of TransCanada's proposed route corridor. The public response was exceptional, with over 700 people coming to the meetings to talk with the Department of Environmental Quality staff at the four meetings.

However, this is just the beginning of the process. The public can continue to submit comments throughout the evaluation process



by going to the Department of Environmental Quality's website at www.deq.ne.gov and by going to their pipeline project site, located at <https://ecmp.nebraska.gov/deq-seis>. At that site, Nebraskans can submit comments, review others' comments and view documents related to this project. Nebraskans can also view the agency's "online meeting," which provides a summary of the materials that were discussed at the May information sessions.

Nebraskans are welcome to submit comments by mail, call the comment line at (800) 295-8912, or e-mail the agency at NDEQ.SEIS-publiccomment@nebraska.gov.

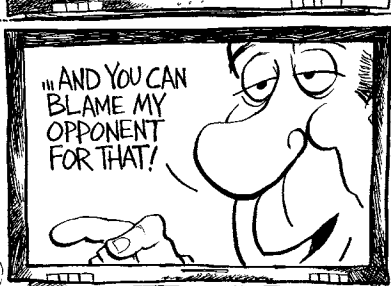
The state's review process will be a thorough assessment that will follow the federal process for environ-

mental impact statements. In fact, the Department of Environmental Quality has entered into an agreement with the U.S. Department of State that further defines the state and federal roles in the pipeline review. The federal government indicates they will use Nebraska's information in their overall pipeline assessment, and will work with the state to avoid duplicating efforts.

After the Department of Environmental Quality drafts an evaluation report, they will announce a public hearing, where there will be an opportunity to comment on the agency's draft findings. Following the completion of the environmental impact statement, the Department of Environmental Quality will finalize the report and send it to me to approve or disapprove the route. This process is likely to take 6 to 10 months to complete.

In order for this project to become a reality, it must meet two Nebraska tests. First, the proposed route should stay out of the Sandhills, as has been defined by state and federal agencies. Second, TransCanada must complete the state's evaluation process. This evaluation process will be done thoroughly, objectively, and with continued public input and involvement.

The ultimate decision to approve or disapprove the Keystone XL Pipeline will be made by the President of the United States in 2013.



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



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Members of the Wayne National Honor Society pose with FRIENDs members Tre Guill and Leydi Trujillo following this year's event to raise money to assist those with spina bifida.

NHS assists Wayne with community projects

Wayne National Honor Society (NHS) has been busy with community service projects this spring. They helped hand out balloons at the Stand for the Silent assembly, assisted at the Spring Fling Track meet and sponsored a Bowl-A-thon with the Middle School FRIENDS

at Melodee Lanes. This is the 14th year NHS has held the Bowl-A-Thon. Members extended a thank the bowling alley for hosting and to everyone who has donated to the bowlers over the years.. The money raised stays in Nebraska for programs and servic-

es to families with children affected by Spina Bifida.

National Honor Society recognizes students who demonstrate excellence in scholarship, leadership, character, and service.



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Pictured before the Shrine Bowl Parade are, front row, left to right, Liz Hines and Maddie Morris. Back row, Michelle Fulmer, Dan Sodomka, Brad Weber, Joe Burrows and Dr. David Bohnert.

Wayne students part of Masonic All-Star Band

From May 29 through June 2 the Nebraska Masonic All-Star Marching Band Camp was held at on the campus of University of Nebraska-Lincoln in Lincoln

A total of 285 students from across the state of Nebraska participated in this 18th Annual event.

Participating from Wayne High School were Joe Burrows, son of Rob and Traci Burrows; Elizabeth Hines, daughter of Annmarie and Doug Hank and Bill and Nicole Hines; and Maddie Morris daughter of Dennis and Kaye Morris;

The band members devoted four days of intense practice starting May 29, to learn the music, marching steps and field formations. The band gave their first public performance at SouthPointe Pavilions Shopping Center on June 1.

The band led the Shrine Bowl Parade down Lincoln's Havelock Avenue on June 2, and it also performed the pre-game National Anthem and during half-time of the 54th Annual Shrine Bowl football game in Memorial Stadium on Tom Osborne Field, at the University of Nebraska—Lincoln.

The band members were hosted by the Masons of Nebraska, and were directed by Brad Weber, Dan Sodomka and Dr. Dave Bohnert, band directors from Wayne High School, Aurora High School, and

Wayne State College, respectively.

"We demanded a lot of the students during the past week," Weber said. "They responded professionally and worked very hard. That was evident by the high-quality shows they performed Saturday. There's no doubt these young musicians are among the best in the state."

Coupled with hard work, the members also participated in a pool party, bowling, and a dance. Many are looking forward to the opportunity to use the instruction provided by the band directors when they return to their respective high school bands.

"The band members worked hard during the week preparing for the Shrine Bowl performances," said Rex Moats, Grand Master of Nebraska Masons. "They also had a lot of fun meeting new people and enjoyed the activities, but they also understand the main reason for the long hours and hard work. Patients at the Shriners Hospitals for Children will benefit the most from the band's efforts this past week. We sincerely appreciate their contribution to raise awareness and funds to enable the Shriners to help even more children."

"Masonic lodges across Nebraska support local youth and community projects, humanitarian efforts in-

cluding a child identification program, academic scholarships, and providing calling cards to troops deploying to Iraq and Afghanistan," Moats said. "At the statewide level, the Grand Lodge helps to maintain two homes: The Nebraska Masonic Home at Plattsmouth for Masons and their female relatives, and the Masonic-Eastern Star Home for Children in Fremont. The combined philanthropic efforts of Masonic-related organizations amount to more than \$2 million a day."

Freemasonry is the oldest and largest fraternal organization in the world and is based on the lessons of living a life of brotherhood and high moral standards as portrayed symbolically in the work of stone masons who built the cathedrals, abbeys and castles of Europe.

Among those making the event a success each year are Michelle Fulmer, Nebraska Masonic Grand Lodge Secretary who is in charge of the Masonic All-Star Marching Band; Dan Sodomka, Director of Bands at Aurora High School who is in his 13th directing the band; Brad Weber, Director of Bands at Wayne High School in his 14th year of directing the Band and Dr. David Bohnert, Director of Bands at Wayne State College who is also in his 13th year of directing the band.

USD degrees to five area residents

The University of South Dakota awarded degrees to more than 1,250 candidates at the 125th Spring Commencement on Saturday, May 5 during a ceremony at the DakotaDome.

Among those receiving degrees

were Emily LaRae Koester of Laurel, Bachelor of Science in Education, Elementary Education, Special Education and Amanda Marie Brenner, Master of Professional Accountancy; Samantha Rae Dunklau, Bachelor of Business

Administration, Human Resource Management; Justine Marie Carroll, Bachelor of Science in Education, Elementary Education; Staci Elizabeth Daum, Bachelor of Science in Education, Elementary Education, all of Wayne.

Mapes on dean's list at Rockhurst Univ.

Rockhurst University in Kansas City, Mo. has announced the dean's list for the spring 2012 semester. This honor recognizes students who have achieved a grade-point average of 3.5 or above.

Named to the list is Morgan Mapes of Hoskins.

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Summertime reading

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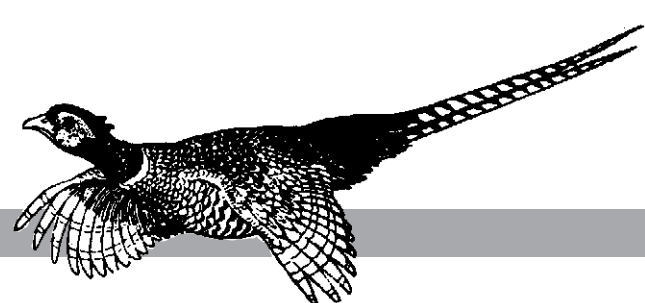
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UNL beef lab to be at Cedar County Fair

University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension will continue taking science on the road as they visit many camps and county fairs this summer, teaching concepts of biology using rumen-fistulated animals, with its Mobile Beef Labs.

One location is the Cedar County Fair. The lab is being sponsored by the Bank of Hartington.

"We are very excited to bring the Mobile Beef Lab to Cedar County! This is just another way for Bank of Hartington to show its commitment to agriculture and agriculture education in our community. The more we are educated about where our food comes from, the more we can appreciate the hard work of our local producers," bank official said.

It will be available to the public at the fairgrounds Sunday, July 22 from 1-5 p.m.

Experiencing the lab will teach youth and adults science principles by learning about the ruminant animal - its complexities and what makes the ruminant unique in the environment and ecosystem. The overarching goal of the lab is to teach Nebraskans the value of animal agriculture, creating support for the beef industry and the high quality protein it provides.



Jackie Steffen
Cedar County

The 19-foot aluminum trailer that will be on the Cedar County Fairgrounds is a mobile teaching laboratory for one rumen-fistulated animal and lab components, such as

a microscope, TV and computer.

The Mobile Beef Lab's mission is not only science, but also to teach the importance of animal agriculture to our state. Monte Stauffer, UNL Extension Educator in Douglas-Sarpy counties, and Steve Niemeyer, UNL Extension Educator in Garfield-Loup-Wheeler counties, are two of the team of trained educators that will be on hand in Cedar County to conduct the programming.

UNL has two Mobile Beef Labs and they are housed at the West Central Research Extension Center at North Platte and at the Agricultural Research and Development Center near Mead.

For more information about the Mobile Beef Lab or to have the lab come to your event, in the west central region contact Brian Plugge at (308) 236-1235, e-mail, bplugge1@unl.edu, or at the ARDC, Bob Meduna or Sara Ellicott at (402) 624-8000, e-mail sellicott2@unl.edu or rmeduna1@unl.edu.

Engagements — Senior Center Calendar



Potts-Johnson

Amy Potts and Daniel Johnson, both of Lincoln, will exchange vows in a June 23, 2012, wedding at Christ Lutheran Church in Norfolk.

Parents of the couple are Jerry and Deb Potts of Norfolk and James and Debra Johnson of Wayne.

The bride-to-be is a 2001 graduate of Norfolk High School and a 2003 graduate of Northeast Community College with an Associate of Applied Science degree in legal office technology. She is employed by the University of Nebraska Athletic Business Office in Lincoln as a Staff Secretary.

Her fiance is a 2000 graduate of Wayne High School and a 2003 graduate of Southeast Community College in Lincoln with an Associate of Applied Science degree in microcomputer technology. He is employed by the Nebraska State Patrol in Lincoln as a Senior IT Analyst.

(Week of June 18-22)

Monday, June 18: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Library Corner, "Chief Standing Bear," with Rita McLean, 12:45 p.m.; Board meeting, 1 p.m.; Hand & Foot, 1 p.m.; Chicken Foot Dominoes, 1 p.m.

Tuesday, June 19: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Afternoon Bridge Club; Phil Pfaltgraff's Not Gone Yet rehearsal, 12:45 p.m.

Wednesday, June 20: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Health Screenings, 9:30 a.m.; Cyril & Bev Hansen on piano and organ, 11:30 a.m.; Special Luncheon, noon; Hand & Foot, 1 p.m.; Chicken Food Dominoes, 1 p.m.

Thursday, June 21: Morning walking; Quilting and Cards; Afternoon Bridge Club; Val Koeber on the piano; Comedy Show, 12:45 p.m.

Friday, June 22: Morning Walking, Quilting and Cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Phil Pfaltgraff's Not Gone Yet rehearsal, 12:45 p.m.; Bingo, 1:15 p.m.; Chicken Foot Dominoes, and Hand & Foot, 2 p.m.

Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of June 18-22)

Meals served daily at noon. For reservations, call 375-1460. Each meal served with bread, 2% milk and coffee.

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

Tuesday: Polish dog with kraut, frozen creamed peas, pineapple, carrot, raisin and mayo salad, whole wheat fresh bread & Promise, vanilla pudding with marshmallows and frozen mango.

Wednesday: Baked chicken with cream of chicken soup, ranch roasted potatoes with skins, frozen mixed vegetables, whole wheat fresh bread & Promise, apple pie.

Thursday: Hamburger goulash with stewed tomatoes, celery, onions & tomato sauce, scalloped potatoes with parsley on top, whole wheat dinner rolls & Promise, lime gelatin with canned mandarin oranges.

Friday: Whole wheat sandwich with chicken salad, pineapple and celery, fresh sliced cucumbers in sauce, whole wheat bread & Promise, frozen strawberries in juice.

Weddings

The Wayne Herald welcomes news accounts and photographs of weddings involving families living in the Wayne area.

We feel there is a widespread interest in local and area weddings and are happy to make space available for their publication.

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Bridge played at Senior Center

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

Hostesses were Mary Mohl and Nancy Jo Powers. Bridge will be played again on Tuesday, June 19. Hostesses will be Bonnie Lund and Barbara Greve. For reservations, call (402) 375-1792 or (402) 375-2309 by Sunday, June 17. New players and guests are welcome and encouraged to join the group at any time.



(Contributed photo)

Square dancers enjoyed the 29th Trails In Dance event, held May 25 at the Carroll City Auditorium.

Leather and Lace hosts May 25 event

Leather and Lace square dance club hosted the 29th Trails In Dance on May 25 at the Carroll City Auditorium.

Eighty participants from nine states danced to National Caller Jerry Junck. States represented were Texas, Illinois, South Dakota, Iowa, Oklahoma, Utah, Arizona, Kansas and Nebraska. The dancers were treated to snacks by Leather and Lace club members. The pot was split six ways. Birthdays celebrated were Connie Kirkpatrick and Peggy Krueger. Peggy Krueger and assistants decorated the hall in red, blue and white colors in honor of those veterans who have and are

serving our country.

Dancers are reminded that the club will not meet for the summer, but members are encouraged to take in the clubs that are dancing for the summer in the area.

The next club dance will be Friday, Sept. 14 with Bryan Busch calling. Darrel and Phyllis Rahn will sponsor this free dance in honor of their 50th anniversary. They encourage anyone who has danced in the past to join them and reconnect with their many dance friends now and in the past. It will be Snack Night and dancing will be from 7:30-10 p.m.

P.E.O. Chapter AZ has June 5 meeting

P.E.O. Chapter AZ met Tuesday evening, June 5, at the home of Lauren Walton. Hostesses serving in addition to Lauren were Ginny Otte and Marie Mohr.

During the meeting, Sarah Boyer was recognized for being an author of two Christian books, now selling on Amazon.com. The first, "Follow A Certain Path," is a Christian

mystery set in the 1930s. The second, "Follow My Lead," is a Christian romance and a sequel to the first. A heartfelt thank you letter was received from Lindsey Costa for the local Biennial Scholarship that she was awarded from our Chapter. A committee is now in place for the Bresseler Scholarship.

Following the business meeting,

Lauren gave us an informational tour through her beautiful perennial gardens which were started 20 years ago.

The next meeting of Chapter AZ will be on June 19 at the home of Marilyn Carhart. The serving committee will provide appetizers for the social time at 5:30 p.m. A business meeting will follow at 6 p.m.

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Renovation of the front lobby of Providence Medical Center begins on Monday, May 14th. During this construction you are asked to enter the hospital through the outpatients specialty services entrance. Signs will direct your way on the outside of the building, as well as the direction you are to go once you are in the hospital. Signage will clearly mark your way to emergency, the wellness center, and the main nurses station. Our employees will be happy to help you at any time. Just ask for assistance. Please be patient with us during our lobby remodel. We expect to open the doors to a beautiful new main lobby by the end of July.

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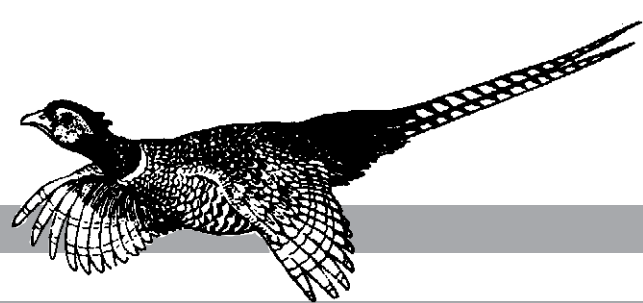
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'Amazing Desert Journey' at Grace VBS

Grace Lutheran Church went on an "Amazing Desert Journey" this summer for their annual Vacation Bible School held during the first week of June. Over 70 youth were assigned caravans and led on daily expeditions by their leaders. They trekked among sand dunes, tents, palm trees, and camels. The caravans rested in a tent, market place, and an oasis where they listened to stories, sang songs, devoured delicious snacks, and crafted souvenirs from their adventures. On closing night the caravans presented skits and performed for family and friends. Youth, leaders and the pastors of Grace Lutheran Church posed for a photo on the church steps following this year's Vacation Bible School activities.

Missouri Synod holds convention in Seward

The Rev. Russell Sommerfeld of Seward was elected to his fourth term as president of the Nebraska District of The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod by the delegates attending the 17th convention of that body in Seward June 8-9.

This will be Sommerfeld's final term, due to term limits.

Named for a third term as first vice-president was the Rev. Richard Snow, pastor of St. John in Battle

Creek. Chosen for his first term as second vice-president was the Rev. James DeLoach, pastor of Zion Lutheran Church in Kearney.

Named third vice president for his first term was the Rev. Scott Porath, pastor of Immanuel Lutheran in Eagle.

Chosen for is first term as fourth vice president was the Rev. Rick Kanoy, pastor of St. Paul Lutheran

in Arlington.

Other officers elected included:

Board of Director members, Darla Rosendahl of Omaha, Dr. Marvin Swan of Grant, James Kovac of Utica, Kent Warneke of Norfolk and Kathy Brashear of Omaha.

Holding current terms on the Board of Directors are: Glenn Van Velson of North Platte, David Knorr of Humboldt, Virginia Von Seggern of Orchard, Harlan Metschke of Papillion and Rhonda Burk of Lincoln.

Completing terms on the Board of Directors are the Rev. Mark Middendorf of Scotia, the Rev. Arnold Jurchen of Beaver Crossing, the Rev. Dr. Orville Walz of Bennington, Mr. Glennis Holtmeier of Tobias and Mr. Paul Leckband of Norfolk.

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Constitution and Handbook Committee: the Rev. Terrell Huber of Creighton, the Rev. Rob Kuefner of Lexington, David Koopman of Seward and Richard Kreutzer of Kearney.

Board of Regents, Concordia University Nebraska, Seward: the Rev. Eugene Gierke of Seward, James Knoepfel of Fremont, Lyle Middendorf of Lincoln and Andrew Stadler of Columbus.

The 343 voting delegates, a pastor and lay person from congregations in the Nebraska District, were joined by 117 advisory delegates, generally teachers and other pastors serving in the District, and 86

guests and staff members, for a total of 546 attending the triennial convention at Concordia University campus in Seward.

The delegates, under the convention theme of "The Good Life," based on Galatians 6:9-10, devoted considerable time to worship, study of the Word, education and prayer.

The convention was opened with a worship service with communion at St. John Lutheran Church in Seward with the Rev. Dr. John Wohlrade, second vice president of The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod, delivering the sermon.

Speaking to full pews, Wohlrade said there can be a dilemma for some people if they aren't doing good deeds for the right reason or if they despair that their efforts are not appreciated, but for Christians who glory in Christ and keep "Their nose straight ahead on the cross of Jesus Christ," there should be no dilemma. "In Christ, we not only have the good life, we have the only life," Wohlrade said in echoing the convention theme.

The Rev. Rick Marrs, professor at Concordia Seminary in St. Louis, led keynote presentations during the convention. He spoke on a spirit of reconciliation, and focused on the difference between conflict resolution and reconciliation and that we need to seek peace, joy, harmony and forgiveness with each other that the world may see and be drawn to the same reconciliation with Jesus Christ.

The Rev. Matthew Harrison, president of The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod, spoke to the delegates during his time in Seward. He also took time to address questions presented to him by the delegates in attendance.



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Journey celebrates addition

A celebration was held at Journey Christian Church last Sunday, June 3, to celebrate the grand opening of the church's recently completed \$1.3 million addition. Sunday school rooms, education ministry, adult education rooms, a library and office space is part of the new addition, which began with construction last August. In addition, the foyer was enlarged and the fellowship hall was remodeled.

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Several regional 4-Hers receive recognition for communication skills

Several area 4-Hers received awards at the State 4-H Public Speaking Contest to be held in Grand Island during the Nebraska State Fair. All youth competing in state competition and staying for awards will receive special awards. The top two speech and PSA winners in State 4-H Public Speaking Contest receive scholarships.

Seniors selected to advance to state competition from the Northeast Regional Competition in the Speech Category are: Jenna Podany, Clarkson, Colfax County with her speech titled, "Breakfast Benefits"; London Sindelar, Pierce County for her speech "Super Writers"; Kami Crabtree, Chambers, Holt County with her speech titled "Wind Power"; and Kelsey Bredthauer, Broken Bow, Custer County for her speech titled, "Who 'Likes' 4-H Record Books?"

Seniors selected to advance to the 2012 state competition from the Northeast Regional Competition in the PSA category are: Amelia Schlichting, Lyons, Burt County; Mary Ruda, Bristow, Boyd County; Ben Jahnke, Bancroft, Cuming County; and MaKayla Coan, Platte Center/Platte County.

In the Junior Speech Category, James Simpson, Wayne, earned a purple ribbon and was a medal winner with his speech titled, "Learning By Doing". Other area medal winners were Alex Worthing, Buffalo County; Cole Jacobsen, Cuming County; and Becca Kment, Pierce

County. Participating in the Junior PSA category from Wayne County were Kayli Naeve and Trace Naeve. They both received blue ribbons.

Public speaking is a communication with many career possibilities. Present 4-H members and 4-H alumni have identified communication skills as some of the most important life skills gained through

their 4-H experience. The Nebraska State 4-H communication program is sponsored by the Nebraska Rural Radio Network, which includes KRNV, KNEB, and KTIC.

The Northeast Regional contest is conducted by the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension 4-H with support from Northeast Community College.



Medal winners in the Junior Speech Division of the Regional Public Speaking Contest held on June 8 at the Lifelong Learning Center in Norfolk included (from left) Becca Kment, James Simpson, Cole Jacobsen and Alex Worthing.

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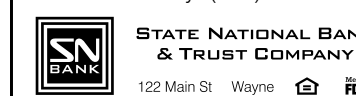
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All those affected by diabetes are invited to learn more about diabetes self-management and the latest information about and technologies available for holding blood sugar levels in tight control during a program to be offered on Wednesday, June 27, from 1:30-4 p.m. at Northeast Nebraska Public Health De-

partment in Wayne.

All will learn the latest techniques for managing diabetes during the summer session of Control Diabetes for Life and new strategies by attending the June 27 session that will focus on "Stay Sunny with Diabetes".

Diabetes is essentially a problem with how the body uses food. When you eat, your gut breaks down the food into various parts, including glucose, a sugar that's your main source of energy. If you have diabetes, that sugar cannot get where it needs to go and ends up staying in your blood, where it can do harm to various parts of your body.

Set a goal to take control of your

diabetes. Aim for lower blood glucose levels to feel better now and stay healthy for years to come. Topics that will be addressed during the two-hour program on June 27 include: "Get Fit Now", "Tips for taking Diabetes on Vacation", and "Diabetes and Vitamin D".

Participants will receive recipes for diabetic appropriate foods. Team-teaching the program will be Stacie Petersen, B.S.R.N. & Certified Diabetes Educator; Deborah Willcox, R.D., L.M.N.T., both of Franciscan Care Services in West Point and Debra E. Schroeder, UNL Extension Educator in Cuming County.

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

Participants are asked to pre-register by calling UNL Extension in Wayne County at (402) 375-3310. Please register by Monday, June 25, so the proper number of handouts may be prepared. Nebraska School Food Service Association has approved this session for two hours of continuing education credits for food service staff for attending.

TOPS group shares monthly stats

April and May TOPS Weekly Best Losers were Kay Saul, Haley Hanson, Darlene Bowers, Sherie Lundahl (twice), Emily Atkinson, and Diane Sullivan.

Monthly winners earning a charm were Hawley Hanson and Trista Stone. KOPS earning recognition were Kathleen Johs, Connie Kirkpatrick, Dorothy Nelson and Gail Godbersen.

Kathleen Johs and Dorothy Nelson were the April contest winners. The group has been journaling one food exchange each week so that by the end of six weeks each will have a better knowledge of the exchange program. This helps members to

make better food choices.

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 at 6:15 p.m.

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

Sally Schwedhelm earns nursing degree, honors

Sally Schwedhelm graduated from Mount Marty's Nursing Program on May 12.

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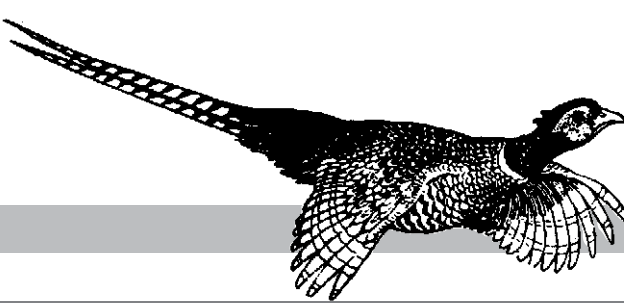
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Tired of political campaigning

We actually had about twenty hundredths of the wet stuff last night, (Sunday), and it did cool things off. It had been so hot and windy, we wondered how the corn was tolerating. We have to drive a bit to get into the country to check it out, as opposed to the days when we lived in the country.

I have about had it with robocalls and political campaigns! And we haven't seen the worst yet, I'm sure. We've been registered Republicans all our lives. That does not mean we always vote a straight ticket. Heck, I once worked for the election of Bob Enz as county attorney, and now, he's retiring as a district judge!

I also worked for the election of Doug Bereuter many years ago, and even sent him some money on occasion. Nothing big, mind you, but a donation here and there. And I think I contributed to Governor Heinemann's run for governor; I was one of the people who was not surprised when he won. And, I will be the first to sign on to help Mike Flood when he decides to run. Not if, but when.

However, I do not send money to national campaigns, to the Republican National Committee, or to any candidates for president. I don't feel we are in any position to send a few bucks when they are having thou-



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

sand dollar plate dinners, and collecting in the millions.

They don't seem to get the message! Almost every day we have a mailing from someone. And the calls keep coming. Mitt called at 9:30 last night, on Sunday! We try to be polite if it's an actual caller; one was a very nice lady from Minnesota who definitely had that accent. But the recorded messages are a pain!

Come to think of it, I don't think we've had the one about lowering

the interest on our credit card for a couple of weeks now. That is also a nuisance! It always says that if you want to talk to a live person, you should hang on. When I do that, and tell them NOT to call again, they hang up! They've even called my cell on occasion. At least, the political parties don't have that number - yet!

Then there are the ones selling windows. We really do have good windows on this house. And at the Farm House, they had been made to order by the previous owners. Every once in awhile, a new company wants us to know they could do wonders for our heating/air conditioning bills.

I'm beginning to understand why folks have unlisted numbers. And as more and more people give up on land lines, there will be more and more unlisted. Today's paper tells us there will soon be a way for emergency alerts to be sent to cell phones. But you do need to ask for it! I'm not sure I'm going to. I have no problem turning mine off, and I only check e-mail messages a couple times a day. Plus, I am NOT on Facebook! That's TMI!

Let's hope the summer goes fast, and the politicians get tired of trying to get money from us. LOL!! (that does not mean Lots of Love!)

Livestock Market Report

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

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

Strictly choice fed steers, \$120 to \$124.25. Good and choice steers, \$117 to \$120. Medium and good steers, \$115 to \$117. Standard steers, \$100 to \$115. Strictly choice fed heifers, \$120 to \$122. Good and choice heifers, \$117 to \$120. Medium and good heifers, \$115

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PQA Plus, corn fungicides explained

In August of 2009, the Nebraska Pork Producers Association and the University of Nebraska Extension offices across the state teamed up to present PQA Plus certification training via a downlink system.

A PQA Plus certification is good for three years and those individuals certified in 2009 are due for recertification. There are approximately 800 individuals that will need re-certification by the end of December.

Given budget realities and that there are individuals all across the state who need certification, the Nebraska Pork Producers Association (NPPA) and UNL Extension are co-sponsoring two certification sessions via webinar in June and July. Both programs begin at 7 p.m. CST and conclude by 8:30 p.m.

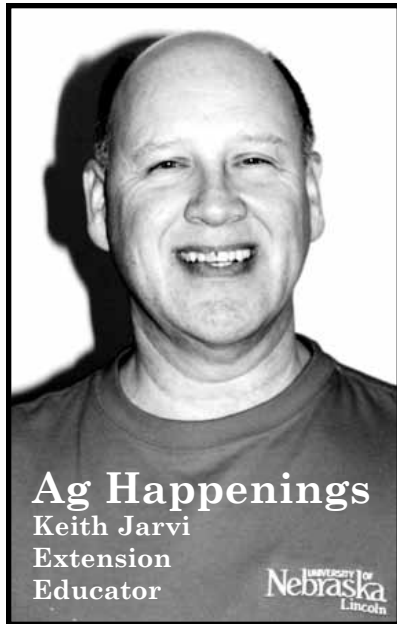
Dr. Duane Reese will instruct the PQA Plus webinars. The webinars will take place on Tuesday, June 19, and Thursday, July 19. Both sessions will be held at the Haskell Ag Lab one mile east of Concord from 7-8:30 p.m.

Pre-registration will be required (and will be handled by NPPA) so that the appropriate number of study guides can be sent to each location. There will be no registration fee. Please register by contacting Dee Petersen at dee@nepork.org.

As corn growth continues to progress, some producers will consider applying fungicides. Advertising to apply fungicides is relentless, and in the never-ending search for higher profits, the newest recommendation by the chemical companies is to apply early in the season as well as around tasseling time.

Thanks to this highly successful sales campaign, fungicide use in corn has increased dramatically over the last few years, with many chemical companies promising en-

hanced yields due to "plant health" even if no noticeable disease is pres-



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ent.

One common selling point used over and over is that with the prices as high as they are, you need to "protect" yield from possible diseases. Also in the last couple of years, hail events have pounded some Nebraska corn fields. Along with heavy rains and high humidity, many will question whether a foliar fungicide should be applied to protect the remaining injured foliage from infection by pathogens. Research from Midwest universities shows that the most benefit from fungicide applications to corn comes when diseases are actually present, which makes sense.

Many of the diseases favored by wounding from hail are not controlled with foliar fungicides, such as those caused by bacteria, (especially Goss's wilt and blight), common smut, and stalk rots. Furthermore, foliar diseases that can

be managed with foliar fungicides, such as gray leaf spot and southern rust, do not require wounds for infection. The development of some of these diseases following a hail event might more likely be attributed to the rain and increased relative humidity accompanying the storm rather than the hail itself.

Profitable returns from the use of fungicide are hard to predict. How do you know if applying a fungicide will make you money?

First, be wary of non-replicated plot results. If you divide a field in equal halves, one half is going to yield more than the other simply due to chance variability of the soil types and other factors involved. That means 50 percent of the time the treated area will "beat" the untreated area and vice versa.

Remember that to be profitable, you must make up the cost of the product and the application, which even at current prices will require at least a 4-5 bushel increase for one treatment. In University tests this happens only from 20 to 60 percent of the time depending on the plot conditions when there is little disease pressure.

Your greatest chance of return on investment is if you have a majority of these factors:

1. Disease is present;
2. Weather conditions favor dis-

ease reproduction;

3. You have a susceptible variety;
4. You have corn on corn;
5. The field has a high yield potential;
6. There is heavy residue which may harbor disease organisms;
7. The corn is irrigated, which raises the humidity levels;
8. A history of disease, particularly grey leaf spot.

Given our current weather conditions in northeast Nebraska, it is highly unlikely that an early treatment will benefit corn in our area this year, primarily because it is dry and no disease presence has been confirmed.

If you want to try out the use of fungicides on your farm, try to put in at least three strips of treated and untreated areas and take yield results in the fall. It takes more work but you will have a higher confidence in the results. Fungicides work well in preventing yield loss from diseases, but try to determine whether or not they are really needed. Always carefully read the label to understand pre-harvest intervals and potential negative effects like stunted ears.

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The project is referred to as "Wayne County Culverts, C-90(573) and C-90(585)" and shall include all labor, materials, transportation and equipment required to fabricate and deliver the materials necessary to construct: C-90(573)-triple 72" x 42'-0" on a 15 deg. skew (lhb) and C-90(585)-twin 96"x42'-0" on a 10 deg. skew (lhb) corrugated metal pipes with steel headwalls and wingwalls.

Copies of the Bid Documents and Specifications are open to public inspection at the office of the Wayne County Clerk, County Courthouse, Wayne, Nebraska 68787. A set of documents may be obtained from Mainelli Wagner & Associates, Inc. for a non-refundable fee of \$20.00. (6920 Van Dorn, Suite "A" Lincoln, Nebraska 68506 PH: 402-421-1717). All Bid Proposals must be submitted on the forms furnished with the Bid Documents.

The sealed bids may be mailed or delivered to the County Clerk of Wayne County, County Courthouse Wayne, Nebraska 68787, and should be plainly marked as, "Materials Bid Proposal - Wayne County Culverts, C-90(573) and C-90(585)"

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids or to waive any irregularities in bids received. Award of the Contract will be in accordance with the County Purchasing Act's competitive bidding considerations as set forth in Neb.Rev.Stat. §§ 23-3110 to 23-3114, and the Wayne County Board of Commissioners will, at its discretion, award the contract on the basis of the lowest responsible bid received. Wayne County is an Equal Opportunity Employer. (Publ. June 7, 14, 2012) ZNEZ

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Northast GED testing on computer Allen News

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The Northeast Community College adult education program will partner with the GED Testing Service to offer the GED test on computer.

Registration and scheduling will be available to candidates on Monday, June 18, and testing will begin on Monday, June 25.

The GED test is the only high school equivalency program recognized by all 50 U.S. states and the District of Columbia. Since 1942, more than 18 million adults have earned their GED test credential. The GED testing program has been called a gateway for adults to find jobs or better paying jobs, enter the

workforce or college training programs, and better support themselves and their families.

"We are so pleased that the adult education program at Northeast Community College is our partner in this important endeavor," said Randy Trask, GED Testing Service president and CEO.

The GED test on computer is the same test content currently offered on paper, said Nancy Schultz, director of adult education at Northeast. Its accompanying systems will provide new benefits for both the testing center and GED test-takers, including one-stop online registration and scheduling available 24 hours a day, seven days a week, and flexible testing appointments. Instant test scores on four-of-five content areas, an introduction of basic keyboarding and computer skills, and enhanced test security are also benefits of computerized testing.

"Northeast Community College and its adult education program are proud to lead the way on GED testing on computer," Schultz said. "Adding this new option for adult learners will provide immediate and long-term benefits. Test-takers can now demonstrate mastery of basic technology skills by testing on computer, learn their results immediately, and be better prepared to enter the workplace."

Test-takers interested in taking the GED test on computer at Northeast Community College should go to www.GEDtestingservice.com.

With an anticipated double-digit increase in the number of GED test-takers expected by 2013, Schultz also said a new GED assessment is scheduled to be released in January 2014. She said a large number of adults who haven't taken or passed all five content areas may want to test before their scores expire at the end of 2013.

The GED Testing Service warns consumers about possible attempts to defraud unsuspecting adults by creating confusion online. "The GED test - whether on paper or computer - must be taken in-person at an official testing center," Trask said. "Potential test-takers should not respond to individuals or so-called 'institutions' offering an online GED test."

For more information about GED testing on computer, visit www.GEDtestingservice.com. Or call Northeast Community College at (402) 844-7255 to learn more about the testing program in Norfolk.

Winside St. Paul Ladies Aid meets June 5

St. Paul's Ladies Aid and LWML of Winside met June 5 with 10 members present.

President Lorraine Prince presided over the meeting. The LWML Pledge was recited.

President Prince had a reading on Memorial Day. The group sang "Faith of Our Fathers." Pastor Steckling had a Bible Study on I Samuel 12-13. He closed with a prayer.

A letter was read from Chris Gerdes and family, the group's seminary student. The group will not support Ryan Janke as he enters the seminary.

The Ladies Aid received an invitation to Martinsburg Ladies Aid luncheon on June 14. The scheduled speaker was Jenny Herricks.

Janice Jaeger will be visiting in June. Get well cards were sent to Jackie Koll, Warren Marotz, Merlin Malchow and Bev Voss.

The next meeting will be Thursday, July 5.



The Wayne Optimist Club has been recognizing outstanding young artists from Northeast Nebraska. Allen Schools students earning recognition included (from left) Mickie Murdock, Mikayla Walker, Austin Roth, Mollie Bertrand and Takota Burnham.

Students Recognized

The Wayne Optimist Club held its ninth annual Celebration of the Arts awards ceremony and banquet on May 6.

The Optimist Club has been recognizing outstanding young artists from Northeast Nebraska since 2003. The Club started the Celebration of the Arts, as a youth appreciation project, to honor and recognize students who have made the world a better and brighter place through visual, literary, applied, or performing arts.

This year instructors from 10 Wayne area schools nominated students who excelled in any or all art disciplines.

The program opened with a presentation of various types of Native American dances by Lewis St. Cyr and several members of The Many Moccasins Dance Troupe.

Following this, 54 students from kindergarten to 12th grade were individually recognized by having their nomination summary read aloud and receiving a plaque and trophy.

Recipients from Allen were Austin Roth, son of Scott and Linda Roth, Mikayla Walker, daughter of Joyce Walker, Mollie Bertrand, daughter of William and Diane Bertrand, Takota Burnham, son of Tonia Burnham, and Mickie Murdock, daughter of Chanc and Rachel Jones.

The Optimist Club also sponsors an essay competition giving young people the opportunity to write about their own opinions regarding the world in which they live. McKenzie Peterson was a third place winner in this contest.

Following the award ceremony, students and their families enjoyed the banquet.

Saturday Night at the Museum
The Dixon County Museum will be having the first "Saturday Night at the Museum" program on Saturday, June 30 at 7 p.m. at the museum in Allen.

Attendees will have the privilege of Jean Jensen telling the story of her grandfather, Dr. James P. Graham's life, who was a doctor in Allen, starting in 1905 and staying 35 years. Jean is wondering how many babies he delivered might still be alive. She is.

Doctor Graham lived in the first house west of the bank. Jensen would love to hear from you if you are a part of this elite group, delivered by Dr. Graham. Everyone is invited to come and make her welcome.

Allen Book Club

The Allen Book Club will meet to discuss their current selection on Thursday, June 21 at the Senior Center at 2 pm.

Community Club

The Allen Community Club will meet on Monday, June 18 at 6:30 p.m. at the Countryside Gas & Grocery.

Daycare/Preschool Information
Allen community leaders are looking for any community members and parents who would like to be involved and help the daycare and preschool reopen.

The group does not want any children to leave this community; this could have an impact on school enrollment down the road. Anyone who is interested, please contact Doug/Greta Kraemer, Keith/Callie Anderson or Greg/Abby Rastede. We would appreciate any help or if you know of anyone interested in working at the daycare/preschool please contact one of us.

Dixon County Museum

The Dixon County Museum has started its summer hours and is open on Sundays in the months - June through August.

The Museum will be open each Sunday from 2-4 p.m. It will also open for special tours and requests.

Senior Center

Friday, June 15: Brunch at 8:30 a.m. - French toast, ham slice, apple juice, pears.

Monday, June 18: Burgers, baked potatoes, cucumbers, cherries.

Tuesday, June 19: Chef salad (lettuce, onions, green peppers, ham, eggs, cheese), apple crisp.

Wednesday, June 20: Chicken, hash browns, breaded tomatoes, mandarin oranges.

Thursday, June 21: Fish, mashed potatoes, Harvard beets, carrot cake.

Friday, June 22: Brunch at 8:30 a.m. - Breakfast casserole, sausage links, orange juice, plums.

Community Birthdays

Friday, June 15: Cody Logue,

Harold Isom, Tamara Isom, Austin Roth.

Saturday, June 16: Madeline Connot, Gary Erwin, Tami Williams, Blake McCorkindale.

Sunday, June 17: Andy Mattes, Hugh O'Brien, Ray & Sharon Brentlinger (A).

Monday, June 18: LeAnn Hoffman, Barb Connot, Jeff & Marlene Levine (A).

Tuesday, June 19: Shania Rader, Brock Floyd, Paul Peterson, Greg & Abby Rastede (A).

Wednesday, June 20: Brody Adair, Marie Burcham, Ty Krommenhoek, William Van Bruggen.

Thursday, June 21: Kevin & LeAnn Hoffman(A), Curtis & Dawn Oswald (A).

Friday, June 22: Ed Fahrenholz, Corey Uldrich, Lindy Koester.

Community Calendar

Friday, June 15: Brunch at Senior Center 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Township Library Open 9-11 a.m.; First Lutheran Church - Pastor Sarah at Allen; Pee Wee's & Pee Wee's Juniors tournament at Ponca.

Saturday, June 16: Pee Wee's & Pee Wee's Juniors tournament at Ponca.

Sunday, June 17: Dixon County Museum Open 2-4 p.m.; Father's Day

Monday, June 18: Exercising at Senior Center 9 a.m.; Walking at Senior Center, 9:30; Community Club meeting, 6:30 p.m.; T-Ball game at Allen, vs. Ponca 6 and 7 p.m.

Tuesday, June 19: Dominos at Senior Center 8:30 a.m.; Girls Varsity Basketball Camp, at Augustana; Dixon County Historical Meeting, 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, June 20: Exercising at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Walking at Senior Center, 9:30 a.m.; Girls Varsity Basketball Camp at Augustana; Pee Wee Jrs & Pee Wee baseball at Allen, vs. Wakefield, 6 p.m.

Thursday, June 21: Dominos at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Book Club meets at Senior Center, 2 p.m.

Friday, June 22: Springbank Township Library Open, 9-11 a.m.; First Lutheran Church - Pastor Sarah at Allen.

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