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Post office to start collecting mail earlier

By KATIE KASL
Of the Herald

It's back on. For now. Thanks to a resolution passed by Congress, the United States Postal Service is rescinding a decision it made back in February to nix its Saturday mail delivery services. The change, which was slated to begin Aug. 5 and announced early enough to allow USPS customers time to adjust to the new schedule, was squashed last month as a result of House Resolution 933. Because the original decision to convert to a five-day mail delivery week was made in an effort to cut costs, the USPS has been forced to look for – and enact – other money-saving methods. Currently, plans are in motion to close down some

of the company's smaller mail processing centers, locations that include Norfolk and Grand Island, as well as Salina and Dodge City, Kansas.

"The Postal Services are accelerating their mail processing changes," Richard Watkins, a spokesperson for the USPS, said.

Originally, the Norfolk center wasn't going to see changes in its operation until 2014; but now, the USPS wants to expedite these alterations in hopes that it will help the enterprise "save \$2.1 billion by early next year," according to Watkins.

As a result, area mail will now be processed in Omaha, rather than Norfolk, which means it'll have to be picked up earlier in order to make it to its destination the next day.

"The collection times in these areas are being adjusted," Watkins said, explaining that notices have been

placed on boxes in locations that are affected by the closing of a processing center to alert customers about the change.

Starting Saturday, April 27 in Wayne, the old Monday-Friday deadline of 4:15 p.m., as well as the old Saturday deadline of 4:07 p.m., will both be moved to 3:05 p.m.

"Of course, we apologize for any inconvenience these changes may cause," Watkins said.

Though jobs will be impacted by the closing of processing centers across the country, the Postal Service takes great care to reduce its number of personnel through means other than dismissal.

"We've reduced our nationwide workforce by nearly 200,000 by attrition," Watkins said. "Not a single lay-off."

What's more, the USPS is "a self-supporting govern-

ment enterprise" that "relies on the sale of postage, products and services to fund its operations," as described by about.usps.com.

"We haven't used tax dollars in more than 30 years," Watkins said. "We want to keep it that way."

Despite its dire financial situation, Watkins says United States Postal Service employees are doing great even in the weak economy and consumers remain happy with the services the company offers.

"Customer satisfaction scores have never been higher," Watkins said, mentioning that studies performed by outside sources have revealed this information.

Still, the U.S. Postal Service lacks the flexibility it desires and can only be granted it by the nation's government.

"We're hopeful," Watkins said. "We do need some help from Congress. No doubt about it."



(Contributed photo)

Prom royalty

Chosen as the 2013 Prom Queen for Wayne High School was Jessica Biermann and chosen as this year's King was Tyler Robinson. Making up the royal court were (from left) McKenna Gibson, Danny Melena, Sydney Harris, Layne Hochstein, Queen Jessica, King Tyler, Megan Hof-fart, Brady Soden, Sarah Maxson and Bradley Longe. Prom activities took place at Wayne State College on April 20.

Senators debating state aid

By JOSEPH MOORE
Nebraska News Service

LINCOLN – A bill that would change the formula for state aid to schools pitted senators representing smaller, mostly rural school districts against those representing larger districts.

Lawmakers began debate Monday on LB407, introduced by Sen. Kate Sullivan of Cedar Rapids.

The bill would slow the growth rate of state aid to schools to 6.3 percent for the upcoming school year, down from the current projected rate of 10.3 percent. The following year the growth rate would slow further to 5.1 percent.

State aid to schools currently makes up about one-third of the state budget, or just under \$1 billion a year.

The aid formula calculates a school district's needs and subtracts its resources – revenue from property taxes and other sources – to determine how much state funds the district should receive.

Four percent of the state's school districts educate about 50 percent of the state's students and receive 60 percent of the aid, according to Sullivan.

About 100 of the state's 249 school districts receive no state aid because they are believed to have enough resources to cover their needs.

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(Photo by Clara Osten)

New Calvary Bible Evangelical Free Church pastor James Seal and his wife, Eva, came to Nebraska from Colorado. The Mississippi native and his wife are settling into their new community.

New minister likes the 'good fit' here in Wayne

By CLARA OSTEN
Of the Herald

James and Eva Seal will probably be introducing themselves throughout the community a lot in the coming weeks.

James recently became the pastor of Calvary Bible Evangelical Free Church in Wayne and he and his wife plan to "get to know the community and become a part of this community."

James and Eva were both born in Mississippi and graduated from Mississippi State University, James with a bachelor's degree in Agronomy and Eva with a bachelor's degree in Math Education. James then went on to earn a Master of Theology degree from Dallas Theological Seminary in 1994 and served 15 years in pastor ministry, one year as an Associate Pastor and 14 years

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Even with change in name, Wayne's longest-running bank serves area



By KATIE KASL
Of the Herald

When First Nebraska Bank of Wayne (formally First National Bank of Wayne) made its debut in 1885, there was no such thing as online banking; debit and credit cards didn't exist, and money was counted by hand, not by a machine.

Now, almost 130 years later, the bank has come a long way, utilizing technology that was unheard of back then but is commonplace today.

"As technology continues to change and bring enhancements and improvements in banking, we continue to adapt to meet the needs of our customers," Bill Dickey, president of First Nebraska Bank since 2004, said.

Known as the longest-running bank in Wayne County, FNB has made a go of adapting with the times. It was the first bank in town to offer ATMs, and when the advent of Internet banking came along, followed later by debit and credit cards, the business jumped onboard.

There have been other changes too, stem-



(Photo by Katie Kasl)

Bill Dickey has been president of First Nebraska Bank since 2004. The bank is the longest-running bank in Wayne County, dating back almost 130 years.

ming from the bank's beginnings in LaPorte, Neb., where it ran under the name Logan Valley Bank.

When the county seat was moved from LaPorte to Wayne, the original owners of FNB decided they wanted their business to go with it, and so the building was hauled to Wayne. It was later rebuilt at 2nd and Main before being relocated in 1960 to a new structure at 3rd and Main.

In 1978, a drive-in location, which is no longer in operation, was opened at 7th and Main. In the fall of 2007, First Nebraska Bank moved into its current location at 411 East 7th Street. The building was con-

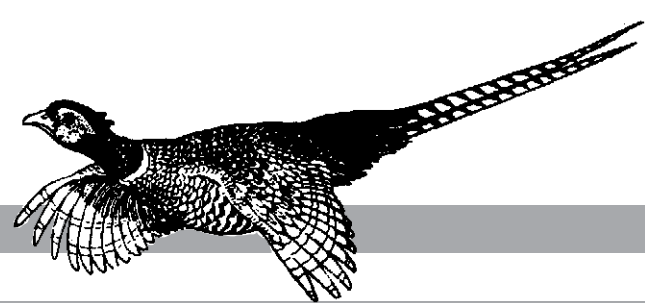
structed by Vakoc Construction Company and is also home to Gary Boehle and Steve Muir at First National Insurance Agency and Rod Hunke with the Investment Centers of America, as well as a Community Room that can be rented for various events.

And the changes, of course, keep coming. On December 5, 2012, the bank converted its national charter to a state charter. The process, Dickey says, wasn't incredibly lengthy but did create concerns about abandoning the tradition of operating as a national bank, something that'd been in place for well over a century.

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Obituaries

Marvin Draghu

Marvin Draghu, 87, of Wayne, died Tuesday, April 16, 2013 at Careage of Wayne.



Services were held Monday, April 22 at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne. The Rev. Bob Oleson officiated.

Marvin Dale Draghu was born Dec. 12, 1925, in Wayne County to Michael and Ella (Dorman) Draghu. He graduated from Wayne High School. Marvin served in The United States Army in Japan during World War II, from March 12, 1946 - March 6, 1947. Marvin married Elaine Burns on May 4, 1947, at Logan Center United Methodist Church north of Laurel. They farmed in the early years. Marvin worked for Logan Township as a motor grader operator, heavy equipment operator for Dixon County, and following their move into Wayne in 2006, he worked

part time for Wayne County until his health failed. Marvin was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church, Masonic Lodge #120, and Wayne V.F.W. Post #5291.

Survivors include his wife, Elaine; daughters, Cynthia Regnier of Rochester, Minn. and Kathleen (Dixon) Collins of Angels Camp, Calif.; three grandchildren; one great-grandchild; two step-grandchildren; four step-great-grandchildren; brother, Donald (Marcille) Draghu of Wayne; sister, Arlene Watteyne of Aurora, CO; nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; twin sons in 1953; and son-in-law, Thomas Regnier in 2010.

Pallbearers were Bruce Roeber, Randall Carlson, Kurt Rewinkel, Keith Boeckenhauer, Lyle Johanson and David Draghu.

Memorials may be directed to the family.

Burial with military rites and Masonic Rites was in Greenwood Cemetery at Wayne. Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne was in charge of arrangements.

Bill J. Suehl

Bill J. Suehl, 81, of Norfolk died Saturday, April 20, 2013 at Heritage of Bel Air in Norfolk.



Services were held Tuesday, April 23 at Christ Lutheran Church, Norfolk: Reverend Chip Winter officiated. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery, Wayne with military rites by American Legion Post 252 of Winside.

Bill J. Suel was born Jan. 28, 1932 to William and Blanche (Carr) Suehl in Wayne, County. He grew up on the family farm southeast of Winside. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran faith. He attended rural grade school and Winside High School. Bill entered the Army on Sept. 30, 1952. He spent 16 months in Korea during the Korean War. Bill received his honorable discharge on Aug. 12, 1954. On March 9, 1952 Bill and Marcella Meyer were married at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne.

They made their home on a farm Southeast of Winside. Bill farmed for 33 years and then worked for Great Dane Trailers of Wayne. After Bill retired from Great Dane, he drove a van part time for the Stanton Health Center. Bill was a member of American Legion Post 252 of Winside.

Survivors include three sons, Steve and Jean Suehl, Keith and Lori Suehl both of Hoskins, Duane and Cheryl Suehl of Wayne; a daughter, Phyllis and Terry Nelson of Winside; seven grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; a sister Shirley and Gene Brudigan of Hoskins; a brother-in-law, Ferris and Margie Meyer of Wakefield; many nieces, nephews and a very special friend, Ilene Schmidt of Norfolk.

He was preceded in death by his parents, his wife, Marcella on Nov. 9, 2001; a great-granddaughter; two brothers; two sisters and two nephews.

Shirley Sahs

Shirlee Rose Luby Sahs, 80, of Lincoln, died Tuesday, April 16, 2013.

Memorial services will be held Saturday, April 27 at 11:30 a.m. at Lincoln Memorial Park and Funeral Home, 6800 South 14th Street in Lincoln.

Shirlee Rose Luby Sahs, daughter of Clara and John Joseph Luby, was born August 31, 1932 on the family homestead in Giltner. At an early age she began helping to prepare large meals for farm laborers.

Initially settling in the suburbs of Detroit, Mich., following her marriage to John Sahs, Shirlee and her growing family soon settled in on an acreage in Rochester, Mich. from the late 1950s through the turbulent 1960s. During this time, Shirlee also found time to be a member of the Stagecrafters theater group. Shirlee was the archetypal homemaker for the coming decades, embracing and dedicating her time and life to raising seven children. She returned to Nebraska in the spring of 1970, residing for a few years in a home in east Lincoln, and later settling in south Lincoln for the next 30+ years. Later Shirlee agreed to house and feed four Vietnamese refugee's who needed temporary housing while they settled in Lincoln. Shirlee found time to work as assistant manager of the Heritage Craft Shop and was also a regular volunteer at the Chet Ager Nature Center.

Shirlee was able to travel with two of her sisters to her family homeland of Ireland before her quality of life was impacted by Alzheimer's disease in the early 2000s.

Shirlee and John celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary in August 2012 with friends and family, including the staff of the Homestead Rehabilitation Center where both resided since 2006.

Survivors include her husband, John; seven children, Linda, Tanya, Jeff, Jan, Will, Matt and Jennifer; 11 grandchildren; two sisters, Dorothy and Betty, and many nieces and nephews.

Donations in Shirlee's memory are suggested to the Pioneers Park Nature Center. <http://www.lincoln.ne.gov/city/parks/naturecenter/support.htm>

Elderfest dance re-scheduled

The Elderfest Dance, which was originally scheduled for April 18 as part of this year's Elderfest celebration, has been re-scheduled for Thursday, May 2.

The dance will be held from 6-10 p.m. at the Wayne City Auditorium and is free and open to the public.

Music will be provided by the Burt Heithold Band.

During the dance, attendees will be able to register for a travel certificate, cash prizes and numerous door prizes.

There will also be food available to those in attendance.

Correction

Bailey Bentjen, a junior at Wayne High School, was omitted from the Honor Roll list for the third quarter of the 2012-2013 school year.

Bailey earned a 4.0 GPA for the third quarter.

The Herald apologizes for the omission.

A Quick Look



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Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Apr. 18	37	29	.40"	1"
Apr. 19	30	24	.11"	—
Apr. 20	42	21	—	—
Apr. 21	42	24	—	—
Apr. 22	62	31	T	—
Apr. 23	37	25	.42"	2"
Apr. 24	34	24	—	Æ

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — 4.55" / Monthly snow — 5"
Yr./Date — 6.08" / Seasonal snow — 29.5"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, April 26 will be held at Wayne High School to recognize the graduating class of 2013. The coffee on Friday, May 3 will be held at Rustic Treasures. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.

Finding Your Roots

AREA — A free workshop will be held at the Lied Winside Public Library on Wednesday, May 1 at 6:30 p.m. Judy Carlson of Wausa will present "Finding Your Roots and Writing Your Family History, A Beginners Genealogy Workshop." The workshop will also be of help to those who have collected information for the Winside Q125 History Book Edition, but just aren't sure how to write it. The class will last approximately two hours and anyone interested in this topic is welcome to attend.

Honors Night at Wayne High School

WAYNE — Wayne High School will hold its 23rd annual Honors Night on Friday, April 26, at 6:30 p.m., in the High School F.R. Haun Lecture Hall. Academic letter awards, National Honor Society membership and scholarship recognition will be included in the evening's activities. Non-scholarship Awards will be given from 6:30-7:15 p.m. Scholarship Awards will be presented after a short intermission at approximately 7:30 p.m.

Athletic banquet at Wayne State

WAYNE — The 2013 Wayne State College Athletic Honors Banquet, sponsored by Ameritas, will be held on Monday, April 29 at the WSC Student Centre Frey Conference Suite. A social is scheduled for 5:30 p.m., with the banquet starting at 6 p.m. All 15 sports at Wayne State College will announce their team MVP's at the banquet, end-of-the-year awards will be handed out. The featured speaker for this year's banquet is Wayne Mayor Ken Chamberlain. Tickets for the banquet cost \$20, and can be purchased by stopping at the Wayne State athletic department office or by calling (402) 375-7520.

Aqua Africa event

AREA — The Wayne State College Rotary Club will host an event to help water and development challenges facing South Sudan from 6 to 9 p.m. on Saturday, April 27 in the Frey Conference Suite of the Student Center on the Wayne State College campus. This event is planned to raise matching funds for the Rotary Foundation Future Visions Global Grant. Wayne State College Black and Gold Show Choir and Northeast Nebraska Children's Choir will perform. Buey R. Tut, Executive Director of Aqua-Africa, and Peter K. Adieng, President-Elect of the Rotary Club of Juba, South Sudan, will speak.

Dianne Anderson

Dianne Anderson, 82, of Laurel, died Saturday, April 20 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.



Services were held Wednesday, April 24 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Laurel. The Rev. James F. McCluskey officiated.

Dianne Charlotte Anderson was born Aug. 13, 1930, on a farm southeast of Randolph to Dave and Luella (Bohnsen) Kuhl. She lived there until the family moved to Dixon in 1941. Dianne graduated from Dixon High School in 1947. She attended Briar Cliff College, transferred to Wayne State College in 1973, and graduated with a B.A. Degree in Elementary Education. She taught school for 30 years, 24 of those teaching in Laurel-Concord Schools. Dianne married Arnold "Ole" Anderson February 18, 1950, at St. Anne's Catholic Church in Dixon and they lived in the Laurel area all of their married life. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church, Laurel V.F.W., American Legion, Cedar View Country Club, and a special baseball team.

Survivors include two daughters, Teri (Dave) Norris of Bloomfield and Tami (Dennis) Timmermann of Omaha; two sons, Tom (Jan) Anderson of Wynot and Todd (Barb) Anderson of McCool Junction; seven grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; three step great-grandchildren; one step great-great-grandchild; brothers, Harry (Maddy) Kuhl of Gilbert, Ariz. and Lynn (Anita) Kuhl of Laurel; sister, Deb Ankeny of Mission Viejo, Calif.; nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Ole, in 2003 and a son, Troy in 1966.

Honorary pallbearers were Liz Norvell, Tootie Lipp, Phyllis Salmon, Betty Olsen, Doris Sohler and Flo Lenzen.

Active pallbearers were Adam Diediker, Casey Anderson, Andi Diediker, Shane Baack, Trevor Dempster and Dave Kuhl.

Burial was in the Laurel Cemetery at Laurel. Hasemann Funeral Home of Laurel was in charge of arrangements.



Honored masons

The Wayne Masonic Lodge recently presented 50 year membership pins and certificates to Rick Lund (left) and Arnold Marr (right). Making the presentation was Worshipful Master of Wayne Lodge 120 Ken Liska. Also involved in the ceremony was Ron Grass of Tekamah, the Deputy Grand Custodian of the Grand Masonic Lodge of Nebraska.

State senators advance climate change bill

By SHELBY FRIESZ
Nebraska News Service

LINCOLN — Nebraska lawmakers advanced a bill Tuesday that would require a climate change report that identifies long-term climate projections and recommendations.

The bill (LB583), sponsored by Sen. Ken Haar of Malcolm, advanced on a 35-0 vote with amendments.

Under current statute, the Climate Assessment Response Committee, which is appointed by the governor, researches weather changes for the upcoming summer. This bill would require the committee to publish a report that focuses on the climate change over a longer period of time.

Haar said that the majority of climatologists recognize a change in climate, which differs from simple weather changes, and said this could affect Nebraska's agricultural economy.

Opponents of the bill expressed concern that the bill did not accurately reflect the continually changing weather but rather focused more on global warming.

Sen. Beau McCoy of Omaha proposed an amendment (FA62) that changed the language of the bill to require a report on the "cyclical" climate changes to reflect both the warm and cold extremes Nebraska may experience.

The amendment passed on a 26-0 vote.

Immunization clinic planned for Wayne

Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership (NENCAP), formerly known as Goldenrod Hills Community Action will hold the Wayne Immunization Clinic on Tuesday, May 7 and Wednesday May 15.

The Immunization Clinic hours will be from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at the United Methodist Church located on 516 N Main Street, Wayne.

For an appointment please call (402) 385-6300.

NENCAP's Health Services Program will provide lead screening to children 12 months to 5 years of age at our

Immunization Clinics for a fee of \$10. Children may get lead poisoning from paint of homes built before 1978, tap water, food, pottery, dirt, dust and even from the air we breathe. Elevated blood levels can cause irreversible damage to the brain and nervous system; it can harm the kidneys and digestive system; and because lead reduces the ability for the body to produce red blood cells, it can cause anemia. Children with elevated blood levels of 10 or higher may suffer dulled hearing, stunted growth, reduced eye-hand coordination, behavioral problems and delayed learning skills.

The Immunization Clinic is open to the public, and there are no income guidelines. Each child should be accompanied by the parent or guardian. Past immunization records are required. Proxy forms are needed when a parent or legal guardian is unable to accompany the child to clinic. Proxy forms may be obtained by contacting the Pender office at (402) 385-6300. A suggested donation of \$39 per child would be appreciated to help defray administrative costs. If a child only receives one immunization, then the suggested donation is \$19.50. No one will be denied immunizations for inability to make a donation. Immunizations are needed at ages: 2 months, 4 months, 6 months, 12-15 months, and 4-6 years. This project is supported in part by Federal Immunization Program Funds awarded to Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership by the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services. The Immunization Program is

also partially funded by the Pfizer Foundation.

Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership, in conjunction with the Nebraska Health & Human Services Vaccines for Children Program, offers Menaetra (meningitis) for 11-18 year olds, Tdap (tetanus with pertussis) for 7-18 year olds, Hepatitis A for 12 months to 18 year olds, RotaTeq (rotavirus) for infants, and Gardasil for VFC eligible 11-18 year olds, as well as other recommended childhood vaccines. The Influenza vaccine is now available for VFC eligible children 6 mo-18 years.

Adult vaccine (MMR, Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, Tdap, TB testing) is available to the public for a mandatory fee at all immunization clinics to anyone 19 years or older. These fees cover the cost of the vaccine. Call the Pender office at (402) 385-6300 for more information.

Operation Great Start (OGS) information will be available at the Immunization Clinic this program provides education and resources to expecting mothers and mothers with children up to 12 months old. OGS works to provide services to families and children in Northeast Nebraska to ensure and strengthen their well being.

Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership (NENCAP), headquartered in Pender, is one of nine Community Action Agencies in Nebraska. NENCAP manages several different programs as determined by identified needs of residents in the 14 county service area. The Agency serves over 10,000 clients a year due to successful outreach efforts. Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership (NENCAP) programs include the Commodity Supplemental Food Program; Family Services; Immunization; Weatherization; Head Start; Women, Infants, and Children Nutrition; Early Intervention Services Coordination; Operation Great Start and Operation Building Blocks.

The agency serves Knox, Antelope, Pierce, Madison, Stanton, Cuming, Thurston, Dakota, Burt, Wayne, Dixon, Cedar, Washington and Dodge counties. For more information on NENCAP programs, call (800) 445-2505.

Truck loads up quickly at fourth Green Expo

By KATIE KASL
Of the Herald

It was a little after one o'clock Saturday afternoon when a post appeared on the Facebook page of the Wayne Green Team.

"We are sad to say that the truck is FULL and they will no longer be taking Electronic's," it read.

The truck, a semitrailer courtesy of DataShield out of Omaha, had been accepting computers, TV's and other electronic items since 10 a.m. that morning as part of the team's fourth-annual Green Expo.

An hour before the event was scheduled to end, the truck was packed to capacity.

"(We're) thrilled with participation. Over 85 cars came through for the electronics recycling," Green Team member Sandy Brown said. "We more than doubled last year's electronics collections."

In all, she says, an estimated 12,000 pounds of unwanted equipment was loaded into the DataShield truck.

"None of that will end up in a landfill," Brown said, adding that the company can demanufacture most of what it collects.

If someone was turned away during Saturday's recycling program, she encourages them to take their electronics to the Vulcraft parking lot at 1601 West Omaha Avenue in Norfolk on Saturday, May 4. From 8-11 a.m., WasteCap Nebraska and the Nebraska Environmental Trust will help host an electronics recycling event similar to the one held in Wayne on Saturday. All electronics and scrap metal will be accepted free of charge.

"People can still responsibly recycle their old electronics by taking them to Norfolk on this date," Brown said.

While the DataShield team loaded its semitrailer in the City Building parking lot, the Auditorium hosted exhibitors and informational sessions throughout the morning and afternoon. Booths covered such topics as water and waste water, electric production, rain barrels, green methods to raising a baby, backyard composting, green cleaning, pharmaceutical disposal and bags made from household cast-offs. City of Wayne, Zach Heating and Cooling, State National Bank, Wayne Farmers Market, Dahl House, Wayne Public Library, Honysuckle Breast Feeding, Hochstein Farms, Bill Jammer's rain barrels, Irene Fletcher's recycled craft making, Kuper Farms, Nebraska Game and Parks Commission, UNL Coop Extension and Wayne State College TRUST Coalition were all represented at the Expo.



(Photo by Katie Kasl)
Bill Jammer (right) explains rain barrels to Darrel Heier at the 2013 Green Expo. Jammer was one of several exhibitors at the event, which was hosted by the Wayne Green Team and held at the City Auditorium on Saturday.

Presentations included topics such as how to make one's own housecleaning products, cloth diapers and natural and organic products for babies, plants that resist drought conditions and the effects of land alterations on wildlife. Furthermore, a session featuring local experts on a Yard and Garden Panel covered the various aspects of environmentally friendly landscaping, including lawn care, flowers, trees and shrubs, as well as a second presentation on drought resistant plants.

Brown says nearly 200 people took advantage of the indoor offerings, proving that, even in a small town, interest in reducing, reusing and recycling is prevalent.

"It's been inspiring to see how much this community embraces the environment," Brown said. "The community is 100 percent behind efforts to be green."

In addition to being grateful to visitors of the Expo, Brown and the rest of the Green Team would like to thank Back in Touch, Bill Jammer, Bomgaars, Carhart Lumber, City of Wayne, Country Nursery, Dahl House, The Final Touch, Hands with Heart, Heidi Claussen, Irene Fletcher, KTCH/KCTY, Lois Shelton, Miss Molly's, Pac 'N' Save, Quality Foods, Swans Apparel, The Wayne Greenhouse, The Wayne Herald, Wayne Izaak Walton League and Wayne Public Library

for their donations. Gratitude also goes to the more than 20 volunteers, including members of Wayne State's Biology Club, student chapter of the Wildlife Society and Men's Basketball team, who helped make the event possible.

"The college was just great," she said.

Though the team approached groups on campus in search of assistance with the Expo, others, like volunteers and exhibitors, approached the Team to express their desire in participating.

"When people are interested, they search for us," Brown said. "They find us."

And they can do so as soon as they'd like, as the Green Team usually starts planning for the next Expo shortly after the last one wraps up.

The process, Brown explains, begins with selecting a date for the event and then reviewing how the most recent one went. If there's a particular element of the Green Expo that an attendee enjoyed - or, conversely, didn't enjoy - she encourages them to contact the Team at greenteam@cityofwayne.org to let the group know.

"We're always interested in hearing what people liked," Brown said.

And, of course, she adds, "We hope to see everyone at the fifth annual Green Expo in 2014."



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Earning medals at the Northeast Community College Scholastic Contest were (front) Derek Davis, Steffan Moore, Olivia Ficke-Anderson, Lila Goos, Riley Nichols and Samantha Bierbower, (middle) Jackson Blankenau, Jacob Doescher, Zach Gemelke, Cody Hames, Dalton Uhing, Garrett Zink, (back) Colin Webster, Joe Burrows, Dalton Dunklau, Cassidy Wiese, Jason Holt, Miranda Denklau and Emily Leeper.

Wayne earns top honors at Northeast Scholastic Quiz Bowl

Wayne Community Schools took first-place honors in the Class C High School Scholastic Contest hosted by Northeast Community College in Norfolk.

A total of 35 Wayne High School students took part in this year's event, with 21 medals being earned by the school.

Those earning a first, second or third place medal included:

Dalton Dunklau, third place in Accounting II; Colin Webster, third place in American Government; Joe Burrows, first place in American History and first place in Mass Communication; Cody Hames, second place in Auto Technology; Derek Davis, first place in Body & Frame Dimension Diagnosis; Riley Nichols, third place in Business English; Jason Holt, third place in Chemistry and third place in Anatomy and Physiology; Steffan Moore, first place in Computer Literacy; Jacob Doescher, third place in Drafting.

Also, Cassidy Wiese, third place in General Science; Jackson Blankenau, second place in Geometry; Lila Goos, first place in Literature; Samantha Bierbower, first place in Music; Emily Leeper, first place in Parenting/Child Development; Zach Gemelke, first place in Small Engines; Miranda Denklau, first place in Trigonometry; Dalton Uhing, second place in Welding/GMAW; Garrett Zink, second place in Welding/

FCAW-GS and Olivia Ficke-Anderson, third place in World History.

Each first-place championship school from Class C and D was awarded a \$1,000 scholarship from the Northeast Community College Foundation. The scholarship is to be presented to a student from the winning schools who participated in the 2013 Scholastic Contest, will graduate this spring and registers as a full-time student at Northeast for the 2013-2014 academic year.

At Wayne High School, the scholarship money will be split into two, \$500 scholarships for students who attended the event and who are planning to attend NECC.

West Holt High School took second place, and Pierce High School took third place in the Class C competition. In the Class D contest, St. Mary's High School in O'Neill was the first-place winner. Verdigre Public Schools was second, with third place going to West Boyd Public Schools.

The event also included a Quiz Bowl with 39 teams from both classes participating. The Quiz Bowl was won by Lutheran High Northeast, with West Holt High School taking runner-up honors.

During the Scholastic Contest, students were tested on subjects such as Accounting I and II, administrative assistant, agri-science, Algebra I and II, American govern-

ment and history, applied mathematics, art history, auto body and frame dimensions diagnosis (written and lab), automotive technology (written and lab), basic construction (written and lab), biology, business English, business law, calculus, chemistry, computer literacy, drafting and English composition.

Other tests included foods and nutrition, general science, geography, geometry, health, library usage, literature, mass communication, medical terminology, music, parenting/child development, personal finance, physics, health, wellness, sports and physical education, psychology, public speaking, small engines, Spanish I and II, trigonometry, vocabulary and world history. Students were also tested in welding (written and lab).

An anatomy and physiology test was added this year.

Individual student medals were awarded for first, second and third place in each test, in each class. Team plaques were awarded to schools receiving the most points in Class C and D. Championship and runner-up plaques were awarded for the Quiz Bowl, with members of the championship team receiving individual medals.

Approximately 1,150 students from 50 area Class C and D high schools participated in the 29th annual event.



(Photo courtesy Wayne State College)

Rev. Carl Lilienkamp of Grace Lutheran Church, WSC student Ryan Rolfzen of Papillion; WSC student Gage Crossgrove of Le Mars, Iowa; WSC student Ron Westlake of Norfolk; WSC Professor Dmitry Pobedash, Fulbright Scholar-In-Residence from Russia; and Lisa Nelson, Service-Learning Coordinator at Wayne State College, gather after the presentation on April 14 at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne.

Russian professor on Fulbright grant

Wayne State College has been awarded one of only 50 Fulbright Scholar-in-Residence grants for the 2012-2013 academic year.

Dr. Dmitry Pobedash is an associate professor of international relations at Ural Federal University in Yekaterinburg, Russia. He is teaching classes on world politics, international relations and Russian language and culture during the 2012-13 academic year. Dr. Pobedash will also assist Wayne State College in establishing a partnership with Ural Federal University that will allow faculty and students from both institutions to study and teach at the other school. He will remain in Wayne until May 15.

The Fulbright Scholar-in-Residence (SIR) Program, sponsored by the Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs of the United States Department of State, enables U.S.

colleges and universities to host foreign academics to lecture on a wide range of subject fields for a semester or academic year. Preference is given to institutions developing an international agenda and that have been underserved in opportunities for international experiences.

The Fulbright Program is the flagship international educational exchange program sponsored by the U.S. government and is designed to increase mutual understanding between the people of the United States and the people of other countries. The Fulbright Program has provided nearly 300,000 participants - chosen for their academic merit and leadership potential - with the opportunity to study, teach, conduct research, exchange ideas and contribute to finding solutions to shared international concerns.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

French toast a family affair

Shar Sievers and her dad, Tom, handle duties at the french toast griddle during the Wayne Fire Department breakfast, held recently at the fire station.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Chamber Coffee at Rainbow World

Shelly Fehringer, director of Rainbow World Child Care, spoke of the 20 years of existence of the facility. She noted that the facility has grown in the number of children attending and has recently expanded. A ribbon cutting was held following the coffee.

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Minister

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as Senior Pastor at Black Forest Chapel in Colorado Springs, Colo.

After taking a break from the ministry for four years, James said he "was open to pastoring again and this opportunity came along. Although we had never been to Nebraska, let alone Wayne, before, we felt very strongly that this is where the Lord wanted us to be."

Both James and Eva hope to work to grow the congregation of the church, as well as rebuilding the AWANA youth program at the church.

"We are working with the church board, which oversees the organization and direction of the church, and are putting together a plan for the future," James said. "We plan to lead as a team."

"We feel the congregation is ready to move forward positively and hope to provide a 'new beginning.' We trust that the Lord will continue to lead us forward . . ."

— James Seal, new minister at Calvary Bible Church

Among the goals the Seals have is to connect with the college students at Wayne State College and make them feel welcome at Calvary Bible Church.

Eva, who has taught at the high school, middle school and college for 15 years and worked as an administrative assistant to Biblica for six

years and an executive assistant to the president at Vision Quest Alliance for five years, will be doing volunteer work with the church and plans to seek employment in the community.

In her spare time, Eva enjoys reading and singing and being around people. James enjoys any activity that takes him outdoors – fishing, hunting and gardening and exercising. The couple has been married 35 years and have two grown children and a grandson.

"We feel the congregation is ready to move forward positively and hope to provide a 'new beginning.' We trust that the Lord will continue to lead us forward and we trust in his timing," James said.

For more information, call (402) 375-4946.

Local TeamMates volunteers are recognized for their efforts

In Recognition of National Volunteer Week (April 21-27), the Wayne TeamMates program has acknowledged those who are involved with the program.

"Your community is grateful for the time that you spend with your mentee. You are making a difference in our community supporting and encouraging our kids to strive to meet their full potential. Without you, our program is not possible," Ellen Imdieke, coordinator of the program, said.

Listed below are the Wayne TeamMates Chapter mentors for 2012-2013:

Michaela Acklie, Marcy Amundson, Wes Blecke, Mike Carnes,

Ron Carnes, Jeff Carstens, Mary Carstens, Ellie Cerveny, Jan Chinn, Jay Collier (Board member and mentor to two mentees), Dom Consoli, Deb Dickey, Macy Diehl, Ryne Dlouhy, Kim Endicott, Natalie Endicott, Kylie Funk, Jan Gamble, Jessie Hansen, Tracy Henschke, Shalee Hoffman, Jenny Hopkins (Board member also), Mallory Hoyt, Rod Hunke, Ellen Imdieke (Coordinator), J. Scott Jackson, Sue Jammer, Shelly Junck, Kelly Kenny, Tausha Lee, Lisa Lenihan, Matt Ley, Carolyn Linster (Board member also), Alex Marquez, Dan McLaughlin, Lindsay McLaughlin, Darrell Miller (Board member also), Tayler Murphy, Vicki Niel-

son, Jim Paige, Kyleigh Parham, Rob Peter, Jodi Pulfer, Molly Redden, Michael Reed, Troy Reynolds, Travis Ritchie, Danny Rockhill, Jim Rusk, Charles Shapiro, Simon Michele, Greg Vander Weil (mentors two mentees) Mike Varley (Board member and mentor to two mentees), Craig Walling (Board member also), Jill Walling (Board member also) Carissa Wenzl, Katie Wolfe and Jan Zeiss

The mission of TeamMates is to positively impact the world by inspiring youth to reach their full potential. The TeamMates Program began in 1991 with the vision of University of Nebraska Head Football Coach Tom Osborne and his wife, Nancy. The program began with 22 football players who met with middle school students in the Lincoln Public Schools. TeamMates has expanded, and currently there are more than 6,000 youth involved in the program in 115 communities across Nebraska, Iowa and California.

In Wayne, there are nearly 60 mentor/mentee matches meeting each week throughout the school year.

For more information on the Wayne program, contact Ellen Imdieke at (402) 375-4599.

Bank

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Once he'd explained the benefits of making the switch to his colleagues, however, the choice was easy.

"We did that intentionally to create more flexibility for us and to do things for the community we wouldn't be able to do under the national charter," Dickey, who's been with the bank since 1976, said. "That was a big swing for us to position ourselves to be the community bank we want to be."

The change, he claims, was almost seamless.

"We were very fortunate to be able to keep our identity," Dickey said, adding that both the FNB logo and the bank's web address, www.fnbwayne.com, didn't have to change.

What's more, on April 15, First Nebraska Bank was approved for mobile banking, making it even easier for customers to access their accounts whenever, wherever.

"Smartphones have opened a whole new world," Dickey said, describing this latest addition to the FNB services line-up as "banking at your fingertips."

"It's all about convenience to our customers," he said. "That's really what banking is."

First Nebraska Bank is open Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m., and Saturday, 7:30 a.m.-noon, and offers standard banking services, such as loans; online and telephone banking; retirement, savings, commercial and personal checking accounts; ATM debit and VISA checking cards; safe deposit boxes and more.

State Aid

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About half of school funding comes from property tax dollars. Under current law, school districts cannot raise more than \$1.05 for every \$100 of property value without voter approval.

Several of the larger school districts in the state – like Lincoln and Omaha – have already met or exceeded this limit and must rely on increased state aid for their financial needs.

Senators representing these districts do not believe the slower growth rate is adequate to accommodate the increase in student population and the resulting costs.

Sen. Colby Coash of Lincoln cited an increase of 2,600 students over five years in Lincoln Public Schools.

"I'm not sure (LB) 407 quite gets us where we need to be," he said.

Senators opposed to the bill argue that rural districts should have to raise their property tax levies before being eligible to receive state aid and that more of the aid should go to larger districts with already high levies and low per-student costs.

Senators representing rural districts counter by saying that as the value of agricultural land continues to rise, ranchers and farmers are forced to pay higher percentages of their income in property taxes. Any increase in levies in these areas would place a disproportionate burden on rural land owners.

Sen. Al Davis of Hyannis said rural landowners are already paying as much as 10 percent of their gross income in property taxes.

"If you're going to penalize rural districts for their low levy, I hope you realize what you're doing," he said.



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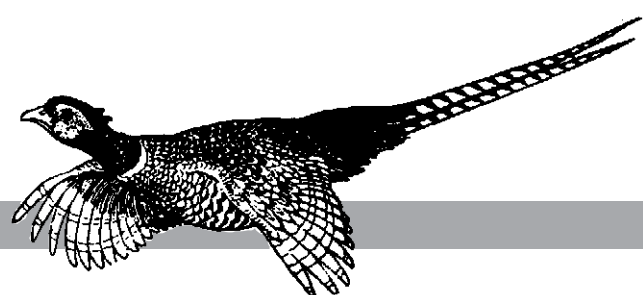
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Sports

The Wayne Herald



From The Bleachers

Michael Carnes



It's spring – or is it???

To paraphrase the classic rock band Chicago – does anybody really know what season it is?

Normally, the last week of April is where athletes begin to peak and put out their best performances on the track and the golf course.

The last thing this spring could be called, though, is normal.

As I type this column Monday afternoon, I look out the front door and see snow falling sideways – which would be fine if it were mid-January instead of late April.

Area athletes have had a heck of a time getting outdoors to practice and prepare for competition, and I'm afraid it's going to have a not-so-positive effect on the area boys and girls who represent our five area schools when the end of the season rolls around in just a couple of short weeks.

This spring, in some ways, reminds me of the spring of 1996. That year, it seemed you could count the number of sunny days on one finger. It was a cold, wet, windy spring season – until the state track meet rolled around. That weekend, the cool and wet days seemed a distant memory, as athletes struggled to compete in 90-degree temperatures that turned the Burke High School track into the state's largest walk-in sauna. I lost eight pounds that weekend and never left the media area behind the finish line.

The only difference between that spring and this one has been the snow – I can't seem to recall the last time I saw this much snow on the ground, this late into spring. I seem to recall an Easter snowstorm as a kid but can't remember the last time it snowed AFTER I spent a weekend watching the Masters on TV.

If there's a silver lining to this nonsense known as Nebraska weather 2013, it's that just about every school in the state has had to deal with this extension of the winter season. Friends of mine in the newspaper business have commented regularly on their Facebook pages about how this track meet and that golf tournament have been postponed, rescheduled or flat-out cancelled in the past couple of weeks. This meteorological snafu is not unique to those of us here in Northeast Nebraska – it's a problem from Falls City to Chadron and all locales in between.

The good news is that the weather forecast is calling for temperatures to warm up this weekend. In fact, if you actually believe the people calling the shots on our weather conditions, they are talking about temperatures in the 70's and – get this – no precipitation in the forecast for the next 7-10 days.

Of course, these are the same people who told us that winter would be over in time for the start of spring, so take what they say with a very big grain of salt.

Here are a few more observations, since I'm contractually obligated to fill up this entire column:

– Pro rassing is not a sport, so I'm somewhat hesitant to give this a mention . . . but Wayne is home to the tag team champions.

Now, before you grab your faded Hulkamania gear out of the attic, understand that these guys are the champions of local sports talk radio (although they are known to comment on non-sports topics such as the WWE) and they're on the air Saturday mornings on KCTY-FM (104.9).

Joel Janeczek and Adam Dobbins discuss local sports – and pro rassing – every week on the show, and it's nice to hear some local sports talk to offset all the national and Husker chat that seems to dominate the airwaves.

In addition, Dobbins is an even bigger Seattle Seahawks fan than I (he gets the nod because he actually has the team's logo tattooed on his leg), so it's nice to know there will be somebody in the area who I will be able to hang out with and enjoy watching the Super Bowl XLVIII champions-in-waiting.

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Golfers brave weather, win conference

BATTLE CREEK – Mail carriers aren't the only ones who won't let the weather stop them from making their appointed rounds.

The Wayne High golf team battled cold, wind and a little snow on Saturday and edged Hartington Cedar Catholic by five shots to claim the Mid State Conference boys golf title at Evergreen Hills Golf Course.

While the weather conditions would challenge even the hardest of linksters, the Blue Devils put together a good team effort, finishing with three All-Conference golfers in the top 10.

"I'm really proud of the guys for what they accomplished," coach Dave Hix said. "They stayed focused and finished on one of the coldest days that we've ever played."

Hix said the team made the shots they needed to make and were able to focus in freezing weather conditions on the wide-open course south of Battle Creek.

"What's nice to see is that we left a lot of shots out there," he said. "It wasn't as if we were rolling in 15 or 20-foot putts. We were just playing solid."

Junior Kaje Maly handled the elements better than anybody else on Saturday, carding a 3-over par 75 to take medalist honors by two shots over Cody Belzer of O'Neill.

"Kaje just thought his way around

the course better than he has all year," Hix said. "He worked both aspects of the game – physical and mental – and didn't deviate from that and posted the fourth best individual score in conference history."

Ezra Brodersen and Jared Peterson both finished in the top 10 among individual golfers. Brodersen challenged Maly before setting for an 82, good for fifth place; and Peterson put together a solid round and finished sixth with an 83.

"Ezra put himself in position to challenge Kaje, but the elements started to get the better of him late," Hix said. "Jared played his best of the year and made a huge contribution to the team championship."

Ryan Grosz put together a good round of 92 to round out the team scoring, while Zach Keating carded a 104 for the Blue Devils.

"Ryan kept it respectable, and we know he can get down in the low 80's," Hix said. "If we want to compete with other Class B teams, we'll need to have that score down in the mid 80's."

"Zach is getting close to coming out of his shell," Hix added. "We need some practice time on and around the greens for him, and for everyone."

Hix said a key element in the team's success has been their ability to work out some kinks in their



(Submitted photo)

The Wayne High boys golf team claimed the Mid State Conference trophy Saturday in Battle Creek. Team members are (from left) Kaje Maly, Jared Peterson, Ezra Brodersen, Ryan Grosz and Zach Keating.

Mid State Conference Team Standings

Wayne 332, Hartington CC 337, O'Neill 345, Pierce 358, Norfolk Catholic 361, Battle Creek 364, Guardian Angels CC 388, Crofton 399, Madison 401, Boone Central 404.

Top 10 Individuals

1. Kaje Maly, Wayne, 75; 2. Cody Belzer, O'Neill, 77; 3. Dalton Lammers, HCC, 79; 4. Zach Fehring, Pierce, 81; 5. Ezra Brodersen, Wayne, 82; 6. Jared Peterson, Wayne, 83; 7. Nate Gotschall, O'Neill, 84; 8. Grant Howell, HCC, 84; 9. Brad Kathol, HCC, 87; 10. Riley Krake, NC, 87.

Wayne Results

Kaje Maly	36-39	-	75
Ezra Brodersen	38-44	-	82
Jared Peterson	41-42	-	83
Ryan Grosz	48-44	-	92
Zach Keating	51-53	-	104



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Ashley Arlen (third from left) returned to Wayne recently to hang out with some of her old teammates after playing professionally this past season in Romania. Hanging out with Arlen at The Max were (from left) Anna Gerdes, Audrey Holmes, Kara Powell, Ellen Hansen and Ashton Yossi.

Arlen enjoys opportunity to play pro ball in Romania

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Playing overseas was an eye-opening journey for a former Wayne State All-American who found an opportunity to play pro basketball in Romania.

Ashley Arlen completed her standout career as a two-time All-American at Wayne State in 2012 and took advantage of an opportunity to continue her basketball career while playing for BCP Alexandria, a team that competes in the 14-team Liga Nationala women's professional basketball league in Romania.

Arlen signed on with an agent after her playing days at Wayne State were completed, and her agent sent a highlight tape out to teams in Europe to see who would be interested in signing the Cascade, Iowa native. She found her way to Romania last August, one month before the beginning of the seven-month, 27-game season.

"It was a great opportunity to go play in another country and take in their culture," Arlen said. "We got to see the Black Sea in the east, and it was just cool to see the whole country and take in everything that was important to their country."

Life on the court wasn't a whole



(Courtesy photo)

Ashley Arlen (15) averaged 13 points and nearly 10 rebounds a game during her first professional season in Romania.

lot different from her days dominating the hardwood in Rice Auditorium. She became a key element to the team's success, recording 14 double-doubles in 27 games and averaging 13 points and almost 10 rebounds a game.

"We played a lot of 2-3 zone defensively, which is what I played at Wayne State, so that was pretty nice," she said. "We had a few set offenses that we ran, but we played a lot of run-and-gun and up-tempo

offense."

Arlen made an immediate impact on the Alexandria team. In her debut, she scored 20 points and grabbed 11 rebounds in an 86-68 loss to Satu Mare, the team Alexandria would eventually face in the first round of the league playoffs.

Arlen scored a season-high 24 points in the team's final game, an 84-61 loss to Satu Mare in the third game of their three-game quarter-

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Pitching, defense keys 2-0 victory

The Wayne High baseball team was looking for a way out of a six-game slide, and they found it in the left arm of Jake Lutt.

Lutt came through with a masterful performance on a cold and breezy Saturday at Hank Overin Field, shutting down Pender on just three hits while striking out four, and the defense came through with some solid play in a 2-0 Blue Devil win.

Lutt got into a zone with the help of a solid defensive effort that turned a couple of key double plays and otherwise played solid behind their ace.

"Jake can throw off-speed for a strike, and if he gets comfortable doing that, he can really keep hitters off balance," coach Adam Hoffman said. "He didn't strike out a lot, but we played good defense behind him, and that's a big help for a pitcher like Jake."

With temperatures in the 30's and a breeze that was more winter-like than baseball fans are used to

feeling in mid-April, Hoffman said that opportunities to score were going to be at a premium, and Wayne made the most of their opportunities.

"We knew, with the kind of day that it was, that we had to be aggressive when we got runners on base, and we were able to get guys on and move them over and get a couple of runs across," Hoffman said. The first opportunity came in the second when Bradley Longe singled and came around to score on a Pender miscue. Wayne scored again in the fifth when Drew Carroll singled home Brady Soden, who had reached on an error.

That was all Wayne could muster against Pender's Jacob Sebade, who limited the Blue Devils to just three hits himself.

"Their pitcher came right at us," Hoffman said. "He threw a ton of first pitches for strikes and didn't

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Jake Lutt threw a three-hit shutout Saturday to help the Wayne High baseball team to a 2-0 win over Pender.

Wildcats drop pair of 'road' twinbills at home

Playing road games at home has become almost standard operating procedure for the Wayne State softball team.

And while playing in the familiar confines of the Chapman Complex has been something of a benefit, that wasn't the case this past weekend as Wayne State dropped a pair of doubleheaders to two of the top contending teams in the Northern Sun Conference.

On Saturday, the Wildcats dropped a pair of 1-0 games on a cold, frosty afternoon in Wayne. The games were moved here because Concordia's field was deemed unplayable after snow in Minnesota earlier in the week.

Both games were outstanding pitchers' du-

els, with the Golden Bears' Ashley Kluever outlasting Sara Scheffert and Kelcie Bormann to give Concordia both victories.

In the first game, the Golden Bears scored on a sacrifice fly in the second inning. Concordia was held to just three hits by Scheffert, who struck out four and walked three.

Unfortunately, Wayne State couldn't get anything going on offense, as they managed only a fifth-inning bunt single by Lexie Loos. Kluever shut down the Wildcats and ended up with a one-hit shutout.

Bormann also pitched well, striking out nine and scattering six hits. Concordia, however, was able to get a run across in the third

inning and made that run good enough for the win, limiting the Wildcats to a Vicki Nielsen double and hits by Bormann, Kaiti Williams and Megan Hagemann.

On Sunday, the Wildcats' offensive woes continued, as Minnesota State swept the Wildcats in a "home" game on the road, winning 4-0 and 4-2.

The Mavericks got all of their first-game runs in the fourth inning. Wayne State was limited to a Michelle Thille single, as the Mavericks touched Scheffert for the big inning to take the opener.

In the nightcap, Wayne State's bats woke up and made a game of it.

Minnesota State led 2-0 in the first, but Wayne State bounced back to tie the game. Sam O'Brien doubled Williams home with a run in the second inning, then hit a solo homer to right field in the fourth to tie the game at 2-2.

Minnesota State scored the go-ahead run in the bottom of the fourth, then added an insurance run in the sixth to finish off the two-game sweep, dropping the Wildcats to 23-11 overall and 14-5 in the NSIC.

O'Brien was 3-for-3 with two RBIs in the losing effort, while Williams, Nielsen

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Spring

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 - The NFL Draft is this week, and a former Wayne State All-American is hoping he'll be on a sideline on Sundays this fall.
 I chatted with two-time All-American punter Randy Weich on Facebook earlier this week, and the recent Wayne State graduate is optimistic about his chances of making it in the NFL.
 Weich said he didn't think his name would be called in this week's draft but has talked with officials

from two NFL teams and is holding out hope that he'll get a tryout and possibly sign as a free agent.
 I might be a tad biased, but I'd think an NFL team would love to have a guy who averaged almost 44 yards per punt for his college career. There are some punters in the NFL who dream of having that kind of an average.
 - It was good to talk with another former Wildcat All-American, Ashley Arlen, who returned home after spending the past basketball season

playing in Romania.
 Her stat sheet this year was quite reminiscent of her days in Rice Auditorium. She had 14 double-doubles in 27 games and helped her team reach the playoffs in Romania's top women's league.
 - At the start of the 2012-13 school year, we knew that the new regional setup for the NCAA Div. II Central Region would make qualifying for nationals more of a challenge.
 I don't know if we thought it would be THIS tough, though.
 Talking with Wayne State baseball coach Brian Disch, the window of opportunity for a team to qualify for the regional baseball tournament next month is about the size of a Barbie doll house.
 Only six teams qualify for regionals, and three of those qualifiers will be conference tournament champions of the NSIC, MIAA and Great American Conference. That leaves three at-large bids available for the tournament, and as this column was being written, 25 schools in the region currently sport winning records.
 At this point, Wayne State's only real shot is by winning the NSIC tournament title next month, although they could help their cause for a regional trip by finishing the season strong against No. 10 Minnesota State in this weekend's four-game set at the Chapman Complex. If they could win three of four, sweep Upper Iowa in a midweek doubleheader and find a way to split or win a season-ending series at Augustana, they might move into contention for one of those at-large spots.
 Those are a lot of ifs to fit in that tiny window.

Defense shines in Spring Game

The defense created five turnovers and held off a second half surge by the White offense to pick up a 42-32 win Saturday in the annual spring scrimmage for the Wayne State football team at Cunningham Field.

The defense created four first-half turnovers and held a 22-7 advantage at halftime, thanks to fumble recoveries by redshirt freshman linebacker Nathan Scott, junior Ben Radel and redshirt freshman linebacker Nate Kroupa, along with an interception by freshman Jon Davis.

The second half saw junior wide receiver Tonev Abraham lead a charge by the offense with two touchdowns, a 16-yard catch from freshman quarterback Zach Osborn and a 19-yarder from sophomore Brody Rohach to put the offense in front at 32-26. But the defensive unit responded as redshirt freshman linebacker Trevor Meader had a 40-yard interception return for a touchdown, followed by another interception by redshirt freshman defensive back Joey Biermann as the Black posted the 42-32 win over the White.

Redshirt freshman quarterback Zach Osborn led the offense completing 7-of-11 passes for 92 yards and one TD. Sophomore Brody Rohach was 12-of-19 with one TD and one interception for 88 yards, followed by Nate Most going 3-of-10 for 48 yards with an interception.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)
Tonev Abraham hauls in one of two touchdown catches he had for the offense during Saturday's Spring Game at Cunningham Field. The defense beat the offense, 42-32.

Redshirt freshman quarterback Brian Kent ended 1-of-6 for 56 yards and a touchdown, a 56-yard strike in the second half to sophomore wide receiver Adam Stark.
 Junior Charlie Davidson was the top rusher for Wayne State in the spring game with nine carries for 43 yards, followed by freshman Jonathan Hawkins with 24 yards on six carries.
 Tonev Abraham had a great day receiving, hauling in nine catches for 136 yards and two scores, followed by redshirt freshman tight end Eric Lammers with three catches for 17 yards. Sophomore Adam

Stark added a 56-yard TD reception.
 Defensively, freshman defensive back Maurice Morrison and Chase Samuel had six tackles each, with redshirt freshman linebacker Nathan Scott adding five to go with a sack, two forced fumbles and a fumble recovery. Redshirt freshman linebacker Nate Kroupa was credited with five tackles and a fumble recovery.
 Wayne State has nine starters on offense and eight on defense from last year's 6-5 team. The Wildcats open the 2013 season at Northern State on Saturday, Sept. 5 at 6 p.m.



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Arlen

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 Christmas, but the ring hadn't come in yet, so he did the proposal on video," she said. "It was perfect, because of all the time we spent talking on Skype and sending videos to each other."
 The season also had its scary moments, including the time a teammate jumped off a fourth-floor balcony.
 "She was really drunk and had been chasing after somebody, and she just thought she was Superwoman or something," Arlen said. "She landed on a car and was hurt pretty bad, but she survived. Still, we had news cameras everywhere, and it was just crazy."
 When her season ended two weeks ago, Arlen returned to the United States to work and spend time catching up with family and friends. She plans on returning to Europe to play again next season, and is working with her agent to find a place to play.
 "The experience in Romania was a great experience, but I want to try to play somewhere else and see where it takes me," she said.

Wildcats

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 and Kylee Simpson added singles. Wayne High graduate Cassidy Miller suffered her first collegiate loss.
 The Wildcats close out the regular season with home games Thursday at 1 p.m. against Winona State and this weekend against Minot State and University of Mary. Doubleheaders are set for Saturday and Sunday, beginning at 12 p.m. at the Chapman Complex.

Jack Belt snares a line drive for the third out during Wayne's 2-0 win over Pender on Saturday.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)
Jack Belt snares a line drive for the third out during Wayne's 2-0 win over Pender on Saturday.

Victory

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 mess around against us, and as hitters we have to do a better job of jumping on those fastballs when he's throwing them for strikes. If you get behind (in the count), and he starts throwing the off-speed stuff, it's a lot tougher to hit."
 The win was a nice one for the 3-7 Blue Devils, who saw their six-game losing streak come to an end.
 "It definitely was nice," Hoffman admitted. "We were on a bad streak and weren't getting anything going and not playing well defensively,

and when you're not doing any of that, it's a bad combination. It was nice to put a full game together and back up our pitcher with some good defense. We know we can do it, and now we just need to do it every game."
 The Blue Devils close the regular season this week with three games. They play at South Sioux City on Thursday, host Yutan Saturday for Parents' Day, then close the season with a rescheduled varsity-only home game Monday against Arlington.



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Wildcats sweep Northern in 'road' tilts

Wayne State's baseball team was the visiting team at home last weekend, sweeping the four-game "road" series with Northern State at the Chapman Complex.

On Saturday, the Wildcats got solid pitching and key hitting to win both ends of a twinbill with the Wolves, winning 9-1 and 4-2.

In the opener, Wayne State broke open a 3-0 game with four runs in the fifth inning, keyed by a two-run single by Curtis Bussard and RBI hits by Tanner Lancaster and Kevin Andersen. Bussard added a two-run single in the sixth to cap the scoring for the Wildcats.

The nine runs were more than enough for Wildcat left-handed ace Tadd Johansen, who continued his undefeated run by striking out three and allowing three hits in six innings, improving to 8-0 on the season. Andersen had three hits and Bussard added two to lead the offensive charge.

In the nightcap, Wayne State got runs in the fourth and sixth innings and never trailed after that. Brett Keim's infield single scored Andersen in the fourth, and Keim brought home Andersen again in the sixth on another hit.

The Wildcats maintained the lead for Tom Doran, who went six strong innings before Trevor Reeves came on to close the door and get his third save of the year. C.J. Nolen had two hits to lead the offensive attack.

On Sunday, the Wildcats' bats exploded for 24 runs in another doubleheader sweep, as they dominated Northern State with wins of 14-4 and 10-0 to improve to 24-10 (16-4 NSIC).

Nolen and Brandon Lalk both hit home runs in a three-run first inning that got the Wildcats rolling. Nolen homered again in the sixth



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Tadd Johansen improved to 8-0 on the season with a complete-game, three-hit pitching performance that sparked a Wayne State sweep of Northern State.

inning, and the Wildcats' bats continued to pound Northern State, putting together 17 hits in the victory.

Nolen and Lalk both had three hits and three RBIs in the opening win. Blake Brisson added a pair of RBIs, while Andersen, Keim, Michael Herman and Bussard each had RBIs.

That was more than enough for starter Eric Schwieger, who had

pitched well earlier in the year despite not getting much in the way of run support. He had plenty of backing as he struck out 10 in six innings of work, scattering five hits.

In the finale, Lalk hit a two-run homer to highlight a three-run first inning that put Wayne State on its way to the four-game sweep. Wayne State led 4-0 in the fifth when they doubled their advantage, highlighted by a Lancaster RBI triple. Ander-

sen and Scott Doggett added RBIs in the final two innings to finish off the 10-run win over the Wildcats.

Michael Frericks got his fourth win of the season, improving to 4-1 with a seven-inning effort, striking out eight and allowing just four hits.

Wayne State faces a key home series this weekend, as they host No. 10-ranked Minnesota State for 12 p.m. doubleheaders Saturday and Sunday at the Chapman Complex.

Area athletes earn medals at Wausa Invite

PIERCE - Wakefield and Winside both came away with some medal-winning performances Saturday at the Wausa Invitational, held at the Pierce High track.

Both Winside teams finished fifth, and Wakefield grabbed a pair of seventh-place finishes on the day, with the two area schools combining for four first-place medals.

Winside had a hand in three of the four winning performances on the day. The Wildcats dominated the throws in the boys division, as Garrett Watters and Gatlin Jensen both finished 1-2 in the discus and shot put. Jayd Roberts had Winside's other win of the day, taking top honors in the 100-meter hurdles after finessing second in the discus.

The other area win came from Wakefield ju-

nior high jumper Anthony Gustafson, who cleared 5 feet, 10 inches to take top honors in his specialty event.

Winside's girls got runner-up finishes from Dana Doffin (high jump) and Courtney Petzoldt (200), while Colin Hansen placed second for the Wildcat boys.

For Wakefield, Taryn Hingst brought home a pair of runner-up finishes in the distance events, taking second in the 1,600 and 3,200. Lauren Lehmkühl also had a second, placing in the 300-meter hurdles.

Both schools will compete in the Conference meet this Saturday at Ponca.

Wausa Invitational Girls Team Standings

Hartington 103, Wausa 94, Osmond 71, Bloomfield 67, Winside 65, Bancroft-Rosalie 36, Wakefield 36, Elkhorn Valley 13.

Area Medalists

High jump: 2. Dana Doffin, Winside, 4' 6"; 5. Lauren Lehmkühl, Wakefield, 4' 4". Long jump: 5. Courtney Petzoldt, Winside, 13' 10 1/4". Discus: 2. Jayd Roberts, Winside, 94'; 3. Brittany Janke, Winside, 86' 4"; 6. Kelly Tweedy, Winside, 80' 4". Shot put: 4. Tweedy, 31'. 100 hurdles: 1. Roberts, 17.6; 3. Lehmkühl, 18.1. 100: 6. Jade Hogencamp, Winside, 14.3. 3:200: 2. Taryn Hingst, Wakefield, 13:33.4. 200: 2. Petzoldt, 28.8; 5. Hailey Steece, Winside, 31.0. 800: 4. Morgan Jensen, Winside, 3:00.6. 300 hurdles: 2. Lehmkühl, 53.9. 1,600: 2. Hingst, 6:27.4; 4. Whitney Echtenkamp, Wakefield, 6:48.5; 6. Bailey Behmer, Winside, 6:53.8. 400 relay: 3. Winside, 56.0. 1,600 relay: 4. Winside, 5:00.9.

Boys Team Standings

Hartington 152, Osmond 88, Bloomfield 82, Wausa 65, Winside 45, Elkhorn Valley 40, Wakefield 18, Bancroft-Rosalie 4.

Area Medalists

High jump: 1. Anthony Gustafson, Wakefield, 5' 10". Discus: 1. Garrett Watters, Winside, 130' 6"; 2. Galtin Jensen, Winside, 126' 3". Shot put: 1. Watters, 45' 1"; 2. Jensen, 43' 3 1/2". 400: 2. Colin Hansen, Winside, 53.8; 4. Jacob Lunz, Wakefield, 55.2. 1,600: 4. Nick Gonzalez, Wakefield, 5:15.1. 400 relay: 6. Winside, 55.6.

WSC tracksters get seven firsts at Wesleyan

The Wayne State track and field teams won seven events Saturday at the Prairie Wolf Outdoor Invitational held in Lincoln and hosted by Nebraska Wesleyan University.

The Wayne State women won three events and placed third in the team standings with 129 points, trailing first place Nebraska Wesleyan (198.5) and Northern State (138).

Sara Wells posted a first-place finish in the shot put and was third in the discus. Carly Fehringer had

a first-place effort in the hammer throw and took fourth in the shot put and sixth in the discus, while junior Sidney Blum was first in the triple jump and second in the long jump for Wayne State.

Lachel Milander had a pair of second-place finishes in the hammer throw and shot put, while Mackenzie Masching scored a third-place finish in the hammer throw and fifth in the shot put.

The Wildcat men had four first-place finishes and were fourth place

with 95 points. Host Nebraska Wesleyan was first at 264 points with Northern State second at 138 and Buena Vista third at 123.

Senior thrower Brad Wright was a double winner, taking first in the discus and hammer throw. Matt Peter helped the Wayne State men dominate the throws with a win in the shot put, while the 1,600-meter relay team of Jared Balady, Zach Thomsen, Mickey Doerr and Mike King also took first place.

Other top finishers included

Mike King second in the 200-meter dash, Zach Thomsen second in the 400-meter dash and Jared Balady second in the 400-meter hurdles.

Several Wayne State athletes will be in action this weekend, competing at the Drake Relays in Des Moines, Iowa.

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Women golfers finish 13th at NSIC

Wayne State shot rounds of 394 and 410 Saturday and Sunday at the Paradise Pointe Golf Club in Smithville, Mo., in the final segment of the 2012-13 Northern Sun Conference Women's Golf Championships.

The Wildcats finished the 72-hole tournament in 13th place with a team score of 1,705, while sophomore Sarah Phinney was the top

individual finisher for Wayne State College.

Wayne State's top scorer for all four rounds was Phinney, who posted scores of 104, 104, 103 and 106 for a 72-hole total of 417. Wayne freshman Taylor Burke was next at 427 with rounds of 109, 117, 96 and 105, while Morgan Jones was the other Wildcat player that competed in all four rounds and had scores of

113, 124, 107 and 110 for a 454.

Zandria Cole had Wayne State's top scores over the weekend with rounds of 88 and 97, while Taylor Schnell also competed in Missouri and shot rounds of 115 and 102 for the Wildcats.

The meet concluded the 2012-13 schedule for the Wayne State College women's golf team.

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April 25-27 — Drake Relays, Des Moines
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Moser is named NWAGA director

Madeline Moser has been named as executive director of the Nebraska Women's Amateur Golf Association (NWAGA).

The Wayne State graduate was a USGA Boatwright Intern for the NWAGA in 2011 and 2012, assisting the organization in office management and organization of the various state women's tournaments

held during the summer months.

Prior to that, Moser worked as an intern in NCAA Div. I compliance at Kansas State University and as a box office intern for the Sioux City Explorers baseball team.

Moser holds a Bachelor's degree in sports management from Wayne State College.

WSC women still 10th in track ratings

The Wayne State women's track team remains at No. 10 in the latest Div. II computer rankings by the U.S. Track and Field and Cross Country Coaches Association.

The Wildcats have 83.42 points in the rankings, which are compiled using performance data from the current and previous outdoor seasons. Wayne State and No. 13 University of Mary are the only Northern Sun Conference schools in the rankings.

Individually, Carly Fehringer is first in the hammer throw and tied for 10th in the shot put, Lachel Milander is third in the hammer throw, Sara Wells is third in the shot put and 10th in the discus, and Emily Wells is 10th in the hammer throw.

WSC volleyball inks two stars

Wayne State volleyball coach Scott Kneiff announced the signings of two more recruits to the 2013-14 team, joining Alyssa Frauendorfer of Humphrey, Katie Kurtz of Papillion, Michaela Mestl of Kearney and Sydney Rose of Wakefield as members of the 2013 recruiting class.

Alex Opperman is a 5-foot-11 middle hitter and blocker from Omaha Gross, where she lettered three years and started two in volleyball, while also competing in basketball and track. Opperman was named honorable mention Class B All-State as a senior while helping her team to a 30-6 record and a trip to the Class B state tournament. She also helped her team make state in 2011 with a 22-11 record while being named All-River Cities Conference honorable mention. Opperman was also part of the Cougars' state championship team in 2010.

Alexis Steffen is a 5-foot-11 middle hitter and blocker from Hartington Cedar Catholic, where she was a three-sport star in volleyball, basketball and track. As a senior in volleyball, she led the Trojans to the Class C-2 state title with a 31-5 record, recording 307 kills and 128 blocks, which led her to be named honorary captain of the Omaha World-Herald and Lincoln Journal Star Class C-2 all-state teams. Steffen also helped Hartington CC to a C-2 state runner-up finish as a sophomore and another state appearance as a junior in 2011. Steffen has been selected to play in the NCA All-Star game this summer.

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Seniors Eric Held, Rob Peter and Matthew Peter present a poster to head coaches Greg Vander Weil and Aaron Schuett to show their appreciation for their guidance this season.

Wrestling club ends season with annual awards banquet

By LAURA BURTWISTLE
Special to The Wayne Herald

The Wayne State College Wrestling Club held its end-of-the-year banquet on Sunday to award wrestlers for their success this season and also to recognize supporters of the club.

The team finished the year with a cumulative GPA of 2.9. The National Wrestling Coaches Association and National Collegiate Wrestling Association awarded two Academic All-American honors to seniors Eric Held of Hinton, Iowa, and Eric Timmerman of George, Iowa.

Two academic scholarships awarded by Wayne State wrestling alumni were given to freshman Matt DeGarmo of Brainard, Neb., and senior Allyn Gonsor of Fremont, Neb. Six performance and leadership scholarships, also awarded by Wayne State wrestling alumni, were presented to DeGarmo; Held; senior Matthew Peter of O'Neill; sophomore Jon Williams of Glenwood, Iowa; senior Rob Peter of O'Neill and freshman Travis Schmitz of O'Neill.

Several wrestlers were also awarded for their individual stats on the mat this season. Matthew Peter led the team in takedowns and near fall points, Timmerman led in moves from the bottom, and DeGarmo led the team in pins with nine on the season.

As with any athletic program, success can't be achieved without the support of many people behind the scenes.

"Thank you to alumni Jerry and Rose Mundil and Craig Hellwege and Huskerland Wrestling for attending and providing funds for Wayne State Wrestling," head coach Greg Vander Weil said. "Also, a special thanks to Len Dickinson and Jule Goeller from Sand Creek Post and Beam for their tremendous and con-

tinuous support."

Five seniors wrapped up their college wrestling careers by setting the standards for all future Wayne State wrestlers to follow.

Matthew Peter achieved 155 team points in his college career, followed by his brother Rob with 91 points. Gonsor added 67 points, Timmerman 62 and Held 53.

"These five seniors will be greatly missed and will always be part of the very special history of the rebirth of Wayne State wrestling," Vander Weil said. "As a five-year-old program, these young men provided the foundation for a nationally recognized program and created the positive culture and high standards that have become Wayne State wrestling."

The Wayne State Wrestling Club accomplished many feats this season both on and off the mats. For example, the team supported the Wayne State soccer mission trip and Tenderheart Animal Rescue during the season, teaching them valuable lessons outside athletics, as well.

"I will always cherish and will continue to be these young men's coach for life; the bond is strong," Vander Weil said. "The mutual respect among all of us in the Wayne State wrestling family is what makes this experience transcend beyond the time in practice and competition. They will be great spouses, excellent fathers and role model citizens."

The Wayne State Wrestling Club is poised for continued success in the 2013-2014 season with the return of wrestlers and recruits from across the country.

The coaches and wrestlers said they would like to thank the many individuals and companies that support their team and have helped put the "Cat back on the mat" in a top-quality manner.

Wildcat softball lands three recruits

Wayne State College softball coach Krista Wood announced that three players have signed a letter of intent to attend Wayne State and play softball for the Wildcats in the 2013-2014 academic year.

Twin sisters Melanie and Monique Aleya of Phelan, Calif., and Katherine Curtis of Overland Park, Kan., will be included in the newest recruiting class, along with Alyssa Schropp of Hastings, who signed during the NCAA early-signing period in November.

Melanie Aleya is a utility player who pitches, plays first base and is a designated player at Ser-

rano High School. She has been a three-year starter and four-year letterwinner in the Mojave River League, where she was named first-team All-League in 2011 and second-team All-League in 2012. Her softball team was Mojave River League Champions in 2012, and she was part of a team that reached the 2012 quarterfinals at California Interscholastic Federation. During the 2013 season, Melanie is hitting .440 and has seven homers.

Monique Aleya, a catcher/third baseman is a three-year starter who lettered all four seasons. She was named All-Mojave River League

Second Team in 2011 and was First Team in 2012. She was also named All-Area catcher in 2012. Monique was part of the 2010 Mojave River League championship team and was also on a team that advanced to the quarterfinals of the California Interscholastic Federation. Monique currently has a batting average of .475 during the 2013 season.

Curtis is an outfielder from Blue Valley Northwest High School in Overland Park, Kan., where she has started and lettered two seasons. Individual and team statistics were not available.

Three signed for WSC track squads

Wayne State track and field coach Marlon Brink announced the signing of three recruits for the 2013-14 season.

Signing with Wayne State are Cassidy Tinsley-Hanika of Omaha, Tessa Ives from Verdigre and Jessica Pongratz of O'Neill. They join Mary Alderson from Fremont Bergan, Michael Dendinger of Coleridge, Andrea DeSimone from Plattsmouth, Emily Kaup of Stuart, Cristina Murillo of Bertrand and Aryn Smidt of West Point-Beemer as members of the 2013 track recruiting class.

Tinsley-Hanika is a four-year

letterwinner in cross country and track and field at Burke High School in Omaha and will compete in both sports at Wayne State. She is a three-time Class A state cross country qualifier, and as a junior in 2012, ran a leg on Burke's 3,200-meter relay team at state. She has also qualified for the state meet in the 1,600-meter run.

Ives is a multi-sport standout from Verdigre High School who will compete in the throws for the Wildcat track and field team. She is a two-year state track qualifier in the discus and has earned All-Niobrara Valley Conference honors in volley-

ball and basketball.

Pongratz is from O'Neill St. Mary's High School and will compete in throws. She is a three-year Class D state qualifier in the shot put and a two-year state qualifier in the discus, medaling at state once in each event. She was fifth in the Class D shot put, and, in 2011, finished fifth in the Class D discus. She also excels in volleyball and basketball, earning Class D-1 Omaha World-Herald second-team All-State honors as a senior and helped O'Neill St. Mary's to a runner-up finish in basketball this spring with a 24-3 record.

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Area athletes to compete in Northeast Track Classic

Several area athletes were selected to compete in the annual Northeast Nebraska Track and Field Classic, set for Thursday at Norfolk High School. Wayne and Laurel-Concord/Coleridge both have 10 entries in the competition. Wakefield, Allen and Winside also will be represented in the event.

3,200: Sadie Petersen, LCC. (Alternate: Josephine Peitz, Wakefield.)
1,600 relay: LCC.
Shot put: Lexi Sokol, Wayne.
Triple jump: (Alternate: Rachel Finnegan, Allen.)
 High jump: Audra Corbit, LCC; Ashton Schweers, Wayne.
Boys Events
110 hurdles: (Alternate: Jared Anderson, Wayne.)
100: Demetrius Alexander, Wayne.
1,600: Josh Dolph, Wakefield.
400 relay: LCC, Wayne.
400: Justin Saunders, LCC.
300 hurdles: Jared Anderson, Wayne.
800: Josh Dolph, Wakefield; Jacob Lunz, Wakefield.
200: Demetrius Alexander, Wayne.
Triple jump: Colin Hansen, Winside.
High jump: Grant Anderson, Wayne; Anthony Gustafson, Wakefield; Ben Hoskins, Wayne.

Girls Events
3,200 relay: Allen.
100: Ellie Arduser, LCC.
1,600: Sadie Petersen, LCC.
400 relay: LCC, Wayne.
400: Rachel Finnegan, Allen.
300 hurdles: Kelsey Dietrich, LCC.
800: Angie Nelson, Wayne. (Alternates: Candice Rastede, Allen; Alyssa Schmale, Wayne.)
200: Ellie Arduser, LCC.



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Running for Betty

About 100 participants took part in the first Betty Robins Memorial 5K, a fundraiser for Wayne youth sports. Betty's family (top) photo were on hand for the event, and a number of kids she had in her daycare (bottom) ran in the race. Robins provided daycare for many local residents for many years before passing away in 2012.

Autism events held at Wayne schools

Wayne Community Schools kicked off Autism awareness month by celebrating Autism Speaks "Light it Up Blue" day on April 2.

Throughout the month, different activities have been held to focus on teaching staff and students about autism and its impact on students and their families.

Autism statistics from the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) identify around 1 in 88 American children as on the autism spectrum. An estimated 1 out of 54 boys and 1 in 252 girls are diagnosed with autism in the United States. Whether you or your child already know someone with autism or are just getting to know someone, Wayne's Special Education department hopes you find the following information helpful.

Communication, social interaction, and repetitive behaviors are often viewed as the "core" symptoms of Autism although their severity can vary significantly in each individual. It can affect learning in the areas of attention, communication, social skills, auditory processing, generalization of skills, difficulties with imitating behavior, behavioral

issues, sequencing, and transitions.

While there are a lot of things that may be difficult for the student with Autism, it is important to remember to look at what they CAN do. These students often have strong visual performance skills, an ability to learn and follow routines, have focused attention related to special interests, strong rote memory, and are honest. If you make an effort to include, communicate, understand and respect, everyone wins.

In an effort to better serve our stu-

dents, Wayne Community Schools is taking part in a two-year training allowing us to establish our own district Autism team. Team members include Winter Stewart, Emily Sims, Rachel Kerby, Sara Jaixen, Dori Heitz, Molly Redden, Stacy Yagow, and Misty Bear.

If you have any questions or would just like more information, please call one of the district Autism team members at (402) 375-3854.

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The club started the Celebration of the Arts event as a youth appreciation project, to honor and recognize students who aren't necessarily the best athletes or brightest scholars, but instead make the world a better and brighter place through visual literary, applied or performing arts.

This year, eight Wayne area schools were asked to nominate two elementary students (K-4 or K-6), two middle school or junior high school students (5-8 or 7-8) and two senior high school students who ex-

cel in any or all art disciplines to be honored at the 10th Annual Celebration of the Arts.

The keynote speaker for the Evening was Alan Penner, Nebraska Optimist District Governor from Omaha. Mr. Penner then assisted Cindy VonFange, Wayne Optimist Vice President, by presenting Medals and certificates to students from Allen Consolidated Schools, Emerson-Hubbard Community Schools, Laurel/Concord/Coleridge Schools, Pender Public Schools, St. Mary's Catholic School, Wakefield Community Schools, Wayne Community Schools, Winside Public Schools, and Wisner-Pilger Public Schools.

Wayne Community Schools students honored were Treyton Blecke, Kiera Hochstein, Symphony Jareske, Kendra Liska, Jonah and Ezra

Brodersen, Seth Hockstein, and Paige Milliken.

St. Mary's Catholic students recognized were Andrew Brink, Ryan Karsky and Madison Kaup.

Winside Public Schools students recognized were Colin Hansen, Dakota Spann, Laurel Olson, Kylie

Cautrell, Dylan Brogren, and Abby Schwedhelm.

Samantha Glassmeyer and Britany Cudaback from Wayne were also recognized for designing the new medallion for the participants in celebration of the club's 10th anniversary.



Wayne Community Schools students present at the Celebration of Arts event were (left) Treyton Blecke, Kiara Hochstein, Symphony Jareske, Kendra Lisha, Jonah Brodersen and Ezra Brodersen.



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Central Community College honors Wayne High grad

Special recognition awards were presented to students April 16 at the 44th annual Student Recognition and Awards Convocation at Central Community College - Hastings campus.

Among those receiving recognition was Andrew Long of Wayne, who served as a Resident Assistant at the college during the past school year.

Resident assistants are responsible for promoting and maintaining a favorable living environment in the residence halls.

Andrew is the son of Bill and Diane Long of Wayne.



Wayne Junior High students selected to be a part of the Pierce Honor Band included (front) Allison Echtenkamp, Jenna Trenhaile, Callie Brown (first chair), Sarah Wibben, Morgan Barner, Sydnie Niemann, Marta Pulfer, Liz Junck, and Kelsey Boyer (middle row) Halie Chinn, Megan Keiser, Caitlin Janke, Grace Heithold (first chair), Emily Matthes, Hannah Belt, Marcella Jurotich, Kortney Keller, Maddy Stenka, Lindsey Sandoz and Kiara Hochstein. (back) Brennen O'Reilly, Nate Burrows, Steve Keiser, Sam Bruckner, Mikey Reyes, Michael Kniesche, James Kielty, Seth Hochstein, Brian Sinniger, Daniel Maxson and Jonah Brodersen.

Wayne students participate in band festivals

A number of Wayne Junior High and High School students took part in two music festivals in recent weeks.

On April 13 the Annual Norfolk Junior High Instrumental Festival was held the Norfolk Junior High School in Norfolk.

"All these students did an outstanding job and represented Wayne High School at a very high level," said Brad Weber, Director of Bands at Wayne High School.

At this competition, students are given a Superior rating or no rating, based on their performance.

Listed below are the Wayne High School ninth grade band students who participated in the event.

- Mikayla Bartos and Jacob Abraham - Trumpet Duet - Superior;
- Jack Tyson - Trombone Solo;
- Michaela Fehringer - Flute Solo;
- Ashlyn Pecena - Flute Solo - Superior;
- Mikyla Bartos - Flute Solo - Superior;
- Jewel Knief - Alto Saxophone Solo - Superior;
- Nicole Craft - Tenor Saxophone solo - Superior;
- Jenessa Kardell, Kaitlyn McAllister, Sylvia Jager - Clarinet Trio - Superior;
- Tabitha Belt & Ashlyn Pecena -

- Flute Duet - Superior
- Nicole Craft & Jewel Knief - Saxophone Duet - Superior;
- Kaitlyn McAllister - Clarinet Solo - Superior;
- Jenessa Kardell - Clarinet Solo - Superior;
- Sylvia Jager - Clarinet Solo - Superior;

- Jacob Abraham - Trumpet Solo.
- On April 6 the Annual Pierce sixth - ninth grade Pierce Honor Band Festival was held at Pierce High School.
- Students had to audition and be accepted to perform in one of the

two Honor Bands. The students practiced in the morning starting at 8:30 a.m. with the guest clinicians Mary Crandell from Waukee, Iowa, who directed the Blue Honor Band and Chris Crandell from Johnston, Iowa, who conducted the White Band.



Wayne High School students chosen to take part in the Pierce Honor Band Festival included, (front) Mikyla Bartos, Kaitlyn McAllister, Nicole Craft (first chair), Taylor Swanson and Mikayla Bartos (back) Jacob Abraham, Sylvia Jager (first chair), Miranda Long, Jewel Knief, Jenessa Kardell and Meg Osnes (first chair).

Northeast Agriculture students place fourth at NACTA Judging Conference

Northeast Community College students finished in fourth place in sweepstakes for two-year colleges at the 2013 North American Colleges and Teachers of Agriculture (NACTA) Judging Conference held at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, Texas.

Northeast was one of 23 community colleges and 18 university teams to compete in the April 3-5 conference.

Northeast's Crops Contest team placed second overall as well as in the agronomic test and math test, third in lab practical and fourth overall in plant identification. Team members include Cameron Christensen, Brennan Christman, St. Edward, Andy Doerr, Creighton, and Aaron Spenner, West Point.

Individually, Doerr placed second in the math test, tied for third in the agronomic test, and took fourth overall and in lab practical. Christensen tied for third in the agronomic test, fifth overall and in lab practical, and ninth in plant identification. Spenner placed fourth in the math test and eighth in the agronomic test.

Others participating in the Crops Contest were Alex Cornwell, Genoa, Rodger Haselhorst, Randolph, and Tyler Jaeger, Winside.

The Livestock Management team placed fifth overall and in calcula-

tions and fourth in the written exam. Team members include Rena Hoelscher, Norfolk, Brent Johnson, Brighton, CO, Jacob Soukup, O'Neill, and Luke Zeisler, Butte. Individually, Zeisler placed fifth in the written exam and ninth overall.

The Northeast Ag Computers team placed third in the written exam and fifth overall. Team members include Garth Forbes, Brunswick, Jason Miller, Coleridge, Amanda Luhr, Wakefield, and Nick Rempe, Superior.

Individually, Luhr placed eighth in applications and eighth overall, Rempe took fifth place in the written exam, Miller placed sixth in the written exam, and Forbes placed eighth in the written exam.

The Agribusiness Management team took second place in the written exam. Team members include Luhr, Miller, Ryan Burbach, Carroll, and Jessy Eggerling, Milford. Individually, Luhr placed third in the written exam.

Several other Northeast teams competed at NACTA. Teams include Ag Communications - Megan Dreyer, Wisner, Stephanie Racely, Wayne, Nikki Schwedhelm, Arlington, and Courtnie Smith, Yutan. Members of the Dairy Judging team - Kecey Huntley, Stanton, Jessica Thomas, Mead, Preston Wendt, Leigh, and Jake Veskerna, David City.

Horse Judging team members - Forbes, Katrina Olmer, Norfolk, Ally Reigle, Norfolk, and Dani Schnedier, Allen. Members of the Livestock Judging Team - Thomas, Wendt, Veskerna, Kecey Huntley, Stanton, and John Tomasek, Craig.

Those on the Northeast Meats Judging team - Miller, Tomasek, Kasey Hoffman, Clearwater, and Nick Rempe, Superior. Soils team members - Christman, Corn-

well, Chance Lambrecht, Osmond, and Derek Oestreich, Pierce. Five members make up the Northeast Ag Knowledge team - Christensen, Lambrecht, Smith, Zeisler, and Kyle Krula, North Bend.

The Northeast students were accompanied to Lubbock by Agriculture Instructors and Coaches Mike Roeber, Hilary Maricle, and Bernie Thyen.

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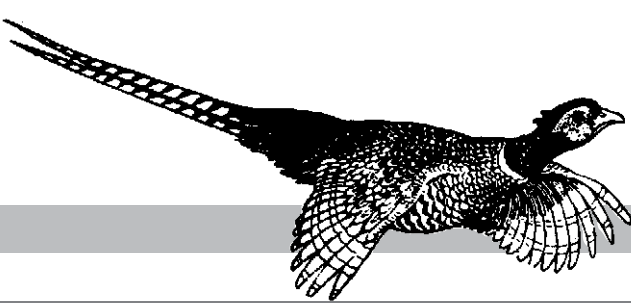
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Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes
Managing Editor

NPA awards nice, but local kudos are greater value

Now that spring is FINALLY here (or IS it?), it's time for a good spring cleaning of the "Bits and Pieces" file:

– Winning press awards is, to be sure, a very subjective pursuit.

You can sit three writers, editors or photographers down with a box full of the best writing, page design and photography, and it's almost a sure bet that you will get completely different opinions from each of them on which one is the best of the bunch.

The Wayne Herald was honored recently with the receipt of five honors in the Nebraska Press Association's Better Newspaper Contest. Our peers in Michigan judged entries from all across the state, picking out the best ads, articles, columns, photos and other newspaper-related entries from the previous year.

This was the first time we had entered the contest during my tenure here. It's a time-consuming process, and I felt we had anything better to do than enter a contest where our work is judged by individuals who, in my opinion, were questionable in their qualifications for determining the best of the best.

On the other hand, I've won a ton of these awards over the years, and it's always nice to get an extra pat on the back from your fellow members of the working press for a job well done. Some of the entries we had that didn't win, I felt, were better than some of those that did. Still, it was nice to receive the honors that we earned, and we'll proudly display them in the office.

Of course, the annual press honors pale in comparison to the day-to-day kudos we get from the people whose opinions we most value – our readers. We'll take those every day of the week, because they mean a lot more coming from the people who rely on us, more than any other source, to cover their local news.

– One of the items that was talked about at length during this year's press convention was the growing use of the Internet. Many newspapers have their own web pages (ours is www.mywaynenews.com, if you didn't already know), but there is still some hesitation on the part of some publishers and editors as to what a newspaper should or should not post on its website.

Some newspapers feel that posting their stories online, where people can view them for free, is the equivalent of giving away the store. They seem to think that daily updates of their websites takes away from the real purpose of their work, which is to put out a weekly newspaper.

Here at The Wayne Herald, we are excited about promoting our website, and we try to keep the site updated and fresh on a daily basis. We have seen a growing interest in our website – traffic has more than doubled in the past year alone – and there is much more we would like to do with the site as technology continues to advance.

We are the only local media outlet that provides weekly interviews with Wayne State coaches with the Wayne State Coaches Show, a video that can be seen on mywaynenews.com every week during the school year. We have become the online Voice of the Wildcats with our weekly videocast, and we are looking to do even more with video (and audio) on the site in the future.

It's not easy, though – with the limited staff we have, it's a challenge for each of us to combine our traditional news coverage with things like video and breaking news updates on the website (and also on Facebook, which is where you can "like" us by searching for The Wayne Herald). We are also providing school closing information on the website, something that wasn't possible for newspapers to provide in the days before the Internet.

There is a lot more that we have on our "to-do" list for mywaynenews.com. My wish list for the website includes everything from providing a place to order photo reprints to expanded coverage of our six area schools' sports programs (including Wayne State College). We have so much to offer the Wayne area with our website that nobody else is capable of doing, and we're looking forward to adding to our website as the opportunities present themselves.

It has long been said that if you're not growing, you're dying. While the mainstream media is only too happy to discuss the death of the newspaper industry, the fact of the matter is that The Wayne Herald is far from flatlining – and we fully intend to continue our longstanding tradition as Wayne's go-to source for local news and information.

– Annnnd finally, from the "I'll believe it when I feel it" department: the weather forecasters are calling for temperatures in the 70's this weekend and into next week.

These are the same weather forecasters who were calling for sunny skies and temperatures in the 50's on Saturday . . . which was only 20 degrees off – and cloudy.

After the spring we've had so far, all I can say is that I don't want to hear anybody complain this summer when the temperature gets up in the 90's, and it's hot and humid.

Capitol View School finance under debate

By J.L. SCHMIDT
Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association

When it comes to choosing sides on taxation and spending issues in Nebraska, it all boils down to whose ox is getting gored.

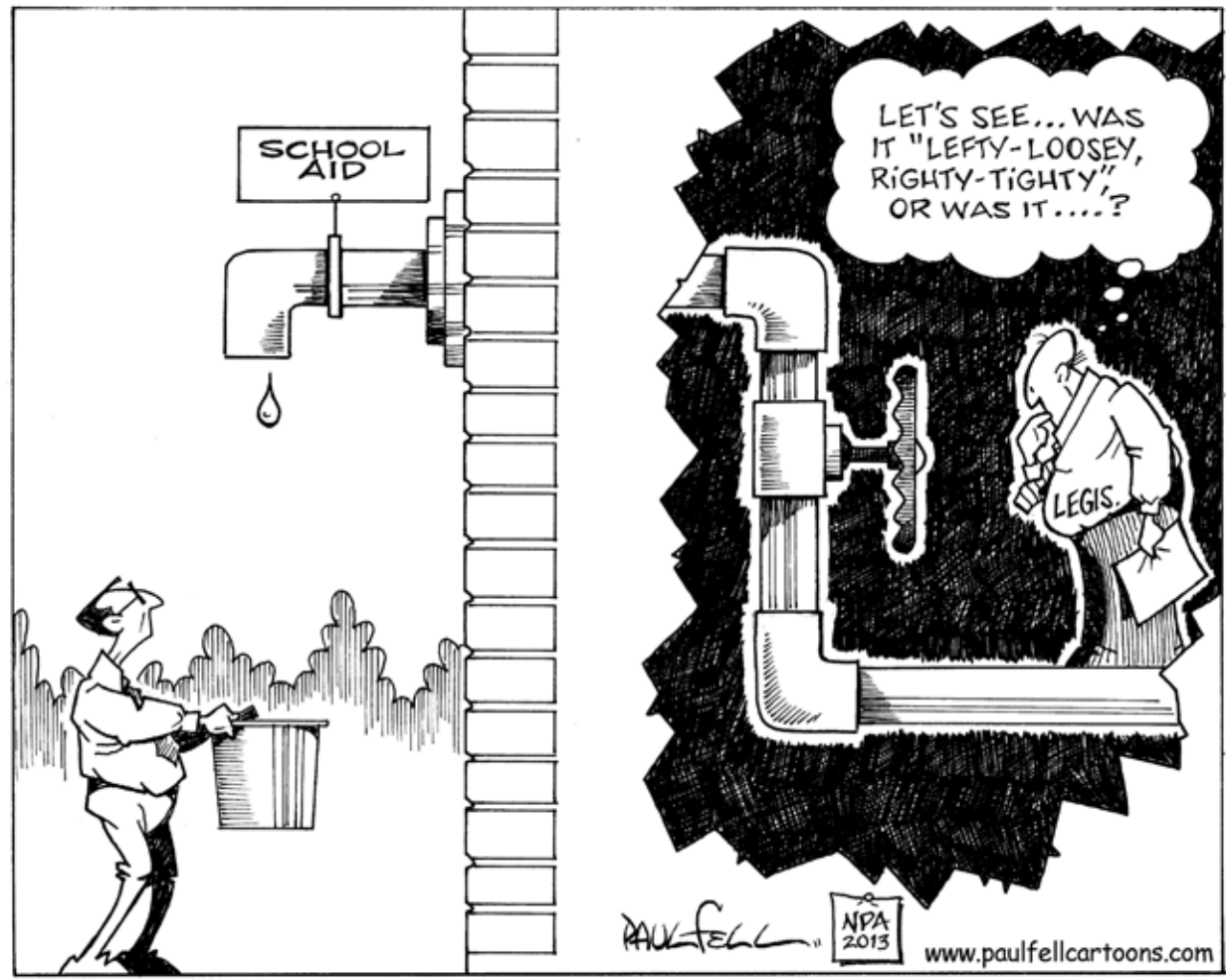
School finance is one of those issues that has historically – the current formula is 23 years old (even though it gets tweaked every couple years), and school financing agreements were being made before Nebraska was even a state back in 1867 – been a battle between large and small, the perceived "haves" and the "have nots."

In a few weeks, the current Legislature will address yet another set of proposed changes in LB407, a measure advanced 5-3 by the Education Committee and championed by chair Sen. Kate Sullivan of Cedar Rapids. As in the past, the changes are intended to reflect the current state of the economy. Stopgap measures, some would say. Band-Aids, according to others. Weeks of negotiation by the committee failed to reach a compromise by large and small school districts.

If one doubts that school finance is serious business in Nebraska, know that the Nebraska Council of School Administrators has a website dedicated strictly to the issue. The Nebraska Association of School Business Officials, an affiliate of NCSA, provides oversight.

The website explains the intricacies of TEEOSA, (Tax Equity & Educational Opportunities Support Act) which is the current school finance formula for Nebraska public schools. TEEOSA was originally enacted by the Nebraska Legislature in 1990 and amended numerous times since then.

The website says it best: "School finance has a direct correlation and consequence to children and their educational opportunities, their present lives and their future. Any parent with children in school and/or any proponent of equity and quality of educational opportunities has a vested interest in school finance policy, within all levels of



government."

"A direct consequence to children's lives and their future." Pretty ominous words to what often boils down to arguments between school lobbyists and the senators who propose or support changes.

"Even before Nebraska was a state, the responsibility to fund education has been shared between state and local sources," Sen. Sullivan said. "Just as school funding has been continually revised, we continue to study the formula to improve it and make it fit in current circumstances."

She said the bill makes two types of changes. The first would be permanent modifications; the second would phase in the scheduled return to permanent provisions that were temporarily modified over the last few years in response to economic

conditions. Some of the permanent changes would allow tuition and transportation fees paid to other districts to be included in general fund operating expenditures. The teacher education allowance, the instructional time allowance, averaging adjustment and the local choice adjustment would be eliminated.

The phase in provisions would include a base limitation allowable growth rate (the amount the budget could grow) for school districts of 1.5% for 2013-14 and a local effort rate (the amount of local tax support) of \$1.03 for 2013-14 and 2014-15. The base limitation rate for school districts was 0.5% for 2012-13 and would return to the permanent provisions of 2.5% for 2014-15. The local effort rate was \$1.0395 for 2012-13 and would return to the permanent provisions of \$1.00 for

2015-16.

During testimony on the bill in February, Hastings Public Schools superintendent Craig Kautz said the bill was not a perfect solution for his district, but the best proposal for the state because it is a collaborative effort. Ralston Board of Education President Linda Richards opposed the bill, saying that her district constantly has had to adjust and make sacrifices to accommodate a continually evolving aid formula.

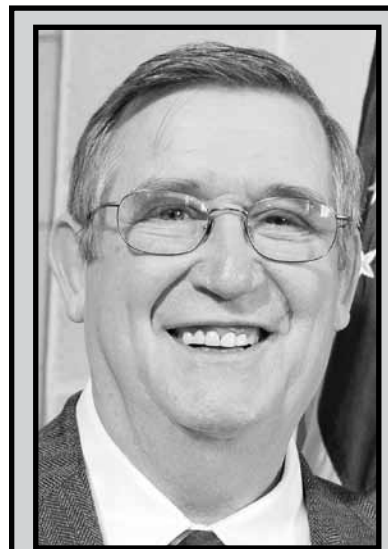
The bottom line: smaller districts seemed to support the measure as advanced. Lobbyists for the larger districts vowed to take the fight to the floor of the Legislature. Such battles are generally messy and do have consequences. With the session in its final 30 days, time is of the essence.

Legislative Update LB577 status does not appear to be good

This week we started debate on LB577, introduced by Sen. Kathy Campbell of Lincoln, which would expand Medicaid in Nebraska. This is a contentious issue that is being brought about due to the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA), otherwise known as Obamacare.

As written, LB577 would expand and require Nebraska Medicaid to add adults made eligible by the

ACA. The bill will provide health insurance for any adults from 0 to 138 percent of the federal poverty level. The proponents of this bill argue that this is a great move for those that would be considered the "working poor" in Nebraska. They further argue that, for the first three years, the federal government will cover 100 percent of the costs related to this expansion. After three years, Nebraska will be required to pick



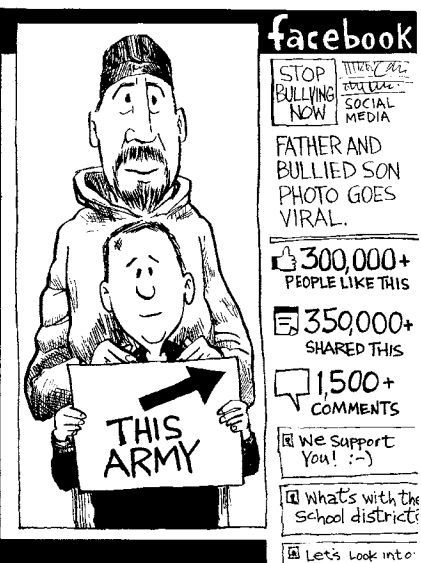
Legislative Update
By Dave Bloomfield
State Senator, District 17

up part of the cost.

Anyone who has read my weekly newsletters will not be surprised to hear that I am vehemently opposed to LB577. I was opposed to the ACA, and I am opposed to expanding Medicaid in our state. While I

wish everyone had adequate health insurance, I do not think it is the responsibility of the government to provide it. The federal government is nearly \$17 trillion in debt; the price tag for the expansion in Nebraska for Fiscal Year (FY) 2013-14 is \$263,250,919. That is what the federal government is supposed to pay us, but how? They do not have that kind of money. In FY 2016-17, this expansion is expected to cost the state \$7,353,752. That may not sound like a lot in the big picture of the state budget, but I would argue that these are projections, and we have no way to know what the exact price tag will be, nor do we have the money.

We debated LB577 on Tuesday and Wednesday, with no action being taken on the bill. With only 27 days left in the session, I am not sure when or if LB577 will be back on the agenda unless a compromise has been made, and I do not know that there is a compromise that could be made on this bill. This bill, this idea and this spending of millions and millions of taxpayer money needs to go away. I am pleased that the governor also seems to oppose this idea.



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Allen News

Missy Sullivan
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State Science Fair

Coleman Kneifl placed in the top 10 in the Senior High School Division.

He now gets to present his project at the AAAS National Science Fair in Chicago, Ill. on Feb. 12-16, 2014.

Rachel Kneifl placed in the top ten Junior High School Division. Amanda Finnegan received the US Armies Top Five Junior High Projects at NJAS.

FFA Banquet

The Annual FFA Banquet will be held on Friday, April 26 at the Allen gym starting at with the auction at 6 p.m. followed by the meal at approximately 7 p.m.

The speaker this year will be Reed Allen from Pender. He will be speaking about the influence FFA makes in the lives of students. There will be a labor auction for the FFA students, and also an auction of donated items from students and local businesses.

The 2013-2014 officers will be announced during the evening along with highlights of the year, and awards presented.

Athletic Awards Night

The 2012-2013 Athletic Awards Night will be on Monday, April 29 at the Allen gym at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

K-4th Grade Spring Concert

The K-4 grade Spring Concert will be held on Tuesday, April 30 at 7 p.m. at the Allen Gym. Everyone is invited to attend.

Elementary Track Meet

The Elementary Track Meet will be held Wednesday, May 1st at the Allen football field. Students in grades K-6 will be participating starting at 1 p.m.

NECC Academic Contest

Congratulations were extended to the students who competed in the NECC Academic Contest and Quiz Bowl on April 15 as well as the following students who placed: Robyn Levine – first place in American Government and second place in Physics; Rachel Finnegan – second place in Library Usage; Kathryn O'Keefe – second place in Chemistry; Austin Crom – second place in Geography; Mickie Murdock –

third place in Literature; and Caleb Thomas – third place in Algebra 1. This was a very large competition with at least 39 schools in attendance.

Allen Community Club

The Allen Community Club met April 15 at the gas station.

President Dean Chase called the meeting to order. The secretary and treasurer's reports were read and approved.

Old business was discussed. The club is within \$4,000 of raising the funds for an electronic digital sign to be placed on the school grounds where the present outdated sign is located. All school, community organizations, church, etc. notices of events will be put on that sign. Anyone wishing to make a donation to that fund may do so in the sign account at the Security Bank.

A second project of the Allen Community Club – the new playground equipment – was also discussed. It was decided what equipment to order and fundraising will now begin. Again any donations can be made at Security Bank into the playground account. Raffle tickets for an iPad, a television, and/or gift certificate will be sold for one ticket for \$5 and three tickets for \$10.

Other fundraising activities were discussed including sponsoring the Saturday, July 6 parade at 10:30 a.m. and carnival-type activities and lunch in the park following the parade.

The spring community cleanup day will be Wednesday, May 8. Items to be removed are to be on the curb and no bigger than what junior high students can lift. No one will go into homes to remove items. The community garage sale day will be Saturday, June 8. Anyone wishing to be included in the map of garage sales should contact Marcia Rastede at (402) 635-2214. There was no new business.

Springbank Library

Remodeling

The Springbank Library will be closed due to remodeling, with hopes of being open early summer.

If you have any concerns or questions please call one of the members on the board. Gloria Dowling (635-2021), Stephanie Jorgensen (635-2177), Betty Carr (635-2503), Bailey McMahon or Lisa Gunsolley at

(635-2203).

Allen Park Improvement

The Allen Community Club is working to replace the aging playground equipment at the Allen Park. Please watch in the Allen News and the Allen, NE Community info page on Facebook. They will share information about many fun and exciting events to come in the near future to help them raise money needed to accomplish this task. If you have any questions, Please contact Greta Kraemer at (402) 635-2826 or e-mail gbtollf@hotmail.com.

Life Serve Blood Center

The Life Serve Blood Center will be at the Allen Consolidated School Blood Drive on Wednesday, May 8 from 2-7 p.m. at the school's Common's Area.

Wayne Optimist Club Winners

The Wayne Optimist Club Winners selected this year are: Madison Schneiders, Issac Verzani, Rachel Kneifl, Chase Johnson, and Lindsey Jones.

Allen Alumni Weekend

Allen Alumni weekend has something for everyone. Beginning Friday morning, July 5, breakfast is being served at the Allen Senior Center. Friday evening brings a light supper at the Fire Hall with time to socialize and visit with honor classes 1962 and 1963.

Saturday morning, July 6 the Methodist Church will serve breakfast at the Fire Hall. Something new this year: a Saturday morning parade with entries including farm machinery, four-wheelers, kids and pets, which starts at the school and ends at the park.

The Dixon County Museum will also be open. That evening, the banquet at the school will begin at 6:30 p.m., followed by Memorial Fireworks at the football field at 9:30 p.m. More information and entry forms coming as the date approaches.

Ladies Night Out

The Allen American Legion Auxiliary Unit 131 will present Ladies Night Out on Saturday, April 27, from 6-9 p.m. at the Allen Fire Hall. The cost is \$5. There will be vendors, shopping, finger foods, door prizes, an auction and much.

Allen Book Club

Allen Book Club is reading Save

Me by Lisa Scottoline. The book tells the story of a volunteer mom who is forced to choose between rescuing her daughter and leading other children to safety. Learn how she attempts both, and the ramifications of her choices. Book Club meets every third Thursday at 2 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Senior Center

Friday, April 26: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. – Breakfast casserole, sausage links, tomato juice, mandarin oranges.

Monday, April 29: Hamburger deluxe, potato wedges, green beans, applesauce.

Tuesday, April 30: Pork chops, baked potatoes, carrot salad, and pineapple.

Wednesday, May 1: Liver and onions or burger, mashed potatoes, peas, cherry crisp.

Thursday, May 2: Chicken fried steak, potato salad, Harvard beets, and apricots.

Friday, May 3: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. – French toast, ham slice, ap-

ple juice and fruit cocktail.

Community Birthdays

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

Saturday, April 27: Alan Chapman, Jarod Lund, Shannon Rid-enour.

Sunday, April 28: Lisa Linafelter, Scott & Dawn Sybrant (A).

Monday, April 29: Coleman Kneifl, Frank Plueger, Karli Ferris, Misty Sands.

Tuesday, April 30: Chad Kallsen, Rick & Diane Stewart (A).

Wednesday, May 1: Matt Hingst, Michael Sullivan.

Thursday, May 2: Paul Madsen, Zachary Bathke, Donna Roland.

Friday, May 3: Ross Lund, Brian Stewart, Eddie Seneviratne, Barry & Lori Mischke (A).

Community Calendar

Friday, April 26: Senior Center brunch, 8:30 a.m.; FFA Banquet at school – auction at 6 p.m. followed by supper at 7 p.m.

Saturday, April 27: L&C track

meet at Ponca 10 a.m.; Ladies Night Out at Fire Hall, 6-9 p.m.

Monday, April 29: Exercising at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; walking at Senior Center, 9:30 a.m.

Tuesday, April 30: Dominos at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; card playing at Senior Center, 1:30 p.m.; spring concert for K-4 grades, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, May 1: Exercising at Senior Center, 9:30 a.m.; Elementary track meet at football field 1 p.m.; ACCTS at First Lutheran Church, 3:45-5 p.m.; First Lutheran Church Confirmation at Allen, 7 p.m.

Thursday, May 2: Dominos at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; high school track meet at Laurel – Win-side meet 10 a.m.; driver's license exams at Ponca

Friday, May 3: Brunch at Senior Center 8:30 a.m.; senior's last day of school; junior high track meet at Hartington, 2:30 p.m.; Arbor Day presentation at 2:45 p.m. for grades K-6.

Acme Club learns about two national parks

The Acme Club met April 15 at Tacos & More for a Dutch treat coffee and dessert meeting. There were seven members and one guest, Cleo Lynch, present.

President Joann Temme called the meeting to order. Ruth Victor gave the Thought for the Day, "No Regrets." Guilt feels rotten, but there's an upside – it reminds us we've done something wrong so we can make amends and set things right.

Since misery loves company, I know I'm not alone.

A nagging conscience not only moves us to action, it propels us forward when you truly do something wrong, acknowledge responsibility and apologize. After making amends, do ask for the power to forgive yourself.

Don't let history repeat itself. Roll call was answered by responding if we are ready for spring.

A picture post card was received and read from member Pat Straight. Joann Temme gave the program on two National Parks which are located on opposite ends of the nation.

Kobuk Valley National Park was proclaimed a national monument in December of 1978 and established as a national monument in December of 1980. It is enclosed by the Baird and Waring Mountains. It includes the middle two-thirds of the Kobuk River, the 25-square mile Great Kobuk Sand Dunes, and the Little Kobuk and Hunt River and dunes, which were created by the grinding action of ancient glaciers

and carried by wind to the valley.

The park is located in northwest Alaska 25 miles north of the Arctic Circle and the nearest city is Fairbanks. The park offers back country camping, hiking, backpacking and dog sledding. There are no designated trails or roads in the park. It covers 1,750,716 acres (2,735.49 square miles) which is approximately the size of Delaware. No roads lead to the park and it is only reachable by foot, dogsled, snowmobile and chartered air taxis from Nome and Kotzebue year round.

It is one of the least visited in the National Park system, with the majority of visitors coming in August. The most visible animals are the 500,000 caribou of the western Arctic herd. The herd migrates annually between their winter breeding grounds, south of the Waring Mountains and their summer calving grounds, north of the Baird Mountains.

Native people depend on the caribou for food, clothing, shelter and tools, using the entire animal. Other wildlife found in the park are moose, Dall sheep, bears, both grizzly and black, wolves, coyotes and foxes.

Eighty-three species of birds have been identified within the park and 25 species of fish within the Kobuk River drainage.

What do you wear 40 miles north of the Arctic Circle? Sunscreen. During the summer, the thermometer can reach 100 degrees.

The Dry Tortugas National Park

consists of seven tiny islands composed of coral reefs, white sandy beaches and surrounding tropical waters. The area is known for its famous bird and marine life, its legends of pirates and sunken gold, and sheer unspoiled beauty.

The park has an official bird list of 299 species. Birdwatching activity peaks each spring (usually April) when dozens of migratory bird species can pass through the park in a single day. Fort Jefferson, the largest of the 19th century American coastal forts, is a central feature.

Ponce De Leon discovered these islands in 1513 and named them "Las Tortugas" meaning "the turtles" in Spanish because of the abundance of sea turtles that provided his ships with fresh meat, but there was no fresh water. The park is located 70 miles west of Key West, Fla. and is reached by ferry or seaplane and has almost 80,000 visitors each year. It is so remote even your cell phone won't work.

If you visit the island, you should bring along everything you will need as there are no stores and it is "dry" as there is no fresh water and water is not provided by the park.

In January of 1935, President Franklin D. Roosevelt visited the area by ship and designated the area as Forst Jefferson National Monument. In October of 1992, The Dry Tortugas, including Fort Jefferson, was established as a National Park.

The next meeting of the Acme Club will be Monday, May 6 for a 9 a.m. breakfast.

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Reception in the commons following the concert



Piano recital

Students in Headley Music Studio presented a recital at The Oaks on April 19. Several students performed solos and duets to entertain the residents at the facility. Taking part were, (front) Cate Worner, Alyssa Chinn, Emily Eilers and Karlee Janke. (back) Jonathan Worner, Rachel Johnson, Caitlin Janke, Halie Chinn and Grace Heithold. Not pictured, Courtney Brink.

ELDERFEST RESCHEDULED DANCE

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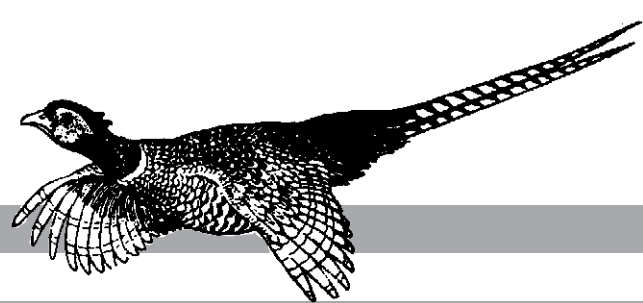
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Parents are key in child development School Lunches

The years from birth to age 5 are important times in a child's learning ability because the brain is developing at a faster pace than it does at any other point in a child's

life. Parents play an important role in their child's life, and it's crucial to be there and be engaged during this developmental stage.

It's important for parents and others working with children to allow the kids to play, investigate and have the freedom to do their own thing within a safe, structured environment. Parents should take the time to play with their kids to help them learn. Some preschools today are so concentrated on teaching children how to read, learning numbers and learning letters, that they are skipping the steps young children really need: learning by playing.

Relationships are an important factor because children need security and nurturing in order to grow. They need to be secure in their environment. Families should give children lots of hugs and spend time with them to let their children

Amy Topp
Extension Educator
4-H & Youth

know they can be depended on. This builds trust in children. When they have a sense of safety and self-assurance, they can learn. This trust in relationships needs to happen before kids get into a more structured learning environment.

Another important factor is emotional development. Children need to feel good about themselves despite frustrations and failures. Encouragement from the parents helps with good self-worth so they can go on by saying "it's okay that didn't work out the first time, but I'm going to keep trying." Instead of constantly yelling "No" or "Don't do that", parents should help their children understand why they shouldn't do that particular thing or why they should move on. That helps develop trust and understanding.

Children are very social. Some of the first things they learn are "hi" and "bye". They are watching everything around them, and it's important for them to learn social concepts from their parents. If a stranger comes and wants to hold the child, parents should talk to the person and have the person interact with the child. After the child becomes more comfortable with this stranger, then the stranger can hold the child. The child needs to trust this person before he or she invades the child's space. Parents can help the child with social skills by helping them meet new people.

Families are a child's first teacher and the home is the first classroom. Many parents think a child will learn when he gets to school, but that's not true. Social relationships, language and every day things are vitally important for parents to share with their children and teach their children before they get to school. The home is the perfect place for kids to be educationally stimulated. Toys can be great, but the simple things like measuring cups in the kitchen, fruit or other things in the environment are important for kids to play with. They need time to feel the dirt outside

and experience things around them when in a safe environment.

Parents should also be mindful that every child grows at his or her own pace. Some parents think there's a problem if their child isn't developing in one area to the level they have read about for that age or they are not at the same level as a neighbor child the same age. They think something is wrong because the child is very developed in a different area, but not in another. Children sense their parents' worry. Parents need to remember they work with their child to build social skills, trust and create a learning environment, but their child may not be the textbook child. There is give and take on all developmental areas. Source: Gail Brand, extension educator

May Calendar

- May 1:** Bucket Calf IDs Due.
- May 1:** 4-H Council Camp Scholarship Applications Due.
- May 4:** Master Gardener Horticulture Contest, NECC.
- May 10:** Horse IDs Due, District and State Horse Show Entries Due.
- May 10:** Deadline to Register for 4-H Barrel Racing Clinic.
- May 13:** Quality Assurance Training in Winside, 7 p.m.
- May 15:** Non Rate of Gain Swine IDs Due.
- May 17:** 4-H Market Meat Goat Weigh-in, County IDs Due.
- May 17:** 4-H Sheep Weigh and Tag Day, County IDs Due.
- May 20:** 4-H Council.
- May 25:** 4-H Barrel Racing Clinic (Reg. Due on May 10).
- May 27:** Memorial Day Observed, Extension Office closed.
- May 29:** Quality Assurance Training in Wayne 1 p.m. and 7 p.m.
- May 29-30:** Tractor Safety, HAL (Reg Due to Dixon County May 10).
- May 31:** Wayne County Fair Discounted Tickets Sales end.

ALLEN (April 29-30)

Lunch prices: grades K-6 - \$1.85; grades 7-12 - \$2.10; breakfast: \$1.35
Monday: Breakfast — Waffles, juice, cereal. Lunch — Breaded chicken fillet, green beans, spinach leaves, carrots, tomato, pineapple, pears.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Peanut butter Jammers, oatmeal, fruit. Lunch — Hot ham & cheese, French fries, tossed salad, California vegetables, peaches, apple.
Milk served with breakfast and lunch. Menu subject to change.

LAUREL-CONCORD/COLERIDGE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (April 29-May 3)

Monday: LC Breakfast — Cheese omelet. LC Lunch — Hot dogs, Smiley fries, fruit. MS Breakfast — Ham/cheese combo bar. MS Lunch — Chili dogs, fries, Rice Krispie bar.
Tuesday: LC Breakfast — Cereal. LC Lunch — Seniors' choice. MS Breakfast — Muffins. MS Lunch — Turkey Alfredo, biscuit, dessert.
Wednesday: LC Breakfast — Donuts. LC Lunch — Mini corn dogs, macaroni & cheese, green beans, pears. MS Breakfast — Breakfast bites. MS Lunch — Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes & gravy, fruit crisp.
Thursday: LC Breakfast — Breakfast burrito. LC Lunch — Tacos, refried beans, peaches, fresh vegetable salad. MS Breakfast — French toast sticks. MS Lunch — Chicken fajitas, corn, cinnamon bread.
Friday: LC Breakfast — French toast sticks. LC Lunch — Pulled pork sandwiches, chips, oranges. MS Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. MS Lunch — Hamburgers, baked beans, cookie. Orange juice, skim milk, fruit, yogurt and salad bar are served daily. All menus subject to change.

WAKEFIELD SCHOOLS (April 29-May 3)

Monday: Breakfast — Cereal, orange juice. Lunch — Hamburgers, French fries, tomatoes, lettuce, cantaloupe.
Tuesday: Breakfast — Pancakes on stick, applesauce. Lunch — Chicken nuggets, carrots, homemade buns, mandarin oranges.
Wednesday: Breakfast — Flatbread sandwich, oranges. Lunch — Ham &

swiss casserole, wheat roll, peas, cauliflower, apples.

Thursday: Breakfast — Cinnamon toast, grape juice. Lunch — Mini corn dogs, calico beans, baby carrots, peaches.

Friday: Breakfast — Long Johns, cheese sticks, bananas. Lunch — Seniors' favorite meal.

Milk and cereal served with breakfast. Juice or fruit offered everyday. Milk and cereal are served every day. Juice or fruit are also offered every day.

WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (April 29-May 3)

Monday: Breakfast — French toast, fruit. Lunch — Chicken teriyaki, rice, broccoli, Oriental vegetables, pineapple.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Omelet, fruit. Lunch — Waling taco, lettuce, corn, carrots, peaches.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Breakfast sandwich. Lunch — Lasagna, bread sticks with sauce, lettuce, pears.

Thursday: Breakfast — Pancakes, fruit. Lunch — Beef patty with bun, green beans, sweet potato fries, apple.

Friday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Barbecue ribs with whole grain bun, baked beans, cauliflower, apricots.
Chef salad is optional. Milk served with every meal.

WINSIDE (April 29-May 3)

Lunch prices: K-6 - \$2.35; 7-12 - \$2.60; milk and juice - \$.35

Monday: Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch — Mandarin chicken, rice, Oriental vegetables, pears, roll

Tuesday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Macaroni & cheese, green beans, broccoli, peaches, roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Potato bake, toppings, green beans, mandarin oranges, roll.

Thursday: Breakfast — Waffle. Lunch — Spaghetti, garlic bread, lettuce, pears, roll.

Friday: Breakfast — French toast. Lunch — Hoagie, chips, carrot sticks, peaches.
Milk served with all meals. Menu may change without notice. Fresh fruit daily. Grades 4-12 may have salad bar. Grades K-3 may have salad plate.

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Senior Center Congregate Meal Menu
(Week of April 29-May 3)
Meals served daily at noon. For reservations, call 375-1460. Each meal served with bread, 2% milk, skim milk and coffee. All menus subject to change.
Monday: Swiss steak with gravy, stewed tomatoes and onion, scalloped potatoes, beets, whole wheat dinner roll, Promise, frozen strawberries.
Tuesday: Turkey stack over mashed potatoes and gravy, frozen corn, whole wheat fresh bread and Promise, canned applesauce.
Wednesday: Sliced beef, roasted Russet potatoes with skins, frozen Key Largo blend vegetables, whole wheat dinner roll and Promise, canned mandarin oranges.
Thursday: Creamed chicken on biscuit, frozen mixed vegetables, shredded lettuce with carrots and Dorothy Lynch, biscuit and Promise, apricot halves.
Friday: Tater tot casserole with green beans, frozen peas and carrots, whole wheat fresh bread and Promise, canned peaches over cottage cheese.

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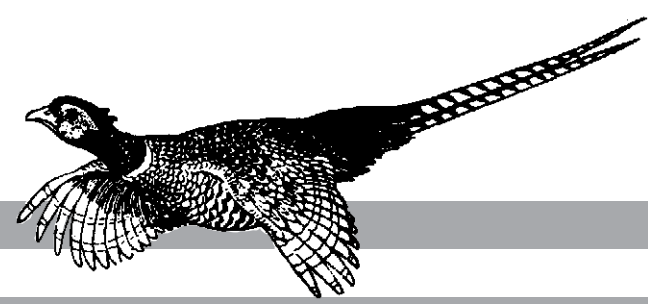
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Age 25: "Mom, you were right ..."
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Senior Center Calendar
(Week of April 29-May 3)
Monday, April 29: Walking, quilting and cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Hand & Foot, 1 p.m.; Chicken Foot Dominoes, 1 p.m.
Tuesday, April 30: Morning walking, quilting, cards; "Cooking Under Pressure," with Stephanie Huff, 12:45 p.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club.
Wednesday, May 1: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Val and Bill Koeber on the piano and clarinet, 11:30 a.m.; Birthday celebration with cake by Careage of Wayne, 3 p.m.
Thursday, May 2: Morning walking; Quilting and cards; May Baskets; Donna's Dinner Music; Wear Spring Clothes/Hats; Afternoon Bridge Club.
Friday, May 3: Walking, quilting and cards; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Bingo, 1:15 p.m.; Hand & Foot, 2 p.m.; Chicken Foot Dominoes, 2 p.m.

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Sunday: Sunday School, Adult and children's classes, 9:15 a.m.; Prayer and Fellowship, 10:15 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. **Wednesday:** Bible study, 7 p.m.

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Sunday: Handbell Practice, 8:45 a.m.; Church School, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.; Fellowship, 11 a.m.; Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m. **Wednesday:** Presbyterian Women, 6:30 p.m.; High School Youth Group, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST TRINITY LUTHERAN
Altona, LC-MS
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Sunday: Divine Worship with Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. (New time). Speakers will alternate between The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp and the Rev. Mike Feldman; Sunday School, 10:35 a.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST
6th & Main St.
(Pastor Peter Phillips)
Saturday: Mobile Food Pantry, 10-11:30 a.m. **Sunday:** Fifth Sunday of Easter. Worship Services, 8:15 and 9:30 a.m.; Wayne Youth Group, 5-6:30 p.m. **Wednesday:** Kings Kids, 3:45 p.m.; Gospel Seekers, 5:30 p.m.; Jubilant Ringers, 6 p.m.; Chancel Choir, 7 p.m. **Thursday:** Praise Team, 7:15 a.m.

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904 Logan
grace@gracewayne.com
(The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp, Senior Pastor)
(The Rev. Michael Feldmann, Associate Pastor)
(Stephen Ministry cong.)
Sunday: Lutheran Hour on KTCH, 7:30 a.m.; Worship with Communion, 8 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.; Bible Study, 9:30 a.m.; Confirmation Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Table Talk, 8:30 p.m. **Monday:** Duo Club, 4 p.m.; Worship with Communion, 6:45 p.m. **Wednesday:** Bible Class, 9 a.m.; Bell Choir, 5:30 p.m.; Choir, 6:30 p.m.; Midweek School, 6:30 p.m. **Thursday:** Bible Study, 8 a.m.

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375-3430
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E-mail: parish@stmaryswayne.org
Friday: Mass, 8 a.m. **Saturday:** No 8 a.m. Mass; Mass, 6 p.m. **Sunday:** Mass, 8 and 10 a.m. with Hunger Doesn't Take A Vacation Collection.; Mass at 9 p.m.; Spanish Mass has been moved to Emerson on Sundays at 10 a.m. For more information contact Sacred Heart Parish at (402) 695-2505. **Monday:** No Mass; Ecumenical Prayer group, 3 p.m. at Providence Medical Center Chapel; Hispanic Prayer Group and Rosary at Church, 5 p.m. **Tuesday:** Mass, 8 a.m. **Wednesday:** Mass, 8:15 a.m.; Religious Education Classes - Closing Celebration. **Thursday:** Mass, 8 a.m. **Friday:** Mass, 8 a.m.

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Saturday: Mass, 5 p.m. **Wednesday:** Religious Education Classes, 6:45 p.m.

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Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m. **Thursday:** Dorcas Society, 1:30 p.m.

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Sunday: Trinity Bible Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m. **Thursday:** Ladies Aid, 1:30 p.m.

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'Trash to Treasure' theme at LWML meeting

The women of Lutheran Women's Missionary League (LWML) Wayne Zone met April 13, 2013 at Trinity Lutheran Church at Martinsburg. The theme for this year's workshop was "Trash to Treasure" based on Psalm 51:10.

Trinity's Pastor Raab welcomed all and led the hymn sing, accompanied by Eunice Johnson. Connie Schutte, Christian Growth Leader, opened the meeting with a welcome and explaining the theme "Trash to Treasure." Trinity's Aid President Muriel Block welcomed the members and pastors. Pastor Raab gave a devotion from Psalm 141:3.

Wayne Zone President Janice Anderson gave the district report. The National LWML convention will be June 27-30 at Philadelphia. The theme is "Quench by the Water" based on John 4:14. District retreat will be at St. John's at Pilsner on Sept. 20. There will be a district board meeting at Pizza Ranch at West Point on Friday Sept. 19 at 6 p.m. All members from the Wayne Zone District convention committees should plan to attend this meeting.

The 2014 District Convention will be June 20-21, 2014 at Lutheran High Northeast in Norfolk, with the Wayne Zone hosting. May 1 is the Leaguer deadline. The Wayne zone executive board meeting will be Ju-

ly 8, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. at Grace Fellowship Hall in Wayne.

Pastor Carl Lilienkamp gave an interesting Bible study from Psalm 51:13 on Christian apologetics. He quoted C.S. Lewis: "God whispers in our pleasure and shouts in our pain."

Pastor Ricky Jacobs from Jesus Our Savior Church and School in Winnebago gave an interesting presentation. He showed slides of the Christmas program at the Ho Chunk Center. They made costumes for the children for the Christmas pageant. Pastor Jacobs started the preschool 15 years ago and has also started a school from K-3 grade. Their web site is jesusoursavior.org with many photos and other things of interest. They need volunteers for summer VBS. Pastor Jacobs interacts with the children all summer with VBS, sports and the swimming pool. They have worship at 11 a.m. every Sunday.

Pastor Engebretsen gave a prayer of thanksgiving for the ingathering for the Jesus Our Savior preschool. Many items and monetary gifts were collected for the school. Offering was collected and will be given to the district treasurer. There were 41 members and five pastors present for a total of 46 in attendance.

Pastor Raab gave the blessing before the meal. A salad luncheon was



(Contributed photo)

Pastor Ricky Jacobs of Jesus Our Savior Church and School in Winnebago gave a presentation at the LWML meeting of the recent Christmas program at the Ho Chunk Center.

served with dessert.

The LWML is the official women's auxiliary of the Lutheran "Church-Missouri Synod. For 70 years the LWML has focused on affirming

each woman's relationship with Christ, encouraging and equipping women to live out their Christian lives in active mission ministries and to support global missions.

Wayne Community Day of Prayer is May 2

So much tension and dissension in our country right now - also in our personal lives.

The pastors of Wayne invite all area residents to come together on Thursday, May 2 for a Community Day of Prayer.

All are encouraged to meet from 12-1 p.m. in the community room at First Nebraska Bank.

"We will be praying for Ameri-

ca, Nebraska, our community and our homes," said Pastor Ray McCalla, pastor of First Presbyterian Church.

Anyone with questions is asked to contact Pastor McCalla at (402) 375-2669.

This prayer time is sponsored by the Wayne Association of Congregations and Ministers in conjunction with the National Day of Prayer.

Writers featured at Plains Series event

The Wayne State College Language and Literature Department, the School of Art and Humanities and the WSC Press will host the Plains Writers Series at 2 p.m. on Thursday, April 25, second floor lounge in the Humanities Building at Wayne State College.

There is no admission charge for the audience.

The Plains Writers Series is held several times a year in an attempt to bring attention to the prose and poetry of local Great Plains writers through reading and interacting with area audiences.

This spring's Plains Writers Series will highlight two writers, Twyla M. Hansen and Linda M. Hasselstrom. The authors will share selected pieces from their collaborative book "Dirt Songs: A Plains Duet," winner of the 2012 Nebraska Book Award.

Following the Plains Writer Se-

ries will be the Lucky 13 Fiction Slam. The fiction slam will be at 7 p.m. at the Max Bar and Grill in downtown Wayne with required preliminaries starting at 5 p.m. If anyone would like to participate in the slam they will need two original pieces of short fiction and \$5 for registration at the door.

Hansen is the author of five previous books of poetry, including "Potato Soup," which won the 2004 Nebraska Book Award. She is a writer, community volunteer and small business co-owner. Hansen is a creative writing presenter through the Nebraska Humanities Council, and lives and works in Lincoln where she maintains her wild, wooded acre as an urban wildlife habitat.

Hasselstrom conducts writing retreats on her ranch in western South Dakota, where most of her 14 published books of poetry and non-fiction have originated. Her most recent poetry appears in "Dirt Songs: A Plains Duet" with Twyla Hansen. The Backwaters Press, 2011, which won the 2012 Nebraska Book Award for poetry and was a finalist in both the WILLA awards from Women Writing the West and the High Plains Book Awards from Parmlly Billings Library, Montana. Bitter Creek Junction won a Wrangler for best poetry from the National Cowboy and Western Heritage Museum, Oklahoma City, Okla., 2000.

More information can be found on her website at www.windbreakhouse.com.



(Courtesy photo)

Fourth-grade students Brooklyn Behmer, Kylie Cautrell and Hope Cummins provide entertainment during the recent United Methodist Church Spring Salad Bar Luncheon in Winside.

Winside UMC hosts annual Spring Luncheon

Winside United Methodist Church held the first hospitality Spring Salad Bar Luncheon on April 20 with approximately 65 guests attending.

Featured guest speaker was Pat Meierhenry of Lincoln, author of the weekly "Farmer's Wife" column in The Wayne Herald the past 30 years. Pat's presentation was on "humor" and why it's beneficial for all of us to have laughter in our lives. There was much laughter from her presentation of facts, stories, and jokes.

Mrs. Meierhenry and the guests were welcomed by Pastor Judy Carl-

son. During the lunch, three fourth grade students, Brooklyn Behmer, Kylie Cautrell and Hope Cummins sang several selections under the direction of Tricia North.

Decorations were done in spring colors with potted plants as table center pieces. Those were given as door prizes with the following winners: Arlene Wills, Lois Bowers, Bonnie Wylie, Esther Carlson, Connie Hawkins, Marilyn Morse, Mardell Wittler, Dorothy Isom and Adeline Anderson.

The event was hosted by the church hospitality committee.

UNL to recognize Big Red Stars of 2013 on April 30

The University of Nebraska-Lincoln will recognize Nebraska eighth-graders for their academic excellence, leadership and perseverance at the 2013 Big Red Stars Recognition Ceremony on Tuesday, April 30.

Big Red Stars is a special recognition program designed to recognize outstanding eighth-grade students in Nebraska. These talented students were nominated by

school principals as students who showcase strong leadership skills and academic promise.

The Big Red Stars nominees will be recognized at an award ceremony sponsored by UNL and EducationQuest from 10-11:30 a.m. at the Lied Center for Performing Arts, 301 N. 12th St.

Highlights of the event include individual recognition and awards for the Big Red Stars nominees

and special remarks from Gov. Dave Heineman.

The following are area students who have been named Big Red Stars:

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UNL graduate student Smith finds helpful, non-wasteful uses for eastern red cedar trees

Eastern red cedar trees are becoming a nuisance tree, growing where they are not wanted. But instead of removing and wasting the trees, a University of Nebraska-Lincoln graduate student is trying to simplify a way to use the material for good.

Adam Smith, a first-year natural resource sciences graduate student, is conducting research that could help people throughout Nebraska use eastern red cedar trees in a non-wasteful and even helpful way.

Smith, who graduated from UNL in 2009 with a bachelor's degree in fisheries and wildlife, is attempting to estimate the volume of woody material a property has available for biomass utilization purposes, often in the form of woodchips and

used as a heating fuel, based on the height and diameter of the trees on the property. When Smith began his job at the Nebraska Forest Service as the forestry project coordinator, he saw an opportunity to assist landowners in using unwanted red cedars as an economic resource.

"The alternative to woody biomass utilization is to pile the trees and destroy them, when they could be a source of income," Smith said.

After selecting forest inventory points throughout the state, Smith collected data on the location, species, diameter and height of trees at these points. Research by Tala Awada, professor and interim director of the School of Natural Resources, is used to estimate the mass of red cedar trees per cubic

foot. The estimate of tree mass per cubic foot and Smith's volume estimate together will determine the total weight of each tree and therefore estimate total available woody material in the area.

Smith gathered data from across the state and saw a noticeable difference between regions. Although more moisture in eastern Nebraska makes it easy for the trees to establish rapidly in the region, red cedars also can grow in harsh conditions. In western Nebraska, this allows the trees to outgrow other vegetation struggling with hot, dry conditions. Since there is more available land in the west, the trees have more space to grow as well.

"If the trees have the opportunity to get a foothold, they will," Smith

said. "And the current drought conditions offer the perfect opportunity for these trees to continue expanding."

Smith's research will give professionals the opportunity to calculate how much woody material is available to be used as biomass fuel and offer landowners help in finding a market for it. According to Smith, the landowner can benefit not only from the profit from selling the wood, but also can reclaim the land where the red cedars had been growing.

"An outdoorsman will appreciate the ability to walk through the grasslands of Nebraska again," he said.

Liska honored at Cattlemans' Program

Twenty-three young cattle producers from around the state are part of the 2013 Young Cattlemen's Leadership Program (YCLP). The Iowa Cattlemen's Association program is designed to develop leadership qualities in young producers.

Among those honored this year was Kristin Liska of Wayne, a stu-

dent at Iowa State University.

Throughout the year, the young producers will take part in activities that include lobbying at the state capitol; leadership skills development; learning more about ICA, the Iowa Cattlemen's Foundation, and the Iowa Beef Industry Council; planning the 2014 ICA Carcass



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Challenge; and learning more about beef industry issues from news makers.

YCLP is sponsored by ICA with funding provided by the Iowa Cattlemen's Foundation and members of the ICA President's Council.

Wayne Schools puts focus on Autism in April

Wayne Community Schools kicked off Autism awareness month by celebrating Autism Speaks "Light it Up Blue" day on April 2.

Throughout the month, different activities have been held to focus on teaching staff and students about autism and its impact on students and their families.

Autism statistics from the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) identify around 1 in 88 American children as on the autism spectrum. An estimated 1 out of 54 boys and 1 in 252 girls are diagnosed with autism in the United States. Whether you or your child already know someone with autism or are just getting to know someone, Wayne's Special Education department hopes you find the following information helpful.

Communication, social interaction, and repetitive behaviors are often viewed as the "core" symptoms of Autism although their severity can vary significantly in each individual. It can affect learning in the areas of attention, communication, social skills, auditory processing, generalization of skills, difficulties with imitating behavior, behavioral issues, sequencing, and transitions.

While there are a lot of things that may be difficult for the student with Autism, it is important to remember to look at what they CAN do. These students often have strong visual performance skills, an ability to learn and follow routines, have focused attention related to special interests, strong rote memory and are honest. If you make an effort to include, communicate, understand and respect, everyone wins.

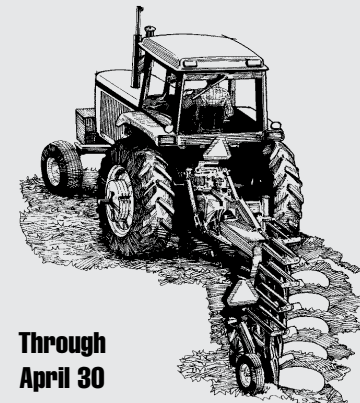
In an effort to better serve our students, Wayne Community Schools is taking part in a two-year training allowing us to establish our own district Autism team. Team members include Winter Stewart, Emily Sims, Rachel Kerby, Sara Jaixen, Dori Heitz, Molly Redden, Stacy Yagow and Misty Bear.

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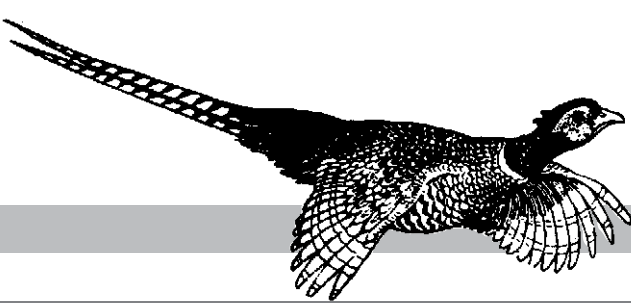


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Laughter, music help bring relief

Gosh, is it really the end of April? Sure doesn't feel like it! But we are receiving moisture, so I will not complain.

The events of the past week have been examined, and photographed, and agonized over, by just about everyone who ever gets anything printed, so I won't go there.

I had the pleasure of speaking at the new Methodist church in Winside on Saturday. They have every right to be proud of the new building, and what gladdened my heart was the fact that they were able to save the stained glass windows from the old church. They are valuable, and almost unaffordable, today.

My topic was Laughter, and I admitted that it was difficult to find humor in anything last week. But it is important to deal with the stress with laughter. It's truly nature's relief valve, and we managed to find things to laugh about.

We left right after we had lunch and greeted old friends so that we could attend a special anniversary celebration at our church. This was the first time I wished that my mom could have been here. She would so have enjoyed seeing the former pastors and singing the hymns of gratitude.



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

And then, on Sunday afternoon, I was heartened by the spring concert of the Lincoln Lutheran choir, whose director reminded us in his introductory notes that in times of tragedy, "it is good to come together to listen to music." He offered "the music to provide comfort in time of grief and a celebration of life in the midst of trouble."

There was an interesting cantata by Mendelssohn on an old hymn

tune we learned as "If thou but suffer God to guide you." Translated in this arrangement, it says, "If you rely on God to guide you, and hope in Him through all your ways, in all of life He'll stand beside you to bear you through the evil days. Who trusts in God's unchanging love, builds on the rock that cannot move."

And so, as usual, I turned to my favorite ways of relief: laughter and music. Also, I rejoiced in the ways that people have found to stand with Boston, as in dedicating running miles to them; and bringing the therapy dogs that were so important at Stony Brook; and two kids who set up a lemonade stand to raise money for the family of the 8-year old and ended up with \$5,000. Plus, I shed tears, of course; they are nature's other relief valve. We can't let terrorism define us; we must keep on keeping on.

And, once again, we are reminded of the heroism and selflessness of volunteer firemen and rescue workers. Pray for their families, and for our nation. The other hymn sung on Sunday was "O God, our help in ages past; our hope in years to come; our shelter from the stormy blast, and our eternal home."

Amen.

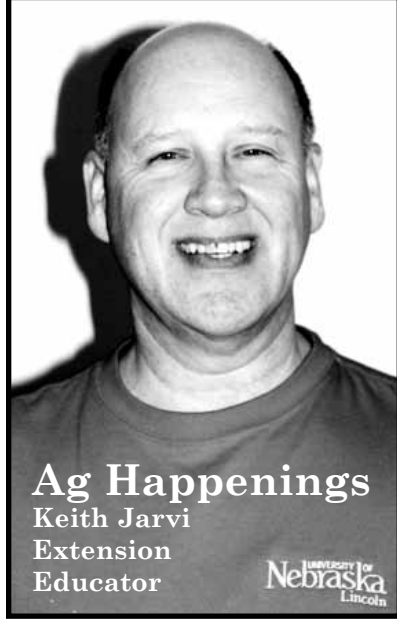
Patience needed for spring field work

When the weather does warm up and dry out, farmers are going to feel rushed, and there is going to be a lot of farm equipment out in the fields and on the road, so we all need to be extra aware when driving, whether it be a car or a piece of farm machinery.

Patience will be very important for the next few weeks. Farm equipment is getting bigger all the time and takes up a lot of space on the highway and roads. Make sure when you come up on a tractor and grain cart or a combine that you have plenty of time and space to go around it. Maybe leave a few minutes earlier for work than normal. Drive defensively; farmers tend to work extra hours during planting and fatigue is often a factor in farm accidents.

We like to advise farmers to get the rest they need to be alert, but I think you all know that that doesn't always happen. So once again, please, everyone be aware of our planting situation and drive defensively.

Speaking of safety, we will be having tractor safety training here at the Haskell Ag Lab on May 29-30. Federal law prohibits youth under 16 years of age from working on a farm other than their parents. Certification through the course grants an exemption to the law al-



Ag Happenings
Keith Jarvi
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lowing 14 and 15-year olds to drive a tractor and do field work with mechanized equipment.

Pre-registration is strongly encouraged. Please let Barb know in the Dixon Co. Extension office (402) 584-2234 by Friday, May 17 if you want to attend and to get further details.

Nearly everyone now should have enough moisture for pastures and hay fields to green up and begin growing as temperatures increase. Don't be fooled, however. The drought is not over.

Being in a drought does not mean there is no rain. It means that the amount of moisture received is much less than average. We have a long way to go before we start approaching average moisture. Even if you do receive average moisture during the next few months, pasture and hay production still could be less than normal. Most years we begin the growing season with quite a bit of moisture stored in the soil profile, moisture that accumulated during the previous fall and winter. That did not happen this year so you probably need several inches of rain just to get back to where your soil moisture level normally begins.

Also, the health and vigor of your pasture and hay plants may not be what you would like at this time. Last year these plants received a lot of stress from dry weather, hot temperatures, and in some cases, over use. These plants will not be as thrifty this spring; some may have even died. Those that survived will grow more slowly this spring and have difficulty regrowing rapidly after grazing or cutting. As a result, yields could be lower than average. What this all means is that you still need to manage your pastures and haylands for drought conditions. It could take a full year or more of average precipitation to recover from last year's drought.

Livestock Market Report

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

The market was steady on fats and lower on cows. There were 200 fat cattle sold.

Strictly choice fed steers, \$121 to \$125.75. Good and choice steers, \$116 to \$121. Medium and good steers, \$110 to \$116. Standard steers, \$100 to \$110. Strictly choice fed heifers, \$121 to \$124.75. Good and choice heifers, \$116 to \$121. Medium and good heifers, \$110 to \$116. Standard heifers, \$85 to \$95. Beef cows, \$74 to \$80. Utility cows, \$77 to \$82. Canners and cutters, \$67 to \$74. Bologna bulls, \$95 to \$101.

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

The market was lower. There were 1,150 head sold.

300-400 lb. steers, \$165 to \$195; heifers, \$150 to \$180.

400-500 lb. steers, \$155 to \$185; heifers, \$140 to \$162.

500-600 lb. steers, \$140 to \$165; heifers, \$125 to \$134.

600-700 lb. steers, \$130 to \$154; heifers, \$120 to \$130.

700-800 lb. steers, \$125 to \$137.50; heifers, \$117 to \$127.50.

800-900 lb. steers, \$120 to \$127.50; heifers, \$115 to \$120.

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

The market was steady on all classes. There were 50 head sold.

Fat lambs, (old crop): 120-150 lbs., \$95 to \$100.

Spring crop, 120-150 lbs., \$85 to \$90.

Feeder lambs, 50-100 lbs., \$100 to \$130.

Ewes: Good, \$35 to \$45; medium, \$25 to \$35; slaughter, \$15 to \$25.

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

The market was steady on the 60 head sold.

Crossbred baby calves, \$200 to \$400.

Holstein calves, \$100 to \$200.

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

Prices were higher on butchers and lower on sows. There were 200 head sold.

U.S. 1's + 2's, 230-260 lbs., \$57 to \$61; 2's + 3's, 230-260 lbs., \$55 to \$57; 2's + 3's, 260-280 lbs., \$53 to

\$55; 2's + 3's, 280-300 lbs., \$50 to \$53; 3's + 4's, 300 lbs.-over, \$45 to \$50.

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J. Sterling Morton, the founder of Arbor Day, proposed to the Nebraska State Board of Agriculture "to set aside one day to plant trees, both forest and fruit."

The State Board of Agriculture accepted this resolution in 1872 and the first "Arbor Day" was celebrated with more than 1,000,000 trees being planted on that day. Sterling's idea of Arbor Day, "A day set aside each year to plant trees, both flower and fruit" is celebrated each year throughout the United States and in many other countries around the world as well.

We traditionally celebrate Arbor Day on the last Friday in April in Nebraska. The 141st Anniversary of Arbor Day will be celebrated this Friday, April 26.

Being the birth state of Arbor Day, it's only appropriate that the Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (LENRD) promotes tree-planting programs each year. To celebrate Arbor Day the LENRD will have tree seedlings available for purchase this Friday. Species and inventory are limited; however, the LENRD will try to have as many seedlings available as possible for those who want to plant a tree on Arbor Day.

Those interested in purchasing trees on Arbor Day should go to Maskenthine Lake Recreation Area, north of Stanton. From Norfolk, the lake is located 10 miles east on highway 275 and then two miles south on Ridge Road. Signs will direct you to the LENRD Tree Distribution Center. The Center will be open from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. on Arbor Day. Seedlings can be purchased in bundles of 25 for \$23. Landscape trees will also be available for \$7 per tree.

LENRD Forester, Pam Bergstrom, said, "The drought has been very hard on trees across our district. Even if you lost trees last year, it is so important to try again. Protecting the soil will continue to be a priority if we have another dry year." Contact Pam at the LENRD office if you have questions about your trees or if you need further assistance.

J. Sterling Morton said, "Other holidays repose on the past; Arbor Day proposes the future." LENRD Assistant General Manager Ken Berney said, "Plant a tree to protect your property and the future. Our parents did it for us, and we should return the favor and do it for our children and grandchildren."

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PROVIDENCE MEDICAL CENTER



Ambulance drivers at Providence Medical Center include (from left) Scott Brogren, Ron Wriedt, Mark Tietz, Tom Schmitz and Jacob Davis. Not pictured are Dr. Shawn Pearcy, Dave Hix and Dennis Spangler.

WINSIDE EMT



Several members of the Winside Volunteer Fire/Rescue Department serve in several capacities. Firefighter (FF) and Emergency Medical Technical (EMT) Kneeling, left to right, Brian Petzoldt-FF/EMT, John Thies-FF/EMT, Chris Olander-FF/EMT, VerNeal Marotz-Rescue Captain-FF-EMT and Terry Nelson-FF. Standing, Don Nelson-FF/EMT, Stan Stenwall-FF, Jeff Farran II-FF/EMT-holding Kale Farran-Future FF/EMT, Ethan Thies-FF, Kyle Skokan-FF-EMT, Josh Kruse-FF, Garrett Watters-Cadet, Kenny Jensen-FF, Trevor Hartmann-FF, Don Skokan-Fire Chief-FF-EMT and Sandy Atkins-FF-EMT. Absent: Aaron Becker-FF, Tad Behmer-FF, Lisa Farran-FF/EMT, Shane Frahm-FF, Jaret Harmer-FF, Kim Jaeger-FF/EMT, Mike Miller-FF/EMT, Mike Jaeger-FF/EMT, Monte Pfeiffer-FF, Russell Prince-FF, Ryan Prince-FF, Marysa Wagner-FF/EMS and Neil Wagner-FF/EMT.

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ALLEN EMT CREW



Members of the Allen EMT Crew include, front row, left to right, Sara Kumm, Ella Cooper and Ray Brentlinger. Back row, Rob Bock, Candy Strivens, Pat Brentlinger and Roger Kraft. Absent members, Michael Gregerson, Jason Olesen and John Werner.

LAUREL RESCUE: FIRST RESPONDERS / EMTS / PARAMEDICS



Laurel EMS personnel include, left to right, top row, Brandi Hudsen (EMT), Sheila Spahr (EMS) and Heather Hall (EMT). Second row, Jodie Thompson (EMT), Lois Urwiler (EMT) and Melissa Graham (EMT). Bottom row, Stephanie Urwiler (RN, EMT), Steve Stanley (EMR) and Tim Hansen (EMR). Not pictured: Lisa Clausen (RN, EMT) and Jan Anderson (EMT).

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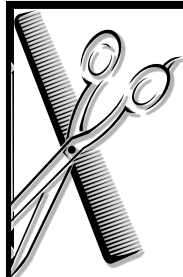
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The Sons of the American Legion Squadron #252 of Winside would like to thank everyone who attended and supported our biscuits & gravy meal and the Sons of American Legion members and the Winside American Legion Auxiliary who helped with the event.

Special thanks to the following businesses for their donations: McDonald's, Michael Foods, Wayne East.

We appreciate your support!

A BIG Thank You for the quick response of the Allen Volunteer Fire Department following the lightning fire on my house.
Mary Lou Koester


THANK YOU! We would like to thank Wayne Public Library for the wonderful Kindle fire we won during library week. Thank you so much!
Dustin & Val Ankeny

Thank you for the cards and flowers and the food that we received during the death of my brother, Warren Baird.
Alice & Neyron Woodward & Family

THANK YOU!

The Wayne Volunteer Fire Department would like to thank the contributors and businesses who helped to make our fireman's breakfast a huge success. Thanks to the public for backing the fire department to make the breakfast a success.

The department is still taking donations. They may be mailed to the fire department at 510 Tomar Drive, Wayne, NE 68787



Thanks to Pastor Bob, Dr. Lindau, nurses, aides and Marci for the food, cards, visits, phone calls, plants, prayers and the many kindnesses while I was at Providence Medical Center and when I returned home. Most of all thanks to my families, I appreciated everything very much.
Gail Godbersen

Thank you for prayers, cards, food, phone calls, flowers and visits when I was in the hospitals and after returning home. Thank you to the ambulance crews for trips to Wayne and Sioux City. Thank you to Pastor Todd and Tammy and Pastor Scott for visits and phone calls. Thanks to our family for all their help and support. May God Bless You. Muriel Kardell.

I would like to thank all who sent cards for my 95th birthday. A special thank you to my family for the party, flowers and their presence making it a very special day.
Bernita Sherbahn

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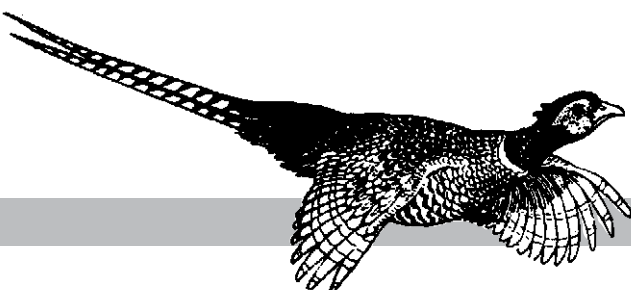
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Please stop by 514 East 6th Street, Wayne, NE to get an application, email resume to donya@r-way.org or call 402-375-4336. We are an EOE.



The Wayne Herald

Legal Notices

WAYNE CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

April 2, 2013

The Wayne City Council was called to order at 5:30 p.m. on April 2, 2013. In attendance: Mayor Chamberlain; Councilmembers Giese, Van Delden, Haase, Alexander, Muir, Ley, Sievers and Brodersen; Attorney Miller; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire. Minutes of the March 19, 2013, meeting were approved.

The following claims were approved:
VARIOUS FUNDS: AMERICAN BROADBAND, SE, 990.00; APPEARA, SE, 215.61; AS CENTRAL SERVICES, SE, 448.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 104.82; BLACK HILLS ENERGY, SE, 1479.93; BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD, SE, 24234.52; BLUE DEVIL BOOSTER CLUB, SE, 75.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 160.21; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 141.96; CENTURYLINK, SE, 311.98; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 200.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 87.14; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 81.72; DE LAGE LANDEN FINANCIAL, SE, 77.00; DEARBORN NATIONAL LIFE, SE, 1850.15; DGR & ASSOCIATES, SU, 765.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 70.38; EAKES OFFICE PLUS, SU, 749.75; ECHO GROUP, SU, 200.59; EMERITUS, RE, 240.00; FIREMEN FIRE SCHOOL, RE, 688.00; FIRST CONCORD GROUP, SE, 3701.94; FREDRICKSON OIL, SE, 175.00; GRAHAM

TIRE, SU, 946.32; GROSSENBURG IMPLEMENT, SU, 747.30; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 12.75; HUBER TECHNOLOGY, SU, 244.00; JEO CONSULTING GROUP, SE, 760.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 5161.53; KELLY MEYER, SU, 959.20; KNOEPFLER CHEVROLET, SU, 281.72; KRIZ-DAVIS, SU, 74.71; L.G. EVERIST, SE, 639.03; MALTZ SALES CO, SE, 1261.38; MICHAEL TODD & CO, SU, 202.51; MIRIAN AGUIRRE, SE, 100.00; NATIONAL LEAGUE OF CITIES, FE, 1117.00; NE NEB INS AGENCY, SE, 63158.00; NE SAFETY COUNCIL, SE, 130.34; NORFOLK IMPLEMENT, SU, 82.44; NORTHEAST COMM COLLEGE, FE, 98.00; N.E. NE AMERICAN RED CROSS, RE, 59.24; NNPPD, SE, 3932.00; NORTHWEST ELECTRIC, SE, 582.58; OLSSON ASSOCIATES, SE, 11641.28; ORIENTAL TRADING CO, SU, 100.40; OVERHEAD DOOR COMPANY, SE, 191.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 288.31; QUILL, SU, 85.65; REGIONAL CARE, FE, 50.00; RON'S RADIO, SU, 895.25; STADIUM SPORTING GOODS, SU, 601.36; STATE NATIONAL BANK, RE, 100.79; TOM'S BODY & PAINT SHOP, SU, 64.00; UNITED WAY, RE, 12.40; VERIZON, SE, 227.97; VIAERO, SE, 207.55; WAYNE COUNTY COURT, RE, 400.00; AMERICAN BROADBAND, SE, 1434.18; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 202.38; BLACK HILLS ENERGY, SE, 184.95; BOMGAARS, SU, 1193.00; CARHART LUMBER, SU,

545.84; CHARTWELLS, SE, 5153.65; COPY WRITE, SE, 18.32; DOUG STURM, RE, 6195.40; EASYPERMIT POSTAGE, SU, 912.48; ED. M FELD EQUIPMENT, SE, 229.25; EISENBRAUN & ASSOC., SE, 682.50; ENGINEERED CONTROLS, SE, 740.00; FREDRICKSON OIL, SE, 79.95; GAYLORD BROS, SU, 78.97; GEMPLER'S, SU, 132.30; GILL HAULING, SE, 155.00; GROSSENBURG IMPLEMENT, SU, 498.04; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 238.19; HD SUPPLY WATERWORKS, SU, 5281.84; HOLIDAY INN "MIDTOWN", SE, 380.00; INDUSTRIAL CHEM LABS, SU, 924.21; IRS, TX, 4446.01; JOHNNY P LEMPKE, SE, 146.00; KELLY SUPPLY, SU, 285.71; KRIZ-DAVIS, SU, 3855.30; L.G. EVERIST, SU, 617.10; LAMAR ADVERTISING, RE, 7500.00; LAUREL ADVOCATE, SU, 27.50; MAEDC, FE, 125.00; MARRIOTT HOTELS, SE, 2856.00; MAXIMUM SOLUTIONS, SU, 449.95; MERIT MECHANICAL, SU, 395.00; MICHAEL TODD & CO, SU, 647.05; NE DEPT OF REVENUE, TX, 690.37; NE FOREST SERVICE, FE, 10.00; ONE CALL CONCEPTS, SE, 20.85; PIEPER & MILLER, SE, 3532.00; SKARSHAUG TESTING, SE, 138.47; STATE NATIONAL BANK, SE, 60.32; STEFFEN, SU, 46.46; UNITED COMMUNICATIONS, SU, 192.00; VERIZON, SE, 101.93; VOSS LIGHTING, SU, 459.00; WAYNE COMMUNITY HOUSING, RE, 531.30; WAYNE COUNTY CLERK, SE, 138.00; WAYNE HERALD, SU, 46.00; WESCO, SU, 886.08; WESTERN ENVIRONMENTAL, SU, 208.25; ZACH OIL, SU, 5496.12

Ley). Res. 2013-30 authorizing chief elected official to sign an application for Nebraska Affordable Housing Program Funds.

Res. 2013-31 approving Letter Agreement for professional design engineering services between the City of Wayne and Kirkham Michael for the "Wayne-Windom Street Improvement Project."

To table action on Res. 2013-32 amending the Housing Construction Loan Incentives for Builders.

To increase the amount allocated for construction loan incentives from \$160,000 to \$300,000 (Abstained: Sievers).

Res. 2013-33 approving Mutual Aid Agreement between the City of Wayne and Elkhorn Valley Mutual Aid Association.

Ord. 2013-1 Amending Wayne Municipal Code Sec. 90-10 Definitions.

Ord. 2013-2 Amending Wayne Municipal Code Sec. 90-114 Exceptions.

Ord. 2013-3 Amending Wayne Municipal Code Sec. 90-482 Permitted Principal Uses and Structures.

Ord. 2013-4 Amending Wayne Municipal Code Sec. 90-484 Exceptions to the I-1 Light Industrial and Manufacturing Zone.

Ord. 2013-5 Amending Wayne Municipal Code Sec. 90-512 Permitted Principal Uses and Structures in the I-2 Heavy Industrial Zone.

Ord. 2013-7 Amending Wayne Municipal Code Sec. 90-714 Performance Standards for Industrial Uses, (b) Limited Industrial Performance Standards, (1) Physical Appearance.

First reading of Ord. 2013-22 Amending Wayne Municipal Code Sec. 78-11 Stop Sign Locations; East of Main Street, North of Seventh Street by placing a stop sign at the intersection of Hillcrest Road and Walnut Street on the east edge of Wayne State College.

Meeting adjourned at 7:37 p.m.

The City of Wayne, Nebraska
 By: Mayor

ATTEST:
 City Clerk
 (Publ. April 25, 2013) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an Order of Sale, issued by the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon the Decree in said Court in CASE NO. C112-83, wherein the County of Wayne, Nebraska is Plaintiff, and Gail L. Fritz and _____ Fritz real name unknown, Wife and Husband; and Beverly L. Fritz and _____ Fritz real name unknown, Wife and Husband; and John Doe and Jane Doe, Husband and Wife, Tenants in Possession, Real Names Unknown; Lot 1, Block 8, Original Village of Sholes, Wayne County, Nebraska, and all persons having or claiming any interest in and to said real estate, real names unknown, are Defendants; in which Plaintiff recovered a Decree of Foreclosure upon Tax Sale Certificate No. 52 and for subsequent taxes together with interest at fourteen percent (14%) per annum from March 6, 2013, which is a first lien upon Lot 1, Block 8, Original Village of Sholes, Wayne County, Nebraska.

I have levied upon said tract and will sell the same on the 7 day of May, 2013, commencing at 11:00 o'clock a.m., on the first floor of the Wayne County Courthouse at 510 N. Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said Decree, interest and costs, said sale to remain open 30 minutes.

LeRoy Janssen

Wayne County Sheriff

(Publ. April 11, 18, 25, May 2, 2013) ZNEZ
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is given that the Village of Winside, Nebraska will hold a public hearing at the request of Trevor Hartmann for a zoning change from "R-2" (Medium Density Residential District) to "B-1" (Commercial Business District) on the following described parcel of land at 608 Crawford Avenue, Winside, Nebraska, to-wit:
 Lot 16, Lot 17, and Lot 18, Block 5, Bressler and Patterson's Second Addition to Winside, Wayne County, Nebraska.

A public hearing for the requested zoning change will be held by the Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska, at its regular meeting on the 6th day of May, 2013, which begins at 7:30 p.m., at the library meeting room located at 417 Main Street, Winside, Nebraska.

ATTEST:
VILLAGE OF WINSIDE, NEBRASKA
 Carol M. Brugger, Village Clerk
 Teresa Watters, Its Chairperson
 (Publ. April 25, 2013) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Wayne will hold a public hearing on a redevelopment plan for the real estate described in this notice, pursuant to the Nebraska Community Development Law.

The hearing will be held in the Council Chambers at City Hall in Wayne, Nebraska, on the 21st day of May, at the hour of 5:30 p.m.

The property affected by this notice is described as follows:
 Lot 5A of the Replat of Lot 5, Western Ridge III Addition in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, together with that portion of Milo Street adjacent thereto.

A copy of the proposed plan is on file in the office of the City Clerk.

All interested parties shall be afforded at such public hearing a reasonable opportunity to express their views respecting the proposed redevelopment plan.

City Clerk
 (Publ. April 25, May 2, 2013) ZNEZ
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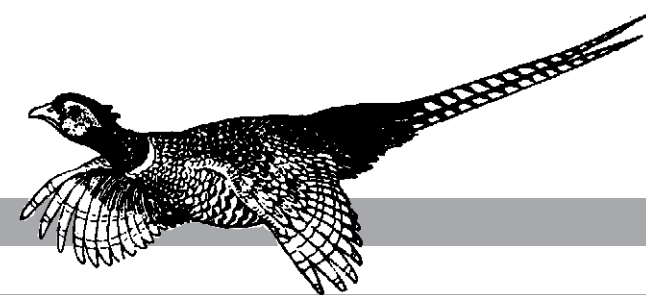
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NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
ESTATE OF DWAIN E. BJORKLUND, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 11-36
Notice is hereby given that a final account and report of administration and a petition for complete settlement, probate of Will, determination of heirs, and determination of inheritance tax have been filed and are set for hearing in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, located at Wayne, Nebraska, on the 20th day of May, 2013, at or after the hour of 1:00 o'clock p.m.

Donavon D. Bjorklund
Personal Representative/Petitioner
85527 Highway 16
Wakefield, Ne 68784
(402) 287-2906

Leland K. Miner #16901
419 Main, P.O. Box 171
Wakefield, NE 68784
(402) 287-2419

Attorney for the Personal Representative
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Wayne Planning Commission will meet on Monday, May 6, 2013, at 7:00 p.m., in Council Chambers of the Wayne Municipal Building, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska.

At or about 7:00 p.m., the Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider amending the Wayne Municipal Code, Section 90-394 Exceptions, by adding item # 14 Kennels and Section 90-835 Exception Use Standards, by adding related language for kennels in B-2. The applicant for both requests is Norm Slama.

At or about 7:00 p.m., the Planning Commission will hold a public hearing to consider amending the Wayne Municipal Code, Section 90-710 Parking Regulations, with the applicant being City of Wayne.

All oral or written comments on the proposed matter received prior to and at the public hearing will be considered.

Individuals requiring sensory accommodations, including interpreter services, Braille, large print, or recorded materials should contact Betty McGuire, City Clerk at 402-375-1733, no later than 4:30 p.m. on the Friday preceding the meeting.
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NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF KAUPPEE WOODWORKS, L.L.C.

Notice is hereby given of the organization of Kauppee Woodworks, L.L.C. The street and mailing address of the designated office is 1025 Emerald Drive., Wayne, NE 68787. The name and street and mailing address of the initial agent for service of process of the company is Mike Kaup, 1025 Emerald Drive, Wayne, NE 68787.

Mike Kaup
1025 Emerald Drive
Wayne, NE 68787
(402) 369-2162
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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS OF WAYNE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AND WAYNE COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Notice is hereby given that meetings of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners and Wayne County Board of Equalization will be held on May 6, 2013 in the County Board Meeting Room of the Wayne County courthouse in Wayne, Nebraska. The Board of Equalization meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. The County Board of Commissioner meeting will begin at 9:15 a.m. Agendas for such meetings are kept continuously current and are available for public inspection at the office of the County Clerk in the Wayne County courthouse.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk
(Publ. April 25, 2013) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Mayor and Council, Tuesday, May 7, 2013 at 5:30 p.m. in the Wayne City Hall. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

No person of the City of Wayne shall, on the ground of race, color or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity.

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Betty McGuire, City Clerk
Planning Commission
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NOTICE OF MEETING

The Wayne Public Library Board of Trustees will meet in regular session on Tuesday, May 7, 2013 at 5:00 p.m. in the Library/Senior Center Conference Room. The agenda for this meeting is available for public inspection at the Library.

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Lauran Loggren, Librarian
(Publ. April 25, 2013) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF INCORPORATION

1. The name of the Corporation is Kai Brothers Landscaping, Inc.
2. The address of the registered office of the Corporation is 84876 583rd Ave., Pender, Nebraska 68047.
3. The general nature of the business to be transacted is to engage in a general landscaping business.
4. The amount of capital stock authorized is \$10,000.00, which shall be paid in at such times and on such conditions as the Board of Directors shall determine.

The time of commencement of the Corporation shall be April 4, 2013 and the Corporation shall have perpetual existence.

The officers who shall conduct the affairs of the Corporation are President and Secretary/Treasurer.

Blake Kai, Incorporator
Brenn Kai, Incorporator
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Wayne County requests sealed bids for cleaning services for the courthouse building and for the court services building. The buildings can be bid together and/or separately. The bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope that is clearly marked with the words BID FOR CLEANING. Bids will be received at the office of the Wayne County Clerk of District Court, 510 Pearl St, Wayne, NE 68787, until 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 16, 2013.

Bid specifications can be picked up at the office of the Wayne County Clerk of District Court, or call 402-375-2260. Wayne County reserves the right to waive technicalities and irregularities and the right to reject any or all bids.

Debra Finn
Wayne County Clerk
(Publ. April 25, 2013) ZNEZ

ORDINANCE NO. 2013-26

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING WAYNE MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 18, ARTICLE VII MOVING BUILDINGS, SECTION 18-301 PERMIT REQUIRED; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES OR SECTIONS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska:

Section 1. That Chapter 18, Article VII, Section 18-301 of the Wayne Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 18-301. Permit required

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to move, or cause to have moved, any permanent, previously used or otherwise occupied structure greater than 150 square feet including but not limited to garages and storage type structures, along or across any road, street, or alley, into or within

the jurisdiction of the city, except as provided in this article. Any person desiring to move any permanent structure, previously used structure, or otherwise occupied structure, including garages and storage type structures, upon, along or across any road, street, or alley of the jurisdiction of the city shall make written application to the building inspector for a permit to do so.

(b) This section shall not pertain to new designed modular or mobile type structures moved into and/or through the jurisdiction of the city. Buildings and/or structures of 150 square feet or less, determined by exterior measurements of the structure, shall be exempted from this section.

(c) Prior to issuance of a moving permit, the applicant shall provide and state the following to the city building inspector:

1. A vermin-free certification from a reputable exterminating firm.
2. Description of the lot on which the structure is located within the jurisdiction of the city.
3. Proof of ownership of the structure.
4. A statement of verification that all taxes have been paid at the structure's current location.
5. Proposed route of travel of the structure.
6. A certified engineer's statement that the movement of the structure will in no way have adverse effects upon any road surface or bridge on or along the proposed route within the city jurisdiction.
7. Date of the proposed move.
8. Proof that the structure will be moved by a licensed and bonded contract mover.
9. Proof of liability insurance, provided by the moving contractor, in the amount of \$1,000.00.
10. Estimate of the time required to complete the move.
11. Written and signed statement indicating the intended use of the structure at the new site.
12. If within the jurisdiction, a signed statement, attesting that all utilities will be properly disconnected and abandoned as per this Code to include, but not be limited to, electrical connections, shutting off the water, and properly plugging and sealing all sewer lines back of curb or at right-of-way.
13. Legal description of the lot the structure will be placed upon.
14. To-scale drawing depicting the exact location of the structure on the new site or lot, if within the jurisdiction of the city.
15. A cost of repair, remodel, or construction estimate provided by a reputable and practicing construction firm, recognized by the city as an active firm engaged in repair, remodel, or new construction.
16. A certified copy of any and all recorded covenants in place at the new lot location.
17. An approved building permit, from the city, meeting all the requirements of the adopted electrical and building codes in force at the time of application.
18. A complete set of blueprint drawings, provided as per current building code requirements, that show compliance with all building codes and covenants (if applicable) that are in force at the time of application.
19. Copies of approved moving applications from all counties of jurisdiction affected by the move and/or the state, is required.
20. A statement from all utility entities that the movement of the structure is acceptable or that a representative of that entity will be present during the move and that the applicant agrees to pay the cost of monitoring and all subsequent related costs pursuant thereto, including but not limited to electrical, telephone, gas, water, and the city street department.

(d) Prior to issuance of a moving permit, the building inspector shall inspect the structure at the present site or location to determine structural soundness of the building to be moved. If evidence of vermin infestation is noted, the applicant shall remove or cause to have removed adjacent interior wall coverings of all vermin-infested areas of the structure, to allow the building inspector to determine the extent of damage. A re-inspection fee shall be charged as per the schedule outlined in the current building code.

Exception: Used, previously erected or occupied modular or mobile homes seeking approval to move into or within the City of Wayne shall meet all of the above conditions, except (c-1, c-2, c-6, c-8, c-9, c-12, c-14, c-15, c-16, c-17, c-18, and c-20). Upon inspection, the building official may require the owner to comply to any or all of the expected sub-paragraphs listed above, where justified by inspection results. Appeal of the building official's decision shall be presented in writing to the building official's office, requesting an appeal to the specific sub-sections not accepted by the building official, a minimum of ten days prior to the next regularly scheduled City Council meeting.

In addition to the above, once located onsite on a lot in Wayne, the modular or mobile home owner shall:

1. Close/skirt or underpin the area directly under the unit to the ground, including the tongue or towing apparatus if non-detachable;
2. Construct or otherwise provide a landing at all exterior doors a minimum of 3 feet in any direction;
3. Construct or otherwise provide a set of steps that meet current building code regulations;
4. Where indicated by current building code, construct a guard and handrails for the above landing and steps;
5. Install at least on egress window in all bedrooms, per current building code requirements;
6. Install GFCI receptacles at all appropriate locations per current NEC requirements;
7. Install minimally battery operated smoke detectors per current building code; and
8. Meet all requirements as set forth in Section 90-711 of this code, including tongue or towing mechanism removal.

Upon completion of all of the required and stipulated conditions above, the building official shall issue an occupancy certificate prior to the owner or tenants occupying the structure. Owner shall not occupy structure until authorized by building official.

Section 2. All Ordinances or parts of

Ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 16th day of April, 2013.

THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA
By Mayor

ATTEST:
City Clerk
(Publ. April 25, 2013) ZNEZ

CARROLL VILLAGE BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Carroll, Nebraska
April 10, 2013

Board of Trustees for the Village of Carroll met in regular session on the above date with the following members present: Mark Tietz, Scott Hurlbert, Diana Davis, Kirby Hall and Michael Staub. Also present were Jesse Milligan, maintenance, and Jamie Muhs, Village clerk. Dalton Dunklau from the Wayne High School observed the meeting.

Mark Tietz, chairperson, opened the meeting and pointed out the open meetings act.

Motion was made by Diana Davis and seconded by Scott Hurlbert to approve the minutes of March 20th meeting. Roll call vote. Aye-5. Nay-0. Motion carried.

Bills presented were as follows: Nebraska Dept. of Revenue., sales tax, 330.52; Jamie Muhs, salary, 400.00; George Elyson, salary, 25.00; Larry Peterson, salary, 58.00; Jesse Milligan, salary, 450.00; Adam Junk, salary, 567.70; Waste Connections of NE., sanitation, 2231.09; Northeast Nebraska Public Power Service, streets, water & lagoon, 768.50; Eastern Nebraska Telephone, E911, 165.77; Eastern Nebraska Telephone, lagoon, 41.26; Wayne Herald/Morning Shopper, publications, 77.22; Adam Junk, mileage, 320.35; American Broadband, 104.29; John Mohr (snow removal), 75.00; Jamie Muhs (office supplies), 29.98; JEO Consulting Group, 2200.00; Bomgaars, 2.99; Appera, 80.85; Wayne County Clerk Police Protection Quarterly, 1374.00; Hawkings Inc, 192.01; Ellis Plumbing and Heating (Auditorium furnace), 360.00; Floor Maintenance & Paper Supply, 75.24; Farmer's State Bank, loan, 3089.39; IRS 941 Quarterly, 583.08; City of Wayne, dispatch, 126.67; Farmers State Bank, loan, 334.40; Brown Supply Co, 18.75; Jeffrey Hrouda, attorney, 482.41; Advanced Energy, auditorium, 299.87; One Call Concepts (Digger's Hotline), 1.10; Dave's Electric, siren, 56.00

Motion was made by Diana Davis and seconded by Kirby Hall to approve payment of bills as presented. Roll call vote. Aye-5. Nay-0. Motion carried.

The Board discussed having a spring clean up day. It was agreed that the clerk would research rates for having a roll-off dumpster for Village residents to use for a clean up day.

A petition was brought to the meeting for the water charge for hydrant customers. The current charge was set to recoup the cost of the meter on the hydrant and the cost of having Casey Junk read them manually. The residents with hydrants can be given the option to keep their hydrant rates as they are now, or change to a residential rate. Diana Davis suggested changing the rates to residential but only read for 6 months. A motion was made by Michael Staub to give hydrant users an option to leave at current rate, set up hydrant as a residential or hook up to the house and shut off the hydrant, and was seconded by Kirby Hall. Roll call vote. Aye-5. Nay-0. Motion carried. The Village Clerk will send out letters to the hydrant customers with a deadline of May 1st.

Mr. Lenihan, the Superintendent for the Wayne Community School, will hold a meeting on May 2nd at 7 pm to give residents a state of the school address. The Public is invited to attend.

A motion was made by Kirby Hall and seconded by Scott Hurlbert to return the Community Hall deposit to Kelly Kenny. Roll call vote. Aye-5. Nay-0. Motion carried.

A \$20 memorial donation was given to the Village on behalf of Luch Schnoor. The Board agreed to use it for supplies for the Auditorium.

Outstanding utility bills were discussed. The Board decided to recess the meeting until April 17th, at 7:00pm because Dale Bohac was not able to attend due to weather and road conditions. The Board wanted to hear reports from Dale concerning an amendment to the DWSF loan information. A motion was made by Scott Hurlbert and seconded by Diana Davis to recess the meeting until April 17th. Roll call vote. Aye-5. Nay-0. Motion carried.

The Board of Trustees for the Village of Carroll resumed their regular session on April 17th, 2013 with the following members present: Mark Tietz, Scott Hurlbert, Diana Davis, Kirby Hall, and Michael Staub. Also present were Dale Bohac, JEO, Jamie Muhs, clerk; and Steven Sherman, Drew Carroll, and Dalton Dunklau from the Wayne High School to observe the meeting.

A motion to buy a third tree for John Dunklau was made by Diana Davis and seconded by Scott Hurlbert. Roll call vote. Aye-5. Nay-0. Motion carried.

Dale handed out information about the water meter loan with an amortization schedule. The loan agreement has contingencies included for improvements for the fire hydrant and other minor improvements. Dale would like to do a median income survey to determine grant possibilities for the Village. Dale will provide a schedule of surrounding towns and the monthly rate the residents use.

A motion to approve the loan amendment #1 to include other improvements made by Kirby Hall and seconded by Diana Davis. Roll call vote. Aye-5. Nay-0. Motion carried.

Motion to adjourn was made by Kirby Hall and seconded by Scott Hurlbert. Roll call vote. Aye-5. Nay-0. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 8:04 pm.

Next regular meeting is scheduled for 7:00 pm at the Community Hall on May 8th, 2013.

Mark C. Tietz, Chairman
Jamie Muhs, Clerk
(Publ. April 25, 2013) ZNEZ

Abbreviations for this legal: PS-Personal Services, OE-Operating Expenses, SU-Supplies, MA-Materials, ER-Equipment Rental, CO-Capital Outlays, RP-Repairs, RE-Reimbursement.

WAYNE COUNTY BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Wayne, Nebraska
April 16, 2013

The Wayne County Board of Equalization met in regular session at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, April 16, 2013 in the upstairs conference room of the courthouse. Those in attendance included Chairman Wurdeman, Members Burbach and Rabe, Assessor Duffy and Clerk Finn.

Advance notice was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, on April 4, 2013. A current copy of the Open Meeting Act was posted in the meeting room and accessible to the public.

The agenda was approved on motion by Rabe, second by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye; motion carried.

The meeting was recessed to convene a public hearing on motion by Rabe, second by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye; motion carried.

A public hearing to review tax exemption applications and reaffirmations for real and/or tangible personal property convened at 9:01 a.m.

Those in attendance included Chairman Wurdeman, Members Burbach and Rabe, Assessor Duffy, and Clerk Finn. Jeff Morlok representing Forward Wayne dba Majestic Theatre was also present.

Duffy reported the Nebraska Department of Revenue has requested the Board reconsider the tax exemption they granted to the Majestic Theatre. The decision in the Department of Revenue v. Kearney Board of Equalization & Pioneer Village was recommended as a point of reference. Duffy was told if the county does not deny the tax exemption, the Department of Revenue will protest the decision to the Nebraska Tax Equalization and Review Commission, and ask that the Commission find the property subject to taxes.

The property's primary use must be for religious, educational, charitable, or cemetery purposes to qualify for an exemption. The Majestic is used for educational and charitable purposes, but it is primarily used as a theatre. Jeff Morlok requested the county defer making a decision until the Directors have time to research options.

A motion to adjourn the public hearing was made by Rabe, second by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye; motion carried.

The board reconvened in open session at 9:10 a.m.

A motion was made by Rabe, seconded by Burbach, to table action on the tax exemption granted to Majestic Theatre until June 18, 2013. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye; motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:16 a.m. on motion by Rabe, second by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye, Wurdeman-aye; motion carried.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk

Wayne, Nebraska
April 16, 2013

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:16 a.m. on Tuesday, April 16, 2013 in the upstairs conference room of the Courthouse.

Those in attendance included Chairman Burbach, Members Rabe and Wurdeman, and Clerk Finn. Advance notice of this meeting was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, on April 4, 2013.

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

An application for permission to place a utility line in county road right of way was added to the agenda. The amended agenda and the minutes of the April 2, 2013 meeting were approved on motion by Rabe, second by Wurdeman. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

Lowell Heggemeyer told the board he purchased property next to the county yard a few years ago, with the intention of buying the county yard should the county relocate the road department. Heggemeyer's building is right on the property line; if the county property sold, and he did not get the bid, he could lose access to the overhead door of his building. To prevent the possibility of being landlocked, he requested a 30' permanent easement from the southwest corner of his property line heading east to Pearl Street. Heggemeyer was told to bring the legal description of the land to the board for approval prior to drafting an easement.

Marlin Schuttler's letter of resignation, effective April 30, 2013, was accepted on motion by Wurdeman, second by Rabe. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried. Schuttler has served as Noxious Weed Control Superintendent since January 2, 1990.

Advertising for a part-time Noxious Weed Control Superintendent was authorized on motion by Wurdeman, second by Rabe. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried. Applications will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 9th. It is very possible that the new superintendent would not be able to start until June 1. Burbach stated Schuttler had agreed to help if needed during the month of May.

Emergency Manager Nic Kemptz reported the county may have to buy a new duplexer for the fire repeater at the ETV tower. Motorola is going to work on it one more time, but one of the duplexer tuners physically arcs, causing the radio to cut out. They have borrowed the public service antenna to allow the fire repeater to function without a duplexer for right now. Replacement cost for the duplexer is estimated at \$1,700 - \$2,000.

Kemptz also reported that an American Red Cross Shelter was opened at the Wayne Community Activity Center on March 6th for people without power. Cots were set up and a hot shower was available. A few people came in from the Carroll area and stayed until 10:00 p.m., when their power was restored. About 15 families from Pilger were expected but a generator was found for them.

Kim Hansen and Deb Allemann-Dannelly presented cleaning bid specifications for the courthouse and the court services building. The specs were reviewed and approved.

The time of day to clean was discussed. During the day the provider will need to work around driver's examiners, depositions, mediation, county court and district court. Evening cleaning would have to work around meetings. It was decided to let the winning bidder chose their time to clean as long as they work around the building schedule.

The county will be responsible for rag service, carpet cleaning, window cleaning and buffing floors. Cleaning supplies can be included in bids or the county can provide the products. Cleaning personnel must have identification available upon request, and on file with the county prior to cleaning.

Bidders will be asked to bid the courthouse and the court services building as separate jobs and as a combined job. The possibility of each building being cleaned by a different company was acceptable to the board. A six-month trial period, followed by a one-year contract will be offered based on performance. Proof of liability insurance will be required for the winning bidder.

Bids will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 16th. Bids will be opened and reviewed by Allemann-Dannelly, Hansen and Burbach.

The placement of treads on the refinished stairs was once again discussed. The stairs at the east entry level have been showing wear. Hansen was authorized to order the treads originally chosen if the cost does not exceed \$5,000.

Culvert material bids were received from Metal Culverts, Inc., Midwest Service & Sales Co., and B's Enterprises Inc. for Road District 2 and District 3 inventory. There was a substantial difference in the bids received for the half diaphragms. Wurdeman recommended they table action on the bids until other counties were contacted for references. Burbach called Metal Culverts and asked if the culverts they bid had angle iron around the edges, and how wide the flares were around the headwall. Based on the responses Burbach was concerned that the products bid by Metal Culverts would be flimsy. The second-low bid of \$22,524.24 for helical and annular culverts, bands and diaphragms submitted by B's Enterprises was accepted on motion by Rabe, second by Wurdeman. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

Culvert bids were received from Contech Engineered Solutions, Midwest Service & Sales

Co., and Ace/Eaton Metals for Carroll Northeast Project C-90(214), Structure No. C0090000435 on Road 863 between 568 and 569 Ave; and Carroll Northeast Project C-90(330), Structure C009010205 on Road 864 between 568 and 569 Ave. Wurdeman questioned how Contech could be \$30.00 cheaper per foot on the tubes, and if the materials arrived and did not meet expectations could the project wait for a reorder? For the \$8,000 difference between low and second-low bid Burbach thought it was worth taking a chance on Contech. The bid of \$64,006.19 submitted by Contech Engineered Solutions was accepted on motion by Wurdeman, second by Rabe. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

The meeting was recessed for lunch at 12:12 p.m. on motion by Rabe, second by Wurdeman. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

The meeting reconvened at 1:17 p.m. on motion by Rabe, second by Wurdeman. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

The addition of security Cusip #455421N06, for \$200,000 as submitted by Elkhorn Valley Bank was approved on motion by Wurdeman, second by Rabe. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

The withdrawal of Cusip #68905FDH9, for \$170,000, as submitted by Elkhorn Valley Bank was approved on motion by Wurdeman, second by Rabe. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

The addition of security Cusip #3135G0TJ2, #3136G1F46, #3136FT4Q9, #3136G1HJ1, #3133EAX45, #313381C60, #3136G0J36, #313381YL3, totaling \$2,000,000, as submitted by State National Bank & Trust Co., was approved on motion by Wurdeman, second by Rabe. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

As per the Lodging Tax Committee's recommendations, grants of \$250 for the Winside Craft Show, \$1,000 for Hennoween, \$1,000 for the 33rd Annual Chicken Show, and \$500 for two ads in the NEBRASKAIand Magazine were approved on motion by Wurdeman, second by Rabe. Roll call vote: Wurdeman-aye, Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

The Nebraska Department of Roads has arranged for Kirkham Michael & Associates, Inc. to perform the inspections and any necessary load re-rating of all fracture critical bridges due for inspection in 2013. The cost for the inspections is estimated to be \$64,901.64. Soft match credit may be used for the 20% local share if credit has been reinstated by FHWA. If credit is not available, the 20% (\$12,980.33) will be billed. Motion by Rabe, second by Wurdeman to enter into an agreement with the Nebraska Department of Roads for Project No. STP-NBIS (99) Control No. 00886, Statewide 2013 Fracture Critical Bridge Inspections and Load Re-ratings. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

Resolution No. 13-07 was approved on motion by Rabe, second by Wurdeman. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Wurdeman-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

Resolution No. 13-07: Whereas: the Nebraska Department of Roads (NDOR) is developing a transportation project, on behalf of the county, for which it intends to obtain Federal funds;



Art Club

Members of the Wayne High School Art Club include, front, Dulce Torres. Second row, Jason Holt, McKenna Frevert, Kimberly Zuniga, Samantha Long, Jamie Schmidt, Brittany Cudaback and Ande Schulz. Middle row, Maddie Morris, Olivia Ficke-Anderson, Kimberly Holt, Bailey Kudrna, Rochelle Sukup and Kendra Veik. Back row, Zach Jorgensen, Brooklyn Brunken, Emma Evetovich, Riley Nichols, Abby Cudaback, Casey Dalager, Anna Loberg and Aspen Pflanz.



Spanish Club

Members of the Wayne High School Spanish Club for 2012-2013 include, front, Diana Fernandez and Emily Leeper. Second row, Jason Holt, Samantha Long, Hannah Gamble, Martha Mitiku, Kennedy Stowater, Sarah Maxson, Anna Knezevic, Katlyn Hurlbert, Dillon Wieland, Grace Kenny, Jaci Lubberstedt, McKenna Frevert, Lila Goos and Miranda Denklau. Second row, Zach Jorgensen, Ande Schulz, Maddie Morris, Emma Evetovich, Riley Nichols, Cassidy Wiese, Holly Kenny, Tahlia Reynolds, Holly Grosz, Lauren Gilliland, Angie Nelson, Abbie Hix, Sabrina Hochstein, Shawntel Wacker, Aspen Pflanz and Sydney McCorkindale. Back row, Brooklyn Brunken, Rachel Duncan, Lexi Sokol, Bailey Bentjen, Jaci Jenkins, Jackson Blankenau, Paige Wacker, Shar Sievers, Madison Frevert, Bryce Sebade, Marissa Wiese and Casey Dalager.

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Musical

Cast and crew members of "Seussical" included front row, left to right, Rachel Duncan, Emily Leeper, Olivia Ficke-Anderson, Jared Peterson, Rachel Waddington, Dulce Torres, Dacia Dickey, Samantha Bierbower, Sarah Maxson and Shar Sievers. Second row, Samantha Long, Nicole Craft, Emma Loberg, Ashlyn Pecena, Victoria Kranz, Maddie Morris, Martha Mitiku, Angie Nelson, Gabby Miller, Parker Wren, Jacob Reynolds, Hannah Gamble, McKenna Gibson, Tahlia Reynolds, Riley Nichols, Sydney McCorkindale, Michaela Fehringer, Kayla Janke. Third row, Colin Webster, Justen Stahl, Mason Reynolds, Jewel Kneifl, Shawntel Wacker, Bailey Kudrna, Meg Osnes, Kelsey Ellis, Holly Kenny, Sydney Burke, Aspen Pflanz, Kendra Liska, Irmak Tuncay, Peyton Roach, Tarah Stegemann, Talen Ahlgrim, Erica Holcomb, Tabitha Belt, Madison Frevert, Erica Zach, Kennedy Stowater, Mikayla Bartos, Jamie Schmidt. Fourth row, Anna Cole, Anna Loberg, McKenna Brugger-Isom, Kaydee Dunker, Miranda Long, Sabrina Hochstein, Kimberly Holt, Paige Wacker, Faith Schultz. Back row, Jack Tyson, Jason Holt, Courtney Melena, Sylvia Jager, Reed Trenhaile, Austin Hammer, Brandon Bear, Bryce Sebade, Dillon Wieland, Morgan Carson, Jade Bottger, Hannah Kenny, Keanna Swanson, Emma Evetovich and Cassie Heier.



One-Acts

Members of the 2012-2013 Wayne High School One Act cast and crew include, front row (left to right), Sylvia Jager, Meg Osnes, Ashlyn Pecena, Maddie Morris, Anna Loberg and Mickayla Armell. Second row, Emma Loberg, Anna Cole, Kendra Liska, Emma Osnes, McKenna Brugger-Isom and Justen Stahl. Third row, Jaci Alexander, Kimberly Holt, Jason Holt, Jack Tyson, Marissa Wiese, Samantha Long and John Weaver. Back Row (left to right): Aspen Pflanz, Parker Wren, Olivia Ficke-Anderson, Casey Dalager and Faith Schultz. Crew members not pictured, Colin Webster and Bryce Sebade. This year's team was named District Champion and placed third at the State competition.



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Cheerleaders

Cheerleaders during the 2012-2013 school year at Wayne High School included (clockwise from bottom) Liz Hines, Autumn Svenson, Tahlia Reynolds, Samantha Long, Shar Sievers, Megan Duncan and Siera Brugger.

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Dance Squad

Members of the Wayne High School Dance Squad for 2012-2013 include, front row, McKenna Gibson and Erica Holcomb. Back, Aspen Pflanz, Emma Loberg, Chantel Martin, Paige Wacker, Riley Nichols, Megan Osnes and Gabrielle Miller.

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Speech Team

Members of the 2012-2013 Wayne High School Speech team included (front) Kendra Liska and Diana Fernandez. (second row) Aspen Pflanz, Anna Loberg, Lila Goos, Brittany Cudaback, Dulce Torres and Sylvia Jager. (third row) Marissa Wise, Riley Nichols, Cassidy Wiese, Emma Loberg and Jason Holt. (back row) Reed Trenhaile, Parker Wren, Justen Stahl, Joe Burrows, Jackson Blankenau and Casey Dalager. The team won the District B-4 Championship

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Yearbook Staff

Yearbook staff members for 2012-2013 include, left to right, Samantha Long, Cienna Stegemann, Diana Fernandez, Chantel Martin, Dulce Torres, Lauren Mecseji and Emma Loberg.

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