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Anderson catches rare air with record leap

Wayne senior becomes 14th in state history to clear 7 feet

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

As a freshman, Grant Anderson managed to clear 5 feet, 6 inches in the high jump, and the thought of breaking one of the longest-running records in Wayne High School's track history seemed too high a bar to reach.

On Saturday, Anderson not only reached that bar – he rocketed over it.

Anderson shattered the 1986 school record of 6 feet, 8 inches, set by Bill Liska, then rewrote the Mid State Conference record books on his way to the first 7-foot performance of the year in Nebraska.

Not a bad effort for someone who played baseball his sophomore and junior seasons, and was looking to just have some fun and compete in track before graduating this spring.

"I was just going to go to UNL for college, but now after this jump, I've been getting some offers to high jump," Anderson said during a break in practice Tuesday. "This past week has been pretty ridiculous."

The week started with a first-place finish at the Norfolk Track Classic, an invitation-only track meet that brings the top performers in Northeast

Nebraska together for a finals-only meet. Anderson cleared 6 feet, 7 inches, and easily won the event.

Before Saturday, that was Anderson's best effort of the spring, and when he wrapped up the Mid State Conference title Saturday afternoon at 6 feet, 4 inches, he and Wayne High jumps coach Mike Jaixen decided it was time to see how high he could REALLY go.

"It was really neat to see him do it, and it was exciting for everybody, because everybody basically stopped what they were doing to watch him," Jaixen said.

After starting the day at 5 feet, 8 inches, Anderson went up in two-inch increments without a miss. he experienced his first miss at 6 feet, 6 inches, then cleared that mark and tied the school record of 6 feet, 8 inches on his next jump.

"My previous best was that 6-7 mark I got at Norfolk a couple of days earlier, so I wasn't really expecting it," Anderson said. "We had a nice day to jump, but I was still surprised that I got it."

Anderson joined the Wayne High baseball team when the sport was reinstated in 2011, and was one of the team's better pitchers during the 2011 and 2012 seasons. He returned to the track for his senior year, and Jaixen said it didn't take long for

him to rediscover the natural leaping ability he has in the high jump pit.

"When he came out as a freshman, his jump technique then was beautiful and we knew he could jump, so when he came out again this spring, I thought he'd fall back into it," he said. "He was a little rusty early on, but once we got him to do some things with his technique, it's been good."

After tying Liska's school record, the bar was moved up one-half of an inch for a chance to break a school record that was set almost a decade before he was born. The crowd erupted when he made it over the bar at 6 feet, 8 1/2 inches, and then he made it over the bar at 6 feet, 9 1/2 inches to tie the conference record.

"After he tied the conference record, we just decided to go for the record and make it an even 7 feet," Jaixen said.

Anderson knocked the bar down on each of his first two attempts, then took some time to collect his thoughts before his third attempt.

"I was a little tired after the first two attempts, and Coach Jaixen told me to take it easy and slow down, because I was the only jumper left and there was really no hurry," he said. "I was able to just take some time and catch my breath, and then I

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(Contributed photo) Grant Anderson became just the 14th high jumper in Nebraska state history to clear 7 feet, doing so on this jump Saturday at the Mid State Conference meet in Madison.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Brad Weber performs a drum solo during his final concert as the Wayne High Director of Bands. He is stepping down after a 27-year career in the Wayne Public Schools district.

After 27 years, Wayne High band director is hanging up the baton

By CLARA OSTEN
Of the Herald

Brad Weber will be hanging up the baton in a couple of weeks after more than 30 years of teaching, 27 of those as the Director of Bands at Wayne High School.

Weber has earned numerous awards during his tenure at Wayne High, many from his music instructor peers. He is however, quick to downplay his accomplishments and very humble in accepting praise for his efforts.

In fact, when asked to comment on his career at Wayne High School, Weber focused on those around him rather than himself.

"When I first came to Wayne High School, I was really concerned following the Legend Ron Dalton (who was a mentor of mine and a director I looked up to very highly) but the administration, the school, the parents, the students and the community showed support and kept the program going," Weber said.

Weber was recognized during this week's final music concert at Wayne High School.

He was presented with several gifts from the Class of 2013 and all in attendance were encouraged to sign a guest book and share memories of Weber.

"I could write a book for every year I have been here (at Wayne High School), talking about all the great memories and experiences I have had. All the students who participated in band, along with all the other activities they were involved in and how they went to the extreme to make it work," Weber said.

Weber said he could not imagine teaching at any place other than Wayne High School.

"That, and the fact that my wife, Deb, and I were able to raise our children here and have them graduate from Wayne High School was great. I could go on for hours how awesome it was (is) here at Wayne High School. I was the lucky one!" Weber said.

Weber also praised those he has had the opportunity to work with in the last 27 years.

"I have also been so lucky over the years to have worked with the fantastic music instructors in the Wayne Community Schools



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Bob Liska, President of the Wayne Music Boosters, congratulates Brad Weber during Tuesday's concert. He also presented him with a book of memories.

– Keith and Cheryl Kopperud, Bonnie Day, Kathryn (Kaki) Ley, Deneil Parker, Carrie Jensen, Monica Jensen and Tracy Anderson. The way we have worked together and gotten along with each other was at the top. It doesn't happen like that in the many school systems," he said.

During his teaching career at Wayne High School, Weber has also served as an adjunct faculty member in the Wayne State College Music Department.

Weber and his wife, Deb (who is employed at Wayne State College), are the parents of three daughters – Melissa Woodman (who has a home daycare in Omaha), Megan Flohr (who teaches at Eagle Elementary in Eagle and lives in Lincoln) and Micaela Hight (who teaches at Wakefield Community Schools). He also has five granddaughters and one grandson.

Chicken Show theme: Getting fried in 2013

After considerable scrambling, the Wayne Chicken Show Committee is excited to announce the theme and t-shirt design for the 2013 Chicken Show.

Suggested by Jennifer Sievers and depicted by Stadium Sports, this year's theme is "I Got Fried at the Wayne Chicken Show."

The 33rd annual Wayne Chicken Show is scheduled for Friday through Sunday, July 12-14.

The 2013 T-shirts are bright yellow with a small design on the front chest and the full theme on the back of the shirt. Shirts will be available at the WAED office and other locations in the near future. Shirts sell for \$15 each and are available in a wide variety of youth and adult sizes.

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(Photo by Katie Kasl)

Kim and Adam Endicott returned to Wayne and run the Pac 'N' Save grocery store that their father started more than 25 years ago.

New generation running the show at Pac 'N' Save

By KATIE KASL
Of The Herald

Minus the four years he served in the military, the only other job Adam Endicott has ever known has been in the grocery industry.

His parents, Don and Nancy Endicott, own Pac 'N' Save – both the Wayne location and the one in Seward – so Adam was practically raised in the store.

"I was seven years old and picking up trash in the parking lot," Endicott, who manages the Wayne store, said.

As he got older, he started learning all the various departments of the supermarket, something the rest of the Endicott children did, as well.

Adam continued to work at Pac 'N' Save until May 2000, when he left for basic training. In October of that same year,



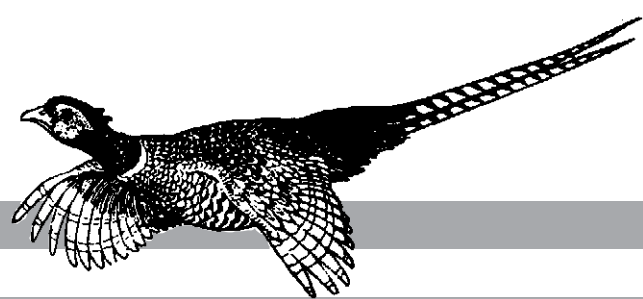
he moved to Georgia and spent the next seven years in Valdosta and Atlanta, before returning to Wayne in April 2007.

He says he came back to be around his relatives and to continue the family business.

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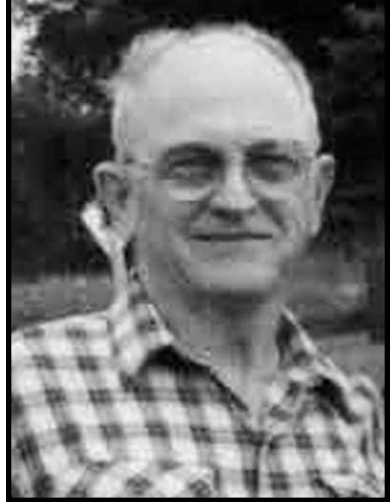


Obituaries

Siegfried 'Fritz' Stahl

Siegfried H. "Fritz" Stahl, 95, of Wayne, died Saturday, April 27, 2013 at Careage of Wayne.

There will be no services in Wayne. Inurnment of ashes and military rites will be at Forest Lawn Cemetery Hollywood Hills in Glendale, Calif.



Siegfried H. "Fritz" Stahl, son of Max and Emma (Brogren) Stahl, was born Jan. 20, 1918 on a farm two miles from Winside. On Aug. 17, 1943 he married Evelyn McCune at the Wayne County Court house. They had three children, Roger (Betty), Carleen, and Duane (Simone). He served in a CC camp in 1939. Then he served in the Airforce, 60th troop Carrier from Oct. 7, 1942 and was discharged on March 30, 1946 as a Sergeant. One of his proudest memories was his trip around the world with service in the United States and China. For 35 years he was employed by Lockheed and Wiens Precision Model shop as a machinist. He lived in California for 36 years. After raising his family in California, they moved to Sandy, Oregon. He had a custom home on three acres. While in Oregon, he worked as a helicopter machinist until 2003 at Isolair. The couple moved back to Nebraska in 2003. He had resided in Careage of Wayne the last two years.

Fritz is survived by his wife, Evelyn; two sons, Roger and Betty Stahl of Arizona and Duane and Simone Stahl of Washington; brothers, Roland and Roberta Stahl of Iowa and Willy Stahl of Wayne; seven grandchildren; four great-grandchildren several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Max and Emma; one daughter, Carleen, and grandson Brandon; two sisters, Sophia Morris and Hilda Lammouree.

The family requests memorials to be made to the Winside Museum in Winside.

Stonacek Funeral Chapel in Norfolk is in charge of arrangements.

Evelyn Doescher

Evelyn Doescher, 71, of Wayne, died Sunday, April 28, 2013 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Memorial visitation will be held Thursday, May 2 from 5 to 8 p.m. at Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne with the family present. Family committal services will be held at a later date.



Evelyn Kay Doescher was born June 30, 1941, in Elizabeth, N.J. She graduated from high school and then attended college. Evelyn married Darrell Doescher on March 25, 1961 at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne. The couple moved to Wayne in August of 1963. She was employed at the Wayne Greenhouse and then at Wayne Federal Savings and Loan. For several years Evelyn was a Customer Service Representative at Farmers and Merchants State Bank in Wayne, which is now F & M Bank. Evelyn was a member of Grace Lutheran Church.

Survivors include her husband, Darrell; sons, Dave (Jan) Doescher of Wayne and Doug (Michelle) Doescher of Fremont; four grandchildren, Jordyn, Trent, Taylor, and Mackenzie; and mother-in-law, Mary Doescher of Wayne.

She was preceded in death by her father-in-law, Leslie "Lec" Doescher and a brother.

Memorials may be directed to the family. Hasemann Funeral Home of Wayne is in charge of arrangements.

Soil and Water Stewardship Week runs through May 5

The Lower Elkhorn Natural Resources District (LENRD) wants to remind everyone that each of us has a connection to our natural resources.

The National Association of Conservation Districts (NACD) is celebrating the 58th year of Stewardship Week, April 28-May 5, 2013. The 2013 Stewardship Week is themed, "Where does your water shed?"

LENRD Information & Education Specialist, Julie Wragge, said, "The LENRD celebrates this week every year by providing free educational materials to churches and schools across the 15-county district in Northeast Nebraska. Nebraska's Natural Resources Districts (NRDs) were formed to assist people in conserving their precious natural resources. The LENRD has been helping to protect our natural resources for the future through countless conservation programs over the past 41 years," she added,

"Each of the 23 NRDs in Nebraska were created according to the watershed boundaries across the state, which makes this year's

theme so interesting. Watersheds cross county, state, and national boundaries. No matter where you are right now, you are in a watershed."

"Clean water is important to all of us," Wragge continued. "Less than 1 percent of all of the water on our planet is fresh water. The average citizen in the United States uses 70 gallons of water every day; and this does not include the water it takes to manufacture the automobiles, clothing, and food we depend on each and every day. Take time to learn about your local community water supply sources, and volunteer for river, stream or lake clean-up days. You can make a difference."

The LENRD is a member of the National Association of Conservation Districts (NACD) which oversees the Stewardship Week program.

Stewardship Week is one of the largest national annual programs to promote conservation. NACD represents the nation's 3,000 conservation districts, which were established to encourage resource conservation across the country.

For more information about Stewardship Week and other conservation programs, contact the LENRD at (402) 371-7313 or www.lenrd.org.

Megan Hoffart awarded WSC scholarships

Megan Hoffart of Wayne has been awarded a Claybaugh Family Wayne Community Endowed Scholarship valued at \$1,700 and a Cooperating Schools Scholarship, which pays one half of her tuition to attend Wayne State College.

Megan is the daughter of Kevin and Jody Hoffart, of Wayne.

She will graduate from Wayne High School in May of 2013.

In high school she was involved in softball, basketball, track, band, musical, National Honor Society, W-Club and Class Vice President her junior and senior year.



Megan Hoffart



Wayne State College students from left: Stephanie Weinrich, Trevor Hefner and Michael Hansen (fourth from left) just completed a Service-Learning project for the Wayne County Museum. The students worked with Lois Shelton, President of the Wayne County Historical Society (center) and Dr. Laura Dendinger of Wayne State College (at far right).

Wayne State College students complete service learning project at Wayne County Museum

Wayne State College students of Business Communications and Managerial Communications recently completed a Service-Learning project for the Wayne County Museum, located at Seventh and Lincoln Streets in Wayne. The students worked with Lois Shelton, President of the Wayne County Historical Society.

Students participating included Stephanie Weinrich of Wakefield, Trevor Hefner of Coleridge and Michael Hansen of Stanton.

Each class was divided into teams and put together different projects for the museum. The teams worked together to create a website, brochures, flyers, several newsletters, a grant application, mission and vision statements, and donor letters for the museum within a portfolio containing research from museums across the county.

Each idea was carefully designed to benefit the museum to bring in more visitors and build awareness of what the museum has to offer.

"We learned about how much work actually goes into running a museum," said a student of the BUS 208 Business Communications class. "Not many of us realized how much dedication running a museum takes - a lot more than we thought."

Those interested in learning more about the museum are encouraged to visit the new website at: <http://wcm-ne.wix.com/waynecountymuseum#> There you can watch for news of the opening of the museum on Sunday afternoons this summer.

This project was supported by

the Wayne State College Service-Learning Program.

For more information about the Wayne County Museum or to get

assistance with a nonprofit organization's communication needs, contact Laura Dendinger at (402) 375-7020.



Seniors receiving American Legion Riders Scholarships are, (front) Brian and Sharolyn Biermann and Jessica Biermann of Wayne, and Dominique Swanson of Bloomfield; (back) Troy Pospisil, Riders Director; Kathy Steffen and Morgan Steffen of Hartington (Hartington Cedar Catholic), Ty Alexander and Kim Alexander of Bloomfield and Kevin Sonnichsen, Riders Vice-Director. Not able to attend was scholarship recipient Brayton Hagge of Fordyce, who attends Crofton Schools.

American Legion Riders present scholarships

The American Legion Riders from Post 249 gave away five \$200 scholarships at their recent meeting. There were 39 students who submitted essays on "What Patriotism Means To Me" earlier this spring. The applications were sent out to the communities where the local Riders Chapter has members.

Through over three hours of deliberation and reading and re-reading of the essays, the group selected the above five seniors to receive the scholarships.

Also attending the meeting was Shannon Falk of Norfolk, who is the State Nebraska Asst. Liaison Officer for the Northeast District.

"I had the honor of attending Post 249's monthly meeting on April 15 which also encompassed presenting scholarships to five young adults from high schools in surrounding communities that the members of Post 249 are residents of. Thirty nine different students submitted a short essay on what Patriotism means to them for a chance to win

a \$200 scholarship. The officers and chain of command stated they had a very difficult time choosing the top essays. After many hours of deliberation, they narrowed it down to the five top winners to receive a scholarship check for \$200 each. Each winner read their essay in front of Post 249 attendees and guests to a warm reception. POST 249 should be commended for thinking outside the box and embracing the younger generation with their effort's and support," Falk said.



George Phelps

Phelps to attend 2013 National Conference

George Phelps, Certified Financial Planner, will attend a three day conference sponsored by MidAmerica Financial Services of Joplin, Mo.

The conference "Building a Better Business Utilizing Integrated Solutions" will take place May 1-3 at the Renaissance Orlando at SeaWorld, in Orlando, Fla.

George Phelps, CFP has an office located in the Mineshaft Mall, 112 E Second Street in Wayne. He can be reached by phone at (402) 369-1818, web site: georgephelps.com.

A Quick Look



Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Apr. 25	56	25	—	—
Apr. 26	70	27	—	—
Apr. 27	75	38	—	—
Apr. 28	78	39	—	—
Apr. 29	85	49	—	—
Apr. 30	82	47	—	—
May 1	82	40	.82"	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. (May) — .82" / Snow — 0
Yr./Date — 6.90" / Seasonal snow — 29.5"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, May 3 at Rustic Treasures on Main Street. The coffee on Friday, May 10 will be held at U.S. Cellular. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.



Thrivent group to meet

AREA — Wayne-Dixon County Chapter No. 30268, Thrivent Financial for Lutherans, will meet on Saturday, May 4 at noon at Tacos & More in Wayne. All benefit and associate members are welcome. Anyone wishing to learn more about what Thrivent has to offer is welcome as well.

Genealogy workshop re-scheduled

AREA — The Genealogy Workshop that was to be held on May 1st was postponed due to the weather and rescheduled for Wed. May 22nd. It will be held at the Lied Winside Public Library at 6:30 pm and is open to anyone interest at no cost. Anyone needing help searching for their "roots" or with writing their family history is encouraged to attend. Judy Carlson of Wausa will be the instructor. The workshop will last approximately two hours.

Barking for an Angel

AREA — A Barking for an Angel Challenge Grant has been issued for the Wayne Bark Park. A goal of raising \$1,500 by May 15 has been set. If the goal is met, the Bark Park could be up and running by early summer. Anyone wishing to make a donation may send a check to P.O. Box 275, Wayne, Neb. 68787 or drop it off at the WAED Office, 108 West Third Street. For more information, contact Jessi Hansen at (402) 375-2240.

Final concerts

AREA — Students at Wayne Junior High School will be presenting a band and choir concert on Thursday, May 9 at the high school gym at 7 p.m. A fifth and sixth grade band and choir concert will be held Monday, May 13 at 7 p.m. at the high school. The kindergarten through fourth grade students will have a final concert on Wednesday, May 16 at 7 p.m. in the gym.

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Wayne State to honor 448 at graduation Saturday

Wayne State College will hold commencement for graduate students at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, May 4 in Rice Auditorium and at 2 p.m. Saturday May 4 for undergraduate students in Memorial Stadium.

A total of 448 degrees - 354 undergraduate and 94 graduate degrees - will be conferred at the ceremonies by Wayne State President Curt Frye.

Nebraska State Senator Greg Adams, speaker of the Nebraska legislature and a 1974 graduate of Wayne State College, will deliver the commencement address at the undergraduate ceremony.

Brandon Foote of Wayne, husband of Staci Foote and the son of Brian and Tammy Foote, will deliver one of two addresses at the graduation ceremony. Foote, who is graduating with his master's degree in organizational management with an emphasis in sport management, earned his bachelor's degree at Wayne State in 2011.

Foote has served as a graduate assistant for the Wayne State sports information office the past two years. His duties have included helping create all of the media guides for the various sports at Wayne State, while also updating the website with stories, photo galleries and press releases. Foote also entered live stats for the website at all home games along with numerous other tasks and responsibilities.

Kimberly Hix of Wayne, wife of Ryan Hix and daughter of Jim and Terri Vrooman, will deliver one of two addresses at the graduate ceremony. Hix will receive her master's degree in curriculum and instruction. She graduated from Wayne State in the winter of 2008 with her

bachelor of science in elementary education with an endorsement in early childhood development.

Hix teaches fourth grade at Wayne Elementary School and has two children, Elizabeth and Benjamin.

Alexis Sieh will deliver the invocation at the undergraduate ceremony. She is the daughter of Mike and Shellie Sieh of Stanton. Alexis graduated as valedictorian from Stanton Community Schools in 2009 and studied chemistry health science with a minor in biology at Wayne State College. She has been on the Dean's List with a 4.0 GPA all four years, is a Board of Trustees Scholar, and is a member of the Rural Health Opportunities Program (RHOP).

Sieh has participated in Health Science Club, Cardinal Key Honor Society, Philomathean Presidential Honor Society, and was named a 2012 Homecoming Princess. She is currently the President of Rotaract Club and the Co-Student President of Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society. Sieh has been a Science and Math Tutor for the Holland Academic Success Center the past two years and is currently their secretary. She is graduating with High Honors in her major and has presented her honors research project at the National Academy of Science and the American Chemical Society. Sieh will begin her studies at University of Nebraska Medical Center's College of Medicine in August to pursue a doctorate degree in medicine. Sieh hopes to one day return to rural Nebraska to practice in the surrounding area.

Dr. Bonnie Bass is the recipient of the Wayne State Founda-

tion Alumni Achievement Award. She is the founder and president of Expertise, a consulting and executive advisory firm headquartered in the San Francisco Bay Area, with eight associate offices in the U.S. and Canada. She also serves as Vice President of Research and Development for Professional DynaMetric Programs, Inc., a Colorado behavioral research, program development, and international training company. She serves as Director of the DynaPro Consulting Division of PDP Inc.

Bass graduated with a bachelor's degree in education from Wayne State College in 1954. After teaching at Wayne High School and Technical High School in Omaha, she enjoyed a number of years as a homemaker, parenting two children (Jefferson Bass and Jane Bass Page) and serving her community in cities in California, Iowa and Utah. Her love of learning and a desire to assist people to become successful in life inspired her to enroll in a master's degree program at University of San Francisco in psychology. After a two-year internship (1978), she was granted a license as a family counselor and opened an office practice.

In 1978 her brother, Bruce Hubby, a businessman in Colorado Springs, Colo., was funding and leading a new research project that incorporated technology with

the vision of assisting businesses and organizations to achieve success through understanding people. The two siblings joined in this venture, later known as PDP Inc. Bruce Hubby, who is now deceased, graduated from WSC in 1957, along with his wife, Jan Hubby. Bruce's son, Brent Hubby, is now President of PDP Inc. To assist in the new research and expand her knowledge of business applications of psychology, Bass returned to the University of San Francisco, earning the doctor of education degree in 1983. She is a member of the Institute of Management Consultants USA and the National Speakers Association. Bass is honored to have been the first woman president and chairman of the board of the San Francisco Kiwanis Club (1990).

Matt Ley, chief executive officer of State National Bank in Wayne, will present the State National Bank Teaching Excellence Award to Dr. Mark Leeper, professor of politics. David Ley, the banks' chairman of the board, established the award in 1998 as a way of recognizing and strengthening outstanding teaching at Wayne State. David Ley and State National Bank of Wayne support the college in many ways, including scholarships and as a trustee of the Wayne State Foundation Board of Trustees.

This prestigious honor is awarded on the basis of rigorous standards that require a superior level of effective teaching. Leeper also was Wayne State's nominee for the Nebraska State College System Teaching Excellence Award.

This is Leeper's fourth recognition for excellence in teaching, two at Wayne State and two at Univer-

sity of North Carolina-Chapel Hill. Leeper has been at Wayne State for 17 years, teaching American government, constitutional law, elections, and American political culture through literature and film. He earned his master's degree and Ph.D. at the University of North Carolina and his bachelor's degree at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Leeper has taken students to observe oral arguments of the U.S. Supreme Court as a part of their honors projects; has taken students to Iowa caucus events to interact with major party candidates for president; and has co-authored papers with undergraduates and presented their findings at professional political science conferences.

His nomination materials note that he "exhibits the traits embodied in the great teachers of politics: he is engaging, feisty, reverent, and when necessary, irreverent, critical, humorous, and intellectually curious. His approach to teaching has profoundly affected students for over a generation. His former students are now lawyers, teachers, political activists, lobbyists, and more. Most importantly, his students see the world more clearly, engage in their communities more passionately and find politics more interesting than they would otherwise."

Nebraska State Senator Greg Adams will deliver the undergraduate commencement address. Adams represents the 24th District in the Nebraska State Legislature.

Adams graduated with a bachelor's degree in education in 1974 and a master's degree in education in 1975, both from Wayne State College.

He was elected to the legislature for the first time in 2006 and re-elected in 2010. He was elected Speaker of the Legislature for the 2013-14 session. He served as chair of the legislature's Education Committee, and served on the legislature's Revenue Committee, and the Committee on Committees from 2009 to 2012.

He began his teaching career in 1976 at York High School where he taught American government and politics until 2006. During his 30 years as an educator, Adams served as president of the Nebraska State Council for the Social Studies from 1980 to 1981, was a member of the Nebraska State Bar Foundation Curriculum Committee from 1992 to 1994, administered the Washington, D.C. Close Up Program since 1982, and served as the K-12 Social Studies department chair from 1982 to 2004.

His service in government began in 1986 with election to the York City Council. After 10 years as a councilman, he was elected mayor of York, a post he held until 2006. He was appointed by the governor in 1997 and again in 2000 to the Nebraska Information Technology Commission.

Adams married Julie A. Epke on Oct. 8, 1992. He has three children: Heather Loveless, Shawn Levitt and Sarah Adams.



Adams



Bass

Kiwanis Scholastic Achievement Winners



Freshmen

Freshmen recognized included (front) Sylvia Jager, Michaela Fehringer, Nicole Craft, Mikyla Bartos and Mikayla Bartos. (back) Meg Osnos, Jakob Strate, Cole Koening, Colby Keiser and Jenessa Kardell.

Sophomores

Sophomores recognized included (front) Zachary Jorgensen, Shawntel Wacker, Alyssa Schmale, Tahlia Reynolds and Sydney McCorkindale. (back) Sabrina Hochstein, Riley Nichols, Luke Pulfer, John Jackson Blankenau and Emma Evtovich.



Juniors

Juniors recognized included (front) Cassiday Wise, Paige Wacker, Ashton Schweers and Lauren Gilliland. (back) Victoria Kranz, Jaci Jenkins, Bryce Sebade, Samantha Bierbower and Bailey Bentjen. Not present, Jalen Barry.



Seniors

Seniors recognized included (front) Martha Mitiku, Grace Kenny, Katlyn Hurlbert, Megan Hoffart and Hannah Gamble, (back) Rachel Waddington, Emily Leeper, Jason Holt, Samantha Long and Miranda Denklaue.



Faculty, staff will be recognized during May 4 commencement

Several members of the faculty and staff at Wayne State College will be recognized during commencement ceremonies at WSC on Saturday, May 4.

They include Dr. Terry Hamilton, Dr. Marilyn Mudge, Dr. John Renzelman, Dorothy Weber and Dr. Daryl Wilcox.

Dr. Terry Hamilton came to Wayne State College in 1990. Her career has included a variety of experiences from being an elementary teacher and school counselor to having a private counseling practice. She earned her bachelor's degree from Wayne State College and her master's degree and Ph.D. from the University of Wyoming. Hamilton has served on Faculty Senate, the College Reorganization Committee, Teaching and Learning Technology Committee, and several other school committees.

Hamilton has enjoyed staying in contact with Wayne State College graduates and learning about how they have affected students and clients. She has also enjoyed working with Educational Service Unit 1 to provide professional development for school counselors.

Dr. Marilyn Mudge is retiring from the School of Education and Counseling after 23 years of service. She earned her bachelor of science degree at Oregon State University in 1972, a master of science in education from Oregon College of Education (now Western Oregon State University) in 1978, and her doctor of education degree from University of South Dakota in 1993. Mudge spent 14 years in elementary education in Oregon and Colorado before joining the Wayne State faculty. Her primary responsibilities at WSC were in elementary education at the undergraduate and graduate levels.

Mudge expressed pride in influencing the education of thousands of children through hundreds of education graduates of WSC. Mudge highlighted her partnership with Wayne and Wakefield schools assessing literacy skills and providing instruction for mostly second through fourth grade children.

Dr. John Renzelman is retiring after 29 years as a professor of Industrial Technology Education at Wayne State. He earned an associate of applied science degree at New Hampshire Vocational/Technical Institute, a bachelor of science in education degree from Keene State College, his master's degree from Indiana State University and his Ph.D. from Texas A&M University. Renzelman served as the faculty senate president from 1994 to 1996 and as an interim division head for the Industrial Technology education department from 1997 to 2001.

For the past few years Renzelman's interests have included three-dimensional printing and human powered vehicles. He has become an avid builder and rider of recumbent bicycles, designing and building a bike in 2009 to accommodate the needs of a local boy born



(Photo courtesy Wayne State College)

Wayne State President Curt Frye congratulated honored retiring faculty and staff who will be recognized at Saturday's commencement. From left are Dorothy Weber, Dr. Terry Hamilton, President Curt Frye, Dr. John Renzelman and Dr. Marilyn Mudge. Not pictured is Dr. Daryl Wilcox.

with cerebral palsy.

Dorothy Weber is retiring after 27 years with Wayne State College. She worked two years as an adjunct learning skills specialist, three years as interim director and 22 years as director of the Holland Academic Success Center. Weber began college at Wayne State in 1966, but transferred to University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 1967, where she graduated with a bachelor of science degree in family consumer science in 1970. Weber earned a master's degree in adult and continuing education from University of Nebraska-Lincoln in 1989.

Weber said that she is most proud that during her time at Wayne State she had some personal input to all that happened at the Holland Academic Success Center and that she was able to help to fulfill the dreams of those who have gone before and

to encourage the dreams to come.

Dr. Daryl Wilcox, a professor in the Special Education Department, has spent 59 years as an educator. She worked 11 years at the primary level, eight at the secondary level, and 39 years at the collegiate level, with the past 20 years at Wayne State College. She earned her bachelor's degree from Baker University in 1961, a master's degree from Kansas State University in 1966 and her doctor of education degree from University of Kansas in 1981.

She has served on myriad college and departmental committees, been an advisor for the Student Council for Exceptional Children student organization, received the Nebraska Association of Special Education Supervisors Distinguished Service Award, and has had a positive impact on many graduates of the special education program.

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It's May . . . right???

Tradition has it that April showers bring May flowers, but the only thing that could be seen around Wayne on the first day of May was snow. Warm temperatures earlier in the week were replaced by the first May snowfall in more than half a century. Cool and wet conditions are in the forecast for the rest of the week, and there is hope that spring may finally show up for good sometime next week.



(Photo by Katie Kasl)

Christopher Walker of Wayne flies through the air in the long jump pit during the Spring Sprints event at the Wayne Elementary track Friday.

Track and Field Day: It's a high-five for all

By KATIE KASL
Of The Herald

Every athletic feat deserves a hug, a high-five and a grape ice pop at the finish line.

This mindset, along with the notion that all athletes should have a chance to be successful, was the theme at Spring Sprints, a Northeast Nebraska Track and Field Day event held Friday in Wayne.

The meet, which was geared towards area students not participating on a regular track and field team, gave athletes the opportunity to jump, throw and race their way through a variety of outdoor events.

According to Misty Bear, special education director at Wayne Community Schools, Spring Sprints was started "to give kids the chance to shine" and is open to athletes who range from kindergarten age to 21-years-old.

In its opening year last year, she says about 30 students competed.

This year, there were 53 participants who represented Wayne, Wakefield, Laurel-Concord-Coleridge, Crofton, Bloomfield and other surrounding schools.

"We hope to see it continue to grow," Bear said.

Though no place medals or ribbons were handed out at Friday's

Spring Sprints, every athlete did receive a trophy, and the 10 Wayne students who participated were given a varsity letter during a pep rally Friday afternoon.

"Everybody wins," Bear said. "They loved it."

In fact, she later learned that one of her students was proud to bring home the first sports trophy anyone in his family had ever been awarded.

The event, Bear says, received help from two area sports coaches, Traci Krusemark and Jayne Arens, and draws inspiration from others like it.

"We model it after the Special Olympics, though we take in more kids than they do," Bear said.

And the support, she explains, is wonderful.

"The teachers here at the school were great," Bear said.

She says they took their classes to the meet to cheer, wave signs and show their support for the athletes.

"It's just become a school-wide event," Bear said.

What's more, even the competing athletes show encouragement for one another and don't focus so much on who did better than who.

"Everyone cheers on everyone," Bear said. "It's just a neat, fun day."

WSC athletes honored at banquet

The Wayne State College athletic department honored its top student athletes for the 2012-13 school year Monday evening during the annual athletic honors banquet.

Seven major awards were handed out at Monday evening's banquet, along with Most Valuable Players announced for each sport.

Senior football player Richard Daniel was named Male Athlete of the Year while junior track and field All-American Carly Fehringer collected Female Athlete of the Year honors. Freshman athlete of the year honors went to baseball player Eric Browning and volleyball player Leisa McClintock while junior women's basketball player Kara Powell received the ninth annual Wildcat Inspiration Award.

Junior baseball player C.J. Nolen and senior volleyball player Melanie Placke received the Bob Cunningham Scholar-Athlete Awards, named after longtime supporter Bob Cunningham, which are presented to the department's top male and female scholar athletes.

Daniel, a senior defensive end from Papillion, came to Wayne State as an unrecruited walk on and turned into a three-time All-NSIC defensive end. He was named the 2012 NSIC Defensive Player of the Year after ranking in the top five in four major defensive categories. He ranked fourth on the Wildcat defense this season with 59 tackles and finished his career ranked fifth all-time in sacks with 28. He also was named the winner of the 2012

NSIC Glen Galligan Award, given to a senior NSIC football player that makes significant contributions on and off the field.

Fehringer, a junior from Wayne, is a six-time national qualifier in track and field and earned All-American honors during the indoor season, placing third nationally in the weight throw. She was the NSIC Indoor Champion in the weight throw with an NSIC record throw of 64 feet, 5 1/4 inches. During the outdoor season, she became the first NSIC athlete to record a throw of over 200 feet in the hammer throw, and currently leads all NCAA Div. II throwers with a top mark of 206 feet, 11 inches. Last Saturday, she placed fourth in the hammer throw at the Drake Relays, and also ranks 11th nationally in the shot put.

Browning, a freshman pitcher from Lyons, was voted top male freshman athlete with a 3-1 record this season and a 3.28 earned run average in seven appearances with four starts and one combined shut-out. In 24.2 innings pitched, Browning has notched 31 strikeouts and has allowed just nine earned runs for the 25-13 Wildcats.

McClintock, a freshman setter from Sioux City, Iowa, earned second-team All-NSIC honors this season while helping the Wildcats to a 22-10 record and an eighth straight trip to the NCAA Tournament. She averaged 9.94 assists per set and was third on the team in blocks.

Powell, a junior from Hot Springs,



(Photo courtesy Mike Grosz, Wayne State Sports Information)

Major award winners announced at the Wayne State athletic banquet were (front) Kara Powell, Carly Fehringer, Leisa McClintock, (back) Richard Daniel, Eric Browning and C.J. Nolen. Not pictured is Melanie Placke, who is studying overseas in Greece.

S.D., overcame two major operations (foot and knee) in back-to-back seasons to get back onto the playing court this season. She averaged 2.3 points and 3.9 rebounds per game while appearing in all 27 games for the Wildcats.

Nolen, a junior from Sioux City, Iowa, maintains a stellar 3.61 grade-point average majoring in criminal justice with a minor in sport management. He is involved in numerous community service activities and leads the Wildcat baseball team in hitting at .363 with five homers and 27 RBIs. He ranks fifth in the NSIC in hits and 10th in runs scored.

Placke, a senior from St. Libory,

carries a 3.87 grade-point average majoring in business administration with a minor in sport management. She was a two-year starter on the Wildcat volleyball team and has played on four NCAA tournament teams, ranking second in her senior season in kills while also being involved in numerous community service activities.

Chicken

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The Chicken Show Committee is currently asking business sponsors to step up to contribute to the success of this annual event, which brings several thousand alumni and visitors to Wayne for a weekend of wacky fun. Sponsor benefits include recognition on the Chicken Show website, in the brochure and in other promotional materials as appropriate.

Cement chickens will be available at the WAED office after May 15 to be decorated for the Cement Chicken Auction. Contact the office to reserve a naked chicken today. Artists are encouraged to decorate the concrete creature in the art medium of their choice. Decorated con-

crete chickens will be auctioned on Friday night, and proceeds go to help provide free activities during the three-day festival.

"The committee is also searching for new Clucktibles to sell as Chicken Show souvenirs. If you have seen something you would like the group to consider, please contact the office. Shot glasses, post cards, koozies, pens, travel mugs and lapel pins are available at any time from the WAED office," said Irene Fletcher, WAED assistant director.

Vendor information and parade registration forms will soon be available online at the newly reorganized website www.chickenshow.com.

It is not too early to be thinking

about a parade entry. There is \$100 in prize money for the best 2013 theme-related entry, \$50 for the best chicken-related entry, and a \$25 prize for the best children's entry.

A feature of the website is a photo gallery. The committee is looking for photos of anyone wearing chicken shirts at locations around the world for an album in the photo gallery. E-mail the photos to info@wayneworks.org to be included.

While the Chicken Show does not have its own Facebook page, regular updates can be found at the city's Facebook page, Wayne, NE. 'Like' the page to be included in any updates or fun chicken-related jokes, videos, etc.

have," Adam said.

"Our job is to make sure you get what you're looking for in Wayne. If we don't have it, we bring it in."

The store aims to be competitive and to offer a big-city shopping experience in small-town Wayne, and the customers, Adam says, have taken notice.

"We have a very, very loyal customer base," he said. "That's what we strive for."

In turn, Pac 'N' Save tries to return the favor, whether that means giving back via donations or helping organizations with their events.

"The community is so good to us and our family," Adam said. "We try to repay everyone for being customers of ours."

It's a goal Don and Nancy Endicott had back in the 80's, and it's one their children want to continue.

"This is the transition from them to us," Adam said.

Bike to School Day is set for May 8

Wayne Elementary School, Wayne State College Exercise Science Students, Wayne Green Team and Service-Learning will join schools from around the country to celebrate National Bike to School Day on Wednesday, May 8.

Students are encouraged to ride their bikes to school, along with parents, teachers and community leaders. WSC students and community members will volunteer to provide adult escorts from four locations as part of a "Bike Bus Caravans."

Bicyclists will gather at the closest 'Bike Bus Stop' indicated on distributed maps between 7:15 and 7:30 a.m. in order to ride to school by 8:00 a.m. Upon arrival at school,

all bicyclists will receive a wrist band and a raffle ticket. There will be a brief assembly to celebrate National Bike to School Day and have a raffle drawing. Prizes will include fifteen t-shirts and one new bike from Cleveland Bikes in Norfolk.

"If students don't have bicycles, we encourage them to walk to school with their parents or friends. All students who bicycle or walk to school on Wednesday, May 8 will be included in the raffle drawing," said Barbara Engebretsen, one of the coordinators of the event.

Bike to School Day encourages a nationwide bike-focused celebration for students in the month of May and builds on the popularity

and success of Walk to School Day, which is celebrated across the country – and the world – each October.

Bike to School Day events raise awareness of the need to create safer routes for bicycling and walking and emphasize the importance of issues such as increasing physical activity among children, pedestrian safety, reducing traffic congestion and concern for the environment. The events build connections between families, schools and the broader community.

The event is being organized by Wayne State College Exercise Science Students, WSC Service-Learning, Wayne Green Team and Wayne Elementary School.

Anderson

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just went up there and got it."

Anderson approached the bar from the right side and leaped over backwards. His body slithered over the top of the bar without disturbing its presence an even 7 feet off the ground, and the crowd erupted as he came to rest in the pits as just the 14th high jumper in Nebraska high school history to clear the 7-foot barrier.

"When I got over, it was like 'Oh my gosh,'" Anderson said of his reaction to clearing the magical barrier. "It's a lot more than I expected."

As word got out back home of Anderson's effort, the old record holder called from his home in Minneapolis, Minn., to offer congratulations.

Liska, who also competed in the 400 relay and shot put during his high school days, remembered set-

ting the mark at a conference meet in South Sioux City on a day not unlike the one Anderson competed in Saturday.

"It was sunny and mild and was just a classic day for a track meet," Liska said. "The only difference was that I came in from the left side, where Grant comes in from the right."

Liska got a text message from his sister-in-law, Stephanie Liska, regarding Anderson's new mark.

"I called to congratulate him, because it is quite an accomplishment," Liska said. "It was up there for 26 years, so the record had a nice run and he broke it pretty decisively."

Athlete and coach both think the current mark is not the end of the road, though. With districts and state coming up the next two weeks,

Anderson and his coach both feel he can go a little higher.

"My goal right now is to go 7-1 or 7-2 and just keep improving," Anderson said. "It would be nice to do it at state, and I hope we get a nice day for it."

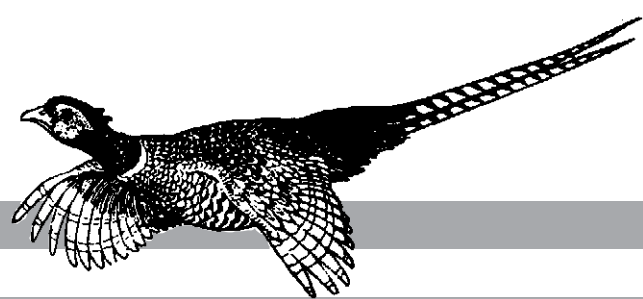
"I think he can go 7 foot easily," Jaixen added. "Watching some of his jumps that he was trying at 7-1, I know he has the height to do it and just has to make sure his technique holds through those higher jumps. If everything is right, he could easily go 7-2 or 7-3."

However high he finishes the year, the old record holder figures Anderson's record is going to be safe for some time to come.

"I'm excited to see him make such a good jump," he said. "I'll bet his record lasts a lot more than 26 years."

Sports

The Wayne Herald



Anderson, Arduser tops at Norfolk Classic

NORFOLK — Area athletes proved their place among the top track and field athletes in Northeast Nebraska with a strong showing Thursday at the Norfolk Track Classic.

Competing in weather that was unlike the cold and dreary conditions they've been used to running, jumping and throwing in this season, area athletes put together some quality efforts and came home with a number of medals from the all-star meet, held at Norfolk High School.

Wayne High senior Grant Anderson was the only champion of the day for the five area schools. He was one of three area competitors in the boys high jump and came away with top honors with his best effort of 6 feet, 7 inches.

All three area high jumpers finished the day on the medal stand. Wakefield returning state qualifier Anthony Gustafson posted a fifth-place finish with a best effort of 6 feet, while Wayne High sophomore Ben Hoskins was right behind Gustafson, also clearing 6 feet.

Demetrius Alexander was the only male athlete from the area to earn multiple medals on the day. He qualified in both sprint events and finished with a pair of third-place medals in the 100- and 200-meter dashes. He also ran the anchor leg of the Blue Devils' 400-meter relay team that just missed the medal stand, finishing seventh.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)
Ellie Aruser of LCC is off to the races in the finals of the 200-meter dash at the Norfolk Track Classic.

Josh Dolph of Wakefield was in the hunt for a title in the 800-meter run, settling for a runner-up medal with a time of 2:02.1. Teammate Jacob Lunz was the first man off the medal stand in the event, placing seventh in what was a very close race among the top 7-8 runners.

Trevor Pecena was the only other medalist from the area among boys runners. He finished fifth coming out of the outside lane in the 400-meter dash, earning a medal with a time of 52.6 seconds.

Other area qualifiers included Colin Hansen, who placed seventh in the triple jump; and the Laurel-Concord/Coleridge 400-meter relay team that placed ninth.

On the girls' side, Ellie Arduser of LCC was the top performer, finishing second in the 100-meter dash

and claiming third in the 200. She earned two of seven medals won by Lady Bears athletes, who accounted for six of the 10 medals earned overall by the five area schools.

Sadie Petersen, Kelsey Dietrich and Audra Corbit each earned individual medals for LCC. Petersen claimed a third-place medal in the 3,200-meter run, Dietrich placed fifth in the 300 hurdles, and Corbit tied for sixth in the high jump. The Lady Bears' 1,600-meter relay team also made the medal stand, finishing fifth.

Wayne finished the day with a pair of medals. Ashton Schweers was among a group of competitors who tied for sixth in the high jump, and the 400-meter relay team raced home with a sixth-place medal, edging LCC for the final spot on the



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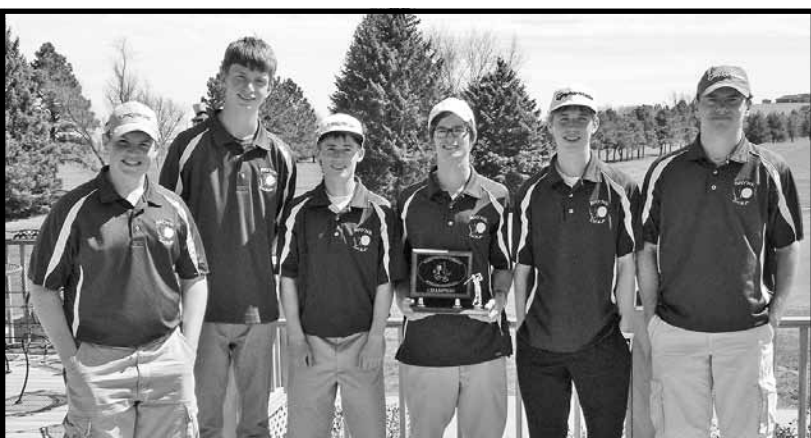
Allen also earned a pair of medals on the day. Rachel Finnegan put together a solid performance in the 400-meter dash, placing third in a time of 1:03.7. The Lady Ea-

gles also hit the medal stand in the 3,200-meter relay, knocking almost 10 seconds off their qualifying time to finish fifth with a 10:43.6 clocking.

Other area qualifiers included

Petersen in the 3,200, Angie Nelson of Wayne and Candice Rastede of Allen in the 800, and Lexi Sokol of Wayne in the shot put.

Classic Results, Photos On Page 3B



(Contributed photo)

Pictured are Wayne golfers Reed Trenhaile, Zach Keating, Jared Peterson, Ezra Brodersen, Kaje Maly and Ryan Grosz. Brodersen, Maly and Grosz earned individual medals on Monday at Albion, while Maly and Peterson claimed individual medals at Oakland on Saturday.

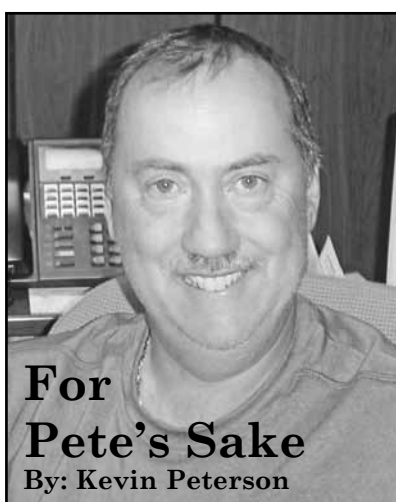
Not your ordinary spring sports year

If you haven't figured by now this isn't your ordinary spring weather, you most likely haven't spent any time outside. Needless to say, high school and college spring sports teams have felt the wrath of Mother Nature (I was about to say global warming, but that's an entirely different conversation).

That doesn't mean, however, these teams aren't giving it their best when they are able to get outdoors to play. On the collegiate level, Wayne State's baseball and softball teams are having solid seasons, as is the track team. A quick shout-out to a couple former Blue Devil standouts having an impact for the Wildcats, including Carly Fehringer on the track team and Cassy Miller on the softball team. Also to Caitlin Fehringer and Kristin Carroll, who sport softball uniforms at Platte Community College in Columbus. They are also having solid freshman seasons.

The Blue Devil spring sportsters including the baseball squad, track teams and golf team, are battling conditions like every other high school team in the northeast part of the state. Despite the lackluster spring weather, Grant Anderson's performance in the high jump at the conference track meet in Battle Creek last Saturday was purely spectacular. It's one thing to try and break a school record, but it's quite another to shatter the record and have your name at the top of the leader board for all classes. The 7-foot leap was four inches farther than Bill Liska's 6-8 jump in the mid-80's. It's also the top jump in the state regardless of class.

The golf team is quietly putting together a solid season, despite a lack of numbers this season. Wayne lost three seniors from a year ago to graduation, including Sean Gansbom, Max Morris and Andrew Puffer. Then the Blue Devils lost a pair of returning letterwinners in Eric and Tyler Schoh, as they moved



For Pete's Sake
By: Kevin Peterson

to Minnesota during the summer.

This year's fivesome includes seniors Ezra Brodersen and Ryan Grosz, along with juniors Kaje Maly and Jared Peterson and sophomore Zach Keating. Reed Trenhaile, another sophomore, is battling for a spot on that first five. Golf, as most know, is a play-five, score-four format, and Dave Hix's quints captured their second team championship Monday in Albion. The Blue Devils also claimed the conference championship a couple weeks ago with a season-best score of 332.

Kaje Maly holds down the number one spot on the squad, and the junior has posted two tournament scores in the 70's, including a 75 in winning the conference title. Ezra Brodersen claimed his best finish at Albion on Monday with a third-place score of 80. Jared Peterson finished sixth at the conference tournament with his season-best score of 83, while Ryan Grosz had a season-best score of 83 at Blair, even though he fell just shy of a medal at that meet.

Wayne will close out regular season action next week with meets at Randolph, Laurel and Stanton before heading to districts on May 13 in Eagle at the touted Woodland Hills Golf Course.

Who knows — by then it may be all the way up to 50 degrees.

Cats are mauled by No. 11 Mavs

Wayne State dropped three of four to the No. 11-ranked Minnesota State Mavericks in NSIC weekend action at the Chapman Complex.

On Saturday, the Mavericks rolled to a doubleheader sweep over the Wildcats, winning 15-4 and 6-0, pounding out 17 hits in the opener and riding the four-hit, 14-strikeout pitching of Jason Hoppe to take the nightcap.

In the opener, Minnesota State touched Wildcat ace Tadd Johansen early to send him to his first loss of the year. He gave up five runs in three innings of work as the Mavericks jumped on him early.

Wayne State cut the Mavericks lead to 5-3 in the third inning, as Kevin Andersen had an RBI single and C.J. Nolen added a two-run single. But the Mavericks came right back with four runs in the fourth and two more in the fifth to take control and go on to the win.

Nolen had two hits and three RBI's in the first game, while Andersen had two hits to lead an eight-hit attack.

In the nightcap, Hoppe dominated the Wildcats and struck out 14 to get the easy win. Tom Doran was tagged with the loss, striking out three and allowing 12 hits.

On Sunday, the Wildcats salvaged a split with a 3-1 win after the Mavericks took the opener 8-1.

In the first game, Minnesota State broke the game open with three runs in the third and three more in the fifth. Wayne State scored its only run in the sixth when Blake Brisson singled and later scored on a wild pitch. Andersen had half of Wayne State's four hits in the loss.

In the nightcap, Michael Frericks came through with his fifth straight win, striking out nine and scattering five hits in the complete-game



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Tanner Lancaster leaps over a sliding Minnesota State baserunner on a stolen base attempt during Sunday's action at the Chapman Complex. The No. 11 Mavericks took three of four from Wayne State in the weekend series.

win.

Wayne State scored single runs in the first and second innings, then got a solo homer from Andersen to make it 3-1 in the sixth. Wayne

State had eight hits, with Nolen and Brett Keim having two hits apiece.

The 25-13 Wildcats (17-7 NSIC), who were seventh in the last regional rankings, close out the regular

season with a home doubleheader against Upper Iowa on Thursday and a weekend four-game set at Augustana on Friday and Saturday in Sioux Falls, S.D.

WSC throwers earn top-ten finishes, among nation's best at Drake Relays



Fehringer Milander

throwers in the discus, coming back with a best throw of 151 feet, 11 inches.

The efforts of the Wayne State throwers at the Drake Relays highlighted a busy week for the Wildcat track and field team.

Competing in the pre-Drake Meet last Wednesday at UNL, Wayne

State came home with a pair of first-place finishes at the meet.

In men's competition, Matt Peter took top honors in the shot put with an NCAA provisional mark of 53 feet, 7 1/2 inches. The lone winner on the women's side was Sara Wells, who made it a sweep of the event for Wayne State with a best effort of 49 feet, 1 1/2 inches in the shot put.

In men's competition, Zach Thomsen was second in the 800, Jon Williams was third in the javelin, Mike King placed fourth in the 100 and Jared Balady was fifth in the 400-meter hurdles.

In women's results, Morgan Swanson was second in the long jump, Lexi Guhl was third in the 100-meter hurdles, and Amanda

Ramberg took fourth in the high jump.

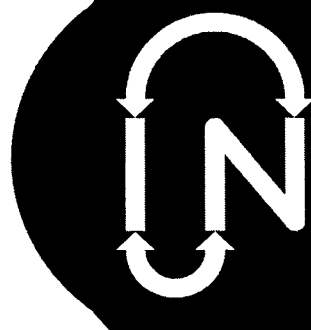
On Friday, a number of Wayne State athletes competed at the Mount Marty Twilight Meet in Yankton, S.D., and had some solid efforts at the meet.

In women's action, Mackenzie Masching won the hammer throw, and Sara Wells took first in the discus. Guhl was second in the 100, and Sidney Blum placed second in the long jump.

In men's action, Thomsen won the 800, and Peter was second in the shot put. Mickey Doerr was second in the 200, and Balady took second in the 400-meter hurdles.

Wayne State will compete in the UNL Invitational this weekend in Lincoln.

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Softball knocks off NSIC leaders

The Wayne State softball team closed out the regular season with six home games against Northern Sun Conference foes.

On Thursday, the Wildcats got a big sweep over the top team in the NSIC, as they shut out Winona State 2-0 and 11-0 in action at the Chapman Complex.

In the first game, Wayne State got a run early on a Kyle Simpson single, scoring Megan Hagemann, before adding an insurance run in the sixth on an infield single by Lexie Loos, scoring Kaiti Williams.

That was enough for pitcher Sara Scheffert, who threw a three-hit shutout and struck out four to get the win in the opener.

Wayne State's bats came alive in the second game, as they blew the game open with four runs in the third and five in the fourth to win the game on the eight-run mercy rule.

In the third, Loos, Hagemann and Sam O'Brien each had RBI hits, and Loos hit a three-run homer to finish off a five-RBI game with her fourth-inning bomb. Scheffert limited the Warriors to three hits for her second straight shutout, and the Wildcats peppered Ashley Walker - who came into the game with a 14-0 record - for 11 hits, three coming from Williams.

On Saturday, the Wildcats were handcuffed by Minot State, as the visiting Beavers posted wins of 2-0 and 7-4, with the second game going nine innings.

In the opener, the Beavers' Mandy Greenberg threw a one-hit shutout, with Simpson getting the only hit of the game as Greenberg struck out 11 Wildcats.

In the nightcap, the game went

extra innings, and the Beavers got a three-run homer in the ninth to overcome an early three-run deficit and leave town with the sweep.

Wayne State posted a 3-0 lead early in the game, as Hagemann scored Loos with an RBI single in the second, and Kelcie Bormann stroked a two-run single in the third to score Williams and Simpson.

Minot State got a three-run homer in the fifth to tie the game and took a 4-3 lead into the bottom of the seventh, but the Wildcats forced extra innings when Loos beat out a throw for a two-out infield hit, scoring Vicki Nielsen with the tying run.

The game stayed tied until the ninth, when the Beavers got a three-run homer in the top of the inning to go on to the win. Williams, Bormann, Hagemann, Michelle Thille and Jordan King each had two hits to lead a 13-hit attack, but the Wildcats left 13 runners on base in the loss.

On Sunday, the Wildcats finished the regular season 26-14 (17-9 NSIC) with a split against University of Mary, winning the opener 2-0 and losing the nightcap 4-0.

In the first game, Scheffert tossed a six-hit shutout, striking out four to get the win. Wayne State scored in the third when Thille scored on a Marauder error, then added an insurance run in the sixth when Tiffany Housh hit a pinch-hit single to score O'Brien. Nielsen was 2-for-3, and King added two hits in the win.

In the nightcap, it was a defensive battle until the seventh, when Mary scored four in the top of the inning to salvage the split. Simpson and Loos both had two hits, and reliever Cassy Miller took the loss.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Vicki Nielsen lines a base hit for the Wayne State softball team during recent home action.

WSC is No. 7 seed in NSIC softball tourney

Wayne State will take on Concordia-St. Paul in the opening round of the Northern Sun Conference tournament, as official pairings were released by the NSIC office late Monday.

Here is the schedule for the double-elimination tournament, which runs May 2-4 at the Rochester Community and Technical College Dome in Rochester, Minn. (Seeds in parenthesis):

- Thursday, May 2**
Game 1 - (9) University of Mary vs. (10) St. Cloud State, 8:30 a.m.
Game 2 - (7) Wayne State vs. (8) Concordia-St. Paul, 8:30 a.m.
Game 3 - (4) Minot State vs. (5) Upper Iowa, 11 a.m.
Game 4 - (3) Winona State vs. (6) Augustana, 11 a.m.
Game 5 - Game 1 winner vs. (1) Minnesota State, 1:30 p.m.
Game 6 - Game 2 winner vs. (2) Minnesota Duluth, 1:30 p.m.

- Friday, May 3**
Game 7 - Loser Game 2 vs. Loser Game 3, 8:30 a.m.
Game 8 - Loser Game 1 vs. Loser Game 4, 8:30 a.m.
Game 9 - Winner Game 7 vs. Loser Game 5, 11 a.m.
Game 10 - Winner Game 8 vs. Loser Game 6, 11 a.m.
Game 11 - Winner Game 3 vs. Winner Game 5, 1:30 p.m.
Game 12 - Winner Game 4 vs. Winner Game 6, 1:30 p.m.
Game 13 - Winner Game 10 vs. Loser Game 11, 4 p.m.
Game 14 - Winner Game 9 vs. Loser Game 12, 4 p.m.
Game 15 - Winner Game 11 vs. Winner Game 12, 6:30 p.m.
Saturday, May 4
Game 16 - Winner Game 13 vs. Winner Game 14, 2 p.m.
Game 17 - Winner Game 16 vs. Loser Game 15, 4 p.m.
Game 18 - Championship Game, 6 p.m.
Game 19 - Second Championship Game (if necessary), 8 p.m.

Golfers win at Albion

After a dismal showing on Thursday, the Wayne High boys golf team turned things around and came away with its second team title of the season.

The Blue Devils stumbled to its worst showing of the season on Thursday at the Columbus Elks Club, finishing a distant fifth in the Lakeview Invitational.

Kaje Maly was the only medalist on the day for Wayne, finishing sixth with an 83. Ezra Brodersen shot a 93, Ryan Grosz shot 101, Jared Peterson had a 104, and Zach Keating shot 126.

The Blue Devils rebounded on Saturday in Oakland and knocked 34 strokes off of Thursday's performance, finishing fifth with a 347 at the Oakland-Craig Invitational. Only 14 shots separated the top six teams in the 15-team tournament.

Maly and Peterson both earned medals at Saturday's meet. Maly

finished fifth with an 80, while Peterson was four shots back in 13th place. Brodersen shot 89, Grosz shot a 94, and Keating shot a 112 at Oakland.

The Blue Devils took advantage of a beautiful day for golf on Monday, edging Ord by five shots to take team honors at the Boone Central Invitational at Albion Country Club.

Wayne High finished the day with three medalists and shot a 341 to take top honors in the 11-team tournament.

Brodersen led the Blue Devils with an 80, good for third overall. Maly was sixth with an 82, and Grosz shot an 87 to finish 12th.

Peterson shot 92, and Keating carded a 106 to round out the Wayne effort at Albion Country Club.

The Blue Devils host the Mac Invitational on Thursday at Wayne Country Club.

WHS baseball drops pair

The Wayne High baseball team finished off the regular season with a pair of losses at home, taking a 3-10 record into this week's district tournament.

On Monday, the Blue Devils played Arlington tough until the end, as the visitors broke open a close game to come away with a 7-1 win at Hank Overin Field.

The Blue Devils scored their only run in the fourth on a Steven Sherman single, scoring Luke Rethwisch. The run cut Arlington's 2-0 lead in half, and the Blue Devils had a chance to tie the game before Arlington got out of the inning.

Arlington took that momentum into the fifth inning, breaking open the game with four runs off of starter Brady Soden, who pitched well up until the Eagles' big inning. Arlington added another run in the sixth to finish off the six-run win.

Soden had two of Wayne's three hits in the game, while Danny Melena walked twice and stole a base. Wayne's bats were silenced Thursday by Platte Valley, as the visitors came to town and were nearly perfect in a 9-0 win over the

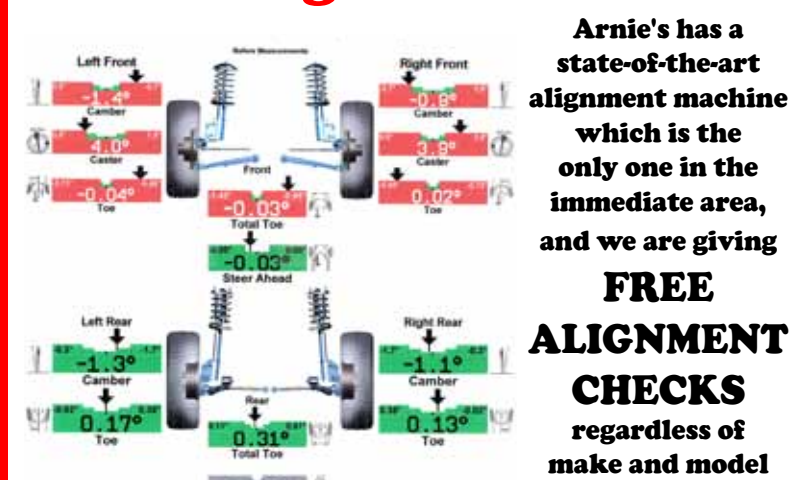
Blue Devils. Wayne was held hitless in the game, with Brook Bowers the only batter to reach base. He made it to first on an error and stole a base to account for Wayne's only baserunner in the game.

Jake Lutt only allowed two hits and struck out eight in a losing effort, but six walks hurt as the visitors got three runs in the third to break the game open and come away with the win.

In JV action, the Blue Devils made a comeback from a 7-1 deficit, but came up short in a 7-6 loss. Lutt and Joe Burrows each scored a pair of runs. Burrows, Jack Belt, Brandon Martian and Micah Sprouls all had hits. Martian took the loss on the hill as the JV team finished the season 2-5.

The Blue Devils are the No. 4 seed for the B-1 district tournament that begins Saturday in Hickman. Wayne will face No. 5 Douglas County West in a 12 p.m. game at the Hickman City Park, with the winner advancing to face top-seeded Norris at 5 p.m. The district championship game is Monday at 6 p.m.

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8.....6	30.....4
13.....6	34.....4
1.....5	29.....3
19.....4	36.....3
17.....4	24.....3
7.....4	41.....3
15.....2	26.....3
16.....2	39.....3
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Norfolk Track Classic Photos



Meagan Backer takes off as Jalyn Zeiss gets ready to hand off in the 400-meter relay for the Wayne High team, which medaled with a sixth-place finish.



Demetrius Alexander finished with a pair of individual medals after strong finishes in the 100 and 200.



Sadie Peterson of LCC ran well in both distance events and earned a medal in the 3,200-meter run.



Vanessa Klug gets the baton and is off to the races after getting the handoff from Lexi Oswald for the Allen 3,200-meter relay team, which medaled at this year's Classic.



Wakefield's Josh Dolph ran with the pack and represented Wakefield well with a medal in the 800-meter run.



Winside senior Colin Hansen was the lone Wildcat at this year's classic, competing in the boys triple jump.

Norfolk Track Classic Results

Area Girls Results (Top 6 Medal)
 3,200 relay: 5. Allen, 10:43.6. 100: 2. Ellie Arduser, LCC, 12.4. 3,200: 7. Sadie Petersen, LCC, 12:41.7. 400: 3. Rachel Finnegan, Allen, 1:03.7. 200: 3. Arduser, 26.1. 800: 8. Angie Nelson, Wayne, 2:35.2. Candice Rastede, Allen, did not finish (injury). 300 hurdles: 5. Kelsey Dietrich, LCC, 49.5. 1,600: 3. Petersen, 5:46.8. 400 relay: 6. Wayne, 52.7; 7. LCC, 52.7. 1,600 relay: 5. LCC, 4:25.1. High jump: 6. (tie) Audra Corbit, LCC, 5'; 9. (tie) Ashton Schweers, Wayne, 4' 10". Shot put: 8. Lexi Sokol, Wayne, 35' 1 1/2".

Area Boys Results (Top 6 Medal)
 100: 3. Demetrius Alexander, Wayne, 11.1. 400: 5. Trevor Pecena, Wayne, 52.6. 200: 3. Alexander, 22.5. 800: 2. Josh Dolph, Wakefield, 2:02.1; 7. Jacob Lunz, Wakefield, 2:07.2. 300 hurdles: 5. Jared Anderson, Wayne, 43.1. 400 relay: 7. Wayne, 45.8; 9. LCC, 46.7. High jump: 1. Grant Anderson, Wayne, 6' 7"; 5. Anthony Gustafson, Wakefield, 6'; 6. Ben Hoskins, Wayne, 6'. Triple jump: 7. Colin Hansen, Winside, 40' 7 3/4".

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Anderson, Alexander win conference titles

MADISON — Grant Anderson leaped into the record books to highlight a solid day for the Wayne High track teams at the Mid State Conference meet.

Anderson broke a 27-year old school record and set a new conference standard in the high jump, clearing 7 feet to not only take first place, but set a new standard among all high jumpers in the state this spring. Anderson hit the magic mark on his final attempt after tying the conference meet record of 6 feet, 9 1/2 inches set by Sam Haase of Norfolk Catholic in 2006.

Anderson's effort not only set a new conference mark, but is a new standard in Wayne High history as well. He shattered the old school record of 6 feet, 8 inches that was set back in 1986 by Bill Liska.

Anderson was one of two conference champions for the Blue Devils

on Saturday. Demetrius Alexander earned the other first-place finish for the Wayne thinclads, taking top honors in the 200-meter dash with a time of 22.91. He also finished first in the 100 at 11.44 and had a hand in runner-up finishes for the 400- and 1,600-meter relay teams.

Jared Anderson earned three medals for Wayne on Saturday. He earned a fourth and a third in the two hurdle events, then helped the 1,600-meter relay to a second-place finish. Trevor Pecena also earned three medals, taking third in the 400 and running on both second-place relay teams.

In girls action, Angie Nelson and Lexi Sokol both claimed runner-up finishes to lead the Wayne High girls. Nelson took second in the 1,600-meter run with a time of 5:55.25, while Sokol threw 37 feet, 9 inches in the shot put to take a

silver medal.

Cassie Heier earned three medals to lead the Wayne High team to a seventh-place finish in the team standings. She was fourth in the triple jump and ran on both medal-winning relay teams. The 400-meter relay of Heier, Jalyn Zeiss, Meagan Backer and McKenna Frevort was fourth, while the 1,600-meter

relay of Heier, Backer, Nelson and Sarah Maxson placed sixth.

Nelson and Maxson were both multiple medalists on the day. Nelson added a fifth in the 800 to her other medal efforts, while Maxson was sixth in the high jump. Ashton Schweers placed fourth in the high jump, while Bailey Bentjen finished sixth in the discus.

Area athletes win titles at Lewis and Clark meet

PONCA — Area athletes came away with five conference titles on Saturday as Allen, Winside and Wakefield all competed in the Lewis and Clark Conference meet at Ponca High School.

Each of the area schools came away with at least one conference title on the day, with Wakefield and Winside claiming conference titles in both boys and girls competition.

The Wakefield boys finished sixth overall and were led by Josh Dolph, who posted a winning effort in the 1,600-meter run with a time of 4:50.3. He was one of four top two-finishes for the Trojans at the conference meet, as Anthony Gustafson was runner-up in the high jump and triple jump, while Anthony Victor took silver in the 110-meter hurdles.

Winside senior Colin Hansen was the only champion for the Wildcats, who finished right behind the Trojans. Hansen won the triple jump, edging Gustafson by four inches, and also took third in the 400. Garrett Watters was a second-place finisher in both throwing events, as he and Gatlin Jensen both medaled in the shot put and discus.

Allen got sixth-place finishes from Brian Boese and Austin Con-

not in the 300-meter hurdles and 400-meter run, respectively. The Eagles also got sixth-place medals in the 1,600 and 3,200 relays.

On the girls side, Allen was the top area team, finishing fifth overall. The 3,200-meter relay team of Brittany Sullivan, Lexi Oswald, Candice Rastade and Vanessa Klug broke the tape in 10:43.2 to win the conference title.

Sullivan was a runner-up for the Lady eagles in the 300-meter hurdles, while teammate Courtney Reuter finished third. Lexi Oswald was also a runner-up, placing second in the 3,200-meter run.

Wakefield's conference champion was senior hurdler Sydney Rose, who took first place in the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 16.8 seconds. Josephine Peitz was a second-place finisher in the 1,600 and took third in the 3,200.

Winside's conference champion was senior Nazya Thies, who won the high jump to lead the Wildcat effort. The 400-meter relay team of Thies, Jade Hogencamp, Courtney Petzoldt and Carly Schwaeger took second, and Jayd Roberts was a fourth-place medalist in the 100-meter hurdles.

LCC, Winside compete at Randolph Invitational

RANDOLPH — Area athletes came home with some solid performances Monday at the Randolph Invitational.

In girls action, the LCC Lady Bears earned runner-up honors and Winside finished sixth out of seven teams.

On the boys side, LCC was fourth and Winside seventh in the meet.

Randolph Invitational
Girls Team Scoring
Crofton 152, LCC 107, Ponca 67, Plainview 57, Randolph 47, Winside 38, Creighton 33.

Area Medalists
100: 2. Ellie Arduser, LCC, 12.68; 4. Jade Hogencamp, Winside, 13.58. 400: 5. Kelsey Dietrich, LCC, 1:05.51; 6. Sammie Camenzind, LCC, 1:05.74. 1,600: 2. Sadie Petersen, LCC, 5:46.6. 3,200: 1. Petersen, 12:46.4. 100 hurdles: 2. Dietrich, 17.14; 3. Jayd Roberts, Winside, 17.25; 5. Kiley Thompson, LCC, 18.59. 300 hurdles: 1. Dietrich, 51.81; 5. Roberts, 56.69. 400 relay: 1. LCC, 53.26. 1,600 relay: 2. LCC, 4:23.84; 5. Winside, 4:37.91. 3,200 relay: 6. Winside, 13:23.4. Shot put: 4. Erin Gubbels, 30' 5"; 5. Brittany Janke, Winside, 29' 1 1/2"; 6. Kelly

Tweedy, Winside, 28' 8 1/2". Discus: 2. Roberts, 96' 3"; 5. Gubbels, 84' 8"; 6. Tweedy, 82' 8". High jump: 1. Audra Corbit, LCC, 5' 1"; 3. Nazya Thies, Winside, 4' 6". Long jump: 1. Camenzind, 15' 3 1/2"; 4. Courtney Petzoldt, Winside, 14' 2 1/2"; 6. Hogencamp, 13' 11". Triple jump: 1. Arduser, 32' 2"; 4. Thompson, 30' 9 1/4".

Boys Team Scoring
Crofton 105, Randolph 101, Creighton 98, LCC 68, Ponca 68, Plainview 29, Winside 27.

Area Medalists
100: 2. Colton Jansen, LCC, 11.89; 4. Kyle Kardell, LCC, 12.1; 5. Dillan Wolfgram, LCC, 12.11. 200: 3. Colin Hansen, Winside, 23.36; 6. Jansen, 24.72. 400: 3. Hansen, 53.37. 1,600: 4. Aaron Haahr, LCC, 5:24.37. 3,200: 4. Haahr, 11:45.53. 300 hurdles: 3. Brett Haisch, LCC, 46.25. 400 relay: 1. LCC, 45.83; 6. Winside, 53.33. 1,600 relay: 4. LCC, 3:54.25. 3,200 relay: 6. LCC, 10:23.9. Shot put: 2. Garrett Watters, Winside, 43' 7 1/2"; 3. Gatlin Jensen, Winside, 43' 7 1/2". Discus: 5. Haisch, 117' 2". High jump: 6. Calvin Casey, LCC, 5' 2". Long jump: 1. Wolfgram, 19' 3"; 6. Brad Steffen, LCC, 16' 9 1/4". Triple jump: 1. Wolfgram, 38' 11 1/2".

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Aldrich named new WSC defensive head

Wayne State College head football coach Dan McLaughlin announced the hiring of Mike Aldrich as defensive coordinator of the Wildcat program. He will officially begin his new duties with the school on July 1.

Aldrich comes to Wayne State after serving most recently as the head coach at Augustana College the last three seasons. He compiled a 22-13 record overall and was 20-11 in the NSIC. In 2010, Aldrich guided the Vikings to a school record 11 wins and a berth in the NCAA Div. II playoffs, where Augustana won the school's first playoff game. He was selected Region 5 Coach of the Year after leading the Vikings to an 11-2 record that season.

Prior to that, he served as assistant defensive coordinator, special team's coordinator and secondary coach from 2004 until being named head coach in 2010. He also served as head coach and defensive coordinator for the Sioux Falls Storm of the National Indoor Football League from 2000-2002 and returned to the Storm as defensive coordinator from 2005-2009, where he helped the team win four consecu-

tive United Indoor Football Championships and 40 straight wins.

Girls hoops camps to be held in Wayne

Basketball camps for Wayne girls in grades 5-12 will be held this summer at Wayne High School and the Wayne Community Activity Center.

Camps will be held June 4, 6 and 7 for all grades. Athletes in grades 5-8 will finish their camp on June 10, with athletes in grades 9-12 finishing on June 11.

The camp will focus on basketball fundamentals, a summer workout routine and a review of basic offenses and defenses. Wayne High coaches, players and former players will teach fundamentals during the camps.

For more information, contact Jeff Zeiss at (402) 369-3481 or (402) 375-1698.

Country Club Men's Open set for May 26

The Wayne Country Club's annual men's open tournament will be held Sunday, May 26.

The tournament is an 18-hole medal play format for all flights except the championship flight, which will play 27 holes.

For more information or to register, contact PGA professional Troy Harder at (402) 375-1152 or go to waynecountryclub.org.

Four LCC students earn All-NENAC nods

Four Laurel-Concord/Coleridge students were honored by the NENAC on their Academic All-Conference team for 2013.

Selected were Katie Gubbels, Hannah Burbach, Ryan Lunz and

Jason Kneiff.

WSC soccer team signs juco recruit

Wayne State soccer coach Molly Grisham announced the signing of a junior college talent for the 2013-14 season.

Hali Henwood is transferring to Wayne from Northwest (Wyo.) Junior College and will have two seasons of eligibility. She is a 5-foot-8 defender who played the last two years at NJC, where she was an All-Region IX defender and helped her team to an 11-7-1 record and a berth in the national playoffs. She was also named an NSCAA Scholar All-American. Henwood is a Casper, Wyo., native.

Final city bowling league results are told

The final results from league action at Wildcat Lanes in Wayne are as follows:

City League
Team Standings — Wildcat Lanes 36-12, Vet's Club 31-17, Half-Ton Club 28-20, Big Red Country 24-24, Tom's Body Shop 19-29, Ghost 6-42.

Week 24 Results — High Team Game and Series: Wildcat Lanes, 1062 and 2977. **High Game and Series:** Brad Jones, 254 and 724.

High Scores — Brad Jones 247/223, Keith Roberts 245, Jayme Bargholz 237/221/203, Bryan Denklau 237, John Rebensdorf 222/220, Layne Beza 220/202, Mick Kemp 219, Mark Klein 213, Trent Beza 213, Bennett Salmon 212, Brian Kemp 209, Rick Straight 201/200, Trevor Beza 201, Kent Roberts 200.

High Series — Jayme Bargholz 661, John Rebensdorf 612.

Wed-Nite Owls
Team Standings — Split Happens 40-16, Highly Qualified Rollers 36-20, Wildcat Lanes 34-22, Bowl Movements 30-26, Balls Deep 28-28, Rock-N-Rollers 26-30, Team 6 16-40, Ghost 14-42.

Week 14 Results — High Team Game and Series: Split Happens, 807 and 2305. **High Game:** Brad Jones and Nathan Kush, 210. **High Series:** Brad Jones, 585.

High Scores — Tyler Hiner 203.

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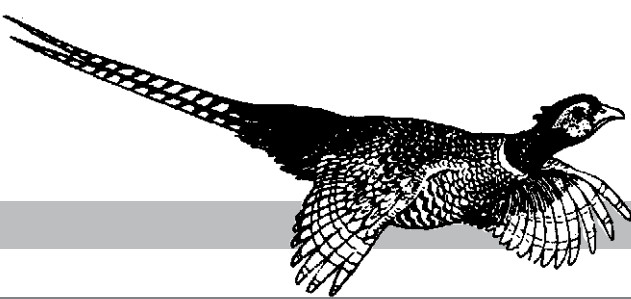
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Opinion

Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes
Managing Editor

Afternoon delight found on Google?

April showers bring May flowers – unless you're in Nebraska, where it just brings more snow . . . and an opportunity to beat the weather blahs with a few items from the "Bits and Pieces" file:

– Last summer, the Google Street View car was seen roaming around this part of the world, taking in images that it could post on its Google Maps servers.

A particularly cheeky couple in Australia saw the Google car approaching and decided to add a little flavor to what Google offers its viewers – by pulling over to the side of the road (in broad, blue-sky daylight) and simulating having a little, shall we say, afternoon delight.

The simulated act of, what we'll call, a romantic interlude between the enterprising young duo was on Google Maps for a short time before being removed by the company.

– Speaking of crazy things in the world of sex, the Council Bluffs teenage mother is all grown up now and diving face-first (well, figuratively speaking anyway) into the world of adult entertainment.

Farrah Abraham, who used up her 15 minutes of fame as part of an MTV (slogan: we've changed the "M" from music to moron, to better show who our target demographic is) documentary on teen motherhood, recently found herself in trouble with the law in Omaha after being busted on a DWI charge.

Obviously in need of some quick cash, she recently co-starred in a movie that, I'm pretty sure, won't be shown at the Majestic Theatre. She sold her rights to the video to an adult entertainment company (making a tidy seven-figure sum, according to reports) and hopes to use the money to complete her education and – this is an actual quote, believe it or not – "focusing on being a great mother for my daughter."

And really – nothing says "being a great mother for my daughter" like starring in a porn video, doesn't it?

– Since we're on a roll, here's one from the "always keep your keys, wallet and watch in your pocket when answering Craigslist ads" department: an Omaha man found himself with a nasty case of road rash after trying to stop another man from leaving with his wallet after the two met via Craigslist for a romantic encounter in an Omaha hotel.

The other guy tried to drive away, but his accuser ran out of the hotel room – naked – and hung on to the car for dear life while being dragged a short distance.

Sometimes, folks, the funny stories just write themselves . . .

– From the "when is enough enough?" department comes this frustrating news item: A City councilman in Berkeley, Calif., believes the government should be able to tax – brace yourselves – e-mails.

Referring to it as a "bit tax," this moron seems to think the city could rake in billions of dollars a year for what he called "a very tiny tax on e-mail." (Seriously? A 'tiny' tax? How dumb does he think we are?)

Of course, this insane idea will not see the light of day for some time, as Congress passed a law in 1998 that bans internet taxation. Some states are trying to require the payment of sales taxes for purchases made on the Internet, and there is an effort in Congress to require any online transactions to be subject to city and state sales taxes.

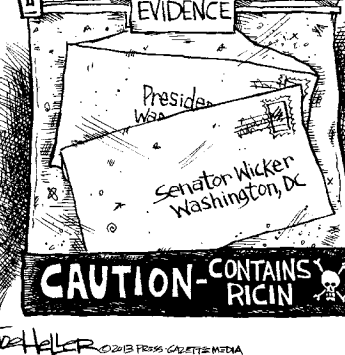
If we could just slap a 100 percent tax on government representatives coming up with idiotic ideas – or overspending and putting their cities, states and nation's into debt – I think that would be a tax we could all agree on.

– Annnnnnd finally, from the "don't say we didn't warn you" department: the National Weather Service is beefing up the bulletins it will be using to warn residents of severe weather.

They tried out in Kansas, and the bulletins seem to be getting the message across. One bulletin that came out to announce a tornado warning stated, rather bluntly, "You could be killed if not underground or in a tornado shelter. Complete destruction of neighborhoods is likely."

This would have been nice to have had when that last May Day snowstorm hit yesterday, and I'm sure it would've gone something like this: "Y'all ain't gonna believe this, but it's snowing on May 1."

THE TWO LETTERS FOUND
IN WASHINGTON, D.C.
THAT WERE TOXIC
TO POLITICIANS-



AND THE THREE LETTERS...



Capitol View

Lawmakers stay on schedule

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

As the clock ticks on the 103rd Legislature-First Session, lawmakers face a deadline for dealing with the Biennial Budget. Statute says that the nine-member Appropriations Committee has to have the document ready for consideration by the full Legislature no later than the 70th day of the 90-day session (May 1), and it has to be passed by lawmakers by the 80th day.

The committee, chaired for the first time in decades by a Democratic senator in the officially non-partisan Unicameral, is nearing completion of their budget document, which is based on a lengthy series of public hearings and reviews of state agency requests. Also on the table before the committee, which includes three new members this year, are the proposals from Republican Governor Dave Heineman.

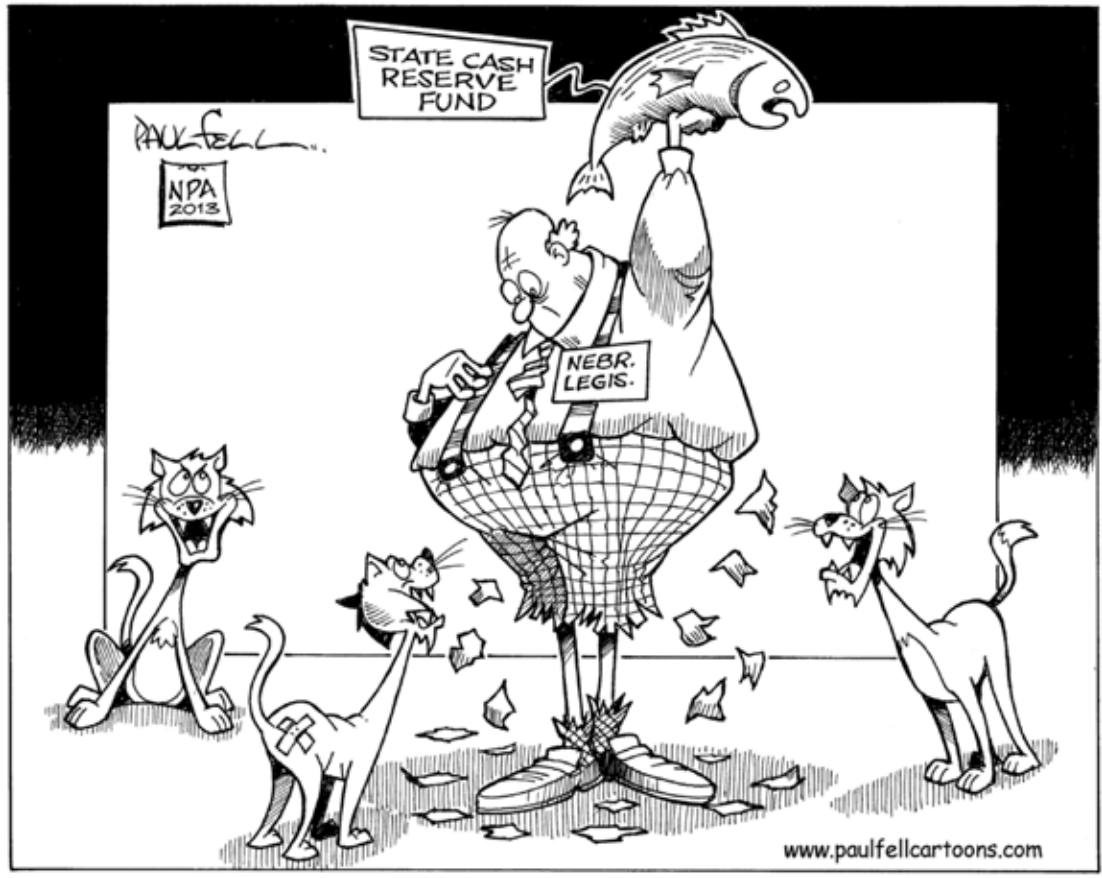
Nebraska's Economic Forecasting Advisory Board will have two meetings under its belt as it finalizes revenue projections for general fund receipts used by the Legislature to craft the state's budget. When the group met in February, it revised its October 2012 projections upward by \$53 million, raising revenue projections by 5.5 percent to \$3.87 billion for fiscal year 2012-13. Projections for FY2013-14 also were raised 3.1 percent to \$3.96 billion, and projections for FY2014-15 were raised 4.5 percent to \$4.1 billion.

The committee's preliminary budget calls for \$3,806,587,879 spending in fiscal year 2013-2014 and \$3,989,765,536 in fiscal year 2014-2015. Both are under the projected income of \$3.87 billion for FY13-14 and \$4.1 billion for FY14-15. The committee's budget is also \$19.9 million leaner than Heineman's proposed budget. Good for them, especially if they can stave off any gubernatorial pressure to cave on some of his pet projects or promises.

Major differences between the committee proposal and the governor's proposal include: the University of Nebraska; health care reform; developmental disability; construction of a chemical dependency unit; state colleges; community colleges; retirement programs for schools, judges and the State Patrol; early childhood education and salary increases for state employees.

Agency operations account for the biggest share (34 percent) of money spent in the budget. Aid to local governments accounts for 33.4 percent, aid to individuals 32.1 percent and construction 0.6 percent.

Agency operations include the costs of actually operating state agencies (including costs such as employee salaries and benefits), data processing,



utilities, vehicle and equipment purchases, fuel and oil and the like. Although there are 47 state agencies that receive General Fund appropriations from the Legislature through the budget process, higher education (University of Nebraska and State Colleges) and the six largest agencies (Health and Human Services, Corrections, Courts, State Patrol, Revenue and Retirement Board) account for 89 percent of state operations. Most of the General Funds for the Retirement Board are actually state contributions for the K-12 School employee retirement plan.

Aid to local governments includes school aid (the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunity Support Act), special education, community college aid and homestead exemptions. Aid to individuals reflects the largest overall growth in the proposed budget with a net increase of \$85.5 million for FY2013-14, which includes a \$28.6 million increase for Medicaid eligibility and utilization, \$18.3 million to offset a lower federal Medicaid match rate, \$14.6 million for a 2.25 percent Department of Health and Human Services provider rate increase and \$12.5 million for projected higher participation in Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance (CHIP) under the Affordable Care Act health

care reform and \$4.2 million for childcare rates. Increased funding is also provided for the developmental disability program including funds for new clients transitioning from high school and funds to help reduce the waiting list.

Then there is the matter of the statutory Cash Reserve fund, the unobligated balance the state has kept on the books – thanks to the wisdom and urging of the late Sen. Jerome Warner of Waverly, the longest serving Appropriations Committee Chairman. It is that very fund that has kept Nebraska out of the financial crises faced in recent years by a number of states that have been forced into deficit spending for a variety of reasons.

At the end of fiscal year 2012-2013, Nebraska should have \$384.1 million in its piggy bank. Those funds can be transferred in small amounts to meet emergencies as long as the plan to transfer the money is accompanied by a plan to reimburse the fund as soon as possible.

Thanks, Senator Warner. It's nice to recognize our generally conservative fiscal roots in Nebraska every couple years while the rest of the country scrambles.

Legislative Update

Debate on school aid a rural-urban tilt

Those "in the know" claim school aid is always a battle between large schools and our smaller school systems in what they like to call "out-state" Nebraska. I guess that is usually somewhat true, but no winners or losers were picked at the beginning of the week when it came to making decisions on the state aid formula to schools.

LB407, introduced by Sen. Kate Sullivan of Cedar Rapids, came to the forefront on Monday morning and was debated all day with no consensus being reached. This bill would make changes to the state aid formula, often referred to as TEEOSA (Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act); some would be temporary, and some would be permanent.

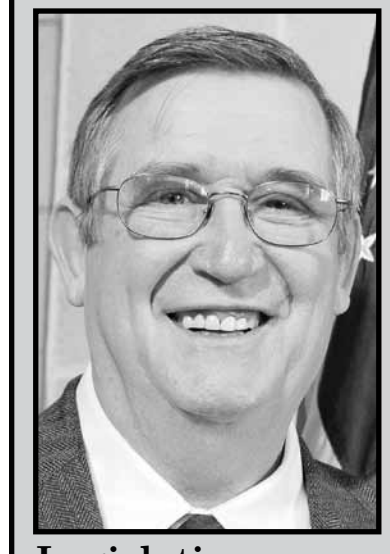
This is a complicated issue and formula. I will not pretend to understand all of the inner workings of the formula. In theory, equalized aid takes into account the resources and the needs of each school.

You also need to understand that school districts have two mandates that they have to operate under – the first being the amount they

can increase their spending from one year to the next (typically this is capped at 2.5 percent) and the \$1.05 they are allowed to collect by way of a property tax levy against every \$100 that property is valued at. The problem we are having is that the larger schools (Omaha, Lincoln and few others) feel they need more aid.

For the most part the large schools have high levies, close to or at the \$1.05 rate limit, while their cost per student is fairly low, whereas the small schools have a high per student cost. The majority of our Nebraska students are in those larger schools, where residential property values really have not increased much. The value of farmland has been going up in the areas where we do not have many students. I am unaware of any farmer who enjoys paying higher and higher property taxes, especially as we have seen in recent years. The increase in value of the land does not make it produce more; it just costs more to own.

While we need to focus on the needs of all of our students, regardless the size of the school



Legislative Update
By Dave Bloomfield
State Senator, District 17

– large or small, urban or rural – I cannot ignore the impact this proposal will have on the schools in our district, District 17. Of the 10 schools in our district, nine of them would lose some state funding under the original bill. Losses would have ranged from \$95,720 to \$263,512 for the 2013-14 year.

By Thursday morning, a compromise had been reached which allowed the bill to be advanced to Select File with a 42-0 vote. The compromise left two allowances in place that provide more aid to schools that have a longer school year and have teachers with advanced coursework or degrees.

There will be more work done on the bill between now and select file. While I have yet to see the exact numbers on how the compromise will impact our schools in District 17, it will allow roughly 114 mostly small, rural school districts to get aid that they have not qualified for before. This whole financing system is in need of change. I am hopeful, though not overly confident, that the tax review that will take place

this summer and fall might give us a better, more fair system.

When LB232, introduced by Sen. Steve Lathrop of Omaha, was on General File, I became very interested in the bill that would give Supreme Court judges a 5 percent pay increase this year and another 5 percent next year. While I have respect for judges, and I understand that they could probably make more money in the private sector, I think that more than 10 percent over the next two years is excessive. All of the judges throughout the state will get the same percent of raise because this creates a trickle-down effect for judges across Nebraska.

On Tuesday, I introduced an amendment that would change it from 5 percent for each of the next two years to 2.5 percent for each of those years. I thought this was a good-faith effort to give an increase without going overboard. On Thursday, Sen. Lathrop decided to amend LB232 into LB306, a bill introduced by Sen. Jeremy Nordquist of Omaha that dealt solely with judges' retirement contributions.

After over an hour of debate, it was determined that he could in fact amend LB232 into LB306. My amendment was debated, and unfortunately it only received 16 votes and therefore failed to be adopted. After spending most of the morning debating this bill, LB306, as amended by LB232, was advanced to Final Reading. I will continue to oppose this bill (though there is little to no chance that I can stop it) on the principle that I do not believe we have fully recovered from the recession, and we have legislation with major price tags attached to them yet to be discussed this session. There is, to the best of my knowledge, no one else in the state getting anywhere near this large a raise. I lost this fight, and I am sorry.

As always, if we can be of any assistance, contact our office at (402) 471-2716 or e-mail dbloomfield@leg.ne.gov.

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Minerva Club members learn of famous authors

Hollis Frese hosted Minerva Club on April 22 at the Senior Center. President Connie Webber opened the meeting sharing an article about Elephant Wisdom and their devotion to a man known as the elephant whisperer. It was followed with discussion of animal intelligence. Twelve members responded to roll call with an old-time spring cleaning chore they dreaded doing.

Hollis Frese reminded members of some April holidays, including that the first day of the month was April Fool's Day and Earth Day. She also mentioned the Zodiac signs for those celebrating April birthdays and that the first week of April is Library Week.

On that theme, she shared some history of famous authors. Nicolas Charles Sparks graduated from an Omaha high school. His novel "The Notebook" was published in 1996. All of his books were on the New York Times best seller's list. Eight of his novels were made into movies.

Belva Plain, an only child, was raised on the upper east side of

Manhattan. Her break-through book "Evergreen" was listed for 41 weeks as a New York Times best seller. She wrote in longhand on yellow pads. She authored 20 best selling books. Another noted author is Danielle Steel. She was married four times and a mother to six children. In addition to her romance novels, she wrote a book series for young readers. Following the tragic death of her son, Nick, she funded a program that provided supplies for the homeless. Twenty-two of her books were adapted for TV.

James Patterson, now at age 66, had his first novel published in 1976. His books were thrillers or science fiction stories. He was deemed quite successful in spite of the terrible subject of his writings.

Janet Evanovich began writing in her 30's under the pseudonym Steffie Hall. She is known for her Stephanie Plum series and several romance novels. Her husband, son, daughter and son-in-law are all involved in the business aspect of her career.

Debbie Macomber began writ-

ing her first novel "Heartsong" on a rented typewriter. Her dyslexia was not discovered until her children were diagnosed. She wrote because she had stories to tell. Four of her books were made into TV movies. She often reads Norman Vincent Peale's "Power of Positive Thinking" for inspiration.

Members will meet Tuesday, May 14 at Our Savior Church parking lot at 10:30 a.m. to carpool for the club outing. All members present were planning to attend.



Emily Leeper

Emily Leeper earns WSC scholarship

Emily Leeper of Wayne has been awarded a Neihardt Scholarship valued at over \$31,000 to attend Wayne State College.

Emily is the daughter of Mark Leeper and Mary Beth Graber. She will graduate from Wayne High School in May of 2013.

In high school, she was involved in softball, track and field, varsity band, musical, Spanish Club (secretary), National Honor Society (president), Quiz Bowl, W-Club and Journey Christian Church Youth Group.



Dillon Wieland

Dillon Wieland earns WSC scholarship

Dillon Wieland of Wayne has been awarded a First Nebraska Bank of Wayne Scholarship to attend Wayne State College.

Dillon is the son of Brad Wieland and Patty Wieland of Wayne. He will graduate from Wayne High School in May of 2013.

In high school he was involved in band, choir, Jazz band, Jazz choir, musical, Spanish Club, National Honor Society and served as the FBLA president.



Pride at Winside

Winside Superintendent/Elementary Principal Jeff Messersmith presented PAW (Pride At Winside) students with the Citizenship Award. Dakota Spann was the recipient of the free movie pass. Students recognized included (from left) Brody Meis, Matthew Frederick, Amber Dotson, Aubreanna Rodriguez, Kailen Hansen and Dakota Spann.



Monumental learning

Winside Third Grade teacher Mr. Tim Stubbs' class studied monuments and memorials as part of the social studies curriculum. The class created memorials and monuments such as the Rainbow Bridge, Lincoln Memorial and Washington Monument. Those involved include (front) Carsan Brogren, Maddox Magwire, Allan Olander, Ashelyn Abler and Jacoby Mann, (middle) Hayley Hardisty, Aubrie Edwards, Art Escalante, Tyler Carlson, McKenna Russell and Jacob Paulsen, (back) Mr. Stubbs, Gabe Escalante, Anthony Palmer, Dakota Spann, Trey Falk and Jamie Janke.



Pennies for Patients

Students at St. Mary's Elementary School in Wayne recently completed a successful fund raiser, the Pennies for Patients project for the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. Millions of dollars have been raised in recent years throughout the United States by students contributing pennies and other loose change for the cause. This year, St. Mary's School raised \$206.24.

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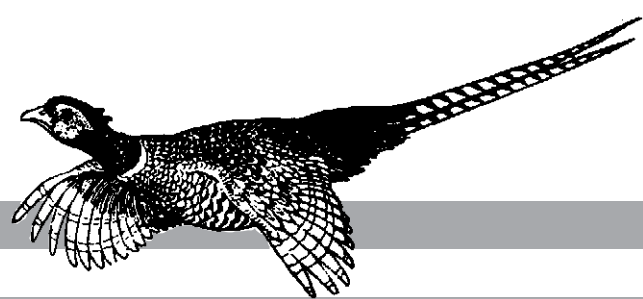
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Healthful whole grains satisfy hunger

Have you been looking for low fat, nutritious foods that satisfy your hunger? Consider adding whole grain foods to your diet. What are whole grain foods? Any food made from wheat, rice, oats, cornmeal, barley, or another cereal grain.

Whole grains provide energy recommended six servings of grain foods per day. Most of the grain foods we eat, however, are made with fortified refined grain rather than with the whole grain. Breads, cereals, and pasta made from whole grains are also a source of fiber.

The average American is only consuming 12 grams of fiber. The American Dietetic Association recommends that Americans should be consuming 25 to 30 grams every day. Fiber helps to regulate bowel function and relieve constipation. Fiber may be a protective factor for coronary heart disease and certain types of cancer. Foods rich in dietary fiber act as a "filler" and may help with weight management.

Here are a few helpful suggestions to add whole grains in your diet.



Angela Abts
Dakota Count

– Choose a quick and easy ready-to-eat or ready-to-cook whole grain cereal for breakfast.

– Pour some dry, bit-size cereals into a bag, or grab a whole grain cereal bar to take along with you as a snack during you busy day.

– Add whole grains to mixed dishes. Try adding some pearl barley, wild or brown rice to your favorite soup, stew, or casserole.

– Try substituting whole grain flour for one-fourth to one-half of the white flour called in recipes.

For more information about food, nutrition, and health resources, please contact the University of Nebraska Lincoln Extension Office in your local county or visit the website at www.extension.unl.edu/fnh.

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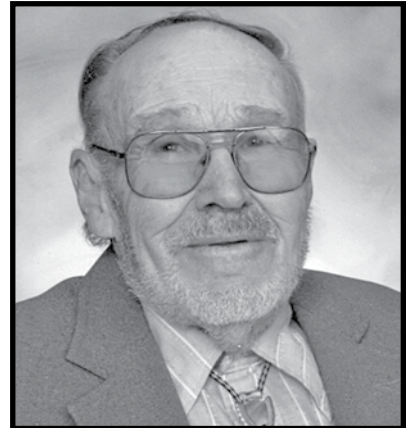
Card shower for Glassmeyer 90th

A card shower is being requested for Floyd Glassmeyer in honor of his 90th birthday, which is Wednesday, May 8.

Floyd lived in the Wayne area all his life, until moving to the Norfolk Veterans Home.

His family includes his children, Steve and Ginny Glassmeyer of Wayne, Carolyn and Glen Osborn of Madison and Pam Glassmeyer of Logan, Iowa.

Cards may be sent to the honoree in care of the Norfolk Veterans Home, 600 East Benjamin Ave., Norfolk, Neb., 68701.



Floyd Glassmeyer

Briefly Speaking

Bridge played at Senior Center

AREA — Bridge was played at the Wayne Senior Center on Tuesday, April 30 with 16 ladies attending. Bridge was played at four tables.

Hostess was Anita Fuelberth.

Bridge will be played again on Tuesday, May 7. Hostess will be Phyllis Hix. For reservations, call (402) 375-2831 by Sunday, May 5.

Winside Legion Auxiliary to meet

WINSIDE — Roy Reed Unit No. 252, American Legion Auxiliary, of Winside will meet Saturday, May 4 at 9:30 a.m. at the Legion Hall. Final plans on the Memorial Day dinner will be discussed. Members are encouraged to attend this meeting.

Election of Unit Officers will be held at the Saturday, June 1 meeting and anyone with an interest in holding an office is asked to attend the meeting or contact Unit President Rose Ann Janke.

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School Lunches

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Monday: LC Breakfast — Pancake wrap. LC Lunch — Spaghetti, bread sticks, salad, oranges. MS Sausage combo bar. MS Lunch — Crispy chicken sandwich, oven browns, dessert.

Tuesday: LC Breakfast — Breakfast cookie. LC Lunch — Grilled barbecue chicken sandwich, green beans, peaches. MS Breakfast — Muffins. MS Lunch — Burrito with chili and cheese, green beans, dessert.

Wednesday: LC Breakfast — Waffle sticks. LC Lunch — Polish dog, French fries, pork 'n beans, pineapple. MS Breakfast — Ham and cheese biscuit. MS Lunch — Taverns, macaroni and cheese, dessert.

Thursday: LC Breakfast — Breakfast boat. LC Lunch — Turkey sub sandwich, chips, carrots, apples. MS Breakfast — Caramel roll. MS Lunch — Turkey sub sandwich, baked beans, pumpkin bar.

Friday: LC Breakfast — Muffins. LC Lunch — Walking taco, corn, applesauce. MS Breakfast — Tornados. MS Lunch — Pizza, corn, cookie.

Orange juice, skim milk, fruit, yogurt and salad bar are served daily. All menus subject to change.

WAKEFIELD SCHOOLS (May 6-10)

Monday: Breakfast — Bagels, peaches. Lunch — Rib patty sandwich, baked beans, cucumbers, fresh pineapple.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Cheese, omelets, apple juice. Lunch — Chili cheese fries, wheat roll, Romaine lettuce, apricots.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Breakfast

bar, mixed fruit. Lunch — Deli sandwich, potato salad, tomatoes, applesauce cups.

Thursday: Breakfast — Yogurt, orange juice. Lunch — Beef and noodles, corn, wheat roll, celery, grapes.

Friday: Breakfast — Fruited, juice. Lunch — Peanut butter and jelly sandwich, cheese sticks, baby carrots, grape juice, apples.

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 (May 6-10)

Monday: Breakfast — Pancake on a stick, fruit. Lunch — Chicken patty on bun, lettuce, corn, apple.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Breakfast burrito. Lunch — Sloppy Joe with bun, sweet potato fries, cauliflower, orange.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Breakfast sandwich. Lunch — Fish, dinner roll, tomatoes, broccoli, mixed fruit.

Thursday: Breakfast — French toast. Lunch — Pulled pork, baked beans, coleslaw, pears.

Friday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Pizza, carrots, green beans, banana.

Chef salad is optional. Milk served with every meal.

WINSIDE (May 6-10)

Lunch prices: K-6 - \$2.35; 7-12 - \$2.60; milk and juice - \$3.35

Monday: Breakfast — Cereal. Lunch — Fajita wrap, corn, lettuce, pineapple.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, green beans, pancakes, roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Scrambled eggs. Lunch — Hamburger, bun, fries, baked beans, pears.

Thursday: Breakfast — Waffle. Lunch — Cook's Choice.

Friday: Breakfast — French toast. Lunch — Mandarin chicken, rice, Oriental vegetable, mandarin oranges, roll.

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KESTING - Brian and Jennifer Kesting of Carroll, twin sons, Aiden Robert Dale Kesting, 5 lbs., 12 oz., born at 6:30 p.m. and Walter Alvin Dale Kesting, 5 lbs., 11 oz., born at 6:37 p.m. April 23, 2013. Siblings are Parker (7) and Alivia (3). Grandparents are Larry and Peggy Kesting of Pierce, Karen Olson of Pierce and Mike Olson of Osmond. Great-grandparents are Robert and Joyce Roth of Pierce, LaVerle and Florence Kesting of Pierce and the late Alvin and Irene Korth of Pierce and Bert and Sally Olson of Osmond.

Center Circle Club meets April 25

Sharon Thompson hosted the April 25 Center Circle Club meeting with nine members and one guest, Barb Forslund, present.

Club president Irene Fork called the meeting to order. Secretary Dianne Jaeger took roll call, "Tell your favorite flower" and read the minutes of the last meeting. Treasurer Gloria Evans gave the treasurer's report and noted that she mailed a check for the Wayne

County Fair donation.

Old Business included discussion on possible places for a summer tour by Sharon. Suggested were Madison County Museum and historic church, Newman Grove Bed and Breakfast and gift shop and a church at Humphrey. It will be discussed again next month.

Sharon said there will be a plant fair at Northeast College Friday,

May 3 from 6-8 p.m. and Saturday, May 4 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

A get-well card was signed for club member Betty Andersen. Ten -point pitch was played, with prizes going to Gloria Evans, Irene Fork, and Cleora Fischer.

The next meeting will be Thursday May 16 with Helen Holtgrew as hostess. Election of officers will be held.

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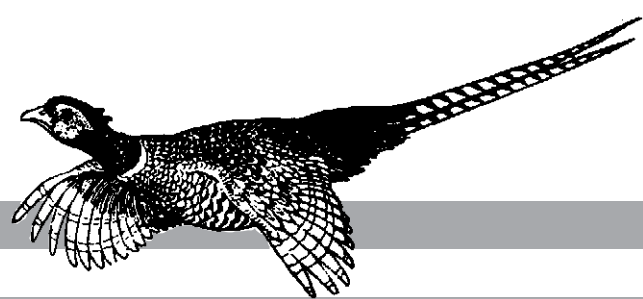
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ship, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday: Bible
study, 7 p.m.

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Sunday: Handbell Practice, 8:45
a.m.; Church School, 9 a.m.; Wor-
ship, 10 a.m.; Fellowship, 11 a.m.;
Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m.
Wednesday: Junior High Youth
Group, 7:30 p.m. Friday: Wayne
Women's Club, 8:30 a.m.

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Sunday: Divine Worship with Holy
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Rev. Mike Feldman; Sunday School,
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(Pastor Peter Phillips)
Sunday: 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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Senior Pastor)
(The Rev. Michael Feldmann,
Associate Pastor)
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Sunday: Lutheran Hour on KTCH,
7:30 a.m.; Worship, 8 a.m. and
10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:15
a.m.; Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. Mon-
day: Worship with Communion,
6:45 p.m.; Elders, 7:30 p.m. Tues-
day: L.I.F.T., 7:30 p.m. Wednes-
day: Bible Class, 9 a.m.; Ladies Aid
Guest Day, 2 p.m. Thursday: Bible
Study, 8 a.m.

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volvement)
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10:30 a.m.; Small group, 6:30 p.m.;
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day: Coffee Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship,
10 a.m.; Graduate Lunch, 11:15
a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Tacos
& More, 6:45 a.m.; WELCA Board
meeting, 1:15 p.m.; Communion at
The Oaks, 3:30 p.m. Wednesday:
Joy Circle, 2 p.m.; FLoC, 7 p.m.
Thursday: Joyful Noise, 6 p.m.;
Choir, 7 p.m.

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prayer time. Sunday: Fellowship
time, 9:15 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30
a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.;
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meeting, 6:30 p.m. Wednesday:
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ish Elections. Sunday: Mass, 8 and
10 a.m. with Parish Elections; High
School Senior Breakfast and Mass;
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School Basement, 7 p.m. Spanish
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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 rectory, 5 p.m.; Knights
of Columbus Rosary, 7 p.m. with
meeting following in Holy Fam-
ily Hall. Tuesday: Mass, 8 a.m.;
School Board meeting, rectory, 6
p.m. Wednesday Mass, 8:15 a.m.;
Ascension of the Lord Vigil Mass, 7
p.m. Thursday: No Mass at 8 a.m.;
Ascension of the Lord Mass, (Holy
Day of Obligation) 12:10 p.m. and 5
p.m. Friday: Mass, 8 a.m.

Allen

FIRST LUTHERAN
(Pastor Sarah Ruch)
Saturday: Mother/Daughter
Brunch at Concordia, 9:30 a.m.
Sunday: Worship Service, 9 a.m.
with Graduation reception. Holy
Communion. Monday: Council
meeting, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday:
WELCA, 1:30 p.m.; ACCTS at First
Lutheran, 3:45 p.m.; Confirmation
End of Year Supper at First Luther-
an, 6:30 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST
(Pastor Lorrie Kentner)
Friday: Senior Tea, 10 a.m.; Pastor
Lorrie at United Methodist Church,
1-3 p.m. Sunday: Worship service,
9 a.m.

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Elmwood Cemetery Board of Directors

Carroll

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
Sunday: Divine Service with Com-
munion, 8 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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Sunday: Worship Service, 11 a.m.;
Youth Group, 5 p.m.

Concord

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(Pastor Sarah Ruch)
Saturday: Mother/Daughter
Brunch at Concordia, 9:30 a.m.
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;
Worship Service with Holy com-
munion, 10:45 a.m.; Grandparents'
Day; Noisy Offering. Wednesday:
ACCTS at First Lutheran, 3:45
p.m.; Confirmation End of Year
Supper at First Lutheran, 6:30 p.m.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN
East of town
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: Rogate Sunday. Bless-
ing of Seed and Soil. Worship ser-
vice, 8 a.m.; Good News Class at St.
John's, 7 p.m. Tuesday: Pastor's
Conference at St. John's in Wake-
field, 9 a.m. Thursday: Ascension
Day. Worship at St. John's, 7 p.m.
with Fellowship following, hosted
by Pastor and Diane.

EVANGELICAL FREE
(Pastor Todd Thelen)
(Pastor Scott Kahn)
Friday: Women's Bible Study, 9:30
a.m. Sunday: Prayer Time, 9 a.m.;
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morn-
ing Worship, 10:30 a.m.; Evening
Bible Study, Axiom, Praying Kids
- Mighty in Power, 7 p.m. Friday:
Women's Bible Study, 9:30 a.m.

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ST. ANNE'S CATHOLIC
(Fr. James McCluskey, pastor)
Sunday: Mass, 9 a.m. Wednesday:
Ascension Day (Holy Day of Obliga-
tion) Vigil Mass, 6 p.m.

Hoskins

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Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;
Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.

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Worship, 10 a.m.

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Cable, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Worship
Video on Cable, 10 a.m.; Confirma-
tion, 4:15 p.m.; Snak Shak, 5:30
p.m.; Pioneer Club, 6:15 p.m.; Adult
Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN

4 North, 3 East of Wayne
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: Rogate Sunday. Blessing
of Seed and Soil. Morning Worship,
9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30
a.m.; Good News Class at St. John's,
7 p.m. Tuesday: Pastor's Confer-
ence at St. John's in Wakefield, 9
a.m. Thursday: Ascension Day.
Worship at St. John's, 7 p.m. with
fellowship following, hosted by Pas-
tor and Diane.

PRESBYTERIAN

216 West 3rd
(Rev. Charity Potter, pastor)
Thursday: Presbyterian Women, 1
p.m. Sunday: Fellowship, 10 a.m.;
Worship with Food Bank Thank
Offering, 11 a.m.; Congregational
meeting. Monday: Session meet-
ing, 7 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN

West 7th & Maple
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: Rogate Sunday. Blessing
of Seed and Soil. Worship Service,
11 a.m.; Good News Class, 7 p.m.
Tuesday: Pastor's Conference at
St. John's, 9 a.m. Thursday: As-
cension Day. Worship at St. John's,
7 p.m.; followed by fellowship host-
ed by Pastor and Diane.

SALEM LUTHERAN

411 Winter Street
Pastor Darwin Garton, pastor
Thursday: Circles, 9:30 a.m., 12
p.m. and 5 p.m. Friday: Pastor's
Sabbath. Saturday: Worship Ser-
vice, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Adult
Choir Rehearsal, 7:30 a.m.; Sun-
day School for All Ages, 9 a.m.; Im-
promptu Choir, 10 a.m.; Worship,
10:30 a.m.; Girl Scout meeting, 6
p.m. Monday: Stewardship meet-
ing, 6:30 p.m.; Worship and Music,
7:30 p.m. Tuesday: N.E. Cluster,
10 a.m.; Wednesday: Nominat-
ing committee Nebraska Synod, 10
a.m.; Junior High meal, 5:15 p.m.
Thursday: Community Club Coff-
ee, 9 a.m.; Video on Channel 98,
10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Friday: Pastor's
Sabbath. Saturday: Worship Ser-
vice, 6:30 p.m.

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN

218 Miner St.
Sunday: Bible Class, 9:30 a.m.;
Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Divine
Service, 10:30 a.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN

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Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;
Service of the Word, 10:30 a.m.
Thursday: WELCA.

UNITED METHODIST

207 Jones Street
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Sunday: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.
(last class for the year); Worship,
10:30 a.m., kids sing. Wednesday:
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Concord Awana program holds closing ceremony

The annual Awana Awards ceremony the Concord Evangelical Free Church was held April 24 following a supper for all clubbers, families and leaders. There were nearly 300 people in attendance.

Those children recognized for completing handbooks were:

Puggles (ages two and three): Grace Galvin, Anderson Hall, Blake Hansen, Olivia Kahn, Emma Kvols, Easton Lewis, Jacob Lipp, Jacob Noe, Weston Patefiled and Willa Roberts.

Cubbies (ages three and four): First year - Atlee Anderson, Nathan Boysen, Abbie Brummels, Isaak Carranza, Lawton Dahl, Faith Galvin, Hannah Hart, Cade Johnson, Gracie Klausen, Abby Klooz. Second year - Allan Brenner, Kennedy

Hall, Gracie Junck, Naomi Lipp, Hailey Noe and Holly Patefiled.

Sparks (grades kindergarten through second grade): First book ribbons - Jake Barner, Clara Brummels, Jesenia Carranza, Brody Flody, Kaylie Graf, Aric Hall, Tanner Hansen, Olivia Hanson, Delany-Johnson, Jacob Klooz, Abigail Lipp, Charity Lundgren, Lilly Pehrson, Gibson Roberts, Caleb Ruch, Ryleigh, Specht, Ethan Walton, Isela Martinez (extra credit book). Second book ribbons - Shane Benson, Jackson Hall, Samuel Junck, Rebeka Lipp, Charity Lundgren, Nevaeh Pearson, Toni Thompson and Bradyn Urwiler. Third book plaques - Eli Barner, Aaron Bloom, Miles Forsberg, Delaney Hall, Cody Kempf, Caleb Lipp, Samantha

Pehrson and Jerrid Van Sloten.

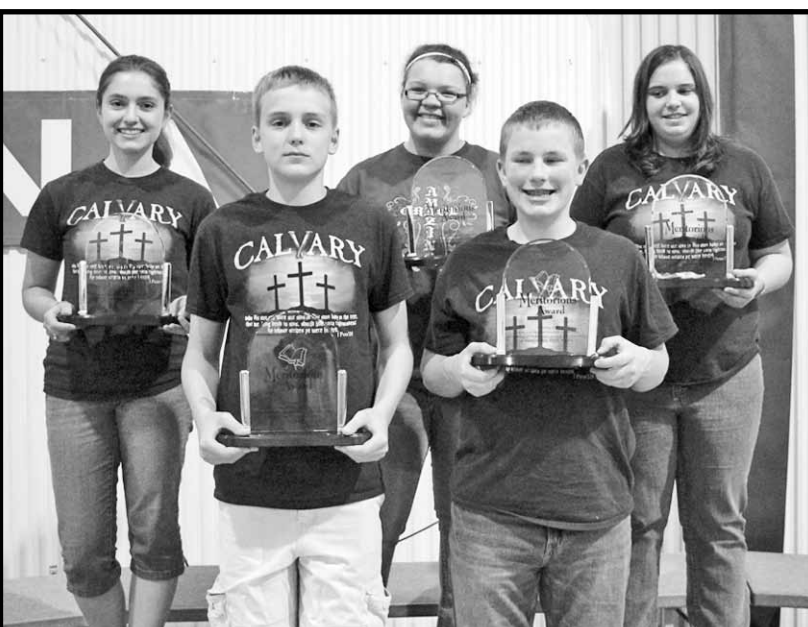
Truth and Training (grades three through six): First book medallions - Summer Adair, Aden Anderson, Daulton Burris, Nicole Fertig, Brock Floyd, Cassie Granquist, Grant Hakeneis, Jaclyn Kempf, Gage Longe, Jessica Martinez, Lukas Oswald, Catelyn Pehrson, James Torres, Annabelle Van Sloten. Second book EXCELLENCE trophies - Megan Forsberg, Jasmine Galvin, Kalin Olson, Anna Roth and Maddie Swanson. Third book CHALLENGE trophies - Makayla Forsberg, Brogan Jones, Faith Junck, Kylie Kempf, Elizabeth Lipp and Gabrielle Macrander. Fourth book Timothy trophies - Bethany

Kardell and Lorna Maxon.

Trek (grades seven and eight): Fourth book TIMOTHY trophy - Kylie Maxon. Milestone plaque - Abbie Bloom, Nicole Hanson, Austin Kempf, Andrea Torres. Sixth book Meritorious trophy - Mason Forsberg, Emily Hangman, Garret Longe, Lyndsey McCoy and Elisabeth Torres.

About 150 young people attend Awana Clubs in Concord each Wednesday night. Clubs are open to all area youth, ages pre-kindergarten through eighth grade.

Concord Awana Clubs will resume Wednesday, Aug. 28. Contact Bill or Deb Dickey (402) 375-2469 or more information.



Meritorious trophies were presented to (front) Mason Forsberg and Garrett Longe (back) Elisabeth Torres, Emily Hangman and Lyndsey McCoy.



Excellence trophies were presented to (front) Megan Forsberg and Kalen Olson (back) Maddie Swanson, Jasmine Galvin and Anna Roth.



Challenge trophies were awarded to (front) Kylie Kempf and Elizabeth Lipp (back) Makayla Forsberg, Brogan Jones and Faith Junck.



Bethany Kardell (left) and Lorna Maxon earned Timothy trophies.



Earning Sparks plaques were (front) Eli Barner, Delaney Hall, Samantha Pehrson and Jerrid VanSloten (back) Aaron Bloom, Miles Forsberg, Caleb Lipp and Cody Kempf.

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- Continue to brush your mouth (including your gums, palate, and tongue) with a soft- bristled toothbrush every morning before you insert your dentures.
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Eight 4-H members participated in the 4-H Public Speaking Contest held at the Wayne County Courthouse on April 23.

The 4-Hers have the opportunity to prepare an actual speech or public service announcement. Public speaking allows the 4-Hers to increase their confidence of public speaking which is a valuable life skill.

The novice division is for 4-Hers 10 years of age and younger who have never competed in a speech contest before. They may read a poem or story, or talk to the audience about any topic they choose. It may be written by the 4-Her or someone else. Purple ribbons were awarded to Jaclyn Kempf of Carroll, Emily Longe of Wayne and Mason Topp of Winge.

Intermediate speech division participants are 11-12 years of age and prepare an original speech relating to 4-H. The suggested length of the speech is three to five minutes. Purple ribbon winners were Miranda Fehringer and Grace Heithold, both of Wayne. Receiving a blue ribbon was Kylie Kempf of Carroll.

Senior division speech partici-

pants are 13 years of age and older who write a 5-8 minute speech relating to 4-H. A blue ribbon was awarded to Jaci Jenkins of Carroll.

The Public Service Announcement (PSA) Category is open to 4-Hers of all ages. 4-Hers create and present a 60-second PSA relating to the state theme. This year's theme is "Taking the Lead." The emphasis is on the presentation of a PSA for radio and for that reason they are scored on the content of the material and the delivery. Receiving a blue ribbon was Maggie Fehringer of Wayne who competed in the Intermediate Division.

The overall speech winner was Miranda Fehringer, daughter of Michael and Penny Fehringer of Wayne. Her speech was titled, "Did You Know?." Jaci Jenkins was the



Top photo: Earning awards at the 4-H Public Speaking Contest were (from left) Miranda Fehringer, Maggie Fehringer and Jaci Jenkins.



Bottom photo: Taking part in the Wayne County 4-H Public Speaking Contest were (front) Jaclyn Kempf, Kylie Kempf, Emily Longe, Jaci Jenkins, (back) Mason Topp, Maggie Fehringer, Miranda Fehringer and Grace Heithold.

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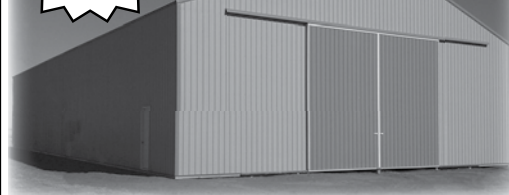
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Northeast Community College commencement set for May 11

The 40th annual Commencement ceremony at Northeast Community College in Norfolk on Saturday, May 11 has an earlier start time compared to previous commencements. Although ceremony attendance is optional, nearly 400 students are scheduled to attend this year.

The ceremony will begin at 10 a.m. In previous years, the event began at 10:30 a.m.

Nearly 650 students, including those earning double majors, plus an additional 169 students who completed their studies last December, will be listed in the commencement program. Northeast Community College President Dr. Michael Chipps is the commencement speaker.

Amanda N. Lorenz of Osmond, will give the Student Address. Ms. Lorenz is scheduled to earn an Associate of Arts Degree in May, 2013. In May, 2012, she earned a Diploma in Medical Coding and an Associate of Applied Science Degree in Administrative Assistant from North-

east Community College.

Due to the large number of people who attend the event, graduates have been issued tickets that will admit guests into the Cox Activities Center gymnasium where the ceremony will be held. Other guests without tickets may still view the ceremony.

KHWK/Hawk TV, the college's cable access channel, will produce a live telecast of the ceremony. It will be shown live in an overflow seating area in the Cox Activities Center Theater. The ceremony will be closed captioned for the hearing impaired in another room of the Cox Activities Center. The ceremony can also be viewed live on the Internet at hawktv.ihigh.com.

Residents in communities receiving Cable One programming can also view the live broadcast by tuning in to the college's Channel 15 at 10 a.m. This includes the communities of Norfolk, Battle Creek, Beemer, Hadar, Hoskins, Madison, Pierce, Pilger, Randolph, Tilden, West Point and Wisner.

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Lincoln pesticide safety educator Clyde Ogg.

That's the amount of empty, plastic pesticide containers UNL Extension's plastic pesticide container recycling program has helped collect and recycle from across Nebraska over the past 21 years.

As it has since the beginning, the UNL program helps recycle 1- and 2.5-gallon plastic pesticide containers and 15-, 30- and 55-gallon plastic crop protection chemical drums.

"These are farm and ranch pesticide containers that could otherwise end up stored in barns or sheds or

be improperly disposed of by casting them aside on creek banks or burning them," Ogg said.

"The program's primary message has always been that it benefits everyone to find simple, cost-effective and cooperative ways to help properly dispose of these containers and keep them out of the environment and that message has been widely embraced.

Nine sites collect year-around, 14 collect May through August, 11 collect on specific dates and four are by appointment only.

Program funding is by a national coalition of agri-chemical manufacturers through the Agricultural Container Recycling Council, Washington, D.C.

Year-round container collection sites include Central Valley Ag in Wayne, open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

In Dixon County, Central Valley Ag in Newcastle is collecting containers from 8 a.m.-12 p.m. on May 9, May 23, June 6, June 13, July 3, July 17, Aug. 8 and Aug. 22.

Suicides are difficult to deal with

I think we missed Spring this weekend. All of a sudden, the pear trees have bloomed, the forsythia is out in full force, and the tulips and daffodils are adding spots of color in all kinds of places in the neighborhood. BUT, there is more cold and even snow predicted! So, of course, when it all quits, it will be summer. In fact, it felt like summer today; our temps reached 86 degrees.



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

I was reading the paper this evening and checked out the obituaries, which I always do. There was one for a 45-year-old man whose family I knew well. So, I called his aunt to ask what had happened. He had committed suicide!

She learned that he had been feeling depressed for over four years, but refused to see anyone about it. Isn't that a typical story? Also, he had been betrayed by a good friend recently. But that is not enough reason to kill yourself!

I read once that it is the ultimate selfish act, and I believe it. Last summer, a pastor friend shot himself, and the son of my friend in Bible study did it on the last day of his junior year in high school. I have a hard time dealing with it.

family history of suicide; I had never heard that that could happen. Depression certainly runs in families, mainly in German and Czech families. I think it is also common in the Russian ethnic group.

This young man has a strong

And we know it can be contagious, which is why school personnel worry when it involves a student. It causes so much grief! Grief that never goes away; so much soul

searching, so much guilt. I remember a minister lamenting that he should have seen the signs when he visited a widower who had recently lost his wife of many years; the man had gone around the house and showed him things that had been important to him.

It's true, this can be a sign. So can giving away things. And verbalizing feelings of unworthiness, saying the world would be better off without him, calling people to say goodbye, all these should be taken seriously. We were taught to ask if the person has a plan; often, they do.

Anyway, I'm sad for this family tonight. I had another music interlude last night; the annual Brothers in Song at one of the local churches. There were quartets and choirs, all men, and a lot of great barbershop music. It was kind of refreshing after all the classical stuff I've been exposed to lately. Good gospel, foot stomping stuff. And, as I said last year, when you hear 140 men sing Great is Thy Faithfulness, it helps to restore your faith a bit, and we can all use that.

May 3 webinar to educate on ACRE and DCP programs

In 2013, the U.S. Congress extended the 2008 Farm Bill to cover agricultural production in 2013. The extension of this legislation requires producers to again make an election regarding which FSA farm program they will enroll under; the traditional DCP program or the newer ACRE program.



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It is important in making this decision that producers understand how each program has performed in the past and how it is anticipated to perform for 2013.

Extension County office for the nearest download site. We will have a download site here at the Haskell Ag Lab east of Concord this Friday, May 3, at 10:30 a.m. This meeting will be recorded and made available at a later date at cropwatch.unl.edu. Registration for this event is not required. For questions, please contact Tim Lemmons at (402) 370-4061.

To assist producers with this decision, UNL Extension Agricultural Economics will be offering an online webinar on Friday, May 3 from 10:30 am to noon. This webinar provides an opportunity for producers to re-educate themselves on the functional workings of the ACRE and DCP programs, as well as expert analysis of how these programs might extend risk management protection in the near future. Also demonstrated will be the updated Nebraska ACRE Model Excel program available for download at agecon.unl.edu/farmbill.

Scheduled speakers include Dr. Brad Lubben, UNL Extension Public Policy Specialist and Tim Lemmons, UNL Extension Educator. Interested public may join this event at the following web address: connect.unl.edu/farmbillmeeting. There is no charge to participate.

Here is a reminder that we will be having tractor safety training here at the Haskell Ag Lab on Wednesday and Thursday, 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, allowing 14 and 15 year-olds to drive a tractor and do field work with mechanized equipment.

Pre-registration is strongly encouraged. Please let us know in the Dixon County Extension office by Friday, May 17 at (402) 584-2234 if you want to attend, and to get further details. There is a \$60 fee for this training.

"If responsibly and properly disposed of, such as through this program, the containers pose no future environmental risk."

Plastic from collected containers is turned into industrial and consumer products like shipping pallets, drain tile, dimension lumber and parking lot tire bumpers.

Last year, about 35 tons of containers were collected.

A full list of recycling sites, guidelines and program information and details is on UNL's Pesticide Safety Education Program Web site at pested.unl.edu/recycling.

"Teamwork and cooperation has kept this program viable and successful. That and the commitment of a lot of people that increasingly understand that this is a simple and effective way to care for our environment," Ogg said, citing cooperation from UNL extension educators and collection site managers statewide.

"Most of the (collection) sites are at agricultural chemical dealerships or community recycling centers, which volunteer to take on this additional responsibility," he said.

The program accepts pressure-rinsed or triple-rinsed 1- and 2.5-gallon plastic pesticide containers. They must be clean and drained, inside and out. Caps, labels, booklets and slipcover plastic labels must be removed since they cannot be recycled as part of the program. Those items should be disposed of as normal, solid waste. Glued-on paper labels can be left on the container. Rinsate should be returned to the spray tank.

Of the 38 sites involved in the program, 21 accept 15-, 30- and 55-gallon plastic crop protection chemical, crop oil and adjuvant drums.

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I would like to thank everyone for coming to my birthday lunch. It was a great surprise to see all of you. I would also like to thank Tracy and Devan for having the party.
Damon Henschke

My deepest thank you to all for your thoughtfulness with phone calls, visits, prayers and food brought in and the many memorials during and after Warren's 2-month battle in the hospital.

Thanks to Pastor Bob for his spiritual care, to the Hospice and Home Health Care and the very caring nurses.

Thanks to the church women and Vel's Bakery for the wonderful lunch, and to Mitch and Mark for the beautiful music.

Special thanks to the Winside and Wayne Legion for the good job done in such bad weather at the cemetery and to Hasemann Funeral Home for being so kind and helpful.

Bonnie Baird

Thank you for the prayers, cards, food and flowers while I was at PMC. I would like to thank Dr. Dobbins and PMC for the great care. Also thank you to Pastor Mike and Pastor Carl for the prayers and visits and to my family and friends for thinking of me. Thanks Ron for taking such good care of me.
Rhonda Sebade

We would like to extend a warm thank you for all the prayers, cards, flowers, memorials, visits and kind words of sympathy for Bill Suehl. A special thank you to Pastor Chip Winter, Christ Lutheran Church Ladies Circle, Heritage of Bel Air, and Home for Funerals. Your care and thoughtfulness were greatly appreciated.
The Family of Bill Suehl

Wayne Food Pantry would like to thank Northeast Nebraska Public Power District, Monsanto, Pac 'N' Save, Quality Food Center and all the people of the community for your support. It is greatly appreciated!

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CRP general signup set to begin May 20

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has announced another Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) general signup.

Pheasants Forever, the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission, the USDA, and the Nebraska Environmental Trust will be hosting Landowner Informational Meetings across northeast Nebraska to explain the ins and outs of the program and to talk about ways it can fit economically into present day agricultural operations.

The CRP signup runs May 20-June 14 and will be the last signup under the current Farm Bill.

Cassidy Gerdes, Pheasants Forever Farm Bill Wildlife Biologist states, "CRP continues to be the program that provides the longest lasting environmental benefits across the US and on the largest scale. In areas where CRP is prevalent on the landscape we've seen it stabilize and recover local wildlife populations and have huge impacts on soil erosion and water quality."

CRP is also a program that continues to change from year to year. From its beginnings as a simple land retirement program in 1985, the Conservation Reserve Program becomes more capable every year of tailoring to local conservation needs and landowner goals.

CRP rental rates were updated this year to reflect changes in current county land values, so anyone looking to re-enroll old CRP may have a pleasant surprise. Whether or not that new price competes with cash rent is for the landowner to decide, but according to Gerdes it may be worth finding out what all your options are. Even if enrolling the whole field isn't the best decision for your farm at this time, new technology is starting to show us that treating every acre in your field as an identical unit could be costing you dollars as well.

Acres are accepted for the CRP program based on a national ranking system called the Environmental Benefits Index (EBI). Among other things, the EBI takes into account the erodibility of the land,

water and air quality benefits, and wildlife benefits to decide which offers across the US will be accepted into the program. By accepting the acres that provide the most environmental benefit, the USDA maintains the integrity of the program and ensures taxpayers the most bang for their buck. These informational meetings will point out the decisions landowners can make not only to ensure he or she is submit-

ting a competitive offer, but also to ensure that he or she is submitting an offer that fits his land use goals.

There is no charge for participating and there is no need to register. Meetings most convenient to Wayne County landowners include: the VFW in Hartington at 2 p.m. on Thursday, May 9; the Fire Hall in Newcastle on Thursday, May 9 at 7 p.m., and the Lifelong Learning Center in Norfolk on Tuesday, May

14 at 2 p.m.

Wayne County FSA will be present to answer questions at the Norfolk meeting. For more information on additional meeting locations go to www.NebraskaPF.com.

Pheasants Forever is dedicated to the conservation of pheasants, quail and other wildlife through habitat improvements, public awareness, education and land management policies and programs.



First Communion Class

The sacrament of First Communion was conferred at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne on April. Those involved included (front) Ethan Bohnert, Alexander Villa, Orion Spieker, Shayne Geidner, Aiden Liston, Wyatt Heikes, Laura Hasemann (second row) Juan Paredes, Diana Garcia, Alexandria Arenas, Hailey Schroeder, Riley Haschke, Hannah Gubbels, Coby Dickes (third row) Evan Allemann, Ashton Brandow, Antonio Sarmiento, Mikenzie Arenas, Nicholas Arenas, Daniel Judd, Sedjro Agoumba, Jack Bruckner (back row) Laura Hochstein, Mary Brady, Father Mark Beran, Stacy Schenk and Teresa Kaup.



Farm Week

Bryan Ruwe brought baby pigs to Head Start during "Farm Week". Bryan and Ann Ruwe also donated chicken eggs to the classroom. The children were able to count down the days until observing the baby chicks hatch.

SCC graduation list is announced

Southeast Community College in Nebraska has released the names of students who earned degrees, diplomas or certificates during graduation exercises following the 2013 winter quarter.

Joel Leslie Allemann of Wayne earned an Associate of Applied Science in Agriculture Business & Management Technology degree and graduated with distinction.

Ceremonies were held on the Lincoln and Milford campuses March 20. Beatrice does not have a graduation ceremony following the winter quarter.

Area students are honored by CCC

Scholarships and special recognition awards were presented to students April 18 at the seventh annual Student Recognition and Awards Ceremony at Central Community College-Columbus.

A Computer Club award was presented to Jeremiah Miller of Wayne.

Scholarship recipients for 2013-14 include Kristin Carroll and Caitlin Fehringer of Wayne.

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CONTRACT SALESPERSONS sell aerial

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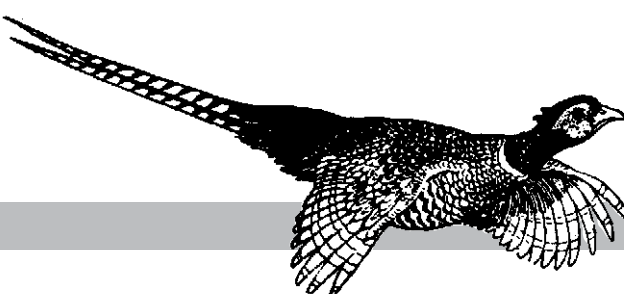
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Legal Notices

NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA

ESTATE OF DWAIN E. BJORKLUND, Deceased. Estate No. PR 11-36

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 (Publ. April 25, May 2, 9, 2013) ZNEZ 1 clip - 1 POP

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 1 POP

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF KAUPÉE WOODWORKS, L.L.C.

Notice is hereby given of the organization of Kaupée Woodworks, L.L.C. The street and mailing address of the designated office is 1025 Emerald Drive., Wayne, NE 68787.

Mike Kaup 1025 Emerald Drive Wayne, NE 68787 (402) 369-2162 (Publ. April 18, 25, May 2, 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 (Publ. April 18, 25, May 2, 2013) ZNEZ 3 POP

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 1 clip - 1 POP

NOTICE OF MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Airport Authority Monday, May 13, 2013 at 7:00 P.M. at the Wayne Municipal Airport. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office and the airport 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.

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.

Mitch Nissen, Chairman Wayne Airport Authority (Publ. May 2, 2013) ZNEZ

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Recreation-Leisure Services Commission, Monday, May 13, 2013, at Noon at the Community Activity Center. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

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Betty McGuire, City Clerk (Publ. May 2, 2013) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF MEETING

The Wayne Community Schools Board of Education will meet in regular session at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, May 13, 2013, at Wayne Jr./Sr. High School, Library, located 611 West 7th St, Wayne, Nebraska. An agenda of said meeting, kept continually current, may be inspected at the office of the Superintendent of Schools.

Ann Ruwe, Secretary (Publ. May 2, 2013) ZNEZ

MEETING NOTICE

The Wayne County Agricultural Society will hold its regular monthly meeting on Thursday, the 9th day of May, 8pm, 2013 at The Fair Office in Wayne, Ne. The Agenda for this meeting is available for public inspection at the County Extension Office, and on the Fair website, thewayncountyfair.com

Karlene Benschhof, Secretary Wayne County Agricultural Society (Publ. May 2, 2013) ZNEZ

MEETING NOTICE

You are hereby notified that the Wayne County Board of Equalization will meet Tuesday, May 21st, 2013 at 9:00 a.m. at the Wayne County Courthouse. The purpose of the hearing is to review applications for

exemption for the year 2013. A list of the applications from organizations seeking tax exemption, descriptions of the property, and recommendations of the county assessor are available in the county assessor's office. This notice is pursuant to Nebraska State Statute 77-202.01.

(Publ. May 2, 2013) ZNEZ

INVITATION FOR BIDS

April 30, 2013

The Owner, Bencscoter Inc., will receive bids until May 22, 2013 at 2:00 p.m., Local Time, at the City Hall, Wayne, Nebraska, at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and all bid prices read aloud for furnishing all labor, equipment, materials, and constructing the project entitled "Angel Acres Addition Water, Sewer and Paving Improvements - Wayne, Nebraska."

Project is briefly described as follows: Division I - Water System Improvements:

For furnishing all labor, equipment, and materials for constructing approximately 1400 linear feet of 6-inch PVC DR18 water main along with valves, fittings, fire hydrants, service assemblies and other incidental items of work as specified herein and indicated on the drawings.

Division II - Sanitary Sewer System Improvements:

For furnishing all labor, equipment, and materials for construction approximately 700 linear feet of 8-inch PVC SDR26 sanitary sewer main along with manholes, service assemblies and other incidental items of work as specified herein and indicated on the drawings.

Division III - Paving Improvements

For furnishing all labor, equipment and materials for the construction of approximately 4600 square yards of PC concrete paving, storm sewer appurtenances and other incidental items of work as specified herein and indicated on the drawings.

The envelope containing the bid shall be marked as follows: Angel Acres Addition Water, Sewer and Paving Improvements - Wayne, Nebraska Bid Enclosed

c/o Betty McGuire, City Clerk

Proposal For: "Angel Acres Addition Water, Sewer and Paving Improvements Wayne, Nebraska"

Bids Received: May 22, 2013 2:00 p.m. Local Time City Hall Wayne, Nebraska

Plans and specifications are on file at the offices of Digital Blue, 904 Jackson Street, Wayne, NE 68787; Lincoln Builders Bureau, 5910 S. 58th Street, Suite C, Lincoln, NE 68156; Omaha Builders Exchange, 4255 S. 94th Street, Omaha, NE 68127; Norfolk Builders Exchange, 405 W. Madison Avenue, Norfolk, Nebraska 68701 and Advanced Consulting Engineering Services, 133 W. Washington Street, West Point, NE 68788; and may be obtained from the office of Advanced Consulting Engineering Services, 133 W. Washington Street, West Point, NE 68788, for a non-refundable charge of \$60.00. Checks are to be made out to ACES.

Bidders shall submit a bid security certificate in the amount of 5% of the grand total base bid with all bids. In lieu of a bid security certificate, the Bidders may submit a certified check in the amount of 5% of the grand total base bid. The certified check shall be made out to the Owner. Checks and bid securities shall be returned to unsuccessful bidders.

The successful bidder shall supply a performance and maintenance bond executed by a corporate surety licensed in the State of Nebraska in an amount equal to 100 percent of the contract price as part of his contract.

All work is to be guaranteed for a period of one year following final acceptance. Partial payments will be made if Owner warrants, monthly, on the basis of ninety percent of the amount of work done and materials supplied. Final payment will be made within thirty days after completion of the work and acceptance by the Owner.

No bid may be withdrawn within a period of sixty (60) days after the date fixed for bid opening.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities in bids submitted and to accept whichever bid that is in the best interest of the Owner, at its sole discretion.

No person of the Owner 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.

(Publ. May 2, 9, 16, 2013) ZNEZ

ANNUAL WATER QUALITY REPORT FOR CITY OF WAYNE - FOR THE PERIOD OF JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 2012

This report is intended to provide you with important information about your drinking water and the efforts made by the City Of Wayne water system to provide safe drinking water. This report will not be mailed and a copy of said report is available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, NE

Para Clientes Que Hablan Español:

Este informe contiene información muy importante sobre el agua que usted bebe. Tradúzcalo o hable con alguien que lo entienda bien.

For more information regarding this report, contact: JEFFREY J BRADY, 402-375-1733

If you would like to observe the decision-making processes that affect drinking water quality, please attend the regularly scheduled meeting of the Village Board/City Council. If you would like to participate in the process, please contact the Village/City Clerk to arrange to be placed on the agenda of the meeting of the Village Board/City Council.

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Source Water Assessment Availability:

The Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality (NDEQ) has completed the Source Water Assessment. Included in the assessment is a Wellhead Protection Area map, potential contaminant source inventory, vulnerability rating, and source water protection information. To view the Source Water Assessment or for more information please contact the person named above on this report or the NDEQ at (402) 471-6988 or go to www.deq.state.ne.us.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

Sources of Drinking Water:

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and groundwater wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

The source of water used by City Of Wayne is ground water.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include:

- * Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
* Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming.
* Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff, and residential uses.
* Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems.
* Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

Drinking Water Health Notes:

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

Infants and young children are typically more vulnerable to lead in drinking water than the general population. It is possible that lead levels at your home may be higher than at other homes in the community as a result of materials used in your home's plumbing. If you are concerned about elevated lead levels in your home's water, you may wish to have your water tested. Flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using your tap water will clear the line of any lead that may have leached into the water while the line was idle. Additional information is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791) or the Department of Health and Human Services/Division of Public Health/Office of Drinking Water (402-471-2541).

The City Of Wayne is required to test for the following contaminants: Coliform Bacteria, Antimony, Arsenic, Asbestos, Barium, Beryllium, Cadmium, Chromium, Copper, Cyanide, Fluoride, Lead, Mercury, Nickel, Nitrate, Nitrite, Selenium, Sodium, Thallium, Alachlor, Atrazine, Benzo(a)pyrene, Carbofuran, Chlordane, Dalapon, Di(2-ethylhexyl)adipate, Dibromochloropropane, Dinoseb, Di(2-ethylhexyl)phthalate, Diquat, 2,4-D, Endothal, Endrin, Ethylene dibromide, Glyphosate, Heptachlor, Heptachlor epoxide, Hexachlorobenzene, Hexachlorocyclopentadiene, Lindane, Methoxychlor, Oxamyl (Vydate), Pentachlorophenol, Picloram, Polychlorinated biphenyls, Simazine, Toxaphene, Dioxin, Silvex, Benzene, Carbon Tetrachloride, o-Dichlorobenzene, Para-Dichlorobenzene, 1,2-Dichloroethane, 1,1-Dichloroethylene, Cis-1,2-Dichloroethylene, Trans-1,2-Dichloroethylene, Dichloromethane, 1,2-Dichloropropane, Ethylbenzene, Monochlorobenzene, 1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene, 1,1,1-Trichloroethane, 1,1,2-Trichloroethane, Vinyl Chloride, Styrene, Tetrachloroethylene, Toluene, Xylenes (total), Gross Alpha (minus Uranium & Radium 226), Radium 226 plus Radium 228, Sulfate, Chloroform, Bromodichloromethane, Chlorodibromomethane, Bromoform, Chlorobenzene, m-Dichlorobenzene, 1,1-Dichloropropene, 1,1-Dichloroethane, 1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane, 1,2-Dichloropropane, Chloromethane, Bromomethane, 1,2,3-Trichloropropane, 1,1,1,2-Tetrachloroethane, Chloroethane, 2,2-Dichloropropane, o-Chlorotoluene, p-Chlorotoluene, Bromobenzene, 1,3-Dichloropropene, Aldrin, Butachlor, Carbaryl, Dicamba, Dieldrin, 3-Hydroxycarbofuran, Methomyl, Metolachlor, Metribuzin, Propachlor.

Note: The state requires monitoring of certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not change frequently. Therefore, some of this data may be more than one year old.

MCL (Maximum Contaminant Level): The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology. MCLG (Maximum Contaminant Level Goal): The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety. AL (Action Level): The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

ppm: parts per million ppb: parts per billion ppt: parts per trillion pCi/l: picoCuries per liter ug/l: micrograms per liter (Measurement of Radioactivity)

City Of Wayne TEST RESULTS Date Printed: 4/25/2013 NE3118104

Table with 5 columns: Microbiological, Highest No. of Positive Samples, MCL, MCLG, Likely Source Of Contamination, Violations Present. Row 1: COLIFORM (TCR), In the month of August, 2 sample(s) were positive, MCL: Systems that Collect Less Than 40 Samples per Month - No more than 1 positive monthly sample, 0, Naturally present in the environment, Yes

Table with 7 columns: Lead and Copper, Monitoring Period, 90th Percentile, Range, Unit, AL, Sites Over AL, Likely Source Of Contamination. Rows: COPPER, FREE (2011-2013, 0.707, 0.035-1.45, ppm, 1.3, 2); LEAD (2011-2013, 1.87, 1-5.57, ppb, 15, 0)

Table with 8 columns: Regulated Contaminants, Collection Date, Highest Value, Range, Unit, MCL, MCLG, Likely Source Of Contamination. Rows: ARSENIC, BARIUM, CHROMIUM, FLUORIDE, NITRATE-NITRITE, SELENIUM, URANIUM MASS

Table with 8 columns: Radiological Contaminants, Collection Date, Highest Value, Range, Unit, MCL, MCLG, Likely Source Of Contamination. Rows: COMBINED RADIUM (-226 & -228), COMBINED URANIUM, GROSS ALPHA, EXCL. RADON & U, GROSS ALPHA, INCL. RADON & U, RADIUM-226, RADIUM-228, RADON

Table with 6 columns: Unregulated Water Quality Data, Collection Date, Highest Value, Range, Unit, Secondary MCL. Rows: NICKEL, SULFATE

During the 2012 calendar year, we had the below noted violation(s) of drinking water regulations.

Table with 4 columns: Type, Category, Analyte, Compliance Period. Row 1: MCL (TCR), MONTHLY, Maximum Contaminant Level Violation, COLIFORM (TCR), 08/01/2012 - 08/31/2012

The City Of Wayne has taken the following actions to return to compliance with the Nebraska Safe Drinking Water Act: chlorinated system and returned system to compliance.

Additional Required Health Effects Language:

Coliforms are bacteria that are naturally present in the environment and are used as an indicator that other potentially harmful bacteria may be present. Coliforms were found in more samples than allowed and this was a warning of potential problems.

Certain minerals are radioactive and may emit a form of radiation known as alpha radiation. Some people who drink water containing alpha emitters in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

Some people who drink water containing radium 226 or 228 in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

Some people who drink water containing radium 228 in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

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Allen News

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2013 Senior Awards

Six seniors this year were eligible for the 2013 Senior Athlete awards. To be eligible, you must have participated in at least two sports their senior year.

They were presented plaques Monday night at the Athletic Awards night at the Allen Gym. This was followed by cake and ice cream.

All Star Volleyball

Congratulations have been extended to Brittany Sullivan for being selected to play in the All-Star Volleyball game in Norfolk on June 8 at Northeast Community College.

Brittany is the daughter of Steve and Stephanie Sullivan.

Community Clean Up

Allen Community Spring Clean Up will be Wednesday, May 8 beginning at 1 p.m. 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.

If you like to help with the clean-up, please meet at the school parking lot.

Science Fair Winners

The Northern Nebraska AHEC UNMC eighth Grade Science Fair Winners results:

The following 8th grade students for being selected to attend the UNMC state science meet and camp at the University of Nebraska

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Medical Center in June. They are Chase Johnson, Amanda Finnegan, Rachel Kneiff, Tayler Kumm and Austin Roth

Spring Concert and Awards

The Spring Concert will be held on Tuesday, May 7 at 7 p.m. in the Allen Gym. Music awards will also be announced during the concert.

Senior Tea

The 2013 Senior Tea will be held at the Allen United Methodist Church on Friday, May 3 at 10 a.m. The Senior Class, in their prom formal, and their families are invited for coffee, rolls, and juice.

Academic Awards Ceremony

The Academic Awards Ceremony will be held on Monday, May 3 at 8:30 a.m. in the gym.

The awards for the 2012-2013 school years will be announced.

Mother-Daughter Brunch

The First Lutheran Church Mother/Daughter Brunch will be held Saturday, May 4 at Concordia Lutheran Church in Concord.

Allen Contest Results

Allen hosted the Music Contest for Allen, Randolph and Laurel this year because the District Music Contest in Wayne was cancelled due to weather.

The Allen Concert Band, Jazz Band and Chorus groups all received a I rating (This is only the sixth time in Mr. Lacy's 25 years that all the music groups have made straight I's)

Several students had solos.

Results were: Duet of Lindsey Sullivan and Sammy Sullivan I+, Morgan Bathke I, Josie Burckhart I, Lindsey Jones, I, Rachel Finnegan I, Candice Rastede, I, Cortney Surber I, Destiny Ryan and Alexis Hoelsing I, Lexi Oswald I, Billy Eisenhauer I, Duet of Cortney Suber/Jake Stewart I, Robyn Levine (Flute) I, Mickie Murdock II, Lindsey Sullivan II, Liz Nelson II, Sammy Sullivan II, Vocal Trio of Candice Rastede, Cortney Surber and Morgan Bathke II, Robyn Levine II, and Cody Thomas (Trumpet) II.

Allen Community Club

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Odd Jobs

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 group is within \$4,000 of raising the funds for an electronic digital sign to be placed on the school grounds where the present out-dated 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 clean-up day will be 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.

Historical Society Receives Grant

The Junior League of Sioux City Funds through the Mildred Anderson grant program has awarded The Dixon County Historical Society a \$1,000 Grant for the repairing the retaining wall at the entry of the Museum in Allen.

Sandy Nation and Teresa Eames from the Junior League presented the grant personally to us at the April meeting.

Allen Preschool Registration
Allen Consolidated Schools will once again be operating a Pre-School Program for children who will be four years of age by Aug. 1, 2013.

These students will be kindergarten students beginning with the 2014-2015 school year. This will be a half day program free of charge to district patrons and option-in families. Please call the Allen School (402) 635-2484 if you have a child of this age and are considering enrollment in this program for the upcoming 2013-2014 school year.

Arbor Day Celebrated at Allen
The public is invited to the school gymnasium on Friday, May 3, at 2:45 for the Arbor Day Assembly.

A play entitled "Leaf a Clue" will be presented by the fourth grade. Students will need to solve a mystery through clues given by leaves. By the end of the assembly, not only will the mystery be solved, but everyone should know more about leaves.

Tree City USA Honors

Allen, Nebraska, has received notification from the Arbor Day Foundation that the village has again been given Tree City USA recognition for its commitment to urban forest management. This is the 20th year that Allen has earned this national designation because of meeting the four requirements; a tree board, a tree-care ordinance, an annual community forestry budget of at least \$2 per capita, and an Arbor Day observance and proclamation.

The Tree City USA program is sponsored by the Arbor Day Foundation in partnership with the U.S. Forest Service and the National Association of State Foresters. John



Pet of the Week

Monte is the Pet of the Week at Tenderheart Animal Rescue. He is a two-year old male pit bull and has white with black spots. He is amazingly friendly. He is the nicest boy and probably has some bull dog in him. Monte is up-to-date on all shots and is neutered.

For more information or to adopt Monte, call (402) 369-6030.



Pictured are Allen's 2013 Senior Athlete recipients (from left) Zach Crom, Shelby Jacobson, Vanessa Klug, Brittany Sullivan, Jon Bausch and Jake Stewart.

Rosenow, founder and chief executive of the Arbor Day Foundation states, "Everyone benefits when elected officials, volunteers, and committed citizens in communities make smart investments in trees which bring shade to our homes, beauty to our neighborhoods, and numerous economic, social, and environmental benefits."

Increased property values and commercial activities, cleaner air, improved storm water management, and energy savings are among the benefits enjoyed by Tree City USA communities. More information on the program is available at arborday.org/TreeCityUSA.

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 gbbottolf@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.

Allen Alumni Weekend

Save the Date! 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, 4 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. More information and entry forms coming as the date approaches.

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.

Driver's Education

Driver's Education classes will begin on Thursday, May 16.

To sign up for Driver's Ed you must be 14 years of age by May 16 to participate. The cost of driver's Ed is \$210 for students in our district. Driver's Education classroom time will begin May 16 from 1:30-3:30 p.m. Students will receive a complete classroom schedule when they sign up. For more information, please contact the Allen School.

Senior Center

Friday, May 3: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. – French toast, ham slice, apple juice and fruit cocktail.

Monday, May 6: Burgers, baked potatoes, green beans, plums.

Tuesday, May 7: Chicken, potato salad, baked beans, strawberries w/ bananas.

Wednesday, May 8: Taco salad (lettuce, tomatoes, cheese, burger,



Commander Scott Morgan of Floyd Gleason Post 131 at Allen (left) presented a 50-year Continuous Member Award to Forrest Smith and assisting with the presentation was 67-year member Keith Hill.



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onions, peppers), mandarin oranges.

Thursday, May 9: Roast pork, sweet potatoes, peas, pumpkin dessert.

Friday, May 10: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. – Pancakes, sausage links, cranberry juice, peaches.

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

Saturday, May 4: Anthony Kenna, Annabelle Van Sloten.

Monday, May 6: Rachel Connot, Brennan Beach.

Tuesday, May 7: Amber Krakau, Dale Jackson, Bob Reynolds, Dave Albers, Russell and Deanne Marshall (A).

Wednesday, May 8: Bill Chase, Larry Puckett, Jim and Kim Johnson (A).

Thursday, May 9: Adam Riffey, Monty Miller, Boyce and Jean Perkins (A).

Friday, May 10: Ali Ferris, Michael Surber, Rick Smith, Jeremiah and Nancy Krommenhoek (A).

Community Calendar

Friday, May 3: Brunch at Senior Center 8:30 a.m.; Senior's Last Day of School; Academic Awards Ceremony, 8:30 a.m. Senior Tea at

United Methodist Church, 10 a.m.; JH Track meet at Hartington, 2:30 p.m.; Arbor Day Presentation, 2:45 p.m. for grades K-6

Saturday, May 4: First Lutheran Church Mother Daughter Brunch, 9:30 a.m. at Concord.

Monday, May 6: Exercising at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Walking at Senior Center, 9:30 a.m.; Siren testing in Allen, 12 p.m.; JH Track meet at Homer, 4 p.m.; Quilt Club meets at Senior Center, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, May 7: Dominos at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Card playing at Senior Center, 1:30 p.m.; Spring Concert and Awards, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, May 8: Exercising at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Community Cleanup beginning at 1 p.m.; District Track meet at Hartington; Bloodmobile in Allen at School, 2-7 p.m.; ACCTS at First Lutheran Church 3:45-5 p.m.; First Lutheran Church Confirmation End of Year Supper at Allen, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, May 9: Dominos at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Fifth Grade Fishing Trip, 1 p.m.

Friday, May 10: Senior Center Brunch, 8:30 a.m.; Board Meeting at Senior Center 9 a.m.; JH Winside Track meet, TBA.

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