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Board listens to plans for track renovation

By CLARA OSTEN
Of The Herald

Plans for renovation of the Kern Track, concession stand and surrounding area were presented during Monday's meeting of the Wayne Community Schools Board of Education.

Jon Carlson of Carlson, West, Povondra Architects showed diagrams of possible upgrades and noted that the work is scheduled to start as soon as the spring track season is completed.

Work to be done includes shaving off the latex surface of the track and replacing it with a rubber track, adding a high jump and pole vault pit area, resurfacing the long and triple jump area and creating a new entrance to the track.

It was noted that the Wayne Community Schools Foundation is raising money for the track portion of the project with the district responsible for a number of the other portions of the upgrade. The district will be able to use money from the Special Education budget for areas that involve ADA improvements.

John Delany with Morrissey Engineers spoke to the board about work to be done in regard to the district's heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems.

Delany spoke about air conditioning the gyms at both the elementary and high school and what needs to be done to create better air flow, especially through the locker rooms. He also discussed a plan to air condition the Lecture Hall at Wayne High School.

Delany offered suggestions on what areas need the most attention and recommended completing projects in phases and the fact that upgrades would provide for much more efficiency than the current systems.

The board also listened to a report from Ashley Hoffman, who was hired this year as an elementary reading teacher for students in kindergarten through second grade.

Hoffman told the board she is currently working with 39 students to bring their reading levels to grade level through a program entitled Leveled Literacy Intervention.

Superintendent Mark Lenihan presented information to the board on the status of a baseball cooperative

with Wakefield Community Schools.

He noted that the necessary paperwork for the coop has been submitted to the Nebraska State Athletic Association and is awaiting final approval.

After the paperwork is completed, a schedule will be established with games being played at both Wayne and Wakefield during the coming season.

Lenihan also presented information on the school's current technology program and said the district is working toward installing Windows 7. He also talked about the school's involvement in a pilot program with Chrome books and the I Pads being used at the elementary school.

During administrative reports, Mark Hanson, principal of Wayne High School, noted that a recent Rule 10 safety inspection revealed "a lot less issues with safety than in the past and those things noted are easy to take care of."

Misty Bear, director of special education, thanked the board for the recent hiring of Mytzy Rodriguez-Kufner, district interpreter for the school. She noted that having an interpreter available has made dealing

with day to day issues with students and parents much easier.

Rocky Ruhl, junior high principal and athletic director, told the board that a survey on bullying has been distributed to junior high students and results will be released in the near future. He also stated that the Great Northeast Nebraska Shoot-Out will be held Dec. 27, 28 and 30.

Travis Meyer, head of maintenance, told the board that there have been problems with the heating system at the elementary school and steps are being taken to ensure that the building is heated when students arrive each morning. He indicated that the district may need to look into replacing the boilers at the school.

Board approval was given on a contract for Lenihan through June 30, 2017, Lenihan's attendance at the National Education Conference on Education in February of 2014 and a contract with Electronic Contracting for monitoring of the fire alarm system at Wayne Elementary School.

The Wayne Community Schools Board of Education will meet on Monday, Jan. 13 at 5 p.m. at the school.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Wayne Elementary Schools fourth grade teacher Kim Hix uses the recently purchased ELMO to enhance the learning in her classroom.

Foundation helps teachers make learning even more fun

By CLARA OSTEN
Of The Herald

Several teachers at Wayne Community Schools have been enjoying the technology and supplies they have received through grants from the Wayne Community Schools Foundation.

Grants from the IDEA (Inspiring Development through Educational Achievement) Project were awarded to teachers who submitted applications

"Wayne Community Schools Foundation is pleased to offer teachers, counselors, librarians, and nurses a grant that will fund a project for students that school resources will not cover," said Lindsay McLaughlin, Executive Director of the Wayne Community Schools Foundation.

Among those receiving a classroom grant was Lisa Meyer, kindergarten teacher at Wayne Elementary School.

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— Lisa Meyer
Wayne Kindergarten teacher

ent ways. The students love working with manipulatives and listening to reading. We greatly appreciate the assistance the Foundation has given our classrooms in making learning exciting and fun!"

Kim Hix, one of the fourth grade teachers said of her grant money, "the IDEA Project Grant allowed me to purchase an ELMO document camera for my fourth grade classroom. This new piece of technology has

brought learning to life for my students!

"Not only are students engaged as learners, but they are also eager to use the document camera themselves as they demonstrate their own learning with classmates. From modeling steps in a project, to analyzing and displaying student work, the teaching and learning process has been completely revolutionized by having the ELMO document camera in our classroom."

Fifth grade teacher Jill Niemann said, "last February I thought about putting thoughts down on paper as to why my students would benefit from having a document camera in the classroom to help showcase their writing and projects. The students truly love having their work viewed for others to see as they orally share the work being displayed. It has created more thorough and creative researchers as the students know others will be viewing their "masterpieces."

"I am so thankful for the Foundation's See FOUNDATION, Page 4A

Local dentist strives for bright, functional smiles

By KATIE KASL
Of The Herald

For Dr. Craig Braun, DDS, there are two aspects to a healthy set of pearly whites: not only should they look good but they should also work well too.

At Bright Smiles Family Practice, his office on East Seventh Street, he strives to do just that with every patient who takes a seat in his dentist's chair.

"We offer a nice, friendly place for those in need," Braun said of the business.

The dentist has been in town for almost a decade, coming to Wayne on the tails of dental school. As a student, Braun majored in biology and minored in English during his undergraduate studies at Hastings College and, after leaving there, attended the University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Dentistry in Lincoln, where he earned his Doctor of Dental Surgery degree before graduating in May 2004.

"I just knew, going in, I'd return to a rural setting," Braun said.

An upbringing in Creighton, Neb., coupled with his participation in a program that would send him to a rural area, eventually brought him to Wayne. Braun was a senior at UNMC when he visited the community in his search for a practice. Here, he found a location he liked and spent the first half of 2004 remodeling and installing equipment in the building that would eventually become Bright Smiles Family Practice.

Braun opened his office on Aug. 2, 2004, and has been caring for entire families ever since. Today, the dentist offers both restorative (think fillings) and preventative (think cleanings and exams) services. He uses noninvasive technologies – lasers, 3-D and digital imaging and X-rays – and, for the patients who need them, can insert dental implants, which fill in the spaces left by missing teeth without altering what's already there.

"I like that," Braun said. "It's pretty amazing."

What's also amazing for the dentist and his staff is watching their patients progress from having a smile that is "meh" to one that is "megawatt."

"We're not the only ones who get to shine in their joy," Braun said. "Their family



(Photo by Katie Kasl)

Dr. Craig Braun, DDS, has been working in Wayne since August 2004.

and friends get to too, which is pretty awesome."

If he can fix a problem, great. If not, he'll refer them to someone who can. Great care exists all across the country, Braun explained, and distance should not be a limiting factor in getting to it.

But that's not to say the professionals surrounding him are anything to overlook, either.

"We have wonderful specialists in the area," Braun said. "They really, truly are amazing."

The doctor is happy to be close to Omaha – "There are some really neat people there, as well," he said. – and he's grateful that Creighton University and the Nebraska Medical Center, two institutions that attract and keep talent in Nebraska, are in-state.

"I truly feel bad for the states that don't have that," Braun said.

While Wayne doesn't have its own dental school, Braun is excited to have what he's found here. Throughout the years, he's been backed by a group of hardworking employees, "an incredible staff" that he calls an "asset" to his business.

"Without them, none of this would be possible," he said.

The support he receives from his patients

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(Photo by Clara Osten)

Ring in the season

Wayne Elementary School fourth grade students Elle Barnes, Carter Hasemann, Hope O'Reilly and Andrew Brunken were in charge of the bells during Friday's Chamber Coffee at the Wayne City Auditorium.

Pacific Coast to meet with employees Thursday

The Wayne Herald has learned that Pacific Coast Feather president Joe Crawford and other management officials with the company will be in Wayne to meet Thursday morning with employees whose jobs were displaced in the aftermath of the Oct. 4 tornado in Wayne.

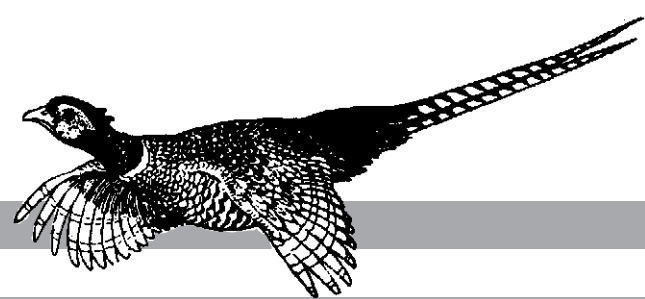
Crawford has invited employees of the company's plant in Wayne to the meeting

for a status update on the company's future plans at Calvary Bible Evangelical Free Church, located on the corner of Fifth and Lincoln streets.

Pacific Coast Feather's plant in Wayne was one of 20 businesses hit by the tornado. Following the meeting, Christmas bonus checks are expected to be handed out.

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Obituaries

Patricia 'Patti' Beiermann

Patricia J. "Patti" Beiermann, 53, of Silver City, Iowa, passed away at her home on Dec. 9, 2013, after a courageous battle with cancer.

Visitation with the family will be held Thursday, Dec. 12 from 6-8 p.m. at Cutler-O'Neill-Meyer-Woodring Bayliss Park Chapel in Council Bluffs, Iowa. A memorial Mass will be held Friday, Dec. 13 at 11:30 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne. Fr. Mark Beran will be the celebrant. Inurnment will be in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne. A lunch will follow at the parish hall.

Patricia J. "Patti" Beiermann was born Sept. 20, 1960 in Chicago, Ill. to Andrew and Marian (Hoch) Manes, Sr. She graduated from Wayne High School in 1978 and earned her Associate's Degree from IWCC in Council Bluffs. Patti was a loan officer at Wells Fargo Home Mortgage for 10+ years. She was of the Catholic faith.

Survivors include her daughter, Jordan Beiermann of Beverly Hills, Calif.; one son, Adam Beiermann of Overland Park, Kan.; mother, Marian Manes; twin brother, Peter (Elizabeth) Manes all of Fremont; brother, Mike (Connie) Manes of Ohio; sister, Jane Kucera of NC; half brother, Andy (Charlene) Manes of Fremont; half sister, Mary Nolan of Ill.

She was preceded in death by her father, Andrew Manes, Sr. in 1983. Memorials may be made to the Pony Express Riders of America. Cutler-O'Neill-Meyer-Woodring Bayliss Park Chapel in Council Bluffs, Iowa is in charge of arrangements.

Monte Schram

Monte Schram, 71, of Greenville, Texas died Sunday, Dec. 8, 2013.

Funeral services were held Thursday, Dec. 12 at at Aldersgate Church in Greenville with the Rev. Jerry Speight and Rev. Rick Prettyman officiating. Interment was in the Dallas-Fort Worth National Cemetery. All services will be held in Texas.

Monte Leigh Schram was born Dec. 8, 1942 in Sioux City, Iowa to Dean and Margaret Schram. He proudly served our country for 23 years in the United States Air Force. He served as a deacon for many years at Aldersgate Church and as a treasurer on the Hope Center board.

Survivors include his wife of 50 years, DeVonne June Schram; son, Darren Schram of Bentonville, Ark.; daughter, Michelle and Norman Ulmer III of Aurora, Colo.; grandchildren, Kaitlyn and Cody Ulmer; brothers, Steve and Mark Schram; sisters, Jane Mau and Cheryl Doner.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and a sister Deanna Malcom. Local inquires may be made to Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.

Gary A. Anderson

Gary A. Anderson, 71, of Coleridge, died on Sunday, Dec. 8, 2013 at Parkview Haven Nursing Home in Coleridge.

Memorial services were held Thursday, Dec. 12 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Coleridge with the Rev. Katherine Russell officiating. Burial of his cremated remains will be at the Concord Cemetery in Concord. There will be a gathering at the church one hour prior to services.

Gary Allen Anderson was born Sept. 16, 1942 in Holt County near O'Neill to Marvin and Margaret (Prescott) Anderson. Gary had seven siblings: Marvin, Stella, Mary Marie (Sue), Frances, Larry, Lois, and Darrell. He graduated from O'Neill High School in 1960 and then attended a trade school in Omaha for body and fender work. He met his future bride, Judith K. Atkinson at Butte on a blind date. They were

married Nov. 2, 1964 in Rapid City, S.D. Gary and his family lived in Dixon, where he had his body and mechanic business, Anderson's & Sons. He enjoyed working on cars, fishing, hunting, and gardening. He liked to collect antiques such as kerosene lamps. His favorite color was white, favorite TV program were fights, favorite meal was chicken or meat loaf, favorite month was his birthday in September, favorite sport was football, favorite sweet was candy of any kind and he loved raisin cream pie. He was a member of the Corner Stone Faith Center Church at Sioux City, Iowa. He retired due to his health about five years ago and became a resident of Park View Haven on Feb. 17, 2012.

Survivors include his wife, Judith of Crete; five children and their spouses, Roger and Christy Anderson and Ronnie and Diana Anderson, all of Coleridge, Chad and Shawna Anderson of Sioux Rapids, Iowa, Keith and Callie Anderson of Dixon and Rebecca and Mike O'Connell of Lincoln; 23 grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; two brothers and four sisters, Larry and Shirley Anderson of Concord, Lois and Gary Barber of Rapid City, S.D., Fran Snow of Woodruff, Wisc., Stella Kohler of Arizona, Mary Marie (Sue) Cudo of Glendale, Ariz., Marvin Anderson of Brownsville, Ore.; half brother Darrell and Jody Anderson of Dixon.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one son, Duane Anderson; sister, Deloris Anderson; step-mother, Betty Anderson; two grandsons, Tyler and Duane Jr. and one granddaughter, Kaitlynn Anderson.

Arrangements were under the direction of the Wintz Funeral Home in Coleridge.

Robert Fleming

Robert T. Fleming, 73, of Osmond died Wednesday, Nov. 27, 2013 after a battle with cancer. He was residing at Golden Living Nursing Home in Wausa.



Fleming.

He was preceded in death by his father, Richard Fleming.

Memorial services will be held at Stonacek Memorial Chapel in Osmond on Friday, Dec. 13 at 11 a.m. with a luncheon to follow after service.

Robert was born Aug. 22, 1940 and raised in Osmond. He moved to Wayne in 1965, where he resided until 1993.

Survivors include his mother, Lorene Fleming; a brother, Dennis Fleming; a son, Brian (Ann) Fleming (children Connor and Peyton); daughter: Julie (Bob) Lautermilch (children Megan Conrad Shea and John); son, Tim (Joellen) Fleming (children Jerrika Steele, Jacqui and Jackson); daughter, Kelly (Sean) Fleming-Culley (children Nathan, Mari and Bryanne) and Marlene

Looking Ahead in Wayne

By **LOWELL JOHNSON**
City Administrator

City Council Meetings

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

Buying Wholesale Electric Power for You

The mayor and eight council members are elected to look out for our interests including how much we pay for electric power and what contract commitments we sign on your behalf.

Last winter NPPD gave us notice they intended to have a new 20 contract for us to sign by the end of December 2013.

The mayor asked us to see what

options are out in the market to do our due diligence before signing a new long term contract with NPPD.

We joined with Wakefield, Northeast Public Power, South Sioux City and Emerson to bid out 10 year contracts for wholesale power to see what is out there.

We found good options. Our group of five selected a finalist for a 10-year contract with Big Rivers Energy, that has a guaranteed price at 13 percent below NPPD's price for 10 years. This Option No. 1 represents about a \$6 million savings for Wayne over 10 years.

Wayne also has one of the best power plants in Nebraska that can carry all of the Wayne load at any time. We have the ability to not contract with anyone and buy electric energy power on the open market each day. This is Option No. 2.

For the last five years, the open market pricing for electric has been significantly lower than our contract price with NPPD.

We have hired two rate consultants to review the benefits of both options. Both rate consultants predict an even larger savings with Option 2. The estimated savings are about double at \$10-\$12 million over the same 10 years using best estimates of future market pricing.

Both are good options and provide serious opportunity to save you money. The Option 1 savings are about half, but they would be predictable savings from contract in hand. The savings from Option #2 are probable but they are also at risk because market pricing fluctuates in cycles over time. New wind and natural gas generation will drive down market prices even more, but EPA regulation will push generation costs and market prices higher.

The council has these decisions on the agenda for next Tuesday Dec 17, and they have spent a lot of time reviewing these options. In the end, NPPD wasn't able to get a long term contract drafted because of questions that began coming from customers about being locked out of the market for another 20 years.

Quote

"The first responsibility of every citizen is to question the government" - Ben Franklin.

Questions or comments?

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

'Tis the season to give (blood)

The hustle and bustle of the holiday season brings joy and happiness to the lives of many people.

During this festive time, please remember that your lifesaving blood donation is a precious gift that is needed by adults and children in their critical time of need.

Make a difference in your community and celebrate your good health by giving the ultimate gift this holiday season - the gift of life.

Please plan to give at any of the following blood drive(s):

Winside Community Blood Drive, Tuesday, Dec. 24, from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. at Lied Winside Library, 417 Main Street.

Wayne Community Blood Drive, Thursday, Dec. 26 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at Wayne Fire Department, 510 Tomar Drive.

Sign up to save a life today! Schedule a blood donation appointment online at lifeservebloodcenter.org or call (800) 287-4903.

The Blood Center of Iowa joined operations with Siouland Community Blood Bank in April, 2010 to become LifeServe Blood Center. As one of the 15th largest blood centers in the country, LifeServe Blood Center provides blood and blood products to more than 100 hospitals located across Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota. LifeServe is committed to saving lives by providing premier service to volunteer blood donors and access to a safe, quality blood supply for hospitals and patients.

Eligible blood donors must be at least 16 years old, should weigh at least 120 pounds and should be in general good health. For more information about blood donation or to schedule an appointment to donate blood, call (800) 287-4903 or visit www.lifeservebloodcenter.org.

Choir members take part in Choral Clinic

Members of the Wayne High Concert Choir attended the annual Mid-State Conference Choral Clinic, held at Hartington Cedar Catholic High School recently.

Nearly 300 students from the member schools of the Mid State Conference gathered to prepare selections for a concert given that evening.

According to Tracy Anderson, Wayne High School vocal music instructor, the students greatly enjoyed working with Mr. Mark Harmon from Fremont High School as their clinician.

During the concert, each individual school performed a piece for the audience and it was a great learning opportunity to hear the work being done at each Mid State Conference school.

"Many thanks to the students for representing Wayne High School very well at this event. We also greatly appreciated all the parents who traveled to Hartington for the evening's concert," Anderson said.



Pet of the Week

This week's Pet of the Week at Tenderheart Animal Rescue is Schroeder, a white adult male cat with a black spot on his head and a black tail. Newly arrived at the shelter, he has made himself at home with the surroundings, the other cats and anyone who comes through the door. He will make a wonderful family pet.

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



Chosen to take part in the 2013 Nebraska All State Choir were Samantha Bierbower and Austin Hammer.

Wayne High students chosen for All-State Choir

Each year, approximately 3,000 of the best high school musicians in the state audition for the Nebraska All-State Band, Chorus, Jazz Band and Orchestra which are sponsored by the Nebraska Music Educators Association.

Wayne High School students Samantha Bierbower, Alto II, and Austin Hammer, Tenor II, were among the 440 students selected to be a part of the 2013 All-State Chorus. The announcement was made by Matt King, Chair of Choral Affairs for the Nebraska Music Educators Association.

Selection as a member of one of these groups is one of the highest musical honors attainable in Nebraska.

Guest conductor for the group

was Andre J. Thomas - the Owen F. Sellers Professor of Music, and Director of Choral Activities and Professor Choral Music Education at Florida State University. The chorus rehearsed Nov. 21-23 on the University of Nebraska-Lincoln campus, the host site of the 2013 NMEA Conference/Clinic.

"It is truly a life-changing event for all participants, working with the best musicians from the entire state and building friendships that last long past their high school years. Congratulations to Samantha and Austin, and to all the former Wayne High Concert Choir members who have participated in All-State Choir," said Tracy Anderson, Wayne High School vocal music director.

A Quick Look



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| Dec. 9 | 15 | -3 | — | — |
| Dec. 10 | 24 | -6 | — | — |
| Dec. 11 | 27 | -2 | T | — |

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Precip./mo. — .04" / Monthly snow — 1"
Yr./Date — 28.10" / Seasonal snow — 2"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Dec. 13 will be held at The Majestic Theatre in observance of its third anniversary. The coffee on Friday, Dec. 20 will be held at State National Bank & Trust. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.

Cookie Sale

AREA — The Winside United Methodist Church will conduct a Cookie Sale on Saturday, Dec. 14 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. The event will include free coffee. The soup luncheon originally schedule to be held at the same time has been postponed.

Holiday Meal Food Drive

AREA — The Wayne Stand for the Silent group is having a Holiday Meal Food Drive at the basketball games on Saturday, Dec. 14 Wayne High School when the teams face off against Columbus Lakeview. The food will be collected and given to families so they can also enjoy a Christmas dinner. Anyone with questions is asked to contact Pam Henderson at (402) 369-0512. Anyone interested in donating turkeys or hams can either buy a gift certificate or contact Henderson for more information.

Gifts for Kids

AREA — Gift tags are now available to choose from the Gift Tree at Shopko. The preferred return date for gifts is by Monday, Dec. 23. Anyone has questions they can contact Kathy Berry, Gifts for Kids Coordinator at 375-3066.

Toy drive at WSC basketball

AREA — The Wayne State athletic department is sponsoring a toy drive for area kids during this weekend's basketball games at Rice Auditorium. Fans will get free admission with a toy donation during Friday's men's-women's doubleheader with Minnesota State or Saturday's twinbill against Concordia-St. Paul. Donations can also be made at the WSC Recreation Center. For more information, contact Adam Dobbins at (402) 309-3001.

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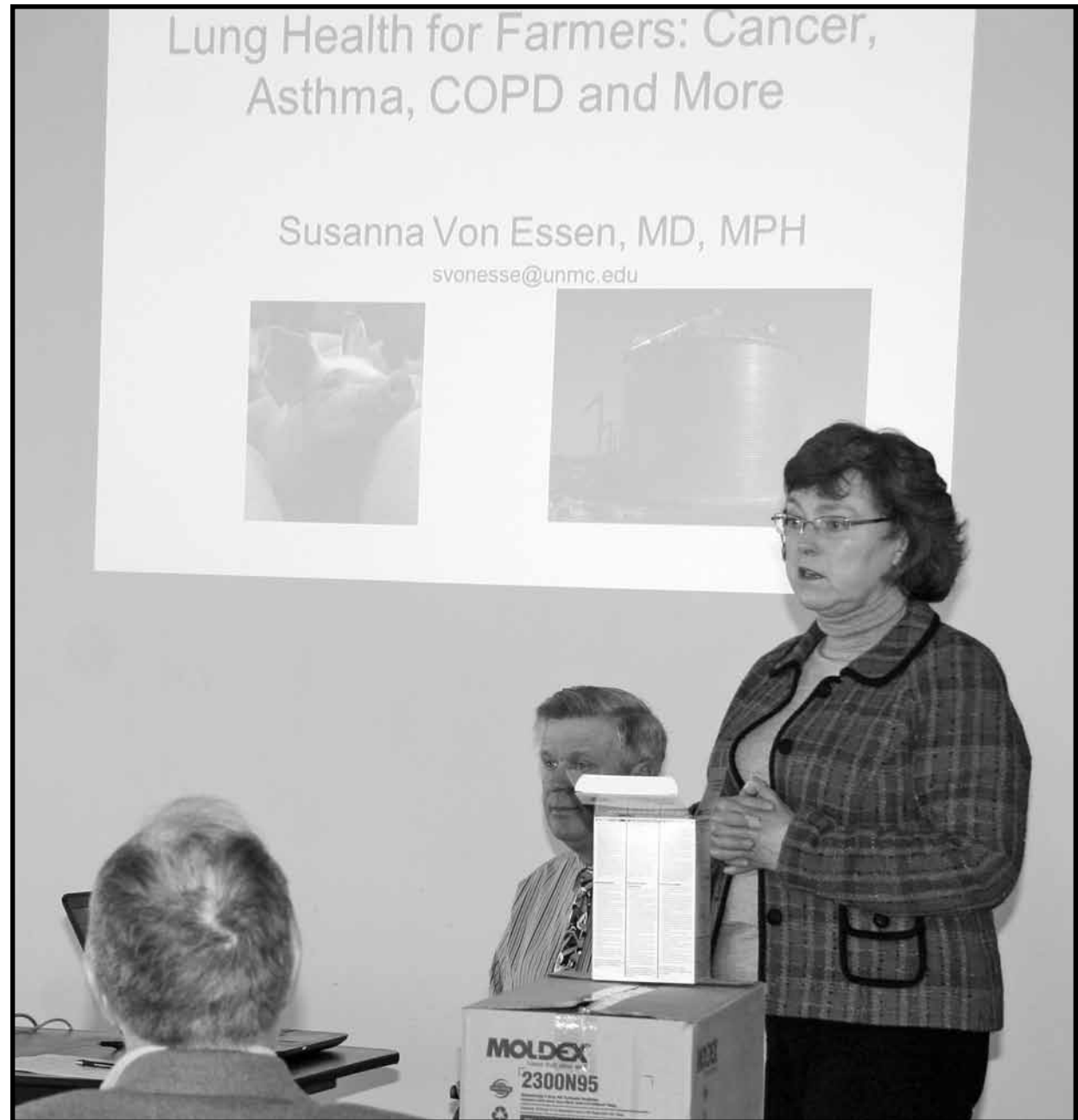
(Photos by Jan Stark)

Christmas in Laurel

The winter weather didn't deter residents in Laurel from celebrating their annual Night of Lights event. Although most of the outside events were cancelled due to cold temperatures, there were plenty of activities indoors, including vendors (above), Christmas carols sung by Carolyn Harder and Sherrie Lundahl (right) and plenty of food and refreshments for those in attendance (below).



(Photo by Clara Osten)



Agriculture Outlook Seminar

Dr. Susanna Von Essen from the University of Nebraska Medical Center told those in attendance at last week's Ag Outlook Seminar that farmers, as a whole, experience lower rates of lung cancer than those involved in other occupations. She was one of three experts who took part in the annual event, hosted by local businesses and the Wayne Area Economic Development Ag Task Force.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Morningside bound

Wayne High volleyball standout Ashton Schweers signed a letter of intent Wednesday to play volleyball for Morningside College. With her at the signing were her parents, Amy and Corby, along with Morningside coach Sara Horn and Wayne High coach Traci Krusemark.



(Photos by Clara Osten)

Rotary soup supper

Musical entertainment, a bake sale and soup on a cold night drew hundreds to the annual Rotary Soup and Dessert Supper. (above) De-neil Parker, Carolyn Harder, Coleen Jeffries, Elise Hepworth, Kaki Ley and Tracy Anderson sang Christmas carols to greet those attending the supper. (right) Brook Jech makes a decision on the type of soup she wanted after getting a list from Rotarian Dennis Lipp. A number of other musical groups also entertained during the supper. St. Mary's Catholic Church conducted a bake sale in conjunction with the event. Funds raised by the Rotary Club during the event help support a number of youth-related educational projects.



(Contributed photo)

Junior high vocalists attend Tilden Clinic

On Nov. 1, over 50 junior high choir members traveled to Tilden to participate in the annual Elkhorn Valley Vocal Clinic held at Elkhorn Valley School. Nearly 500 students from 17 schools participated in the clinic and were directed by Celest Ditter of Columbus Public Schools. The students rehearsed four songs in the weeks prior to the event, as did students from the other schools. Once combined, the large mass choir performed the following selections: "Ezekiel and David," "The Prayer," "Gather By The River To Pray," and "Bonse Aba." Solo auditions were held for "The Prayer," and of the 10 finalists, Wayne Junior High had five students selected with Maura Loberg chosen for the solo. Sponsors were Traci Bruckner, Angela Fleming, Carrie Jensen, and Joyce Walker. The choir wanted to thank the sponsors and all the parents who traveled to Tilden to enjoy the evening's concert. It is a fun day for the students to meet new people and to form a performing ensemble of nearly 500 singers.

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(Photo by Clara Osten)

Lee A. Brogie is assisting students as they use the LabQuest2 to collect and analyze temperature and pH data. Students taking part in the lab include (from left) Brandon Wacker, Jenna Trenhaile, Mrs. Brogie, Dade Barg and Angelica Zavala.

Science department awarded grants to improve instruction

Lee A. Brogie, Jeanne Brink, Dale Hochstein and Lisa Janke, members of the Wayne Junior-Senior High School science department, are reaping the benefits of grant money received by the department.

The science department was awarded three grants including a Wayne Community Schools Foundation Grant of \$500, a Pioneer/Dupont Grant of \$100 and a Century Link/NETA Grant of \$5194.

"This is an exciting time for science at Wayne Junior-Senior High School. This year we are implementing a new science curriculum and creating labs for SEEDS – Students EngagED in Science. The goal of SEEDS is to incorporate 21st Century technology (Vernier's LabQuest2 and Sensors) into our science curricula," Brogie said.

The typical science classroom relies on past technologies that require constant monitoring and limit the data that can be collected. Lab-

"The LabQuest2s and Sensors purchased with grant awards ... are giving the Wayne Community Schools science teachers the opportunity to create 21st century lab experiences for our students; fully engaging them in the practice of being a scientist while reinforcing key scientific concepts."

– Lee A. Brogie

Wayne Junior-Senior High science teacher

Quest2 is a stand-alone interface, that when connected to sensors, allows students to collect, analyze, and share data.

Data can be shown in a table and on a graph, and can be analyzed using a built-in analysis application. LabQuest2 gives students the opportunity to collect data as it is being done by today's scientists. Its portability makes the world a research lab.

In addition, students can use their Wi-Fi browser enabled devices

to save data for future analysis or to share data when collaborating with others.

"The LabQuest2s and Sensors purchased with grant awards from WCS Foundation, Pioneer/Dupont and Century Link/NETA are giving the Wayne Community Schools science teachers the opportunity to create 21st century lab experiences for our students; fully engaging them in the practice of being a scientist while reinforcing key scientific concepts," Brogie added.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Sounds of the season

Monica Jensen, vocal music instructor at Wayne Elementary School, led fourth-grade students in a number of Christmas songs during Friday's Chamber Coffee.

Wayne State receives Extension award

Wayne State College was awarded the Nebraska Cooperative Extension (NCEA) Outstanding Partner in Education Award on Nov. 20.

This award is for external partners who have excelled to provide Extension educational programming in partnership with NCEA members in their local or state-wide programming. Amy Topp, UNL Extension Educator in Wayne County nominated Wayne State College for this award.

Wayne State College has been an exceptional host for numerous University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension Programs over the years. They assist in providing educational experiences for youth and adults in the Northeast District. Their facilities accommodate many educa-

tional experiences and their faculty and staff are always welcoming and willing to make the programs on the Wayne State College campus a success. This includes faculty members helping present careers sessions to the IT and custodial staff making sure rooms are set and equipment is functioning.

Wayne State College has always been a partner in education in the Northeast Extension District. It is one central location in the Northeast District that is a host for education events. In 2014, the Northeast Nebraska Event "Aqua Fest" that originated in Cedar County, will be celebrating its 20th anniversary. Wayne State College has served as the home for this educational event for fifth and sixth-grade students from area schools within an hour and a half of Wayne. Over the years, 8,368 students have been educated in water education, needs, and uses.

In 2005, the first Northeast Nebraska Sophomore Career Day Event was implemented by Extension professionals in the Northeast District. This program was developed to help youth expand career options in a rapidly changing world. The impact of career development on community development and economic viability is important, so this six hour career exploration day utilizes nine different buildings on campus during Fall break. Thirty-eight different high schools and 7,455 students have participated in the nine years. Wayne State College faculty also willingly present career and breakout sessions during this event.

Academic excellence in a small, personalized setting has been the hallmark of Wayne State College since its founding, this personalized setting has continued with current President Curt Frye and his faculty and staff. These qualities make it easy for UNL Extension to continue to work with Wayne State College in providing educational opportunities for individuals.



(Photos by Clara Osten)

(left) Kindergarten teacher Mrs. Lisa Meyer assists one of her students in use of reading equipment in her room. (above) Stephanie Casarrubias, Alyssa Chinn and BreAnna Bruns explain a diagram they have drawn.



Accepting the Award for Wayne State College is Donna Neeman, WSC Admission Representative.

Dentist

From Page 1A – who visit him from within the area, as well as its satellite towns – is no different.

"I'd just like to thank all the communities in the area and surrounding areas," Braun said. "Without their support and patronage, we wouldn't be able to still be here."

And, of course, Braun himself wouldn't be where he is today without the love and support of his family, which includes wife Michelle and children Kendall, Ashton, Quinlan and Emry.

"I'm just grateful to be here," he said. "Seriously, it's good."



(Photo courtesy Angela Steffen, Wayne State College)

In tune at Gala

Brandon Kowalski of Norfolk performs during the orchestra and wind ensemble selections of the Black and Gold Performing Arts Series President's Holiday Gala Concert, Dec. 8 in Ramsey Theatre on the Wayne State College campus.

Foundation

From Page 1A generosity to be able to give back to the students in a direct and technological way. Wayne Community School continues to find ways to enhance our students' education and to prepare our students for the 21st century," Niemann said.

An award of up to \$500 will be distributed to selected individuals or team applicants for classroom grants that align with the district's mission of Learning for Life.

"It is the Wayne Community Schools Foundation's goal to provide resources that enhance educational excellence within the classroom.

We encourage the faculty and staff to apply for these grants annually during the spring semester," McLaughlin said.

"Through the Foundation's Community Business Matching Donor program, we have secured two businesses who will help fund The IDEA Project for the 2014-2015 academic year: Herman Chiropractic and Pac 'N Save. Both businesses have committed to donating a percentage of what is raised through our 2013-2014 internal faculty and staff campaign. We are very thankful for their commitment in helping us to enhance The IDEA Project and we truly appreciate their support," McLaughlin added.

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Free workshops for area EMT's offered

The Allied Health Department at Northeast Community College in Norfolk has announced several free, one-session workshops for emergency medical service technicians in the area.

All workshops are offered for three continuing education credits. They will be held in local fire halls from 7-10 p.m.

There is no need to pre-register. The workshops, dates and locations include:

- Monday, Dec. 16** – Team building at Battle Creek
- Monday, Jan. 13** – Splinting and extraction at Laurel
- Wednesday, Jan. 15** – Sports in-

juries at Stuart

Thursday, Jan. 16 – Diabetic emergencies at Pilger

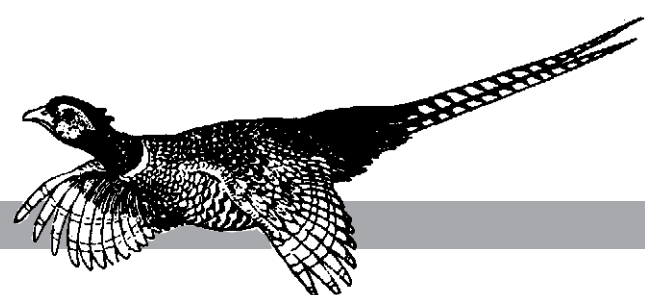
Tuesday, Jan. 28 – EKG for the EMT at Ewing

This program is funded in whole or in part with public funds provided through the Preventive Health and Health Services Block Grant administered by the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services System Emergency Medical Services Program.

For more information, call the Allied Health Department, Northeast Community College, at (402) 844-7702.

Sports

The Wayne Herald



From The Bleachers

Michael Carnes



Watch out for thieves at Wayne

An old accounting teacher I had in college once said, "Liars figure and figures lie."

Well let me tell you something... here are some eye-opening figures that are the honest truth:

- Make sure your wallet is in a secure place if you're ever around Wayne High basketball players Jalyn Zeiss and Meagan Backer.

The backcourt duo engaged in some full-scale thievery Friday night when the Blue Devils played Battle Creek, combining on an eye-popping 20 steals as part of a school-record 29 perpetrated by the team.

Zeiss set a new individual school mark in the game, recording 13 thefts. She's within reach of the school's career mark for steals as well, and should eclipse that total this weekend.

- You've heard of double-doubles when talking about statistics. Well, how about DOUBLE double-doubles?

Wakefield senior Lauren Lehmkuhl pulled off a rare feat Friday in the Trojans' 30-29 win over Allen. She had 23 points and 24 rebounds. In all my years of covering high school basketball, I don't think I've seen an athlete go 20-plus in two categories.

- It's not unusual for one player on a team to have a career-best night in the scoring column, but Wayne High's boys got double their pleasure in that category during Friday's big win over Battle Creek.

Both Jalyn Barry and Ben Hoskins finished the night with their best single-game scoring performances. Barry had a game-high 28 points and Hoskins added a career-best 23 in Wayne's 89-51 win over the Braves.

- Give the Winside boys an "A" for effort, because it's going to be a long season for the Wildcats.

Winside has just six kids out for basketball this year, and that's going to make things tough this season as they take on teams that are deeper and more talented.

Through three games, the Wildcats are averaging just 17 points a game. Considering that only one player sits the bench at a time, as long as they're giving a good effort it will be worth more than what will be seen on the scoreboard.

- Fastest pin of the season so far among our area wrestlers goes to Winside senior Caleb Lienemann, who needed all of 13 seconds to finish off his first opponent at Saturday's Creighton Invitational. The 2013 state runner-up earned second-place honors at 220 pounds on Saturday, losing to a defending South Dakota state champion in the finals.

On the other hand:

- It's not a local thought, but when Seattle beats Denver to win Super Bowl XLVIII this February, remember where you read it first. Peyton Manning is a horrible post-holiday quarterback and will play against a defense unlike any seen in the AFC.

- On another NFL note, if there is a worse defense than the one being run by the Dallas Cowboys, I'd like to see it. The once-legendary Doomsday Defense is a pathetic shadow of its former self. Watching the Bears take target practice on Dallas was painfully hilarious for those of us who aren't fans of the Cowboys.

- Am I the only one who would rather watch 1,000 hockey games than a single NBA game this time of year?

- Instead of calling it the Gator Bowl, can we just refer to the Nebraska-Georgia bowl game on Jan. 1 by a more fitting name - like, say, the Deja Vu Bowl?

- Look for a column next week on whether or not rugby should be added as a varsity sport at Wayne State College. The argument, both for and against, is an interesting one, especially since the Office of Civil Rights hasn't gotten around to settling a complaint filed against the school almost three years ago.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Jalyn Zeiss set a school record Friday with 13 steals, including this one, during Wayne High's 49-29 win over Battle Creek. Watching the action is coach Jeff Zeiss.

Blue Devils start 2-1

A record-setting defensive effort helped get the Wayne High girls basketball team's season off on the right foot.

The Blue Devils opened the season Thursday with a 56-41 loss at South Sioux City, as the host Cardinals pulled away in the second half to claim the win.

Wayne High battled the Cardinals throughout the first half and trailed by six at intermission, 25-19. The hosts had a big third quarter, outscoring Wayne High 19-11, and used that momentum to come away with the victory.

Ashton Schweers was the lone Blue Devil in double

figures, finishing with a game-high 19 points. Victoria Kranz added six and Tarah Stegemann put in four.

On Friday night, the Blue Devils put a new mark in the school record books with a suffocating defense that recorded a school-record 28 steals to help Wayne get past Battle Creek, 49-29, in the Blue Devils' home opener.

Chief among the thieves was senior Jalyn Zeiss, who came away with 13 steals on the night, breaking the school record of nine held by Michelle Jarvi and Caitlin Fehringer. Meagan Backer also had a big night in the

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Wildcats 10-0 after two NSIC road victories

The Wayne State women's basketball team improved to 10-0 on the season and set the stage for a key home weekend doubleheader with a pair of road wins over the weekend.

On Friday, the 22nd-ranked Wildcats got double-double performances from Ellen Hansen and Jordan Spencer to outlast Sioux Falls 79-71 at the Stewart Center in Sioux Falls, S.D.

The duo both hit double figures in scoring and rebounds. Spencer had a game-high 22 points to go with 11 rebounds, while Hansen finished with 19 points and led Wayne State with 13 boards.

Wayne State got off to a 10-0 led less than three minutes into the game, using treys by Hansen and Ashton Yossi, along with baskets by Spencer and Shantel Lehmann.

Wayne State led by as many as 12 points, but the Cougars battled back and held Wayne State without a basket for five minutes, taking a 35-33 lead into the locker room.

Wayne State took control of the game early in the second half, using a 14-3 run to spark them to a 52-42 lead with 13:25 to go. Consecutive threes from Hansen and Addy Roller fueled the rally.

Sioux Falls made another run at the Wildcats and got within two points on two occasions, the last coming with 2:14 to go to make it 67-65. Wayne State responded with a three-point play by Spencer, a lay-up by Yossi and two free throws by Roller to help close out the win.

Four Wildcats finished in double

figures in scoring, with Millie Niggeling cashing in for 14 points and Yossi adding 13. Roller dished out six assists and Hansen had four.

On Saturday, the Wildcats' bench came up big in the first half to help Wayne State to a 67-50 win at Southwest Minnesota State.

The Wildcats' starters struggled in the first half, but the bench picked things up in a big way, scoring 31 of Wayne State's 38 points in the opening 20 minutes. Baskets by Niggeling, free throws from Jaylan Spencer and a pair of 3-pointers by Whitney Olson helped Wayne State build a 15-point first-half lead before the Mustangs cut it to 38-28 at intermission.

Southwest Minnesota State got within four points with 11:40 to go at 46-42, but the Wildcats went on an 11-2 run to get their lead back to 13 points at 57-44 with 6:27 to go, and the Mustangs never got closer than 11 the rest of the game.

Niggeling came off the bench to score a career-high 19 points for the Wildcats, while the sister duo of Jordan and Jaylan Spencer added 11 and 10 points, respectively. Jaylan Spencer had nine rebounds to lead the Wildcats, while Hansen grabbed six. Roller had a career-best seven assists.

The Wildcats face a pair of ranked conference foes at home this weekend. No. 13 Minnesota State comes to town Friday at 6 p.m., while 21st-ranked Concordia-St. Paul visits Wayne for a 4 p.m. matchup Saturday at Rice Auditorium.

Wayne wrestlers open with dual win

The Wayne High wrestlers put on a good showing in their first tournament of the season, finishing fourth and coming away with 10 medals from the Lakeview Invitational Friday in Columbus.

The Blue Devils put two wrestlers in the finals, with Gage Schultz (106) and Jordan Cliff (145) both earning runner-up honors. Both wrestlers were pinned by opponents from Columbus Scotus, which came away as tournament champions.

"This was a good tournament to let us see where we are at as a team," coach David Wragge said. "Our team goal was to place in the top five and the guys wrestled well enough to get us a fourth-place finish, so I credit the team for working hard to achieve that goal."

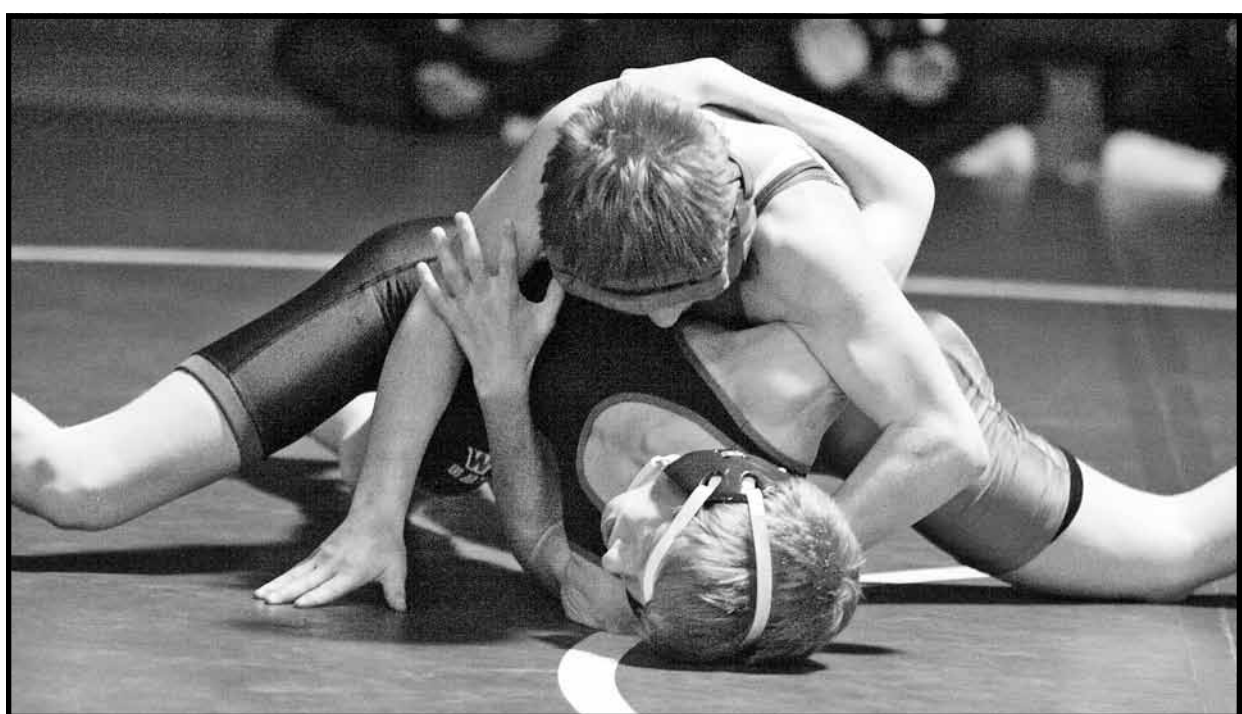
Two Blue Devils earned consolation honors, as Logan Reinke (152) and Demetrius Alexander (182) finished third in their respective weight classes. Reinke posted a 12-5 decision over Dominick Henk of Lakeview, while Alexander pinned East Butler's Austin Tejral in the first period.

Fourth-place medals went to Cornelio Espino (132), Schuyler Schweers (195) and Mike Reyes (220). Jorge Vergara (138) and Thorin McBride (285) both finished fifth, while Adolfo Lozano (160) finished sixth.

In dual action Thursday, Wayne High outscored Wisner-Pilger 45-24 at Wayne High School.

The Blue Devils got pins from

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Gage Schultz works to pin his opponent during dual action Thursday as Wayne High defeated Wisner-Pilger.



(Photo courtesy Wayne State Sports Information)

Track athletes expected to lead Wayne State during the 2013-14 indoor season include (from left) Zach Thomsen, Bryan Dunn, Carly Fehringer and Alexis Guhl.

Track teams ready to open indoor season

The Wayne State women are picked seventh while the men are selected ninth in the 2013-14 Northern Sun Conference indoor track and field coaches' polls announced last week.

In the women's poll, defending champion University of Mary edged Winona State as the team to beat this season as the Marauders received seven first-place votes and 161 points compared to Winona's six first-place votes and 157 points. Minnesota Duluth (133), Sioux Falls (131) and Minnesota State (126) round out the top five teams. Augustana was sixth with 123 points and one first-place vote followed by Wayne State in seventh with 82 points. St. Cloud State (81), MSU Moorhead (77) and Northern State (60) conclude the top 10 teams out of 14 that have women's indoor track and field.

The team to beat in the men's division is defending champion Minnesota State with 118

points and eight of 12 first-place votes. Augustana was second with the remaining four first-place votes and 114 points. Sioux Falls (96), MSU Moorhead (80) and St. Cloud State (79) fill out the top five teams. Minnesota Duluth was sixth at 71 points followed by the University of Mary (65), Concordia-St. Paul (46) and Wayne State ninth with 43 points out of 12 teams that sport men's indoor track and field.

Wayne State athletes to watch on the women's side are senior thrower Carly Fehringer and senior hurdler Alexis Guhl.

Fehringer, a senior from Wayne, was an All-American last season in the weight throw following a third-place finish at nationals. She was also the conference indoor champion in the weight throw with a meet record throw of 63 feet, 6 inches. She also finished sixth in the shot put in the conference indoor championships and was a

national qualifier as well.

Davenport, a senior from Omaha, competes in the 60-meter hurdles and was 14th at last year's NSIC indoor championships.

On the men's side, junior sprinter Zach Thomsen and sophomore thrower Bryan Dunn are listed as Wildcats to watch in the NSIC this season.

Thomsen, a graduate of Wayne High School, earned All-NSIC honors last season with a second-place finish in the 600-meter run while also running a leg on the 1,600-meter relay team.

Dunn, a sophomore thrower from Coleridge, finished sixth last season in the weight throw as a freshman at the NSIC Indoor Championships.

Wayne State opens the 2013-14 indoor season on Friday and Saturday at the UNK Pre-Season Open in Kearney.

Frauendorfer named region frosh of year

Wayne State freshman Alyssa Frauendorfer quickly became one of the Wildcats' go-to players on the volleyball court this season, and the Humphrey native was honored Wednesday as the Central Region Freshman of the Year by the American Volleyball Coaches Association.



Frauendorfer

In addition, Frauendorfer was also selected AVCA first-team Central Region and now advances to the All-American ballot for both honors.

A 6-foot middle hitter, Frauendorfer averaged 2.77 kills and 0.97 blocks per game to earn first-team All-NSIC honors while also being named NSIC Freshman of the Year. She led the Wildcats in attack percentage this season at .344 to rank sixth in the NSIC. Her .358 attack percentage in conference matches ranked fourth in the league.

Frauendorfer had a stellar second half of the season and had her top matches against some of the nation's premier teams, recording 10 or more kills in 10 of her last 16 matches this season and 15 overall.

WSC men drop two on road

The Wayne State men's basketball team is still looking for a win in Northern Sun Conference play after dropping a pair of road contests over the weekend.

It was a homecoming of sorts for Sioux Falls native Adol Aluong, and while the senior poured in a career-high 23 points, it wasn't enough as the Wildcats suffered an 85-75 setback to the Cougars.

It was a back-and-forth battle throughout the first half, as both teams traded leads for the first 20 minutes. Sioux Falls led 21-16 when the Wildcats got back-to-back 3-pointers from Gary Ross to highlight a 10-0 run. A basket by Jamie Pearson and two Aluong free throws made it 26-21, but the Cougars responded with a quick eight-point run to retake the lead at 29-26.

The game continued to ebb and flow between the two teams, and

the Cougars took a 44-42 lead into the locker room. They continued that momentum into the second half, scoring the first seven points of the second period and never trailed after that.

Wayne State trailed 65-53 with 12:40 to go, but went on a 8-3 run, capped by a David Andersen layup, to make it 68-61 with 7:21 to go. Wayne State got within seven again with 5:36 to go on a Jared Bartling basket, but the Cougars got the lead back to 11 and Wayne State never got closer than eight the rest of the way.

Aluong was 8-of-11 from the field in finishing with a game-high 23 points. Andersen also finished in double figures, scoring 10 points. Ryan Rolfzen and Pearson each had five rebounds to lead the Wildcats.

On Saturday, the Mustangs had too much for the Wildcats in the

second half, using a 14-2 run early in the second half to pull away with the win.

Wayne State went on a 10-1 run early in the game to take a 10-7 lead. Rolfzen's tip-in gave Wayne State its biggest lead of the game, but the Mustangs came back to take a 15-10 lead with an eight-point run of its own.

Wayne State took its final lead of the game with 6:58 to go in the half on a 3-pointer by Rolfzen to make it 23-22, but the Mustangs scored the next seven points to take the lead for good and come away with the win.

Ty Bauschek led the Wildcats with 12 points while Rolfzen added 10. Andersen led the team in rebounds with four, while Bauschek had four assists.

The Wildcats are back home this weekend for a pair of NSIC games, facing Minnesota State on Friday at 8 p.m. and Southwest Minnesota State on Saturday at 6 p.m.



(Photos by Michael Carnes)

Jalen Barry (left) and Ben Hoskins both had career highs for Wayne in the Blue Devils' 89-51 rout of Battle Creek on Friday.

Wayne boys bounce back, rip Battle Creek, Logan View

Wayne High's boys basketball team came into the 2013-14 season with some big expectations and a new coach.

The Blue Devils were ranked in both the Omaha World-Herald and Lincoln Journal Star preseason rankings and kicked off the season facing the defending Class B champions in South Sioux City, who moved up to Class A this season.

The Blue Devils had a rough night shooting the ball in their season opener at South Sioux City on Thursday, losing a 48-44 defensive battle in overtime. They bounced back the following night, though, getting a pair of career-high offensive efforts to blow out visiting Battle Creek at Wayne High School, 89-51.

Thursday's opener was a battle of defense, as the Cardinals took a 17-14 lead at the half. Wayne came back to take the lead before South Sioux City came back to force overtime at 44-44. The hosts outscored

the visitors 6-2 in the extra session to come away with the win in the second straight overtime battle between the two teams.

Kaje Maly led a balanced Wayne attack with 12 points, while Jalen Barry added seven and Jared Anderson and Ben Hoskins each put in six.

The Blue Devils more than made up for whatever they couldn't get going on offense the following night, exploding to a 48-25 halftime lead and riding the hot hands of Barry and Hoskins.

Barry slashed his way to a career-high 28 points to lead all scorers, and Hoskins also had a career-best effort, dominating inside and hitting on the wings as well for 23 points as the two starters combined to match Battle Creek's entire output.

Four Blue Devils finished in double figures in the blowout win. Anderson put up 11 points for the Blue Devils and Luke Rethwisch added

10 points. On Tuesday, the Blue Devils improved to 2-1 with an easy 62-24 win at Logan View. Hoskins had a double-double with 16 points and 10 rebounds to lead Wayne, while Barry put in 11 points and Rethwisch added 10.

The Wayne boys face a pair of fellow rated teams in action this weekend. The Blue Devils travel to Wahoo for a rematch of last year's state semifinal battle, then come back home Saturday to meet Columbus Lakeview.

South Sioux City 48, Wayne 44

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| Wayne | 9 | 5 | 14 | 14 | 2 | - | 44 |
| SSC | 8 | 9 | 12 | 13 | 6 | - | 48 |

WAYNE – Barry 7, Anderson 6, Maly 12, Hoskins 6, Keiser 2, Pecena 4.
SSC – Bearskin 7, Schmiel 12, Keefer 2, Christiansen 8, Hansen 16, Nurri 3.

Wayne 89, Battle Creek 51

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| Wayne | 24 | 24 | 27 | 14 | - | 89 |
| Battle Creek | 10 | 15 | 17 | 9 | - | 51 |

WAYNE – Anderson 11, Barry 28, Hoskins 23, Bowers 3, Maly 8, Pecena 3, Rethwisch 10, Belt 1, Keating 2.
BATTLE CREEK – Z. Bellar 7, J. Bellar 21, Schurman 5, Belina 6, Rudloff 2, Finkral 6, Tucker 4.

Blue Devils

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thefts department, finishing with seven.

That defense helped Wayne overcome a slow start offensively. Wayne trailed by three after one period, but went on a 14-4 run in the second period to take a 19-12 lead and were never threatened after that.

Stegemann led a balanced attack with a game-high 13 points, while Schweers added 10 and Backer put up eight.

On Tuesday, the Blue Devils got an easy win on the road, posting a 66-15 decision over Logan View. The Blue Devils forced 33 turnovers against the Raiders while improving to 2-1 on the season. Schweers

scored 19 points and Zeiss added 15.

In JV action, Wayne went 1-1 on the week, losing at South Sioux City (55-47) and winning over Battle Creek (51-40). Kelsey Boyer led Wayne in the South Sioux City game with 17 points while Lyndy Sandoz and Danica Schaefer each had nine and Morgan Keating scored six. Petyon Roach had four and Melinda Longe had two. In the Battle Creek game, Boyer had 19 and Schaefer added 10, with Keating and Roach each scoring seven, Sandoz adding four, Longe scoring two and Kiara Hochstein and Gabi Lutt each adding a free throw.

The Blue Devil girls play at Wahoo on Friday and host Columbus Lakeview on Saturday.

South Sioux City 56, Wayne 41

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| Wayne | 10 | 9 | 11 | 11 | - | 41 |
| SSC | 14 | 11 | 19 | 12 | - | 56 |

WAYNE – Zeiss 3, Nelson 2, Kranz 6, Schweers 19, Rauner 3, Hix 2, Stegemann 4, Roach 2.
SSC – Thramer 12, Thramer 10, Fritza 2, Fischer 2, Schram 2, Powell 4, Kloster 14, Voss 10.

Wayne 49, Battle Creek 29

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|--------------|---|----|----|----|---|----|
| Wayne | 5 | 14 | 18 | 12 | - | 49 |
| Battle Creek | 8 | 4 | 10 | 7 | - | 29 |

WAYNE – Schweers 10, Rauner 2, Zeiss 5, Stegemann 13, Kranz 4, Hix 3, Backer 8, Nelson 4.
BATTLE CREEK – Thompson 3, Daum 4, Christensen 4, Lee 2, Westerman 4, Gillespie 3, Wiemers 7.

Wayne 66, Logan View 15

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|------------|----|----|----|----|---|----|
| Wayne | 14 | 15 | 25 | 12 | - | 66 |
| Logan View | 2 | 2 | 5 | 6 | - | 15 |

WAYNE – Schweers 19, Zeiss 15, Kranz 8, Rauner 5, Boyer 5, Stegemann 5, Backer 4, Nelson 3, Roach 2.
LOGAN VIEW – Scoring not available.

Wrestlers

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Schultz (106), Lozano (160) and Cole Koenig, and got a key 7-5 decision from Reinke at 152 pounds that helped sew up the match. Wayne picked up four wins by forfeit while the Gators got one forfeit to go with three pins.

"I thought we wrestled well for our first competition," Wragge said. "We had some guys injured, but some of the younger guys stepped in and got the job done for us. Adolfo had a nice win for us at 160. He's really improved and done a good job for us."

Wayne took several wrestlers to a JV meet in Ponca on Monday and wrestled well at the meet. Schultz won three matches to earn a first-place finish in his bracket, and Wragge said that Reyes, Steven Keiser and Devon Henschke also wrestled well.

"Even though some of these freshman wrestle at the varsity level for us, we as a coaching staff wanted to let them compete against other young wrestlers to see where they are at," Wragge said. "After watching our freshmen be successful at the meet, I am happy to see that we have quality freshmen coming up in our program."

Wayne wrestles at Norfolk Catholic on Thursday and

will be at the West Point-Beemer Invitational on Saturday. They are back home Thursday, Dec. 19 to dual Creighton.

Wayne 45, Wisner-Pilger 24

170: Cole Koenig, Wayne, pinned Jacob Denton, :38. 182: Michael Liermann, W-P, pinned Demetrius Alexander, 3:59. 195: W-P open. 220: Derik Via, W-P, pinned Mike Reyes, 2:47. 285: W-P open. 106: Gage Schultz, Wayne, pinned Tristin Lowry-Berlin, 4:57. 113: Both open.
120: Wayne open. 126: Both open. 132: Austen Pflueger, W-P, pinned Cornelio Espino, 3:00. 138: W-P open. 145: W-P open. 152: Logan Reinke, Wayne, dec. Copper VonSeggern, 7-5. 160: Adolfo Lozano, Wayne, pinned Cole Porter, 3:00.

Lakeview Invitational Team Standings

Columbus Scotus 181.5, Columbus Lakeview 132, Gibbon 128, Wayne 84, Cross County/Osceola 67, East Butler 62, Fullerton 55, North Bend Central 47.

Wayne Medalists

106: 1. Tyler Brandenburg, Scotus, pinned Gage Schultz, Wayne, 2:18. 132: 3. Oscar Cuellar, Gibbon, pinned Cornelio Espino, Wayne, 5:57. 138: 5. Jorge Vergara, Wayne, pinned Tanner Lamoree, CC/O, 3:58. 145: 1. Baeley Pelster, Scotus, pinned Jordan Cliff, Wayne, 2:45. 152: 3. Logan Reinke, Wayne, dec. Dominick Henk, Lakeview, 12-5. 160: 5. Shane Rezac, East Butler, dec. Adolfo Lozano, Wayne, 9-5. 182: 3. Demetrius Alexander, Wayne, pinned Austin Tejral, East Butler, 1:13. 195: 3. Ryan Neujahr, Gibbon, pinned Schuyler Schweers, Wayne, 3:46. 220: 3. Wyatt Gutzmer, Scotus, pinned Mike Reyes, Wayne, 2:07. 285: 5. Thorin McBride, Wayne, maj. dec. Clint Richards, Gibbon, 12-3.

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LCC boys drop opens at home

The Laurel-Concord/Coleridge boys basketball team opened the season with a tough loss to visiting Crofton, as the Warriors came away with a 63-47 victory.

LCC led the game early, but Crofton outscored the Bears 16-9 in the second to take the lead for good.

Dillan Wolfgram scored 21 points to lead the way for the Bears, while Brant Eddie put in 12 points and Jordan Jansen added six.

On Tuesday, the Bears battled Homer in a defensive struggle and came up on the short end of a 48-32 decision to fall to 0-2 on the season.

Wolfgram had 12 points and eight rebounds to lead the Bears, while Jansen added 10 points and Brad Steffen tossed in five.

The Bears play at Randolph on Saturday and host Ponca Tuesday.

Crofton 63, LCC 47

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| LCC | 8 | 9 | 16 | 14 | - | 47 |
| Crofton | 6 | 16 | 22 | 19 | - | 63 |

LCC – Peterson 4, Anderson 2, Jansen 6, Eddie 12, Kloz 2, Wolfgram 21.
CROFTON – E. Wockman 6, Mueller 29, Janssen 2, Kleinschmit 2, Koch 6, A. Wockman 11.

Homer 48, LCC 32

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|-------|---|----|----|----|---|----|
| LCC | 8 | 5 | 7 | 12 | - | 32 |
| Homer | 8 | 12 | 11 | 17 | - | 48 |

LCC – Reifenrath 2, Steffen 5, J. Jansen 10, Eddie 3, Wolfgram 12.
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| Big Red Country | 30.0 | 22.0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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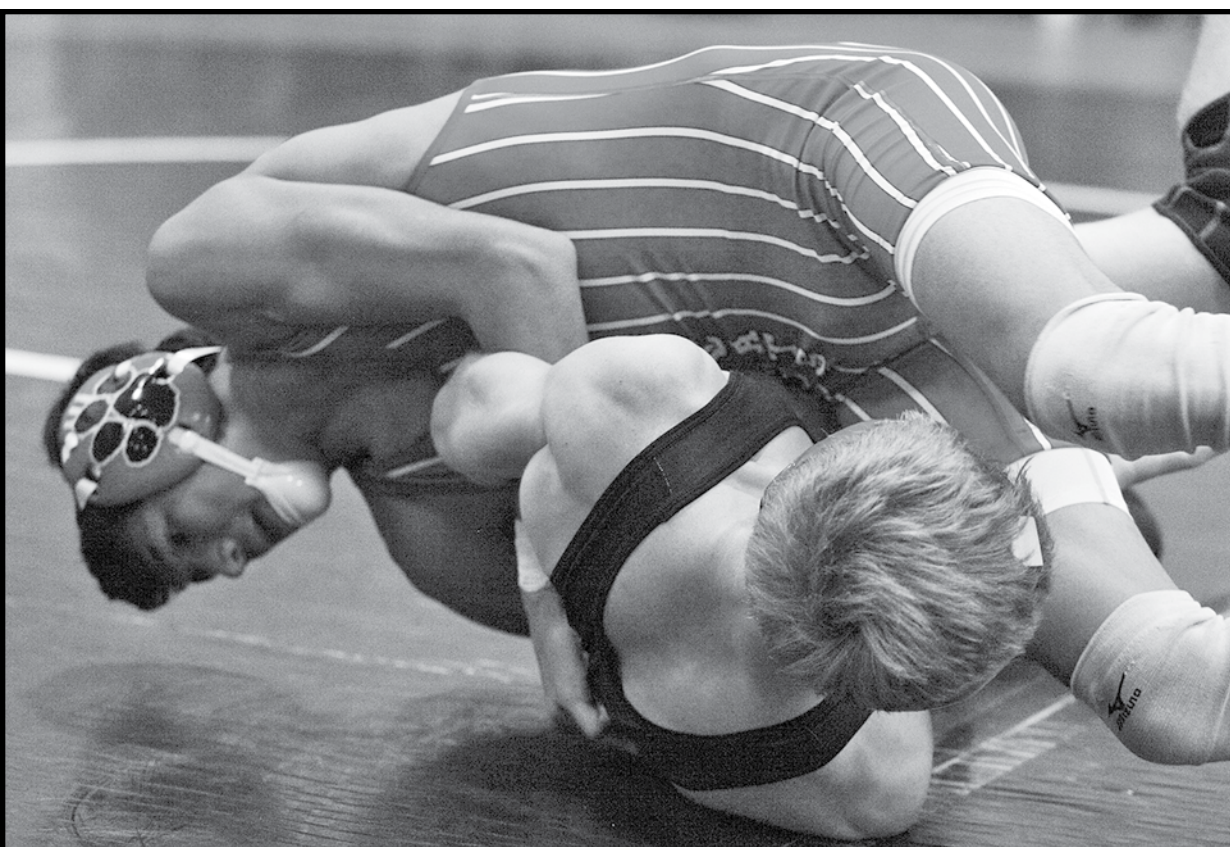
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Marcos Escalera works for the pin in action Saturday at the Creighton Invitational. He was one of three Wildcats to earn runner-up honors.

Winside wrestlers finish with three runner-ups at Creighton

The Winside wrestlers didn't have a large haul of medals from their season-opening effort at the Creighton Invitational but made the most of what they were able to do in posting a 10th place finish in the 18-team tournament.

Winside put three wrestlers into the medal round, and all three ended up wrestling for first place. Sean Mann (106) and returning state qualifiers Marcos Escalera (132) and Caleb Lienemann (220) all came away with runner-up finishes.

"We didn't finish as well as I had hoped," coach Paul Sok said. "We had a few mental errors along the way, but the three we had in the finals was a pretty good day."

Lienemann, a silver medalist last year, ran into one of the top wrestlers in South Dakota in Parkston's Brady Rieff, who dominated the Wildcat senior in an 11-3 major decision. Both Mann and Escalera were pinned by Parkston wrestlers, as Parkston ran away

with the team title with 317 points, a full 125 points ahead of runner-up Battle Creek.

Several Winside wrestlers competed in a JV meet at Ponca on Monday, with Zach Morris earning a first-place finish and Zane Jensen and Isaiah Muhs placing second. Caleb Dwinell and Hayden Kind placed fourth.

The Wildcats will wrestle at the North Bend Invitational on Saturday and are home to dual Stanton on Thursday, Dec. 19 before closing out the pre-holiday schedule Dec. 21 at the South Sioux City Invitational.

Creighton Invitational Team Standings

Parkston (S.D.) 317, Battle Creek 182, Plainview 137.5, Pender 117.5, Neligh-Oakdale 101, Creighton/Verdigre 93, Norfolk Reserves 92, Randolph 82, Parkston JV 79.5, Winside 74, Laurel-Concord/Coleridge 63, Crofton 44, Elkhorn Valley 34, Hartington Cedar Catholic 26, Osmond 25, Norfolk Reserves JV 19, Creighton/Verdigre JV 17, Creighton/Verdigre Reserves 0.

Winside Medalists

106: 1. Logan Mahoney, Parkston, pinned Sean Mann, Winside, 1:19. 132: 1. Blake Bietz, Parkston, pinned Marcos Escalera, Winside, 4:17. 220: 1. Brady Rieff, Parkston, maj. dec. Caleb Lienemann, Winside, 11-3.

LCC girls face tough opponents, go 0-2 to start 2013-14 season

Laurel-Concord/Coleridge faced a tough opener with defending Class C-2 champion Crofton coming to town but gave it a good effort in a 60-46 loss Friday.

The Lady Bears battled the Warriors during the first half and trailed by three at intermission, but Crofton came out sizzling in the second half, outscoring LCC 26-8 in the third period to take control of the game.

LCC chipped away at the Crofton lead in the fourth quarter but could not make a big enough dent in the lead and came up on the short end of the decision.

Cameron Eddie had a big night for the Lady Bears in the losing effort, going 10-of-17 from the field to finish with a team-high 24 points. Audra Corbit added seven points, while Erin Gubbels scored five.

On Tuesday night, the Lady Bears faced another tough area foe, as Homer used a strong offensive effort in the middle periods to pull away with a 75-48 win to drop LCC to 0-2 on the season.

Eddie led a balanced attack with 13 points for the Lady Bears, while Corbit added 12 and Ellie Arduser put in 11.

The Lady Bears travel to Ran-

dolph for a Saturday matchup before coming back home Tuesday to battle Ponca. They finish the pre-holiday docket with a home match-up Dec. 20 against Plainview.

Crofton 60, LCC 46

LCC 14 7 8 17 - 46
Crofton 10 14 26 10 - 60

LCC - Kardell 2, Rastede 1, Pigg 3, Eddie 24, Arduser 1, Wolfgram 3, Gubbels 5, Corbit 7.
CROFTON - Allen 10, Arens 17, Wragge 10, Stanger 9. Other scoring not available.

Homer 75, LCC 48

LCC 13 11 10 14 - 48
Homer 17 22 23 13 - 75

LCC - Kardell 2, Eddie 13, Arduser 11, Swanson 1, Wolfgram 7, Gubbels 2, Corbit 12.
HOMER - Scoring not available.

Winside boys start season 0-3

It was a rough going for an out-manned Winside boys basketball team, as they started the season with road losses at Plainview and Wynot.

On Thursday, Winside played well defensively but couldn't get much generated on offense as they finished with a 47-17 loss to the Plainview Pirates. Winside limited the hosts to 22 points in the first half but couldn't get much going on offense, recording only one basket and two free throws in the first 16 minutes.

Brock Carlson led Winside's effort with six points, while Keith Mundil had five, Bryce Meis scored four and Jadon Wagner put in two.

On Friday, the Wildcats had to face last year's Class D-2 state champions, and the Blue Devils jumped on Winside early before cruising to a 78-16 victory.

Wynot outscored Winside 26-4 and led 48-10 at intermission, with their younger units getting the bulk of the playing time in the second half.

Meis led Winside with eight points, while Carlson scored four and Mundil and Marlowe Kampa put up two apiece.

The Wildcats ran into a tough Lyons-Decatur team on Tuesday, as the Cougars pounced on Winside early on their way to a 71-18 victory.

Meil led the way for Winside with eight points, while Mundil added

four and Carlson scored three.

The Wildcats are home Friday to face Bloomfield in their final pre-holiday matchup. They will play in the Randolph Holiday Invitational on Dec. 27-28.

Plainview 47, Winside 17

Winside 3 1 6 7 - 17
Plainview 12 10 10 15 - 47

WINSIDE - Meis 4, Mundil 5, Wagner 2, Carlson 6.

PLAINVIEW - Gutz 9, Friedrich 2, Wright 3, Haase 8, Miller 1, Christiansen 7, Schlotte 6, Dahl 9, Jensen 2.

Wynot 78, Winside 16

Winside 4 6 2 4 - 16
Wynot 26 22 20 10 - 78

WINSIDE - Meis 8, Mundil 2, Carlson 4, Kampa 2.

WYNOT - Stratman 15, Wieseler 3, Herold 6, Wieseler 3, Sudbeck 3, Wieseler 5, Sudbeck 6, Stratman 8, Boeckman 10, Lange 10, Gartner 4, DeBlauw 4, Eskens 5.

Lyons-Decatur 71, Winside 18

Winside 2 4 6 6 - 18
Lyons-Decatur 19 29 17 6 - 71

WINSIDE - Meis 8, Mundil 4, Wagner 2, Carlson 3, Kampa 1.

LYONS-DECATUR - Simpson 14, Fuston 4, D. Riecken 14, Hegy 15, Henneman 4, Bishop 6, M. Riecken 2, Hardeman 2, Anderson 2, Brehmer 8.

Trojan girls get off to 2-1 start

After dropping their season opener to the defending Class D-1 champions, Wakefield's girls basketball team bounced back with a pair of wins to kick off the 2013-14 season.

On Thursday, Wakefield hosted Pender and played the Pendragons close for much of the game, but the Pendragons had too much down the stretch as they were able to come away with a 54-42 win over the Trojans.

Wakefield trailed by one at intermission and were still in striking distance going into the fourth quarter but just couldn't quite get themselves in position to get the win as Pender pulled away in the closing minutes.

Lauren Lehmkuhl led the Trojans with 15 points while Emily Puls added 12 points. Tianna Gnat put in six, Whitney Echtenkamp had five, and McKenzie Rusk had four.

On Friday, the Trojans faced cross-county rival Allen in a defensive battle, riding the hot hand of Lehmkuhl to a 30-29 win over the Lady Eagles.

Wakefield trailed 19-15 at half-time, but Lehmkuhl heated up in the second half, hitting two of her three 3-pointers in the final two periods to help the Trojans hang on for the win.

Lehmkuhl was also dominant on the rebounds, finishing with a career-high 24 rebounds to go with her game-high 23 points. Echtenkamp, Puls and Josephine Peitz each had two points and Rusk added a free throw.

On Monday night, the Trojans were exceptionally stingy on defense at home, holding Osmond scoreless and keeping them in single digits throughout the night on their way to a 59-9 blowout win.

Wakefield took a 21-0 lead after one period and made it 36-5 at the break. Osmond could only manage field goals in each of the final two periods as Wakefield improved to 2-1 on the season.

Lehmkuhl led the Trojans with 24 points, and Rusk added 10. Echtenkamp and Peitz each had six; Puls scored five; and Gnat, Brianna Samuelson, Megan Muller and Caileigh Mackling each scored two.

The Trojan girls host Wausa on Friday at Wakefield High School, then play at Stanton and Hartington the following week to close out the pre-holiday portion of their schedule.

Pender 54, Wakefield 42

Wakefield 14 9 9 10 - 42
Pender 13 11 12 18 - 54

WAKEFIELD - Echtenkamp 5, Gnat 6, Lehmkuhl 15, Rusk 4, Puls 12.

PENDER - Roth 2, Sorenson 4, Sorenson 4, R. Anderson 2, Ezrova 12, Morgan 5, K. Anderson 1, H. Ballinger 4, Fillipi 20.

Wakefield 30, Allen 29

Wakefield 6 9 7 8 - 30
Allen 8 11 3 7 - 29

WAKEFIELD - Peitz 2, Echtenkamp 2, Puls 2, Lehmkuhl 23, Rusk 1.

ALLEN - L. Sullivan 8, Jones 3, Hingst 7, G. Sullivan 2, Oswald 7, Goodman 2.

Wakefield 59, Osmond 9

Wakefield 21 15 16 7 - 59
Osmond 0 5 2 2 - 9

WAKEFIELD - Echtenkamp 6, Gnat 2, Lehmkuhl 24, Puls 5, Peitz 6, Samuelson 2, Muller 2, Rusk 10, Mackling 2.

OSMOND - Scoring not available.



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Lauren Lehmkuhl had 23 points and 24 rebounds to help the Trojans edge Allen on Friday night.



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Wakefield boys off to 3-0 start



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Anthony Gustafson goes high for a rebound during Wakefield's win over Allen on Friday. The Trojans kicked off the season with three straight wins.

The Wakefield Trojans are off to a 3-0 start after getting the 2013-14 season off on the right foot.

The Trojans opened the season Thursday with a solid first effort, dominating Pender in the middle two periods of a 74-47 triumph at Wakefield High School.

It was a fast-paced first period with the Trojans taking a six-point lead, but Wakefield outscored Pender 34-14 in the middle two periods to turn a close game into a rout.

Evan Nicholson had the hot hand for Wakefield, hitting six 3-pointers on his way to a career-high 26 points. Anthony Gustafson added 15 points, Luis Brambilla put in 12 and Josh Dolph added nine for the winners.

On Friday, Wakefield made it a 2-for-2 weekend by jumping on visiting Allen early, cruising to a 64-28 win over the Eagles.

Wakefield got out to a big lead early, taking a 20-3 advantage after one period. They extended their lead from there and were able to use a balanced scoring attack to outlast the Eagles.

Nicholson led the Trojans with 17 points, Alex Conley added 11 points, Gustafson put in nine, and Brambilla had seven.

The Trojans made it a 3-for-3 week in the win column on Monday with a solid effort at home against Osmond, coming away with a 43-33 victory.

Wakefield got out to a 10-point lead after one period before the Tigers fought back to get within three at halftime. Wakefield managed to keep Osmond at a safe distance in the second half, finishing up with the victory to cap their 3-0 start.

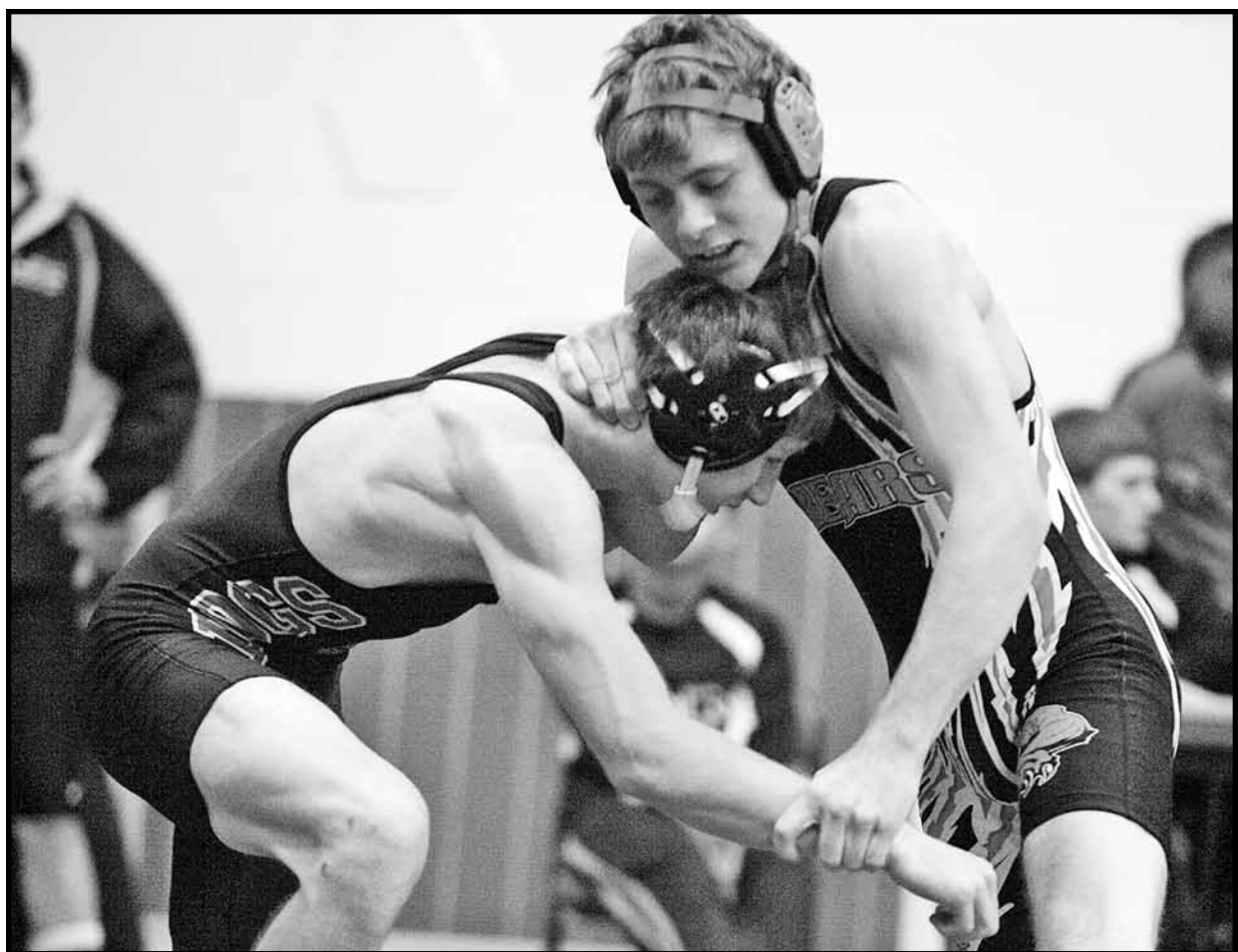
Nicholson had a game-high 18 points and Brambilla added 15. Gustafson and Brodie Mackling each had eight rebounds and Brambilla had five steals.

The Trojans finish a season-opening four-game home stand on Friday with a matchup against Wausa. They close out the pre-holiday portion of the schedule with road games at Stanton and Hartington the following weekend.

Wakefield 74, Pender 47
 Wakefield 22 15 19 18 - 74
 Pender 16 5 9 17 - 47
 WAKEFIELD - Nicholson 26, Conley 6, Dolph 9, Gustafson 15, Mackling 2, Brambilla 12, Anderson 4.

PENDER - Morgan 10, Kaup 14, Rediger 3, Slowman 9, Grahlner 3, Lamplot 4, Duenas 4.
 Wakefield 64, Allen 28
 Wakefield 20 14 16 14 - 64
 Allen 3 12 7 6 - 28
 WAKEFIELD - Nicholson 17, Greve 4, Conley 11, Dolph 5, Gustafson 9, Mackling 2, Brambilla 7, Anderson 3, Victor 4, Zamzow 2.

ALLEN - Flores 10, Kumm 2, Boese 2, Kneiff 10, Connot 2, Johnson 2.
 Wakefield 43, Osmond 33
 Wakefield 14 6 12 11 - 43
 Osmond 4 13 10 6 - 33
 WAKEFIELD - Nicholson 18, Conley 1, Gustafson 3, Mackling 4, Brambilla 15, Anderson 2.
 OSMOND - Scoring not available.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Drew Lunz of Laurel-Concord/Coleridge controls a Creighton/Verdigre wrestler during action at Saturday's Creighton Invitational.

Bears earn dual win, pick up three medals at Creighton

Laurel-Concord/Coleridge earned three medals in their first meet of the year and got their first varsity dual victory to open the season.

On Thursday, the Bears won all four matches that were held and used those wins and forfeits to post a 5-4-6 win over Lutheran High Northeast in action at Laurel-Concord/Coleridge High School.

Collin Dirks (160), Chris Heydon (170), Brett Haisch (182) and Ben Barelman (220) all earned pins for the Bears. Heydon and Barelman both recorded first-period pins to help the Bears make quick work of the Eagles.

On Saturday, LCC competed in

a tough opening tournament at Creighton, finishing 11th out of 18 teams and coming away with a trio of medalists.

Heydon reached the championship final, losing a decision to Chris Peterson of Elkhorn Valley at 170 pounds, while heavyweight Ethan Hirschman managed a sixth-place finish.

Next action for the LCC wrestlers is this Saturday at the Stanton Invitational. They will be off until after the holidays and return Dec. 28 at the Pierce Duals Invitational.

LCC 54, Lutheran High NE 6
 285: LHNE open. 106: LCC open. 113: Both open. 120: Both open. 126: LHNE open. 132:

Both open. 138: LHNE open.
 145: Both open. 152: LHNE open. 160: Collin Dirks, LCC, pinned Justice Nedela, 5:28. 170: Chris Heydon, LCC, pinned Josh Schlote, :53. 182: Brett Haisch, LCC, pinned Alec Wilcox, 3:42. 195: LHNE open. 220: Ben Barelman, LCC, pinned Reed Schaefer, 1:50.

Creighton Invitational
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 LCC Medalists
 170: 1. Chris Peterson, EV, dec. Chris Heydon, LCC, 6-0. 182: 5. Andrew Licking, Norfolk Reserves, def. Brett Haisch, LCC, forfeit. 285: 3. Louis DeJager, BC, pinned Ethan Hirschman, LCC, 2:14.

Allen girls drop two of first three

The Allen Lady Eagles came with in one shot of a 2-0 start to kick off the season but bounced back from a season-opening loss to get their first win of the season.

Allen battled Wakefield tough on the road to start the season Thursday. They led 19-15 at the half and battled back late after losing the lead. A long 3-point shot at the buzzer came up short, and Allen fell to the host Trojans, 30-29.

Allen had a balanced attack in the losing effort. Lindsey Sullivan led the way with eight points, while Brooke Hingst and Lexi Oswald each had seven points. Lindsey Jones put in three, while Gabby Sullivan and Kerri Goodman each had two.

Allen's defense came alive in the second half of Saturday's home opener against Cedar Bluffs. Allen outscored the visitors 14-1 in the third period, turning a close game into a 15-point Allen lead that ended in a 42-30 win for the Lady Eagles.

Allen got a game-high 12 points from Gabby Sullivan, while Lindsey Sullivan added 10. Jones and Oswald both finished with nine points for the Lady Eagles.

On Tuesday, the Lady Eagles traveled to Winnebago and dropped a 65-48 decision to fall to 1-2 on the season.

Gabby Sullivan paced Allen with 14 points, while Jones and Rachel Kneiff each had eight and Oswald threw in five.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Lexi Oswald makes a pass for Allen during action Friday at Wakefield.

Next action for the Lady Eagles is at Ewing on Thursday. They have home games against Homer on Friday and Hartington on Tuesday to close out the pre-holiday part of their schedule.

Wakefield 30, Allen 29
 Wakefield 6 9 7 8 - 30
 Allen 8 11 3 7 - 29
 ALLEN - L. Sullivan 8, Jones 3, Hingst 7, G. Sullivan 2, Oswald 7, Goodman 2.
 WAKEFIELD - Peitz 2, Echtenkamp 2, Puls 2, Lehmkuhl 23, Rusk 1.

Allen 42, Cedar Bluffs 30
 Allen 14 8 14 6 - 42
 Cedar Bluffs 10 10 1 9 - 30
 ALLEN - L. Sullivan 10, Jones 9, G. Sullivan 12, Oswald 9.

CEDAR BLUFFS - Scoring not available.
 Winnebago 65, Allen 48
 Allen 20 0 21 7 - 48
 Winnebago 38 0 19 8 - 65
 ALLEN - L. Sullivan 3, Jones 8, Hingst 4, G. Sullivan 14, Smith 1, Oswald 5, Johnson 3, Kneiff 8, Goodman 2.
 WINNEBAGO - Scoring not available.

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Trojans take second place

It was a solid first week of the season for the Wakefield wrestling team, as they posted a win over area rival Pender and finished third at the Howells-Dodge Invitational.

On Thursday, the Trojans won several matches down the stretch to come away with a 48-25 win over Pender in dual action at Wakefield High School.

Pender dominated the lighter weights, save for a win at 113 pounds by Irvin Ramirez for the Trojans. Wakefield got wins from Cody Thomas (182) and David Olvera to go on to the victory.

On Saturday, Wakefield finished the day with 10 medalists and had three champions in the pool-play tournament.

Ramirez (113), Caleb Thomas (160) and Cody Thomas (170) all went 6-0 in their weight brackets to lead the Trojans. Runner-up finishes were earned by Nick Gonzalez (126) and Jacob Newton (132), while Olvera was third at 285 pounds. Efen Godinez finished fifth at 182 while Garrett Brentlinger (103) and Daniel Nuno (138) both took seventh.

Wakefield's wrestlers will travel to Stanton Saturday for the Stanton Invitational.

Wakefield 48, Pender 25
113: Irvin Ramirez, Wakefield, pinned Josh Davis, time NA. 120: Pender open. 126: Mark Dunn, Pender, dec. Nick Gonzalez, 3-2. 132: Leland Bowder, Pender, maj. dec. Jacob Newton, 9-0. 138: Jacob Sebade, Pender, pinned Daniel Nuno, :59. 145: Wakefield open. 152: Both open.

160: Pender open. 170: Pender open. 182: Cody Thomas, Wakefield, pinned James Bensen, 3:32. 195: Wakefield open. 220: Pender open. 285: David Olvera, Wakefield, pinned Devin Soll, 3:29. 106: Pender open.

Howells-Dodge Invitational Team Standings
Malcolm 181.5, Millard South JV 166.5, Wakefield 152.5, Oakland-Craig 113.5, Scribner-Snyder 109.5, Howells-Dodge 67, Elkhorn South JV 57, Stanton 44, Clearwater-Orchard 30, Ponca 28, Lutheran High Northeast 25, Battle Creek JV 20, Elgin Public-Pope John 17.

Wakefield Medalists
106: Garrett Brentlinger (1-3, 7th). 113: Irvin Ramirez (6-0, 1st)120: Juan Gonzalez (4-2, 3rd). 126: Nick Gonzalez (4-2, 2nd). 132: Jacob Newton (3-3, 2nd). 138: Daniel Nuno (2-4, 7th). 160: Caleb Thomas (6-0, 1st). 170: Cody Thomas (6-0, 1st). 182: Efen Godinez (3-2, 5th). 285: David Olvera (3-2, 3rd).

Winside girls drop three

The Winside girls basketball team stumbled out of the gate to open the season, losing a pair of road games to Lewis and Clark Conference foes.

On Thursday, the Wildcats got off to a slow start against Plainview and were unable to bounce back, suffering a 57-18 setback. Plainview jumped out to a 33-9 halftime lead and were able to slow down Winside's offense and take the easy win.

Carly Thies led a balanced Winside attack with six points, while Jayd Roberts added four and Carly Schwager put in three.

The Wildcats turned around the following night and faced defending Class D-2 champion Wynot. Winside showed some signs of life against a very stout Blue Devils team but didn't have enough to withstand the attack of the defending champions and dropped a 70-36 decision.

Winside trailed 16-4 after one period but started to pick things up offensively and performed much better than they did in their first game.

Carly Thies led the Winside attack with 17 points while Roberts added nine points.

On Tuesday, the Wildcats hung with Lyons-Decatur for much of the first half but faded down the stretch in a 75-38 defeat at Lyons.

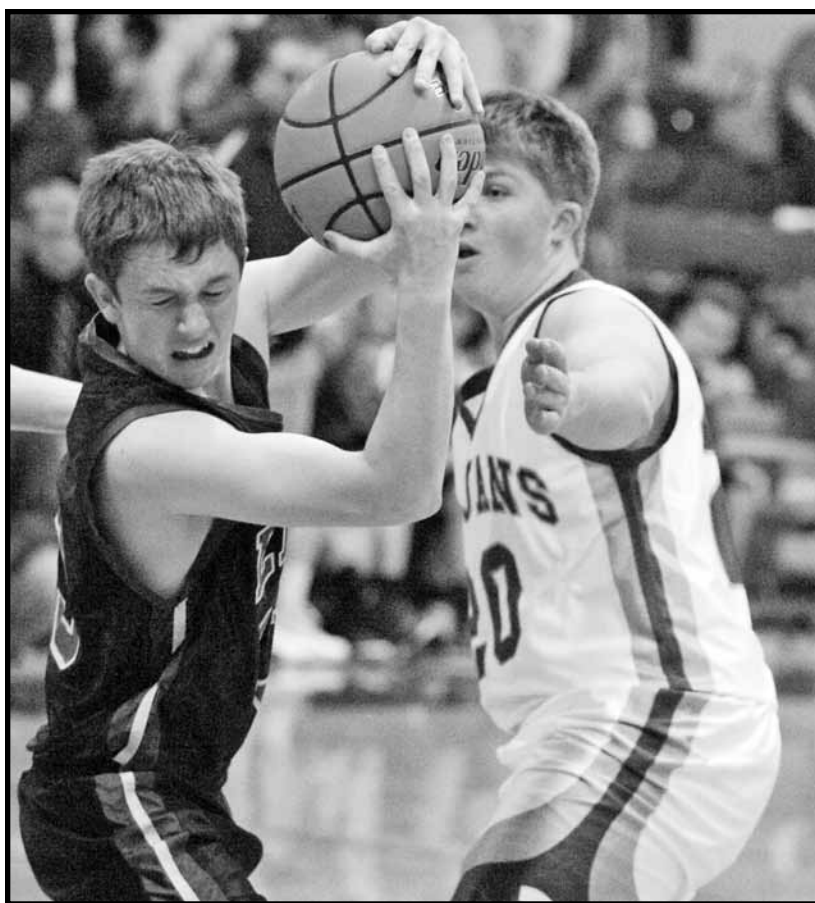
Carly Thies scored 11 points for the 0-3 Wildcats, while Kelly Tweedy had eight points. Mallory Stubbs put in seven, Schwager had five, and Roberts put in four.

Next action for the Wildcat girls is Friday at home against Bloomfield.

Plainview 57, Winside 18
Winside 3 6 5 4 - 18
Plainview 11 22 12 12 - 57
WINSIDE - Schwager 3, A. Thies 1, C. Thies 6, Jensen 2, Tweedy 2, Roberts 4.
PLAINVIEW - Forker 8, White 22, Jensen 10, J. Mosel 3, Waldow 4, Hart 6, Williams 2, N. Mosel 2.

Wynot 70, Winside 36
Winside 4 10 9 13 - 36
Wynot 16 17 17 20 - 70
WINSIDE - A. Thies 5, Stubbs 2, C. Thies 17, Jensen 3, Roberts 9.
WYNOT - Schlue 13, Heine 16, Wieseler 10, Arkfeld 10. Other scoring not available.

Lyons-Decatur 75, Winside 38
Winside 12 12 9 5 - 38
Lyons-Decatur 22 17 21 15 - 75
WINSIDE - Schwager 5, Jaeger 2, A. Thies 1, Stubbs 7, C. Thies 11, Tweedy 8, Roberts 4.
LYONS-DECATUR - Scoring not available.



Allen boys debut with 0-2 start

The Allen boys basketball team stumbled out of the gate to start the season, losing their first two games over the weekend.

On Friday, the Eagles ran into a hot-shooting Wakefield team that jumped them for a 20-3 first quarter lead. The Eagles played better after that rough start, but it wasn't enough as the Trojans came away with a 64-28 win.

Myles Flores led the Allen attack with 10 points, while Coleman Kneifl added nine points. Austin Connot and Brian Boese each had a bucket to get in the scorebook.

On Saturday, Allen slowed down Cedar Bluffs with a solid defensive effort but were cold from the field themselves as they dropped a 42-25 in the Eagle's home opener.

(Photo by Michael Carnes)
Coleman Kneifl comes up with the rebound for Allen during action Friday against Wakefield.

Cedar Bluffs broke open a close game with a 15-3 run in the second period that gave them a 13-point halftime lead, and they used that momentum to build a lead of as many as 19 points before settling on the 17-point win.

Allen had a balanced offensive effort, with Flores and Kneifl each scoring seven points, Boese had five, Connot scored four and Brandon Abts had two. Connot led the defense with eight rebounds.

The Eagles play at Ewing on

Thursday and play host to Homer on Friday and Hartington on Tuesday before beginning their holiday break.

Wakefield 64, Allen 28
Allen 3 12 7 6 - 28
Wakefield 20 14 16 14 - 64
ALLEN - Flores 10, Kumm 2, Boese 2, Kneifl 10, Connot 2, Johnson 2.

WAKEFIELD - Nicholson 17, Greve 4, Conley 11, Dolph 5, Gustafson 9, Mackling 2, Brambilla 7, Anderson 3, Victor 4, Zamzow 2.

Cedar Bluffs 42, Allen 25
Allen 4 3 8 10 - 25
Cedar Bluffs 5 15 14 8 - 42
ALLEN - Flores 7, Boese 5, Kneifl 7, Connot 4, Abts 2.

CEDAR BLUFFS - Scoring not available.

Toys promotion for WSC games

Fans attending this weekend's Wayne State basketball games can get free admission with a donation of a toy as part of the Wayne State Athletics Toy Drive.

Donations can be made at the game or at the Wayne State athletics department, located at the WSC Rec Center.

Wayne State will be playing Minnesota State and Concordia-St. Paul in men's and women's action Friday and Saturday. Games begin at 6 p.m. on Friday and 4 p.m. on Saturday at Rice Auditorium.



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All kids are invited to shop for free for their family members. The church is also looking for any donations for gifts, wrapping or volunteers to work.

Santa and Mrs. Claus

Santa and Mrs. Claus will be visiting with the children at the Christmas Concert on Thursday, Dec. 19. They will be in the gym before the concert and in the Commons at intermission after the elementary part of the concert. Any preschool through third grade child can have their picture taken with Santa and Mrs. Claus for \$2.

Order forms were given to the students on Dec. 11 and anyone wishing to have a picture taken is asked to return the order and money to the teacher by Monday, Dec. 16. Preschool children may order and pay for pictures as they are taken before the concert.

Food Pantry Drive

The Allen Springbank Township Library is sponsoring a Food Pantry Drive.

Bring in one item of nonperishable food, and receive one ticket for a chance to win a turkey or a ham. (No limit) The drawing will take place on Thursday, Dec. 19 at the Allen High School Christmas concert. You need not be present to win. Donations can be dropped off at Countryside Gas N Grocery or Security Bank.

Eagles Sports

On Friday, Dec. 13, the Eagles

host Homer for a four-game night, with JV girls starting at 4 p.m. The Music Boosters will be having a Craft Fair that night beginning at 5 p.m.

On Tuesday, Dec. 17, the Eagles will host Hartington with the junior varsity girls starting off the night at 4 p.m.

The Junior High boys basketball team will host Emerson-Hubbard on Thursday, Dec. 19 for a 2 p.m. game.

Wrestling – there is a wrestling tournament on Saturday, Dec. 14 at Stanton beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Allen High School Madrigal

The high school choir will present a Madrigal and Concert on Saturday, Dec. 14 at 7 p.m. at the Allen High School gym. There will be a full three course meal, and a choral concert.

Admission is \$12 per person. Please see a choir member for a ticket, or they may be purchased at Security Bank. Any questions, please call the school (402) 635-2424.

Book Club Meets

Allen Book Club is reading "O Pioneers" by Willa Cather. Discussion will be the third Wednesday in December at 2 p.m. at the library. Books available at the Senior Center or Carol Jackson

2014 Calendar Available Soon

The birthday and anniversary calendar for 2014 will be available for sale for \$5 at upcoming school events and the bank and gas station.

Allen Community Club

The Allen Community Club is starting a fundraising program on Dec. 8 with Schwan's foods. Please call (855) 870-7208 or visit www.schwans-cares.com to pre-order your items, the Allen Community Club will receive 20 percent of pre-ordered product and 40 percent

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Awarded \$450 for the Park

The Allen Community Club was awarded \$450 from the NNPPD Operation Roundup program. The group will use this to help purchase new protective groundcover and swings for the Allen Park.

Coat Closet

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Call Lynette Joslin, outreach chairman, at (402) 256-3862 if you have questions. The church also accepts good, clean, used, washable winter coats, which may be left in the plastic bins located inside three of the church doors.

Senior Center

Friday, Dec. 13: Brunch at 8:30 a.m. – French toast, ham slice, pineapple juice, tropical fruit.

Monday, Dec. 16: Hot beef, mashed potatoes, scalloped corn, pineapple upside down cake.

Tuesday, Dec. 17: Fish, mashed potatoes, Harvard beets, fruit cocktail.

Wednesday, Dec. 18: Pancakes, peaches, orange juice, sausage links.

Thursday, Dec. 19: Veggie beef soup, peanut butter sandwich, jello w/ veggies in ice cream treats.

Friday, Dec. 20: Brunch at 8:30 a.m. – Biscuits and gravy, sausage links, grape juice, pineapple.

Area residents are invited to stop in and have lunch at the Senior Center or call and asked to have a meal delivered (in town). Call (402) 635-2284 to reserve or request a delivery.

Community Birthdays

Saturday, Dec. 14: Myrna Roeber, Kyle Smith.

Sunday, Dec. 15: Euni Diediker, Joseph Grone, David Rastede, Shealynn Burns.

Monday, Dec. 16: Christopher Levine, Janice Harder, Kathy Boswell, Nicole Carr.

Tuesday, Dec. 17: Arlene Chase, Vicky Hingst.

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

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

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

Community Calendar

Friday, Dec. 13: Brunch at Senior Center 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; JVG/JVB/VG/VB here, vs. Homer 4 p.m.;

Saturday, Dec. 14: Varsity Wrestling at Stanton tourney 9:30 a.m.; Children's Christmas shopping at United Methodist Church 1-3 p.m.; High School Choir's Madrigal, Gym, 7 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 15: First Lutheran Church Worship, 9 a.m.; United Methodist Church Worship, 9 a.m.

Monday, Dec. 16: Exercising/Walking at Senior Center, 9 a.m. and 9:30 a.m.; Community Club meeting, 6:30 p.m.; FFA meeting, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 17: Dominos at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Histori-



Decorating the caboose helps make the main street of Allen ready for the holiday season. Shown are Community Club members Marcia Rastede, Sharon Puckett, Greta Kraemer, and Dean Chase (taking the picture) and children Garrett and Logan Kraemer sitting and Ashley Kraemer and Ben Jorgenson standing.

cal Society meeting, 1:30 p.m.; JVG/JVB/VG/VB here, vs. Hartington, 4 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 18: Exercising at Senior Center, 9 a.m.; Walking at Senior Center, 9:30 a.m.;

Book Club meets at Library, 2 p.m.; Springbank Library open, 2-6 p.m.; ACCTS at First Lutheran Church, 3:30-5 p.m.; First Lutheran Church confirmation at Allen, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 19: Dominos

at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; School Early Out, 1 p.m. (last day for Elementary); JH Boys BB here, vs. Emerson-Hubbard 2 p.m.; Winter Concert, 7 p.m. in gym; Santa & Mrs. Claus at Winter Concert.

Friday, Dec. 20: Brunch at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; Elementary – NO SCHOOL; Early Out for remainder of students, 1 p.m.

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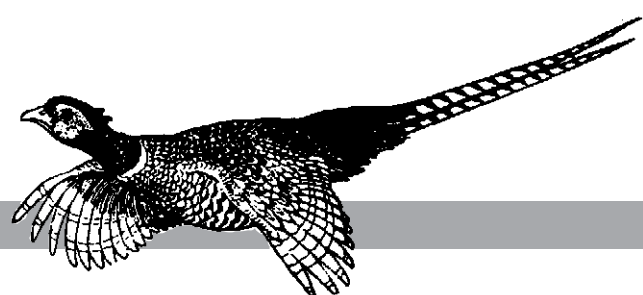
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Opinion

Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes
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Parents: kids sports are not about you

The recent cold weather blast has frozen the creative lobe of my brain. Thank God (and Al Gore) for the Internet, otherwise this week's "Bits and Pieces" file would be a disaster.

Friends and acquaintances online have been posting some pretty interesting stuff to read, so I thought I'd share one this week - this comes from Ooph.com's Stefanie Mullern, a social media personality and author of "Chicken Soup for the Girlfriend's Soul."

This is her list of the 10 things parents of athletes need to know (and, to be quite honest, there are several parents in this area who would do well to take some of these to heart):

1. It's not about you, it's about them. Do not live your own sports dreams through your kids. It's their turn now. Let them make their own choices, both good and bad.
2. Never talk to a coach about your child's play time after a game. Actually, you never should. You should have your kid do that. That said, if you just can't help yourself, send an e-mail the next day and ask for some phone time.
3. NEVER yell at referees. They are trying. How would you like it if someone came to your job and screamed at you? Not. So. Much. If you have a real issue, file a grievance the next day.
4. Do NOT coach your kid from the sideline. Your job is to be a cheerleader, not a coach. If you wanted to coach, you should have volunteered.
5. It is EXTREMELY UNLIKELY you are raising a professional athlete. I promise you. Relax, let them have a good time and learn the lessons they are supposed to be learning in sports.
6. Kids should play the sport that is in season until they are in middle school. Then they can decide which one or two sports they want to play and become more focused. Cross training prevents injuries and burnout.
7. If you have nothing nice to say, sit down and be quiet. Don't be "that" parent.
8. If you are losing your mind on the sideline of game, it's time to look in the mirror and figure out why. It's not normal to care that much about sports. Put that energy into something more productive.
9. Let them fail. Forgotten equipment, not working out, not practicing at home? Let them suffer the consequences of that. It will make them better.
10. Your kids are watching you. Make them proud, not embarrassed.

- A Georgia man was recently arrested for committing an unthinkable crime. I call it "unthinkable" because, in all honesty, the last thing I thought I'd see somebody arrested for is stealing . . . electricity.

The Decatur, Ga., man was attending a Saturday morning tennis practice for his 11-year-old son and plugged his electric car into a power outlet at a local middle school. The car was plugged in for about 20 minutes, taking what power company officials said was the cash equivalent of - brace yourselves - five cents.

I shudder to think what law enforcement in that town does to people who happen upon a dime dropped on the sidewalk - that's probably good for a hanging in the public square.

- Only in New York (part one) - an emotionally disturbed man who appeared to be attempting to commit suicide by walking into oncoming traffic near a Times Square bus terminal is being charged with assault of two people after they were shot by . . . get this . . . New York City police officers.

That's right - police officers opened fire, thinking the guy was reaching for a gun after he put a hand in his pants. They missed and, instead, struck two women who were in the area. The man was eventually brought down with a Taser.

The Manhattan district attorney, however, is charging the man with the injuries of the two women, even though he did not fire a single shot at anybody. Cops with bad aim, evidently, get a pass in New York City.

- Only in New York (part two) - two members of the New York Knicks got into a fight in the locker room recently over an issue that, in all honesty, is about the dumbest thing two grown men can get into a fight over.

The team was eating pasta after a game when Kenyon Martin and Metta World Peace began arguing over whether shell pasta or elbow pasta was better. Martin preferred shell pasta, while the former Ron Artest liked the elbow variety.

By the way, in case you were wondering how this latest discussion is affecting team chemistry . . . the Knicks were 3-13 at this writing.

- Annnnnnnnd finally . . . because it's always good to be the big man on campus, here's one from Seattle, home of the best team in the NFL, the Seattle Seahawks.

Linebacker Michael Bennett was hoping to get a table for his family at a trendy restaurant in Seattle but was told by the maitre'd that they were all booked up.

Undeterred, he called back a few minutes later and disguised his voice, claiming he was star quarterback Russell Wilson. He was not only told that there was a table available, but the maitre'd even quoted Wilson's stats from their Monday night win over New Orleans.

Bennett showed up with family in tow and got his table, complete with sparkling water. Now THAT is some superstar treatment.

Capitol View

It's that awkward time of year

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

We've entered that awkward lull in news in the Capital City - the few cold weeks between the regular Cornhusker football season and the beginning of the Legislature. The discussion of the 8-4 Husker season will only last a couple weeks.

There will be a slight bump during the revelation of bowl game assignments, but it's hard to get too excited about playing the Little Sisters of the Poor in the Spam and Cheese Casserole Bowl.

Excitement about the Legislature's short session - January 8 to April 17 - will be minimal at best. There is a primary election in May that will determine the Nov. 4, 2014, pairings in the nation's only non-partisan unicameral legislative body. The primary race for U.S. Senate and Governor will draw a little more interest with large numbers of Republicans in both races being narrowed to just one who will face off with the Democrat of choice.

Seventeen state senators will be going home to stay in April because of term limits. Of that number, nine are Republican, seven Democrat and one Independent in the officially non-partisan offices. Only the party faithful keeps track of those affiliations. Another seven state senators face re-election. The earliest that senators or senate hopefuls can file for the \$12,000-a-year job is December 1. There are already at least a dozen people who have indicated they will run and many more are probably waiting even though political analysts and lobbyists will tell you that those who announce early stand a better chance of making it because they have more time to take the pulse - and the contribu-



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tions - of their constituents.

State senators up for re-election and the handful running for higher office will watch their words and their votes carefully, making it difficult to have spirited debates or even meaningful discussions of the 406 carry-over bills from the 2013 session, let alone the anticipated major tax bills that lame duck Governor Dave Heineman will likely push. You might remember that senators Charlie Janssen of Fremont, Tom Carlson of Holdrege and Beau McCoy of Elkhorn are seeking

the Republican gubernatorial nod. Senator Annette Dubas of Fullerton dropped out of the race with former UNL Regent Chuck Hassebrook of Lyons for the Democratic Party governor's candidacy. State Sen. Pete Pirsch of Omaha is running for state auditor. Incumbent Auditor Mike Foley has joined the race for the GOP nod for governor.

Look for veteran lawmaker Ernie Chambers of Omaha - the Legislature's senior member (38-plus years) who has already sat out his mandatory four-year term limit ab-

stinance - to have a heyday with all of his colleagues who are running for something else. It's one thing to please potential voters. It's quite another to avoid the wrath of Ernie, who likes to talk about the Repellicans and the Demagogues. One can only speculate if he'll weigh in on the Pelini saga - but it's important to remember that Ernie has pushed before to allow colleges to pay football players.

Yes, it's going to be a long cold wait, but the drama unfolding Jan. 8 just might be worth it!

Legislative Update

How to get a hold of your state senator

With the start of the Legislative session a little over a month away, I thought this would be a good time for me to give you my thoughts on the best ways to contact your senator.

A phone call is always welcomed, but keep in mind that when we are in Lincoln, there are often meetings in addition to the session that take up our time making it very likely that you will end up talking to our staff.

A personal letter is another way that you can contact us; if you are in our district, we will respond and keep your letter on file.

The easiest way is probably by e-mail, but understand that we can receive more than 50 e-mails a day, and I personally look at all the e-

mails from the district. If you are sent a form letter/e-mail and encouraged to send it on to your representative, I would strongly encourage you to insert at least a few lines at the beginning of your letter to let us know why you are sending it and how it affects you.

Regardless of how you contact us, please give us your name and address and if your contact is by letter or e-mail, the best way to reach you. This allows us to know that you are in our district and a top priority for us, but it also makes it easier for us to contact you at a later date if we need to do so.

This upcoming session is once again going to be packed with controversial issues (taxes, Medicaid expansion, prison reform and K-12



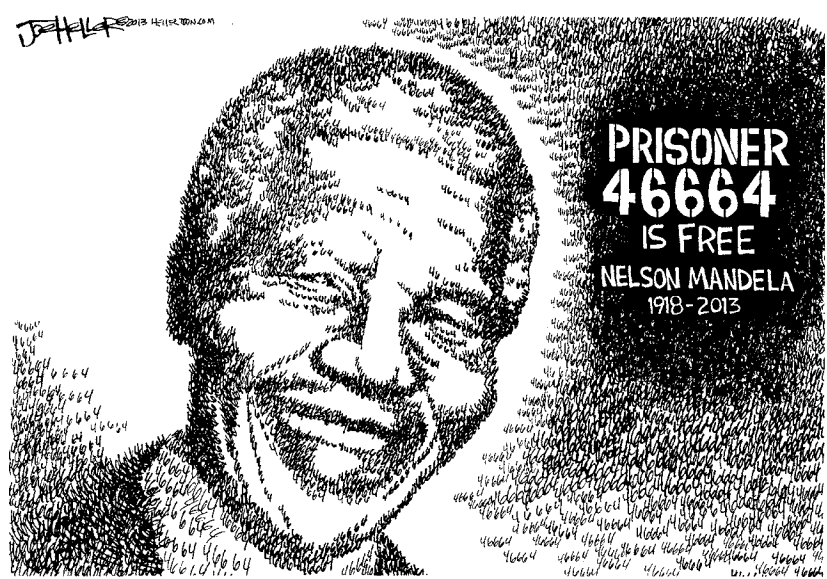
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By Dave Bloomfield
State Senator, District 17

school funding, just to name a few), and you need to let us know your

thoughts on these issues. I may not always agree with you, but I will listen to your opinions.

On a personal note, Dee and I snuck in a brief trip to Tennessee. We flew to Nashville then drove to Chattanooga. We attended a Vince Gill concert; he is Dee's favorite entertainer, and the event happened to be on her birthday. The concert was a fundraiser for a child advocacy group that helps children who may have been abused. I was able to meet with and get to know (a little) the majority leader of the Tennessee House of Representatives. He is a very interesting fellow by the name of Gerald McCormick. We also visited the Hermitage in Nashville, the home of our seventh president, Andrew Jackson. It was all very interesting, though a little too brief.

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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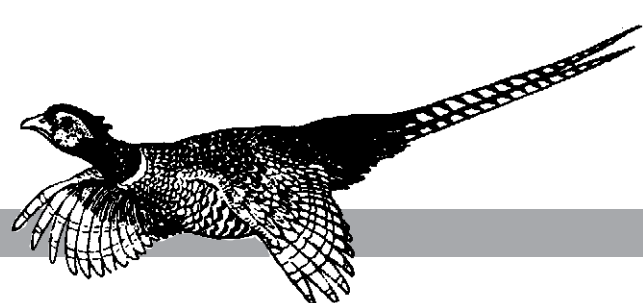
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Lifestyle

The Wayne Herald



Children want more than presents

The holiday season should be a time for celebrating with family and friends. However, the joy of this is often lost in the shuffle of gift buying, party planning and traveling.

Unwrapping presents Christmas morning may be the "big show", but children need, and want, more than sparkly gifts during the holidays.

People easily forget how much fun it is to just relax and have fun with friends and family during Christmastime. Don't get so wrapped up in the logistics of celebrations that everyone forgets to just have a good time. Years in the future, children will remember the times spent eating together, playing games and talking more than the presents they received.

Although it is tempting to attend every community event and family party, parents should be careful not to over schedule their holiday calendar. Attending two events in one week is enough for young children. They become cranky after they miss their bedtime more than once a week. Even parents need proper sleep to be awake and en-



Kim Bearnes
Extension Educator

joy the holidays, too. Everyone also benefits from sticking to their usual routines. Following a daily schedule by doing simple things like serving meals at the same time helps family members stay in tune during the hectic holidays.

However stressful the holidays may be, everyone looks forward to

Christmas morning and the presents under the tree. Parents should sit down with their children at the beginning of the holiday season and discuss realistic gift expectations with them. Let young children know that Santa Claus has to buy presents for everyone, so he can't afford to buy really expensive gifts. If older children have a more expensive present in mind, let them know they can get it but it will be their only gift. If children know their price range, they will look for presents that fit in it. Instead of being unnecessarily disappointed Christmas morning, children will know what to expect and love the gifts they receive.

Finally, families should stick to their traditions. If parents do not have traditions left over from their childhoods, they should start their own with their children. Traditions are what children will look forward to each year, and they are what children will remember and carry on with them when they have their own families.

School Lunches

ALLEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Dec. 16-20)

Monday: Breakfast — Cereal, oatmeal, breakfast pizza, fruit. Lunch — Orange chicken, rice, broccoli, oranges, tea rolls.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Cereal, oatmeal, muffins, juice. Lunch — Chili, crackers, carrots, celery, tossed salad, cinnamon rolls, applesauce, apples.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Cereal, oatmeal, toast, fruit. Lunch — Ham, mashed potatoes, gravy, sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, tea rolls.

Thursday: Breakfast — Cereal, oatmeal, sausage links, juice. Lunch — Hot dogs, bun, baked beans, carrots, celery, onions, pineapple, corn chips.

Friday: Breakfast — Cereal, oatmeal, pancakes, fruit. Lunch — Cook's choice.

Milk served with breakfast and lunch. Menu subject to change.

LAUREL-CONCORD/COLERIDGE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Dec. 16-20)

Monday: LC Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Mac 'n cheese with little Smokies. MS Breakfast — French toast sticks. MS Lunch — Hot dogs.

Tuesday: LC Breakfast — Belgium waffles. LC Lunch — Chili. MS Breakfast — Muffins. MS Lunch — Pork chops.

Wednesday: LC Breakfast — Tornado. LC Lunch — Chicken strips. MS Breakfast — Breakfast bagel. MS Lunch — Meatball sub.

Thursday: LC Breakfast — Omelet. LC Lunch — Christmas dinner. MS Breakfast — Breakfast bites. MS Lunch — Christmas dinner.

Friday: LC Breakfast — Mini pancakes. LC Lunch — Turkey sandwich. MS Breakfast — Ham and cheese combo bar. MS Lunch — Super nachos.

All menus subject to change. Orange juice, skim milk, fruit, yogurt and salad bar are available daily. All breads and pasta are whole grain.

WAKEFIELD SCHOOLS (Dec. 16-20)

Monday: Breakfast — Cereal, orange juice. Lunch — Scalloped potatoes and ham, green beans, whole grain roll, mixed fruit.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Bagels, pears. Lunch — Italian dunkers, Romaine lettuce, peaches.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Biscuits

and gravy, apricots. Lunch — Sloppy Joes, tater tots, Romaine lettuce, pears.

Thursday: Breakfast — Applesauce bar, grape juice. Lunch — Pork chop patty, baked beans, homemade bun, cucumbers, oranges.

Friday: Breakfast — Frudels, oranges. Lunch — Vegetable beef soup, grilled cheese, baby carrots, celery, orange juice.

Milk and cereal served with breakfast. Juice or fruit offered everyday.

WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (Dec. 16-20)

Monday: Breakfast — Pancake on a stick. Lunch — Barbecue ribs with whole grain bun, baked beans, cauliflower, apricots.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Biscuits and gravy. Lunch — Chicken and noodles, crackers, carrots, broccoli, strawberries, cinnamon roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast — French toast sticks. Lunch — Sloppy Joe with whole grain bun, sweet potato fries, tomato, pears.

Thursday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Stromboli, lettuce, corn, apple.

Friday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch — Chicken nuggets, whole grain dinner roll, carrots, green beans, peaches.

Fruit and vegetable bar available for K-12.

Fruit served with every breakfast. Chef salad is optional.

Milk served with every meal.

WINSIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS (Dec. 16-20)

Monday: Breakfast — Frittata omelet. Lunch — Popcorn chicken, peas, fruit cocktail, roll.

Tuesday: Breakfast — Pancake. Lunch — Chili, cinnamon roll, carrots and celery, pears.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Omelet. Lunch — Barbecue pork on bun, baked beans, applesauce.

Thursday: Breakfast — Muffin. Lunch — Pizza, grilled cheese sandwich, green beans, pineapple.

Friday: Breakfast — Egg taco. Lunch — Sloppy Joe, fries, peaches.

Milk served with all meals. Menu may change without notice.

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All members of the Acme Club were present on Dec. 2 for the Christmas observance at the Senior Center in Wayne. The event included lunch and a party following.

Each member brought homemade candy or treats to share.

Ruth Victor gave the Thought for the Day, "A Parting Wish."

"May your season be jolly,
Your halls decked with holly,
Your ornaments festive and shiny,

May your shopping be quick
May your eggnog be thick,
May your fruitcake be ever so tiny!

May your feast be extensive

(and not too expensive)
Your cards a treat for the ears.
May your candles be bright
May your spirits be light
May it be your best Christmas in years!"

For entertainment each told of a special memory from a childhood Christmas. Then each told about something that happened as they became older.

To close the afternoon program, Elinor Jensne recited Luke 2:1-14, "The Nativity of Christ," verses she had memorized and given as a child at a church Christmas Eve program.

The next meeting of the Acme Club will be Jan. 6, 2014 with Elinor Jensen as hostess.

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Wedding



Rahn-Fuoss married Oct. 19 in Wakefield

Crystal Rahn of Allen and Brian Fuoss of Winside were united in marriage on Oct. 19, 2013 at the Salem Lutheran Church in Wakefield.

The Rev. Darwin Garton officiated the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are David and Jean Rahn of Allen, Dennis Fuoss of Winside and Susan Koehler of Norfolk.

A reception was held at the Allen Fire Hall in Allen.

The couple is making their home in Norfolk.

Senior Center Calendar

(Week of Dec. 16-20)

Monday, Dec. 16: Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Wayne High School Carolers, 11:30 a.m.; Hand & Foot, 1 p.m.; Dominoes, 1 p.m.; Board meeting, 1 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 17: Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Susan Boust Piano, 11:30 a.m.; Complimentary meal by Herman Chiropractic; Afternoon Bridge Club; Anne Liska Toe Clinic, 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Dec. 18: Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Health Screening, 9:30 a.m.; Special Luncheon with Certificates by Careage; Hand & Foot, 1 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 19: Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Pitch Party, 1 p.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club; Oaks Day with Sarah Townsend and Charlotte Easland, 12:45 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 20: Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Merle Ring Organist, "Christmas Carols," 11:30 a.m.; Christmas Dinner, noon; Hand & Foot, 1 p.m.; Bingo, 1:15 p.m.

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

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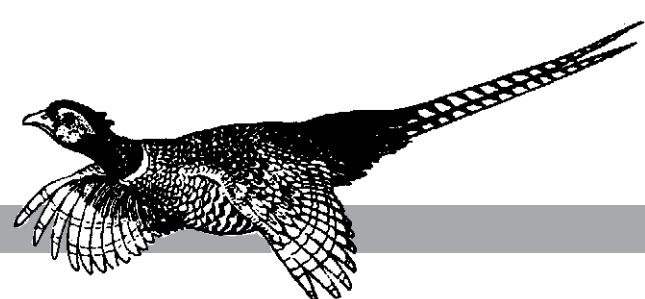
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church, 6 p.m. **Tuesday:** Adoration, 4:30-5 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m.; No Mass at 9 p.m. **Wednesday:** Mass, 8:15 a.m.; Adoration, 4:30-5 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m.; Catechists Meeting, 6:45 p.m.; Religious Education Classes for seventh grade through W.I.N.G.S. **Thursday:** "That Man Is You," breakfast at 5:45 a.m., Session from 6-7 a.m. in Holy Family Hall; Adoration, 4:30-5 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m.; RCIA, rectory, 7 p.m. **Friday:** No Mass, Fr. Beran's day off; School Dismissal at 2 p.m. - Teacher-in-Service.

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Sunday: Divine Service with Communion, 8 a.m.

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(Pastor Peter Phillips)
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Fishers of Kids students share their faith and patriotism during the recent Thanksgiving dinner.

Fishers of Kids celebrate Thanksgiving

Fishers of Kids Preschool and Pre-K Class celebrated Thanksgiving on Nov. 27 with family and invited guests at Grace Lutheran Church.

Children prepared for the Thanksgiving gathering by creating turkey table decorations, sharing what they are thankful for, and

making home-made apple pies.

The Pre-kindergarten class also shared their own directions for how to make and bake an apple pie.

The festivities began with a short program by the schoolchildren where they shared their patriotism with the song God Bless Our Native Land, their faith by reciting He-

brews chapter 12:2 and their thankfulness with the hymn Praise and Thanksgiving. Students then led the prayer before school volunteers served pie, coffee, and lemonade.

"It was a great way to begin the Thanksgiving holiday," said Ann Steinmeyer, Fishers of Kids teacher.



Motivational speaker

Ms. Joan Sudmann, Wayne Elementary Guidance Counselor, brought a special guest to the Wayne Elementary fifth grade classes recently. The guest was Jasmine Fuelberth, Miss Nebraska Teen, USA. She talked to the fifth grade students and kindergarten students about respect, reaching for dreams, hard work, and surrounding themselves with positive people. The fifth graders were given an opportunity to ask questions and listen to Jasmine talk about her experience. She is planning to visit some of the other classes in the coming weeks.

Briefly Speaking

Bridge played at Senior Center

AREA — Bridge was played at the Wayne Senior Center on Tuesday, Dec. 10 with 12 ladies attending. Bridge was played at three tables.

Hostess was Fauneil Bennett.

Bridge will be played again on Tuesday, Dec. 17. Hostess will be Joan Lage. For reservations, call (402) 375-1729 by Sunday, Dec. 8.

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Winside St. Paul women hold Christmas luncheon

Winside's St. Paul's Ladies Aid and LWML met Dec. 3 for a 12:30 p.m. Christmas luncheon. There were 10 members and Nancy Warnemunde, Mary Lou George, Nancy Reed, Gail Jaeger, LeLana Marotz and Dorinda Janke as guests.

President Daisy Janke called the meeting to order reciting the LWML

Pledge.

Christmas gifts will be given to Camp Luther, Rescue Mission and Pastor Goodman and family.

The Ladies Aid will serve the Advent Supper on Dec. 11. They will serve soup, sandwiches and desserts. There will be a craft table also.

Shut-in boxes will be packed on Monday, Dec. 16.

The program committee had Lorraine Prince talk about her trip to the National LWML Convention to Pittsburgh June 27-30.

They had a reading "Christmas is Joy" Christmas carols were sung. Pastor Goodman closed with a prayer and the Lord's Prayer.

The next meeting will be Jan. 8, 2014 at 12:30 p.m. with a carry-in dinner.

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Tuesday: Polish dog with kraut on bun, baked beans, cucumber salad, vanilla pudding with marshmallows and frozen mangos, Promise.

Wednesday: Baked chicken with cream of chicken soup, Ranch roasted potatoes, frozen mixed vegetables, whole wheat fresh bread and Promise, frozen fruit with yogurt, coconut cream pie (Senior Center).

Thursday: Baked Italian pasta, mozzarella cheese, dilled carrots, lettuce salad, Dorothy Lynch, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise, green gelatin with canned mandarin oranges.

Friday: Christmas dinner. Baked ham, candied sweet potatoes, green bean casserole, whole wheat fresh bread and Promise, cranberry orange fluff salad, chocolate chip mint ice cream (Senior Center).

Wanted ... Church news

The Wayne Herald would like to print information and schedules from area churches.

All information submitted to the Herald by Monday at 5 p.m. (delivered to the Herald office) or emailed by 8 a.m. on Tuesday will be included in that week's edition of the paper.

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Six Northeast Community College students study in England

There are hundreds of thousands of words in the English language, and their definitions may not be the same to everyone. Six students, an administrator and an instructor from Northeast Community College found that out this fall during a visit to England.

"One thing I noticed was all of the different words that mean different things. Something like 'chips' means 'fries' to us," said Cara Hoehne, Northeast business instructor. "It was good to pick up on those types of things. When our students get into the real world and work with people in an international setting, they may want to look up the correct words or learn dialects so they are not offending someone when they are trying to make a business deal or trying to forge a relationship."

Hoehne and Pam Saalfeld, associate dean of humanities, arts and social sciences, led the students on a ten-day exchange to North Lindsey College in Scunthorpe, England. Earlier this year, North Lindsey sent six students and two administrators to Northeast. The two colleges signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) in 2012 creating a program of international study between the two institutions.

"This was a chance for our students to experience an educational system other than our own, Saalfeld said. "This was a unique opportunity for them to be in a classroom taught by instructors in a totally international setting. It was also good they could take part in this exchange with other students, rather than going it alone which is how many international exchanges operate. Whether or not they travel again, they can look back on a very eventful experience in their lives."

Saalfeld said they had a wonderful group of Northeast Community College students that were part of the exchange. "They were engaging. They were mature, polite and eager to experience anything and every-



(Contributed photo)

Northeast Community College students pose in front of the ruins of Whitby Abbey on the English coast of the North Sea. The students took part in a ten-day exchange at nearby North Lindsey College in Scunthorpe, England. Pictured (from left) are Alex Barth, Edgar Mateo, April Osborn, Beth Ebmeier, Mikayla Snow, and Michael Dekker.

thing. There was never a moment where they didn't want to do or see something. Our students were exceptional."

Hoehne agreed. "I can't say enough of how proud I was of our students. They got along so well and really represented Northeast Community College nicely. I am so proud of them."

All the Northeast students on the exchange are second year business students. They are Alex Barth, Kingsley, Iowa; Michael Dekker, Norfolk; Beth Ebmeier, Laurel, Edgar Mateo, Riverside, Calif.; April Osborn, Meadow Grove; and Mikayla Snow, Litchfield.

Hoehne said they began the exchange in North Lindsey marketing classes. She said it was interesting for the Northeast students because the North Lindsey classrooms are set up differently from what they are used to.

"It was more like a computer lab for us compared to what we consider to be a classroom. Where we bring in technology like laptops or iPads at Northeast, they have desktop com-

puters in a u-shape configuration. Our students had a little trouble knowing if they should be looking at the computer or at the instructor, so that was a big difference that we noticed right away."

The Northeast students attended a number of other classes, such as business communications, computer classes, and hospitality and tourism, which was among the group's favorites.

The hospitality and tourism classes feature the interior of a simulated commercial airplane, which has much more room than the real thing. The simulator is used to teach students how to be flight attendants and stewards.

Transforming teaching and learning is among the institutional priorities at Northeast Community College. The distribution of Apple iPad tablets to several hundred Northeast students over the past year falls in line with the initiative, which is designed to foster a culture of innovation to improve student learning and allow Northeast to become a global leader of transforming teaching and learning.

Hoehne said she heard a few comments from the North Lindsey students who said they were surprised Northeast students received the iPads to use in their classes. Northeast students may also use their cell phones in the classroom at certain times for coursework. "The North Lindsey students thought it was cool our students could do their course work using mobile devices in the classroom," Hoehne said.

Both Hoehne and Saalfeld said the age difference between the students was evident. "Our students walked in and shined. They knew the material even before they entered the classroom," Hoehne said. "As an instructor, it was amazing to see them pull out the knowledge that we have been trying to instill in them through different business classes and general education courses."

However, Hoehne said it is important to point out that most North Lindsey students are five-to-seven years younger, on average, than the Northeast students. The oldest student the Northeast group encountered at North Lindsey was 19 years old.

Saalfeld said the student was very much on the same level as the Northeast students. "That 19-year-old could converse with our 20 and 22-year-old students. Everything else may be cultural, but age and maturity are not. The North Lindsey folks were not any less polite or respectful; but a difference in age really does matter," she said.

It wasn't all classroom work for the students. The Northeast delegation did get the opportunity to take some side trips in England during the ten-day visit.

"On the weekend, we went to Lincoln and York and visited the cathedrals in both cities. We also went

to North Sea village of Whitby and visited Whitby Abbey, which inspired author Bram Stoker to write the classic novel, "Dracula," Saalfeld said. The final portion of the trip was a one-day whirlwind tour of London.

While attending classes, the group stayed in a bed and breakfast inn in the nearby village of Brigg since North Lindsey does not have dormitories. Saalfeld said the students were so comfortable with the establishment they would pop into the kitchen each day and say "Good Morning!" to the proprietor.

Eating was also experience for the students. Hoehne said she thinks the students were shocked to be served a full English breakfast on their first day there. "Mushrooms, tomatoes, eggs, baked beans and what looked like Canadian bacon were the norm. It was incredible." The group also had fish and chips and steak and ale pie, among other local delicacies.

The exchange is exactly what Northeast wants to achieve through the MOU with North Lindsey and the other international colleges and universities in which it has signed similar agreements. It falls in line with another one of the eight institutional priorities at the College - Global Educational Opportunities.

"When we started this initiative, we knew we had to find a way to let our students experience international travel. The world is getting smaller and smaller and more opportunities are becoming available to those who have had that experience," Saalfeld said. "At the very least, we took six students out of Nebraska and brought them to England and showed them another country, another style of driving (on the left side of the road), different foods, different dialects, and immersed them in history. In ten days, we gave them a cultural experience that will last forever."

Saalfeld said this experience was so different from the days when she was a student traveler. "Instead of taking pieces of paper and writing your address down and say we'll be pen pals, social media has linked these students together," she said.

"They literally put their phones in the center of a table and the North Lindsey students grabbed each one and entered their Facebook information, which allowed them to be Facebook friends right away. This really is bridging the cultural gap."

Hoehne added, "And the great part about it is, they will maintain these relationships."

Hoehne said it didn't take long for the Northeast students to decide that they would like a return visit.

"The second we touched down when we returned to the United States, they were excited to do this again. I spoke with one instructor who had one of our students and the student was beaming from ear-to-ear. He wants to tell the world what he knows, what he learned, what he wants to do and where he is going next. That's what we wanted. We wanted to pop that bubble so these students know that it is possible to go anywhere."

Both women want the experience with North Lindsey to continue. "From Northeast's perspective, we hope to find other departments at the College so more students have the same opportunities to experience another culture," Saalfeld said. "We want to continue the exchange of bringing over some of their students to Northeast while we send our students to North Lindsey."

Hoehne sees the long range benefits of the journey to England for the students. "Because they have had this experience, it has taught them to be mindful of how they must approach people and projects. I tell the students that no matter who we are in the business world, we have to learn to tailor our business needs to others not only here, but across the globe if we want to be successful."

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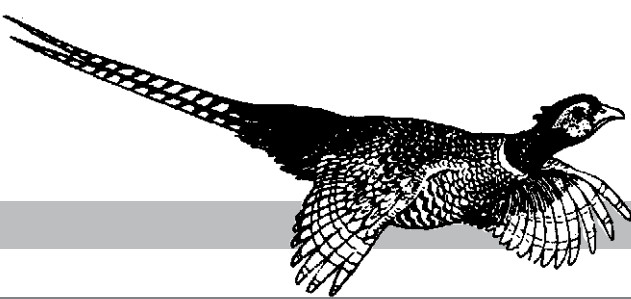
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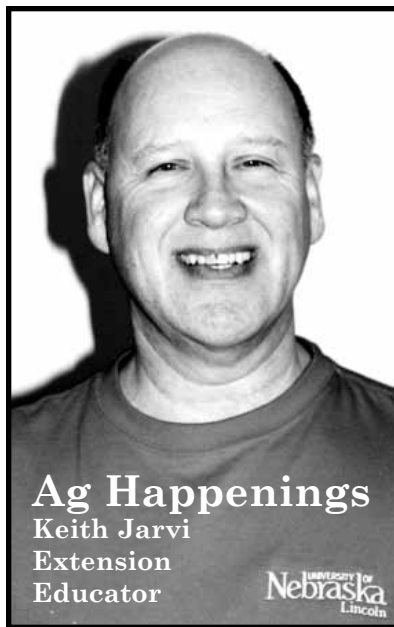
Consider space, plant hardiness when growing fruit trees

As interest in home or locally grown produce increases, fruit tree planting is on the rise.

If considering adding fruit trees to the backyard or an acreage planting, early planning is important. Kelly Feehan summarizes some hints for us.

Fruit trees grow well in Nebraska. According to Vaughn Hammond, Extension Educator with the Kimmel Education and Research Center, Nebraska was nationally recognized as a fruit producing state in the late 1800s and early 1900s. Our fruit industry declined when the 1940 Armistice Day freeze killed many fruit trees. Following the drought years, the fall of 1940 was mild and rainy. The moisture was quickly taken up by fruit trees. A hard freeze on Nov. 11 then caused tree trunks to rupture as the moisture inside froze. Due to the Great Depression, many trees were not replaced and orchards were converted to row crops.

With a growing interest in fruit trees, Hammond recommends the following preparation before planting. First analyze the site. It needs



Ag Happenings
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at least six hours of direct sun per day, preferably midday sun. Eight or more hours of sunlight would be ideal for most fruit crops. Take a soil test to determine pH, fertility and organic matter levels. Also, if the soil is clay and does not drain well, fruit trees are likely to struggle and not produce as well. If the

area does not have good air flow, cold air can build up and kill flower buds during spring frosts.

Determine how much space is available. Consider a tree's mature size and if more than one variety of a tree needs to be planted for pollination. While some fruit trees are self-fruitful (self-pollinating), almost all trees produce better if more than one variety is planted. If space is limited, select self-fruitful trees and look for dwarf (5 to 8 feet tall) or semi-dwarf (8 to 15 feet tall) trees. Dwarf trees are typically a variety grafted onto a dwarfing root stock.

Apples, peaches, pears, Asian pears, plums, apricots and tart cherries can be grown in Nebraska.

Although thanks to global warming we are now in winter hardiness zone 5, Vaughn suggests that for northern Nebraska, select varieties hardy to at least zone 4. Always select trees with disease resistance.

Apples and tart cherries tend to bloom later so blossoms are less likely to be lost to spring frosts. Apples can be self-fruitful, but the majority of varieties are self-fruitful. Tart cherries are consid-

ered to be self-fruitful. While there are numerous apple varieties for Nebraska, Hammond suggests Liberty, Freedom and Enterprise. For plums, two that he recommends are Montmorency and Balaton. Pears do very well in Nebraska. Most are self-unfruitful and need a pollinator variety. Most pears pollinate one another; however, Seckel pears will not pollinate Bartlett pears. Hammonds suggested varieties include Bartlett, Anjou and Comice.

Apricots tend to be the most frost-susceptible fruit trees grown in Nebraska. Planting sites with good air drainage are important. Hammond recommends Hargrand and Sungold. Both are hardy to zone 4 and self-fruitful. Plums are classified as European, Damson or Japanese. Hardy varieties of all three types can be grown in Nebraska. Japanese plums are most susceptible to spring frosts, but their excellent fruit quality can be worth the risk. Most plums are self-unfruitful. Hammond recommends Stanley, Castleton (zone 5) and Shiro (zone 5).

Peaches are the least hardy fruit

trees grown in Nebraska and susceptible to borers. Reliance is one of the few varieties for zone 4. Most peaches are self-fruitful, but

planting two varieties will increase yields. Choose varieties that bloom later to reduce damage by spring frosts.

To Our Customers:

Thank you for your patience and support while we recover from the recent tornado damage. We had major damage to 85% of our equipment, trucks and vehicles, moderate damage to our shop building and major damage to several other buildings.

We lost a lot of time with repairs and clean-up but will continue to try and take care of our customers earthmoving needs. Hopefully the weather will stay warm enough so that we can take care of many of you before the ground freezes.

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December brings cold weather, new linoleum

Brrrr! I know I don't have to tell you, but it's cold! Our choir cantata is this Wednesday eve, and we had a tough rehearsal tonight; the basses have acquired some bad habits! Tomorrow evening, it's another one, with the instruments.

I have wanted to replace the linoleum in this kitchen for some time. I just could not make up my mind as to what I wanted to replace it with! I would bring home a sample, lay it in a corner, think about it and then get rid of it.

Finally, a month ago, I picked one! Then, I had to get on the schedule for the guy who does the work. He started this morning. I had been told that the subfloor would have to come up and a new one laid; I just didn't realize what a job that is. The one in place here was put in with thousands of staples. I'm really glad I don't make my living taking up old linoleum and the subfloor under it!

I entertained him with stories of the floor in the kitchen of our



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

house on the farm. It had seven layers of linoleum, and the last one was painted. There was a time when everything was painted, for good or bad.

As you can imagine, this is not conducive to holiday decorating! But it does give me a reason to be in the basement storeroom, where I have been unable to find a whole box of Christmas tree decorations. How do these things happen?

In addition, I had to disconnect the computer tower, and I even unplugged the Time Warner box that gives us the phone and the internet. We decided we had to have the phone and pulled up enough wire to do that, but I've been unable to get back on the net. Obviously, something I unplugged has not been replugged, and I'm too tired from all that singing to worry about it tonight! (My spell check says there is no such word as replugged; imagine that!)

The young man carrying my groceries the other day informed me he was loving the weather and that it was only the second time in his life he had seen snow. I learned that he was from Florida, and he added that we don't have hurri-

canes here and that he was had alligators at his front door at times. I told him we do have tornadoes, and I hope he still loves winter in March.

Stay warm, and be glad we aren't in Texas, where they had to wrap the palm trees in insulation to keep them from freezing!

Soybead Day, Machinery Expo is set

The 2013 Nebraska Soybean Day and Machinery Expo Dec. 19 will assist soybean producers in planning for next year's growing season.

The expo, which begins at 8:30 a.m. and concludes at 2:30 p.m., will be in the pavilion at the Saunders County Fairgrounds in Wahoo, said Keith Glewen, University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension educator.

The expo opens with coffee, doughnuts and the opportunity to view equipment and exhibitor booths. Speakers start at 9 a.m.

Registration is available the day of the expo at the door. For more information about the program or exhibitor information, call (800) 529-8030 or e-mail kglewen1@unl.edu.

Livestock Market Report

The Nebraska Livestock Market conducted a fat cattle sale on Friday. Prices were \$3 to \$4 higher on fat cattle and steady on cows. There were 425 fat cattle sold.

Strictly choice fed steers, \$130 to \$133.90. Good and choice steers, \$127.50 to \$130. Medium and good steers, \$125 to \$127.50. Standard steers, \$105 to \$115. Strictly choice fed heifers, \$130 to \$133.90. Good and choice heifers, \$127.50 to \$130. Medium and good heifers, \$125 to \$127.50. Standard heifers, \$100 to \$120.

Beef cows, \$75 to \$80. Utility cows, \$80 to \$90. Canners and cutters, \$61 to \$75. Bologna bulls, \$85 to \$95.

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

The market was higher on the 1,800 head sold.

300-400 lb. steers, \$200 to \$225; heifers, \$180 to \$224.

400-500 lb. steers, \$180 to \$210; heifers, \$160 to \$185.

500-600 lb. steers, \$175 to \$195; heifers, \$150 to \$180.

600-700 lb. steers, \$170 to \$192; heifers, \$140 to \$166.

700-800 lb. steers, \$160 to \$175; heifers, \$140 to \$155.

800-900 lb. steers, \$145 to \$165; heifers, \$130 to \$150.

No test on holstein steers.

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

The market was steady on all classes.

Fat lambs, 130-160 lbs., \$150 to \$153.

Feeder lambs, 40-100 lbs., \$125 to \$160.

Ewes: Good, \$50 to \$100; medium, \$35 to \$50; slaughter, \$25 to

\$35.

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

Crossbred baby calves, \$150 to \$250.

Holstein calves, \$50 to \$100.

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

Prices were \$2 to \$3 lower on butchers and steady on sows. There were 200 head sold.

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Dave Olson - "We do have a lot of used equipment"

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We do have Christmas toys available at the Providence Road location.

If you are interested in the on-line auction you need to go to the Copart website. Some of the items end bidding on the 10th and some on the 17th. Not all items are listed online yet, continue to check the website.

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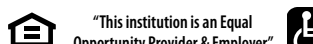
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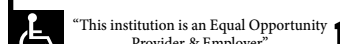
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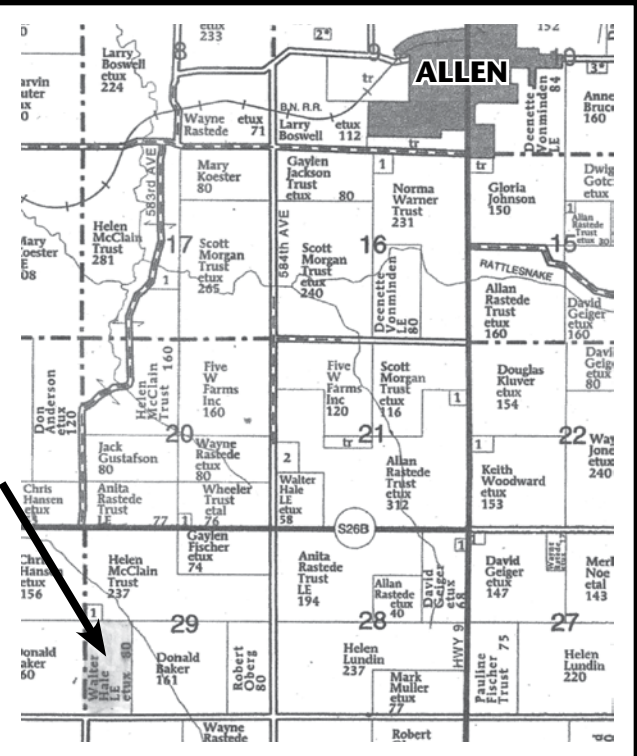
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THANK YOUS

THANK YOU friends and relatives for the prayers and support after my recent open heart surgery. Also, thank you to Pastor Leise for the prayers and visits.
Johnene Gutzmann

The family of George Voss wishes to thank everyone who has helped George and his family through this time before and after his death. Employees at the Veterans Home the past two years were caring and efficient. The funeral procession by the Winside Firemen/Rescue Unit to the cemetery and the Winside American Legion #252 military rites at the cemetery was all meaningful.

Also, all expressions of sympathy and memorials, Pastor Harrison Goodman, St. Paul's Church Ladies for serving the funeral luncheon and Hasemann Funeral Home.

We shall always remember.
Bev Voss, Brenda & Larry Wells, Kalynda & Derek Kuhl, Blaine & Blake Hokamp, Hope & Paige Voss and Spencer

The Malmberg family would like to say thank you to each and every one that helped in any way with John's harvest and the auction. Special thanks to Harold Isom on auction day for being a chauffeur with his utility rig so Arvid was in the mix of the auction by watching and visiting with people. Also, the extra help was appreciated earlier this all when moving Arvid and Willadene into the Oaks. Thanks for all the prayers, hugs, support and help as we go forward in life's journey. May God Bless each and every one.

Arvid and Willadene Malmberg
Bob and Marie Janke

Thank You to all of my friends, colleagues, neighbors and family for the many cards, prayers and calls as I recover from my accident. Special thanks to the staff of the Laurel Ambulance, Providence Medical Center and Mercy Medical Center for the great care I received. Thanks to Father Dave Liewer for the spiritual care once I returned home. It is heartwarming to know we live in such a great area.

Kevin Garvin

Thank you to all that thought of me during my hospital stay with cards, visits, and pretty flower bouquets. I send you my loving thank you. Lastly my heart goes out to all that sent a card for my 90th birthday. I was so overwhelmed when so many remembered me. Each card brought back memories, joys and sometimes tears. May God bless each of you.

Pat Johnson Roberts

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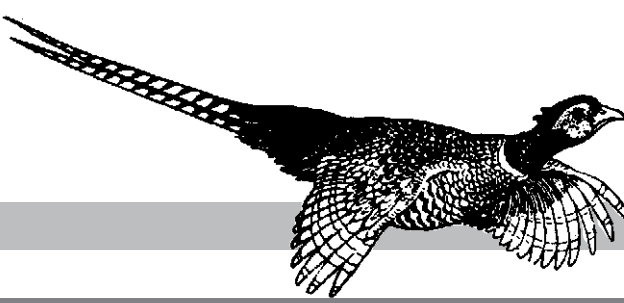
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DIRECTORS EXPENSE: Chris Carlson, 327.48; Danny Kluthe, 435.23; Dennis Schultz, 772.43; DODGE CRITERION, 110.00 DUES & MEMBERSHIP: NORFOLK CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, 130.00; GROUNDWATER FOUNDATION, 150.00; GMDA, 250.00

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS: NARD Risk Pool Association, 23,745.70; NATIONWIDE FINANCIAL, 5,169.73 PERSONNEL EXPENSES: HOLIDAY INN EXPRESS, 83.00; ADVANTAGE EMBROIDERY, 726.97; ELKHORN LOGAN VALLEY PUBLIC HEALTH, 297.00; US BANK, 802.88; NATIONAL GROUNDWATER ASSOCIATION, 120.00; SOCIETY OF AMERICAN FORESTERS, 149.00; Rick Wozniak, 141.25; Stan Staab, 43.00; Carey Tejkl, 30.93; Char Newkirk, 31.79; Pam Bergstrom, 92.42; Karen Hansen, 72.32; Kathy Dohmen, 598.03; Valissa Tegeler, 251.99; WELLS FARGO CARD SERVICES, 105.00

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POSTAGE: RESERVE ACCOUNT, 1,000.00 PROFESSIONAL SERVICES: DANA F COLE & COMPANY, 6,225.00; OLSSON ASSOCIATES, 2,450.00; JEO CONSULTING

GROUP INC, 1,941.00; JEO CONSULTING GROUP INC, 11,535.00 PROJECT LEGAL COSTS: BROMM LINDAHL FREEMAN-CADDY & LAUSTER, 12,449.59

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TELEPHONE: US CELLULAR, 146.85; INCONTACT INC, 58.61; VERIZON WIRELESS, 212.61; CENTURY LINK, 467.36; PIERCE TELEPHONE COMPANY, 5.96; Julie Wragge, 25.00; Curt Becker, 25.00; Josh Schnitzler, 25.00; STANTON TELECOM, 163.33; CONNECTING POINT, 34.90 UTILITIES: STANTON CO PUBLIC POWER, 1,800.11; LOUP POWER DISTRICT, 185.16; VILLAGE OF LEIGH, 43.52

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WAGES: Ryan Bartek, 606.62; Curt Becker, 2,203.23; Pam Bergstrom, 2,701.21; Ken Berney, 5,407.70; Shawn Blahak, 2,895.22; Leonard Boryca, 3,720.93; Brian Bruckner, 2,596.44; Chris Carlson, 629.11; Jim Cautrell, 1,113.50; Vickie DeJong, 2,060.85; Kathy Dohmen, 2,362.99; Patric Essig, 64.41; Dave Fuhr, 273.36; Ed Gall, 1,045.96; Karen Hansen, 2,307.80; Corey Jensen, 1,142.00; Danny Johnson, 3,076.12; Longin Karel, 1,185.95; Danny Kluthe, 369.98; Phyllis Knobbe, 2,381.65; Tammi Loberg, 2,254.66; Tyson Lodge, 947.44; Dick Moore, 210.56; Mike Murphy, 2,534.49; Char Newkirk, 124.18; Dewayne Noelle, 286.14; Lonnie Puntney, 57.26; Josh Schnitzler, 2,299.23; Pat Schneider, 502.92; Laurie Schold, 1,847.06; Dennis Schulz, 791.35; Stan Staab, 5,341.22; Valissa Tegeler, 2,231.52; Carey Tejkl, 2,348.01; Linda Unkel, 2,137.98; Suzan Widhalm, 903.96; Rick Wozniak, 3,414.08; Julie Wragge, 3,406.41

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NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF SENIKA PROPERTIES, LLC

Notice is hereby given of the organization of SENIKA PROPERTIES, LLC, a Nebraska limited liability company. The street and mailing address of the initial designated office of the Company is Senika Properties, LLC, 1011 Aspen St., Wayne, NE 68787. The name and street and mailing address of the initial agent for service of process for the Company is G. Richard Keidel, 1011 Aspen St., Wayne, NE 68787. The Company commenced its existence on November 20, 2013, when a Certificate of Organization was filed with the Secretary of State.

SENIKA PROPERTIES, LLC

Kyle C. Dahl #13189 Dahl Law Offices, L.L.C. P.O. Box 327 203 Main Street, Suite A Wayne, NE 68787 (402) 833-1529

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NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF WARREN B. BAIRD, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 13-13

Notice is hereby given that a Petition for Elective Share of Augmented Estate of the Decedent has been filed and is set forth hearing in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, located at 510 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska on December 16, 2013, at 11:30 A.M.

Bonnie Baird, Surviving Spouse 215 Lincoln Street Wayne, NE 68787

Michael E. Pieper, No. 18147 Pieper & Miller P.O. Box 427 Wayne, NE 68787 (402) 375-3585

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NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF LARRY D. BOWERS, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 12-49

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN SAID ESTATE: Take notice that the Personal Representative has filed a Petition for the distribution of the proceeds of the settlement for the wrongful death of the decedent to the surviving widow and children as the sole beneficiaries sustaining pecuniary loss, which has been set for hearing before said Court on December 16, 2013 at 11:00 a.m., at which you may appear and contest the same.

(s) Phyllis Cleveland Clerk of the County Court Wayne County Courthouse 510 Pearl Street, Suite B Wayne, NE 68787

Daniel A. Fullner, #15948 Egley, Fullner, Montag & Hockabout 111 W. 3rd Street, PO Box 424 Madison, NE 68748 (402) 454-1000

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NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF SCOTT A. JANKE, Deceased.

Estate No. PR 12-56

Notice is hereby given that a Final Account and Report of Administration and a Petition for Complete Settlement have been filed and are set for hearing in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, located at Wayne, Nebraska, on December 30, 2013, at or after 1:00 o'clock p.m.

Rose Ann Janke P.R. Personal Representative PO Box 242 Winside, NE 68790 (402) 286-9010

Kate M. Jorgensen #22912 Attorney for Personal Representative/Petitioner 110 West 2nd Street PO Box 125 Wayne, NE 68787 (402) 375-2080

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VILLAGE OF WINSIDE BOARD PROCEEDINGS

December 2, 2013 Winside, Nebraska

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska met in regular session on Monday, December 2, 2013 at 7:30 p.m. in the library meeting room. Present were Chairperson Watters; Trustees Peter, Mann, Edwards and Lemke. Visitors were Kevin Cleveland, Jeff Farran, and Roger Protzman.

Action taken by the Board included:

- 1. Approved November meeting minutes
2. Accepted November Treasurer's report
3. Granted a SDLP to Q125 Committee for a New Years Eve Dance in Auditorium
4. Accepted Wastewater report from JEO Consulting
5. Agreed to full insurance cover on the 2007 pickup
6. Agreed to purchase a new V Plow for 2007 pickup for snow removal
7. Approved the application from Candace Lawrence to be a fireperson
8. Certified that Terry Mead from JEO Consulting was the Street Supt for 2013
9. Appointed Terry Mead from JEO Consulting to be the Street Supt for 2014
10. Appointed JEO Consulting to be the Village Engineer for 2014

The following claims were approved for payment: Payroll, 3,017.33; NNNTC, 481.52;

Norfolk GM Auto Center, ex, 11,995.00; Dept of Revenue, tax, 1,565.86; IRS, tax, 1,746.26; Post Office, ex, 136.60; Farmers Coop, ex, 786.89; Dept of Energy, ex, 7,518.79; Payroll, 2,789.77; Madison Co. Bank, ex, 143.30. Kevin Cleveland, reim, 692.00; Carol Brugger, reim, 573.09; NE PHE Lab, ex, 15.00; MCI, ex, 25.90; Northeast Public Power, ex, 8,819.84; City of Norfolk, ex, 67.50; USA Bluebook, ex, 51.11; Bomgaars, ex, 97.55; City of Wayne, ex, 126.67; DnT Repair, ex, 542.25; Jeffrey Hrouda, ex, 416.25; Dearborn National, ex, 92.88; Krier Technologies, ex, 738.50; Stamp Fulfillmet Services, ex, 284.30; NAPA, ex, 75.79; Wayne Herald, ex, 46.00; Warnemunde Ins, ex, 228.00; Weldon Parts, 203.09; Source Gas, ex, 378.21; Utility Fund, ex, 1,750.88.

The meeting adjourned at 8:40 P.M.

The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska will meet in regular session on Monday, January 6, 2014 in the library meeting room. The meeting will be open to the public and an agenda for such meeting kept continuously current is available for inspection at the office of the Village Clerk of said Village.

Teresa Watters, Chairperson

Carol M. Brugger, clerk

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NOTICE

A Limited Liability Company has been formed: 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is 4TH JUG, LLC; 2. The address of the registered office is 109 Main Street, Wayne, NE 68787; 3. The general nature of the business to be transacted is to engage in retail sales of food and beverage and to engage in any lawful activities for which a Limited Liability Company may be organized under Nebraska Statute; and to engage in any business or activity that is necessary and proper to the accomplishment of the above purposes; 4. The existence of the Limited Liability Company commenced on November 27, 2013, and its period of duration is perpetual; 5. Management of the affairs of the Limited Liability Company is to be by the members. The original member is Ken Jorgensen.

Dated December 9, 2013.

4TH JUG, LLC

By Kate M. Jorgensen, #22912 Its Attorney 110 West Second Street Wayne, Nebraska 68787 (402) 375-2080

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Dated December 9, 2013.

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NOTICE

A Limited Liability Company has been formed: 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is THE JUG STORE, LLC; 2. The address of the registered office is 1005 East 7th Street, Wayne, NE 68787; 3. The general nature of the business to be transacted is to engage in retail sales of food and beverage; and to engage in any lawful activities for which a Limited Liability Company may be organized under Nebraska Statute; and to engage in any business or activity that is necessary and proper to the accomplishment of the above purposes; 4. The existence of the Limited Liability Company commenced on November 27, 2013, and its period of duration is perpetual; 5. Management of the affairs of the Limited Liability Company is to be by the members. The original member is Ken Jorgensen.

Dated December 9, 2013.

THE JUG STORE, LLC

By Kate M. Jorgensen, #22912 Its Attorney 110 West Second Street Wayne, Nebraska 68787 (402) 375-2080

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS FOR STREET SWEEPER

The City of Wayne, Nebraska, will receive sealed bids until 11:00, CDT, on the 27th day of December, 2013, at the office of the City Clerk, 306 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska 68787, for the purchase of one (1), Elgin Pelican three (3) wheel mechanical street sweeper. At that time all bids will be opened and read aloud in the Council Chambers at the Wayne City Hall.

Bid proposals shall offer new 2013-2014 model using the bid proposal forms supplied with the bids. Bidders will be asked to provide a trade-in value for the 1998 Elgin sweeper that the City is replacing.

Specifications and bid forms must be obtained from the City Clerk's office between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. The City of Wayne has and reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

No bid may be withdrawn without the consent of the City of Wayne. The City agrees to make a selection as soon as possible after the letting based on price, guarantees, service ability, time of delivery, and any other pertinent facts and features, and to enter into a contract with the bidder who submits the best bid proposal.

The preferred delivery date of these vehicles to the City of Wayne is on or before April 1, 2014.

Any questions concerning this request for bids should be directed to Garry Poutre, Superintendent of Utilities and Public Works, at 402-375-2896.

Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 9th day of December, 2013.

THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA

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WAYNE CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

November 19, 2013

Wayne City Council was called to

order at 5:30 p.m. on November 19, 2013. In attendance: Mayor Chamberlain; Councilmembers Giese, Greve, Haase, Sievers, Muir, Ley, Eischeid and Brodersen; Attorney Miller; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire.

Minutes of the November 5, 2013, meeting were approved.

The following claims were approved: VARIOUS FUNDS: AMERITAS, SE, 2011.61; APPEARA, SE, 86.79; BANK FIRST, FE, 120.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 30.61; BSN SPORTS, SU, 995.87; BUCK'S, SE, 502.68; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 84.37; CHEMQUEST, SE, 1622.50; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 150.00; CITY OF WAYNE, SE, 61.25; CITY OF WAYNE, PY, 60265.87; CITY OF WAYNE, SE, 80.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 225.00; CLAUSSEN & SONS IRRIG., SE, 185.00; COMMUNITY HEALTH, RE, 4.00; DAVE'S DRY CLEANING, SE, 394.00; DE LAGE LANDEN FINANCIAL, SE, 37.00; ED. M FELD EQUIPMENT, SU, 2477.50; ELECTRIC FIXTURE & SUPPLY, SU, 8.87; FASTENAL, SU, 31.32; FLOOR MAINTENANCE, SU, 358.02; GODFATHERS, SU, 98.00; GUARANTEE ROOFING, SE, 363.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 274.69; HAWKINS, INC, SU, 416.96; HOMETOWN LEASING, SE, 73.51; ICMA, SE, 6372.35; INNOVATIVE PROTECTIVES, RE, 10000.00; IRS, TX, 22396.20; JOHNNY P LEMPKE, SE, 73.00; FIREMAN, RE, 414.70; KRIZ-DAVIS, SU, 139.79; KTCH, SE, 1565.14; LEAGUE OF NEBRASKA, FE, 990.00; MAXIMUM SOLUTIONS, SU, 16400.00; MIDWEST LABORATORIES, SE, 72.45; MISS MOLLY'S COFFEE, SU, 74.00; MSC INDUSTRIAL, SU, 66.95; NE DEPT OF REVENUE, TX, 3169.83; NE HARVESTORE, SU, 3500.00; NE SAFETY COUNCIL, SE, 8.38; NNPPD, SE, 13185.52; OCC BUILDERS, RE, 37000.00; OTTE CONSTRUCTION, SE, 3400.00; PAC N SAVE, SU, 241.64; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 36.50; PUSH-PEDAL-PULL, SE, 183.80; ROBERT WOEHLER & SONS, SE, 100944.73; S & S WILLERS, SU, 257.91; SPARKLING KLEAN, SU, 1878.58; STADIUM SPORTING GOODS, SU, 260.00; STATE NATIONAL BANK, RE, 24722.50; STEVE HARRIS CONSTRUCTION, SE, 187081.79; TRITECH SOFTWARE SYSTEMS, SE, 4555.75; WAYNE COUNTY COURT, RE, 170.06; WAYNE HERALD, SE, 2660.46; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 823.93; WESCO, SU, 1837.13; WAPA, SE, 26572.00; WINGATE INN, SE, 269.85; AMAZON.COM, SU, 436.21; BAKER & TAYLOR BOOKS, SU, 19.73; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 60.34; BOMGAARS, SU, 1181.56; BROWN SUPPLY, SU, 125.35; CARHART LUMBER COMPANY, SU, 2101.04; DAKOTA BUSINESS SYSTEMS, SE, 104.50; DGR & ASSOCIATES, SE, 1414.56; DUNRITE, SU, 69.62; DUTTON-LAINSON, SU, 375.73; GERHOLD CONCRETE, SU, 688.35; HACH COMPANY, SU, 24.40; HUXFORD POLE & TIMBER, SU, 12656.54; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 5994.50; KIRKHAM MICHAEL, SE, 8073.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 313.85; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 1261.60; NE AIR FILTER, SU, 49.37; NE PUBLIC HEALTH, SE, 338.00; NPPD, SE, 252988.97; OLSSON ASSOCIATES, SE, 1450.14; OVERHEAD DOOR COMPANY, SE, 183.60; PIEPER & MILLER, SE, 3963.00; PITNEY BOWES, SU, 648.00; PRESTO X, SE, 145.80; QUILL, SU, 308.69; SHOPKO, SU, 76.85; STEVE LAMOURE, SE, 110.00; ULINE, SU, 145.40; VOSS LIGHTING, SU, 50.80; WAYNE AUTO PARTS, SU, 909.28; WAYNE GROCERY, SU, 17.93; WAYNE HERALD, SE, 92.00; WESCO, SU, 537.83; ZEE MEDICAL SERVICE, SU, 181.61

Mayor Chamberlain presented a framed photograph of an unidentified firefighter going through the tornado damage at Grossenburg Implement to the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department.

Duane Schroeder then presented two framed photographs taken by Jennifer Parker at the Wayne Fire Hall to both the City and the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department. The photograph is of the American Flag, which came off the flagpole during the tornado, and then draped itself over the Dalmation dog statue at the Fire Hall, with the caption "Together we will carry the load."

City Administrator Johnson presented Mayor Chamberlain with a propeller from one of the airplanes that were damaged at the airport with the inscription "To Mayor Chamberlain from Wayne City Staff for your leadership in the October 4, 2013, F4 tornado response."

Jason Karsky, along with a couple of Wayne State College Students, was present to describe a project they would like to do in conjunction with the City of Wayne to establish a historical marker along Highway 35 commemorating the October 4, 2013, tornado event. They may need some assistance from the City, such as equipment, to transport the boulder from the College to wherever it will be placed.

Todd Hegwer, the City's rate consultant/analyst and contract negotiator, updated the Council on the proposals he has received regarding competitive priced wholesale power suppliers for Wayne. The finalist was Big Rivers Electric Corporation of Kentucky who offered power at 90% of the rate charged by Nebraska Public Power District (NPPD). Lindsay Barron of Big Rivers Electric Corporation gave a presentation on her company and answered questions from the Council.

Public Hearings were held on the following: > To consider the Planning Commission's recommendation in regard to amending Chapter 90 Zoning, Division 4 PUD Planned Unit Development, Section 90-641 Intent (a) to more clearly define where a PUD may be placed.

> The "Blight and Substandard Area Determination" known as the "North Central Redevelopment Area."

APPROVED:

Proposal received from CoOpportunity for the 2014 group health insurance.

Recommendation of the LB840 Sales Tax Advisory Committee for a \$50,000 loan to Brent L. Pick, with the terms being 0% interest and a payback period of 15 years.

Grant in the amount of up to \$30,000 to be used to replace the four Welcome to Wayne signs.

First reading of Ord. 2013-51 amending Wayne Municipal Code Chapter 90, Article VII, Division 4 PUD Planned Unit Development, Sec. 90-641 Intent.

To take Resolution 2013-123 declaring portions of the City to be blighted and substandard pursuant to the Nebraska Community Development Act - North Central Redevelopment Area until the next meeting.

Recess as Council and reconvene as the Community Development Agency.

> CDA Minutes of November 5, 2013.

> CDA Claims: Pieper & Miller - Legal Services - \$453.00 and Midwest Land - Lot Sale - \$1,050.00

> CDA Res. 2013-15 authorizing the issuance of tax increment revenue bonds - Progressive Property Inspections, LLC.

> CDA Res. 2013-16 authorizing the issuance of tax increment revenue

bonds - Sebade Housing, LLC.

Adjourn as Community Development Agency and reconvene as Council.

Res. 2013-118 establishing Sewer Hook-up Fees for the "Chief's Way Sanitary Sewer Extension Project."

Second reading of Ord. 2013-50 annexing certain real estate to the City of Wayne and extending the corporate limits in the Northeast Quadrant of the City of Wayne to include said real estate.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

The City of Wayne, Nebraska

By: Mayor

ATTEST: City Clerk

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ORDINANCE NO. 2013-52

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING WAYNE MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 90, ARTICLE III, DIVISION

Wayne High School One Act Team

2nd Place at Districts



The Wayne High School One Act Team performed "Women and War", a play by Jack Hilton Cunningham

The Wayne High School One Acts competed at Districts on Friday, Dec. 6 at Wayne State College. Schools competing were: Norfolk Catholic, Schuyler, Pierce, Boone Central, O'Neill, Columbus Lakeview, Wayne, and Madison.

Wayne, performing "Women and War", received a superior rating at the contest and won a plaque for 2nd place.

Ten students from Wayne were recognized for outstanding performances including: Aspen Pflanz, Claire Barnes, Marissa Wiese, Meg Osnes, Parker Wren, Jack Tyson, Casey Dalager, Olivia Ficke-Anderson, Emma Osnes, and Emma Loberg.

Other cast members include Faith Schultz, Cassidy Wiese, Ashlyn Pecena, and Dulce Torres. Crew members are Mikyla Bartos, Mikayla Bartos, Giovanna Bim, Michaela Fehring, Sylvia Jager, Anna Loberg, Gabriella Miller, Mason Reynolds, Justen Stahl, and John Weaver. The play was directed by Heidi Thompson, Jean Dorcey, and Sarah Oltjenbruns.

The following businesses would like to congratulate the Wayne High School One Acts on their 2nd Place at Districts

Glen's Auto Body & Sales

McDonalds

Farmers State Bank, member FDIC

Sharp Construction

Gill Hauling, Inc.

Vel's Bakery

Tom's Body & Paint Shop, Inc.

TWJ Feeds, Inc.

Wayne East – Prime Stop

Pieper & Miller

Bailey's Hair & Nails

First National Insurance Agency

Emeritus at The Oaks

Tom Hansen, CPA

Wayne Area Economic Development

Chamber



Main Street

Northeast Nebraska Insurance

Drs. Burrows & Holloway

Family Dentistry

Grossenburg Implement, Inc.

State National Insurance Agency

Quality Food Center

Doescher Appliance

Concord Components

Stadium Sports

Gerhold Concrete

Runza

White Dog Pub

U Save Pharmacy

Wayne Auto Parts –



Carquest

American Broadband

Accounting Plus

First Nebraska Bank of Wayne,

member FDIC

First National -

Omaha Service Center

Pizza Hut

Wayne Community Activity Center

IPI

BankFirst, member FDIC

Discount Furniture

Wayne Vision Center

State Farm Insurance

Fredrickson Oil

Ameritas

State National Bank

& Trust Co., member FDIC

Pac 'N' Save

Helena Chemical Company

The Max

Wayne Herald & morning shopper