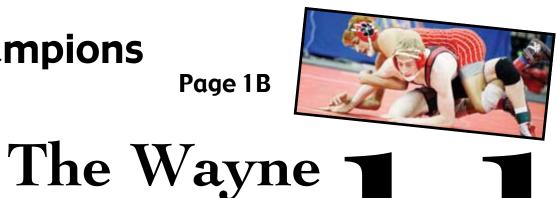
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Time in Wayne 'spiritually rewarding'

Volunteer continues to help recovery efforts

By CLARA OSTEN Of The Herald

Wayne residents may have noticed a camper parked in Henry Victor Park on the south end of Wayne in recent months.

While a camper in the park in the middle of winter is slightly unusual, the fact that the person staying in it has been providing volunteer assistance to those families affected by the Oct. 4 tornado is more important.

Ken Merlin, a volunteer with the St. Vincent de Paul Society in Lincoln, has been spending 3-4 days a week in Wayne since shortly after the Oct. 4 tornado hit the east end of town.

Earlier this week, Merlin spoke to members of the Wayne Kiwanis Club during a weekly meeting, and said he has spent 67 days in Wayne. He alternates his time between Wayne, his home in Lincoln and traveling to Colorado to assist families that were affected by last year's flooding there.

Merlin said he was asked to provide assistance by members of Team Rubicon, a group of retired military persons who came in to provide organizational assistance shortly after the tornado hit.

Since that time, he has been spending a great deal of time working with the families affected by the tornado, working on long-term recovery efforts.

"The first thing I did was arrange for home visits with the families. I contacted the Wayne Ministerial Association and, when possible, had a pastor go on these visits with me. Pastor Ray McCalla (pastor at First Presbyterian Church in Wayne) went on a number of these visits," Merlin said.

He said these visits allowed the families to express themselves emotionally and spiritually and in the process, the families bonded with other families who had similar experiences.

Merlin said this phase of the recovery process lasted through De- faith plays a big role in the way these people are recovering."

cember, and when he returned to Wayne after the first of the year, he moved on to Phase II - determining what the un-met needs of these families are at this point.

"We knew where the shortfalls were in regard to what these people had and what they needed, but we also want to respect their privacy," Merlin said.

He noted that there are currently 13 'cases' that are still open, meaning that he is continuing to work with these families to provide assistance. Some of the work will be completed as soon as the weather warms up and the ground thaws.

Merlin said that a number of the families and individuals who were affected by the tornado was not immediately known and was hampered by a language barrier. He continues to be in contact with these families and live the St. Vincent de Paul Society's philosophy of helping the poor and those individuals in need.

Merlin meets each week with Mike Varley, president of the Wayne United Way, to determine how best to distribute the funds that have been donated to assist the tornado victims. All of the funds to aid in tornado relief are being funneled through the United Way and dispersed to those in need.

Merlin is now working with those affected by the tornado in the mitigation phase of recovery.

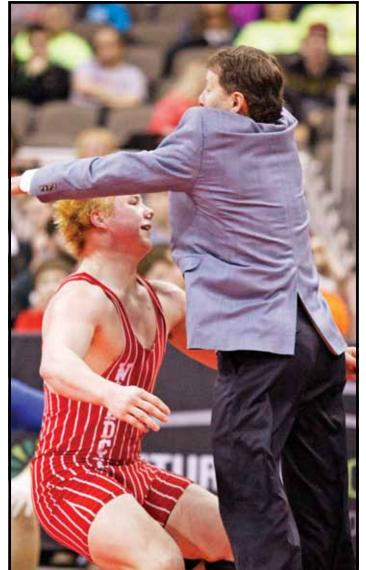
He said that this has been "a fairly difficult situation, because while FEMA generally handles this aspect of the recovery, it didn't happen here in Wayne. FEMA did not include families in the disaster declaration."

Merlin said he is unsure how long he will remain in Wayne or how long it will be before all those affected by the tornado will return to normal, but he said his time in Wayne "has been spiritually rewarding. My work makes me feel closer to the Lord and I think



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Ken Merlin, a volunteer with the St. Vincent dePaul Society in Lincoln, has helped out with tornado recovery efforts in Wayne while camping out in a Wayne park 3-4 days a week.



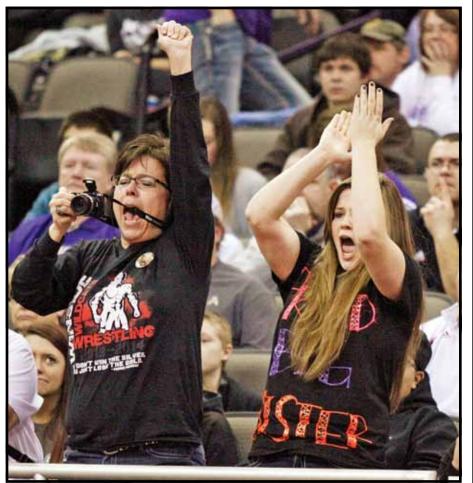


WAYNE COUNTY ELECTION FILINGS			
County Ticket Nonpartisan Ticket			
County Clerk	*-Deb Finn (R)	Wayne School Dist. 17	*-Jeryl L. Nelson
County Assessor	*-Dawn Duffy (D)		*-Carolyn V. Linster
County Sheriff	Clayton Bratcher (R)		Scott A. Hammer
	Domenic Consoli (R)	Winside School Dist. 95R	Chris Olander
	Cory Moeller (R)	Wayne City Mayor	*-Kenneth Chamberlain
County Treasurer	*-Karen McDonald (R)	Wayne City Council Ward 1	*-Rodney Greve
County Attorney	*-Michael E. Pieper (R)	Wayne City Council Ward 2	*-Matthew Eischeid
Clerk Dist. Court	*-Debra K. Allemann-Dannelly (R)	Wayne City Council Ward 3	No candidate listed

(Photos by Michael Carnes)

Celebration!

There was a lot of Winside-related celebrating going on at the Nebraska State Wrestling Championships on Saturday afternoon in Omaha as the Wildcats brought home a pair of state champions and a fourth-place team finish. In the photo at top left, coach Paul Sok changed things up a bit and jumped into the arms of Caleb Lienemann after Lienemann won the Class D, 220-pound state title. Later on, at right, Winside celebrated in the more traditional fashion after Marcos Escalera pinned his way to the 132-pound championship. Some of the Winside faithful got a close-up view of the finals as Caleb Lienemann's mother, Laurie, and sister Shelby cheered him on to his championship win. Stories and photos of all 20 area wrestlers who competed in the three-day tournament can be found in Section B.



County Surveyor **Dist. 1 County Commissioner** Dist. 3 County Commissioner

-Terry L. Schulz (D) Wayne City Council Ward 4 Wayne Airport Authority *-Randy Larson (D) *-James Rabe (R) *-Denotes incumbent

*-Jill Broderser *-Mitchell Nisser

City Council still has open seat to fill

By MICHAEL CARNES Of The Herald

With a few days to go before the deadline for filing for elections, one seat on the Wayne City Council does not have a candidate listed.

Kaki Ley is not running for re-election to her seat as the Ward Three representative on the board, which leaves that seat without a candidate as the Monday, March 3 deadline approaches. She is the only current member of the City Council who is not running for re-election. The other three current sitting members - Rodney Greve in Ward One, Matthew Eischeid in Ward Two and Jill Brodersen in Ward Four - all have filed for election to the board. All three were appointed by Mayor Ken Chamberlain to serve out the remainder of terms of previous City Council members who stepped down from those seats during the past four

One current member of the Wayne Board of Education has opted not to run for re-

election, as Mark Evetovich is not joining current board members Jervl Nelson and Dr. Carolyn Linster in their bids for reelection. A third candidate has, however, filed for one of the three board seats, as Scott Hammer added his name to the list of school board candidates this week.

As of Wednesday's press deadline, Chamberlain does not have an opponent for his re-election bid, nor do any of the aforementioned City Council candidates.

Only one county race has more than one candidate listed, and that race will be decided in the May primary as three Republicans - Clayton Bratcher, Domenic Consoli and Cory Moeller – have all filed as Republicans for the County Sheriff seat. Longtime County Sheriff LeRoy Janssen is stepping down after serving eight terms as the county's top law enforcement officer.

All the other current county officeholders are running unopposed as of late Wednesday afternoon, including District 1 County Commissioner Randy Larson and District 3 County Commissioner Jim Rabe.

City sees new record for sales tax receipts

Biggest monthly total since 2012

The Christmas shopping season was very good in Wayne, as the city received its biggest monthly intake of city sales tax receipts since the city began collecting local sales tax in fiscal year 2000-2001.

February's receipts, which are based on sales during the month of December 2013, were \$61,886.80, bettering the previous high mark of \$58,512.80 set in October of 2012

For the fiscal year to date, the city has received \$263,768.88 in city sales tax receipts, putting it slightly ahead of the city's projections for fiscal year 2013-2014.

CITY OF WAYNE SALES TAX RECEIPTS

<u>Month</u>	<u>2012-13</u>	201
October	\$58,512.80	\$4
November		50
December		52
January		50
February		61
March		
April		
June		
July		
August		
September.		
Total	\$614,827.19	\$
Average	\$51,235.60	\$
	– Figures courtesy City c	-

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Obituaries

Lloyd D. Roeber

Lloyd D. Roeber, 85, of Wakefield, died Wednesday, Feb. 19, 2014 at the Elms Health Care Center in Ponca.

Services were Monday, Feb. 24 at Immanuel Lutheran Church, rural Wakefield, with Pastor William Ber-

trand officiating. Lloyd Dale Roeber was born Dec. member of Immanuel Lutheran Church. Lloyd married Donna Faye Utemark at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Emerson on Sept. 4, 1949. They farmed and Lloyd enjoyed raising hogs and cattle. In 1995, the couple moved into Wakefield, with Lloyd making many trips out to visit the farm. Lloyd held various positions at Immanuel Lutheran Church. He was active, serving on many community boards including the Dixon County Fair Board, the Weed board, the Logan township board and the

local telephone service. He was also a 4-H leader. He enjoyed bowling on leagues in Wakefield and Wayne, and playing cards with many groups.

Survivors include his wife, Donna Fave; three sons and their spouses, Bruce and Kim, Byron and Marcella and Garry and Diane; grandchildren, Jason (Krista), Jonathan, James, Joseph, Jennifer, Kyle (Jill), Brent, Daniel (April), Matthew (fiancee Amber Nelson) and Fave Marie Lilenkamp; five great-grandchildren; Landon, Courtney, Tyan, Jade, and Evelyn; a brother, Milford (Myrna) Roeber of Wayne and sister, Rose (Don) Johnson of Sioux City, Iowa, and many nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, sister, Bernita and husband, George Becker; sister-in-law, JoAnn and husband, Gene Nettleton, and four siblings.

Pallbearers were his grandchildren.

Burial was in the Wakefield Cemetery. Thompson Chapel Funeral Home in Wakefield was in charge of arrangements.

Allen News

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Speech Team at Wisner Meet The following Allen Speech team members earned superior ratings at the Wisner meet on Feb. 22:

Mollie Bertrand and Cortney Reuter earned a Superior Rating in Duet Acting. Cortny Surber earned a Superior Rating in Poetry. The team will compete at Conference on Saturday, March 1 in Ponca.

Siouxland Blood Mobile The Siouxland Blood Mobile will be at the Allen School on Tuesday, March 4 from 2-7 p.m. It is sponsored by the Allen Science Club.

Ash Wednesday Services First Lutheran Church will

have Ash Wednesday Services on Wednesday, March 5 at 7 p.m. The services will then alternate between First Lutheran Church and Concordia Lutheran Church in Concord. **Community Birthday Calendars**

The 2014 Community Birthday Calendars are now available. They are \$5 for black/white calendars & \$10 for the calendars in color. They are available at Security Bank, Countryside Gas & Grocery, or contact Marcia Rastede.

Fundraiser Extended

The Allen Community Club was able to extend the Schwan's fundraiser until March 8, 2014. Please preorder your Schwan's food, then the Allen Community Club will receive 20 percent of the order to help with park improvement costs. Go to www.schwans-cares.com; find campaign #: 4702. Click on fundraisers at the top, find Greta Kraemer; then click Support Now. Place your order or buy a \$25 e-certificate. If you buy an e-certificate, the Allen Community Club will receive 40 percent of that (\$10) toward our project. You can use the e-certificate or you can give as a gift to someone. You can also place your order by phone at (855) 870-7208 and provide campaign ID: 4702 and fundraiser ID : 10523

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Classic Club

Security Bank's Classic Club members - upcoming trips - Saturday, April 12 to the 2 p.m. performance at the Omaha Orpheum. This is a one day trip to Omaha. Lunch is included at Wheatfields with shopping time at the Shadow Lake Town Center. War Horse is a unique theatrical epic in which actors tell the story alongside lifelike horse puppets, This story of young Albert and his beloved horse, Joey take place at the outbreak of World War I and is sure to leave you deeply moved by their story.

May 17: "Wicked" at the Omaha Orpheum. Paying homage to the classic Wizard of Oz story, this cautionary tale about love, friendship and trust, reveals that there are indeed two sides to every story. Prior to the performance at the Orpheum, lunch is included at Mimi's with some shopping time at Village Pointe.

Martinsburg Fire Hall Auction

The Martinsburg Rural Fire District is selling the old firehall. It is a 28-by-66 insulated block building with heat and water. The sale is Saturday, March 1 at 10 a.m. at the old firehall. For more information call (402) 945-2020

Floyd Gleason Dinner & Raffle

The Allen Floyd Gleason American Legion Post 131 will be having nette Von Minden, James Warner. their Dinner and Raffle on Sunday, March 23 at the Allen Fire Hall. They will be serving soup, sandwich, and desserts for a free will donation from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. They are raffling a Remington Shotgun. Tickets are available from any Legion member or at Security Bank in Allen.

Senior Center

Friday, Feb. 28: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. – Biscuits and gravy, sausage, pineapple, grape juice.

Monday, March 3: Brats, augratin potatoes, baked beans, oranges. Tuesday, March 4: Fish, cheesy

mashed, breaded tomatoes, pears. Wednesday, March 5: Liver and onions or burger, mashed, creamed

peas, tropical fruit. Thursday, March 6: Vegetable

beef soup, 1/2 peanut butter sandwich, grapes, and lettuce salad.

Friday, March 7: Brunch at 8:30 a.m. – French toast, ham, pineapple juice, fruit cocktail.

Community Birthdays Friday, Feb. 28: Keith Anderson, Brenda Graves, Holly Johnson, Jacob Malcom, Katrina Peterson,

Mike & Valerie Isom (A). Saturday, March 1- Keri Goodman, Kirt Klug, Willie Bertrand, Dalton Fudge, Gaylen & Carol Jackson(A).

Sunday, Marc 2 - Rick Ketelsen, Katherine Chapman, Seamus O'Keefe, Bobby & Julie Kumm (A), Milford & Merna Roeber (A).

Monday, March 3: Pauline Karlberg, Rhonda Warner, Kurtis & Holly Eisenhauer (A).

Tuesday, March 4: Michelle Jacobsen, Mary Lou Koester, Dea-

Wednesday, March 5: Mark Oldenkamp, Scott Williams, Kenneth Anderson, Sean T O'Keefe Rich & Donna Roland (A).

Thursday, March 6: Haley Riffey, Cliff Stalling, Misty Bausch, Lukas Oswald.

Friday, March 7: Zach Corm, Carla Dickens, Rebecca Kneifl.

Community Calendar

Friday, Feb. 28: Brunch at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

Saturday, March 1: Conference Speech in Ponca, 8 a.m.

Sunday, March 2: First Lutheran Church Worship, 9 a.m. - Sunday School, 8:30 a.m.; United Methodist Church Worship, 9 a.m.

Monday, March 3: Exercising Walking at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m. and 9 a.m.; Pops Concert, 7 p.m.; Quilt Club meets, 7 p.m.; Dixon County Weed Control Board, 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, March 4: Dominos at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Blood Drive at School, 2-7 p.m.; Junior Class parents meeting at School, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, March 5: Exercising/Walking at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m. and 9 a.m.; A.C.C.T.S. at First Lutheran Church 3:30-5 p.m.; First Lutheran Church Ash Wednesday Services at Allen, 7 p.m.; Springbank Library hours, 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

Thursday, March 6: Dominos at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.

Friday, March 7: Brunch at Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m; Science Ski Trip to Makato.

Lions Club announces upcoming events

dinner meeting Feb. 18 at Tacos & More.

Members enjoyed an arm chair trip to Washington, D.C. via Jon Worner's power point presentation on his Leadership Conference trip last summer. Approximately 370 United States youth had been nominated by their teachers to come to D.C. for 7 days for leadership group meetings.

Each day there was a theme -Voices of Leadership, freedom, show with the vouth. Tours were conducted to view National Memorials and Museums. The youth berg briefly shared experiences dined at a Hard Rock Café. Mary Beth Tinker was the guest speaker. She is an American free speech ac-

The Wayne Lions Club held a tivist and known for her role in the leen Johs, Laurel Lions Dick and 1969 Supreme Court case; set legal standard for student free expression.

> Worner enjoyed the conference immensely and is enthused about returning to Capitol Hill.

Other Lions events:

Jean and Maura Loberg attended the 36th Annual Lions Dav with the United Nations in New York City on Feb. 15. Maura was the Lions International 2013 Essay winner; she earned the honor to announce

Judy Carlson, Michael Nesbit, and Leo member, Makara Vessels, attended the 38 O N Midwinter Convention at the Aurora Leadership Center. The convention theme was 'Follow Your Dream.' A total of 300 pairs of eye glasses and hearing aids were collected by the Wayne club and taken to convention and these will now be taken to Wisconsin to be processed for the needy.

Sixty Lions members heard legendary Nebraska Dr. Tom Osborne struggle, courage, and future. A the 2014 essay winner. Ashish Kar- speak on "The Importance of Menproject was conducted on internet ki, age 12, from Nepal, which is toring;" The group collected \$425 safety, and doing your own news located in South Asia, is the 2014 for the mentoring program. There are over 6,400 youth in 117 chapters across Nebraska, Iowa and California that are mentored once a week for one hour. This program makes a tremendous difference to children that benefit from a caring mentor in their lives. The mission 'Together We Transform Lives' by inspiring youth to reach their full potential in life. The International guest speaker was Director Steven Glass of Bridgeport, W.Va. Glass spoke of many enticing avenues to improve a Lions Club. The Wayne Club will represent 38 O in the Lions Environmental Photo Contest at the state convention in Valentine on May 23-25. DG Dave Marion of Tekamah conducted the 38 O cabinet meeting with 20 Lion members and 12 clubs represented. Election of Officers was an item of business. The 2014 District Governor-Randy Ritterbush of Battle Creek; 1st Vice-President-Bob Arp of Columbus; 2nd Vice-President-Marilyn Epperson of Blair; NLF Trustee-Connie Kaup of Scribner; Long Range Planning Committee-Bill Alderson of Neligh. The Special Olympics Opening Eyes is scheduled for May 23 at Creighton University in Omaha. The 97th Annual Lions Clubs International Convention will be held July 4-8 and hosting the event is Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Toronto hosted the first international convention outside the US in 1931. The next Wayne Lions Club business meeting will be Tuesday, March 4 at 7 p.m. at Tacos & More.

Acme Club learns about Empire State Building

Members of the Acme Club met Feb. 17 at the Senior Center with Ruth Victor as hostess.

President Joann Temme presided over the meeting. Roll call was answered with each member telling if

she had received a Valentine. Ruth Victor gave the Thought for the Day – "Laughter has a number of health benefits."

Humor helps take the dreariness out of the routine of daily life. Shared laughter implies acceptance of people and brings them to a commake you laugh means you trust

the meetings this year. Ruth Victor gave a program about

the Empire State Building.

The Empire State Building is a 102-story skyscraper located in Midtown Manhatten, New York City. Roof height is 1,250 feet and with its antenna spire included, stands 1,454 feet high.

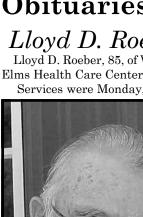
It was the tallest building for 40 years, from its completion in 1931 until construction of the World Trade Center's North Tower was completed in 1972. Following the elite of New York. mon bond. Allowing someone to Sept. 11, 2001 attacks, the Empire State Building was again the State Building came from Empire tallest building in New York until Mill in Sanders, Indiana, which is You are more likely to laugh in a One World Trade Center reached a greater height on April 30, 2012. It is currently the third tallest completed skyscraper in the United States, after the Willis Tower and Trump International Hotel and Tower, both in Chicago. It is also the fourth tallest free-standing structure in the Americas.

rently undergoing a \$550 million renovation with \$120 million spent in an effort to transform the building into a more energy efficient and eco-friendly structure.

The site of the Empire State Building was first developed as the John Thompson Farm in the late 18th century

Beginning in the late 19th century, the block was occupied by the Waldorf Astoria Hotel, frequented by The Four Hundred, the social

The limestone for the Empire an un-incorporated town adjacent to Bloomington, Ind.



28, 1928 at rural Wakefield to Frederick and Rosa (Delin) Roeber. He attended Immanuel Lutheran Parochial School and was a life-time

Grand Prize Winner; essay theme was 'Our World, Our Future.' Lowith evolvement in the Lions essay contest along with her travels. Wavne Lions Hilbert and Kath-

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Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Feb. 28 at Tacos & More. The coffee on Friday, March 7 will be hosted by the Northeast Nebraska Chapter of the American Red Cross. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.

WSC band, ensemble to perform

AREA — The Wayne State College Symphonic Band and Wind Ensemble will perform on Tuesday, March 4 at 7:30 p.m. in Ramsey Theatre. The Symphonic Band, directed by Instructor of Low Brass and Assistant Director of Bands Josh Calkin, will perform "Saint and the City" by Jacob De Haan, "Nevermore" by Brian Balmages, and "Black Horse Troop" by John Philip Sousa. The Wind Ensemble, directed by Director of Bands and Trumpet Instructor David Bohnert, will perform music to be played at the Nebraska State Bandmasters Convention on March 6. Musical selections include "Overture in Five Flat," "Seal Lullaby," "Café 512," "Watchman Tell Us of the Night," "Whip and Spur March," and "Alleluia! Laudemus Te."

The concert is free and open to the public.

District basketball finals Friday

NORFOLK — Wayne High School will face Pierce in the C1-4 girls basketball district finals on Friday at 7 p.m. at the Cox Activities Center on the campus of Northeast Community College in Norfolk.

The winner advances to the Nebraska Girls Basketball State Championships, which will be held March 6-8 in Lincoln.

NSIC tournament continues

AREA — The quarterfinals, semifinals and championship games of the Northern Sun Conference tournament will take place March 1-4 in Sioux Falls, S.D.

Quarterfinal games for both men's and women's brackets will take place Saturday and Sunday, with the semifinals set for Monday and the championship games at 6 and 8 p.m. on Tuesday.



Pet of the Week

This week's Pet of the Week at Tenderheart Animal Rescue is Splat. This cat is a little boy with lots of personality. He came with lice and ringworm but he is all cleared up and has been unleashed upon the older cats.

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

that person. Laughter is contagious. group than when you are alone. It can be a constructive way to make difficult situations tolerable - "so laugh a little today."

During the meeting members saw the first robin of the year from their meeting room window.

A thank you card was signed to send to Sandy Moriare (Delores Utecht's daughter) for all the favors she sent that members received at

Lunch Menus ALLEN COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

(March 3-7) Monday: Breakfast - Cereal, oat-

meal, Green eggs and Ham, fruit. Lunch Terivaki chicken. ${\bf Tuesday:} \ {\bf Breakfast-Cereal, \ oat-}$ meal, Pop tart, juice. Lunch — Turkey melt with bun.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Muffin, fruit. Lunch — Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes and gravy.

Thursday: Breakfast - Biscuits and gravy. Lunch — Pizza, green beans. Friday: No School.

Milk served with breakfast and lunch.

Menu subject to change.

COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

Monday: LC Breakfast — Mini muffins. Lunch - Taverns. MS Breakfast Breakfast bagel. MS Lunch — Grilled chicken patty

Tuesday: LC Breakfast - Biscuits sandwich. MS Breakfast — Muffins. MS Lunch — Roast beef.

Wednesday: LC Breakfast — French toast sticks. LC Lunch - Baked potato bar. MS Breakfast — Scrambled eggs and toast. MS Lunch - Cheese pizza.

Thursday: LC Breakfast - Omelet. LC Lunch — Barbecue McRibb sandwich. MS Breakfast — Breakfast bites. MS Lunch — Turkey sub sandwich.

Friday: LC Breakfast — Donuts. LC Lunch - Fish sandwich. MS Breakfast - Donuts. MS Lunch - Nachos with meat or cheese sauce.

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 (March 3-7)

Monday: Breakfast - Pancakes on a stick, apple juice. Lunch - Who-Roost-Roast sandwiches, green snerls, bunny blinks, beezle juice, Seuss cake (Dr. Seuss' birthday observance).

Tuesday: Breakfast Waffles oranges. Lunch - Beef nachos, black bean salsa, lettuce, pears.

Wednesday: Breakfast — Breakfast

The building is owned by the 2,800 investors in the Empire State Building Associates, LLC. It is cur-

pizza, orange juice. Lunch — Barbecue meatballs, macaroni and cheese, broccoli, wheat roll, mandarin oranges.

Thursday: Breakfast — Pretzel. pineapple. Lunch - KFC casserole, wheat roll, lettuce, strawberries

Friday: No School.

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

WAYNE COMMUNITY SCHOOLS (March 3-7)

Monday: Breakfast - Breakfast bur rito. Lunch — Barbecue ribs on whole grain bun, carrots, green beans, pears. Tuesday: Breakfast - Pancake. Lunch — Chicken nuggets, whole grain

roll, lettuce, corn, peaches. Wednesday: Breakfast — 10 a.m.

start - no breakfast. Lunch — Fish, cauliflower, whole grain roll, sweet potato wedges, strawberries.

Thursday: Breakfast - French toast. Lunch — Chili, crackers, broccoli cherries, whole grain cinnamon roll.

Friday: Breakfast — Breakfast pizza. Lunch - Hot dog with whole grain bun, baked beans, tater wedges orange

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 (March 3-7)

Monday: Breakfast Omelet. Lunch — Chicken strips, fries, green beans, mandarin oranges, roll.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Pancake. Lunch — Hoagie, chips, corn, pineapple. Wednesday: Breakfast - Muffin Lunch — Tomato soup, grilled cheese sandwich, carrots and celery, pears.

Thursday: Breakfast Omelet Lunch — Hamburger on bun, sweet potato fries, baked beans, peaches Friday: No School.

Milk served with all meals. Menu may change without notice. Fresh fruit available daily

Grades 4-12 may have salad bar. Grades K-3 may have salad plate.

The construction company was chaired by Alfred E. Smith, a former governor of New York. Excavation began on Jan. 22, 1930 and construction of the building itself started on March 17. The project involved 3,400 workers, mostly immigrants from Europe, along with hundreds of Mohawk iron workers. According to official accounts, five workers died during construction.

Governor Smith's grandchildren cut the ribbon in May of 1931. United State President Herbert Hoover turned on the building's lights with the push of a button from Washington, D.C.

The first use of the tower lights a top the building was the following year for the purpose of signaling the victory of Franklin D. Roosevelt over Hoover in the presidential election of November 1932.

In 1964 floodlights were added to illuminate the top of the building at night, in colors chosen to match seasonal and other events, such as St. Patrick's Day, Christmas and Independence Day. On the death of Frank Sinatra, the building was bathed in blue lights to represent the singer's nickname, "Ol Blue Eyes."

Over the years more than 30 people have committed suicide from the top of the building. People have also survived jumping off the building. They've jumped from the 86th floor, only to be blown back on to the 85th floor by a gust of wind and left with a broken hip.

The project was completed ahead of schedule and under budget. Instead of taking 18 months as anticipated, the construction took just 15 months. Due to reduced costs during the Depression, the final cost totaled only \$24.7 million, instead of the estimated \$43 million.

The Empire State Building is generally thought of as an American Cultural icon. It is designed in the distinctive Art Deco style and has been named as one of the Seven Wonders of the Modern World by the American Society of Civil Engineers.

The next meeting of the Acme Club will be Monday, March 3 at 2 p.m. Joann Temme will host the meeting at her home.

and gravy. LC Lunch - Philly steak

LAUREL-CONCORD/COLERIDGE (March 3-7)

www.mywaynenews.com

WillyCon XVI set for April 4-6

Wayne State College will host WillyCon XVI, April

WillyCon, the annual sci-fi convention sponsored by the WSC Science Fiction and Fantasy Club, includes guests of honor each year. Chloe Neill, Arden Ellen Nixon and Ron Bales will be honored this year.

A New York Times and USA Today bestselling urban fantasy author of the Chicagoland Vampires and Dark Elite series, Neill has written stories that have been embraced by readers around the world. Her subject matter includes vampires, shapeshifters, sorcerers/witches, nymphs, fairies, angels, demons and trolls. Nixon graduated from Chadron State College in 2005. After spending some time in Chadron and New York after graduation, Nixon lives in Lincoln. Her art

business is thriving. Nixon submits her work to around 20 conventions throughout the year. Nixon is often commissioned for paintings.

The Fan Guest of Honor is Ron Bales. He has been involved with science fiction and conventions for more than 35 years. This will be his first guest of honor appearance. His first convention was Big Mac, the World Science Fiction Convention in Kansas City in 1976. He was also instrumental in Electra-Con, the first threeday science fiction convention in Nebraska, held in Kearney in 1980. He was also a founding member of the Visionary's, the group responsible for Electa-Con.

WillyCon activities include:

- An art show and auction, displaying/selling science fiction and fantasy art, and a vendors' room with gaming supplies and miscellaneous items. WSC art students and local artists are encouraged to submit their art. The art show, art auction, and vendors' area at WillyCon are open to the general public.

- Presentations and panels by students, faculty, and fans talking about a variety of things including gaming and movie/TV-related panels, panels exploring the possibility of time travel, silicon-based life, and Haitian Zombies, the opportunity to interact with our guest of honors and see their talent in action and more

– Board, card and role-playing games, a masquerade show, gaming tournaments

- An Authors' Workshop where you can learn from a successful author and gather information about the craft of writing, or an Artist's Workshop where you can gain specific instruction from a talented artist on illustrative drawing or painting techniques.

WillyCon is an inexpensive weekend for all ages. Registration for the convention is \$25 for the weekend at the door. WSC students can attend at no cost.

For more information, e-mail Ron Vick at rovick1@ wsc.edu (include "Willy Con" in the subject line), or visit their website at www.willycon.com.



Music Alumni Day

The Wayne State College Department of Music hosted a Wayne State College Department of Music Alumni Day on Feb. 22. The event featured former Wayne State ensemble conductor Dr. Gary Davis. Davis is a long-time director of the University of Nebraska-Kearney band and recipient of the NSBA Outstanding Bandmaster Award.

Need to know land rental rates? There is an app for that

Each year University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension specialists are asked questions regarding farmland rental rates.

Now, a new UNL Extension app can provide some answers





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Taste of Chocolate

Residents of The Oaks were able to take advantage of this year's Taste of Chocolate event sponsored by the Wayne Optimist Club. The event raises money for the Optimist Scholarship fund.

WSC concert choir, chorale will perform at Wayne UMC March 3

Choir and Chorale will perform on eight musical pieces in the pro-Monday, March 3 at 7:30 p.m. at gram, including "Glory to God in rounding community. The chorale the First United Methodist Church in Wavne.

The Concert Choir, directed by Associate Professor of Voice and Music Education Elise Hepworth, is by highly acclaimed musicians. a 45-member auditioned ensemble

The Wayne State College Concert choir for WSC. They will perform graff, is composed of 68 WSC stuthe Highest" by Randall Thompson, will perform "Psalm 121" by Philip Shenandoah" arranged by Darmon Meader, "My God is So High" by Moses Hogan, and other compositions

The WSC Chorale, directed by and serves as the flagship touring Staff Accompanist Philip Pfaltz- the public.

dents and members of the sur-Pfaltzgraff, "Sure on This Shining Night" by Samuel Barber, "Little David Play on Your Harp" by Paul Christiansen, and other pieces.

The concert is free and open to



Land Lease Calculator is designed to assist producers in collecting information to help determine what might be charged for agricultural land leases, said Wayne Ohnesorg, extension educator in Madison County.

Users enter data into the app and it produces an estimated cost for the lease.

The app is available for \$1.99 in the Apple iTunes Store as well as on Google Play.

The app helps landowners estimate how much their land is worth.

"It also works very well for those who are looking to rent land because it gives them an idea of how much they might be willing to pay," said Ohnesorg.

He said that ultimately, it is up to the landlord and tenant to decide on an appropriate leasing price.

"The app is a tool to give them a starting point," Ohnesorg said.

The app is funded by the Nebraska Soybean Board.

It is now available at itunes.apple.com/us/app/land-lease-calculator/ id791573086?mt=8.

John Dunning of Wayne State College and Dr. **Cornell Runestad talk following the Wayne State** College Department of Music Alumni Day on Saturday, Feb. 22. Dunning performed as part of the alumni during the day. Dunning studied under Runestad as a vocalist during his years at WSC including performances with the Madrigals. Runestad is the recipient of the Nebraska **Choral Directors Association Lifetime Achieve**ment Award. Socials and rehearsals were held throughout the day. Alumni had the opportunity to work with Dr. Elise Hepworth, director of concert choir, and Dr. David Bohnert, director of bands. A performance by the WSC Concert Choir and Wind Ensemble took place in Ramsey Theatre with performances by the WSC Alumni Band and Chorus. The event concluded with a reception in the Peterson Fine Arts Atrium.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Winter/Spring Fest

The ninth annual Winter/Spring Fest, hosted by St. Mary's Catholic Church, was held Feb. 23 at Wayne City Auditorim and drew hundreds to the roast pork/beef dinner, silent auction and raffle.

Winside speech members competing were (from left) Connor Lemke-Elznic, Keith Mundil, Taylor Anson, Victoria Doffin, Breanna Lemke-Elznic and Selena Finn.

Winside speech team keeps busy with four recent tournaments

The Winside speech team has at- the team made finals in at least one like to thank Fine Arts Boosters for tended four speech tournaments since the season started three weeks ago.

The speech season for Winside started on February first with a meet at Hartington. The day was successful with Breanna Lemke-Elznic placing first in varsity extemporaneous and second in persuasive speaking. Connor Lemke-Elznic earned second place in novice poetry.

On Feb. 8, Winside hosted their annual speech meet. Thirteen area schools attended for a day of forensic events. Overall, there were 198 entrants at the home meet, making for a busy, exciting, an successful day for the team.

Winside finished fourth place overall at the home meet. Four of the five events entered made finals. Connor Lemke-Elznic ranked fifth overall in Poetry, Selena Finn and Taylor Anson's Acting duet ranked second, and Breanna Lemke-Elznic won first place in Extemporaneous and Persuasive speaking. Victoria Doffin and Connor Lemke-Elznic performed in Serious Prose as well. Crofton won Winside's meet overall with 47 points. Wisner-Pilger got second and Creighton came in third. Winside tied with Humphrey for fourth place with 19 points.

This past weekend, the team went to two meets; Lindsay Holy Family on Friday, and Humphrey on Saturday. On Friday Breanna Lemke-Elznic won Extemporaneus and placed second in Persuasive. Victoria Doffin earned fifth in Serious Prose. This was also the first time the OID was able to compete. On Saturday, every person on

Selena Finn, Victoria Doffin, and Taylor Anson medalled in sixth. like to thank Sarah Kesting, David Selena Finn and Taylor Anson's Du- Greunke, Morgan Quinn, and Brian et tied for second, Victoria Doffin's Kesting for helping with tabulaserious prose placed third, Connor tions; the teachers who allowed the Lemke-Elznic's Poetry came in seventh, and Breanna Lemke-Elznic and Lenell Quinn for helping monigot second in both Extemp and Persuade.

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event. The OID of Keith Mundil, hosting the hospitality room and concession stand, and would also use of their rooms; Sarah Remm tor the halls, and all the judges, coaches, and speakers who attende

The Winside speech team would ed the home meet.

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Wayne State College's Lan- public. guage and Literature Department, the School of Art and Humanities and the WSC Press will hold this spring's Plains Writers Series on Thursday, March 6.

The Plains Writers Series is held poetry of local Great Plains writ- House, Nimrod, Rattle, and other ers through reading and interacting journals. with area audiences.

This spring's Plains Writers Series will highlight four poets - Er- in Literary Nonfiction, and he was ik Campbell, Cat Dixon, Barbara nominated for a 2005 Pushcart Upside Down Heart," "How Much Schmitz and Sean Garner. The authors will share selected pieces of their recent works in the second floor lounge in the Humanities Building at Wayne State College at

1 p.m. and again at 2 p.m.

The schedule is as follows: 1 p.m. – Sean Garner and Barbara Schmitz;

2 p.m. - Cat Dixon and Erik Campbell.

Following the Plains Writers Series will be Poetry Slam XXXI. The poetry slam will be held at the Max Bar and Grill in downtown Wayne, starting at 7 p.m., with registration preceding at 6:30 p.m. Anyone who would like to participate in the slam will need four original poems and \$5 for registration at the door.

Erik Campbell is a native Nebraskan and former English teacher She has published in such journals turned technical writer. His poems as Prairie Schooner, Laurel Review, and essays have recently appeared Nebraska Review, South Dakota or are forthcoming in The Iowa Re- Review, Iconoclast, Poetry Motel, view, The Virginia Quarterly Re- Chiron Review, River Styx, and several times a year in an attempt view, Gulf Coast, Massachusetts Kansas Quarterly, and in several to bring attention to the prose and Review, New Delta Review, Tin anthologies, most recently Nebras-

> His essay, "Shirtless Days," was a finalist for the 2004 Iowa Award collection of poems, "Arguments for stone Press in April 2006 in a Curbstone/Rattle edition.

Cat Dixon teaches creative writ-Backwaters Press. Her work has Midwest Quarterly Review, Coe Review, Eclectica among others.

Heavy to Carry," was just released from Stephen F. Austin University book of poetry, Always the Detail, Press. Her website is www.catdix. com.

Barbara Schmitz is emeritus professor of English at Northeast Col- Northeast Nebraska. He has studlege where she taught literature ied at Wayne State College and re-All events are free and open to the and writing for 30 years, coordinat- cently won a poetry slam.

ed the Visiting Writers Series and was an editor for Elkhorn Review. ka Presence, and Times of Sorrow, Times of Grace.

She is the author of "Making Tracks," "The Lives of the Saints." "How to Get Out of the Body," "The Prize in poetry. His first full-length Our Dancing Has Improved" (winner of the 2005 NE. Center for Book Stillness," was published by Curb- Award) and "What Bob Savs" (Pudding House, 2010). A former Writer-in Residence at the Mabel Dodge Luhan House in Taos, she won a Neing at the University of Nebraska, braska Arts Council Grant in 1997, Omaha. She is the secretary of The and she is on the staff of The Caravan of the Beautiful, teaching writappeared in Sugar House Review, ing to spiritual seekers. Her memoir "Path of Lightning" - a spiritual autobiography - is available through Her full length poetry book, "Too Pinyon Publishing at www.pinyonpublishing.com. She also has a new out now through Stephan A. Austin State University Press.

Sean Garner is a poet stationed in



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(Photos by Clars Osten) GOP gathering

The Wayne County GOP held its 2014 Lincoln-Reagan Forum/Dinner on Saturday at the Hoskins Community Center, with more than 100 people on hand to meet with candidates for state and federal public offices. In the photo above, U.S. Senate candidate Shane Osborn talks to those in attendance. At right, Jon Bruning recently threw his hat into the GOP race for governor and made an appearance at Saturday's event.



Girl Scout cookie sales end March 9

the sale of the tasty treats will officially conclude on Sunday, March 9.

There are still hundreds of Girl Scout cookie booths scheduled near you, visit the Cookie Booth Locator at GirlScoutsNebraska.org.

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The 2014 Girl Scout Cookie lineup includes: Thin Mints, Shortbread, Peanut Butter Sandwich, Peanut Butter Patties, Caramel deLites. \$3.50 per package.

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Chamber Coffee

Wayne Kiwanis Club President Bob Foxhoven (right) spoke of the work of the Kiwanis Club in Wayne over the last 90 years during last week's Chamber Coffee. Looking on are

Kiwanis members Sarah Townsend and Ray McCalla.

Advice offered to prevent complications from diabetes

The Control Diabetes for Life program on Wednesday, March 26 will be offered from 1:30-4 p.m. at Department, located at 215 North Pearl Street in Wayne.

You probably already know that diabetes can lead to devastating problems with the heart, kidney, eyes and nerves. Did you also know that by taking control of diabetes and identifying problems early you can prevent or slow many of these conditions?

High blood glucose is a major your blood pressure and cholesterol cause of serious diabetes complica- levels in check, quitting smoking tions. Recognizing diabetes early Northeast Nebraska Public Health and getting blood glucose levels under control allows for swift action to slow its progression and avoid complications. Lowering a person's A1C by just one percentage point lowers his or her chance of getting eye, kidney or nerve disease by 40 percent. Blood glucose control is just one aspect of preventive care. Following a meal plan, being physically active, losing excessive weight, keeping

and taking aspirin are all important ways to prevent future health problems

Good control requires both diligence and willingness to try new strategies. Learn new strategies by attending Control Diabetes for Life. The March 26 session will focus on "What's New in Diabetes Self-Management.'

Set a goal to take control of your diabetes. Aim for lower blood glucose levels to feel better now and stay healthy for years to come. The March 26 topics include: Kidney Disease: Action Steps to Take to Protect Your Health, Ways to Cut Food Costs, and What's New in Diabetes Self-Management. There will also be a question and answer period.

Participants will receive recipes for diabetic appropriate foods. Team-teaching the program will be Stacie Petersen, B.S.N. and Certified Diabetes Educator; Deborah Willcox, R.D.,L.M.N.T., both of Franciscan Care Services in West Point and Debra Schroeder, UNL Extension Educator in Cuming County. These sessions are designed to supplement the education that participants receive from the local diabetes education team and are not a substitute for diabetes classes through your local health care providers.

Control Diabetes for Life is a joint project of University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension and Franciscan Care Services of West Point. The program is offered free-of-charge.

To pre-register for Control Diabetes for Life, call UNL Extension-Wayne County at (402) 375-3310. Please register by Monday, March 24, so the proper number of handouts may be prepared. Nebraska School Food Service Association has approved this session for two hours of continuing education credits.

SOURCE: Amy Topp, UNL Extension Educator.

Rolling for dough

First Nebraska Bank of Wayne recently sponsored the annual Roll for Dough event in conjunction with a Wayne State men's basketball game. Winners included Lincoln Ruybo, Beau Johnson, Zach Lynch and Daniel Olson.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Remember when?

Former Wayne Kiwanis members Leon Meyer, Pat Gross and Duane Schroeder reminisce about their years as part of the service organization. The Kiwanis Club hosted last week's Chamber Coffee in observance of its 91st anniversary as a club in the Wayne community.

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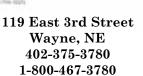
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Sports Wildcats add two more champs

Herald

Three medalists lead Winside wrestlers to fourth-place finish at state wrestling

By MICHAEL CARNES Of The Herald

OMAHA – If you've spent more than 15 minutes around high school sports, you'll understand that how you start isn't near as important as how you finish.

Two Winside wrestlers grasped that concept perfectly Saturday afternoon during the championship round of the 2014 Nebraska State Wrestling Championships, and the efforts of senior Caleb Lienemann and sophomore Marcos Escalera resulted in a trip to the top of the medal stand as Class D state champions.

The efforts of Winside's two champions, along with a fourth-place finish by 106-pounder Sean Mann, propelled the Wildcats to a fourthplace finish in Class D to highlight the efforts of the 20 area wrestlers from Winside, Wayne, Wakefield and Laurel-Concord/Coleridge who were among the 896 qualifiers for the 2014 Nebraska State Wrestling Championships.

For Lienemann, it was a second chance at taking the Walk of Champions Saturday at the Century Link Center, as well as a chance to make amends for last year's loss in the championship finals.

"Since last year, I've watched

me the fuel to finish," Lienemann drew first blood early in the second said after winning the state title. "I didn't want to be average. I wanted bottom position. Horrocks would esto dominate everybody, and that's what I went out and tried to do."

tional, the Winside senior had been ion. on a mission, setting a new school record for pins in a season and look- tershot thing a lot in practice," Sok ing to take that final step up the medal stand to the top.

the kid from Parkston, S.D., and it this year, when he came in on those showed him right off the bat some of the things he needed to tweak if he able to finish it." wanted to take that next step," Winside coach Paul Sok said. "He was to be the difference, as Horrocks was able to focus on that and had some good competition, and he's been as focused as any kid I've had in the but couldn't tilt him for any bonus room in some time. He knew what points. Lienemann raised his hands he wanted from the start, worked in celebration as the final whistle on what he needed to, and the outcome speaks for itself."

Lienemann did it in grand fash- the arena to cheer him on. ion Saturday afternoon. With the saw his opportunity early and took advantage to post a 4-3 win over undefeated Stevin Horrocks of Hay Springs to claim the Class D 220-pound championship.

Both wrestlers came out cautious that film over and over again to give in the first period, but Lienemann

period with a reversal out of the cape to make it 2-1, but Lienemann came through with an important After losing in the finals of the takedown late in the second period season-opening Creighton Invita- to give himself a three-point cush-

"We've worked on that shot-counsaid. "Last year, he had some good shots and good penetration but "His only loss this year was to didn't finish what he started, and against the Hay Springs kid, he was

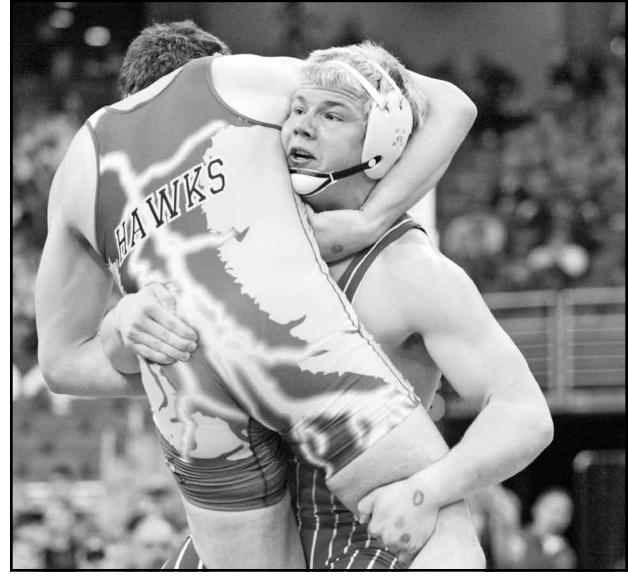
> That late takedown would prove able to reverse position in the third period against the Winside senior sounded, pointing to the Winside faithful gathered on the west side of

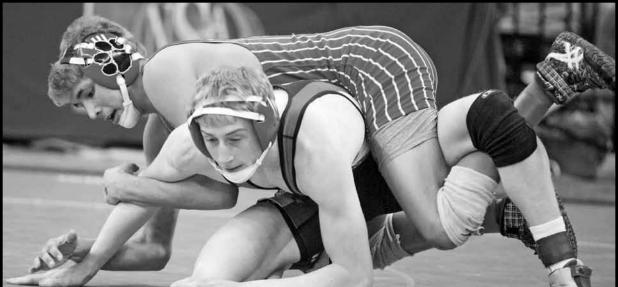
"It's an awesome feeling," Liene-NSAA deciding to start the finals at mann said. "I watched my cousin 195 pounds, rather than the tradi- (Bo Brummels) win three times, tional 106-pound start, Lienemann and it's awesome to be in those shoes and wear the Winside stripes with pride."

> While many experts were looking at a possible title run for Lienemann, few saw what was coming later in the final round, where Escalera was looking to end a threematch losing streak to Randolph freshman Drew Loberg.

During the season, Loberg literally owned Escalera on the mat, recording two pins and a major decision. It was a different story on Saturday, though, as the Winside sophomore nearly got a pin in the first period, then finished the job in the second period to take home the Class D championship at 132 pounds.

"We've been on the other end of that, so I'm sure it was in the back of (Marcos') mind," Sok said. "He kenw what he needed to do and kept true to his game, and getting that first takedown was big to help









(Photo by Lee Koch)

Carlos Escalera (left) and Caleb Lienemann added their names to the ceremonial sheet that honors Winside's state wrestling champions. They are the 35th and 36th state champions in Winside's long wrestling history, which dates back to 1970.

Two more names on sheet of champs

There is a time-honored tradition in Winside, a tradition that seems to take place every year about this time.

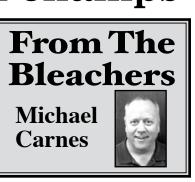
Unless you're new to town or have lived in a cave, you know that Winside loves its wrestling. I know of few towns in the state that share the devotion and passion that our neighbors to the southwest have for man's original sport.

Back in 1972, an old bedsheet with the words "Welcome home, State Champ. Good Job" was set up at the house of Dave Jaeger, who won the school's second state wrestling title (Steph Carlson was the original Wildcat champion, winning in 1970). As the school continued to grow as a wrestling power in the state, the congratulatory linen went from house to house.

In 1982, when Mark Koch won a state title, his dad, Lee, came up with the idea of having the state champions autograph the banner every year. The signing ceremony was always held at Lee and Rosie's, the old hangout Koch and his wife ran for many years, with all the Wildcat faithful on hand to cheer on the champion as he signed his name to the town's history.

This past weekend, the old bedsheet (which, according to Koch, has never been washed), was brought out again for a pair of new autographs, those belonging to Caleb Lienemann and Marcos Escalera. They are the 35th and 36th Winside wrestlers to etch their moment in the school's proud wrestling tradition after winning state titles last week in Omaha, adding their names alongside the autographs of past Winside champions like Brad Langenberg, Bob Bowers, Dave Jaeger, Keith Suhl, Max Kant and many more.

For Lienemann, it was the next step up the ladder after a disap-



pointing finish in the state finals a year ago. He was mentioned as one of the contenders for the Class D, 220-pound title this year and lost just one match the entire season, that coming in the finals of the seato one of the top wrestlers in South Dakota.

Lienemann was a monster for much of the season, setting new school records for pins in a season and fastest pin in school history. In fact, during the Winside Invitational, his record-setting seven-second pin was one of three he had on the day that came less than 10 seconds (yes, you read that right) into the match. In his final home tournament, he was on the mat for less than the equivalent of one period of

a normal six-minute match. For Escalera, the trip to the top of the medal stand was somewhat unexpected by just about everybody who follows high school wrestling in Nebraska. Escalera was unranked heading into the state tournament, and yet there he was, a win away from immortality - and from putting his name on an old, dirty piece of linen.

The one wrestler standing in his way was Randolph freshman sensation Dylan Loberg, one half of the Loberg brothers who had terrorized wrestlers in this part of the state

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him keep the pressure on him.

After giving up a takedown, Escalera reversed position and tilted Loberg for two back points. He nearly got his trademark spladle in place before Loberg slipped out as the first period drew to a close.

"The Loberg kid could have rolled through that, and it's something

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(Photos by Michael Carnes)

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(top) Winside senior Caleb Lienemann would not be denied a gold medal after last year's runner-up finish, capping a dominating season with a win in the finals at 220 pounds. (above) Marcos Escalera avenged three previous losses to Drew Loberg of Randolph with a second-period pin to win the 132-pound state title.

Blue Devils get wins at state meet

By MICHAEL CARNES Of The Herald

OMAHA - Although there were no medals to be had for the Wayne High wrestling team, there was still a sense of accomplishment for the coaches who are trying to rebuild the program.

Head coach David Wragge patted 138-pound senior Mike Cliff on the back after he won his first-round consolation match on Friday at the Nebraska State Wrestling Championships in the Century Link Center. Cliff's 5-1 win over Jackson Cofson-opening Creighton Invitational fin of York was the Blue Devils' first state tournament win in a couple of years, prompting the Wayne High coach to exclaim "We're not in the basement anymore.'

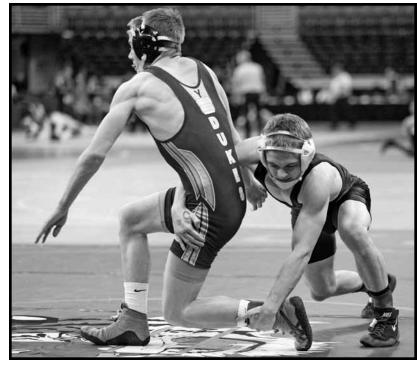
> Indeed, the Blue Devils are a long way from the penthouse of the top teams in Class B, but the matches won by Cliff, Demetrius Alexander and Schuyler Schweers did get them out of the bottom of the standings and into a four-way tie for 37th place after the three-day tournament completed Saturday.

"I think that it is all a process, and we are moving in the right direction," he said. "We would have liked to win some more matches and bring home a medal or two, but winning some matches is a good start. I think Mike started something when he won his match, and the guys seemed to feed off of it and, we got a a roll that round. I think with some work this summer and another year of experience, we can get some guys winning more matches down there next year.'

With all six qualifiers finishing fourth at districts, each wrestler had to start his tournament by facing a district champion. It wasn't much of a surprise, then, that Wayne High went 0-6 on that first day, but Wragge was proud of the way the Blue Devils battled, even in those first-day defeats.

"I thought that the kids wrestled well. We did not win any of the first round matches but for the most part we wrestled tough. I was happy to

see that the guys didn't back down



(Photo by Michel Carnes)

Michael Cliff got Wayne High its first win at the state wrestling tourament in two years, one of three Blue Devils to

See STATE, Page 3B pick up a win at this year's tournament.

women nab NSIC regular-season title WSC

State women's basketball team are tops in the scoreless for the first eight minutes of the game. Northern Sun Conference.

The Wildcats wrapped up the regular-season conference title with a pair of road wins over the weekend, setting the 26-3 (19-3 NSIC) Wildcats up for a first-round matchup that was played Wednesday against Bemidji State at Rice Auditorium

Wayne State finished things off Saturday as reserve forward Jaylan Spencer came off the cats in scoring with 16 and 14 points, respectivebench to score a game-high 16 points to lead the ninth-ranked Wildcats to a 78-56 win at Upper Iowa

For the third time in four years, the Wayne ing a 14-0 advantage while holding Upper Iowa

Upper Iowa went on an 11-4 run late in the first half to get as close as four points, but the Wildcats responded with a run of their own. Spencer hit a jumper right before the buzzer to give Wayne State a 38-27 halftime lead, and a 10-0 run early in the second half helped the Wildcats put things out of reach.

Spencer and her sister, Jordan, led the Wildly. Ellen Hansen was also in double figures with 12 points, while Addy Roller added 10.

As a team, the Wildcats shot 53.6 percent from Wayne State got off to a big lead early, tak- the floor, marking the 11th time this season the

team shot better than 50 percent from the field Wayne State also outrebounded the Peacocks 37-32, with Ashton Yossi grabbing a career-best nine rebounds and Hansen adding seven. Wayne State committed just six turnovers in the blowout win

It was a game of record-setting efforts for Wayne State on Friday night, as the Wildcats used white-hot shooting from the outside to roll over Winona State 83-47 at Winona, Minn.

It was a tough battle early, but the Warriors couldn't keep pace with the blistering pace being set by the Wildcats on the perimeter. Wayne 901 West

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Wells sisters dominate, Thomsen wins two events at South Dakota Invitational

The Wells sisters and a Wayne becca Davenport and Mary Alder- winning relay included Mike King, 10), William Ernst took sixth in native helped lead the effort for the son crossed the line first with a time Jared Balady and Derek Lahm. Wayne State indoor track and field teams during the South Dakota Twilight Meet, held at the Dakota Dome in Vermillion, S.D.

In women's action, Sara Wells captured first place in the shot put with a new school record throw of 50 feet, 2 1/2 inches. It's the third time she broke her own school record in the event this season and tops her previous school mark of 48-10 set at the Wildcat Open on Jan. 25. She also finished sixth place in the weight throw at 53-7 1/2.

Her sister, Emily Wells, took first place in the weight throw with an NCAA provisional mark and season-best throw of 59 feet. The remaining first place finish for the Wildcats came from the 1,600-meter relay team, as the quartet of Elizabeth Pille, Danielle Hart, Re-

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Alexis Guhl posted a third place finish in the 60 meter hurdles in 9.19 seconds while sophomore Amanda Ramberg tied for fourth in the high jump, clearing 5-1. In the long jump, senior Sidney Blum finished fourth at 16-6 1/2, while Megan Svitak was right behind in fifth place at 16-6. Jessi Pongratz took fifth in the shot put $(45-0 \ 1/2)$, and Michaela Dendinger came in ninth at 43-3 3/4. In the weight throw, sophomore Kyndra Sturm finished eighth at 53-5 3/4 while Pongratz was 10th at 53-3 1/2.

Other top finishers included Skyler Lippman taking 10th in the mile run (5:47.89) while Danielle Hart was 10th in the 200-meter dash in Wayne State College senior Am-27.78 seconds.

In men's action, Wayne native Zach Thomsen crossed the line first in the 800 meter run with a time of 1:58.02 and was part of the firstplace 1,600-meter relay team that recorded a time of 3:24.52 to lead the Wildcats. Other runners on the

Lahm recorded a second-place finish in the long jump at 21-5 1/2, Balady had a third-place finish in the 400-meter dash in 51.09 seconds, while Nick Schmit placed in two events, taking seventh in Hochstein was 10th in the mile run the 1,000-meter run (2:39.75) and eighth in the 800 at 2:04.34.

Other top finishers for the Wildcats included Bryan Dunn finish- ference Indoor Championships in ing fifth in the weight throw (54-

the 200 (23.03), Joe Warth came in seventh in the shot put $(48-6 \ 1/4)$. Corbin Marksmeier had a seventhplace finish in the 60-meter hurdles (8.68), Cody Clark was seventh in the long jump (17-8) and Adam (4:40.16).

Wayne State will compete this weekend at the Northern Sun Con-Bemidji, Minn.

Kutnink is tabbed as rugby magazine's POY

RUGBYMag.com has named team and toured with the Midwest ber Kutnink as their Small Col- turning to Wayne State to lead lege Women's Player of the Year for them to a second-straight NSCRO 2013.

Kutnink is a flanker for the twotime defending NSCRO national champions, where she led them to cap off a 16-1 season. national titles in 2012 and 2013. She captained the Great Plains U23

Thunderbirds U23 team before retitle in 2013. Kutnink was named MVP of the 2013 national championship as she helped Wayne State

As well as an excellent player for Wayne State, Kutnink distinguished herself as a leader, orchestrating the team's conditioning workouts and communicating with players unable to attend practice. When the Wayne State rugby facility was struck by a tornado, Kutnink was instrumental in helping clean up not only at the rugby field, but area farms that were also damaged.

She leads the team's bible study group, as she has for the last three years, and is active on the leadership team for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. Kutnink and several other players were nominated by NSCRO coaches from around the country.

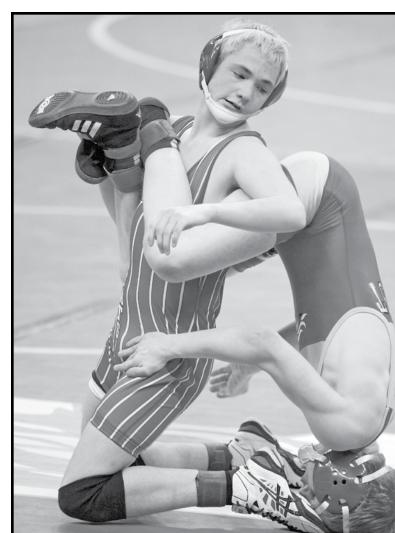
Honorable mention honors went to Leslie Ota of Fordham University and Kayla Lindros of the University of New England.

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throughout the year. Older brother, Drew, was expected to win the 195-pound title while Dylan was one of the contenders at 132 pounds.

On paper, this didn't look like a good matchup for Escalera. Loberg had owned the Winside sophomore throughout the course of the season. Their first match ended in a first-period pin for Loberg. The second match went to the third period before Loberg stuck Escalera. In their third meeting, Escalera went the distance but was dominated in a major decision. So, naturally, Escalera was due. And so, after the team returned home from an impressive fourthplace finish in the Class D division, the two newest members of Winside's state championship family were handed the special marking utensil (probably a Sharpie that Lee had quietly liberated from a neighbor's computer bag on press row) and added their names to Winside sports history in a get-together downtown at Jensen's Cafe. With the sign tacked to the wall over a Husker flag and assorted farm-related wall hangings, the gathering applauded the two newest members of Winside's most exclusive fraternity Afterwards, as the kids left to enjoy their celebration with friends, the parents - former state champions among the throng - packed the local bar, Fugglies, down the street to toast the winners' parents and recall some of the memories of championships past. Meanwhile, the graying old bedsheet is put away for another year, waiting for the next guy in the trademark red and white-striped Winside singlet to have his hand raised on the afternoon of the third Saturday in February – the next in line to add his name to the autographs of champions past.



(Photo by Michael Carnes) Freshman Sean Mann came away with a fourth-place medal at 106 pounds for the Winside wrestlers, who finished fourth as a team in Class D.



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Tom's Body Shop	11.0	17.0
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Other High Games: Trent Beza 223, Rich Rethwisch 222/202, Mike Grosz 216, Bennett Salmon 215.

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State National Bank	18.0	10.0
Stadium Sports	16.0	12.0
Burn's Welding	16.0	12.0
White Dog Pub	15.0	13.0
Tacos & More	13.0	15.0
Kathol & Associates	12.0	16.0
Kelly's cHair	4.0	24.0

High Game: Kathy Bird, 193. High Series: Stefanie McLagan, 523. Other High Games: Jessi Jensen 185, Stefanie McLagan 184, Linda Stewart 183

Other High Series: Jessi Jensen 494, Kathy Bird 519.

Wed-Nite Owls Week #15 2/19/14

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High Game and Series: Brad Jones 219 and 616. High Team Game and Series: Alley Cats, 545 and 1578. High Scores: Brad Jones 215.

Champs

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where Marcos gets himself in those situations and was ready for it," Sok said.

Escalera continued his aggressive approach in battling the Randolph standout, eventually getting a pinning situation that worked to stick Loberg 31 seconds into the second period, joining Lienemann among Winside's 36 state champions in school history.

"It's amazing. I'm on top of the world right now," Escalera said after the match. "I just wanted to go out and give it my all and not give up the match. This feels awesome."

Those wins, along with a fourthplace finish by 106-pound freshman Sean Mann in the consolation rounds, propelled the Wildcats to an impressive fourth-place finish in the Class D team standings. Winside scored 73 team points to finish nine behind Pender. Amherst ran away with their fifth straight team title with a Class D-record 241.5 points, while Plainview was second with 94 points.

The Wildcats brought seven

wrestlers to state, with five of them winning at least one match. Mann bounced back from a semifinals loss to reach the consolation finals, settling on a fourth-place finish at 106 pounds to account for Winside's third medal. Colby Erickson (120) and Zach Jones (160) both won a match in consolation action, while Zach Morris (138) and Zane Jensen (285) both went 0-2 in their first trips to the state tournament.

The fun doesn't end for the Winside wrestling team, however. With their runner-up finish in last week's D-2 district tournament, the Wildcats qualified as the No. 3 seed for the Class D Duals State Tournament on Saturday at the University of Nebraska-Kearney. The Wildcats wrestle No. 6-seed Thayer Central in the first round of the eight-team tourney

"I think everybody's excited about it, and the kids are talking about it," Sok said. "The other half of the team is sitting in the stands watching these guys, and that will fire them up, and I think we'll be ready for Thayer Central."

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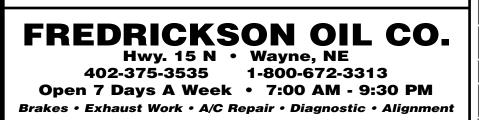
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State Wrestling Results

Class B Top 10 Team Standings

Omaha Skutt 179, Beatrice 105.5, Scottsbluff 99, Gretna 94, Cozad 93, Plattsmouth 88.5, Nebraska City 82.5, Adams Central 78.5, Bennington 74, West Point-Beemer 65. Wayne tied for 37th with 3 points.

Wayne Results

106: Tyler Brandenburg, Scotus, pinned Gage Schultz, Wayne, 3:54; Daniel Goings, Chadron, maj. dec. Schultz, 16-3.

138: Clay Trejo, Cozad, pinned Michael Cliff, Wavne, 3:09: Cliff dec, Jackson Coffin, York, 5-1; Walker Johnson, Alliance, tech. fall Cliff, 15-0.

152: Jacob Pfeifer, Holdrege, tech. fall Logan Reinke, Wayne, 15-0; Kalen Kasik, Schuyler, maj. dec. Reinke, 12-4.

182: Ben Stille, Ashland-Greenwood, dec. Demetrius Alexander, Wayne, 9-5; Alexander dec. Cameron Presher, Scottsbluff, 7-2; D.J. Marco, Nebraska City, pinned Alexander, 2:47. 195: Cooper Cogdill, Chadron, pinned Schuyler Schweers, Wayne, :44; Schweers dec.

Chandler Bravton, York, 8-5; Brody Cleveland, Ogallala, pinned Schweers, 1:29. 220: Alex Meier, Adams Central, pinned

Kody Frahm, Wayne, 3:20; Matt McBride, Mc-Cook, pinned Frahm, 1:25.

Class C

Top 10 Team Standings David City 125, O'Neill 124, Valentine 109, Madison 109, Sargent/Burwell-Loup County 75.5, Keraney Catholic 72.5, East Butler 67, Battle Creek 63, Centennial 62, Central City

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from their opponents and wrestled hard," he said.

Cliff's win was followed by Alexander, who earned a 7-2 decision over Cameron Presher of Scottsbluff at 182 pounds; and Schweers, who put together an impressive third period with a pair of threepoint nearfalls to earn an 8-5 decision over Chandler Brayton of York.

"I think that will be a huge help to Schuyler next year," Wragge said of the sophomore, the only one of the three winners who returns next year. "He is one of those kids who does not know how good he could be, and we have a few of them coming back next year that could be state medalists if they set their mind to it and work hard. It is a confidence thing, and now that we know we can not only get to state, but compete when we get there, it will take a lot of nerves out of it and allow us to do what we do best, which is wrestle."

Two other wrestlers who qualified for state will be back next year. Gage Schultz showed improvement at 106 pounds and Logan Reinke wrestled tough at 152, although both went 0-2 in the tournament.

"Gage wrestled his first round opponent two times this season, and our match against him at state lasted longer than the first two times combined, which shows how much he has improved this year and how tough of a competitor he is," Wrag-

58.5. Wakefield was 37th with 12 points and LCC tied for 41st with 6 points. LCC Results

160: Brad Schoch, Central City, dec. Chris Heydon, LCC, 6-3; Heydon pinned C.J. Bolen, Fort Calhoun, 2:55; Lance Hockenbary, Valenne, pinned Heydon, 2;17.

182: Gage Hartling, Fort Calhoun, maj. dec. Brett Haisch, LCC, 18-8; Nick Comte, Aquinas, dec. Haisch. 10-5.

285: Zaine Gallegos, Bayard, pinned Ethan Hirschman, LCC, 5:14; Hirschman def. Aaron Bisbee, Gibbon, medical forfeit; Aroy Reynaga, Madison, pinned Hirschman, 1:55. Wakefiled Results

113: Drew Gilliland, Mitchell, dec, Irvin

Ramirez, Wakefield, 12-7; Devon Spatz, East Butler, dec. Ramirez, 7-3.

120: Nick Gonzalez, Wakefield, pinned Tyler Kocian, East Butler, 3:16; Dakota Harvey, Sargent/Burwell-Loup County, pinned Gonzalez, 4:21; Conner Bergquist, Southern Valley, dec. Gonzalez, 6-0.

170: Cody Thomas, Wakefield, pinned Dusty Shepard, Logan View, 4:16; Matthew Kindler, Aquinas, dec. Thomas, 10-6: Thomas pinned Hunter Randles, Madison, 2:31; Ken Graham, Gordon-Rushville, dec. Thomas, 4-2.

182: Joseph Varela, David City, pinned Efren Godinez, Wakefield, 2:11; Godinez dec. Tyler Gideon, Sargent/Burwell-Loup County, 2-1; Co-ry Kennedy, Centennial, pinned Godinez, 3:33.

Class D

Top 10 Team Standings Amherst 241.5, Plainview 94, Pender 82, Winside 73, Palmer 61, Randolph 59, Scrib-

ner-Snyder 63.5, Hay Springs 48, Meridian 48, Friend 43.

Winside Results

106: Sean Mann, Winside, pinned Claytor G'Schwind, South Loup, 3:57; Mann pinned nacio Rivera, Sutton, 2:29; Jacob Calvert, Dundy County-Staratton, dec. Mann, 8-3; Mann dec. Hadley McDaniel, Weeping Water, 8-6; Peyton Cumpston, Amherst, pinned Mann, 2:50 4th place.

120: Dalton Loeffelholz, Pleasanton, pinned Colby Erickson, Winside, 3:30; Erickson dec. Austin Huddle, Hemingford, 8-6 (OT); Mckway Scott, Arcadia-Loup City, maj. dec. Erickson 14-4

132: Marcos Escalera, Winside, pinned Chandler Donscheski, Palmer, 2:38; Escalera dec. Brandt Florell, Amherst, 2-0; Escalera dec. Collin Fleecs, Sutherland, 4-2; Escalera pinned Drew Loberg, Randolph, 2:31 - State Cham-

138: Joey Johnson, Hay Springs, pinned Zach Morris, Winside, 2:50; Garrett Fries, Southwest, tech. fall Morris, 15-0.

160: Mason Klingelhoefer, Amherst, pinned Zach Jones, Winside, :14; Jones maj. dec. Kyle Stevens, High Plains, 13-5; Garrett Cox, Mullen, pinned Jones, 1:35.

220: Caleb Lienemann. Winside, pinned Jordan Riley, Axtell, :46; Lienemann pined Bryce Schweer, Meridian, 2:18; Lienemann pinned Dallas Doupnik Jr., Harvard, :46; Lienemann dec. Steven Horrocks, Hay Springs, 5-3 - State Champion.

285: Matthew Hessler, Morrill, pinned Zane Jensen, Winside, :46; Cole Larson, Palmer, pinned Jensen, 1:51.

OAKLAND – After a lackluster performance in the opening round of the C1-4 subdistrict on Tuesday, the Wayne High girls needed a solid performance to carry some momentum into the district finals.

The Blue Devils got exactly what they were looking for on Thursday, dominating Tekamah-Herman 54-30 to claim the subdistrict title and earn a third matchup with Pierce in Friday's C1-2 district final this Friday at 7 p.m. at Northeast Community College.

The 16-10 Blue Devils jumped on the Tigers early, limiting Tekamah-Herman to 10 points in the first half and building a lead of as many as 30 points before settling on the 24-point win to survive and advance in the postseason with an effort that coach Jeff Zeiss said he was relieved

"I thought we were a little tight Tuesday against West Point and made some uncharacteristic mistakes, but we were able to win and move on, and the girls were ready play Thursday and had an extra bounce in their step," he said.

With it being win-or-go-home time in high school basketball, that bounce needs to be there every day, a point Zeiss said his five seniors understand better than anybody else.

"Every practice and every game could be their last, and they've really taken that to heart and came out ready to play, and we need to play with that sense of urgency this time of year," he said.

way into the score book for Wayne fenses to get there, we'll do it," he

Allen boys fall short in D1-4 subdistricts

19-point win.

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The Allen boys basketball team ing the Eagles 19-7 to go on to the ended their 2-21 season with a 56-37 loss to Emerson-Hubbard in D1-4 subdistrict play Monday at Ponca len attack with 10 points, Coleman High School.

Allen jumped out to an 11-7 lead after one period and kept things close at the half as the Pirates led, 20-19. Emerson-Hubbard pulled with five. away in the fourth quarter, outscor-

Season ends for Winside boys team

A long season has come to a close for the Winside boys basket-

on Thursday, led by seniors Ja- said. "Win or lose, I'm proud of the lyn Zeiss and Meagan Backer, who scored 11 and 10 points, respectively, to help the Blue Devils book a that this is where we want to be meeting with Pierce for all the marbles and a trip to next week's state tournament.

ready for Pierce in district final

Wayne girls win subdistrict,

It will be the third meeting between the Blue Devils and the Blueiavs. Pierce won the regular-season meeting in early January 51-42 at Pierce, but the Blue Devils returned the favor with a 35-28 upset of the third-seeded Bluejays in the opening round of the Mid State Conference tournament earlier this month.

The difference in the two games was in the turnover department, Zeiss said.

"The first time, we had 20 turnovers and lost by nine, and the second time we had 10 and won by seven," he said. "We were able to control the tempo and not give up many offensive rebounds, and if we can keep the score in the 30's and 40's, we'll have a chance to win. I think we learned we can compete with them if we execute our defense really well."

Wayne has only made one state tournament appearance, a 36-35 loss to Schuyler in the Class B tournament in 1993, and Zeiss is hopeful that this year's team can get over that hump and punch the school's first ticket to the state girls basketball tournament in 21 years.

"We haven't been there since 1993, and we're excited that we're in this position this time of year where it's a one-game deal, and Ten different players found their if we have to play 25 different de-

D1-4 Subdistrict at Ponca

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girls' efforts this year, and we've set the foundation for the younger kids with a chance to win (districts) and go down to state and do something. Wayne 54, Tekamah-Herman 30

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ge said. "Logan wrestled well in his match. He was wrestling a tough kid who was a returning medalist."

Like Cliff and Alexander, Kody Frahm wrestled his last match in a Blue Devil uniform at state, making his second trip to the big show. Unfortunately, the 220-pound senior was unable to get a win in this year's tournament but provided some good leadership as a returning qualifier for the five newbies on the team.

"Having Kody qualify for a second time was awesome. He was able to

(Photos by Michael Carnes)

Schuyler Schweers (top) and Demetrius Alexander (above) both won matches for Wayne High during consolation action.

they needed to be," Wragge said. skin. They just followed Kody and "Having been there before, this was he kind of showed them the ropes, not a new experience for him. He and next year we will have more has a real easygoing disposition, so guys going back for their second he was able to keep everyone settled time and will be able to take on this down and didn't let the new experi- role."

help the younger guys get to where ence get under any of the new guys'

ball team, as they were defeated by Bancroft-Rosalie in the first round of subdistricts on Tuesday.

The Wildcats closed out the regular season on Thursday with a 56-7 loss at Cedar Bluffs. The home team got out to a 13-2 lead after one period and were able to extend their lead from there to claim the easy win

Jadon Wagner led the Wildcats with a team-high four points in the losing effort while Bryce Meis added three points and grabbed a teamhigh seven rebounds.

In the D2-4 subdistrict at Pender, top-seeded Bancroft-Rosalie wasted no time in taking control of the game, limiting the Wildcats to just two field goals in the game on their way to an 82-5 win that ended Winside's season at 0-20.

Wagner hit a 3-pointer to account for Winside's only points in the first half, while Keith Mundil added a basket in the second half.

Cedar Bluffs 56, Winside 7

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erom 6, Sukstorf 2, Giehler 2, Hawkins 19, Tenopir 11. **D2-4 Subdistrict at Pender**

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Lady Bears fall short in C2-7 final In the rebounding department,

Laurel-Concord/Coleridge had hopes of an upset of Homer and a trip to the district finals, but the Lady Knights had other plans.

Homer was able to hang on at the end and thwart the Lady Bears' upset hopes, posting a 63-60 victory to claim the C2-7 subdistrict title Thursday at Wayne High School and end LCC's 16-7 season.

The Lady Bears led by four points after one period and took a six-

point lead into the final quarter, but Homer came back and outscored Gubbels grabbed 15 of LCC's 40 re-LCC 25-16 in the final period to come away with the exciting win.

Cameron Eddie hit for a teamhigh 17 points and Audra Corbit added 15 in a losing effort for LCC. Brittany Wolfgram added nine points, Ellie Arduser had eight, Erin Gubbels had seven, and Kelsey Kardell and Taylor Pigg each had Wolfgram 9. Gubbels 7. Corbit 15.

bounds while Eddie had eight and Arduser and Corbit each had seven. Eddie dished out four assists and Corbit had four blocks and three steals. C2-7 Subdistrict at Wayne Homer 63, LCC 60 LCC 16 16 12 16 60 12 18 8 25 - 63 Home

LCC - Kardell 2, Pigg 2, Eddie 17, Arduser 8,

HOMER - Scoring not available. Wakefield boys fall in home finale

overcome for Wakefield in their regular-season finale at home Friday, as visiting Homer came away with a 60-44 victory.

The Trojans were down 20-2 after one period, and while they outscored the Knights in the final three

A slow start was too much to periods, it wasn't enough to overcome the slow start.

> Three Trojans finished in double figures, with Evan Nicholson's 16 points leading the way. Alex Conley and Josh Dolph each had 10 points, while Luis Brambilla had six and Tim Anderson put in two.

Brodie Mackling led the team in rebounds with eight while Conley had seven and Dolph grabbed five. Homer 60, Wakefield 44

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Area wrestlers see success, but no medals

By MICHAEL CARNES Of The Herald

OMAHA - Both Wakefield and Laurel-Concord/Coleridge came away with some success at the Nebraska State Wrestling Championships, but neither team was able to finish the tournament with a medal.

Wakefield freshman Cody Thomas was one match away from a trip to the medal stand, while teammate Efrin Godinez and LCC's Chris Heydon both earned wins in the tournament before bowing out in the consolation bracket Friday afternoon.

Cody Thomas' brother, Caleb, was a state finalist last year for Wakefield and had to sit out this year's tournament due to an elbow injury. The freshman 170-pounder did his best to try and match his older brother's results of last year but fell in the heartbreak round on Friday night.

"Cody had a great freshman season," coach Eric Burenheide said, noting Thomas' 44-win effort. "He recorded over 40 wins at a tough weight class and is a good athlete who made some freshman mistakes. It's really exciting to know that he'll be back for the next three years and will continue to improve."

Godinez was seconds away from a two-and-out state tournament before making a last-second move to edge Tyler Gideon of Sargent/Burwell to keep his hopes alive for another round before being pinned by Centennial's Cory Kennedy.

"Efren just wrestled the whole match," Burenheide said. "He did not give up on the match, and just when I think the other kid was ready to celebrate, he took advantage. It was great for the sophomore to get a win down there to build on for next year."

Wakefield's other two wrestlers,

Irvin Ramirez (113) and Nick Gonzalez (120), both fell short of the medal stand. Gonzalez reached the guarterfinals before losing in the second round of consolations, while Ramirez was 0-2 in the tournament for the Trojans.

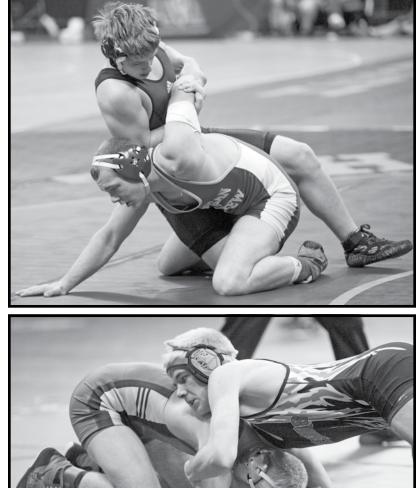
"Overall our performance at state was not quite what we expected," Burenheide said. "We did not win some matches that we should have and left a couple out there on the mat, but they gave it a great effort."

For the Bears, Heydon made the most of his second appearance at state by winning in the first round Thursday before losing in the quarterfinals. He bowed out in the second round of consolation and just missed reaching the 100-win plateau.

"Chris was there for the second year in a row and to win a match both years gives me pride to say he wrestled for me," coach Don Maxwell said. "Chris is a hard worker and to take him under my wings made me proud to be around him, I just wished he could have placed. Chris improved greatly over his four years at LCC and came up just short of 100 wins."

LCC's other two seniors, Brett Haisch and Ethan Hirschman, both went 0-2 at 182 and 285 pounds, respectively, but Maxwell felt both kids gave good efforts at state.

"I felt good about our chances going into state to win some matches and possibly place, but things just didn't work out that way," he said. "I knew Brett did not have a great draw in the first round; the C-1 district was the toughest district at that weight class, and his opponent got third last year. Ethan had his chance in the first round and being there for the second time the experience helped him, but he got caught on a roll-through that didn't work,



(Photos by Michael Carnes)

(top) Wakefield's Cody Thomas was one match away from making the medal stand, losing in the heartbreak round Friday night. (above) Chris Heydon earned a win for the LCC Bears, one of two wins for LCC wrestlers at state.

then he met our district champion, well all year as well as their career which was tough, but the result at LCC, and I am proud of them; it was the same as earlier in the year. is going to be hard to say good-bye Overall, the young men did very



to them."

Wayne wins, in C1-7 final

The Wayne High boys reached the finals of the C1-7 subdistrict tournament with an easy 71-29 win over Tekemah-Herman on Tuesday at Oakland-Craig High School.

The 21-4 Blue Devils wasted no time in taking care of business against the upset-minded Tigers, scoring 29 points in the opening stanza and racing to a 44-18 halftime lead. Nine different Blue Devils found their way into the scoring book during Tuesday's blowout win.

Leading the way was senior Jalen Barry, who matched Tekamah-Herman's total with a game-high 29 points. Ben Hoskins finished with 13 points, and Luke Rethwisch put in nine. Also scoring were Jack Belt and Kaje Maly with five points apiece, Zach Keating with four and Jared Anderson, Peyton Gamble and Austin Kesier with two each. Hoskins led the team with seven rebounds while Barry had four steals The Blue Devils entered postseason play on an upbeat note, outlasting Pierce in their regular-season home finale on Friday, 62-53. The Blue Devils got a game-high 29 points from Barry, while Maly added 13 and Hoskins put in 10 to account for the three Wayne High players in double figures.





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(left) LCC's Mitch Klooz pokes the ball away from behind a Ponca player during Monday's overtime matchup. (right) Anthony Gustafson drives to the hole for two points while two Homer players defend.

Area teams fall in C2-7 subdistrict

Both area teams had their chances for advancing in the C2-7 subdistrict, but their hopes were dashed in tournament play at Wayne High School.

On Monday, the Laurel-Concord/ Coleridge boys were down by as many as eight points in the second half but rallied to take the lead late in regulation before Ponca got the game to overtime and came away with a 59-53 win.

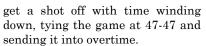
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The Bears were able to bounce back behind the shooting of Jordan Jansen and Jayden Reifenrath. Jansen and Dillan Wolfgram shared scoring honors for LCC with 12 points, and Reifenrath added 10 points, including two sets of clutch free throws in the closing seconds that gave LCC a two-point advantage.

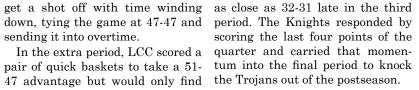
Ponca was able to come down and



In the extra period, LCC scored a pair of quick baskets to take a 51-47 advantage but would only find the basket one more time as Ponca was able to close the game with a 12-2 run in the final three minutes to end the Bears' season.

On Tuesday, Wakefield overcame a slow start and got within LCC two points late in the third period before Homer was able to pull away down the stretch and end the Troians' season with a 55-41 decision, moving the Knights into Thursday's subdistrict title game against topseeded Winnebago, a 57-42 winner over Ponca.

Homer got out to a 10-4 lead after one period, but the Trojans cut the lead to five at the half and got



Evan Nicholson led the Trojans with a game-high 18 points. Anthony Gustafson put in eight, and Alex Conley had six.

Ponca 59, LCC 53

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Wildcat softball opens at dome meet

The Wayne State softball team opened the 2014 season with a 2-2 effort in the Kelly Laas Memorial Dome tournament at St. Cloud, Minn.

The Wildcats opened the tournament with an 11-2 win over in-state rival Nebraska-Kearney on Friday, breaking open a close game with a five-run sixth inning.

The Wildcats led 5-0 after two innings, scoring three in the first, highlighted by a two-run single by Megan Hagemann; and adding two in the second off of a UNK throwing error.

Hagemann, Sam O'Brien, Jor- the fifth. dan King and Kaiti Williams each had two hits to pace a 13-hit attack, while Scara Scheffert got the win in the circle.

On Saturday, the Wildcats rallied for a 5-4 win over Concordia-St. Paul, hanging on after the Golden Bears got within a run.

Kylee Simpson doubled and scored on a wild pitch to get Wayne State on the board in the second inning. Hagemann doubled home Kelcie Bormann in the fourth and two passed balls to score three in Hagemann.

The Wildcats dropped their final two games of the tournament, losing to Missouri Western 2-1 and Emporia State 6-1.

In the first game, O'Brien hit a solo homer to tie the game at 1-1 in the fifth, but Missouri Western scored on an error in the bottom of the inning for what proved to be the deciding run.

In the Emporia State game, Wayne State got its only run in the fourth when Williams walked took advantage of three walks and and scored on a fielder's choice by

Wildcats, Minot share twinbill sweeps

opened the 2014 spring campaign trading doubleheader sweeps with Minot State in non-conference action in Pittsburg, Kan.

On Saturday, the Wildcats won both ends of the twinbill with the winning the nightcap 7-6.

In the first game, Jake Perez hit two walks in 4 2/3 innings. a grand slam homer to highlight a

The Wayne State baseball team eight-hit inning in the sixth, high- cap the comeback win. Michael herlighted by a two-run homer from man had a two-run double to high-Aaron Molinaro and a three-run light the three-run sixth, while RBI double by Michael Herman.

had three hits to fuel a 14-hit attack for the Wildcats. Eric Browning got lead a 13-hit effort. Perez, Leighton Beavers, taking the opener 17-1 and the win on the mound, striking out and Curtis Bussard each added two four and allowing three hits and hits, and Ryan Zweck got the win in

In the nightcap, Wayne State state followed that with a 10-run, the sixth and two in the seventh to beating the Wildcats 3-0 and 7-4.

singles by Brandon Lalk and Perez Molinaro and Zak Leighton each allowed the Wildcats to get the win.

Lalk was 3-for-4 with two RBI's to relief.

On Sunday, the Beavers returned five-run fifth inning, and Wayne trailed 6-2 before scoring three in the favor with a sweep of their own,

Sports Shorts

NU-Creighton volleyball match at WSC April 26

Two of the top Div. I volleyball programs in the country will meet here in Wayne this spring.

Wayne State College announced Tuesday afternoon that the first "Rumble In Rice" matchup between Nebraska and Creighton will take place Saturday, April 26 at 2 p.m. at Rice Auditorium.

The match, which is hosted by the Wayne State volleyball team, is an exhibition match and part of the proceeds from the game will go toward reconstruction of the Wayne Summer Sports Complex, which was destroyed in last October's tornado.

All seats are reserved, and ticket prices are \$15. Tickets can be purchased as the Wayne State vollevball office or online at www. wscvolleyballcamps.com. For more information, call the Wayne State vollevball office at (402) 375-7303.

Wildcats back in Div. II Top 10 poll

The Wayne State women's basketball team moved back into the top 10 in the latest USA Today Div. II coaches poll released Tuesday The Wildcats are ranked No. 9 this week, a two-spot promotion from last week. They are among three Northern Sun Conference schools ranked in this week's ratings, including Minnesota State at No. 19 and Northern State at No.

medaled in the shot put and discus in Class C the last two years at state, qualifying three years in the shot put and twice in the discus while also running a leg on the 1,600-meter relay team last spring as a junior. She was the Class C state runner-up in the shot put as a junior and was sixth in the discus. During her sophomore year, Platt was fourth in both events.

Richard Sweeney of Blair has announced his intention to attend Wayne State in the 2014-15 school year and compete for the Wildcat men's track and field team as a preferred walk-on. He attends Omaha Christian Academy and was a Class C state qualifier in the shot put and discus last spring as a junior, placing 11th in the shot put and 19th in the discus. He was the district champion in the discus as a sophomore and district runner-up in the shot put and discus as a junior.

WSC cross country teams are honored

The Wayne State College men's and women's cross country teams have earned the 2013 U.S. Track and Field and Cross Country Coaches Association All-Academic Team awards. To qualify as a USTFCCCA All-Academic cross country team, the school must have compiled a cumulative grade-point average of 3.00 or better and compiled a team score at their respective NCAA regional meet. Wayne State was also one of 89 Div. II institutions to have both men's and women's teams collect the award. The Wayne State men's cross country team had a 3.08 GPA and was one of 94 programs in NCAA Div. II to receive the award. The Wildcats were one of seven schools from the Northern Sun Conference to earn the academic honor, and it's the third time in the last four years that Wayne State has earned the coaches' association academic honor. The Wildcat women's cross coun- Booster Club is hosting a two-day try team recorded a 3.01 GPA and basketball tournament for boys and was one of 14 schools in the NSIC girls in grades 4-8 on March 28-29. and 136 in NCAA Div. II to receive the award. It's the fourth time in tournament is Friday, March 7. the last five years Wayne State women's cross country has collected the academic team honor.

Freshmen boys win own tournament

Wavne was defeated by Madison 46-36. The leading scorer was Grayson McBride with 15 points followed by Tye Grone with eight, Will Anderson with seven, Christian Rogers with three, and Tyler Lutt with

On Saturday, Feb. 15, the Blue Devils bounced back to win their own tournament with victories over Pierce and Hartington Cedar Catholic

In the two game tournament Mc-Bride was the top scorer in leading the Blue Devils to the championship. The Blue Devils ended their season with a hard fought 49-41 victory over Pierce to finish the season with an 11-6 record. Peyton Gamble scored 12 points followed by Lutt with nine, Anderson and Grone with six each and Tyler Pecena with three.

Eighth-grade boys claim tournament

The Wayne eighth-grade boys beat West Point and took first place in their own tournament recently.

In the West Point game, Wayne won 61-43 and were led by Ryan Jaixen's game-high 29 points. Mason Lee added 11, Hunter Jorgensen put in eight, Edgar Anderson had five, Justin Dean and Zane Jackson each had two, and Beau Bowers and Jack Evetovich each had two. Wayne beat Homer (41-34) and Wisner-Pilger (41-30) to win their own tournament over the weekend. In the Homer game, Jorgensen led with 10 points, Jaixen had nine, Evetovich had eight, and Anderson and Lee each had five.

Wayne State men drop two on road

The struggle continued for the Wayne State men's basketball team as they closed out the regular season with a pair of losses on the road. On Friday, the Wildcats suffered a 75-57 setback at Winona

State, who stayed in first place in the Northern Sun Conference with their season sweep of the Wildcats. Wayne State opened the game

with a first basket by Adol Aluong for a 2-0 lead, but Winona State scored eight straight points for an 8-2 lead and never trailed after that.

Wayne State got as close as three points at 18-15 with 7:38 to go in the first half following a Joel Heesch 3-pointer, but Winona State pushed the lead back up to double digits, taking a 12-point halftime lead at 38-26.

LCC boys fall to Wynot

Laurel-Concord/Coleridge boys basketball team gave a valiant effort in their regular-season finale on Friday but came up short in a 58-53 decision to Wynot in action at Laurel-Concord High School.

NSIC

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State hit 10-of-14 from beyond the arc in the second half to pull away with the easy win. Consecutive threes by Yossi, Roller and Kara Powell helped Wayne

State break a 9-9 tie to take an 18-9 lead eight minutes into the game. Winona State got as close as two at 27-25 with 3:40 to go, but back-toback threes by Yossi helped Wayne State get the lead back to 12 points, leading 39-27 at intermission.

Four straight threes by three players turned the game into a blowout. Millie Niggeling hit a pair of trifectas in the run, while Hansen and Yossi also drained 3-pointers to make it a 22-point game and Wayne State cruised from there.



out six.

Wayne State got as close as 11 in the first half and Wayne State led the second half on a Ryan Rolfzen 16-15 with 9:17 to go on a three-3-pointer with 14:18 to go, but Winona State followed that with a 10-2 run to take a 19-point lead and finished off the 18-point victory.

Rolfzen led Wayne State in scoring with 16 points while Ty Bauschek also reached double digits with 11 points.

As a team, Wayne State shot 35.8 percent from the field. Winona State had a 42-31 edge in rebounds, with Heesch's seven and Rolfzen's six leading the way.

On Saturday, Wayne State closed out the regular season with an 85-74 loss at Upper Iowa, taking an 8-18 (5-17 NSIC) record into conference tournament play Wednesday at Bemidji State.

It was a close game for much of

figures, led by Jordan Jansen's 12 points. Dillan Wolfgram added 11 points, and Jayden Reifenrath put in 10. Brant Eddie led the team with seven rebounds while Wolf-

Three Bears finished in double gram and Mitch Klooz each had six.

Ten different players found the scoring column, led by Niggeling's career-high 22 points. Hansen scored 16 points and became the first Wayne State women's basketball player to be a part of 100 victories during her career.

As a team, the Wildcats were over the 60 percent mark for the third time in the last six games, hitting 61.5 percent from the floor. They hit a school-record 17 shots from beyond the arc in 26 attempts and outrebounded the Warriors 31-22, led by Hansen's nine caroms, which moved her into seventh place on the school's all-time list. Roller had eight assists and Niggeling handed

point play by Jared Bartling.

The game was tied at 21-21 when Upper Iowa ran off 11 straight points before the Wildcats cut it to six at halftime, 37-31. Upper Iowa went on an 11-2 run to start the second half and Wayne State wouldn't get closer than six points after that.

Bartling led the Wildcats with 20 points while Bauschek added 18 and Aluong put in 14. Wayne State shot 44.1 percent from the floor and outrebounded Upper Iowa 45-30 led by a career-high 11 rebounds by Rolfzen and eight by Bauschek.

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Wells earns NSIC weekly honors

Wayne State junior thrower Sara Wells was named the Northern Sun Conference Indoor Women's Field Athlete of the Week following her performance at last Friday's South Dakota Twilight Meet. It's the second time this season that Wells has received the honor.

Wells, a graduate of Boone Central High School, set a new school record and hit an NCAA automatic qualifying mark in the shot put at the Dakota Dome in Vermillion with a mark of 50 feet, 2 1/2 inches. She topped her previous school record by more than a foot and is the first athlete at Wayne State to break the 50-foot barrier indoors in the shot put.

Wells currently leads the NSIC in shot put by over a foot and a half and ranks fifth in NCAA Div. II in the event.

WSC track adds two in-state recruits

Wayne State College track and field coach Marlon Brink announced the signing of a pair of in-state recruits to the team for 2014-15.

Shandan Platt of Ainsworth has signed a national letter of intent to compete in track and field. She has

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Against Wisner-Pilger, Jaixen had 13, Jorgensen had nine, Evetovich had seven, and Bowers had five.

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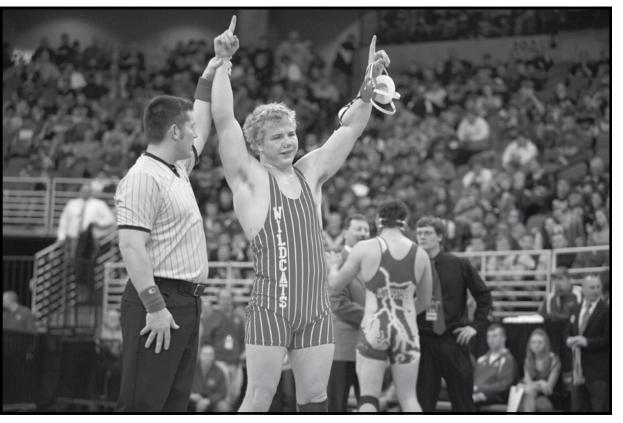
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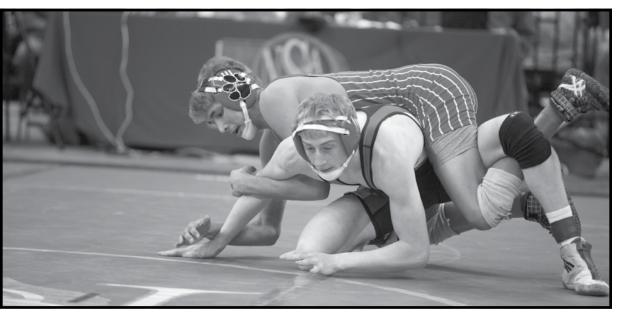
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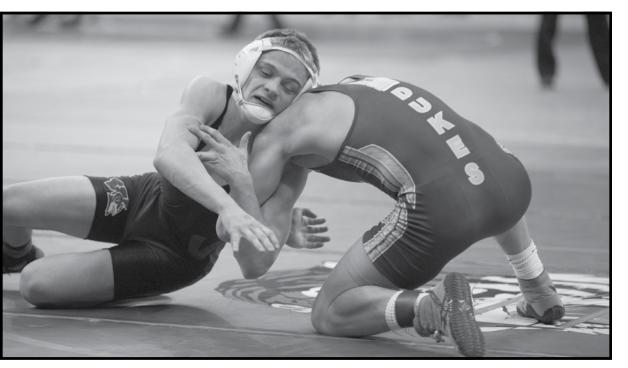
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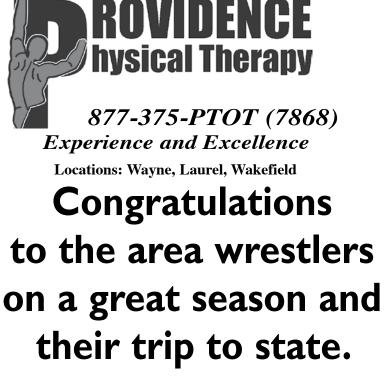
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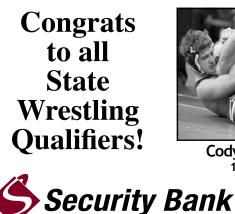
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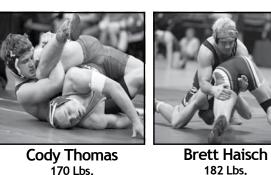




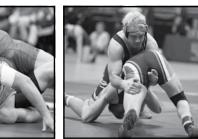
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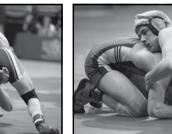


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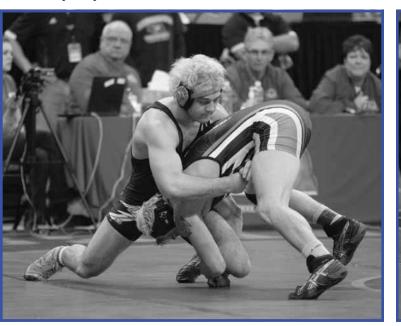


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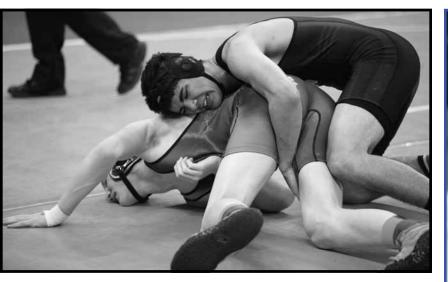
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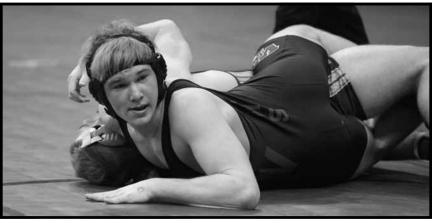
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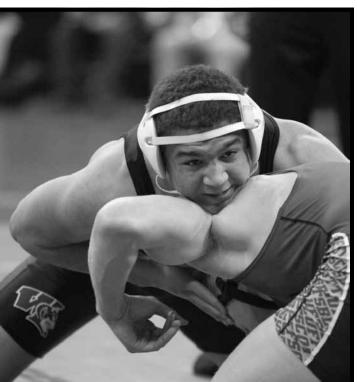
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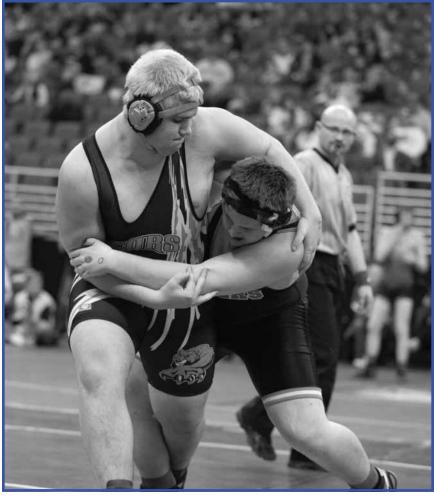


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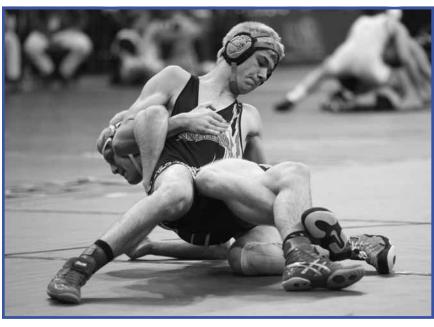


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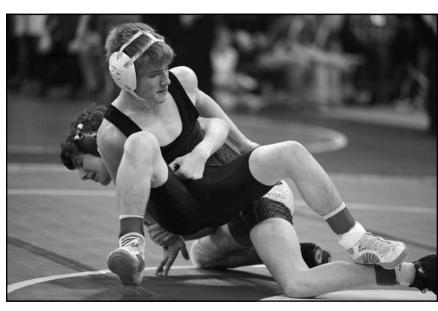
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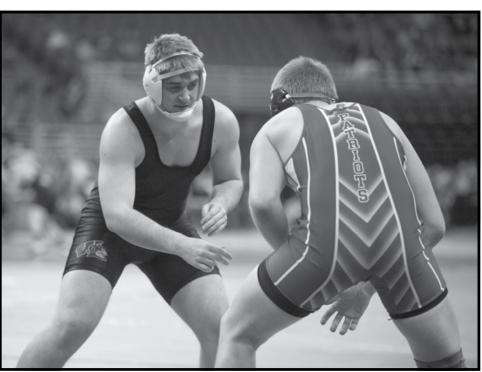
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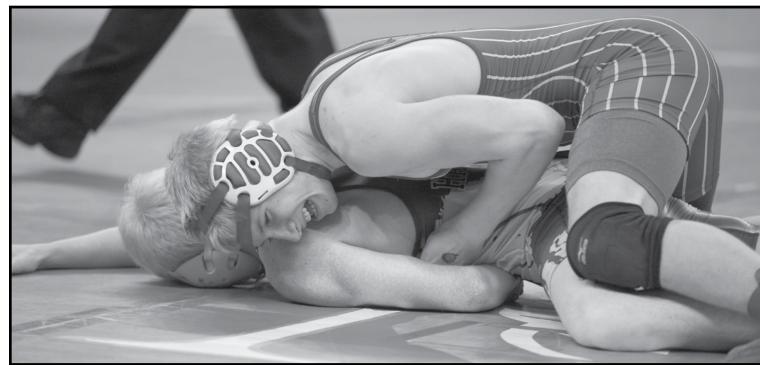
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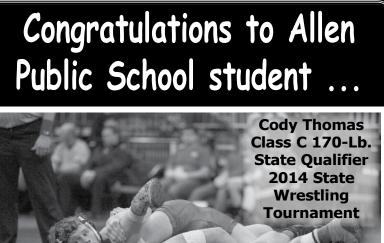
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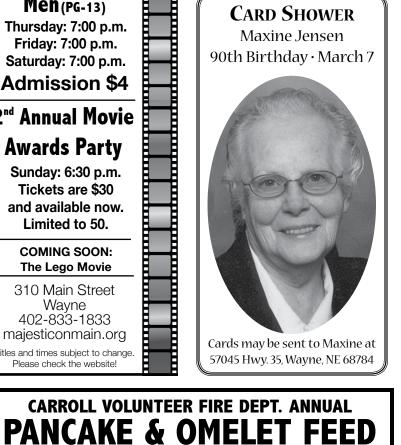
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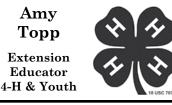
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March Schedule

2 Wayne County Market Beef Weigh-in, Wayne Veterinary Clinic, Snow Date Mar. 9 2 Market Beef ID's and DNA

Samples DUE

2 Teen Supremes

3 4-H Council 3 Diamond Clover Award Plan

Approval DUE 8 Clover Kids Meeting, Wayne County Courthouse, 9 - 10:15 a.m. (Reg. Due Feb. 25)

8 Wreath Workshop, Wayne County Courthouse, 10:30 a.m. - 12 noon (Reg. Due Feb. 21)

14 4-H Council High School Senior Scholarship Applications DUE 21-31 Swine Weigh-in

22 4-H Consumer Challenge, Sunset Plaza Mall, Norfolk, 10 a.m.

- 12:30 p.m. (Entries DUE 19) 22-23 State 4-H BB Gun Champi-

onship, Beatrice, NE 28 Teen Supremes – Wayne

Wayne, Tim and Kathy Koehler of Tilden and Scott and Sherri Kuhlman of Norfolk.

The bride-to-be is a 2006 graduate of Wayne High School. She graduated from Northeast Community College in 2008 with a degree in Medical Coding/Billing. She is a Care Management Assistant at Northeast Nebraska Area Agency on Aging. Her grandparents are Delmar and Nyla Eddie of Carroll, Ed and Dee Carroll of Wayne and the late Lorine Carroll. Her fiance is a 2007 graduate of Norfolk Senior High School. He is currently pursuing a degree in PC Support/Networking at Northeast Community College and is employed with Nebraska Public Power District as a dispatcher. He is also a Signal Systems SUpport Specialist for the Army National Guard in Norfolk and serves with the 189th Transportation Company. He grandparents are Kent and Con-Parents of the couple are Dennis nie Adkins of Norfolk and the late

Birthdays



Dorothy Grone to note birthday

The family of Dorothy Grone of Wayne has requested a card shower in honor of her 89th birthday, which is Sunday, March 2, 2014.

Her family includes her husband, the late Edward Grone, and their four children, Sharon and Gerald J. Clinch and Joyce and Greg Hansen, all of Norfolk, Larry and Kathleen Grone of Deadwood, S.D. and Dan and Charlotte Grone of Lincoln. She has 18 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

Birthday wishes may be sent to 1500 Vintage Hill Drive, Apt. 25, Wayne, Neb. 68787.



Merrill Baier to celebrate 80th

A card shower has been requested for Merrill Baier, who will celebrate his 80th birthday on Sunday March 9, 2014. His family includes two children, Mitch and Penny Baier of Carroll and Linda and Elwyn Fitzke of Fairfield. He has four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Cards may be sent to the honoree at 56960 862 Road, Carroll, Neb. 68723.

day, March 7, 2014.

Her family includes her husband, Earl, who she will be married to for 72 years on march 6, 2014; five children, Wayne and Darlene Jensen of Winside, Karen McCoy of Omaha, Kenneth and Trish Jensen of California, Dean and Kathy Jensen of Winside and Dennis and Deb Jensen of Wayne. She has 22 grandchildren, 54 great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

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Cards may be sent to the honored at 57045 Highway 35, Wayne, Neb. 68787.



Mary Ann Garvin **Card shower** for Garvin 80th

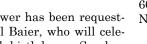
Mary Ann Garvin of rural Dixon will celebrate her 80th birthday on Sunday, March 2, 2014.

A card shower is being requested in her honor by her children.

Mary Ann (Salmon) Garvin was born March 2, 1934 to Frederick and Helena Salmon of Concord. She married William E. (Billy) Garvin on Nov. 10, 1956 at Dixon and the couple farmed in the Dixon area until their retirement.

Her family includes four children, Tim and Sharon Garvin of Wayne, Cindy and Carroll Vacha of Columbus, Lorrie and Dave Huston of Ponca and Kevin Garvin of Dixon. She has four grandchildren, Brady and Heidi Garvin and Michael and Bryan Vacha.

Cards will reach the honoree at 609 East Browning Street, Dixon, Neb. 68732.





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Carroll–Koehler

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Carroll and Monica Carroll, both of Frank and Marion Koehler.



Maxine Jensen Maxine Jensen to note 90th

The family of Maxine Jensen is requesting a card shower in honor of her 90th birthday, which is Fri-

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Senior Center

Congregate Meal Menu

(Week of March 3-7) Meals served daily at noon. For reservations, call 375-1460 Each meal served with bread, 2% milk, skim milk and coffee. All menus subject to change.

Monday: Beef tips with mushroom soup and onions over egg noodles, frozen green beans, shredded lettuce with shredded carrots and Dorothy Lynch, sliced peaches, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise.

Tuesday: Turkey cutlet, mashed potatoes with skins, turkey gravy, frozen Key Largo blend vegetables, canned tropical fruit, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise.

Wednesday: Ham salad sandwich on whole wheat fresh bread, homemade pea salad, homemade tomato soup with stewed tomatoes, applesauce, crackers, Promise.

Thursday: Tuna noodle casserole with Ronti noodles, frozen Prince William blend vegetables, cottage cheese with peaches, cherry gelatin with canned pears, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise.

Friday: Broasted chicken quarters, red roasted potatoes, frozen cauliflower, mandarin fluff, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise.

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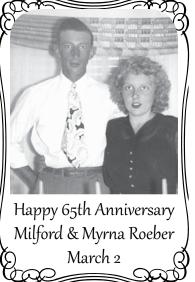
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7:30 p.m.

Sunday: Sunday School, Adult and children's classes, 9:15 a.m.; Prayer



ship, 10:30 a.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN 216 West 3rd St. 375-2669 (Rev. Ray McCalla, pastor) www.fpcwayne.org

Sunday: Handbell Practice, 8:45 a.m.; Church School, 9 a.m.; Confirmation Class, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.; Fellowship, 11 a.m.; Narcotics Anonymous, 6 p.m. Monday: Scout Den meetings, 6 p.m. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday Service, 6:30 p.m.; Junior High School Youth meeting, 7:30 p.m.

FIRST TRINITY LUTHERAN Altona, LC-MS 57741 847th Road, Wayne

(Rev. Terry Makelin, pastor) (402) 336-7819) cell phone

Sunday: Divine Worship Service with Holy Communion, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Joint Bible Study on the book of Romans at St. John's in Pilger, 2 p.m. (open to all who wish to attend). Wednesday: Joint Midweek Catechism classes at St. John's in Pilger, approximately, 4 p.m.; Ash Wednesday service at First Trinity of Altona,7:30 p.m., preceded by soup and sandwich supper at 6:15 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST 6th & Main St. (Pastor Peter Phillips)

Sunday: Transfiguration Sunday.

Holy Communion. Worship Services, 8:15 and 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.; Youth Group, 5 p.m.; Confirmation Class, 6 p.m. Tuesday: WIC and Immunization Clinic, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Wednesday: King's Kids, 3:40 p.m.; Lenten Meal, 5:30 p.m.; Lenten Service, 6 p.m.; Jubilant Ringers, 6 p.m.; Chancel Choir, 6:45 p.m.; Praise Team, 7:30 p.m.

GRACE LUTHERAN Missouri Svnod 904 Logan grace@gracewayne.com (The Rev. Michael Feldmann Senior Pastor) The Rev. Carl Lilienkamp, **Associate Pastor**) (Stephen Ministry cong.) Sunday: Lutheran Hour on KTCH, 7:30 a.m.; Worship, 8 and 10:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.;

1110 East 7th St. org. 375-4743 (Troy Reynolds, minister) (Justin Raulston, minister of in-

volvement) Sunday: Christians Hour on KTCH, 8:45 a.m.; Worship, 9 and 10:30 a.m.; Small group, 6:30 p.m.; Life group at various homes, 7 p.m. (also on several other days of the week).

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Saturday: Confirmands and mentors to Orphan Grain Train/Mercy Meals, 8 a.m.; Worship, 5:30 p.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Adult Forum, 9 a.m.; Coffee Hour, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10 a.m.; Stephen Ministry II, 6:30 p.m. Monday: Staff meeting, 3:30 p.m.; CoCo Ministry, 5 p.m.; Christian Education meeting, 6 p.m.; Executive Committee meeting, 7 p.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Tacos & More, 6:45 a.m.; Cluster Text Study, 10 a.m.; WELCA Board meeting, 1:15 p.m.; Communion at Careage Campus of Care, 2:30 p.m.; Communion at The Oaks, 3:30 p.m.; Listening Session, 7 p.m.; Faith Builders, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Joyful Noise, 5:45 p.m.; Ash Wednesday Worship, 6:30 p.m.; Choir, 8 p.m. Thursday: Lenten Study at The Oaks, 10:30 a.m.; Women Who Love to Talk and Eat, 6 p.m.; Lenten Study, 7 p.m.

PRAISE ASSEMBLY OF GOD 1000 East 10th St. 375-3430

Rev. Jason Pickering, Pastor Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;

Worship Service, 10:30 a.m. (NOTE - Evangelist D. Michael Peterson's presentation that was scheduled for March 2, 3 and 4 at the church has been postponed. The new date has not been determined at this time, but will be announced as soon as it is determined.) Wednesday: "Kidz Praise" Ministry for children grades kindergarten through sixth grade, 6:30-7:40 p.m.; Adult Bible Study, 6:30-7:40 p.m.

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sary and meeting, 7 p.m. Tuesday: com Adoration, 4:30-5 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 www.journeychristianonline. p.m.; Facilities & Maintenance, 6 p.m.; Mass at 9 p.m. Wednesday Adoration, 4:30-5 p.m.; Masses at 12:10 p.m., 5 p.m (at Wayne State College) and 7 p.m. at church. Thursday: "That Man Is You,", 5:45 a.m. breakfast, Session, 6 a.m., Holy Family Hall; Adoration, 4:30-5 p.m.; Mass, 5:15 p.m.; "The Light is On, Reconciliation, 5:45 to 7 p.m.; RCIA, rectory, 7 p.m. Friday: No Mass, Fr. Beran's day off; Pre-Kindergaren open house.

Allen_

FIRST LUTHERAN

(Pastor Sarah Ruch) Sunday: Sunday School. 8:30 a.m.: Worship Service, 9 a.m. Wednesday: ACCTS, 3:45 p.m.; Ash IMMANUEL LUTHERAN Wednesday services at Allen, 7 p.m.

UNITED METHODIST (Pastor Lorrie Kentner)

Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m.

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ST. PAUL LUTHERAN (Pastor Harrison Goodman) Sunday: Divine Service with Communion, 8 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST **CHURCH**

(Pastor Peter Phillips) Sunday: Transfiguration Sunday. Holy Communion. Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Worship Service, 11 a.m.

Concord

CONCORDIA LUTHERAN (Pastor Sarah Ruch)

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday service at Allen, 7 p.m.

ST. PAUL LUTHERAN East of town

(Willie Bertrand, pastor) Sunday: Worship service, 8 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Jensen's, 9 a.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE (Pastor Todd Thelen) (Pastor Scott Kahn) Friday: Women's Bible Study, 9:30

a.m. Sunday: Prayer Time, 9 a.m.; 98, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. Friday: Pas-

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- BARANA BARA

EVANGELICAL COVENANT 802 Winter St.

e-mail: wakecov@msn.com (Kelly Johnston, Pastor)

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.: Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.; Executive Board meeting, 5:45 p.m.; Trustees meeting, 7 p.m. Tuesday: Ladies Prayer Time, 9 a.m.; Worship Video on Cable, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Worship Video on Cable, 10 a.m.; Confirmation, 4:15 p.m.; Ash Wednesday Service, 7 p.m.

4 North, 3 East of Wayne

(Willie Bertrand, pastor) Sunday: Morning Worship, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Tuesday: Bible Study at Jensen's. 9 a.m. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday.

PRESBYTERIAN 216 West 3rd

(Rev. Charity Potter, pastor) Sunday: Fellowship, 10 a.m.; Worship Service with Communion and Food Bank offering, 11 a.m. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday service at Wakefield, 7 p.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN West 7th & Maple (Willie Bertrand, pastor) Sunday: Worship Service, 11 a.m.

SALEM LUTHERAN 411 Winter Street

Pastor Darwin Garton, pastor Friday: Pastor's Sabbath. Saturday: Contemporary Worship, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Adult Choir Practice, 7:30 a.m.; Sunday School for all ages, 9 a.m.; Impromptu Choir, 10 a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. Monday: Stewardship meeting, 6:30 p.m.; Worship and Music, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday: NE Cluster, 10 a.m.; Premarital counseling, 5 p.m. Wednesday: Wakefield Ministerium, 10 a.m.; Confirmation class, 6 p.m.; Ash Wednesday Worship, 7 p.m. Thursday: Circles, 9:30 a.m., noon and 5 p.m.; Salem Video on Channel Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morn- tor's Sabbath. Saturday: Worship, 6:30 p.m. Winside.



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

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN 218 Miner St.

(Pastor Harrison Goodman) Sunday: Bible Study, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, with Holy Communion 10:30 a.m. Monday: After School program for students in grades K-5, 3:35-5:15 p.m. Wednesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN (Parish Minister,

Glenn Kietzmann) Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Service of the Word, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday

UNITED METHODIST 207 Jones Street (Pastor Judy Carlson)

(Assistant Pastor Lauren Rudolph) Sunday: Sunday School, 9:15 a.m.;

Worship, 10:30 a.m. Tuesday: Pastor's Coffee at Jensen's Cafe, 10 a.m. Wednesday: Ash Wednesday

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'A Bit of Light'

thew 5:13-16).

Praise Assembly of God Church in Wayne (Rev. Jason Pickering is the pastor)) was the host for a "Rural Compassion" clinic on Feb. 22. The guest speaker on Saturday as well as for the Sunday service was Rev. Kent Anderson.

Rural Compassion ministry (which is a part of the Assembly of God outreach ministry called "Convoy of Hope") is "dedicated . . . to provide inspiration and action to help the pastor and congregation to be Christ's hand extended by meeting the concerns of poverty and restoring self-respect in the hearts and minds of rural communities."

In his workshop sessions, and in the Sunday message, Rev. Anderson presented a number of startling statistics (according to the Barna Research Group):

- Out of the population of this country, nearly 211 million do not have a personal relationship with Christ;

America is the third largest mission field in the world;

- 72 churches in America close each week;

Church attendance in 66% of America's churches has either plateaued or is in decline;

- Nearly 28 million people in America have left the church in the last 10 years.

These statistics - as sobering as they are - need to be put into a context that is a source for an incentive for believers to be zealous and aggressive for the cause of Christ in the world. Rev. Anderson gave the listeners a reminder of Four Characteristics of Externally Focused Churches.

1. They are convinced that good deeds and good news can't be separated (Acts 10:36-38; Ephesians 2:10).

2. They see themselves as vital to the health and well-being of their communities (1 Peter 2:12).

3. They believe that ministering and serving are the normal expressions of Christian living (Mark 10:45; James 1:22).

Senior Center Calendar.

(Week of March 3-7) Monday, March 3: Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.

Tuesday, March 4: Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.; Mardi Gras, noon; Card Making, 1:15 p.m.; Pitch, 1:15 p.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club.

Wednesday, March 5: Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Ray Petersen on the accordion, 11:30 a.m. and 3 p.m.; Birthday cake and party, 3 p.m. Thursday, March 6: Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting, 9 a.m.; Pitch, 1:15 p.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club. Friday, March 7: Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting, 9 a.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Bingo, 1:15 p.m.; Hand & Foot Dominoes, 1:15 p.m.; Dan Hansen on the piano, 3 p.m.

4. Externally focused churches world through my life." are evangelistically effective (Mat-

The church offers a 6:30 p.m.(midweek) Wednesday family night with He closed with this reminder children's activities and a Bible from Mother Teresa: "I am a little Study and Sunday (9:30 Sunday pencil in the hand of a writing God School classes and 10:30 a.m. Mornwho is sending a love letter to the ing worship) services.

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Pastor Judy Carlson of the Winside United Methodist Church discusses the "Imagine No More Malaria" mission of quarters and fly swatters with the Sunday School children at Winside. **Mission projects being conducted**

at Winside United Methodist Church

Families at the Winside United Methodist Church are working on two special mission projects.

The Sunday School children and youth have adopted the "Imagine No More Malaria" mission. Children in Africa die at a rate of one every 45 seconds from malaria. The cause of this fatal disease is mosquitos that feed on stagnant water. For a cost of \$10, a net can be purchased that hangs above their bed and drapes down over them so that they are protected at night from the mosquitoes.

Each Sunday School student was given a plastic tube that had M & M's in it. They could eat the candy and then they are to collect quarters to fill the tube back up. Each tube holds \$10 in quarters and each time they bring it back, the student will be given a rubber bracelet that says "Imagine No More Malaria."

The youth also have fly swatters that the congregation can obtain for a \$5 donation which is enough to cover the cost of a vaccination. Funds from both projects will be sent to Africa. Since the United Methodist Conference began supporting this worthwhile project, the death from malaria have dropped by half.

Another mission project that delivered. They have even been de-Winside, along with the Wausa livered as far away as Arizona. and Randolph United Methodist Churches are currently doing in-

volves the "Willy Bob Toy Box". In January, Pastor Denny Wheeler, who pastors the Overton, Elm Creek, and Williamburg United Methodist Churches, came to the Wausa Methodist church to share his story and deliver the toy box.

The toy box started when Pastor Denny's grandson was born and was not expected to live. With many prayers answered, his grandson survived. Pastor Denny wanted to do something for the answered prayers and so the Willy Bob Toy Box was formed. It is a way of giving from one church to another.

The toy box is constructed from wood and is filled with various items such as coats, mittens, clothing, non-perishable foods, books, school supplies, toys, etc. It is then delivered to a church where the recipients are asked to give them away in their community or area. Then the box is filled back up by that congregation and delivered to a church in be moved on to the Wahoo United another area.

The Willy Boy Toy Box that was delivered to Wausa was the 22nd far this Toy Box will travel and the box that Pastor Denny's parish has various places that it will touches.

Town Tiwrlers took their banner City Auditoirum with Lanny Weak-

The next dance will be Friday, Feb. 28 at 7:30 p.m. at the Carroll to bring snacks for the evening.

When Pastor Judy Carlson of

the Winside, Wausa, and Randolph

United Methodists Churches was

asked if the parish would be willing

to accept this toy box challenge, she

Pastor Denny and the other folks

with him in Wausa shared with the

children how small churches are

changing the world one small life at

a time with the gift of sharing. The

items that were received in the Toy

Box in Wausa were shared with lo-

cal families in the parish and then

the balance of the items went to

It was decided that the Winside

parish would fill the box with chil-

dren's activities such as books, col-

ors, washable markers, puzzles,

games, construction paper, building

blocks, stickers and sticker books,

and any other items that would

stimulate children's minds. This

mission project will go on until the

end of March when the Toy Box will

It will be interesting to see how

Methodist Church.

Bright Horizons in Norfolk.

immediately said "yes".

Leather and Lace plan Feb. 28 dance

Leather and Lace danced to Koetman, Jean Henry Sherry Biaer Elaine Peacock on Valentines Day, and Gabe Escalante. Feb. 14 with 29 participants.

The free pass went to Phyllis home and 49rs took the Leather and lend calling. Members are reminded Kern. Split the pot went to Dave Lace banner.



Poster winners

The Wayne Council No. 8579 of the Knights of Columbus recently announced the winners of this year's Pro Life Poster Contest. They include (from left) Orion Spieker, Lindsey Kallhoff, Liam Spieker, and Claire Lindsay. Not pictured are Tyler Carlson and Sammi Gubbels. Posters winning in the local competition are forwarded to the state level for additional competition.

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Enjoying all the sporting activities this winter

I heard the garbage truck go by, so figured it was time to get out of bed. It's a little easier, now that it isn't so dark in the morning. Plus, we noticed after church last Saturday eve, it isn't so dark by 6 p.m. either; the days are getting longer.

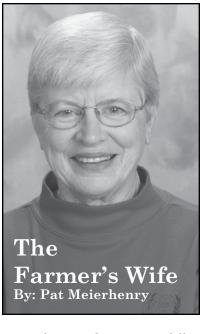
But the warm weather has disappeared again. The columnist in Neighborhood News says she has felt positively schizophrenic this winter; heavy coat one day, light jacket the next.

Last week, I spotted the first shorts and flip flops, which I thought might have been just a tad early.

When Sue started school, she was joined by a little girl named Laurie. Since they were both in band, and sports, their friendship developed and they spent many hours together. This included in each other's homes, since Laurie lived in town and Sue could go there after school when ter graduation, they went to differthere was a game. But we liked to have Laurie at our house, too.

In high school, it was volleyball, basketball, and track; they both a family, and had two girls before a threw the shot and discus. But af-





ent colleges. And then, of all things, Laurie married a former Winside wrestler. They proceeded to build son arrived. All three were athletes,

to fine young people. And, the icing on the cake, they live in our former farm house!

Last year, Caleb made it to the finals at State, but narrowly missed Carolina. One family in Arlington the gold medal. This past Saturday, he made up for that, beating a highly ranked guy from Hay Springs, 5-3, after pinning his way to the finals. You don't get the same effect from the TV that you do in person, but we were both kind of squirming called to say, in fun, that we needed and twisting for that long six minutes.

Caleb, and his teammate, Marcos, were state class D champions, upholding the school tradition in fine style. But it's hard for me to realize that after May, both Sue and Lau- I think they were having more fun rie will have graduated their kids. than we were! It was just the other day when they were graduating!

One of the fun things that happened when Nebraska joined the number one. We just aren't used to Big Ten was the BTN. Any fan, in this! We will enjoy it while we can. any state, can have that channel if Right?

and we have watched them grow in- they pay for it. A couple weeks ago, when the weather on the East coast was again stormy, I sent a general e-mail to our friends there; to Virginia, North Carolina, and South emailed back they had power and they were watching Nebraska basketball. That fellow's sister lives in Washington and she was doing the same thing!

On Sunday, Marlyce in Orlando to keep the noise down while watching the Huskers win another game, and win it soundly. Last night, while the Nebraska women were drilling threes and generally demolishing Penn State, she called again.

Sure hope both teams can keep this up. Heavens, the baseball team knocked off Oregon State, rated

UNL spring open house scheduled for April 3

High school sophomores and ju- at 1 p.m. niors can learn about the College of Agricultural Sciences and Natural Resources at the Experience agribusiness/agricultural economthe Power of Red Spring Edition ics; agricultural education/agri-Open House on Thursday, April 3.

The open house, held on the University of Nebraska-Lincoln's East Campus, gives students the chance to hear about the college's 29 academic programs and two pre-pro- nology for companion animals; fofessional programs, said Laura rensic science; grazing livestock Frey, UNL college relations director. They can also meet current ence; mechanized systems man-UNL faculty, staff and students.

"They get to explore career opportunities and just become familiar with UNL in general," she said.

The open house will begin at 8:30 a.m. with refreshments and a browsing session, when students can get a brief introduction management, natural resources to each department in the college. Following a welcome at 9:15 a.m., students and parents will attend academic sessions that offer more landscape management; veteriin-depth information about each academic program. The event finishes with lunch and a scholarship drawing at 11:45 a.m. Optional

Academic interest areas featured at the open house include cultural journalism/hospitality restaurant and tourism management; agronomy; animal science; applied science; biochemistry; food science and technology; food techsystems; horticulture; insect sciagement/agricultural engineering/ biological systems engineering; microbiology; natural resources, including applied climate science, environmental restoration science. environmental studies, fisheries and wildlife, grassland ecology and and environmental economics and water science; PGA golf management; plant biology; turfgrass and nary science; and the Engler Agribusiness Entrepreneurship program.

For more information or to reg tours of both UNL campuses start ister, visit casnr.unl.edu/visitdav

UNMC announces dean's list for fall 2013 semester

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cy dean's list, students must place in the top 20 percent of their class ical Center has announced its fall and maintain a grade point average of 3.5 or above and College of Dentistry students must be in the top 10 percent of their class.

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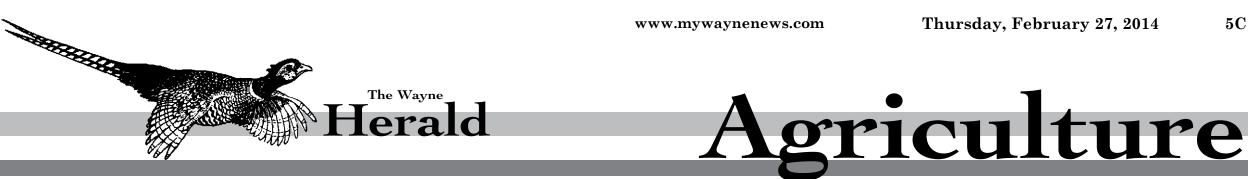
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Economics Outlook Meeting to focus on crop, livestock production

Chemigation applicator certification will be held next Thursday March 6th at the Haskell Ag Lab in Concord, beginning at 9:00 am. This certification is free but you must attend the training and pass a test to qualify for the chemigation applicator certification.

Also on March 6 at the Nielsen Center in West Point, the Cornhusker Economics Outlook meeting will focus on the agriculture outlook and management decisions for farmers and ranchers. This meeting is offered by University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension and the Department of Agricultural Economics and is available free to participants with the series support of the Nebraska Corn Board and the Great Western Bank along with several local sponsors. The outlook meetings are scheduled for a concise, fast-paced discussion of crop, livestock, policy and land outlook. Several people will present at the meeting.



They are; Kate Brooks, extension risk management decisions. livestock economist at UNL. Brooks

dustry trends in Nebraska. She will interpret emerging livestock market fundamentals, meat supplies and meat demand to assess producer profit potential and sound marketing and production decisions in 2013.

Cory Walters, a new extension crop economist at UNL: Walters is new to Nebraska. His expertise is in crop marketing and risk management, with substantial research on crop marketing and crop insurance strategies and decisions. Walters brings experience from both Kentucky and a farm background in Montana to his new role in Nebraska. He will discuss the outlook for corn, soybeans and wheat to help producers make sound production, marketing and

Brad Lubben, extension policy spewill provide outlook and analysis for cialist at UNL: Lubben will provide

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beef and other livestock producers. perspectives on the policy environ- February, producers finally appear outlook and program alternatives to Brooks' expertise is in market anal- ment in Washington and the long- ready to focus on farm program deci- help producers effectively combined ysis and production economics. She awaited farm bill. With the efforts sions instead of continuing delibera- farm programs, crop insurance, and

recently led a study of livestock in- of Congress in January and early tions. Lubben will discuss the policy marketing strategies for success.

Livestock Market Report

conducted a fat cattle sale on Friday. steers, \$130 to \$135. Standard \$120.

There were 200 fat cattle sold.

Prices were steady on all classes. steers, \$120 to \$130. Strictly choice fed heifers, \$139 to \$142. Good cows, \$85 to \$95. Canners and cut-Strictly choice fed steers, \$139 and choice heifers, \$135 to \$139. ters, \$77 to \$87. Bologna bulls, \$100 to \$142.25. Good and choice steers, Medium and good heifers, \$130 to to \$123.50.

The Nebraska Livestock Market \$135 to \$139. Medium and good \$135. Standard heifers, \$110 to

Beef cows, \$80 to \$85. Utility

Farm Bureau conducts February meeting

Members of the Wayne County Farm Bureau met Feb. 17 at TWJ Feeds in Carroll.

Business items included the following

1) Scholarships: Wayne County offers two \$1,000.00 scholarships graduating seniors who are to choosing a career in agriculture. Applications are due by April 15. More information may be obtained by contacting Bob Dowling at (402) 360-3932.

2) Ag Awareness: Teachers are asked to be looking for Beef Readers to be delivered to area elementary schools during Ag Week in March to assist children in learning about the importance of agriculture and where their food comes from.

3) **Recruiting:** Wayne County is offering Investment into the Future of Ag for anyone ages 18-35 who is active in an agricultural field can receive a Farm Bureau membership at one-half price.

On Monday, March 17 at 7 p.m. at the office of Lynette Krie in Wayne, members of the Wayne County Farm Bureau will meet for a Legislative Conference call with GRD.

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Deck attends Weed Control Conference

Superintendent, recently attended the Nebraska Weed Control Association 67th Annual Conference. This year's conference was held at the Divots Conference Center in Norfolk Feb. 11-12. The theme was Early Detection- Rapid Response (EDRR)

Topics on Feb. 11 included: Mitch Coffin, Nebraska Department of Ag, What is EDRR?; Rich Walters, The Nature Conservancy, NEWMAC's EDRR Efforts; Mike Reed, Douglas County Weed Superintendent, Nebraska's Weed Risk Assessment Program; Brent Meyer, Lancaster County Weed Superintendent, Nebraska's Watch List & Eco-region Breakout session; Brian Korman, National Parks Service "Saltcedar on the Missouri River National Recreational River"; Gerry Steinhauer, Nebraska Game and Parks, Invasive Grasses; Justin King, NPPD, Aquatic Invasive Species Detection and Mitigation Planning; Patty York, Colorado EDRR Specialist, Colorado's Noxious Weed Program.

Tuesday evening was the Annual Banquet and Awards Ceremony, with a presentation by Chris Helzer of the Nature Conservancy, fol-

Doug Deck, Wayne County Weed of Fillmore County being elected end of each day to receive 10 hours as the new NWCA Vice President. continuing education credit. There Brian Crabtree of Hamilton Coun- are four opportunities offered per ty is now the NWCA President for year, and every superintendent 2014-2015

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The UNL Extension Board - Wayne County will meet on Tuesday, March 4, 2014 at the courthouse meeting room in Wayne. (NOTE - This is a change from the normal meeting date of the second Tuesday of the month.) The 7:30 p.m. meeting is open to the public. An agenda is available at the Extension Office at 510 Pearl Street, Suite C, in Wayne.

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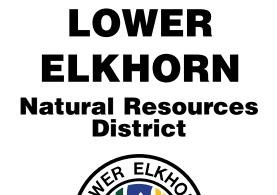
lowed by entertainment from Comedian/magician Gayle Becwar.

Session topics on Feb. 13 included: The Battle Against Invasive Plants video; Ron Moehring, SD Department of Ag, South Dakota's EDRR program; Patty York, Colorado's EDRR Program, Scott Marsh, Kansas Department of Agriculture, Kansas's EDRR Program; 4 State Round Table Discussion about EDRR; Marty Craig, Dawson County Weed Superintendent, Nebraska's Mapping Program; Rod Stolcpart, Rock County Weed Superintendent, Computer Filing System.

The Annual Business Meeting Luncheon was held on Wednesday noon, and resulted in Todd Boller

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Forest Service warning of increased danger of wildfires

The combination of a lack of moisture, consistent high winds and dry air masses may increase the danger of wildfires across Nebraska this year. Recent snowfall has been welcome, but the outlook is still a concern, especially considering wind trends so far in 2014.

"Most of Nebraska has recorded less than a quarter- inch of rainfall in January and, without significant snow cover to compress fire fuel materials such as grass and other vegetation, the wind can quickly and easily carry a spark across a yard or field," said Casey McCoy, Nebraska Forest Service wildland fire training manager. "It's important to stay alert and be prepared when conditions are favorable for fires." After a record-breaking year in 2012 and record low numbers of wildland fires reported in 2013, 2014 appears to be shaping up as a busy one for Nebraska's fire departments. Fire has historically proven to be a valuable tool in land management, but under the conditions that exist in Nebraska so far this year, it can be a nuisance at best, a deadly threat at worst. Unfortunately, each year thousands of acres and millions of dollars are lost to careless burning practices. The Nebraska Forest Service urges Nebraskans to be careful with fire and offers these tips:

Check local, county or state laws on open burning. Nebraska has a full-time burn ban that can only be waived by obtaining a permit from your local fire department. Be sure to notify the fire department when you start burning.

· Check weather conditions and forecasts, not just for the day of the burn but for the days following the burn and be flexible. If weather conditions are unfavorable or forecast to be unfavorable, one of the hardest decisions you might need to make is to postpone burning to a later date.

Look up, look down and look around. Protect buildings and fences and watch out for power poles, power lines and tree branches

Build a firebreak to contain a fire in the area to be burned. Even if your burn is just a small brush pile, reduce or remove the grass and other fuel around it. And leave at least 30 feet of separation between your burn and homes, outbuildings and other structures.

· Remember, fires can grow extremely fast. A small fire can rapidly become a raging wildfire with a gust of wind. If a fire appears to be getting away, call your fire department immediately. Never leave a fire unattended; check it multiple

• Burn piles can hold heat for weeks as they continue to consume remaining fuel. If the forecast includes dry conditions and wind, check any piles burned recently to ensure there is no heat remaining. Pour water on it, stir the ashes and pour more water on it.

· Be certain all burning materials such as fireplace ashes and cigarettes are completely out before moving them outside

· Be very careful with anything that can create a heat source such as welding or cutting equipment. One small spark outdoors on a windy day can lead to a fast moving fire.

Nebraska's more than 14,000 career and volunteer firefighters are the state's primary wildland fire suppression force.

"These dedicated members of the community are your neighbors, friends and fellow farmers and ranchers." McCoy said. "One careless mistake can result in many hours away from jobs and families for them. They willingly put themselves in harm's way with no expectation of anything in return, so please keep them in mind the next time the wind picks up and Nebraska fuels are primed to burn."

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> Anyone interested may contact Michael Carnes, managing editor, at (402) 375-2600 or e-mail sports@wayneherald.com.

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City of Wayne Public Works Park and Street Department

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State Nebraska Bank & Trust is looking for a Loan Officer to join our team. The successful candidate must be an outgoing, dependable, customerfocused professional with a strong attention to detail. The job duties include meeting with applicants to obtain information for loan applications. Analyze applicant's financial status, credit and property evaluations to determine feasibility of granting loans. Explain to customers the different types of loans and credit options that are available, as well as the terms of those services. Process loan applications and disburse loans in accordance with lending regulations, policies and procedures. Review and update credit and loan files

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Submit a cover letter and resume to State Nebraska Bank & Trust, Attn: HR Dept., 122 Main Street, Wayne, NE 68787 or via email to info@statenebank.com. State Nebraska Bank & Trust is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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ACCOUNTING CLERK III - ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Wayne State College invites applicants for a full-time Accounting Clerk III, Accounts Payable. Position requires graduation from Senior High School or equivalent supplemented by an Associate's degree in accounting or a related field and two years of experience in accounting or bookkeeping or any combination of skills, knowledge and abilities that meet these requirements. This position will perform various tasks to support the Accounting office, including: Pre-audit AP invoices according to state and institutional policy; Contact vendors and depts /office/schools to resolve billing questions and obtain invoices; Review invoices, purchasing card statements and purchase orders and determine correct coding; Request W-9 Forms from new vendors and update vendor information in SAP system; Follow up on outstanding warrants; Other duties as assigned. Knowledge of Excel software, attention to detail, accuracy, and critical thinking skills essential. Minimum salary is \$2,104.27 - \$2,402.40 per month; potential start date is Monday, March 3, 2014. Excellent benefits package. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until filled. WSC is an Equal Employment Opportunity employer. Send resume and application form (at http://www.wsc.edu/hr/jp.php?type=4) to: Accounting Clerk III, Search Committee; Director of Human Resources; Wayne State College; 1111 Main Street; Wayne, NE 68787; or email to

hrwork1@wsc.edu.

Phone: (402) 375-7365. Wayne State College is an equal opportunity institution. WSC does not discriminate against any student, employee or applicant on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, religion, or age in employment and education opportunities, including but not limited to admission decisions. The College has designated an individual to coordinate the College's nondiscrimination efforts to comply with regulations implementing Title VI, VII, IX, and Section 504. Inquiries regarding non-discrimination policies and practices may be directed to Dr. Cheryl Waddington, Director of Human Resources, Title VI, VII, IX Compliance Coordinator, Wayne State College, 1111 M Street, Wayne, NE 68787, (402) 375-7403. 1111 Main Applicants who need a reasonable accommo-

dation during the selection process may contact Dr. Cheryl Waddington for assistance. Successful Background Records Check required as part of employment process

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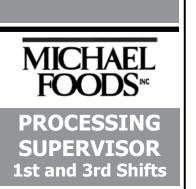
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PUBLIC NOTICE

NINGER CONTRACTOR

Notice is hereby given that the Village of Carroll intends to file an application to USDA Rural Development for financial assistance in the amount of \$1,109,000 for a water project. A meeting will be held on March 12, 2014 at the Carroll Community Hall regarding the proposed project and to provide the opportunity for public comment.

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Village of Carroll Jamie Muhs, Clerk

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WINSIDE BOARD OF EDUCATION SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS

The Winside Board of Education met in a special board meeting, Wednesday, February 19, 2014 in the Elem. Multi-purpose Room. Board members present were Laurie Lienemann, Scott Watters, Carmie Marotz, Jenni Topp, John Thies, and John Mangels. The special meeting was called to order

by President Mangels. He welcomed the guests(Jim Havelka, Alan Harms, Joanie Roberts, Teresa Watters, Susan Mohr, and

LeNell Quinn).

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The Superintendent Search progress was discussed and Mr. Harms and Mr. Havelka reported that at that point there had been seven applications received for the position. The search time line was discussed.

The Board developed the district and candidate profiles The format of the interview day/days was

discussed. Motion by Topp, second by Thies to go

into executive session to discuss a possible

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salary/fringe benefit package and contract for the next superintendent. Ayes-Lienemann, Watters, Marotz, Topp, Thies, and Mangels Navs-none.

Motion by Thies, second by Lienemann to come out of executive session. Ayes-Watters, Marotz, Topp, Thies, Mangels, and Lienemann. Nays-none. February 28, 2014 was confirmed as the date to select the candidates and March

6, 2014 as the date to do the pre interview planning

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Motion by Watters, second by Thies to adjourn. Ayes-all. Nays-none. Linda Barg

(Publ. Feb. 27, 2014) ZNEZ WINSIDE BOARD OF EDUCATION

WORKSHOP PROCEEDINGS

The Winside Board of Education met in a self evaluation workshop, Monday, Februry 17, 2014 at Prenger's Resturant in Norfolk, Nebraska. Board members present were John Mangels, Jenni Topp, Laurie Lienemann. Carmie Marotz, Scott Watters, and John Thies.

The workshop was called to order by President Mangels.

Mr. Mangels presented the self assessment document showing the results of the six member survey and discussion was held on the line items with emphasis on solutions to problem areas

Motion by Watters, second by Thies to adjourn. Ayes-all. Nays-None. Absent-Marotz.

Linda Barg (Publ. Feb. 27, 2014) ZNEZ

BID SOLICITATION

Sealed bids for the sale and removal of two structures at Wayne State College, Wayne, Nebraska, will be received up to the hou of 2:00 PM local time, on Tuesday, March 11, 2014, at the office of Jean Dale, Vice President for Administration and Finance, Hahn Administration Building, Room 201, 1111 Main Street, Wayne, Nebraska. The two structures are:

1205 Schreiner Drive House

1304 Walnut Street House Bids will be publicly opened and read

aloud. All permits necessary for the removal/ transport of aforesaid structures are the responsibility of the successful bidders. All structures will be sold "as is" and are to be removed by June 30, 2014, with specific date(s) to be coordinated with Owner. Each structure will be treated as a separate bid. Bids received after this time will not be accepted. Bids will only be received using the printed "Sealed Bid Form," which may be obtained by contacting Chad Altwine, Director of Facility Services, Campus Services Building, Room 101, 704 Lindahl Drive, Wayne, Nebraska (402-375-7274). All interested Bidders must attend a pre-bid site visit on March 4, 2014 at 2:00 p.m. Site visit will begin at the 1304 Walnut Street location. The Owner reserves the right to waive informalities or irregularities and to reject any or all bids. No bidder may withdraw his or her bid for a period of sixty (60) days after the bid opening

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PUBLIC NOTICE

TO: ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN STREET IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT NO. 2013-1 IN THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a plat of Street Improvement District No. 2013-1 in the City of Wayne, Nebraska, and a schedule of proposed special assessments to be levied on the property within the said District, as prepared by Olsson Associates, the City's Engineers, are on file in the office of the City Clerk at the City Hall in Wayne, Nebraska.

The real estate included in Street Improvement District No. 2013-1 is as follows: A tract of land located in the South 1/2 of

the Southwest 1/4 of Section 12, T26N, R3E

of the 6th P.M., Wayne County, Nebraska, more particularly described as follows: Commencing at the Southwest corner of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 12, T26N, R3E of the 6th P.M., Wayne County Nebraska; thence N 88°13'37" E on an assumed bearing on the South line of said Southwest 1/4, 611.67 feet; thence N 01°46'23" W and perpendicular to said South line, 64.70 feet to a point on the North Right-of-Way line of Highway 35, said point being the Southeast corner of Lot 4 of Western Ridge Third Addition, to the City of Wayne and the Point of Beginning; thence N 01°46'23" W on the East line of said Lot 4, 264.25 feet; thence S 88°04'44" W on the North line of Lots 3 & 4 of said Western Ridge Third Addition 248.61 feet to the Southwest corner of Lot 5 of said Western Ridge Third Addition thence N 01°46'22" W on the West line of said Lot 5, 496.41 feet to the Northwest corner of said Lot 5; thence N 88°13'37 E on the North line of said Lot 5, 911.44 feet to the Northwest corner of Outlot B of Western Ridge II Addition; thence S 02°08'07" E on the West line of said Outlot B and Western Ridge First Addition, 757,91 feet to the Southwest Corner of Western Ridge First Addition, said point being on the North Right-of-Way line of Highway 35; thence S 88°02'41" W on said North Right-of-Way line, 667.62 feet to the Point of Beginning, containing 14.42 acres, more or less You are further notified that the Mayor and City Council will sit as a Board of Equalization in the Wayne City Hall in the City of Wayne, Nebraska, at or about 5:30 o'clock p.m. on the 4th day of March, 2014, to consider objections and to adjust and equalize the proposed assessments with said Street Improvement District No. 2013-1. Any objector may appear in person or by representative and submit such additional information as such objector may desire.

Bid specifications can be picked up at the office of the Wayne County Clerk. Wayne County reserves the right to waive technicalities and irregularities and the right to reject any or all bids

Debra Finn

Wayne County Clerk (Publ. Feb. 27, March 6, 2014) ZNEZ

LAWN MOWING BIDS

Wayne County requests sealed bids for furnishing lawn mowing services for the courthouse grounds. The bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope that is clearly marked with the words BID FOR LAWN MOWING. Bids will be received at the office of the Wayne County Clerk, 510 N Pearl Ste 5, Wayne, NE 68787-1939, until 11:15 a.m on Tuesday, March 18th, at which time the bids will be opened in the Commissioner's meeting room at the courthouse

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LAWN MOWING BIDS

Wayne County requests sealed bids for furnishing lawn mowing services for Pleasant Valley Cemetery located 1/2 mile south of 850th Road on 585th Avenue, in Section 15, Township 25 North, Range 5 East; and/or for Sons of Herman Cemetery located 34 mile east of Hwy 15 on 847th Road, in Section 30 Township 25 North, Range 4 East. The bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope that is clearly marked with the words BID FOR LAWN MOWING. Bids will be received at the office of the Wayne County Clerk, 510 N Pear Ste 5, Wayne, NE 68787-1939, until 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday, March 18th, at which time the bids will be opened in the Commissioner's meeting room at the courthouse.

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LEGAL NOTICE

TO THE DEFENDANT(s), JOHN A. FAULK MICHELLE L. FAULK

You are hereby notified that Credit Bureau Services, Inc., a corporation, filed its complaint in the County Court of WAYNE County, Nebraska on 10/22/2013 on Case Number CI13-212, the object and prayer of which is to recover the sum of \$118.00, plus interest, attorney fees and court costs You are required to answer the complaint of the Plaintiff on or before 03/29/2014 or the allegations in said complaint will be taken as true and judgment entered accordingly.

CREDIT BUREAU SERVICES, INC.

A CORPORATION Bv: D.A. Martin #12613 Its Attorney P.O. Box 597 525 N "D" St Fremont, NE 68026 402-721-1850 (Publ. Feb. 12, 20, 27, 2014) ZNEZ 1 clip - 1 POP

NOTICE

A Limited Liability Company has been formed: 1. The name of the Limited Liability Company is GREEN HOUSE RENTALS, LLC; 2. The address of the registered office is 326 South Main Street, Wayne, NE 68787

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FOR SALE: Corn stalks and bean stubble bales. Call 402-369-2534 or 402-369-2350

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NEW APARTMENTS for rent. Won't last now. Ph. 402-369-3144.

RENTING APARTMENTS: Ridge Point Apartments, 208 West 13th Street, Wayne, is now taking applications for two-bedroom apartments. Applicants must be low income eligible. All units have central air, soft water, stove and refrigerator. References and deposit required. "Equal Housing Opportunity". Phone 402-369-0494 anytime.

SLEEPING ROOM FOR RENT: ABB 50+ cable provided. No pets, parties or smoking. References required. Ph. 402-375-1200.

FOR RENT: 2-bedroom apartment in Wayne and 5-BR house in Laurel. Call

rel, \$45/month. 402-518-0658.

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Seniors age 62+ and/or disabled Spacious 1 Bedroom Apartment Available for Immediate Occupancy

Rental Assistance Available for those who qualify!



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stalled plus water softener and hard wood floors. NO PETS... NO PAR-TIES... NO SMOKING. Ph. 402-635-

HOUSE FOR RENT: Central air and laundry hookup. ABB 50+ cable provided. No parties, pets or smoking. References required. Ph. 402-375-1200.

long! 2 and 3-BR apartments, available

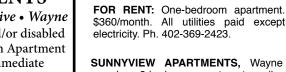
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FOR RENT: 10 x 24 storage unit in Lau-

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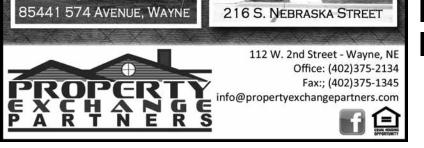
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SUNNYVIEW APARTMENTS, Wayne now has 2-bedroom apartment availa-

ble. Please call 375-3374 or 800-658-3126 to pick up an application and to view an apartment.



THANK YOU

THANK YOU seems too simple for the support we received for our 2014 Lincoln-Reagan Forum this past weekend.

We could not have done this without those individuals and businesses who donated items for our silent auction, purchased tickets, lent a helping hand and put in hours upon hours of volunteer time to make it a success. The candidates came in droves from across the state and the audience was great; so patient as we allowed each candidate time to speak. The meal was excellent - Tony's Steakhouse. The Hoskins Community Center and Beth were very accommodating. A huge "thank you" to Pastor Rodney Rixe, Trinity Lutheran - Hoskins; J L Spray, Chairman NE GOP, guest speaker; former State Senator Tony Fulton, Master of Ceremony and Mike Sievers, auctioneer of the live auction. If you were unable to attend you missed out on some excellent comments from all candidates. Choosing just one per office on May 13th will be a challenge, but take time to research the candidates, seek out their views and get out and vote.

God Bless to all - God Bless America.

Republican Party of Wayne County Nebraska, Bud Neel, Chairman.

Winside Fire and Rescue would like to thank our community and surrounding communities for your support, attendance and donations for our pancake-omelet feed.

Special thanks to Michael Foods for the egg mix, McDonald's of Wayne for the orange drink, Wayne County Convention & Visitors Bureau for advertising funds, and Robert Waterhouse/ Direct TV for the Raffle Gift.

Friends like you make it possible for us to update our Fire & Rescue equipment.

Congratulations to the Raffle Winner — Rich Abler

A heartfelt thank you to my husband, Greg, along with family and friends, especially our 3 children Becky, Tamara and Clint and their families for all the phone calls, prayers, cards and loving support given to me since before my surgery and after returning home. Rev. Cindi, your visits meant a lot to Greg and I. May God richly bless you and

yours, as He has our family.

Joyce Hansen

THANK YOU to everyone that helped at the accident; rescue, patrol, Gary West, etc. Thanks also to Pastors Feldmann and Lilienkamp, relatives, neighbors and friends for prayers, calls and help at this time

Pam Ekberg

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law also forbids discrimination State based on these factors. We will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. All person are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised are available on an equal opportunity basis.

ALL REAL estate advertised herein is

subject to the Federal Fair housing Act

which makes it illegal to advertise "any

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FOR RENT: 2, 3, and 4-bedroom apartments at 918 Main St. One block to campus. New high efficiency heat pumps with central air. Appliances furnished. Washer/dryer. Soft water. Paved parking. Rent starting at \$250. No pets. No parties. 712-899-0505

APARTMENT FOR RENT: Central air. ABB 50+ cable provided. Laundry facility available. No pets, parties or smoking. References required. Ph. 402-375-1200.

APARTMENTS: New 2 BR apartments available for rent in May. One block west of college. Renter pays utilities Off Street parking. No pets. No smok ing. Ph. 402-369-3068 or 712-212-5844.

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TRAVIS HEFTI will do grain hauling. Call 402-518-0089.

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etc. with Side Dump truck. Call Terry Si-

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evers at 402-369-0671

FARMER LOOKING for land to rent for 2014 and beyond. Competitive bids. Ph. 402-360-1962.

SPECIAL NOTICES

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CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA / Betty A. McGuire City Clerk

(Publ. Feb. 20, 27, 2014) ZNEZ

FERTILIZING/WEED CONTROL BIDS

Wayne County requests sealed bids for furnishing fertilizing/weed control services for the courthouse grounds. The bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope that is clearly marked with the words BID FOR FERTILIZING/WEED CONTROL. Bids will be received at the office of the Wayne County Clerk, 510 N Pearl Ste 5, Wayne, NE 68787 1939, until 11:15 a.m. on Tuesday, March 18th, at which time the bids will be opened in the Commissioner's meeting room at the courthouse.

Bid specifications can be picked up at the office of the Wayne County Clerk Wayne County reserves the right to waive technicalities and irregularities and the right to reject any or all bids.

Debra Finn Wayne County Clerk

(Publ. Feb. 27, March 6, 2014) ZNEZ

SPRINKLER SYSTEM BIDS

Wayne County requests sealed bids for furnishing sprinkler system services for the courthouse grounds. The bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope that is clearly marked with the words BID FOR SPRINKLER SYSTEM. Bids will be received at the office of the Wayne County Clerk, 510 N Pearl Ste 5, Wayne, NE 68787-1939, until 11:15 a.m. on Tuesday, March 18th, at which time the bids will be opened in the Commissioner's meeting room at the courthouse.

3. The general nature of the business to be transacted is to engage in real estate ownership, development and rental; 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 February 12, 2014, and its period of duration is perpetual; 5. Management of the affairs of the Limited Liability Company is to be conducted by the members. The original members are Steve Hall and Lori Hall Dated Feb. 17, 2014

GREEN HOUSE RENTALS, LLC By Kate M. Jorgensen, #22912 Its Attorney 110 West Second Street Wayne, Nebraska 68787 (402) 375-2080 (Publ. Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 2014) ZNEZ 1 clip - 1 POF

NOTICE TO BIDDERS Wayne Housing Authority **Concrete Sidewalk Replacement**

Wavne Housing Authority (WHA) is inviting bids from qualified vendors to replace sidewalks at Villa Wayne, located at 409 Dearborn Street, Wayne, NE 68787. This concrete will entail the removal, replacement and cleanup as related to this project. The contract will include all materials and labor to be provided by the successful bidder and materials must be approved by the owner. Proof of both Liability and Worker's Compensation Insurance is required. Labor wages must meet or exceed the United States Department of Labor Wage/Rate Determination for Wayne County, Nebraska.

Subsequent to the issuance of bid invitations. WHA will award the contract to the responsible bidder submitting the best overall proposal, or at its sole discretion, may reject any or all bids

This notification is to inform qualified concrete professionals wishing to participate in the bid requirement that a Scope of Work can be requested by contacting Trine McBride, Executive Director and Contracting Officer, Wayne Housing Authority, 409

Dearborn Street, PO Box 183, Wayne, NE 68787, (402) 375-**[**=` 2868. WHA is an Equal Opportunity Employer and Provider. (Publ. Feb. 27, March 13, 2014) ZNEZ

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING OR PUBLIC MEETING ON APPLICATION FOR NEBRASKA AFFORDABLE HOUSING PROGRAM FUNDS

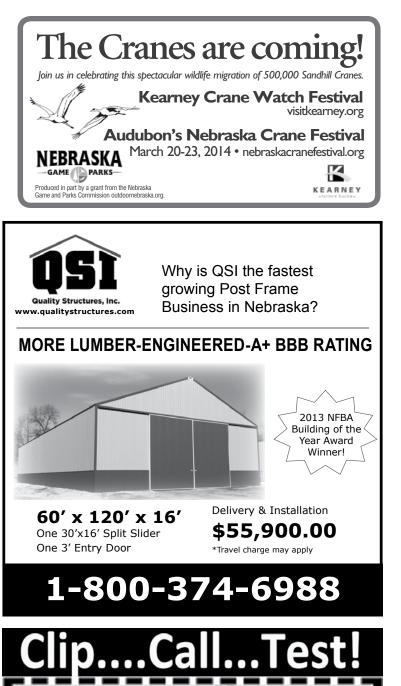
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Tuesday, March 11, 2014 in the Wayne Area Economic Development office, 108 W. 3rd Street in Wayne, NE, the Wayne Community Housing Development Corporation (WCHDC) will hold a public hearing or meeting concerning an application to the Department of Economic Development for a Nebraska Affordable Housing Program (NAHP) Grant. This grant is available for local affordable housing activities.

WCHDC is requesting \$60,000.00 for Operating Assistance in the counties of Burt, Cuming, Dodge, Thurston, Washington, and Wayne. One Hundred Percent (100%) of requested NAHP funds will be used for the

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benefit of low to moderate income households to further program development. Total project costs or funds utilized total \$159,211, of which \$99,211 in other funds are secured through other funding sources. No persons will be displaced as a result of the NAHP or these activities.

The grant application will be available for public inspection at WCHDC at 108 W. 3rd Street, Wayne, NE. All interested parties are invited to attend this public hearing at which time you will have an opportunity to be heard regarding the grant application. Low income persons are particularly encouraged to attend or submit written comment. Written and oral testimony will also be accepted at the public hearing scheduled for 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 11, 2014 at Wayne Area Economic Development/Chamber office at 108 W. 3rd Street, Wayne, NE 68787. Written comments



can be addressed to Kari Wren at 108 W. 3rd Street, Wayne, NE 68787 and will be accepted if received on or before March 11, 2014

Individuals requiring physical or sensory accommodations including interpreter service, large print, or recorded materials, Braille, please contact Kari Wren at 108 W. 3rd . Street, Wayne, NE 68787 or (402) 375-5266 no later than Friday March 7th, 2014. Accommodations will be made for persons with disabilities and non-English speaking individuals, provided that four days notice is received by the Wayne Community Housing Development Corporation. (Publ. Feb. 27, 2014) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF LUNDAHL HEALTH, LLC

This company has been organized for the purpose of participating in the healthcare industry, engaging in health coaching and education, and to carry out any lawful business that an organization may conduct under the Nebraska Uniform Limited Liability Company Act.

The registered agent of the company is Virginia M. Lundahl and the address of the registered office is 58339 Highway 35, Wakefield, Nebraska 68784. The address of the initial designated office is 58339 Highway 35. Wakefield, Nebraska 68784.

The company was commenced on January 16, 2014, and the company has perpetual existence

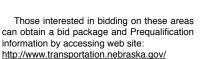
The affairs of the company are to be conducted by its members.

Keelan Holloway, #24681 Monson & Holloway Attorneys at Law 108 Oak Street Laurel, Nebraska 68745

(402) 256-3219 (Publ. Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 2014) ZNEZ 2 POPs

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed bids will be received by the Nebraska Department of Roads (NDOR) Operations Division, 5001 So 14th St., Lincoln NE, 68512 until 3:00 P.M. CDT on March 31, 2014. At that time, bids from pre-qualified contractors will be publicly opened and read for Highway Right Of Way Mowing for Nebraska Dept. of Roads, District 3- Norfolk



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operations/procure/ If any questions, please contact Gloria

Ryken @ (402) 479-4356 (Publ. Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 2014) ZNEZ

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Those interested in bidding on these areas can obtain a bid package and Prequalification information by accessing web site: http://www.transportation.nebraska.gov/

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Ryken @ (402) 479-4356. (Publ. Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 2014) ZNEZ

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

The following described property will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder on 03/24/2014, at 10:00 a.m. in the main lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 North Pearl Street, Wayne, NE 68787:

LOT 10, BLOCK 3, VINTAGE HILL 2ND ADDITION TO THE CITY OF WAYNE: LOT **B OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE SUBDIVISION** OF LOT 11, BLOCK 3 VINTAGE HILL 2ND ADDITION TO THE CITY OF WAYNE, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

All subject to any and all: (1) real estate taxes, (2) special assessments, (3) easements, covenants, restrictions, ordinances, and resolutions of record which affect the property, and (4) unpaid water bills, (5) prior mortgages and trust deed of record and (6) ground leases of record. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.

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Eric Lemp, Trustee, NSBA# 24096 By: Kozeny & McCubbin, LC 12400 Olive Blvd., Suite 555 St. Louis, MO 63141

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ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN FROM YOU WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE. (Publ. Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 13, 2014) ZNEZ 1 POF

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN CONTROL OF A BANK HOLDING COMPANY

Fred Otten of Norfolk, Nebraska intends to apply to the Federal Reserve Board for permission to acquire 25 percent or more of the outstanding shares and thereby control of First National Agency, Inc. of Wayne, Nebraska. First National Agency, Inc. controls First Nebraska Bank of Wayne, Wayne, Nebraska. The Federal Reserve considers a number of factors in deciding whether to approve the notice.

You are invited to submit comments in writing on this notice to the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, One Memorial Drive Kansas City, MO 64198. The comment period will not end before March 19, 2014, and may be somewhat longer. The Board's procedures for processing applications may be found at 12 C.F.R. Part 262.25. To obtain a copy of the Federal Reserve Board's procedures, or if you need more information about how to submit your comments on the notice, contact Dennis Denney, Assistant Vice President, at (816) 881-2633. The Federal Reserve will conside your comments and any request for a public meeting or formal hearing on the notice if they are received in writing by the Reserve Bank on or before the last day of the comment period

Dated February 27, 2014. (Publ. Feb. 27, 2014) ZNEZ

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NOTICE OF MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Airport Authority Monday, March 10, 2014 at 7:00 P.M. at the City Hall Council Chambers. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.



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

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

Mitch Nissen, Chairman Wayne Airport Authority (Publ. Feb. 27, 2014) ZNEZ

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Recreation-Leisure Services Commission, Monday, March 10, 2014, at Noon at the Community Activity Center. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.

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(Publ. Feb. 27, 2014) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF SPECIAL BOARD MEETING Notice is hereby given that the special meeting of the Board of Education of the Winside School District, a/k/a School District 95R, in the county of Wayne, in the State of Nebraska will be held at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter as the same may be held on March 6, 2014 in the school library. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection at the office of

the superintendent. BY: THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE WINSIDE SCHOOL DISTRICT, a/k/a SCHOOL DISTRICT 95R IN THE COUNTY OF WAYNE IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA (Publ. Feb. 27, 2014) ZNEZ

MEETING NOTICE

The Wayne County Agricultural Society will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday, the 13th day of March, 7:30 pm, 2014 at The Max Again, 109 Main Street, Wayne, Nebraska. The agenda for this meeting is available for public inspection at the Wayne County UNL Extension Office and at www thewaynecountyfair.com

Diane Roeber, Secretary Wayne County Agricultural Society (Publ. Feb. 27, 2014) ZNEZ

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

Wayne, Nebraska February 18, 2014

The Wavne County Board of Commissioners met in regular session at 9:15 a.m. on Tuesday February 18, 2014 in the upstairs meeting room of the Courthouse. Roll call was answered by Chairman Burbach, Members Larson and Rabe, and Clerk Finn.

Advance notice of this meeting was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, or February 6, 2014.

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

The agenda was approved. The minutes of the February 4, 2014, meeting were approved as printed in the Commissioner's Record.

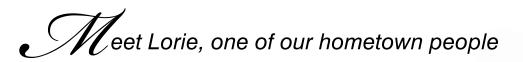




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Quotes received from Big John Mfg. and Benco Products, Inc. to repair or replace the Noxious Weed Authority's sprayer were reviewed. Motion by Larson, second by Rabe to accept the Benco quote of \$17,221.84 to rebuild the sprayer, plus the addition of a light package. Roll cal vote: Larson-aye, Rabe-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

Representatives of the Safety Committee met with the board to discuss

1. Stair treads - Would the commissioners reconsider installing stair treads? The board requested information on non-slip strips.

2. Courthouse fire evacuation policy and tornado policy - Working on updating both policies.

3. Courthouse security - Ongoing issue, consider security cameras?

4. Signage - No Firearms Allowed - the courthouse is exempt from posting requirements Don't Sit On Basement Stairs - additional chairs for basement lobby have been purchased signage has been ordered.

County Attorney Mike Pieper reported he had completed his research on the board's request for information on drainage. He asked the commissioners to meet with him at his office, on ar individual basis, and noted that he would follow-up with information in writing

As per the Lodging Tax Committee's recommendation, grants of \$250 for the Carroll Fire Department Pancake & Omelet Feed, \$100 for the Wayne Community Theatre's "Chase Me Dowr the Avenue Si Vous Plait" production, \$1,500 for Elderfest, \$300 for Winside Jr. Football League Craft Show, and \$750 for Ercoupe Owners Convention were approved on motion by Rabe, second by Larson. Roll call vote: Rabe-aye, Larson-aye, Burbach-aye; motion carried.

The board authorized solicitation of bids for lawn mowing, spraying, and irrigation service for the courthouse lawn; and mowing of two county cemeteries. Bids will be opened on Tuesday March 18th at 11:15 a.m.

Emergency Manager Nic Kemnitz presented information on an Incident Command Workshop for city/county managers that will be held on February 25th in Columbus. Larson reported work had begun on bridge number C009001805P, Project C-90(609), located on Grainland Road, 1/2 mile west of 574 Avenue.

Larson also reported Ron Janke has agreed to work with the county on right of way and ements for bridge number C009012415, Project C-90(610), located on 853rd Rd, just east o 573 Ave. Mainelli Wagner & Associates is working on the final plans.

Fee Reports: Debra Finn, County Clerk, \$10,596.75 (Jan Fees).

Claims:

GENERAL FUND: Salaries \$47,733.81; Burbach, Dean E., 1,708.33; Deck, Doug, RE, 10.00; Barnes, Ann M., RE, 239.68; American BroadBand, CLEC OE, 328.66; Appeara, OE 393.24; Arnie's Ford Mercury, RP,MA, 240.90; AS Central Services, ER, 60.00; CardMember Service, SU, 212.95; Carroll Station Inc., The, MA, 639.88; Centec Cast Metal Products, OE, 433.41; Copy Write/Keepsake, SU, 1,510.00; Dahl, Kyle C, OE, 1,425.00; Elite Office Products, ER, 132.34; Farmers Co-operative, Pilger, MA, 315.11; Floor Maintenance, OE, 199.93 Grossenburg Implement, OE, 271.29; Hasemann Funeral Home, OE, 810.00; Interstate All Battery Center, SU, 89.00; Jorgensen, Kate, OE, 12,796.15; Klein Electric, Mark Klein, OE, 1,384.29; Lut Oil, MA, 929.89; Madison County Sheriff, OE, 150.00; Menard's, SU, 50.28; Microfilm Imaging Systems, ER, 155.00; Mid States School Bus Inc, SU, 30.00; Morland Easland & Lohrberg ,

OE, 675.92; NACEB, OE, 25.00; Nebraska Weed Control Assn, OE, 200.00; Northeast Nebraska Juvenile Services, OE, 13,471.14; Northeast Nebraska Telephone Co, OE, 66.03; Osmono Pharmacy, OE, 83.34; Pieper & Miller, OE,ER, 2,506.96; Pierce County Sheriff's Dept, OE 3,150.00; Quality Printing & Office Supplies, SU, 170.70; Sinclair, MA, 61.36; Tacos & More, OE 26.00; Thurston County Sheriff, OE, 4,050.00; Tom Hansen CPA, OE, 1,560.00; Toshiba Financia Services, ER, 205.62; United HealthCare of the Midlands, PS, 70,894.46; University of Nebraska IS Commun Ctr, OE, 43.00; Verizon Wireless, OE, 738.92; Waste Connections of Nebraska, OE, 108.84; Wayne County Clerk, OE, 1,328.99; Wayne County Clerk of District Court OE, 102.00; Wayne County Treasurer, OE, 20.50; Wayne Herald/Morning Shopper, OE, 699.76 Wayne, City of, OE, 3,000.00; Western Office Technologies, SU, 205.36; WEX Bank, MA, 155.07 Wingate Inn, Kearney, OE, 332.00; WSC Instructional Resource Center, OE, 33.05; Zach Heating & Cooling, RP, 69.50

COUNTY ROAD FUND: Salaries \$21,844.00; Andrew Repair, SU, 33.00; Appeara, OE 80.46; Carroll, Village of, OE, 76.11; Farmers Co-operative, Pilger, SU,MA,RP, 32,973.25 Fastenal, SU, 26.25; Fredrickson Oil Company, MA, 1,388.01; Hradec Diesel Inc., RP, 801.91 John's Welding & Tool, RP, 2,660.45; Matheson Tri-Gas Inc., SU, 12.74; Menard's, RP,SU 112.73; Mercy Medical Services, OE, 252.00; Midwest Service & Sales Co., OE,MA, 6,753.20 NMC Exchange LLC, RP,MA, 1,184.06; Norfolk Truck Center, RP, 26.50; Vander Haags Inc., RP 200.00; Wayne Auto Parts, RP,SU,MA, 182.16; Wayne County Sheriff, CO, 10.00; Wayne County Treasurer, CO, 10.00;

SNOW REMOVAL & EQUIPMENT FUND: Deere Credit Inc, ER, 3,637.94 LODGING TAX FUND: Carroll Fire Dept, OE, 200.00 INHERITANCE TAX FUND: Greunke, Pam, RE, 58.36 Meeting was adjourned.

SS.

Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk

STATE OF NEBRASKA

COUNTY OF WAYNE

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I, the undersigned, County Clerk of Wayne County, Nebraska, hereby certify that all of the subjects included in the attached proceed-ings were contained in the agenda for the meeting o February 18, 2014, kept continually current and available for the public inspection at the office of the County Clerk; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least 24 hours prior to said meeting; that the said minutes of the meeting of the County Commissioners of the County of Wayne were in written form and available for public inspection within 10 working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body.

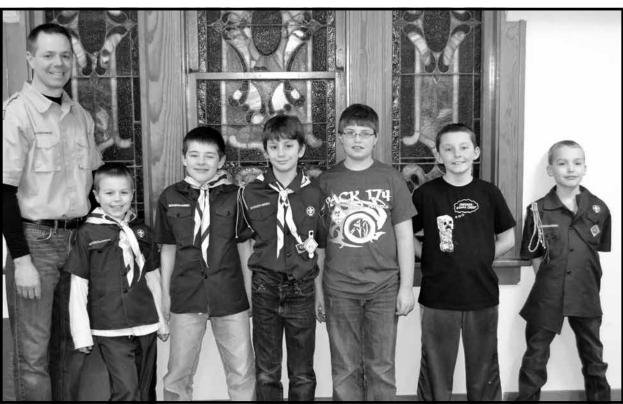
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 20th day of February, 2014 Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk (Publ. Feb. 27, 2014) ZNEZ

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Boy Scouts, Cub Scouts celebrate Scouting Month



Troop Leaders include (front) Bob Liska, Jeff Simpson, (back) Scott Abraham, Stacy Schenk, Tami Worner and Greg Worner.



Cub Scouts in the Bears program include (left) Bear den leader David Bohnert, Ethan Bohnert, Ethan McCraney, Quin Zach, Brandon Sebade, Shayne Geidner and Brogan Foote.

Also part of the Cub Scout program, but not available for a picture, are the Webelos.



Boy Scouts in Troop #174 include (front) James Simpson, Steven Keiser, Bishop Cavenee, Zach Schenk, (back) Jacob Abraham, Andrew Simpson, RJ Liska, Parker Wren and Nolan Kruse. Not pictured: Jon Worner and James Kielty.



Tiger members of the Wayne Cub Scout Pack include (left) Tiger den leader Marlon Brink, Brayden Woehler, Ty Zach, Kingston Hanson, Andrew Brink and Hunter Foote.



Members include Isaac Davis, Jacob Karsky, Nathan Kufner, Zach Nordhues, GW Robinson and Ethan Sebade.

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Boys involved in the Wolves group of Cub Scouts include (left) Jesus Zavala, Brayden Navarro, Laythn Hanish and Bralen Murphy. Not pictured: Conner Worrel, Giovanni Davidson and Ryan Karsky.

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Scout Facts

• The Wayne Boy Scouts have been in existence for 91 years; they have been part of Wayne since 1923

• The Wayne Cub Scouts have been in existence for 69 years; they have been part of Wayne since 1945.

· Between the Wayne Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts, they have 160 years of combined service to the community.

• The Scouts have accumulated approximately 500 months of continuous paper drives, helping Wayne's recycling efforts, since the early 1970s.

• The Scouts take part in numerous civic projects

· Both groups welcome participants from all religions and ways of life.



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Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes Managing Editor

I'm *really* good at procrastination

I was reading an article by Megan McArdle on The Atlantic's website lic elementary schools and severtitled "Why Writers Are The Worst Procrastinators." She was trying to explain to the rest of civilized society why writers make the best procras-

According to McArdle, the writer's ability to procrastinate has its roots in school, where writing and reading came easy for some but not for others. "We were too good in English class," she surmised.

It reminded me of my youth, when I was far and away the best reader and writer in my class. I'm not bragging here – I'm just stating the truth. If you were to describe my classmates' reading levels using board games, I was playing chess . . . they were playing Candy Land.

People my age (and those teachers still around who were teaching back when people my age were kids) may remember the old SRA reading comprehension system that schools had back in the 1970's. As I seem to remember, there was a folder with reading material that a student would have to read, and then they would take a test once they had done all the work in the folder to determine whether they had achieved a certain level of reading and writing comprehension. The folders were color-coded and got tougher the deeper you got into the system.

Most of the kids in my class got through the system by the end of the school year – I had it mastered before Christmas.

And when it came to writing, I was better than most of the kids two and three grades ahead of me. I actually wrote a "book" one summer about a little boy who grew up to be a big-league baseball player. My fourth-grade teacher thought it was good enough for me to read to the class, taking a moment in between pages to show the artwork I had created to help tell the story (and it should be noted that, for as good as I am with the written word, I am equally as pathetic when it comes to drawing).

And so, it would make perfect sense (at least, it does to me) that I should be – and am – an outstanding procrastinator. In fact, I'd like to share some of my legendary capabilities in the art of procrastination with you (and believe me . . . it IS an art).

Before I do that, though, I'd like to tell you about my youngest nephew, John, and his amazing talents at hitting a golf ball. This kid has the potential to be the next Jack Nicklaus or Tiger Woods. He eats, sleeps and drinks golf. If he lived someplace where he could play golf 12 months out of the year, the only way I'd be able to spend time with him is if I caddied for him.

Last summer, he and I were out playing on the golf course, and I was having trouble hitting my putter. He saw my problem and offered to give me a putting lesson. He showed me how to adjust my grip, and wouldn't schools are being criticized because you know it, I started putting the ball better.

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

As a kid growing up in small town Nebraska I went to the elementary school closest to my house, the only junior high school and the only high school in town. I had many of the same teachers as my older siblings. I ate the same one-choice meal as my classmates, and I liked it. Because there wasn't any choice.

My hometown now has four pubal parochial schools. School lunch menus have evolved and students now have the choice of several entrees, some of them even healthy. Curriculum has changed and students are categorized as gifted, ordinary or in need of help. Home schools, parochial schools, magnet schools with emphasis ranging from arts to zoos, are all available now. In some places, students are sent to schools focused on discipline or special needs.

But nowhere in Nebraska can one find charter schools, a 22-year-old concept started in Minnesota and touted by proponents as innovative public schools designed to deliver programs tailored to the needs of the communities they serve. They are called the fastest and most successful growing reforms in the countrv

Nebraska is one of eight states that don't allow charter schools, but Sen. Scott Lautenbaugh of Omaha has introduced a bill (LB972) to allow for the creation of up to five charter schools in the Omaha Public School District through a pilot program. It's nearly the same as his bill (LB593) that was heard a year ago by the Legislature's Education Committee and killed 8-0. Lautenbaugh says he tweaked this new bill to reflect the latest best practices.

Lautenbaugh and other proponents say charter schools are becoming popular - there are now 5,453 charter schools serving 1.7 million students in 39 states and the District of Columbia – as public of declining quality. Charter schools

schools generally do no better at raising student achievement than other schools. Breed said the bill (LB593) was a flawed bill delivering a flawed solution.

Proponents cite the same study and say it's positive because results indicate that 25 percent of charter schools outperform comparative traditional public schools, while 19 percent produced worse results. In math, 29 percent of charter schools outperformed the traditional public schools and 31 percent were weaker, according to the report.

Laughtenbaugh and four others testified in support of last year's bill. Breed and seven others - representing the state's teachers, school boards, school administrators and parent teacher associations - spoke against the measure. The same lineup can be anticipated this year

ford University that found charter at least try another innovative ap- ed for pushing ahead with the isproach. Charter schools, they say, sue despite the unanimous death are smaller and embrace the parents and community in which they are time and study in Nebraska. Charlocated to help support the school and its goals. Charter schools are date for an interim study with propublic schools and are funded according to enrollment. Nationwide, on average, they are funded at less than 70 percent of the district per braska communities, not just Omastudent amount.

That cost factor alone, if proven to be true and applicable in Nebraska, could be a compelling argument in a year when the Executive Branch is working ever harder to convince their parents should be allowed to the Legislative Branch that it's all about tax cuts.

Lautenbaugh is to be commend-

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> of it a year ago. But new ideas take ter schools would be a good candiponents tasked to find successful charter schools in other states that would be comparable to specific Neha.

- Billis Barrison

If the kids at Lincoln Heights Elementary in Scottsbluff have a choice to eat something other than fish sticks on Friday these days, maybe send them to a charter school if the choice is ever approved in Nebraska

OK, now where was I? Oh yes – I was going to tell you about what makes me such a fantastic procrastinator. I mean, it is not something that you can really work hard at becoming. It really is one of those natural gifts to be able to put something off until the last possible minute.

Speaking of which - did you see that Ken Chamberlain decided, just a few days before the incumbents' deadline, to run for a second term as our mayor? I had a pretty good feeling he was going to run for re-election. I thought he did a pretty good job as our mayor these last four years. He had some interesting situations to deal with during his first term as mayor, from the controversy surrounding the police department to dealing with the aftermath of last fall's tornado. I thought he handled a lot of the big situations quite well – and while that's not an official endorsement of any kind . . .

Oh, hey – forgive me for a minute. I need to go check on the weather outside. I thought I saw something about snow in the forecast, so I want to make sure a blizzard isn't blowing outside that will keep me from attendng tonight's basketball game.

OK now – where was I?

Oh, right - procrastination. Listen, I have the putting-stuff-off-untilthe-last-minute thing down cold. I mean, you would not BELIEVE how much I can get done when I have that proverbial time bomb ticking in my head. There is something about playing Beat the Clock with whatever it is that's on top of your "must get done today" list that is just exhilarating and, at the same time, maddening.

Speaking of which - did anybody watch the Olympics that got over this past weekend? Unfortunately, I couldn't watch much of the Winter Olympics; and, to be honest, I'm not as big a fan of much of anything in winter sports beyond hockey.

Now when it comes to the Summer Olympics, there's a lot to keep my inerest, from wrestling and soccer to basketball and a bunch of other sports. Halfpipe snowboarding? Ehhh, it's just not my thing.

Speaking of that - have I gotten around to telling you what a legendary procrastinator I am? I mean, it really drives people crazy with how I am able to be such a good writer, and yet be so horribly comfortable with waitng until the last minute to get things done.

I'd love to tell you more but, unfortunately, I have run out of space . . .

are funded with public money but operate independently of a school board. He said charter schools could adapt more quickly to new practices and to the needs of their students. It's all about giving students and their parents more choices.

Among the eight opponents at the hearing on last year's bill was then-Department of Education Director Roger Breed, who cited a 2013 study by the Center for Research on Education Outcomes at Stan-

as well.

Opponents say they worry about accountability to the public and to parents and to the students. Some say they worry about the perception that officials are just throwing up their hands and giving up on the public school system.

Proponents say that Nebraska's status quo of open enrollment and school choice just isn't enough and that it wouldn't hurt Nebraska to



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On Feb. 11, the Education Committee advanced LB682 out of committee with a committee amendment. LB682, introduced and prioritized by Sen. Jim Scheer, of Norfolk, would provide for the formation of allied school systems. While the committee amendment improves the bill, it is a bill with many issues, in my opinion.

LB682 requires schools with an average daily membership of less than 650 K-12 students during the last two consecutive years to align with three other school districts by July 1, 2015. To be "aligned," schools must have a common calendar and schedule. The argument being made for this bill is that, by schools aligning, you would have a greater pool of students and teachers and can then offer more courses that may not be available to the individual schools. We have been told repeatedly that this bill is not about consolidation and that the individuals opposed to the bill are only opposed because they just do not understand it.

I understand that our rural schools want to offer their students as many opportunities as possible, but I do not feel that LB682 necessarily aids in doing this. Under LB682, schools are required to align but they are not required to offer more courses. It is my experience that school districts concerned with challenging students find ways to offer them courses and opportunities without having to align with other schools. I think the premise behind this bill is that distance education will become more commonplace in our schools - I have nothing against distance education, but there are concerns that come along with it. How many classrooms will have to be outfitted with distance education capabilities? What happens if your school decides not to hire a math teacher because they can have a teacher at a school that they are aligned with teach the course via distance education? If a child is taking geometry and struggling, how do they get additional help? We need to leave these decisions up to the local school districts. They know better than those of us



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in Lincoln what their students and school districts need.

On another note, LB671 introduced by Sen. Chambers of Omaha, which would eliminate provisions relating to the hunting and killing of mountain lions, has been placed on the agenda for discussion by the full Legislature. You might recall that I mentioned this bill in an earlier "Update." LB671 advanced from the Natural Resources Committee on a 6-2 vote with an amendment. The amendment reinstates sections of the original statute that allow an individual to kill a mountain lion that is a threat to their livestock on his or her property and allows individuals to defend themselves against a mountain lion. The proposed bill and amendment does repeal the section of statute that allows Game and Parks Commission to issue mountain lion hunting permits. Since the foolishness of not being able to defend yourself or your property has been removed, I will look at LB671 with a little more respect.

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