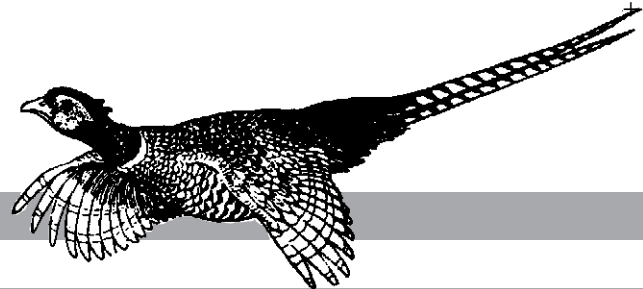


# Lifestyle

The Wayne Herald



## Parents are their child's first teachers

The years from birth to age five are important times in a child's learning ability because the brain is developing at a faster pace than it does at any other point in a child's life. Parents play an important role in their child's life, and it's crucial to be there and be engaged during

this developmental stage.

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

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



Angela Abts  
Dakota County

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

Parents should also be mindful that every child grows at his or her own pace. Some parents think there's a problem if their child isn't developing in one area to the level they have read about for that age or they are not at the same level as a neighbor child the same age. They think something is wrong because the child is very developed in a different area, but not in another. Children sense their parent's worry. Parents need to remember they work with their child to build social skills, trust and create a learning environment, but their child may not be the textbook child. There is give and take on all developmental areas. There are many resources for parents with questions on development and also tips for talking to their children, how children respond, how children are feeling at each month of their age and more.

For more information about child development resources, please contact the Nebraska Extension Office in your local county or visit the website at [www.child.unl.edu](http://www.child.unl.edu).

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

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

Families are a child's first teacher

## Wedding Fredericks-Nelson married in Colorado

Sara Fredericks of Ouray, Colo. and Brian Nelson of Wakefield were married Dec. 1, 2014 at the Stanley Hotel in Estes Park, Colo.

Kent Robertson officiated at the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Suzanne Bourque of Richmond, Calif. and Stan Fredericks of Lansing, Mich. and Willis and Margaret Nelson of Wakefield.

Following a wedding trip to Maui, the couple is at home at Wakefield.

The bride is a medical laboratory technician and the groom is a captain for Sun Country Airlines. He also owns several businesses.



Mr. and Mrs. Nelson

## Birthday Kenneth Dunklau to celebrate 95th birthday

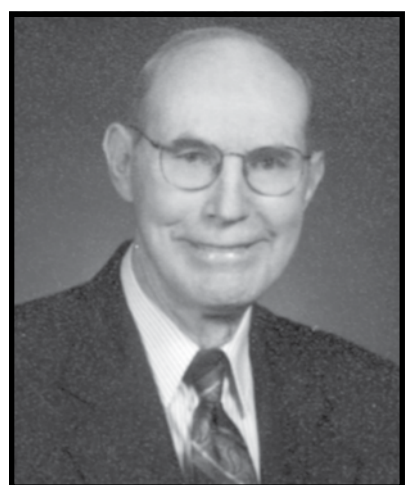
Kenneth Dunklau will observe his 95th birthday on Friday, Feb. 13.

His family is requesting a card shower in honor of the occasion.

He lived in Wayne County his whole life, until his move to Norfolk in October of 2013.

His family includes three daughters, June Baier (Jerry) of Wayne, Sandra Wriedt (Ron) of Wayne and Lisa Meyer Drudik (Alan) of Tilden; nine grandchildren, 20 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

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Kenneth Dunklau

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**Monday:** Baked ham, roasted

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**Tuesday:** Swedish meatballs with celery soup and dill, au gratin potatoes, frozen peas, pearl onions, Promise, canned peaches.

**Wednesday:** Country beef steak, mashed potatoes with skins, country gravy, frozen corn, Promise, whole wheat fresh bread, cherry gelatin with pears.

**Thursday:** Fried pollack, tarter sauce, baked potato, frozen mixed vegetable, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise, canned apricots.

**Friday:** Rotisserie pork loin, mashed potato with pork gravy, dilled carrots, apple slices with sugar and cinnamon, whole wheat fresh bread, Promise.

## Wayne Eagles Auxiliary plans February events

The Wayne Eagles Auxiliary met Feb. 2 with President Julie Addison presiding.

Initiated into membership was Alisha Kelly.

There will not be a Children's Art contest this year, due to the fact that information was received too late.

Brady Ping came to the meeting to ask for a donation for the Wayne High School's state bowling team. The boys and girls both have qualified. The Aeire and Auxiliary both donated to support the teams. State bowling will be held Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 14-15 in Lincoln.

A donation was given to Hospice of Siouxland in memory of Lynnelle Sievers. Her family returned her

funeral benefit and matched the amount.

The Eagles Smoker will be held Saturday, Feb. 14. Tickets can be purchased before the event from members or at the club. Anyone wishing to donate bars for the event is asked to sign the sheet at the club. Workers are needed on Friday, Feb. 13 to set up and also on Feb. 14.

There will not be a steak fry on March 7 due to a pending pool benefit for the Rob Allen family.

The next meeting for the auxiliary will be Monday, Feb. 16 at 7 p.m.

## Senior Center Calendar

(Week of Feb. 9-13)

**Monday, Feb. 9:** FROG Exercises and Morning Walking, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Pool, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.; Hand and Foot; Pitch

**Tuesday, Feb. 10:** Morning walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting; Kayla Spakel, Alzheimers' Association, 12:45 p.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club; Pitch.

**Wednesday, Feb. 11:** Morning Walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Pool; Morning Pitch group.

**Thursday, Feb. 12:** Morning Walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting; Downtown Abbey, 10:30 a.m.; Connie Webber, Valentine Songs; Afternoon Bridge Club.

**Friday, Feb. 13:** FROG Exercises/walking, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Century Club Movie and drawing, sponsored by The Oaks; Merle Ring on the organ, 11:30 a.m.; Hand and Foot; Pitch; Bingo.

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# Fear not, for God will not give up on you

This is the word of the LORD that came to Jonah, son of Amittai: "Set out for the great city of Nineveh, and preach against it; their wickedness has come up before me." But Jonah made ready to flee to Tarshish away from the LORD (Jonah 1)

My application for seminary sat in a drawer for two years. It was finished, signed, even sealed in the envelope. All it needed was the necessary postage to mail it. But it sat there, never quite forgotten. Even though I had been hearing God calling me to go to seminary for a while, I was reluctant to listen. I was afraid to listen. It took the voices of the youth in the congregation I was serving as youth pastor to convince me that this is what God truly wanted me to do.

Jonah was afraid of those people in Nineveh and so he was reluctant to answer or respond to God. They were heartless, bloodthirsty people. They were unrepentant. Jonah wanted nothing to do with this call from God. Jonah was openly defying



God. To defy means to openly and boldly resist what one is told to do. It indicates a lack of faith since it comes from the Latin dis - "against" and fidere "believe." Hence Jonah is not just subordinate, he is unbelieving, he lacks trust. So he set out for Tarshish which was exactly the opposite direction from Nineveh and all sorts of problems ensued, the least of which is that Jonah's defiance puts him and others headlong into a storm that grows deeper and involves lots of other people. Jonah's defiance endangers others. In

our sin, in our defiance, we bring storms into our own lives as well as into the lives of others we know and love. What we do, or fail to do affects others. We are all members of the Body of Christ, members of God's community. We don't live our individual lives in a bubble.

My reluctance to answer God's call was certainly not because of dislike for God's people, but maybe Jonah's reasons were more like mine than I think. I wonder: was he afraid of the people or of the commitment? Or both? Was he con-

cerned that he didn't have what was needed? Was he afraid that he would fail in his calling? Or maybe he was afraid that he would succeed too well. Fear of success sometimes holds us back as much as fear of failure. I think the reasons I just listed are what held me back.

When Jonah did finally go to Nineveh (with a little convincing from God and the fish who swallowed him!), he did succeed far better than he wanted. Jonah did such a good job that the Ninevites all repented and God relented.

What is it that holds you back? Is God speaking to you? What makes you reluctant to listen to God's voice calling you to whatever mission you are meant to follow? Are your plans more important than God's? Are you afraid of the commitment and the sacrifice that God calls for? Are you afraid you will fail? Or succeed too well? May we all realize what God is calling us to do, where God is calling us to go and what God is calling us to be. Fear not, God will not give up on you!

## Local Crazy 8's part of Arts Council concert event

The Crazy 8 Brass Band, made up of a number of local musicians from Wayne, was one of the chosen groups to present a concert for Plainview Arts Council's Annual Concert Series.

The group performed on Sunday, Jan. 25 in the Plainview High School Auditorium as one of five individuals or groups who make up the 2014-2015 program.

The Crazy 8 Band, a Dixie-style band, performs pieces arranged by founder Josh Calkin, ranging from polkas to contemporary music.

Members of the group include, Calkin, Wayne State College Assistant Director of Bands, Jazz Band Director and Low Brass Instructor; Dr. David Bohnert, WSC Director of Bands, High Brass Instructor & Department Chair; Dr. Karl Kolbeck, WSC Instructor of Woodwinds & Orchestra Director; Jared Kohler, WSC Music performance Major; Samantha Hahn, WSC Music alumni and currently Instructor of Music at Plainview Public School; Chad Jensen, Wayne High School alumni, WSC alumni and currently on the WSC Security



Members of the Crazy 8 Band include (front) Brad Weber, Brandi Kolbeck, Dr. Josh Calkin, (back) Jared Kohler, Dr. David Bohnert, Dr. Karl Kolbeck, Samantha Hahn and Chad Jensen.

Staff; Brad Weber, Retired Director of Bands at Wayne High School and currently WSC Instructor of Percussion and Brandi Kolbeck, Vocal Instructor at Pender High School.

## Minerva Club discusses Pennsylvania at meeting

Minerva Club met at The Oaks on Jan. 26 at 2 p.m. with seven members and a guest, Hallie Sherry.

In the absence of the president and vice president, Mary Ann De-Naeyer chaired the meeting. She opened with amusing anecdotes and quotes from Teacher-Student question and answers on to It's Never to Late to Learn Something New.

Roll call was answered by naming a Hershey Candy. Historian Hollis Frese shared some club facts from 1946 thru 1959. In October of 1946 the club observed its 50-year-anniversary. On Nov. 19, 1949 they held a luncheon at Hotel Morrison. In 1951 a book on roses was presented to the library in memory of Mrs. Gulliver. In 1952 Minnie Rice became a member. The following year Mrs. Hughes was honored with a handkerchief shower for her 80th birthday and in December, a 50 cent

Christmas gift exchange was held. In 1959 another book was donated to the library. Hollis will try to locate how many books the club has donated to date.

Members contributed facts about the Pennsylvania Colony. It was named after Founder Wm. Penn's father, Charles, and the word 'sylvania' meaning woods. The people were mostly English, German and Dutch and valued hard work. Grapes were plentiful and Welch's Company located there. Completed in 1795, the Lancaster Turnpike was the first long distance major paved road in the U.S. Among the state's people of note are Benjamin Franklin, Nelly Bly, Andrew Carnegie, Wilt Chamberlain and Will Smith.

Milton S. Hershey was influential in building the town of Hershey and beginning the candy company. Dur-

ing the lean 30s he provided work for many as well as housing and other needs. He also established Hershey Amusement Park.

Pennsylvania lays claim to America's first hospital and library. The first mint was established in Philadelphia in 1792. The total number

of U.S. coins ever minted there is over 300 billion. Philadelphia is also the home of the famed Liberty Bell. The state song was sung by Connie Webber.

The Monday, Feb. 9 meeting will be at the Senior Center with Donna Hansen hostess.



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## Briefly Speaking

### Bridge played at Senior Center

AREA — Bridge was played at the Wayne Senior Center on Tuesday, Feb. 3 with eight ladies attending. Bridge was played at two tables.

Margaret Kenny was hostess. Bridge will be played again on Tuesday, Feb. 10. Hostess will be Phyllis Hix. For reservations, call (402) 375-2831 by Sunday, Feb. 8.

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## Benefit for Abbie Baack

Abbie (Diediker) Baack is from Wayne and is a graduate of Wayne High School and Wayne State College. She married her high school sweetheart, Shane, and they settled in Seward to raise their family. She is a 4th grade teacher at Milford. Abbie was diagnosed with brain cancer in September 2014.

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To be considered a qualified candidate, applicants must be a veteran or military family member with close experience in military life; Bachelor's degree (preferred); strong communication skills; the ability to demonstrate proficiency working with Microsoft applications and other computer skills. Experience working with grants is a plus.

This is a part-time position to equal 20 to 30 hrs per week, generally Mon-Fri. The salary range is \$12-\$16/hr, commensurate with experience and education. Highly skilled candidates may be considered for additional public health program job opportunities where the salary is negotiable.

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## Concerns raised about next WSC president

*Faculty members want leader with education background, presence in community*

By CALYN DUNKLAU  
Of The Herald

Wayne State hosted two discussion-based meetings Tuesday that were open to the public to help aid in the search for a new college president.

Chuck Bunting, consulting partner from Storbeck/Pimentel and Associates, held the floor in Gardner Hall's auditorium for the majority of the time during meetings held on Tuesday morning. Bunting is part of a three-person consulting team from the east coast, helping with the recruitment and selection process for Wayne State's College President position.

Faculty members and community members alike made up the audience with attendance being slightly better in the later, 10 a.m. meeting than it was at the 8:30 a.m. meeting.

Bunting proposed four questions for discussion: what makes Wayne attractive to potential candidates, what are the key challenges the new president will face in the next 5-10 years, what should the priorities of the new president be; and, finally,

what should the search committee be looking for in the candidates. Those attending the meeting were encouraged to give suggestions and describe what they believed would make a good candidate for the position.

Many audience members weighed in on the topic, with very real concerns and very specific characteristics they wish to see in the new president.

Dr. Tammy Worner, associate professor of mathematics, said she hoped to see another president similar to the one in office when she began her career at Wayne State.

"When I first got here, any idea I had, I was allowed to try," said Worner. "We're a college of doers."

Worner went on to stress how important it is to have a president who is not only involved on campus, but also in the community.

"It won't work to have a president living in Norfolk," said Worner. "They will have to be involved in the community."

Dr. Mark Leeper, professor of politics, pointed out how important it was to maintain the college's

own "distinct identity" within the state college system.

Maureen Carrigg, electronic media and mass communications professor, brought up when she started teaching at Wayne State. She shared how personable the current president was, taking the time to get to know the faculty.

"It would be nice to have the college president out and about on campus," said Carrigg. "Communication is key. I would be hoping for someone who does those things."

Numerous others weighed in on the issues as well, but one main point kept being brought up: an academically-inclined candidate would best suit the college.

Bunting was put on the spot several times throughout the 10 a.m. session by an audience member who wished for information on the process to be plainly stated, something that was not ever achieved.

On several occasions, the audience member,

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(Photo by Calyn Dunklau)  
Stan Carpenter, Chancellor of the Nebraska State College System talks with those in attendance at a meeting Tuesday in Gardner Hall regarding the selection process for a new president at Wayne State College.



(Photos by Matt Wachter and Angie Rethwisch)

### A 'sweet, successful' dance

The Wayne Elementary Booster Valentine Son Dance on Feb. 6 "was a huge success" according to organizers of the event. The theme was "A Night at the Museum," featuring dinosaurs, desserts, and lots of dancing by the nearly 300 boys and special dates (like moms, grandmas, aunts and big sisters) in attendance. The first-of-its-kind event for young men of the school raised \$4,300 to support WEB activities, students, families and teachers at Wayne Elementary. Many of the boys took advantage of the music provided by local DJs Thom and Julie Osnes. The chocolate fountain, provided by Misty Bear, was a hit throughout the evening. "Thank you to all the businesses, organizations, teachers, and individuals who generously donated gifts, services and time to hosting an incredible Night at the Museum for the boys of Wayne Elementary!" said Sandy Brown, President of WEB. At right, Holly and Joshua Doring stopped by the photo booth for a picture.



## Director position is filled

*Board hires new assistant principal*

By CLARA OSTEN  
Of The Herald

The hiring of an assistant elementary principal/ assistant special education director was among the agenda items discussed during the regular meeting of the Wayne Community Schools Board of Education meeting on Monday.

Tucker Hight was hired for the position at an annual salary of \$72,000. His time will be split, with one half time being spent with each duty.

Board members noted that Hight has a special education background and also listed the duties associated with the position.

Board members also took necessary action to refinance \$3,715,000 in 2010 General Obligation Bonds.

The board then authorized the issuance of \$3,790,000 in 2015 General Obligation Bonds which will mature in 2024 and result in a net savings to the district of \$374,887 over the life of the bonds.

The savings will result in less tax asking from district patrons as the interest rate will be reduced from the current rate of 3.76 percent to 1.8 percent for life of the bonds.

Jay Spearman with Ameritas, spoke to the board on the process that he and Superintendent Mark Lenihan have worked through in the past several months and said "the timing is good."

Wayne Community Schools received a check in the amount of \$2,000 from the Shopko Foundation.

Dan Wibben, Manager of the Wayne Shopko-Hometown store, told the board that the money represented the money generated by a promotion held late last year. Wibben also encouraged the school to apply for various grants available through the Shopko Foundation.

Board members approved the 2015-2016 school calendar. Lenihan told the board that the school will continue the summer moratorium, which will actually include two weekends this year.

Teachers will start Aug. 11 and students report on Thursday, Aug. 13 with school being dismissed at noon that day. The first day for the new preschool will be Monday, Aug. 24. The calendar includes 178 student days and 185 teacher days. Additional time has been allotted for teacher in-service as the first Wednesday of each month will include a 10 a.m. start for students with the in-services scheduled for that time.

In his report to the board, Lenihan told the board that the evaluations of the current principals has been completed and three of the five interviews for the position of elementary principal have been completed. The remaining interviews will take place this week with a special board meeting scheduled for Monday, Feb. 16 at 4:30 p.m. for the purpose of offering a contract to the successful candidate.

The next regular board meeting will be Monday, March 9 at 5 p.m. at the Junior-Senior High School.

## FirstNet will aid emergency communications

By CALYN DUNKLAU  
Of The Herald

Every day, emergency personnel and first responders fight the communications battle.

Whether it's spotty cell service or different types of radios between different response units (i.e. police officers and firefighters), communication issues are always in need of improvement.

On Feb. 22, 2012 the Middle Class Tax Relief and Job Creation Act was signed into law. Along with that act came FirstNet, an emergency responder's-only network. The designing, building, operation and maintenance of such a system falls on the shoulders of each state and its local governments. Entities utilizing the system were asked to select representatives to send to preliminary meetings as the planning starts taking place.

Kemnitz, the county's emergency management director, as its point of contact, and more recently, added Sheriff Jason Dwinell as a second representative. The city and Wayne State College also have representatives.

Once appointed, the cost of the meetings is covered by the federal government.

"There's enough federal money at this point to cover the initial meetings. After that, we aren't sure where the money is coming from," Kemnitz said.

The project cost, estimated at \$7 billion, is expected to be covered by funds raised by the Federal Communications Commission.

Essentially, FirstNet is a private wireless broadband network to be used by first responders and emergency personnel only. Currently, first responders and emergency personnel use the same internet as every other person. FirstNet would allow for cell phone, radio and computer use.

and the coverage would be uniform, no dead spots. To do this, additional communications towers will need to be erected across the state to enable constant coverage.

"As it is now, our wireless coverage is like a garden hose. It's only allowing so much through at a time. In the event of an emergency, people start using their phones and internet more - tweeting and calling - so the hose gets plugged up in a sense," said Kemnitz.

The initial meeting for Nebraska to consider what will need to be done to get 100 percent coverage in the state will take place in mid-March. The legislators involved with the tax relief and job creation act will come to discuss the system with the representatives.

Many obstacles stand in the way of getting this system up, one of them being sheer size of the project. Things like the differences in radios will have to be considered. At this point, the system is still very much a

concept in Nebraska.

"Even here in Wayne County, everyone has different radio systems. I have three different systems in my vehicle. The city uses radios that work best around and in buildings, where the county uses radios that have a better range because that's what they need. Their needs are different."

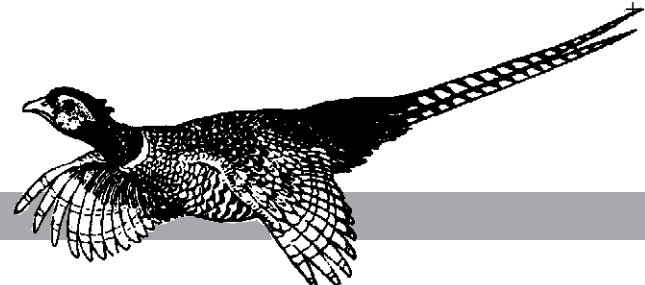
The needs of each entity will be seriously contemplated as the planning goes forward for this massive project. The beauty of this is that first responders are involved with the planning from the beginning, allowing for design and execution to be tailored to their needs.

"I think once it's up and running it'll be a good thing. But I can't even throw a date out there because we don't know what we're even building yet," Kemnitz said.

The immense system poses many challenges, but the rewards may outweigh the hassle once the system is in place.

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## Obituaries

### Donna Shufelt

Donna Shufelt, 83, of Wayne, died Wednesday, Feb. 4, 2015 at Providence Medical Center in Wayne.

Services were held Saturday, Feb. 7 at First United Methodist Church in Wayne The Rev. Pete Phillips officiated.

Donna Jeannine Day Shufelt was born Oct. 15, 1931, to Roy D. and Thelma L. (Hicks) Day in Wayne. She graduated from Wayne High School in 1949. Donna married Allen Shufelt on June 25, 1950, at the First United Methodist Church in Wayne. The couple farmed southeast of Wayne before moving into town. They managed the Sears Store and Montgomery Wards in Wayne before owning and operating Wall to Wall Decorating. Donna enjoyed decorating and wall papering. She was elected to the Greenwood Cemetery Association Board on Sept. 18, 1997,

and continued as an honorary member until the time of her death. Donna was also a member of First United Methodist Church, Wayne County Genealogy Society and The Questers International.

Survivors include her daughters, Mary (Jeff) Carstens of Wayne, Jenette (Mark) Copley of North Wilkesboro, N.C.; grandchildren, Eric Carstens of Omaha, Emma Carstens of Kearney, Josiah (Lauren) Copley of Clegg, Ireland, and Johanna Copley of North Wilkesboro, N.C.; sisters-in-law, Ruth Victor of Wayne, Cleo Lynch of Ames, Iowa and Helen Stang of Mountain City, Tenn.; nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Allen in 1996; daughter, Diana in 1963; son, Mark in 1995; a brother, Ronald in 2002; and a sister, Marilyn Atkins in 1979.

Pallbearers were family and friends.

Memorials may be directed to The Greenwood Cemetery Association, First United Methodist Church, and Wayne Area Habitat for Humanity. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne.

Arrangements were with Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.



### Marjorie Summers

Marjorie Summers, 96, of Wayne, died Saturday, Feb. 7, 2015 at the Pender Community Hospital in Pender.

Services were held Wednesday, Feb. 11 at First United Methodist Church in Wayne. The Rev. Pete Phillips officiated.

Marjorie V. Summers was born Sept. 4, 1918, at Wayne to Fred and Roxie (Conger) Ellis. She graduated from Wayne High School in 1936. After graduation, Marjorie attended Wayne Teachers College. Marjorie married Warren Summers on Sept. 4, 1939 at Papillion. The couple farmed near Allen for 16 years. Before settling in Wayne, they lived in South Sioux City, and Garden Grove, Calif. Marjorie was head cook for the Wayne Community Schools for 23 years. She was a member of First United Methodist Church and United Methodist Women. Marjorie enjoyed playing bridge, swimming and crocheting many afghans for her family.

Survivors include her daughter, Lorraine (Mark) Lander of Pender; two grandchildren, Christopher Lander of Pender and Melissa (Matt) Wood of Lincoln; one great-grandson, Grant Lander; nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Warren in 2003; brothers, Max, Blaine, Joe, Dick (Mary) and Fritz (Angie) Ellis.

Pallbearers were Chris Lander, Matt Wood, Mike Biltoft, David Ellis, Terry Lander and Tom Lanz.

Memorials may be directed to the family for later designation Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne.

Arrangements were with Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.



### Rev. James E. Mote

The Rev. James E. Mote, 95, of Minden (formerly of Wilcox) died Friday, Feb. 6, 2015 at the Bethany Home in Minden.

Services will be held Friday, Feb. 13 at 10:30 a.m. at the United Methodist Church in Wilcox, with Pastor Phillip Clay officiating. Masonic Rites will be performed at the conclusion of the services at the church by the Jachin Lodge #146 AF&AM. Burial will be held in the Wilcox Cemetery with military honors provided by the Wilcox / Hildreth American Legion and V.F.W. in conjunction with the United States Army Military Honor Guard. Visitation will be held on Thursday, Feb. 12 from 4 – 8 p.m. with the family present from 6 – 7:30 p.m. at the Nelson-Bauer Funeral Home in Holdrege.

James Edward Mote was born May 23, 1919 at El Cajon, Calif., the fifth of seven children born to John Asa and Lura May (Barnhill) Mote. James received his education at Grossmont High School in Grossmont, Calif., graduating with the class of 1939. He then pursued higher education at San Dimas, Calif. for his first two years of college before serving in WW II. He was inducted into the United States Army Air Corps on Jan. 21, 1942 and served with the 773rd Bomb Squadron in the European African Theater until his honorable discharge on Oct. 2, 1945. Following his service, James returned to college at the California Polytechnic State University in San Luis Obispo. James then pursued his calling to ministry and attended seminary at the Iliff School of Theology in Denver, Colo. and later received his Master's Degree of Divinity.

He was appointed to serve the Methodist Church in Tryon, Neb. While serving this church, he met Dorothy Loella Tupper, who he would later marry on Sept. 6, 1964 at the Community Methodist Church in Tryon. The couple made their home in Overton, Neb., where Jim served the United Methodist Church. Dorothy was supportive of Jim's ministry and enjoyed life as a pastor's wife. From 1972 – 1976 they served in Stratton, Neb. and then were appointed to the Laurel and Logan Center, Neb. churches. In 1981, they ministered in the Orchard and Royal, Neb. churches until retiring in 1985 and moving to Wilcox. Following retirement, Jim continued to serve his Lord by filling the pulpit at the Mascot Bethel Church in Harlan County for several years. Pastor Mote was a member of the American Legion, the Wilcox Lion's Club, and the Jachin Lodge #146 AF&AM Masonic Lodge. He enjoyed fishing, woodworking, carpentry, and tending to his garden. Jim and Dorothy also enjoyed many travels together including Alaska, Hawaii, Israel, and Canada. On Nov. 2, 2002 Dorothy died. In 2007, Jim began to make his home at the Bethany Home in Minden. In recent years, Jim enjoyed the company of his special friend, Margaret Sigurdson.

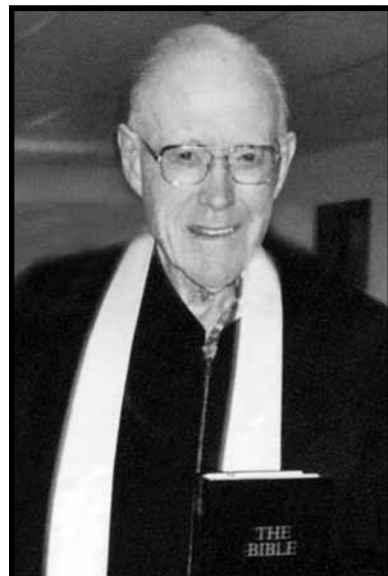
Survivors include his sister, Lura and Clair Stoakes of Winside; sister-in-law, Maxine Aspegren of Holdrege; special friend, Margaret Sigurdson of Minden; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy and his parents; his stepmother, Elva (Huddleston) Mote; four brothers: Hugh Mote, Daniel Mote, Harry Mote and John Platt Mote who died in infancy; and sister, Rosella Robertson.

A memorial has been established in Jim's memory and is suggested to the Wilcox United Methodist Church.

Expressions of caring and kindness can be sent to the family at [www.nelsonbauerfh.com](http://www.nelsonbauerfh.com)

The Nelson-Bauer Funeral Home in Holdrege is in charge of the arrangements.



## Disaster preparedness event set for March 11

Wayne Area Economic Development, Wayne State College, Nebraska Extension, and Nebraska Business Development Center will be hosting a Disaster Preparedness Summit on Wednesday, March 11.

The event will be held at Gardner Hall on the Wayne State College campus from 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.

"This is a must-attend event for community leaders and the general public as severe weather season is quickly approaching," said Wes Blecke, Wayne Area Economic Development Executive Director.

At this educational event, topics to be covered include disaster basics, communicating through disasters, using technology and mobile apps during times of crisis, business resources available, long-term recovery team efforts, and volunteer experiences following a disaster. A resource fair will be open throughout the day, with exhibitors sharing resources available.

"The goal of this event is to reflect on past disasters and the recovery process to prepare for the future," commented Ashley Mueller, Nebraska Extension Disaster Education Coordinator. "Attendees will learn from first responders and resource providers. They will leave with many resources, and most importantly, connections that could prove to be extremely beneficial in the future."

In the morning, two panel discussions will be held focusing on "Disaster: The Basics" and "Communicating Through Disasters." Panelists represent the Village of Pilger, the National Weather Service, local emergency management, local fire department, and a service organization. In the afternoon, breakout sessions will be hosted, and speakers represent Nebraska Extension, Nebraska Emergency Management Agency, City of Wayne, Village of Pilger, Nebraska Business Development Center, USDA FSA, Team Rubicon, local faith-based organizations, and others.

Eddy Weiss will provide the keynote address during lunch. Weiss is a nationally renowned expert in emergency management, disaster preparedness, and all types and phases of disasters. His experience consists of crisis counseling, emergency management and response work, firefighting, professional storm chaser, and national threat assessment adviser to various organizations. Eddy is a compelling story teller who will speak candidly about the threats and issues that face us.

Blecke has worked with Eddy Weiss in the past and encourages anyone in the area to attend the Summit. "Eddy is a dynamic speaker who keeps the audience engaged and entertained at the same time. I am convinced that you will come

away with both useful information as well as a different way of thinking about disaster preparedness, especially severe weather."

Registration for the event is \$29 per person, and includes lunch.

Organizations that provide information on disaster preparedness and recovery are welcome to participate. For registration and exhibitor information, visit the Wayne Area Economic

Development website [www.waynecollege.org](http://www.waynecollege.org); click on "Disaster Preparedness Summit" on the left side of the page. The registration deadline is March 6.



## Pets of the Week

Gretel and Hansel, an almost matched pair of beautiful orange and white long-haired kittens were rescued in Wayne last fall. They are currently available at Tenderheart Animal Rescue. They are well-behaved and love attention. They play together as well as with the other adult cats. Gretel would love a home where she could be the center of attention. Hansel is a great self-groomer, requiring no help from us. He is really hoping for a home.

For more information or to adopt either Gretel or Hansel, call (402) 369-6030.

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### Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, Feb. 13 at The Diamond Center/Flowers & Wine. The coffee on Friday, Feb. 20 will be held at Wayne Head Start on East Highway 35. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.

### Pancake breakfast

AREA — The Wayne Kiwanis Club will hold a Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, Feb. 15 from 9 a.m.-12:45 p.m. at the Wayne City Auditorium. Added to this year's menu of pancakes and sausages will be scrambled eggs. All proceeds from the event go toward youth-related projects supported by the group.

### Wayne State to host Wellness Fair

AREA — The Wayne State College Service Learning and the SHAPE Club are presenting a Wellness Fair for the public on Thursday, April 23 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. The PED 310 Professional Leadership and Development class, partnering with Service Learning and WSC SHAPE Club, will be hosting the 2015 Wellness Fair. This year's theme is "Live well. Eat well. Be well." The focus of the fair is the various dimensions of wellness that we all encounter every day.

Anyone interested in setting up a booth for the fair, or for more information, please contact Paul McCawley of Wayne State College at (402)-375-7110 or e-mail [pamccaw1@wsc.edu](mailto:pamccaw1@wsc.edu).

### Wayne State presents 'A Touch of Brass'

AREA — The Wayne State College Department of Music will present "A Touch of Brass" in concert on Sunday, Feb. 22 at 2 p.m. in Ley Theatre in the Brandenburg Education Building on campus. "A Touch of Brass" has been an active brass quintet in Northeast Nebraska for 30 years, performing a range of repertoire from classical to jazz to modern transcriptions in a variety of settings.

For more information, please contact Dr. Josh Calkin at (402) 375-7599 or e-mail [jocalkin1@wsc.edu](mailto:jocalkin1@wsc.edu).



Tournament winner Dirk Jaeger (left) and runner up Amanda Arp, pose with the plaque and Winside Q125 shirts they were awarded for winning the recent Euchre Tournament.

## Euchre Tournament raises funds for Winside Q125

The Winside Q125 Committee held a Euchre Tournament fund raiser on Jan. 31.

There were 44 individuals competing in the event. Taking top honors as the 2015 Winside Q125 Euchre Champion was Dirk Jaeger of Winside with Amanda Arp, also from Winside, as the Runner Up. Each received a wooden wall plaque and a Winside Q125 T-shirt.

The committee also donated 24 door prizes of T-shirts, cook books, wooden drink tokens and koozies from among those participating.

Four \$50 cash prizes also were donated by R & J Farms (Rick and June Bowers), Weible Transfer (Fritz Weible), TG Construction (Todd and Pam Greunke) and Midwest Wire Solutions (Brad Jones). Winners of those prizes were Teri Bowers, Mick Topp, Steph Carlson, all of Winside, and Tiffany Shimon-sky of Papillion.

The committee would like to

thank the Roy Reed American Legion Post 252 for donating the use of their facility and Brad Janke and Craig Janke for donating beef, Jensen's AK Cafe for the paper products and to all who came out in the snow to support the event and brought food.

All funds for this event will be used for the printing of the new Q125 History Book. Books are now

\$80 each unless an order of three or more books is place, in which case they will be \$70 each. Books will be completed by the Winside Q125 celebration June 19-21, 2015.

Anyone who would like to order a book is asked to send a check to Rose Janke, P.O.Box 242, Winside, Neb. 68790, and add \$10 to have it mailed. For more information, call her at (402) 286-9010.

## Briefly Speaking

### Bridge played at Senior Center

AREA — Bridge was played at the Wayne Senior Center on Tuesday, Feb. 10 with eight ladies attending. Bridge was played at two tables.

Phyllis Hix was hostess.

Bridge will be played again on Tuesday, Feb. 17. Hostess will be Joan Lage. For reservations, call (402) 375-1729 by Sunday, Feb. 15.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

## Congeniality award

Jennifer Claussen was presented with the Wayne Ambassador's Congeniality Award at Friday morning's Chamber Coffee. Claussen has been employed at Swan's Apparel for six years and is currently buying the business from Marie Mohr. The coffee was also an opportunity for Marie to talk about her 33 years as the owner of Swans and plans for the future. Cindy Brummond, chair of the Wayne Ambassadors (left) presented the award.

## Food drive

The Wayne Rotary Club recently conducted a Food Drive for the Wayne Food Pantry, in conjunction with the Super Bowl. Many club members assisted with collecting food at both Quality Foods and Pac 'N Save. A thank you was extended to the local grocery stores for their cooperation and to Sandra at Tacos & More for the additional food drive held at their restaurant, and to all the generous contributions from local shoppers. Rotary members Irene Fletcher, John Fuelberth, Wilma Moore and Darrell Miller deliver the food items to the Food Pantry.



## Concerns

From Page 1A who did not state his name, asked about the process and where the names of candidates already in the pool were coming from. Bunting skirted the direct questions with vague answers and never named individuals or groups as nominators or recruiters as, per the request.

Frustration has been expressed by Wayne State College faculty toward Nebraska State College Systems' Chancellor Stan Carpenter over the past years, as he increasingly pushes toward a more business-like approach to the college. This has only been aggravated by his appointing himself as the sole media spokesperson for the search committee.

The 15-member committee is made up of various faculty members, trustees, community members and the chancellor. The search committee will give its recommendation to the Board of Trustees after it identifies the best candidates.

According to the Nebraska Open Meetings Act, meetings discussing public policy are to be open to the public. The committee met Jan. 27 without announcing it to the public.

The Wayne State campus newspaper, The Wayne Stater, has an outstanding Freedom Of Information Act (FOIA) request filed for the records from that meeting and to be informed of all future meetings. There has been no reply to the re-

quest as of press time. As the search committee continues to meet behind closed doors, many faculty members and commu-

nity members are left with legitimate concerns of an ill-suited presidential candidate making his or her way into the position.

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## Mrs. Nebraska visits Winside

Winside Elementary students enjoyed a recent visit from Mrs. Nebraska, Erika Shelton of Lincoln. Shelton and her husband, Winside native Jayme Shelton, visited the school to support an effort by student Natalie Kruger (standing with Shelton) to raise money for the Pediatric Cancer Action Network, Shelton's non-profit organization to help families dealing with pediatric cancer.



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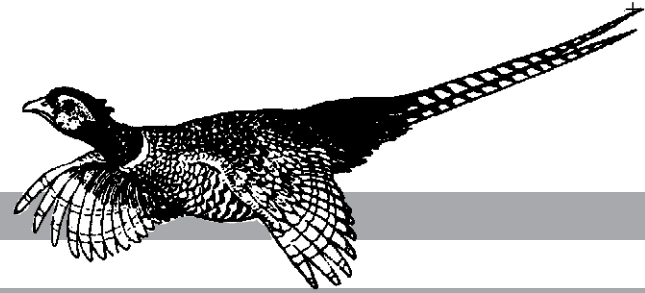
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# Sports

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## From The Bleachers

Michael Carnes



## From 'who knows?' to 'who's next?'

Back in December, when the Wayne State women's basketball team was undefeated and ranked No. 2 in the nation, many of the Wildcat faithful wondered if this team was really THAT good.

By the holidays, after losing three of four games for the first time in two years and only the fourth time during Chris Kielsmeier's tenure as Wildcat mentor, the question was whether or not this team was going to be playing for anything important by season's end.

Even after coming out of the holiday break with a shaky win at perennial NSIC doormat Southwest Minnesota State, there were a lot of questions regarding just how high the ceiling was for this year's team, questions that began to be answered the following day with a dominating victory at Sioux Falls.

Now the question is – is there anyone who can stop these young ladies?

The Wildcats have won 12 games in a row since that nightmare before Christmas where they lost to Augustana, Minnesota State and – of all teams – Minnesota Crookston (at home, no less). With two weeks to go, the Wildcats went from wondering if they'd play a first-round conference tournament game at home to needing just three wins in their last four games to secure back-to-back regular-season Northern Sun Conference championships.

I think we can all agree that, looking back to November, that pre-season No. 5 ranking was way out of line for this team. Granted, you had three key seniors back from a team that made the regional semifinals a year ago, but of the other 11 players on the roster, only one – Katie Hoskins – had any playing experience from the previous year (and her time was cut short by injuries). The only other player on last year's roster, Alex Nelson, was a redshirt who didn't play.

The remainder of the roster included five freshmen, one juco transfer and two transfers from Div. I schools. All of the new players had nice resumes to boast about, but had yet to prove they could play at this level and in this program.

You can be the stud on a dominating state high school championship team (Maggie Schulte), a key member of a program that had state titles and trips to the big show (Paige Ballinger) or have a little court time at the "big-girl" level in NCAA Div. I (Sadie Murren and Haley Moore). But getting integrated into a system as intricate as the one Wayne State coach Chris Kielsmeier runs – and adjusting to the demands of the coach and the program expect from the players – is not something that happens overnight.

I recall a practice, about a week before the start of the season, where I walked in as the team was running laps in the upper reaches of the stands at Rice Auditorium. Clearly, practice was not going well, and at one point, Kielsmeier stopped a drill and launched into a passionate, heartfelt, speech on what expectations this program has built for itself and how important it is for these new charges to grasp this immediately, if not sooner. The girls' play picked up considerably after that, but it has taken some time for the majority of the players to completely understand that and take their games to another level.

Kielsmeier and I talk each week during the Wayne State Coaches Show on mywaynews.com, and each week it's becoming more apparent that this group of young women is getting it. They understand the importance each game has – whether it's for a two-game lead like it was Saturday against Northern, or a battle with the worst team in the NSIC – to the goals they want to achieve as a team.

On paper, this weekend's home finale may not seem like that big of a deal. Sioux Falls is in the middle of the NSIC pack, and Southwest Min-



(Photo by Michael Carnes)  
Senior Jordan Spencer splits the Northern State defense for the winning points as the Wayne State women claimed sole possession of first place in the NSIC with a 58-57 win.

## Alone at the top

### Wins over Northern, MSU-M puts WSC in NSIC driver's seat

By MICHAEL CARNES  
Of The Herald

In Chris Kielsmeier's world, the next game is the game of the year.

After 24 games this season, though, none was bigger than Saturday, and one of his seniors came up big when it was all on the line for the Wayne State women's basketball team.

Jordan Spencer found a lane and was fouled while making a driving layup with 12.3 seconds to go, but missed the free throw to give Northern State one last shot at stealing a win in Rice Auditorium. The Wolves couldn't get a shot off as time expired, giving the 22nd-ranked Wildcats a 58-57 win over 16th-ranked Northern State in a key Northern Sun Conference showdown that put Wayne State in the driver's seat for a second straight regular-season conference title.

The Wildcats blew a 13-point second half lead and didn't hit a basket for more than 13 minutes before Spencer's game-winner. Northern took a 57-56 lead with 1:17 to go on a Rachel Krogman layup, and both teams missed chances to score on their next possessions before the Wildcats set up the winning play.

"Our offensive execution during that stretch where we didn't score was pretty good, but we just couldn't put points on the board," the Wildcats' mentor said.

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)  
Freshman Maggie Schulte drives the lane during Saturday's 58-57 win over Northern State.

## Blue Devils fall in Mid State semis

### 48-45 win nets third place

The Wayne High boys couldn't hang with the eventual conference champions, but managed to come away with consolation honors in the Mid State Conference tournament last week in Norfolk.

On Friday night, the Blue Devils couldn't keep pace with Norfolk Catholic, as the Knights – the eighth seed heading into the tournament – continued their unlikely run through the field with a 59-45 win over fourth-seeded Wayne at Northeast Community College.

The Knights had knocked off top-seeded Battle Creek earlier in the week, and after trailing early, they took control of the game late in the first half and pulled away in the closing minutes to send Wayne into the consolation bracket.

Ben Hoskins and Payten Gamble were both in double figures for Wayne, scoring 14 and 11 points, respectively. Jack Belt finished with six, Brook Bowers and Drew Davie each had four, Zach Keating scored three, Grayson McBride had two and Colby Kesier hit a free throw.

Wayne came right back the following afternoon and were able to hold off Pierce for consolation hon-

## Blue Devils get senior efforts in home finale

NORFOLK – The Wayne High girls basketball team was able to salvage a fifth-place finish in the Mid State Conference basketball tournament.

Weather pushed back the first round of the tournament to Wednesday, forcing the Blue Devils to play three games in a four-day period, starting with a 50-35 loss to Norfolk Catholic.

The Blue Devils played well early in the game and were within a single point at the break, but the Knights came out and dominated Wayne in the second half, sending the Blue Devils to the losers' bracket.

"It was a tale of two halves," coach Dave Hix said. "We need to find a way to put a whole game together. We didn't adjust and execute what needed to be done in the second half."

Kylie Hammer led the Blue Devils with 11 points, Abbie Hix had eight, Rachel Rauner scored six, Danica Schaefer and Tarah Stegmann each had four and Morgan Keating put in a basket.

The Blue Devils bounced back the following evening in consolation action, dominating Boone Central-Newman Grove early on their way to an easy 52-40 win.

Hix said his seniors took control of the game and were solid leaders in helping Wayne rebound from the opening-round loss the night before.

"Our senior leaders stepped up and took the game into their own hands," he said. "Our players found the hot hands and made sure they had opportunities to shoot, and our guards are getting better at the help-side defense."

Hix and Rauner each had 16 points.

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)  
Winside's Keith Mundil looks to make a pass as Allen's Brian Boese defends during Tuesday's 32-28 Eagles victory.

## Winside losing skid almost ends Tuesday

By MICHAEL CARNES  
Of The Herald

WINSIDE – For the first time in a long time, Winside fans were able to stay in their seats until the end and hope for a win for the Wildcat boys basketball team.

During their long losing streak that dates back to January of 2012, the Wildcat boys have experienced a lot of blowouts and a lot of disappointment. And while that long los-

ing streak continued on Tuesday night, they left knowing they had a chance to win right up until the very end.

The Wildcats led Allen 28-27 with 1:33 left to play when Keith Mundil drove in for a layup, bringing the Winside faithful to their feet. The visiting Eagles would have the last word, however, scoring the final five points at the free throw line to send

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)  
Payten Gamble is fouled while driving to the basket during Wayne's 59-45 loss to Norfolk Catholic on Friday.

## Wildcats welcome 19 recruits

Wayne State head football coach Dan McLaughlin announced Wednesday that 19 student athletes have signed national letters of intent and/or tender agreements for athletic scholarship to attend Wayne State College and continue their football careers with the Wildcats.

The 2015 recruiting class includes 17 high school signings and two transfers. Eight of the high school signings are from Nebraska followed by five from Iowa and one each from Alaska, California, Minnesota and South Dakota.

"As I've always maintained, it takes about two years to accurately assess the quality of a recruiting class," McLaughlin said. "Hopefully we have assessed the skills, capabilities and values of these young men accurately and time will tell."

McLaughlin added, "We addressed needs on the defensive line."

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### Blue Devils

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points for the winners. Stegemann, Schaefer and Kelsey Boyer each had six while Hammer added two.

In Saturday's fifth-place game, the Blue Devils raced to a 14-point halftime lead and had no problems with Hartington Cedar Catholic, handing the Trojans a 55-27 setback.

"This was probably our best team performance so far this season," Hix said. "We distributed the ball around and didn't panic on penetration, and our scoring was really balanced, which is something we've been trying to accomplish this season."

Three Blue Devils were in double figures, led by Stegemann's 11 points. Schaefer and Rauner each had 10, Hammer had eight, Boyer had seven, Hix scored five and Keating and Lindy Sandoz both had two.

On Tuesday, the Blue Devils made it 3-for-3 against Cedar Catholic, winning their home finale at Wayne High School, 43-29.

"It was a nice way to finish the regular season and send the seniors out with a win for the last time on their home court," Hix said.

Hix scored 11 points and had 10 rebounds, and while Rauner only put in four, her defense against the Trojans' perimeter players was outstanding, her coach said.

"Rachel's shot wasn't on tonight, but she did so many other things on defense," he said. "She frustrated their point guard and picked or caused a turnover several times."

Also scoring were Hammer with nine, Keating with seven, Stegemann with four, Schaefer and Boyer with three apiece and Allison Echtenkamp with two.

Pairings had not been released at press time, but it appears Wayne High, 13-9, will play Winnebago in the first round of the C1-7 sub-district Tuesday at Oakland-Craig.

"I think our schedule has prepared us for the postseason," he said. "The girls have worked hard and are coming together at the right time."

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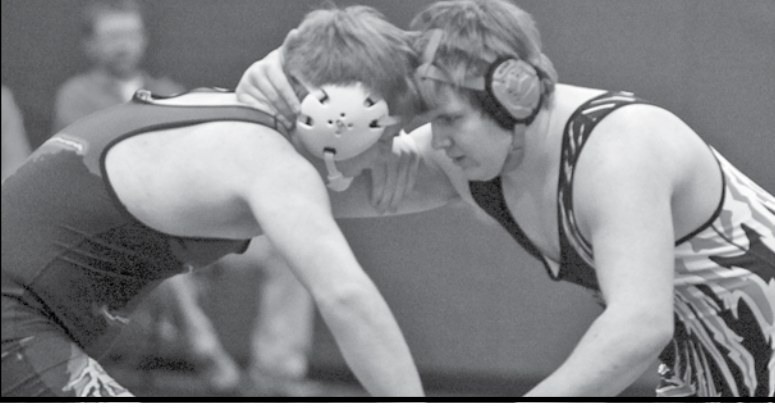
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### Area wrestlers battle at Wakefield



(Photos by Michael Carnes)

**Wakefield's Caleb Thomas (top) took first-place honors at 160 pounds for one of the Trojans' five medals on the day. (above) LCC heavyweight Chayce Hirschman finished third in his weight class.**

WAKEFIELD – In their final tune-ups before this week's district meet, Wakefield and Laurel-Concord-Coleridge won a combined seven medals in Saturday's action at the Wakefield Invitational.

The Trojans finished fourth in their home meet and had five of the seven area medalists, led by senior champion Caleb Thomas, who won an exciting matchup against Oakland-Craig's Nick Arlt, taking the matchup of rated 160-pound wrestlers in a 3-1 decision.

Also earning first-place medals were Efen Godinez, who earned a pin in the final at 170 pounds; and Cody Thomas, who dominated LCC's Billy Barelman in a 19-6 major decision to win the 182-pound championship.

The Trojans had two consolation champions on the day. Carlos Chavez was 2-3 in round-robin action to place third at 195 pounds, while Moises Barboza got a late second-period pin to take consolation honors at 220 pounds.

Joining Barelman on the medal stand for the Bears was Chayce Hirschman, who was 2-2 in round-robin action at 285 pounds.

Wakefield heads west to O'Neill for the C-2 district tournament this Friday and Saturday, while LCC goes to Creighton for the D-2 district meet. Top-four finishers in both districts qualify for next week's state tournament in Omaha.

### Alone

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"The play wasn't designed to go to her from that spot, but she made the read and it was just a great player making a great play."

Spencer wasn't the first option on the play drawn up in the huddle after a Wildcat timeout, but Northern State overplayed a passing lane on the near side and left her with an opening that she saw and attacked.

"It looked like they were in a zone and (Ashton Yossi) was totally covered up, so I was just taking it," Spencer said. "I just saw a lane to go, and my first instinct was to take it to the hole and I was just fortunate to get it to go."

Northern State needed a win Saturday after losing on a buzzer-beater the night before at Augustana, and the top two teams in the conference didn't give up a lot of ground in the opening 20 minutes. Four ties and 10 lead changes highlighted the first half. Wayne State led by as many as six points, but took a 32-30 advantage into the locker room.

Wayne State came out hot to start the second half. Millie Niggeling and Maggie Schulte hit back-to-back 3-pointers, Niggeling added another basket and Spencer converted a three-point play to help the Wildcats build a 43-30 lead just 3 1/2 minutes into the second half.

It was 50-37 after a Sadie Murren three-point play with 13:20 to go, but the Wildcats would be limited to four free throws for the next 13:08 as the Wayne State offense went ice cold from the field. The Wildcats missed 13 shots – five of them 3-pointers – and turned the ball over three times, giving Northern a chance to slowly get back into the game.

After Krogman's layup brought the sparse Northern State crowd to its feet, the Wildcats came down with a chance to take the lead, but Yossi missed a jumper and Krogman rebounded. The Wolves missed an opportunity to make it a three-point game when Megan Mutchler's jumper missed, and Northern lost the ball on a turnover with :24 left, giving the Wildcats one last shot.

Spencer was fouled on her shot and the crowd and Wayne State bench exploded when she scored, but after her free throw fell short, the crowd fell back to watch the final seconds tick away. Devon Brecke missed a 3-pointer, but the ball went out of bounds off a Wayne State defender with four-tenths of

a second left on the clock. Northern got the ball in play, but couldn't get a shot off as the buzzer sounded and the Wildcats, 21-3 (15-3 NSIC) celebrated their 12th straight win and a two-game lead over Northern, who fell into third after Minnesota State's comeback win over Minot State moved them a half-game ahead of the Wolves in the conference standings.

"We didn't score a basket from 13:20 to the final 12 seconds, and how do you beat a really good team like Northern doing that?" Kielsmeier said. "The perseverance and the attitude that we weren't going to lose was just there and they were really confident (they would win), and that's what you have when you have great senior leadership."

Spencer led a balanced attack with 13 points while Schulte added 12 and a team-high five rebounds. Yossi and Murren both had four assists. Thanks to the 7-for-26 shooting effort in the second half, Wayne State won despite shooting just 34.7 percent (17-of-49) from the field. They were 20-of-26 from the free throw line and committed just seven turnovers in the win.

Spencer led the way on Friday night for the Wildcats, recording her fifth double-double of the year with 18 points and 10 rebounds in an 81-60 win over MSU Moorhead at Rice Auditorium.

Moorhead got out to an early 5-2 advantage, but Wayne State scored the next seven points, highlighted by a Niggeling 3-pointer, to take a 9-5 lead and never trailed after that.

Wayne State led by as many as nine before Moorhead cut the lead to two with 4:13 to go, but the Wildcats built the lead back up to five on baskets by Murren and a Yossi 3-pointer to lead 33-28 at the break.

Wayne State shot 57 percent from the floor in the second half and pulled away for the easy win.

Spencer was one of four Wildcats in double figures, joined by Niggeling with 15 points, Yossi with 12 and Paige Ballinger with 10. Spencer had a career-high six assists while Yossi and Murren each had four.

Wayne State is at home for the final time in the regular season this weekend, hosting Sioux Falls Friday at 6 p.m. and Southwest Minnesota State Saturday at 4 p.m. at Rice Auditorium.

**Wayne State 81, MSU Moorhead 60**

Wayne State 33 48 - 81  
MSU Moorhead 28 32 - 60

WAYNE STATE – Yossi 4-10 3-3 12, Murren 3-9 2-2 9, Schulte 3-4 0-0 7, Niggeling 6-10 0-0 3, Handevit 6-13 1-1 13, Stresse 2-5 1-2 5, Thorson 0-0 2-2 2, Payne 0-0 0-0 0, Doucette 1-1 0-0 3, Galegher 0-1 0-0 0, Ironheart 0-1 0-0 0, Sannes 8-16 0-1 16. Totals 30-55 13-15 81.

MSU MOORHEAD – Banasik 1-6 0-0 3, Roehrich 5-13 5-6 15, VanWyhe 1-3 0-0 3, Handevit 6-13 1-1 13, Stresse 2-5 1-2 5, Thorson 0-3 2-2 2, Payne 0-0 0-0 0, Doucette 1-1 0-0 3, Galegher 0-1 0-0 0, Ironheart 0-1 0-0 0, Sannes 8-16 0-1 16. Totals 24-62 9-12 60.

Three-point goals: WSC 8-17 (Yossi 1-4, Murren 1-4, Schulte 1-2, Niggeling 3-5, Moore 2-2), MSU 3-12 (Banasik 1-2, Roehrich 0-4, VanWyhe 1-1, Handevit 0-2, Thorson 0-1, Doucette 1-1, Ironheart 0-1). Rebounds: WSC 29 (Spencer 10), MSU 37 (Drew 12). Assists: WSC 16 (Spencer 6), MSU 18 (Roehrich 6). Team fouls: WSC 12, MSU 14.

**Wayne State 58, Northern State 57**

Wayne State 32 26 - 58  
Northern State 30 27 - 57

WAYNE STATE – Schulte 2-8 7-8 12, Niggeling 3-8 1-2 8, Spencer 5-12 3-4 15, Yossi 0-7 1-2 1, Murren 3-7 2-4 9, Nelson 0-0 0-0 0, O'Connor 1-1 0-0 2, Moore 0-0 0-0 0, Hoskins 1-1 2-2 5, Ballinger 2-5 4-4 8. Totals 17-49 0-26 58.

NORTHERN STATE – Mutchler 4-13 0-0 8, Krogman 7-16 4-4 18, Statesbery 7-12 0-0 15, Waytashek 1-6 0-0 2, Brecke 3-8 1-1 7, Smith 0-0 0-0 0, Hofschild 1-3 0-0 3, Deadrick 2-4 0-2 4. Totals 25-62 5-7 57.

Three-point goals: WSC 4-16 (Schulte 1-5, Niggeling 1-5, Yossi 0-2, Murren 1-3, Hoskins 1-1), NSU 2-8 (Mutchler 0-1, Statesbery 1-2, Waytashek 0-2, Brecke 0-1, Hofschild 1-2). Rebounds: WSC 28 (Schulte 5), NSU 46 (Krogman 17). Assists: WSC 12 (Yossi, Murren 4), NSU 17 (Brecke 4). Team fouls: WSC 16, NSU 18.

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**Mid State Conference**

Norfolk Catholic 50, Wayne 35

Wayne 15 7 5 8 - 35  
Norfolk Cath. 11 12 16 11 - 50

WAYNE – Hix 8, Rauner 6, Keating 2, Stegemann 4, Schaefer 4, Hammer 11.

NORFOLK CATH. – Ehlers 11, Olmer 2, Barnes 5, Maguire 6, Schindler 2, Piper 13.

Wayne 52, Boone Cent./N. Grove 43

Wayne 12 13 18 9 - 52  
BC/NG 4 8 15 13 - 40

WAYNE – Hix 16, Rauner 16, Boyer 6, Stegemann 6, Schaefer 6, Hammer 2.

BC/NG – Scoring not available.

Wayne 55, Hartington CC 27

Wayne 14 15 20 6 - 57  
Hartington CC 6 9 4 8 - 25

WAYNE – Sandoz 2, Hix 5, Rauner 10, Boyer 7, Keating 2, Stegemann 11, Schaefer 10, Hammer 8.

HARTINGTON CC – Scoring not available.

Wayne 43, Hartington CC 29

Wayne 15 3 11 14 - 43  
Hartington CC 5 11 7 6 - 29

WAYNE – Hix 11, Rauner 4, Boyer 3, Keating 7, Echtenkamp 2, Stegemann 4, Schaefer 3, Hammer 9.

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### Who Knows?

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nesota State is tied at the bottom of the conference ladder. But these girls have figured it out – it doesn't matter if you're playing the No. 16 team in the country or the No. 16 team in the NSIC. If you want to play for conference, regional and national titles in March, the next game on the schedule in the months of November, December, January and February are the most important game of the year and anything

before or after that is irrelevant.

Two wins this weekend, and the Wildcats all but wrap up that second straight NSIC title (and fourth in five years), nail down the No. 1 seed for the conference tournament and put themselves in good position for regionals. One loss, and all of that becomes a huge question mark. The Wildcats have answered a lot of those questions back from the first part of the season. Where this team goes from here is anybody's guess.

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# Wildcats struggle in conference setbacks



(Photo by Michael Carnes) Jordan Cornelius looks for a teammate during Wayne State's loss to Northern State in action Saturday.

The Wayne State men found the going tough against two of the top teams in the Northern Sun Conference this past weekend.

On Friday, sixth-ranked MSU Moorhead shot 58 percent from the field and overcame a fast start by the Wildcats to come away with an 86-65 victory.

The Wildcats went on a 7-0 run early in the first half, thanks to back-to-back baskets by Joel Heesch and a three-point play by Kendall Jacks, to take a 16-13 lead with 12:10 to go in the half.

That was the only lead of the night for Wayne State. Moorhead battled back to tie the game at 20-20, then went on an 8-0 run to take the lead for good and build a 42-30 halftime advantage. They opened the second half with a 14-3 run and ran away with the easy win.

Jacks scored a career-high 21 points in the losing effort, going 4-for-5 from 3-point range. Senior Patrick Kurth added 11 points and Heesch and Trae VandeBerg each had 10 points. Kurth and Jordan Cornelius each had five rebounds.

The Wildcats hung tough with Northern State for the first 20 minutes, but the Wolves hit 11 of their first 13 shots to open the second half, helping them pull away with an 85-61 win Saturday.

The Wildcats got out to a quick 10-5 lead on a pair of 3-pointers by Tyler Nagy, and took their last lead at 12-11 on a Heesch layup. Wayne State kept things close throughout the first half and were still within range at the half, trailing 41-35.

The visitors built a 10-point lead with their hot start to the second

half and were never threatened after that.

Kurth led the Wildcats with 16 points while Nagy added 15 points and three assists. Jacks grabbed six rebounds to lead the Wildcats.

The Wildcats, 5-19 overall (2-16 NSIC), will be at home this weekend, facing Sioux Falls Friday at 8 p.m. and Southwest Minnesota State Saturday at 6 p.m.

**MSU Moorhead 86, Wayne State 65**  
Wayne State 30 35 - 65  
MSU Moorhead 42 44 - 86

WAYNE STATE - Jacks 6-9 5-7 21, Nagy 0-6 0-0 0, VandeBerg 3-15 3-6 10, Holdsworth 1-5 0-0 2, Kurth 4-5 3-3 11, Burneika 1-2 1-2 3, Ross 1-1 0-0 2, Esters 0-3 2-2 2, Cornelius 1-10 2-2 4, Heesch 5-8 0-0 10, Zumbrennen 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 22-64 16-22 65.

MSU MOORHEAD - Riewer 4-9 9-10 18, Williams 3-4 4-5 10, Lien 4-7 0-0 9, Vaughan 4-6 1-1 9, Sevlie 4-5 0-0 8, Songolo 3-8 2-3 9, Kretchman 1-3 1-2 3, Holt 1-2 3-5 5, Nelson 2-3 0-0 4, Bingham 5-6 1-1 11. Totals 31-53 21-27 86.

Three-point goals: WSC 5-18 (Jacks 4-5, Nagy 0-3, VandeBerg 1-1, Holdsworth 0-2, Cornelius 0-2, Heesch 0-1), MSU 3-10 (Riewer 1-2, Lien 1-2, Songolo 1-3, Kretchman 0-1, Holt 0-1, Nelson 0-1). Rebounds: WSC 31 (Cornelius, Kurth 5), MSU 39 (Nelson, Williams 7). Assists: WSC 9 (Ross 3), MSU 8 (Riewer 3). Team fouls: WSC 22, MSU 18.

**Northern State 85, Wayne State 61**  
Wayne State 35 26 - 61  
Northern State 41 44 - 85

WAYNE STATE - Kurth 5-8 6-6 16, Nagy 6-11 1-2 15, Cornelius 2-7 2-2 3, Jacks 1-6 2-4 4, VandeBerg 1-6 1-2 3, Esters 2-5 1-2 6, Holdsworth 3-5 0-0 6, Zumbrennen 0-1 2-4 2, Heesch 1-1 0-0 2, Ross 0-2 0-0 0, Burneika 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 21-52 15-22 61.

NORTHERN STATE - Warwick 6-9 4-4 18, Storrusten 4-9 2-2 11, Pollard 4-6 2-3 10, Bachand 2-5 4-6 8, White 2-6 1-1 5, Peterka 5-10 3-4 14, Decker 4-7 0-0 8, Pankonin 2-2 0-0 5, Arvidson 1-4 0-0 3, Schreiber 1-2 1-2 3, Johnson 0-0 0-0 0, Heiser 0-0 0-0 0, Tolson 0-0 0-0 0. Totals 31-60 17-22 85.

Three-point goals: WSC 4-17 (Nagy 2-7, Cornelius 1-2, Jacks 0-1, VandeBerg 0-3, Esters 1-1, Holdsworth 0-1, Ross 0-2), NSU 6-7 (Warwick 2-3, Storrusten 1-1, Peterka 1-1, Pankonin 1-1, Arvidson 1-1). Rebounds: WSC 31 (Jacks 6), NSU 35 (Bachand, Decker 7). Assists: WSC 12 (Nagy 3), NSU 17 (White 4). Team fouls: WSC 18, NSU 18.

# Losing Skid

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Winside to its 67th consecutive defeat in a 32-28 outcome.

Winside scored the first four points of the game and ended the first period with something they had not enjoyed for quite some time - the lead.

Dylan Brogren got Winside on the board two minutes into the period, and two free throws by Bryce Meis made it 4-0 with less than three minutes to play in the opening quarter. Allen's Brian Boese scored the first of his game-high 17 points to get the Eagles on the board, but Brogren countered with a layup to give Winside a 6-4 lead after one period.

Allen came to life offensively in the second period and slowed down the Winside offense. A 3-pointer by Boese highlighted an 8-2 run by the visitors, giving the Eagles a 12-8 lead at intermission.

Winside came out strong in the second half, however. They opened the period with an 8-1 run, highlighted by back-to-back baskets by JaShaun Vyborny and a Mundil basket off a steal that opened the second half. A three-point play by Austin Klug and a 3-pointer by Boese made it 19-16, but Vyborny hit two shots, one of them a 3-pointer, and the game was tied at 21-21 going to the final period.

The game was tight throughout the final period. Allen built a four-point advantage with 3:18 to go on a reverse layup by Boese and two Coleman Kneiff free throws, but



(Photo by Michael Carnes) Winside's Alex Bargstadt looks for help as she is closely guarded by Allen's Lindsey Sullivan during Tuesday's 50-22 Lady Eagle win.

baskets by Meis and Mundil tied the game at 26-26 with 2:17 to play.

Boese hit a free throw to break the deadlock, but Mundil drove inside and banked one home with 1:33 left to give Winside the lead and some hope - hope that was dashed down the stretch as the Eagles made 5-of-8 free throws in the final 70 seconds to survive and come away with the win.

Vyborny led the Wildcats with nine points in the valiant effort.

Meis, Mundil and Brogren each had six points and Garrett Watters put in a free throw.

For Allen, Boese's 17 was complemented by Kneiff's nine points. Klug had three, Tayler Kumm had two and Austin Connot had a free throw.

**THE GIRLS GAME DID NOT** have the down-to-the-wire finish that the boys experienced, as the Lady Eagles used some hot outside shooting from senior Lindsey Sullivan to come away with a 50-22 triumph over the Winside girls.

Sullivan had the hot hand for the Lady Eagles, lighting it up for a game-high 23 points. Lexi Oswald and Bri Hingst both had eight points, Gabby Sullivan and Alexis Johnson each had four and Sherry Stallbaum put in three.

For Winside's girls, Callie Finn led the way with seven points, while Alex Bargstadt and Hallie Brogren each had four. Morgan Jensen, Kelly Tweedy and Sarah Wolfe each had two points, and Jade Hogencamp hit a free throw.

**Boys Result**  
**Allen 32, Winside 28**  
Winside 6 2 13 7 - 28  
Allen 4 8 9 11 - 32  
WINSIDE - Watters 1, B. Meis 6, Brogren 6, Mundil 6, Vyborny 9.  
ALLEN - Kumm 2, Boese 17, Klug 3, C. Kneiff 9, Connot 1.

**Girls Result**  
**Allen 50, Winside 22**  
Winside 7 3 6 6 - 22  
Allen 14 11 14 11 - 50  
WINSIDE - Finn 7, Bargstadt 4, Brogren 4, Hogencamp 1, Jensen 2, Tweedy 2, Wolfe 2.  
ALLEN - L. Sullivan 23, Oswald 8, Bri Hingst 8, G. Sullivan 4, Johnson 4, Stallbaum 3.

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**LCC boys post second upset, fall in L&C semifinal**

The Laurel-Concord-Coleridge boys basketball team took down another upper-tier team in the Lewis & Clark Conference tournament before falling to the eventual top-seed and conference champions.

On Thursday, the Bears' defense sparked a 56-42 upset of fifth-seeded Hartington-Newcastle, putting LCC into Saturday's semifinal run.

It was a close game early on, but LCC limited the Wildcats to a single free throw, turning a one-point first period deficit into a 27-12 halftime

lead they would not relinquish.

The Bears got a game-high 22 points from Dillan Wolfram, while Jordan Jansen added 12 and Jayden Reifenrath added nine points and 10 rebounds.

On Saturday, LCC, played top-seeded Winnebago tough, but the Indians were able to make some key shots down the stretch and outlast the Bears, 64-51, to advance to the conference finals.

Wolfram scored 24 points to lead the LCC boys in the losing effort,

while Jansen added 16 points and a team-high seven rebounds. Reifenrath finished with eight points and six boards.

**LCC 56, Hartington-Newcastle 42**  
LCC 10 17 9 20 - 56  
Hart.-Newc. 11 1 14 16 - 42  
LCC - Reifenrath 9, Knox 6, Steffen 1, J. Jan-

sen 12, Eddie 2, Wolfram 22, Forsberg 4.

HART.-NEWC. - Scoring not available.

**Winnebago 64, LCC 51**

LCC	10	11	14	16	-	51
Winnebago	17	10	14	23	-	64

LCC - Reifenrath 8, Jansen 16, Eddie 2, Wolfram 24, Forsberg 2.  
WINNEBAGO - Scoring not available.

**L&C Consolation games**

**Allen girls get victory**

After losing a close one in the opening round of the Lewis & Clark Conference tournament, the Allen Lady Eagles were able to come away with a win in consolation action, defeating Wausa 45-39.

Gabby Sullivan scored a game-high 20 points to pace the Lady Eagles, while Lindsey Sullivan added nine points and Bri Hingst put in seven.

**Allen boys fall 66-26**

The Allen boys basketball team were manhandled by Plainview in consolation play in the Lewis & Clark Conference tournament, dropping a 66-26 decision.

The Pirates blew the game open in the third quarter, outscoring the Eagles 20-2. They continued their dominance in the fourth period to come away with the easy victory.

Brian Boese led the Eagles with six points and Tayler Kumm added five. Coleman Kneifl scored four points.

**Trojans come up short**

Wakefield's boys came up short in consolation play in the Lewis & Clark Conference tournament, dropping a 49-45 decision to Homer.

Alex Conley paced Wakefield with 13 points and Isaac Camarena added 10 points. Also scoring were Jose Sanchez with seven, Dylan

Hurlbert, Brodie Mackling and Tim Anderson each had four, Riley Zam-zow scored two and Parker Lehmkuhl had a free throw.

**Wakefield girls lose**

In consolation play in the Lewis & Clark Conference tournament Osmond was able to slip past Wakefield for a 48-45 victory.

Wakefield held a 14-point lead at the half, but the host Tigers stormed back and outscored Wakefield 29-12 in the final period to come away with the victory.

Emily Rusk led a balanced Wakefield attack with nine points, while Shelby Oetken, Savannah Nelson and Caleigh Mackling each had eight. Josephine Peitz had four, Taryn Hingst had three and Danika Dorcy had a field goal.

**Winside defeated 45-22**

The Winside girls basketball team battled Hartington-Newcastle in Lewis & Clark Conference Tournament consolation action on Thursday, losing a matchup of the conference's two Wildcat squads, 45-22.

Callie Finn led Winside with seven points while Alex Bargstadt and Morgan Jensen each had four. Jade Hogencamp scored three and Hallie Brogren and Sara Wolfe each had two.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

*Local thrower returns*

Former Wayne State thrower and Wayne native Carly Fehringer returned to her alma mater recently to throw in the Wildcat Open. Fehringer is training to compete for a spot on the U.S. National Team, and had a personal-best throw of 71 feet, 4 1/4 inches to win the event.

**Sports Shorts**

**Wildcats move up in Div. II coaches poll**

The Wayne State women's basketball team moved up three spots to No. 19 in the latest USA Today Sports Div. II coaches poll.

Wayne State moved up on the strength of wins over MSU Moorhead and Northern State, the latter of whom dropped out of this week's poll to leave Wayne State as the lone Northern Sun Conference school in this week's poll.

Other Central Region schools in the top 25 include No. 2 Fort Hays State, No. 9 Emporia State, No. 10 Pittsburg State, and No. 24 Arkansas Tech.

**Wayne State women's track ranked 18th**

The Wayne State women's indoor track and field team dropped three spots to No. 18 in this week's U.S. Track and Field and Cross Country Coaches Association Div. II computer rankings.

Wayne State scored 46.42 points in the rankings, which are based on performers who have achieved NCAA provisional or automatic qualifying marks during the season.

Sara Wells is ranked second in the shot put at 52 feet, 4 3/4 inches, Michaela Dendinger is third at 52-2 3/4 and Shandan Platt is 13th at 46-8 1/4. Dendinger is also ranked 11th in the weight throw at 59-2 1/4.

**Kurth earns Capital One academic honor**

Patrick Kurth of Wayne State College was named to the Capital One Academic All-District VII Men's Basketball Team, selected by the College Sports Information Directors of America.

**Yossi earns WSC's academic honor**

Wayne State senior guard Ashton Yossi was named to the Capital One Academic All-District Women's Basketball District 7 Team Thursday afternoon, selected to the Second Team with a 3.97 grade-point average majoring in mathematics education.

Yossi, a graduate of Dallas Center-Grimes High School in Iowa,

**Schweers third at Dakota Invite**

Wayne native Ashton Schweers was among the top finishers for the Morningside indoor track and field team during the Dakota Reality Alumni Indoor Invitational Saturday in Vermillion, S.D.

Schweers, a freshman for the Mustangs, finished third in the high jump with a best effort of 5 feet, 2 1/2 inches.

**Area wrestlers in final NSWCA ratings**

Several area wrestlers were listed in the final Nebraska Scholastic Wrestling Coaches Association rankings prior to this weekend's district tournaments.

One Wayne High wrestler was listed in the rankings, as Schuyler Schweers was ranked fifth at 220 pounds in Class B. He will wrestle at 195 pounds in the district tournament.

**Freshman boys down LHNE 60-45**

The Wayne freshman boys basketball team defeated Lutheran High Northeast 60-45 in action last week. Beau Bowers and Ryan Jaixen each scored 11 for the winners. Brennan O'Reilly added nine points, Mason Lee had eight, Tyler Pecena and Jack Evetovich each scored six, Austin Fernau had five and Sam Bruckner scored four.

**In Class C, two Wakefield wrestlers are listed**

Nick Gonzalez is fifth at 126 pounds, while Caleb Thomas is fourth at 160 pounds.

Among Class D wrestlers, Marcus Escalera of Winside is the highest-ranked wrestler, holding down the top spot at 132 pounds. Teammate Sean Man is sixth at 113 pounds. LCC wrestlers Billy Barelman (182, No. 6) and Nolan Casey (220, No. 5) are also rated. Winside's team is ranked eighth overall and fourth among dual teams.

**Football coaches clinic is Feb. 28 in Norfolk**

The Northeast Nebraska All-Star Football Classic Coaches Clinic will be held Saturday, Feb. 28, from 9 a.m.-2 p.m. at Faith Regional Health Services in Norfolk.

A number of football coaches will be on hand to offer their expertise in a variety of areas. The keynote speaker will be Morningside College football coach Steve Ryan.

- Coaches and their topics include:
    - Rod Brummels, Osmond: Building a successful football program.
    - Arnie Johnson, Boone Central: Cardinal Football: Our secret to success.
    - Ron Beacom, Neligh-Oakdale: Eight-man passing game and concepts.
    - Larry Martin, Omaha North: Defending the spread offense.
    - Dan Maresh, Lyons-Decatur: Combining running and passing concepts.
    - Tony Hoffman, Crofton: Front seven play in the 4-3 defense.
- Pre-registration is \$10 before Friday, Feb. 20, and \$15 after. Registrations can be sent to NEN All-Star Football, Norfolk Chamber of Commerce, 609 W. Norfolk Ave., Norfolk, Neb. 68701.



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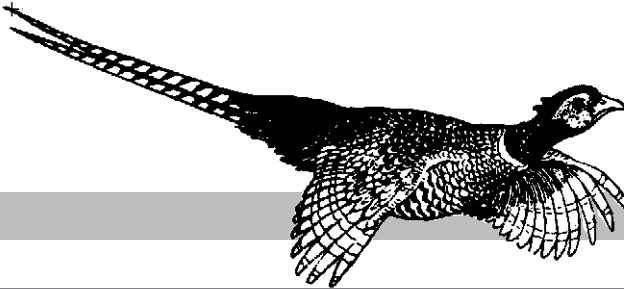


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## Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes  
Managing Editor

## An honor to be a 'special someone'

More random acts of kindness, silliness and general goofiness from the "Bits and Pieces" file:

It's not often that this writer find himself at a loss for words. When somebody asks me a question that leaves me scrambling for ANYTHING to say, it's a moment that needs to be documented.

A couple of weeks ago, Wayne State freshman basketball player Alex Nelson asked if I would be her "special someone" for a day the Wayne State women's basketball team sets aside during the season to honor local residents who have had some kind of a positive impact on the lives of the players during their time here in Wayne, America.

I actually met Alex during her recruiting visit a couple of years ago. I had dropped by coach Chris Kielsmeier's office to talk with him about his team, and Alex and her mom were in town to watch the team in action. Alex is from Papillion, and since I spent four years as sports editor of the Papillion Times, we had some common ground to chat about as I recalled some of the teachers and coaches who were still there, even more than 15 years after I had moved on.

Alex came to Wayne State last school year and redshirted on the team. We've talked about the team and a variety of basketball-related topics, and she's a very nice young lady who always has a smile on her face and is easy to talk to about Wildcat hoops.

After a game recently, she stopped me to ask if I'd be her "special someone" for the big day this past Saturday. I was very pleasantly surprised, and the first thing I had to think about was making sure that work plans I had for that day could be altered so I could be a part of this experience.

I got a very nice thank-you note from Alex and I probably should thank her here, not only for choosing me, but for forcing me to break out the suit that sits in my closet to make sure it still fits (and, as you can tell, somehow, it still does). I wear that suit to funerals, weddings and those rare special occasions that call for it. This, obviously, qualified for the latter of the three.

Apparel jokes aside, it's a tremendous honor for me to be chosen and I want to thank Alex for the opportunity. I was one of more than a dozen people in the community who were honored by the players, including our general manager, Melissa Urbanec, and her family, who were chosen by senior Ashton Yossi.

Having an opportunity to make a positive impact in the lives of young people is one of the great things about living in this area. I'm sure I speak for all of "special ones" when I say it's a wonderful honor.

From the "Because we don't have enough frivolous lawsuits clogging up the court system" department: A woman in a northern Croatian village has won a temporary court order that forces a neighbor to keep his dog quiet during nighttime hours.

According to the Washington Post, the woman got a judge to believe that the dog's barking at night was affecting her health. As a result, the dog's owner keeps the dog in a barn every night, rather than allowing it to run freely on his farmstead.

No word on whether it was her physical health or her mental health that was being affected - but I wouldn't be surprised if she goes after the other neighbor's cat that meows during her mid-afternoon nap next.

Annnd finally, because you need to know whether or not your government is wisely spending your hard-earned tax dollars, here is today's evidence that they aren't: an Ohio-based pharmaceutical distribution company won a series of 60 contracts from the Department of Defense that allowed them to charge the government more than half a million dollars for - brace yourselves - erectile dysfunction drugs.

Yep - you paid for the Pentagon to supply our troops with all the Viagra, Cialis and Levitra they need to keep themselves at attention (although those who remained at attention for more than four hours were encouraged to seek medical assistance). Of course, the military's policy limits the drugs only to those soldiers whose medical maladies have been diagnosed by a doctor, and are limited to six pills per month.

According to the Washington Free Beacon, the Pentagon bought enough of the little blue pills to supply more than 80770 HOURS of, ahem, enhancement . . . which makes me wonder when they could have possibly found time to kill any Islamic jihadists.



(Photo courtesy Rich Rhoden) It was honor to be asked to be a "Special Someone" by Wayne State women's basketball player Alex Nelson.

## Capitol View Fighting unfunded mandates

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

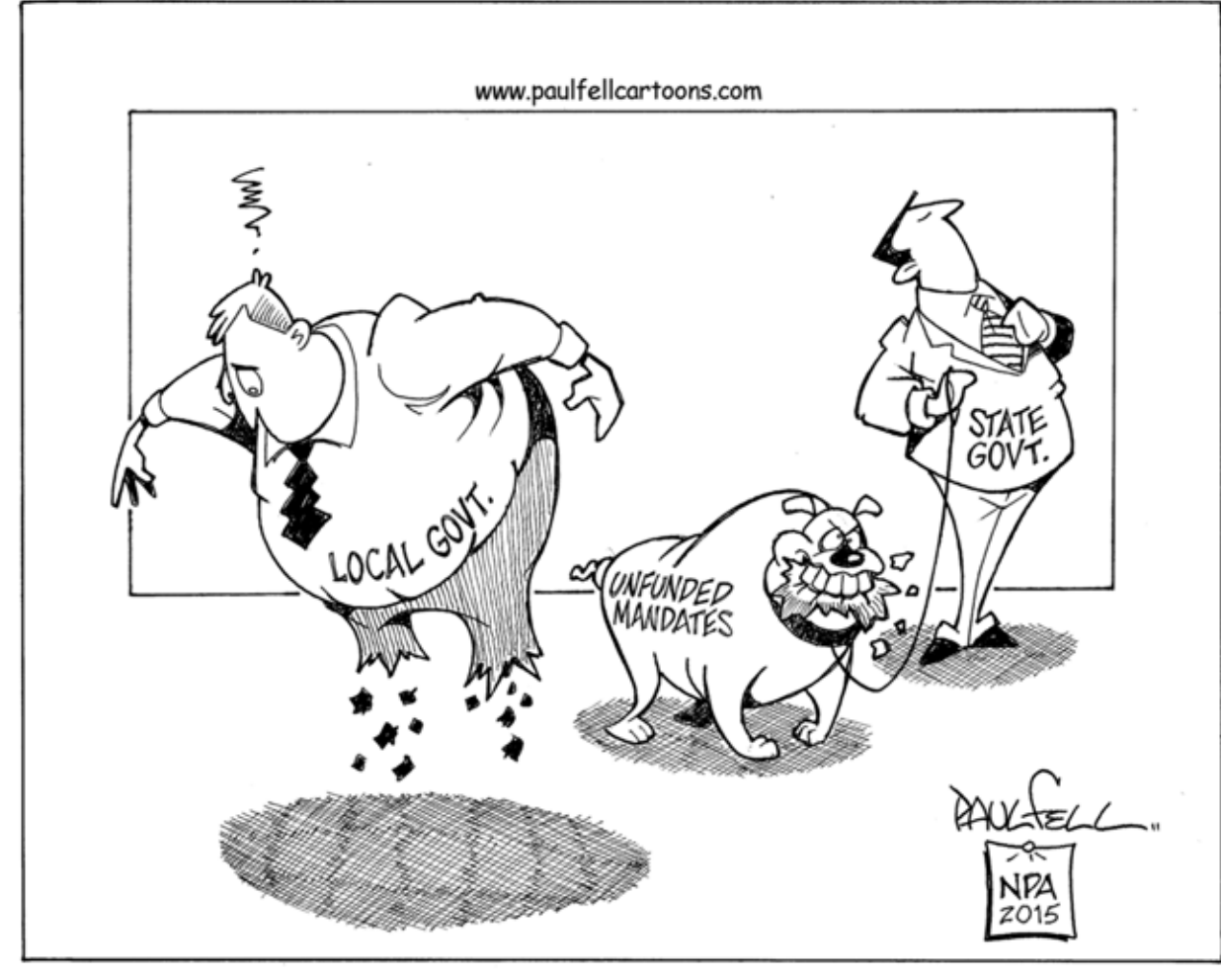
Talk of property tax relief for Nebraskans usually comes around to a discussion of unfunded mandates - those services that the state says local governments must perform without financial assistance from the state. The matter has been discussed for years and has been the subject of several special legislative investigations and numerous calls for reform.

Local governments were devastated in 2012 when state aid to counties, NRDs and local governments was completely eliminated. Lawmakers threw a bone to the victims by saying local governments could have input into the legislative fiscal notes of bills that would propose mandates. Some local governments were forced to drop or make cuts to other programs to afford doing the mandated ones.

The Platte Institute for Economic Research estimates that unfunded mandates from the state account for at least eight percent of the budgets of local government. Research director Dick Clark admits that the estimate is conservative and the number is often hard to track because the state mandates are combined with other local budget items. He says researchers have to take into account discretionary local spending that maybe hasn't been kept under control.

Historically, the rationale for reliance on property taxes as a revenue source for county governments is based on the principle of local control over local spending. That forces lawmakers to look at perhaps scaling back or eliminating mandates because, after all, the Legislature is responsible to the taxpayers. Remember, it's a tax debate. There will be winners and losers. Special interests will either fight for or against any proposal, depending on whose ox is getting gored.

It is with that background that lawmakers have begun looking at those mandates in a number of



specifically the unfunded mandate matter. bills proposing changes. First out of the chute was a proposal from Sen. Mike Groene of North Platte to ensure that the facility and administrative costs of state probation offices would be paid with state funds. His bill (LB427) would relieve counties of the burden of providing office space and necessary facilities for probation services as of June 30.

The freshman lawmaker said anticipated judicial reforms likely will result in more required probation services, which will increase the tax burden on counties. There was no opposition to the bill that was heard by the Government, Military and Veteran Affairs Committee. The executive director of the Nebraska Association of County Officials, Larry Dix, said the bill is part of the broader property tax issue and

said the county has to provide local funding to cover more than \$20 million in required state services. Those things have been created by the Legislature and their future must be addressed by the Legislature. It won't be easy and it won't be simple.

He said county officials aren't against probation and do see the big picture. But they need relief from the financial pressure of these unfunded mandates. Other similar unfunded mandates include such things as the state sex offender registry, provision of public defenders for indigent defendants, prosecution of state crimes, DNA collection from felons, juvenile justice expenses, guardians ad litem, truancy plans that involve county attorneys, county court expenses, monitoring of drug lab cleanup and enhanced 911 service. These are issues of public safety and not easily scaled back or eliminated.

To put a price tag on the issue, officials in Lancaster County have

Given the significance of the impact, dealing with these unfunded mandates is more important than just throwing money into the tax credit fund to provide some relief to Nebraskans who pay property tax. Using that money to restore state aid to local governments - coupled with a close inspection of the state mandates so they match the amount of aid provided - is the proper route to go this session.

It won't be easy, but it is the right thing to do.

### Letters

#### Movie glamorizes opposite of love

One of the unique things about being a Catholic priest is that I get called "Father" all the time. It is a blessing and a challenge. The blessing is being addressed by a term used for a member of the family. The challenge is to live up to that title. Sometimes, it is my "fatherly duty" to try to protect people from what is evil or wrong. This article is an attempt to fulfill that fatherly role.

On Valentine's Day weekend, one of the most popular books of re-

cent times is coming out as a movie. From what I have read about the book and movie, I find the release of "50 Shades of Grey" on Valentine's Day weekend to be ironic and sad. Honestly, releasing this movie on a weekend when we honor Saint Valentine makes me more than a bit angry.

Saint Valentine was a man of faith, a great priest, and a man who died as a martyr. In fact, by some accounts, he was martyred for illegally celebrating Christian marriages. He stood up for loving and committed Christian marriages even at the risk of his life! Why did he do that?

Valentine believed in Jesus being the very definition of love. He also was convinced that Christian husbands and wives were meant to be a reflection of the love of Jesus. This saint is a reminder to all of us of the true nature of love, which is shown to us by Jesus. Love is self-sacrificing, faithful, and lasting.

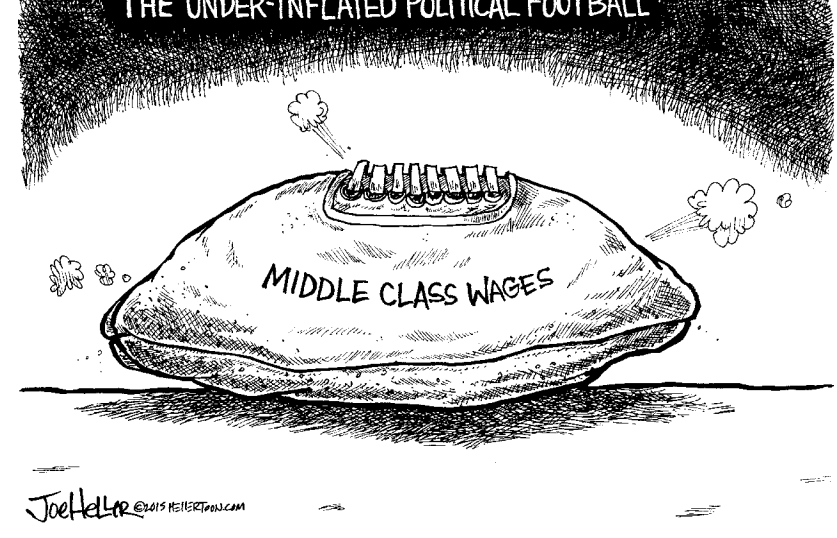
"50 Shades of Grey" seems to glamorize the opposite of Christian love. Rather than promoting love, it promotes domination for sexual pleasure. It takes what is meant to be the most loving of acts, sexual relations, and shows it to be an act of power and dominance.

Love is never supposed to involve domination. Love is about putting the needs of the other person first, giving to the other rather than taking, sacrificing for the other rather than bossing them around. For a great definition of love, see 1 Corin-

thians 13: 4-8. In that description of love you will not find any references to causing physical pain or controlling the other person. God is love. Domination is not love.

I find it very sad that a day named after a saint will be used to promote a movie that endorses the opposite of love. Besides encouraging people NOT to go to the movie or buy the book, I pray that the example of Saint Valentine and the true meaning of love he found in Jesus will grow in our midst. I long for love to conquer dominance, love to conquer violence, love to conquer injustice, and for all people to have truly loving relationships in their lives. More than being what I want, it is what Jesus and Saint Valentine want too.

Fr. Mark Beran, Pastor  
Saint Mary's Church, Wayne



## Legislative Update Marriage license fees up

We were finally able to move on from LB88, a bill to increase the fee for a marriage license or for copies of a marriage license, this week. A compromise was reached that allowed the bill to advance from General File.

The compromise lowered the proposed increase from \$50 for a marriage license down to \$25. It is my intention to bring an amendment on Select File that would change the increase in the charge for the marriage license copies from the \$16 proposed by LB88 to \$8.50. This would reflect the same increase that we are proposing with the compromise change in the marriage license fee.

This week, I introduced LB651, a bill that would address uncollectible court fees, to the Judiciary Committee. I also introduced LB191 to the Revenue Committee. LB191 would exempt veteran service organizations from having to pay the sales and use tax on food or food products they sell.

On Tuesday, the Agricultural Committee heard LB176, a bill that would change the Competitive Livestock Markets Act, introduced by Sen. Ken Schilz of Ogallala. Under



Legislative Update  
By Dave Bloomfield  
State Senator, District 17

current law, packers are prohibited from owning and feeding hogs in Nebraska. LB176 would change the law which would then allow packer involvement in the production of pork. It is my fear that such involvement would be harmful to the private producers in our state. This is a bill that we dealt with last year and it is back again with a few changes.

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## A lesson in healthy habits

Dr. Chad Maas from Wayne State College's Health and Human Performance and Sport Department, visited Wayne Elementary's first grade.

He talked to the students about the human body and how to keep the body healthy.

First, he showed how much sugar each person should intake per day

and compared to how much sugar is in PopTarts, candy bars, pop and more!

Then, Dr. Maas showed real human lungs of a person who smoked and real human lungs of a healthy person and demonstrated how damaging smoking is to the lungs.

He also showed bones, a human heart, and a sheep brain.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Grant Maas holds his noise while his father explains what a human lung looks like.

## Wayne students attend WSC Honor Band event

On Saturday, Jan. 31, a group of 9 students in grades 6-8 represented Wayne Community Schools at the annual Wayne State College Honor Band.

Over 400 students in the tri-state area auditioned, including those from the Sioux Falls, Omaha, and Lincoln metro areas. Wayne Junior High and Elementary had a record number of participants, with a total of 14 students selected, including alternates.

Selected students spent the day rehearsing challenging music by renowned composers with other area individuals. A public concert was presented in the late afternoon.

The middle level honor band clinician was Pat Sedivy of Hartington.

## Stenberg visits WHS for finance challenge

Nebraska State Treasurer Don Stenberg was in Wayne recently to speak with high school students in Wayne and to urged them to take part in the 2015 Personal Finance Challenge sponsored by the Nebraska Council on Economic Education.

The Nebraska Educational Savings Trust (NEST), a division of the State Treasurer's Office, will award a total of \$14,000 to the Personal Finance Challenge winners, who usually compete in teams of four. Members of the first-place team will each receive a \$2,000 contribution to a NEST college savings account. Members of the second-place team will each receive a \$1,000 NEST college savings account. And members of the third-place team will each receive a \$500 college savings account.

This is the third year that the Nebraska Educational Savings Trust has provided college savings accounts for the Finance Challenge winners. Winners will be selected April 18 at face-to-face competitions in Omaha, Lincoln, and Kearney.

To prepare for the statewide competition in April, Stenberg encouraged Nebraska high schools to take advantage of Nebraska NEST Financial Scholars for Families, an online financial education program developed by EverFi, Inc., in Washington, D.C., and offered free of charge to Nebraska schools through NEST. In some communities, local banks are sponsoring or co-sponsoring the program.

While NEST provided initial seed funding for the statewide sponsorship, EverFi is continuing to work with banks, foundations, and corporations to seek additional fund-

ing to make sure that high school students across Nebraska have access to the EverFi program.

"I am here today for three reasons: One, to encourage Nebraska high school students to take part in the 2015 Personal Finance Challenge; two, to encourage Nebraska students and their teachers to take full advantage of our online Nebraska NEST Financial Scholars program; and three, to encourage young people to talk to their parents and grandparents about sav-

ing to make sure that high school students across Nebraska have access to the EverFi program. Stenberg said. More than 2,200 Nebraska high school students took part in the Finance Challenge last year.

"The Nebraska NEST Financial Scholars online program offers an ideal way for high school students to prepare for the Finance Challenge. The two complement each other perfectly and provide you with the incentive and the knowledge you will need to live out your

score will be used to determine first-, second-, and third-place winners in the state.

The winning team will advance to the national competition May 22 in St. Louis, Mo. The top team in Nebraska last year was from Norris High School; the second-place team was from Alliance High School.

Stenberg was joined at Wayne High School by Dr. Charles Parker, Chair of the Business and Economics Department at Wayne State College.

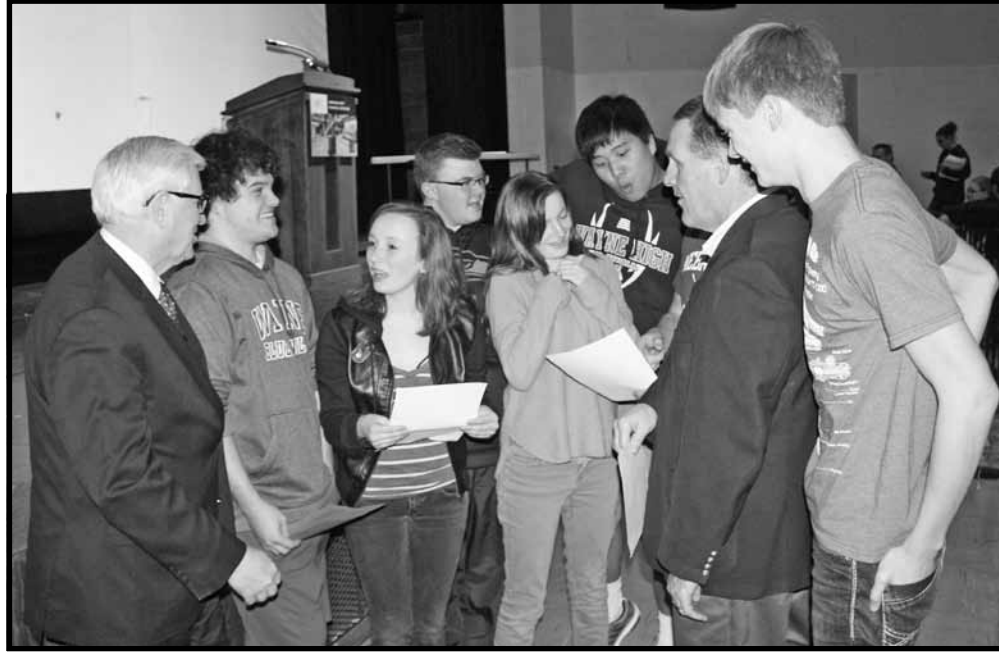
Dr. Parker spoke about the need to develop financial knowledge at an early age and the value of saving.

He also conducted a game with four randomly-chosen students to test their financial literacy.

To find out more about the competition and how to enter, teachers and students will find details at [financechallenge.unl.edu](http://financechallenge.unl.edu).

The EverFi web-based curriculum available through Nebraska NEST Financial Scholars helps students learn critical life skills regarding personal finance and money management, focusing on college savings, credit cards, credit scores, insurance, interest rates, mortgages, and stocks. For more details and contact information, visit [treasurer.nebraska.gov/financial-literacy/](http://treasurer.nebraska.gov/financial-literacy/).

NEST is a tax-advantaged 529 college savings program that provides four plans to help make saving for college simple and affordable: NEST Direct College Savings Plan, NEST Advisor College Savings Plan, TD Ameritrade 529 College Savings Plan, and State Farm College Savings Plan. The Nebraska State Treasurer serves as Trustee. For more information, visit [www.treasurer.nebraska.gov/csp](http://www.treasurer.nebraska.gov/csp).



Nebraska State Treasurer Don Stenberg talks with Wayne High students during a recent trip to the school to promote the Personal Finance Challenge.

ing for college – whether a four-year college, community college, or trade school – with our excellent NEST college savings plans," Stenberg said in prepared remarks to 230 students at Wayne High School.

"The Personal Finance Challenge statewide competition sponsored annually by the Nebraska Council on Economic Education is an excellent way to promote education on

dreams as financially responsible adults," Stenberg told the students.

The face-to-face Finance Challenge team competitions take place April 18 in Lincoln, Omaha, and Kearney after students complete individual online tests in their home schools and their scores are averaged for a team score. First-place winners will be chosen at each competition site, and then each team's average online test



(Photo by Clara Osten)

Wayne students taking part in the Wayne State College Honor Band were (front) Alyssa Chinn, Jonah Brodersen, James Tompkins and Kate Schultz. (back) Jon Worner, Faith Junck, Korrina Niemann, Nicole Fertig and Emily Armstrong.

## Immunization clinic set for Feb. 18

Wayne will hold the Wayne WIC and Immunization clinic on Wednesday, Feb. 18, from 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m. at the United Methodist Church, located at 516 N. Main Street in Wayne.

For an appointment or for more information regarding the WIC or Immunization Programs, please call (402) 385-6300.

NENCAP's WIC Program provides nutrition education and supplemental foods to income eligible pregnant, breast-feeding or post-partum women, infants, and children to age 5 years.

NENCAP's Immunization Program provides childhood immunizations to VFC eligible children. Immunizations are needed at ages 2 months, 4 months, 6 months, and 12-15 months. School required immunizations are needed prior to entry into kindergarten (ages 4-6) and 7th grade. Lead screening is also available by appointment only to children ages 12 months to 5 years of age.

Each child should be accompanied by the parent or guardian. Past immunization records are required. Proxy forms are needed when a parent or legal guardian

is unable to accompany the child to clinic. Proxy forms may be obtained by contacting the Pender office at (402) 385-6300. A suggested donation of \$39 per child would be appreciated to help defray administrative costs. If a child only receives one immunization, then the suggested donation is \$19.50. No one will be denied immunizations for inability to make a donation. This project is supported in part by Federal Immunization Program Funds awarded to Northeast Nebraska Community Action Partnership by the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services.

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

NENCAP's Home Visitation Program offers services to families who are expecting or have children up to the age of 9. Information is available for those interested at the WIC and Immunization Clinic. This program provides free one-on-one edu-

cation and resource to families and children in Northeast Nebraska in order to ensure and strengthen their well being.

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

For more information on NENCAP programs, call (800) 445-2505.

## Wayne area pharmacies will collect unused medications

What do you do with leftover medications? We continue to hear of unwanted, unused, or expired medications being flushed down the toilet or poured down the drain. But these methods of drug disposal are no longer acceptable or safe. And, it is not safe to keep them in your home. So what are you to do with them?

"Based on the public health concerns and negative impacts to water quality, a coalition of local, state, and non-profit organizations have joined together to educate the public about drug disposal and create a statewide program in which local pharmacies are able to collect these drugs and dispose of them in a safe way," said Marcia Mueting, PharmD, RP, with the Nebraska Pharmacists Association.

WasteCap serves on the Nebraska MEDS Coalition sponsored by the Nebraska Pharmacy Association. Their goal is to get medications disposed of properly and stop the pollution of our groundwater and streams. The group also wants to stop accidental poisoning of children as well as improper consumption of prescription drugs by children. The Pharmacy Association has been given a grant to help local pharmacies across the state provide free take back programs for unused medications.

In Wayne, both U-Save and Shopko pharmacies will take back unwanted prescriptions and over-the-counter medications for safe disposal.

A nationwide study released in 2002 by the United States Geological Survey detailed trace levels of prescription drug chemicals found in 80 percent of the waterways across the country. The breakthrough study checked for the presence of materials such as pharmaceuticals, antibiotics, sterols, hormones, and other

chemical compounds. Groundwater and seven streams in Nebraska were included in the study. Pharmaceutical chemicals can enter the environment contaminating surface and groundwater by several means.

In addition to the environmental concerns of medication disposal, there are also the health concerns of accidental poisoning and potential overdose. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention has classified prescription drug abuse as an epidemic. In fact, prescription drugs are the second-most abused category of drugs in the United States, following marijuana. Results from the 2013 National Survey on Drug Use and Health indicate that about 15.3 million people aged 12 and older used prescription drugs non-medically in the past year, and 6.5 million did so in the past month. By getting unused, unwanted, and expired medications out of the home, you can address all of these concerns.

The Nebraska Medication Education on Disposal Strategies (MEDS) coalition consists of the Nebraska Pharmacists Association, the Lincoln/Lancaster County Health Department, the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality, The Nebraska Regional Poison Center, the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, and The Groundwater Foundation. The mission of the Nebraska MEDS Coalition is to educate Nebraskans about drug disposal and provide safe ways to dispose of them in order to better safeguard the environment and protect public health. This project is funded by a grant from the Nebraska Department of Environmental Quality.

To search for other participating pharmacies, visit [www.leftovermeds.com](http://www.leftovermeds.com).



## Touch of Brass set to perform concert

The Wayne State College Department of Music will present "A Touch of Brass" in concert on Sunday, Feb. 22 at 2 p.m. in Ley Theatre in the Brandenburg Education Building on campus.

"A Touch of Brass" has been an active brass quintet in Northeast Nebraska for 30 years, performing a range of repertoire from classical

to jazz to modern transcriptions in a variety of settings.

Keith Krueger, the group's founder, is a Wayne State graduate and lives in Wakefield where he operates his family farm. Other members of the quintet include David Bohner, trumpet, Director of Bands at Wayne State College; Gary Reeves, horn, Professor of

Music at the University of South Dakota (USD); Randy Neuharth, trombone, Director of Instrumental Music at Northeast Community College (retired); and Josh Calkin, tuba, Assistant Director of Bands at Wayne State College.

For more information, please contact Dr. Calkin at (402) 375-7599 or e-mail [jocalki1@wsc.edu](mailto:jocalki1@wsc.edu).



## Junck joins Arnie's Ford sales

"On behalf of Arnie's Ford, I am pleased to announce the addition of Nick Junck to our sales staff," said Bill Reeg, President of Arnie's Ford in Wayne.

Junck is a resident of Wayne and graduated from Wayne High School in 2011. He is currently in his fourth year at Wayne State College.

"Nick's work ethic and engaging personality will allow him to inte-

grate well into our family oriented environment," Reeg said.

"In my three years at Arnie's Ford I have managed to work my way up from a reconditioning specialist to a sales representative. When I was a freshman at Wayne State College, I came to Arnie's Ford on Dec. 20, 2011 looking for a job and my next paycheck, but what I got was a loyal partnership and a family," Junck said.







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(left) Deanna Karmazin with the Nebraska Farm Bureau Foundation for Agriculture presents a check from the Tornado Disaster Relief Fund to Todd and Roxie Nelson of Laurel. (right) Aaron Biermann and Mary Von Seggern accept checks from Karmazin.

## Farm Bureau Foundation distributes tornado relief funds to area farmers

Nebraska Farm Bureau Foundation for Agriculture recently distributed just over \$15,000, which was collected for the Tornado Disaster Relief Fund.

Farmers and ranchers from across the state who were affected by the tornados and in need of emergency and residual help were given the opportunity to apply for funding.

The farmers and ranchers who applied for the funds were affected by tornados in Friend, Wayne County, Cedar County and Pilger.

Those receiving help from the fund are:

- Paul and Deb Segner of Friend, who farm and raise hogs in Seward County;
- Todd Nelson of Laurel, who farms and raises cattle in Cedar County;

- Eric Von Seggern of Von Seggern Farms in Wisner, who farms in Cuming County and
- Aaron Biermann of Biermann Farm near Wisner, who farms and raises hogs in Wayne County.

“When a tornado damages a farmstead or a livestock operation, the needs of farmers and ranchers are a bit different. They need to critically assess how to save their crops and how to address the health of their livestock,” said Deanna Karmazin, executive director of the Nebraska Farm Bureau Foundation for Agriculture.

“Many of these emergency actions and needs are not directly supported by government and other non-profit disaster relief efforts, which tend to be more community based,” Karmazin said.

“We just think there are unique

and extraordinary costs, like the labor involved in the clean-up of the fields and livestock facilities. The costs and unanticipated expenses of trying to get a farm business back in operation is a tremendous burden and most emergency disaster programs don't include this type of assistance,” she said.

The funds collected for the Tornado Disaster Relief Fund targeted farmers and ranchers that need help with immediate needs and who cannot get assistance from other

sources, such as government programs and have losses that are not covered by insurance.

“We are happy to provide emergency assistance for farmers and ranchers affected by the tornados for such things as food and clothing, prescriptions/medical supplies, feed/fence/relocation costs, vet costs, field clean-up costs, rental assistance/mortgage payment for home or business, utility and propane payments and other critical unmet needs,” Karmazin said.

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## Pesticide applicator training dates scheduled

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Licensing as a private applicator allows farmers to purchase and use pesticides classified as restricted use by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency in their own farming operations.

Extension provides the educational program, while the agriculture department is responsible for licensing. The training fee is \$30. An applicator may also certify by self-study or online training for a

\$60 training fee.

In 2001, the Nebraska Legislature created a state pesticide license fee of \$25 for private applicators. The fee covers a three-year license period.

Wayne County training sessions are scheduled as follows:

**Tuesday, Feb. 17:** 1 p.m. at the Winside American Legion Hall in Winside

**Thursday, March 12:** 1 p.m. and 6 p.m. at the Fire Hall, 510 Tomar in Wayne.

For additional sites contact the UNL Extension Office-Wayne County at (402) 375-3310 or check online at [pested.unl.edu](http://pested.unl.edu), where you will find the Private Training Schedule.

## Gilliland makes PTK at NECC

Ashley Gilliland of Wakefield was one of several students at Northeast Community College who have qualified for membership in Phi Theta Kappa, (PTK), Tau Chi Chapter.

The organization's mission is twofold: recognize and encourage the academic achievement of two-year college students and; provide opportunities for individual growth and development through participation in honors, leadership, service and fellowship programming. PTK is the largest honor society in higher

education.

To be eligible, students must have earned at least 12 credit hours and achieved a minimum grade-point average of 3.5.

Northeast Phi Theta Kappa sponsors are Colleen Barnes, criminal justice/sociology instructor, Glen Lammers, wind energy instructor, Danny Whitlock, CAD/drafting instructor, Andrea Suhr, physical therapist assistant instructor, and Pam Miller, dean at Northeast Community College in South Sioux City.

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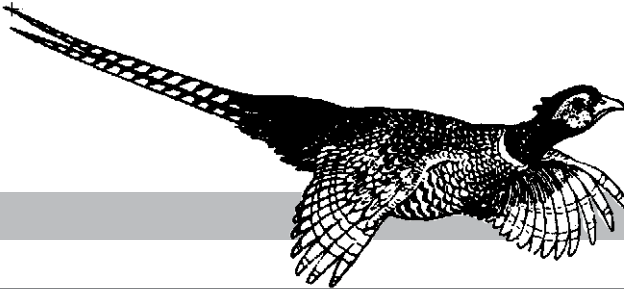
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## Making the best of age-related hearing loss

I mentioned a group of classmate last week, a fun group of gals who all survived nurses training in the fifties and who get together for lunch about six times a year.

I think it's been happening for about twenty-five years now, since we moved closer to Lincoln in 1992. One lives near Tecumseh, still on a farm, one lives in Beatrice, another at Raymond, and one in Columbus. Four of us are now in Lincoln. At least once a year, we go west, to York or Stromsburg, so the people who live in Cozad, and Holdrege, and Aurora, and Hastings can join us. Always, there is reminiscing and laughter.

Last week, the talk turned to hearing loss. Now, we aren't talking major loss, like our friend, Jo. She struggled with Menier's disease for years, and all of a sudden, one day, her hearing was gone! Completely gone. She now has a cochlear implant, which necessitated helping the brain learn new ways to hear. She manages to keep her sense of humor, and she has a very patient husband.

But I'm talking about the hearing loss that occurs with aging. Of course, Mike, and the guy from Johnson County, can blame a lot on tractors with no cabs. And the one gal here in town has a husband who



**The Farmer's Wife**  
By: Pat Meierhenry

has worn hearing aides for years, with mixed results. The other one in town, and me, both have had to get the darned things in the past years. These, too, require the brain to use them differently, necessitating the wearing at least eight hours a day.

I have yet to accomplish that; they make my ears itch! I still only wear them when I leave the house, as does Mike. And since he gets out of the house less in the winter, sometimes, he doesn't wear his for

a week. This leads to many misunderstood words and much repetition around here. Thank goodness, it's not a big house! But even from the kitchen, where I might be, to the living room, where he may be, words get scrambled.

Then, typically, I walk to the living room and repeat myself. I don't know what my cousin does; she says her guy doesn't hear well with or without the aides. And one of the other Lincolniters says it sometimes leads to harsh words. But we all had to laugh when Millie told us of asking for a glass of water and Bob came in with the fly swatter!

It's all part of this process they call aging. And it doesn't get any better with time! It reminds me of the group playing cards at a Senior center. Each one takes a turn describing the latest ache, joint pain, dizziness, numbness in the extremities, etc. Finally, one perks up with "well, thank goodness, we can all still drive!"

So far, we can all still drive to our lunches. When that stops, we will be sorry. Because it's the getting together and sharing the stories that help us deal with them. Rather than be thankful we can still drive, I'm just glad we can all still laugh about them!

## Farm research trials, tree pruning discussed

Those of you interested in on Farm Research should know that on Monday, Feb. 16 there will be a review of all On Farm Research trials in the area.

This meeting will be at the Lifelong Learning Center in Norfolk and it begins at 9 a.m. and goes till 3 p.m. Growers who conducted on-farm research will share their results from the 2014 growing season. Field length replicated treatment comparisons were completed in growers' fields, using their own equipment providing valuable information.

There is no fee to attend this meeting, but a pre-registration is preferred to arrange a noon meal (call 402-624-8000 or email christina.franklin@unl.edu).

It seems early, but we need to start preparing for spring and now is the time to think about and even to prune some of our landscape plants and trees. If needed, most plants can be pruned at any time such as following a storm that breaks branches. However, there are times when it is better to prune than others. Now is the ideal time to prune shade trees, summer blooming shrubs, fruit trees, and shrubs requiring renovation pruning.

February through March is a good time to prune because with no leaves on trees and shrubs, it is easier to see branch structure to determine what needs to be pruned. Also, pruning now allows the most time, an entire growing season, for pruning wounds to seal. In most cases, prune spring blooming



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shrubs soon after they finish blooming. If renovation-type pruning (removing more than 50 percent of the shrub) is to be done on spring flowering shrubs, now is the better time to prune.

Spruce, Junipers, yew, and Arborvitae can be pruned from now up until new growth begins. Wait to prune pines until after bud break when the candles (or new growth) are elongating.

Fruit trees are pruned depending on the type of fruit you are trying to grow. Peach trees are pruned differ-

ently from apple trees. Find sources on the internet or go to our tree pruning workshop in South Sioux on Saturday, Feb. 28. We usually meet at the South Sioux Library so check with the Dakota County Extension office to make sure there isn't a change in location.

Private pesticide training is happening now and there are a lot of locations available. The next trainings are in Emerson at the First Nebraska Bank on Tuesday, Feb. 17 at 9 a.m. and 1 p.m., and at the new Martinsburg Fire Hall on Thursday, Feb. 19 at 1:30 and 6 p.m. Contact your local county extension office for times and dates for other pesticide safety applicator certification. These trainings do cost \$30, and remember to bring your recertification letter from the state.

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Beef cows, \$95 to \$105. Utility cows, \$105 to \$118. Canners and cutters, \$95 to \$110. Bologna bulls, \$130 to \$140.

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

The market was lower on all classes. There were 600 head sold. 300-400 lb. steers, \$280 to \$300; heifers, \$250 to \$289.

400-500 lb. steers, \$245 to \$298; heifers, \$230 to \$275.

500-600 lb. steers, \$220 to \$276; heifers, \$210 to \$235.

600-700 lb. steers, \$195 to \$215; heifers, \$190 to \$217.

700-800 lb. steers, \$180 to \$210; heifers, \$180 to \$200.

800-900 lb. steers, \$175 to \$191.50; heifers, \$170 to \$180.

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

The market was steady on all classes. There were 30 head sold.

Fat lambs, 120-150 lbs., \$128 to \$130.

Feeder lambs, 30-100 lbs., \$120 to \$180.

Ewes: Good, \$100 to \$150; medium, \$50 to \$100; slaughter, \$30 to \$50.

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

There was no test on the market. Crossbred baby calves, \$300 to

\$500. Holstein calves, \$150 to \$300. Weaned dairy calves, \$450 to \$600.

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

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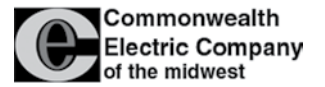
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Commonwealth Electric is currently seeking skilled Licensed Electricians and Experienced Apprentices. We are looking to fill positions for local long term projects.

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### The Nebraska Department of Roads is currently accepting applications for a Highway Maintenance Worker Senior in Laurel, NE.

For a full job description or to apply, visit [www.statejobs.nebraska.gov](http://www.statejobs.nebraska.gov)

An on-line State application must be completed on or before the closing date of February 20, 2015. Notify Nebraska State Personnel at 402-471-2075 if you need accommodation in the selection process.

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### The Wayne County Farm Service Agency will be taking applications for a temporary Program Technician position through Feb 20, 2015.

The position will cover various duties in the office assisting with the new Farm Bill. To apply, submit a resume or a completed form FSA-675. The form FSA-675 can be accessed online or can be picked up at the city USDA Service Center. The completed resume or application must be received in the Wayne County Office no later than Feb 20 to be considered. If there are questions, contact the County Office at 402-375-2453, extension 2. USDA is an equal opportunity employer and provider.

### Accepting Applications for ASSISTANT POOL MANAGER & SWIMMING POOL LIFE GUARDS

The City of Wakefield is now accepting applications for a seasonal full-time Assistant Pool Manager for the 2015 season.

The City of Wakefield is now accepting applications for seasonal full-time and seasonal part-time Life Guards for the 2015 season.

Applicants must have good work habits and show dependability. Current Nebraska certifications are required, along with references.

Interested persons may obtain an application at the City Office, 405 Main Street, Wakefield, Nebraska. Applications must be returned no later than May 1, 2015 at 5:00 p.m. Applications can be mailed to City of Wakefield, P.O. Box 178, Wakefield, NE 68784. EOE.

**WANTED: TRUCK** driver. Local hauling. Must have CDL and credentials. Full-time. Ph. 402-369-2534 or 402-369-0946.

**HELP WANTED:** Apply in person at Vel's Bakery, 309 Main Street, Wayne, NE or call 375-2088.

**HELP WANTED:** Immediate opening for night time waitress/bartender in Laurel. Must work nights and weekends. Will train. Call 402-256-3105 and ask for Doug.

Are you looking for a part-time job with flexible hours and the ability to work from home? Then we'd like to talk to you about working with us. Northeast Nebraska Online is a website connecting small communities with local information and events from around Northeast Nebraska. If you have some spare time, computer knowledge, good writing skills and love to communicate with people, please email your resume to: info@northeastnebraskaonline.com

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The City of Laurel is accepting APPLICATIONS for the following part time positions:

- Asst. Pool Manager
- Lifeguards

Pick up application at the Laurel City Office.

Phone: 402-256-3112

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 5 p.m. on February 27, 2015

## — HELP WANTED — • CNA All Shifts

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Application Deadline: FEBRUARY 21, 2015



Wisner, NE

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If you are interested call Mary Lou Erb at 402-287-2102

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**FOR RENT:** Nice 1, 2, 3, and 4 bedroom apartments. All new heat pumps and central air. No parties. Call 402-369-0772.

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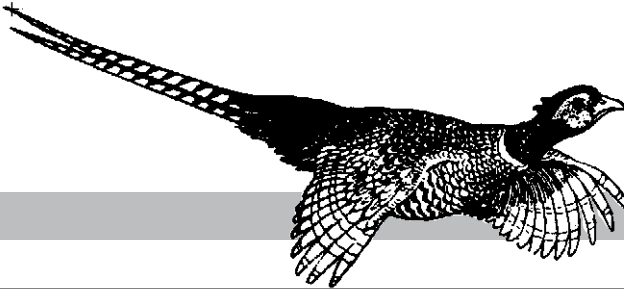


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by JEO Consulting Group, Inc., 803 W Norfolk Avenue, Norfolk, Nebraska 68701, a payment of \$50.00 to cover partial cost, none of which will be returned, needs to be paid prior to plans and specifications being sent out.

advise the public of these restricted parking regulations. Section 2. The original Section and any other sections in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

To amending the Wayne Municipal Code, Chapter 90 Zoning, Section 90-312 Permitted Principal Uses and Structures of the R-5 Residential District.

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.

ATTEST: Betty McGuire City Clerk (Publ. Feb. 5, 12, 19, 2015) ZNEZ

ATTEST City Clerk (Publ. Feb. 12 2015) ZNEZ

Amending the Wayne Municipal Code, Chapter 90 Zoning, Section 90-319 Design Standards and Requirements of the R-5 Residential District.

NOTICE OF RENEWAL OF RETAIL LIQUOR LICENSE Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Section 53-135.01, the liquor and catering license may be automatically renewed for one year from May 1, 2015, for the following retail liquor licensee, to wit:

ORDINANCE NO. 2015-1 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING WAYNE MUNICIPAL CODE, CHAPTER 78, ARTICLE III, SECTION 78-134 RELATING TO PARKING TIME LIMITS OF 15 MINUTES, 30 MINUTES AND ONE HOUR; LOCATION; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REPEAL OF CONFLICTING ORDINANCES OR SECTIONS; AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Wayne City Council was called to order at 5:30 p.m. on January 20, 2015. In attendance: Mayor Chamberlain; Councilmembers Giese, Greve, Haase, Sievers, Muir, Karsky, Eischeid, and Brodersen; Attorney Miller; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire.

Amending the Wayne Municipal Code, Chapter 90 Zoning, Section 90-319 Design Standards and Requirements of the R-5 Residential District. The applicant, the City of Wayne, seeks the request to add multi-family dwellings.

NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE WAYNE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY The Community Redevelopment Authority will meet at 4:00 P.M. on Tuesday, February 24, 2015, in the Council Chambers, 306 Pearl Street.

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Minutes of the January 6, 2015, meeting were approved. The following claims were approved: VARIOUS FUNDS: AMERITAS, SE, 2748.88; APPEARA, SE, 169.83; ASSOCIATED FIRE, SU, 359.51; BAKER & TAYLOR BOOKS, SU, 978.24; BANK FIRST, SE, 15.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 150.42; BIG T ENTERPRISES, SU, 43.95; CITY OF WAYNE, PY, 61343.24; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 227.99; COMMUNITY HEALTH, RE, 4.00; CONSOLIDATED MANAGEMENT, SU, 139.50; CREDIT BUREAU SERVICES, RE, 56.80; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 8.00; DANKO EMERGENCY EQUIPMENT, SU, 748.84; DAVE'S DRY CLEANING, SE, 129.00; DEARBORN NATIONAL LIFE, SE, 1854.28; DISCOUNT FURNITURE, SU, 425.00; EASYPERMIT POSTAGE, SU, 1761.69; ECHO GROUP, SU, 1138.64; ED. M. FELD EQUIPMENT, SU, 89.40; FREDRICKSON OIL, SU, 332.63; GALE GROUP, SU, 116.30; GREG KALLHOLFF, RE, 500.00; GROESNBURG IMPLEMENT, SU, 435.82; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 19.57; HILLYARD/SIOUX FALLS, SU, 161.60; HIRERIGHT SOLUTIONS, SE, 106.30; HOMETOWN LEASING, SE, 259.98; ICMA, SE, 6674.58; IRS, TX, 23455.90; KNOEPLER CHEVROLET, SU, 66.84; KTCH, SE, 1742.20; LUTT OIL, SU, 3778.98; MAIN STREET AUTO CARE, SE, 90.00; MARCO, SE, 126.36; MAXIMUM SOLUTIONS, SE, 2725.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 32.00; MIDWEST LABORATORIES, SE, 71.00; MURRELL, CECILIA, SE, 61.25; NAPA OF WAYNE, SU, 24.19; NE DEPT OF REVENUE, TX, 3492.90; NE PLANNING & ZONING, FE, 40.00; NE RURAL WATER, FE, 750.00; NE SAFETY COUNCIL, SE, 8.85; NPPD, SE, 281637.25; NEW PIG CORPORATION, SU, 312.33; NNPPD, SE, 12306.60; OLSSON ASSOCIATES, SU, 2419.93; PETERSON INDUSTRIAL ENGINE, SE, 8361.89; POSTMASTER, SE, 140.00; POWER MONITORS, SU, 588.10; PRONUNCIATOR, SU, 450.00; ROBERT WOEHLER & SONS, SE, 1774.00; SPARKLING KLEAN, SE, 2747.59; STADIUM SPORTING GOODS, SU, 180.00; STATE NEBRASKA BANK, FE, 40.00; STATE NEBRASKA BANK, RE, 253.84; UTILITIES SECTION, FE, 150.00; VAKOC BUILDER'S RESOURCE, SU, 104.52; WAKEFIELD REPUBLICAN, SU, 27.00; WAYNE COUNTY CLERK, SE, 32.00; WAYNE HERALD, SE, 1257.59; WESCO, SU, 1003.23; ZEE MEDICAL SERVICE, SU, 120.14; ADVANCED CONSULTING ENGINE, SE, 11750.00; AHERN CO., SE, 330.00; AMAZON.COM, SU, 331.84; ARBOR DAY FOUNDATION, FE, 100.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 184.89; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 150.00; CITY OF WAYNE, SE, 210.00; CORNHUSKER INTERNATIONAL, SU, 116.33; DE LAGE LANDEN FINANCIAL, TX, 23.61; DUTTON-LAINSON, SU, 1589.73; ECHO GROUP, SU, 715.78; FASTENAL CO, SU, 9.95; GROESNBURG IMPLEMENT, SU, 79.51; ICC, FE, 170.00; MICHAEL TODD & CO, SU, 233.45; MILO MEYER CONSTRUCTION, SE, 260.00; MOTION INDUSTRIES, SU, 831.32; MSC INDUSTRIAL, SU, 131.32; NE NEB CLERKS ASSOC, FE, 25.00; NOVA HEALTH EQUIPMENT, SE, 379.52; PIEPER & MILLER, SE, 1185.00; PITNEY BOWES, SU, 258.00; SPARKLING INSTRUMENTS, SE, 861.01; VAKOC CONSTRUCTION, SE, 10.51; WAYNE COUNTY TREASURER, FE, 957.00; ZEE MEDICAL SERVICE, SU, 25.25. Public hearings to consider the Planning Commission's recommendations were held on the following items:

First reading of Ord. 2015-3 amending Sec. 90-311 Intent (R-5 Residential District). First reading of Ord. 2015-4 amending Sec. 90-312 Permitted Principal Uses and Structures (R-5 Residential District). First reading of Ord. 2015-5 amending Sec. 90-317 General Provisions (R-5 Residential District). First reading of Ord. 2015-6 amending Sec. 90-318 Height and Area Regulations (R-5 Residential District). First reading of Ord. 2015-7 amending Sec. 90-319 Design Standards and Requirements (R-5 Residential District). Third and final reading of Ord. 2014-45 annexing Southview Addition. Second reading of Ord. 2015-1 amending Sec. 78-134 relating to parking time limits of 15 minutes, 30 minutes and one hour. Res. 2015-7 accepting proposal and approving agreement with JEO Consulting Group, Inc., for professional services for the "Wayne 2016 Aquatic Center Project." Res. 2015-8 accepting and authorizing the execution of the construction phase services agreement with JEO Consulting Group, Inc., for the "Hillside Drive Improvement Project." Res. 2015-9 reaffirming the project engineer and approving the plans, specifications and estimate of cost for the "East Water Tower Repainting Project" and authorizing the City Clerk to advertise for bids. To table action on Resolution 2015-10 - approving the Agreement with Advanced Consulting Engineering Services for the "Thorman Street Sanitary Sewer Extension Project" until the next meeting. Res. 2015-11 amending the Recreational Trails Program Project Agreement between the City and the Nebraska Game and Parks Commission for the "Recreational Trail Signage Project." Pay Application No. 1 for \$95,575.91 to Robert Woehler & Sons Construction for the "2014 Hillside Drive, Paving & Storm Sewer Improvement Project." To table action on staff's proposal to extend city sewer services south on Chief's Way. Meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m. The City of Wayne, Nebraska By: Mayor

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA ESTATE OF CATHERINE E. ECHTENKAMP, Deceased. Estate No. PR 15-3. Notice is hereby given that on February 9, 2015, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, Larry G. Echtenkamp, whose address is 85973 577th Avenue, Wayne, NE 68787, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of the Estate. Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before Tuesday, April 14, 2015 or be forever barred. All persons having a financial or property interest in said estate may demand or waive notice of any order or filing pertaining to said estate. (s) KimBerly Hansen Clerk Magistrate/Registrar 510 Pearl Street, Suite B Wayne, Nebraska 68787 Michael E. Pieper, No. 18147 Pieper & Miller P.O. Box 427 Wayne, NE 68787 (402) 375-3585 (Publ. Feb. 12, 19, 26, 2015) ZNEZ 1 clip - 1 POP

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