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Adjusting to post-storm home

One year after tornado, family moves to town, misses country life

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Jason Barelman and her husband, Mark Moser, thoroughly enjoyed their dream life in their country home south of Wakefield.

Letting her ponies and the family's two big dogs, Nabor and Ralphie, run and play on freshly-laid sod, enjoying their garden and being able to stand outside in the darkness and look up at the stars was about as close to nirvana as they felt they could get.

And then, it was gone in a matter of seconds.

Their home was one of almost a dozen rural residences in eastern Wayne County that were destroyed by a tornado that ripped through the area on June 16, 2014. The storm, which originated in Stanton County and pulverized Pilger, made its way to the northeast and turned Barelman and Moser's beautiful country home - along

with her mother's and many neighbors' - into piles of rubble.

"We had done a lot of landscaping and built a new garage, so we had invested a lot of time out there, and it was just gone in a matter of seconds," Moser said as he and his wife sat in their new home, located just a stone's throw from Wayne State College.

Adjusting to the city life is something Barelman said she didn't think she'd have to think about.

"I loved being out there so much," she said. "When I went home from work for the weekend, if I didn't need to leave the house to get anything, it was wonderful staying out there."

Moser and Barelman had moved out to their home south of Wakefield along Highway 16 in 2001. Barelman's mother, Hilda Pearson, also moved out there and had a

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(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Jason Barelman and her husband, Mark Moser (with cat, Bob and dog, Nabor), are trying to adapt to life in the city after losing their country home south of Wakefield in last summer's tornado.

Party starts next Friday for Winside

The community of Winside is gearing up for its 125-year celebration, and the party gets started next Friday, June 19, in downtown Winside.

The beer garden opens downtown at 1 p.m., with food vendors opening at 5 p.m. The opening ceremony for the three-day weekend is at 6:30 p.m. on Main Street, with a beard-judging contest being held there at 7 p.m.

A pitch tournament and raffle will be held at the Winside American Legion hall at 7:30 p.m., and Rough Cut will play the Friday night street dance from 8 p.m.-12 a.m. Fireworks will be ignited at Frank Weible Field at 10 p.m.

On Saturday, the beer garden and food vendors open early at 7 a.m., with the 5 K Walk/Run and Kids Fun Run beginning at the Winside Public Schools parking lot at 7:30 a.m. (registration is at 7 a.m.)

Registration for the parade is at 8 a.m. at the United Methodist Church. The parade will run on Main and Crawford streets beginning at 9:30 a.m. Erika Shelton, Mrs. Nebraska 2015, is the grand marshal for the parade, and will be at a meet-and-greet at the library at 10:30 a.m.

Craft vendors will be at the Legion hall from 10 a.m.-5 p.m., and an open house will be at the Lied Winside Public Library from 10 a.m.-12 p.m.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church will have a pie and ice cream social in the Marotz Building from 11 a.m.-7 p.m. A free barbecue will be held in the city park from 12-2 p.m., and the city's museum will be open from 12-4 p.m., with entertainment available in the park at around 12:30 p.m.

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(Photo by Clara Osten)

Running for Nepal

Volunteers spray Trent and Adalynn Hays with color during last week's Color Run for Nepal. Approximately 60 individuals took part in the run/walk which raised over \$3,000 for the victims of the recent earthquake.

Perry gets prison for child porn

By MICHAEL CARNES
Of The Herald

Ted Perry told the court that he was tremendously sorry for the reckless and selfish behavior he engaged in before being sentenced Wednesday morning to prison for his involvement in the possession and distribution of child pornography.

Perry was sentenced by District Judge James G. Kube to up to one year in prison on one count of possession and another year for eight other counts, with those sentences running concurrently. He received a sentence of up to six years - including a mandatory minimum of three years - on two individual counts of distribution, and a similar term for the three remaining possession charges. Those will run consecutive to one another, meaning he would be eligible for parole in 6 1/2 years and would serve at least 10 years before his release. He would also be required to register as a sex offender upon his release, and was ordered to continue counseling during his time in the Nebraska State Penitentiary.



Perry

Standing before the court in Wayne County District Court, Perry expressed remorse for his involvement in internet child pornography and told the court he has sought sex addiction treatment in the wake of his arrest last summer for a total of 28 counts. Under a plea agreement, he pled guilty to nine counts of possession, a Class III Felony, and five counts of distribution, a Class I-D Felony.

"It truly didn't resonate with me the gravity of the situation until I got into counseling," Perry told the court. "I'm tremendously sorry for the reckless and selfish behavior I've engaged in. What I did was wrong . . . and I've taken steps to correct this and have no intention of going back."

Judge Kube complimented Perry for his effort to seek treatment, but said the fact remains that there were victims to his actions.

"It's good that you're addressing this, but it shouldn't be lost on any of us that there are victims to each of these crimes and there are people involved who need our support and prayers," he said. "It's acts like that that perpetuate them being victims, and ultimately we can't forget that at the root of this issue, the children are the victims."

Perry was arrested in September of 2014 after a CyberTip reported by Microsoft Corporation led to an investigation that found photographs and video images depicting child pornography on a computer owned by Perry. He was arrested, and a plea agreement was announced in March by his attorney, Jason Doele, and the Wayne County Attorney's Office.

Board recognizes retiring principal

By CLARA OSTEN
Of the Herald

Jill Pickinpaugh was recognized and thanked for her years of service during the Monday meeting of the Wayne Community Schools Board of Education meeting.

Pickinpaugh attended her last meeting as principal of Wayne Elementary School and is finishing her last week of employment with the district. She is retiring and hopes to be able to spend more time with her grandsons and her parents.

The board treated her to cake and ice cream following the meeting and wished her well in the future.

In other action, the board approved on second reading the 2015-2016 Junior/Senior High Handbook and approved the first reading of the 2015-2016 Elementary School handbook.

Wayne Elementary students will be dismissed from school 15 minutes earlier in the coming year. Dismissal time will be at 3:20 for the elementary students and 3:35 for junior and senior high students.

It is hoped that with the staggered dismissal times, some of the congestion around the elementary school will be eliminated.

Information was shared with the board on the Early Learning Center and the board was invited to an Aug. 14 Chamber Coffee to be held at the facility on Providence Road.

First reading approval was given to the Early Learning Center handbook. It was noted that the district has received a \$145,000 grant for the Center, which includes \$25,000 for start-up costs. The district is eligible to apply for additional grant money in coming years.

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Area poultry events shelved to prevent Avian Flu spread

After consultation with Nebraska Extension and poultry industry leaders, the Nebraska Department of Agriculture (NDA) cancelled all poultry events across Nebraska through January 1, 2016.

The ban will include all events where birds are co-mingled including: local and county fairs and festivals, the Nebraska State Fair, Ak-Sar-Ben, swap meets, exotic sales and live bird auctions in an effort to prevent the spread of highly pathogenic H5N2 avian influenza (HPAD).

In Wayne County, this will affect both the Wayne County Fair and the Wayne Chicken Show. Both of these events will still be

held, but neither can include live poultry.

According to Amy Topp, Extension Educator 4-H and Youth Development, University of Nebraska-Lincoln in Wayne County, there are 17 Wayne county youth enrolled in 4-H poultry projects, representing 14 different families.

She said that Extension will abide by the decisions made by the Nebraska Department of Ag in regard to this situation.

"The decision to cancel poultry events was made in an effort to protect the physical and economic health of Nebraska's poultry sector. It is a difficult decision as I know

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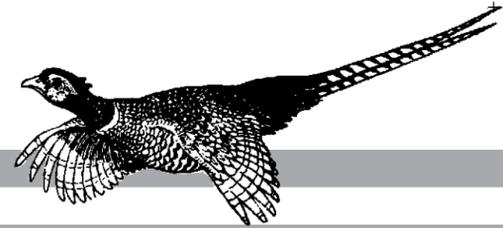
(Photo by Clara Osten)

Remembering at Relay

Trick photography helped enhance the impact of more than 500 luminaria bags that lined the Kern Track at this year's Wayne County Relay For Life. More photos and details can be found on page 8B of the Herald.

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Obituaries

Bernice Rees

Bernice Rees, 83, of Norfolk, formerly of the Randolph and Carroll communities, died Monday, June 8, 2015 at Colonial Manor in Randolph.

Services will be held Thursday, June 11 at First United Methodist Church of Wayne. Chaplain Rosalind Woods will officiate. Visitation will be held Wednesday, June 10 from 5 to 7 p.m. at Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne with family present.

Bernice Luella Rees was born March 20, 1932, at Laurel to James and Emma (Doring) Benjamin. She graduated from Laurel High School. Bernice married Ronald Rees on Jan. 30, 1951 at the First Presbyterian Church in Laurel. The couple farmed with Ronald's father and their son, Howell, raising cattle, hogs, corn, beans, and oats. Bernice was a past member of Zion Congregational Church near Carroll.

Survivors include her son, Howell of Randolph; daughter, Ann (John) Geewe of Wakefield; grandson, James (Kyla Witzel) Geewe of Norfolk; sister, Arlene Thompson of Staples, Minn.; sister-in-law, Jean (Clyde) Watts of Vermillion, S.D.; many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Ronald, in 2014; sister, Delores (Norman) Anderson; nephews, Roger Anderson and Tony Watts; brother-in-law, Lowell Thompson.

Pallbearers will be Charles Morris, David French, Steve Bowers, Garry Anderson, Dwight Brummels and Jim Thompson.

Burial will be in Elmwood Cemetery at Carroll.

Memorials may be directed to the Rees family for later designation.

Arrangements are with Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne.



Shirley and Harold Kuhn

Shirley M. Kuhn, 86, formerly of Emerson and Wayne, died Friday, May 29, 2015 at a hospital in Lincoln following a brief illness.

Harold M. Kuhn, 92, formerly of Emerson and Wayne, died Friday, June 5, 2015 at a care center in Lincoln.

A celebration of life service for Shirley and Harold will be 10:30 a.m. on Monday, June 15 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Emerson.

The family suggest donations be made to St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Emerson. Becker - Hunt Funeral Home assisted the family with the arrangements.

Survivors include their children: Andrew (Karen), Steven (Jolene), and Daneze Hanish (Dean), seven grandchildren: Tom and Katy Kuhn, Nicholas (Suzanne), Jacob (Kelli), Erin (Terry Young), Zachary (Lina), and Caleb Hanish, 11 great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

A Quick Look



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Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
June 4	81	63	—	—
June 5	79	62	.21"	—
June 6	83	65	.21"	—
June 7	83	64	1.31"	—
June 8	81	61	—	—
June 9	87	61	—	—
June 10	98	66	—	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — 1.73"
Yr./Date — 7.9"

Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, June 12 at Careage Campus of Care. It will include a ribbon cutting for the remodeled Countryview Estates Assisted Living. The coffee on Friday, June 19 will be held at Wayne Community Housing. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15 a.m.



Tornado commemoration service set

WAKEFIELD — A commemoration service remembering the one-year anniversary of the tornado that hit Wakefield and the surrounding area will be held on Tuesday, June 16, at 5:30 p.m. The Wakefield Ministerium is planning the event in the parking lot of the Salem Lutheran Church in Wakefield, which served as the site for a number of outreach services following the tornado. A brief service to commemorate the tornado will be held, and everyone is welcome to attend.

Ike's Fishing Derby

AREA — The Wayne Chapter of the Izaak Walton League will be sponsoring an IKE's Kids Fishing Derby on Saturday, June 20 at the lake, four miles north of Wayne on Highway 15, two miles west and 1.5 miles north of Wayne. The lake is on the right side of the road. Registration begins at 9 a.m. and fishing will be from 9:30 to 11 a.m. with prizes awarded at 11:30 a.m. Prizes will be awarded in several age categories. The rain date is Sunday, June 21 at 1 p.m. For more information, contact Scott Brummond at (402) 375-0747; Erin Eilers at (402) 375-2359; Ed Brogie at (402) 369-0772 or Mark Hammer at (402) 375-4768.

Consider The Alternative event set

We're pleased to invite you to a screening of "Consider The Alternative" on June 12 at 4 p.m. in the lecture hall. Nebraska Loves Public Schools latest film, "Consider The Alternative", balances the conversation around school reform and closing the achievement gap. The film explores what school choice looks like in Nebraska and shares the importance of standing up for our traditional public schools. Join us for this screening June 12 at 4:00 p.m. in the lecture hall. We hope to see you there.

Weight Watchers looking for members

AREA — The Wayne Weight Watchers group is currently looking for members to join, or re-join, the group. The group needs to maintain a level of participants to keep the meetings going in Wayne. Members meet at 12:15 p.m. at the Wayne Community Activity Center. For more information contact Leader Julie Senden at (402) 380-1319 or a local member at (402) 375-3567.

WSC's Fricke earns Newman award

Wayne State College senior Jeremy Fricke has been notified of his acceptance as 2015 Campus Compact Newman Civic Fellow.

Fricke is also an officer for the Interfaith Action Group and the Social Sciences Honor Society, Pi Gamma Mu. In addition, Fricke has participated in Service-Learning at WSC.

"When I decided to go to Wayne State College, I honestly did not realize that I would become so active with civic engagement. My love for interfaith work sprouted when I met many friends of diverse religions and realized that some sort of public understanding was necessary to make everyone's lives more pleasant," Fricke said. "I founded and became president of Wayne State's first interfaith club, Interfaith Action Group, and have worked over 200 hours to organize and hold many events devoted to raising awareness, tolerance, and understanding of all belief systems through presentations, speakers, and immersive activities. Through the service-learning component of my class on business communication, I was able to assist Wayne's local historical society by setting up an internship program, and also made the contacts necessary to be able to make sure that it would be well-funded. I have also have had the opportunity to volunteer with the Honors Club, as well as Phi Beta Lambda-Future Business Leaders of America. If one person can make a positive impact, anyone can. I hope that I can be a positive leader and good example as I go on to continue to support interfaith engagement throughout my life."

Fricke was nominated by the president of the college to receive

the 2015 Campus Compact Newman Civic Fellows Award. Through this award, Fricke has been recognized for his public involvement and motivation to create lasting change. His nomination indicates that he is a leader who inspires not only other students, but also the entire campus and community. "Jeremy Fricke, a senior at Wayne State College, created a student group to lead the campus in the exploration and greater understanding of religious faiths around the world. The group, The Interfaith Action Group, takes students on field trips to religious sites and brings speakers to campus to address audiences of students, faculty, staff, and community members. The addition of this group on campus has strengthened the dialogue around the concepts of religious diversity. Students are allowed to ask questions to dispel myths and prejudices. The group that is housed in the Multicultural Center on campus is opening doors of understanding and helping students and community members to learn about faith based issues and religious persecution faced by others around the world," said Curt Frye, Wayne State College president.

"This work is directly related to Jeremy's field of study, Human Resources Management. Businesses who appreciate and celebrate a diverse workforce can better prepare themselves for the opportunities of working in today's economy. Beyond that basis, Jeremy's work will prepare him to continue his studies as he continues his education at law school or graduate school in the fall."

A group of 201 student leaders from colleges nationwide have been



(Photo courtesy Wayne State College)

Wayne State senior Jeremy Fricke was honored recently with the 2015 Campus Compact Newman Civic Fellow.

selected. No formal requirements of award winners are expected. The award does present an advantage for online and in-person networking opportunities.

The Newman Civic Fellows Award is named for Dr. Frank Newman, one of the founders of Campus Compact, who dedicated his life to creating opportunities for student civic learning and engagement. Campus Compact is a national coalition of more than 1,100 college and university presidents—representing some 6 million students—who are committed to fulfilling the civic purposes of higher education to improve community life and to educate students for civic and social responsibility. The Newman Civic Fellows Award is generously sponsored by the KPMG Foundation.



Pet of the Week

This week's Pet of the Week at Tenderheart Animal Rescue is Margo. She comes from Wayne and was taken in as a scared stray by a local cat lover. She is still pretty leary of strange situations and people but is adapting nicely. She loves being petted but not picked up. She would like a quiet home, perhaps with another cat.

Remember that June is Adopt a Shelter Cat month and we have reduced the adoption fee on our longer-term residents who are all good kitties.

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

Mold, mildew are problems this spring

As the weather and seasons change so do the types of calls to the Nebraska Regional Poison Center. Many parts of the country had a very wet spring therefore mold and mildew are common problems.

This time of year the number of calls concerning bleach exposures rise. Household bleach has many uses around the house but it can cause problems if it gets in the eye or is swallowed. Bleach should never be used with other cleaning products. When it comes in contact with other cleaners that contain acids or ammonia - a dangerous gas can form causing serious breathing problems.

As the weather warms up so do the calls on bites and stings. The bee population has started to increase and will be at its peak until the first freeze. If you are stung - call the poison center. Close observation for allergic reaction is important, especially in the first hour after a sting.

With the very wet spring the use of insect repellents will be a common call to the poison center. DEET-containing insecticides should be applied sparingly to exposed skin and clothing. Remember, lower concentrations of less than 10 percent have been found to be just as effective as higher concentrations.

Days are longer and children are out of school spending more time outdoors where they can be exposed to poisons. Hydrocarbons found in gasoline, kerosene, lighter fluids and torch fuels, are among the top ten causes of childhood poisoning deaths in the United States. Make sure you store these up and out of reach after use.

When firing up the grill or heading to a picnic, it's important to take some precautions. Remember to keep hot foods hot and cold foods cold. The USDA recommends fully cooking all meats to ensure bacteria are destroyed to prevent food poisoning. Meats should be cooked to 160 degrees. Always use a food thermometer as you can't tell if meat is fully cooked by looking at it.

Summer is the busiest time of the year for the poison center and the nurses are always available to answer questions at (800) 222-1222.



Long time fireman

Bill Kugler and his wife, Rae, were recognized at a recent meeting of the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department. Kugler has been active with the fire department for more than 60 years. In accepting the plaque from Wayne Fire Chief Phil Monahan, Kugler thanked his wife for her support during this time.



Hospice service conducted

The 26th annual Providence Medical Center and Providence Hospice Memorial Service was held at the First United Methodist Church on June 7. Eighty-one names were memorialized and the message was delivered by Pastor Jeanne Madsen from Our Savior Lutheran Church, Wayne. Music was provided by Robert and Lisa Floss from Minden, Iowa. The traditional balloon release demonstrated the lifting away of unwanted emotions and the embracing of renewed hope for the future.

Carroll ballfield sporting new sign

Kitten ball, baseball, softball - all have been a major part of the history of the village of Carroll.

Now, thanks to a generous donation from American Legion Post 165 in Carroll, the ballfield on the north edge of town has a new sign.

Several pages of the recent Carroll history book provide information on the various ball teams throughout the past.

The current ballfield was dedicated in 1979 in memory of Robert E. Johnson and the new sign carries his name in bold letters.

Johnson, and his wife, Patricia Tucker-Johnson-Roberts, were very involved in ball teams, beginning as early as the late 1930s.

"My husband (Robert) loved sports, especially baseball. Our son did also. Sports were a big thing in our family," Patricia said.

She noted that she was part of a kitten ball team in the late 1930s and teams from the surrounding communities would play each other. Eventually, kitten ball became known as softball.

"During World War II most of the games involved only girls, but when the war was over, Carroll had really good men's teams. Some of the players even tried out for the majors.



(Photo by Clara Osten)

The newly installed sign at the Carroll Ball was paid for with donations from the Carroll American Legion. It replaces one that has been damaged over time.

Some of the players were even paid to play for other teams," Patricia said.

Ball games were the highlight of the week and every Sunday the field was prepared for afternoon games. Games were held in daylight for many years before lights were added.

She also recalls several girls who continued to play softball for many years.

"Addie Jorgensen played for the Carroll team in the 1940s and con-

tinued to play softball until she was in her 60's. I think she was probably the best female athlete that Carroll ever had, followed by Laura Fredrickson," Patricia said.

Patricia said she has many fond memories of the baseball field in Carroll and is especially grateful to the American Legion for their donation of a new sign. She hopes it will last well into the future and be a reminder of those who have been a part of past ball teams.

Carroll man enters not guilty pleas

A Carroll man entered not guilty pleas to five counts relating to his April 6 arrest on charges of possession and distribution of child pornography.

Gary Landanger, 67, entered his not guilty pleas in Wayne County District Court early Wednesday morning with his attorney, Kate Jorgensen, present. He was

charged with four counts of possession of child pornography, a Class III Felony; and one count of distribution of child pornography, a Class I-D Felony.

If convicted, Landanger can receive a sentence of up to 20 years in prison and a \$25,000 fine for each of the possession counts, and a mandatory minimum of three

years to a maximum of 50 years for the distribution charge.

District Judge James G. Kube set a pre-trial conference hearing for Wednesday, July 1, with a trial set for Monday, Aug. 10. His \$200,000 personal recognizance bond was continued by Judge Kube.

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house right next to her daughter's.

On that fateful day one year ago, both were at work in Wayne - Moser works for Farmers Service Agency - when the storms began doing their damage to the south in Stanton County.

"I'd called her and told her I was going home to get the dogs out of the kennel so they wouldn't be out in the rain," Moser recalled. "I got there about the time the rain started, but I had no idea what was coming."

Barelman, meanwhile, had gone to the basement at the college with her fellow employees when the tornado siren sounded in Wayne. Once it was determined Wayne was not in the path of the storm, she left and hurried home.

"I wanted to get my car in the garage before the hail hit," she said, laughing at the irony of what was to come. "I'd talked with Lois Shelton on the way home, and she said she thought I was driving right into a tornado."

She wasn't far off - less than 20 minutes after Barelman put her car in the garage, the gigantic wedge-shaped storm could be seen heading in their direction.

"I was watching the warnings and I didn't think the storm would track this direction, but then I saw the wedge and two smaller tails, and it kept getting darker and closer, so we got to the basement and tried to get our dogs and cats down there with us," Moser said.

The cats had already found shelter out of their sight, but Barelman and Moser got Nabor to come down to the basement with them while Ralphie decided to guard the landing. When they came out of the cellar after the storm, however, they didn't see the damage right away.

"There was very little damage in the kitchen when we first came up, but then we went around the corner and could see all the devastation," Moser said. "It seemed like it lasted forever."

"It just took seconds to change the course of our lives," Barelman said. "When I walked outside to see that everything had been leveled, I was just in a daze. My mom said she heard the roar in her basement and then looked up and saw blue sky."

The cleanup effort began almost immediately, but even a year later, Barelman said she has yet to go through some of the belongings that were salvaged.

"I haven't had the strength to even go through them," she said. "One of the back rooms here is filled with stuff I haven't gone through yet, and we have a storage unit full of junk. So much of it was beat up after the tornado, and it left this 'tornado paste' that you can't get off no matter how hard you try."

The stress of the suddenness of everything affected Barelman at first, but therapy proved to be helpful in overcoming the trauma of what had happened to her family.

"It was strange, because a week before the storm I was running 3-4 miles, and right after the tornado, I'd walk a block and I couldn't breathe," she said. "We did some



(Herald file photo)

Jason Barelman and Mark Moser's home was one of about a dozen just south and east of Wakefield that were damaged or destroyed by a tornado that hit the area one year ago.

tests and there wasn't anything wrong with me, and now I don't feel it as much."

Moser said he was surprised - and grateful - with the help he and his family received once the storm was over.

"The people who showed up to help were amazing," he said. "I don't know how they heard, but people just started showing up to help out, one after another, and it was just incredible."

Moser and Barelman, and their pets, were able to find some temporary shelter here in town with Deb Morlock (the pets found temporary quarters at Wayne Vet Clinic) before finding their new home - in the city - about a block away from Wayne State College. Barelman saw the house online, and less than two months after losing their beloved country home, they had found a place to call home here in Wayne.

The couple have adapted to life in town - sort of.

"Our dogs are country dogs, so we need to walk them around a lot ev-

ery day," Barelman said. "The good thing is that it's a great upper-body workout walking these two, but I hate winters and having to put on all those layers just to take them for a walk."

"The nice thing about it is that we can walk to the store or the movie, and we enjoy walking everywhere," Moser added.

Even something as simple as curbside recycling has been a blessing, Barelman added, and they eat out more than they used to, their utility bills aren't quite as daunting, and a local restaurant is always a short walk away when compared to a drive into town out in the country.

But that country life - it's something that, even a year later, the couple still miss.

"When anybody asks if we're settled yet - I'm so far from settled," Barelman admitted. "Sometimes I wish I could close my eyes and this bad dream would be over and we'd be back out on the farm," she said.

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Pilger RE celebration this weekend

One year after devastating tornadoes destroyed a large part of the community, the village of Pilger is coming together to hold a celebration of REbuilding, REsilience and REcovery.

Activities will take place Friday, Saturday and Sunday, June 12, 13 and 14.

Kicking off the celebration will be a ground breaking ceremony for Midwest Bank at 4 p.m. at the corner of Second and Main Streets.

Also scheduled for Friday are a community picnic at 6:30 p.m., a horse shoe tourney at 7 p.m. and the showing of the movie "The Boxtrolls" at sundown. The movie will be shown on the Pilger Ball field and those attending are asked to bring their own seating. Concessions will be available with proceeds to benefit the Pilger Se-

nior Center. A free will donation will be accepted for the movie.

Saturday begins with an adult Co-Ed Softball Tourney at 8 a.m.

A Progress Walking Tour is scheduled for 10 a.m. and will start and end at the Pilger Park.

The newly REdone Pilger Library will be open from 10 a.m. to noon and book signing will take place at 10 a.m. at the Pilger Park for LaRayne M. Topp's book, "Eighty-One Seconds."

A Show and Shine Truck Show is planned at 11 a.m. at Go-Jo Trucking Lot. An inflatable midway will be at the Pilger Park from noon to 4 p.m. and face painting will be available also.

Damon Nomad Band will be at the Pilger Ball field from 6:30 to 8 p.m. and will be followed by a State of Pilger Address and a VIP

Concert Package Auction.

Rachel Price, will perform at the ball field from 8:30 to 11:30 p.m. for a free-will donation.

Sunday's activities include a community church service at the park at 10:30 a.m. and a flag dedication at 1 p.m. at the library.

A Road Rally completes the weekend activities. It will begin and end at the Pilger Park and include a scavenger hunt.

All proceeds, unless otherwise designated, will be used by the village of Pilger to assist with operational and recovery costs.

The public is invited to attend these events and help the community celebrate the recovery and those who have supported the village of Pilger.

Restaurant fulfills lifelong dream

By LAURA ANDERSON
Of the Herald

With years of experience being a waitress and catering her sibling's weddings, Holly Torres is seeing her dream come to life.

After a year of planning and help from the Small Business Association, the Torres Family Restaurant is ready for customers.

Setting up the building with kitchen equipment, having inspections done and finding an electrician were some of the most difficult parts of the process for Torres.

"The business part of it is daunting, but keep me behind the stove and I'm happy," Torres said.

It's a double-sided business due to the fact that there are 12 storage units in the back that can be rented, Torres said, and the restaurant that is located in the front of the building. Someday she hopes that there will be a spiral staircase leading to the upstairs that could be used as a reception hall or a meeting room that people could rent.

The new restaurant, located at 118 East Second Street, is open from 10:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. Monday through Saturday and serves both Mexican dishes and home cooked meals as well as baked goods.

Holly married a Hispanic man, and with training from her mother-in-law and her friend as her "secret weapon," Natalie cooking in the kitchen with her, Torres and her staff are making authentic Mexican dishes like flautas and enchiladas.

Torres still learns new things from Natalie, but said that she is so fast at making things like sauces that it is hard to keep up with her sometimes.

"We like to cook something our family likes," Torres said.

They have daily meal specials like meatloaf and potatoes or oven fried chicken from Monday through Thursday. On Friday and Saturday, they have their Mexican food specials that Natalie whips up.



(Photo by Laura Anderson)

Holly Torres stirs up some gluten-free dough as she prepares meals at her new restaurant, Torres Family Restaurant, in downtown Wayne.

All of the food is homemade, including the pizza. Torres makes her own pizza sauce and pizza dough. They have a brick stone oven in the back especially for it.

Torres is of Czech descent and makes kolaches, cookies and pies-of-the-day that are on the menu.

"Grandma taught me how to bake when I was young, but everything else is self-taught," Torres said.

She is a self-professed Food Network junkie and said that is where she gets some of her ideas for recipes from.

There are gluten free or vegetarian items that can be ordered as

well. She makes a gluten free pizza crust and is hoping to get gluten free buns for the hamburgers too.

Her kids help around the restaurant as well as her other ten staff members that she says are pretty good people.

"It's a learning experience and I want the community to know that this is new for us," Torres said.

They can also cater as long as Holly is contacted by phone at (402) 833-5366 about the opportunity.

"I hope that customers have their tummies full and they leave happy," Torres said.

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Remembering Christopher Johnson

The family of Christopher Johnson, who was killed in the line of duty while serving as a Platte County Deputy Sheriff, presented a check to the Wayne County Sheriff's Office last week. The money will be used to purchase tasers for the department. Involved in the check presentation were (left) Deputy Jesse Frank, Sheila Sample, Jake Randle, Steve Sample, Lorraine Johnson, Randall Johnson and Wayne County Sheriff Jason Dwinell.

Winside Q125

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A tractor display will be available at B&B Storage at 2 p.m., and the NENPA Tractor Pull will be held south of the tennis court at 2 p.m. Water fights will take place on main street at 3 p.m., and are open to the public.

The annual Alumni Banquet will be held from 5-8 p.m. at the Winside City Auditorium. The street dance starts on Main Street at 7 p.m., with D.J. Smith opening at 7 p.m. and featured act Judd Hoos taking the stage at 9 p.m. and playing until 1 a.m. Sunday.

Sunday's activities start at 9 a.m. with Bossy Bingo, and a community church service will be held in the city park at 9:30 a.m., with a brunch to follow at 10 a.m. in the Marotz Building.

Beer gardens and food vendors open downtown at 10 a.m. Sunday, and craft vendors will be on hand at the Legion club from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. The city museum will be open from 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church will continue their pie and ice cream

social from 11 a.m.-7 p.m., and the kiddie parade will start on Main Street at 11 a.m. (registration is at 10:45 a.m. at the Winside Fire Hall).

The tractor parade will be held on Main Street at 11:15 a.m. (registration at B&B Storage at 10:45 a.m.), and a Road Rally will start at the fire hall at 12 p.m. (registration at 11:30 a.m.).

Pony rides and bouncy houses will be available for the kids from 12-4 p.m. in the city park, and the

Gene Topp Memorial Car Show will run from 1-4 p.m. on Main Street.

Other activities Sunday afternoon include 50's and 60's-style entertainment with the Dust Jackets on Main Street from 1-4 p.m., a vintage style show in the Winside Auditorium at 1 p.m., a Pig Farmer Bike Ride at 2 p.m., gospel entertainment in the city auditorium with Jim and Julie Couch at 2:30 p.m., horseshoes at B&B Storage at 4 p.m. and the raffle and Centennial Rifle drawing at 6 p.m.

Principal

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The 16 available slots for three-year old students have been filled for the upcoming school year and nearly 20 four-year old students have been enrolled.

Superintendent Mark Lenihan presented information on the English Language Learners (ELL)/Poverty review conducted recently and said the district will not be receiving any state aid for the coming year to assist with the education of

these students.

Lenihan also updated the board on the track building renovation project, which got underway on June 8 and is expected to be completed this summer. He said that the Booster Club has agreed to provide \$5,000 to assist with the purchase of signage on the building.

The board will next meet in regular session on Monday, July 13 at 5 p.m. at the Junior Senior High School.

(Photo by Anna Osten)

Over the road

Several parts of Wayne county received up to five inches of rain over the weekend, resulting in temporary flooding of fields and roads, as well as overflowing creeks. This photo was taken southeast of Carroll early Sunday morning.



Two more Dixon locations added to list of quarantined locations

No new cases of Avian Influenza have been reported in Dixon County by the Nebraska Department of Agriculture, but two more locations in Dixon County were added to the list of locations where chickens were depopulated to prevent the spread of the disease.

According to a news release from the Nebraska Department of Agriculture late Tuesday afternoon, seven locations – including one in Knox County – have been the subject of investigation regarding the spread of the disease in Northeast Nebraska. The location in Knox County, which includes 3 million laying hens, is currently under quarantine as a suspect flock, based on a presumptive positive test two weeks ago. Subsequent testing has not confirmed the presumptive positive, but the facility will remain under quarantine and will undergo regular testing for at least 21 days before the quarantine can be released.

Two Dixon County locations, which are owned and operated by the same producer that owns and operates the first three facilities that were shut down, were added to the list during the previous week. Testing indicated the virus was not present at either of these locations – referred to by the NDA as Dixon 4 and Dixon 5 – but

with the epidemiological connections at the other Dixon County facilities, the producer chose to voluntarily depopulate a total of 900,000 pullets at these locations in an effort to further contain the spread of the virus.

Depopulation has been completed at Dixon 1, Dixon 3 and Dixon 6 facilities and is ongoing at the other three Dixon County facilities. Burial has been completed at Dixon 6 – which housed less than 100 birds – composting has been completed at Dixon 3 and is nearing completion at Dixon 1. Composting is in progress at the other three locations. Cleaning and disinfection is in the beginning stages at Dixon 1, Dixon 3 and Dixon 6.

The NDA is coordinating the state response, using staff who are enforcing the quarantines of affected farms and overseeing cleanup efforts. They are also monitoring quarantined poultry farms within the established 6.2-mile radius of the affected farms and issuing permits for movement of materials outside the perimeter.

According to the NDA release, 18 farms have been quarantined in Dixon County and seven more in Wayne County. There are also 15 quarantined farms in Dakota County and 27 more in Knox County.

Avian Flu

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youth and adults would soon be exhibiting their projects at local fairs," said NDA Director Greg Ibach. "As a parent of past 4-H and FFA members, I understand the time and commitment that our youth put into their projects and can understand the disappointment they may feel in not being able to exhibit their projects this year. This decision was not made lightly, but is necessary to assure we do everything possible to protect our collective poultry flock from further spread of the virus."

While the ban will prevent Nebraska 4-H members from taking their birds to the Nebraska county and state fairs this season, youth are still encouraged to complete

their projects. Nebraska Extension is working to identify options for youth enrolled in poultry projects to showcase their learning and participate in fairs in other ways than having their birds present.

"We know 4-H'ers statewide have been learning about the science of animals through their poultry projects; we will help them showcase that work and celebrate their successes in other ways," says Nebraska Extension associate dean Kathleen Lodl. More information will be available at 4h.unl.edu.

Ibach applauds Nebraska Extension for working to identify options for youth enrolled in poultry projects to showcase their learning and participate in fairs in other ways

than having their birds present.

Ibach continues to ask Nebraska poultry producers, large and small, to monitor their flocks for symptoms of the virus and notify NDA immediately if they suspect any problems. All bird owners, whether commercial producers or backyard enthusiasts, should prevent contact between their birds and other birds including wild birds, and report sick birds or unusual bird deaths to state/federal officials, either through NDA by calling (877) 800-4080 or through USDA's toll-free number at (866) 536-7593.

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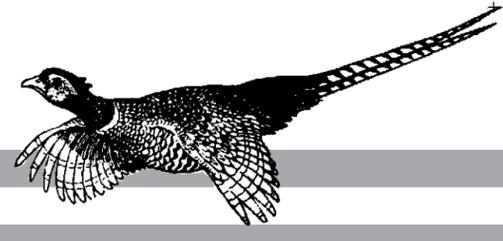
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Sports

From The Bleachers

Michael Carnes



Big night of MMA fights coming up

If you've ever watched mixed martial arts (MMA) fighting on TV, you know this is not a sport for the weak of constitution. Wayne has hosted a couple of MMA cards in recent years, but there is a HUGE night of fighting coming up later this summer at Winnavegas Resort that, as a fan of sports like boxing, wrestling and MMA, I am really looking forward to.

While the final schedule of fighters has yet to be announced, two of the 13 fights will be for King of the Cage championships. John DeVall of Sioux City will fight for the 125-pound championship, while Matt Gable of LeMars will compete for the 185-pound title.

This night of MMA fights, which will be shown on the MAV television network, is a really big deal for the area, according to Winnavegas marketing director – and former fellow sports journalist – Travis Morgan.

"When you think about this being the first-ever MMA event to be on live television here in Siouxland, it just goes to show where the sport is going," he said after a news conference last week announcing the night of fights. "With the facilities we have and the fans we have in the area, people across the country are going to see just how passionate we are about sports here in the Midwest."

DeVall, who runs a gym in Sioux City that trains a number of MMA fighters who are expected to compete in the Aug. 1 card, is passionate about the sport, and Morgan said the people in the area who are into MMA fighting are as passionate about their sport as anybody you will find.

"They're a tight-knit group, and they'll have a ton of fans coming along with them," he said. "There's a lot of love and respect between these guys, because they're working together and training together. Some of them will be fighting one minute, and then a few fights later will be another guy's corner man. They're that close a group."

And these aren't what old boxing gurus used to call "soup cans" from around the area who are stepping into the octagon. These Iowa and Nebraska-based fighters – people like Chris Galinski, Shane Moffitt and Danny Black – train hard and are competing alongside some of the best MMA fighters in the nation.

"If we were doing a fight with guys from New York fighting a guy from Philadelphia, we'd get the die-hard fans and that would be it," Morgan said. "You've got to bring in local fighters, just like Wayne State recruits local kids for their sports teams, because it brings area families and friends to the games. These fighters will have a lot of local support, but you've got to be good enough to compete here, and these aren't Joe Schmoes coming off the street. They're legit fighters."

Winnavegas has yet to post information on their website regarding ticket prices for the event, but Morgan said they intend to keep the cost down in an effort to draw a huge crowd to their outdoor venue – and the sky is, literally, the limit. "We'd like to have 6,000 people there for the fight," he said. "It's going to be outside and so it's going to be a great experience and it will be on live TV, so it's going to be a great night of fighting here."

If you happen to be watching the fight on MAV TV, look for me – I'm certainly planning on getting down close to enjoy the action.

It's hard to believe that we're almost a month into the summer sports season already, but a number of area athletes will compete in all-star events in the next week or two.

This weekend, you can see Brook Bowers, Tayib Toussaint and Jake Thompson of Wayne, along with LCC's Chayce Hirschman, play for



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Caden Korth puts everything into this pitch for the Wayne Juniors during action in the Wooden Bat Tournament Saturday at Hank Overin Field.

Juniors 1-2 in tourney

The Wayne American Legion Juniors went 1-2 in the Wooden Bat Tournament over the weekend.

On Saturday, Wayne dropped a 4-0 decision to Wahoo. Caden Korth pitched well in a losing effort, striking out four in 6 1/3 innings. Zane Jackson and Justin Dean both had hits, but Wayne left 10 runners on base and could not get on the scoreboard.

Wayne bounced back with a 6-2 win over Vermillion, as The Juniors were able to break a 1-1 tie with two runs in the fourth and three in the fifth to come away with the victory.

Zane Jackson struck out seven and scattered seven hits in 6 2/3 innings. Tyler Lutt came on in relief for the second straight game. Jackson helped his cause with a single and a run scored, Dean had a hit and scored twice, and Adam Bentjen and Brennen O'Reilly each had two hits.

On Sunday, Wayne lost to Lincoln Remax 9-5. Payten Gamble took the loss, but had two hits and scored a run to lead the offense. Dean also had two hits, and Jackson and Bentjen both had hits.

In league action, The Wayne Juniors dropped a 3-2 decision at Battle Creek Wednesday evening.

Bentjen pitched well in a losing effort, allowing just three hits and four walks while striking out three. Gamble and Tucker Nichols both had RBI singles and Justin Dean



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Beau Bowers watches the ball into the catcher's mitt during Saturday's 4-0 loss to Wahoo.

added a hit. On Monday, Wayne took care of Wisner, posting a 9-1 win. The Juniors broke open a close game with four runs in the fifth inning and cruised to the victory.

Bentjen went the distance for the 6-5 (3-1 RBL) Juniors, allowing four hits and a walk while striking out four. He helped his cause with a single and a run scored.

Gamble had four hits and three RBIs to lead Wayne at the plate. Dean had two hits and an RBI,

Nichols had two singles and a run scored, Mikey Reyes had two hits and scored twice, O'Reilly had a two-run single and Lutt, Jackson and Casey Brentlinger also added hits.

The Juniors have a busy week on the road this week. They face Norfolk in a doubleheader Thursday at 5:30 and 8 p.m., go to Pierce for a 6 p.m. game Friday, play at Wakefield Monday at 7 p.m. and at Wisner Tuesday at 5:45 p.m.

Dirt Devil 18's finish second

The Wayne Dirt Devils 18-under team posted a 3-2 effort at the Golden Girls tournament in Norfolk over the weekend.

On Friday, Wayne lost to the host team 4-1. Ashten Gibson took the loss, allowing five hits and two walks while striking out three. Kiarra Hochstein and Kortney Keller both doubled and Kennedy Maly had two hits.

On Saturday, Wayne posted wins over Loup City (8-0) and West Point Charter West (15-1). In the opener, Kayla Reinke struck out six and allowed two hits and two walks to get the win. Keller doubled twice, Abbie Hix had two hits, Hochstein doubled and Taylor Gamble and Danica Schaefer both had triples.

Against West Point, Wayne

scored all of its runs in the first inning. Reinke threw a no-hitter, walking four. Schaefer was 2-for-3 with a double, Reinke had two doubles and Keller, Hix, Hochstein and Jenna Trenhaile each had hits.

In bracket play Sunday, Wayne opened with an 11-4 win over North Bend. Gibson and Reinke combined for seven strikeouts in the win. Schaefer had three hits, including a double and a triple, Reinke had two hits with a double, Jamie Gamble doubled and Maly had two hits.

Wayne ended its weekend with an 8-5 loss to West Point JD's. Gibson took the loss in the circle and Hix, Schaefer, Maly, Keller and Gibson all had doubles. Trenhaile had a single.

In league action, the Dirt Devils

swept Pender, 12-2 and 13-3.

In the first game, Kayla Reinke got the win, striking out seven and walking four. Offensively, Trenhaile had a two-run triple, Reinke and Keller both had a single and a double and scored two runs each, Maly doubled, Hix scored twice and Taylor Gamble singled.

In the nightcap, Reinke struck out three and threw a one-hitter. Hix had two doubles and an RBI, Schaefer had two hits and three RBIs, Sierra Scardino doubled, Reinke had two hits and Jacque Sherman and Taylor Gamble each had a hit.



(Contributed photo)

Local in Boston Marathon

Wayne native Amber Nelson was among more than 30,000 runners who took part in the Boston Marathon on April 20. The 30-year-old Omaha resident finished 3,313rd among more than 13,700 female runners in the field of 30,251 competitors from all over the world. She finished the 26-mile, 385-yard race in a time of 3 hours, 34 minutes and 55 seconds.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Avianna Doring takes a big cut at a pitch for the 14-under Dirt Devils during the Golden Girls Invitational.

14's second at Norfolk

The Wayne Dirt Devils 14-under softball team claimed runner-up honors over the weekend at the Golden Girls Invitational in Norfolk.

In pool play action, Wayne defeated the Lincoln Lady Dominators 3-0 and Team Nebraska 12-6 while losing to Tekamah-Herman Gold 6-2.

In tournament play Sunday, they opened with a 12-1 win over Columbus Lakeview Blue, beat the Golden Girls 2-0 and shut out Norfolk Kelly's 2-0 before dropping a 16-2 de-

cision to the Hastings Crush in the championship game.

Sidney Biggerstaff had a big weekend for the Devils, going 9-for-16 at the plate with six RBIs. Tori Kniesche also had six RBIs while batting 6-for-12, Annie Kniesch was 6-for-17 with three RBIs and scored eight runs, and Marrison Lutt had six hits and four RBIs.

In the pitching department, Tori Kniesche struck out 42 batters

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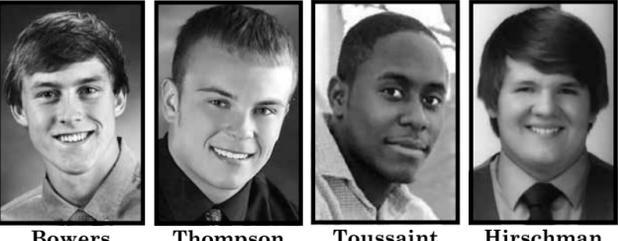
Area all-stars set to compete

Several area athletes will compete in all-star games this week and next in Norfolk.

The third-annual Northeast Nebraska All-Star Football Classic will be held at Memorial Field in Norfolk on Saturday, with kickoff at 1 p.m. Four area players will compete for the Red team, including Wayne High standouts Brook Bowers, Tayib Toussaint and Jake Thompson, along with Chayce Hirschman of Laurel-Concord-Coleridge.

The 18th annual Northeast Nebraska All-Star Volleyball Classic will be held later that day at 5 p.m. at Northeast Community College's Cox Activities Center. Madison Frevert of Wayne will play for the Dark team, with Wayne High coach Traci Krusemark serving as one of the Dark team's co-coaches along with Tammy Wieseler of Wynot.

On Friday, June 19, a number of area players will play in the 32nd annual Northeast Nebraska All-Star Basketball Classic at the Cox Activities Center. The girls game



Bowers Thompson Toussaint Hirschman



Frevert Arduser Corbit Hoskins

tips off at 6 p.m., with the boys game to follow at 8 p.m.

Ellie Arduser and Audra Corbit of Laurel-Concord-Coleridge will play in the game, but play on com-

peting teams. Arduser will play for the Light team, while Corbit will be on the Dark squad. Ben Hoskins of Wayne will play on the Light team in the boys game.



(Photo by Michael Carnes)

Taylor Gamble advances to second as part of a 15-run first inning for the Dirt Devil 18-unders Saturday.

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Devil 10's slam Stanton at home, 9-5

The Wayne Dirt Devils 10-under team came away with a 9-5 victory over Stanton in action Thursday at the Summer Sports Complex. Amara Hurlbert hit a grand slam home run to highlight the offensive effort, while Kendall Dorey and Brooklyn Kruse added hits. Avery Herman got her first win in the circle, striking out three and allowing two hits in three innings of work. Dorey picked up the save with two innings of scoreless relief, striking out five.

(Photo by Michael Carnes) Amara Hurlbert hit a grand slam home run to help the Dirt Devil 10-unders beat Stanton 9-5.



12-under Devils beat Stanton

The Wayne Dirt Devils 12-under team dominated Stanton at home Thursday and posted a 13-1 win. Kayla Fleming led the offensive attack with two singles and two RBI's, while Kinlee Bacon, Nikki Fertig and Aliah Schulz also added singles. Londyn Nelson got the win in the circle, striking out five while walking one. Last Tuesday, the Devils lost to Norfolk Kelly's 9-4. Caragan Tietz had the lone base hit, driving in two runs. Scoring were Fleming, Tori Ostrand, Nelson, and Tietz. Taking the loss in the circle was Nelson, allowing four walks with two strikeouts.



(above) Tori Ostrand tags out a Stanton runner at first base for the out during Thursday's 13-1 win at the Summer Sports Complex. (left) Mikaela McManigal tries to make a play on a ground ball for the 12-under Dirt Devils during action against Stanton.



Second

From Page 1B and walked 31 in 25 innings of work, while Londyn Nelson had five strikeouts and six walks in six innings in the circle. In league action last Tuesday, Wayne defeated West Point (13-3)

and Wisner (11-0) in action at Wisner. In the West Point win, Tori Kniesche struck out 15 to lead the defensive effort. Annie Kniesche's double highlighted a seven-run seventh inning that put the game out of reach.

Biggerstaff was 3-for-4 and had four RBI's for the winners. Lutt, Gracey Lindsay, Allison Claussen and Annie Kniesche each had two hits.

In the Wisner game, Tori Kniesche threw a no-hitter and allowed just one walk while striking out 11 of the 13 batters she faced. She got plenty of support early, as Wayne's first six batters all came home to score in the first inning.

Josie Thompson had three hits and scored twice, Biggerstaff had a two-run single and Tori Kniesche had two hits and two RBI's.

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MMA Fights

From Page 1B the Red team in the third Northeast Nebraska All-Star Football Classic at Norfolk's Memorial Field, beginning at 1 p.m. Later that day, Wayne's Madison Frevert (along with coach Traci Krusemark) will take part in the area volleyball all-star game at Northeast Community College. And, if you fancy a little road trip, you can head to Grand Island Saturday afternoon to watch Wakefield's Nick Gonzalez wrestle

east CC. The girls game should be really interesting, as the two former Lady Bear stars will actually compete against one another. No word yet on whether or not they will actually guard one another. Next month, Abbie Hix of Wayne will play in the Nebraska Coaches

Association all-star game in Lincoln, and Hoskins will play in the boys' all-star basketball game — one last chance to see some of the area stars from the Class of 2015 who have graced these sports pages shine before they take their games to their respective colleges.

Sports Shorts

Blue Devil football youth camp coming
 The Wayne Blue Devil Youth Football Camp will be held June 18-19 on the football field at Kern Track, located behind Wayne Junior-Senior High School. The camp runs from 11 a.m.-12 p.m. each day and is open to kids in grades 4-8. Drills and instruction will be provided by the Wayne High football coaching staff and players. Cost is \$10 per camper, and shirt and water bottle will be provided. For more information, contact Terry Bear at (402) 518-0588.

Gonzalez tabbed for all-star dual
 Nick Gonzalez of Wakefield will wrestle in the 2015 Nebraska Scholastic Wrestling Coaches Association's All-Star Classic on Saturday in Grand Island. Gonzalez is one of 36 high school graduates who will take part in the all-star event. Wrestlers will practice together throughout the week, and teams will be drafted on Friday evening. The event will be held at Grand Island Senior High School, beginning at 1 p.m. The roster of wrestlers includes:

Hunter Schroeder, West Point-Beemer; Paxton Sternberg, Blair; Austin Olson, Minden; Devon Spatz, East Butler; Joe Berg, West Point-Beemer; Mason Wright, Elkhorn South; Nick Gonzalez, Wakefield; Jesus Cervantes, West Point-Beemer; Tyler Bailey, Sutton; Karson Sok, Northwest; Brandon French, Scribner-Snyder; Logan Rodenhurst, Columbus Lakeview; Mitch Fredrickson, Raymond Central; Brian Messersmith, Cozad; Jordan Redler, Malcolm; Dakota Hernandez, Lexington; Jake Roberts, Malcolm; Asic Helberg, Southwest; Bailey Fletcher, Scribner-Snyder; William Thompson, Grand Island; Riley Gilson, Columbus Scotus; Ty Jackson, Omaha North; Evan Sisel, East Butler; Brandon Jackson, Meridian; Thaddeus Eason, Norris; Nick Ormesher, Valentine; Alexander Reimers, Aquinas; Bailey Dishman, Northwest; Cristian Perez, West Point-Beemer; Tyler Shriner, Grand Island; Trevor Adams, Fillmore Central; Adam VonSeggern, Logan View; Payton Schake, Amherst; Nate Moran, Auburn; Dallas Doupnik, Harvard; Colton Gayer, Blair; Blaine Paup, Central City and Jarrod Hinrichs, Fillmore Central.



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Wayne Junior High School students attending the State Science Meet included (front) Ashton Boyer, Maysn Dorey, Aaron Doring, Sarah Greenwald, Darrian Hewitt, (back) Aviana Jones-Doring, Grace Lindsay, Maura Loberg, Jessica Schenck, and Josie Thompson.



Allen Consolidated School students taking part in the State Science Meet included (left) Katie Bathke, Kaitlyn Beach, Alyssa Boese, Jarod Lund and Cassidy Thomas.

Area students take part in 23rd annual state science meet

Fifty-six eighth-grade students from 21 schools across Nebraska attended UNMC's 23rd annual State Science Meet, held June 4-6, for an educational and fun experience.

Local students attending the event were:

Katie Bathke (Dixon), Kaitlyn Beach (Ponca), Alyssa Boese (Dixon) and Jarod Lund, and Cassidy Thomas of Allen, all representing Allen Consolidated Schools; Jasmine Galvin of Laurel, representing Laurel-Concord-Coleridge Middle School; and Ashton Boyer, Maysn Dorey, Aaron Doring, Sarah Greenwald, Darrian Hewitt, Aviana Jones-Doring, Grace Lindsay, Maura Loberg, Jessica Schenck, and Josie Thompson, all of Wayne,

representing Wayne Junior-Senior High School.

The goal of the meet is to inspire students, especially those from rural communities, to pursue careers in health care. The students qualify for the meet by submitting science projects in one of seven regional meets sponsored by the Nebraska Area Health Education Centers and the Coalition for Life Saving Cures held earlier in the year.

While on campus students were exposed to the health professions, medical research and patient care. Events included hands-on science activities such as presentations about a variety of health science disciplines, tours of UNMC and a team science competition.



Jasmine Galvin represented Laurel-Concord-Coleridge Middle School at the State Science Meet.

Small business questions answered

Business accelerator differs from business incubator

What is the difference between a Business Accelerator and a Business Incubator? - Lincoln

Terms such as business accelerator and business incubator are sometimes used in different contexts depending on the business, industry, and even geographical area. In general, both are focused on assisting startup businesses, but in slightly different ways. Generally speaking, a business incubator provides a support community for a start-up business to be successful. This may entail providing physical space, consulting support, and even resources in the form of education, training, or strategy. The idea is that if you put many different new business in the same environment, that there will be synergies that are created. The tenants will support each other through similar challenges of starting and maintaining a business. Obviously, this is not always the case, but sometimes relationship and a support network is created. Again every business incubator might be conducted differently depending on the goals of the "hosting" sight, but in general a business incubator allows the business time to grow in environment that is controlled and developed specifically for small business. A business accelerator is more focused in its approach. This allows start up business owners to concentrate their efforts toward very specific goals and expectations. This is usually within a specific time frame, such as 90 or 100 days. This "acceleration" allows the business owner to be focused toward product and customer development. Here in Nebraska we have both incubators and accelerators; Southeast Community College Business Incubator in Lincoln, Central Community College Columbus Area Business Incubator



Zimmerman

Center in Columbus, and the Treehouse in Nebraska City, and the Nmotion accelerator in Lincoln.

I need help with my business, I have 5 employees and it seems every time I hire a new employee, another one quits! How can my business grow if this continues to happen? - Omaha

Ideally, as a business owner, you like to identify trends within your business. These trends might be in the market, or with customers, or with employees, or possible new products. The sooner a business owner can identify, analyze, and adjust to these trends, the healthier your business will be. This will require you to use a part of your brain which involves strategic thinking. A business owners wants to duplicate positive consistencies and minimize negative consistencies related to your business. Currently, one of these negative consistencies is the high rate of employee turnover. As a business owner you have a responsibility to identify information surrounding this trend. So what do you do to get this information? Some business owner's conduct exit interviews with all existing employees. Again, you try to get information on trends in your business. You may find that most of your employees are leaving to go to a competitor for a higher salary or you may find that most are leaving because they don't like one particular employee or they are not clear on their responsibilities. Remember you are trying to identify trends, don't get bogged down with isolated disgruntled employees. The point is, you're not going to find out if you don't ask. Another information gathering strategy is to find a successful business with low turnover and copy their policies. Chances are your business is not the first to have these problems. Use the strategies and policies of other businesses to emulate, copy them, and make adjustments.

Is there a checklist for starting a business? I am struggling with collecting all the necessary information to properly start my

business. I don't want to do it wrong. Is it this complicated? - Nebraska City

Honestly I am not aware of a universal checklist for starting a business. The State of Nebraska has a "one-stop" shop on their website to help new business owners filing the correct forms. This entails a series of questions that relate to the type of business and how it is structured. Just like many things, starting a business can be done in a variety of ways depending on the goals of the small business owner and the type of business. Some of the items that would be on a checklist would be optional for the business owner. Do you have to have general business insurance? No, but it might be a good idea depending on what type and nature of the business. Does a business have to file as an LLC in the State of Nebraska? No, but depending on the business and type of customers it might a good idea. I don't believe anyone wants to prohibit the flow of commerce. If you are waiting to sell your product or service because you are unsure or hesitate on the correct steps on "starting your business", don't be. If someone is willing to pay you money for your product or service, let them. The only recommendation I have is to record it. Record it using anything that works for you. Even if it is a piece of paper, record the full amount that you received and all the related expenses in providing it to the customer. Everything else can be figured out at a later date and time, the most important thing at the beginning is finding out if someone is willing pay money for your product or service.

Zack Zimmerman is the Associate Director of the Nebraska Business Development Center located at Southeast Community College's Entrepreneurship Center in Lincoln, Nebraska. NBDC is a State and Federally funded agency dedicated to assisting small business in Nebraska. If you have a question for Zack please contact him at zimmerman@southeast.edu

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Supporting police

PMC employees joined together recently in wearing blue to show support for fallen Omaha Police Officer Kerrie Orozco and her service.



WIC, immunization clinic June 17 in Wayne

Wayne will hold the Wayne WIC and immunization clinic on Wednesday, June 17 from 9:30 a.m.-3 p.m. at the United Methodist Church, located at 516 N. Main Street in Wayne.

NENCAP's WIC Program provides nutrition education and supplemental foods to income eligible pregnant, breast-feeding or postpartum 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. 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. Your insurance may be billed. Call the Pender office at (402) 385-6300

for more information.

NENCAP's Healthy Families is a parent support program where parents can learn about positive discipline, social emotional development and benefits of good physical and emotional health. Parents may be eligible for the program prenatally or until the infant is 3 months of age

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Horse basics

Seven 4-Hers participated in the 4-H Barrel Racing and Pole Bending Clinic. The clinic was taught by Susan Frink, with assistance from her husband, Brad Frink. Susan has been involved in the equine industry for the past 30 years. She has competed in several shows over the past 25 years, continuing to study under Joyce Loomis-Kerne. She gives private lessons, clinics and trains performance horses. Susan assists in her and her husband's Quarter Horse business of breeding and training foals, she lives near Malcom, Nebraska. Susan shared her knowledge with the 4-Hers and work with them teaching them techniques to strengthen their own performances.

UNL honors Big Red Stars

The University of Nebraska-Lincoln honored Nebraska eighth-graders for their academic excellence, leadership and perseverance at the Lied Center for Performing Arts. Local students honored included; Katie Bathke and Madison Schneiders of Dixon and Samuel Cary and Lorna Maxon of Laurel. The Big Red Stars program is designed to recognize outstanding eighth-grade students in Nebraska. These talented young people were nominated by school principals for showcasing strong leadership skills and academic promise. The ceremony was sponsored by UNL and EducationQuest. Highlights of the event included individual recognition and awards and special remarks from Dr. Helen Abdali Soosan Fagan from UNL.

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Pearl one, yarn over

Nine 4-Hers participated in a knitting workshop taught by Mary Temme. The 4-Hers learned beginning techniques of the knitting project and the appropriate knitting needles and yarn needed for a variety of projects. The 4-Hers learned to cast on and off, and the knit stitch. They will have the opportunity to exhibit such things as a dish cloth or scarf at the county fair.

Allen News

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Local student to compete
Kyle Smith, an eighth grade student at Allen Consolidated School, has earned a position on the Iowa National Junior High Rodeo team and will be traveling with fellow teammates to Des Moines, Iowa June 21-27 to compete at the 11th annual National Junior High Finals Rodeo (NJHFR) in the Bull riding competitions.

Featuring roughly 1,000 contestants from 42 states, five Canadian provinces and Australia, the NJHFR is the world's largest junior high rodeo. In addition to competing for more than \$75,000 in prizes, contestants will also be vying for more than \$100,000 in college scholarships and the chance to be named a National Junior High Finals Rodeo Champion.

To earn this title, contestants must finish in the top 20, based on their combined times/scores in the first two rounds, to advance to Saturday evening's final round. National champions will then be determined based on their three-round combined times/scores.

The championship performance will be televised nationally as a part of the Cinch High School Rodeo Tour telecast series on RFD-TV. Live broadcasts of each NJHFR performance will also air online at NHSRATV.com. Performance times are 7 p.m. on June 21 and 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. each day thereafter. Kyle is the son of Kevin and Kathy Smith of Allen.

Allen United Methodist Church 125th Anniversary
The Allen United Methodist Church will be celebrating their 125th anniversary on Sunday, July 5.

Worship service at the church will be at 11 a.m. with a catered lunch at 12:30 p.m. at the Allen Fire Hall. A program at the church, located at 402 Summit Drive, will begin at 2 p.m.

Reservations for the lunch are needed by Monday, June 15. There are a number of items on sale to commemorate this event. Anyone with questions is asked to call (402) 635-2207 or (402) 635-2278.

Tractor Safety Course
The 2015 Tractor Safety Training in this area will be held June 15-16 at the fairgrounds in Wayne. There needs to be a minimum of eight participants to hold the class. Any youth 14 or 15 years of age who works on a farm or ranch other than his/her parents' is required to be certified through a tractor safety course.

Extension Educators and field specialists will teach the 2-day course. Cost for the course is \$60, which includes all course materials, lunch both days, and breaks. Registration is requested a week prior to the class. For details or to register, contact the Nebraska Extension in Dixon County at (402) 584-2234.

Dollhouse Raffle

The Springbank Township Library is sponsoring a raffle of a dollhouse and its furnishings with tickets one for \$1 and six for \$5. Tickets can be purchased at the Village Office or Library.

The Dollhouse is currently on display at the bank. The winner will be drawn at the alumni reunion on July 4, 2015.

Senior Center Menu
Friday, June 12: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. French toast, ham slice, apple juice, pears.

Monday, June 15: Deluxe burgers, baked potatoes, cucumbers, cherries.

Tuesday, June 16: Chef Salad (lettuce, onions, peppers and tomatoes), ham, eggs, cheese, apple crisp.

Wednesday, June 17: Roast beef, cheesy hash browns, breaded tomatoes, mandarin oranges.

Thursday, June 18: Fish, mashed potatoes, harvard beets, carrot cake.

Friday, June 19: Brunch, 8:30 a.m. Biscuits and gravy, sausage links, orange juice, plums.

Community Birthdays
Friday, June 12: Dave & Mona Podany (A), Rick & Joy Smith (A), Scott & Jenny Williams (A).

Saturday, June 13: Sydney Rahn.
Sunday, June 14: Andrew Sachau, Dean Roth, Austin Roth, Jonghwa Lee, Lindy & Lori Koester (A).

Monday, June 15: Kurtis Eisenhower, Cody Logue, Evan Hergott, Tamra Isom, Harold Isom, Bill & Val Boese (A).

Tuesday, June 16: Gary Erwin, Maddy Connot, Blake McCorkindale, Sean & Pam O'Keefe (A).

Wednesday, June 17: Hugh O'Brien, Andy Mattes, Ray & Sharon Brentlinger (A).

Thursday, June 18: Barb Connot, LeAnn Hoffman, Jeff & Marlene Levine (A).

Friday, June 19: Brock Floyd, Levi Madsen, Shania Rader, Richie & Tina Monteith (A), Greg & Abby Rastede (A).

Community Calendar
Friday, June 12: Brunch at the Senior Center, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Library hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

Saturday, June 13: Springbank Library hours, 8 a.m.-12 p.m.; Town Garage Sales; St. Anne's Catholic Church, 6 p.m.

Sunday, June 14: Museum Open 2-4 p.m.; St. Paul Lutheran Church, 8 a.m.; First Lutheran Church, 9 a.m.; United Methodist Church, 9 a.m.

Monday, June 15: Allen Community Club at the Fire Hall, 7 p.m.
Tuesday, June 16: Dixon County Historical Society at Museum, 1:30 p.m.

Wednesday, June 17: Springbank Library hours 2-6 p.m.; Book Club at Library, 2 p.m.

Thursday, June 18: No activities.

Friday, June 19: Senior Center Brunch, 8:30 a.m.; Springbank Library Hours 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

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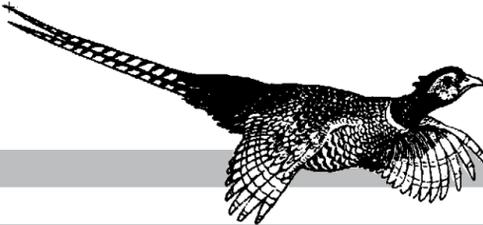
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Creating a 'playground' for children

Did you happen to catch the article about a new playground that does not have slides, swings, or merry go rounds in it? Instead, there are piles of dirt and sand, old lumber, and lots of odds and ends. The theory is that these will enable children to use their imagination! No kidding??

How many of you can remember using your imagination in childhood play "back in the good old days"? Imagination was all we needed. Hollyhocks made a bridal party. When the last of the stored corn had been ground, there was an empty corn crib to fit out. We gathered old cans from the junk pile, made "shelves" out of bricks and wood, and created houses, grocery stores, and hospitals in it.

After Mom moved the baby chicks from the brooder house to the big chicken house, she scrubbed it out, and used boards to divide it into "rooms". This was even better than the corn crib because it had a good roof, a couple of windows, and a lot fewer rats!

There weren't a lot of cans in the junk pile because we didn't buy much canned food. We had a cellar full of home canned veggies in mason jars. But there were other "treasures" in it, and we made full use of everything we could dig up.



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

During the winter, when we had to play indoors, I lined up every doll and placed them in rows in "beds" made out of cardboard boxes. My Mom made me an apron and cap with a red cross on them. I certainly never saw a play nurses' kit, but again, imagination was used freely.

Since my cousin was a lover of cats, we dressed them in doll

clothes and took them for strolls in our doll buggies. I especially loved staying with Aunt June because she allowed us to dress up in some of her old dresses and wear her high heeled shoes.

Our grandmother had a "wash house" in which all kinds of things were stored. For instance, some old curtains could be gowns and head dresses.

Our kids had the "cabin". It had three rooms and had actually housed a hired man or two when Mike's parents lived there. Now, it was a repository for things too good to be thrown away but probably would not be used again. Many, many hours were spent in it, with toy dishes and tables and chairs.

Or, they walked up to the "grave", which was a grove where the dead livestock had been towed. It was great fun to find the bones and dig in the dirt with them.

Yes, Imagination was what was used. And now, we have to recreate those places for those poor children who have been playing in modern playgrounds. Proving, once again, that what goes around comes around. You just have to live long enough to see it.



Blue Ribbon Winners Club takes CPR class

The Blue Ribbon Winners 4-H club had 13 members take the CPR course at the Fire Hall in Hoskins. Life Net Flight Nurse and Paramedic Matt Montgomery taught the class with the assistance of Becky Lange an EMT on the Hoskins-Woodland Park Rescue.

The 4-Hers learned the importance of why quick and immediate CPR and defibrillation can save some ones life: Some of the students were returning to renew their current Heartsavers CPR AED Card, while others were learning the steps for the first time.

Their card will be good until 2017, when the club plans to hold this class again.

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Taking part in the CPR training course were (front) McKenna Russell, Madilyn Janke, Kati Topp, Peyton French, (middle row) Hannah Gubbels, Jacqueline Escalante, Gabriel Escalante, Mason Topp, (back) Selena Finn, Callie Finn, Jami Jaeger, Tori French and Taylor French.

USDA taking grant applications

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) is now accepting applications to provide technical assistance to socially-disadvantaged groups in rural areas.

"These grants will help socially-disadvantaged business owners develop the tools and skills they need to grow their enterprises and succeed at creating jobs and expanding economic opportunities in rural areas," Ag Secretary Tom Vilsack said. "American agriculture is becoming increasingly diverse in many ways, with more minorities and women seeking to enter the field, as well as greater diversity in the age of farmers, the size of operations, in production methods, and in the types of crops being grown. All of these forms of diversity help strengthen U.S. agriculture for the future."

Funding will be made available through USDA's Socially-Disadvantaged Groups Grant Program

(formerly the Small, Socially-Disadvantaged Producer Grant Program), which assists organizations that provide technical assistance to socially-disadvantaged groups in rural areas. Examples of technical assistance are conducting feasibility studies, developing business and strategic plans, and providing leadership training.

USDA plans to make up to \$3 million in grants available. The maximum award under this notice is \$175,000. More information on how to apply can be found on page 28937 of the May 20 Federal Register. Applications submitted by mail must be postmarked by July 20, 2015. Electronic applications must be submitted at www.grants.gov no later than 11 p.m. Central time, July 14.

Eligible applicants include groups of cooperatives, cooperative development centers and individual cooperatives that serve socially-

disadvantaged groups. The cooperatives or centers can be located in any area, but the groups assisted must be located in an eligible rural area. Also, the majority of the governing body of the organization must be comprised of individuals who are members of socially-disadvantaged groups.

USDA Rural Development is encouraging applications for projects in census tracts with poverty rates of 20 percent or higher. All grants are awarded through a national competition.

For more information on the Socially-Disadvantaged Group Grant Program in Nebraska contact Business Programs Director Joan Scheel at (402) 437-5594 or e-mail joan.scheel@ne.usda.gov.

Beef Feedlot School to be held in West Point

The University of Nebraska-Lincoln will be offering a Feedlot School at West Point in June.

Feedlot employees in that area are encouraged to attend the event on Tuesday, June 23 at the West Point Livestock Auction Market (839 S. Colfax/Highway 275). The goal of this program is to assist with the training of feedlot employees in the areas of animal health, management and nutrition.

Specific topics include: sampling, packaging, and recording materials for veterinary diagnostic centers and consulting veterinarians; rumen anatomy and physiology; chute-side live animal evaluation; feedlot nutrition and management.

The program will start with registration at 1 p.m. and adjourn at 4:30 p.m.

For more information or to pre-register contact Matt Luebbe (mluebbe2@unl.edu) at the Panhandle Research and Extension Center ph. (308) 632-1260.

Wayne County 4-Hers reminded of upcoming deadlines

All 4-H Identification Forms (Affidavits) for Breeding Beef, Cow/Calf Pairs, Feeder Calf, Dairy, Goats, Rabbits and Ak-Sar-Ben and State Fair Market Meat Goats, Sheep, and Swine are due to the Nebraska Extension Wayne County Office by 5 p.m. on Monday, June 15.

Identification forms can be found on line at <http://wayne.unl.edu> or at the Extension Office.

Those 4-Hers who are enrolled in the market and breeding beef, bucket calf, feeder calf, cow/calf, dairy, dairy goat, meat goat, pygmy goat, market and breeding sheep, swine, rabbit and poultry projects are required to complete Quality Assurance. Those completing QA online must have three certificates turned into the Extension Office by 5 p.m. on Monday, June 15.

The on-line Livestock Quality Assurance Moodle Course is available at <http://campus.extension.org>.

All Ak-Sar-Ben and State Fair animals (except Dairy and Horse) must complete an on-line affidavit by midnight, June 15. In addition, breeding animal registration papers and British breed steer registration papers are due to the Extension Office by 5 p.m. on Monday, June 15.

Contact the Extension Office at (402) 375-3310 with any questions.

Beef workshop soon

Nebraska Extension will be hosting a beef marketing workshop on Wednesday, June 17 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at Murdos Aten Resort in Aten, Nebraska. Record setting cattle prices have introduced producers to a new level of risk when dealing with the markets. Whether a producer feeds cattle or manages a cow-calf herd, this level of price risk influences all of those involved in the industry.

Join Dr. Jay Parsons, Dr. Kate Brooks, and Jim Jansen with Nebraska Extension along with Ryan Loecker with Town and Country Insurance as they present a beef marketing workshop on information and tools designed to help manage market risk, and develop a marketing plan to achieve your market risk management goals. Topics covered during the workshop include understanding risk preferences and setting marketing goals, understanding available marketing tools, hands-on simulation training, livestock market outlook, and developing a marketing plan. This workshop is made possible through the work supported by USDA/NIFA



Ag Happenings
Keith Jarvi
Extension Educator

under award number 2012-49200-20032. There is no cost to attend this meeting and a complementary meal will be provided as part of the event. For more information and to pre-register please call the Nebraska Extension Office in Cedar County at (402) 254-6821 by June 15.

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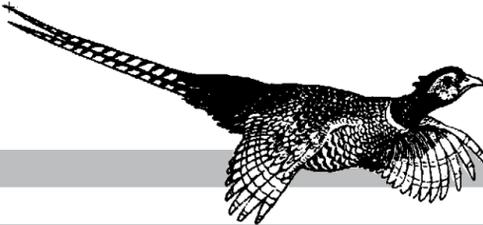
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Opinion

Don't get me started

By: Michael Carnes
Managing Editor



Driving through the storms of life

Saturday night, I was driving home in what felt like the middle of a hurricane.

With winds in excess of 60 miles an hour (according to reports) driving rain so hard I could barely see past the windshield wipers, the highway portion of the 35-mile drive from my sister's house in Norfolk to my garage here in Wayne was, to say the least, entertaining.

About one year ago, residents in this area were riding out a much different – and more violent – storm than the one I managed to drive through. For two nights in mid June, this area experienced multiple tornadoes that wreaked havoc all over the area.

The first night was the famed Pilger tornado, which was actually two tornadoes that came together in northeastern Stanton County, practically pulverizing the small community along Highway 15 just a stone's throw from Highway 275. That monster tornado moved northeast into the eastern edge of Wayne County and traveled all the way into Dixon County before finally running out of gas.

The next night, I watched through the lens of my camera as one of a half-dozen tornadoes ripped through Cedar County. I watched with great hesitation as a wall cloud slowly crept south along the sky, and between flashes of lightning, was able to capture the image of a huge funnel cloud that was churning a good 10 miles away from my vantage point.

Over the span of just over 24 hours, almost a dozen funnel clouds had touched down in Cedar, Dixon, Wayne and Stanton counties. The damage it left behind was incredible to view – I had accepted an invite to fly over the Pilger destruction just hours before the Cedar County storms hit, and seeing all that was left behind in the aftermath of the Pilger storms, to this day, defies description. We also saw what was left behind from the storms that rolled into eastern Wayne County, blowing out grain silos and buildings for as far as the eye could see along its destructive path.

If there was a silver lining to the clouds that brought those storms, it was the fact that this area was still trying to fully recover from a tornado that blew through the east side of Wayne about eight months earlier. The memories of that storm were still fresh in the minds of many of us in this area, particularly those families who lost their homes in the storms.

A year later, I think all of us are a little skittish whenever the weather report calls for a chance of stormy weather. I know that I spend a lot more time looking at my Weather Channel app on my smartphone during this time of year than I do looking at Facebook or playing Bejeweled Blitz or some other time-sucking game that my niece and nephews recommend for me. The 2013 tornado was certainly a wake-up call for our city to update the emergency siren system, and it gave local and county emergency personnel like Wayne County Emergency Manager Nic Kemnitz a live tryout of the training they had been acquiring to prepare for situations like this.

One thing that we may have taken for granted until the last 20 months is that you can't be too prepared for any weather situation at this time of year. "Wait five minutes and the weather will change" has been a long-standing joke about what it's like to live in Nebraska's various climates, but you can never be too prepared for abrupt – and occasionally violent – changes in the atmosphere.

One other thing that I've witnessed from the aftermath of these storms is how we, as citizens, have responded to these violent storms. Being a lifelong Nebraskan, it certainly wasn't that big of a surprise to me to see people helping people here at home. The thing that I found so amazing was how people from all over the Midwest – many of whom had no connections with the area – were willing to come from all points to help out with everything from picking debris out of the corn fields to assisting with rebuilding efforts.

I still remember, as a Sunday evening news conference by Mayor Ken Chamberlain was finishing up after the 2013 tornado, a man walking into the city office who said he was from somewhere in northern Minnesota and had heard about the storm here and decided he needed to make the 10-hour drive down to help out. Who DOES that sort of thing in this day and age?

This weekend, the city of Pilger is celebrating a rebirth (or rebuilding, or recovery, depending on who you talk to). It's wonderful to see the rebuilding that has taken place in that community over the last 12 months, and it's also great to see how people in this area have picked up the pieces and responded to Mother Nature's ultimate wrath. I would hope that we all take a moment, sometime in the next week, to thank God for bringing us through these storms and, hopefully, make us realize just how amazing, and how precious, life truly is in this moment in our history.

Capitol View Pain is over, problems linger

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

The nation's only nonpartisan state legislature has finished its formal session. Nebraskans, for the most part, are glad that it's over. But the cussing and the discussing will likely linger for months.

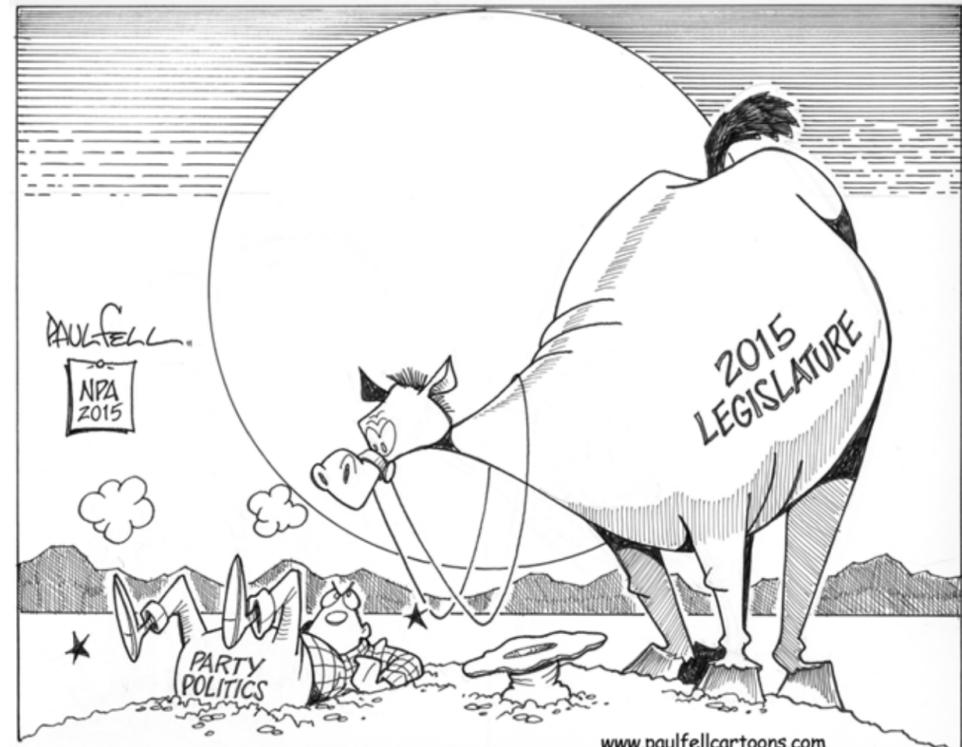
Nebraska is a conservative state. The Nebraska Legislature is largely conservative. The people who hang labels on the state senators count 35 Republicans, 13 Democrats and one Independent. Some apparently think that Republican and conservative are synonyms. Sorry folks, not in the Nebraska Unicameral.

Independence ruled the day when senators overrode three vetoes of hot-button measures: repeal of the death penalty; an increase in the gasoline tax to pay for road improvements and allowing the so-called Dreamers (children of people illegally in the United States) to have driver's licenses. Freshman Governor Pete Ricketts vetoed the measures, which didn't agree with campaign promises he had made.

One issue, the death penalty repeal override, drew more than two hours of emotional, passionate and sometimes embarrassing comments from lawmakers. The override of the gas tax measure showed the governor had support from a hard core of nine senators. He picked up a 10th on the Dreamer's override and 19 on the death penalty issue, including two who flipped from their "yes" votes to support the repeal to "no" on the override.

The days between the repeal, Ricketts veto and the override, were some of the darkest in Nebraska politics in years. In addition to being subjected to so-called arm-twisting by the Executive branch, some lawmakers reported receiving telephone death threats. Several media outlets released a message from one senator's Capitol voice mail box that said: "I hope every member of your family is murdered by a mass murder. Then let's see how you feel about the death penalty." The State Patrol is investigating.

It's unclear if any of the threats played a role in the solid support –



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34 votes – for the override. But one thing remains clear. Nebraska has a nonpartisan legislature and lawmakers were not swayed by any of the floor arguments of those who warned of negative consequences from a vote to support the veto. One of the so-called Ricketts' Crickets said those who voted "yes" would be plagued by the decision in future elections. Another vowed to fight against their re-elections.

One of the "flippers" said that the people are concerned that the Legislature isn't listening to them and that he switched to a "no" vote because he didn't want to be part of the problem. One of the most vocal Crickets started a Facebook page seeking support for putting the death penalty issue to a vote of the people.

Supporters of the override spoke of the governor's zeal to kill. Another said the death penalty is not justice, it is vengeance. One said that

Capital punishment is as wrong as a cure for crime as charity is for poverty. He said it is never OK to risk killing an innocent person in the name of justice. Many senators, from both sides of the issue, quoted scripture. A few of them even used verses in the right context for the question at hand.

For his part, the venerable Omaha Sen. Ernie Chambers, chief sponsor of the bill for the past 38 years, was mostly subdued – even humble. He played his cards correctly and let his colleagues show their emotions. Even when it was all over, he asked for a moment of personal privilege and simply thanked "everyone for voting."

Here's a question. If people are unhappy with the current system of representative government, how do you establish a legislative body that reflects the electorate accurately? The "one person – one vote" concept is adrift in a system controlled by

two political parties that act as adversaries. What's wrong with nonpartisan independence that allows senators to think for themselves instead of allowing party bosses to run the show? What's wrong with the one-house system that protects against the politics that plague decision making all the way up to the United States Congress? Are people, the governor included, just ranting because they didn't get their way?

H.L. Mencken said "Democracy is the theory that the common people know what they want, and deserve to get it good and hard." For some, that might fit this year's Unicameral.

But I think we should follow Ernie Chambers' lead and humbly thank our senators – whether we agreed with them or not – for voting. It's a mostly thankless job that doesn't pay very well. I am sure that a kind word wouldn't hurt.

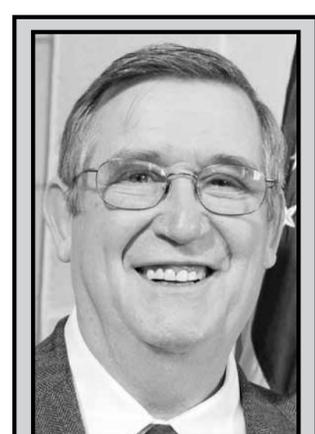
Legislative Update

Death penalty issue is far from over

The session ended with me receiving numerous emails and phone calls regarding the passage of LB268, a bill that repealed the death penalty. While I have had some communication supporting the repeal, those in support of keeping the death penalty were far greater.

I promised that as things pro-

gressed towards taking the death penalty to a vote of the people, (where I believe the decision should be made), that I would keep you informed. On Monday, June 1, the group "Nebraskans for the Death Penalty" filed the paperwork with Secretary of State John Gale. Now that the paperwork has been done, the work of collecting signa-



Legislative Update
By Dave Bloomfield
State Senator, District 17

tures to keep LB268 from going into effect in late August can begin.

If the group is able to collect 10 percent of signatures of the registered voters (on the day that the signatures are turned in) the change in the law would not take effect and the issue would be placed on the ballot in November of 2016. Ten percent of signatures is expected to be somewhere between 112,000 to 115,000. The 10 percent needs to come from 38 of the 93 Nebraska counties.

It really is all about the numbers. If only 5 percent of the signatures are collected from voters in 38 of the counties, the issue will still

be placed on the 2016 ballot but it would allow the repeal law to take effect in August of this year.

Over the last few days, the Nebraskans for the Death Penalty has said that recent surveys conducted of Nebraskans showed that 64 percent were in favor of the death penalty while only 24 percent supported repealing it. I would say that the contact with my office has run a little higher.

Within minutes of LB268 passing over the objections of the governor, Sen. Beau McCoy, of Omaha, launched a group called the Nebraskans for Justice. He has said that he fully supports the Nebraskans for the Death Penalty group and that the groups have merged. The group launching the referendum also has the full support of myself and Governor Pete Ricketts.

Since LB268 passed, there has been a lot of "heated" rhetoric from both sides of the issue, each side seemingly intent on belittling senators who voted "the wrong way". While passions and opinions are strong, I do not think we make any headway on this issue by bad-mouthing other senators and how they voted. It is time for cooler heads to prevail. This should and I believe will be decided by you, the voters of Nebraska.

As always, if we can be of any assistance, contact our office at (402) 471-2716 or e-mail dbloomfield@leg.ne.gov. You can find my current as well as my previous Newsletters on my Legislative Blog at news.legislature.ne.gov/dist17.



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American Cancer Society Relay For Life A Team Event to Fight Cancer



Members of the Northeast Nebraska Cattlemen grilled steak during Friday's Relay. (left) James Felt, Mary French, Harley Greve and David French watch over the steak for sandwiches.



A brief downpour sent Relay participants indoors, but the rain did not last long and walkers were soon on the track again.



Kaitlyn Wagner releases balloons during the relay in memory of those who have been lost to cancer.



Cancer survivors of all ages took their place on the track in preparation for the opening lap of this year's Relay.

Photos by Clara Osten



Team members from Our Savior Walkers and Denise's Angels take a break from walking the track. Each team was required to have at least one member on the track at all times throughout the six-hour event.



Each team participating in the Relay set up a tent, depicting something from the 1980s.



Rain soaked luminaria lined the Kern Track and represented those who have battled cancer.



Those businesses and organizations who were corporate sponsors for the Relay took time away from their activities for a group photo.



Krista Roeber and Faye Roeber participate in Race for the Cure with their cardboard car. They collected donations from those in attendance.



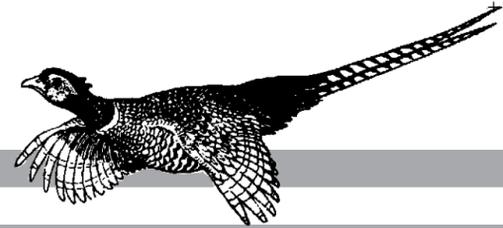
Members of the Denise's Angels team raised nearly \$6,000 for this year's Relay, making them a Gold Level Team. Overall, the 2015 Relay brought in over \$26,000.

Survivors and their caregivers met half way around the track during the opening ceremonies at the 2015 Wayne County Relay For Life.



Lifestyle

The Wayne
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The importance of play discussed

Nebraska Extension's Learning Child team states that: play is a crucial part of your child's development it starts in infancy and should continue throughout his or her life. When you play with your child it not only helps you to build a posi-

tive relationship, strengthen your bond with your child it has additional benefits as well.

Play provides multiple opportunities for children to learn social, communication, and academic skills while building confidence and positive self-esteem. Through play you can help your child learn to solve problems, explore his or her creativity, and build vocabulary. Children learn important friendship skills like turn taking, sharing, and being empathetic. Keep in mind that unstructured physically active play may lead to healthier children, especially when it replaces or helps limit screen time.

Friendship Skills

Some essential benefits of play is that our children begin to learn social and communication skills sharing, turn taking, problem solving, etc. that will help them be more successful when playing with other children. When children have these skills, it often makes it easier for them to make friends!

Giving suggestions, being helpful, giving complements, and un-



Jennifer Hansen
Thurston County

derstanding how and when to give an apology are all important friendship skills to model when playing with your child.

How to add more playtime with your child into your busy schedule:

1. Brainstorm when you would have 10-15 minutes a day to play with your child, be certain to write it down in your calendar.

2. Ask your child for suggestions as to how they would like to spend time playing with you and make a list of all the ways you can play together.

3. If you have more than one child, you might want to take this opportunity to spend some one-on-one playtime with each child. You can also plan family fun nights that include play or games.

4. Remember that time spent in the car is another good time to play and to develop skills, you can play age appropriate games that incorporate looking for colors, shapes, letters, and words, etc.

5. Don't forget books ask your librarian to suggest books that teach friendship, and play skills!

Follow Your Child's Lead

When playing with your child, re-

member to follow your child's lead — that means allowing for play situations where the child is in control and the adult follows the child's lead. It is important that children be the decision-makers during play, choosing what and where to play, choosing roles for each player, and choosing how play will proceed.

The following suggestions can better guide you in how to follow your child's lead:

1. Follow your child's lead - that means to wait, watch, and then join your child's play;

2. With very young children talk, talk, and talk about what your child is doing. The adult imitates the child's play and uses "talk" or "narration" to facilitate language development and this helps your child remain engaged.

3. Encourage your child's creativity and imaginative thinking. Display artwork or stories in a prominent place (the fridge) or put them in frames. Create an art corner with art supplies and paper for children to be creative. Ask children to make up their own stories or create their own endings to familiar stories.

4. Watch for your child's cues. Most children aren't very subtle when they want your attention - like tugging at your pant leg or greeting you at the front door when you get home from work. When you plan a specific time to play with your child this may sometimes eliminate them demanding your time when they know that you have set aside time to play with them.

5. Avoid power struggles. Remember you can be intentional about what you might like your children to learn from playing; however, keep it simple and allow your child to direct the play.

6. Most important have fun together!

Engagements

Kay-Wethington

Butch and Jodi Kay of Wayne have announced the engagement of their daughter, Stephanie, of Denver, Colo., to T. J. Wethington of Denver, Colo.

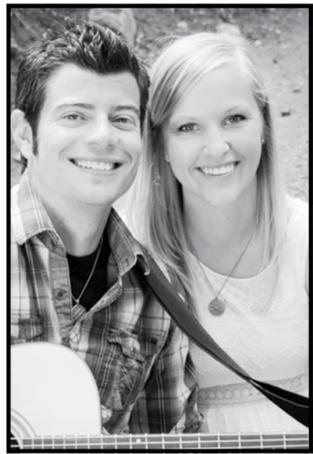
The future groom is the son of John and Barbara Wethington of Gilbert, Ariz. and Pam Wethington of Sioux Falls, S.D.

Grandparents of the bride are Darlene and John Bowers and Don and Margaret Kay, all of Wayne, and the late Kenneth Frevert.

The bride-to-be is a 2007 graduate of Wayne High School and 2011 graduate of Wayne State College, where she earned a Foods and Nutrition degree. She is presently employed as a nanny.

Her fiancé is a 2003 graduate of Lincoln High School in Sioux Falls, S.D. He is currently attending Metropolitan University of Denver and will earn a bachelor's degree in music performance in the spring of 2016. He is currently a private music instructor.

Stephanie and T. J. are cofound-



ers and current board members of WICK, Wealth in Community Knowledge, a non-profit organization focusing on creative arts education, sustainability, nutrition and community outreach.

The couple is planning an Aug. 1, 2015 wedding at Ruby Hill Park Pavilion in Denver, Colo.

Jensen-Sok

Nicole Jensen and Andrew Sok of Norfolk are planning a June 27, 2015 wedding at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Norfolk and reception to follow at the Winside auditorium.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Kenneth and Deanna Jensen of Winside. She is a 2008 graduate of Winside High School and graduated from Northeast Community College with a degree in nursing. She is currently employed at Faith Regional.

The future groom is the son of Paul and Kim Sok of Winside. He is a 2006 graduate of Winside High School and is currently employed at Vulcraft in Norfolk.



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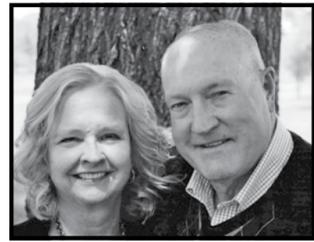
Wednesday: Country beef steak, mashed potatoes, skins, country gravy, frozen corn, Promise, whole wheat fresh bread, cherry gelatin with pears, peach pie (by Center).

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

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

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Anniversaries



Mr. and Mrs. Dickey

Dickeys to observe golden anniversary

Bob and Mary Dickey of Laurel will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, June 21.

The celebration will at the Concord Evangelical Free Church in Concord with a reception from 1:30-3:30 p.m., hosted by their family.

Bob and Mary Dickey were married at the Central Baptist Church in Sioux City, Iowa on Aug. 6, 1965.

They have three grown children and their spouses, Julie and Eric Cuyler who are just moving to Texas from Bogota, Columbia, Jim and Lesley Dickey of Lincoln and June and Ryan Wobig of Lincoln. They have eight grandchildren.

Bob started farming in 1963. The couple continue to live on a farm one mile north of Laurel.

The couple requests only the gift of the presence of friends and relatives at the event.



Mr. and Mrs. Kay

Open house to honor Kays

An open house is being planned to honor Don and Margaret Kay for their 60th wedding anniversary.

The event will be held Sunday, June 21 from 2-4 p.m. at the Wayne Vets Club in Wayne.

Hosting the celebration will be the couple's children, Rick Kay of Wakefield, Denise and Roger Fredrickson of Wayne, Duane (Butch) and Jodi Kay of Wayne and Mary Ann and Curtis Roberts of Wakefield. They also have 11 grandchildren, five of whom are married and four great-grandchildren with two more expected in October.

Cards may be sent to the honorees at 709 West First Street, Wayne, Neb. 68787.

The family request no gifts.



Mr. and Mrs. Mundil

Card shower held to honor of Mundils 50th

Joe and Janice (Remm) Mundil of Winside were married on June 19, 1965 at St. John's Lutheran Church in Howells. In honor of the couple's 50th wedding anniversary, their family has requested a card show.

The family include Dan and Dawn Mundil of Cumming, Iowa, Doug and Tracy Mundil of Waukee, Iowa, Daryl Mundil of Winside, Gary and Liz Mundil of Olathe, Kan. Christi

and Dan Lilienkamp of Bellevue, Greg and Stef Mundil of Humphrey and 14 grandchildren.

Cards may be sent to the honorees at 505 Bressler Ave., Winside, Neb. 68790.

Open house June 21 to honor Bethunes 60th

On open house will be held to honor Cliff and Pauline Bethune for their 60th wedding anniversary.

The event will be held Sunday, June 21 from 2-4 p.m. in the Assisted Living Dining Room at the Randolph Colonial Manor.

Cliff and Pauline were married June 25, 1955.

The couple has two children, Gordon and Anita Bethune and Kenneth and Pat Bethune, all of Carroll, and eight grandchildren.

Cards may be sent to the honorees at 811 South Main Street, Randolph, Neb. 68771.

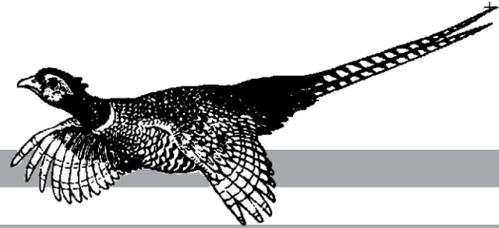
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Sunday: Council meeting, 9:30 a.m.; Communion Service, 10:30 a.m. **Saturday:** Winside Q125 Parade, 9:30 a.m.

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FIRST LUTHERAN (Pastor Sarah Ruch)
Sunday: Worship service, 9 a.m.

UNITED METHODIST (Pastor Lorrie Kentner)
Thursday-Friday: United Methodist Annual Conference, Wichita, Kan. **Sunday:** Worship service, 9 a.m. **Wednesday:** Council meeting, 6 p.m.; 125 Anniversary Committee meeting, 7 p.m.

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

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Sunday: Third Sunday after Pentecost. Worship Service, 11 a.m. **Monday:** Newsletter deadline. **Tuesday:** Carroll Advisory Board, 7 p.m. **Note:** Pastor Pete on vacation all week.

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Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship Service, 10:45 a.m.

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Friday-Saturday: Nebraska District Convention at Kearney. **Sunday:** Worship service, 8 a.m.

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

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Saturday: St. Anne's, Dixon, 6 p.m. **Sunday:** St. Michael's, Coleridge, 8 a.m.; St. Mary's, Laurel, 10 a.m.

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Love and forgive others - and yourself

Every time I have to write an article for the paper, I struggle and I agonize.

I want to write the perfect article that will touch the hearts of readers but the doubts start coming in. I'm not an ordained minister - what do I know about writing about faith? I'm just some lay person who had a conversion over four years ago - what the heck do I know? I believed I was hearing the call of God to lead a life of ministry, but was I just crazy? I'm not as smart as those individuals who went to school for this, so what right do I have to write an article or work ministry?

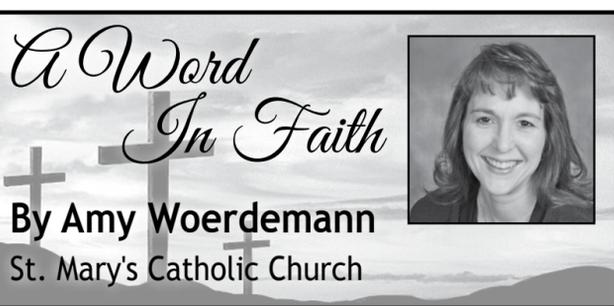
I truly struggle daily to push past those fears of inadequacy and realize that I am good enough. As I sit here writing, I am crying while thinking of all the times over the years I have heard the negative words in my head, but also from people in my life. You are not good enough to do this - you are a failure!

Those thoughts of being a lesser person are not from God. Thoughts that come from God should bring a sense of love and peace. If you are feeling anything other than that, always remember those thoughts and feelings are not from God.

Although I know that these negative thoughts are not from God, it is so hard to push them away. I know that others struggle with these feelings of self-doubt. What can we do to help ourselves and others to erase or lessen the negative thoughts and feelings?

I have three simple ideas:

1. Love and forgive yourself
We are not perfect, and we need to realize this. We need to forgive



ourselves for mistakes that we have made. Beating ourselves up does not help us or anyone else in our lives. "Be kind to one another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, as God in Christ forgave you." (Ephesians 4:32) This verse applies to forgiving others, but I think it is a good one about loving and forgiving ourselves. I truly believe that we have to forgive ourselves before we can ever forgive or love others.

2. People are imperfect - forgive and let go

When people fail (they usually know it without help from us), they need our love and encouragement - not blame or condemnation. Even if their actions have made us look like failures, we should love them, affirm them, and maybe offer compassion and love. I know that there have been people in my life that have done wrong and I don't honestly always forgive them right away. Why is this? Why is it I can despise how others condemn me for my failures, but than turn around and judge others for their faults? It is because I'm human. I'm not excusing my behavior, but I am being honest and am trying to do better.

When I start to judge, I think of the woman who was about to be stoned to death. "The teachers of the law and the Pharisees brought in a woman caught in adultery. They made her stand before the group and said to Jesus, "Teacher, this woman was caught in the act of adultery. In the Law, Moses commanded us to stone such women. Now what do you say?" They were using this question as a trap, in order to have a basis for accusing him. But Jesus bent down and started to write on the ground with his finger. When they kept on questioning him, he straightened up and said to them, "Let any one of you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." Again he stooped down and wrote on the ground. At this, those who heard began to go away one at a time, the older ones first, until only Jesus was left, with the woman still standing there. Jesus straightened up and asked her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?" "No one, sir," she said. "Then neither do I condemn you," Jesus declared. "Go now and leave your life of sin." (John 8:3-9)

The next time you consider judging someone for who they are, what they have done or what you have heard about them think about this - realize that none of us are without sin. Turn those negative thoughts about them into ones of love and compassion.

3. Pray . . .

How many of us can say that we take time to pray every day? I know that when I'm not turning to God in prayer, my life seems to be filled with stress and anxiety.

I challenge everyone to try and pray for 15 minutes every morning. Before you get up and start your morning routine - breathe, pray and ask God for guidance. We should pray to God during the good and the bad times, but if you are feeling negative about yourself or others - this is when you really should turn to God in prayer.

All of us fail. But that doesn't mean we're all failures. I believe that it is through our failures that we are able to grow as better people. It is also through our failures and suffering that we are able to help others. It wasn't until I started working ministry that I fully realized this. I have had many individuals tell me that the reason that they turn to me in times of need is because they know that I'm not perfect and that I would understand. I know this sounds strange, but instead of condemning yourself or others for their failures - embrace it! It is through our failures that we can learn, grow and love!

Remember to love, forgive and pray! Love and prayers to all of you!

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Winside Vacation Bible School

Winside United Methodist Church hosted the summer Vacation Bible School, in conjunction with Winside Trinity Lutheran Church May 26-29. The theme for this year was "Son Spark Labs VBS", a real blast. There were 67 children, from age three through sixth grade attending. They were assisted by 10 youth and young adults during the four days. Children learned about Jesus, the Bible, made crafts, did lab experiments and learned songs. Daily snacks consisted of gelatin, pretzels, cheese, pudding, granola and watermelon. On Friday evening a program and supper were held for the youth and their families. Directors for this year were Amanda Strong and Sara Olander; Experiment Leader was Professor Higginbottom (Pastor Judy Carlson); Bible Lesson leader, Michelle Carson; Craft leaders, Morgan Petzoldt, Terrin Quinn, and Candace Westerhaus; Music, Amy Hancock; Snacks, Jennifer Thompson and Donya Topp; and Adult Helpers, Sue Topp and Darci Frahm.

Senior Center Calendar

(Week of June 15-19)

Monday, June 15: Morning Walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Board meeting, 1 p.m.; Hand and Foot.

Tuesday, June 16: Morning Walking; Quilting; Pitch, 1:15 p.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club.

Wednesday, June 17: Morning Walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Mary Nichols, Health Clinic, 9:30 a.m.; Special Luncheon certificates by Oaks, noon.

Thursday, June 18: Morning Walking, 8:30 a.m.; Quilting; Deb Dickey on the piano, 11:30 a.m.; Afternoon Bridge Club; Evening meal, 5:30 p.m.; Burt Heithold Band, 6:30 p.m.

Friday, June 19: Morning Walking, 8:30 a.m.; FROG Exercises, 9:15 a.m.; Quilting; Father's Day celebration with Mrs. Uken's piano recital, 11:30 a.m.; Bingo, 1 p.m.

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At this time, this position is coaching only. Applicants without teaching endorsements will be accepted. Positions open until filled.

Please send a letter of interest and resume to:

Jason Heitz
Wakefield High School
802 Highland St. PO Box 330
Wakefield, NE 68784

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DESIRED SKILLS OR EXPERIENCE: Bachelors or Associates Degree in related fields or equivalent work experience preferred but not required.

BENEFITS: Competitive wage and benefits package.

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DESIRED SKILLS OR EXPERIENCE: Computer Science or Post-Secondary Info. Technology Degree or related degree preferred but not required.

BENEFITS: Competitive wage and benefits package.

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Please apply online by going to www.invtile.com Click on the careers tab and go to the agency opening.

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BENEFITS: Competitive wage and benefits package.

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Pender Community Hospital, a 21-bed Critical Access Hospital, has an immediate opening for the following positions:

- ♦ **Dietary Cook**
- ♦ **Outpatient Clinic/Surgery Registered Nurse**
- ♦ **Medical Lab Technologist or Medical Lab Technician**
- ♦ **MRI/CT/Diagnostic Imaging Technologist**
- ♦ **Respiratory Therapist**

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Kirkwood House, a 12-bed Residential Rehabilitation facility, has an immediate opening for a full time Manager.

This person manages the facility's operations and coordinates with other R Way providers while ensuring compliance with regulations and standards. Responsibilities include hiring, training and scheduling staff, and providing on-call assistance to staff as needed. This individual is also responsible for admissions and assuring that all residents' needs are being met. A BS degree in the Human Service field is preferred, but would consider an experienced LPN or someone with two years supervisory experience in an Assisted Living facility. We expect this person to be a problem solver, be organized, have good time management skills, and excellent verbal and written skills.

If this sounds like you, please send resume along with three professional references to R Way
Attn: Jeannia Bressler 219 Main Street, Wayne NE 68787 or email to jbressler@r-way.org EOE

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

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 Interested Applications may also inquire at:
 Wayne Community Schools
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 Ideal candidate must be proficient in Microsoft Word and Excel and have knowledge of Bill of Materials. Previous with database programs would be helpful.
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Lynnett Hansen

THANKS, JEN, for the \$50 gift certificate from Swans. Thank you, too, for being a part of Main Street Wayne.
Ellen Imdieke

"Thank you to all who called, sent cards, or thought of Virginia Holtgrew for her 80th birthday. From Her Burris Family"

Thank you Bill Melena for the gift certificates and tee shirts.
WCC Grounds Crew

Thanks to everyone for the cards and other expressions of sympathy at the passing of Les' sister Ailene Sievers. Les & Elaine Menke

I want to thank everyone who "showered" me with cards for my 90th birthday. I really enjoyed receiving them.
Darlene Helgren

The Roeber family would like to extend a heartfelt THANK YOU for the many cards, phone calls, flowers, food, hugs, sympathetic words and special memories shared of the man we loved, Milford. We are very appreciative of the kindness shown from Pastor Raab; Hospice; The Oaks' administrators, staff and residents; Dr. Lindau and PMC staff; Vel's Bakery; Trinity Lutheran Church's Ladies Aid; and Mohr Funeral Home.
Myrna Roeber,
Michael Roeber & family, Mark & Alice Roeber & family, Mikki & Rick Dowling & family, Monte & Patty Roeber & family.

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RENTING APARTMENTS: Ridge Point Apartments, 208 West 13th Street, Wayne, is now taking applications for a handicap accessible apartment. Applicants must be low income eligible. Unit has central air, soft water, stove and refrigerator. References and deposit required. "Equal Housing Opportunity". Phone 402-369-0494 anytime.

FOR RENT: 3-BR home with 2-car detached garage south of Wakefield on Hwy. Ph. 402-922-0767

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE
By virtue of an order of sale issued by the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, and pursuant to a decree of said Court in an action therein indexed at Case No. CI 14-29 wherein PennyMac Loan Services, LLC, is the plaintiff, and Eldon R. Nixon, Spouse of Eldon R. Nixon, real name unknown, Carol J. Nixon, and John Doe and Jane Doe, real names and marital status unknown, are the defendants, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the following property at 10:00 a.m., on July 16, 2015, in the lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street, in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, to-wit:
Lot 3, Lund's Second Addition to Wakefield, Wayne County, Nebraska,
to satisfy the liens and encumbrances therein set forth; and to satisfy the accruing court costs, all as provided by said order and decree. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. The purchaser will deposit with the Master Commissioner, at the time of sale, a nonrefundable personal or cashier's check in the amount of \$5,000.00, with the full purchase price, in certified funds, to be received by the plaintiff's attorney immediately upon confirmation of the sale by the Court. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.
Dated this 8th day of June, 2015.
Kathleen M. Jorgensen
Master Commissioner
(Publ. June 11, 18, 25, July 2, 2015) ZNEZ
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SPECIAL MEETING NOTICE
The purpose of this meeting is to discuss Wayne Community Schools plan for providing Special Education services to children with disabilities, who attend nonpublic schools and homeschools located within the Wayne School District for the 2015-16 school year. If you are the parent of a home schooled child or child attending a nonpublic school, who has been or may be identified with a disability, you are invited to attend.
This special meeting will take place on June 15th at 12:00 p.m. in the High School Conference Room. Please call Misty Bear, Special Education Director, at 402-375-3854 with any questions.
(Publ. June 4, 11, 2015) ZNEZ
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Deadline for all legal notices to be published by The Wayne Herald is Mondays at 5 pm

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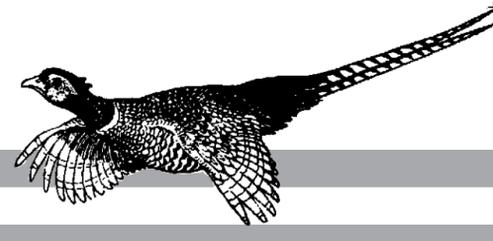
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Legal Notices Herald

NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS
 CASE #JV12-8
 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
 IN THE INTEREST OF A.G. A CHILD UNDER THE AGE OF EIGHTEEN YEARS.
 To: Kayla Mahnke, f/k/a Kayla Salmons, natural mother of A.G., and all other persons interested herein:

A Motion has been filed in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, acting as a Juvenile Court, the purpose of which is to terminate parental rights between the juvenile, A.G., and his mother, Kayla Mahnke, f/k/a Kayla Salmons, and a hearing on said motion, at which time an Order may be entered, will be had in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska on the 27th day of July, 2015, at 1:30 p.m. in the Wayne County Courthouse, Wayne, Nebraska.

BY THE COURT:
 (s) **Ross A. Stoffer**
 County Judge
 (Publ. June 11, 18, 25, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF SALE
 Notice is hereby given, that pursuant to Nebraska Revised Statutes 16 202, the City of Wayne, Nebraska, by Ordinance No. 2015-33, is hereby authorized to execute and deliver a Warranty Deed to the following:
 Section 1. That the following described real property owned by the City of Wayne, to-wit:

The North-South alley adjacent to the east side of Lot 1, Carhart's First Addition, and lying between Lot 2, Carhart's First Addition, and Lot 3, Westwood Addition, City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, is hereby authorized sold to Scott Hasemann and Mary Kay Hasemann, Husband and Wife, for the purchase price of One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$150.00) subject to all easements and restrictions of record and any applicable zoning regulations.

Section 2. That the Mayor is hereby empowered to execute and deliver a Warranty Deed to the above described real property to Scott Hasemann and Mary Kay Hasemann upon the payment of the purchase price as set forth above.

Section 3. That such sale shall not be closed for a period of thirty (30) days from the passage and publication date of this Notice of Sale, so as to allow for the remonstrance to said sale by citizens of the City, by filing, in writing, a remonstrance to said sale signed by legal electors of the City equal in number to

thirty percent (30%) of the electors of the City voting at the last regular municipal election held by the City, with the governing body of the City. If said remonstrance is filed and certified as legally sufficient by the City Clerk, the above property shall not then, within one (1) year thereafter, be sold.

Betty A. McGuire, City Clerk
 (Publ. June 11, 18, 25, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE
 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
 ESTATE OF JAMES J. COAN, Deceased.
 Estate No. PR 15-16
 Notice is hereby given that on May 22, 2015 in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, Kaye L. Morris whose address is 57534 847th Rd, Wayne, NE 68787 and Kathleen M. Coan whose address is 4620 N 113th St., Omaha, NE 68164 were informally appointed by the Registrar as Co-Personal Representatives of this Estate.

Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before July 28, 2015 or be forever barred.

(s) **KimBerly Hansen**
 Clerk Magistrate/Registrar
 510 Pearl Street, Suite B
 Wayne, Nebraska 68787
Attorney for Applicant
Kate M. Jorgensen #22912
 110 West 2nd Street
 PO Box 125
 Wayne, NE 68787
 (Publ. May 28, June 4, 11, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE
 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
 ESTATE OF KENNETH DUNKLAU, a/k/a KENNETH A. DUNKLAU, Deceased.
 Estate No. PR 15-19
 Notice is hereby given that on June 3, 2015, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that June Baier whose address is 910 Pine Heights Rd., Wayne, NE 68787; Sandra Wriedt whose address is 816 Pine Heights Rd., Wayne, NE 68787, and Lisa Meyer whose address is 203 N. Oak Street, Tilden, NE 68781, were informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Co-Representatives of the Estate.

Creditors of this Estate must file their claims with this Court on or before August 11, 2015 or be forever barred.
 (s) **KimBerly Hansen**

Clerk Magistrate/Registrar
510 Pearl Street, Suite B
Wayne, Nebraska 68787

Jewell & Collins
Attorneys at Law
105 S. 2nd Street
Norfolk, NE 68701
402-371-4844
 (Publ. June 11, 18, 25, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE
 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
 ESTATE OF CATHERINE E. ECHTENKAMP, Deceased.
 Estate No. PR 15-3
 Notice is hereby given that a final account and report of administration and a Petition for Complete Settlement, Adjudication of Intestacy, and Determination of heirs, have been filed and are set for hearing in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, located at 510 N Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska, on June 29, 2015, at 11:30 a.m.

Personal Representative/Petitioner
Larry G. Echtenkamp
85973 577th Avenue
Wayne, NE 68787
Phone 402-375-8430
Michael E. Pieper, No. 18147
Pieper & Miller
P.O. Box 427
Wayne, NE 68787
(402) 375-3885
 (Publ. June 11, 18, 25, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF ORGANIZATION OF GREENWALD RENTALS, L.L.C. A NEBRASKA LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
 Notice is hereby given that Greenwald Rentals, L.L.C., a Nebraska Limited Liability Company has been organized under the Laws of the State of Nebraska, with its designated office at 84732 579th Ave., Wayne, Nebraska 68787. The general nature of its business is to engage in and to do any lawful act concerning any and all lawful business, other than banking or insurance, for which a limited liability company may be organized under the laws of Nebraska. The company was organized and commenced on the 22nd day of May, 2015 and the duration of existence of the Company will be perpetual, unless terminated sooner. The initial registered agent's name and address is Neal Greenwald, 84732 579th Ave., Wayne, Nebraska 68787.
 (Publ. June 4, 11, 18, 2015) ZNEZ

WAYNE COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY PROCEEDINGS
April 28, 2015
 The Wayne Community Redevelopment Authority was called to order at 4:00 p.m. on April 28, 2015. In attendance: Chair Chamberlain; Members Giese, Meyer, Schweers, Muir and Larson; Attorney Miller; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire. Absent: Member Lenihan.
 Wes Blecke, Executive Director of Wayne Area Economic Development, was present requesting input/direction on marketing the 21+ acres of the CRA property (former Pacific Coast Feather property). He will be attending a wind show in May and taking postcards to distribute for marketing purposes, as well as other items.
 Discussion took place on other potential properties of interest.
APPROVED:
 Minutes of March 31, 2015.
 There were no claims.
 The sale of two Western Ridge Lots and Lucas and Heidi Thompson with the following conditions:
 1. The sale of Lot 4 for \$9,000 built within two building seasons;
 2. The sale of Lot 5 for \$5,000, with a first right of refusal for 30 days;
 3. Both must be completed by December 31, 2017, to receive the 25% discount on the purchase price; and
 4. The City will incur the cost of the administrative lot split.
 Meeting adjourned at 4:33 p.m.
The Wayne Community Redevelopment Authority
By: Chair
ATTEST:
City Clerk
 (Publ. June 11, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
 You are hereby notified that pursuant to a power of sale contained in the deed of trust in the original principal amount of \$68,000.00 executed by Jennifer D. Schutt, spouse of Scott D. Schutt, as a joint tenant with right of survivorship and Scott D. Schutt, spouse of Jennifer D. Schutt, as a joint tenant with right of survivorship, which was filed for record on March 12, 2007 as Instrument No. 070278 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Wayne County, Nebraska, the property described below will be sold by the undersigned at public auction to the highest bidder for cash or certified or cashier's check, in the lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street, in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska at 2:30 PM on July 14, 2015:

A parcel of land located in the Northwest corner of the Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of Section Two (2), Township Twenty-seven (27) North, Range One (1) East of the 6th P.M., Wayne County, Nebraska described as follows: Commencing at the Northwest corner of said Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of Section Two (2), extend due South on the West section line a distance of 720 feet; thence extend due East a distance of 403 feet; thence extend due North a distance of 720 feet to a point on the North line of said Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of said Section Two (2); thence extend due West along the North section line of said Section Two (2) a distance of 403 feet to the place of beginning, said parcel containing 6.661 acres, more or less.
 The highest bidder is required to deliver cash or certified funds to the undersigned by the close of business on the day of sale, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the beneficiary. The purchaser is responsible for all fees or taxes, including the documentary stamp tax. This sale is made without any warranties as to title or condition of the property.
Eric H. Lindquist
Successor Trustee
 (Publ. June 4, 11, 18, 25, July 2, 2015) ZNEZ

NOTICE
 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
 ESTATE OF JOHN E. SOHLER, Deceased.
 Estate No. PR 15-18
 Notice is hereby given that on May 28, 2015 in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Deanna Sohler Rosenlind, Mary S. Sohler, and Lawrence J. Sohler, whose addresses are 55905 860

Rd., 2617 22nd Ave Ct. NW, Gig Harbor, WA 98335, 2005 Mulberry Dr., Norfolk, NE 68701, and 320 Sherwood Lane, Norfolk, NE 68701, were 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 August 4, 2015, or be forever barred.

(s) **KimBerly Hansen**
Clerk Magistrate/Registrar
510 Pearl Street, Suite B
Wayne, Nebraska 68787
Lance C. Carlson, #20674
Carlson Law Office
P.O. Box 458
Randolph, NE 68771
402-337-0808
 (Publ. June 4, 11, 18, 2015) ZNEZ

AMENDED NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following-described property will be sold by **THOMAS LOCHER**, Trustee, at public auction to the highest bidder in the lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse, 510 Pearl Street, Wayne, Nebraska, on June 30, 2015, at 11:00 o'clock a.m.:

THE EAST 50 FEET OF LOTS 5 AND 6, AND THE SOUTH 25 FEET OF THE EAST 50 FEET OF LOT 4, BLOCK 4, JOHN LAKE'S ADDITION TO THE CITY OF WAYNE, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA.
 The successful bidder shall submit payment in cash or certified funds of the winning bid in full on the day and time of the sale, June 30, 2015 at the offices of Locher Pavelka Dostal Braddy & Hammes, except this requirement is waived when the highest bidder is the Beneficiary.
 DATED this 22nd day of May, 2015.
THOMAS LOCHER, Trustee
By: Gregory L. Galles
For: LOCHER PAVELKA DOSTAL BRADDY & HAMMES, LLC
200 The Omaha Club
2002 Douglas Street
Omaha, Nebraska 68102
Phone: (402) 898-7000
Fax: (402) 898-7130
Gregory L. Galles, #21748
Attorney for Trustee

STATE OF NEBRASKA
) ss.
COUNTY OF DOUGLAS
)
 On this 22nd day of May, 2015, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally came Gregory L. Galles, to me known to be the identical person whose name is affixed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged the execution thereof to be a voluntary act and deed.
 Witness my hand and notarial seal the day and year last above written.
Victoria L. Vandenbroucke
NOTARY PUBLIC
 (Publ. May 21, 28, June 4, 11, 18, 2015) ZNEZ

ORDINANCE NO. 2015-32 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING THE VACATION OF AN ALLEY LOCATED IN THE CITY OF WAYNE, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA, DESCRIBED AS THE NORTH-SOUTH ALLEY ADJACENT TO THE EAST SIDE OF LOT 1, CARHART'S FIRST ADDITION, AND LYING BETWEEN LOT 2, CARHART'S FIRST ADDITION, AND LOT 3, WESTWOOD ADDITION, WAYNE, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA.
 BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska:
 Section 1. That the vacation of the north-south alley adjacent to the east side of Lot 1, Carhart's First Addition, and lying between Lot 2, Carhart's First Addition, and Lot 3, Westwood Addition, Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, is in the best interest of the City of Wayne.
 Section 2. That the north-south alley adjacent to the east side of Lot 1, Carhart's First Addition, and lying between Lot 2, Carhart's First Addition, and Lot 3, Westwood Addition, Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, is hereby vacated
 Section 3. The land comprising said real estate shall be retained by the City of Wayne, Nebraska, and will remain the property of the City of Wayne, Nebraska, as allowed by Neb. Rev. Stat. § 19-197.
 Section 4. That this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect, from and after its passage, approval and publication, as provided by law.
 PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 2nd day of June, 2015.
THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA
By Mayor
ATTEST:
City Clerk
 (Publ. June 11, 2015) ZNEZ

ORDINANCE NO. 2015-33 AN ORDINANCE DIRECTING THE SALE OF THE NORTH-SOUTH ALLEY ADJACENT TO THE EAST SIDE OF LOT 1, CARHART'S FIRST ADDITION, AND LYING BETWEEN LOT 2, CARHART'S FIRST ADDITION, AND LOT 3, WESTWOOD ADDITION, CITY OF WAYNE, WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA.
 BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and the Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska:
 Section 1. The Mayor and City Council are directed to convey by Warranty Deed to Scott Hasemann and Mary Kay Hasemann, Husband and Wife, property owned by the City and legally described as:
 The North-South alley adjacent to the east side of Lot 1, Carhart's First Addition, and lying between Lot 2, Carhart's First Addition, and Lot 3, Westwood Addition, City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, for the sum of \$150.00 and other valuable consideration.
 Section 2. Notice of the sale and the terms contained in Section 1 shall be published for three consecutive weeks in the Wayne Herald, provided that if a remonstrance against said sale signed by legal electors thereof equal in number to 30% of the electors of the City voting at the last regular municipal election held therein, be filed with the governing body within thirty days of the passage and publication of this ordinance, said property shall not then, nor within one year thereafter, be sold.
 Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage, approval, and publication according to law.
 PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 2nd day of June, 2015.
THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA
By Mayor
ATTEST:
City Clerk
 (Publ. June 11, 2015) ZNEZ

WAYNE CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
May 19, 2015
 Wayne City Council was called to order at 5:30 p.m. on May 19, 2015. In attendance: Mayor Chamberlain; Councilmembers Giese, Greve, Haase, Sievers, Muir, Karsky, Eischeid and Brodersen; Attorney Miller; Administrator Johnson; and City Clerk McGuire.
 Minutes of the May 5, 2015, meeting were

approved.
 The following claims were approved:
VARIOUS FUNDS: ADVANCED CON-SULTING, SE, 1750.00; ALTEC INDUSTRIES, SU, 596.15; AMERITAS, SE, 2407.89; APPEARA, SE, 169.41; BAKER & TAYLOR BOOKS, SU, 489.60; CARHART LUMBER CO, SU, 660.47; CARROLL DISTRIBUTING, SU, 105.03; CDBG CERTIFICATION, FE, 100.00; CERTIFIED TESTING SERVICE, SE, 2939.50; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 100.00; CITY OF WAYNE, PY, 79575.60; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 2001.34; COMMUNITY HEALTH, RE, 4.00; CONSOLIDATED MANAGEMENT, SE, 46.50; CORNHUSKER INTERNATIONAL, SU, 82.99; ECHO GROUP, SU, 128.66; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 588.34; ERNEST E PING, SE, 779.00; FLOOR MAINTENANCE, SU, 309.70; FREDRICKSON OIL, SU, 1108.50; GALE GROUP, SU, 163.73; GEMPLER'S, SE, 291.25; GEOCOMM, SE, 2084.00; GERHOLD CONCRETE, SU, 1680.22; GROSSENBURG IMPLEMENT, SU, 337.40; HEARTLAND FIRE PROTECTION, SE, 77.00; HIRERIGHT SOLUTIONS, SE, 106.30; HOMETOWN LEASING, SE, 259.98; ICMA, SE, 8275.84; IRS, TX, 28327.09; JACK'S UNIFORMS, SU, 27.95; JEO CONSULTING GROUP, SE, 50237.37; KAREN MECSEJ, RE, 26.40; KEPCO, SU, 8.68; KRIZ-DAVIS, SU, 1015.98; KTCH, SE, 1141.00; L.G. EVERIST, SU, 1837.36; LUTT OIL, SU, 4641.97; MAEDC, FE, 425.00; MICHAEL TODD & CO, SU, 244.21; MIDSTATES ERECTORS, SE, 19375.16; MIDWEST LABORATORIES, SE, 337.50; MIKE TOWNE, SE, 300.00; MOTOR MIDWEST, SU, 325.00; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 60.84; NE DEPT OF REVENUE, TX, 3887.12; NE NEB INS AGENCY, SE, 863.00; NE SAFETY COUNCIL, SE, 18.64; NPPD, SE, 246766.67; NEBRASKA COMMUNITY FOUND., FE, 200.00; NLA, SU, 4.40; NNPPD, SE, 12306.60; NORTHEAST TIRE SERVICE, SE, 126.48; NORTHERN SAFETY CO, SU, 213.81; OLSSON ASSOCIATES, SE, 2188.19; ONE CALL CONCEPTS, SE, 108.60; PEPSI, SU, 226.00; PLUNKETT'S PEST CONTROL, SE, 1129.93; RON'S RADIO, SU, 730.75; SKARSHAUG TESTING LAB, SE, 153.57; SOOLAND BOBCAT, SU, 579.00; SPARKLING KLEAN, SE, 2930.36; SHOPKO, SU, 135.04; STADIUM SPORTING GOODS, SU, 385.25; STAPLES ADVANTAGE, SU, 63.99; STATE NEBRASKA BANK, SE, 68.56; TATE NELSON, RE, 500.00; US BANK, SU, 2075.35; VAN DIEST SUPPLY, SU, 66.80; VIAERO, SE, 137.84; WASTE CONNECTIONS, SE, 209.55; WAED, SE, 7216.66; WAYNE AUTO PARTS, SU, 380.06; WAYNE FIREWORKS COMMITTEE, RE, 2000.00; WAYNE HERALD, SE, 3832.07; WAYNE KRAMER, RE, 50.00; WAYNE STATER, SE, 138.00; WESCO, SU, 754.35; ZACH HEATING & COOLING, SE, 449.70; APPEARA, SE, 63.97; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 213.57; BROWN PLUMBING, SE, 97.50; BROWN SUPPLY, SU, 75.53; CHILVERS ABSTRACT & TITLE, SE, 1025.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 150.00; CITY OF WAYNE, RE, 2070.97; CONSOLIDATED MANAGEMENT, SE, 27.50; CUMMINS CENTRAL POWER, SE, 844.04; DGR & ASSOCIATES, SE, 510.00; DOUGLAS CO COURT, RE, 149.00; DUTTON-LAINSON, SU, 1155.60; ECHO GROUP, SU, 169.48; GERHOLD CONCRETE, SU, 75.99; GROSSENBURG IMPLEMENT, SU, 1361.56; CITY EMPLOYEE, RE, 2709.57; HAWKINS, SU, 1041.33; HD SUPPLY WATERWORKS, SU, 2671.20; HEWLETT-PACKARD, SU, 85.00; JWC ENVIRONMENTAL, SE, 1500.00; KELLY SUPPLY, SU, 462.86; LITEFORM TECHNOLOGIES, SU, 1078.95; MSC INDUSTRIAL, SU, 74.80; MUNICIPAL SUPPLY, SU, 1104.99; NE DEPT OF ENVIRONMENTAL, RE, 199312.49; OMAHA WORLD-HERALD, SE, 565.18; OVERHEAD DOOR COMPANY, SE, 86.00; PITNEY BOWES, SE, 258.00; PROFESSIONAL POOL & SPA, SU, 431.90; QUALITY 1 GRAPHICS, SU, 25.00; REED ALLEN, RE, 50.00; ROBERTSON IMPLEMENT, SU, 446.19; TYLER TECHNOLOGIES, SE, 2467.96; VERIZON WIRELESS, SE, 99.30; WESCO, SU, 408.53
 Public hearings were held on the following matters:
 > To consider the Planning Commission's recommendation regarding a Use by Exception Request under Sec. 90-354 Exceptions (5) of the B-1 Highway Business District. The applicant, Sunnyview Place, LLC, is seeking the request to allow for a preschool to be located at 803 Providence Road.
 > To consider the Planning Commission's recommendation regarding the final plat for the Opportunity Park Addition. The applicant, City of Wayne, is seeking the request.
 > To consider the Planning Commission's recommendation in regard to amending the Wayne Municipal Code, Chapter 90 Zoning, Section 90-115 Conditions for Granting Exceptions in the A-1 Agricultural District. The applicant, City of Wayne, seeks the request to add Stables and Livestock Arena.
 > To consider the Planning Commission's recommendation in regard to amending the Wayne Municipal Code, Chapter 90 Zoning, Section 90-115 Conditions for Granting Exceptions in the A-1 Agricultural District, by adding (4) Stables and (5) Livestock Arena. The applicant for this request is the City of Wayne.
 Dean Carroll, General Manager of Mid-States School Bus, Inc., was present requesting Council consideration to establishing prohibited parking on the west side of Lincoln Street from First Street North a distance of two parking stalls. At this time, there are no parking restrictions, and it is difficult getting the school buses in and out of the building when cars are parked in that area on the street. Consensus was for staff to prepare an ordinance for Council consideration (no parking here to corner or no parking 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.).
 Steve and Connie Hall were present to talk to the Council about the trail signage. They thought the trail signage should relate more to Wayne and not the State of Nebraska. After a considerable amount of discussion, Mayor Chamberlain suggesting putting together a committee to review the signs and suggest updates, etc.
APPROVED:
 Appointment of Phil Monahan as Fire Chief Application for Membership of Nate Temme to the Wayne Volunteer Fire Department.
 To table action on Resolution 2015-52 – approving Fire Department Active Status Policy Requirements for six months.
 Request of Dr. Ken Liska to place Masonic Lodge cornerstones in future public buildings.
 Request of the Chicken Show Committee to close the following streets on Friday, July

10th from 2:30 p.m. until 2:00 a.m. for the Annual Henoween Celebration: Main Street from 1st Street to the alley between 3rd and 4th Streets; 2nd and 3rd Streets from the alley west of Main Street to the alley east of Main Street.
 Request of the Chicken Show Committee to close the following streets on Saturday, July 11th from 6:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. for the annual Chicken Show celebration in Bressler Park: 10th Street from Lincoln Street to Douglas Street; Lincoln Street from 10th Street to 8th Street; Douglas Street from 8th Street to 10th Street; and the intersections at 10th and Douglas and 10th and Lincoln Streets.
 Request of the Chicken Show Committee to close the following streets on Saturday, July 11th for the Annual Chicken Show Parade from 9:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. (or until the end of the parade): Main Street from 1st to 10th Street (including intersections) and 10th Street from Main Street to Lincoln Street.
 Res. 2015-53 acknowledging NDOR requirements for the temporary use of the State Highway System for special events.
 Res. 2015-54 approving the application of Sunnyview Place, LLC, for a zoning use by exception permit to allow for a preschool to be located at 803 Providence Road.
 Res. 2015-55 approving the final plat for Opportunity Park Addition.
 First reading of Ord. 2015-29 amending Sec. 90-10 Definitions to add "Stables."
 First reading of Ord. 2015-30 amending Sec. 90-114 Exceptions – A-1 Agricultural District.
 First reading of Ord. 2015-31 amending Sec. 90-115 Conditions for granting exceptions – A-1 Agricultural District.
 First reading of Ord. 2015-32 approving the vacation of an alley located in the City of Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, described as the North-South alley adjacent to the East side of Lot 1, Carhart's First Addition, and lying between Lot 2, Carhart's First Addition, and Lot 3, Westwood Addition, Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska.
 Res. 2015-56 accepting proposal and approving agreement with JEO Consulting Group, Inc., for professional services to complete the NPDES permit application process for the City's wastewater facility.
 Res. 2015-57 approving amendment to owner-engineer agreement with JEO Consulting Group, Inc., for additional services for the "Wayne Storm Shelter/Water Line Improvement Projects."
 Res. 2015-58 approving agreement with Gill Hauling for operation of the Wayne Transfer Station.
 Pay Application No. 2 for \$76,912.72 to Robert Woehler & Sons Construction, Inc., for the "2014 Hillside Drive, Paving & Storm Sewer Improvement Project."
 Lease Agreement with Glen Johnson for the city railroad right-of-way property.
 Appointments of Katie Jensen and Brigitte Burbach to the Recreation-Leisure Services Commission.
 Executive session was entered into at 8:04 p.m. for the annual review of the City Administrator.
 Open session resumed at 8:22 p.m.
 Meeting adjourned at 8:22 p.m.

THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA
By Mayor
ATTEST:
City Clerk
 (Publ. June 11, 2015) ZNEZ

VILLAGE OF WINSIDE BOARD PROCEEDINGS
June 1, 2015
Winside, Nebraska
 The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska met in regular session on Monday, June 1, 2015 at 7:30 p.m. in the library meeting room. Present were Trustees Peter, Carlsson, Edwards and Lemke with Waters arriving later. Visitors were Terry Schulz, Nancy Jensen, Roger Protzman, Jeff Hrouda, Kevin Cleveland, Jeff Farran, Shawn Crosier, Jason Dwinell, and Brad Jaeger.
 Action taken by the Board included:
 1. Approved May meeting minutes
 2. Accepted May Treasurer's report
 3. Granted SDLP to Nancy Jensen dba Jensen's Cafe for a wedding reception July 4th in the auditorium
 4. Kyle Skokan and Jeff Farran were appointed to the Village Zoning Board
 5. Decided to retro fill all fire extinguishers
 6. Updated on lagoon project, Q125, housing inspections, and a possible replat of lots
 The following claims were approved for payment: Payroll, 3,410.71; IRS, tax, 1,983.52 & 1,891.59; Post Office, ex, 58.95; NNTC, ex, 300.10; Waste Connections, ex, 2,791.80; Dept. of Energy, ex, 5,875.96; Farmers Coop, ex, 417.87; Curb Appeal, ex, 1,050.00; NE Dept. of Revenue, tax, 1,521.19; Payroll, 3,116.87; Winside School, ex, 100.00; Platte Valley Communications, ex, 179.00; Brian Petzoldt, ex, 180.95; Schmadher Elect., ex, 2,280.00; Wayne C. Clerk, ex, 2,562.00; Jeffrey Hrouda, ex, 683.38; Menards, ex, 18.16; City of Wayne, ex, 126.67; NAPA, ex, 67.39; Summer Rec, ex, 1,020.86; TG Construction, ex, 3,815.50; Floor Maintenance, ex, 141.21; James Gubbels, ex, 490.98; Kaup Forage & Turf, ex, 120.00; Toni Meis, ref, 146.25; Gerhold Concrete, ex, 1,608.00; Echo, ex, 172.32; Daryl Mundil, ex, 32.68; Dearborn National, ex, 106.64; Bomgaars, ex, 85.28; Source Gas, ex, 281.96; Utility Fund, ex, 1,358.49; The Store, ex, 19.73; Hoskins Mfg. Co., ex, 60.00; Northeast NE Public Power, ex, 9,996.70; Midwest Lab, ex, 137.50; Ryan Prince, ex, 264.91; Brown Supply, ex, 230.86; Madison Co. Bank, ex, 66.38; Kevin Cleveland, ex, 810.98; Carol Brugger, ex, 621.43; Acco Invoice, ex, 4265.00; Certified Testing Service, ex, 2,700.00.
 The meeting adjourned at 10:10 P.M.
 The Board of Trustees of the Village of Winside, Nebraska will meet in regular session on Monday, July 6, 2015 in the library meeting room. The meeting will be open to the public and an agenda for such meeting kept continuously current is available for inspection at the office of the Village Clerk of said Village.
Charles Peter, Chairman Pro Tem
Attest:
Carol M. Brugger, clerk
 (Publ. June 11, 2015) ZNEZ

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

Wayne, Nebraska June 2, 2015

The Wayne County Board of Commissioners meeting was called to order by Chairman Larson at 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, June 2, 2015, in the upstairs conference room of the Courthouse. Chairman Larson, Members Burbach and Rabe, and Clerk Finn were present. Notice of this meeting was published in the Wayne Herald, a legal newspaper, on May 21, 2015. A current copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted in the meeting room and accessible to the public.

Larson presented the following Consent Agenda items:
 a. Approve minutes of May 19, 2015 meeting as printed in the Commissioners Record
 b. Approve fee reports
 c. Approve payroll
 d. Approve Lodging Tax Grant Application #15-15 for \$225.00 submitted by Wakefield Heritage Organization for Celebrating 100 years of Grave Library Building
 e. Re-appoint Keith Gamble to the Veterans Service Committee. The appointment would be effective until May 31, 2019.
 f. Re-appoint Jean Nuss to the Veterans Service Committee. The appointment would be effective until May 31, 2020.

Item d., Lodging Tax Grant Application #15-15, was removed from the consent agenda. A motion to approve the amended consent agenda was made by Burbach and seconded by Rabe. Roll call vote: Burbach, Rabe and Larson - aye; motion carried.

A motion to approve the regular agenda was made by Rabe and seconded by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Larson - aye; motion carried.

Road/Bridge Project Manager Mark Casey provided project updates including:
 • C-90(605) aka Krusemark - Signatures on temporary and permanent easement papers have been requested.
 • Engineering quotes on three projects were received from Speece Lewis.
 • C-90(210) aka Hansen - The east abutment is being poured. Stability is improving, but the center line is still not back to where it is supposed to be.
 • Construction on C-90(210) and (217) aka Baier-Spahr is to be completed by the end of June.

Emergency Manager Nic Kemnitz reported he has continued to support operations in Wakefield. Last week the state called in help from Chadron, Sydney & Aurora. Wayne County will be reimbursed Operation Center costs including fuel for the generator.

Lois Shelton reported the county's annual donation to the Historical Association has not changed since 1976, and requested the county increase their donation from \$2500 to \$5000. Several maintenance and improvement projects were identified, and it was noted that any increase would be split between the two museums. The board will consider the request when preparing the 2015-16 budget.

Lodging Tax Request #15-15 submitted by Wakefield Heritage Organization for Celebrating 100 years of Grave Library Building was considered. A motion to deny the request based on the Lodging Tax Guidelines, which stipulate that the event must be conducted in Wayne County, was made by Burbach and seconded by Rabe. Roll call vote: Burbach, Rabe, Larson - aye; motion carried. The board will ask the Wayne County Visitors Bureau to review the guidelines and consider updates.

Dave Woslager and Nana Peterson were re-appointed to a 4-year term on the Wayne County Visitors Bureau on a motion made by Rabe and seconded by Burbach. Roll call vote: Rabe, Burbach, Woslager - aye; motion carried.

Cheese: A food that has withstood the test of time

By Christine Cliff, MPH, RDN, LDN

"Age is something that doesn't matter, unless you are a cheese." Luis Bunuel

Cheese, cheese, glorious cheese. This seemingly simple snack food has endured throughout much of history.

Some sources date cheese making back to occurring in Middle East over 7,500 years ago. Legend has it that the first cheese was made by accident. An Arabian merchant decided to store his supply of milk in a pouch made of a sheep's stomach to help preserve it

during his journey across the desert. Little did he know that the rennet (enzyme) plus the heat of the sun would separate the milk into curds and whey.

Since then, cheese and cheese making has been documented throughout much of history. The Romans helped bring the art of cheese making to Europe, while the Pilgrims added cheese to their supply list as they travelled to the Americas on the Mayflower.

With June 4 being National Cheese Day, let's explore this timeless, nutrient-rich food and how it can fit into almost any eating plan.

Milk, salt, a starter culture (think good bacteria) and rennet are the four simple ingredients that make up natural cheese. With milk being one of its key ingredients, most cheeses can boast that they are an excellent source of calcium. In fact cheese is the number two source of dietary calcium in Americans' diets, making

it a great option to help fill the calcium gap in American children and adults. Since calcium helps with bone growth, encouraging adolescents to choose high calcium foods, like low-fat cheese, often can help optimize their bone health. Additionally, thanks to milk, cheese also contains high-quality protein. Eating foods with high-quality protein, as part of a diet higher in protein, can help one feel satisfied longer between meals and help to reduce muscle loss in the aging population.

Strawberry Frozen Yogurt Squares

Makes 9 Servings

Prep Time: 10 min

Freezer time: 8 hours

Ingredients

- 1 cup crunchy wheat and barley cereal
- 3 cups fat-free strawberry yogurt
- 1 (10-ounce) bag frozen unsweetened strawberries (about 2 1/2 cups)
- 1 cup fat-free sweetened condensed milk
- 1 cup light or fat-free whipped topping (optional)

Line an 8x8-inch baking pan with foil. Sprinkle cereal evenly on the bottom of the pan; set aside.

Place yogurt, strawberries and condensed milk in a blender; cover and blend until smooth. Pour the mixture over top of cereal, gently smoothing

yogurt mixture to edges of pan. Cover with foil (or plastic wrap) and freeze for 8 hours or until firm. Use edges of foil to loosen and remove from pan; let recipe thaw for 5 to 10 minutes. Cut into squares, top with whipped topping, if desired, and serve.

Storage tip: Squares may be individually wrapped and frozen for single servings. Note: Create your own variations by using other flavor combinations of yogurt and fruit.

Recipe created by 3-Every-Day of Dairy. Nutritional Facts: 200 Calories, 0 g Fat, 0 g Saturated Fat, 5 mg Cholesterol, 150 mg Sodium, 7 g Protein, 42 g Carbohydrates, 2 g Dietary Fiber, 20 percent Daily Value Calcium.



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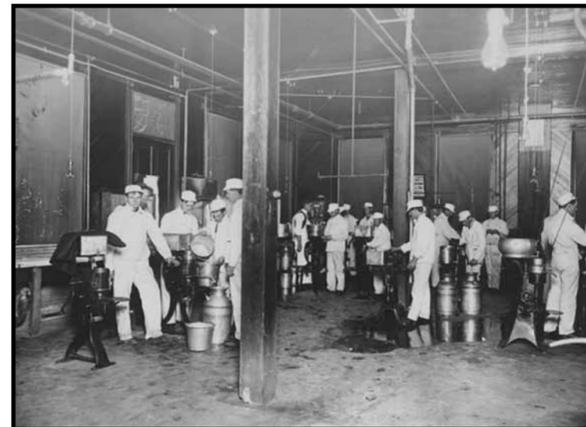
• Cafe foods, including handmade sandwiches, soups, salads and daily lunch specials

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• Husker eggs and other East campus products

• Fine coffee drinks

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(left) Students check the temperature of milk in vats before it is pasteurized or homogenized in March 1954. (right) Dairy Plant workers skim the fat off the milk at the separator facility.

Students visit Memorial Stadium to celebrate Fuel Up to Play 60

The Nebraska Student Reward Summit at Memorial Stadium brought 208 students and 58 program advisors from 50 schools together because of their work to meet health and wellness goals in school this year. That number is twice the number of schools that attended last year.

According to attendees, "It was a beautiful day, kicking off with a Grab-and-Go Breakfast, including milk and yogurt, and a special message from Governor Pete Ricketts, followed by football activities with Huskers on the field. After getting their 60 minutes of physical activity, attendees rotated through sessions to learn more about dairy farming and to play a nutrition game.



The day was complete after hearing from former Husker and current Cincinnati Bengals running back Rex Burkhead and current Husker quarterback Johnny Stanton. They encouraged the children to eat nutritious foods, including dairy, be physically active and listen to their parents.

Governor recognizes Dairy Month and anniversary of National Dairy Council

Nebraska Governor Pete Ricketts hosted Nebraska dairy farmers in front of the governor's mansion in late May. While there, Ricketts signed a proclamation, declaring June Dairy Month in Nebraska. He also recognized the 100th anniversary of the National Dairy Council.

Nebraska Dairy Princess Chandre Mosel of Neligh presented a cheese gift basket to Sheehy and Bobbie Kriz-Wickham, assistant director of agriculture for the state.

In his statement, the governor said, "It is important to honor the producers of our nation's dairy industry, whose daily work and dedication contributes so much to our citizens' health and prosperity. Dairy farmers are committed to producing real, fresh and natural dairy foods that help feed our nation while using fewer resources, caring for the land, protecting the air and water, and providing quality care for their cows."

He closed his comments by "PROCLAIMING the month of June, 2015, as DAIRY MONTH and DO HEREBY RECOGNIZE the 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE NATIONAL DAIRY COUNCIL in Nebraska, and I do hereby urge all citizens to take due note of the observance."

The proclamation noted that dairy farms in Nebraska provided more than one billion pounds of milk last year, worth more than \$200 million. It cited the important contribution of dairy products to good nutrition and reminded them that milk is Nebraska's official state drink.

The ceremony closed with the governor signing the proclamation, using the back of a Holstein as his desk. He then raised a milk toast, joined by the Nebraska Director of Agriculture Greg Ibach, Senator Jerry Johnson, chairman of the Legislative Ag Committee, Midwest Dairy Nebraska Division Board Chairman Lowell Mueller and Nebraska State Dairy Association Chairman Bill Thiele were also on hand.



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- Maskenthine Lake Recreation Area, Stanton
- Willow Creek State Recreation Area, Pierce
- Construction of Logan East Rural Water System
- Construction of the Wau-Col Regional Water System
- Distribution of over 3 million trees
- Provide cost-share assistance for some construction work
- 72 road structures to replace county bridges
- Decommissioned hundreds of abandoned wells
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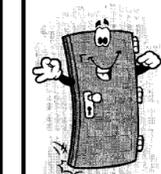


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Nebraska, regional dairy statistics shared

- In the state of Nebraska, there are about 195 licensed dairy herds.
- Nebraska dairy farms produced approximately 139 million gallons of milk in 2014.
- Nebraska farms generate more than \$245 million in milk sales annually.
- Nebraska is the 26th largest milk-producing state in the U.S.
- In Nebraska, the average dairy cow produces about 7 gallons of milk per day. That's more than 2,508 gallons of

milk over the course of a typical year.

- Nebraska has 7 plants that process one or more dairy products.
- It takes about 48 hours for milk to travel from the farm to the dairy case.

Dairy in the Midwest

Dairy Farming is vital to our communities. It's a way of life for the men and woman who live and work on America's 47,000 dairy farms. And, dairy is essential to the health of communities across the country because it contributes jobs, income and economic

vitality. Here's a quick look at dairy farming facts and figures:

- Dairy farms support rural communities in all 50 states and Puerto Rico.
- There are about 47,000 dairy farms in the United States. About 97% of U.S. dairy farms are family-owned and operated.
- There are approximately 9.25 million dairy cows in the U.S. The average herd size on a dairy farm is 196 cows.
- The value of all milk products sold from U.S. farms is about \$40,276,900,000.
- Where milk goes, jobs follow. From farm to processor to distribution and

retail, dairy creates jobs that support the economic well-being of rural and urban America.

- Dairy farms sustain rural America.

Even under the nation's current economic challenges, dairy farmers and companies are a lifeline to 900,000 jobs in the United States.

Note: These statistics were compiled from the following sources: State Departments of Agriculture, USDA National Agricultural Statistics Services, Dairy industry sources, including the International Dairy Foods Association and Dairy Management, Inc.



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Cheddar and Mushroom Breakfast Squares

Makes 9 Servings
 Ingredients
 Prep Time: 20 min
 Cook Time: 60 min

- 2 teaspoons butter
- 2 cups sliced white button mushrooms
- 1/2 cup sliced green onion, including green tops
- 6 slices country-style whole-grain bread, cubed
- 2 cups shredded, reduced-fat Cheddar cheese
- 2 cups fat-free or low-fat milk
- 2 cups egg substitute
- 1 teaspoon red or green hot pepper sauce

Spray an 8 x 8-inch square glass or

ceramic baking dish with cooking spray; set aside.

In a medium skillet over medium heat, melt butter and add mushrooms. Cook mushrooms about 5 minutes or until softened and brown at edges. Stir in green onion; set aside. Place 1/2 of the bread cubes in prepared baking dish. Scatter 1/2 of the mushroom mixture and 1/2 of the cheese over bread cubes. Layer remaining bread cubes and mushroom mixture; set aside.

In a large bowl, beat milk, egg substitute and pepper sauce until well blended. Pour milk mixture over bread cubes and top with the remaining cheese. Make ahead suggestion: cover dish with foil and refrigerate for 8-10 hours before baking.

Preheat oven to 350 degrees Fahrenheit. Bake, covered for 45 minutes. Remove foil and bake an additional 15 minutes or until top is puffed up and cheese is browned at edges. Let cool for 5 minutes; cut into squares to serve. Note: Create your own variations by using other vegetables.

Recipe created by 3-Every-Day of Dairy.

Nutritional Facts: 210 Calories, 8 g Fat, 4.5 g Saturated Fat, 20 mg Cholesterol, 310 mg Sodium, 17 g Protein, 18 g Carbohydrates, 1 g Dietary Fiber, 30 percent Daily Value Calcium



Nearly 300,000 families in need have already benefited from milk donations to The Great American Milk Drive.

More than 22 million children may miss out on milk's nutrition in the summer months when schools are closed and they lose access to free or reduced-price milk programs. This summer, America's dairy farmers and milk companies are on a mission to bring more fresh, nutritious milk to children in need. Feeding America's Great American Milk Drive is the first-ever nationwide program that delivers highly desired and nutrient-rich gallons of milk to hungry families who need it most.

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Learn more about the need for more nutritious foods like milk in America's food banks and how a small donation can make a significant impact at milklife.com/give

Cheesy Chicken Crunchers

Makes 6 servings
 Prep Time: 30 min
 Cook Time: 25 min

- 1 cup all-purpose flour
- 4 egg whites
- 1/2 cup reduced-fat milk
- 1 1/2 cups cornflakes
- 1 cup reduced-fat, shredded Cheddar cheese
- 6 chicken breast filets; cut into strips

Preheat oven to 375 degrees Fahrenheit. Set up three bowls with the following: 1) flour; 2) an egg-wash; made by beating the eggs and milk together; 3) cornflakes mixed with cheese.

Coat a 13 x 9-inch baking pan with non-stick cooking spray. Dip chicken

pieces in flour, then into the egg-wash, then roll in the cheesy-flakes mixture, coating the entire piece of chicken, and place on the baking pan. Discard any unused cornflake mixture after coating chicken. Bake for 25 minutes, turning halfway through to ensure even browning. Serve with ketchup or BBQ sauce, if desired.

Recipe created by Chef Jon Ashton of Orlando, Fla.

Nutritional Facts: 320 Calories, 8 g Fat, 4 g Saturated Fat, 90 mg Cholesterol, 320 mg Sodium, 37 g Protein, 24 g Carbohydrates, 1 g Dietary Fiber, 20 percent Daily Value Calcium



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30 Days of Dairy - Ways to add dairy to your diet

Three daily servings of low-fat or fat-free milk and milk products every day as part of a healthy, balanced diet:

- Deliver important nutrients for a healthy body
- Help promote bone health
- Has been associated with reduced risk of certain diseases.

It is recommended that people nine years and older consume three servings of low-fat or fat-free dairy every day. However, on average, people are consuming only about two servings of dairy a day. Here are 30 ways to incorporate more dairy into your diet.
One serving of dairy is: 1 cup (8 oz)

of low-fat or fat-free milk, 1 cup (8 oz) low-fat or fat-free yogurt, 1.5 ounces reduced-fat natural cheese (e.g. Cheddar), 2 ounces reduced-fat processed cheese (e.g. American), 1/3 cup reduced-fat shredded cheese.

BREAKFAST

It's known as the most important meal of the day. Start the day off right with a breakfast that includes dairy.

- Breakfast Sandwich – toast a whole-wheat English muffin and top with an egg and reduced-fat cheese slice.

- Quick Smoothie – get out the blender and mix a splash of fruit juice, frozen fruit, low-fat or fat-free yogurt and a few ice cubes.

- Morning Mocha – mix a cup of low-fat chocolate milk with a teaspoon of instant coffee.

- Swap It – substitute low-fat or fat-free milk for water when preparing oatmeal, hot chocolate or pancakes.

- Cheddar and Mushroom Breakfast Squares – a great weekend breakfast.

- Yogurt Parfait – top low-fat or fat-free yogurt with fruit slices and granola.

- Meal On-The-Go – grab a banana with peanut butter and a cup of low-fat or fat-free milk.

LUNCH

Try these lunch tips to get more dairy at mid-day and help you get through the afternoon.

- Gourmet Grilled Cheese – start with the basics (whole-wheat bread, reduced-fat American cheese) and add avocado and tomato.

- Pizza Pita – top a whole-grain pita with pizza sauce, reduced-fat shredded cheese and your favorite toppings.

- Fiesta Tortilla – roll up your favorite toppings in a whole-grain tortilla with reduced-fat cheese. Oh, what to choose? Salsa, lean meats, avocado, pepper, onions...

- Chicken Melt – melt a slice of reduced-fat Colby Jack cheese over chicken on an English muffin.

- Sandwich Heaven – choose multi-grain bread, spread on mustard and fill it with lean meats (such as turkey breast or roast beef), reduced-fat cheese, tomatoes and veggies.

- Quick Combo – have a glass of low-fat or fat-free milk with a favorite sandwich and piece of fruit and/or vegetables.

- Super Spud – try a baked potato with low-fat plain yogurt, reduced-fat shredded cheese, black pepper and your favorite steamed veggies.

SNACKS

Snacks can help boost your energy between meals.

- Fun and Kid-Friendly – wrap pretzel rods with reduced-fat Cheddar cheese.

- Chocolate Banana Milkshake – blend a cup of low-fat chocolate milk, a banana and ice cubes.

- Pack It – low-fat or reduced-fat string cheese is quick, portable and fun.

- Strawberry Frozen Yogurt Squares – a welcome warm-weather treat.

- Baked Spinach Artichoke Yogurt Dip – an appetizer everyone will love.

- Dip It – cut up pieces of fruit and include low-fat or fat-free vanilla yogurt as a tasty dip.

- Chocolate Craving – enjoy an ice-cold glass of low-fat or fat-free chocolate milk.

- Yogurt-sicles – pour low-fat yogurt into small paper cups, insert small wooden sticks and freeze.

- Fruit-and-Cheese Kabobs – alternate slices of apple and reduced-fat cheese cubes on small wooden skewers.

DINNER

Dinner is a great time to reconnect as a family.

- Cheesy Chicken Crunchers – family-friendly and delicious.

- Side Salad – top a tossed salad with reduced-fat zesty Parmesan or creamy mozzarella.

- Make Your Own Pizza Party – use whole-wheat crust and top with pizza sauce, part-skim mozzarella cheese and veggies.

- Garden Pasta Salad – combine cooked whole-wheat pasta, reduced-fat Cheddar cheese cubes, fresh chopped veggies and low-fat Italian dressing.

- Amped Up Veggies – melt reduced-fat cheese on broccoli, cauliflower, carrots or peas.

- Sweet Ending – top angel food cake with low-fat cherry or vanilla yogurt.

- Visit www.nationaldairycouncil.org/recipes for more great dinner recipes that include delicious dairy.

Dairy Month has been an annual tradition since 1937

June Dairy Month, an annual tradition developed to celebrate the dairy industry and its many contributions to our society, originated in 1937. During its first two years, 1937 and 1938, it was called National Milk Month and ran from June 10 to July 10. The 1937 event, sponsored by chain stores, was given the theme "Keep Youthful - Drink Milk." Originally supported by the National Dairy Council (NDC), June Dairy Month was established to help stabilize dairy demand during periods of peak production when cows were turned out to pasture. To assist in that effort, NDC provided promotional materials to the 6,300 stores participating.

"June Dairy Month" became the official title of the promotion in 1939 and focused on greater use of dairy products. Campaign material, prepared by NDC, was offered to producers, processors and dairy product distributors. June Dairy Month was initially funded by a one cent per pound butterfat assessment in June.

During the war years, less emphasis was placed on promotion, more on surviving the war. The retailers helped customers receive an adequate supply of dairy products and provided information to help use them properly.

After the war, efforts focused on resuming dairy product usage and regaining 'lost' butter sales. In 1947 the slogan was "30 Days for ADA in June." The goal was "Sales, not Surplus." By 1950, retailers, producers and processors all worked together to promote June Dairy Month.

In 1955 American Dairy Association (ADA) became the national leader for June Dairy Month campaigns.

Fruit Salsa Bruschetta

15 min. prep time 20 min. total time
12 servings

Salsa
1/2 cup finely chopped strawberries
1/4 cup finely chopped mango
1/4 cup seeded, finely chopped jalapeño peppers
1/4 cup finely chopped pineapple

Bruschetta
2 tablespoons butter, melted
12 (1/2-inch) slices baguette, cut diagonally
6 (3/4-ounce) slices deli white American cheese, cut in half lengthwise

Heat gas grill to medium or charcoal grill until coals are ash white.

Combine all salsa ingredients in bowl; set aside.

Brush baguette slices lightly on both sides with melted butter; place onto grill. Grill until browned. Turn bread slices; top each bread slice with 1 piece cheese. Continue grilling until cheese begins to melt.

Remove toasts from grill; top each with heaping tablespoon of salsa. Serve immediately.

The emphasis changed to sales promotion programs for dairy products, and advertising and merchandising programs were added to an already-effective public relations program. The June promotion became a month-by-month merchandising event in which one or more foods made from milk were highlighted nationwide on a monthly basis. This advertising was visible evidence of dairy farmers' dollars at work.

June Dairy Month continued to evolve over the years and entire communities across the country, both rural and urban, have embraced it and have become involved in many ways. On-farm events such as breakfasts and open houses are popular in June, with dairy farmers throwing open their doors so that people can learn more about how they take care of cows and produce the milk that people depend on for good health.

Some celebrate with product samples at creameries, grocery stores and local banks and businesses. Some dairy princess coronations happen in June, and it would not be unusual to come across a cow milking contests, cow visits at zoos, or a running event honoring June and using chocolate milk as a refuel beverage.

Traditional media outlets, especially in communities where dairy farms dot the landscape, often promote June Dairy month with remote on-farm broadcasts or trivia contests. The newer format of social media also allows for pointing out the goodness of dairy during the month.

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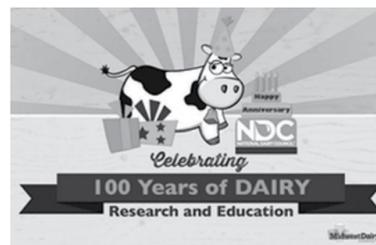
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National Dairy Council Centennial Celebration: Celebrating 100-Year commitment to science-based research and nutrition education

Dairy farmers from throughout the Midwest, including those in Nebraska are joining Midwest Dairy Council in recognizing the centennial of the National Dairy Council (NDC). For the past 100 years, NDC has been committed to science-based nutrition research and education and has shown an unwavering dedication to fostering healthy people, healthy communities and a healthy planet on behalf of America's dairy farmers. The

Midwest Dairy Council is a local affiliate of NDC and is also dedicated to dairy nutrition research and education through the investment of 8,000 dairy farm families across 10 Midwestern states.

Founded in 1915, NDC is comprised of registered dietitians and nutrition research and communications experts from across the country. For the past 100 years, NDC has provided important community and school programs,



like Fuel Up to Play 60, a unique, in-school nutrition and physical activity program that reaches more than 73,000 schools and 11 million students across the country, as well as partnerships with local food banks.

"Since we were established a hundred years ago, our mission has been to share the many good reasons to eat dairy foods every day," said Moly Pelzer, registered dietitian and Senior Vice President of Health & Wellness at Midwest Dairy Council. "As we look to the future, we will continue to be dedicated to science-based education on the role of dairy foods in the diet and the nutrition and health benefits they offer as part of an overall balanced-diet."

Here are examples of how Midwest Dairy Council implements NDC mis-

sion in local communities:

- For the past 100 years, Midwest Dairy Council has helped launch pioneering programs - including Fuel Up to Play 60, the nation's largest in-school health and wellness program that is currently impacting more than 5.4 million students in the Midwest - which benefits generations of children and adults.

• Each year, Midwest Dairy Council shares the latest in dairy nutrition research and tools with hundreds of health professionals and school nutrition leaders to extend the reach of their messages.

• As a convener on the topic of helping to alleviate food insecurity, Midwest Dairy Council works with food banks, health professionals, and local officials and businesses in their ten states to address hunger and develop strategies for making nutrient-rich foods more accessible to Midwest families.

Dairy foods like milk, cheese and yogurt, deliver nine essential nutrients and are more nutrient-rich than any other food group. At about 25 cents per 8-ounce serving, milk is a bargain, especially when you consider all the nutrients inside.

100 Years of DAIRY

To recognize NDC's Centennial celebration, consumers are invited to join in the organization's effort to make milk available to all families by donating to the Great American Milk Drive, an innovative program implemented to ensure all families have access to milk. Consumers can also purchase the Dairy Good Cookbook: Everyday Comfort Food from America's Farm Families. This cookbook tells the stories of America's 47,000 dairy farm families through recipes, photos and stories from the farm. The cookbook retails for \$25 with proceeds benefiting the GENYOUth Foundation and Fuel Up to Play 60 Program. It will be available in bookstores beginning June 2, and can be ordered now on Amazon.com and BarnesandNoble.com.

DAIRY MAKES SENSE

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WHAT IS A SERVING SIZE OF MILK?
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Did you know?

MAKE IT BETTER WITH MILK

- Milk, white or flavored, delivers nine essential nutrients; including calcium, potassium and vitamin D.
- The 2010 Dietary Guidelines recommends three servings of low-fat or fat-free milk every day.
- The carbohydrates and protein in milk make it a smart beverage for athletes.



MIX IT UP WITH MILK

Blend a cup of low-fat milk with frozen berries and a teaspoon of chocolate syrup.

Microwave a cup of low-fat chocolate milk for instant hot chocolate.

Mix low-fat strawberry milk with strawberry slices; freeze in a popsicle container.

FROSTY ORANGE BANANA SIPPER

1 medium banana, peeled, chunked and frozen

3 ounces frozen orange juice concentrate

1 cup low-fat milk (set in freezer 30 minutes before using)

1 6-ounce container low-fat vanilla yogurt

Combine all ingredients in a blender; blend until smooth and creamy. Pour into glass and enjoy.



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Baked Spinach Artichoke Yogurt Dip

Makes 8 Servings

Ingredients

Prep Time: 10 min

Cook Time: 20 min

- 1 (14-ounce) can artichoke hearts, drained and chopped
- 1 (10-ounce) package frozen chopped spinach, thawed and drained
- 1 (8-ounce) container low-fat plain yogurt
- 1 cup shredded part-skim, low-moisture mozzarella cheese
- 1/4 cup chopped green onion
- 1 garlic clove, minced
- 2 tablespoons chopped red pepper

Combine all ingredients except red pepper and mix well. Pour mixture into 1-quart casserole dish or 9-inch pie plate. Bake at 350 degrees Fahrenheit for 20-25 minutes, or until heated through, and sprinkle with red peppers. Serve with toasted whole-grain bread or crackers.

Recipe created by 3-Every-Day of Dairy.

Nutritional Facts: 80 Calories, 3 g Fat, 2 g Saturated Fat, 10 mg Cholesterol, 220 mg Sodium, 8 g Protein, 7 g Carbohydrates, 1 g Dietary Fiber, 20 percent Daily Value Calcium

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June Dairy Month is a time to recognize dairy's nutritional and economic benefits

More than 75 years since the annual celebration began, June Dairy Month continues to recognize dairy foods and the farmers who produce them. Beginning in 1937, the observance was created as a way to help distribute extra milk when cows started on pasture in the summer months. June Dairy Month's rich history continues, with communities, companies and people from all over celebrating the many reasons why dairy makes sense for families and the environment.

Not only do dairy foods taste great, but they are good for your health and your budget. Plus, they're produced by dairy farmers with a longstanding commitment to sustainability. To better understand dairy's benefits, consider the following:

Dairy is a Nutrient Powerhouse: Dairy foods are full of vitamins and minerals and help build strong bones and healthy muscles, control blood pressure, maintain a healthy weight, and reduce the risk of heart disease.

Dairy Provides More for Your Money: At about 25 cents per 8-ounce serving, milk is a bargain, especially when you consider all the nutrients inside. "Dairy is a wise investment for your family," says Midwest Dairy Association registered dietitian Stephanie Cundith. "No other food group delivers as much nutrition in such an affordable, flavorful and convenient way."

Dairy Farmers Are Committed to Sustainability: 8,000 Midwest dairy farm families work 365 days a year to ensure nutritious milk and dairy foods are available now and in the future while using a variety of conservation practices and on-farm efficiencies to reduce their environmental impact.

To celebrate June Dairy Month, get to know a farmer by attending a June Dairy Month event in your state or meet a Midwest dairy farm family online. Also, aim for three servings of low-fat or fat-free dairy every day, which is the amount recommended for

people ages nine and older in the 2010 Dietary Guidelines. Start by finding a new dairy recipe to prepare, such as this Chocolate Berry Smoothie made with Greek yogurt and chocolate milk. For more dairy recipes, and dairy nutrition and farming information, visit DairyMakesSense.com.

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